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TUSCOLA MAN CITED FOR GALLANTRY

SHELLED AND GASSED, DOES BRAVE ACT IN SAVING COMRADES.

Sergeant Putnam Is Descendant of Gen. Israel Putnam of American Revolution.

Sergeant William C. Putnam of Co. C, 125th Infantry, has been mentioned for gallantry by Major General Wm. G. Haan and Major Augustus Ganser.

While the thirty-second division was at Alsace, Sergeant Putnam led his charge into a front line enemy trench where only one of his men was killed but several others beside himself were wounded and is now being cared for at the battalion infirmary, as he did not want to leave his company to receive treatment at the hospital.

Sergeant Putnam led his men to "clean up" first part of enemy trench and in support position, protecting flanks against counter-attack, etc. While he was so engaged he was hit by an enemy shell, apparently containing phosphorescents or "liquid fire." Although terribly burned about the head, shoulders and hands, Sergeant Putnam helped bring back others wounded and suffering with "shell shock." He then walked 1,880 metres to the hospital, then to battalion headquarters, where he was among the first to bring a definite report of the events of the raid. Sergeant Putnam begged to remain with his company and is now receiving treatment at battalion infirmary. He also has inevitable barbed wire hurts, as did all the others in the company.

Sergeant Putnam was formerly a Tuscola county boy, his parents residing in Wells township near Caro and is a descendant of General Israel Putnam of the American revolution and seems to possess the same fighting qualities. He went overseas about a year ago. Before the war he was with General Pershing in Mexico.—Bay City Times-Tribune.

FARMERS MAY MAKE CIDER FOR OWN USE

Wets Are Trying to Deceive in Regard to Apple Juice.

Don't scare the farmer; or rather, scare him if you think you can, but do not deceive him. In their efforts to popularize the saloon amendment with farmers, the wets are wringing changes on cider. One statement says that the present law prohibits the manufacture and sale of cider, and that the new amendment will permit it. From the beginning of the present campaign, the Oracle of the Michigan Hotel Man affirms, with a strange sympathy for the poor farmer, that he cannot make cider from his own apples without danger of prosecution under the present prohibitory law. This is grossly incorrect. Sec. IX of Act 338, Public Acts of 1917, says: "The provisions of this act shall not be construed to prevent the manufacture of cider from fruits for the purpose of making vinegar, and non-intoxicating cider and fruit juices for use and sale." Commenting on this act and the misleading statements of the wets in reference to cider, Fred L. Woodworth, who is responsible for the enforcement of prohibition, says, "No farmer who extracts the juice from his apples for the purpose of making cider and vinegar will be in danger of prosecution unless it can be proven that he sells, uses as a beverage or gives away, the cider when it has an alcohol content." The farmer may manufacture as much cider as he likes and may use it, for apple butter, jelly, vinegar, etc., or for any purpose so long as he does not sell, give away or furnish fermented cider for beverage purposes. Prohibition works no harm among farmers but rather helps them by creating a wider market for their products, and in other ways. For this reason The Farmers' Union of Kansas has just addressed a strong petition to President Wilson urging him to push for national prohibition.

EARLY COPY FOR FAIR WEEK

Kindly bring or send news and advertising copy for next week's edition of the Chronicle to the office as early as possible. The paper will be printed earlier than usual, following the custom adopted for "fair week" editions.

Send in your copy Saturday or Monday whenever possible. Thank you.

IF YOU WANT TO SHARE THE VICTORY OVER THESE

Keep on following the program of the Food Administration, whatever it may be.

Go lightly on sugar, limiting your consumption to two pounds per month for every member of the family.

Use plenty of fresh vegetables and spare the other foods for shipment overseas.

Do not let up on the saving of wheat. Use the substitutes. Remember we must build up a big wheat reserve out of the new harvest in addition to taking care of our boys at the front and the Allies.

Can all you can, using as little sugar as possible.

Allow nothing to go to waste. Back up the boys at the front.

LOCAL HOME GUARD TEAM DEFEATS REESE TIGERS

Large Crowd Visited Reese Thursday to Witness Ball Game and Battalion Drill.

With Hall in the box, supported by Stout as catcher, Brooker shortstop, J. Muntz first base, Coulter second, Benkelman third, S. Muntz right field, Hutchinson left and Johnson in center, the Cass City Home Guard team presented a strong formation against the Reese Tigers last Thursday afternoon and defeated that "crack" team by a 6-3 score.

The game preceded the Home Guard battalion drill and both were witnessed by a large crowd from all parts of the county. Following the military maneuvers by Home Guard companies from Vassar, Cass City, Caro, Mayville and Reese, the Reese ladies served a fine luncheon, and an address by Herbert Leon Cope, Tuscola county's humorist, who is now engaged in Y. M. C. A. work in army cantonments, was greatly enjoyed.

EARLY CLOSING NEXT WEEK.

Business Places Adopt New Schedule for Fair Week.

Several business men agreed yesterday morning to an early closing schedule for Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday of Fair week and others will undoubtedly sign the agreement when it is presented to them. The schedule provides for closing their business places from 12 o'clock noon until 5:30 p. m. and close again at 7:30 and remain closed until 9:30 p. m.

Among the merchants who adopted closed hours during the four Fair days are: E. W. Jones, J. C. Farrell, G. W. Goff, Crosby & Son, L. I. Wood & Co., Bailey & Graham, Gregory-Townsend Co., B. J. Dailly, Ricker & Krahling, L. E. Dickinson, Jas. Tennant, C. A. McCaslin, T. L. Tibbals, A. H. Higgins, N. Bigelow & Sons, L. A. Wood Cass City Drug Co., F. A. Bliss, Tyo & Son, B. F. Benkelman, Wilsey & Cathcart, T. J. Auten.

FOURTH LIBERTY LOAN.

The campaign for the Fourth Liberty Loan will begin September 28 and close October 19. The result of the loan will be watched with keen interest in Europe, not only by our associates in the war against the Teutonic powers but by our enemies. It will be regarded by them as a measure of the American people's support of the war.

The Germans know full well the tremendous weight and significance of popular support of the war, of the people at home backing up the Army in the field. As the loan succeeds our enemies will rejoice, as it falls short they will rejoice. Every dollar subscribed will help and encourage the American soldiers and hurt and depress the enemies of America.

The loan will be the test of the loyalty and willingness of the people of the United States to make sacrifices compared with the willingness of our soldiers to do their part. There must be and will be no failure by the people to measure up to the courage and devotion of our men in Europe. Many of them have given up their lives; shall we at home withhold our money? Shall we spare our dollars while they spare not their very lives?

REDUCED R. R. FARE TO FAIRS.

S. Champion, secretary of the Greater Cass City Fair, has received the following communication from Frank Rathsburg, secretary of the Michigan Association of Fairs:

"I am pleased to advise you that through the efforts of Mr. Geo. W. Dickerson, secretary-manager of the State Fair, Detroit, the government has granted a reduced passenger railroad rate of one and one-half fare for the round trip to all fairs, making a sufficient showing. To get this reduced rate you should apply to your local railroad agent."

Advertise it in the Chronicle.

GREATER CASS CITY FAIR'S TWO BIG ENTERTAINMENT PROGRAMS

THE FAIR'S PROGRAM

TUESDAY, AUG. 20.

Entry Day—Have all entries made and exhibits placed on this day as far as possible.

WEDNESDAY, AUG. 21.

Special Free Attractions given both afternoon and evening:

World's Famous Acrobatic Troupe of 10 Artists.

Big Bob, the Boxing Kangaroo.

The Three Gordons.

The Randow Bros., in "Comedy Bumps and Falls."

The Randow Trio.

Horse Races—2:30 Trot or Pace; 2:17 Trot or Pace.

THURSDAY, AUG. 22.

Patriotic Day—Every Home Guard organization in the county will be present. Big Battalion drill, military races, skirmishes, wall scaling, pyramid building and sham battles.

Patriotic Address by Ex-Gov. Chase S. Osborn.

Special Free Attractions given both afternoon and evening:

World's Famous Acrobatic Troupe of 10 Artists.

Big Bob, the Boxing Kangaroo.

The Three Gordons.

The Randow Bros., in "Comedy Bumps and Falls."

The Randow Trio.

Horse Races—Named Trot; 2:25 Pace.

FRIDAY, AUG. 23.

Horse Races—Free-for-all Trot or Pace; Consolation Race.

Special Free Attractions given both afternoon and evening:

World's Famous Acrobatic Troupe of 10 Artists.

The Randow Bros., in "Comedy Bumps and Falls."

Big Bob, the Boxing Kangaroo.

The Three Gordons.

The Randow Trio.

TWO BIG PROGRAMS AT THE PRICE OF ONE.

A Cass City Fair Membership Ticket or a 35-cent single admission ticket admits one to the Fair during the day and also the afternoon Chautauqua.

A \$1.00 Season Fair Night Ticket or a 50-cent single admission fair ticket admits one to the Fair at night and to the evening Chautauqua entertainment.

B. J. DAILEY, Pres. L. BAILEY, Vice Pres. S. CHAMPION, Sec. J. C. FARRELL, Treas.

THE CHAUTAUQUA PROGRAM

TUESDAY

Morning—Organization of Junior Chautauqua.

Afternoon—Lecture (15 min.) "Following the Band Wagon," Chester Birch; Popular Concert, The Hippie Company.

Evening—Concert Prelude, The Hippie Company; Lecture, "Bagle Echoes from Seven Wars", Chester Birch.

WEDNESDAY

Morning—Junior Chautauqua Activities.

Afternoon—Lecture (15 min.), Dr. Chas. G. Jordan; Concert Entertainment, The Old Home Singers.

Evening—Concert Prelude, The Old Home Singers; Lecture, "The Old Homestead," Dr. Chas. G. Jordan.

THURSDAY

Morning—Junior Chautauqua Activities.

Afternoon—Grand Patriotic Concert, Ralph Dunbar's Royal Dragoons; Lecture, "Getting by Your Hoodoo," Samuel W. Grathwell.

Evening—Lecture (15 min.) Samuel W. Grathwell; Grand Concert and Entertainment, Dunbar's Royal Dragoons.

FRIDAY

Morning—Junior Chautauqua Activities.

Afternoon—Concert and Entertainment, Charles Edward Clarke Company; Lecture Entertainment, Miss Sumayeh Attiye.

Evening—Concert Prelude, Charles Edward Clarke Company; Lecture, "The Spirit of France," Lieut. Jean A. Picard of the French Army.

SATURDAY

Morning—Junior Chautauqua Activities.

Afternoon—Patriotic Pageant, "Our Allies" Junior Chautauqua; Concert, Fisk Jubilee Singers.

Evening—Concert Prelude, Fisk Jubilee Singers; Grand Closing Entertainment, Noah Beilharz, Foremost Chautauqua Character Artist.

SOLDIER BOYS' LETTERS

2nd Bri. Co. E 23rd Engrs., American E. F., France. July 12, 1917.

Mrs. Isabelle McRae,

Dear Madam:

Am aware that you have never even heard of me, but nevertheless am taking the liberty of writing to you. Yesterday we received a telegram notifying us of the sad death of your son, Donald, at Marcy where I was stationed until recently. Donald lived in the tent next to mine while we were at Washington Barracks. We were good friends there and remained so on our voyage and since "over here."

You will no doubt receive many official documents from the authorities etc., but think you will appreciate hearing from a simple private and a friend of Donald's that he was a conscientious, good soldier in the states, a hard worker over here, and he certainly did his "bit."

This is a high class company of a high class Regiment composed of superior men, and your Donald was considered as among the best of us. He was a very popular man, and every man here grieves over his death and sympathizes with you in your great sorrow.

Very sincerely yours,
Pvt. Winwright Benham.

To Mrs. C. McRae, Jr.
Aix Les Bains, France.

July 14, 1918.

Dear Friends:

I will now tell you as near as I can how Donald died.

He was working with 16 other men up the track about 30 miles for a long time and was called back the night of the 10th to our camp and I did not meet him as I did not know of his being in the 23rd Eng., but they eat at our mess hall and sleep in one of the barracks. On the morning of the 11th they went for a bath and swim, four of them. Donald was swimming in about eight feet of water. When he went down he did not say anything and never tried to struggle a bit. He never came up and as the water is dirty it took 40 minutes to find him. My 1st Lieut. Jins Co. B., 16 Reg Ry Eng. found him. They worked for four

hours as hard as they could and then gave up.

They never had any hope as there was everything to show that he was never drowned at all. I think that in the report they send you they will give some other cause beside drowning, as he took in no water and never struggled at all. Every one of the boys who have worked with him liked him very much and they were very sorry to lose him. I think they will all write and tell you how they felt for him and how they hated to see him go. He had lived a good clean life here and you may be very proud of your son as no one here could have done more than he to win the war. He gave up his life if it was more than 100 miles from the line and that is all any of us can do.

I am on my leave now and this is a lovely place. This is a big day in France, the same as our own 4th of July. There is a big crowd of men here. Lots of them have been hit and are here resting, and a lot more like me here to rest after one year at work.

I know that Donald has been a good boy and lived so he could die and we need not fear for him. That is your own belief, and mine too. I thank God that a man can live even in the army and be a good clean man. I know that here we look at it as if anything to win the war, but to you the war has come home and it is not so much who win but the cost, and sorrow of the winning, but try to look to God and give up your son like the French mothers do. They send them to their death with a smile and a tear, and a prayer, and a kiss. God takes care of His own, and now is a good time to let Him take that part of our sorrow and try to cheer up and do our bit here.

I have done all I could do with his things. They will send some of his own things and the rest will be sold and the money sent to you. I will now close hoping that you all can look on the bright side and carry on. I am as ever yours in sorrow,
JACOB C. ANTHES,
Co. B., 16 Reg. R. Y.,
Eng. U. S. A., France.

France, July 4, 1918

Mr. W. C. Morse,
Gagetown, Mich.
Dear Friend Wallace:

As the drill schedule is cancelled for the afternoon, I will spend the time writing a few letters to the folks back at Elmwood. I suppose you are celebrating back there today. We had a field meet this forenoon, had all sorts of races, etc., and I am delighted to report that our battalion carried the highest score in nearly every contest and left them all behind in the finals.

It is nearly two months since we left America. I have seen considerable of France in that time. Most of the scenery looks rather ancient but is very interesting just the same. It has been my privilege to go through some buildings that were built back in the old Roman days before the time of Christ. The country here is beautiful. It is a whole lot better than I imagined it was and judging by the looks of crops it doesn't look as if the French people would starve for years to come.

Practically all the buildings are built of stone or brick. Apparently the French people believe in having things handy for they build their house and barn right together. In many cases you can go from the parlor directly to the horse stable.

Our trip across the Atlantic was uneventful. The sea was calm excepting for about forty-eight hours. Nevertheless, we were all quite glad to see land after spending two full weeks on the water. I haven't learned to talk French very much yet. It looks like quite a problem to me. However, if we want something pretty badly we will learn to ask for it in French rather than go without it.

Was very glad to hear that Tuscola county went over the top in the Liberty Loan. It gives us good assurance that the folks back home are behind us. There isn't much that I can write about so I will bring this little note to a close. Hoping you and your family are well. Your friend,
CORP. ARTHUR L. EWALD,
Co. C, 47th Inf., (Regular).
Am. Ex. F. via N. Y.

C. N. D. MEETING.

A business meeting of the Woman's Committee of Council of National Defense will be held at the home of Mrs. J. D. Brooker on Monday evening, August 19, at 7:00. All women interested in this work are urgently requested to attend.

BUY ALL THE W. S. STAMPS YOU CAN

DISTRICT MANAGER URGES REDOUBLED EFFORTS ON PART OF ALL.

State of Michigan May Fail to Make Its Quota if Better Work Is Not Done.

E. W. Jones, district manager in the sale of War Savings and Thrift Stamps, is very anxious that this community make a splendid showing in the purchase of these valuable securities and urges redoubled effort on the part of all who have the stamps for sale to assist in making as good a showing as possible in the closing months of this campaign. Michigan is behind in its quota in War Savings and it needs strenuous efforts on the part of all to make the state reach its goal before the year ends.

Lewis L. Smart, director of sales for Michigan, has issued the following call to the authorized Treasury Dept. Agents in Michigan:

Officials of the Treasury Department at Washington state that from results now reported, they fear Michigan will be one of 13 states to fail to make its quota in War Savings Stamps. If on December 31, 1918, this proves to be true, it will be a disgrace to our state.

"Michigan boys are in the thick of the fighting 'over there' right at this moment, giving their all, if need be, to wrest victory from the Hun.

"Our own 85th Division has left Camp Custer for the battle line, carrying with them our hopes and our prayers.

"Are we going to leave them in the lurch? Are we going to lie down and 'quit cold'? Is Michigan going to desert her sons in the face of a foreign foe?"

"Let each one of us answer for himself,—Am I doing all I can?"

"Are you buying all the War Savings Stamps you can? Are you really making a sacrifice to do so?"

"Are you pushing the sale of War Stamps to the best of your ability? Will you do all you can to help Michigan back up her boys by taking her full quota of \$70,000,000.00 in War Savings Stamps."

THE JUNIOR CHAUTAUQUA.

Parents are urged not to overlook the Junior Chautauqua work which will be under the care of a trained director sent by the Coit-Alber Chautauqua Co. This work will begin each morning of the fair at nine o'clock at the Chautauqua tent on the fair grounds. Anyone between the ages of 6 and 14 years is admitted to this free of charge.

These young folks will be drilled for a patriotic pageant which will be staged in the Chautauqua tent on the last afternoon. They will also be taught new songs and games, the idea of the entire work being patriotic and educational. No parent should overlook the importance of work of this nature.

NEXT WEEK IS FAIR WEEK.

Cass City Fair tickets admit holders to both the Fair and Chautauqua next week. Two big programs held the same week and given at the price of one conserve both time and money.

DUTY CALLS CONGRESSMAN CRAMTON TO BATTLE FRONT

Congressman Cramton is on the Western battle front, at his own expense, where he has been under fire several times in his investigations of conditions. He has actively worked and voted for legislation to care for our boys in the military service and will be excellently prepared upon his return to advocate and work for their interests in Congress.

He is not here to defend himself against attacks of opponents, but his constituents may rest assured that he is not a pacifist; that he is an earnest advocate of a vigorous prosecution of the war to victory and that he has always been very careful not to abuse the franking privilege, by paying postage upon all of his political and personal correspondence and never sending any matter free through the mails excepting that of a public nature.

Anonymous statements, misleading campaign propaganda, and eleventh hour exaggerations should not swerve the voters of this district against a man who is not on the ground to refute the same, but who is now and was always, devoted to their interests.

The writer has been closely associated with Mr. Cramton for the past five years and can vouch for the above statement.

EDWIN D. MALLORY,
Editor Clarion,
—Advertisement, Lapeer, Mich.

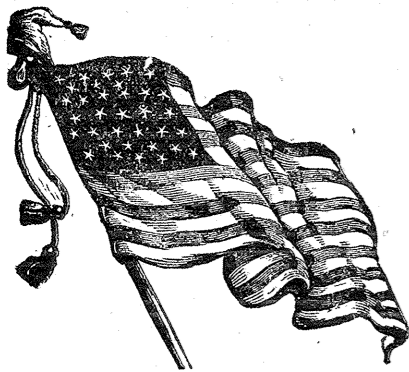
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H. F. Lenzner, Publisher.



SHABBONA.

Miss Jennie Cullen is attending the Chautauqua and visiting at R. M. Riley's of Marlette this week.

The Misses Verna and Fern Hyatt and brother, Clarence Hyatt, of Flint are visiting a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Paul Auslander and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Auslander were business callers in Bay City Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Meredith and daughter, Virginia, of Laing spent Sunday with their parents here.

Threshing has commenced in this vicinity.

Crops are looking fine during this dry weather.

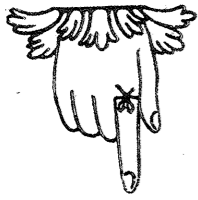
Harvey McGregor hurt his hand quite badly Monday while binding oats.

Ezra Travis of Memphis is visiting relatives here.

The M. E. ladies' aid met with Mrs. S. Smith of New Greenleaf Wednesday for dinner.

Rev. Norman Karr of Marlette will be present to conduct the sacramental services in the M. E. church Sunday evening. Come.

ATTENTION!



Final payment
on Third
Liberty Loan
Bonds due
August 18.

Cass City Bank

WILMOT.

Hot and dry in this vicinity and showers keep going around us.

The L. A. S have good success selling ice cream Saturday evenings.

Mrs. Merrit Hartt is spending the week with her husband at Marine City.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Cook and son, Earl, of Flint visited Mr. and Mrs. T. Clark Sunday.

Gerls and Harriet Mapley are spending their vacation with their grandparents here.

Miss Georgie Clemmons spent Sunday and Monday with her sister, Mrs. Alfred Jolvs, at Gagetown.

Earl Whittaker is moving from here west of Kingston where he has secured work on a farm.

Mrs. E. J. Teskey was taken sick last Thursday and taken to Mercy hospital Sunday and underwent a serious operation Monday morning. She was reported resting after the operation.

A lawn social will be held in the evening on August 20th at the home of Russell Patrick, one mile east of here. Ice cream and other refreshments will be served. A program consisting of good music and recitations will be given and all are planning on a social evening. All are invited.

Wilson Westerby, who had been a patient sufferer for so long, passed away at his home here last Tuesday morning at two o'clock. He had been unable to work for the past two years and was 80 years old last March. Beside relatives, he leaves many friends.

CANBORO.

B. F. Parker is spending a few days with friends in Caseville.

Mrs. Wm. Apply and daughter, Minnie, were callers in Pigeon Friday.

Wm. Parker, sr., and Miss Lydia Parker were callers in Owendale Friday.

Herbert Libkuman has been visiting friends in Shabbona the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Jerome and son, Clarence, were callers in Owendale Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Steve O'Maley and children of Bad Axe visited at Jesse Putman's Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Jarvis and daughter visited Sunday at Ulysses Parker's in Owendale.

Mr. and Mrs. George Jarvis, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Jarvis and children were callers in Owendale Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Lew Jarvis and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Putman were callers in Owendale and Pigeon Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. McDonald and daughter, Agnes, and Burley Libkuman autoed to Royal Oak and Detroit Friday to visit friends a few days.

Too late for last week.

Chas. McDonald was a caller in Gagetown Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Jay Andrews were callers in Cass City Tuesday.

William Parker, sr., and Chas. Hintze were callers in Elkton Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Jarvis and daughter were callers in Bad Axe Friday.

Chas. Hintze of Sebawaing was a caller at the Wm. Parker sr., home Wednesday.

Mrs. and Mrs. Dan Haley of Sheridan called at George Jarvis Thursday evening.

William Parker, sr., and daughter, Miss Lydia were callers in Owendale Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Mellendorf called on Mrs. Fred Mellendorf of Oliver Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Jarvis and children visited at Dan Haley's in

NOTICE

Of 8 important War Measures before and after the United States declared War, Congressman Cranton VOTED WRONG ON 7.

(1) McLemore resolution, March 7, 1916, that American citizens should forego their right to travel on the high seas.

MR. CRANTON VOTED WRONG.

(2) Kahn amendment to Hay Army Bill, Mar. 23, 1916, to increase the regular army to 178,000 or more.

MR. CRANTON VOTED WRONG.

(3) Brandegee amendment to Hay-Chamberlain army bill, April 18, 1916, to provide for an army of 250,000 as against 140,000.

MR. CRANTON VOTED WRONG.

(4) "Section 56" providing for a voluntary reserve army wholly under Federal control, April 18, 1916.

MR. CRANTON VOTED WRONG.

(5) Motion to re-commit Naval Appropriation bill, June 2, 1916, designed to instruct increase in the Navy beyond what was provided in the original bill.

MR. CRANTON VOTED WRONG.

(6) Cooper amendment, March 1, 1917, designed to prohibit American ships their legal right to carry arms and ammunition in their cargoes.

MR. CRANTON VOTED WRONG.

(7) Declaration of War against Germany, April 5, 1917.

MR. CRANTON VOTED WRONG.

(8) Kahn Amendment to Conscription Act, April 23, 1917, provided for raising by conscription the necessary army to give effect to the declaration of war.

MR. CRANTON VOTED WRONG.

He voted for War but he did not vote to back it up.

THINK IT OVER.

GILMORE G. SCRANTON.

Sheridan Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Libkuman and son, Burley, and Agnes McDonald were callers in Elkton Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. McDonald and Mr. and Mrs. Bert Libkuman were callers in Bad Axe Friday evening.

Miss Margaret Burleigh of Gagetown visited her sister, Mrs. Chas. McDonald, Tuesday night and Wednesday.

John and Charlotte Lown, who have been visiting here the past week, returned to their home in Royal Oak Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Hartsell are the proud parents of a son, born Aug. 1. The little fellow will answer to the name of Leland James.

Word came Monday, August 5, that Jerry Woolhouse had died at his home at Pife Lake. Mr. Woolhouse lived in this neighborhood many years and was well liked by all who knew him.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. McDonald and daughter, Agnes, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Libkuman and family, and Mr. and Mrs. Neil McPhail and family autoed to Shabbona Sunday and spent the day with Mr. Libkuman's sister, Mrs. Leslie.

Wm. Parker, sr., Miss Lydia Parker, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Jarvis and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. B. Webster, Miss Neva and Earl Webster, and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Webertes attended a birthday party at Ulysses Parker's in Owendale Tuesday evening, it being their son, Cleatus', 17th birthday. All report a good time.

KINGSTON-NOVESTA TOWN LINE.

Miss Mabel Casmer of Pontiac, who has been visiting Miss Martha Coleman for two weeks, has returned home.

Mrs. L. Retherford spent over Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Putnam, of Caro who has been in poor health.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Martin and daughter, Lillian, spent Monday evening at Kingston.

Lee McConnell, who has been attending school at Spring Arbor, is home on a visit. He has enlisted in the Marines.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Stevens, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Jackson, Maud and Philip Stevens of Birmingham spent a few days at the homes of J. D. Funk and C. Courliss.

Misses Irene and Marion Retherford spent over Sunday with relatives in Marlette.

A number from the Leek appointment attended the quarterly conference at Deford Sunday evening.

Wm. Osburn, who went to Bay City last week for an operation, is getting along nicely. His friends hope for a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Dodge of Detroit spent a few days at their farm home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lawson, William, Grant and Edith Lawson of Avoca visited at the home of Geo. Martin Sunday.

Mrs. H. Holcomb has been visiting relatives in North Branch.

Mrs. Josie Brooks and children of Clifford spent a few days at the Retherford homes.

CUMBER.

Very hot at this writing.

A number from this place attended quarterly conference at Wickware Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Nudgent and family spent Sunday at J. B. Pettinger's.

Miss Hazel Robinson and friend, Hazen Patterson, of Cass City, spent Sunday with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. Robinson, of this place.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Booth and son, Douglas, of Detroit and Mr. and Mrs. G. Gifford and daughter, Arlene, of Avoca spent Sunday at Elmer Hawksworth's.

Mr. Asher of Cass City called on Miss Sara Robinson Sunday.

Harriet Lowe and Guy Vatters spent Sunday at Deadwaters.

NOVESTA CORNERS.

Oat harvest nearly completed.

Andrew Bunker of Detroit visited his parents a few days last week.

Olive Hicks spent the week-end with his sister, Mrs. Elmer Collins.

Mrs. J. Wentworth and daughter, Lena, and Mrs. Fred Palmateer and children spent Sunday with Mrs. Geo. Scott near Caro.

Quarterly meeting will be held at the F.W. B. church at Novesta Aug. 16, 17 and 18. A program will be given in the afternoon of the 18th by the young people of the Sunday school.

The Novesta ladies will meet at the Gleaner hall Tuesday afternoon, August 20, to do Red Cross work. Everybody come.

Tobolsk Gives Promise.

Tobolsk is the mere beginning of a city. Some day a great metropolis will stand there. Tobolsk today is what St. Louis or Chicago was a hundred years ago. The half million square miles of the province of Tobolsk include huge areas of rich land, although the northern reaches are lapped by the Arctic ocean. Already a great part of it is sown in wheat and the cattle are increasing from year to year. With the building of railways these great Siberian plains will tell the story of our own West over again.

DEFORD.

Beatrice Pierce is employed at the Deford Bank.

Mrs. May Sinbey of Yale spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. John Clark.

Mrs. Wm. Balch spent the week-end with her daughter, Gladys, of Lapeer.

Mrs. Chas. Silverthorn spent the week end with Mrs. Wm. Carson at Cass City.

George Roberts and son, Ernest, motored to Saginaw Saturday, returning Sunday.

Samuel Sherk and son, Warren, and Mrs. Parks attended the funeral of Bruce Robinson Monday.

Mrs. Edward King returned to her home in Yale after a week's visit with her daughter, Mrs. John Clark.

Lucy Hartwick returned to her home in Royal Oak Monday after visiting several weeks with friends and relatives.

When cooking apples add a pinch of salt. This makes them tender and improves the flavor.



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PRESIDENT WILSON SAYS:

"The work which the Chautauqua is doing has not lost importance because of the war, but rather has gained new opportunities for service. Let me express the hope that the people will not fail in their support of a patriotic institution that may be said to be an integral part of the national defense."

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August 20, 21, 22, 23, 24

A Five Day Win-the-War Program Full of Good Things. Get a Program Booklet.

SECRETARY BAKER SAYS:

"I am constantly facing the splendid results of the work done by the Chautauquas in creating and sustaining a sound, patriotic public feeling, and in carrying forward the great national enterprises which the government is necessarily bringing to the attention of the people."

To the Ladies

I wish to announce to the ladies of Deford and vicinity that I have made arrangements with Mrs. Wm. Pierce to take charge of my fall millinery business—opening day beginning Saturday, Aug. 17. We will display one of the finest, stylish and up-to-date lines of fall millinery offered anywhere in the Thumb at very reasonable prices. I will be pleased to meet all my old patrons and many new ones on opening day. Bring in your old hats—remodeling cheerfully done at the right price. It will pay you to see the latest styles and good quality at the cheapest prices.

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McCAIN BLDG., DEFORD, MICH.

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The business institutions with which he is connected are noted for what they have done to improve working conditions.

Third He is a friend of labor.

Fourth He favors an eight-hour day, with extra pay for over-time.

Fifth He stands and will continue to stand for the protection of the workingman's wage. He believes in and fights for the great principle of Protection.

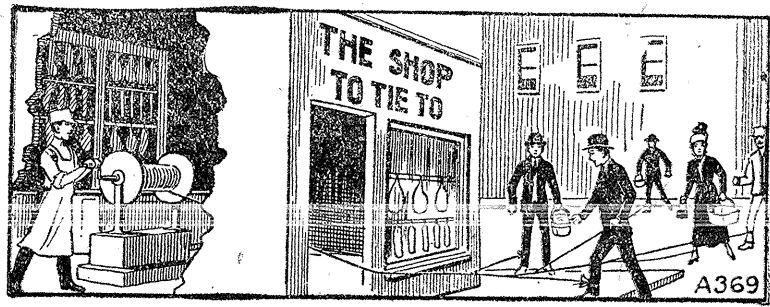
The laboring man will vote for Truman H. Newberry because he can be elected, will be elected, and when elected will stand as the champion of labor.



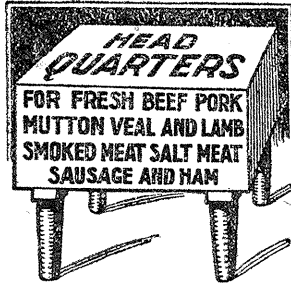
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When the Pangs of Hunger Assail
TO TIE TO
Because Quality and Fair Prices
Prevail.

Harry Young

The WEEK'S DOINGS

Chas. Patterson drives a Buick Six.

Robt. Charlton drives a Studebaker Six touring car.

Georgiana Russell is visiting her grandmother at Bad Axe.

Miss Elva Dodge is visiting her grandmother, Mrs. W. B. Westerby, in Wilmot this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ashnell and daughter of Sioux City, Iowa, and Mrs. De Myres of Wahjamega spent the weekend at the G. H. Russell home.

Miss Iva Wilson and Miss Catherine Modrey, who are employed in Pontiac, came to Cass City to spend two weeks at their parental homes and to attend the Greater Cass City Fair next week.

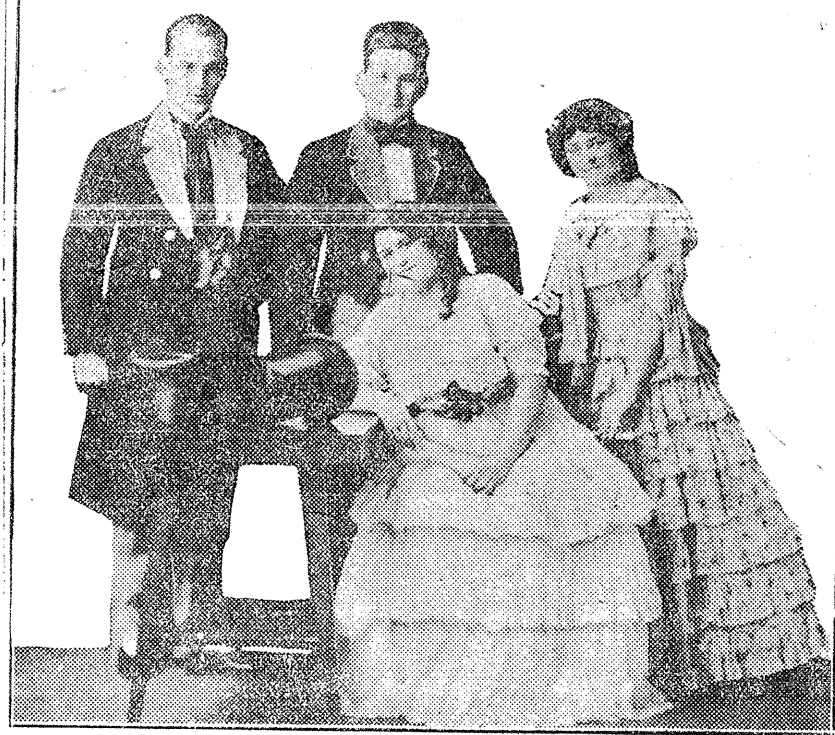
Mr. and Mrs. Roy Cranston and two daughters of Uby, Mrs. Wm. Philp of Bad Axe, Miss Arnold of Detroit and Robert Philps and children, Arthur and Beatrice, of Uby ate dinner Sunday at the G. H. Russell home.

Quite a number of Cass City people attended the services at the Evangelical Assembly at Sebewaing Sunday. The assembly will continue throughout this week, closing on Sunday next, tomorrow (Saturday), Gov. Sleeper will be on the grounds and will deliver an address. This day will be given over to patriotic doings. On Sunday, Bishop Breyfogel of Reading, Pa., will give addresses.

"Barley can be ground for feed. There are no restrictions whatever on this grain," said Food Administrator G. A. Prescott Tuesday. "There have been all kinds of rumors about the state on this matter," added Prescott, "and I wish the official status of this grain could be given wide publicity. We have had so many queries on this subject I am sure the attitude of the administration is not correctly understood. Barley can be ground for feed," concluded the food head.

E. W. Kercher has received from his brother, Clarence Kercher, now in France, a copy of "The Stars and Stripes," the official newspaper of the American Expeditionary Forces in France. It is published weekly in Paris, contains much interesting war news and has over 103,000 circulation. It is dated July 12, and across the top of the first page appears the following message from General Joffre: "France to the A. E. F.—France celebrates on July 14 her national independence, as the Americans observed their July 4. On these two solemn days, American and French hearts beat in unison. All feel that the moment approaches when, thanks to their efforts, the defeat of Germany will allow all the free nations to celebrate at last the independence of the world." There is also a message from General Pershing declaring July 14 a holiday for all American troops not actually engaged with the enemy.

The following students from Tuscola county, who have been attending the summer session of the Central Michigan Normal school at Mt. Pleasant, have returned home as the summer school closed August 2: Frank E. Atwood, Helen Janc Atwood, Virginia B. Teller, Pauline M. Wescott, Maud



THE OLD HOME SINGERS.

HERE is a superb company made up of people who are brave enough and strong enough to get entirely away from the conventional and singing the dear old songs we all have learned to love. The name of the company, "The Old Home Singers," gives a clear insight into the character of their program. Every member of the company is an artist. Their songs range from the grand old classics to the most popular of all jingles, but every song has a story, every tune has a history, every note is the echo of beloved days gone by, gone forever, except as they are expressed to fickle memory by such means as this. Their appearance will be one of the most delightful events of the Chautauqua.

Parrott, Nancy L. McDonald, Doris G. Mascoll, Leone Matkin, Sadie Mae Murphy, Quenna E. Meidlein, Ella L. Palmerton, Nellie Peter, Flossie Muddick, Tena S. Rice, Ruth H. Sherman, Grace Mae Belknap, Elizabeth Jane Belknap, Lois E. Allen, Leonia H. Bassett, Hazel Gunnell, Gladys M. McComb, Edith Smith, Francis A. Grandjean, Flossie M. McDonald, Katherine M. Maisei, Evangeline R. Pursell, Vera Ann Garner, Ruby A. Hascall, Ida Ruth Lovejoy, Ogle E. Wells.

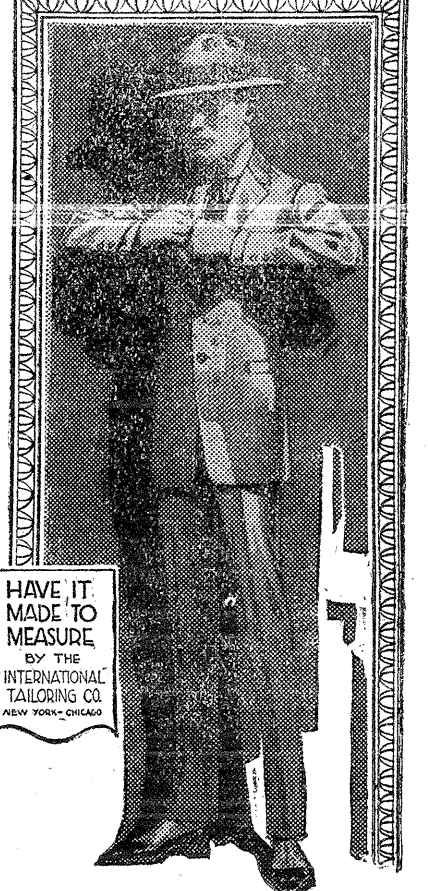
SUNSHINE.

John Greenwood is home from Bay City where he has been visiting his son, Ned Greenwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Claud Bentley went to Silverwood Sunday to attend the funeral of the former's grandmother.

Mr. and Mrs. John McCarthy, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel McCreedy and children, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Stevenson and Mr. and Mrs. Brock Pardo and little Ruth all spent Sunday at Rose Island.

Rev. Ryne preached his farewell sermon at Sunshine Sunday. They will move to Kingston this week.



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If you had built that barn, hen coop, hog house, garage or made repairs last year you would have saved money; likewise the building that you need to do this year will probably cost more money next year, so why hesitate.

We will be glad to see you any time and your business will receive the appreciation that a square deal always indicates.

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We reply the "same as before."

That's the kind of results good leather, good shoe making, good fitting give.

Work Shoes

that give the results that count.

Farrell



DR. CHARLES G. JORDAN.

Dr. Charles G. Jordan is coming to the Chautauquas to talk about "The Old Homestead." Dr. Jordan is an evangelist who knows how to put over a splendid message, but he comes to the Chautauqua not so much because of his achievement as an evangelist but because of an unusual achievement as a farmer. Inheriting a run-down farm in Pennsylvania, he so rejuvenated it that last year five thousand proud Pennsylvanians made a pilgrimage to the farm for purposes of observation and study. Agriculturists from all over the State made the journey and the instructors of leading agricultural schools were among those who came to pay honor to the hustling farmer evangelist. Dr. Jordan will have a practical message and a most interesting one when he comes to the Chautauqua.

THERE'S A REASON

WHY REPRESENTATIVE MEN OF THIS COMMUNITY ARE BACKING

CASS CITY

Chautauqua

AUGUST 20--24

IT'S PATRIOTIC
IT'S CLEAN
IT'S WORTH-WHILE
IT'S ENTERTAINING
IT'S EDUCATIONAL
IT'S PURPOSEFUL

BE A BOOSTER!

Caro Fair and War Festival

August 26 to 30

Recognizing the magnitude of Caro Fair and its importance as a channel through which it may familiarize the people with its various war activities, the Federal Government has decided to aid in making the Fair this year one of widespread interest. To better acquaint the people of the Thumb with the means and methods with which the great war is to be WON many things of importance will be shown.

U. S. War Planes

Two high-powered double bombing machines will be sent by the War Department. Each one being fully equipped with governmental pilot, observer and bombing material, repeated flights, aerial maneuvers, etc., are to be featured.

Canning and Preserving Show

The Department of Agriculture also will instruct in economical and otherwise desirable methods of preserving.

HORSE RACES EVERY DAY

REGISTERED LIVE STOCK

AND PEDIGREED GRAIN EXHIBITS

VISIT THE RED CROSS WAR AID CAMP

Admission Rates Unchanged—No War Tax Charged

PATRIOTIC DAY-GOVERNOR'S DAY

Governor Sleeper and many other noted patriotic speakers will take part in the day's program. Military Maneuvers—Military Bands

FINE FREE AMUSEMENT FEATURES

As in years past a multitude of free features will greet the visitors every day and night. Seven fine features.

SPLENDID DISPLAY OF PATRIOTIC FIREWORKS

Every Afternoon and Evening
Agricultural, Horticultural and Machinery Exhibits
Fancy Work and Fine Arts Displays

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12 Noon until 1:00 P. M.
Wednesday—Sale of Registered Cattle.
Thursday—Sale of Registered Horses, Sheep, Swine,
Friday—Sale of Pedigreed Seeds, Grain, etc.

LOCAL NEWS



Stewart Wilsey is spending the week in Caro. Mrs. C. L. Moore of Kington visited Cass City friends Monday. Mr. and Mrs. L. I. Wood and family motored to Oak Bluff Sunday. Miss Emma Muck of Colwood is visiting relatives here this week. Charles Kleinschmidt of Saginaw spent Friday and Saturday in town. Mr. and Mrs. Edward Pinney are spending the week in Grand Rapids. Dr. and Mrs. Herbert Karr and family of Detroit were in town Monday. Mrs. Don McCaughna of Pontiac is visiting with Mrs. E. Mudge this week. Miss Bernice Kolb left Saturday on a trip to Detroit, Lansing and St. Charles. Mrs. Frank Patch of Marcellus is visiting at the B. J. Dailey home this week. Andrew and the Misses Laura and Alice Bigelow are visiting in Pontiac this week. Miss Myrtle Fluellen of Mendon came Friday to visit at the William Ohls home. Mrs. Fred Smith and Mrs. Frank Dillman went to Rose Island Wednesday to spend a week. Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Jones and family spent Sunday night at the home of G. R. Wing at Fostoria. Rev. A. W. Hayes of Sayres, Pennsylvania will occupy the Presbyterian pulpit August 18 and 25. Alice Fournier of Getagtown is spending some time with her grandmother, Mrs. E. Fournier. Misses Virginia and Helen Wilsey went to Marlette Tuesday to visit at the home of William Hanley. Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Striffler, Louis Krabbing and Miss Elsie Buchrey motored to Saginaw Sunday. Leland Higgins came from Detroit Saturday night to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Higgins. Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Hyde, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Dickinson and Miss Lydia McInnes spent Sunday at Oak Bluff. Dr. P. A. Schenck and Charles Wilsey left Tuesday afternoon on a trip to Cleveland, Buffalo and Niagara Falls. Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Ricker, Mr. and Mrs. I. Walker and Miss Gertrude Cormany motored to Sebawaing Sunday. Mrs. J. D. Crosby, Mrs. E. Mudge, Mrs. Don McCaughna of Pontiac and Roy Crosby spent Sunday at Oak Bluff. Mrs. M. L. Billings and daughter, Beatrice, of Mt. Pleasant are spending the week at the home of John Doerr. Mrs. W. S. Wing of Millington and Mrs. W. E. Wing of Kalamazoo spent the week-end at the home of E. W. Jones. Miss Lilah Warner returned Wednesday from a three weeks' visit at the home of Joseph Caswell at Anadore. Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Graham of Caro and Miss Pearl Graham of Vassar are spending the week at the home of E. W. Jones. Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Dailey and family and Mrs. Nellie Kitson returned from a six weeks' outing at Oak Bluff Sunday. Mrs. C. D. Striffler and son, Kenneth, returned home from Caseville Sunday where they have been spending their vacation. Mr. and Mrs. William Ohls and daughter, Marjory, and Miss Myrtle Fluellen of Mendon are spending the week at Oak Bluff. Arthur Fritz, Robert Armstrong and Harold Faber of Detroit visited from Saturday until Monday at the Fred Hoagland home. Mrs. J. C. Cinkham returned to her home in Lansing after spending ten days with her mother, Mrs. E. Fournier, and other relatives. Misses Lena Brown and Neva Johnson and Leland Higgins and Robert Brown accompanied by Mrs. A. H. Higgins are spending the week at Oak Bluff. Mrs. Jane McBurney and grandson, Robert Goodall, left recently for Maidstone, Sask., where they will visit several weeks with Mr. and Mrs. F. A. McBurney. Miss Elizabeth Barnes and E. Leo Hopps of Detroit spent Sunday at the home of John Barnes. Mrs. E. Leo Hopps, who has been visiting at the Barnes home, returned with them. Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Brooker and son, James, motored to Saginaw Monday. Mr. Brooker attended a meeting of the telephone companies concerning the government taking control of the telephone systems and it was the sense of the representatives present not to install any more phones or extend the system until after the war. Frederick Pinney, Glen Bixby and Wayne Fleenor returned last Thursday from Lake Pleasant where 32 boys of Tuscola and Lapeer counties enjoyed several days of Y. M. C. A. camp life. Lake Pleasant is situated seven miles east of Lapeer and is an ideal spot for recreation. Two things appealed especially to the boys in the Y. M. C. A. camp—the morning setting-up drill and the swimming.

Robert H. Orr of Pigeon was in town Tuesday. Born to Mr. and Mrs. John Brock a baby boy on Monday. Miss Fern Wager went to Elkton last Thursday to visit relatives. G. E. Krapf is getting along finely with the erection of his new barn. Born to Mr. and Mrs. Lyman Van Norman of Shabbona, a baby girl on Tuesday. Lewis McCool is able to be out again after a serious illness of about three weeks. C. D. Striffler, Mr. and Mrs. John Emmors and Mrs. Frank Hayes spent Sunday in Bad Axe. Miss Marie Lorentzen is spending the week in Detroit as a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Cross. Mrs. W. A. Walker returned Wednesday night from a visit at Camp Custer and Detroit. Neil Johnson and Wm. McInnes have spent the past week at the home of Dana Losey in Lake Orion. Misses Lydia Lee and Frances Fairchild of Galt, Ontario, are visiting at the home of Dr. F. L. Morris. Mrs. Hoggaver and Henry Beacher of Caro and Vera and Lyle Bardwell spent Sunday at Ros. Island. Miss Mabel Willerton of Argyle spent from Saturday until Monday with her cousin, Mrs. I. Walker. Kenneth and Miss Beulah Bentley of Getagtown were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Guy W. Landon Thursday. Miss Marie Gemmill, who is spending the school vacation at Wilmot, visited her parental home here Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Reid and daughters, Viva and May, of Deford visited at the H. R. Wager home last Saturday. Mrs. C. S. Bixby underwent an operation last week and is recovering. Miss Coughman of Pt. Huron is the nurse. Mrs. James Allen returned to Detroit Monday morning after visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Johnson. Miss Lena Tewksbury of Detroit visited from Friday to Monday with her father, John Tewksbury, and other relatives. Mrs. L. M. Spencer and sons, Wilbur and Robert, returned to Detroit Friday after visiting at the home of Dr. F. L. Morris. Mrs. E. F. Kreiman of Saginaw came Wednesday evening to visit with her sister, Mrs. Guy W. Landon, for a few weeks. Mrs. Stephen Dodge has received word that the ship on which her brother, Harry Hartwick, sailed had arrived safely overseas. Miss Esther Wagner arrived Saturday from Detroit where she has been employed. She will spend two weeks at her parental home here. Mr. and Mrs. Mason Wilson and daughter, Lucile, spent the week-end with Mrs. Wilson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Sargeant, of Deford. Misses Mae Benkelman and Katherine Striffler spent from Thursday until Monday attending the Y. P. A. convention at Bay Shore Park in Sebawaing. Ogle E. Wells of Kington was a guest of Grey F. Lenzner Sunday. Mr. Wells has recently returned from Mt. Pleasant where he attended the normal school. Miss Lottie Hamilton came Saturday to spend three weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Hamilton. She will then resume her teaching at Jonesville. Mrs. Samuel Vyse entertained the members of the Art club Wednesday afternoon. The ladies spent the time in sewing and at six o'clock the hostess served a delicious dinner. Mr. and B. F. Gemmill entertained at dinner on Tuesday Benjamin Stoddard, and son, Charles Stoddard, and two daughters, the Misses Emma and Mildred Stoddard, all of Fenton, Mich. Mr. and Mrs. George C. Hooper and John Kitchen motored to Detroit Sunday. Edwin Hooper returned with them after a three weeks' visit with his sister, Mrs. Herman Doerr. In jumping from a swing at Oak Bluff Albert Gallagher broke a bone in the wrist of his right hand last Wednesday. He is gaining nicely. Albert and his mother, Mrs. John J. Gallagher, were spending a few days at the Bluff when the accident occurred. They returned home Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. I. B. Auten, Mrs. G. A. Tindale and daughter, Dorothy, made up a motor party in a new Buick Six car driven by Harold Benkelman who left Monday on a trip to Baltimore, Maryland, and Washington, D. C., where they expect to meet Lieut. M. B. Auten and leave the car with him. Miss Dorothy Tindale stopped at Detroit where she will visit with her cousin, Mrs. Herman Doerr, while the remainder of the party is on their journey. Mrs. Prudence Atwell, formerly a resident of Cass City, passed away at the home of her stepdaughter, Mrs. Wm. Bentley, at Silverwood last Friday. Mrs. Atwell was 70 years of age and had been an invalid for many years. She leaves a daughter, Mrs. Laurence Barrick, of Detroit, a sister, Mrs. Dell Wilkinson, of Detroit, a brother, Alfred Weatherbee of Dryden, besides many other relatives. Burial took place in Silverwood Sunday and the following from Cass City attended the funeral: Mr. and Mrs. Guy W. Landon, Mr. and Mrs. Ogden Atwell, Mrs. Jos. Frutchey, Mr. and Mrs. John Ball and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Paul.

Registration on Saturday, August 24, of all youths who have reached the age of twenty-one since the second registration last June 5, was ordered Wednesday by Provost Marshal General Crowder, under a proclamation by the president. The purpose is to add quickly to the almost exhausted class one to meet army draft calls in September.

CHRONICLE LINERS

Rates—Liner ads 5 cents per line, each insertion. No ad accepted for less than 20c for first insertion; if less than four lines, subsequent insertions, without change, may be made at the rate of 5 cents a line. Alabastine, all colors, at Wood's Drug Store. For Sale. Cucumber pickles. J. D. Tuckey. 8-16-ttf Service flags and pennants at Cass City Drug Co. Y. P. A. Penny Social at Edw. Helwig's Monday evening, August 19, at 8:00 o'clock. Everyone come and bring your friends. Strayed from my premises on Sec. 35, Elkland, a red heifer with white strip crossings in forehead, about one year old. Suitable reward will be given to party notifying J. D. Tuckey. 8-16-tf For the best in Candy and Cigars, try Cass City Drug Co. Two new and two second-hand bean harvesters for sale. G. L. Hitchcock. 8-16- Wood's Drug Store for Kodak Goods. One corn binder for sale by G. L. Hitchcock. 816- Best line of Post Cards in town at Cass City Drug Co. Lost. Black and white checked coat near Withey schoolhouse. Finder please call 130-J. 8-16-1p Flashlight batteries and bulbs at Cass City Drug Co. A quantity of Paint Oil at \$1.25 per gallon will be sold by G. L. Hitchcock. 8-16- Lost—Lady's Hand Bag containing man's pocketbook with \$12 to \$15 in money between Cass City and 5 miles east and 3 miles south. Mrs. Wm. Mitchell. 8-16-1 Better find what you are getting before you buy any Pipeless Furnace—They are not all alike—Bigelow. To buy or sell, use Chronicle liners. Hay loader attachment found on West Main St. Saturday. Owner may have same by calling at Chronicle office and paying for this notice. 8-16-1 Card of Thanks. We wish to express our heartfelt thanks to our many friends and neighbors who so kindly assisted us in so many ways during our recent bereavement. May the God who comforts our hearts bless you. Mrs. Ray Kitchen, Albert Kitchen and Family. The people of the Wilmot M. E. church will hold a lawn social and picnic on Tuesday evening, Aug. 20, at the home of Mr. Russell Patrick at 7:30 p. m. There will be entertainment, games and a good time. Ice cream, cake, coffee and buns will be served. Let everybody come and have a good time. J. Austin, Pastor. 816- High School Students. I have several rooms to rent opposite Ford Garage. Myrtle McLellan. 8-16-3 For Sale—One general purpose horse. A. A. Hitchcock. 8-16-1p Card of Thanks. We wish to thank all the friends and neighbors, who so kindly assisted us in the long sickness and death of our loving husband and father and for the beautiful flowers; also the choir. Mrs. W. B. Westerby and Children.

Buy your fresh fruits and vegetables at Jones'. Shoes in Germany and Russia are unknown quantities in dress. Where they are available in some of the warring countries of Europe the price is almost equivalent to that of a Ford car. Crosby & Son have them in sizes 2½ to 4 for women at \$2.50. 8-2- Those who are indebted to Dr. I. D. McCoy are requested to make early settlement. Accounts may be paid at the Cass City Bank. Agents for the Consendai Dye Works, Dry Cleaners—T & M. Bathing suits for men at Crosby & Son's. 8-2- Unionalls at Crosby & Son's for women at \$3.50. 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. Cow Ease keeps the flies off. Wood sells it. Complete outfit for photograph gallery for sale or exchange for anything I can use. Wm. Courless, Deford, Mich. 8-16-1* Do not miss "a look" at our windows. New arrivals in Ladies' Hosiery. T & M. Black or white tennis oxfords at Crosby & Son's for the whole family. Have that dry cleaning done now—T & M. Arch supports at Crosby & Son's for broken down arches. All sizes for women and men. Quality wearing apparel bought now will look cheap to you in a few months—you better get next. T & M. "Bug Finish" for potato bugs in powder form, ready to put on. 3c per lb. Cass City Grain Co. 7-19- 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

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The Exchange Bank
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TUSCOLA CO. DRY FEDERATION
July 27, 1918.
Dear Sir:
As a leader of the Dry Forces in your Township, you are doubtless very much interested in the proposed attempt by the "Wets" to restore the saloon in the State. A "Saloon Amendment" is to be submitted to the voters in November. This amendment if carried will nullify the dry amendment of 1916 now in force in the State. You will recognize the necessity of rallying every dry voter to the polls and giving a more decisive vote than in 1916. Let us defeat this latest "come-back" attempt by registering 150,000 majority against it in the State. The primaries will be held in August. A new sheriff for the County is to be elected this fall. A number of excellent men are in the field and there is strong temptation to support local candidates and thereby divide the forces of those who ought to stand together. It is the duty of the sheriff to enforce the law. Recognizing the need of a man in this office who will strictly enforce the Dry Law of the State in the County, the Executive Committee of the Tuscola County Dry Federation, after careful deliberation and examination of the claims of the several candidates, recommend that we give our cordial support to Mr. Wm. H. Webb, of Caro, a man of unquestioned loyalty to the Dry cause. We invite you to join us in securing the nomination of Mr. Webb, and request you to use your influence in your vicinity to this end. Respectfully yours, TUSCOLA COUNTY DRY FEDERATION. GEORGE B. MARSH, Chairman S. CONGER HATHAWAY, Secretary L. G. SEELEY A. R. MEREDITH M. H. VAUGHAN H. E. HOBART F. A. BIGELOW C. D. ANDREWS

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SATURDAY NIGHT
"The Voice of Conscience"
Featuring Bushman & Bayne. What better do you want? 15c and 20c.
FRIDAY AND SATURDAY NIGHTS OF FAIR WEEK
"20,000 Leagues Under the Sea"
The most wonderful submarine picture ever produced. See the wonders of the ocean bottom. See the battle between the shark and the diver. Take a ride in a submarine and see the wonders of the deep. This picture has played all the large cities at 50c and 75c. As a special attraction, we are putting it on at 20c and 30c.
WEDNESDAY AND THURSDAY NIGHTS OF FAIR WEEK
"A Fight for Millions"
AND TWO REELS OF COMEDY
Don't miss this. Laugh and the world laughs with you.
COMING THURSDAY AND FRIDAY, AUG. 29-30
"OUR NAVY"
That wonderful story of the present world war taken from the book, "The Three Things." Don't miss these good pictures as it is your patronage that brings better pictures to the Pastime.
"THE UNBELIEVER"

Hurrah! for the Cass City Fair.

Make Jones' your shopping headquarters during the Fair.

Fill your list from our supply of Fresh Fruit and Vegetables; Staple and Fancy Groceries. Bring in your butter and eggs and get Cash, Trade, or Fair Tickets.

Buy that Doll Where You Know what it will cost you. You may get one at the Fair for 10c, but the chances are you will spend a dollar and get none. Safety first. Pick one from the assortment in the window. Good dolls at right prices.

Don't forget Cass City's double-header--Fair and Chautauqua--and buy your tickets of

E. W. JONES

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LOCAL ITEMS.

The Deford Farmers' club met at the home of John Coulter Tuesday.

Miss Grace Meiser returned from Flint Tuesday after visiting relatives.

Mrs. William Carson and daughter, Ida, returned from Flint Tuesday evening.

Charles Ewing and M. F. Rittenhouse motored to Akron Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Moore of Elmwood motored to Lake Pleasant Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex MacLaughlan and family visited relatives in Argyle Sunday.

Clifton Heller is visiting with his grandmother, Mrs. Bechraft, in Casewille this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Withey and family left Tuesday to spend a few days in Casewille.

John Greenwood of Colwood is spending the week with his daughter, Mrs. George Ackerman.

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Root and Mr. and Mrs. James E. Wilson spent Sunday at Pointe aux Barques.

Wilhelmina Spiess of Bad Axe visited from Saturday until Tuesday at the home of Mrs. Jessie Pettit.

Mrs. R. L. Holloway of Detroit came Friday to visit at the home of her sister, Mrs. P. A. Schenck.

Rev. and Mrs. J. D. Young and family left Tuesday on an auto trip to Owosso, Lansing and vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Greenleaf and daughter of Greenleaf spent Sunday at the home of James A. Greenleaf.

Mark Bond and Mrs. G. L. Hitchcock spent Thursday at the home of their sister, Mrs. J. H. Dawson, of Marlette.

Mrs. D. R. Tanner and daughter, Gladys, of LaGrande, Oregon, came last Thursday to visit at the home of George L. Hitchcock.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Murphy and son and Claude Root and family of Northeast Elkland motored to Pointe aux Barques Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Dunham of Bay City came Saturday to visit at the home of Mrs. Dunham's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Schneider.

Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Rittenhouse, Mrs. John L. Parry, Mrs. John Henderson and Miss Lura DeWitt motored to Bay Port Sunday.

Earl Knadler of Cleveland came Friday to visit at the home of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. James A. Greenleaf. He returned Monday.

Darwin and Clair Bailey returned Tuesday from Deford where they have been visiting at the home of their uncle, William Zinnecker.

William Lamb returned home this week from the Upper Peninsula of Michigan where he has been on business for the Range Eternal Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Brandon and Mr. and Mrs. Benj. Gunther attended the tent meeting of the Nazarene church at Lake Pleasant Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Spence and daughters, Jessie and Alison, motored to Saginaw Sunday. Miss Alison is visiting relatives there this week.

Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Middleton and daughter, Frances, returned from Crosswell Tuesday after visiting with Mr. Middleton's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Middleton.

Mr. and Mrs. Logan and Miss Jennie Gilchrist, all of Saginaw, and Mrs. Jose Petre and son, Gordon, of Indianapolis were guests at the G. W. Goff home Sunday.

Mrs. John A. Cole and son, George, returned home Tuesday noon after visiting with the former's mother, Mrs. Johnson, in Durban, Manitoba, since June 25. The last week they spent with Mrs. Cole's sister, Mrs. A. J. Hatch, in Kempton, Illinois.

J. A. Caldwell will open the Cass City Cider Mill for a one-day run next Monday and after the fair will operate the mill for longer periods. Mr. Caldwell will install a boiler in his plant this week and will be prepared to manufacture apple jelly and other apple products later in the season.

L. C. Purdy of Gageton and A. A. Hitchcock and A. L. Johnson have purchased an 80-acre farm in the oil district near Muskogee, Oklahoma. The land is all under cultivation. Messrs. Hitchcock and Johnson had previously owned land in this region and have been receiving very satisfactory oil royalty checks as the result of their holdings.

An advance sale of fair tickets is in progress and any one desiring season tickets may secure them from any of the following business men: S. Champion; J. C. Farwell, Bigelow & Sons, McGregory and Townsend, I. A. Fritz, Ricker & Krahling, J. C. Corkins, L. I. Wood, Bailey & Graham, H. F. Lenzner, G. G. Hoffman, F. E. Kelsey, G. A. Tindale, B. J. Dailey, A. J. Knapp, Cass City Drug Co., Crosby & Son.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Keating and daughter, Caroline, and Mr. and Mrs. S. Champion left Cass City Saturday for Ann Arbor where they visited R. D. Keating and Clifton Champion, who have been pursuing a mechanical course under the instruction of Uncle Sam's army representatives. The boys left the Ann Arbor camp Monday. W. A. Bruce, another Cass City young man, who left here at the same time as Messrs. Keating and Champion, remained at Ann Arbor and will impart instruction to new recruits who are arriving at Ann Arbor this week. Mr. and Mrs. Champion visited the former's uncle, Philip Cresser, while in Ann Arbor.

Cass City Schools open Monday, September 2.

Miss Charlotte Palmer was on the sick list this week.

George Finkle and family spent Sunday at Bay Shore Park.

Word has been received that Malam Fordyce has arrived safely overseas.

Mrs. T. J. Anton and Mrs. Ellen Goble motored to Sebawaing Sunday.

Neil Johnson, William McInnes and Roy Harris visited from Saturday until Monday in Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Martin and children of Cadillac were visitors at the home of John Doerr.

Marion Agar returned from Bach Monday after spending the week at the home of Thomas Agar.

The M. E. Home Missionary Society will meet this (Friday) afternoon at 2:30 with Mrs. Jesse Cooper.

Mrs. Arthur Murphy is spending the week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Dobson, in Grant.

Charles Wood has returned from a trip to the Soo where he was the guest of his aunt, Mrs. Wm. Maxwell.

Roy Colwell came home Tuesday from Camp Custer on a harvest furlough which lasts until Sept. 10.

Miss Lena Gallagher returned home Tuesday after spending about ten days with friends at Gall Lake.

Miss Mary Willerton returned from Big Rapids Saturday where she has been attending Ferris Institute.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Laurie of Detroit visited over Sunday with the former's mother, Mrs. C. S. Bixby.

Mr. and Mrs. William Greenwood and children of Colwood called on Mr. and Mrs. George Ackerman Monday.

Cass City Home Guards participated in a drill at the Patriotic Day exercises at Bay Port yesterday afternoon.

Angus Duncanson and Fred Johnson left Saturday for Detroit to enlist in the Canadian Engineering Corps.

Mr. and Mrs. George Finkle and Mrs. Jos. Balkwell and daughter, Reba, motored to Owendale Monday night.

Mrs. J. B. Cootes entertained thirty little girls last Friday in honor of little Margaret Jordro's seventh birthday.

Dr. J. T. Redwine of Poplar Bluff, Mo., arrived Tuesday and will probably take over the practice of Dr. A. N. Treadgold.

Mr. and Mrs. William Monroe and children and Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Campau of Pontiac motored to Bad Axe Sunday.

Mrs. Robert McInnes and daughter, Alma, spent three days this week attending the Simpson Park camp meeting at Romeo.

Dr. and Mrs. F. L. Morris and sons and Misses Lydia Lee and Frances Fairchild spent Sunday at the home of John Ricker of Owendale.

The Board of Education has organized with the following officers: President, Edward Pinney; secretary, E. W. Jones; treasurer, I. A. Fritz.



THE FAMOUS FISK JUBILEE SINGERS.

UP from Fisk University, Nashville, come the Fisk University Jubilee Singers, the greatest interpreters of the jubilee songs of the Southland, now doing platform work. Records of their songs are in thousands of homes throughout America. Now the opportunity is presented to hear these talented artists in person.

It is a rare good fortune which makes them available for the Chautauqua on the closing day and their coming assures one of the finest programs which the Chautauqua affords. The songs of the Southern negro, correctly interpreted by those who know the spirit of them and their rhythm, and harmony, have a heart appeal which maintains them at a high point of popularity.

LAI D TO REST.

Wilson Benjamin Westerby was born in Fenton, Genesee county, Mich., Feb. 28, 1838. On March 4, 1863, he was united in marriage with Amanda M. Darling. They went to make their home in Groveland, Oakland county. Here two sons were born to them. The older son preceded his father in death 26 years ago and the other resides in Kingston, Michigan.

In 1880, Mr. Westerby with his family moved to Elkland township. Since 1897 he has made his home in Wilmot. For 52 years he has lived a devoted Christian life. He has been a member of the Baptist church of Kingston for many years.

Mr. Westerby has been in poor health for about four years and for nearly a year he has been confined to the house but only four weeks to his bed. All that patient hands and loving hearts could do was done to no avail. Death came as a welcome relief from his terrible suffering on Wednesday, August 7. He leaves to mourn the departure of a kind and loving husband and father, his wife and one son, Frank, one adopted daughter, Mrs. Wm. S. Dodge, 15 grandchildren and one great grandchild, besides a host of friends. Friends from Clyde, Mich., Flint, Colling, and Ohio were in attendance at the funeral which was held in the Wilmot M. E. church Friday, August 9, at 10:30 o'clock, Rev. Austin officiating. The remains were laid to rest in the family lot in Elkland cemetery.

THE AMERICAN WAR AIM.

(Westminster, Eng., Gazette).

This time last year it was still in doubt whether, with all its zeal and resources, America might not be doomed to the helpless watching of a struggle in which she could exert no powerful influence. Today that is no longer in doubt and a million Americans are here to tell us that a new and, as we believe, decisive factor has entered into the European struggle and into the politics of the world. We need to keep both these aspects of American intervention in mind. America, we are confident, will make war as powerfully and skillfully, when she has got into her stride, as any of the nations now at war, but she makes it with a definite purpose, which President Wilson has just declared again to be the "absolutely disinterested" one of ending the conditions which cause war, and making the world "safe for democracy." It is something new in the history of

warfare that a nation should pledge the whole of its resources and send its men by the million across thousands of miles of sea for a purpose which the chief of its states declares to be "absolutely disinterested", to be a world purpose and not a national purpose. There are cynics who say that the thing cannot be believed of so shrewd and businesslike a people as the Americans, and who therefore cast about for all manner of indirect, commercial or economic motives. They are profoundly mistaken, as those who have recently visited America will tell us. It is these ideal war-aims and no others that are kindling the American people in the west and middle west as well as the east, and rousing them to unheard-of efforts and enthusiasm. And it is the American impulse, we believe which will best help Europe through the last stage of this struggle and enable us to turn it finally to account for the good of the world.

CASS CITY MARKETS.

Cass City, Mich., August 15, 1918.

Buying Price—

Wheat	.....2.08	2.10
Oats	.....	.58
Beans, per cwt	.....	9.00
Rye, bu	.....	1.45
Barley, cwt	.....	1.60
Peas, bu	.....	2.50
Buckwheat	.....	3.00
Eggs, per doz	.....	.86
Butter, per lb	.....	.83
Fat cows, live wt., per lb	.....	.6
Steers, live wt., per lb	.....	.8
Fat sheep, live wt., per lb	.....	.7
Lambs, live wt., per lb	.....	.11
Hogs, live wt. per lb	.....	.16
Dressed hogs	.....	.19
Dressed beef	.....	.15
Calves	.....	.11
Hens	.....	.20
Broilers	.....	.28
Ducks	.....	.20
Geese	.....	.10
Turkeys	.....	.20
Hides, green	.....	.12

Size of Russia.

Russia is about twenty times larger than Germany and France put together, having an area of 8,505,000 square miles, and is larger than all of North America. The population of Russia is supposed to number about 165,000,000, fully 100,000,000 more than that of Germany before the war.

Rural Residents Decrease.

Every time in the last half century that a census has been taken it has shown an increase in the percentage of urban dwellers in England and Wales and a decrease in the proportion of rural residents.

NEWS OF THE "WEAK."

Grandma Horner of Novesta is ill.

Mrs. John Spittler is on the sick list.

Mrs. M. J. McGillivray is improving nicely.

Mrs. Sidney Davic is on the sick list.

Mrs. Richard Bayley is on the sick list.

Mrs. Gideon Dickinson is on the sick list.

Lillian Ward underwent an operation for removal of tonsils and adenoids Tuesday.

Miss Margaret Patterson underwent an operation for removal of tonsils and adenoids Thursday.

Albert Mardian and John and Agnes Marshall underwent operations for removal of tonsils and adenoids Thursday.

Wm. Simpkins, living eight miles east and north of here, suffered a stroke Tuesday and is badly paralyzed.

CHURCH NOTES.

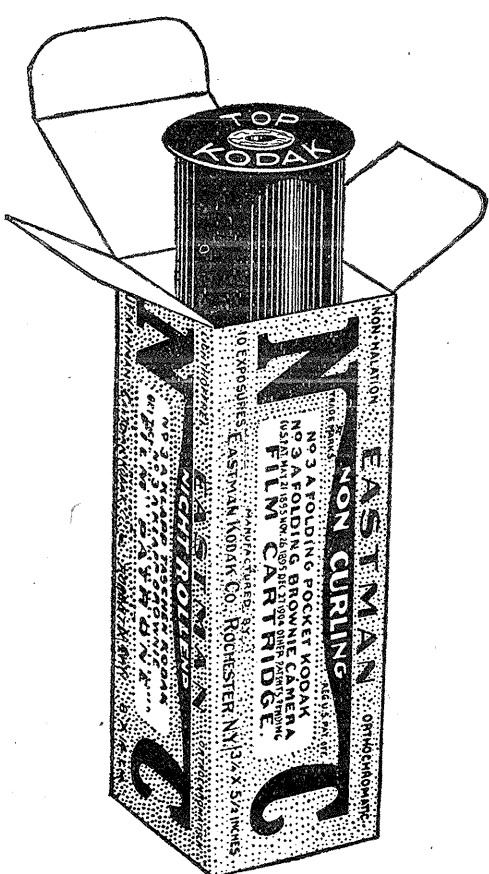
Christian Science—Services are held every Sunday morning at 11:00 and Wednesday evening at 7:30. Subject for Sunday, August 18, is "Soul."

RUPTURE EXPERT HERE.

Seeley, World Famous in This Specialty. Called to Bay City.

F. H. Seeley of Chicago and Philadelphia, the noted truss expert, will personally be at the Wenonah Hotel and will remain in Bay City Saturday only, Aug. 24th. Mr. Seeley says: "The Spermatic Shield will not only retain any case of rupture perfectly, but contracts the opening in 10 days on the average case. This instrument received the only award in England and in Spain, producing results without surgery, injections, medical treatments or prescriptions. Mr. Seeley has documents from the United Government, Washington, D. C., for inspection. All charity cases without charge, or if any interested call, he will be glad to show same without charge or fit them if desired. Business demands prevent stopping at any other place in this section.

P. S.—Every statement in this notice has been verified before the Federal and State Courts.—F. H. Seeley.—Advertisement.



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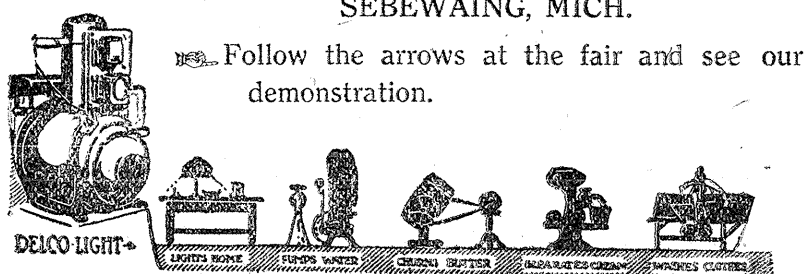
Increases Farm Efficiency

Fifty thousand Delco-Light plants in operation on American farms are saving, at the most conservative estimate, an hour a day each--or over 18,000,000 work hours a year.

This is equal to an army of 60,000 men working ten hours a day for a full month.

Delco-Light is a complete electric light and power plant for farms and suburban homes. It furnishes an abundance of clean, safe, economical light, and operates pump, churn, cream separator, washing machine and other appliances. It is also lighting rural stores, garages, churches, schools, army camps and railway stations.

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Follow the arrows at the fair and see our demonstration.



THE EARL HIPPLE COMPANY.

THE opening day of the Chautauqua will bring one of the best attractions of the week in the Earl Hipple Company, a quartet presenting a program of widely varied character. This company was chosen for the important opening day largely because of the snap and action manifested in the program given. They have been a big success on leading Chautauqua circuits for several years past.

ELKLAND-ELMWOOD TOWN LINE.

Miss Rema Keder of Battle Creek is visiting her aunt, Mrs. A. Lonsbury, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Seekings spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jay Calley in Gagetown.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Simmons spent Saturday evening in Caro at the Chas. Hutchinson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Orris Reid visited at the B. Dolwick home in Elmwood Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Auten and son, Delbert Auten, visited relatives in Unionville Sunday.

Mrs. Fred Seeley has blood poisoning in her face and hand.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Beach and family visited at the Elmer Bueter home

Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Reid spent Sunday at the John Karr home.

Mrs. McDonald is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Henry Anker.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Lonsbury visited at the C. Hiser home in Bach Sunday.

Rev. and Mrs. S. J. Slough and two daughters are spending the week at the Chas. Seeley and E. N. Slough homes.

Elmer Burse of the U. S. navy spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. Burse.

Those present at the Livingston reunion held at the S. G. Ross home near Caro were Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Livingston of Owendale, Mr. and Mrs. A. Daus of Cedar Run, Miss Dorothy McKim of Cass City, Mr. and Mrs. P. Livingston, Arthur and Geo. Livingston, Mrs. H. Livingston, A. Everett, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Ross.

ELMWOOD.

Mr. and Mrs. Ezra Kelly visited the former's parents Sunday.

Rev. and Mrs. Sanford Slough and daughter of Mayville are visiting friends here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Orris Reid and son of Elkland visited Mrs. Reid's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Dolwick, Sunday.

D. E. Turner was re-elected superintendent of Sunshine Sunday school, J. Turner secretary-treasurer, and Mrs. Clare Turner organist for the following year.

Lucky.
"I hear that Jones is up to his ears in debt." "Yes, but luckily he isn't very tall."—Boston Transcript.

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. GLASSON, 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.

NOTICE OF HEARING CLAIMS BEFORE COURT

State of Michigan, The Probate Court for the County of Tuscola.
In the matter of the estate of Arthur Helwig, Deceased.
Notice is hereby given that four months from the 2nd day of August A. D. 1918, have been allowed for creditors to present their claims against said deceased to said court for examination and adjustment, and that all creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said court, at the probate office, in the Village of Caro in said county, on or before the 2nd day of December A. D. 1918, and that said claims will be heard by said court on Monday the 2nd day of December A. D. 1918, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.
Dated August 2, A. D. 1918.
O. D. HILL, Judge of Probate.
(Copy). 8-16-3

ORDER FOR PUBLICATION.

Final Administration Account.
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 29th day of July A. D. 1918.
Present, Hon. O. D. Hill, Judge of Probate.
In the Matter of the Estate of Andrew Edgerton, Deceased.
Richard P. Edgerton having filed in said court his final administration account, and his petition praying for the allowance thereof and for the assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate.
It is Ordered, That the 26th day of August A. D. 1918, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for examining and allowing said account and hearing said petition;
It is Further Ordered, That public notice thereof be given by a publication of a copy of this order, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in Cass City Chronicle a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.
O. D. HILL, Judge of Probate.
A true copy. O. D. HILL, Judge of Probate. 8-2-3

Mortgage Sale.

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made by William Retzlaff and Arthur Grover to The People's Loan and Investment Company of Pontiac, Michigan, a corporation, dated the eighteenth day of June A. D. 1908, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for the County of Tuscola and State of Michigan, on the 25th day of June A. D. 1908, in Liber 121 of Mortgages, on page 112, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date of this notice, for principal, interest and taxes, the sum of six hundred thirty-seven and 82/100 dollars, and an attorney's fee of thirty-five and no/100 dollars, as provided for in said mortgage and by law and no suit or proceeding at law having been instituted to recover the moneys secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof.
Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and the statute in such case made and provided, on the 24th day of October, A. D. 1918 at one o'clock in the afternoon, the undersigned will, at the front door of the Court House in the Village of Caro, that being the place where the Circuit Court for the County of Tuscola is held, sell at Public Auction, to the highest bidder, or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the amount so as aforesaid due on said mortgage, with seven per cent interest, and all legal costs, together with said attorney's fee, to-wit: Lots four and five of block three of the original plat of the village of Kingston, formerly called the Village of Newberry, including all buildings thereon, engine, boiler, flour mill machinery and fixtures in the mill thereon, situate in Tuscola County, Michigan.
Dated July 16, 1918.
The People's Loan and Investment Company, of Pontiac, Michigan, a corporation, Mortgagee.
Elmer R. and Charles P. Webster, Attorneys for Mortgagee.
Business address, Pontiac, Michigan. 7-19-18

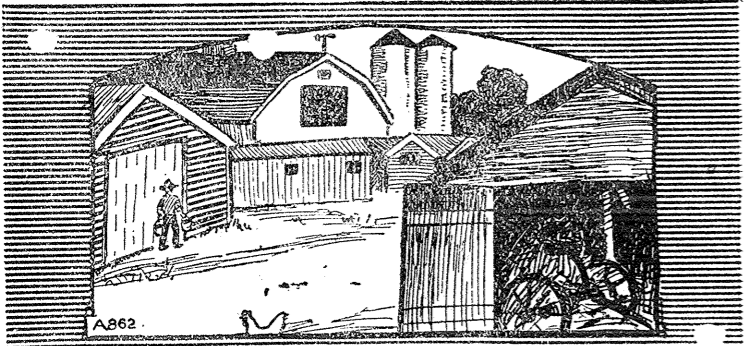
PRIMARY ELECTION.

Notice is hereby given that a general primary election will be held in the Township of Elkland, County of Tus-

cola, State of Michigan at Township Hall within said Township, on Tuesday, August 27 A. D. 1918 for the purpose of placing in nomination by all political parties participating therein candidates for the following offices, viz.:
National—One candidate for United States Senator.
State—One candidate for Governor; one candidate for Lieutenant Governor.
Congressional—One candidate for Representative in Congress for the Congressional District of which said Township forms a part.
Legislative—One candidate for Senator in the State Legislature for the Senatorial district of which said Township forms a part; one candidate for Representative in the State Legislature for the Legislative district of which said Township forms a part.
County—Also candidates for the following county offices, viz.: Sheriff, County Clerk, County Treasurer, Register of Deeds, Prosecuting Attorney; Circuit Court Commissioners; one County Drain Commissioner; one surveyor; two coroners.

Delegates to County Conventions.
There shall also be elected as many delegates to the county conventions of the several political parties as said Township or Precinct is entitled to under the call of the county committees of said political parties, which number will be indicated by the number of blank lines printed on the official primary ballots used at said election under the heading, "Delegates to County Conventions." The Board of Primary Election Inspectors will furnish delegates with credentials, entitling them to seats in the county conventions, except that where there is more than one precinct in a Township and the county committee require the election of delegates from the Township as a whole, such delegates should be admitted without credentials. Names of candidates for delegates to county conventions will not appear on the official primary ballots, but will be written or pasted in by the voter, in the place designated on said ballots, written or pasted in by the voter, in the place designated on said ballots. Separate ballots for each political

party, somewhat in the form as shown herewith, will be provided. The elector must name the political party of his choice when asking for a ballot and in marking his ballot must make a cross in the square to the left of the name of each elector for whom he desires to vote, and can vote for only one candidate except where two candidates are to be elected, in which case he should vote for two.
Relative to registration—Please note that all provisions of the primary law are done away with, and if you are not already registered in the precinct where you reside, you must register under the provisions of law as set forth in the registration notices posted in connection with this notice of primary election.
The polls of said election will be open at 7 o'clock a. m. and will remain open until 5 o'clock p. m. of said day of election, unless the Board of Election Inspectors shall, in their discretion, adjourn the Polls at 12 o'clock, noon, for one hour.
H. L. HUNT, Township Clerk.
Dated July 25, 1918.



As the Herds and Crops Increase

As Farm Implements and Machinery Accumulate, so grows the necessity for more shed room.
We find those farmers who have great herds, are those whose farms have ample sheds.
The lowly and humble farm shed pays big dividends on the investment. See us for shed lumber.

LUMBER SHINGLES LATH-MOULDINGS SASH-DOORS MILL WORK ROOFING SCREENS

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MICHIGAN STATE FAIR DETROIT SIXTY-NINTH ANNUAL FAIR AUGUST 30-SEPTEMBER 8 1918

"Wild Life of Michigan"
Will be one of the most interesting and instructive exhibits on the Grounds. This display is being prepared by the State Game Department and will contain either a living or mounted specimen of every animal, bird and fish which ever roamed the forests, flew in the air or swam in the streams of Michigan, shown in their natural surroundings.

Increased Agricultural, Livestock and Industrial Exhibits.

Acme of Midway Attractions
Government sanction of amusements as diversion for the people from the seriousness of war times has caused the Management to increase the expenditure for Midway attractions by thousands of dollars until the greatest Midway ever assembled for a State Fair has been secured.

Racing
Three days of Automobile and five days of Horse racing.

Auto Polo
Hankinson's International Auto Polo teams will contest every afternoon and evening.

"United we stand, divided we fall"

A Win-the-War Vacation at Home!

Conserve Time and Expense by Attending

Cass City Chautauqua

August 20, 21, 22, 23, 24

A Program Full of Inspiration and Patriotic to the Core

Five Joyous Days, Filled with Lectures and Entertainment that will help you to "Pack up Your Troubles in Your Old Kit Bag and Smile, Smile, Smile."

Farm Auction Sale

R. N. McCullough, Auctioneer

Having been drafted into Uncle Sam's service, I will sell the following personal property, without reserve, at my home 5 miles east and 1/2 mile north of Cass City, on

Tuesday, Aug. 20

Commencing at One O'clock:

Grey horse, wt. 1400, 12 years old	Wagon and rack
Mare, cream, wt. 1400, 12 years old	12 tons hay, No. 1 timothy
Mare, sorrel, wt. 900, 8 years old	Quantity of carrots
Yearling colt	Iron bed, springs and mattress, new
Milch cow 5 years old	Single cot and mattress
Yearling steer	Cook stove
Yearling heifer	6 kitchen chairs
Pig 2 months old	Kitchen table
Top buggy	Man's fur coat, nearly new
2 single harnesses	Numerous other articles
Set double harness	

TERMS—All sums of \$5.00 and under, cash; over that amount, 6 months' time on good approved endorsed notes at 7 per cent interest.

Ervin Sutherland, Prop.



Greater Cass City Fair and Home Coming

August 20, 21, 22 and 23, 1918

PATRIOTIC DAY

With A Punch

Thursday, August 22

400 Home Guards and Liberty Girls

of Tuscola County will stage Competitive Drills, Military Races, Skirmishes, Wall Scaling, Pyramid Building and Sham Battles.

REGULAR MESS SERVED

to all soldier boys and participating Home Guards on the fair ground, same as in regular army life.

All Soldier Boys of the Allied Nations or our Sammies admitted free to fair grounds.

Regular Race Program and Free Acts will be on the Regular Program on Patriotic Day.

BASE BALL GAMES

between Home Guard teams of Tuscola County.

Troops under command of Major Webb of Caro, Mich., and Capt. W. R. Kaiser of Cass City.

EVERYBODY TAKE A HOLIDAY

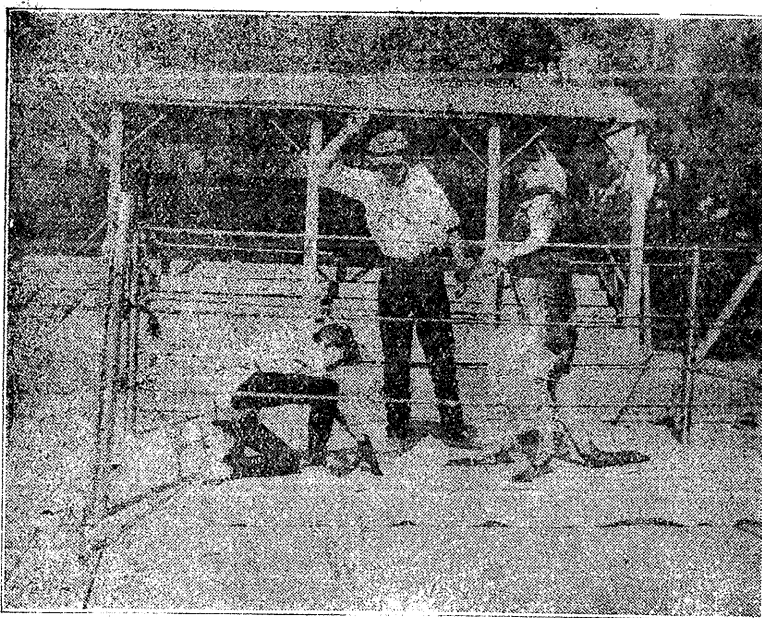
and come and help boost the boys.

The Randow Trio

Eccentric novelty, introducing somersaulting and head and hand balancing. -- Entirely different from all others.

The **Three Gordons and Kangaroo**

The Three Gordons and Kangaroo are direct from Australia. This Kangaroo is full sized animal, something rare. The animal that walks with his tail. This animal will fight like a man, giving three-round boxing matches each day.

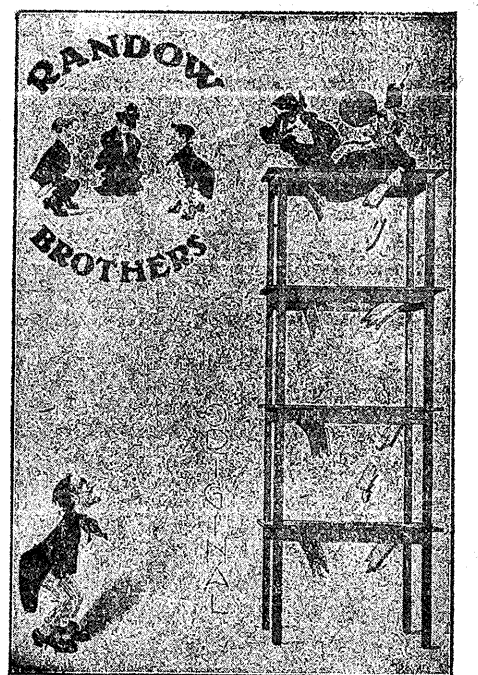


Randow Brothers

Randow Brothers will stage their act entitled

Comedy Bumps and Falls.

Intermingled with rapid-fire ground acrobatics and burlesque boxing each day.



H. T. CRANDELL

the wonder hog breeder of the U. S. A., will show his highest honored champion hogs. You will have to go miles to see an exhibit like Mr. Crandell's.

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will show his nationally honored horses

Several of the Best Hereford Breeders will make an exhibit of Herefords at all ages and sex.

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THUMB NOTES.

William VanGiesen, one of Tuscola county's early pioneers, died at Auburn, N. Y., Monday morning and was brought back for interment in the family lot in the Wahjamega cemetery. He came to Tuscola county sixty-four years ago from Plymouth, Mich., bringing with him his wife (Ann Freeman) and baby daughter, Emma, and settled "in the woods" in Juniata township. His home was a little log shanty in the middle of a two acre clearing. Their humble

dwelling was covered with a log roof—no shingles in those days. The next year he built a more commodious dwelling, a real log house. He had purchased 100 acres of land from the government at \$1.25 per acre. The season's run of peas at the canning factory at Crosswell was completed recently and some 120,000 cases were put up. This output was reduced somewhat by the extremely hot weather ripening the peas before they were properly filled, yet it is a good showing and very satisfactory to all concerned. Farmers seem to think it

a good crop to grow, many realizing over \$100 per acre for their crop, while the average will be well over \$50. The factory is now working on string beans and berries, the latter crop being very light while the former is good with a light acreage. Lieutenant Frank Murphy of Harbor Beach, now with the 85th division, has withdrawn his petition for the Democratic nomination for congressman from the seventh district. He refused to be a candidate because of his military duties.

One evening last week, when A. W. Miller of Adair was about to draw, by the light of a lantern, a can of gasoline for a purchaser, a terrific explosion occurred, throwing burning oil tank, etc., all around. The garage was destroyed but surrounding property saved, and no lives lost.

Four young men, who left Aug. 15, volunteered from Sanilac county for a special mechanical training course at Ann Arbor. They are: Don Herdell, Argyle; Otto Streu, Sandusky; Carl Day, Carsonville; Mervin Wimer, Marlette.

Rev. T. A. Bendrath of Dryden, Lapeer county, has been arrested for alleged disloyal utterances in sermons and attempts to have pro-German articles published in Buffalo papers. His case is said to be similar to that of Wm. Powell of Lansing, recently sentenced to 20 years at Leavenworth. Rev. Bendrath, who is pastor of the German Lutheran church, was arrested by United States Marshal W. E. Dunkin of Flint and turned over to United States Commissioner Hurd of Detroit for examination.

AUCTION SALE TUESDAY.

Ervin Sutherland has been called to the colors and will sell his personal property without reserve at his home 5 miles east and 1/2 mile north of Cass City. Full particulars are given in his announcement on page six.

RED CROSS NOTES.

Mrs. J. B. Cootes, chairman of the Cass City Unit, Mrs. J. C. Farrell and Mrs. A. A. Hitchcock went to Caro Tuesday to attend a meeting to decide what each unit of Tuscola County Chapter shall do at the Caro Fair to raise money.

All work should be finished as quickly as possible and turned in to the various committees as we are going to start on a new quota.

DEFORD.

Misses Lena and Myrtle Spencer visited Sunday at the home of Benj. Hicks.

There will be an old-fashioned dance at Bell's Hall August 27. Everybody come. Proceeds are to go to the Red Cross.

On account of the sugar shortage, the ladies of the Red Cross will discontinue giving cake with the ice cream Saturday nights.

Chris Russell of Pontiac came Friday night to visit relatives over Sunday. Mrs. Russell, who has spent the week here, will return home with him.

Mr. Lambkin is improving after a siege of blood poison in one of his hands.

News of the death of Bruce Robertson of Pontiac was received here Saturday. Always of a delicate constitution, although up to the standard in school work, Bruce was of a lovable disposition which endeared him to his schoolmates. The surviving sister and father have the sympathy of the community as one child dropped dead while on a visit to her aunt this summer.

Since early spring a person in the vicinity has been sending letters to different persons, trying to hurt the character of certain ones in the neighborhood. It looks very mean and cowardly not to give a person a chance to defend himself as there is no name signed to them, but the source has been ferreted out and to save further trouble the person had better desist.

Mrs. J. B. Thomas of Kingston township was presented with a beautiful four-star service pin from her many friends. H. P. Bush of Caro made the presentation speech at the Red Cross social at the John Retherford farm Thursday evening and in his address called attention to the fact that it is a rare incident for a mother to have four sons in Uncle Sam's service. A patriotic pageant was witnessed by about 500 people. The various characters were appropriately costumed for the pageant and this and the parade were much enjoyed by the large audience. The Cass City Band furnished music for the occasion. A check of \$135.36, the proceeds of the social, has been sent to the County Chapter.

BROOKFIELD.

S. Cooley is very ill at this writing. Mr. and Mrs. Starr and family of Missouri motored to her parents' home here last week. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. McDonald.

Miss Ethel Carson was a Gagetown caller Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Bearss were callers in Gagetown Saturday evening. Mr. Bearss is a Sammy and he is a fine looking one too.

Several from here spent Sunday at the Pigeon river.

Mr. Sherman, Fred Rapson, Gus Krugg, all of Bad Axe, were callers in this vicinity Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Lee and son of Canada are visiting at Mrs. E. Hendershot's.

Mr. and Mrs. Clare Stafford are visiting in Saginaw.

Several from here spent Sunday in Rose Island and Bay Port.

Election of officers of the Brookfield Chimes was held at the home of Miss Maude Hendershot Thursday evening. Maude Hendershot was elected president; Ethel Carson, vice president; Mabel Crawford, secretary; Arthur Carson, treasurer.

Election of officers was held at Brookfield M. P. church Sunday as follows: Fred Carson, supt.; Thomas Hook, ass't supt.; Maude Hendershot, sec.; Charles Ross, treas.; Ethel Car-

son, organist and librarian; Elva Burton, ass't organist; Baby class, Mrs. C. Ross, teacher; Class No. 2, Mrs. Chisholm, teacher; Chimes, George Ricker, teacher; Cheerful Helpers, George McCrea, teacher; Bible Class, Thos. Hook, teacher.

WICKWARE.

Miss Fern Watson spent a few days last week with relatives at Snover.

Mr. Knowles of Caro was a guest at the R. J. Brown home Sunday.

Miss Arline Bartle left Wednesday for a visit at Lum and Flint.

Mrs. H. Hyser and son, Les., Mrs. Wm. Bennett and Mrs. Wm. Fulcher motored to Brown City Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Travis and son, Eldon, of Memphis, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Burden and children of Snover spent Sunday with Guy Watson and family.

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They are maple sugar, syrups, honey and molasses and may be used in preparing desserts and other dishes requiring sweetening.

When a cup of syrup or honey is used to replace a cup of sugar the liquid in the recipes should be decreased one-fourth. One-third of a cupful of sugar is equivalent to one-third of a cup of honey, about one-half cup of syrup and about one-half cup of corn sugar. One-fourth of a cup of sugar is equal to about one-half cup of syrup or one-third cup of corn sugar. One tablespoon of sugar is equal to one tablespoon of honey, about one and one-half tablespoons of syrup and one and one-third tablespoons of corn sugar.

Sugar may be saved by the use of raisins, dates, figs, dried pears and fruit pastes used on the breakfast cereals.

Fruit marmalades, butters and jellies should be used to take the place of the ordinary sweetening at a meal and not as accessories to it. Fruits may be preserved without sugar. It may be added when sugar is more plentiful.

Preserving demands this year a thin syrup instead of a heavy syrup.

If sugar is used one-half of the amount may be replaced by another sweetener.

Drying is a means of preserving (without sugar) apples, cherries, strawberries and black caps.

When ready to use they may have added the needed sugar in the form of a syrup. When sugar is more plentiful fruit juices may be made into jellies or may be used as fruit juices with or without sugar, as beverages, fruit gelatins and frozen desserts.

Fresh fruits supply the place of sugar in the diet. They should be used freely. Desserts where sugar is scarce may be made of gelatins, junkets, custards, puddings and cakes.

