

LARGEST CLASS IN HISTORY OF SCHOOL

THIRTY-SEVEN PRESENTED WITH DIPLOMAS ON WEDNESDAY.

Class Day Exercises, Much Enjoyed, Attracted Large Audience Tuesday Evening.

Class of 1921.

Glenn Bixby, Eva Brackenbury, Irene Brown, Hollis Brown, Gillies Brown, Eldon Bruce, Maxine Campbell, Helen Craig, Kathryn Cridland, May Dunlap, Letha Ewing, Mildred Fritz, Nora Gallagher, Albert Gallagher, Marie Gemmill, Frances Goodall, Aileen Gordon, Irene Gordon, Mable Hall, J. C. Hutchinson, Alexandra MacKenzie, Ruby Marshall, Pearl Marshall, Morten McBurney, Robert McConkey, Alice McConnell, Irma Perry, Frederick Pinney, Irene Quinn, Lillian Rogers, Morley Smith, Arley Spencer, Vernon Striffler, Belva Tibbals, Fern Wager, Inis Whale, Charles Wood.

The annual commencement exercises of the Cass City high school were held Wednesday evening at the opera house when a class of 37, the largest in the history of the school, were presented with diplomas.

The program opened with the class march played by Mrs. I. D. McCoy. Rev. W. W. Edwards of the Presbyterian church gave the invocation and Dr. I. D. McCoy, in pleasing voice, gave a vocal solo entitled "Invictus."

Supt. Holmes introduced Paul Hickey, president of the Detroit Institute of Technology, who gave the commencement address on the subject, "Just Demands."

Mr. Hickey advised the graduates that they had a good hard fight ahead of them. Brute force, in past ages considered the predominating power, has been placed in the background and the world has since recognized and demanded intellect. Besides honesty and intense earnestness, qualities demanded of young people who desire success are persistence, and ability to do a task fast and do it well, and the talent to work well with other people. We don't get praise by demanding it, we get praise by deserving it, said the speaker.

Mr. Hickey's address abounded with sound, practical suggestions and was an inspiring discourse. Equally pleasing was the address of Mrs. Edward Pinney, who presented the class with their diplomas. The evening's program was closed by all singing "America."

Junior-Senior Banquet

At the M. E. church Monday evening, the junior class entertained the seniors at the annual banquet. The church parlors where the banquet took place was tastefully decorated in the colors of the two classes, blue and white for the seniors, and black and gold for the juniors. The tables, at which covers were laid for 87 guests, were prettily decorated with ferns and large bouquets of flowers.

The following delicious menu was served by Mrs. D. N. Fritz, Mrs. M. Ferguson, Mrs. Angus McPhail, Mrs. Chas. Day, Mrs. P. E. Fleming and the Misses Catherine Fritz, Hazel Robinson, Hazel Lorde, each. Caroline Keating, Laura Bigelow, Kathryn McLarty and Esther Cridland:

Fruit cocktail
Creamed chicken Escalloped potatoes
Jelly
Olives Pickles
Creamed peas in cases
Joy salad Saratoga flakes
Rolls Coffee
Ice cream Cakes
Mints

When the tables had been cleared, the guests enjoyed this program: Instrumental solo, Earl Harris. Toastmaster, Mr. Holmes. "Unity", Frederick Pinney. Piano solo, Mrs. I. D. McCoy. "Next", Vernon Severance. Violin solo, Randall Lamb. "If", composed by Miss Grimm, given by Miss Elliott. Reading, Velma Warner. "Our Aim", Mrs. Pinney. Piano duet, Maxine Campbell and Eva Brackenbury. "Remember", Rev. Newberry. The evening closed by the singing of "America" by all present.

Class Day Exercises.

A large audience enjoyed the class day exercises at the opera house Tuesday evening. The stage was beautifully decorated with ferns, and as Belva Tibbals, the class musician, played the class march, the class marched two by two down the aisle of the opera house, through an archway of blue and white, the class colors, to their places on the stage. Seated with the class were the high school faculty and members of the board of education.

In a very pleasing voice, Lillian
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HOLSTEIN BREEDERS OF SANILAC TO ORGANIZE

The Holstein Breeders of Sanilac county are planning on calling a meeting some time soon for the purpose of forming a breeders' association.

D. D. Aitkin, president of the National Holstein Friesian association, will be the principal speaker. He is recognized by the different dairy forces of the United States as one of the highest authority on dairy problems. The meeting is open to everyone whether a breeder of Holstein or not. County Agent Martin announces that the meeting will be held in Sandusky June 30.

WORLD CALLS FOR TRAINED LEADERS

REV. POHLY ADVISES GRADUATES TO TIE TO HIGH PURPOSE.

Evangelical Church Crowded to Doors at Baccalaureate Service Sunday Evening.

The opening event of commencement week of Cass City high school was the annual baccalaureate services. These were held in the Evangelical church on Sunday evening. The edifice was crowded to the doors and many were unable to find seats.

Beautiful, fragrant bouquets and potted plants decorated the rostrum. As Miss Laura Striffler, pianist, and Francis Russo, violinist, played the "March Religieuse," the 37 members of the Class of 1921 marched down the aisle and were given seats reserved for them. They were followed by members of the junior class and the high school instructors.

Special musical numbers were a violin solo by Mr. Russo of Detroit, a vocal duet by Mrs. A. Creguer and Miss Gertrude Schiele, and a selection by the men's chorus. The scripture lesson was read by Rev. Wm. Richards of the M. E. church and Rev. Newberry of the Baptist church gave the invocation.

Rev. F. L. Pohly, pastor of the Evangelical church, preached the baccalaureate sermon to the class, taking for his text Phil. 3:8. The address was replete with good thoughts, showing the young people just starting on life's road how much there is yet to be learned and how the value of true knowledge is inestimable. Mr. Pohly said in part:

Class of 1921, of the Cass City high school, members of the faculty, and friends:

I deem it a great privilege indeed, and an high honor to be invited to preach the baccalaureate sermon for the largest class, by a goodly majority, in the history of the Cass City high school. First of all, we wish to congratulate you, as a class, for having successfully completed the prescribed course of study thus far in your educational career. We trust it may be possible for all of you to further continue your studies in some higher institution of learning. May you never fail, however, to recognize or appreciate the large part your parents and teachers have given to make your success possible.

We have chosen as our subject tonight, "The More Excellent Knowledge," based upon the words of Paul in his letter to the Philippians, third chapter and eighth verse:—"I count all things but loss for the excellency of the knowledge of Christ Jesus my Lord."

Paul was a learned man. Born at Tarsus, the capital of the province of Cilicia, and no mean city, as he himself declares, his earliest life was in the midst of an educational center. One has said of Tarsus, "In all that relates to philosophy and general education, it was even more illustrious than Athens and Alexandria." Although it is probable that Paul did not receive his early education in the Greek schools, he became, however, early acquainted with the Greek literature as well as the Hebrew. He was likewise trained by his parents in the strictest belief of the Jews. His education was mainly obtained at Jerusalem at the feet of Gamaliel, a Jewish rabbi of the highest distinction. In short, we believe, he received the best education that age could afford.

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NOTICE.

The Village of Cass City is starting a new set of books; also is starting new accounts with all parties. The Village Council is very anxious to have all accounts accrued prior to June 1st paid. These accounts have been put into the hands of the Village Finance Committee and if you know you have an account, please pay it at the Cass City Bank.
Finance Committee,
M. B. AUTEN,
E. J. DAILEY,
—Adv. H. D. SCHIEDEL.

Highest Individual Point Winners at County and Tri-County High School Track Meets



GILLIES BROWN
Winner of most points at Tri-county meet on June 17. He is a member of the senior class of Cass City high school.



DONALD SEED
Highest individual point winner at Tuscola county meet June 10. He is a junior in Cass City high school.

PRETTY WEDDING AT THE POPLARS IN NOVESTA TWP.

Martha L. Coleman Becomes Bride of Ben E. Bowman, Jr. on Wednesday, June 22.

A quiet but very pretty wedding took place at "The Poplars," the pleasant home of Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Coleman in Novesta township on Wednesday noon when their daughter, Martha L., was united in marriage with Mr. Ben E. Bowman, jr., of Pontiac, by the Rev. Mr. Beynon of Deford.

The bride wore a beautiful gown of white pussywillow taffeta and carried a bouquet of bridal roses. The groom was attired in the conventional black. They were attended by the groom's brother, Norman Bowman, and Miss Frances Hatch of Pontiac, a cousin of the bride. Miss Hatch wore a lovely gown of rose colored silk and carried a bouquet of sweet peas and maiden-hair ferns.

The double ring service was used, the bride's little nephew, Coleman Lee, carrying the rings. The ceremony took place under a canopy of ferns, and a pink and white arch, at the end of which stood the bride and her two little nieces. Miss Marjorie Lee dressed in blue silk and Miss Edna Coleman in pink silk. Miss Roberta Donaghy, looked very sweet in canary colored silk carrying a pretty basket of flowers which she strewed along the bride's pathway.

Miss Lillian Martin played and sang "I Promise Thee" which was beautifully rendered.

After the usual congratulations, the bridal party sat down to a four-course dinner which was served in colonial style by the Misses Norma and Ruth Retherford and Miss Inis Whale of Cass City. The wedding cake was of the old style, an eight-story creation decorated in pink and white and covered with an arch holding a bell and under it a miniature bridal couple. The bride's cake was oblong and three-story with beautiful decorations in white icing. The groom's cake looked equally as well in pink trimmings.

The happy couple left on a wedding trip to Niagara Falls and other points east amid the usual shower of rice and old shoes. The automobile taking them to the boat was thoroughly decorated by the young friends of the couple while the bridal party were enjoying the wedding dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Bowman will make their home in Pontiac.

FIVE SILOS BLOWN DOWN IN SATURDAY'S STORM

Five silos were blown down and a barn unroofed south of Colwood in a windstorm Saturday afternoon. The tent of the Tuscola County camp meeting association which was pitched in that vicinity was blown down, but was repaired in time for Sunday's services.

MISSIONARY SOCIETY ELECTS OFFICERS

Last Friday, the ladies of the Methodist Missionary society made their way to the home of Mrs. Garfield Leishman, five miles west of town, where the annual meeting of the society was held. Reports were given by the delegates who attended the district convention at Port Huron last month. The following officers were elected for the coming year:

President, Mrs. J. M. Dodge.
First vice president, Mrs. Proctor.
Second vice pres., Mrs. L. I. Wood.
Recording secretary, Miss Gable.
Treasurer, Mrs. H. R. Wager.
Corresponding secretary, Mrs. J. J. Gallagher.

A pot luck supper was enjoyed by all.

FIFTH INNING WAS NERVE-RACKING

FAIRGROVE HELD SCORELESS EXCEPT IN ONE "AWFUL" INNING.

Cass City Credited with 19 Hits; Win Game by a 20-12 Score Tuesday.

That a game is never won until the last man is counted out was demonstrated Tuesday afternoon when Cass City fans visited Fairgrove to watch the league teams of the two villages contest for base ball honors.

Up to the fifth inning, Cass City had everything their own way. The local team had made 13 hits and 14 men had crossed the home plate, while the Fairgrove team had only one hit to its credit and no runs. Cass City players and fans decided the game was as good as won, but their confidence was severely shaken in the fifth period. The work of the locals during this particular inning Continued on page four.

GOLD MEDAL CONTEST NEXT FRIDAY EVENING

The W. C. T. U. will conduct a gold medal contest at the M. E. church at Cass City Friday evening, July 1. Five contestants will participate. In addition to this talent, several musical numbers and readings will be added to the program.

JUNE WEDDING AT JACKSON PRETTY EVENT

Miss Mildred Wilkinson Weds A. Burton Mead of North Dakota.

A charming June wedding was that of Miss Mildred Wilkinson and Albert Burton Mead, which was solemnized Tuesday evening, June 14, at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Ida May Wilkinson, 126 Oakdale avenue, Jackson, Mich. Rev. Frederick Spence performed the ceremony which united the young people, the service being witnessed by relatives and close friends.

Field daisies, roped with greenery, and palms formed the background for the bridal party, the young couple standing beneath a canopy of the field daisies. The library was done in blue, bachelor buttons being used, and a color scheme of pink and white prevailed in the dining room.

The bride was gowned in white satin and lace, with long strings and tassels of pearls. She wore a veil with pearls, and her flowers were bride's roses. Mrs. Miller of Detroit, sister of the groom, was the matron of honor and was attired in mauve organdie, with a corsage of Russell roses, while Miss Una Sanford, bridesmaid, wore maize colored organdie and Ophelia roses.

F. C. Stone of Detroit, assisted as best man. The wedding march was rendered by Miss Eleanor Foote, piano, and Miss Margaret Foote, violin.

Late in the evening Mr. and Mrs. Mead left for a wedding trip in Michigan, later going to their future home in Dickinson, N. Dakota.

Out-of-town guests present at the wedding were Mr. and Mrs. Kidder of Royal Oak, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Pfeife and Mrs. Winans of Birmingham; Mr. and Mrs. Bathrick, of Battle Creek; Mr. and Mrs. Miller of Detroit and Miss Ralph Snyder of Chicago.

ORANGE WALK AT SANDUSKY, JULY 12

Orangemen of Eastern Michigan will hold their annual July 12th celebration at Sandusky. League ball game, lots of music, prizes, etc. Everybody welcome.—Adv. 6-24-3

CASS CITY WINS TRI-COUNTY MEET

LOCAL SCHOOL GETS TWICE NO. OF POINTS OF NEAREST COMPETITOR.

Bad Axe Defeats Sandusky's Ball Team 14-12 in Loosely Played Game.

Cass City schools won the highest honors at the tri-county track and field meet held at Caro Friday, securing more than twice the number of points of the nearest competitor. Cass City is credited with 37 1-3 points, Caro with 18, Millington 15, Vassar 14, Bad Axe 7, Reese 5 1-3, Marlette 5, Sandusky 3 1-3, Sebawaing 3.

Gillies Brown of Cass City is high point winner of the meet with 15 1/4 points. He won first place in the running broad jump and in the running high jump and tied with Everts of Vassar for first place in the low hurdles. Brown was also a member of Cass City team which won the half mile relay.

Wright of Millington came a close second with 15 points. Eastham of Caro came third with 10 points to his credit.

Better records were made in seven events at the tri-county meet than were made the previous Friday at the Tuscola county meet which was also won by Cass City. The events in which better records were made were the pole vault, the running high jump, the 440-yard dash, the running broad jump, the low hurdles, the mile run and the relay. In five of these, local athletes stood in first place.

100-yard dash—1st, Wright, Millington; 2nd, Bradley, Caro; 3rd, Smith, Cass City. Time, 10 2-5 sec.
Shot put—1st, Eastham, Caro; 2nd, Fremont, Bad Axe; 3rd, Van Petten, Reese. Distance, 39 ft., 11 1/2 in.

880-yard run—1st, R. Smith, Caro; 2nd, Proctor, Vassar; 3rd, McConkey, Cass City. Time, 2:15.
Discus throw—1st, Eastham, Caro; 2nd, Van Petten, Reese; 3rd, Pinney, Cass City. Distance, 94 ft., 11 in.

220-yard dash—1st, Wright, Millington; 2nd, H. Smith, Cass City; 3rd, Smiser, Bad Axe. Time, 23 seconds.

Pole vault—1st, Cawood, Marlette; Seed of Cass City and McKeen of Vassar tied for second place. Distance, 9 ft., 6 in.

Running high jump—1st, Brown, Cass City; 2nd, McDonald, Bad Axe; Seed of Cass City, Van Petten of Reese and Alexander of Sandusky tied for third place. Distance, 5 ft., 2 1/2 in.

440-yard dash—1st, Wright, Millington; 2nd, H. Smith, Cass City; 3rd, Proctor, Vassar. Time, 53 sec.

Running broad jump—1st, Brown, Cass City; 2nd, Lee, Sebawaing; 3rd, Seed Cass City. Distance 19 ft. 6 1/2 in.

120 yd. low hurdles—Brown, Cass City and Everts of Vassar tied for first place. 3rd, Longhurst, Vassar. Time, 15 sec.

Mile run—1st, Goodall, Cass City; 2nd, Harper, Sandusky; 3rd, McConkey, Cass City. Time, 5:05.

Half mile relay—1st, Cass City; 2nd, Vassar; 3rd, Reese. Time, 1:42.
Bad Axe won base ball honors from Sandusky by a 14-12 score in a contest which featured much hitting and many errors.

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ODD FELLOW MEMORIAL SERVICE HELD SUNDAY

Graves of Odd Fellows and Rebekahs in Elkland Cemetery Were Decorated.

An impressive service was held at the Presbyterian church Sunday morning when the pastor, Rev. W. W. Edwards, gave the Odd Fellow memorial address. Nearly 100 members of the Odd Fellow and Rebekah fraternities were present and listened with close attention to Rev. Edwards' sermon which was based on the subject of fraternity.

Following the church service, the graves of departed members of the two societies in Elkland cemetery were decorated with flowers.

DEPARTMENT PLACING HIGHWAY MARKERS

Representatives of the State Highway Department have been working in the Thumb district, the past ten days placing new guide posts and markers on the state trunk lines. The new markers are more substantial than the old ones and show all curves, railroad crossings and other dangerous points along the highway.

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GAGETOWN.

Edgar Wood was in Pigeon Friday. C. F. Stearns still continues in ill health.

Mrs. Wood is having her house painted.

Miss Frankie Beckett is home for the summer.

Miss Florence Purdy visited in Caro Wednesday.

Douglass Leipprandt was a visitor in town Friday.

Fred Gussell of Caro did business in town Monday.

J. L. Purdy transacted business in Cass City Monday.

Mr. Jecker of Caro is drilling two wells for our village.

J. L. Cathcart of Cass City was a caller in town Sunday.

Mrs. Nina Kennell is in Ann Arbor to have her eyes treated.

Mrs. Herrington is visiting at the home of her son, Ralph.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy La Fave motored to Bay Port Sunday.

Miss Koepfgen was a guest at the L. C. Purdy home Tuesday.

Miss Tena Crawford came home from Mt. Pleasant Normal Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Williams and Mrs. J. Munro were in Caro Monday.

Miss Barnes and Miss McGregory were guests at John Munroe's Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Mullen announce the arrival of a little daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. John Golley of Saginaw announce the arrival of a little son.

Mrs. F. D. Hemerick and Mrs. N. C. Maynard spent Sunday at Rose Island.

Miss Burleigh and Mrs. Miller attended Presbyterian services in Caro Sunday.

Miss Cora Clara will leave Saturday for Ypsilanti to take a summer normal course.

Mrs. John Munro entertained a company of ladies at her home one day last week.

The M. P. church of Gagetown and Brookfield will enjoy their annual picnic at Bay Port Friday.

D. McLaughlin of Lansing, examiner of board of state tax commissioners, was in town Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Lehman spent the week-end in Saginaw, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. Rushleau.

Ephraim La Fave has purchased the Lenhard lots west of the public school and will build a residence soon.

Mrs. Ed. Combs entertained the M. P. aid at her pleasant home Thursday of last week. A large number were present.

Mrs. La Frantz of Pinconning, who has been visiting among relatives several days, returned to her home Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Johnson and daughter of Otter Lake visited Sunday with their aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Stearns.

Mr. and Mrs. John F. Seeley and family and Mademoiselle Pratincoy of Alma college were Sunday guests at the J. L. Purdy home.

Mrs. Myrtle La Fave Sias of Detroit, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. La Fave, returned to her home Wednesday.

Alfred Fischer will move his family to Cass City in a very short time. Sorry to have them leave us, but delighted they are not going far away.

Mrs. Wm. Simmons, at Bad Axe hospital, will be home soon it is hoped by her many friends here. She has received beautiful flowers, gifts, post card showers, all that her friends could do for her.

Mr. and Mrs. Collins arrived Wednesday and were given a dinner at the home of the latter's father, Jas. Phelan. A large party of relatives and friends assembled at the depot to meet the newly weds.

The pupils of St. Agatha's school showed remarkable ability at the play given Friday evening. This closed a very successful term of school. The Dominican Sisters will soon leave for their vacation at the home in Adrian.

Gagetown people are pleased to hear of John Coots' graduation from a law course. John finished from Gagetown high school about six years ago.

Dr. Orr of Gilford visited Mr. and Mrs. Stearns a short time ago. The

doctor has been obliged to discontinue his practice and will go west on account of poor health.

Mrs. Rose Ritchie Muntz gave a picnic in Mrs. T. Wald's orchard Friday. This closes her eight years of teaching in the same district. She has been elected to succeed herself next term.

Miss Loretta Phelan and Mr. Collins whose engagement was announced several months ago, were married Monday. Mr. Collins is a young business man of Detroit. Congratulations.

Mrs. Touchette, one of the old residents of French town, died at her son's home in Pinconning. Her remains were accompanied by nine relatives from her home. Funeral at St. Agatha's church Tuesday of last week. She was laid beside her husband who preceded her several years ago.

An anticipation, on our social calendar, of a year's standing, took place Saturday at the home of Mrs. Geo. Carolan. An outdoor drama had been planned to be staged in the Carolan park. Owing to the cloudy sky and frequent showers, the theatricals were forced to give a more simple, unrehearsed indoor drama. The amateur performers arrived early and enjoyed a splendid visit. At 4:30, after the second thunder storm, the professional actors arrived, who were Mrs. N. C. Maynard and daughter, Mrs. Hemerick and her mother, Mrs. John Munro, Mrs. Sugnet and Mrs. Mose Freeman. In the first act, "A request and giving" Mrs. Sugnet rendered her famous violin solo. The second "The village gossip who was found but"—consisted of twenty characters. The third act was "All well that ends well," in which the hostess gave a reading and announced a Bohemian plate lunch. After the drama, came a farce entitled "The Paddle Target" in which Mrs. Geo. Purdy played the "leading lady." After lunch, all those who felt they had over-eaten were given a pleasant tonic followed by a sip of wine. At 6:30, the village chauffeurs arrived and the curtain fell all too soon.

The baccalaureate sermon was delivered Sunday evening at the M. E. church by the Rev. William W. Edwards, of Cass City. Rev. Mr. Scott, pastor of the church presided. The preacher's theme was "The Seeker after Life." Text taken from Luke 18:18. Mr. Edwards drew some very practical lessons: 1. Have a worthy purpose. 2. Have a worthy program, a definite plan of translating your purpose into deed. 3. Have a prize to struggle for worthy of your manhood and womanhood. "Today," said the speaker, "Every calling offers great opportunities for good if faithfully pursued. The main thing is to honor your calling. Magnify it. Do not try to do too many things. The world will judge you largely by what you do. Let us, then, be up and doing, with a heart for any fate."

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WICKWARE.

Ernest Woodruff and Geo. French of Peck spent Sunday with Wesley Southerland.

Walter Gracey and Wesley Southerland, Mrs. J. Gordon and Vera Wells attended the tent meeting at Cass City Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Brown attended a family reunion at New Haven Friday. They returned home Sunday.

Fay Southerland visited friends at Argyle Sunday.

S. S. convention will be held June 25th at Wickware both afternoon and evening. Mr. Goodrich of Albion College will speak.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Gracey and family spent Sunday at the Jas. Turner home at Ellington.

A large crowd attended the Children's Day exercises held last Sunday. The speaking and singing was enjoyed by all.

Mrs. Thos. Nicol of Lansing visited Tuesday at the T. Nicol home.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Johnson entertained the following at dinner Sunday: Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Johnson of Pingree, Mr. and Mrs. Lovel Hagel and two daughters and Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Gibbons and little Willman Underhill, all of Sandusky.

ELMWOOD.

Mrs. Thomas Smith of Colwood was the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hiram McKellar, last week.

Frank Farnum and daughter, Elizabeth, of Owendale were callers in this burg Monday. Mrs. Isabell Farnum returned home with them for a short visit.

Chauncy Rockyfellow of Bach visited Mr. and Mrs. Jud Morse Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Youmans of Gagetown and Mr. and Mrs. James Grice and children of Colwood spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. George Youmans.

A. S. Evans, wife and family motored to Pigeon Friday on a visit to King Black.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Morse, Jud Morse and Miss Margaret visited cousins in Vassar Sunday.

Children's Day was observed at the Baptist church Sunday afternoon and Sunshine in the evening. Good program and a good attendance at both places.

Miss Leona Kennedy, sales manager of the Gagetown Co-op. store, was the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Kennedy, Sunday.

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But, he did not come to the early church with a desire to display his eloquence or learning. On the contrary, all his attainments were laid at the feet of Jesus. To know Jesus Christ and Him crucified was to him the highest of all knowledge. The very things that he could justly boast of as a gain to him in birth, in letters, in religion, he counted but loss for the excellency of the knowledge of Christ.

This is what we would rightfully covet for each member of this class. We covet for you a right conception of Christ, because in Him are hid all the treasures of wisdom and knowledge. Religion and education must go hand in hand. They are vitally inter-related. To be equipped with either at the expense of the other may result in religious fanaticism on the one hand, and a cold, heartless, lifeless, atheistic attitude on the other hand. A proper admixture of the two is highly important.

We come then, to the proposition that all true knowledge acquired by man is from God, the fountain of wisdom. As all true knowledge comes from God, so the paths of all true scientific investigation lead to Him. There is no contradiction between science and religion when properly investigated. The one bears testimony to the other.

Jesus Christ is said to be made of God unto us wisdom. 1 Cor. 1:30. He reveals the will and knowledge of God unto us. This He does in a sense to all men, in that all may be blessed with a degree of knowledge such as comes to us in natural ways. But in a greater and more intimate way, to the Christian who has appropriated Christ in his life. He reveals the Father.

You, dear friends, are now standing in the bright morning of your life. Your sky seems clear tonight and your prospects encouraging. You look forward into the future with buoyant hope. It is well that you do. But do not forget that this is but a Commencement. You have spent time, energy and thought, in the study, the class-room, the laboratory, solving great problems and working experiments laid out by greater minds than ours. We come to realize that we have only been discovering God's thoughts after Him. He is the background and foundation of all our limited knowledge and understanding. Greater problems than you have hitherto solved may yet confront you. A deep seriousness of life which will tax your most earnest endeavor and call out your highest mental and spiritual powers for solutions of a right order, will settle upon you.

The deeper we delve into the treasures of knowledge in the various fields of activity, the vaster do those fields appear to us, and the smaller becomes our own selfish conception of the knowledge we have obtained. In your school life thus far, you have simply been laying the foundation, on which you may build noble superstructures. Pres. A. A. Smith, of a small Christian college back in the 19th century said, "About all one can learn in a collegiate course, is his own ignorance." The eminent Pascal well remarked, that the difference between a learned and an unlearned man is, that the former is ignorant and knows it, while the latter is equally ignorant and does not know it—the one has a knowledge of his ignorance, the other is ignorant of his knowledge. No wonder the apostle Paul said, "If any man think that he knoweth anything, he knoweth nothing yet as he ought to know." About all the schools have been able to do for you is, to bring you to the vestibule of the vast temple of knowledge, to put you in the possession of the key, and then leave you to examine at leisure the wonderful structure.

The need for an excellent knowledge is greater than ever. The world is calling for trained leaders of the right type in every direction. Men and women who know how and why are wanted. The uncultured are being shoved to the side lines and bleachers to be merely lookers on. Far greater responsibilities rest upon the youth of the present day than upon those of any previous day. The world in its boiling, seething and troubled condition, is waiting for a proper readjustment along the lines of the Prince of Peace. Church and school must unite in meeting this need.

The value of true knowledge is inestimable. We have already asserted that all true knowledge comes from God and from His Son, Jesus Christ, since it was the good pleasure of the Father that in Him should all the fullness dwell.

In the first place, the pursuit of knowledge is valuable, aside from any practical use that can be made of it. The growth of every faculty depends upon the exercise we put upon it. We learn to think by thinking, to reason by reasoning. Whatever wakens the mind and calls its powers into vigorous action strengthens them and increased their efficiency. The acquiring of knowledge is important, not merely as an end, but as a means to a higher end.

The benefits of knowledge are seen in all departments of industry. It gives dignity to labor, makes every

useful calling honorable. Mere brute force can have no dignity. It is only as labor is connected with an intelligent mind that it has any dignity. All the improvements of the past, in agriculture, in machinery, in science and invention, the wonderful uses of electricity, the increase of wealth, the stupendous methods and means of carrying on military operations, are all due to the general diffusion of knowledge. Knowledge is valuable in all these respects; but its highest value is not to be found in the material good it secures. "Is not the life more than meat, and the body than raiment?" When industry shall be found to be the handmaid of piety, and when wealth shall be turned into channels of benevolence, and shall flow out in copious streams to bless the world we shall see how valuable knowledge is.

Knowledge has the effect to diminish crime. This may seem like a bold statement when viewed in the light of the world war and its consequent effects. But still I believe Holy Writ is correct when it says, "For lack of knowledge the people perished." History has shown that all the wars of the past have been waged thru more or less ignorance. Facts in the case applied to the consciences of people have brought about the reforms. Wherever knowledge is disseminated, it improves the moral condition of a people.

Knowledge is essential to the maintenance of a free government. For this purpose institutions of learning have always been held in high esteem by the American government.

Lastly, knowledge has its highest application to Christianity. The highest use of all knowledge is to reveal God to the soul, and bring it into union with the divine will. One has said that a true education runs up into and loses itself in religion, and man is a complete personality only as he attains to the fullness of the stature of Christ. Only as Christian education has found its way into the various countries have they risen in the scale of civilization.

But an infinitely greater value comes to the soul who applies himself unto Wisdom; who comes to know the excellency of the knowledge of Christ; who appropriates Jesus Christ in his heart and life by faith. Men are raised to a higher life, are saved eternally through the influence of truth. This truth Christ came to bear witness of.

Men blinded by sin have very erroneous conceptions of God and of Christ. Finite mind can never fully comprehend the Infinite. It has been said that as we view the revolutions of the planets from our standpoint on this world their motions seem to be irregular; now they are advancing, now retrograding. If we could take our stand upon the sun, the center of the system, all would appear to move with regularity and in harmony. So from the low planes of sin God's dealings and His truth often appear dark, mysterious, and contrary to the great principles of justice; whereas, a standpoint near the great center of light and love would make all luminous and harmonious. The soul of man must be brought into harmony with the divine mind before anything pertaining to God can be clearly seen. This is the high place to which Paul attained, and for which he was willing to sacrifice all things, earthly wisdom, distinction, honor and fame, if need be, for the excellency of the knowledge of Christ.

All knowledge is excellent, but the knowledge of Christ is the excellency of all knowledge. A knowledge of literature, of music, art, science, philosophy, history, and all other attainments are in themselves wonderful and invaluable, but a knowledge of a right relationship with Jesus Christ as He touches all of life transcends all this and increases our appreciation for the same.

Young people of this class. You are coming to the parting of the ways. Soon you will scatter in various directions. Some of you will go on to college and university; some will take up the teaching profession, and others into different vocations. I trust none will cease to study. But in all your further research and study, let Jesus Christ, the great Teacher, have first place in your life. He will lead you into realms of wisdom and knowledge that will place a finer and nobler value upon your attainments than otherwise you could have. Tie yourself up to a high and noble purpose and strive earnestly for its attainment in the spirit of Him who leads you in the way. We do not ask you to throw away your talents or knowledge but may they keep you humble and unselfish in your service to God and man. May you be able to say with Paul, "I count all things but loss for the excellency of the knowledge of Christ."

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SHABBONA.

John Smith and Fred Kemp of Pt. Huron were in town Tuesday.

Hazel Leslie and Clark Phillips, who have attended Albion college the past year, returned to their home here last week.

Mrs. Sam Mitchell and Mrs. Albert Kitchen visited relatives at Berlin Saturday and Sunday.

Harold Cook met with a slight accident Saturday. While driving past a wagon, he locked wheels and was overturned in the ditch.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. McMahon and family of Argyle and Mrs. Margaret Neville and Fred Neville of Cass City were entertained at the J. P. Neville home Sunday.

Anna Mitchell, Avis and Theresa Sangster spent Sunday at the home of the latter's sister, Mrs. Ferman Bright, of Sandusky.

Mrs. Jack McGimpsey of Tacoma, Wash., came Wednesday to spend a couple of months with relatives here.

Several from here attended L. D. S. special services at Minden City Sunday.

We are pleased to hear that Mrs. John D. Jones, who underwent an operation in Port Huron city hospital, is getting along splendidly.

Very warm and dry. Mrs. Mary Wheeler is visiting at Crosswell.

Mrs. E. Travis spent the week-end with her daughter, Mrs. L. Churchill.

Mrs. George Agar and two children of Pontiac spent the first of the week at the homes of F. McGregory and F. Auslander.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Auslander were Snover callers Monday.

Clark Phillips and Hazel Leslie have returned home from Albion college for their summer vacation.

Wb. Austin and daughter, Grace, of Sandusky were Sunday guests at the Frank McGregory home.

Mr. and Mrs. Amasa Brown are not very well at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. Vern McGregory and daughter, Marion, attended a family reunion at New Haven Saturday.

Mrs. John Chapman of Cass City visited her daughter, Mrs. H. McGregory, part of last week.

Friends of Mrs. Mattie Loucks are glad that she has been able to return

home. She has been a patient at the state hospital in Pontiac for the past three and one-half years.

T. W. Stitt and daughter, Hazel, spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Adams of Marlette.

Mrs. Jas. Cook is entertaining her sister from Seattle, Wash., and a cousin from Yale.

The Meredith family reunion was held at the home of John Pratt of Argyle June 16. About 115 were present.

KINGSTON-NOVESTA TOWN LINE.

Wm. Ashley has been on the sick list the past week.

Mrs. Henry Stephens and sons, Edward and Philip, of Birmingham visited here last week at the homes of Clark Courliss and J. D. Funk.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Van Blaricom entertained friends from Canada a few days the first part of the week.

Lee McConnell and Oscar Generaux of Detroit spent last week at their homes here.

A few of the neighbors of Wm. Ashley came to his home Tuesday forenoon and planted his potatoes for him.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Retherford and sons left Saturday morning to visit a few days with their daughter and sister, Mrs. Joyce Smith, of Jackson.

Mr. and Mrs. Lauren Mattoon of Pontiac and Mrs. Dell Searls of Alabama visited relatives and friends here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Coleman entertained company from Crosswell Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Evo were in Caro Tuesday.

Eber Coleman was in Detroit Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Martin spent Saturday evening and Sunday with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Campfield of Atkins.

Lewis Retherford and family were callers near Marlette Sunday afternoon.

Why Ball "Bounces."

A ball bounces because it possesses a quality known as elasticity. When a ball is thrown against the floor the ball becomes flat where it strikes the floor; because of its elasticity the ball immediately returns to its natural shape and in doing so forces itself back into the air—and that's the "bounce." A baseball flies away from the bat for the same reason.

CONVERTED JEWISH RABBI WILL SPEAK HERE JULY 4

Free Methodist Quarterly Meeting and Fourth-of-July Services

In a tabernacle pitched in Cass City on West Main St., east of the Farmer's Elevator, the fourth quarterly meeting of this conference year for the Evergreen, Cass City and Wilnot circuit will begin Friday evening, July 1st at 8:00 o'clock.

Three services will be held in the tabernacle Monday, July 4th at 10:00 a. m., 2:30 and 8:00 p. m. Rev. N. A. Beskin, a converted Jew, formerly a Rabbinical student, also Bolshevik and acquaintance of Leon Trotsky, now an ordained minister of the Gospel, is to be with us; and Monday at 2:30 p. m., he will give his life's experience. He will tell of his life in Russia, under the Czar, of the persecutions and massacres of his people



N. A. BESKIN

by the agents of the Czar. How he was compelled to leave his native land and go to Germany and his final arrival to this country. How and why he finally left the Jewish faith and became a Christian, was disowned, beaten by his brother, buried by his mother, etc.

No one can afford to miss this opportunity to hear him tell these things in his own unique way and with a decided Jewish brogue. He will also sing the Hebrew National hymn in the Hebrew tongue. All welcome.

S. H. Porterfield, District Elder. Wm. Middaugh, Pastor. Adv.

Around Our Town

Vernell Beagle of Yale was the guest of Miss Laura Striffler Sunday.

Miss Velma Ferguson left Monday for Detroit where she will visit relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Bricker of Yale were guests of their son, Roy Bricker, Sunday.

Rev. Wm. Richards left for Detroit Monday to undergo an operation on his nose.

Dr. and Mrs. J. D. McHerron of Caro were callers at the E. W. Jones home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Graham of Caro were guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Jones Thursday evening.

Wayne Fleenor returned last Wednesday from Albion where he has attended college for the past year.

Mrs. Jas. Tennant left Saturday for Toronto, Ontario, where she is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Minnie Doty.

Chas. Wilkins and Samuel Downard of Detroit were guests of Miss Sarah Lapeer Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Taylor and daughter, Betty, of Yale were guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Jones Sunday.

A. L. Johnson of Highland Park was the guest of his mother, Mrs. E. B. Landon, from Monday to Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. David Law Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Law and family and Francis Fritz spent Sunday at Bay Port.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Lapeer and son, Cornelius, were business callers in Deckerville, Carsonville and Forester Friday.

Mrs. C. M. Pulford and little Miss Alma Patterson of Detroit came last Thursday to visit at the Jas. Tennant home for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Lapeer and daughter, Sarah, Chas. Wilkins and Samuel Downard visited with Mr. and Mrs. John Hulbert in Bad Axé Sunday.

C. W. Heller transacted business in Detroit from Thursday until Saturday.

Mrs. A. G. Fritz and Miss Myrtle Fritz of Detroit came here Monday and are guests of Mrs. Wm. Martus.

Mrs. A. A. Ricker and son, James, Mrs. H. A. Williams and Miss Laura Striffler were visitors in Saginaw Tuesday.

Miss Myrtle Brown of Pontiac came Monday evening to be the guest of her sister, Irene, during commencement week.

Dr. and Mrs. F. L. Morris spent from Wednesday until Friday of last week in Detroit, attending the clinic at Harper hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Graham of Vassar were guests at the home of their daughter, Mrs. E. W. Jones, from Thursday until Tuesday.

R. S. Proctor, A. H. and Miss Minnie Kinnaird, Mrs. Kinnaird, Mrs. C. R. Townsend and daughter, June, enjoyed Sunday at Caseville.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellery Welsh and daughter, Dorothy Jean, of Millbrook were guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Knapp last Wednesday and Thursday.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Louis Cheal of Pontiac, a baby boy, Wayne Robert, on June 8. Mrs. Cheal was formerly Miss Letta Kitchin of this place.

Rev. and Mrs. F. L. Pohly and the Misses Elsie Buehry, Florence Striffler and Laura Striffler attended a missionary convention at Capac Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Hitchcock and Miss Belle Livingston motored from Detroit Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Hitchcock are guests at the A. J. Knapp home, while Miss Livingston visited at the Thos. Whitfield home in Wickware the first of the week.

Mrs. Wm. Martus and William Martus motored to Detroit Friday and brought Mrs. M's nephew and niece, Sylvester and Helen Catherine Elsey, home to the Martus farm to spend the summer vacation. The Elsey children have enjoyed many summers at the pleasant Martus farm.

Mrs. Preston Allen and daughter, Dorothy, of Royal Oak, who are guests in this vicinity, accompanied them on both the Detroit and return trips.

Ray Colwell, who has attended Albion college for the last year, arrived at his home in Cass City Saturday after spending a few days as the guest of Miss Hazel Ritter of Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Wager and children, Ethel, Ruth and Catherine, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Buehry and Miss Gertrude Schiele were Sunday guests at the D. F. Schiele home in Ellington.

Maurice Dailey and Darwin Bailey spent from Friday until Sunday at the Dailey cottage in Caseville. Kenneth Striffler, Garrison Moore and John Benkelman spent the same days at the Striffler cottage.

Mrs. Grover H. Burke left Wednesday for Detroit where she will act as matron of honor at the wedding of Miss Beulah Whitney Friday noon at St. Paul's Cathedral. Miss Whitney is a former teacher in the Cass City high school and has many friends here.

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The Word "Rum."

The word "rum" is an abbreviation of "rumbouze," "rum" being an Asiatic word for "good," and "booze" a derivation of the German "bausen," meaning to "guzzle."

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

- Ernest Johnson, 24, Decker; Lucy Philpot, 18, Decker. William Bolsby, 32, Sandusky; Caroline Rightenberg, 33, Sandusky. Walter W. Wood, 37, Snover; Martha Kitchin, 25, Cass City. George Heber Vail, 28, Marlette; Mildred Wentworth, 28, Marlette. George Staudaker, 21, Crosswell; Beatrice H. Mathews, 18, Crosswell. Parmenas Baer, 32, Crosswell; Jennie Gray, 29, Crosswell. Jay McAlpine, 26, McGregory; Sylvia Kincaide, 21, Deckerville. Levi Rowley, 72, Marlette; Elvira Hardy, 60, Mayville. Clayton Henry Straffon, 21, Crosswell; Pearl Pritchett, 19, Melvin. Mike Voinovich, 34, Carsonville; Lena Bodis, 38, same. Marshal Conley, 21, Detroit; Ellen M. Bishop, 20, Marlette.

- Harry G. Balhoff, 21, Sandusky; Aileen Donaldson, 21, same. Paul A. Denman, 23, Crosswell; Myrtle M. Middleton, 18, same. J. Neil Murray, 25, Valley Center; M. Elizabeth Murray, 21, same. Percy J. Harris, 23, Marlette; Maleta Forbes, 19, same. George L. Rowe, 26, Sandusky; Ruth J. Schram, 22, same. Lloyd Stone, 22, Sandusky; Mary Ellen O'Connell, 23, McGregory. Ronald W. Stewart, 25, Sandusky; Mary E. Kaake, 21, Peck. Fred S. Dingman, 26, Lexington; Matilda McLane, 25, Jeddo. Chas. S. Thibodeau, 61, Carsonville; Maddalen Walter, 56, Deckerville.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

- George A. Veitengruber and wife to Herbert Veitengruber pt. sec's 10 and 30 Tuscola \$500.00. Ephraim Dutcher and wife to James H. Hunter lot 9 blk. 2 Kingston \$3500.00. Matilda Corless to Cornelia J. Roberts et al pt. sec. 35 Dayton \$100.00. Ada Phelps to George Ruttinger and wife e 1/2 of ne 1/4 of ne 1/4 and se 1/4 of ne 1/4 sec. 3 Akron \$5000.00. Maggie Bierlein to John J. Orter pt. sec. 30 Denmark \$2,500.00. Louis H. Bradley and wife to George W. Albertson and wife pt. sec. 3 Fairgrove \$1,500.00. Andy A. Moore to Wm. Hutchins pt. blk. 21 Postoria \$500.00. Andy A. Moore and wife to Samuel Day et al lots 4, 5, 6, 7, blk. 17 Postoria \$2100.00. Effie Dembitz to Anthony Witkowski and wife e 1/2 of ne 1/4 and nw 1/4 of ne 1/4 sec. 7 and s 1/2 of se 1/4 and se 1/4 of sw 1/4 sec. 6 Dayton \$6,500.00. Martha M. Gamble to Floyd Comstock e 1/2 of sw 1/4 of sw 1/4 sec. 27 Indianfields \$150.00. Martha M. Gamble to John Aschneller w 1/2 of sw 1/4 of sw 1/4 sec. 27 Indianfields \$150.00. Walanty Derwichowski to Frank B. Streeter and wife w 1/2 of se 1/4 sec. 18 and ne 1/4 of se 1/4 sec. 18 and ne 1/4 of sw 1/4 sec. 18 Fremont \$2975.00. Ida M. Deamud to John Green se 1/2 and s 1/2 of ne 1/4 sec. 34 Indianfields \$2600.00.

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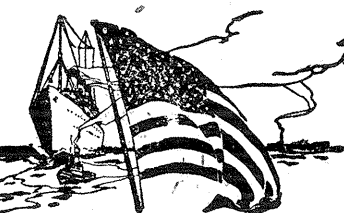
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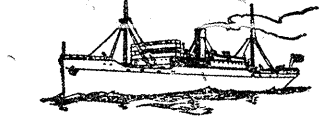
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The WEEK'S DOINGS

Floyd Clapp visited at his home in Breckenridge from Friday until Sunday. Mrs. J. D. Brooker spent last week in Saginaw as the guest of Mrs. W. D. Schooley. Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Striffler of Sandusky were guests at the C. D. Striffler home last Sunday. Mrs. Ward Kelley visited with Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Kelley of Saginaw from Friday until Sunday. Mary and Vernita Parker of Owendale spent Saturday and Sunday at the Jas. Brackenbury home. Mrs. M. M. Schwegler was a guest at the Orton Klinkman home in Decker from Thursday until Sunday. Miss Sylvia Green of Detroit came Monday to be the guest of Miss Gladys Jackson and other friends. Paul Snauble of Ypsilanti was a caller in town Thursday in the interests of the Cleary Business College. Dr. and Mrs. I. D. McCoy and daughter, Martha, and Miss Christie McRae motored to Bad Axe Monday. Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Benkelman and daughter, Ruth, and Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Buehrly spent Monday in Caseville. Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Nique and daughter, Eleanor of Decker visited at the J. H. Striffler home in Cass City Sunday. Miss Ruth Benkelman returned Saturday from Berwyn, Ill., where she has resided while teaching in Cicero, Ill. Mildred Dodge went to Caro Tuesday to visit with her sister-in-law, Mrs. Marvin Dodge. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Fisher and daughter, Hazel, and Carl Wilcox of Columbia called on Mrs. Della Lauderbach Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Russo and daughter, Jean, of Detroit came last Saturday to spend a week with relatives in this city. Mrs. A. J. Knapp, Mrs. A. A. Hitchcock and Miss Belle Livingston visited Miss Dora Krapp at the L. Fisher home in Wickware Monday. Mrs. David Ross returned Sunday from Bach where she spent two weeks with her daughter, Mrs. D. Ostrander, who has been very ill. Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Knapp, Mrs. A. J. Knapp, sr., and Mrs. A. A. Hitchcock were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Davis at Hay Creek Sunday. Mrs. Fred Smith entertained her cousins, Mrs. Anson Henderson and children and Mrs. Chas. Henderson and children of Novesta Tuesday. Miss Fern Henry, who has been employed at the F. A. Bigelow home, went to her home in Argyle Wednesday to remain there permanently. Mr. and Mrs. S. Robinson and daughters, Hazel and Edna, and Hazen Patterson were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Josh Sharrard in Hay Creek Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Clement and daughter, Averill, return today (Friday) to their home in Gladwin after spending two weeks with Mrs. Clement's mother, Mrs. Wm. Starr. Mr. and Mrs. Sam Robinson and family and Mr. and Mrs. Emery Meredith and baby attended the Meredith family reunion at the John Pratt home in Argyle last Thursday. Mrs. John Snell, Mrs. Isabelle Adams and daughter, Isabelle of Swartz Creek, and Mrs. Iley Bailey and Mrs. Emsly Turner and son, Lee, of Caro were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Smith Monday evening. Andrew Schmidt was arrested on a D & D charge by Deputy Sheriff Fleming Sunday night. Monday morning he appeared before Justice Cragg and paid \$10.00 fine and costs of \$5.00. Cameron Wallace, who has completed a six months' business course at Cleary College, Ypsilanti, returned to his home in this place Monday and has resumed his position in the Cass City Bank. Mr. and Mrs. John H. Bohnsack and two sons and Mr. and Mrs. John Doerr expect to start next Monday on a motor trip to Kansas City where they will visit with Mr. Bohnsack's mother and four brothers. They expect to be gone a month. Dr. P. E. Fleming left Tuesday for Lansing where he is taking a four-day special course in tuberculosis and hog cholera at the M. A. C. Dr. McIlmurray, veterinary surgeon at Caseville, and Dr. Seiwert, V. S. of Owendale accompanied him and will pursue similar courses. Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Ward and baby daughter returned Thursday from Sault Ste. Marie where Mrs. Ward has been the guest of relatives and friends for several weeks. Mr. Ward was at the Soo for only a week. Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Daymude and daughter, Virginia, and Mrs. Wm. Drew of Detroit were in town Wednesday to bury Shirley, the two months' old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Daymude. The burial took place at five o'clock and the remains were laid in Elkland cemetery. Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Middleton and daughters, L. J. Rotnary, Ernest Schwaderer, A. D. McIntyre, Mrs. E. R. Hunter, and the Misses Mary and Isabelle McIntyre, Thelma Nettleton and Irene Frutchey were in Bay Port Sunday and enjoyed several rides on Mr. Middleton's motor boat, "Comet."

Ernest Mark of Sandusky spent Sunday at his home in this place. Alton and Esther Mark and Lenora Peddie were in Saginaw Saturday. Jack Ingles and Guy McGarry of Argyle were callers in town Tuesday. Mrs. Emily Bacheller of Ellington is employed at the F. A. Bigelow home. The union church services will be held next Sunday night at the M. E. church. Mrs. C. W. Clarke and daughter, Emily, of Caro were callers in town Tuesday. Mrs. A. L. Bruce of Richmond visited at the home of Mrs. Jessie Pettit Saturday. Mrs. Stanley Warner and children were callers in Fairgrove and Caro Saturday. Mrs. Z. P. Lang returned Friday from Bay City where she was employed as a nurse. Mrs. Wm. Stafford left Monday for Flint where she is visiting her brother, who is ill. Stanley Warner, who is working in Fairgrove, spent Sunday with his family in Cass City. Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Bruce of Richmond were guests at the Pettit home Saturday and Sunday. John Campbell of Detroit was the guest of his daughter, Janie, at the S. B. Young home Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. L. Mattoon of Pontiac spent from Saturday until Sunday at the Mattoon home in Cass City. Thos. Keeney, who is employed on a farm in Ellington, visited at his home in Cass City over the week-end. Mrs. Walter Mark, Mrs. Stanley Karr and daughter, Mildred, and Alton and Esther Mark were in Bay Port Monday. Miss Lena Gallagher returned Tuesday from Seattle, Washington, where she has spent the last two years. Mrs. Catherine Crobar returned Wednesday from a three weeks' visit with her granddaughter, Mrs. A. C. Edgerton, at Clio. Mrs. Jas. Young, who has been the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Jas. McKenzie since December, has returned to her home in Owendale. Mrs. Elizabeth Barnhart of Jackson returned Tuesday to the home of her daughter, Mrs. Chas. Kosanke, after a visit with relatives in Grant. Miss Goldie Wilson of Silverwood, who has been a guest at the Mason Wilson home for the past two weeks, returns to her home Saturday. Mrs. Wm. Starr and Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Clement and daughter, Averill, were entertained at the Jas. Crane home, west of town, Tuesday. Mrs. Sarah McLachlin leaves today for Alvinston, Ont., to care for her daughter, Jennie, who is ill at the home of her grandmother, Mrs. H. T. McLachlin. Mrs. G. C. Blades and son, Darwin, of Big Creek, California, arrived Tuesday to visit for two months with Mrs. Blades' parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Zinnecker. Mr. and Mrs. Guy Watson called on Mrs. Wm. Bennett of Wickware, who is very ill, Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Watson spent the evening at the J. D. Watson home. Dr. A. C. Edgerton of Clio was a caller in town Wednesday. On his return, he was accompanied by his mother, Mrs. Celia Edgerton, who will spend several days in that place. Mrs. W. A. Walker left Monday morning for Ypsilanti to attend the graduating exercises at the Normal. Her son, Arthur, is one of the graduates of the physical educational department. Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Nash and family of Saginaw, Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Nash, sr., and Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Nash, jr., and family will be entertained at the Alvah Nash home in Bad Axe Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Richard Edgerton and son, Robert, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Williamson and Mrs. F. Macauley left Monday on a ten days' motor trip to Traverse City where they will visit Mrs. M. MacAllister. Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Benkelman and family, Mr. and Mrs. John Jaus and family, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Jaus and family, and Mr. and Mrs. Beni. Schwegler and family enjoyed Wednesday at Bay Port. Mrs. Geo. Martin and Mrs. John Doerr leave tomorrow for Detroit. Mrs. Doerr will remain in the city only over the week-end, but Mrs. Martin will spend six weeks with her daughter, Mrs. J. H. Scott. The Baptist Mission Circle was pleasantly entertained at the home of Mrs. Alvin Summers Tuesday afternoon. After a program on "New Americanism," refreshments which consisted of sandwiches, cake, coffee and iced tea were served. On their return from Sterling a week ago Monday, Mr. and Mrs. John Gallagher were accompanied by Mrs. Adeline Cummings, who is spending a few weeks in Cass City in order to attend the graduation of her son, Arley Spencer. John Collins of Metamora, who works at Palmateer's Road Camp between Thornville and Metamora, lost one horse of his team last Friday. The boys of the camp made up a purse of \$105.00, and presented it to him. Mr. Collins had always found his fellow workmen congenial men but this demonstration of their big-heartedness has strengthened his admiration for them.

Miss Alice King returned to her home in Adrian Monday. Guy Watson was in Decker and Snover on business Saturday. Miss Irene Hirsh of Detroit was the guest of Ernest Wood Monday. Dr. J. D. Bruce of Saginaw was a business caller in town Wednesday. James Brooker has returned from Lansing where he attended the M. A. C. Miss McAlpin, the night nurse at the hospital, is staying at the McRae home. Mrs. J. D. Crosby and Mrs. Emma Hill spent Thursday and Friday at Caseville. Mrs. Alan Kerr of Owendale was a caller at the S. B. Young home Tuesday. Mrs. C. D. Striffler and son, Kenneth, are in Caseville the last of this week. Mr. and Mrs. Erwein Zemke and family spent Sunday with relatives in Caro and Akron. Ed. Glover of Pontiac came to Cass City Tuesday and expects to work here several months. A. H. Higgins was in Rochester Friday visiting his mother, who is very ill with pneumonia. Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Gardner, Harold Dickinson and Miss Violet Elliott motored to Saginaw Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Striffler and son, Kenneth, and Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Emmons spent Sunday at Caseville. Mrs. Melissa Eno returned to her home in Flint Tuesday after spending three weeks with friends in this city. N. Bigelow, S. F. Bigelow and the Misses Eleanor, Florence and Laura Bigelow were in Caro Tuesday evening. Miss Helen Wilsey returned Tuesday from Ann Arbor, where she has attended the University for the last year. Mrs. Julia Anderson and Richard, Buddy and Florence Schenck are spending the last of the week in Caseville. Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Wickware and Mrs. E. Cleaver went to Oak Bluff Wednesday to remain for several weeks. Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Doerr are the proud parents of a baby girl, Jean Elizabeth, who was born Thursday, June 16. Mrs. F. A. Bigelow and daughter, Eleanor, leave Monday for Ypsilanti where they will attend summer school. Mrs. D. N. Fritz, Mrs. P. E. Fleming and Miss Laura Bigelow leave Saturday for Ypsilanti to attend summer school. Parke Jones, a student in the dental department of the University, returned to his home Friday to spend the summer. Chas. Whale, whose condition was very serious last week, is better and improving as rapidly as can be expected under the circumstances. J. L. Cathcart and the Misses Hester Cathcart and Florence Roberts were callers in Gageton Sunday evening. An automobile went into the ditch at Kay's Corners, four miles north of Elkland cemetery Sunday evening and its five occupants were very fortunate to escape without serious injury. Charlotte Walmsley, an inexperienced driver, was at the wheel. In attempting to turn the car east towards New Greenleaf, the turn was not made short enough and the auto went off the culvert and dropped into the ditch, a distance of about seven feet. The car, a Dodge touring, landed on its side and was badly damaged. It was owned by Caro parties.

AUCTION SALE JULY 2.

An auction sale of the personal property of the Mary Summers Estate will be held in Cass City Saturday afternoon, July 2. Full particulars will appear in the Chronicle next week.

Concerning Baldness.

A majority of men who have amounted to anything have gone bald. To go bald before amounting to anything is the lot of millions. Among those millions are many who feel that the first kingdom of the world would be compensation for loss of hair, even if the perquisites of a king did not include an allowance for a court wig-maker. Even without a crown as a consolation, there is a certain solace in not having to wonder whether your scalplock is standing perpendicularly when the occasion calls for solemnity.—Exchange.

CASS CITY MARKETS.

Table with market prices for Cass City, Mich., June 23, 1921. Includes items like Wheat, Oats, Rye, Corn, Barley, Peas, Beans, Baled hay, Eggs, Butter, Cattle, Hogs, Calves, Geese, Broilers, Hens, Ducks, Stags, Turkeys, Hides.

HAPPENINGS IN OUR NEIGHBORING VILLAGES

Prospecting for Oil. Jacob Rocke, Sanilac county farmer, is leading a movement to raise \$35,000 for the purpose of prospecting for oil in the Thumb district. Auto Races at Caro. Some of the fastest drivers in the auto racing game are scheduled to appear at the Caro fair grounds during the mid-summer spectacle from July 4 to 6 inclusive. Leon Duray, dirt track champion, Ray Claypool, Ted Hill, Ray Lampkin, and Verne Soules, all famous speedsters will be on the bill. Sentenced to 15 Years. Charles Hall, who pleaded guilty in circuit court to robbing M. Bowen's store at Imlay City several weeks ago, was sentenced Monday by Judge Williams to 15 years in Jackson, with a recommendation of seven years. His wife, who was an accomplice in the crime, was let off on suspended sentence. While he maintained at first that his name was Hall he later stated his right name was Henry Jackson. Pre-historic Fire System. Imlay City's pre-historic fire system was unearthed recently when men excavated for new water mains at the intersection of Third St. and Almont Ave. At that point about four feet below the surface was found the remains of a hugh tank about thirty feet square, built 45 years ago to hold water for fire protection. When the present water system was installed 32 years ago the tank was filled with gravel. The timbers are as strong as when first put down. To Build Exhibit Barns. The fair association has decided to build two stock exhibit barns and a poultry exhibit house on the newly acquired addition north of the present grand stand. The stock buildings will not only give a better display for the horses and cattle but also are intended to illustrate the most modern idea in barn equipment. The old display sheds along the west side of the fair grounds will be removed and also part of the sheds on the south side. A neat wire fence will be put up along the road and other improvements are also being planned, calling for an expenditure of nearly \$8,000.—Imlay City Times. Carp to New York. George Pitcher has shipped two "live" cars of carp to New York this week and expects to ship another in a few days. The cars in which the fish are shipped are equipped with tanks which hold from eight to 12 tons. A shipment made Tuesday was a little over eight tons. An electric pumping outfit is part of each car's equipment. This keeps a constant supply of fresh air circulating through the water in the tanks, otherwise the fish would die in a few hours. The water is iced before the fish are loaded and again once or twice before the car reaches its destination. A man accompanies each shipment to see that the fish have the proper care enroute.—Sebewaing Blade. New Power Rates. A recent issue of the Yale Expositor, contained the new power rates which were adopted by resolution by the city council recently. The resolution read as follows: "Power rates shall be 7 cents per kw. hour or 1,000 kw. hours, for all users under 1,000 kw. hrs. or 1,000,000 watt hours; 6 cents per kw. hour or 1,000 watt hours for all users of 1,000 kw. hours or 1,000,000 watt hours and over that amount. Electric cooking exclusively, 6c per kw. hour or 1,000 watt hours." Another Drive at the Ford. Arthur Grimes says the motorists who come through Peck enroute to Detroit have about the following conversation when they stop for gas and a supply of oil. If it's a Cadillac the driver says, "How far is it to Detroit?" "Seventy-five miles," is the reply. "Gimme ten gallons of gas and a gallon of oil," says the driver. Then comes a Buick and the chauffeur says: "How far is it to Detroit?" "Seventy-five miles." "Give me five gallons of gas and a half gallon of oil," and he drives on. Along comes a flivver and the driver uncramps himself, gets out, stretches and asks: "How far is it to Detroit?" "Oh, about 75 miles." "Is that all? Gimme two quarts of water and a bottle of '3 in 1,' and hold this son-of-a-gun until I get in."—Peck Times. Moonshiners Caught. David Weed, a Hungarian, residing near Peck, was taken into custody by the sheriff's forces recently and lodged in the county jail on the charge of "moonshining." The officers found an illicit still and a barrel of mash on Weed's premises and when he was confronted with the evidence in Justice Hyslop's court at Sandusky he pleaded guilty and was held to the October term of court for sentence on \$500.00 bail. Weed had been doing a thriving business for some time and it is reported that he

sold a pint of his product to an investigator sent out by the sheriff and prosecuting attorney. One by one the liquor law violators are being brought in and with each succeeding one the penalty will become more severe. A few good jail sentences will be the most effective means of putting an end to the illegal traffic.—Deckerville Recorder. LARGEST CLASS IN HISTORY OF SCHOOL. Continued from first page. Rogers, as salutatorian, welcomed the parents and patrons of the school. Events of high school life and happenings relating particularly to the Class of 1921 were related by the historian, J. C. Hutchinson. The class prophecy by Helen Craig was a clever production in rhyme which depicted life as it might be in 1944. Ruby Marshall, who recently won high honors in the state oratorical contest, in her oration Tuesday evening, emphasized that each member of the class must work and work hard for success—that pluck, not luck, is what counted in the battle of life. Gillies Brown as editor of the Gossiper and Arley Spencer, in presenting the class will, supplied the humor of the program. Judging from the hearty laughs that were forthcoming, the subjects were cleverly handled. Frederick Pinney, president of the class, at the conclusion of his oration, presented the school with a gift of \$100 from the Class of 1921, to be used for playground equipment. The gift was accepted for the school by E. W. Jones, secretary of the board of education, who said he felt assured this beginning of a playground fund would prove of great benefit to the community. In a clear, distinct voice, Mildred Fritz, in the valedictory, expressed the appreciation of the sacrifices of parents, teachers and friends who proved so loyal to class and school in the years during which the members of the class were students. Miss Fritz won the highest honors of her class by an average standing of four years in high school of 95 plus per cent. Musical numbers on the program were all contributed by members of the class and the hearty applause which followed each number showed the appreciation of the audience. Piano solos were given by Belya Tibbals and Alexandra McKenzie, a vocal duet by Maxine Campbell and Marie Gemmill, a violin solo by Alice McConnell and a vocal solo by Marie Gemmill, class soloist. The class song concluded the program. FIFTH INNING WAS NERVE-RACKING. Continued from first page. was a travesty. Errors were numerous and Harris, the local twirler, probably never had poorer support. Fairgrove, in this inning, is credited with seven hits and 12 runs. After this period, Fairgrove was held scoreless and secured but one hit. Annibal, who pitched his first game of the season for Fairgrove, had his offerings pounded severely in the first three innings by local sluggers who had 13 hits and 14 runs by the end of the third. Powers was substituted in the fourth period and he pitched a much better game, allowing no runs except in the sixth when six runners crossed home plate. Local players secured six hits off Powers. Graham pitched the first three innings for Cass City after which Manager Crandell placed Harris, high school twirler, in the box. The score: CASS CITY AB R H E Brooker, ss . . . 6 2 1 3 Holmes, 2b . . . 5 2 2 1 Champion, c . . . 6 3 5 1 Woodhall, 1b . . . 6 2 3 1 Noble, 3b . . . 5 1 1 0 Fleming, cf . . . 6 3 1 0 Ward, rf . . . 2 0 1 0 Doerr, rf . . . 4 2 3 0 Benkelman, lf . . . 6 3 1 0 Graham, p . . . 3 1 1 0 Harris, p . . . 3 1 1 0 Totals . . . 52 20 19 6 FAIRGROVE AB R H E A. Hunter, ss . . . 4 1 2 4 Crosby, 2b . . . 4 1 2 0 Caskey, 3b . . . 5 1 2 1 Annibal, p . . . 5 1 0 4 Wagoner, c . . . 4 2 1 0 Hunter, rf . . . 2 0 1 0 Inglis, lf . . . 1 2 0 0 Hillman, cf . . . 4 1 0 0 Powers, p . . . 4 2 0 0 Adams, 1b . . . 1 0 0 1 McCloy, lf . . . 4 1 1 0 Totals . . . 38 12 9 10 Cass City . . . 239006000-20 Fairgrove . . . 000012000-12 Three-base hits—Woodhall, Hunter. Two-base hits—Holmes, Champion, Doerr, Hunter, Caskey, Crosby. Strike-outs—By Graham 3, by Harris 5, by Annibal 2, by Powers 5.

CASS CITY WINS TRI-COUNTY MEET

Continued from first page. It is interesting to note in this connection that Cass City schools have participated in seven Thumb track meets and in five of them Cass City has been successful in securing first place as a school. In as many instances, the local schools have furnished the highest individual point winner. June 3, 1904, at the Thumb Athletic Ass'n meet at Bad Axe, Cass

City won first place with 21 points. June 3, 1905, Cass City won the Thumb track meet at Bad Axe, having secured more points in events than all the other three schools participating. Arthur Cooley of Cass City was the highest individual point winner. June 1, 1906, Frank McComb of the local schools secured first place in seven events at the Thumb meet here. Cass City athletes won 60 of the total of 90 points. June 2, 1911, Robt. Orr of Cass City won the honors as highest individual point winner at Bad Axe. Bad Axe team won the meet. June 12, 1914, Croswell took the Thumb field meet at Cass City. Dexter of Croswell stood highest with 19 1/2 points. June 11, 1919, Cass City won first place in the Thumb track meet held here. Earl Gowen of the local school won first individual honors with 16 1/4 points. BEAULEY. Mrs. Arthur Moore entertained a company of relatives Sunday at her home. Mr. and Mrs. Claude Himman and daughter, Hazel, of Unionville were callers at the Arthur and W. J. Moore homes Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Heron spent Sunday afternoon at the John Smith home. A. Phelps and John Brown have finished planting their 18 acres of potatoes. T. J. Heron spent the week-end with his family here. A. Phelps and son and daughter of Mayville are spending a few days at their farm here. Mr. and Mrs. Claude Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Philip Moore attended Mrs. Wm. Karr's funeral Saturday. Mrs. Joseph Crawford leaves tomorrow (Thursday) for Ypsilanti where she will attend summer school for six weeks. Mrs. John Hartsell and children of Detroit have been visiting at the Charles and C. W. Hartsell homes the past week. The Children's Day program given in the church Sunday was a grand success. The children certainly did fine and much credit is due to the ones who trained them. Durward Heron spent the week-end with his father at Fargo. Mildred Reader was the guest of her Grandpa Reader Monday and Tuesday in Cass City. John Moore spent the week-end with his son, Rev. W. L. Moore, at Almont. A splendid afternoon was spent with Mrs. Alfred Maharg Tuesday when she entertained the W. H. M. S. where they listened to an excellent report from the district convention given by Miss Hazel Martin. Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Crawford expect to go to Stadhish this week to visit Mr. and Mrs. Coulson Blair. CEDAR RUN. Wm. Wilson's are entertaining his mother of Ellington at present. Henry Deming is visiting his sister at Port Sanilac this week. The Spaven families were entertained at the home of Wm. Wilson Sunday. Norman Hendrick is working for Frank Bardwell at Ellington instead of Bruce Brown as was reported last week. Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Rowell and daughter of Caro were Sunday guests of Theo Hendrick. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Johnson and Mr. and Mrs. Hoyt Johnson of Oxford and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Beardley and children and Wm. Ware, sr., were Sunday guests at the Wm. Ware jr., home. A little Scotch lassie came to make her home with Mr. and Mrs. Neil Fletcher last Friday who will answer to the name of Lillian. Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Finkbinder and son of Flint were Sunday guests of O. A. Hendrick's. Miss Eunice returned with them. Mrs. Predmore, who was much improved in health, is very poorly again at this writing. Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Hendrick entertained the following guests Sunday: Asa Root and daughter of Cass City, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hendrick and two daughters of Caro and Thos. Welsh of Ohio. Mr. and Mrs. Garfield Leishman and children spent Sunday at Argyle. OBITUARY. Mrs. Wm. Karr. The funeral service of Mrs. Wm. Karr whose death occurred at her home in Caseville was held at the Presbyterian church at Cass City Saturday, Rev. W. W. Edwards officiating. Interment was made in Elkland cemetery. Mrs. Catherine Karr was born in Bruce county, Ontario, Mar. 10, 1865. She moved to Gageton, Mich., in 1871 and in 1886 was united in marriage with Wm. Karr at Argyle. Their home has been in Huron and Tuscola counties since that date. She leaves her husband, Wm. Karr, of Caseville, and three children, Mrs. Christie Hampshire of Detroit, Mrs. Anna Kelly of Detroit and Nelson Karr of Caseville.

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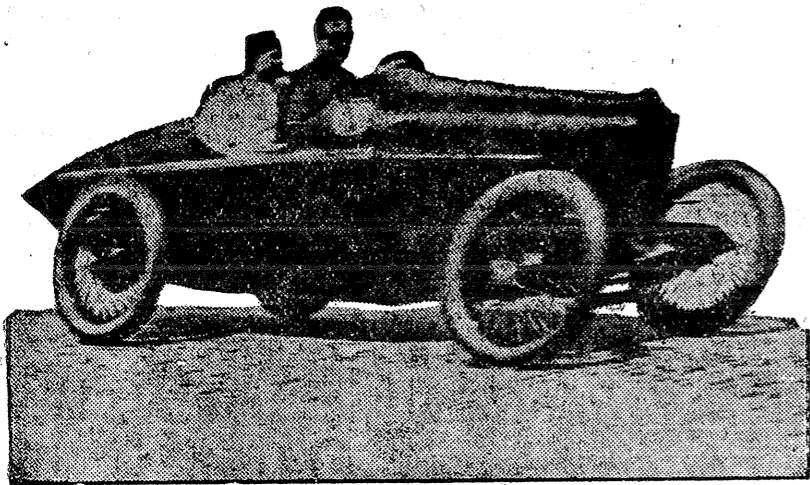
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"Property is the fruit of labor; property is desirable; is a positive good in the world. That some should be rich shows that others may become rich, and hence is just encouragement to industry and enterprise. Let not him who is houseless pull down the house of another, but let him work diligently and build one for himself, thus by example assuring that his own shall be safe from violence when built."

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RAY CLAYPOOL

Kansas City pilot, winner of innumerable dirt track championships, whose entry has just been received for Caro's auto races, July 6. He is the boy who shattered the records with his Simplex, that Louis Disbrow put across a few years ago with his famous Zip. At Caro Claypool will drive Tommy Milton's world-famous racing car.

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CHURCH CALENDAR.

Christian Science—Services are held every Sunday morning at 11:00.

Evangelical—You are cordially invited to attend the following services at the Evangelical church: Sunday school at 10:00 preaching at 11:00 a. m. Y. P. A. at 6:45 p. m. Leader for senior department will be Roy Striffler. We join in union services at the M. E. church at 7:30 p. m. Prayer meeting Thursday at 8:00 p. m. F. L. Pohly, Pastor.

Baptist—10:30 morning worship; subject, "A Man at 40, 80 and 120; 12 m. Bible School; 6:30, B. Y. P. U.; 7:30, union service at the M. E. church. Let all plan to attend the union service. Thursday evening, prayer and conference meeting.

M. E. Church—Services will be held at the usual hour Sunday morning and at Bethel in the afternoon. Union services in the M. E. church at Cass City Sunday evening. Wm. Richards, Pastor.

Presbyterian—That family of yours deserves the very best you have. Give them the best thing you can—the heritage of a good name. You will find our services very helpful in securing that character which must be back of every good name. Let us help you through the ministry of the Word and the influences of our services on Sunday.

Preaching at 10:30. Sunday school at 11:45. Union service in the evening at M. E. church. According to our custom there will be united Sunday evening services thru July and August. "Remember the Sabbath Day to keep it holy." Wm. W. Edwards, Pastor.

Early Day Peddler.

An important merchant of centuries ago was the man who did your buying for you. In those days there were no mail-order houses nor was there such a thing as running into town to do your shopping. So there was evolved a professional shopper who made it his business to buy what you needed. He was known as a packer, packere, or pake-man, and from these words the modern names resembling them have sprung.

Notice of Hearing Claims before Court.—State of Michigan, The Probate Court for the County of Tuscola. In the Matter of the Estate of Samuel Cole, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given that four months from the 10th day of June A. D. 1921, have been allowed for creditors to present their claims against said deceased to said court for examination and adjustment, and that all creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said court, at the probate office, in the Village of Caro in said county, on or before the 10th day of October A. D. 1921, and that said claims will be heard by said court on Monday the 10th day of October A. D. 1921, at ten o'clock in the forenoon. Dated June 10th A. D. 1921.

O. D. HILL, Judge of Probate.

Notice of Hearing Claims before Court.—State of Michigan, The Probate Court for the County of Tuscola. In the Matter of the Estate of Mary S. Summers, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given that four months from the 3rd day of June A. D. 1921, have been allowed for creditors to present their claims against said deceased to said court for examination and adjustment, and that all creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said court, at the probate office, in the Village of Caro in said county, on or before the 3rd day of October A. D. 1921, and that said claims will be heard by said court on Monday the 3rd day of October A. D. 1921, at ten o'clock in the forenoon. Dated June 3rd A. D. 1921.

O. D. HILL, Judge of Probate.

DADDY'S EVENING FAIRY TALE

OF MARY GRAHAM BONNER

THE KIND ANTS.

Nancy had spent the day with her cousins in the city. Nick had gone on a picnic with some boys, so he hadn't gone with her, but when Nancy came home he wanted to hear all about her trip. Their aunt had taken her with her two cousins to a museum and they had seen many interesting things.

"I just love my aunt," said Nancy. "She gave us the nicest day and we had ice cream soda at a wonderful place where they gave us so much ice cream with it!"

"Well," said Daddy, "as we are talking about a kind aunt who treats children to good ice cream sodas with plenty of ice cream, I think I will have to tell you a story about some other kinds of kind ants."

"Oh, Daddy," laughed Nancy. "I am sure the kind of ants you're going to tell us about didn't give ice cream sodas."

"No, they didn't," said Daddy. "But still they were kind, and speaking of ants reminded me of ants."

The children laughed and Daddy began his story. "Prince and Princess Ant were very happy. They were happy because they were busy and they were busy because they had a nice home in the ant hill and because business was always improving."

"By that they meant that they were always having good luck these days, finding lots to eat and do, and having no hardships and no accidents, such as upset, walked-over ant hills."

"But one day Prince Ant and Princess Ant were terribly upset. Their poor dear cousins had been hurt. Four of them had been quite badly wounded."

"Oh, dear, oh, dear," said Princess Ant. "This is very, very sad."

"It is very, very sad," agreed Prince Ant, "but we mustn't stop to talk about it."

"But we shouldn't be heartless," said Princess Ant.

"Of course not," said Prince Ant. "We should do what we could. We should help the ants in every way possible. They are our cousins, of our own fine ant family. We shouldn't just use a few words such as sad, and too bad, and so on."

"We should really do something," said Prince Ant. "Words don't mean much unless they're followed up by actions. It



Carry Wounded Ants.

doesn't mean very much for a person to say, "I'm so sorry for you, my dear," if that person won't do something to show she is sorry.

"Of course, there are times when people can't do anything to help and when it is very kind to say they're sorry, for it shows they're sympathetic, which means kind."

"But we can do something. We can carry our poor wounded cousins on our backs."

"Of course we can," said Princess Ant.

"So the ants carried their wounded cousins on their backs and got two of their friends to carry the other two, and they nursed them back to health and strength once more."

"They were very much pleased at what they had done, for they were so glad they had been able to really help their fellow ants."

"So, from that day to this, and that day, I meant to tell you, was long, long ago, ants have helped carry other ants when they've been wounded."

"They're the ants who do work such as doctors and nurses do in the world of children and grown-ups."

"And, too, there are ants who act as sentinels and who guard the homes and who look out for their own creatures."

"But among the kindest of ants to my mind," said Daddy, "are the ones who carry wounded ants on their little backs and who don't care how tired they may get if they can help their own creatures who are sick."

"Often it is hard work, but still they are willing to do it, just as doctors are willing to work so very hard to make folks well."

"They're certainly kind ants," agreed Nancy, "and I'm glad I started to talk about our aunt, for it made Daddy tell us this story."

Surprised the Youngster.

It is my custom to wait at the front door for Jack. When he appeared around the corner, inquisitive little Jean next door said to me: "Is that your brother?"

"No," I answered. "That's my husband."

"Oh," she replied, "I didn't know you were a lady. I thought you were only a little girl."—Exchange.

When It's Ninety in the Shade



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NOTICE—During my absence on my vacation, anyone wishing plumbing work done is requested to call Hazen Patterson, Phone No. 84 1S, 1L. Mr. Patterson will be assisted by an expert plumber when such assistance is needed. John H. Bohnsack. 6-24-3p

LOST or mislaid in someone's auto at the barn raising at the Louis Holtz farm on Friday, June 10, an infant's white lace bonnet trimmed with blue ribbon. Finder please leave at Chronicle, or call 146—1L, 4S. 6-17-2*

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LOST—Black leather hand bag with two small purses on the inside, containing a sum of money, somewhere in Cass City or two miles south. Reward offered. Mrs. Henry Paul. 6-17-2

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WE WISH to express our earnest thanks to our neighbors who so kindly assisted us at the time of our sad bereavement and to those who sent flowers and furnished autos. Giles Fulcher and Family.

CARD OF THANKS—We wish to thank all our friends and neighbors for the kindness shown in donating work and for all the beautiful flowers sent. Wm. Gage and wife.

IN MEMORY of little Evelyn Tyo:

Up in Heaven with the angels
Has her little spirit fled
Free from all earthly sorrows
Is she numbered with the dead.
Little empty shoes are lying
In the corner still,
And her little chair is vacant
That her form was wont to fill.

They will miss her merry laughter
As it rippled on papa's and mama's ears.

And the light and gentle footsteps
Which gave warning she was near
Wearied for so often folded
To her loving mother's breast
Never more will run to greet her
For she found eternal rest.

Up in Heaven with the angels
Has her little spirit fled
Free from all earthly sorrows
Is numbered with the dead
With the angels up in Heaven
In the blessed Savior's fold
Little Evelyn's footsteps wander
On the shining streets of gold.
June 25, 1921. Mrs. Rachel Doe.

IN MEMORIAM—In sad but loving memory of my dear father, John Mullin, who passed away one year ago today, June 22, 1920:

You are not forgotten, father dear
Or will you ever be,
As long as life and memory last,
I will remember thee.
There are two things death cannot sever,

Love and memories last forever.
Oft I think of you dear
And my heart is filled with sadness
and with pain.
Oh, this world would be a Heaven,
Could I hear your voice again.
Your loving daughter, Mrs. Catherine McDougald

NOTICE TO DESTROY WEEDS

To all owners, possessor or occupants of lands, or to any person or persons, firm or corporation having charge of any lands in this state:

Notice is hereby given that all noxious weeds growing on any lands anywhere within the township of Novesta, county of Tuscola, state of Michigan, or within the limits of any highway passing by or through such lands, must be cut down and destroyed on or before the 2nd day of July 1921.

Failure to comply with this notice on or before the dates mentioned or within ten days thereafter, shall make the parties so failing liable for the cost of cutting the same and an additional levy of ten per cent of such cost to be levied and collected against the property in the same manner as other taxes are levied and collected.

Also all brush growing upon the right of way of all highways running through or alongside of said land, but not including any shrubs reserved for shade or other purposes must be cut and destroyed.

FRED O. HARTWICK, Commissioner of Highways, Novesta Township, County of Tuscola, State of Michigan. 6-24-2

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You imagine you are a pretty fine kind of a fellow. But the chances are that if you ever met a man precisely like yourself, you wouldn't have much use for him.—Arkansas Thomas Cat.

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April 19, 1775

Good men in fustian, stand ye still;
The men in red come o'er the hill.
"Lay down your arms!" . . . cry
The men in red full haughtily.
But never a grounding gun is heard;
The men in fustian stand unstirred;
Dead calm save maybe a wise bluebird
Puts in his little heavenly word.
O men in red! if ye but knew
The half as much as bluebirds do
Now in this little tender calm
Each hand would out, and every palm
With patriot palm strike brother-
hood's stroke
Or ere these lines of battle broke.
O men in red! if ye but knew
The least of all that bluebirds do,
Now in this little godly calm
You voice might sing the Future's
Psalm—
The Psalm of Love with the brother-
ly eyes
Who pardons and is very wise—
You voice that shouts with high-
hoarse ire,
Fire!

—Sidney Lanier.

DEFORD.

A piano will be installed in the new hall on the 21st.

Mrs. E. R. Bruce returned from Flint on the 15th.

Lorenzo Gage is erecting a barn on the farm one mile south.

Ransom Spencer of Lapeer county called here Saturday night.

Mrs. Joseph Hack returned on the 15th from trip to Lowell and vicinity.

The Jacoby family visited with the Dougald McLarty family of Novesta Sunday.

Wm. Cooper suffers with rheumatism. He has lost the strength of his fingers.

our sheriff deputized. He is not severe, yet small men fear, he scares them by his size.

Friday evening, June 24, Deford will trip the toe in the new hall where there is room for all.

Under the management of Farm Bureau and Shippers Asso., a load of cattle was shipped on the 18th.

Joseph McCracken paints the house known as the J. R. Lewis residence, on street where the autos roar.

William Gage, who has been seriously ill for three weeks, has so far recovered as to be around again.

Mrs. Serrills, remembered here as Adella Soles, went to Alabama to live 30 years ago. She visits here now.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Bruce and Mr. and Mrs. Wilbert Bruce, all of Richmond, came Saturday to E. R. Bruce's remained over night and returned home Sunday afternoon.

Wm. and Joe McCracken are remodeling the house linter, on the place of Morley Palmateer, occupied by Lloyd Osburn.

Came to the home of our townsman, Burt Curtis, June 20, a youth of fine appearance. If he holds his health, he will vote twenty-one years from now under the name of Edward Curtis.

A letter from T. Crosby of Big Rapids informs us he keeps an inn near the G. R. & I. depot where Jew and Gentile can get eats—have time to chew without keeping the hand on the purse.

Preacher Beynon's family had a mess of home grown peas June 16th. Just a few? A full mess for a large family. Another mess on 17th and so on.

Many of our people attended the pioneer meeting in East Novesta on 15th. The gathering was large and a fine program with visit and grub 'till you couldn't rest. The pioneers, they love to meet and take each other's hand.

Benjamin Willis and family of Deckerville, Wm. Schenck and family of Almont, James McIntyre of Almont Martin Keidlett and family of Ellington and Hiram Willis of Cass City were all callers on the Benj. Sharp family on Sunday.

Wm. Gage is able to be out again.

Harold Brenton and Bernham Van Blaricom of Morganston, Ont., are spending the week at Arthur Van Blaricom's.

Geo. Sloan of Pt. Huron came Saturday afternoon to C. L. Gage's after his wife. She was taken sick Sunday, being unable to accompany him home. He returned Monday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Curtis are the parents of a young son born on June 20. Weight, 7 lbs. He will answer to the name of Royce Edward.

Mrs. Chas. Silverthorn of Caro came Tuesday to visit her son, Howard.

Mr. and Mrs. Forest Day and son and Mrs. Demode of Cass City, mother of Mrs. Day, and Mr. and Mrs. Benj. Gage and daughter motored to Rose Island on Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Demode of Cass City came

Saturday to visit her daughter, Mrs. Forest Day.

Mrs. Mary Spencer and son, Geo., and wife and son, Alvah, and R. Kennedy attended the reunion at Mr. McCready's near Clifford on Monday last.

Mrs. Mary Spencer left on Monday for a visit with her sister-in-law, Mrs. Wm. Hovey, of Clifford.

Mrs. D. Croop left Monday of last week to visit her daughter in Detroit. She returned Tuesday evening.

Mrs. George Stock passed away on Friday night. Interment was made in Elkland cemetery on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Forest Day and Mr. and Mrs. Benj. Gage and daughter, Bernice, ate supper Sunday evening at the home of Mrs. Demode at Cass City.

Mrs. Florence Pugh Cox spent from Saturday until Tuesday in Caro and Cass City, returning to the home of her aunt, Mrs. B. Gage, on Tuesday.

Dr. and Mrs. Merriman went last Thursday to attend the commencement exercises at the medical college at Detroit. Their two sons are members of the graduating class.

Thomas Thick passed away after a 10 year illness on Thursday night. Burial on Saturday.

Wm. Gage is getting better after his serious illness.

Children's Day exercises will be held at the Deford church on Sunday night. Everyone welcome.

David Harris of Attica, uncle of Mrs. Balch, visited over Sunday with Mrs. Balch.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Stinger of Owendale spent Sunday with Mrs. Wm. McCartney's.

Word has been received that John Ross is worse at this writing.

Mrs. Roy Colwell returned home after spending a week with her mother. Her son, Beryl, accompanied her.

Ransom Spencer visited his mother over Sunday.

Mrs. James Curren of Pontiac came last week to visit her aunt, Mrs. Chas. Kilgore.

William Holcomb of Pontiac was a week-end guest at the D. McArthur home.

Duncan McArthur, Mrs. Sarah Gillies and daughter, Catherine, were Caro callers one day last week.

Norman Alwood of North Branch and Miss Gladys Delong were Sunday evening callers at the D. McArthur home.

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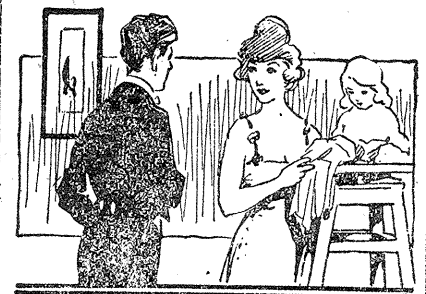
RAYMOND WELLMAN had voted for suffrage once and he intended to do so again. It was before New York women had succeeded in obtaining the vote and Raymond had always thoroughly approved of women. It was not that he fell in love frequently—he had never been in love before, but still he considered that beside women, men counted for very little. Somehow women could even make more money than men—that is, when they did make money at all—and when they started out to work they were always successful.

doubts once banished came hastening back. She was tremendously engrossed in her life work—her artistry—and he realized it so forcibly now.

He spent sleepless nights when he thought that he had missed his chance for happiness by making such a dreadful mistake in the main step of his life. Life could be so wonderful, so complete, he reflected, or it could be so woefully incomplete and miserable.

It was an unusually chilly day for May, when he went to her studio. Her cousin had just arrived. She was a striking contrast to Mildred, who was of statuesque beauty, tall and fair with clear, penetrating blue eyes. This girl was younger and rather short. Her eyes were gray, her hair black and wavy, her skin dark with color which came and went.

"Here's Elizabeth Irving," Mildred said.



said, as Raymond entered. "Our cousin," she smiled.

"I'm glad to welcome you here," he said after a moment.

"I have to finish some work tonight," said Mildred, after they had finished tea. "I'm ever so sorry, as I did so want to see that play we have tickets for. But I've been neglecting things so shamefully and I must settle down and get a little more work accomplished so I can take my holiday later! Why don't you take Beth in my place, Raymond?"

So it was decided upon and he stayed for dinner. Throughout the meal it seemed to be thrust upon him repeatedly how different this cousin was, how strangely and instantly he felt himself drawn to her, and he felt disloyal and small and wretched.

"Didn't I tell you she had ideas tucked away?" asked Mildred laughing at a remark of Beth's.

They went to the play and as Raymond brought her home in the taxi he kept repeating to himself, "You won't make trouble here. You mustn't make trouble here." He had always hated that situation known as the eternal triangle, yet here it was rearing itself before him. He shuddered.

Somehow as he talked to this girl from the west he felt how close she was to him and he was filled with a longing to seize her and hold her very close and kiss her soft unruly hair, and those very red lips which he had already heard say some quite astonishing things. Why had he never felt that way toward Mildred? He asked himself.

Mildred seemed to grow busier as the days passed. Perhaps, Raymond reflected, she was putting him to a test, and he redoubled his efforts to be particularly affectionate and considerate.

So it went on. The wedding was three weeks away. In a few days the invitations would be out. Beth had been busy all one day addressing them, as had Mildred. In the evening he was going to help them.

He arrived early and Beth opened the door.

"Mildred is out," she said. "Some one telephoned her. It was very urgent. A child of a neighbor is dangerously ill and they were at wit's ends and wanted Mildred to help them. She said she would be back in less



than an hour. Shall we begin? Here are the lists. We've addressed a good many. These are the ones for the church and here are the cards for those who are to be asked here afterward."

Their pens squeaked along for about 15 minutes. Neither had spoken.

"You'll make her very happy, won't you?" asked Beth softly, with a tiny break in her voice. "Mildred's the finest girl I know. And she has had a lonely sort of a life, I think."

"I hope I'll make her happy," he answered, without looking up.

"She has seemed so different lately,"

Beth continued. "I don't believe she was called out tonight anywhere. I've had a suspicion that she just made it up—that story of the neighbor's child. I think she has gone out to walk and walk and walk. She has been pacing

the floor at night almost ever since I came. I think she thinks—" Beth stopped.

"Do you think she thinks—that we're—that we've grown fond—" Raymond began.

Beth nodded.

"It has been lately, since these invitations have come and we've been addressing them," Beth continued. "She has let some queer remarks slip." And suddenly Raymond noticed that Beth's eyes were slightly red and that she had let two tears fall on an envelope.

"My dear," Raymond said, "you do love me? I'm right, you love me so much, so much." He was at her side now, his arm tight around her.

"Stand up!" he commanded. "Now kiss me! Now! I must kiss you. . . This once. . . Never again. Oh, my own, my own," he murmured, as Beth's shoulders shook and she trembled in his arms.

A slight sound startled them and turning they both saw Mildred.

"Mildred!" cried Beth and flew from the room. But Mildred called her back.

"Listen to me! Both of you! You must listen to me. I know now," she said, looking at Raymond, "that we both made a hideous mistake, but up to tonight I only thought I had made it. I've been so worried, so nervous, I've tried to forget everything in my work and you've been dearer and kinder to me so that I've felt miserable. I tried to make myself believe I loved you. I wanted love and marriage so much. Then as the time passed and the wedding grew nearer I felt that I couldn't go through with it. But I didn't see what I was to do! It wasn't



the thing I thought it was. There was always something missing.

"I suppose I didn't realize anything like this—because I was so worried, so absorbed in myself."

Raymond was looking at her, still dazed. "And you don't love me?" he repeated incredulously.

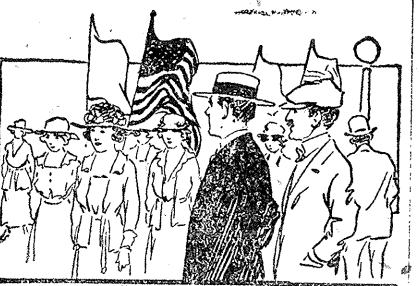
"Oh, the eternal man!" laughed Mildred. "You can't believe that I actually don't love you! Oh, I understand. I'm not being any martyr sacrificing myself because I see you love another. I'm happy, so happy! I want to work and work and work until I find some one who can make me love him better than work. It's not that I'm so mighty fond of my career; I would always keep on, but when I marry I want someone who means more to me than anything—that a what I want and need!"

"Mildred, you dear," Beth kept repeating, "and that's why you have been unhappy and nervous and have gone flying out of the studio so often."

"I must have given you a bad time of it," she said. "But doesn't it seem absurd," she asked Raymond, "when we believe in equal rights for women, equal mental, financial, municipal rights, that we don't yet believe in equal matrimonial rights for both? We've boasted that we were both ideal citizens of this democracy believing in liberty. And I thought the day of independence was none too good as a wedding day for two such independent people. We've both been wrong, and neither of us would admit it, so we went on blindly, stumbling and almost falling. We're fine ones to talk of independence, of equal rights, both of us. But, oh, I'm glad! So glad!" she repeated.

And her eyes shone with an unmistakable love for them both, a grateful, inspiring love because of the realization that the opportunity which would make them both happy was the trail of happiness for herself.

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my way. You've had a big day and I've had a bigger one."

"Good night," Mildred said in a low voice. Raymond took her hand again and held it to his lips for a moment.

They talked of marrying after the war, for Raymond had received his commission in the air service and was going abroad.

When he returned, just six months after peace had come, they both seemed to feel something missing in their feelings. Both knew they should be so glad, so gay, so happy, so relieved. Mildred found herself becoming nervous and irritable.

"Are you sure," she asked him one night with an inexplicable expression in her eyes, "that you love me as much as you did?"

"I'm quite sure," Raymond answered, but in his mind he was asking himself if he was just as fond of her as he had been. He felt he was—but really it was something else that was worrying him. He knew now that he had never been as fond of her as he might have been. He admired her so much, he loved to talk to her, but he never seemed to be able, now that the time grew closer, to think of her in his home as his wife, possibly as a mother. Mildred working, doing tremendously big things, Mildred making the loveliest of babies' heads in plaster, this was the Mildred he knew, but he couldn't picture Mildred with a baby of her own. He couldn't quite visualize it and he was annoyed at himself because he couldn't.

They had settled on the date of their wedding—it would take place on the Fourth of July. They felt it was the most significant date upon which they could be married, with their ideas of independence and equality and liberty and democracy, at least Mildred had decided that.

Raymond had been home two weeks when Mildred told him she had asked her cousin, Elizabeth Irving, who lived in the west, to help her in those last weeks. Elizabeth had written she would be delighted to come. She was expected now any day.

Raymond couldn't understand Mildred's interest in the details of the wedding. And as he wondered, the

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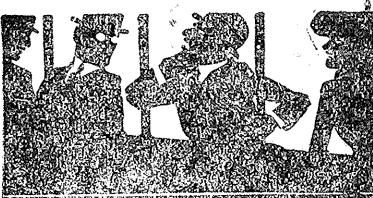
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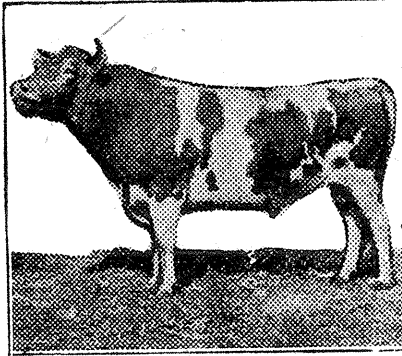
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WORK OF BULL ASSOCIATIONS

Largest Increase Noted Since Work Was Inaugurated and Improvement in Herds Seen.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

The number of active bull associations increased from 78 on July 1, 1919, to 123 on June 30, 1920. This is the largest increase since the work was begun by the United States Department of Agriculture, and is partly due to the momentum gained during the



A Good Type of Dairy Bull Such as Co-Operative Bull Associations Use.

preceding year, when the first real effort was made to extend the work.

Eighteen of the new associations are in South Carolina, Alabama and Mississippi, where a large part of the active field work has been done by the co-operative extension men. Reports from the associations which have been in operation for a fairly long time show that the bull association is fulfilling its purpose of improving the herds and that the daughters of association bulls have generally excelled their dams in milk and butterfat production. In one Maryland association 21 daughters of association bulls excelled their dams in yearly production by an average of 963 pounds of milk and 44 pounds of butterfat.

STERILIZING MILK BOTTLES

Only Thorough Washing, Steaming and Drying Produces Sterile Container for Milk.

Too much emphasis cannot be given to the fact that only thorough washing, steaming and drying produces a sterile container for milk and that milk should not be allowed in any other than a sterile container at any time, and particularly if the milk has been pasteurized or otherwise heated.

The washing and sterilizing of returned empty milk bottles to a city milk plant constitutes a big problem. Bottles are received in varying conditions of cleanliness and from the many and varied sources of collection, and it becomes somewhat of an accomplishment to make them sterile containers for milk.

The inoculation from the empty bottle can be reduced to a minimum by thorough washing, steaming and draining, and as this is possible and highly important from a health point of view no other method should be tolerated.

Placing pasteurized milk in a bottle which has not been sterilized just previously lessens the efficiency of the pasteurizing process and helps to defeat its purposes.

CHEESE INDUSTRY IN SOUTH

Becoming Noteworthy Factor in Dairying, Particularly in North Carolina and Tennessee.

In the South, particularly in North Carolina and Tennessee, the cheese industry is becoming a noteworthy factor in dairying, following the introduction of successful methods of cheese making developed by the United States Department of Agriculture. In each of these states two new factories were established during last year with the help of the dairy division specialists of the department.

The Grove City creamery, Grove City, Pa., conducted under the direction of the dairy division, continues to manufacture foreign types of cheese by methods developed in the laboratory of that division. The production of Roquefort, Swiss and Camembert cheese during the year exceeded 130,000 pounds.

DAIRY BULL FOR COMMUNITY

Farmers Should Organize Themselves and Raise Sufficient Money to Secure Good Animal.

In communities where there are no good dairy bulls, the farmers should organize themselves and raise enough money to buy and pay expenses in the upkeep of a good bull. If possible the bull should be used as a "community free service bull." This method has been tried out in many sections and is giving satisfaction.

BEST DEVELOPMENT OF COWS

Feed is About as Important as Breed in Creating More Highly Developed Animals.

Feed, as a source of development, is about as important as breed, not in creating impossibilities, but in bettering the possible; so that the heifer, if well bred, if well and properly fed, and with discriminating judgment will be a more highly developed cow.

NOVESTA.

Hot and dry. We need rain.

Have you gotten your share in the oil station?

George Lombard and wife, Ella Lombard were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Henderson.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey McGregor were entertained Sunday at the Elmer Chapman home.

Mr. and Mrs. Sheriff Holcomb and Clare Phillips were in Minden City Sunday, the trip being made by auto.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cunningham and Mr. and Mrs. Anson Henderson visited Sunday evening with Mrs. Bunker and Miss Addie Bunker. Mrs. Bunker is in poor health.

Roy and Delmar Bunker went to Detroit Saturday to see a brother, who has undergone an operation for appendicitis. They returned Sunday evening, reporting the brother doing well.

Mr. and Mrs. Loren Mattoon of Pontiac were in this vicinity last week with a view to locating on a farm among us. City life has lost its charms. We will welcome them back.

The pioneer meeting was a success all right. The weather was fine and old settlers well represented.

Just a moment, neighbors. The League of Neighbors will meet on Friday evening, July 1, with Charles Cunningham. Get your share of the entertainment ready; everyone else is doing so.

Several from here attended the Children's Day exercises at the Church of Christ on Sunday and were well pleased with the program. The children surely did fine.

June 15, "90 in all" old settlers of Novesta, their families and friends met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Loren Churchill for dinner. All the good eats that a healthy stomach could ask for were there. After the dinner hour, the meeting was called to order by the president, Loren Churchill. Officers elected were: Pres., Loren Churchill; sec. and treas., Mrs. Jesse Sole; organist, Miss Amy VanBlaricom; com. on program, Mrs. Etta May Wicks, Mrs. Arthur Van Blaricom and Mrs. Jesse Sole.

An interesting program followed. Solo by Miss Amy Van Blaricom; a song by Jesse Sole and his two sisters, Mrs. Della Searles of Hartsell, Ala., and Mrs. Lois Mattoon of Pontiac, recitations by Mrs. Stewart and Mrs. E. Holcomb, readings by Mrs. S. Stack, and Mrs. Jesse Sole. M. H. Quick, Wm. Bentley and Mr. Stewart gave short talks on "Pioneer Days." Mrs. S. Wagg and Miss Amy Van Blaricom acted as organists.

Elmer Bruce will look after all old settlers who have no way to go to the next annual gathering. Please notify Elmer, he'll furnish conveyance. The meeting closed by all singing "God Be With You Till We Meet Again." Will meet with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur VanBlaricom third Wednesday in June, 1922.

Think that Heaven is far away? Oh, you haven't far to roam, It's where the Old Folks stay—Where shines the light of day.

ELKLAND-ELMWOOD TOWN LINE

Howard Evans is on the sick list.

Miss Olga Ames of Caro is visiting her uncle, Edward Ames.

Miss Fern Seeley is spending her vacation with her parents.

Chas. Donnelly's moved to their new home in Cass City last week.

Calvin Hiser's are driving a Reo, purchased from George Seeley.

The Bingham school closed Friday with a picnic. Mrs. Muntz will teach the coming year.

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Hiser and children visited at the Arthur Loomis home north of Cass City Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hurd and children and Mr. and Mrs. T. Lounsbury visited at Calvin Hiser's home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Seekings and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hallack visited with Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Muntz Sunday.

Mrs. P. Livingston, Mrs. E. Dudenhofer and Mrs. C. Hiser and children spent Friday with Mrs. T. Lounsbury in Cass City, it being her birthday.

Miss Frankie Beckett is spending her summer vacation at her home here with her father.

Mrs. Wm. Martus and step-son, Wm. Martus, and Mrs. Allen spent a few days the past week visiting in Detroit.

ELLINGTON AND NOVESTA

Miss Florence Wanner made a trip to Detroit Saturday.

Sylvester Hike of Detroit is spending a few days at the Chas. McConnell home.

John Fields and children, Eldon and Lucile, left Saturday to spend a week in Watford, Ont.

J. S. Parrott, Allen Wanner and son, Carmon, and Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Parrott were in Marlette Sunday.

Grant and Donald Tallmadge spent from Wednesday until Sunday with their grandparents. Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Charlton of Elkland.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Ellis and Mr. and Mrs. Walford Turner and children of Brown City visited at Fred Stein's Sunday.

Isaac Gingrich and Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Gingrich were in Elkton Monday

evening of last week. Miss Luella Foeter returned with them to visit at the Gingrich home a couple of weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Greer and children of Johnstown, Pa., arrived Saturday at the Greer home to remain indefinitely.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Stone and son, Sherman, and daughter, Thelma, were guests of H. P. Deming's at Caro Sunday. Mrs. Armstrong of Caro returned with them.

Mrs. Stanley Sharrard and daughter, Reta, and Mrs. George Kirton and daughter, Jessie, of Wickware visited Sunday at the Greer home.

The Novesta farmers' club met at the pleasant home of Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Charlton Tuesday of last week. Fifty were present. There was no program and at the business meeting the club voted to have a booth at the fair. Mrs. John Beebe-hiser was elected chairman of a program committee for the next meeting and Mrs. Robt. Campbell was elected chairman of a committee to arrange the booth.

Order for Publication—Sale or Mortgage of Real Estate—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 twenty-first day of June A. D. 1921.

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

In the Matter of the Estate of: Alexandria A. McKenzie, minor. Louis L. Wheeler, guardian of said minor, having filed in said court a petition, praying for license to sell the interest of said estate in certain real estate therein described, and for the purposes therein mentioned.

It is Ordered, That the nineteenth day of July A. D. 1921, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition, and that all persons interested in said estate appear before said court, at said time and place, to show cause why a license to sell the interest of said estate in said real estate should not be granted;

It is Further Ordered, That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, 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.

Probate Seal. A true copy.

Orpha E. Hamter, Register of Probate.

6-24-3

Order for Publication—Final Administration Account—State of Michigan, The Probate Court for the County of Tuscola.

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the Village of Caro in said County, on the 8th day of June A. D. 1921.

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

In the Matter of the Estate of Joel D. Withey, Deceased.

William W. Withey having filed in said court his final administration account, and his petition praying for the allowance thereof and for the assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate

It is Ordered, That the 19th day of July A. D. 1921, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for examining and allowing said account and hearing said petition;

It is Further Ordered, That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, 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.

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6-17-3

NOTICE TO DESTROY WEEDS

To all owners, possessor or occupants of lands, or to any person or persons, firm or corporation having charge of any lands in this state:

Notice is hereby given that all noxious weeds growing on any lands anywhere within the township of Elkland county of Tuscola, state of Michigan, or within the limits of any highway passing by or through such lands, must be cut down and destroyed on or before the first day of July 1921.

Failure to comply with this notice on or before the dates mentioned or within ten days thereafter, shall make the parties so failing liable for the cost of cutting the same and an additional levy of ten per cent of such cost to be levied and collected against the property in the same manner as other taxes are levied and collected.

Also all brush growing upon the right of way of all highways running through or alongside of said land, but not including any shrubs reserved for shade or other purposes must be cut and destroyed.

JOS. BALKWELL, Commissioner of Highways, Elkland Township, County of Tuscola, State of Michigan. 6-17-3

Notice of Hearing Claims Before Court—State of Michigan, The Probate Court for the County of Tuscola.

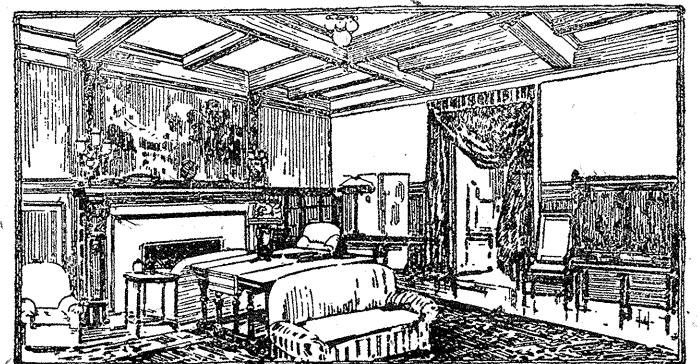
In the Matter of the Estate of Emily Orr, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given that six months from the 26th day of May A. D. 1921, have been allowed for creditors to present their claims against said deceased to said court for examination and adjustment, and that all creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said court at the probate office in the village of Caro in said county, on or before the 26th day of September A. D. 1921, and that said claims will be heard by said court on Monday the 26th day of September A. D. 1921, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated June 2nd, A. D. 1921.

O. D. HILL, Judge of Probate.

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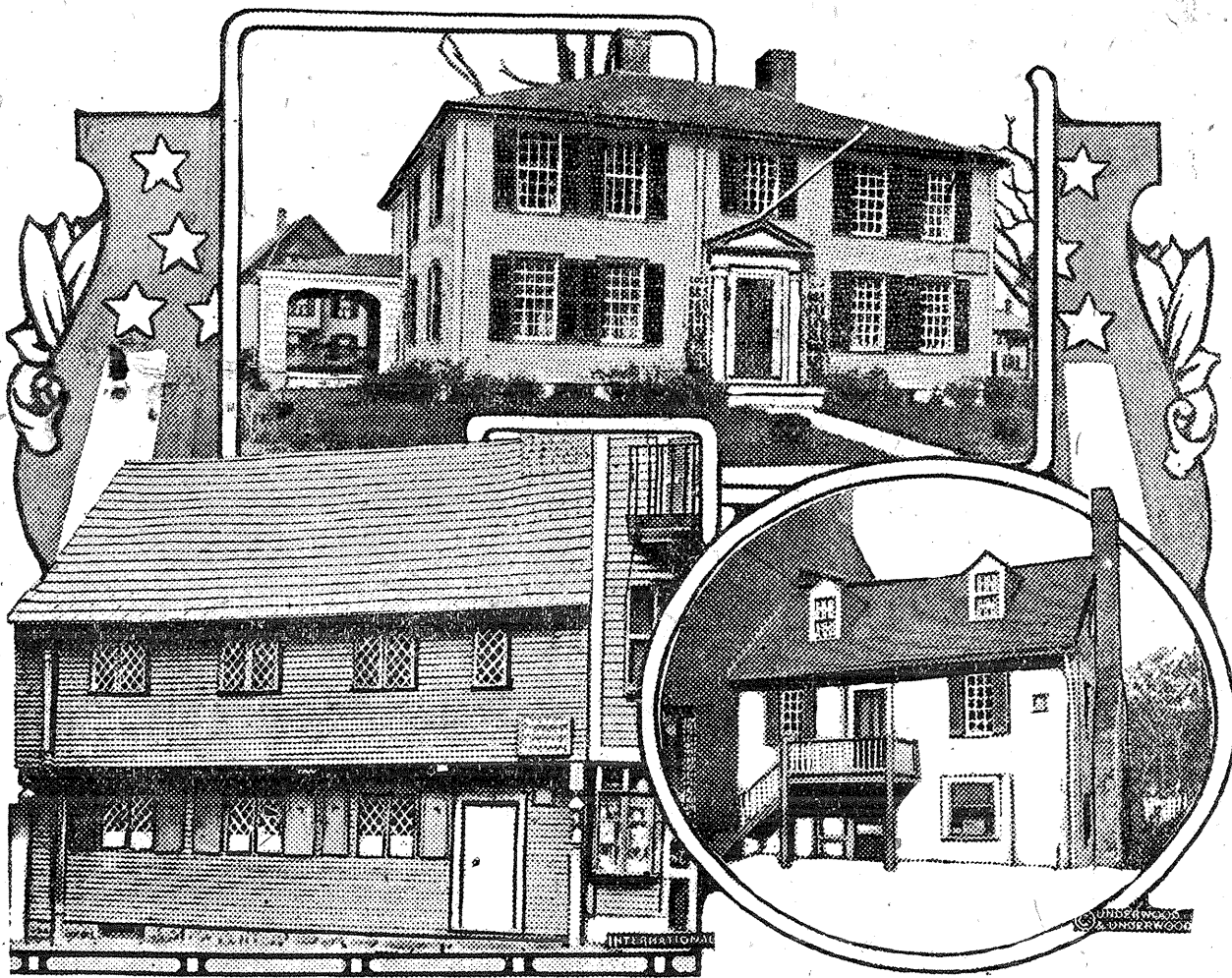
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REVOLUTIONARY LANDMARKS



Upper—Where the first man died in the Revolution. Wounded in the fight on Lexington Common, Jonathan Harrington crawled to the doorstep of his home and fell dead in the entrance just as his wife opened the door. The Harrington house, which has been carefully preserved, is at Lexington, Mass.

Left—Historic old-fashioned home of Paul Revere, from which the patriot started on his midnight ride to warn the people of Boston of the arrival of the British soldiers. The old house, situated in the North End, Boston, is visited frequently by tourists.

Right—Washington's headquarters in Georgetown. This quaint two-story structure was the headquarters of George Washington during 1760, when he was a surveyor. The structure was at that time a wayside inn of the main stage-coach road. It is constructed of native boulders, and is said to be as solid today as when built.

How Great Struggle Was Won

In 1765 the passing of an act of parliament for collecting a colonial revenue by stamps caused general indignation and led to riots. The first Colonial congress, consisting of 28 delegates representing nine colonies, made a statement of grievances and a declaration of rights. The stamps were destroyed or shipped back to England. In 1766 the stamp act was repealed, to the great joy of the colonists; but the principle of colonial taxation was not abandoned and in 1767 duties were levied on glass, papers, printers' colors and tea. This renewed attempt produced in 1768 riots in Boston and Gov. Gage was furnished with a military force of 700 to preserve order and enforce the laws. In 1773 the duties were repealed excepting a 3 pence a pound on tea. It was now a question of principle, and from north to south it was determined that this tax should not be paid. Some cargoes were stored in damp warehouses and spoiled; some sent back; in Boston a mob disguised as Indians threw it into the harbor.

Britain Sends More Troops.

It was now determined to enforce the government of the crown and parliament over the colonies; and a fleet containing several ships of the line and 10,000 troops was sent to America; while the colonists, still asserting their loyalty and with little or no thought of separation from the mother country, prepared to resist what they considered the unconstitutional assumptions of the government. Volunteers were drilling in every direction and depots of provisions and military stores were being gathered. A small force being sent from Boston to seize one of these depots at Concord, Mass., led to what is called the battle of Lexington, and the beginning of the Revolutionary war, April 19, 1775. The British troops were attacked on their return by the provincials and compelled to beat a hasty retreat. A congress of the colonies assembled at Philadelphia, which resolved to raise and equip an army of 20,000 men, and appointed George Washington commander-in-chief. On June 17 Breed's hill in Charleston, near Boston, where 1,500 Americans had hastily entrenched themselves, was taken by assault by the British troops, but with so heavy a loss (1,054 men) that the defeat had for the provincials the moral effect of a victory. After a winter of great privations, the British were compelled to evacuate Boston, carrying away in their fleet 1,500 loyal families.

The British government now put forth a strong effort to reduce the colonies to submission. An army of 55,000, including 17,000 German mercenaries ("Hessians"), was sent under command of Sir William Howe to put down this "wicked rebellion." The thirteen colonies adopted constitutions as independent and sovereign states. On June 7, 1776, Richard Henry Lee of Virginia offered a resolution in congress declaring that "the united colonies are, and ought to be, free and independent states; that they are absolved from all allegiance to the British crown; and that all political connection between them and the state of Great Britain is, and ought to be, dissolved."

Birth of Declaration.

This resolution, after an earnest debate, was adopted by the votes of the delegates of nine out of the thirteen colonies. A committee consisting of Thomas Jefferson, John Adams, Benjamin Franklin, Roger Sherman and Robert R. Livingston was instructed to prepare a declaration in accordance with the above resolution; and the celebrated Declaration of Independence, written by Mr. Jefferson, based upon the equality of all men and the universal right of self-government, and asserting that "all government derives its just powers from the consent of the governed," on July 4, 1776, received the assent of the delegates of the colonies, which thus dissolved their allegiance to the British crown and declared themselves free and independent states.

Dark Days for Patriots.

After the evacuation of Boston by the British, Gen. Washington, with the remains of his army, thinned by the hardships of winter, hastened to New York. On July 2 Gen. Howe—being joined by his brother, Admiral Lord Howe, and Sir Henry Clinton—found himself at the head of 35,000 men; defeated the Americans on Long Island Aug. 27, 1776, compelled the evacuation of New York and secured possession of its spacious harbor and the Hudson river.

On Christmas night Gen. Washington by crossing in boats among floating ice made a successful night attack upon a Hessian force at Trenton and gave new courage to the despairing Americans, who recruited the army and harassed the enemy with a winter campaign.

In the meantime Silas Deane and Benjamin Franklin had been sent to France to solicit recognition and aid. The recognition was delayed, but important aid was privately given in money and supplies, and European volunteers—the Marquis de Lafayette, Baron Steuben, Baron de Kalb, Kosciusko and Pulaski—rendered the most important services.

While Washington was contending unsuccessfully against disciplined and overwhelming forces in New Jersey, Gen. Burgoyne was leading an army of 7,000 British and German troops—with a large force of Canadians and

Indians—from Canada into northern New York to form a junction with the British on the Hudson and separate New England from the rest of the confederacy. After two sharp actions at Stillwater and Saratoga, with but three days' rations left he was compelled to capitulate on Oct. 17; and England, in the midst of victories, heard with dismay of the loss of an entire army. The Americans gained 5,000 muskets and a large train of artillery.

France recognized American independence and sent a large fleet and supplies of clothing, arms and munitions of war to their aid; and Gen. Clinton, who had superseded Gen. Howe, finding his supplies at Philadelphia threatened, retreated to New York, defeating the Americans at Monmouth, N. J.

Patriots' Hands Strengthened.

Spain and then Holland joined in the war against England and aided the Americans. But the king and parliament were determined to maintain the honor of the crown and the integrity of the empire. In 1780, 85,000 seamen and 35,000 additional troops were sent to America, and a strong effort was made to subjugate the Carolinas, where the war assumed a bitter partisan character and was conducted with spirit by Sumpter, Marion and other southern chieftains. Lord Cornwallis with a large army marched from Charleston through North Carolina pursuing and sometimes defeating the American general Gates. Worn out with his success he arrived in Virginia where he was confronted by the Marquis de Lafayette. In the meantime Admiral de Varney had arrived upon the coast with a powerful French fleet, and 6,000 soldiers, the elite of the French army, under Count de Rochambeau, while Washington hurried from New York. Cornwallis was obliged to fortify himself in Yorktown, blockaded by the fleet of Count de Grasse, and besieged by the allied army of Americans and French, waited for Sir Henry Clinton to send him relief from New York. October 19, 1781, he was compelled to surrender his army of 7,000 men—an event which produced such a change of feeling in England as to cause the resignation of the ministry and the dispatch of Gen. Sir Guy Carleton to New York with offers of terms of peace. The preliminaries were signed at Paris Nov. 30, 1782, and on Sept. 3, 1783, England concluded peace with France, Holland and America. The independence of each of the several states was acknowledged, with a liberal settlement of territorial boundaries. In April, 1783, a cessation of hostilities had been proclaimed and the American army disbanded. New York, which had been held by the British through the whole war, was evacuated Nov. 25; on Dec. 4 Gen. Washington took leave of his companions in arms and on Dec. 23 resigned into the hands of congress his commission as commander-in-chief.

SHABBONA.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Auslander visited friends in Argyle Wednesday.

Aaron Allen has been repairing barns the past week.

Crops are looking fine but are badly in need of moisture.

Hugh Hill Neale of the Detroit College of Law is visiting Dub Woodhull this week. Hugh says he likes the climate in Shabbona and thinks this is an ideal place for one to hibernate.

Cliff Champion and Chester White Graham were callers in town Wednesday. It is understood that Chett is opening a school of instruction for all aspirant pitchers in this locality.

R. D. Keating, the oil peddler, called here Monday and in an attempt to hurry home before the threatening storm left part of his filling apparatus. R. D. must have a regular supply of equipment to do this with all his customers.

Amasa Brown, who has been ill for the past ten days, is reported on the mend.

Floyd Phillips is now taking the balance of his vacation from Uncle Sam.

Mr. Miller, the new cream buyer, is shipping considerable cream these days. Evidently Mr. Miller does not believe in misleading the public when he calls his station, The Shedd Creamery.

Mr. Cargill, who has been selling stock for the new filling station, reports that about all of the required amount has been sold and plans for installation will commence immediately.

Large bills for the Fourth of July celebration to be held here will be posted in the very near future announcing complete program.

A number from here are planning on attending the game at Cass City Friday when Fostoria and Cass City lock horns. This game ought to be a blinger as the sporting columns show a thirteen inning game between Caro and Fostoria and although the latter was on the short end, they deserve credit.

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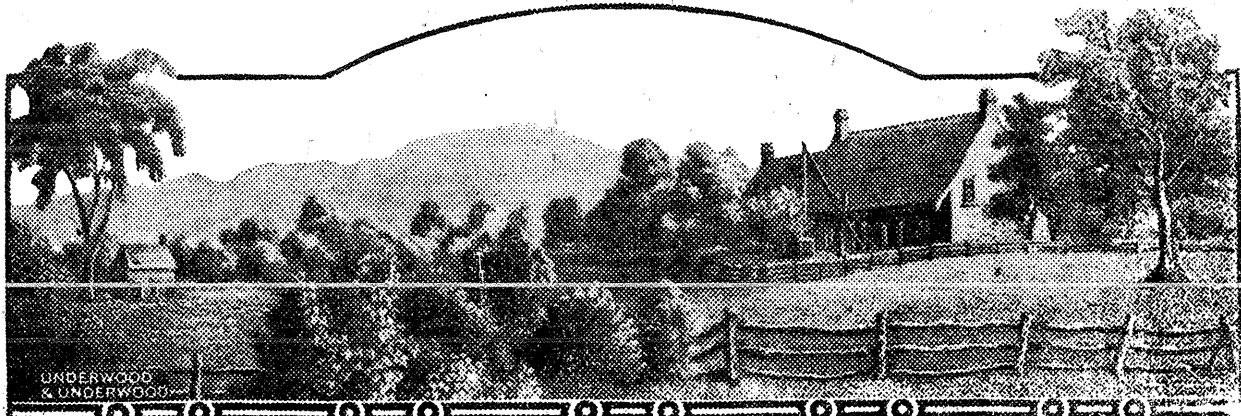
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