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FARM PROFITS ARE COMING BACK.

It is a law of nature that action is equal to reaction in the opposite direction. For instance, a pendulum always swings almost as far one way as it went in the opposite direction on the preceding swing. A slight tap when it starts back may send it farther than it went on the up stroke.

Business has its ups and downs as does the pendulum. In many respects business expansions and depressions are almost as regular as the ticking of the clock, says Successful Farming.

There are several reasons why the farmer now should take an optimistic view of his business situation. The wheat carry-over from this season has been the smallest in years. The latest information indicates that the 1921 crop is no larger than the 1920 crop.

Of vital interest to farmers is the fact that there is a decided shortage in livestock. If per capita consumption of meat and meat products were suddenly to return to normal, the demand for meat would be far greater than the supply.

During the first five months of 1921 there were 7,716 business failures in the United States as compared with 2,678 for the corresponding period of 1920. An expert statistician estimates that at present there are about three million persons ordinarily employed in industries in the United States out of employment.

One can readily see that as workers in textile mills, shoe factories, automobile factories, furniture factories, etc., are resuming employment, their requirements will be proportionately increased. Certainly this means a greater demand and better prices for all the things which are produced by farmers.

There are other favorable signs and we will admit a few clouds on the horizon, but taking it all in all the situation warrants reasonable optimism. Better times for agriculture are coming, and coming soon.

KINGSTON-NOVESTA TOWN LINE.

The threshing machine owned by a company of farmers has started threshing grain in this vicinity this week. Miss Mary Coleman is visiting her sister, Mrs. Ben Bowman, at Pontiac.

Stanley Osborn entertained the following callers last Sunday afternoon: Mr. and Mrs. Clothier of Marlette, Mr. and Mrs. James Osborn and Mack Wentworth and family and Lloyd Osborn and family.

Ben Bowman of Pontiac spent Sunday at the Coleman home. Mrs. Bowman, who has been spending a few weeks here, returned home with him Sunday evening.

ELLINGTON AND NOVESTA

Mrs. Glen Tuckey is ill with pleurisy. Miss Mary Dodge of Cass City spent the week end with Verna Jones. Mrs. A. H. Collison visited her sister, Mrs. Thos. Schweigert, of Almer Friday.

Miss Lilah and Egbert Hendrick of Elmwood spent Sunday at John Neiman's. Mr. and Mrs. Moses Karr and children of Gagetown were guests of Ed Flint's Sunday.

Thelma Stone spent Sunday at A. Wanner's. Miss Grace Adams of Toledo is visiting her sister, Mrs. Clarence Quick.

Miss Luella Sherman of Pontiac spent last week at H. Stone's. Mr. and Mrs. Byron Phelps and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Quick and daughter, Bernice, spent Thursday in Akron.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Quick and family and Miss Grace Adams of Toledo were guests of Joseph Fulcher's at Wickware Sunday. Though Albert Neiman's injured foot is healing nicely, he will not be able to walk for about two weeks.

GREENLEAF.

A nice shower Tuesday evening. Mrs. Anna Tanner and Miss Ada Tanner were among those who made an auto trip to Point aux Barques Sunday.

D. Rolston and wife, W. Powell and F. Rolston and family spent Sunday at Freiburger looking for huckleberries. Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Hill of Port Huron have been guests of relatives for several weeks.

CEDAR RUN.

Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Turner are the proud parents of a seven pound son who arrived early Monday morning. Little Laurabelle Perry is seriously ill.

Wm. Ware, sr., and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Beardley and children spent Sunday at the Robt. Wilson home. Jean Wright and two daughters of Pontiac spent several days at the home of Frank Wright. Saturday, Mr. and Mrs. Wright took them home and spent Sunday in Detroit.

Mrs. Clare Turner is able to be around again after her illness. Mrs. Frank Seeley spent Monday and Tuesday at Byron Perry's helping take care of her little niece who is sick. Kenneth Spaulding, who works at Uby, spent Sunday at Wm. Spaulding's. Uncle Pennywise Says: You're in a bad way if you don't inherit anything from a successful father but money.

MINNESOTA'S CHALLENGE FOR A GREAT GOVT. SAVINGS CONTEST ACCEPTED BY STATE OF MICHIGAN

"Wolverines" Quickly Snap at Defi From the "Gophers," Promising to Run Up Larger Total Purchases of Uncle Sam's Savings Securities Than the Challengers—Count on Investment Sense of Their People to Prompt Buying of the Safe and Profitable Treasury Savings Certificates—Contest to Begin Aug. 1st and End Dec. 1st

POSTMASTERS TO LEAD IN STATE-PRIDE FIGHT

Predicted That New \$25 Treasury Savings Certificates Will Be Bought by Thousands of the Rank and File of Michiganders on Lookout for Bargains—"Big Fellows" Expected to Take Larger Denominations—Government's Reward to Purchasers Very Attractive.

Michigan has accepted a challenge hurled at it by Minnesota for a government savings contest, to be begun August 1st and concluded December 1st. The postmasters of the two states will lead in the struggle, which each state believes it will win, and they now are arranging the plans preliminary to clearing the decks for action. The Michigan postmasters are going to enlist the support of every man, woman and child in the "Wolverine State." They feel that the glory of the commonwealth is at stake and they will leave no stone unturned to build a structure of total purchases that will make that of the "Gophers" small in comparison.

Government savings securities of all denominations will be urged for purchase, but the postmasters plan to "push" the new \$25 Treasury Savings Certificates for the rank and file of the population. This denomination is of convenient size and carries all the advantages of the larger denominations—\$100 and \$1,000. The "big fellows" are counted on to take the \$100 and \$1,000 Certificates, which will figure so strongly in swelling the total.

"The contest should prove of great value to our people," said one of the Michigan postmasters, who has been active in all the government's security-selling campaigns. "Inasmuch as it will afford the people a fine opportunity to invest in absolutely safe securities which pay a fine profit. Many of our people have become regular purchasers of government savings securities, and the number who are buying the new \$25 Treasury Savings Certificates is rapidly on the increase. With the fruits of a big contest at stake, we believe that a very large number of our people will join the regular purchasers and aid materially in winning the blue ribbon."

Minnesota made a fine record in wartime in the purchase of War Savings Stamps and she has taken a strong liking to the Treasury Savings Certificates of \$25, \$100 and \$1,000 denominations. Her farmers have done much to bolster up the fine showing the state has made, and they are counted on to aid materially in the

Only 8 Per Cent of World's Savers Are Americans; French Thriftiest

Notwithstanding the fact almost 30 per cent of the world's savers are in this country and that the average depositor in the United States has a greater sum to his credit than his neighbor overseas, only 8 per cent of the total number of the world's savers are Americans.

In proportion to population, a number of foreign countries exceed this nation in numbers of depositors, according to a statement given out by the savings division of the United States Treasury department. Through centuries of struggle for mere existence, many European peoples have been trained to the most rigid economy, while Americans have found the fight for a livelihood a comparatively easy matter.

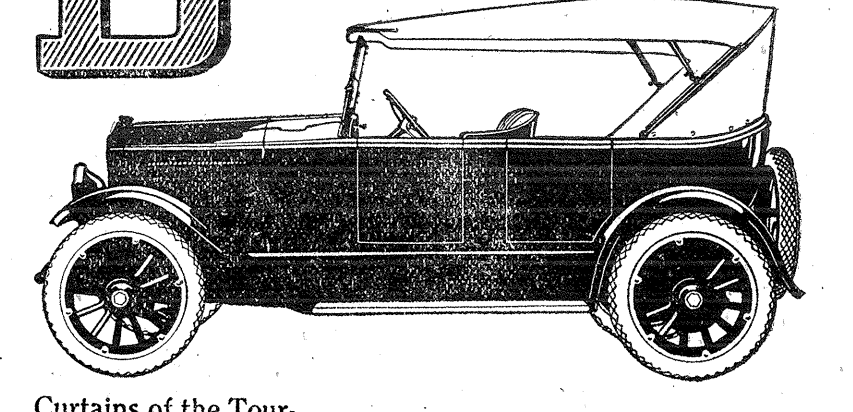
HALF BILLION LOST TO STOCK SHARPERS Americans Duped Out of Huge Sum in the Last Year.

Half a billion dollars was lost to the American people in the last year through fraudulent stock and oil deals and other swindles. Think of it! This vast amount of money taken from the arteries of legitimate trade and industry and converted to the nefarious uses of unprincipled men who live upon the gullibility of the people!

The savings division of the Treasury department has this to say on the subject: "You may not know it, but somebody has been cheating you out of more than \$4.50 a year. They have been doing it by selling fraudulent and worthless stocks to the American people. You personally may not have bought a share of these offerings by unscrupulous promoters, but the fact remains that half a billion dollars has been lost by your fellow countrymen through those 'inscurities.'" "The surest protection that can be offered against the attack of sharpers and peddlers of worthless stocks is the safe, conservative and profitable investment of surplus funds in government savings securities. They are adaptable to any income, ranging in price at maturity from the \$1 Treasury Savings Stamp to the \$1,000 Treasury Savings Certificate, and are absolutely guaranteed against depreciation or loss, as they always may be redeemed for more cash than was paid for them."

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Man's Debt to the Horse.

Not only has the horse inhabited the earth for many millions of years, but throughout the ages he has made the world ring with tales of equine valor. From Pegasus, the winged steed who aided Bellerophon in slaying the monster, Chimera, down to the 16,000,000 horses which helped the allies to win the World War, they have served man well, and oftentimes purchased his safety with their lives.

Preserving Milk.

Is milk condensed? Milk is condensed by the evaporation of the water it contains, after it has been sterilized. Sugar is added to some brands, and is not added to others, and the unsweetened is known as "evaporated" milk to distinguish it from the sweetened. Copper tanks holding 1,000 gallons or more are used in the sterilization of the milk, and the water is evaporated in huge vacuum pans.

Idea of Canal Is Old.

The project of a canal across the Isthmus of Panama is about four hundred years old. Balboa and other Spanish explorers urged such construction before the emperor of Spain, and made surveys in search of a feasible line as early as 1525.

Adding to the Dictionary.

New words appear now and then. The old-time real estate agent is now a "realtor," and the one-time undertaker is a "mortician." The other day a hobo came into get a dime and said he was a leisurist. And so it goes.

# LOCAL NEWS



Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Paul were visitors at Bay Port Sunday.

Mrs. E. A. Henry is improving in health after several weeks' illness.

C. D. Striffler left Saturday on a few days' business trip to Buffalo.

Frank and Andrew Champion are in Mt. Pleasant on business this week.

Paul Snauble of Ypsilanti was a business caller in town over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Champion and Mr. and Mrs. John Barnes were in Bay Port Sunday.

Miss Zelma McKenzie spent Friday and Saturday with Mrs. Roy McIntosh of Elkton.

Miss Mary Cummings of Caro was the guest of Miss Belva Tibbals from Friday until Sunday.

Mrs. Frank Hall and son, Eldon, of McHugh were guests at the home of Israel Hall Tuesday.

Mrs. John Barnes left Tuesday for Detroit where she is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Leo Hopps.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hill and son, John Merritt, of Pontiac called on old acquaintances in town Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Welsh and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Welsh of Caro were guests at the Henry Paul home Sunday.

Dr. and Mrs. P. L. Fritz and children, Maurice and Helen, of Pigeon and Dr. and Mrs. Fred Fritz of Owosso were guests at the I. A. Fritz home Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Putnam of Caro were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Chambers on R. R. No. 3. The ladies were girlhood friends and this was their first visit in 30 years. Needless to say it was an exceedingly pleasant one.

The following officers of the Rebekah Lodge were installed Friday evening by Mrs. A. A. Ricker, the district deputy president: Noble Grand, Mrs. S. H. Brown; Vice Grand, Mrs. Margaret Levagood; R. S. N. G., Mrs. Hannah McKim; L. S. N. G., Mrs. Martha McConnell; R. S. V. G., Mrs. A. A. Ricker; L. S. V. G., Mrs. G. E. Reagh; Recording Secretary, Mrs. C. W. Heller; Financial Secretary, Mrs. Geo. West; Treasurer, Mrs. William Schwaderer; Warden, Mrs. Margaret Hendricks; Conductor, Mrs. L. E. Dickinson; Chaplain, Mrs. Sam Striffler; Inside Guardian, Katherine Crane; Outside Guardian, Mrs. John Cole; Organist, Mrs. Della Lauderbach.

Ethel Robinson and Annabel McRae attended the picnic of the Wickware Sunday School at Forester Friday.

Edwin Fritz was the guest of Richard and Warren Schenck in Caseville from Thursday until Sunday.

Mrs. E. H. Pinney, Miss Willerton and Patty and Betty visited with Mrs. Edward Pinney at Oak Bluff on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Starr and family and Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Starr of Argyle called on Mrs. W. Starr Sunday.

E. R. Andrews went to Caseville Monday where he will haul gravel with his truck for the remainder of the season.

Alex Henry and son, Carl, Geo. Cridland, and the Misses Caroline Keating and Kathryn Cridland spent Thursday in Saginaw.

Mr. and Mrs. John W. Ball and son, Grant, and Mrs. Frank Pitcher spent Sunday in Yale as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hill.

Master Edward Henry, jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Henry, left Friday to spend several weeks with his grandparents near Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Travis and two children of Shabbona and Mr. and Mrs. Neil McLarty of Novesta called on Mr. and Mrs. C. McRae Sunday.

"Citizens of Cass City should have mercy on hay fever sufferers and cut the rag weed about town," suggested Rev. Wm. Richards, who is a victim of the disease. A glance on certain properties would indicate that other varieties of weeds are also in need of cutting as well.

Geo. Chapman, Frank Dodge and Miss Elva Dodge motored to Detroit Monday, returning the same day. The Misses Pauline Bond and Mildred Dodge, who accompanied them, remained in that city and will spend two weeks with relatives and friends in Detroit, Royal Oak and Oxford.

E. W. Jones cooled the atmosphere just a trifle Tuesday when he told a few of his friends that he was bound for Toledo to buy holiday goods. He brought visions of sparkling snow and jingling bells for just an instant—and then all started to sweat again when a passer-by remarked, "Gee whiz, aint she hot again today."

Mrs. H. R. Wager and Mrs. G. W. Landon were hostesses of the Mother's Club Tuesday afternoon from 4:30 to 7:30. The ladies gathered at the Wager home where they participated in a contest of sewing "Solomon's Puzzle" quilt blocks. Mrs. J. A. Sandham received a prize for the best work and Mrs. H. F. Lenzner captured the booby prize. About six o'clock the guests were invited to the dining room where they were served to potato salad, meat loaf, olives, rolls and coffee. When this repast had been partaken of announcement of a short joy ride was made at the conclusion of which the ladies found themselves at the home of Mrs. Landon. Here they were served the second course of the luncheon consisting of ice cream and cakes. It was a very enjoyable occasion for the club. The next meeting will be a picnic on the beautiful lawn of the Tibbals home.

**ELKLAND-ELMWOOD TOWN LINE.**

Wm. Martus, jr., is recovering from a week's illness.

Mrs. Wm. Simmons is recovering from an attack of tonsilitis.

Miss Fern Hutchinson of Caro is spending her vacation with her sister, Mrs. Fred Seeley.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Hutchinson and Mr. and Mrs. K. Meddaugh of Caro and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Seeley were callers at the Wm. Simmons' home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Hiser and children, Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Hiser and Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Wickware spent Sunday on the banks of the Cass river.

Miss Bertha Wood, who has been sick for some time at the John Marks home, was taken to the home of Dr. Morris in Cass City.

I. K. Reid, Fred Reid, Frank Reid, Floyd Reid, Roy Allen and Frank Dilman and their better halves, Mrs. Hattie Boyes and two daughters, Mrs. Chas. Richter and son, Otto, Ella Richter, Ernest Wood, Glen Reid and Mr. and Mrs. John Dilman and two children spent Sunday at Rose Island.

**NOKO.**

Threshing has commenced.

The extreme sultry weather still continues.

Crops, especially rye and beahs, promise a fair yield.

Mrs. Sena Lewis left on Sunday for a few weeks visit with friends in Detroit.

Mrs. D. McPherson was called to Detroit a week ago to the bedside of her daughter, Mrs. Symmonds,

known here as Miss Maude McPherson, who recently underwent an operation.

Hamilton & Lawson have removed their outfit for the road to the Ragan pit on account of the scarcity of the gravel here.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Kneeshaw, employees of the new gravel road, who had rooms here for six weeks, removed to Midland Saturday.

The Sabbath School is to meet the Snover school on Tuesday at the lake for a day's outing. With well filled baskets, a pleasant time is anticipated.

The two large barns and a number of outbuildings of Mr. and Mrs. H. Foster have been greatly improved with the red and white decorations.

Mrs. Tushingnam, accompanied by her sister and daughter of Toronto, Ont., who spent a few weeks here with the first named's mother, Mrs. Louisa Chard returned to their home in the city Thursday.

**For Antiquarians to Solve.**

In discussing the origin of names from occupations an interesting point crops up. A man might have been a cooper and his son a weaver, why was the family known as coopers and not weavers? Just at what point did the appellation crystallize into a name? Careful study has failed to clear up this point.

**Removing Paint From Wood.**

To rid room of bad odor give it a coat of paint or varnish. If a dead rat or mouse causes the trouble the odor will last until the little creature is entirely dried up. Lye will take off paint but would injure the wood for applying paint to later. Use a paint remover bought at a paint shop.—Housewife.

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**NOVESTA CORNERS.**

Dry weather still continues.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Weeks are visiting their son, Randy, near Holly.

A new piano has been installed in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alex Hamilton.

Miss Hollis Brown is in Ann Arbor for medical treatment.

Wm. Collins is numbered with the sick.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hicks spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Patch, jr.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Wentworth and children of Dryden spent Sunday with Mr. W's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Wentworth.

Miss Anna Patch spent a few days the first of the week with friends in Detroit.

Lester Day and son, Forest, have just finished putting down a well on the farm of Vern Allen.

Clyde Palmateer and lady friend of Dryden spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Palmateer.

**ELMWOOD.**

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Smith on Tuesday, July 26, a daughter, Cathaleen Elizabeth. She tipped the scales at 7½ pounds.

James O'Dell of Wayne is visiting friends here.

Hiram McKellar made a business trip to Cass City Friday.

Wesley Dunn was a caller in this neighborhood Monday.

Bernice McKellar is visiting her sister, Mrs. Thos. Smith, at Colwood this week.

Ed Burse, who resides in the mountains south of here, was a caller in this burg Monday.

A large number of Elmwood people attended the tent meetings at Cass City Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike McKellar and daughter, Marion, of Talco, Okla., are spending a few days with Mr. M's brother, Hi McKellar.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Ewald and sons, Clarence and Robt., "Forded" to Pontiac Saturday on a visit to their son, Arthur.

# Our July Clearance Sale

Has gone far beyond our expectation. Those who were unable to attend this sale during the past two weeks will have opportunity this week to take advantage of the great savings this sale makes possible.

**Final Cleanup on Organdie Dresses**

Regular \$18.50 Dresses, final clean up	\$9.48
Regular \$22.50 Dresses, final clean up	11.48
Regular \$25.00 Dresses, final clean up	12.98

We only have a very limited amount of these values left, so do not wait too long and be disappointed.

**Gingham Dresses**  
at special prices for this Clearance Sale, from \$2.40 and up.

**Voile Dresses at a Cleanup**  
High grade Voile Dresses from \$2.98 and up.

**White Wash Skirts**  
The remainder of our White Wash Skirts from 98c and up. Do not overlook this item if you are in need of a white skirt.

**Dress and Skirt Specials**  
A few more of those wonderful Dresses and Skirts left at \$5.98 and \$9.98. In this lot you will find dresses and skirts that formerly sold as high as \$27.50, but \$9.98 buys the best one during this clearance sale.

**Blouses and Waists Greatly Reduced**  
for this clearance sale. Regular \$5.00 Waist reduced to \$3.98 and so on through the line.

**High Grade Hand Bags at Cleanup Prices**

Bags formerly selling at \$12.50 and \$13.50, now	\$8.19
Bags formerly selling at \$9.50 and \$10.50, now	6.79
Bags formerly selling at \$7.50 and \$8.50, now	5.49

**19c Dress Gingham**  
Regular 25c to 35c Gingham while they last at only 19c. This lot is getting very low and if you are looking for a bargain on gingham, be sure to come early or you will be disappointed.

**Yard Wide Unbleached Sheeting**  
At special prices for this Clearance Sale—10c, 12c, 14c, 17c and 25c. Here is your opportunity to supply your needs at these tremendously low prices.

**39c Table**  
A very good selection of voiles left to choose from at 39c. These certainly are values that will attract attention to every eager buyer.

**Voiles from 49c to \$1.29**  
These voiles are moving very fast at these greatly reduced prices. Do not put off buying and be disappointed.

**Apron Gingham at only 12½c**  
A limited amount left from last week to close out at 12½c.

**Colored Organdies**  
are marked down as follows: 85c to 53c. \$1.15 to 79c. \$2.00 to \$1.19.

**ZEMKE BROTHERS**









**Daddy's Evening Fairy Tale**  
 BY MARY GRAHAM BONNER  
 THE SPERM WHALE.

"Some creatures," said Sperm Whale, "have their heads filled with brains and such things. But I have my head filled with oil!"



"My Head."

"That's something to boast of, and it is not everybody who can boast of it, if in truth anybody can!"

"There are quite a few barrels of oil in my head. I do not exactly mean that, however. I do not mean, you see, that there are real and actual barrels of oil in my head instead of brains."

"But I do mean that there is enough oil in my head to fill a number of barrels with it."

"Just think of all that oil in my head. Isn't that an interesting thought! And when people think it is so fine to have ideas in their heads I wish they would think of me, the Sperm Whale with oil in his head!"

"And my head is such an important part of me. I suppose everyone's head is more or less important. Doubtless more important than less important."

"But my head is very, very important. Not only because of the oil that is in it—that is a very important and interesting fact in itself."

"But my head is enormous. It is a huge head. Most people have rather small heads. At least, their heads aren't about one third of them. I do not know if that is the way they would speak of it, but remember I am a Sperm Whale, and my head is filled with oil, not with brains!"

"Yes, my head takes up about one third of my great size. I am an enormous creature, too. My head is very blunt. I wouldn't have a pointed head for anything. Not even if you gave me a pointed head, would I take it."

"And in my head are great rows of teeth, such teeth! They are big and strong and fine! And we can look after ourselves."

"I not only have oil in my head, but I have great teeth, too."

"Most creatures, I suppose, have teeth in their heads, but they haven't such strong teeth as I have. I don't have to go to a dentist."

"No, indeed, there are no dentists down in the great ocean where I live. We don't need such things, or such people, or whatever way one does speak of them."

"A dentist down here wouldn't be able to support himself or look after himself if he had to look to us for work, for we'd never have any work to give him, ha, ha!"

"It must be a dreadful thing to have toothache. Then I am sure a dentist is most useful and helpful."

"But we don't have toothache, or toothache, or any sort of an ache around the teeth."

"The children of the Sperm Whales are always looked after in bays, where they are guarded and cared for carefully until they're able to look after themselves."

"You wouldn't think such a huge creature as a whale would make a very good mother. You'd think she wouldn't care much about looking after her young."

"But that is where you're wrong—that is if you think that. For a Mother Sperm Whale takes great care of her young, great care, indeed."

"And now I hope you have some idea of what we are like. We won't go visiting you, so it is nice for you to know something about us."

"We will stay deep down in the ocean, where it is so nice. Yes, the weather is always wet, thank you, but we don't mind."

"That's the kind we like. The good old ocean weather for us."

"Our family name is Cachalot, as well as Sperm Whale."

"Our favorite food consists mainly of great big squids. Good food, that, good food!"

"But, oh, to have one's head filled with plenty of oil, to be so different from the usual creature who never has anything like that in its head! That is a joy indeed, and that joy belongs to the Sperm Whale, the great and mighty Sperm Whale!"

"Or if you prefer to use a bigger word you may call me the Cachalot. I do not mind which you decide to use. I do not even mind if you simply call me a whale!"

**History Repeats Itself.**  
 Teacher—But I read the very same paper on the colonies by another student last year.

Pupil—But you forget; history repeats itself.

**HEAD SELECTION DEVELOPS ROSEN**

Increased Rye Yields Reported by Growers; Manitou Island Project Aids.

Rosen rye, which has already placed Michigan in the lead of the entire country in the production of this grain, is being improved still further through "head selection" of seed. On one farm, that of George Starr, in Jackson county, the yield from head selected rye was 46 bushels per acre as compared with 30 bushels from the ordinary certified variety.

Probably the most extensive work in head selection during the coming year will be done on South Manitou Island, in Lake Michigan 10 miles off the Leelanau shore, where M. A. C., the Michigan Crop Improvement association and the Michigan State Farm Bureau are co-operating with local farmers in the production of improved strains of Rosen. Each one of the dozen farmers on the island has agreed to raise no other variety of rye and to rogue out all volunteer rye that may appear. Because the island is so far from the mainland there is no danger of cross pollination. Altogether 100 acres of rye are being grown there.

At other points in the state Rosen is being steadily improved and larger yields are resulting. L. H. Sedgwick of Parma and Roland Morrill of Benton Harbor, former president of the state farm bureau, are both accomplishing much, while Prof. F. A. Sprague, plant breeder at M. A. C. who first introduced Rosen in Michigan, is continuing his efforts at improvement.

Prof. J. F. Cox and A. L. Bibbins of the farm crops department at M. A. C. have just completed an inspection trip of South Manitou Island and two other members of the department, Howard Rather and J. R. Duncan, are planning another journey to select seed. Secretary Bibbins of the Michigan Crop Improvement Asso. has announced that all farmers who desire their rye certified next year must plant from head selected seed.

**BABIES PASS FIRST DANGER MONTH WELL**

June, the first of the four dangerous months for babies, ended with a victory for mothers and babies against the enemies of infant health, according to statistics for the month compiled by the Michigan department of health. The infant mortality rate for the state was held to 68 per 1,000 living births, compared to 70 for May.

**Couldn't Be Poorer Without It.**  
 Jud Tunkins says he never went into politics because he'd want to leave politics poorer than when he entered it and he couldn't find anybody to give him credit.

**Region of Heavy Snowfalls**  
 The heaviest snowfall in the United States is in the Cascade mountains of Washington and Oregon and the Sierra Nevada of California.

**CHAUTAUQUA HERE AUGUST 3, 4 AND 5**

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 Paul Fritz, chairman of piano committee.  
 I. D. McCoy, S. B. Young and J. A. Sandham, seat committee.  
 Glen Reid, Ernest Croft and Abbie Ward, stage committee.  
 Performances will begin at 3:30 and 8:30 p. m.

The chautauqua will be held in a tent at the rear of the McKay & McPhail store, easy of access to local lovers of good entertainment and with plenty of parking space for visitors. The dates, Aug. 3, 4 and 5, are especially suitable for the farmers, who will then just have finished their harvest season.

On the first day, the Operatic Trio, consisting of a dramatic tenor, contralto and coloratura soprano, comes in a program of all around entertainment, Mr. H. W. D. Tooley, Miss La Verne Harward and Miss Keitha Ward. These distinguished vocal artists give selections from light and grand opera with special stage settings, costumes and scenic effects. They also render colonial folk songs in costume, popular songs, trios, solos and duets. They have spent over ten years together. Miss Harward acts as accompanist, although the entire company are pianists, and she renders pianologues that are guaranteed to please. As a versatile entertainer there is no better, and readings both grave and gay; impersonations and specialty numbers are only a few of her many arts.

Mr. Tooley and Miss Ward are especially fine in Gounod's "Faust," and the entire company in a dramatization of "A Romance of Old Japan" are superb. There is, of course, an entire change of program afternoon and evening, and a different company every day.

John J. Tigert will deliver the lecture, "The Value of the Individual," on the first afternoon and in the evening, he will lecture on the subject, "America's Political Ideal."

On the second day, the Kuehn Concert Company feature an instrumental program that all lovers of true music will appreciate, and that those who do not profess to love it will find worth while considering. Professor

Bruno Kuehn himself is at the violin. For over two decades this eminent violinist has declined many inducements to strike out as a soloist on the trail of Kreisler, Zimbalist and others. He loves concert work, and has spent his life in it. The entire company comes from the Berlin Conservatory of Music, and for the past fourteen years have played with the Chicago Symphony Orchestra. Mrs. Kuehn is an excellent accompanist, and Miss Geraldine Brace is a soloist of rare ability as well as a 'cellist of renown.

On the second day also comes Miss Marion E. Harvey, the little lady who has captured more juvenile hearts in America than any other children's worker. She will meet the young folks for a "free show" on the morning of the second day, if train schedules permit, and has two big features on the afternoon program. She is an accomplished reader, also, and each of her many interesting stories for the young folks has behind it a moral and a precept for making a better citizen. Miss Harvey organizes a Young America's Club, having for its purpose banding together boys and girls of good reputation, between the ages of twelve and eighteen, into workers for the general progress of the community. Some of the things these clubs do are to have general clean-up days, select and plant a town flower, etc. Medals will be awarded for excellence in mental, moral and physical development, provided the boys and girls want the club organized. While primarily for the youngsters, her part of the program will be enjoyed by everyone alike.

The second afternoon lecture is on the subject, "A Community Program" by the chautauqua director. The evening lecture is entitled "America's Social Ideal."

On the third day, the Four Simpson Sisters of the Peabody Institute come in a number billed as "entertainment" and which is entertainment from the first to the last. All numbers are built around musical features, but there are other attractions on all of them, in fact, there is something on each afternoon and evening that will appeal to the taste of every individual in the audience.

The Simpson Sisters are both vocal and instrumental, playing the violin, guitar, ukelele and 'cello, and possessing remarkably harmonious voices that can be accounted for only by the fact that they have spent their entire lives under the tutelage of music masters and have played in concert all this time. Their program is a most fitting climax for one of the best chautauqua bills on the road. Although famous artists, these sisters, as the entire three-day company, are just home folks, and ask to be considered as such by the people of Cass City.

The third day lecturer, Dr. Wm. C. Stinson, Director of American Red Cross, traveller, author and lecturer for Atlantic Division of Red Cross; this man selected by Chas. M. Schwab to head morale work in the ship yards during the war and one of the most talented speakers in New England. Pastor of one of the largest Protestant churches in Boston for fifteen years. "Community Co-operation," and evening on "America's Industrial Ideal," for which subject he was chosen because of his close association with the ship yards.

**Chautauqua Talent Wanted**

Musicians, singers, readers, entertainers, dramatic talent, lecturers, platform managers, juvenile workers, story tellers, tent crews and agents; the managers are contracting for their programs with the 10,000 talented and trained people who will conduct their chautauquas next season. Earn a good salary, travel over the United States, Canada, Alaska, New Zealand, Australia and England. A list of chautauqua managers and booking agents sent free to any person sending the name and address of the President, Secretary and Treasurer of local chautauqua to The Billboard, 35 S. Dearborn St., Chicago, Illinois.

**THE CHENEY**

Lenzner's Furniture Store

**NEXT WEEK IS THE BIG WEEK IN CASS CITY**

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