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## CASS CITY WINS COUNTY TRACK MEET

### ONE OF MOST SWEEPING VICTORIES EVER; LOCALS WIN 77 OUT OF 104 POINTS.

#### Caro Gets County Base Ball Championship, Winning 14-1 Game Friday.

By Roy J. Striffler, '16.

One of the most sweeping victories ever witnessed occurred at Caro, Friday, June 7, when the track team of the local high school walked away with the twelfth annual field and track meet of the Tuscola County Athletic Association, by a score of 77 out of the 104 points awarded. Vassar high presented practically the only opposition that was noticed during the events, and won second place with a score of 24 points. Caro stood third with three points to their credit.

The track was in ideal condition. The day was perfect except for a slight wind which interfered somewhat in the distance runs and the jumping. Cass City's team was in splendid form due to their consistent training and clean living. A large and enthusiastic crowd of Cass City people gave the team their whole-hearted backing. Nothing was lacking to make the meet an easy walk-away for the local team.

Cass City's men won first place in every event with the exception of the discus throw in which Hammond of Vassar took the first place. Four second places and ten thirds were also awarded to the team. The score is four points ahead of last year's score and is thought by many to be the highest score ever won by a local team.

Gowan was high man of the meet with 21 1/4 points to his credit. Miller of Vassar was second with 15 and Dodge third with 13 1/2. Gowan showed splendid form and easily outclassed Miller, Vassar's phenomenon of one year ago, and of whom much was expected.

Two county records were broken and, in both cases, by local men. Brooker pole vaulted to the limit of the vaulting standards and made a record of 10 ft., 4 1/2 in., which gives him one and a half inches over the record of 10-3 set by Mott of Vassar in 1916. Benkelman had decided not to enter the running broad jump but changed his mind and made a record in that event at 19 ft. 10 1/2 in.

The Dyer trophy, awarded to the school winning the highest number of points in the meet, now becomes the permanent property of Cass City high, having been won for three consecutive years. Twenty-eight individual medals, fourteen gold, four silver and ten bronze were also awarded the members of the local team. The whole has been on display in the window of the Cass City Drug Co.'s store during the first part of the week.

The list of events, winners and records is as follows:  
100 yard dash—1st, Gowan, Cass City; 2nd, Miller, Vassar; 3rd, Dodge, Cass City. Time, 10 3-5 seconds.  
12-lb. shot put—1st, Dodge, Cass City; 2nd, Hammond, Vassar; 3rd, Champion, Cass City. Distance, 34 ft. 11 in.

880 yard run—1st, Hutchinson, Cass  
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## FLAG DAY PROCLAMATION BY GOVERNOR SLEEPER

#### Asks That Flags Be Displayed on Public and Private Buildings June 14.

In requesting that flags be displayed on both public and private buildings on Friday, June 14, Gov. Sleeper in his Flag Day proclamation says:

"Flag Day seems to have been first observed in 1894, when, by order of the Governor of New York, the national flag was hoisted on the public buildings of that state in honor of the one hundred and seventeenth anniversary of its adoption by congress, June 14th, 1777. The idea has spread until every state in the union has adopted the custom.

"This year the flag has for us a deeper meaning than ever before. It means more to the world. It carries a message of universal hope and cheer. It has become the symbol of the world's freedom. The world looks to us to save it, and by this sign we shall conquer. Our glorious banner proclaims America the hope of the world.

"Let Flag Day be a day on which those who have come to us from other lands, and have here found freedom and opportunity, shall re-affirm their loyalty to the United States and her institutions; and let us all on that day pledge anew our allegiance to our flag, and our faith in those principles of liberty and justice upon which the Republic was founded."

## TWO MORE CASS CITY BOYS MEET IN FRANCE

Last week the Chronicle related the story of Leslie and Lyle Koepfgen, sons of Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Kopfgen, meeting in France.

Saturday, Mrs. J. E. Seed received a letter from overseas which related a similar incident. The news came from her brother, Ernest Schwaderer, who told how an aviator had landed at their camp and how surprised and pleased he was to discover that the flyer was his schoolmate and friend, Lyle Koepfgen. The two young men are located in near-by camps.

## HAVE SUCCESSFUL ATHLETIC RECORD

#### CASS CITY SCHOOLS UNDEFEATED IN 10 OUT OF 13 TRACK MEETS.

#### In Same Series, Local Athletes Won Highest Individual Honors in 10 Contests.

Cass City high school has produced many fine athletic specimens since the day the high school track meet became popular in the Thumb. A brief glance into past history shows that at 13 track and field meets in which the local schools have participated in as many years, the local team has won the highest number of points as a team on nine occasions, divided honors equally at another time and lost in only three meets. In the same series of track events, the Cass City high school furnished athletes who secured the honors of winning the highest number of individual points at 10 of the 13 contests.

Here is a record of which patrons, teachers and pupils of the school may well be proud:

June 3, 1904—At the Thumb Athletic Association meet at Bad Axe, Cass City won first place with 21 points, Harbor Beach 17, Vassar 15, Bad Axe 10, Elkton 3.

June 3, 1905—Cass City won Thumb track meet at Bad Axe, having secured more points in events than all the other three schools participating. Arthur Cooley of Cass City was the highest individual point winner.

June 1, 1906—Frank McComb of Cass City secured first place in seven events at Thumb meet here. Cass City athletes secured 60 of the total of 90 points.

June 7, 1907—At the Tuscola Co. Athletic Assn. meet at Caro, Leslie Koepfgen of Cass City was the "star," having had 29 points to his credit. Cass City team won over half of total number of points.

June 12, 1908—County meet at Caro—Cass City won 73 points, Caro 73, Millington 2. Base ball game—Cass City 8, Caro 6.

June 11, 1909—R. D. Keating of Cass City was star of county meet at Caro with 21 points. Cass City 97, Caro 38, Vassar 3.

June 10, 1910—Cass City won 73 2-3 points in county track meet at Vassar; Caro, 39 2-3; Vassar, 21 2-3; Mayville 5. Clifford Gracey and Alex Miller, both starred for Cass City, each securing 18 2-3 points, besides assisting in relay race.

June 2, 1911—Robt. Orr, Cass City, won the honors as highest individual point winner at meet at Bad Axe—five firsts, two seconds, also taking part in relay. Bad Axe team won meet.

In 1912 and 1913, Cass City schools did not participate in any field meets.

June 12, 1914—Crosswell took Thumb field meet at Cass City. Dexter of Crosswell stood highest with 19 1/2 points. Crosswell 63, Cass City 23, Deckerville 22, Caro 17.

June 11, 1915—Caro won field meet with 38 points, Cass City 37. Everett Higgins of Cass City, with 21 1/4 points, carried away individual honors.

June 16, 1916—Cass City won county meet at Caro with 46 points. Caro secured 37, Vassar 17, Mayville 8. Ernest Wood of Cass City had highest record—15 1/2 points.

June 15, 1917—Cass City captured county meet with 73 points, Vassar 20, Caro 11. Arthur Walker of Cass City was the star of the day—18 1/4 points.

June 7, 1918—Cass City won most points as team, and had highest individual point winner in Earl Gowan whose score was 21 1/4 points.

## PATRIOTIC MEETING AT CASS CITY JUNE 25

A patriotic meeting will be held in Cass City Tuesday evening, June 25, in the interest of the War Savings Stamp campaign. Prominent speakers sent by the State Speakers' Bureau will give addresses. Further particulars will be given next week.

You may not be able to fight, but you can save and buy War Savings Stamps.

## COMMENCEMENT ENJOYABLE EVENT

#### CLASS OF '23 WERE PRESENTED WITH DIPLOMAS LAST EVENING.

#### Class Day Exercises Unique in Character and Given Along Original Lines.

The annual commencement exercises of the Cass City high school were held at the opera house last evening when 23 young people were presented with diplomas.

Prof. Webster H. Pearce of the Central Normal school inspired the large audience with an eloquent address overflowing with patriotism and good advice to graduates and parents. His subject was "The Measure of an Education," and he clearly outlined the great difference in humanity's favor between the aims and measures of our education compared with that of Germany. That difference represents the superiority of the American soldier, free-thinking and democratic, over our German adversary, imbued with his "kultur." Fathers and mothers were appealed to, not to neglect the home training of the boys and girls as it is the great factor in determining their future usefulness.

The members of the class are: William Walters, Ruby Watson, Marie Benkelman, Louisa Smith, Zelma McKenzie, Clarence Burt, Ione Striffler, Irene Bardwell, Helene Bardwell, Helen Wilsey, Neva Johnson, Lucy Withney, Neal Johnson, Laura Bigelow, Carrie McGregor, Fern Seely, Roy Harris, Esther Cridland, Irene McPhail, Helen Carpenter, Jeanetta McCallum, William McInnes, Christie McRae.

### Baccalaureate Address.

The Baptist church could not hold the large number who turned out in spite of the threatening weather Sunday evening to attend the baccalaureate services. The members of the church choir rendered musical selections appropriate for the occasion and in other columns in this number of the Chronicle may be found a synopsis of Rev. Zanders' inspiring address to the graduates.

### Junior Banquet.

The junior class of 22 members gave a banquet Tuesday evening in honor of the senior class which numbered 23. The high school faculty were also among the guests.

The banquet was served by the ladies of the Evangelical church and the menu was pronounced an excellent one. Decorations were in the class colors and the tables looked beautiful with the embellishments of smilax and flowers.

The program which followed was opened by an instrumental duet by Irene Bardwell and Roy Harris. Cameron Wallace, president of the junior class, introduced Frank Dodge as toastmaster, who announced the remainder of the program as follows: "We Greet You," Isabel MacIntyre; "Our Successors," Carrie McGregor; vocal solo, Cora Bartle; "Prospects," W. D. Riggs; "Everybody," Wm. Walters; "Au Revoir," Colin McRae; piano solo, Dorothy McKim.

### Class Day Exercises.

A large audience enjoyed the class day exercises at the opera house Wednesday. The evening's program represented a re-union of the Class of 1918 ten years hence in the city of Philadelphia with Helene Bardwell as hostess. As the members of the class arrived in groups of twos and threes at Miss Bardwell's home, there were "mighty glad to see you again" expressions given to the Bills and Chris and Zelma and Louisa and all the others, by all the others. It indeed represented a happy and joyous occasion. Every member's experience in the years that had intervened since graduation were either related by himself or the story embellished by one who knew. When the happy idea of repeating the 1918 class day program was advanced by Irene Bardwell, the plan was supported by an overwhelming majority and there was no opportunity for shirking. Esther Cridland gave the salutatory; Neal Johnson, an oration; Laura Bigelow, the class history; Helen Wilsey, the valedictory; Irene and Helene Bardwell, a piano duet; Roy Harris, the class will; Marie Benkelman, a vocal solo; Ione Striffler, the giftatory.

The evening's program was unique in character and the more interesting because of its originality. It will long be remembered as one of the successes in the commencement exercises of C. C. H. S.

The constant wash of water  
Wears away the largest stone,  
The constant gnaw of Towser,  
Masticates the toughest bone.  
The lover's constant wooing  
Wins, at last, the fickle maid,  
And the constant advertiser,  
Is the one who gets the trade.

## CRAIG-KENNEDY.

Miss Zilpha Craig, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Craig, and Louis Charles Kennedy were married at Kerrobert, Canada, Wednesday, June 12. The bride wore a very becoming dress of gold colored silk, her traveling suit being of light gray. Mrs. Kennedy, who is well known here, has been employed for the past year in the main office of the Dort factory at Flint. Mr. Kennedy is a prosperous farmer of the west. After making a short trip through the west, they will reside on the groom's farm at Castor, Alberta.

## PRESIDENT ISSUES W. S. S. PROCLAMATION

#### The President Brings Some Pertinent Facts to the Attention of Michigan People.

#### (The Michigan War Savings Committee urges all clergymen to read this proclamation to their congregations before June 28th.)

Message.  
"This war is one of nations, not of armies, and all of our one hundred million people must be economically and industrially adjusted to war conditions, if this nation is to play its full part in the conflict. The problem before us is not primarily a financial problem, but rather a problem of increased production of war essentials and the saving of the materials and the labor necessary for the support and equipment of our army and navy. Thoughtless expenditure of money for non-essentials uses up the labor of men, the products of the farms, mines and factories and overburdens transportation, all of which must be used to the utmost and at their best for war purposes.

The great results which we seek can be obtained only by the participation of every member of the nation, young and old, in a national concerted thrift movement. If therefore, as far as possible, everywhere pledge themselves as suggested by the Secretary of the Treasury to the practice of thrift to serve the government to their utmost in increasing production in all fields necessary to the winning of the war to conserve food and fuel, and to devote their labor only to the most necessary tasks and to buy only those things which are essential to individual health and efficiency and that the people as evidence of their loyalty invest all that they can save in Liberty Bonds and War Savings stamps. The securities issued by the Treasury Department are so many of them within the reach of "everyone that the door of opportunity in this matter is wide open to all of us. To practice thrift in peace times is a virtue and brings great benefit to the individual at all times, but in the desperate need of the civilized world today to material and labor with which to end the war the practice of individual thrift is a patriotic duty and a necessity.

"I appeal to all who now own either Liberty Bonds or War Savings Stamps, to continue to practice economy and thrift and to apply to all who do not own government securities to do likewise and purchase them to the extent of their means. The man who buys government securities transfers the purchasing power of his money to the United States Government until after this war and to that same degree does not buy in competition with the government.

"I earnestly appeal to every man, woman and child to pledge themselves on or before the twenty-eighth of June to save constantly and to buy as regularly as possible the securities of the government and to do this as far as possible through membership in War Savings Societies. The twenty-eighth of June ends this special period of enlistment in the great volunteer army of production and saving here at home. May there be none unenlisted on that day.

Signed

WOODROW WILSON.

## ALIEN GERMAN WOMEN MUST BE REGISTERED

#### Enrollment Will Commence on June 17 and Is Concluded on June 26.

Unusual legal tangles in the matter of naturalization surround the registration of German alien women, ordered by the federal department of justice to be held throughout the country during the ten days commencing Monday, June 17, and concluding Wednesday, June 26.

Women, American born and of American parentage, who have married German aliens, are classed as alien women and must register as such under the naturalization laws, while German-born women who have married American citizens are classed as Americans, the status of the husband governing the naturalization of the wife.

Postmaster Dodge will register those in the Cass City community who are included under this regulation.

## RED CROSS NOTES.

Cass City's quota for knitted sweaters for June is fifty. As we were notified on June 11, this leaves only nineteen days to finish this quota. Every woman and girl who can knit must help out. The ladies working on another committee would be doing a great work by helping out on this quota as the sweaters must be finished and sent in by July 1.

Save for the country's sake.

## ARTHUR HELWIG ENDS HIS LIFE

#### FOUND HANGING IN BARN BY HIS WIFE EARLY SUNDAY MORNING.

#### Had Fought Hard Against Idea to Do Himself Harm, but Finally Yielded to Impulse.

Arthur Helwig, an Elkland township farmer, ended his life by hanging himself in his farm barn six miles northeast of Cass City early Sunday morning. He had arisen early to milk the cows and have the milk ready for the milk hauler. When he did not return after a reasonable length of time, his wife and the hired man instituted a search. He was found in the barn dead. He had used a tie strap as a means of ending his life.

The young man suffered mental trouble at times and has often expressed the fear that he would some time do harm to himself because of it. He had fought against the idea, but it finally prevailed over him. The previous evening, the family had motored to Cass City and friends who visited with Mr. Helwig that evening found him in an apparently cheerful state of mind. It was a severe shock to them when they heard of his death the following morning. He was an industrious young man and well thought of by the people of the community in which he lived.

Arthur Helwig was born in Lancaster, N. Y., on July 8, 1884. He came to Michigan with his parents in the fall of 1892. On Dec. 17, 1905, he was united in marriage with Miss Mable Murphy. To this union four children were born, one daughter preceding the father in death.

Funeral services were held Wednesday afternoon in the Bethel church of which Mr. Helwig was a faithful attendant and adherent. Rev. J. D. Young, the pastor, officiated.

Besides his wife and three children, Grant, Clinton and Marion, he leaves his mother, Mrs. Henry Helwig and two sisters, Edna and Beatrice Helwig, all of Elkland township besides a host of relatives and friends.

Among the relatives from out of town in attendance at the funeral were Mr. and Mrs. Frank Simmet, sr., Mr. and Mrs. Frank Simmet, jr., Mrs. Wm. Brown, Miss Sophia Helwig, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Mann and Mrs. Thos. Mann, all of Carson City.

## 451 NEW REGISTRANTS IN TUSCOLA AND SANILAC

#### List of Those Just of Age Who Registered from This Community June 5.

Four hundred fifty-one young men who reached their 21st birth anniversary since the June registration day in 1917 were registered in Tuscola and Sanilac counties last Wednesday, June 5. Of this number 201 were in Tuscola county. The names of those who reside in the eastern part of Tuscola who were enrolled at Caro Wednesday are:

Cass City—Wm. M. Nellis, John Norman Gunther, Leo Quinn, Joseph Glen Spencer, Clare Burton Turner, Russell Joseph Rogers, Russell Howard Gillies, Wm. Henry Anker, Geo. Alvin Geno, James Glenn Tuckey, Maynard Delong, Harry Grten, Floyd Rushlo, Lester James Patterson, Stanley Wm. Hall, Elmer Stanley Muntz, Floyd Ray Moore, Lloyd McKim, Wilfred Beairs, Archie Evan Carl, A. C. Farrell, Alfred Joseph Rocheleau.

Wilnot—Arthur Green, Friend Park Wagg, Orla Wm. Moulton, Olin Harold Wells, Ernest Leland Sole, Henry Zemke, Leland Ensign.

Gagetown—James McClair Profit, Archie Ackerman, Arthur Geo. Carolan, Earl Leroy Streeter, Joe McDermaid.

Deford—Ray Cornish, Henry Rudolph Cooklin, Wm. McKinley Patch, John Henry Congdon, Hazen Warner, Paul E. Cole.

Kingston—Bennil Hall, Chester Wm. Maxam, Howard Edward Clark, Henry Hergender.

Sanilac County.  
Those registering in the western part of Sanilac county are:  
Argyle—Geo. Vatter, Donald Herdell.  
Cass City—Leland Nicol, Vern Watson, Laveret Barnes, Emerson Hill.  
Decker—Harold Biddle, Gilbert Field, Henry Bateman, Ernest Hyatt, Clarence Leslie, Gaylord Kerbyson, Lyman VanNorman, Alva Arnold, Goldie Brown.  
Hemans—John Bunick.  
Kingston—James McLaughlin.  
Minden City—Earl Hunt, William Halifax, Herman Oswald, John Kipp, Edward Flynn, Vincent Kolar, John Rulkowski, Richard Regentine.  
Snover—William Brown, George

Krause, Earl Stoutenberg, Fred Emigh, Frank Krottsch, Carl Stoutenberg, Roy Russell, Joseph Hunter, Neil Anglebrandt, Erwin Kipp, Ray Sanford, Melvin McLean, William Faltinowski, Leigh Starr, William F. Paape, Elmer Hill, Will Hildinger, Wesley Wendorf, John Brandt. Tyre—Art Boehnke, August Rubel, Samuel Patterson, Ira Peter.

## ANNOUNCEMENT.

All members of the Presbyterian church and congregation are cordially invited to a reception at the home of Dr. and Mrs. P. A. Schenck Wednesday evening, June 19, at eight o'clock in honor of Rev. and Mrs. J. Willis Hamblin.

## INSPIRING SERMON TO GRADUATES

#### BACCALAUREATE SERVICE WAS HELD AT BAPTIST CHURCH SUNDAY EVENING.

#### Rev. Zanders Points Graduates to Divine Word as the Compass for Life's Journey.

The baccalaureate sermon for the graduating class of the Cass City high school was delivered at the Baptist church Sunday evening. Rev. W. F. Zanders chose as his text, "Learn to do well," Isaiah 1:17, and in his inspiring address said in part:

"I have often thought that I would like to see the launching of a ship; to see the great ocean liner or man-of-war slip down into the water, the banners waving and the crowds cheering. It must be an inspiring sight. Think of all that is represented in that great ship, the planning of the architect, the skill of engineers, the power of brain and brawn that has gone into getting her ready; and then think of the voyages which await her yonder below the sky line. For the thoughtful man it must be inspiring.

But if the launching of a ship is so full of human interest how much more the launching of a life. So let the

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## W. S. S. PUBLIC MEETINGS IN TUSCOLA

The following is a schedule of patriotic meetings planned for the War Savings Stamps campaign at which well known state speakers will give addresses:

Monday, June 17.  
Richville at 8 o'clock p. m.; Conrad Mueller, chairman.  
Reese, at 8 o'clock p. m.; Peter Pardee, chairman.

Tuesday, June 18.  
Akron, at 8 o'clock p. m.; E. A. Hess, chairman.

Wednesday, June 19.  
Kingston, at 8 o'clock p. m.; L. A. Maynard and Neil Burns, chairmen.

Thursday, June 20.  
Mayville, at 8 o'clock p. m.; C. L. Schramm, chairman.

Friday, June 21.  
Fostoria, at 8 o'clock p. m.; E. C. Robinson, chairman.

Sunday, June 23.  
Caro, at 8 o'clock p. m.; L. G. Seelye, chairman.

Monday, June 24.  
Fairgrove, at 8 o'clock p. m.; Chas. Butler, chairman.

Tuesday, June 25.  
Cass City, at 8 o'clock p. m.; John Marshall, chairman.

Gagetown, at 8 o'clock p. m.; Leslie Purdy, chairman.

Wednesday, June 26.  
Unionville, at 8 o'clock p. m.; Carl Eckfeld, chairman.

Thursday, June 27.  
Millington, at 8 o'clock p. m.; E. L. Evans, chairman.

Friday, June 28.  
Vassar, at 8 o'clock p. m.; Harry Price, chairman.

The Caro Home Guards, accompanied by the Caro band will go to many of the places where the meetings will be held. At the other places the local band and Home Guards will be the attractive feature.

## VOLUNTEER AND WILL STUDY AT ANN ARBOR

R. D. Keating, Clifton Champion and W. A. Bruce have volunteered for service in Uncle Sam's forces and report at Caro today and at Ann Arbor Saturday. The young men will pursue a course of study along mechanical lines for about two months at the university city, which qualifies them for service in repair work on automobiles and aeroplanes or as gunsmiths or carpenters. Nine men from Tuscola are the quota for this county in this particular branch of service.

A. L. Bruce of Deford will manage the egg and produce business at Cass City for his son, W. A. Bruce, during the latter's absence. He will be assisted by his son, Clinton Bruce.



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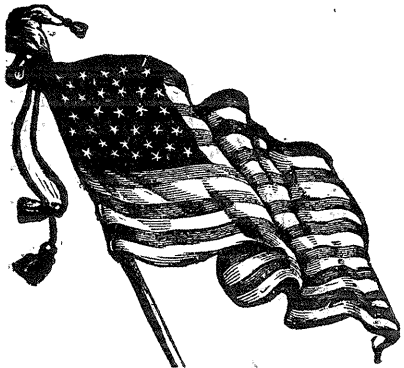
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### KINGSTON-NOVESTA TOWN LINE.

Mrs. John Whale is on the sick list. Chas. Ashby and John Collins of Novesta spent Sunday at J. D. Funk's.

Myron Retherford returned to his work at Detroit Tuesday.

Clarence Vorhes has ordered a new Ford.

Ruth Thomas is home from Lansing for an indefinite time.

Gene Wentworth is having his house and barn painted.

Howard Retherford and family made a trip to Marlette one day last week.

Lee McConnell of Spring Arbor spent the week-end at the home of his father.

Mr. and Mrs. Colon Ashley of Lansing are spending two weeks with their parents here.

Mrs. George Martin has received word that a baby boy came to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Campfield of East End, Sask., on May 29. He will be called Arthur Wayne.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Lewis of Caro visited Sunday with L. Retherford and family.

A number from here attended the graduating exercises at Deford Friday evening.

Wm. Coleman and family spent Sunday with relatives near Crosswell.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Cooper visited the latter's brother and family at Marlette Sunday.

### ELKLAND-ELMWOOD TOWN LINE.

Mrs. Urvan Loomis is very ill at her home.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Livingston visited Mrs. J. Anker Sunday.

Kenneth Auten is able to be out again after having diphtheria.

The Bingham school closes Friday with a picnic in Mrs. Wald's orchard.

The Red Cross unit will meet with Mrs. C. Bingham this week Thursday.

Sunday, June 16, will be Children's Day at the Elmwood Baptist church. Everyone come.

Mrs. Walls of Dayton visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. Burse, the latter part of the week.

Those present at the Bingham reunion held at Byron Bingham's home Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Bingham of Gageton, Mrs. A. Bingham and children, Mr. and Mrs. A. Coon, Mr. and Mrs. D. Coon and children, Mr. and Mrs. R. McConkey and family of Cass City, Mrs. David Cameron and children, Mr. and Mrs. H. Palmer of Owendale, Mr. and Mrs. C. Bingham and children—Thirty in all.

## Cass City Bank....

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Money to loan on Real Estate.

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G. A. TINDALE, Cashier

## FIVE NEW GERMAN DIVISIONS MEET TERRIFIC LOSSES

### BATTLE BETWEEN MONTDIDIER AND THE OISE GERMAN ATTACK AT THE RATIO OF SIX MEN TO THE YARD.

### U. S. MARINES GAIN GROUND NORTHWEST CHATEAU THIERRY

#### French Counter-Attack Surprise to the Germans Who Had Not Looked for Such a Stone Wall of Defense.

Paris.—Battling with unparalleled fury, the Germans are throwing fresh divisions into vain assaults on minor positions, not the main line of French defenses, on the front between Montdidier and the Oise. Ten and 12 times these attacks were repeated in the last 24 hours, each time with the same result—frightful loss to the attackers.

The Matz valley, where the German center troops are fighting, is proving a death trap for the Teutons. The French, unsurprised by Monday's offensive, lost no time counter-attacking with strong forces. It was the enemy who was surprised this time, for manifestly he had not looked for such a stonewall defense.

Five German divisions already have been withdrawn because of the terrific losses. The Germans are still attacking at a ratio of six men to a yard. All day Monday they were targets that could not be missed.

The French prevented two German divisions reaching the jumping off places which they were frantically trying to capture. These two divisions had to be retired before being actually engaged in hand-to-hand fighting, so murderous was the French artillery.

#### Marines Rip German Line Again.

With the American Army in France.—United States marines attacked the Germans Monday morning and penetrated about two-thirds of a mile on a 600-yard front in Belleau wood. The Americans captured two minenwerfer, the largest pieces yet taken by them. It is expected that one will be sent to Washington and the other to Annapolis.

Major Edward D. Cole, commanding the machine gun battalion, captured several German stragglers. Numerous machine guns, it is believed, will be rounded up in the woods.

The Ninth and Twenty-third regiments of infantry, comprising what is known as the Syracuse brigade, hold the ground on the right of the marines at the point on the front nearest Paris. This is the second time the Syracuse brigade has held the point on the line nearest the capital, the former occasion being at the falling back, and the regiments went in at Coulomb for a short time.

#### Germans Open Another Drive.

Paris—Armies of Crown Prince Rupprecht, Bavaria, again are hitting the Allied line in a new offensive, with Paris apparently their object. Between Montdidier and Noyon, over a front of about 22 miles, preceded, as usual, by a heavy bombardment with shells of all calibers and with noxious gases, the enemy's initial maneuver evidently has in view the bending back of the Allied front toward the town of St. Just on the northern wing and toward the railroad junction of Compiègne on the southern flank, getting astride the Oise river and driving southwest toward the French capital.

#### Allied Line Holding Strongly.

French troops are resisting the impact with their usual valor, but the Germans on their right and in the center, have been able to penetrate the line for distances ranging from two-thirds of a mile south of Montdidier to relatively two and a half miles at Ressons-Sur-Matz, in the center. Thence to Noyon, however, the Allied line is holding strongly.

#### Teutons May Strike at Greece.

LONDON.—German newspapers received at Amsterdam, says an Exchange Telegraph dispatch, state that Premier Radoslavoff, of Bulgaria, in an interview, declared that his country, at war with Greece, had received from Germany and Austria, the fullest assurances that the General Powers would support all Bulgaria's claims, regarding eastern Macedonia, especially those relating to Drama, Seres, and Cavilla.

Newspapers also discuss a prospective Bulgarian offensive against Greece, under command of General Liman von Sanders and the Bulgarian commander-in-chief.

#### New U. S. Shell Plant Opens.

Washington.—The first of the four great government plants for filling shells with explosives is being operated, according to a report from General C. C. Williams acting chief of ordnance, to Secretary Baker. All the plants will be in operation by August, it is believed, and will load a total of 179,000 shells daily. Each plant will cost about \$5,000,000 and each will cover from 2,000 to 6,000 acres. The four plants daily will load 100,000 3-inch shells, and many other sizes.

## FIRST OFFICIAL SUMMARY ISSUED

### WAR DEPARTMENT GIVES OUT TOLL OF 7,315 IN CASUALTY LIST.

### 198 CASUALTIES FOR SUNDAY

#### The Largest Number of Casualties at Sea Given As 209 Men Lost From Transport Tuscania.

Washington.—Seven thousand, three hundred and fifteen men is the complete casualty toll of the American expeditionary forces, according to the first official summary issued by the war department.

The list shows that more men have died of disease, accident and other causes than were killed in action or have died of wounds. One thousand five hundred and eighty-four succumbed to disease and other causes, while 1,343 were killed in action or died of wounds.

The list includes 198 casualties announced Sunday the longest that has come from General Pershing. A summary with figures brought up to date will be issued weekly.

The list is divided as follows:  
Killed in action (including 291 at sea), 1,033.

Died of wounds, 319.

Died of disease, 1,192.

Died of accident and other causes, 392.

Wounded in action, 4,046.

Missing in action (including prisoners), 342.

Total, 7,315.

This list does not include the marines on navy ships, the men lost at sea being aboard transports.

The largest number were lost from the Tuscania, when 209 men went down.

While no official explanation was given for the decision of the department to advise the country weekly of the exact total of casualties since the landing of the first American forces in France last June, it is understood that it resulted largely from widespread reports that casualties had been very heavy and that total figures were being withheld from the public.

It has been explained at the department that the daily lists sent by General Pershing are issued with as little delay as possible. Casualties are so scattered in the lists that they will not give information of value to the enemy, but this does not mean that any appreciable numbers are held back. After heavy actions, such as that at Cantigny, it requires several days to check up the casualties and cable them to the department.

American troops have been in the trenches several months and now hold sectors at several points along the western front. In addition many American units are brigaded with the French and British and have been in heavy fighting since the German drive began in March.

General Pershing's men first went into the front line last November for training and soon afterwards they took of a trench sector permanently. Other units went into the trenches for final training with the French later and finally took over sectors so that the total frontage now held by the Americans rank second to that of the French and British armies.

### SIBERIA AWAITS ALLIED HELP

#### 1,000 Russian Army Officials Waiting Allied Aid in Arms at Vladivostok.

Washington.—Siberia is ripe for Allied intervention of the right sort, President Wilson has been told. Men on whose judgment he has hitherto relied have laid before him a plan whereby the Allied armies are to be accompanied by economic missions to restore order in the country as the armies march ahead.

Those who favor intervention received remarkable support from statements of Ensign Alexander Petrenko, once a leading "ace" of the Russian army. He arrived in Washington from Vladivostok, whither he had fled across Siberia after the defeat of General Kaledine's Cossack army in the Don country.

He declares that 1,000 officers of the Russian army, among them many generals, are eagerly awaiting at Vladivostok the Allied aid in arms, which, they say, must be furnished their country, before Russia becomes a hopeless wreck of anarchy, and easy prey for Germany.

#### German Books to Be Burned.

Boston.—A bonfire of German school books will form a feature of Boston's Fourth of July celebration.

#### Auto Accident, 3 Killed, 9 Injured.

Wheeling, W. Va.—Three persons were killed and nine injured on the national road near St. Clairsville, Ohio, 12 miles east of here, when two automobiles crashed, and went over an embankment. The dead are: William H. Fellers, Bellaire, Ohio, president of the Bellaire Brewing company, Mrs. William H. Fellers, Bellaire, and Miss Lillian Paden, 18 years old, Martins Ferry, Ohio. The two cars came together in a cloud of dust. The injured probably will recover.

### DEFORD.

Mrs. Wm. Hutchins and son, Frank, of Detroit are visiting the former's sister, Mrs. Wm. Pierce.

Wm. Pierce was a business caller in Caro Tuesday.

Miss Margaret Phillips visited at the Hilderbrandt home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Johnson and son, Max, and the Misses Ruth Kilgore and Gatha Meyers, motored to Marlette Sunday.

Mrs. J. Pugh of Detroit spent a few days with her mother, Mrs. C. L. McCain.

Mrs. Roy Bowman and son, Bernard, of Detroit is visiting at the home of her father, J. B. Gage.

Don't forget that the Red Cross serves ice cream and cake in the lower part of Society Hall every Saturday night.

Miss Gladys Balch of Lapeer was the guest of her mother, Mrs. Wm. Balch, from Saturday until Monday.

A. L. Bruce and son, Clinton, spent Sunday at Mayville.

Snelling Stout is on the sick list. Mrs. C. L. McCain visited her grandson, L. Spencer, at Caseville from Monday until Saturday.

Russell Clark, who has been working at Imlay City, came home Monday night with an attack of appendicitis.

Miss Fern Roberts is visiting relatives at North Branch and Mayville.

Mrs. Albert Pierce of Caro and Miss Eva Hopkins of Jackson visited at the home of Wm. Pierce Tuesday.

#### Last Week's Items.

Mumps seem to be the fad around these parts.

Wm. Pierce and Eli Stout were callers in Bay City Monday evening.

Mrs. R. E. Johnson is on the sick list.

Ezra Robinson of Pontiac is spending a few days with friends here.

Mrs. Chas. Osburn underwent an operation at Pleasant Home hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Eli Stout and son, Snelling, motored to Bay City Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Rock and family have returned to Deford and will live with Herb Phillips and work the farm.

Mr. Sykes of Flint was a caller in Deford last Friday.

Quite a number from here have been attending the Kelley shows at Cass City.

Peter Daugherty's mother is spending a few days at his home.

Ed. Lee of Bloomington, Ill., is making a short stay with friends here.

Geo. Roberts has been installing a new 15 h. p. kerosene engine for the elevator.

### ELMWOOD.

Mr. and Mrs. Hiram McKellar took in the sights in Caro Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ezra Winchester visited friends in Gageton Sunday.

Hiram Youmans, jr., is working for Claude Moore, east of Gageton.

A number from around here attended the dedicatory services at the U. B. church Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Youmans and Mr. and Mrs. George Grice visited Mr. and Mrs. James Grice, south of Caro Sunday.

Miss Bernice McKellar will have her tonsils removed Tuesday. Drs. Sugnet and F. L. Morris of Cass City operating.

Sherman Evans and Mrs. Isabell Farnum and Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Morse visited Mr. and Mrs. Ezra Kelley Sunday.

Mrs. Byron Bentley and Mrs. Mary Morse celebrated their birthdays at the latter's home June 6. Other guests present were Mrs. Wm. Burse, Miss Edith Burse, Mrs. Helen Morse and Mrs. Isabell Farnum.

### SUNSHINE.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Howell of Caro spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert McCree.

Mrs. Brock Pardo and little Ruth are spending a week at the former's parental home near Gageton.

Harold McCree spent the week end with his grandparents here.

The United Brethren society dedicated their church Sunday, June 9, after repairing it and making it larger. It is beautiful with its oak finish and oak floors.

Norma McKay is on the sick list.

John Greenwood visited last week in Cass City at the home of his daughter, Mrs. George Ackerman.

### WICKWARE.

Earl Nichol spent Saturday and Sunday at Sandusky.

Chas. Walker and family of Argyle spent Sunday with W. Sutherland and family.

Oscar Watson spent the week-end with relatives at Snover.

A number from here attended the funeral of Mrs. John Tewksbury Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Turner of Caro were pleasant callers in this vicinity last week.

Mrs. John Pratt and children of Pt. Huron are spending a few days at the home of W. Sutherland.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Johnson, Miss

Ethel Urquhart, Miss Bessie Emigh and Fred Emigh were Sunday guests at the home of Charles Watson.

An ice cream social will be held on the lawn at the home of Ed. Hartwick, one and one-half miles west of Wickware Tuesday evening, June 18 for the benefit of the Wickware Red Cross. Everybody come.

### BROOKFIELD.

Wm. Nicholas, jr., painted his house last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Gray of Flint spent Saturday and Sunday at Joe Mosher's, jr.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Harder spent Sunday at Malcolm Crawford.

Clayton Mosher went to Flint to spend a few days with his father, Ernest Mosher.

Art Clara and Clare Beckett of Camp Custer spent Saturday evening with their parents at Gageton.

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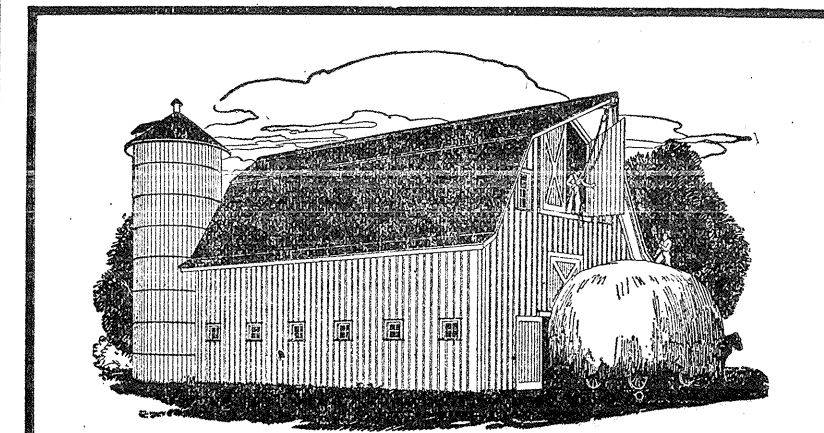
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# LOCAL NEWS

Crops are looking fine.  
Florence Day spent Monday at her parental home in Deford.  
W. A. Lamb went to South Bend, Indiana, this week on business.  
B. J. Dailey and G. A. Tindale went to Detroit Monday on business.  
Joseph Frutchey went to Ft. Morgan, Colorado, on business Tuesday.  
F. A. Page and M. F. Rittenhouse went to Saginaw Thursday on business.  
M. A. Russell of Battle Creek was in town Monday and Tuesday on business.  
Help your Government and yourself at the same time—buy War Savings Stamps.  
Mrs. Sara M. Delling of Cedar Run spent Thursday and Friday with Mrs. George Land.  
Mrs. Finley Ross visited her daughter, Mrs. Allen MacIntyre, in Sheridan last week.  
Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Root and Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Dickinson motored to Caseville on Sunday.  
A. C. McLean and son, Leonard, of Argyle spent Monday at the home of Mrs. James Watson.  
Miss Eleanor Bigelow spent Sunday as the guest of Mrs. George H. A. Shaw of Pigeon.  
Miss Marie Tyo came from Detroit Saturday night to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. David Tyo.  
Leland Higgins came from Detroit Saturday night to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Higgins.  
Miss Laura Gallagher visited her brother, Ed. Gallagher, in Detroit from Saturday until Monday.  
Miss Lillian Rogers has accepted a position in the Hires Condensed Milk Company plant for the summer.  
E. W. Jones and family motored to Caro for dinner on Sunday. They went to Vassar in the afternoon.  
Joy Tyo of Detroit spent from Saturday noon until Monday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. David Tyo.  
Earl Heller, J. C. Farrell, Frank Dodge and Rev. S. Cormany went to Caseville Tuesday on a fishing trip.  
Ernest Broch and George Bush of Flint spent from Thursday until Saturday at the home of Frank Ward.  
Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Townsend and daughter, June, and Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Proctor spent Sunday in Bad Axe.  
W. L. Ward made a business trip to Detroit last week, also visiting his son, James Ward. He returned Saturday.  
Miss Blanche Rogers of Rochester was entertained at the home of Mrs. P. A. Donaldson Saturday and Sunday.  
A. D. MacIntyre returned from Detroit on Monday where he has been receiving treatments at Harper hospital.  
L. H. Wood returned Saturday after visiting his son, Dr. M. L. Wood, in Ionia, and relatives in Charlotte. On his return trip, he visited Camp Custer.  
Mrs. Henry Biglow came home Saturday after visiting a week with her daughter, Mrs. Andrew Kamin, of Detroit.  
Mr. and Mrs. L. I. Wood and children, Warren and Raymond, and Mr. and Mrs. I. A. Fritz motored to Vassar on Sunday.  
Mr. and Mrs. S. Charles and Mr. and Mrs. Allen of Millington spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Davidson.  
Mr. and Mrs. Roy Ottoway and Mrs. Bert Ottoway of Gageton visited at the home of Mrs. Charles Rogers last Friday.  
Mrs. Frank Ward and daughter, Nancy, attended the field meet at Caro Friday and also visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Riley.  
Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Quick and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Quick motored to Saginaw Sunday where they visited relatives during the day.  
Mr. and Mrs. A. Frutchey, Mr. and Mrs. J. Frutchey, Mrs. A. F. Nettleton, and Irene Frutchey motored to Deford and Decker Sunday.  
Miss Sophia Finkle spent from Saturday until Tuesday at Camp Custer with her friend, Paul Hague, who expects to leave for France soon.  
Mr. and Mrs. Clem Hobbs and baby, and Jason Lamb of Owosso were guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Lamb from Saturday until Monday.  
Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Middleton, Miss Gladys Hitchcock and Harold Benkelman motored to Detroit on Sunday. Miss Hitchcock remained in Detroit where she is employed.  
Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Keating, Miss Caroline Keating and R. D. Keating motored to Detroit to visit Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Keating and Mr. and Mrs. George Bond for the week-end.  
Miss Ethel Buchanan of Madison came Friday to visit her brother, Earl Buchanan, and other relatives. Miss Buchanan and Earl Buchanan spent Sunday at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alvah Buchanan, near Tyre.  
Thelma Nettleton and Irene Frutchey returned home Friday from Big Rapids where they have been attending Ferris Institute. The Misses Frutchey and Nettleton have accepted positions in the office of the Cass City Grain company.

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Thrive by thrift.  
Guy Leach of Ubyly spent Wednesday evening with Isabell MacIntyre.

Rev. S. Cormany conducted quarterly meeting services at Caro Sunday.

Mrs. Charles Beach of Kalamazoo is visiting at the home of James McKenzie.

Mrs. E. Neumann of Marlette spent Wednesday with Mrs. James Brackenbury.

M. B. Auten, now at Camp Lee, Va., has received his commission as second lieutenant.

Roy Anthes returned home Friday evening after a week's visit with relatives in Pontiac.

Mrs. A. C. Graham of Lansing called at the home of Guy Landon Thursday evening.

Donald MacIntosh of Battle Creek, formerly of Cass City, is visiting friends here this week.

James Doerr is expected home next week for a ten-day furlough. He is coming to enlist new recruits.

The Bethel ladies' aid met at Mrs. John Karr's for dinner yesterday. A good time was enjoyed by all.

Miss Mamie Young came home Monday night from Niles to visit her parents, Rev. and Mrs. J. D. Young.

Mrs. Lyle Fox and Mrs. Margaret Livingston of Deford were guests of Mrs. Warner Kelley Sunday and Monday.

Dan Striffler returned home Monday from Harper Hospital, Detroit, where he has been receiving treatments.

Mrs. J. D. Brooker, Mrs. Eleanor Bader, Grover Burke, Earl Gowan and James Brooker motored to Caseville Sunday.

Miss Helen Wilson, English teacher of the Caro high school, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Schiedel of Sunday.

Mrs. Benjamin Guinther and son, Harvey, went to Flint Saturday to visit the former's daughter, Mrs. Grant Brooks.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Landon and Mr. and Mrs. N. B. Carr of Greenleaf spent Sunday with Mr. Carr's sister, Mrs. P. Hynes, of Bad Axe.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Greenleaf of East Cleveland have a baby boy, George Garrett. Mrs. Z. P. Lang of Cass City is nursing the case.

Samuel Champion has been appointed township chairman in Elkland of the War Savings Stamp campaign which opens June 20 and continues to June 28.

Mr. and Mrs. George Finkle and daughter, Maude, and Mr. and Mrs. R. Case of Gageton spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Finkle of Clifford.

Mrs. Albert Goff and children, Marguerite, Willow and Louis, of Detroit came Saturday to spend the week with Mrs. Goff's parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Brandon, Mrs. Margaret Cole and Benjamin Guinther motored to Gageton Sunday evening to attend the revival meetings at the Nazarene church.

Miss Golda Hoagland, who has been enjoying a three weeks' vacation at her parental home here, returned Wednesday morning to resume her duties at the Samaritan hospital at Detroit.

Miss Maude Soderquist, kindergarten teacher in the Cass City schools the past year, left Wednesday for her home in Bay City. Miss Soderquist will return to Cass City for the next school year.

Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Schiele entered the realm of grandparenthood for the first time and "twice at once" when twin sons were born to their daughter, Mrs. Melvin Herford, at Elkton last week.

Arthur Cooley and Miss Hazel Carson, both of Grant township, were united in marriage at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Carson, in Grant Friday. Mr. and Mrs. Cooley were guests at the home of their uncle, A. A. Ricker, on their wedding day.

Misses Lulu Barnes and Isabelle MacIntyre are interested in organizing a training class in military drills for girls and have called a meeting at the town hall next Monday evening at 7:30 for that purpose. All young ladies over 16 years of age are invited to attend. W. R. Kaiser will instruct the class.

A few weeks ago the Chronicle printed the item that Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Hitchcock had left Cass City for their new home at Muskegee, Okla. The Hitchcocks write that they are in Oklahoma on business, that their home is Cass City and that they'll soon be back here among their many friends.

S. Champion, with 20 towns in Tuscola and Huron counties in which he has bill posting plants, is placing a large poster at each town which boosts the sale of War Savings Stamps. Each poster represents \$4.80 in bill board space which would mean a nice income on a cash order of this size, but as Mr. Champion contributes both the space and his time in placing the posters, it means that he is doing his bit in 20 different communities. He contributed similar poster space in Liberty Loan and Fuel Savings campaigns.

Mrs. N. H. Beyette went to Saginaw Tuesday on business.

Back up those who are offering their all—buy War Savings Stamps.

Mrs. Jos. Cowell of Amadore spent the week-end with Mrs. James Brackenbury.

Miss Hazel Lauderbach and Roy Colwell visited friends in Inlay City Sunday.

Ward and Joseph Benkelman and A. J. Wallace were visitors in Saginaw Monday.

Miss Gladys Jackson came home today after finishing her school term at Mt. Pleasant.

Miss Evelyn Ronald of Marlette spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Audley Rawson.

Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Carroll of Long Beach, California, are visiting at the Glenn Hoffman home.

Mrs. Frances L. Porter is on a pleasure trip to Jackson and Stockbridge to visit relatives.

Chris Chaffee of Milledgeville, Illinois, came Monday to visit friends here. He returned Tuesday.

Mrs. Ellen McConnell went to Ottoway, Canada, last Saturday to visit her sister, Mrs. Joseph Mentz.

Mrs. James Young of Owendale came Wednesday to spend a few days at the home of James McKenzie.

Mrs. William Drew of Detroit came Saturday to visit her sister, Mrs. Richard Clark, and other relatives.

Isabell MacIntyre, Mrs. E. R. Hunter and Nicho Hitchcock were business callers in Bad Axe Monday evening.

Mrs. Olive Ostrander returned to her home in Caro Tuesday evening after visiting her sister, Mrs. J. Bardwell.

Clarence and Luvern Shaw of Decker are visiting their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Colwell, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Cole, Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Ferguson and Mrs. Angus McLachlan motored to Greenleaf Sunday.

Miss Isabell MacIntyre entertained Miss Gladys and Nicho Hitchcock and Harold Benkelman at dinner at the Gordon House last Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Spaven and Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Spaven and children motored to Yale Saturday and spent that day and Sunday with relatives there.

Mrs. Jacob Hurley and daughters, Margaret and Carrie, and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Spurgeon spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. D. Losey at Orion.

Misses Bonnie MacGregor, E. Creighton, B. Umphrey and M. Smith, and Messrs. Allen Dunn and Julius Peruski were callers at the MacIntyre apartments Tuesday evening.

Wm. Krapp of Missouri is spending a few months with his sisters, Mrs. D. C. Elliott and Mrs. J. J. Gallagher, and brothers, John and G. E. Krapp, and other relatives.

Point winners on the Cass City team at Friday's track meet were as follows: Gowan 21 1/4, Dodge 13 1/4, Brooker 12 1/2, Benkelman 11 1/4, Hutchinson 11 1/4, Champion 4, Yakes 1 1/2, Colwell 1, Burt 1.

The wind storm created havoc in Chas. Ewing's orchard one mile west of Cass City last Thursday afternoon, uprooting 26 apple trees. The doors on his barn were also demolished and the roof of the building damaged.

The Misses Ione Striffler, Florence Striffler, Marie Benkelman, and Dorothy McKim and Roy Striffler attended the field meet at Caro Friday. They were royally entertained for dinner and supper at the home of Dr. C. W. Clark.

Lloyd H. McKim, after finishing a successful year at Ann Arbor, begins next week to work for Parke Davis & Company in Detroit for the summer. His work will be along the Bacteriological and Pathological line of the Vitamine problem.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Schneider and family went to Bay City last Sunday to visit their daughter, Mrs. Harvey Dunham, formerly Miss Lillian Schneider of Cass City, who is the proud parent of a baby boy, David William, born June 6.

W. T. Godfrey and William Wolbert of New York were visitors on Sunday at the home of M. F. Rittenhouse. Both gentlemen are interested in future constructions of Hires Condensed Milk Co. plants. They also went to Ubyly on similar business.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Hooper celebrated their 22nd wedding anniversary on Monday and in honor of the occasion the following enjoyed a pot luck supper that evening: Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Tindale, Mrs. Richard Clark, Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Tibbals, and Mrs. Clara Drew of Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Nash, sr., received a letter from their daughter, Mrs. W. F. Topping, of Peerless, Alberta., recently. She writes: "We are having the coldest spring I can ever remember. We put our crop in early this year and it has been frozen twice. We had a blizzard May 17 but it came with such a wind that it did not distribute the moisture very evenly. Nearly all the young men in this vicinity will have to go to the war soon, as they are taking them to England to train so they will get used to the climate. Leland registered today, so they are likely to take him if he passes the medical examination. I hear they train them four months. Fred Dundas received his call today and he has a large crop in too. Nearly all who have to go have in a large acreage. It looks as though they want the world to starve the way they take the farmers."

After all, saving is not sacrificing. Lee Fordan went to Ubyly Tuesday on business.

Miss Gladys MacIntyre of Sheridan is visiting with Mrs. Finley Ross this week.

Mrs. Wilbur Marshall went to Pt. Huron Monday to see her aunt, who is very sick.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Dodge visited at the home of William Rambo at Marlette Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Markel and daughter, Gertrude, visited friends in Caro on Sunday.

Walter Mark and Rev. J. D. Young have both purchased six-cylinder Oldsmobile cars.

The Red Cross lunch on Saturday, June 15, will be given at Mrs. M. J. McGillivray's store. Mrs. W. O. Root, Mrs. Wm. Parrish and Miss Crane will serve.

Get that hammock now. Big line at Cass City Drug Co. Prices low.

Men's Elk skin cutting shoes at Crosby & Son's for \$3.00. Before the war price.

Agents for the Cosendai Dye Works—The T & M store.

Bumper crops are in prospect. You promised your wife a Pipeless Furnace if crops were good—Come across! Bigelow.

Highest price paid for your cream at Heller's Creamery. 6-14-1

Desirable rooms to rent, also good house and three acres of land with orchard. J. C. Corkins. 6-7-

The Knu Shu—Service and comfort, outwears leather, tops made of the strongest automobile tire duck at Crosby & Son's for \$2.50. 6-14-

Some good prices in wall paper at Cass City Drug Co.

Gold Watch Lost. Lady's gold watch lost. Attached to fob of black ribbon with white edges. Return to Mrs. Stanley Karr. 6-14-2

Don't hoard money in an old teapot. Throw the tea pot in the ally and invest in one or more of Crosby & Son's all wool \$15.00 suits. Liberty bonds as good as gold.

You'll like Alabastine. Wood sells it.

Hess Instant Louse Killer for chicken lice at Cass City Drug Co. 25c a can.

For Sale. Threshing outfit in good condition, one Osborn side delivery rake, one 3-inch tire wagon, one hay and stock rack. Will sell on easy payments. Apply to John A. Seeger, Cass City, R 1. 6-7-

We even replace the tips on your shoe laces at the T & M.

Better find what you are getting before you buy any Pipeless Furnace—They are not all alike—Bigelow.

Do you want to buy, sell or exchange your village property? List it with Mr. No Sale, No Pay. James McKenzie. 6-14-1

Panama Hats Cleaned—Made like new. Bring them nov. Farrell.

Potatoes wanted. C. W. Heller. 6-14-1

1917 Ford Coupe For Sale. Equipped with four new tires (vacuum cup in front and Goodyear non-skid in rear). Engine good as new. Present price of this style car is \$825.00. Will sell car and equipment for \$450.00. Dr. I. D. McCoy. 5-24-

Cass City Drug Co. for flags and patriotic decorations.

Nurse's shoes at Crosby & Son's for \$2.00, plain toe or tip.

Our work shoes wear—T & M.

Round Oak base burner, large size, for sale cheap if taken at once. Mrs. Mary McPhee, Phone 127 A. 6-14-4

We have repairs for Deering, McCormick, Champion and Osborne machinery and some parts for Milwaukee machinery. Geo. L. Hitchcock. 6-14-

Any lady that wears a shoe or oxford from 2 1/4 to 4 1/4 can find them at Crosby & Son's bargain counter at \$2.50.

Card of Thanks. We desire to express our sincere gratitude to friends and neighbors for their kindness during our recent bereavement. We are especially thankful for the many beautiful floral offerings and to those who furnished automobiles. John Tewkesbury and Family.

Go to Wood's Drug Store for good stationery.

Seed Beans for Sale. 1916 seed beans for sale at \$7.50 per bu. Henry Blades. 6-7-

For best in toilet articles try Cass City Drug Co.

The original Hard Pan Slices at Crosby & Son's for \$5.00. Half price because double the wear.

Panama Hats—Straw Hats—Felt Hats and the Newest Caps at the T & M.

License Number Lost. Auto license No. 142020 lost between Cass City and Deckerville. Finder please leave same at Chronicle office. 6-7-

Pound for pound our Favorite Pipeless Furnaces are cheapest. Bigelow.

Wanted—Girls and Women. Steady work, \$1.25 per day to beginners, with advancement. Piece workers earn \$2.00 to \$3.50 per day, according to ability. Many of our experienced machine operators earn enough in one day to pay board and room for one week. Board and room with all modern conveniences, including use of laundry, at the Company's boarding house for \$3.00 per week. Come at once, or for particulars write Western Knitting Mills, Rochester, Michigan. 6-7-13

Arch supports at Crosby & Son's for broken down arches. All sizes for women and men.

Women's hosiery to match—at the T & M.

Take your Prescriptions to Wood's Drug Store.

For Sale. One Durham cow and calf two wks. old. Phone 148 E. A. F. Jones 6-14-

We try to please you—at the T & M.

Films printed and developed at Cass City Drug Co.

Man Wanted at Creamery Cream Station in rear of Wood's Drug store. Apply at station. Apply Saturday if possible as I will be there. W. A. Mudge.

Black or white tennis oxfords at Crosby & Son's for the whole family.

I will not have any strawberries this year, but will have a big crop of red and black cap raspberries. Please do not send money with order. I will trust you. Frank Hoagland, Elba, Mich. 6-14-1

Highest price paid for your cream at Heller's Creamery. 6-14-1

Paper Baler For Sale. All steel paper baler, small size, for sale. Practically good as new. Enquire at Chronicle office.—Adv.

Quantity of hay for sale. J. D. Tuckey. 6-14-2p

Early orders for Furnaces will get the preference—Many concerns are making slow shipments due to shortage of material. Bigelow will do his best to get it in on time.

For Sale—3 bean pullers, 1 second-hand bean puller, 1 new mower, 1 second-hand mower. Geo. L. Hitchcock. 6-14-

Soft cuff shirt at Crosby & Son's from 85c to \$5.00. 6-14-

Go to Wood's for the best in Wall paper.

My Percheron horse, Dewitt, will stand at his barn, 7 miles north and 1 mile east of Cass City during the summer months. C. E. Hartsell. 6-14-3

"It is up to us." We want you to look well dressed if your wearing apparel bears the T & M quality mark.

Dwelling house, deep lot with lots of fruit, barn and garage for sale. \$800 cash will swing the deal. Balance \$100 a year with 6 per cent interest. An excellent bargain for some one who wishes rooming house. At present this property provides home for owner and brings him \$21.00 rental monthly. Present leases extend one year. Dr. I. D. McCoy. 5-24-

Kuppenheimer clothes at Crosby & Son's.

For quick sale cheap—40 acres, house, stable, flowing well. W. H. Anderson. 3-29-tf

Lost. Between Caro and Gageton or 2 miles north of Cass City, auto license No. 204807. Return to Chronicle. 6-14-2

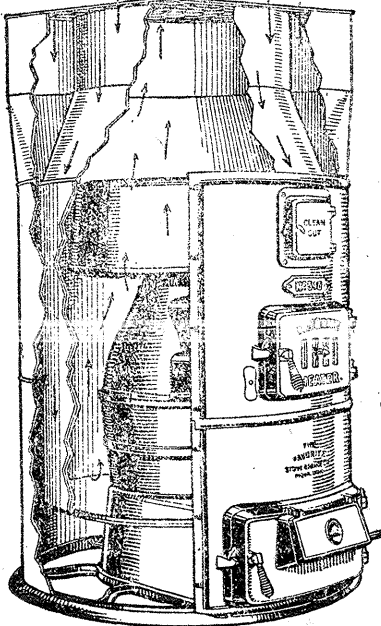
ORDER FOR PUBLICATION. Probate of Will. State of Michigan, The Probate Court for the County of Tuscola. At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the Village of Caro in said County, on the 11th day of June A. D. 1918. Present, Hon. O. D. Hill, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of Mary Ann Rawson, Deceased. William Rawson, having filed his petition, praying that an instrument filed in said Court be admitted to Probate as the last will and testament of said deceased and that administration of said estate be granted to William Rawson, executor named in the will or some other suitable person. It Is Ordered, That the 9th day of July A. D. 1918 at ten a. m., at said Probate Office is hereby appointed for hearing said petition. It Is Further Ordered, That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy hereof 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. O. D. Hill, Judge of Probate. A true copy. 6-14-3



Every Woman's FAVORITE

Method of Heating Includes These Points

1. Uniform temperature.
2. Smallest amount of wall and floor space occupied.
3. No dust from taking up ashes or putting in fuel.
4. No unsightly smoke pipe.
5. Safety from fire.
6. Permanence of location. No stoves to move spring and fall.



Favorite Pipeless Heaters Are 100 per cent perfect when checked up by that list. Not too early to consider next winter's comfort.

**W.S.S. Bigelow's Hardware**  
Pioneers of Pipeless in Cass City

**BETTER MILK for You, Mr. Farmer.**

If you are having trouble these days with milk souring before it is accepted at the Condensary let us suggest that you

**Use B. K. (Bacilli Killer) IN WASHING YOUR CANS.**

It is a perfect germicide and disinfectant, destroys bacteria and disease germs, is perfectly harmless and non-poisonous and if used according to directions will be of great service in preventing souring of milk.

**Get a Bottle Today—Price is 50c** a bottle and will last a long time. Ask for further particulars and literature.

**W.S.S. Cass City Drug Company**

**ELKAY'S RAT AND ROACH PASTE**

in a tube, ready to use, contains 2 per cent of Phosphorus. Rats and mice die out doors. Cleanest, easiest and surest way to rid your premises of rats, mice, water bugs and cockroaches.

**25 cents at Wood's Rexall Drug Store.**

**W.S.S.**

You can trade the article you don't need for something you do by advertising.





## June The Month of Brides and Roses

has arrived. We are prepared with the wedding gifts. Are you? We realize that China buying is the most particular buying you do, often times a puzzle unless you make your plans well.

For your convenience we have assembled here this year the largest and best assorted stock of wedding gifts we have ever carried including

Salads, Plates, Water Sets, Berry Sets, beautiful patterns in dinnerware (open stock,) and scores of Fancy Hand Painted pieces.

We are pleased to show you any article in our stock; so look them over.

Our west window proves that our canned goods are going over the top and capturing High Cost of Living.

**Our Ranks Are Complete**  
With Corn, Peas, Beans, Succotash, Tomatoes, Asparagus, Pumpkin, Beets, Cabbage, Spinach, and Spaghetti.

Scan this list carefully and include some of these in your next order. Phone 86. We'll be pleased to serve you.



**E. W. Jones**

## Pay Your Bills by Check

One of our customers came into the bank not long ago and asked to see a certain check which he had issued, and which he described. It was one that he had paid in the settlement of a business account. Through unintentional error he had not received proper credit for the amount. He was given the check and with it proved that the bill had been paid. He was given credit for the amount because the check with the proper endorsement was accepted as a receipt. A checking account is the surest safeguard against paying an obligation a second time. We invite you to call and let us explain more fully the advantages of a checking account.

**The Exchange Bank**  
of E. H. Pinney & Son.

## Sell Your Cream

to the

**Thumb Creamery Company**

CASH CREAM STATION in rear of Wood's Drug Store  
Cass City.

### Shrinking From Death.

Is it quite fair to dub a man a coward because he is "afraid to die?" Death, the prospect of it, even when it lies many years ahead, makes many of us quake. What, then, of the death that the air, full of whining bullets, shells, bombs, grenades, holds? "All that a man hath will he give for his life" is very true, and to shrink from death is but human and natural.—London Tit-Bits.

### "Charm" to Save Teeth.

It was a Roman custom to hang beads of red coral on the cradles of infants and around their necks to "preserve and fasten their teeth" and save them from "the falling sickness."

### World's Greatest Maelstrom.

The greatest whirlpool in the world is the maelstrom off the coast of Norway. It is an eddy between the mainland and an island, and when the current is in one direction and the wind is in another, no ship can withstand the fury of the waves. Whales and sharks have been cast ashore and killed. The current is estimated to run 30 miles an hour.

### Possessed Required Talent.

Employer—"The position requires a great amount of mechanical experience." Applicant—"I have owned a second-hand automobile for two months." Employer—"Accepted!"—Life.

## LOCAL ITEMS.

Charles Fenn of New York is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Fenn, for a few days.

Mrs. Finley Ross spent the weekend with her daughter, Mrs. Allen MacIntyre, of Sheridan.

Robt. Brown of Detroit was the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Brown, the first of the week.

Lena Brown returned Saturday from Detroit where she has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Albert Goff.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Bruce of Deford, Miss Anna Pettit and W. A. Bruce were in Deckerville Sunday.

Miss Christie McDonald of Clare went to Detroit Monday after visiting for a week with Mrs. Mary McPhee.

Mrs. Delbert Ostrander of Ellington visited at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. David Ross, on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Thorp of Flint were visitors the first of the week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Brown.

Children's Day exercises will be held Sunday afternoon in the Bethel church at 2:30. A good program is promised.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Morgan mourn the death of their infant son, Douglas Martin, who passed away Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Albert Goff and son, Louis, Lena Brown, Robert Brown and Leland Higgins were business callers in Saginaw Monday.

Miss Margaret Meyers, one of the teachers of the Cass City schools the past year left yesterday for her home in Detroit.

One of the finest Holstein bulls in Michigan has been shipped to M. F. Rittenhouse for the Hires Condensed Milk company.

Mrs. Ella Turner left Saturday morning for San Diego, California, after spending several months at the home of her sister, Mrs. J. D. Brooker.

A. W. Wood of Birmingham, Alabama, came Tuesday to spend a few days with his mother, Mrs. Mary Ford, and his sister, Miss Bertha Wood.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Hargrave of Detroit were guests of the former's mother, Mrs. Charlotte Hargrave, and brother, Charles Hargrave, at Elmwood Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Thorp of Flint and Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Brown called at the J. Simmons home in Evergreen, also at the Mrs. J. Crane home of Elkland the first of the week.

Miss Vera Rawson of Cass City and Elmer Burrice of Gageton were married in Caro last Saturday. On their wedding trip, they went to visit the bride's grandmother, Mrs. E. Neumann, of Marlette.

Mrs. Dora N. Fritz and Mrs. F. A. Bigelow had a pot-luck supper at the home of Mrs. Bigelow Monday evening. Prof. and Mrs. W. D. Riggs, Dr. and Mrs. I. A. Fritz, Mr. and Mrs. L. I. Wood, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Townsend, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Jones, Rev. and Mrs. J. D. Young, Miss Jewell Sparling and Miss Ione Calkins were present. A delightful evening was enjoyed by all.

## THRIFT STAMPS TAUGHT THIS MAN TO SAVE

**Armless Man Sells Pencils On the Streets of Detroit and Buys Two Thrift Stamps Every Day—"I Cannot Fight," He Says, "But I Can Spare Some of My Earnings to Finance the Fight."**

One coat sleeve was hanging empty, and he was buying pencils over the counter of a Detroit stationery store. Curiously drew us nearer just to get a better glimpse of the man and his purpose. But he caught our eye and being a little ashamed for our crude attempt to get this man's story, we stepped forward and commented on the morning, accompanying the word with an offer to shake hands.

He turned, smiled and shook both coat sleeves with two gruesome stumps at the shoulders. Both arms were missing.

It required four visits to the stationery store to get this man's story. His name is E. A. Westcott, of 814 Gratiot avenue, and he has been without arms for more than twelve years. It takes a sound philosophy to maintain a happy disposition with the misfortune that this man has suffered.

"What's the use of worrying," said Mr. Westcott, "if you are out of luck—you're out of luck. That's all there is to it."

Every morning between 8:30 and 9 o'clock, Westcott calls at the stationery store to buy a supply of lead pencils. The clerk takes the money from his pocket, puts the change back, placing the pencils as directed on his coat.

Westcott has established a legitimate business in the sale of lead pencils. Many of the down town merchants and office men are numbered among his customers. In this way he earns enough to live, enjoy life, study human nature and spread the philosophy of cheerful endurance to all who cross his path.

There was a time, just previous to the now historic first of May, when Westcott did not save money. Indeed, his happy-go-lucky philosophy kept him poor. Then, one day when he was buying his daily stock of pencils he noticed a thrift stamp on the counter.

"What's that," he asked. And the



Folks who failed to pay for some of the "sinews of war" during the recent Liberty Loan drive, can now buy some excellent 25c "sinews" every day by purchasing thrift stamps systematically.

### NEW COLLEGE YELL.

W. S. S. W. S. S.  
Every quarter that you get,  
Buy a stamp and make it wet,  
Stick it on a little card,  
It will hit the kaiser hard,  
W. S. S. W. S. S. Victory!

War Savings Stamps. War Savings Stamps.  
They help Uncle Sam put the kaiser in clamps.

A certain dignified patriotic lady, selling war savings stamps in Bay City, was shocked by a weary looking, unshaved man who approached her and said that he wanted a "thrift stamp." He probably needed one, for it is a long time since last April.

### AN EXCELLENT SUGGESTION

Take the interest from your Liberty Bonds and buy Thrift Stamps with the money. In this way you get interest at 4 per cent, compounded semi-annually, on the interest from your original investment. If you combine patriotism with good financing, you can't beat this.

Sing a song of Thrift Stamps  
Lending all our money,  
This will make the kaiser's threats  
Sound very, very funny.

The thrift stamp movement touches everybody, for there is no one so poor or so hard pressed but who can lend a quarter to the government in its time of need.

Edgar A. Guest, of the Detroit Free Press, says that the War Savings Stamp movement is the old "16 to 1" game revived; and explains further by noting the fact that 16 thrift stamps mean one war savings stamp.

### CHURCH NOTES.

Evangelical—Sunday school at 10:00 a. m. The male chorus will give a selection at this service next Sunday. Sunday school workers' conference at 2:30 p. m.

Christian Science—Services are held every Sunday morning at 11:00 and Wednesday evening at 7:30. Subject for Sunday June 16, "God, the Preserver of Man."

## DETROIT SCHOOL PUPIL WRITES CLEVER VERSES

"I've never been in a newspaper office before," said the little 10-year-old boy as he handed a piece of paper to the editor of a Detroit daily, but if you like this, print it. The verse appeared in the next edition of the paper as follows:

### A SONG OF HELP

By Marvin Slygh.  
Buy a bond, a thrift stamp, too,  
But them both, and not a few.  
Fill the flag, do your best,  
Never let the Kaiser rest.  
Buy the stamps at every chance  
To purchase bullets to fill Bill's pants,  
To kill him off and hit him hard  
We'll need the money by the yard.  
For our brave boys over there,  
Need good food and the best of care.  
Give your money, do your best  
And then our Yanks will do the rest.

### STAMP SELLING

The Detroit Rotary club played baseball with the Rochester team recently; and before anyone could speak to the umpire he had to buy a Thrift Stamp. The players indulged in \$35 worth of argument. This was putting the Government's thrift idea to practical use—saving talk and financing the war—a method that many politicians should adopt.

### BEAULEY.

Miss Hildred Bingham accompanied Wala and Sadie Ball to Bad Axe Saturday where they attended the commencement. Miss Bingham is hired to teach the Ducon school, Brookfield No. 5, the coming year.

Mrs. C. E. Hartsell and daughter, Marion, returned from Detroit Thursday where they had been the guests of friends the past week.

Mrs. A. Endersbe, who is spending some time at the home of her daughter in Strathmore, Mich., still continues very ill.

W. J. Moore made a business trip to Saginaw last week.

E. Reader, Mrs. Frank Reader and daughter, Mildred, Mrs. Joseph Crawford and Mrs. Coulson Blair spent Tuesday with Mrs. Wesley Harder of Brookfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Erigson and son, Clark, of Lapeer spent a few days here this week with relatives.

A little daughter came to gladden the home of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Cliff Sunday evening.

Rev. and Mrs. W. L. Moore and daughters of Troy spent a few days here with relatives last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Carroll and Miss Edith are expected here to spend the summer with friends. They have spent several months at Long Beach, Calif.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Stafford and family and Mrs. T. H. Wallace were callers at the C. E. Hartsell home Friday evening.

### HOSPITAL NOTES.

Mrs. Charles Osborne is still a patient in the hospital and is doing nicely.

Robert Warner is improving nicely. He expects to leave the hospital Sunday.

Russell Clark, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Clark of Deford, was brought to the hospital Tuesday morning and was operated on for an abdominal abscess following a ruptured appendix. His condition is very serious.

Mrs. George Roblin of New Greenleaf underwent a serious operation Wednesday and is doing as well as can be expected.

Miss Hesserger of Bay City and Miss Mary McWebb of Cass City are the extra nurses at the hospital.

### THE AMERICAN'S DUTY.

The main duty of noncombatant Americans may be briefly stated as follows:

Increase production, economize in consumption, lend your savings to the Government, and hold your Liberty Bonds.

### CASS CITY MARKETS.

Cass City, Mich., June 6, 1918.  
Buying Price—

Wheat	2.00
Oats	.71
Beans, per cwt.	8.50
Rye, bu.	1.75
Barley, cwt	2.50
Peas, cwt	4.25
Buckwheat, cwt	4.00
Eggs, per doz	.30
Butter, per lb	.33
Fat cows, live wt., per lb.	7 9
Steers, live wt., per lb.	9 12
Fat sheep, live wt., per lb.	7 8
Lambs, live wt., per lb.	11 12
Hogs, live wt., per lb.	14 15
Dressed hogs	19
Dressed beef	15 16
Calves	10 12
Hens	20
Broilers	20
Ducks	20 22
Geese	10
Turkeys	20 22
Hides, green	12

## NOVESTA.

Miss Elsie Campbell is very sick at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Paul visited friends in Vassar Sunday.

Miss Florece Wannmer is visiting friends in Caro this week.

Richard Harris, who has been very ill with typhoid fever, is better.

Miss Velma Livingston, who has been very ill is better at this writing.

Mrs. H. Kelley spent the past two weeks with her daughter, Mrs. D. DeLong, at Cumber.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Gingrich and children, Geraldine and Harold, visited friends in Akron last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Quick and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Quick visited friends in Saginaw Sunday.

Miss Eva Hopkins of Jackson and Mrs. Albert Pierce of Caro are visiting at Stanley Warner's.

Harry Tallmadge, Kenneth Charlton, Ethel Charlton and Clara Martin attended the field meet at Caro Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Quick, Mrs. Ward Kelley, Miss Ethel Bedell of Caro and Charles Kelley visited at Sterling last week.

M. Harris and son, Milton, and Ralph Youngs attended the eighth grade graduating exercises and field meet at Caro Friday.

Mr. Armstrong and mother, Mrs. Armstrong, Mrs. Schank and Mr. Haines of Flint and Mrs. Chappel of Oxford spent the week-end at the home of John Dixon.

### NOVESTA CORNERS.

Mrs. Grinnan of Valley Center is visiting relatives in this locality.

Mr. and Mrs. John Perry are visiting with their son, Wesley, at Rochester.

Wm. Patch and family visited Sunday at the home of Mr. Coulter near Cass City.

Mrs. H. D. Quick and children of Hemans spent Sunday at the house of Mrs. J. Wentworth.

The F. W. B. ladies' aid will serve ice cream on the evening of June 19 at the store at Novesta Corners.

Mrs. George Collins returned home Monday after spending the past week with friends in Detroit and Pontiac.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Biddle accompanied their son, Harold, to Sandusky Wednesday where he was called to register for military service.

### McHUGH.

Elder and Mrs. B. Douglas are spending the week at Colfax attending a holiness convention.

Myrtle Bullock is spending the summer months with her aunt, Mrs. Floyd Ottoway, at Gageton.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Severehead and family and Mrs. Bert Wetherhead of Flint visited over Sunday at Chas. Severehead's.

Mrs. Sherman Samson and little son and Miss Eva Wheaton visited their mother, who has been in ill health this spring.

Mrs. Osburn Ferguson and children of Leonard and Miss Sylvia Coulter of Pontiac spent the week-end at their parental home here.

### THE BEST INVESTMENT IN THE WORLD

From whatever angle it may be considered, an investment by an American citizen in Liberty Bonds or War Savings Stamps is the best investment in the world.

The money so invested goes to the Government, which loans some of it to our allies; all of it is used in one way or another to maintain, support, arm, equip and make victorious our armies and our allies in Europe. Surely no American money could be put to a better purpose. Here is an investment in the power and success of our country, an investment in the efficiency, strength, safety, and success of our fighting men on sea and land.

## PASTIME THEATRE

**Saturday Night**

Frances X. Bushman and Beverly Bayne in

**"Their Campact"**

A picture of the great outdoors, full of thrills.

**Wednesday, June 19**

**The Tenderfoot**

A story of the Plains.

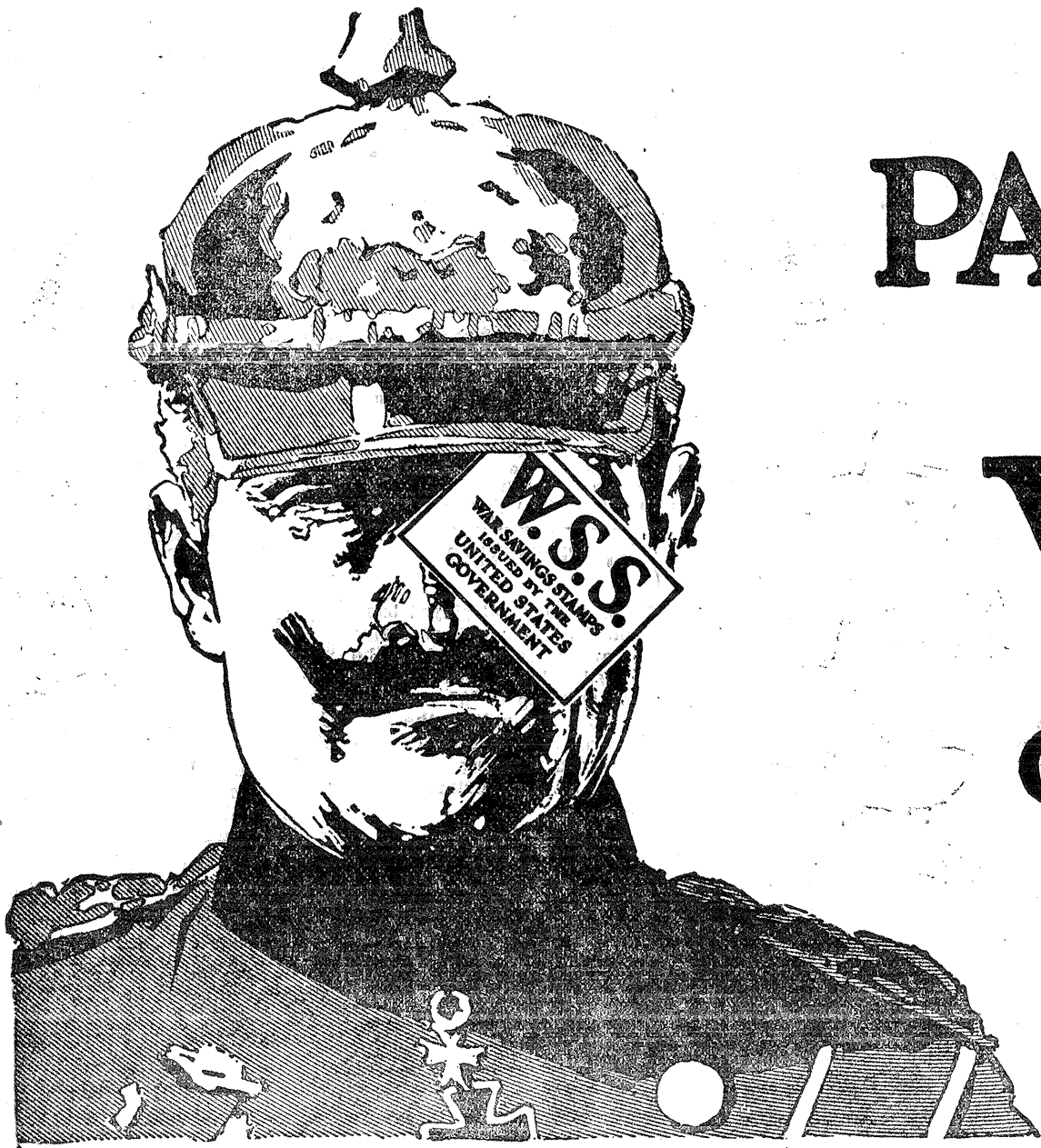
**Coming Soon!**

Arthur Guy Empey in

**"Over the Top"**

A picture of the battle fields of France. Watch and wait for this picture.





# PASTE *the* KAISER

WITH

# W. S. S.

ON *June* 28<sup>th</sup>

Paste him in the eye with a War Savings Stamp—then paste him again and again. Don't think that you have already done your duty. Pershing's men "over there" don't go home after their first battle—they go after the Huns again—they keep on pasting the Kaiser.

Your government has officially set—

## Friday, June 28th

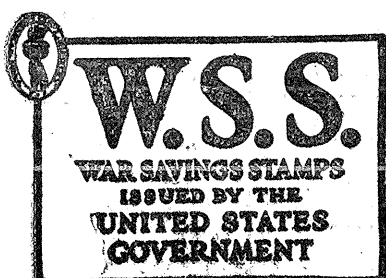
# National War Savings Day

On that day every American is summoned to "sign the pledge"—to save and invest in a definite amount of War Savings Stamps each month.

Every real American will prove his patriotism by agreeing to regularly paste the Kaiser.

*W. S. S. cost \$4.17 in June,  
Worth \$5.00 on Jan. 1, 1923*

"Sign the pledge" on June 28th. Paste the Kaiser with War Savings Stamps.



## National War Savings Committee

*This Space Patriotically Contributed by*

## Cass City Chronicle



**Protect Curtains.**  
At the bottom of your bedroom curtains put small snaps, and up as far as you can reach put snap eyes. At night hook the bottom of the curtains up to prevent them from blowing out after the windows are opened. Do the same with the portieres when you are sweeping the floors or dusting.

Advertise it in the Chronicle.

**Directory.**

**I. D. McCOY, M. D.**  
Office in Pleasant Home Hospital  
Phone 80-3S.

**F. L. MORRIS, M. D.**  
Phone 62.

**DENTISTRY.**  
**I. A. Fritz, Resident Dentist.**  
Office over Cass City Drug company.  
We solicit your patronage when in need of dental work.

**P. A. Schenck, D. D. S., Dentist.**  
Graduate of the University of Michigan. Office in Sheridan Bldg., Cass City, Mich.

**A. J. Knapp, Funeral Director and Licensed Embalmer.** Mrs. Knapp, Lady Assistant with License. Night and day calls receive prompt attention. City Phone.

**NEW HOME SEWING MACHINES**  
MODELS OF PERFECTION.  
**PERFECTLY SIMPLE PERFECT.**  
Needles, Oil, Belts and all kinds of Sewing Machine supplies, Repairing a specialty.  
**C. D. STRIFFLER, CASS CITY**

State of Ohio, City of Toledo, Lucas County, ss.  
Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of **HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE.** FRANK J. CHENEY.  
Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1886.  
A. W. GLEASON, Notary Public.  
Hall's Catarrh Medicine is taken internally and acts through the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces of the System. Send for testimonials, free.  
F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by all druggists, 75c.  
Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

**THERE'S A TIME FOR EVERY THING**  
Now is the time to  
**Clean Up!**  
**ECONOMY IN EVERY CAKE**  
with **SAPOLIO**

State of Michigan, in the Circuit Court for the County of Tuscola, in Chancery.  
At a session of said court, held in the court house in the village of Caro, in said county on the 7th day of May A. D. 1918.  
Present—the Hon. Watson Beach, Circuit Judge.  
Charles C. Ashby, Plaintiff, vs. Minnie E. Ashby, Defendant.  
In this cause it appearing by affidavit on file, that the defendant Minnie E. Ashby is not a resident of this state but is a resident of the state of California.  
On motion of John C. Corkins, Esq., attorney for the plaintiff, it is ordered that the appearance of said defendant, Minnie E. Ashby, be entered in said cause within three months from the date of this order; and that in case of her appearance that she cause her answer to the bill of complaint to be filed and a copy thereof served upon the attorney for the plaintiff within fifteen days after service on her or her attorney of a copy of said bill, and in default thereof that said bill be taken as confessed by said defendant, Minnie E. Ashby.  
It is further ordered that said plaintiff cause this order to be published in the Cass City Chronicle, a newspaper printed, published and circulating in said county, that such publication be commenced within twenty days from the date of this order, and that such publication be continued therein once each week for six weeks in succession or that the said plaintiff cause a copy of this order to be personally served on said defendant Minnie E. Ashby, at least twenty days before the time above prescribed for her appearance.  
WATSON BEACH, Circuit Judge.  
J. C. CORKINS, Attorney for Plaintiff. 5-10-6

# The Confessions of a German Deserter

Written by a Prussian Officer Who Participated in the Ravaging and Pillaging of Belgium

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At 12 o'clock, midnight, we were alarmed and half an hour later were on the march. The cool night air felt good, and despite our weariness, we made rapid progress. Toward four o'clock in the morning we arrived at Cheppy. It had been completely plundered. We halted here for a brief rest and watched preparations being made for the execution of two fracturers. They were two little farmers who had supposedly concealed a French machine gun with its crew from the Germans. The sentence was executed in such a way that the people were shown who their real rulers now were.

The little town of Pogny, located midway between Chalons-sur-Marne and Vitry-le-Francois, fared no better than Cheppy, a fact which we discovered when we entered there at nine o'clock.

We were now considerably nearer the spot where the guns were roaring, and retiring of wounded and the ammunition columns showed us that west of Vitry-le-Francois, a terrible battle raged. At four o'clock in the afternoon, we arrived at Vitry-le-Francois after a forced march. The city was filled with wounded, but the town itself was not damaged. The battle must have been going badly for the Germans because we were ordered into action without being given any rest. We were within three kilometers of the battle line, when we came within reach of hostile fire, a terrific hail of shells tore up every foot of ground. Thousands of corpses of German soldiers indicated at what enormous cost the Germans had brought up all available reserves. The French did everything they could to prevent the Germans from getting the reserves into action and increased the artillery fire to unheard-of violence. It seemed impossible for us to be able to break through this barrage. We saw hundreds of shells exploding every minute. We were ordered to run the gauntlet of this hell in single file.

Lying prone upon the ground, we saw how the first of our men attempted to pass. They ran, unmindful of the shells bursting around them, like madmen; others were buried under ground thrown up by the high-power explosives, or torn by shrapnel or grenades. Two men had scarcely reached the line when a well-directed shot from a gun of a large caliber burst directly at their feet. When the smoke cleared, there was no trace of the men.

You can imagine the feelings of those who lay on the ground not 100 feet away witnessing this spectacle, and waiting their turn.  
An officer cried: "Next!" It was my turn. As if aroused from a nightmare, I sprang up, my gun in my right hand, sidearm in my left, and ran ahead. I dodged two shells just as they burst and ran close to several others, bursting the same instant. A number of times I sprang back, then ahead again, running to and fro like a madman, seeking a loophole. But everywhere there was iron and fire. I ran like a hunted animal seeking a way to pass to save myself, with a hell in front of me, and an officer's revolver always ready behind.

Throwing caution to the winds, prepared to meet death and the devil himself, I at last ran blindly ahead; ran, ran, until someone seized my coat tail and shouted in my ear:

"Here we are. Are you wounded? You had better look. Perhaps you are wounded and don't know it."

I was among those of my comrades who had gotten through. Trembling all over, I stopped and looked around. "Sit down and you will feel better," said one of the men. "We also have trembled."

Presently some wounded were brought up. There were about 48 men and a sergeant took command. Nothing more was seen of our officers.

We continued to advance and passed several German batteries. Many had suffered heavily in dead and wounded, which lay around their guns destroyed by enemy fire. Other batteries still manned were useless because no more ammunition could be gotten through.

We paused to rest. Several artillerymen approached us, and a non-commissioned officer asked them why they did not fire.

"Because we have used up all our ammunition," was the answer of one of the battery men.

"Is it impossible to bring ammunition through this barrage?"

"No," replied the artilleryman, "but there is no more ammunition. That is why we cannot get any. At Neufchateau we started like wild men after the enemy. Man and beast died from the heat, railroads and other mediums of transportation were left in their damaged condition in the wild excitement of victory, as we dashed into the heart of France. We raced on, blindly and thoughtlessly, thereby interrupting communication with our bases, ran directly into the trap set for us by the

French. Before the first ammunition and other relief supplies reach us we will all be killed."

Up to this time we had trusted blindly in the invincible strategy of our great general staff. Now it was brought home to us on all sides that the French were fighting at home, close to their greatest source of supply, and had excellent railroad connections at their disposal. Further than that the French maintained a terrible artillery fire from guns of far greater caliber than we believed they owned. This led us to the conclusion that they were occupying positions which had been prepared for a long time. Yet we believed that the picture painted by the artilleryman had been too black. We were soon to know better.

As we approached the enemy's trenches, we were met with a heavy machine gun fire, and in double-quick step hurried to the temporary protection of hastily thrown up dugouts. A hard rain had set in. The field around us was covered with dead and wounded. Even our trench was filled with wounded, which made its occupation by the defenders difficult. Many of the wounded men were paralyzed from lying on the slimy ground. All were without bandages. They begged for bread and water, but we had none for ourselves. They pleaded piteously, just for a scrap of bread. Many of them had lain in this inferno for two days, without having eaten anything whatever.

We were scarcely established when the French attacked en masse. The occupants of these trenches, whom we had re-enforced had already repulsed several of these attacks. They urged us to shoot and fired wildly themselves into the ranks of the advancing masses. We responded to the exhortations of the infantry officers: "Fire, fire harder, harder!"

We fired until the barrels of our guns became red-hot. The enemy turned. The victims of our fire already lying in heaps in No Man's Land between our lines and the enemy's were increased by hundreds. The attack was repulsed.

It is dark, and it rains and rains. All about us in the darkness are heard the wounded weeping, moaning, imploring. Their cries are augmented by other wounded closer by. All called for bandages, but we had none left. We tore strips from our muddy shirts and with them covered the gaping wounds. Men are dying constantly. There are no doctors, no bandages, nothing. The wounded must be assisted, but first the French must be repulsed.

The rain falls harder constantly and we are all wet to the skin. We shoot blindly into the night. The fluctuating fire of musketry becomes strong, then weaker, then strong again.

We pioneers are scattered among the infantry. My neighbor touches me. "Say," he calls.

"What do you want?" I ask. "Who are you?"

"Come here," he hissed.

It is eerie, alone in this devil's night.

"Why are you here? Will you murder me like those over there. Soon they will return from over there and the fun will be on again. Do you hear the others weep?"

And he laughed.

Suddenly he started again: "I always shoot at them until they stop weeping. That is fun."

And again he laughed, maniacally, and louder than before.

I realized finally that this man had lost his reason. A man passed bringing ammunition and I asked him to fetch the commander at once. The officer arrived, accompanied by an infantry lieutenant. I met them and reported that my neighbor had been firing on the wounded, talking nonsense, and undoubtedly was insane. The lieutenant stepped between us.

"Can you see anything?" he asked. "See! No. But I hear them moaning and weeping. As soon as I hit one he is quiet for he sleeps!"

The lieutenant nodded to me. He tried to take the gun from the man, but the latter seized it quickly and sprang back to cover. From there he fired while standing among the wounded, until a moment later, he himself fell, riddled by many bullets.

The drama had only a few spectators. It was hardly over before it was forgotten. Anything but sentiment.

The blind firing continued. The cries of the wounded became constantly louder.

Why? These wounded lying between the two fighting lines are exposed to the firing of both parties. No one can help them for it would be insanity to venture into No Man's Land.

Ever louder and with more heart-rending pleadings, the wounded called for the stretchers, for help, for water. At the most a curse or an oath is the only response.

Our trench was filled with several inches of water and underneath that, mud. In this morass lay dead and

wounded, thrown together. It became necessary to make room and so the dead were thrown over the ramparts. At one o'clock in the night men came with stretchers and took away some of the wounded, but for those wretches lying in No Man's Land there was no help.

Continued next week.

**SHABBONA.**

Harvey Fleming went to Detroit Sunday.

Jas. Watson of Wickware was a caller in town Monday.

Mrs. H. Lewis of Cumber is visiting her parental home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Auslander were callers at Cumber Friday evening.

George Krause left Monday for Detroit where he enlisted for the navy.

Benj. Phetteplace and family called on Harry McCaughna's of Novesta Sunday.

Arlene Meredith has returned home from a two weeks' visit with relatives at Laing.

Children's Day exercises will be held in the M. E. church Sunday, June 16, at 10:30.

Mrs. Roy Brown and son, Grant, of Cumber are spending the week with her parents here.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Neville visited at the home of John Tewksbury of Cass City Sunday.

The L. D. S. Sunday school will hold a picnic in George Jones' grove June 28. Everybody welcome.

Rev. and Mrs. Thompson and children spent last week in Detroit. Rev. Thompson's mother was quite sick.

Last Friday evening about one hundred friends of George Krause met with him and spent the evening in games. Light refreshments were served. They presented him with a wrist watch.

George Ferguson passed away at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Wm. Waun, on Sunday after a lingering illness. The funeral services were held Tuesday by Rev. Willerton. Interment in the Elkland cemetery.

**PINGREE.**

Lila Fox has gone to Flint to visit her aunt for a few weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Cragg and two daughters visited at Hemans Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Crocker visited their son at Harbor Beach Saturday. A dancing party at Wm. Gardner's Wednesday.

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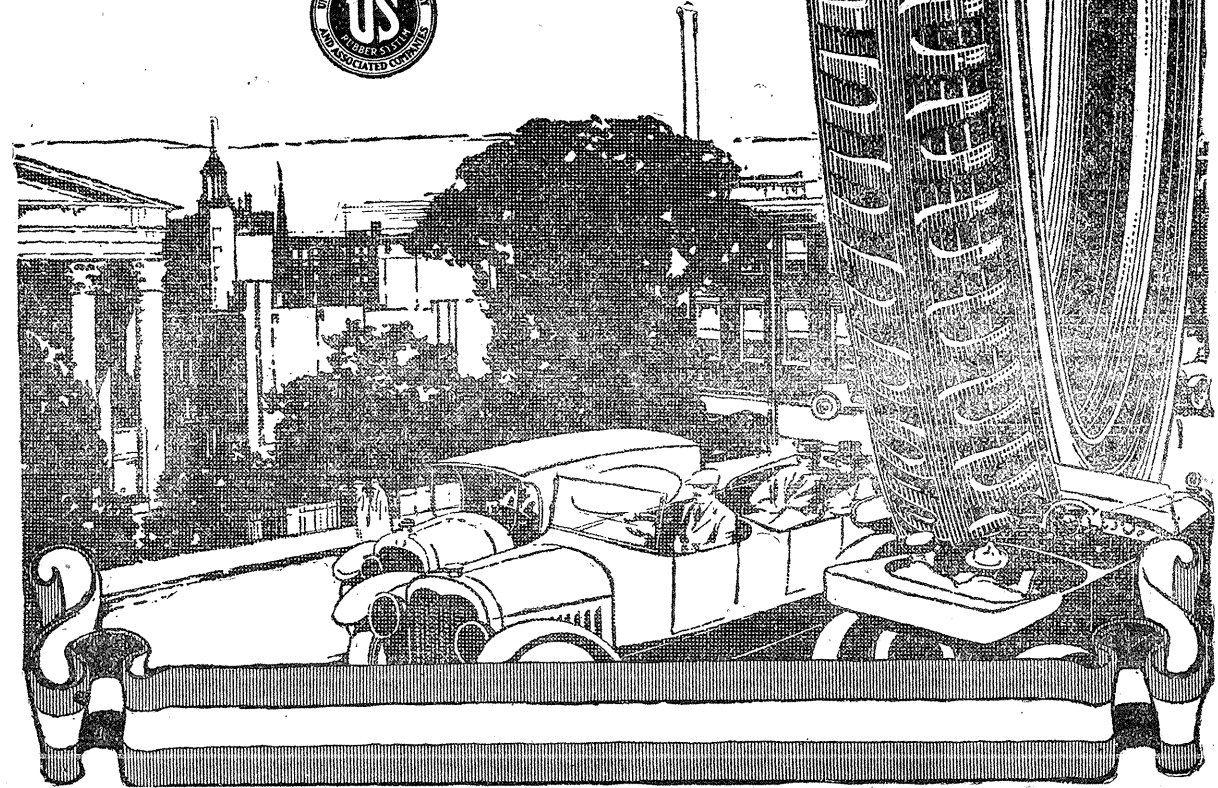
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CASS CITY WINS COUNTY TRACK MEET

Continued from first page. City; 2nd, Miller, Vassar; 3rd, Lee, Vassar. Time, 2 min. 16 2-5 sec. Dipus throw—1st, Hammond, Vassar; 2nd, Brooker, Cass City; 3rd, Gowan, Cass City. Distance, 93 ft. 5 in.

Caro Wins Ball Game. As our team did not reserve themselves in the least during the track meet, they lost the game to Caro in somewhat bad order. The game was characterized throughout by the large number of errors and throw outs and the small number of two and three-bag hits.

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ment was made in the Novesta cemetery. Friends and relatives from out of town in attendance at the funeral were Mrs. Edith Turner, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Cross, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Kacy, Miss Lena Tewksbury, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Wilbur, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Wallace and family, Mr. and Mrs. Hersey Wilbur, Herb Wilbur, Mrs. Harry Wilbur, all of Detroit; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Milligan of Clifford; Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Tewksbury of Romeo; Mr. and Mrs. Otis Tewksbury, Northville; William Tewksbury and Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Tewksbury of Kingston; Mr. and Mrs. James Osborne, Deford; Mrs. Deho, Kingston; Fred Westphal, Detroit; Mr. Clute, Detroit; Mr. and Mrs. Hobson, Clifford.

MRS. LEVI MUNTZ

Early Pioneer of Elkland Township Passed Away Sunday.

Elkland township lost another pioneer Sunday morning, June 9, in the death of Mrs. Levi Muntz, who passed away at her home 2 1/2 miles north of Cass City. Mrs. Muntz has been feeble for several months. Funeral services were held at the Evangelical church Wednesday morning, Rev. D. J. Feather of Kilmanagh officiating, assisted by Rev. S. Corman. Interment was made in Elkland cemetery.

INSPIRING SERMON TO GRADUATES

Continued from first page. congratulations be hearty, and the well wishing sincere at this commencement time. It is one of the great events in the lives of these young people. We often speak of the necessity of preparing for death. But the best way to prepare for death is to prepare for life. The prophet says "Learn." It is folly and worse than folly for one to think that he can live in these times successfully, religiously and usefully, in the highest sense of those terms, without an educational preparation.

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of Greece who feared not to die for their native land, because love for their beautiful land fired their hearts with enthusiasm. Young men, you must always respond to the nobler and higher ideals and let be your ambition to grow. There is still much to learn, and to stop growing is to begin decaying.

"That our daughters may be corner stones polished after the similitude of a palace." What a fine sentence. How nobly poetic, and charmingly devout. In ancient architecture the corner stone was the most beautiful part of the building and the most highly ornamental. It gave tone and significance to the remainder of the edifice.

This picture reminds us of many girls who like this peasant girl are held back with the barriers of circumstance and narrow environment. What possibilities, what untrained powers, are shut up within the lives of these girls at the gate! Men and women ought to give these girls at the gate a chance in life. So that they may secure a better education, and do greater things for humanity.

The high school should lead the young men and women to the college. But even then their education is not complete, they must continue to practice the habit of study. Young people of this graduating class remember that books must ever be your companions, and you will find that if you read good and useful books they will be your most helpful associates. You must also be students of society. There never was a more wonderful time in which to live. Arts and science of all kinds have opened untold fields of thought and study.

At the end of our course we turn from the recitation hall with our diploma saying, "School is out," when really school has only begun for those who expect to live useful lives. For our school days continue through life. One goes to the farm, he goes there to read the thoughts of God in the soil and in the seasons; the astronomer turns the pages of the skies and thinks over God's thoughts with Him; the geologist notes the handwriting of the ages in the record of the rocks; the prophet ascends the height to behold the glory of God and comes down to tell men what he has seen.

Learning is not all. It is not enough to live to learn, we must learn to live. It is true we live to learn, and we will learn as long as we are on earth; but it will not do us much good to learn, unless we learn to live. I again call your attention to the text. "Learn to do well." "Learn to do." Education should terminate in action. Our Master came to minister to others. He toiled hard day after day so that He might bless humanity. When two of His disciples requested that they might sit on his right and left in the Kingdom, He told them that such places would be given to those who would serve. Service must be the test of all education.

Education is the leading of a life, through the development of its own powers and by the discovery of self, of fellow men, and the universe, into the highest possible personal character, and into perfect service in the world. David says in one of his psalms "That our sons may be as plants grown up in their youth; that our daughters may be as corner stones, polished after the similitude of a palace." (Ps. 144-12). True growth must spring from within. The tacking on process is false and fatal. The growth is best which is deep-rooted. A superficial grasp of principles must in the end meet with the fate of the seeds which fell on stony ground, which because they had no root, were withered away. This must be the result of intellectual and moral growth which is not deep-rooted. And the proper growth of a good tree is straight and tall and upright; and so is the proper growth of a young man. This can be accomplished only as the young man projects his life from the proper motive. It is a fine thing for a young man to allow his soul to respond always to the higher and nobler ideals. The historian astonishes us with the story of the hired Persian troops who went into battle driven by officers with swords. They conquered not through the love of a noble cause, but through the fear of a cruel necessity. A nobler victory was achieved by the soldiers

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tant not only for the life that now is, but for the life which is to come. In fact, this life is but a preparation for another which shall be to those who are prepared for it infinitely better than any life that has ever been lived upon earth, for "eye hath not seen, ear hath not heard, neither hath it entered into the heart of man the things God hath prepared for those that love Him."

It is possible for every one of you; if it is your privilege, it is the very crown of soul culture thus to love Christ as your very own; and let me add this: when you have fellowship with Christ, your friends will soon discover that you are a kind, sympathetic friend. They will soon learn the secret of your charm, and will know that you catch the glory from the face of Him whom your soul adorns, and as you live in this fellowship you will learn to appreciate the vast, beautiful world about you.

The finest art is that of right living. If a man with a brush and canvas can produce a picture that will be an inspiration to all that look upon it; if an architect by piling up stones can make a temple which will move those who see it to acknowledge God and His love; if a sculptor can transform the roughness of a marble block into the beauty of grace and smoothness, how much more should they who love Christ so live and so shape their character that all who know them will receive an inspiration from them to live better lives. The finest art is the art of right living. Character is the main thing.

The making of character is the art of arts. How hard it has been to get religion expressed in terms of character! Religion has been formulated into creeds, it has been written in books, it has been crystallized into temples, it has been harmonized into song, it has been measured into poetry, it has been chiseled into marble; but Christ, the source and founder of our religion wanted it incarnated into human life, built into character. Many an artist spent his life in a cell painting pictures of saints. Is it not better to live poetry than to write it? Is it not better for a life to be a harmony, a hallelujah chorus, than it is to write music? Christ wrote no poetry, painted no pictures, established no school of philosophy, he did absolutely nothing in science, literature and art. He was so busy living His life. The important thing is to live right. I do not mean that we should not write books nor paint pictures. Books must be written, pictures must be painted and schools of philosophy must be established; but I wish to emphasize the fact that it is more important to live than it is to paint and write. It certainly is better for a man to be a saint than to be a criminal and spend his life in jail painting pictures of saints.

Some one has said, "Our professions, our vocations, our callings are but the scaffolding on which we stand to build our lives. These will be pulled down soon. The life which we build will remain an endless failure or an eternal triumph." Do not forget that the inner life must be renewed day by day and this can be done only through uninterrupted intercourse with Him who is the source of life. A story is told of a Dutch city besieged by an army of Spaniards who tried to batter down the wall with their big guns. But while they pounded away on the outside walls the inhabitants of the city were busy erecting stronger walls on the inside; so that, when the outer walls finally crumbled, the city was still secure with the walls that had been built within. So must we keep building if we would withstand the shock of assaults from without. You cannot fight a winning battle against the world, the flesh and the Devil aided by higher power. With Christ dwelling in your hearts and strengthening the inner man, you will never have to surrender to the enemy attacking from without. "Because greater is He that is in you than he that is in the world." We read that the tabernacle of the Jews in the wilderness was very nice indeed. And when Solomon built his temple in the city of Jerusalem, he overlaid the house with gold within. The essential thing is that the interior shall be fine and beautiful, otherwise the outside will be false and weak. Most people devote very much time to the outside, they are very careful about their dress, but the most essential thing is that the interior shall be fine and beautiful.

When the interior is beautiful your friends will soon discover that you are a kind sympathetic friend, and they will soon learn the secret of your charm, that you catch the glory from the face of Him whom you love and serve. Therefore, gather up all the evil of your life, and envy, and hatred, all selfishness and greed, and destroy these evil things as the husbandman burns the thistles and weeds. Look upon your soul as a mansion, and if there are any dark rooms in the cellar light a torch, and search out every corner, and drag from the hiding place the evil that crawls like vermin through the secret places of the soul. Dig up each evil thing as the gardner digs up poison ivy, and care for the flowers of faith and love as the gardener cares for the lilies and the roses.

Young people of this graduating class. You are about to set sail on a perilous ocean of life, not as a passenger, merely, but as both captain and owner of the vessel. There are all sorts of destroying elements in this ocean. Demons of iniquity will assail you; stormy and contrary winds will beat against your vessel before you shall have reached the distant port in safety. You will need fixed religious principles, and established moral character, else you will be wrecked almost before leaving the harbor of youth. In this voyage of life nothing will save you but the compass of the Divine Word, and the reverent fear of God.

LIST OF SUCCESSFUL EIGHTH GRADERS

The following is a list of those from the western side of Sanilac county who were successful in passing the recent eighth grade examination: Decker—Pheboe McKee, Roy Van Norman, Marguerite Phillips, George Parrott, Charlotte B. MacLeish, Vernice Parker, Winnie C. MacLeish, Helen Mitchell, George C. Hamilton, Vernon E. Severance, Charles S. Hamilton. Tyre—Carrison Donnellon, Ila E. Peters, Edna Hunt, Helen Hunt Marshall, Hannah Hawksworth, Gertrude Gatz. Hemans—Wm. T. Hurlbut. Snover—Ira Mavis, Agnes Tyrell, Henry Schroeder, Harry Merrill York, Frank Morden, Clarence Hildinger, Clara A. Kraus, Ethel Robinson, Gertrude Shagena, Irene Pomella, Frank Stoutenberg, Irene Urquhart, Jean A. Hutson. Cass City—Edith L. Kitchen, George N. Darling, Edith M. Vogel, Ella M. Cleland, Lucile Jones.

HERBERT LEON COPE CLIMBING THE LADDER

Herbert Leon Cope, who has been engaged in Y. M. C. A. work at Camp Sheridan, Alabama, for several months, lately attended an officers' training school in the Blue Ridge mountains in North Carolina and as a result has received the appointment as educational and social secretary of the southeastern department. The school closed May 29 and Mr. Cope's standings after examination brought him the distinction and placed him in charge of the Y. M. C. A. work in one-third of the camps of the country. Many men from Princeton and other colleges of the country addressed the school, which resembled a great conference, and when the appointments were read Mr. Cope was highly delighted to learn that he had won one of the best places in the gift of the association.—Caro Advertiser.

CANBORO.

Miss Agnes McDonald visited friends in Owendale Wednesday and Thursday. Mrs. Uptogrove of Bad Axe visited her daughter, Mrs. Dick Jarvis, Tuesday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Jarvis and daughter, Ardis, and George Jarvis were callers in Bad Axe Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus Lown and daughter, Charlotte, of Royal Oak spent over Sunday at Mr. Kinetz's home. Mr. and Mrs. Henry Libkuman and little daughter of Detroit visited Sunday with Mr. L's brother, Bert Libkuman, returning home Monday morning.