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## MASS MEETING HERE NEXT TUESDAY

H. S. EARLE AND GOV. SLEEPER  
WILL GIVE ADDRESSES ON  
GOOD ROADS.

Cass City Business Men Will Serve  
Free Lunch at Town Hall  
after Program.

Next Tuesday evening, Mar. 11, at eight o'clock, a mass meeting will be held at the opera house at Cass City when Horatio S. Earle will address the voters of this community on the subject of good roads. If it is possible for Governor A. E. Sleeper to leave Lansing, he will also be present and give an address.

Following the program, Cass City business men will serve a lunch to all who comprise the audience at the opera house. The lunch will be served at the town hall and is in charge of A. H. Higgins, Earl Heller and S. Champion.

Good Roads Earle is well known



HORATIO S. EARLE

personally and by reputation to the people of this community. He favored the state reward plan of improved roads for which Elkland and other near-by townships are indebted for their fine system of state improved roads and local people will be interested in the opinion regarding the good roads constitutional amendment held by this good roads champion and the governor of the state. Now that women are entitled to the ballot, it is urged that they as well as the men, turn out in large force next Tuesday evening.

## SEARCHERS MAKE GHASTLY FIND AT LAPEER

Mrs. De Verne Matson, 65 years old, was found dead in her home at Lapeer. The condition of the body indicates she had been dead more than four months and entry in her cash book of rent money collected September 20, 1918, substantiates this theory.

She was a widow and rented part of her residence to another woman, Mrs. McKinley. She had told Mrs. McKinley that she was going away on a visit with friends for the winter and nothing was thought of her absence until neighbors finally decided on a search as no word of any kind had been received from her.

Death is attributed to heart disease.

## BIG WIND STORM AT CANBORO FRIDAY

(From Canboro Correspondent).

The month of February ended rather wild. A terrific rain and wind storm passed through here Friday evening smashing windows and doors and twisting off trees. It tore down a large barn for Mr. Wolfe, two and one-half miles northeast of Canboro. Mr. Wolfe and son were in the barn but escaped uninjured.

## SCHUMANN QUINTET AT CASS CITY NEXT FRIDAY

Headed by Frederick U. Haines, well known pianist, the Schumann Quintet is to appear here on the lecture course on Friday evening, Mar. 14.

The Schumann Quintet has the reputation of presenting real music in such a way that the entire audience is thoroughly pleased. Those who hitherto have not been attracted by the so called "classical" music are said to find that it has lost its "terror" when presented by the Schumanns. One reason for this is that illuminating introductions and explanations are given before the presentation of classical selections.

Advertise it in the Chronicle.

## COURLISS-COLLINS.

John R. Collins and Miss Maud Courliiss of Deford were quietly married Thursday, Feb. 27, at four o'clock at the M. E. parsonage at Cass City. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. J. D. Young. The bride was becomingly attired in a dress of white silk and carried a bouquet of pink and white carnations and ferns. The couple were attended by Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Parrish, cousins of the bride.

After the ceremony, they journeyed to the Parrish home where they were entertained at a wedding supper. Mr. and Mrs. Collins will make their home on the groom's farm, south and east of Cass City.

## LOCAL COACHLESS QUINTET ADDS ANOTHER VICTORY

Defeated Fast Bad Axe High Team  
at the County Seat Town  
Friday Evening.

For years back Cass City and Bad Axe have been evenly matched in basketball and the games between these two towns always result in the fastest and snappiest contests of the season.

Friday Cass City quintette clashed with the same old peppy, snappy basketball team of Bad Axe high in Bad Axe high school gymnasium. It was a fast and close game during the first half for it was a see-saw for baskets, both teams securing baskets alternately. This continued throughout the first half, excepting the last five minutes, when Cass City succeeded in making two baskets in succession, thus ending the first half with Cass City 16 points and Bad Axe 14.

After a period of ten minutes' rest, both teams were back on the floor, fighting hard, when Cass City threw the first basket the team was thoroughly awakened and from then on showed up good in making her fast team work and securing a good number of field baskets. Bad Axe high's field baskets were stopped by the local's all-star guard, Benkelman, who is back in the game after an absence of two weeks on account of a sprained ankle. Sam and Earl played their same old positions and rolled in a few points, while Dodge and Jimmie were there delivering the goods every minute. The game resulted in a 34 to 28 score in favor of Cass City.

Line up: E. F. Gowen, F. Champion, forwards; F. Dodge, B. F. Benkelman, guards; J. Brooker, center. A Champion substituted for Dodge in last half.

Time, 20-minute halves. C. R. Townsend refereed a good old game the first half and finished the game up good by umpiring the last half.

Friday (today) Vassar will play here in the Town Hall at 8:00 p. m. and a good game is expected from them. Don't forget the big game Friday, March 14, to be played between Crosswell and Cass City here. Crosswell has a strong team and has not been defeated this year, so turn out and give the locals a good boost and they will show their worth.

## COMING AUCTION SALES.

Henry Bigelow—Mar. 8.

Mr. Bigelow intends moving to Detroit and will sell his household goods at auction in Cass City tomorrow (Saturday). Jas. McKenzie, auctioneer. Adv. on page 7.

Mrs. Anna Wolfe—Mar. 10.

Mrs. Wolfe will have a sale on Monday, Mar. 10, at the farm 2 1/2 miles west and 3 miles south of Gageton. L. S. McEldowney, auctioneer. Adv. on page 6.

Andrew Seeger—Mar. 11.

Mr. Seeger has rented his farms and will have an auction sale on Tuesday, Mar. 11, 4 miles east and 2 miles north of Cass City. Fred Wright, auctioneer. Adv. on page 6.

Bardwell & Brooker—Mar. 13.

Bardwell & Brooker will sell 23 head of young cattle at auction 1 1/2 miles south of Cass City on Thursday, Mar. 13. Fred Wright, auctioneer. Adv. on page 6.

Mrs. M. Race—Mar. 14.

Mrs. M. Race will sell live stock and farm implements on Friday, Mar. 14, at her farm 2 miles south and 2 miles east of Cass City. R. N. McCullough, auctioneer. Adv. on page 6.

W. H. Murphy, Adm.—Mar. 15.

W. H. Murphy, administrator of the Mrs. Mable Helwig Estate, will sell household goods at auction at Cass City on Saturday, Mar. 15. R. N. McCullough, auctioneer. Adv. on page 5.

## NOVESTA TWP. CAUCUS.

A township caucus for Novesta township will be held at the Quick schoolhouse Saturday, March 8, at two o'clock, for the purpose of placing in nomination candidates for the several township offices and for the transaction of such other business as may legally come before it. By order of Committee.—Adv.

## BOY SCOUTS SET FINE EXAMPLE

WORLD WOULD BE BETTER IF  
OLD FOLKS WOULD ACCEPT  
LESSON FROM THEM.

Ten Youngsters Make Raid on Wood  
Pile and Soon Have Three Cords  
Split and Piled.

When interrogated by telephone last week by a perfect stranger who asked if he would carry a washing to the other end of the town late in the evening for a dime, the cheery young voice of the Boy Scout who answered the phone, replied, "I'll take the washing but I'm a Boy Scout and I don't accept tips for any little service I may render."

This incident brings to mind another Boy Scout story which came to light this week. Mrs. Chas. Sherman, an aged and beloved resident in our midst, has been very ill and Mrs. Walters, who is caring for her, has had difficulty in securing a man to split enough wood for a day's use, she having to prepare it as best she could. This came to the ears of a Boy Scout who in company with nine other members of the organization, Monday night after school made a raid on the aforementioned wood pile and before six o'clock the three cords of wood were split and each stick neatly piled before Mrs. Walters' astonished gaze.

This was too much for Mrs. Walters and her spirit of gratefulness rose with the wood pile and by the time the splendid job was complete, she had a most elegant oyster supper ready with a fine tasting accompaniment of fried cakes and orange Bavarian cream. After the meal to the lady's amazement, the ten young knights went for the dishes in the same manner in which they had tackled the wood pile a few hours before. When they left, everything was in its place even to the extra table leaves which had been in use to accommodate the crowd. All honor to the Boy Scouts! This world would be a better and happier place if older folks would accept a lesson from these young Americans.

## CHURCH NOTES.

Christian Science—Services are held every Sunday morning at 11:00. Subject for March 9, "Man."

St. Pancratius—Lenten devotions are held every Tuesday evening at 8:00 (eastern time), during Lent. Holy Mass will be celebrated every Wednesday morning at 9:00.

Presbyterian—Donald Morrison, Minister. 10:30, morning worship; 11:45, Sunday School; 6:30, Christian Endeavor meeting; 7:30, evening worship. The topic for the sermon will be "Divorce." 7:30 Thursday evening, cottage prayer meeting. All cordially invited. Strangers welcomed.

Baptist church—Services Sunday morning and evening by Rev. Burr Shellenbarger of Owosso. Subject for morning, "Grace and Truth." Evening, "Set Free." A full attendance of members and congregation is desired. S. S. at 11:45 as usual. Services at the Elmwood church at 8:00 p. m. Special music at all services.

M. E. Church—Throughout the length and breadth of the United States and Canada, the Methodist Missionary Centenary is being heralded in every corner, nook and crevice. An army of recruits are busy day and night explaining to the people of the country that the church has awakened and is launching a program of religion.

From Lake Superior to the Indiana state line, the Centenary organizations are functioning in Michigan. Three thousands of Minute Men are voicing their pleas for the million tithers and recruiting for the Fellowship of Intercession. An epoch in Church History is present.

The financial phase of the Centenary provides for the raising of \$120,000,000 during the first week in May. This money is to be used in spreading the gospel of democracy, eternal peace and Christian Fellowship. It is to be used in putting the church on a business basis and lifting it into its logical position as a leader in the civic, social political and religious activities of the community.

This great campaign for world redemption and reconstruction has been styled the Centenary in commemoration of the initial activity of the first Methodist missionary, who started his work among the Indians of Ohio just 100 years ago.

Dr. John G. Benson, of Detroit, pastor of the Wesley Methodist church, Executive Secretary of Detroit Area and assistant to Bishop Theodore S. Henderson, is in direct charge of the Centenary Movement throughout Michigan. He declares the campaign is spreading like wildfire.

People are enthusiastic over the Centenary.—Adv.

## FARMER MEMBERS FORCE ISSUE

SENATE ADOPTS RESOLUTION  
TO BOND STATE FOR TER-  
MINAL WAREHOUSE.

Resolution to Submit a Constitutional  
Amendment for Cities to Operate  
Fuel Yards.

By a vote of 25 to 5 the state senate has adopted the McNaughton resolution to submit an amendment to the constitution to bond the state for \$5,000,000 for the building of terminal warehouses. The matter will be submitted at the election in November, 1920, provided the house of representatives concurs with the senate in its passage.

The senate vote was a victory for the farmer members, as they dictated the compromise by which it was taken. The warehouse plan was shelved about a month ago, apparently for the session. It was feared it would get in the way of the good roads bonding amendment. The farmer members liked the idea of the warehouses so well, however, that they banded together to make another effort for it. They had more than a one-third vote in the senate, while a two-thirds vote is required to pass a constitutional amendment. So they notified the other senators that if the warehouse resolution was not passed they would prevent the passage of any other resolution.

Supporters of the amendment to raise salaries of the supreme court justices gave in and agreed to support the warehouse plan in return for support of the salary amendment. As soon as the senate had adopted the warehouse plan 25 to 5, the court salaries amendment resolution was taken off the table and adopted by a vote of 26 to 4.

The senate also has adopted the resolution to submit a constitutional amendment to allow cities to establish fuel yards. The house committee on constitutional amendments, however, already has definitely killed this amendment, as offered in the house, and the senate amendment now has gone to it.

The house committee also has killed off four other proposed amendments. One was that every voter must be able to read and write the constitution in English. The second provided for compulsory voting. The third would give counties the right to have commission forms of government. The fourth aimed to have the present elective state officers appointed by the governor.

The calendars of the senate and house have assumed mid-session size, with committees now working at full speed and reporting out large batches of bills daily. The house has definitely gone on record in favor of a business adjournment of the session on March 28. While the senators do not believe the work can be finished by that time both houses are trying to speed up, to finish as close to the date set as possible. Thus far each house is considering, to a large extent, its own bills. The most important bill recently to go through both and reach the governor is that which extends the term of office of the state insurance commissioner from two years to four years.

The senate, in adopting the appropriation bill for the boys' industrial school in Lansing, allowed \$30,000 extra for new expenses. One of these, Continued on page eight.

## MARLETTE WANTS LIGHT RATES REDUCED

At a meeting of the Marlette village council February 20th action was taken to reduce the electric light rates from the present rate of 12 1/2 cents to 10 cents, providing the proposition carries favorably at the election, Mar. 10, which will permit installation of all day light and power service.

## NARROW ESCAPE WHEN GASOLINE EXPLODES

James Campbell of Carsonville had a miraculous escape from death Saturday morning when a gasoline can which he was repairing, exploded, blowing the bottom to atoms and knocking Mr. Campbell down and burning him severely.

## FALLS FROM WAGON AND BREAKS HIS LEG

While on his way to school last Friday J. Landenburg, son of Gus Landenburg of Harbor Beach fell from a wagon and broke his leg. He was taken to the Bad Axe hospital where he is now reported to be doing nicely.

## MARKING BALLOTS.

Do you know how to mark a ballot? So many voters fail in this respect that women are resolved there shall be few "spoiled ballots" charged to their ignorance. In many cities and towns classes of instruction are being held in schoolhouses, and competent instructors will show how to vote a "straight ticket" or to "scratch" for a favorite candidate.

Principals and teachers in Detroit schools will devote an hour after school on a designated day to instruct women in the neighborhood how ballots are marked. The Superintendent of Public Schools has given permission to use the school rooms for the purpose. As part of the language lesson period, children write invitations to their mothers to attend the ballot-marking meetings. Such public spirited addition to the usual course of instruction is commended to all schools in the state.

## BOY KILLED ON WAY TO DECKERVILLE SATURDAY

Lloyd House, Sandusky Lad, Was a  
Victim of a Motor Accident  
on Saturday.

Citizens in general were shocked on Saturday afternoon to learn that Lloyd House, aged 13, son of George House of Sandusky had been accidentally killed on the Deckerville road by being run over by a heavily laden truck. Young House had accompanied the driver of a Borden Condensary truck on a trip to Deckerville. On the way, the boy felt chilled with the cold and decided to run along beside the motor. As he alighted he was struck by another truck bound for Sandusky. The heavy apparatus passed over his body and death immediately followed. Lloyd House was a bright chap, in the 7th grade at school and with a promising future. Besides his father, his mother and one sister survive.

## LETTERS FROM OVERSEAS

Millington McDonald to His Parents.  
Euville, January 6, 1919.  
My Dear Parents:

A "home talent" show which lasted but a short while just finished, so I'll write a bit, then go to the blankets. It's dark here about 4:00 p. m. Supper is generally over by that time, then there is nothing to do but come over to the "Y", which is a very suitable place for anybody. The only trouble is that there's too many men for the size of the building. The electric lights go out (at least in this building) at 8:30, consequently we departe tootsweet (right away) and as a rule go to bed at least I do as I don't care about hanging around the wine shops or cafes as they are called.

I know you folks will expect me to bring some souvenirs of the battle-field or trenches home and indeed I'd like to, even for my own sake, but I've thrown away even some of my equipment such as tent poles, tent pins, condiment cans, etc., in order to lighten my pack on long hikes. Of course we're charged up with all this stuff but I'd rather pay for it than carry it. So you will agree with me I hope, when I say I've enough to pack on my back without hanging 10 or 12 pounds of empty shells, grenades, etc., on too. As a matter of fact, I'm doggone glad to get this old carcass of mine home for my most important souvenir.

I noticed in tonight's paper we would be allowed to keep our uniform and maybe equipment. I surely hope we are, 'cause I'd like to have mine, especially my rifle.

Norman Anderson (the fellow from north of Pigeon, who was with me in Detroit) is writing too. We generally get by ourselves when possible. He has "already yet" got everything planned for a party at his home for us fellows who stuck together from the day we left Bad Axe until we were separated, the day I left 340th E. I have had no mail from you folks or the boys for a long while.

Your loving son,  
PVT. MILLINGTON L. McDONALD,  
Co. F, 139th Inf.  
American Exp. Forces,  
A. P. O. 743, France.

Sgt. Clarence Kolb to His Parents.  
St. Symphonien, France,  
February 8, 1919.

Dear Folks:  
I guess I will try and write you a few lines this afternoon as we are all sitting by the fire place with a small fire burning. It is rather cold here today, but not cold enough to cover up our ears. We stood inspection this forenoon. Everything was in fine shape. Now all we are waiting for are orders to return, but no idea when. We are up and past our full company. The thing now is traveling orders which are apt to come any time and then it may be a couple of months before we get them. I think it would be much better to come back in warm weather. Continued on page five.

## Around Our Town

Miss Johanna McRae underwent a serious operation in Harper hospital, Detroit, Friday and reports from headquarters are that she is improving nicely. Her mother, Mrs. Christopher McRae, has gone to be with her for a few days.

Rev. Wm. F. Zander, until recently pastor of the Baptist church at Cass City, has accepted a unanimous call from the First Baptist church at Harlan, an Iowa city of 3,500 inhabitants. Mr. Zander has been preaching at Carroll, Iowa, since leaving Cass City.

I. B. Auten attended a banquet at Ann Arbor last Wednesday evening given by the Chamber of Commerce of that city. Covers were laid for 600 and "Good Roads" Earle was one of the principal speakers. Seemingly every man was a booster for good roads.

The Night Hawk club was entertained Tuesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Bailey on South Seeger St. for seven o'clock dinner. The refreshments were delicious, bounteous and beautifully served and the guests enjoyed a jolly social time.

The W. C. T. U. held an enjoyable social afternoon at the home of Mrs. A. D. Mead Friday. Miss Hazel Mead favored the society with vocal solos and light refreshments were served. A large number of members of the union were present to enjoy the delightful session.

Lt. Preston Allen arrived in town Monday evening, having just returned from France. His wife, formerly Miss Cecil Krapf, had not the slightest inkling of his coming and was duly surprised and delighted when he made his appearance. He left the following day as he was on his way to Camp Custer expecting there to receive his discharge in the near future.

Lt. Wm. Ward returned this week from Sault St. Marie bringing with him his bride, Miss Myrtle Campbell, of that city, who became his wife the first of March, the wedding ceremony having been performed at the home of Mrs. Ward's parents. The young folks will visit friends and relatives here for a few days after which they go on to Battle Creek where they expect to make their future home.

The people of the Baptist church gave a farewell party Monday evening in honor of Mr. and Mrs. John Delong, who are expecting soon to move to their new farm home six miles from Deckerville, formerly belonging to Jas. Whale. Mr. Delong is now the possessor of 100 acres of especially choice improved farm land. Mr. and Mrs. Delong were presented with a fine chair by their friends Monday evening.

E. W. Keating and F. A. Bigelow attended a meeting of the Tuscola County Dry Federation held at Caro Monday. The following officers were elected: President, Rev. S. Conger Hathaway; vice president, Mrs. Robt. Brown; secretary, Rev. Dr. Lendrum; assistant secretary, Mrs. L. A. Heide-man; treasurer, S. R. Park. F. A. Bigelow was appointed township chairman and Miss Hazel Mead vice chairman for Elkland.

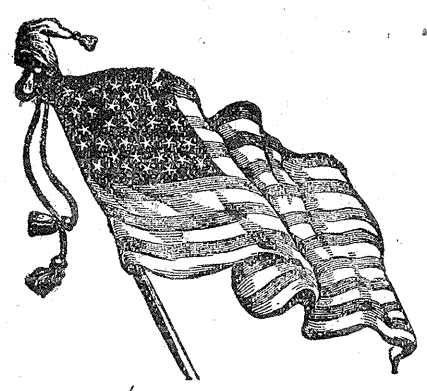
Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Hitchcock received a letter this week from their son, Niclo, who is still in the service in Miami, Florida, and although he writes of the fine surroundings saying he had just come in from an invigorating swim and bath in the salt waters of the old Atlantic, yet the desire to be free from the now monotonous life of a soldier and to see the home folks again outweighed even the fascinations of a Southern climate.

The Mothers' club enjoyed a delightful St. Patrick's party at the home of Mrs. H. D. Schiedel Tuesday "afternoon. Eleven of the twelve members were present. St. Patrick colors and emblems were in evidence in the decorations of the rooms and dining table and the refreshments and the games were all appropriate for the occasion. Mesdames Graham, Sandham and Wager were winners of prizes. The refreshments consisted of Irish stew, pickles, nut bread, tea, ice cream and cakes and were served by the hostess and Mrs. Schell. Mrs. Wager and Mrs. Landon. The next regular meeting of the club will be held at the home of Mrs. J. E. Seed on April 1.

Abram Houghton, a veteran of the Civil war, was delighted Thursday evening when his two grandsons, Earl and Merrill Houghton of Detroit, sons of Clarence Houghton, appeared before him clad one in the navy, the other in army regimentals. One of these boys, although but 18 years of age, wears the Croix De Guerre of honor bestowed upon him during his stay in France for heroic conduct under fire. Their grandfather is proudly exhibiting to his friends a fine picture of them with another grandson, one of our own young townsmen, also just returned from overseas, Carl Martin. The old gentleman says it is a pleasurable sight which he never expected to live to witness. The two brothers left Tuesday morning for their home in Detroit.



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THE KICKERS.

A newspaper paragraph states that the city of St. Louis is spending \$3,600 a year in maintaining a complaint board. It is its duty to hear complaints regarding local conditions and remedy same if possible. But the board reports it has no complaints to handle.  
It is possible that the citizens do plenty of knocking in private conversation. Yet they may lack the energy to place their complaints before any public authority. This condition is one found in most towns.  
There are many people everywhere, and no doubt here in Cass City, who are always kicking in an irresponsible way. They are full of complaints of home town conditions at times when their talk can do no possible good. The only effect is to distribute pessimism and discouragement. They give the impression that their town is a run down place with everything at loose ends.  
Now there may be room for improvement even in Heaven. The judicious kicker, who sees real community defects, should bring these matters before the people responsible or in a position to remedy them. Also it does take public agitation to accomplish any kind of progress. But aimless kicking, distributed with no purpose to organize sentiment for improvement, distributed among people who themselves will never do anything but kick, is a dead weight on any town's advance.  
So a complaint board is a good proposition. But a town does not need any separate organization for that purpose. There should always be some authority willing to receive complaints courteously, investigate them carefully, and take steps to remove them if such action is practicable.

A TIME OF VIOLENCE.

The world is rocking. The forces of autocracy sowed the wind, and reaped the whirlwind and the earthquake too. Europe is seething with turmoil. The strain of war has unhinged many minds, and led them to brood on dark and violent acts. Within one fateful week Premier Clemenceau of France was shot by an anarchist, the Premier of Bavaria was killed by an assassin, and the Minister of the Interior of the same country was shot while delivering a speech in the Bavarian legislative body.  
These are wild times. It behooves the people of the world to sit tight, to keep cool, to fix their minds on the fundamentals of justice, to give the most serious attention to the problems of reorganization after the war, and to look very carefully after people of unsound minds.  
It is a time when the heads of the governments should be very carefully guarded. Many people will feel that President Wilson took too many chances when he consented to a big public demonstration like that just given him in Boston. There are too many loose minded men floating around, and crowds conceal their evil purposes too easily.  
The times are very like those days in 1865 in the midst of which Lincoln was assassinated. There are always weak minded fools like Guiteau and Czolgosz floating about, their fanatical minds bent on deeds of anarchy. It is a time to take no chances, and to throw every protection around the life of the head of this government.  
A President of the United States probably dislikes to take the precautions make necessary for the man holding his office. There must be a feeling of constraint in being forever shadowed by secret service men. But it is necessary, and due to the country, to see that all possible measures are taken to prevent any recurrence of these terrible deeds.

The people who shiver when the thermometer drops five degrees are often the ones who leave a horse standing out in winter weather with no blankets.

Some people say they won't advertise as everyone knows where their stores are. Also everybody knows where the cemetery is, but they don't feel inclined to go there.

WHY PEOPLE SUCCEED

After complaining that they never get ahead in life, many people never put any thought into the work other than what is necessary to barely get by.  
Some people take pride in saying that they quit all thoughts of their work when they leave the shop. This may promote their happiness according to easy going philosophy. But the people who make a success take many quiet hours to think out business problems. Worry out of business hours never pays. But the ambitious person finds business a fascinating game. He is interested by the problems it presents. Its difficulties are to him an incentive to action. Solving some knotty problem gives him as much satisfaction as any game. He is not willing to confine his study of those problems to the eight or nine hours he gives to his place of labor.  
There are a great many people who not merely drop all their work problems when they quit the shop, but their mind is not on their work during the hours for which they draw pay. They like routine jobs where the material can slip through their droning fingers hour after hour, their minds busy far away.  
They are thinking about the picture show they saw last night, the play they are to attend tomorrow, the dance next week, their love affairs, what their neighbors are doing. There are many processes so simple that one can perform them in this dreamy way. But no large production can ever be attained. The result is a low wage.  
Those watch the clock and fret because the hands go around so slowly, will find that their income is even slower to advance than the clock. The only watchers of the clock who ever succeed, are those who are distressed by the rapidity with which it speeds, and who are forever struggling to keep pace with it.

KINGSTON-NOVESTA TOWN LINE.

Frank Evo had the misfortune to lose a good cow Sunday.  
Miss Nora Moshier is visiting friends at Clifford, Pontiac and Detroit.  
Miss Ruth Thomas returned home Saturday from Lansing where she has been employed this winter.  
Miss Lillian Martin returned home last week from Detroit where she has been employed this winte.  
John Collins and Maud Courliss were married last week Thursday at the M. E. parsonage at Cass City.  
Mrs. John Donaghy and little daughter of Pontiac spent a few days of last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Coleman.  
Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Retherford and two children returned home from Detroit last week Tuesday from a few days' visit with relatives.  
The Leek ladies' aid will meet with Mrs. Lewis Retherford Thursday, March 13, for dinner. Members are requested to come early to quilt. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

CENTRAI GREENLEAF.

Joseph Wigglesworth visited at Fred McCaslin's Sunday.  
Miss Johanna McRae underwent an operation in Detroit Friday.  
March came in like a lion, which means more winter weather.  
Mrs. Bates of Kalamazoo is visiting her sister, Mrs. Howard Klinkman.  
Howard Klinkman and family are going to move from this vicinity this week.  
Mrs. Wm. LePla, Gladys and Wilford called on Howard Klinkman's Sunday.  
Mrs. Avery Jones and daughter, Irene, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Jas. Souden.  
Miss Florence Hartwick of Detroit came Wednesday to visit friends and relatives.  
Francis Souden returned home Sunday from John Battle's where he has been visiting.  
Irvin Reed of Uby has rented the farm of Mrs. George Barnes for the coming year.  
Mrs. Richard Hartwick, Florence Hartwick, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Seeger and family visited at Fred McCaslin's Sunday.  
Friends have received letters from Norman Karr, who went to California recently. Mr. Karr says that the climate is fine but he prefers Michigan people.

DEFORD.

Gail Sharp was a caller in Cass City Saturday.  
Mrs. Chas. Silverthorn was a Cass City caller Tuesday.  
Mrs. Chas. Kilgore is visiting relatives at Hunters Creek for a few days.  
Mrs. Earl Spencer of Cass City spent Monday at the home of Ernest Roberts.  
Maggie Phillips visited Friday and Saturday with her cousin, Mrs. Ernest Roberts.  
Mrs. Leo Legg and son of Kingston spent the week-end at the home of Eli M. Stout.  
Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Silverthorn spent Sunday with their cousin, Mrs. Winnifred Franklin.  
Mrs. Ellis Spencer and daughter, Deloris, visited relatives in Argyle

Friday and Saturday.  
Wm. Sangster of Novesta had the pleasure of seeing ten geese fly west on the morning of March 4.  
Lester Day is giving a masquerade dance Saturday evening, March 8. Everybody come and enjoy the evening.  
Mrs. Jos. Hack was called to Pontiac last week to care for her daughter, Mrs. Chris Russel, who is seriously sick with pneumonia. The last report is she is gaining slowly.

DECKER.

Mrs. Roy Higgenbotham spent the week-end at her parental home in Bay City.  
Miss Mabel MacKichan and Miss Esther Jickling spent Thursday in Carro.  
Mr. and Mrs. Meredith are spending a few days with latter's sister, Mrs. Vern McGregory.  
W. F. Ehlers spent Sunday in Detroit.  
Chas. Severance and John Smith left Monday for Sandusky on business.  
Mr. and Mrs. E. Van Conant spent Sunday with friends at Marlette and North Branch.  
Miss Thelma Hanley died Saturday night after a week's illness of the flu. She leaves to mourn her loss, two brothers and two sisters and mother. The funeral was held at the home Tuesday afternoon.  
M. J. Ehlers spent a few days last week at Detroit attending the auto show.  
Russeel Jickling returned Saturday from Lansing where he has been attending the tractor school of instructions.  
A large number of friends and neighbors gathered at the home of E. Van Conant last Monday night. The evening was spent in cards, music and games. Refreshments were served.

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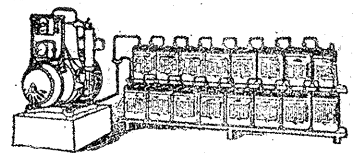
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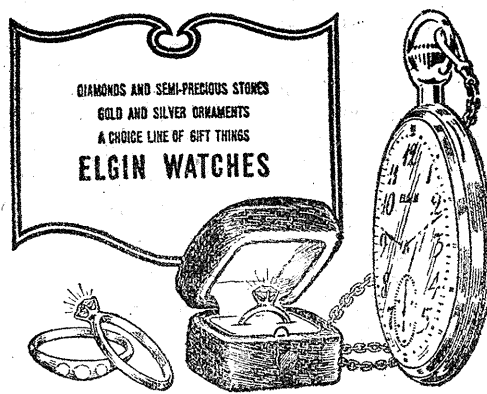
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## LOCAL NEWS



Miss Hazel Bixby spent Sunday at her home here.

Carl Martin is the new clerk in L. I. Wood's Drug store.

G. H. Burke visited in Detroit two or three days this week.

Mrs. Merle Parmelee, who has been very seriously ill, is improving.

Rev. C. Saunders of Owendale was a caller on friends in town Monday.

Mrs. John Ricker and daughter, Geraldine, of Owendale were in town Friday.

H. T. Crandell and John Reagh attended an auction sale at Deckerville Friday.

Mrs. Earl Heller is entertaining her mother, Mrs. Beecraft, of Caseville this week.

R. D. Keating, who has been visiting relatives in Detroit, returned Thursday.

Rev. J. D. Young was called to attend the funeral of a friend in Owosso Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Nique of Decker visited Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Striffler.

Miss Annie Sparr of Rodney, Ont., is visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. John McLean.

Mrs. Wm. Murphy returned home Wednesday from a visit with relatives in Ingersoll, Ontario.

M. B. Auten left Monday morning for Detroit to attend the auto show a few days this week.

Mrs. George Donaldson visited in Caro Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Michael Sheridan of Lexington are spending a few days in town calling on old friends.

Mrs. Martha Allen of Caro, who has been visiting friends here for some time, returned to her home Saturday.

Wm. Ball of Ellington is expecting to move to town in the near future or as soon as a suitable house is available.

Mrs. Kitson has been unable on account of ill health, to be at her work in the Dailey Cash Bargain store this week.

Mrs. John Dickinson and son, Ivan, of Bad Axe arrived in town Saturday and are spending a few days here with relatives.

George Hudson of East Lansing district field agent for the Anti-Saloon League, transacted business in town Saturday.

Mrs. Frank Dillman and Mrs. Hattie Boyes and daughters, Margory and Dorothy, visited in Bay City Friday and Saturday.

Mrs. J. B. Cootes returned from Detroit the latter part of last week where she has been the guest of relatives for a few days.

The Misses Lottie and Marie McQueen left Monday for Port Huron where they will remain a few days, the guests of relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Seeger, sr., have received notification that burial of their son, Arthur Seeger, Co. C., 116th Infantry, who died in France Oct. 24, 1918, had been made in the American Cemetery at Souilly, Meuse, France. They have been informed that the return of bodies of the nation's dead will be made in due time, except in case where a specific request to the contrary is made.

Mrs. Mary Abbott returned Friday from Gagetown where she has been employed as nurse in the family of Jas. Kehoe.

Miss Caroline Keating entertained the Priscillas Monday evening at her home. A fine social time was enjoyed and delicious refreshments served.

Miss Aleda Anthes of Rodney, Ontario, and Miss Dorothy Johnson of Stratford, Ontario, are guests at the homes of A. E. Goodall and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Champion returned last Wednesday from Toledo. Mrs. Champion, who was in poor health before going, has returned greatly improved.

Earl Heller has recovered from his recent illness sufficiently to resume work at his bakery and is attending to the baking personally for the first time for nearly a year.

Mrs. Gray of Novesta, who has been employed as nurse at the home of J. D. Withey for some time, was called to her home Friday owing to the serious illness of her sister.

Rev. Burr Shellbarger of Owosso, who occupied the pulpit of the Baptist church last Sunday, will remain in town during the week holding services again next Sunday. He is being entertained at the home of Guy W. Landon.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Parrish, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Barnard and family, Mr. and Mrs. Clark Courliss, Mr. and Mrs. David Collins, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Funk and Mrs. Mary Gibbs and son, Elmer, attended a wedding dinner last Saturday given in honor of Mr. and Mrs. John Collins at their home near Shabbona. They were married on Thursday of last week. All join in wishing them a long and happy wedded life.

Edwin Eno is very ill at this time.

Philip Sharrard was a caller in Caro on Monday.

Harvey Streeter transacted business in Caro Monday.

Miss Elizabeth Doerr is engaged as nurse at the home of Edw. Pinney.

Jos. Brackenbury, jr., spent Sunday at the home of Thomas Welsh near Elkton.

Elmer Morley of Owendale spent Sunday at the home of James Brackenbury.

J. C. Corkins made a business trip to Caro Monday accompanied by Harry Cooper.

Mrs. John Peddie of Caro visited the first of the week with her mother, Mrs. Geo. Land.

Mrs. James Purdy and daughter, Carolyn, of Gagetown were Cass City visitors Monday.

Miss Isabelle Wilson accompanied the girls' basket ball team Friday to Bad Axe as chaperone.

Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Turner and daughter, Helen, and Mrs. Clare Turner visited at the home of Mrs. Elizabeth Turner in Caro Saturday.

Mrs. John Clothier of Marlette and Mrs. Lyle Sharp and little son of Clifford spent several days last week at the home of Mrs. J. N. Dorman.

Mrs. Frank Hutchinson and Mrs. H. R. Wager and daughters, Catherine and Ruth, visited last Thursday and Friday at the home of Howard Barker at Akron.

Mrs. Fred Hoagland left for Detroit Tuesday called there by the very serious illness of her daughter, Mrs. George Daschke, formerly Miss Otie Hoagland.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Jones and daughters, Gwendolyn and Elizabeth, returned from Bay City Thursday. Gwendolyn is recovering finely from her operation.

The following program was given at the regular meeting of the Woman's Study Club Monday afternoon:—"Change", Mrs. Benkelman; "Advantages and Evils of Motion Pictures," Mrs. Farrell; reading, Mrs. Cathcart. A very interesting report was given by Mrs. I. A. Fitz, who was club delegate to the state federation at Battle Creek. Next Monday afternoon, Mar. 10, the social afternoon of the Woman's Study Club will be held at the home of Mrs. Robinson.

### SHABBONA.

Real March weather Saturday.

Mrs. E. Travis is visiting her daughter, Mrs. L. Churchill of Novesta.

Hay pressers in this vicinity this week.

Ed. Meredith of Traverse City visited his father, Wm. Meredith, the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Emory Meredith have rented their farm at Hillman and will make their home near here.

Miss Jennie Cullen of Detroit visited over Sunday with relatives here.

Mrs. H. Phillips has been visiting her son, Roy, of Marlette.

Frank McGregory and family attended church at Mizpel Sunday and spent the afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Bullock.

Mrs. Emily Leslie has been visiting relatives in Detroit.

The little son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Schlack was very sick last week.

Miss Mabel Leslie has returned home after a week's visit with her Irish friend in Detroit.

Norman Wait, Harry Smith, Hazel Leslie and Bertha Cook attended church at Shiloh Sunday evening.

Chas. Ewing and family of Cass City visited at Wm. Meredith's Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Parrott of Marlette welcomed a baby girl to their home Wednesday, Feb. 26. Her name is Belva Leone.

A father and son banquet was held at Shabbona on Friday, February 28. In spite of the wind and rain about 50 men and boys were present. All seemed to enjoy the supper which was furnished by the Willing Workers of the Methodist church. After supper all listened to a program which consisted of singing and speaking. Outside speakers were Rev. J. D. Young of Cass City and F. A. Wood, the Sanilac county Y. M. C. A. secretary. This was the first banquet of the sort ever held at Shabbona, but we shall look forward to another one next year at which we shall expect a hundred men and boys present.

### NOVESTA CORNERS.

Delmer Bunker is numbered with the sick.

Mrs. Archie McLarty of Brown City is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Collins.

Mrs. J. D. McCaughna and Mrs. Harry McCaughna and son of Pontiac visited from Friday until Monday with friends here.

Horace Wynn of Lapeer spent over Sunday at the home of James Rodgers.

Mr. and Mrs. John Collins and children, John Wentworth and family, Carl Collins of Camp Custer and Jas. Collins of Pontiac and their lady friends were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dave Collins.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Daugherty of Deford, Mr. and Mrs. James Rodgers and Mrs. Harry and Mrs. J. D. McCaughna were Sunday visitors at N. B. Daugherty.

Walter Weeks was a business caller in Sandusky Monday.

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begins with the selection of just the right kind of cloth for you. Then comes the accurate measure and good tailoring that gives you value. Made to your measure clothes cost you less than others.

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## Liberty Bonds at Par

If all furnaces were to be sold during the month that fires are to be started, all factories combined could not supply the demand—some must buy early. To encourage early buying we make the following offers:

**We will accept Liberty Bonds at par to the amount of \$100 on each Favorite Pipeless Furnace**

ordered before April 1st, 1919 and to be installed by us at our convenience by July 1st. Settlement to be made on completion of the work with Bonds and balance in cash.

As the amount which we can carry in Bonds is limited, we reserve the right to restrict the offer to the first ten Favorite Pipeless Furnaces sold and the offer will be absolutely withdrawn April 1st.

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We have taken over the Pictorial Review Stock of L. E. Dickinson and in a few days will have a much larger stock to select from.

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**3 Packages Quaker Corn**

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# The WEEK'S DOINGS

Mrs. Grace Krug visited in Gagetown Sunday.

Howard Barker of Akron was in town Tuesday.

Mrs. Morley Palmatier of Deford was in town Thursday.

Miss Effie Flickton of Deford was a caller in town Tuesday.

Thomas Colwell transacted business in Bad Axe Thursday.

Messrs. Thomas and Arthur Murphy made a business trip to Caro Tuesday.

John Ricker of Owendale was entertained Sunday at the home of Dr. P. L. Morris.

Mrs. Geo. Donaldson and Mrs. Jack Varty are attending the auto show in Detroit this week.

Mrs. F. A. Bliss entertained Mrs. M. P. Freeman of Gagetown the latter part of last week.

Miss Maud Finkle is spending the week in Sebawaing as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Burt.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Ottaway of Gagetown visited last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Rogers.

Mrs. Dann Crankshaw was called to Owendale Monday owing to the serious illness of a relative there.

Mrs. Chamberlain of Kingston will open a restaurant in the Mrs. John Schwaderer building in the near future.

I. Waidley brought two cars, a Maxwell and a Chevrolet Baby Grand, from Saginaw the latter part of last week.

# SCHUMANN QUINTET AT CASS CITY FRI., MAR. 14

Music lovers will enjoy a most delightful concert Friday evening, Mar. 14, when the Schumann Quintet appears as the first number on the Lyceum course.

The quintet is composed of artists who show a mastery of their instruments and a thorough knowledge of the best in music. The company has a reputation of presenting so-called "classical" music in such a way that it is thoroughly enjoyed by the entire audience. One reason for this is that illuminating introductions and explanations are given before the presentation of classical selections.

The programs open with the Overture from "William Tell" by Rossini, and among other numbers are "Under the Linden Trees," by J. Massenet; "Extricate Waltz" by J. Helmesberger; selections from "Il Trovatore," by Verdi; "Marriage of Figaro" by Mozart; Jocelyn's Lullaby, Hungarian Rhapsody number two by Liszt. The program closes with the "American Fantasia" by Herbert.

A feature of the evening is the work of the cello by Miss Lola Colburn.

Reserved seats on sale at the T & M store Friday, March 14.

**SCHUMANN QUINTET.**

Headed by Mr. Carl Lampert, for nine years first violinist with the Theodore Thomas orchestra, the Schumann Quintet is to appear here in an evening concert. This company brings a genuinely new idea—that of presenting symphonic concerts with a company of only five musicians. To secure this effect an especially constructed organ is carried. It gives all the reed and wind effects of a large orchestra and,



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combined with the piano and stringed instruments, produces results at once surprising and unique. To create added interest the quintet gives historic introductions to its programs.

In addition to Mr. Lampert, the company consists of Mr. Carl Portune, a graduate of the Cincinnati Conservatory of Music; Miss Helene Portune, dramatic soprano and concert violinist; Mrs. Grace Kaplin, concert pianist; and Mr. Harry Kaplin, cello virtuoso. Mr. Kaplin formerly was a member of the Cincinnati Symphony Orchestra.

The Schumann Quintet makes popular such interesting numbers as Mozart's "The Marriage of Figaro," Wagner's "Tannhauser" and Liszt's "Hungarian Rhapsody No. 2."

Village election Monday.

Miss Maud Soderquist visited in Bay City Sunday.

Elmer Jamison of Fairgrove spent several days in town last week.

Miss Hazel Hickey spent Sunday in Fairgrove the guest of her parents.

Mrs. Robt. Wood of Gagetown visited Monday at the home of T. Auten.

Jesse Bullock has purchased this week the Henry Biglow property on Third St.

James Crane, Samuel Crane and Levi Bardwell are late purchasers of Ford cars.

Misses Maud and Sophia Finkle were guests of Miss Alice Decker at Pigeon Sunday.

Dr. A. N. Treadgold, who spent several days in Cass City last week, returned to Detroit Friday.

The Rev. C. Saunders of Owendale was a guest at the home of Chas. Elliot Saturday and Sunday.

Earl Buchanan left for Battle Creek Wednesday morning after a few days' visit with relatives and friends.

A. A. Hitchcock returned from Detroit Wednesday and expects to remain in Cass City for three weeks.

Mrs. C. W. Hemingway of Detroit came Wednesday evening to spend a week with her sister, Mrs. Glen L. Moore.

Mrs. Albert Goff is spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. Theo Hendrick, before going to her new home in Detroit.

Rev. Burr Shellenbarger is expecting his wife, Mrs. Shellenbarger, of Owosso to join him here the latter part of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Clare Davenport welcomed a little daughter to their home Sunday morning. She will answer to the name of Maggie Marie.

A gas mask of the latest type furnished by our army and owned by Carl Martin is an interesting exhibit in the window of the Wood Drug Store.

Several mornings the past week, the cheerful chirrup of the Robin Red Breast has sounded through the air filling the heart with anticipations for an early spring.

Miss Marguerite Goff was seven years old Monday and several of her little friends celebrated the anniversary with her at a party given in honor of the occasion.

Miss Florence Warner, saleslady at the L. E. Dickinson store, who has been very ill at her home in Ellington, is much improved and expects to be at her work next week.

Mrs. L. E. Dickinson has received word again from her son, Joe, who is still in Haiti and longing for a discharge which he says seems as far off and unlikely as ever.

A mass meeting will be held at the M. E. church Sunday, Mar. 16, at 3:00 p. m. for the purpose of instructing women how to vote. The meeting will be held under the auspices of the Anti-Saloon League.

Mrs. Asa J. Root received a telegram Tuesday from her nephew, Capt. Hardin C. Sweeney, announcing his return to the states from overseas. Capt. Sweeney is now stationed at Camp Merritt, N. J.

Mrs. Geo. Barnes left Thursday morning for Kalamazoo. She was accompanied by her daughter, Mrs. Bates, who has been visiting here and whose home is near Kalamazoo. Mrs. Barnes will remain with her daughter indefinitely.

Mrs. M. J. McGillvray has so far recovered from her recent illness as to be able to resume her duties in her millinery establishment where she attended to the needs of her customers for the first time in several weeks that Saturday.

The condensary, the two elevators, Ricker & Krahling, L. E. Dickinson, T & M Co. and Zenke Bros. will give their employees a treat this evening. Each one has been presented with a ticket to the Pastime theater which presents on the screen to the public at that time, Marguerite Clark in "The Amazons." Special music will be a feature of the evening's entertainment.

Next Tuesday, March 11, should be kept in mind as an important date for voters. A mass meeting will be held at the opera house when "Good Roads" Earle and Gov. Sleeper will address the people of this community on the subject of good roads. Following the addresses, local business men will serve a lunch at the town hall. Every voter is urged to be present at both gatherings—at the opera house and the town hall.

A deal was arranged a few days ago whereby the J. H. Wood property on West Main St. comes into the possession of Mrs. Hattie Boyes who arrived here in January from her former home at Pincher Creek, Alberta, intending to settle in this locality. The family of Mr. Mellette now occupying the residence will vacate the first of April, moving into the A. C. Hayes house where at present Mr. Arthur Murphy is located.

When Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Heller were driving to town Tuesday morning they miraculously escaped injury in the meeting of a carelessly and lawlessly driven automobile. The driver persisted upon remaining on their side of the street not even allowing them sufficient room to turn out, except by way of the ditch toward which the horse, seeming to comprehend the situation, gave a leap landing himself and the frightened occupants of the buggy in the gutter. Fortunately neither Mr. and Mrs. Heller nor the animal were injured, a little damage to buggy and harness being the only sign of the narrow escape.

Thomas Colwell transacted business in Saginaw Friday.

Mrs. D. Brown and Archie Gillies were called to Detroit Monday by the serious illness of their mother, Mrs. Jane Gillies.

Miss Daisy McInnes, who has been visiting her aunt, Miss Lydia McInnes, returned Friday to her home at Park Hill, Ontario.

The Missionary Society will hold its open day meeting at the church on Thursday, March 13. Each member is asked to invite a guest.

Wm. Ball, sr., and family, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Ball, jr., all of Ellington township, Miss Hazel Lauderbach and Roy Colwell visited at James Crane's Sunday.

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**WHAT PART OF ROAD COST DOES FARMER PAY.**

According to the official figures in the records of the State Tax Commission offices at Lansing, the farm property of Michigan represents about 37 per cent of the total assessed valuation of the state.

Unless Michigan can have funds available to meet the dollar-for-dollar Federal Aid to be distributed by Uncle Sam to promote highway construction and maintenance, the farmer will have to bear his 37 per cent of the expense.

But if the Good Road amendment is ratified at the polls, April 7, the people will have authority, through their representatives in the legislature, to use the state's credit to meet any offer the United States government may make, and, since Federal aid will care for half of the cost, the farmer will pay only a little more than 18 per cent of the Good Roads investment.

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**First Ocean Steamer Century Ago.**

The astonishing development of America's shipbuilding industry within the last few years recalls the launching at New York 100 years ago of the first transatlantic liner to be operated by steam power. She was the famous Savannah, a vessel of 350 tons. The crank who thought it was possible for a ship to cross the Atlantic by steam power was William Scarborough of Savannah. The Savannah left New York for the home city of her builder April 10, 1819, and a little more than a month later cleared for Liverpool, where she was given a rousing welcome as the first steam vessel to cross the ocean. The trip was made in four days less than a month. From Liverpool the Savannah proceeded to St. Petersburg, and in December, 1819, she was again in her home port.

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The bureau of science has been experimenting for some time with various clays found in the Philippines, and has made a roofing tile that is lighter than those imported or those used in Java. It is claimed for this tile that it is not too heavy for the bamboo framework of the average nipa house of the Philippines and at the same time cheap and durable.

**Do Not Waste Coal Dust.**

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Leave your cream at Heller's Creamery. Highest market prices.

Saws gummed and filed and truck bodies built to order at Ferguson's Wagon Shop. Acetylene welding in connection. 2-7

Blatchford's Calf Meal at Wood's Drug store.

All persons owing Dr. Treadgold on open account or by note are requested to make prompt payments at the Exchange Bank. 11-22

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Each Pathe Phonograph plays not only Pathe Records but all other makes of disc records and plays them perfectly. See them at Higgins' Jewelry Store.

Conserve steel! Save records! Buy the phonograph that needs no steel needles and the records (guaranteed) that don't wear out. Get a Pathe Phonograph in your home now and play while you're paying. A. H. Higgins.

Talk to Wood about Kodaks and Cameras.

**For Sale.**

Good driving horse, second-hand cream separator, Nichols & Shepard threshing engine, Ford automobile, good second-hand feed cooker. New set heavy sleighs. J. A. Caldwell. 2-21

Do you want a Silo of Quality? Investigate the Tecktonius. Cass City Lumber & Coal Co.

We have a proposition that will interest you. Opportunity for building a permanent and paying business at home. Complete line of standard hardware merchandise. The X-Cel-All Company. Alma. Mich. 2-21-2

New wall papers arriving at Cass City Drug Co. Make your selections now.

½ gallon crocks wanted at Jones'.

Wood's Drug Store for box paper.

Dry seasoned poplar wood cut from green timber for sale. J. D. Tuckey. 1-24

Quantity of barn frame timber for sale. Geo. L. Hitchcock. 2-28-2

Iron grey gelding 4 years old for sale. Enquire of Dr. S. A. Bradshaw. 3-7-1p

Men's all rubber, 4-buckle articles at Crosby & Sons, \$4.50.

Buy a better phonograph which never needs a single steel needle—which has the permanent. Buy a Pathe at Higgins.

**Wanted—Young Calves.**

Wanted to purchase two or three calves a few days old. Cedar fence posts for sale at 10c each. C. H. Seeley. 1-31

Tecktonius Silo absolutely takes care of all shrinking and swelling in dry and wet weather. Cass City Lumber & Coal Co.

**Potatoes For Sale.**

75c per bushel. Farm Produce Co. 2-7

A splendid line of Box Paper at Wood's Drug Store.

Soot Destroyer, 25c per pkg. at Jones'.

500 clean cedar posts for sale. \$15.00 per hundred. Levi Bardwell. 2-21-3p

Highest market price for cream at Heller's Creamery.

Parties owing accounts, please call and settle same and oblige. Mrs. M. J. McGillvray. 2-28-2p

**Horses For Sale.**

Bay mare 8 years old and colt coming three. Will take Liberty Bonds in payment. John Slack, Deford. 2-28-3p

Grade Durham bull 1½ years old for sale. Dan Ross, Phone 86 A. 2-2a-3

**Wanted—Young woman** over 20 years of age, to work in ice cream parlor. Address W. H. Bechtel, Caro, Mich. 2-28-2

Kimball organ for sale cheap. H. M. Willis. Phone, 36 J. 2-28-4f

"Colorite" and Be-Be-Co. will fix up that old straw hat like new. Sold at Wood's Drug store.

**Card of Thanks.**

We wish to thank our friends for their aid and for flowers during the serious illness in our home. Mrs. Ina Parmalee, Ira Hayes and Family.

**ORDER FOR PUBLICATION.**

Appointment of Administrator. State of Michigan, The Probate Court for the County of Tuscola. At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the Village of Caro in said County, on the 4th day of March A. D. 1919.

Present, Hon. O. D. Hill, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of Arthur Helwig, Deceased.

Thomas Murphy, father-in-law of said deceased, having filed in said court his petition praying that W. H. Murphy be appointed administrator de bonis non to complete the administration of said estate.

It is Ordered, That the 31st day of March A. D. 1919, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

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

O. D. HILL, Judge of Probate.

A true copy. O. D. HILL, Judge of Probate. 3-7-3

**ORDER FOR PUBLICATION.**

Appointment of Administrator. State of Michigan, The Probate Court for the County of Tuscola. At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the Village of Caro in said County, on the 30th day of January A. D. 1919.

Present, Hon. O. D. Hill, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of John Schwaderer, Deceased.

Helen G. Schwaderer, widow of said deceased, having filed in said court her petition praying that the administration of said estate be granted to Helen G. Schwaderer or William Schwaderer or to some other suitable person.

It is Ordered, That the 31st day of March A. D. 1919, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

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Work horse for sale. G. E. Krapf. 3-7-

Found—Brown leather driving mitt at the Guy Watson sale. Owner call at Chronicle office. 3-7-

**For Sale.**

25 bn. potatoes, 2 loads of bean straw, about 5 tons of hay. Ed. Flint. 3-7-2p

**For Sale.**

Two Durham bulls and Chester White brood sow. Wm. Little. 3-7-2p

Sum of money found in Cass City. Enquire at Chronicle office. 3-7-1p

I want to buy two calves, either Holstein or Durham. Matt Parker.

**Team For Sale.**

Team, aged 8 and 9 yrs. for sale. Steve Tescho, 1 mi. east, ¼ mi. north of Cass City. 3-7-2p

**For Sale.**

The following articles, a bargain, if taken at once. Will take Liberty Bonds at par. Buick Light Six auto, Ford touring car, both cars A 1 condition, 55-gal. gas tank, Steel range, base burner, small heater, set nickel plated gas auto lamps, also 2 houses and lots, good location, good condition. Enquire of P. A. Donaldson. 3-7-2p

**Missing Base Ball Equipment.**

Anyone knowing of high school base ball equipment, please notify the Cass City high school 3-7-4

**Notice to Public.**

At the last regular meeting of Village Council a resolution was passed ordering a curfew to be rung at 8:00 o'clock p. m., eastern standard time. All children under 15 years of age must after that hour be in their homes unless accompanied by their parents. A. C. FARRELL, Village Clerk.

**For Sale.**

Nice square 40-acre farm with 2 acres of timber 80 rods west of Cass City depot; also 22-acre farm just outside of Cass City on the south, with nice brick house, garage, barn, hen park and all kinds of fruit. B. F. Moon. 2-28-

12 ft. blackum and 6 ft. floor covering for sale. Geo. L. Hitchcock. 2-28-2

3 good second-hand separators; 3 new separators, good value, for sale. Geo. L. Hitchcock. 2-28-2

**For Sale.**

A good second-hand top buggy. A. A. Brian. 3-7-2p

Pair of brown fur gloves lost. Return to Tibbals' Jewelry Store. 2-28-2

Lost—Brown Buffalo cloth glove at the Mrs. Geo. Barnes sale. Leave at Chronicle office. 2-28-2

Nine-room house and lot on Garfield Ave. for sale on easy terms. Mrs. Mrs. Jessie Pettit. 2-28-

Medicated Throat Discs at Wood's Drug store.

**Farm For Sale.**

Three miles west and 2 miles north of Cass City on Section 18, Elkland township. T. J. Auten, Cass City. 3-7-

**For Sale.**

Two cows, one of them fresh, other fresh this month. Enquire of Jay Hartley, Phone 133—2R. 3-7-1

**Farm For Sale.**

140-acre farm, 95 acres cleared, balance timber and pasture; good buildings; on gravel road 7 miles from Cass City. You can have this farm at a bargain if you buy before April 1. Enquire at Chronicle office. 3-7-3p

## Colorite and Be-Be-Co.

Colors Old and New Straw Hats, Satin, Silk and Canvas Slippers, also Basketry.

Any one can use it, brush for applying with each bottle.

### Wood's Rexall Drug Store

## Prosperous Dairymen

know the money-making value of a properly built Milk House.

A good Milk House costs but little. It goes a long way toward making dairy products profitable.

It should be well built, with double walls to insulate it from both heat and cold and it should be built or at least covered on the outside with

## WHITE PINE

WHITE PINE Buildings add permanent value to your farm because they endure with little or no outlay for repair.

WHITE PINE is light to handle and its soft, smooth grain yields so easily beneath your tools that you'll find it a pleasure to work with it. And a WHITE PINE Milk House can be moved whenever occasion demands.

Practical working plans, specifications and a complete bill of material for the Milk House illustrated or for any other farm building, will be furnished you free on request together with our estimate of the cost.

By planning in advance, you are enabled to build most economically.

**Our advice is free.**

## Cass City Lumber and Coal Company





## DON'T LOOK AT THE CAN But Look at the Goods in the Can

Have you often wondered if the goods inside the can were as good as the picture on the label? Well here's your opportunity to test them at our expense. On

**Saturday, March 8**

we will give you the opportunity to sample our CANNED GOODS and we not only INVITE YOU but URGE YOU to visit our store and taste the contents of these cans. We know from past experience that you will be very agreeably surprised at the delicate natural flavor of the fruit or vegetables. Because we buy only from factories which can their goods IMMEDIATELY AFTER THEY ARE PICKED OR GROWN, and factories which are known to work under conditions of perfect cleanliness. Now we try to keep a large variety rather than an extensive stock, which keeps our stock in No. 1 condition.

**We Know This Demonstration Will Appeal** to every fair minded person and we are not only going to let you test them at our expense but will offer you

**FOR ONE WEEK**

**Beginning Saturday, March 8 and ending Saturday, March 15th any Canned Fruit, Vegetables or Salmon**

AT A

DISCOUNT OF **10%** From the regular selling price.

**BUY A DOZEN CANS (Special prices by the dozen.)**

Extremely low prices on case lots.

PHONE 86

**E. W. Jones**

## Build in '19

Home building, or other construction, is the keynote to the adjustment of conditions which peace has created. The future prosperity of the country depends upon the success of the readjustments effected now. Don't put off building awaiting for lumber to decline as the longer you wait the more it will cost you. The man that built last year was fortunate not for the reason that lumber has advanced materially in price, but because he needed the building and has made money and had comfort from the use of it.

No matter what you are to build, whether it be a barn, house, granary, garage, hen coop or an implement shed, our plans are complete and show some fine buildings. We think it would be well to haul home, while the roads are good, what lumber you will need to start operations in early spring.

Always at your service.

**Cass City Grain Co.**

DEFORD AND GREENLEAF.

### LETTERS FROM OVERSEAS.

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weather anyway. We do some drilling now days—about five hours per day, except Saturday in inspections and Sunday is a day off.

I haven't received any letters for a couple of weeks. The people must be tired writing or the letters get lost but I hope to be home soon. I suppose you are having some snappy weather there now, but by all reports the weather isn't as cold as it was last winter. Here is hoping that it isn't. How are the people coming who had the "flu"? I saw in the Chronicle that there was a double wedding took place at Ed. Wright's on Christmas and Fred was up from Detroit.

Well, it is nearly time for retreat, so will close for now. Good bye.

SGT. CLARENCE R. KOLB,  
Co. E, 338th Inf.,  
American Exp. Forces,  
France. A. P. O. 789.

From Vernon B. McConnell  
St. Symphorien, France,  
January 2, 1919.

Just  
Dear Mother:  
Just a few lines to let you know that I am well and expect to be home soon. The 85th division has been filled up and we expect to leave for the States any time now and we can't leave too soon for me. The 85th was reviewed by General Pershing last Wednesday. He said we would soon be on our way home. Well, how are all the folks at home? Alice said you nearly all had the "flu" but had got over it and were feeling fine. We haven't had the "flu" in our outfit yet and I hope we don't get it. Some divisions have been quarantined for the "flu", so they didn't sail for two or three weeks later than they expected, so we have good reason to keep away from it.

Oh, say, did Dad butcher that pig yet. If he did, save some of the ribs for me. Gee, I would give anything for some roast ribs—so be sure and save some. Have you heard from Ira lately, and if you have, how soon does he think he will be back home? I hope he gets back by the time I do or sooner. That sure was a dandy picture Alice sent. I would like to be in it myself, but we can have another taken when Ira and I get back. Well, I will close for this time. With love,  
VERNON.

From M. R. Bearup.  
January 15, 1919.

Mr. Elbert Bearup,  
Dear Father:—Your very welcome letter of Dec. 15th reached me yesterday. I also wrote you a letter on Dec. 15th which you have perhaps received by this time. I have worked very steady since Nov. 11, when the war stopped, but I don't mind it for I have seen about all of France I care to see and I have never been on a seven day pass. Paris has no charms for me, for it is full of pretty girls who are just as dangerous as they are pretty. They say a wise man profits by his mistakes but I say a wise man profits by another man's mistakes.

It will seem good to get back home again and go to work where I can make good money again after being over here and getting such a small sum of money. I made as much money in two months in Akron as I have drawn since I came into the army, and I've been in the army over fifteen months.

I am glad to hear that you are doing well on your farm. When I think back how you started in the woods and cleared your land and brought up a large family and improved your land and built good buildings on it and made the money you have, I fear it will keep your boy guessing if he does as well as you have done. I have saved \$260 in the army on \$30 a month in fifteen months. Of course, that isn't very much, but I have to save something, no matter how little I make, for time doesn't wait for anyone and I am getting older every day and I don't like to let a year go by without saving something for my future. I haven't had much pleasure since I came into the army, but I did not come over here for pleasure and it's a pleasure to me to know that the war is over and we haven't fought in vain for the world is free again and it can't be many months before we will be back in the good old United States and enjoying real freedom again.

I am in Colom Bay, the first aero depot for demobilization. I have been here about one month. I think we are waiting transportation for the coast where I will embark for the U. S. A., but I don't know how much longer I'll have to wait here.

I know why you wrote as you did. You know what temptations a young man must go through so far from home and in a foreign land where no one speaks your own language. I try not to allow myself to be lonesome or homesick. I just look at the bright side and polish up the dark one. I must close now, sending my best wishes to all. I am as ever your loving son,  
MYRON R. BEARUP.

139 Aero Sqdn.,  
Am. E. F., France

Mr. Bearup received a card since receiving this letter, stating that his son now has a permit to return home.

On a Commercial Basis.

Gerald gave his grandmother a little gift for her birthday, and she said: "Well, you are a good lad; I shall give you a nickel for yourself," to which the little chap replied, "But, grandma, the present cost 15 cents."

Advertise it in the Chronicle.

At Mined.  
Mrs. Mix—"There was a time when you minded what I said, but now it's like water on a duck's back—in at one ear and out at the other."—London Answers.

### Stinging the Bees.

"It has always seemed funny to me," murmured the almost philosopher "why a fellow says he keeps bees. The truth of the matter is the bees keep themselves. All he does is rob 'em."

Advertise it in the Chronicle.

### WEST BROOKFIELD.

Miss Iva Sheufelt visited at her parental home Sunday.

Miss Edith Wolfe spent Sunday at her home near Linkville.

Tom Hughes of Gagetown was a pleasant caller at Owendale Saturday evening.

Harold and Vern Ricker were pleasant callers in Gagetown Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Allan Kerr and daughter of Detroit visited relatives here last week.

Geo. Stock of Deford is visiting his daughter, Mrs. Andy McAlpine, for a few weeks.

L. J. Rapson, Henry Schnepf and Dan Rupp spent a couple of days in Detroit. They brought back a couple of Ford cars.

The Camp Fire Girls met with Miss Helen Walsh Tuesday evening. A very enjoyable evening was spent. Ice cream and cake were served just before the girls left.

### CHURCH NOTES.

Continued from first page.

movement. This does not confine itself to Methodists, for we are receiving support from many non church members. They like the idea of Christian Fellowship. They realize that the world is, today, in one of the most critical positions in history. We are threatened on every side by these soul breaking and nation wrecking "isms" which are running rampant.

The Church was never a fertile field for the seeds of such trash and it is not the followers of Christian principles that are the leaders in these traitorous movements. With the spirit of Christianity in his heart, no man would ever recommend fire, bombs and pillage as means of political warfare.

Christian leadership is the salvation of the world at this time. No delegation of diplomats can bring about democracy and Eternal Peace by agreeing upon an international constitution; the world cannot be reconstructed by formula; the universal reign of peace and good will among men can be made certain and everlasting only through cleansing the hearts of men and the practical application of the religion of Jesus.

That is what the Centenary will do. In the Home Missions and Church Extension, for which \$40,000,000 will be expended, great community centers will be reared in the cities and practical community centers will be provided for the rural districts. In foreign fields the thousands, yes, hundreds of thousands and even millions of heathens that are seeking the opportunity to embrace the religion of Christ and are yearning for an education, will be taken care of.

Twenty millions will be spent in devastated France where the orphans and financially physically ruined people must be given succor. Our program is immense but we are merely following out the mandates of the Saviour who started practical religion by healing the sick.

The Centenary is the first great Church movement toward making religion serviceable by making it efficient. This efficiency will come by a process of elimination as well as by a process of accumulation. In other words, while Methodism intends to build strong in certain centers, she also will tear down and move away in other centers where others are more responsible.

The Centenary is the greatest evangelistic movement ever launched in America. It is a Christian movement, a Church movement, a strictly religious movement; but, if all signs do not fail, it will soon compel the world to attach new meanings to the words "Church" and "Religion" and "Christianity."



## Pastime Theatre



FRIDAY (TO-DAY) AND  
SATURDAY

MARGUERITE CLARK

—IN—

"THE AMAZONS"

Come and see the fun when this girl put on boy's clothes. A good clean Paramount Picture, worth twice the price of admission.

Friday night, Business Men will entertain their employees. Special musical program arranged.

Everybody welcome.  
Children, 20c; adults, 30c.

MONDAY

"UNCLE TOM'S CABIN"

The first time ever seen in pictures at this theatre.

Millions have read the book and seen the play. Don't miss this chance to see it on the screen.

MATINEE, FOUR O'CLOCK

Children, 10c; adults 15c.  
Evening—Children 15c;  
adults, 25c.

WEDNESDAY

BUSHMAN & BAYNE

—IN—

"A PAIR OF CUPIDS"

Don't miss these popular screen favorites in this five-reel Comedy-Drama.

Bachelors, attention!

Could you bathe a real live infant? Come and see how it is done.

15c and 20c.

Friday and Saturday, Mar. 14 and 15, Jack Pickford in "Jack and Jill."

## Administrator's Sale

R. N. McCullough, Auctioneer.

The undersigned will sell the following household goods at auction, without reserve, at the residence of the late Mrs. Mable Helwig, one block south of the Chronicle Bldg., on

**Saturday, March 15**

COMMENCING AT ONE O'CLOCK:

Malleable range  
Base burner, Favorite  
Soft coal burner  
Kitchen cabinet  
Glass cupboard  
2 dining room tables  
Organ Library table  
New Home sewing machine  
Parlor Suite, 5 pieces  
2 parlor tables  
12 dining chairs  
3 rockers  
2 iron beds, springs and mattresses  
2 wooden beds with springs  
Baby carriage Child's chair  
Mantle clock, 8-day  
Clock, 8-day Dresser  
3 rugs 6x8 ft  
Rug 6x12 ft  
16 yds Ingrain carpet  
Several small rugs  
Spring cot and mattress  
Linoleum 12x12  
Washing machine Wash board  
Clothes basket Boiler

2 large granite dish pans  
Granite roaster, Reid  
2 tea kettles  
2 covered preserving kettles  
50 gallon galvanized oil tank  
30 gallon meat crock  
2 doz. 2-qt. fruit cans  
5 doz. quart fruit cans  
Quantity pint cans and fruit glasses  
Quantity of gallon crocks  
Quantity of small granite dishes  
6 pair muslin curtains  
2 pair lace curtains  
2 pair cretonne curtains  
1 pair tapestry curtains, and pole  
Several sash curtains, rods, curtain poles, etc  
7 window shades  
7 window screens  
2 dinner sets (dishes)  
4 lamps and numerous other dishes and small articles  
Food chopper (new)  
Kitchen scales (24 lb.)  
1 cord of stove wood

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

**W. H. MURPHY, Administrator**

C. D. STRIFFLER, Clerk



# Public Auction

Fred Wright, Auctioneer

Having decided to quit farming, I will sell at my residence 1 1/2 miles south of Cass City 23 head of young cattle as follows on

## Thursday, March 13

COMMENCING AT 1:30 P. M.

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| Jersey heifer, coming 3 years old                              | 3 thoroughbred Ayershire heifers, coming 2 years old      |
| Spotted heifer 3 years old, due in Mar.                        | Grade Ayershire heifer, coming 2 yrs old                  |
| Roan heifer 3 years old, calf by side                          | 5 thoroughbred Ayershire heifer calves, coming 1 year old |
| Roan heifer 3 years old  | 2 grade Durham heifer calves, coming 1 year old           |
| 3 Holstein heifers 3 years old                                 | O. I. C. brood sow, due last of March                     |
| 3 Durham heifers, coming 3 years old (All due to freshen soon) | 200-egg incubator, new                                    |
| Durham cow 4 years old   |   |

TERMS—All sums of \$5.00 and under cash; over that amount, 9 months' time on good approved endorsed notes at 7 per cent. interest.

## BARDWELL & BROOKER, Proprietors.

# Farm Auction Sale

The undersigned having decided to quit farming will sell at auction on the farm 6 miles west and 1 mile north of Cass City, or 2 1/2 miles west and 3 miles south of Gagetown, on

## MONDAY, MARCH 10

AT ONE O'CLOCK SHARP:

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|---|---------------------------------------|
| Bay mare 11 years old, wt. 1400               | Spring tooth harrow, 15-tooth         |
| Gray mare 13 years old, wt. 1100              | Spring tooth harrow, 17-tooth         |
| Belgian colt 4 years old, wt. 1300            | Pulverizer                            |
| Belgian colt 3 years old, wt. 1300            | American cultivator                   |
| Red cow 5 years old, due Apr. 25              | Steel roller, good as new             |
| Durham steer 2 years old                      | Superior grain drill                  |
| Durham heifer 2 years old                     | Dump hay rake, good as new            |
| Durham heifer 2 years old                     | Side delivery hay rake, good as new   |
| Aberdeen heifer 2 years old                   | Sterling hay loader                   |
| 2 yearling calves                             | McCormick mowing machine, good as new |
| Quantity of mixed hay, clover and timothy     | Road cart                             |
| Piano (will take Liberty Bonds for the piano) | Open buggy                            |
| 100 feet hay rope                             | Box and hay rack                      |
| American cream separator                      | Set of sleighs                        |
| Burch plow                                    | 2 sets of work harness                |
| Spike tooth harrow, 60 tooth                  | Single harness                        |

TERMS—All sums of \$5.00 and under, cash; over that amount, 10 months' time on good approved endorsed notes at 7 per cent. interest.

## Mrs. Anna Wolfe, Prop.

L. S. McEldowney, Auctioneer

# FARM AUCTION SALE

The undersigned will sell the following property at auction at the farm 2 miles south and 2 miles east of Cass City on

## FRIDAY, MARCH 14

COMMENCING AT ONE O'CLOCK:

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|--|---------------------------|
| Colt coming 3 years old, wt. about 900 | Superior drill            |
| Red cow giving milk                    | Osborne mower             |
| Jersey cow, fresh milker               | Deering 2-horse rake      |
| Holstein cow, due in April             | Bean puller               |
| Hereford cow due in March              | Riding cultivator         |
| Red heifer, due in March               | Small cultivator          |
| 3 two year olds                        | Land roller               |
| 3 one year olds                        | Wiard plow                |
| Calf 6 months old                      | Spike tooth harrow        |
| Calf 1 month old                       | Quantity of hay           |
| Horse 15 years old                     | Disc harrow               |
| 2-seated buggy                         | Fanning mill              |
| Top buggy                              | Grindstone                |
| Cutter                                 | Cream separator, De Laval |
| Double harness                         | Barrel churn              |
| Single harness                         | Milk cans                 |
| Work harness                           | Bean picker               |
| 2 blankets                             | Several small tools       |

TERMS—All sums of \$5.00 and under, cash; over that amount, 9 months' time on good approved endorsed notes at 7 per cent. interest.

## MRS. M. RACE, Prop.

R. N. McCullough, Auctioneer.

# PUBLIC AUCTION

Having rented my farms, I will sell the remainder of my personal property at auction 3 miles east, 2 miles north and 1 mile east of Cass City on

## Tuesday, Mar. 11

COMMENCING AT 12 O'CLOCK

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|--------------------------------------|--|
| Brown mare 10 years old, wt. 1400    | New land cultivator  |
| Bay horse 7 years old, wt. 1500      | John Deere disc drill with fertilizer attachment             |
| Pair of mare colts 6 years old       | American two-horse cultivator                                |
| Mare colt 4 years old                | Syracuse riding plow   |
| Iron gray colt 3 years old           | 2 Curtis walking plows                                       |
| 2 red brood sows, due April 15       | McCormick mower, new   |
| Red Boar 2 years old, wt. 400        | Hay tedder   |
| 12 ewes with lambs by side           | Climax silo filler   |
| 100 bu. of oats                      | Empire hoe drill   |
| 25 bu. seed corn                     | 3-section spike tooth drag                                   |
| 125 bu. corn in ear                  | Clover seed buncher  |
| Top buggy, spring cutter, nearly new | 2 buggy poles  |
| 3 wide tired wagons, nearly new      | Bowser's feed grinder, No. 4                                 |
| 3 stock racks and boxes, new         | Jumbo pumping engine, 1 1/2 h. p.                            |
| Double buggy                         | Fanning mill   |
| Manure spreader                      | Quantity of hay  |
| Side delivery rake, new              | Section grinder  |
| Dump rake, new                       | Set of platform scales                                       |
| Bean puller new                      | Set of double harness, nearly new                            |
| Osborn Binder                        | Third horse harness  |
| Power cutting box                    | 7 horse collars  |
| John Deere disc, new                 | Wool box   |
| Side scraper                         | Corn sheller   |
| Set of Donaldson sleighs, No. 4      | 40 ft. extension ladder                                      |
| Harrow cart                          | 60-gallon kettle   |
| Drag saw and jack                    | 35-gallon kettle   |
| 3-section spring tooth harrow        | 20-gallon kettle   |
| Set of spring tooth harrows          | 2 Cyclone grass seeders                                      |
| 3 walking cultivators                | 4 corn planters  |
| Osborn mower                         | Threshing machine outfit                                     |
| Osborn binder                        | Forks, shovels, hoes, chains and many other useful articles. |

TERMS—All sums of \$5.00 and under, cash; over that amount, 9 months' time on good approved endorsed notes at 7 per cent. interest from date of sale.

## Andrew Seegar, Prop.

Fred Wright, Auctioneer

C. D. Striffler, Clerk



## ELMWOOD.

Alvin Kelly is on the sick list. Miss Florence Smith visited friends in Bay City Saturday.

Ezra Kelly has hired out to Mr. Knight, east of Gagetown, for the summer.

Arthur Ewald and Miss Edith Evans are visiting friends at West Branch.

Jud Morse and Chauncey Rockyfellow left Monday for Alpena and other points in northern Michigan.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Burse received a box of oranges from Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Dean, who are wintering in Florida.

J. D. Yancy arrived here Saturday on a visit to Arthur Ewald. Mr. Yancy's son, Lonnie, and Arthur were soldiers together in France when Arthur was wounded. Mr. Yancy's son went to his assistance when he was struck by a bullet and instantly killed.

## GAGETOWN.

John Golley spent the past few days in Saginaw.

Chas. Maynard spent Sunday with his family in Detroit.

Little Cathryn Hunter is visiting at the Mrs. T. Wald home.

Thos. Freeman visited in Detroit several days last week.

Fred Hemerick is attending the auto show in Detroit this week.

Mrs. Kinnell has moved into the house owned by Mrs. Tanner.

Mrs. A. Livingston of Owendale, is caring for her mother, Mrs. John Anker.

Word has reached here that Frank Lenhard has arrived safely in New York.

Hiram Spittler, who has been very ill the past two weeks, is slowly improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Purdy attended the lecture course in Caro Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Calley spent Friday in Cass City visiting with Mrs. Calley's mother, Mrs. Martin.

The little son of Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Downing, formerly of this place, is very ill in a hospital in Detroit.

Mrs. Paul Gage of Hamilton and two nieces of Oklahoma are spending the week at the Helen Gage home.

Mrs. E. S. Simmons, who was very ill at the home of her daughter, Mrs. G. Livingston, is able to return to her home in town.

Floyd Ottaway is moving to his newly purchased home on Cleaver St.

Miss Bernice Barber spent Sunday at her parental home.

Mrs. Richard Burdon has returned home after spending the past two weeks at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Wm. McLean at Atlanta, Mich.

The Lady Macabees held their regular meeting at the home of Mrs. P. Kehoe, last Wednesday evening. Refreshments were served to which the Bees did ample justice.

## ELKLAND-ELMWOOD TOWN LINE.

Frank Nellis has moved his family to Imlay City.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Burse visited at the M. Beckett home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Marks visited at Chas. Wilson's home Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Livingston visited in Owendale one day last week.

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## CANBORO.

Lewis Jarvis was a caller in Elkton Thursday.

Martin Hartsell was a caller in Owendale Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Zinger of Pigeon visited at Martin Hartsell's Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Libkuman spent Sunday at T. Heron's in Beaulieu.

Boyd Rolph of Detroit spent a few days with relatives here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Jarvis and Jess Putman were callers in Elkton Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Seldon of Owendale spent Sunday at Chas. McDonald's.

The family of John Thomas are very sick with influenza. We wish them a speedy recovery.

The Eastern Star lodge will give a pie social and a good program in the Canboro hall Wednesday, March 12. Ladies, bring pies. Now, boys here is a chance to get a good pie and a lady too. The program will be good. Don't miss it.

Advertise it in the Chronicle.

## For Coated Tongue

Bad Breath, Sour Stomach, Bloating, Gas, Biliousness, Sick Headache, Indigestion, Constipation,—take the always reliable

## FOLEY CATHARTIC TABLETS

They clear the bowels, sweeten the stomach and tone up the liver. Do not gripe.

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Offer Services Free of Charge

The United Doctors Specialist, licensed by the state of Michigan for treatment of diseases of the stomach, intestines, liver, blood, skin, nerves, heart, spleen, rheumatism, sciatica, tapeworm, leg ulcers, weak lungs. Those afflicted with long standing deep seated diseases that have baffled the skill of the family physician should not fail to call, for so great and wonderful has been their results that many former patients state it is hard to find the dividing line between skill and miracle.

According to their system no more operations for appendicitis, gall stones, goitre, tumors, piles, etc., as all cases accepted will be treated without operation or hypodermic injection, out operation or hypodermic injection, the name of "Bloodless Surgeons" by doing away with all pain in the successful treatment of these dangerous diseases.

If your case is incurable they will give you such advice as may relieve and stay the disease. Do not put off this duty. A visit at this time may help you. It costs nothing.

Married ladies must come with their husbands and minors with their parents.

Laboratories—Milwaukee, Wis.

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THE WORK OF THE KIDNEYS is to filter and cast out waste products and poisons from the blood stream. When the kidneys are overworked, weak or diseased, the waste matter remains in the system and causes pains in side or back, rheumatism, lumbago, stiffness of joints, sore muscles and other symptoms.

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## Foley Kidney Pills

are prompt in action and tonic in their healing and soothing effect on weak, sore, overworked, diseased kidneys and bladder.

Mrs. Mary Henderson, Mt. Carmel, S. C., writes: "Before I used Foley Kidney Pills I was troubled with kidney trouble and my left side hurt me so I could hardly get up in the morning. Pain is all gone now and am feeling fine."

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## PALMER BROS.

## Saturday Specials, March 8

10 Bars Swift's White Soap 45c

10 Bars Grandma's White Soap 55c

With each \$3.00 purchase of any goods outside of grocery department, we will sell one 24 $\frac{1}{2}$  lb sack

BREAD FLOUR for

\$1.25

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One Sack Bread Flour for 98 cents

See us for Wall Paper—New Line just in.

Palmer Bros., Gagetown

## Auction Sale

Having lost my wife, I sold my home in Cass City and shall make my home in Detroit, therefore I will offer nearly all my household goods at public auction, Corner Oak and Third St., Cass City

## Saturday, March 8

Commencing at 1:30 p. m.

New Home steel range, good as new Hamilton heating stove, large size, good as new, burns coal or wood Gem Oak Frozier stove, new, burns coal or wood

Dangler oil stove, 3-burner, new Extension table in good condition

Fall leaf table in good condition Kitchen cabinet, new

2 bedroom dressers, new Iron bedstead, new

2 wooden beds in good condition Mattresses and springs for these beds

Cot and tick Quantity of quilts and blankets

Cupboard in good condition Couch, good as new

3 good stands 6 cane bottom parlor chairs

6 kitchen chairs 6 dining chairs 4 good rockers

2 good stove boards Commode Clothes rack

Singer sewing machine Parlor lamp

Large glass

Several other good lamps and lantern Good set of kitchen utensils of all kinds in good condition

Corn planter, new Hoe, rake, weeder, grindstone

Cross cut saw Buck saw Scoop shovel

3 baskets Wash boiler Wringer Wash board

Gas can Kerosene can Churn and dash 30-gal. crock

2 5-gallon crocks 2 5-gallon jugs

Several other crocks Coal scuttle Fire shovel

Slop jar Vinegar keg Zinc half bushel

9 ft. step ladder Mail box Good spade

Spike tooth V-Harrows Walking cultivator

Set Kalamazoo scales in good condition 2 pitch forks

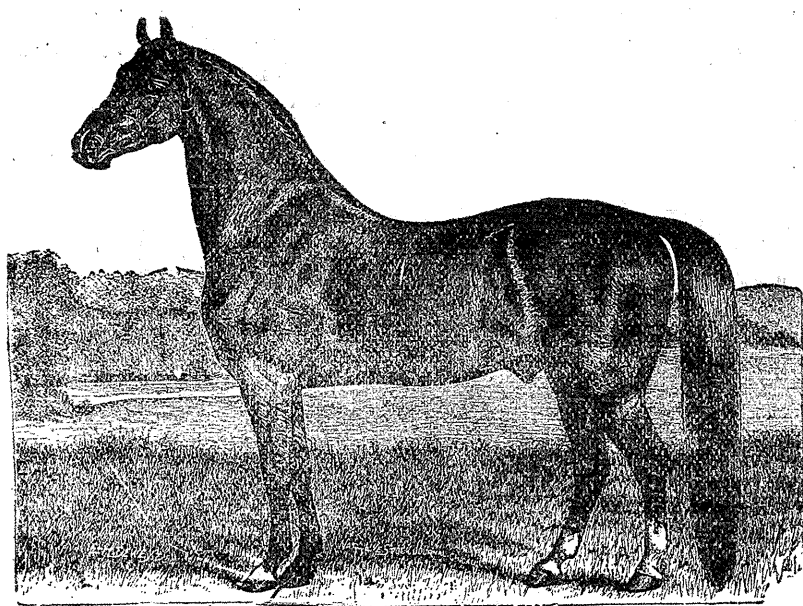
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Henry Biglow, Proprietor COL. J. MCKENZIE will do the selling.

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Cass City

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Saturday, March 8th

to purchase horses in good condition, weighing 1,200 pounds and up; 5 years old and over.

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The famous Lasco with the Hinge Door  
Impervious to the effects of acid, moisture, heat or cold

Our liberal selling plan makes it possible for every farmer to own a silo. There is no longer any excuse for a farmer not to own a silo. Butter fat has reached a high figure, good beef is selling at prices you never dreamed of a few years ago; in fact all farm products demand top-notch prices. A silo erected this season will pay for itself in one year. It will increase the stock carrying capacity of your farm 25%, without increasing the acreage in corn.

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STANLEY WARNER, Agent.

He will be glad to talk with you any day and explain the features of construction of the Lasco tile silo—how it is built to last a lifetime—reinforced with steel rods encircling the silo at every course, and embedded in cement, how the all-steel door frame, the famous Ladder Hinge Door, and the King-B Gambrel Roof make the Lasco the world's greatest tile silo.

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SCHOOL NOTES

The twelfth grade have started the study of "Burke's Conciliation with America."

Arthur Walker has been employed as bookkeeping instructor in the high school.

Miss Hazel Hickey visited over the week-end at her parental home in Fairgrove.

Miss Maude Soderquist spent the week-end at her home in Bay City.

Ashley Root has returned to the fourth grade after a long absence.

Fern Benkelman and Myrtle Darling have returned to the third grade after an attack of influenza.

The fourth grade gave a play Tuesday afternoon.

The seniors are selecting a play which they will give in the near future.

Marion Bixby from Syracuse, N. Y., has entered the eighth grade. She is residing at the home of C. J. Striffler.

Harry Whale is a new pupil in the kindergarten this week.

Doings of the Sixth Grade.

We are studying feudalism.

We are sure we saw the "first" robin.

Lucy Lockwood entered our grade on Monday.

Mrs. Dailey was a welcome visitor at our room on Friday.

Ivan Dickinson of Bad Axe visited us on Monday.

NOVESTA.

Neil Bailly is in Detroit this week. Edward Gingrich is spending a few days in Akron.

Mrs. Clyde Quick returned home Saturday from Sterling where she has been visiting friends.

Harry Gray, who has been in France for several months, returned to his home here on Tuesday of last week.

The Linn W. C. T. U. was postponed for this week. Will meet at the Church of Christ Wednesday, Mar. 12.

A little daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. John Holcomb Monday, March 3. She has been named Dorothy Eleanor.

The team of George Young became frightened last Friday as he was on his way to Cass City. He was thrown out and his leg was broken.

Wm. Zinnecker, Stanley Warner, Amasa Anthes and Ora Delong, each took a load of goods to Deckerville this week for John Delong.

Mrs. C. Hulburt was called to Leonard last Friday on account of the serious illness of her sister-in-law, Mrs. Cash Hulburt. She returned Tuesday.

The Deford Farmers' Club will meet with Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Warner next Tuesday, Mar. 11. The annual oyster dinner and election of officers should attract a large number at this occasion.

CASS CITY MARKETS.

Cass City, Mich., Mar. 6, 1919.	
Buying Price—	
Wheat .....	2.08 2.10
Oats .....	1.55
Rye, bu .....	1.19
Barley, cwt .....	1.70
Peas, bu .....	2.00
Buckwheat .....	2.50
Eggs, per dozen .....	.34
Butter, per lb. ....	.40
Cattle .....	.5 11½
Fat sheep, live wt, per lb. ....	.5 8
Lambs, live wt, per lb. ....	.13 15½
Hogs, live wt, per lb. ....	.14½ 16
Calves, live wt. ....	.10 15
Geese .....	.15
Turkeys .....	.22 25
Hens .....	.23 25
Broilers .....	.23 25
Ducks .....	.25
Hides .....	.15

FARMER MEMBERS FORCE ISSUE

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estimated at \$15,000 a year, is to supply each boy with one-half ounce of butter and one pint of milk daily. At present they get no milk and butter. The senate also has received a bill to allow \$600,000 for a new building for the boys' school. The sale of the property of the school in Lansing already has been authorized. Its value is estimated at \$1,000,000 or more. Of the sum realized from this sale the school may also use \$700,000 on its new institution, out in the country. This will give it a \$1,300,000 establishment.

The Weidenfeller bill to create an emergency fund of \$100,000 to be at the disposal of the governor for use in time of public emergency, epidemics or disasters has been favorably reported to the house. Also favorably reported are the compensation and budget bills, both based on the reports of commissions which were authorized by the last legislature. The budget bill already has passed the senate.

Several changes in the township laws affecting townships that have an assessed valuation of ten millions or more are proposed in bills introduced in the house. One would allow such townships to raise and spend as much as \$25,000 a year on ordinary and contingent expenses. Another would allow a clerk for the supervisor in such a township. Still another would allow four assessors for such a township.

to carry into effect the road building program that would follow the adoption by the people in the April election of the proposal to bond the state for a sum not to exceed \$50,000,000, Senator Herbert F. Baker, of Cheboygan, has introduced a bill in the senate whose ultimate fate will depend on whether or not the people adopt the bonding proposition.

The Baker bill would place the road building work of the state in charge of the state highway commissioner, two deputy commissioners and an advisory board of five members, the latter to be named by the governor on the recommendation of the highway commissioner. The salary of the highway commissioner would be set at \$7,500 a year; the deputies at \$3,500 a year each. The advisory committee members would get \$10 a day each for actual time put in. The entire commission would have complete power over all the roads of the state and decide the expenditure of the money derived from the sale of state bonds. Not more than three members of the advisory committee could belong to one political party and one of the five would have to be an upper peninsula man.

Bills have been introduced in both houses which would allow the Detroit school board to take over the Detroit College of Medicine and Surgery and make it a part of the city school system, with the board of education empowered to issue diplomas to graduates. At present the school board really is running the college, but officially it is in charge of a board of trustees. The Detroit board also wants the law changed which limits it to 4 per cent interest on bonds issued for building purposes. It is unable to sell bonds which it has behind several proposed school buildings now badly needed, because it cannot pay interest enough to attract investors.

A market for road district bonds in the banks of the state, another variety of bonds which there has been some difficulty in marketing, is provided in a bill which has been passed by the senate. This bill permits banks to purchase such bonds. The present banking laws prescribe the kinds of bonds banks may own, but were written before road district bonds were invented, hence the necessity of a new law to include the new bonds.

Public utility legislation is beginning to loom large at this session. Several measures have been proposed to extend the control of cities over utility companies. Now Rep. Dufoe, of Alpena, has introduced a bill to establish a public service commission for the state with complete power over all public utilities, the state taking control instead of cities. The bill would abolish the state railroad commission and transfer all its powers to the new commission, besides enlarging the powers and scope of the new body to a greater degree ever known in Michigan. The utility companies are caught between the increasing desire by cities for municipal ownership and regulation and by the demand for more stringent state regulation. Their usual contention is that they welcome regulation, but want to know where it is coming from, and that unregulated operation by either public or private control cannot succeed permanently.

Just what attitude the legislature will take on the whole matter of utility companies is not yet certain. It is probable that several big public hearings will be had at which sentiment may be developed after hearing the arguments advanced.

Senator Bierd and Rep. Martin have introduced Gov. Sleeper's bill for a state park commission to establish a system of state parks. An allowance of \$100,000 a year for the next two years is made for the purchase of property. The commission is to consist of ten members, to serve without pay, but with expenses allowed. The commissioners would have ten year terms, with the first commission including two members with two year terms, two with four years, two with six years, two with eight years and two with ten years.

The eight-hour day bills before the house, on which the largest public hearing of the session was held, will go over to the next legislature for determination if a bill introduced by Rep. Smith, of Port Huron, goes through. This provides for a commission of nine, named by the governor, to investigate the subject of hours of labor by workers of Michigan and to report to the 1921 legislature.

Rep. Braman has introduced a bill to allow township clerks to sell hunting licenses. Rep. Mol would have game wardens who have served six years or longer paid \$6 a day by the state. Rep. Wiley has put in a bill to have county road commissioners appointed by boards of supervisors instead of being elected to office.

The house had a couple of sharp tilts over the first salary raising bills that came along on its calendar, the advocates of no increases suffering defeat by votes of 57 to 35. The increases allowed are for supervisors to get \$5 a day for attending meetings and \$4 a day for making highway tax assessments.

HIGHWAY BONDS NOT AN ISSUE THIS ELECTION

VOTE ON APRIL 7 MERELY AUTHORIZES PEOPLE TO USE CREDIT OF STATE.

\$50,000,000 ONLY A LIMIT

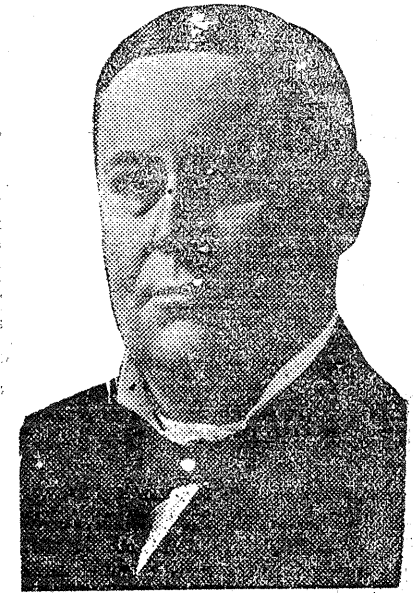
Must Have Fund Available to Meet Uncle Sam's Dollar-For-Dollar Offer.

(By P. T. Colgrove, President Mich. State Good Roads Assn.)

Everywhere I go I am asked about "this road bond issue".

There is no bond issue!

The question to be submitted to the people at the election April 7th, involves merely an amendment to the constitution to give the citizens of the state the authority through their representatives in the Legislature to issue bonds from time to time to complete a system of main market highways throughout Michigan and to assure us our share of the money Uncle Sam is going to turn over for road work in progressive states.



P. T. COLGROVE

When Michigan was admitted into the Union we had no roads, we did not think about bridges, we were thinking about Statehood. We were not thinking very much except about the things that the pioneers of Michigan brought here and which were dear to them, and that was the education of their children.

Not a Bond Issue.

Section 10 of Article 8 of the Constitution makes no provision for bonding this State, borrowing money or lending its credit except for insurrection and defense in case of war, now, we want to expand this section to care for Good Roads and make Federal Aid in vast sums available to Michigan. The measure now pending in Congress known as the Swanson Bankhead will give to Michigan from five and a half to seventeen millions. The Federal government is realizing the fact that it has been making a great mistake during the past half century. We are not criticising the fact that millions and millions and hundreds of millions have been spent by the Federal government to deepen our water ways and our rivers and our harbors. Splendid!

But now we have the automobile and the truck. Another arm of transportation must be recognized. The railways have been pretty well cared for, as long as you and I can remember, ever since the Government took a hand in building transcontinental lines.

Railway to Every Door.

But we are not going to be content and we are not going to let this matter stop until we have built a railroad to every producer's home. At least we may call it his railroad, because to him it is all of that. It doesn't have any tracks, but it has a good bed upon which the truck and the automobile may come and go every day.

The men who founded the Roman empire established the precedent for Michigan's main market highway, when they said that all roads must lead into Rome. They built the roads and they built the Empire. Those roads are standing today just as perfect as the day the Appian Way was built 400 years before the birth of Christ. The Empire has fallen. Good Roads are more enduring than an Empire.

I do believe that the day has come when the people of Michigan are resolved that this great playground of ours along the shores of Lake Michigan will not longer turn its back upon the hundreds of thousands of men and women from the southland and from the west and from the southeast, who today are not coming into Michigan, but going into the New England States, where they spend from \$50,000,000 to \$100,000,000 every summer.

Tourists Will Pay Bill.

One summer of tourists along the shores of Lake Michigan after we have completed this beautiful system of highways will bring into our state money enough to pay for the whole system of hard surfaced roads of Michigan. Up and down the old Dixie, I have been time and time again and I have heard the southern people almost cry out from the bottom of their hearts:

"Why don't you people in Michigan make it possible for us to come over the sags and over the hills and through the mire to your beautiful lakes?" Uncle Sam is anxious to help us let them in.

He is ready to pay half of the bill.



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R & G Corsets insure an adequate foundation for every gown or suit you wear. They are built on lines of sturdy serviceability, and they afford comfort and gracefulness as well as firm support.

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WOMEN'S JULIETS with elastic sides for house wear, all sizes, Saturday only .....\$2.25

CHILDREN'S JERSEY GLOVES 15c.

MEN'S HEAVY CANVAS GLOVES, 20c.

MEN'S HEAVY WORK SHOES in brown blucher with tips, Saturday only .....\$3.00

MEN'S ARMY SHOES, brown with soft tips, a \$6.00 value, Saturday only .....\$4.95

BOYS' CALF BLUCHER SHOES, sizes 2½ to 5½, Saturday only, .....\$2.35

LADIES' 60c BLACK CAT HOSIERY Saturday only ..... 45c

LADIES' COMFORT SHOES with rubber heels, Saturday only. .\$.3.75

One lot of INFANTS' SHOES in Odds and Ends ..... 69c

Any BOY'S WINTER CAP, 65c value on Saturday only..... 49c

Any Child's Winter RAH RAH HAT values up to \$1.25 ..... 49c

Any SWEATER we have left ¼ OFF for Saturday.

MISSSES' G. M. LACE SHOES, Special for Saturday, sizes 11½ to 2 .....\$2.35

Any Men's or Ladies' Button Shoe in the Store One-quarter Off--Saturday Only

It will pay you to look these bargains over.

BOYS' NEW SPRING SUITS \$5.00 to \$16.50

All the new styles for School and Sunday wear.

BOYS' SPRING CAPS 59c, 69c, \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50

Golf and Trench Models they're called.

BOYS' NEW SPRING HATS 69c to \$1.50

Sailors, Marines and Aviation Insignia in the newest for boys.

BOYS' BLOUSES AND SHIRTS 85c and \$1.00

In dark and light colors, for School or Sunday wear.

And Boys' and Children's Shoes

In the Largest Assortment We Have Ever Shown.

BOYS' BLACK CALF ENGLISH SHOES Sizes 1 to 6, \$3.75.

MISSSES' BROWN MILITARY LACE with cloth tops just received, sizes 11½ to 2, \$3.85.

BOYS' HEAVY BLACK BLUCHER for heavy country wear, sizes 2½ to 5½, \$3.25.

CHILDREN'S LACE CALF SHOES 8½ to 11, for school wear, \$2.25.

LITTLE GENTS' HEAVY BLUCHER Shoes, \$2.50, sizes 9½ to 13½.

INFANTS' "FIRST STEP" SHOES in patents, kids and colored, tops. Comfort and wear combined.

NEW SPRING (FIRST SHOWING) OF HATS AND CAPS FOR MEN.

