

CROP PROSPECTS HAVE IMPROVED

GOOD RAINS DURING AUGUST EFFECTUALLY BROKE THE DROUGHT.

Corn Leads All Crops and the Oat Crop is the Most Disappointing.

Crop prospects, as relating to corn, potatoes, beans, sugar beets, buckwheat and some of the minor crops, have improved during the last month according to the September Federal-State crop report issued on Sept. 9 by Verne H. Church, Agricultural Statistician, U. S. Bureau of Markets and Crop Estimates and Herman H. Halladay, State Commissioner of Agriculture. Good rains during the month effectually broke the drought that had prevailed for many weeks over the greater part of the state. Corn continues to lead all other crops in percentage of condition, and the crop of oats is the most disappointing. Fruit is ripening early and showing slightly increased yields over earlier estimates.

The corn crop is practically matured and cutting is well advanced. The quality and yield are generally good, except in a few countries. The indicated crop is 62,654,000 bushels, as compared with 65,000,000 last year. However, about one-third of the acreage is utilized for silage purposes, so that the grain production is approximately two-thirds of the above figures.

The acreage of spring wheat has decreased materially since the war, and the crop was very disappointing in yield this year as well as in the previous two years. The crop is estimated at 317,000 bushels, or 52 per cent of normal. The quality is poor.

Recent reports and threshing returns have caused the crop of oats to shrink to 25,716,000 bushels. This is the smallest crop of oats produced in Michigan since 1897 and, with that exception, is the smallest crop since that quantity was first produced. From present information, the average yield per acre is between 18 and 19 bushels, and the quality is very poor. Much of the grain is exceptionally light in weight and has but little feeding value. The greater part of it is unfit for use as seed.

The final condition estimate on barley is 56 per cent of a normal yield, equivalent to 3,750,000 bushels. Last year's crop was 6,240,000 bushels. The acreage harvested is 221,000 as compared with 240,000 last year. The quality is much below normal.

The crop is showing good prospects, and, if there are no damaging frosts during September, a good yield may be expected. The present condition is placed at 83 per cent which represents a crop of 583,000 bushels, which is 26,000 bushels less than produced last year.

There has been considerable improvement in the prospects for late potatoes in many sections. While there are many poor stands that will yield but little, there are also many good stands. Some excellent fields are found in Montcalm, Mecosta and adjacent counties, one of the heavy producing sections of the state, but the stands are much poorer in the northwestern and southwestern counties.

The present outlook is for a crop for 22,216,000 bushels, as compared with 35,700,000 bushels last year. The total crop for the United States as now forecasted is 323,000,000 as compared with 428,000,000 bushels last year.

The most of the early crop of beans has been harvested, and the yields have been rather poor. The late crop will be harvested during September and promises only a fair yield, the condition being 71 per cent. This is equivalent to a crop of 2,295,000 bushels or 1,280,000 bushels less than last year.

The acreage of clover seed to be harvested is estimated at 76,000, or five per cent less than last year. Some acreage is being cut for hay owing to the shortage of that crop. Yields of mammoth and alsike are reported to be rather light in many sections, but June clover is generally well filled. The outlook is for an 80 per cent yield, or a crop of 116,000 bushels. Last year's crop was 120,000 bushels.

The hay crop is estimated at 2,544,000 tons the lightest production since 1913. The average yield for the state is 0.92 ton of tame hay and 1.10 tons of wild hay. The quality is 87 per cent as compared with a ten-year average of 93 per cent, much of the crop having ripened prematurely and being short in straw.

The total apple crop of Michigan is placed at 6,153,000 bushels, and that of the United States, 107,000,000 the lightest production for the country as a whole since 1890. The present outlook is for 39 per cent of a crop in Michigan. The light peach

crop in Michigan is expected to produce 408,000 bushels as compared with 1,500,000 bushels last year. The pear crop is estimated at 521,000 bushels, while last year's crop was 1,100,000. The production of grapes is exceeding earlier estimates and now promises 40 per cent of a crop for the state. Melons are an abundant crop and fully supplying the demand in most sections. The quality of all fruits is generally good.

The number of swine on farms on September 1 for fattening purposes is estimated at 1,214,000. This is somewhat below the pre-war level, but practically the same as last year.

An inquiry relative to wool production indicates that 7,714,000 pounds were produced in the state this year. Last year, 8,385,000 pounds were clipped. The loss is due to the lighter average weight of fleeces and to the reduced number of sheep sheared.

MCLARTY FAMILY ENJOYED REUNION AT LITTLE HOME

Five Brothers and Two Sisters on Sunday Celebrated Arrival of California Relatives.

Wm. Little and family entertained at a six-course dinner Sunday, all of the McLarty brothers and sisters, their husbands and wives, celebrating the arrival of Duncan McLarty and family from California.

Among those present at the reunion were Mr. and Mrs. Dugald McLarty, Mr. and Mrs. John McLarty, Mr. and Mrs. Neil McLarty, Mr. and Mrs. Duncan McLarty and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Angus McLarty of Port Huron, and Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Duncan McLarty and daughter, Gwendolyn, left Redlands, California, Aug. 10 and traveled over to the Denver & Rio Grande R. R., stopping off at Los Angeles, Salt Lake City, Florence and Denver, Colorado, Chicago and Detroit where they visited with friends. Leaving Detroit, they arrived at Cass City Sept. 3 where they expect to remain four weeks visiting relatives and friends.

Mr. McLarty, who was a former resident of Novesta in pioneer days, left here when a young man and went to California where he purchased land in a desert region, transforming it by means of artesian wells and hard labor into a garden which is now a place of fertility, beauty and wealth. He also has large holdings in oil wells in southern California.

While he has a very tender place in his heart for Michigan, he echoes the words of Horace Greeley, "Young man, go west." On their return trip, Mr. McLarty and family expect first to visit relatives and friends at the following places: Rodney, St. Thomas and London, Canada; Niagara Falls, Cairo, Ill., (the girlhood home of Mrs. McLarty), Memphis, Tenn., New Orleans, and then through to Redlands, California.

CASS CITY DEFEATED FOSTORIA MONDAY 9-4

Harris Pitches Good Game for Local Players Who Made 15 Hits Off Davison.

Cass City defeated Fostoria on the latter's diamond Monday afternoon by a 9-4 score.

Harris pitched a good game for Cass City and the local players hit the ball hard enough for more scores, but were lame on circling the bases.

Cass City	AB	R	H	O	A	E
Holmes, lf	5	2	2	0	0	0
Brooker, ss	5	1	2	2	3	0
Woodhull, lb	5	1	4	10	0	1
Champion, c	3	0	1	3	1	0
Burke, 3b	5	0	1	3	1	0
Noble, rf	5	1	2	1	1	0
Doerr, 2b	4	0	1	1	2	0
Fleming, rf	4	2	1	1	1	1
Larkin, p	4	2	1	1	4	1
Harris, p	4	0	9	15	22	13
Totals	40	9	15	22	13	4

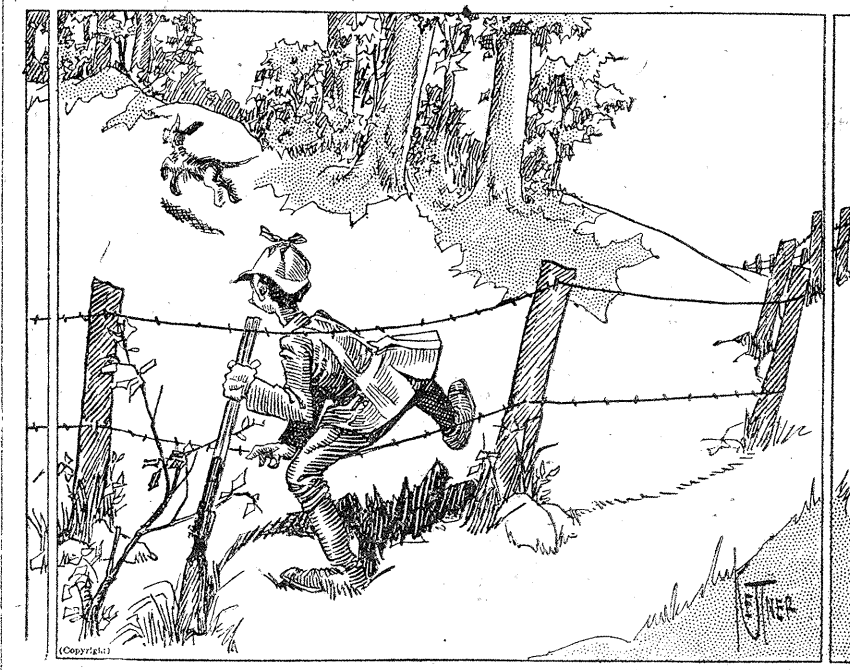
Fostoria	AB	R	H	O	A	E
Davison, p	5	0	1	3	3	0
Bowrar, lb	4	3	0	10	1	1
Johnson, c	4	0	0	4	1	1
Jarvis, 3b	3	1	2	4	0	1
H. O'Neil, ss	2	0	0	2	6	0
Stafford, rf	4	0	2	1	0	0
Collins, lf	4	0	1	1	0	0
L. O'Neil, cf	3	0	0	2	0	0
Larkin, 2b	3	0	0	4	1	1
Totals	32	4	6	27	15	4

Struck out—By Davison 2, by Harris 5. Base on balls—Off Davison 2, off Harris 4. Three-base hits—Davison, Stafford. Two-base hit—Fleming. Umpire, Duby.

Tubercular Cattle.

Huron county veterinary surgeons who have been examining cattle to be shown at the fairs under the new state law report that they have found a surprising number of cattle which do not meet the tubercular test. It is the opinion of one prominent veterinarian that many milch cows in the county are affected and that all who sell milk should have their cows tested.

Funeral Notice Later



REAL ESTATE DEALS.

The Watson Real Estate Agency reports the sale of Chas. Merriott's 40-acre farm in Novesta to David Law; J. W. Spencer's 40-acre farm in Novesta to John Ashmeller of Caro; Ray Walker's farm of 100 acres in Novesta to outside parties; Mrs. Holt's residence property on Third St. to Mrs. Margaret Cole.

McCullough & Lamb report the sale of John J. Klein's residence property on the corner of Leach and Church Streets to Gus Zapfe. In the transaction, Mr. Klein takes Mr. Zapfe's 120-acre farm in sec. 17, Evergreen. This agency also reports the sale of the residence property of Mrs. Elias McKim on Houghton St. to Erwein Zenke, who is now occupying the residence. The price was \$3,600.

INFANTILE PARALYSIS IS NOT NOW EPIDEMIC

Whooping Cough Mortality Always Higher Than Infantile Paralysis Rate.

Infantile paralysis—or poliomyelitis—while more prevalent in Michigan than it has been since 1916 is not epidemic in any community and does not warrant at the present time the undue apprehension with which it is sometimes regarded, says Dr. R. M. Olin, commissioner of health.

"Authorities have concluded," states Dr. Olin, "that the susceptibility of children under 13 years of age to measles is 50 times as great as to poliomyelitis, to whooping cough about 35 times, and to scarlet fever and to diphtheria about 10 times as great. The mortality from infantile paralysis has never approached the annual mortality Michigan suffers from whooping cough 'a disease of childhood' people often regard lightly."

Precautions families may take in preventing poliomyelitis should include special care in general cleanliness and sanitation, it is said, hand-washing before eating, frequent cleansing of the mouth and teeth, avoidance of common drinking cups or glasses, and avoidance of unnecessary travel, visiting, or contact with crowds. Parents of young children are warned of the advisability of calling a physician in case of any symptoms of illness.

A letter reviewing the situation has been mailed by the state department of health to every physician in the state. It urges them to be on their guard "to prevent the possible spread of the disease." In spite of the large amount of research work that has been done, it continues, science offers nothing new in the cause of treatment of this disease.

HOSPITAL NOTES.

Joanna Sandham underwent a tonsil and adenoids operation Friday. Wm. Harris of Bad Axe entered the hospital Saturday and underwent an emergency operation that day for peritonitis and gangrene of the small intestine resulting from obstruction of the bowels caused by diverticulitis. Two feet of the bowel was removed. The patient died Sunday night.

Martha Hanselman of Bad Axe was admitted to the hospital Tuesday and underwent an operation for tonsils and adenoids that day.

Mrs. John Knoblock of Port Austin, Grant Helwig, Mrs. Herbert Krause of Detroit and Alex McPhail of Argyle are still patients at the hospital and getting along nicely.

Factory Site Purchased.

Carsonville is to have a canning factory. A sufficient number of shareholders have been interested and the site was purchased Monday, from John V. Crorey, for \$900.00, just west of his home, near the P. M. R. R. Excavation is to begin at once.

COMING AUCTION SALES.

Dan Gillies, residing 1/2 mile west and 1/2 mile north of Gageton, will have an auction sale on Tuesday, Sept. 20, with L. S. McEldowney as auctioneer. Full particulars are printed on page 7.

On the same page is advertised the farm sale of Lem Douglass 2 miles west and 1 1/2 miles south of Uby. This auction will be held on Thursday, Sept. 22, and T. A. Stahlbaum is the auctioneer.

Auction sales which will be advertised in later issues of the Chronicle and their dates are as follows: Geo. Burt at Wickware on Sept. 25, John Klein at Cass City on Oct. 1; Burt Burton, 2 miles north of Gageton, on Oct. 4.

STATE TAX RATE \$4.08 THOUSAND

TOTAL TO BE RAISED \$20,441,333, OR 14.98 PER CENT OVER LAST YEAR.

Advance Accounted for by Interest Items, Which Run Into Millions.

The state tax rate for 1921 will be \$4.08 per \$1,000, according to a report filed with the administrative board Wednesday by Auditor General O. B. Fuller.

The total state tax will be \$20,441,333.79, an increase of 14.98 per cent or slightly more than \$3,000,000 over the 1920 tax.

The rate of \$4.08 is based on an equalized valuation for this year of \$5,000,000,000 and compares with a corresponding rate for last year of \$3.86. The actual rate last year, figured from the assessed valuation of the state, which was more than \$5,300,000,000, was \$3.26 and a corresponding rate this year, figured on the new tax total and the actual assessed valuation, which is more than \$5,400,000, would be \$3.72.

The advance is accounted for by interest items, including those involved in the payment of bonuses to ex-service men. The report shows that if these items are deducted the amount to be raised by taxation for actual general operating expenses of the state is less by \$593,244.50, or 3.35 per cent, than last year.

Amounts to be raised by taxation for interest are \$300,000 for \$5,000,000 worth of 6 per cent one year soldier bonus notes; \$1,293,750 for \$15,000,000 worth of 5 1/2 per cent bonus bonds (already sold); \$862,000 for \$15,000,000 worth of bonus bonds (still to be sold) and \$1,200,000 on highway bonds and notes.

The administrative board is given \$150,000 of the tax money, \$86,873.29 is set aside for the enforcement of the James compulsory education law and \$34,847.25 for carrying out the rehabilitation compensation law.

WHEAT AND COTTON BOOSTS GOOD SIGNS

Recovery by the wheat market of more than 20 cents a bushel in ten days during late August and early September, an increase of \$45 a bale in the price of cotton, a general awakening throughout the south because of that fact, and a rising stock market, indicating an improving industrial situation, are hopeful signs says the Michigan Elevator Exchange, which is affiliated with the state farm bureau.

A further and sustained increase in the price of cotton will soon bring the south back to normal, it is believed, and will restore its buying power. Wheat exports for July and August were record breakers and overseas buyers, despite the money stringency had money to cover their purchases. It is believed that there will be a strong demand for the balance of the unmarketed wheat. Good heavy seed oats are scarce. Seed houses and wise farmers are laying in a supply of high quality seed oats.

NORTH BRANCH FAIR AND NIGHT CARNIVAL

The program of special attractions for the North Branch fair will be an entertaining one. Some of the best out-door acts by star performers have been engaged and the list is an elaborate one. Besides, there will be a big display of fireworks. Horse racing, both harness and saddle events, base ball and band concerts will be additional features. The dates are Sept. 20, 21, 22, and 23.—Adv.

Valuable Cucumber Crop.

According to the Marlette Leader, Martin Buckner of that community will realize about six hundred dollars from his three-acre crop of cucumbers this season.

Advertise it in the Chronicle.

LOCAL NEWS

Miss Mildred Fritz left yesterday morning to attend Albion College.

R. W. House has sold his house and lot on Third street to Mrs. Bessie Holt.

Miss Sara Lapeer spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. John Hulbert at Bad Axe.

Paul Fritz is busy with paint and brush improving the outside woodwork of the Sheridan Block.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Andrews and family were callers on Mr. and Mrs. John Hulbert in Bad Axe Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Doerr and Mr. and Mrs. James Doerr and family returned Sunday from a motor trip to Baltimore, Md.

Mr. and Mrs. James Tennant are in Oxford today attending the Park family reunion which is being held at the Wm. Park home.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Striffler and son, Kenneth, and Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Emmons were guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Striffler in Sandusky Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Crandell and daughters, Marie and Rena, visited with Mrs. Crandell's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Morley, in Harbor Beach Sunday.

Mrs. E. H. Pinney entertained Mrs. Elizabeth Pinney and son, Frederick, and Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Wilsey and family at the Hotel Montague in Caro at dinner Sunday.

M. B. Auten has sold his beautiful residence property on North Seeger St. to W. L. Mann, superintendent of the Nestle's Food Co.'s plant. The consideration was \$5,500.

Mr. and Mrs. Michael H. Fournier of Perry, Mich., are the happy parents of a baby girl born Saturday, Sept. 10. The little miss has been named Catharine Marie.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Clendenning and daughter, Vera, who have been the guests of Mrs. Clendenning's sister, Mrs. Israel Hall, left Saturday for their home in Norfolk, Va.

Wm. Pierce and Walter Block of Pontiac visited at the Stanley Warner home Sunday and Monday. Miss Beatrice Pierce, who spent last week in Cass City, returned with them.

Mrs. Alan MacIntyre, who has spent the summer with her mother, Mrs. Finley Ross, returned to her home in Sheridan Friday. Her health has greatly improved during the summer.

Mrs. Geo. MacIntyre, A. D. MacIntyre, Mrs. E. Hunter and son, Caswell, and the Misses Mary MacIntyre and Irene Frutche were guests at the Dr. D. J. Monroe home in Elkton Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Reid and family, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Greenleaf and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Speirs and daughter, and Mrs. Arminda Ball spent Sunday in Forester and Sandusky.

Mrs. L. B. Middleton of Croswell returned home Monday after spending the week-end at the E. L. Middleton home. She was accompanied by Miss Etta Schenck and little Jacqueline Middleton.

The Tuscola Co. Farm Bureau received first prize on their grain exhibit at both the State and Saginaw fairs. A peck of Worthy oats grown by Wm. Bell of Fairgrove was given first prize at the Saginaw fair.

The Huron Baptist association was in session at Deckerville this week and Rev. Newberry, P. S. McGregory, C. H. Travis and Andrew Seeger as delegates of the local church attended the sessions Tuesday evening and Wednesday.

M. B. Auten presented his resignation as president of the Cass City State Bank at a meeting of the directors Tuesday evening and I. B. Auten was elected to that office. M. B. Auten was chosen as one of the bank's vice presidents at this meeting.

Mrs. John Scriver returned Saturday from Ann Arbor where she visited her daughter, Mrs. Nelson Good, Mrs. Good recently underwent an operation at the University hospital and has been in Ann Arbor for six weeks. She is getting along as well as can be expected.

The E. W. Jones Grocery is being decorated by Cross & Akerman. The inside walls and ceiling are being done in ivory and the store front will be repainted. The work is making a big improvement in the appearance of the store. New signs will be placed in a few days.

The first meeting of the Woman's Study Club for the coming year will be held next Tuesday afternoon at the club rooms. The program includes the presentation of the new president, Mrs. I. A. Fritz, by the retiring president, Mrs. J. D. Brooker; a map talk on Japan by Mrs. Walter Schell; and roll call, "Where have you been?" The subjects of study for 1921-1922 are Japan and miscellaneous topics.

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DEFORD.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Brown of Wickware Sunday at the R. D. Lewis home. Mr. Brown is Mrs. R. D.'s uncle.

Mr. and Mrs. William Fiber of Colling and Mr. and Mrs. George Gee of Caro visited Ralph and Carrie Lewis on the first day of the week.

We were scared Monday morning for several minutes as we smelled frost, but no harm was done.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Bixby of Cass City spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. A. Shaw.

Roderick Kennedy is home from Detroit where he saw the fair.

Mrs. Gifford, former resident of this locality, now of Romeo, has gone home after a week's visit with Mrs. Balch.

Jacoby family circled on Sunday calling at Cass City, Colling and Colwood, besides some small towns along the line.

Howard Parks still suffers with his eye that was damaged with the sliver of steel.

Directory.

DENTISTRY.

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

P. A. Schenck, D. D. S. Dentist.

Graduate of the University of Michigan. Office in Sheridan Bldg., Cass City, Mich.

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

SHELDON B. YOUNG, M. D. Cass City, Mich. Telephone—No. 80.

I. D. McCOY, M. D. Surgery and Roentgenology. Office in Pleasant Home Hospital. Phone, Office 96--2R; Residence 96--3R.

C. G. WOODHULL, M. D., Marlette, Mich. Phone 28.

Office on Main St. opposite Commercial State Bank. Recently returned from Army. Chief of Surgery 15 months in U. S. A. Base Hospital, Morrison, Va.

J. T. REDWINE, M. D. Physician and Surgeon Phone 78.

DR. P. E. FLEMING Veterinarian CASS CITY, MICHIGAN Office at Whale's Feed Barn. Office 46--2R Residence 46--3R

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

New Undertaking Parlors Lee Block.

Everything in undertaking goods always on hand. Day and night calls promptly attended. Office phone 182.

CASS CITY LODGE NO 214, L. O. L. meet the second and fourth Wednesday of each month at Craft's Hall.

R. N. McCULLOUGH Auctioneer and Real Estate Dealer Cass City

Farm sales a specialty. Dates may be arranged with Cass City Chronicle

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

In the Matter of the Estate of Eva G. Finkle, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given that four months from the 14th day of July 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 14th day of November A. D. 1921, and that said claims will be heard by said court on Monday the 14th day of November A. D. 1921, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated July 14th A. D. 1921. (Copy) O. D. HILL, Judge of Probate.

9-2-3

Benj. Sharp has a new Ford. Don Nutt is shucking corn on the old John Roy farm.

R. D. Lewis commences the erection of his new garage.

Our pickle vats will be full this week if the weather keeps mild.

Some of our business men took in the Sandusky fair.

Emory Patterson was a Detroit caller on the 8th and 9th. No, not at the fair. Business, all business.

The little domicile known as Sam Powell house is occupied by a Bohemian family, one of the new hardware men.

W. C. T. U. met at the minister's on the 8th.

Fred Habler of Akron, and Mrs. Perry and E. Perry of Mayville called on Merchant Patterson Sunday. Mrs. Perry is the mother of the merchant.

On Sunday Mrs. Alice Curtis entertained Mr. and Mrs. Case from Detroit, Burt Curtis, wife and children of this burg and Clarence Chadwick, the pure water explorer.

Mr. and Mrs. John Retherford were Bay City callers Sunday. John termed it an enjoyable day, but we doubt it. He was forced to suffer seeing a Canadian team clean up on the Bay City nine. How can a "Yank" put on fat under such circumstances?

E. A. Cones family Sundayed at Rose Island.

Paul said when we "become men put away childish things." Children require teachers but let every man be his own man. Judge for yourself in all things.

Clinton Bruce of Richmond came up here Saturday night by car.

On Saturday afternoon the boys again carried out Will McCartney to get fresh air and view the town.

Our town has arrived at proper age to see her mistakes and sorrow over them. A four rod street will do for rural movements but not wide enough for any burg, even now when all men are supposed to be sober.

In conversation with Geo. Alward, we learn that the asylum physicians at Pontiac give no hope of Mrs. Alward's mental recovery.

Potato harvest so far shows a light yield, but if care is taken and all screws worked in with large tubers we will make the winter with plenty of buckwheat flour.

Scarlet fever patient east of here is recovering.

The Friday night dance was rather tame. Tripping the toe has been all the go for a fortnight and young stuff needs a rest.

Roland E. Johnson spent three days of past week in Detroit. Looking round, looking round. Enough said.

Amos Webster is having interior of his office painted.

Clarence Chadwick is northwest of Kingston drilling rock wells.

The fox we have already noted that makes us weekly calls, returned Labor Day and gaffled Don Nutt's favorite rooster. Don has a trap set for him now, and avers he can capture the varmint. Trap is set bottom side up. Don claims that's the way to get 'em.

Wm. McCracken is laying up the sand block house for Wm. Little, Jr., near Ellington line.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacoby attended the funeral of Mr. J's aunt in Ellington on the 6th.

The rising of the potatoes is with us early. Many fear rot. If warm weather continues with rainfall, it will come.

Howard Parks returned on the 8th from Detroit where his eye has been treated. Steel has been removed but eye is not useful yet. Will go back for more treatment in about a month.

Most of our nice men like to be considered clear in head. There would be trouble if called "thick in the skull." But there are conditions where thin skulls are a failure. Not many miles from here a silo door fell on a man, 30 feet drop. Victim just rubbed his cranium a little, went on with his work and now sings: Thanks for a skull that's reinforced by nature, strong and thick; that will not fail when interviewed by timber, stone or brick.

Saturday was gala day for a part of our burgers. Our minister with family, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Malcolm, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Malcolm, Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Bruce, the Rolla Bruce family and Mrs. Schmulh and son of Cass City were a party that skirted the towns along Lake Huron. A pleasant day without accident save a broken windshield in the minister's car but we don't think the boy was speeding.

Word comes from Columbia, South Dakota, that old Mrs. Perkins who lived many years near Novesta Corners, is yet quite smart. Lives with her daughter, Mrs. Rose Clark. Was 100 years old on 7th day of Sept. Able to make her own bed 'till she reached the century mark and concludes now to take a rest from hard work. Has worked hard all her life.

Our minister attends conference at Detroit this week.

Oscar Valentine has been one of Detroit's heavy men since the war. He now comes out in country life and will live at Deford.

Owing to the death of one of their highly esteemed members, Mrs. T. L. Stewart, the South Novesta Farmers' Club will not have their regular meeting this month. The next meeting will be held at the home of Chas. Kilgore October 21. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

Hay is coming in rapidly now days. We are sizing up all the men who have spent the high wage days in the cities. Find ninety per cent of them just able to buy salt enough to pickle a jaybird.

One of our hardware merchants lives on Deford Heights. The other partner lives on the level lands to the north on what was once the S. Powell place.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Farver of Colling spent Sunday at the home of Mrs. F's sister, Mrs. R. D. Lewis.

Mr. and Mrs. N. R. Kennedy and Mrs. Mary Spencer spent Sunday afternoon and evening at Silverwood with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Seth Roberts of Gagetown spent Sunday at Hotel Daugherty.

Mrs. Demode of Cass City spent Saturday night and Sunday with her daughter, Mrs. Forest Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Mason Wilson spent Sunday at D. Sargent's.

Word has been received here of the serious illness of Wes McCain of Pontiac. He is a little better at this writing.

Lester Day, Emory Cones and Ben Gage went Thursday night to see what steady nerves they had and to test their eyesight shooting ducks.

Mrs. John McCaughna of Pontiac came Monday to visit at N. B. Daugherty's.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Johnson called in Pontiac last week.

D. McLarty visited his niece, Mrs. R. Jacoby, the first of the week.

The bearnery opened on Monday. Word comes to Deford that John Ross is about the same in health.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Walker and family and Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Walker of Kingston, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Cooper and family of Novesta and Mrs. Joseph Hack and daughter, Iva, visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Parks.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Farver and niece Mary Gee, of Colling spent Sunday at R. D. Lewis'.

Miss Sherman of Silverwood came to do housework for R. D. Lewis.

Dr. and Mrs. J. Wells Spencer left for Detroit Wednesday where Mrs. Spencer will receive treatment for rheumatism.

Mrs. Wm. Bentley was called Wednesday to Brown City for the serious illness of her son-in-law, John Ross.

Call Schwartzkopf Bros.' truck for local and long distance moving.—Adv

SHABBONA.

Howard Miller visited his parents in Sandusky Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lorentzen were in Caro Saturday.

Allan Woodhull visited his parents in Bad Axe over Sunday.

Anna Mitchell entertained Miss Avis Sangster Saturday and Sunday. Born to Mr. and Mrs. Earl Petteplace Tuesday, Sept. 6, a daughter.

Arthur Flinn and sons of Alpena visited his sister, Mrs. Henry Lorentzen, Friday.

Mrs. Adolph Auslander spent the week-end with Mrs. Fred Krause, sr., of Sandusky.

Rev. Pacey is attending conference at Adrian this week.

Mrs. Davis of Port Huron is visiting her brother J. A. Cook, this week. Mrs. Chas. Sharrard entertained the Shabbona Social club Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. McMahon and sons, Bernard and Manford, of Argyle spent Sunday at the J. P. Neville home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Cook attended the dedication of the L. D. S. church at Carsonville Sunday.

Mrs. J. D. Clark, Miss Jennie Cullen and Miss Margaret Clark of Detroit spent Sunday with Mrs. Earl Petteplace. Mrs. Clark will remain for some time to care for her daughter who is ill.

Nice rain Saturday evening.

Farmers are busy caring for their bean crop.

Rev. J. J. Pacey is attending M. E. conference at Adrian.

A little daughter came to brighten the home of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Petteplace Monday, Sept. 5.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Chapman and daughters, Alice and Altha, of Cass City spent the week-end with their daughter, Mrs. H. McGregor.

Jennie Cullen and Margaret Clark of Detroit spent over Sunday with their sister, Mrs. Earl Petteplace.

Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Wait and family, who sold their farm here and moved to Port Huron last fall, have bought a farm near Sandusky and moved there. Their many friends here wish them success in their new home.

Frank McGregor has bought the J. P. Granger farm.

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ELLINGTON AND NOVESTA

Amelia Gies visited Sunday at Henry Stone's home.

Andrew Lorentzen spent last week at Roy Brown's.

Harvey Parker and family of Akron were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Claud Asher Sunday.

Mrs. Chas. McConnell and children were callers in Caro Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Stine and children of Evergreen spent Sunday at Fred Stine's.

Miss Nina Boyd and Waldon Hanley of Decker called at A. Wanner's Sunday.

Miss Bertha Pievock of Detroit visited Thursday at the R. Knoblet home.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Henry of Detroit and Mrs. Jas. Winters of Marlette called Thursday at A. F. Jones'.

A. Wanner was in Brown City over the week-end. Mrs. Wanner, who has been visiting her parents the past week at that place, returned home with him.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Jonston and three children of Pigeon spent Sunday at A. Craft's.

Miss Gladys Delong began her duties as teacher of Brown school in district No. 5, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Gingrich and children were callers at Akron last week where Mr. Gingrich was tuning pianos.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Parrott and son, Kent, and Mr. and Mrs. H. Tallmadge visited friends at Shabbona Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Brown and children called on friends in Pingree and Shabbona Sunday.

While digging potatoes the other day, Robert Curtin dug two monstrous potatoes which he put up on a post. Mr. Curtin says he will exchange them for a good second-hand Ford.

Mr. and Mrs. Duncan McLarty and daughter of California, Angus McLarty of Port Huron, Mr. and Mrs. John McLarty, Mr. and Mrs. Neil McLarty, Mr. and Mrs. Dugald McLarty and Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Smith of Cass City enjoyed a chop suey supper with ice cream and cake at the Wm. Little home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Brainard of Deford drove to church at Riverside Sunday evening as usual and listened attentively to the sermon, but upon arriving at the church shed to start the homeward trip found team and buggy missing. A further search revealed a part of a wheel in one place, a buggy pole driven in the ground at another and last of all the buggy against a fence. A little Ford came along and gave them a ride home, where they found the runaways quietly grazing in the yard with a bit of the harness still holding them together.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Godden of Imlay City, Mrs. Howard Hardy and three daughters of Pontiac and Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Martin and children were entertained at the home of John Clark of Deford Sunday.

Every year more people exchange their wheat for flour. Why not you? Elkland Milling Co.—Adv. 8-19-21

MUSIC

St. Agatha's School Gagetown

Classes in music, including harmony, instructions on piano, string and wind instruments will be resumed Sept. 12 under the direction of the Sisters of St. Dominic. Pupils are invited to join the school orchestra. Recitals are given during the year to encourage the pupils and to allow relatives and friends to mark their progress.

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PHONE 181

Juvenile Measure. A little girl from the West who is visiting us has her own way of measuring distance. When asked by a caller where her home was, she replied: "Two go-to-beds and two get-ups from here."—Boston Transcript.

Insects That Dive. Among the natural curiosities of Japan are singing insects. The most prized of these is a black beetle named "susumushi," which means "insect bell." The sound that it emits resembles that of a little silver bell.

LOCAL NEWS



REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE PINNEY STATE BANK AT CASS CITY, MICHIGAN

at the close of business Sept. 6, 1921, as called for by the Commissioner of the Banking Department.

Financial statement for Pinney State Bank. Includes sections for Resources, Loans and Discounts, Bonds, Mortgages and Securities, Reserves, Combined Accounts, and Liabilities. Total assets and liabilities are listed as \$644,085.80.

State of Michigan, County of Tuscola, ss. I, Roy Bricker, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear, that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief and correctly represents the true state of the several matters therein contained, as shown by the books of the bank.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE STATE SAVINGS BANK AT GAGETOWN, MICHIGAN

at the close of business September 6, 1921, as called for by the Commissioner of the Banking Department.

Financial statement for State Savings Bank. Includes sections for Resources, Loans and Discounts, Bonds, Mortgages and Securities, Reserves, Combined Accounts, and Liabilities. Total assets and liabilities are listed as \$201,482.08.

State of Michigan, County of Tuscola, ss. I, Edith E. Miller, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear, that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief and correctly represents the true state of the several matters therein contained, as shown by the books of the bank.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Striffler were in Royal Oak Monday.

Mrs. C. L. Graham will entertain the Mothers' Club next Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Wilson spent Sunday at the home of Bay Crane.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Bixby and family visited with Deford friends Sunday.

Fred Schaaf returned Friday from Detroit where he attended the state fair.

Mrs. H. Spittler and son, Virgil, of Gagetown were Cass City callers Tuesday.

Luke Wright has built a new silo on his farm in the southeastern part of town.

Mrs. Inez Ball returned Thursday from Saginaw where she visited her daughter.

Rev. Wm. Richards is attending the Detroit conference in Adrian this week.

Miss Elizabeth Doerr returned Friday from a week's visit in Detroit and Toledo.

Miss Alexandra McKenzie left Monday for Alma where she will attend college.

Mrs. Emily Bachelor of Ellington is spending a few days at the F. A. Bigelow home.

Mrs. H. I. Knapp of Traverse City is the guest of her mother-in-law, Mrs. M. J. Knapp.

Mrs. Catherine Walters returned home Tuesday after spending two weeks at Gagetown.

Fred Neville and Miss Margaret Ross attended the box social at Sheridan Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. McBurney, Mrs. Violet Burse and Mrs. Eva Maharg were Caro callers Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Benkelman of Sandusky visited at the B. F. Benkelman home over the week-end.

Miss Jessie Milne returned home Sunday after being a patient for two weeks in the Bad Axe hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Wager and family and Miss Bertha McCullough visited friends in Elkton Sunday.

Mrs. Nicholas Melick and baby of Souttown spent a few days this week at the Clark Bixby home.

Miss Katherine Crane returned Saturday from Royal Oak and Detroit where she has been visiting.

Mr. and Mrs. Russel Erb and baby went to Souttown Saturday to visit Mr. Erb's parents for a few days.

Mrs. John Clothier of Marlette was the guest of her sister, Mrs. J. N. Dorman, from Sunday until Tuesday.

Roy Striffler leaves Saturday for Naperville where he will resume his studies in the Northwestern College.

Lee Day of Ypsilanti visited his cousins, Mrs. Alex Henry and Mrs. Geo. Cridland, from Saturday until Tuesday.

E. Hardner and S. Brown of Detroit were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Schmidt from Sunday until Monday.

Mrs. Roy Burt and children, Clarence and Vernita, of Sebawaing visited a part of last week at the Geo. Finkle home.

Miss Florence Striffler of Pigeon and George Southworth of Elkton were guests at the W. D. Striffler home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Taylor and family and Mrs. Etta James of Saginaw visited at the Wm. Guinem home in Montrose Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Robinson and family and Hazen Patterson were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Benj. Watson of Wickware.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Chapman visited Mr. Chapman's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Chapman, in Capac Monday and Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Fischer spent last week in Detroit, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Ballagh and also attended the state fair.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Halstead and sons, Harold and Gerald, and Mr. and Mrs. Price Ranson of Flint called on Mrs. J. N. Dorman Monday.

Little Gladys Davison returned last week from Detroit where she spent the summer with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Davison.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Lamb and children have moved from Saginaw to Mancato, Minn., where Mr. Lamb is district manager for the Hoover Electric Sweeper company.

Dr. and Mrs. Albert Benkelman of St. Francis, Kansas, who have been the guests of relatives here for a month, started on their homeward trip Monday. They expect to visit in Detroit, Sturgis, and Kansas City before arriving home.

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ELKLAND-ELMWOOD TOWN LINE.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Ewald and son, Roland, of Pontiac are visiting relatives and friends.

The Willing Workers held a social gathering at the Elmwood Baptist church Wednesday evening.

The schoolmates of Ira Evans gathered at his home last week on

Wednesday evening and gave him a pleasant surprise, it being his twenty first birthday. The evening was spent playing games followed by a marsh-mallow roast.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Wickware of Ellington spent Sunday at Calvin Hiser's home.

Mrs. Isabelle Farnum is visiting this week at the J. F. Evans home.

Mrs. Sadie Bingham spent the fore part of the week with her daughter, Mrs. Robt. McConkey.

Irene Evans was absent from school a few days this week with summer trouble.

Mrs. Grace Allen spent a few days last week with her son, Roy Allen.

I. K. Reid is on the sick list but is getting better.

Silo filling is the order of the day in this vicinity. Not many beans harvested yet.

SCHOOL NOTES

Reporters—Lois Benkelman and Lottie West.

The number enrolled in the schools this year is 463, an increase of 20 over last year. The enrollment for the grades is as follows: Kindergarten 27, first 34, second 35, third 44, fourth 37, fifth 38, sixth 34. One hundred fifty-two are enrolled in high school.

The question brought before the debating teams this year is: "Resolved: That the Principle of the Closed Shop in American Industry Should Receive the Support of Public Opinion."

The foot ball squad consists of 24 men this year. So far they have game schedules with Bad Axe, Caro, Sandusky and Bay City Eastern.

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High Grade Fall Merchandise at the very lowest possible price

It surely has been a pleasing feature to us for the past week to have ladies come in and price our merchandise and to their surprise find prices so much lower than expected, that they almost doubt the quality. This is not to be wondered at, for the ladies' coats which we are selling at \$13.50, the suits at \$15.75, the wool dresses at \$15.75, the unbleached 36 inch sheeting at 10c and the outings at 18c are values unbelievable. This does not only hold true to the few numbers mentioned, but holds true throughout the entire store. Will you give us an opportunity to prove to you that this is the store in which to do your shopping?

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Do not forget our infants' department, for we have everything your little baby needs whether it be a coat, cap, mittens, leggings, shirt, jacket or dress. We have them all, in a large variety of styles and prices.



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We have a very large assortment of little misses' coats. Prices range from \$3.75 and up.

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It may seem strange to you how we can do this, for these are not seconds nor in any way inferior quality. In order to be able to do this, we had to buy a large quantity, shipped direct from the mills. Be sure to come in this Saturday and take advantage of this great money saving opportunity.

ZEMKE BROTHERS

THE WEEK'S DOINGS

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Burt were in Kinde Sunday.

Andrew Schmidt drives a new Ford touring car.

Miss Cecil Patterson was a business caller in Caro Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Tibbals were in Marlette Monday afternoon.

Miss Laura Striffler returned Sunday from a week's visit in Yale.

Miss Laura Bigelow is clerking in the Holcomb grocery store this week.

Clifton Champion visited Detroit and Pontiac friends over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Bliss and family spent Sunday in Weil and Bay Port.

The Westminster Guild was entertained by Mrs. G. H. Burke Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Henry Beecher of Caro was the guest of Miss Cecil Patterson Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Landon returned Monday from a few days' visit in Detroit.

Mrs. Jacob Spencer returned Monday from Chicago where she visited her son, Orton.

Dr. and Mrs. F. L. Morris and family and Mrs. Mary Abbotts spent Sunday in Caseville.

Mrs. Hart Mickle and daughter, Bernice, left Wednesday on a ten day visit in Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Brooks and baby spent Saturday with Thos. Ingram at Colling.

Mrs. Nathaniel Merion of Detroit is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Hitchcock.

Miss Bertha Zemke left Wednesday on a trip to Caro, Vermontville, Portland, and Big Rapids.

Miss Helene Bardwell, who is teaching in Caro, spent the week-end at her home in this place.

Leslie Whale, who attends school in Mt. Pleasant, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Whale.

Miss Gertrude Schiele returned Tuesday from a few days' vacation at her parental home in Ellington.

Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Moulton and son, William, of Wilnot were guests at the B. F. Gemmill home Sunday.

Dr. and Mrs. Durell Lane of Bad Axe visited at the Robt. Cleland home Sunday.

Mrs. M. M. Moore and son, Garrison, and John Benkelman spent Sunday at the H. Deming home in Caro.

Mrs. Emily Warner and Lloyd Warner of Deford were the guests of Mrs. Celia Edgerton over the week-end.

The Woman's Home Missionary society of the M. E. church will meet with Mrs. Anna Patterson this afternoon.

Miss Eva Brackenbury returned Monday from a few days' visit with her cousin, Miss Lucile Parker, of Owendale.

The Misses Thelma Nettleton, Irene Frutchey, Helen Wilsey, and Mary MacIntyre visited at the John Mamroe home in Gagetown Tuesday evening.

E. L. Heller and F. A. Bliss went to Bay Port Wednesday night so as to be ready to hunt ducks as soon as the season opens.

Mrs. Geo. Ketcham and son, Berrian, of Detroit, who are summering at Oak Bluff, called at the L. I. Wood home Monday.

Miss Florence Bigelow leaves tomorrow on a four weeks' trip to East Orange, N. J., where she will visit her aunt, Mrs. G. J. Giles.

Mrs. Israel Hall left Saturday for North Branch where she spent the week-end. From there she went to Jackson to visit her daughter.

Miss Lillian Jondro and Robert Jondro returned to their home in Detroit Monday after a week's visit at the home of Mrs. J. B. Cootes.

Lou Cameron, an expert painter of Pt. Huron, is redecorating several signs for local business houses. Mr. Cameron is in the employ of the S. Champion Poster Adv. Co. and is an artistic workman.

Mrs. Roland Sullivan and son of Flint visited the former's mother, Mrs. Benj. Guinther, Monday and Tuesday. Mrs. Guinther returned with them on Tuesday and expects to undergo an operation for rupture.

Mr. and Mrs. David Tyo, Mrs. E. A. Nelson, and Mr. and Mrs. Joy Tyo attended the funeral of Mrs. Tyo's father, Archie Rushlo, in Caro Monday. About three weeks ago, Mr. Rushlo had a stroke which caused his death last Thursday at the age of 90 years.

All the young people of the M. E. church and Sunday school are invited to attend the Epworth League roast next Monday evening. The League has started again after a vacation during the summer. Miss Reid, the president, will have charge of next Sunday's meeting.

Dr. and Mrs. L. F. Anderson and son, Gordon, of Columbus, Ohio, were guests at the home of Dr. Anderson's sister, Mrs. P. A. Schenck, from Friday until Saturday. Dr. Anderson is a professor in the Ohio State University. The visit at Cass City was made as they were on their way from their summer home in L'Anse, Michigan, to Columbus.

Mrs. C. J. Striffler returned Monday from a visit in Detroit.

Miss Jennie MacIntyre of Argyle called on Mrs. Wm. Starr Sunday.

Clarence Kercher left Wednesday morning for his new work in Vernon.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Willis are spending the week in Decker and Detroit.

Earl Gowen left Tuesday for Kalamazoo where he will attend school this year.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Bruce of Richmond visited at the Pettit home over the week end.

Mrs. Wm. Moore visited her daughter and brother in Colling Monday and Tuesday.

Mrs. Catherine Davis is very ill as a result of a stroke which she had a week ago Monday.

Gwendolyn Jones, Frances Middleton and Florence Schenck are on the sick list this week.

Mrs. R. S. Wood and Edgar Wood of Gagetown visited at the A. T. Crafts home Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Hopps and children of Detroit called at the Wm. Weldon home Monday.

Miss Kathryn Cridland returned Saturday from a week's visit in Detroit and Imlay City.

Miss Florence Roberts of Detroit was a guest at the J. L. Cathcart home over the week end.

Robt. McConkey left Thursday for Adrian where he is attending the Older Boys' conference.

Leon Randell of Highland Park called on his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Nash, Wednesday.

The young people of Mr. Holmes' S. S. class enjoyed a party at the church Monday evening.

Park Jones arrived home Monday night from spending his vacation in different parts in Michigan.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. McCaslin are the proud parents of a baby girl born on Wednesday, Sept. 14.

Mrs. Alice Nettleton, Ernest Schwaderer and Miss Thelma Nettleton spent Sunday in Pt. Huron.

Last Friday night the members of the Presbyterian church enjoyed a basket picnic in the church parlors.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Ricker and son, James, were Sunday guests at the Chas. Ricker home in Owendale.

Mrs. Susan Mathews returned Wednesday from Sarnia where she spent several weeks with her sons.

Miss Ione Striffler of Lapeer spent from Tuesday until Friday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Striffler.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Bailey and family visited with Dr. and Mrs. C. W. Clark in Caro Sunday afternoon.

Harry T. Crandell returned from the Detroit fair Sunday. Monday morning he left for the Grand Rapids fair.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Bullock and family and Mrs. Harry Cooper and daughter, Alma, spent Sunday in Caro.

Mrs. E. J. Kremer and daughter, Maxine, of Caro are the guests of Mrs. Kremer's sister, Mrs. Erwein Zemke.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Weldon and daughter, Grace, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Thompson in Caro Sunday.

Mrs. Jane Lawry, who has been the guest of her daughter, Mrs. William Richards, returned to her home in Detroit Monday.

Geo. Cridland, Lee Day and the Misses Kathryn Cridland and Fern Wager visited at the Henry Keeler home in North Branch Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Reagh and son, Ronald, and Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Kosanke and son, Donald, called at the John Delong home in Deckerville Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lafayette Sargent and Mrs. R. Sargent of Deford and Mrs. Roy McCool of Saginaw were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Mason Wilson Sunday.

Frank Dodge, Mr. and Mrs. James Greenleaf and Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Greenleaf attended the funeral of Mrs. C. O. Greenleaf in Royal Oak Monday.

Seven boys and girls helped Master Donald Kosanke celebrate his fifth birthday Tuesday afternoon. A dainty lunch was served by the little host's mother.

Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Tibbals and family visited in Snover Sunday. Mrs. Tibbals' mother, Mrs. Benjamin Foster, of Brown City came home with them for a day's visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Smith and family attended a family gathering at the home of Mrs. Smith's sister, Mrs. H. A. MacCrea in Caro Sunday. The gathering was in honor of the birthday of Mrs. MacCrea and her father, Thos. Leach, of Saginaw. Others who attended were Mr. and Mrs. George Leach and family and Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Leach and family of Saginaw and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Allen and son, Merritt, of Elkland township.

Artificial Leg Affects Watch. Good watches lose in accuracy by exposure to a magnetic field. A war veteran working in a watch factory found it difficult to keep his watch right. Knowing something of magnetism, it occurred to him that the steel in his artificial leg might be magnetized. He experimented and found this to be the case. He went to an electric light company and had his leg demagnetized. After this treatment his watch kept perfect time.—Popular Science Monthly.

DAIRY FACTS

SUCCULENT FEED FOR DAIRY

Modern Machinery for Planting and Cultivating Roots Makes Work Less Laborious.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

With the development of the silo many dairy cow owners have overlooked the value of roots as a succulent feed for cattle. Mangel-wurzel, beets, carrots, and turnips are the principal roots grown for this purpose. They are particularly adapted to the cooler and more moist portions of the country. The principal drawback to their use is the labor of growing, harvesting and storing them. On the other hand, say specialists of the United States Department of Agriculture, root crops have a distinct advantage for small dairies, as it is generally accepted that a silo will not prove economical where less than six animals are being fed. Roots may be stored in a proper cellar, or buried in the ground, and can be taken out in any desired quantity without injury to the remainder.

A surprising amount of roots can be produced on a small acreage. A yield of 25 tons per acre of mangel-wurzels is nothing unusual, while in England, where roots are used almost entirely to supply succulent food, the yield per acre is increased still further by intensive farming.

Other kinds of beets, and also turnips and carrots, may be used. Turnips, however, should be fed after milking rather than before, as they give a bad flavor to the product. Yellow carrots impart a desirable color to the milk. For feeding purposes the mangels will probably be found the most practical beet. Among carrots, the Long Orange is recommended because of its large size and heavy yield. It forms a long, thick root, and is very easily grown. The White Voges or Belgian is grown exclusively for stock, and is an even heavier yielder. The rutabaga is recommended as a good turnip. The same soils and methods of cultivating are adapted to all three kinds of roots.

The soil should be well enriched, and should be one that warms up quickly in the spring. Most growers regard sandy loam as best adapted to the culture of root crops, this being particularly true of the early spring crop.



An Acre or Two of Roots Will Feed a Small Dairy Herd.

For later crops heavy soils can be employed, and muck soils are widely used for the midsummer and fall crops. Land that is in good physical condition as the result of early and proper handling, well supplied with available plant food and rich in organic matter, is essential to best results. Applications of stable manure at the rate of 20 to 30 tons per acre are advisable, and this may profitably be supplemented by the use of commercial fertilizer containing at least 2 per cent nitrogen, 8 per cent phosphoric acid, and 4 per cent potash.

The seed is sown in rows at least 30 inches apart if horse cultivation is practiced, but under hand cultivation they need not be more than 15 to 18 inches. Ordinarily about 6 pounds of beet seed per acre is required. Seed is ordinarily covered to a depth of 3/4 to 1 inch. As beet seed is rather slow in germination, the practice of sowing some quick-sprouting seed along with it is sometimes followed. These plants serve as markers for the rows before the beets are up, so that cultivation may be begun before the beets show above the ground. Radishes are frequently used for this purpose.

Beet seeds come in clusters, and it is inevitable that thinning by hand will be required.

Roots intended for winter storage are allowed to stand in the field until just before heavy autumn frosts occur, when they are pulled and stored in pits or cellars, requiring much the same treatment as potatoes and similar root crops.

From 20 to 35 pounds of sliced or pulped roots, with a proper grain ration and dry foliage, is a day's ration for an ordinary dairy cow. Thus it will be seen that 2 1/2 tons will carry a cow through the usual five-months' winter feeding period. An acre or two of beets, carrots and turnips should be enough to supply any herd which is not large enough to make a silo profitable. With the development of the sugar-beet industry many implements and methods of culture have been devised which reduce the labor required to grow root crops.

THE SANDMAN STORY

OLD DANDELION.


MR. DAN DE LION awoke one morning to find growing near him pretty Miss Daisy.

Dan was ever bold, but this pretty little flower growing so close beside him made Dan bolder than ever.

He turned his bright face toward her and spoke. "Miss Daisy," he said, "in this beautiful world there cannot be two more certainly made for each other than you and I."

"Just look at the yellow in your gown. Doesn't it just match the yellow of my clothes? Now what do you say if we are married and live in this field where the sunshine is bright and warm, as two happy lovers should?"

Miss Daisy shook out her white petaled skirt and looked down at the



"BUT," SHE SAID, "PERHAPS TOMORROW I SHALL BE ABLE TO

replied that the sun was so bright and warm she could think of nothing else. "But," she said, "perhaps tomorrow I shall be able to think about your proposal and give you your answer."

So Dandelion sat all day with his face bright and happy because he felt sure the morrow would certainly bring rain and then Miss Daisy would have time to think about him.

The next morning the raindrops were falling fast on the meadow and Miss Daisy's upturned face never once looked toward her lover. She was drinking the longed-for water and had no time to notice poor Dan.

The next morning after the rain everything was so clean and fresh and all the flowers were so bright and happy that Dan again spoke to Miss Daisy of his love.

"Oh, the world is so beautiful and fresh this morning I cannot think of anything else," replied Miss Daisy as she flitted the dewdrops from her white skirt.

But Dan was not discouraged; he still waited and hoped for his answer; but one morning poor Dan awoke with a head quite white. He had grown old with waiting and his long, white locks fluttered in the breeze.

Then one day Miss Daisy grew tired of the beauty around her. She cast her eye toward her lover and, to her horror, she saw he was quite bald. Not even one spear of white hair was there on his head.

"Oh!" exclaimed Miss Daisy. "How funny you look. Why, you are old Mr. Dan D. Lion. I could not think of marrying you now. Good-day!"

And that is the reason, so the meadow flowers say, that the Dandelion grows faded and old with long, white locks on its little round head. Long ago its ancestor waited so long for Miss Daisy's answer that he grew old and bald.

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THE RIGHT THING AT THE RIGHT TIME

By MARY MARSHALL DUFFEE

ABOUT YOUR BOARD.

How many things, both just and unjust, are sanctioned by custom!—Terence.

IN DAYS long, long gone by the head of a large and important family sat on a raised dais at meals, with members of his immediate family and specially honored guests. Others sat at a table on the floor of the room, the least important guests or retainers sitting at the greatest distance from the host. Even in our colonial days it was customary to have a huge salt cellar in the center of the table and the older and more important personages sat above the salt cellar toward the host who sat at the head of the table, while those less important sat below that point.

With such an arrangement it was possible to have almost the entire household—save for those who were serving the meal—to sit at the same time without embarrassment to anyone. Sometimes, in these days, embarrassing questions come up concerning the placing of members of one's household at the dinner table. "Shouldn't the housekeeper be seated with members of the family at dinner?" writes a woman who is so employed.

Obviously it is not for the housekeeper to decide but for those who employ her, and if she feels that not to have meals with the family is an act of disrespect to her why, then, for her own peace of mind she ought to find employment somewhere else. In the homes of those who employ many servants the housekeeper would not dream of eating with the family—on the contrary, her meals would be served in her own sitting room. Some governesses do not usually eat at the family table unless their charges do, and in large establishments children very often have their meals served in the day nursery. If they dine earlier than their elders, then customarily the governess does also. Usually trained nurses employed in private homes have meals with the family, but sometimes it is customary for them to eat after the family and this is sometimes a matter of convenience, as some member will be free to take the nurse's place at the patient's bedside while she is eating. On ocean liners nurses in uniform do not eat at the first table, but have their meals in the general dining room at the hours appointed for children and their nurses. Of course, some young women resent this, feeling themselves quite the social equals, possibly the superiors, of those who employ them, but, if they have good sense, they realize that they are suffering no real indignity and that it is the truly professional spirit to accept conditions as they find them.

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Justifiable Vigor.

"Is Glipping a profane man?"

"I wouldn't go so far as to say that."

"No?"

"But when a woman driving in a car ahead of him puts out her left hand and then keeps going straight ahead he's capable of using language appropriate to the occasion."

HOW DO YOU SAY IT?

By C. N. LURJE

Common Errors in English and How to Avoid Them

"ELDER" AND "OLDER."

THE former word, "elder," should be used when one refers to members of the same family; thus, "My elder brother left for Europe today," not, "My older brother." But "older" should be used in referring to members of another family, and in referring to objects. Thus, say, "He is the older of the two brothers," and "This table is older than that chair," not "elder." The same rule is applied to the words "eldest" and "oldest." One should say, if he has more than one brother, "My eldest brother left for Europe today," not "My oldest brother." "This chair is the oldest of the three," not the "eldest."

When direct comparison is made between two persons, use "older," as in the sentence, "My mother is older than my father." But when the comparison is not made directly, use this form: "My mother is the elder of my parents."

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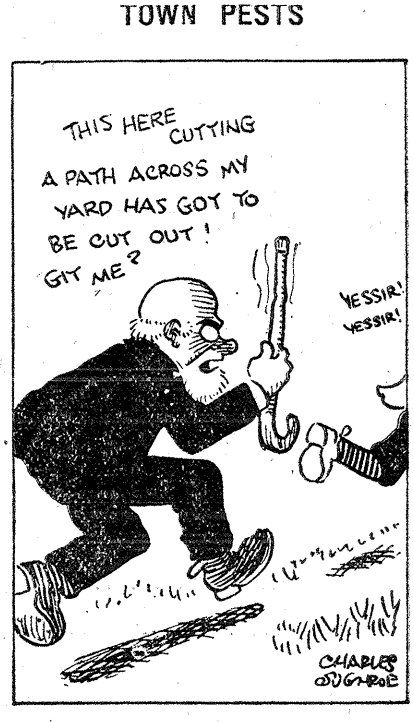
Painstaking Author.

Paul Bourget, the French author, attended for four months the clinic of a prominent Paris specialist in order that he might accurately describe the symptoms of a certain disease in one of his stories. On another occasion he postponed writing a chapter of a novel in which he wished to mention the after-effects of tropical malarial fever until a certain physician returned from Central America, where he had gone to make a study of this malady, and published his notes on the subject.

They Go.

"Are prize fights really so brutal?" asked the New York matron.

"I've never seen one," replied the man. "Ask some of the debutantes."



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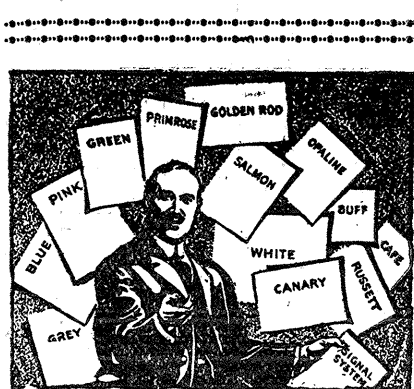
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Cass City Chronicle

DEATHS OF THE WEEK.

Mrs. Hiram Keyser.
Mrs. Hiram Keyser passed away at her home at Wickware on Sunday, Sept. 11, following an illness of a complication of diseases. She was 76 years of age.
Sara Ann Stevens, daughter of Benjamin and Jane Stevens, was born at Lobo, Ont., on Nov. 1, 1844 and was united in marriage with Hiram Keyser on Christmas Day in 1863. To this union 11 children were born. Two children, Manuel and Margaret Emma, died in infancy and two sons died in later years—Benjamin on Sept. 12, 1904 and Alva Morton on Sept. 26, 1910. Besides her husband, she leaves seven children, Nial H. of Flint, Mrs. Wesley Rawley of Foster, Oregon, Hiram L. and Milford Keyser of Greenleaf township, Mervyn Keyser of Flint, Vincent Keyser of Montrose and Mrs. Sterle Spencer of Cass City; also 24 grandchildren.
Funeral services were held at the Wickware M. E. church of which Mrs. Keyser was a member. Rev. John Willerton officiated at the service and interment was made in Elkland cemetery Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. H. B. Snyder.
Mrs. H. B. Snyder passed away at her home on Pine St. west on Sunday, Sept. 11, at the age of 73 years.
Emma Darby was born in Guelph, Ont., on Dec. 25, 1847. At the close of the Civil War when Henry B. Snyder returned from the front, he was united in marriage with Miss Darby at Lakeville, Oakland county. Later they moved to Kingston and 26 years ago the family came to Cass City. Mr. Snyder passed away Oct. 9, 1918.
Mrs. Snyder became a member of the Methodist church 50 years ago and her funeral was held Tuesday afternoon in the church of that denomination at Cass City. Rev. W. W. Edwards, pastor of the Presbyterian church, officiated and interment was made in Elkland cemetery.

She leaves three children, James H. Snyder of Imlay City, Geo. W. Snyder of Oxford and Mrs. Wm. Harrington of Rushton, and nine grand children.

Archie Rushleau.
Archie Rushleau, who suffered a paralytic stroke the latter part of August, died at his home in Caro Thursday night, Sept. 8, at the age of 90 years. Funeral services were held at Sacred Heart church at Caro Monday morning. Mr. Rushleau was born in Three Rivers, Quebec, and has resided in Caro 41 years. He leaves seven children, 29 grandchildren and 21 great grandchildren. The children are Peter Rushleau and Mrs. David Tyo of Cass City, Mrs. Cutler of Detroit, Mrs. Abbie Blake, Sylvester Rushleau, Mrs. John Gordon and Mrs. Ensign, all of Caro.

Omar Yokom.
The remains of Omar Yokom, at one time a resident of Gageton and North Branch, were brought to Cass City for burial Monday evening from Arcadia, Ohio. Mr. Yokom's death occurred at Arcadia Sept. 7 after an illness of seven weeks with bronchial pneumonia. Funeral services were held at Arcadia Saturday and many relatives accompanied Mrs. Yokom and two children as far as Detroit on their journey to Cass City. Messrs. Orth and Pessel of Arcadia came with Mrs. Yokom to Cass City. Brief services were held at the C. L. Robinson home Tuesday morning by Rev. W. W. Edwards and the interment was made in Elkland cemetery.
Mr. Yokom was an expert creamery manufacturer. He was in charge of the Gageton creamery 19 years ago and went from there to Thompson, Ohio, where he was superintendent of a large creamery plant for 17 years. About a year ago he leased a creamery at Arcadia. Mr. Yokom was 40 years of age and prominent in business and social circles in the community where he resided. He served as a member of the board of education and as a trustee of the M. E. church at Thompson, Ohio, and was a member of the Odd Fellow and Forster fraternities. He married Miss Gusta Butler of Gageton 18 years ago and she and two children, Wesley, aged 16 years, and Lucile, 10 years, survive him.

Hiram Spittler was born in Fingal, Canada, in the year of 1835. He came to Michigan in 1867 and settled in the vicinity of Gageton, where he resided until his death which occurred on Monday, Sept. 5.

Since the year of 1887, he has been a very active and faithful member of the Gageton Methodist Protestant church; a man of sterling character, beloved by all that knew him. He came to Tuscola county when all was forest and with the pioneers of his day started the wheels of progress that have made our community what it is today.
He leaves to mourn his loss, his wife, one son, Virgil, one brother, Ludwick, of Porterville, N. Y., four sisters, Susan Matthews of Winsor, Ont., Mrs. Catherine Walters of Cass City, Mrs. Charlotte Burnett of Alden, Mich., and Mrs. Alvira Ibbison of Gageton.
Funeral services were conducted on Wednesday, Sept. 7, by Rev. Willson in the Gageton M. P. church and he was laid at rest in the Hillside cemetery.

The Death Angel came to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wilbert Middaugh at

Pigeon August 31, and took their darling babe, Marquie M. She was born Oct. 22, 1920. Funeral services were held at the home by Rev. Binder of the Evangelical church. Burial was at Cass City. She leaves to mourn her loss, her parents, three sisters and two brothers.



Williams Inn Burned.
Williams Inn was burned to the ground early Saturday morning, the fire originating from an overheated stove pipe in the attic over the kitchen. Thos. Williams, proprietor of the Inn, which is three miles south of Harbor Beach on the Shore Pike, had built the kitchen fire early that morning and had gone to the barn to kill chickens for Sunday dinner. About twenty minutes after lighting the fire, he noticed smoke and flames rising from the kitchen roof. He called for assistance and nearby neighbors hurried to the scene, but the flames had gained such headway that with the meager fire-fighting apparatus available, little could be done to subdue the flames.

Power Company on Way.
Mr. Frost, manager of the Central Power Company of Bad Axe, while in Pigeon last Tuesday informed The Progress that the company would have their line to Pigeon completed in about two weeks. The company has the poles up nearly to Elkton at this writing. As soon as the Pigeon council has the new meters and transformers ready the Bad Axe company will be ready to shoot the juice over here. This is expected to be about the middle of October.—Progress.

Caro Business Change.
Coad Bros., who have been in the drug business in Caro for several years, Thursday sold the stock, fixtures and good will to Frank R. Vastbinder of Calumet, who will take immediate possession.

More Funds Needed.
Experience with the canning factories of Yale and Owosso the present year has demonstrated to the officers of the Michigan Canned Food Co., that more capital is needed to conduct the business than they had supposed. At a meeting of those interested held at the court house Tuesday afternoon, F. M. Crowe announced that local subscriptions amounting to \$75,000.00 would be necessary to insure a plant of suitable capacity for Caro. The company now has \$211,000 invested in the plants at Yale and Owosso, and say it will cost about \$125,000 to put up a better plant than that in Owosso, in Caro. Mr. Crowe put the question up to the audience, whether they should withdraw from the enterprise, return all cash and notes or go on and endeavor to raise the additional capital. Sentiment favored going on, and a committee was appointed to secure additional subscriptions.—Advertiser.

ROAD HOG.
New laws operating against "road hogs" and against taking fish under six inches, went into effect August 18. The "road hog" law provides that auto trucks over one and one-half tons must be equipped with mirrors. This is intended to stop big trucks from hogging the road, the drivers claiming that they cannot hear the approach of lighter cars because of the noise of their own machines.

Like to Write Letters.
The English-speaking race is the most industrious in the world in the matter of letter writing. The Australians take first place, with 13 letters per head per year; Canada and the United Kingdom comes third with 75. The German average is only 49, and Italy is a long way behind with only 11.

Easy to Check Sneezes.
As many know, sneezing may be averted by pressing firmly upon the upper lip with the fingers. The "why" of this is that by so doing we deaden the impression made up a certain branch of the "fifth nerve," sneezing being a reflex action excited by some slight impression made upon that nerve. Proof of this is seen in the fact that sneezing never takes place when the nerve mentioned is paralyzed, even though the sense of smell be fully retained.

Japanese "Trial by Ordeal."
Trial by ordeal still exists in some parts of Japan. If a theft takes place in a household, all the servants are required to write a certain word with the same brush. The conscience is supposed to betray its workings in the waves of the ideographs written. Tracing an ideograph involves such an effort to muscular directness and undivided attention that this device often leads to the discovery of the guilty person.

The Oldest National Park
The oldest of the national parks is the Hot Springs reservation in Arkansas, established in 1832. In its square mile and a half are 46 hot and several cold springs, valued since Indian days for their medicinal properties. It is but a short distance from Little Rock.

Every Small Boy Knows It.
The man who first loved a dog—probably a puppy which he had taken from its mother's lair—placed mankind under a profound obligation for all time. We can imagine the sense of friendly security which the presence and the fidelity of that puppy, grown up to doghood, gave that primitive man.—Svetozar Tonjoroff in the Boston Herald.

Imitating Hard Woods Not Difficult.
It is worth knowing that soft woods, treated with oil satin finished over with two coats of varnish or varnish and wax, can be made to resemble closely light or dark oak, cherry, mahogany, walnut, or mission oak. The work does not require any exceptional skill and the result is invariably well worth the effort.—Popular Science Monthly.

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FARM FOR SALE 4 miles east of Cass City. Will sell on easy terms or exchange for property in Cass City or Detroit. Enquire of F. L. Clark or John Sugden, Caro, Mich. 9|16|2p

FOR SALE—House, barn and three lots northeast of Gageton grist mill. Mrs. H. Spittler, Gageton. 9|16|2p

CIDER MILL at Cass City opens Saturday, Sept. 17, and will run every Saturday thereafter until further notice. Heller & Muntz. 9|16|tf

CRANK for Oakland car found. Call at Chronicle office. 9|16|1

GOOD STOCK on hand of fruit jars, can rubbers and caps, binder twine, 12 ft. linoleum, large and small house furnaces. Geo. L. Hitchcock. 9|16|2

EIGHTY-ACRE FARM to exchange for village property. Enquire at Chronicle office. 9|16|1p

GET THE LAST of those flies. Fly powder at Wood's Drug Store.

HAVING RECENTLY purchased a quantity of ice, we are now in position to take care of your wants. Cass City Grain Co. Phone 61. 9-16-1-c

M. E. LADIES will serve supper at the church Wednesday evening, September 21. Price, 35 cents.

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WANTED—To rent 80-acre farm on third or half shares. Enquire of Jos. Sabo on the Walter Schell farm, Cass City. 9-9-3p

LOST—Pocketbook containing \$23 in bills and about \$1 in change. Finder please leave at Chronicle office and receive reward. Artemas Root. 9-9-2

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STRAYED from pasture on my farm in Greenleaf township, red and white yearling heifer; also one white steer. James Perkins, Argyle. 9|16|1

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FURNISHED ROOMS with board. Mrs. L. M. Wiltzie. 9-16-1

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CARD OF THANKS—We wish to thank the friends and neighbors for their many kind acts during the illness and death of our mother; also to those who sang and those who sent flowers. W. H. Harrington and Family. 9|16|1

WE WISH to express our greatest appreciation and thanks to the many kind friends who so nobly assisted us during the illness and death of our beloved husband and father. Also to express our gratitude to the pastor and the choir and all the contributors of the beautiful flowers. Mrs. Hiram Spittler and son, Virgil.

CARD OF THANKS—I wish to express my sincere thanks and appreciation to those who sent me the beautiful flowers and fruit during my illness at the Bad Axe hospital. Jessie Milne.

WE WISH through the columns of this paper to thank all of our kind friends and neighbors for their loving kindness and sympathy in our late bereavement, the loss of our beloved one, T. L. Stewart, Alva T. Stewart, Victor M. Stewart, Dr. and Mrs. H. H. Merriman, Dr. K. S. Merriman, Dr. A. Merriman.

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Safety Match Swedish Invention.

The safety match was the invention of a Swedish manufacturer named Lundstrum. It has been on the market since 1855. Its head contains no phosphorus, but holds a mixture of which chlorate of potash usually forms a part. The striking surface, on the side of the box, is formed by a compound of red phosphorus and sand. The safety match is manufactured chiefly in Sweden, Norway and Japan.

Old London Bellmen.

Other bells than those attached to churches used to disturb the slumbers of Londoners. Prior to the institution of watchmen every parish had its bellman, who used to stalk the streets all night. At irregular intervals he would ring his bell loudly and cry out, "Take care of your fire and candle, be charitable to the poor and pray for the dead." If he met any malefactor, he rang unceasingly until the neighborhood was roused to his assistance.

Flag Day Observed Since 1889.

Flag day, June 14, is the anniversary of the adoption of the Stars and Stripes by the continental congress in 1777. The day has been more or less observed since 1889. In that year George Bion, a New York teacher, commemorated the birth of the flag with special patriotic exercises by his kindergarten pupils. Patriotic societies took up the observance and Flag Day has become well established.

GAGETOWN.

Albert Hurd motored to Uby Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Kehoe and son, Harry, were in Caro Sunday evening.

Miss Leona Kenneda is visiting in Detroit. Miss Walsh is taking her place as clerk in the company store.

The M. E. ladies' aid society will serve a supper Sept. 21st.

Tom Jamieson did business in Saginaw Monday.

Mrs. R. J. Wills and Miss Genevieve were in Cass City Saturday.

Mrs. B. Walsh, Mrs. Geo. Purdy and Mrs. W. J. Sugnet were callers in Pigeon one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Sabourin announce the arrival of a little child in their home.

A. J. Palmer did business in Chicago several days last week; also went to Cicero, Ind., to see the little three weeks old grandson, Clayton Hall Palmer, jr.

Mrs. Maude Donhoe left Monday for Saginaw where she will spend the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Combs announce the arrival of a little daughter.

The Gleaners met with Mrs. Thos. McDonald last week Thursday.

Mrs. Wm. Nicholas still continues in poor health.

Mrs. Jos. Freeman is entertaining her father, A. Klein, and four sisters from Alpena this week.

Miss May North spent Sunday with Caro friends.

Dr. and Mrs. Sugnet were in Pigeon Friday.

Mrs. Butland and sister, Mrs. Reacher, of Toronto are the guests of Miss Louise Verrel.

Wesley Downing's little child is improving from a serious illness.

Mrs. Margaret Armstrong is visiting Mrs. Finkle in Clifford. Before her return, she will visit her daughter, Mrs. Deneen, in Flushing. Mrs. Hemerick will accompany her to the latter place.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Rocheleau and family of Lansing spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Thos. McDonald.

Rev. Fr. Dwan of Detroit was a pleasant caller among his people several days last week.

Mr. Carson transacted business here last week.

Russell R. McElmury of Lansing was a caller in town one day last week.

Mr. Mardle of Hemlock, Mich., is the new clerk at the co-operative store.

Mrs. Zeleka Stafford of Cass City and Chas. Wallace from Saginaw were callers in town Thursday.

Wm. Nicholas, sr., died at the home of his son, Wm. Nicholas, jr., in Grant last week Monday after an illness of three days. He and his wife came from Cambridge, Eng., 41 years ago and cleared their farm from a wild state. Mrs. Nicholas died three years ago. He leaves one son, Wm., one daughter, Mrs. Hoxsey, of Bay City, 16 grandchildren and many friends. He reached the age of 85 years. Rev. Ray Wilson, pastor of the M. P. church, officiated at the funeral. Interment in the Grant cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. Emerson Butler received a telegram last week Thursday stating the death of their son-in-law, Omer Yokum, of Marshall, Ohio. About 18 years ago Mr. Yokum was for three years a successful manager of our creamery. Mrs. Yokum will be recalled as Miss Gusta Butler, a much loved young lady, who with her two children, have the sympathy of our community. Mr. and Mrs. Richard Carr left Friday to accompany Mrs. Yokum to Cass City where the remains will be placed in the Robinson vault for a time.

Fifty Years of Life.
A French statistician has been dabbling with figures to find out just what man does with that precious thing called time. He concludes that at the age of fifty years the average man has slept 6,000 days, worked 6,500, walked 800, amused himself 4,000, spent 1,500 eating, and has been ill 500 days.

Lovers' Quarrels Not Trifles.
It has been said that lovers' quarrels are but the renewal of love. There was never a truer word. Every quarrel is a blot on a fair page. Forgiveness may erase it, but, at the best, the mark of the erasure is there forever, and the page wears thin.—S. G. Tallentyre.

Somewhat Strong.
There were times when the language used by "the first Commoner" would have been considered fulsome in an eastern court, as when Speaker Rich compared Henry VIII "for justice and fortitude to Samson, for beauty and comeliness to Absalom."—Manchester Guardian.

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85c Brooms 69c	Red C Salmon 15c		Gingham per yd. 19c
\$1.00 Brooms 89c	6 lbs. Oatmeal 25c		Outing per yd. 19c
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CANBORO.

Mrs. Bert Libkuman and son, Rexford, returned home Friday after a few days' visit in Fargo.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Jarvis and Mr. and Mrs. Dick Jarvis and children were callers in Elkton Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Warrington was called to Detroit Monday to the funeral of Mr. Warrington's nephew, Henry Warrington, Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. Ulysses Parker and daughter, Freda, of West Grant visited Wm. Parker, sr., Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Mert McConnell of Jeddo and Mrs. Fred Hintze, sr., of Sebawaing visited Monday at the home of Wm. Parker, sr.

Mr. and Mrs. Lew Jarvis and daughter, Ardis, spent Sunday afternoon at Robert Jarvis' near Owendale.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Hartsell of Pigeon were callers here Sunday.

Every year more people exchange their wheat for flour. Why not you? Elkland Milling Co.—Adv. 8-19-tf

GREENLEAF.

Beautiful fall weather. Duncan Rolston is building a silo. Arthur Vorheis of Lapeer spent the week-end at the John Tanner home.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Ballard welcomed a little daughter to their home last week.

Dan Livingston spent a few days in Detroit this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Bennet were Cass City callers Saturday evening.

Miss E. Wald of Gagetown began her duties as teacher in the Tanner district Sept. 6.

Mrs. Emily Mills was numbered with the ill last week.

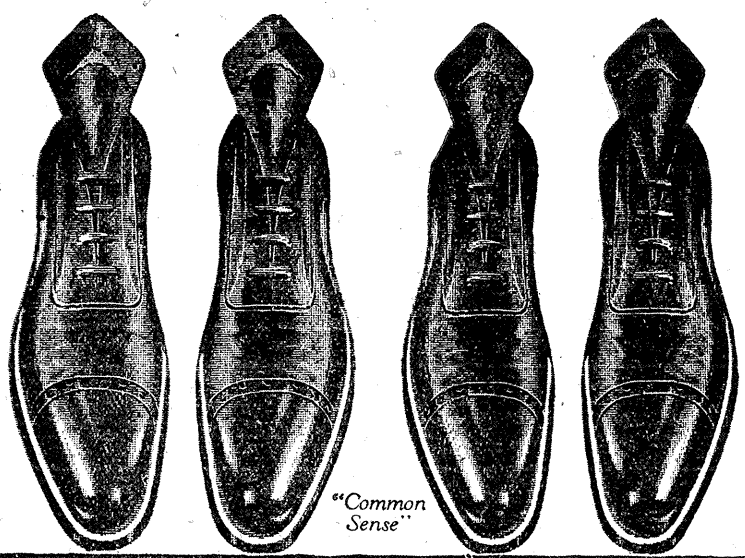
Milo Rathbun rebuilt his silo Wednesday that was blown down by the cyclone of July 9.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Girmus are guests of relatives at Saginaw and Bridgeport.

Wm. Patrick and family of North Branch have moved back to their farm near Greenleaf.

Mrs. E. Hillman of Harbor Beach was the guest of relatives recently.

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Buy Two Pair Get Triple Wear

Two pair of shoes bought at the same time and worn turn about will last longer than three pair bought separately and worn out one pair at a time.

OGDEN

Shoes For Men Made of Mahogany Calf are sold with the assurance of 1,000 miles of service. By purchasing two pair at once you get 1,000 miles service for nothing. Try this plan once and you'll never buy shoes the old way.

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For sale by CROSBY & SON, Cass City.

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Gives a brilliant glossy shine that does not rub off or dust off—that stands to the iron—that lasts four times as long as any other.

Black Silk Stove Polish is in a class by itself. It's more carefully made and made from better materials.

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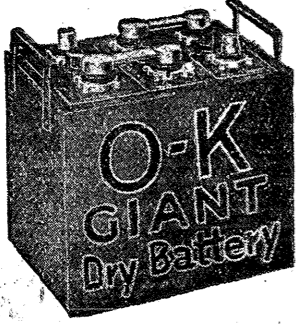
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Tractor	\$665.00
Pulley and Brake	40.00
Governor	40.00
Platform and Fenders	30.00
Tractor, fully equipped	775.00
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Is the electrical marvel of the age and shows itself to be the missing link in mechanical electrical construction. Its superiority over all batteries which have been improved over the old basic lines except in style and fad can be partially summed up to the following points:

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It Pays to Fertilize Wheat

MAKE LARGER YIELDS
PLUMPER KERNELS
STRONGER STRAW

Protects against insects and disease by strengthening the plant and hastening maturity, helps build up the land for future crops, decreases weather damage.

It's a sound investment through and through.

Investigate your land needs. Place your orders early.

REMEMBER—Use of fertilizer aids in cutting the cost of production.

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Three Days of Horse Races
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J. H. VANDECAR, Secretary, North Branch, Mich.

BEAULEY.

Mr. and Mrs. Coulson Blair of Standish, who have been spending the week with relatives here, returned to their home Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Bell and daughter, Margaret, who have been guests of the Moore family, returned to their home in Toronto Friday.

Mrs. Shaw and Mrs. Charles W. Hartsell, Jr., are reported among the sick folks.

Rev. C. W. Scott is attending the M. E. conference at Adrian this week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Hinman and family of Unionville spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Moore.

Griffin Covey a prominent lawyer of Rogers City, spent the first of the week with his niece, Mrs. W. J. Moore. He was also accompanied by his daughter, Miss Linnie Covey, and Dr. Martin J. Nester. The trip was made by motor.

Mrs. D. McDonald has been enjoying a few days' visit from her son, Wellington, of Detroit.

Duncan McAlpine has rented his farm to B. Jerou for two years.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Reader and daughter, Mildred, and Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Hartsell and daughter, Marion, spent the week-end with friends in Midland, attending church and once more listening to their old pastor, Rev. John Yoeman. After service all were invited to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Baker where a bounteous dinner was served and the afternoon spent in relating old time reminiscences. They returned home in the evening.

Ladies' Aid will meet in the church parlors Thursday, Sept. 22. All are invited.

NOVESTA.

Fine rain on Saturday evening and everything looking fine.

The A. C. C. & H. silo filler company are nearly done with their season's work.

Miss Mable Holcomb still continues to have poor health.

Mr. and Mrs. Sheriff Holcomb and family drove to Lapeer on Saturday afternoon, and visited with Henry Glazier, returning Sunday.

Mrs. Arthur Chase, Miss Jeanette Sweet, Mrs. E. Sadler, Mrs. John Wentworth, Rev. John Willerton, Mrs. Loren Churchill and Mrs. A. H. Henderson were Sunday afternoon visitors at the W. E. Holcomb home.

James Rodgers and Mr. Watson of Imlay City called on friends here on Friday last, returning the same day. Jim wears a real smile nowadays. The cause? Why, a fine grandson arrived at the home of his daughter, Blanche, who is now Mrs. Horace Wynn. The young man made his appearance on Sept. 1.

The League of Neighbors met with Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Henderson on Friday, Sept. 3, about 80 persons being present. A good program was enjoyed in the house and a fine time by the young folks on the lawn. All seemed to enjoy themselves immensely. Next meeting will be at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Simon Baxter on the first Friday evening in October.

We exchange flour for wheat and can save you money on your flour needs. Elkland Milling Co.—Adv. 8-19-tf

CEDAR RUN.

John Hartley of Caro is assisting his son, Jay, in bean harvest.

Cyrus Wagoner of Caro spent Sunday at the A. Beutler home here.

John McGrath and Wilson Spaven attended the Bay City fair Tuesday afternoon and evening.

Harry Cooper of Cass City has been doing some carpenter work for Mrs. Delling this week.

The Spaven families were entertained at the Frank Dilman home near Cass City last Sunday.

Henry Deming and son, Howard, spent the week-end at Pt. Sanilac.

Mrs. Nellie Johnston of Oxford, Wm. Ware, Mrs. Wm. Beardsley and son, Richard, visited at the home of Wm. Ware Tuesday.

Miss Maude Finkle of Cass City visited Miss Myrtle Deming the first of the week.

The latest report is that James Hendrick of Orion, formerly of this place, is better at this writing. His daughter, Felinda, is staying with her grandparents Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Hendrick, at present.

The Friendship Club enjoyed a weenie and marshmallow roast at the creek last Friday evening. To say they had a good time would be putting it mildly.

Mrs. William Ware and son, Leo, spent Sunday at the Harve Streeter home at Cass City.

Small Girl's Generous Offer.

Little Rose was playing with her doll when the wig fell off. Just then a man came along who had no hair on the top of his head. Rose ran up to him and said: "Say, mister, you can have this wig to cover that empty spot on the top of your head if you want it."

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Farm Auction Sale

Having rented my farm, I will sell at public auction on the premises 2 miles west and 1 3/4 miles south of Uby, on

Thursday, September 22

Commencing at 1 o'clock fast time

Span of bay mares, 10 years old, wt. 3100

Bay mare, 6 years old, wt. 1300

Pair of geldings, 4 years old, wt. 2500

Mare 3 years old Gelding 3 years old

Mare colt 2 years old

Holstein cow 6 years old, due Oct. 16

Holstein cow 7 years old, due Oct. 25

Black cow 4 years old, due Oct. 27

Holstein heifer 2 years old, due Oct. 27

Spotted cow 4 years old, due Nov. 11

Red cow 6 years old, due Dec. 6

Holstein cow 10 years old, due Jan. 27

Holstein heifer 2 years old, due Jan. 17

Red cow 4 years old, due Jan. 22

Black cow 4 years old, due Jan. 21

Blue cow 6 years old, due Feb. 2

Red cow 4 years old, due Mar. 2

Holstein cow 2 years old, due March 8

Red cow 2 years old, due May 30

Holstein cow 2 years old, milking

Holstein bull 18 months old, pure bred

Brood sow, due Nov. 1 Young sow

Set of heavy work harness

Set light work harness

Set of double driving harness

Wide tired wagon

Solid wheel handy wagon with rack

Empire fertilizer grain drill, new

Champion mower Mower plow

Set 3-section spring tooth harrows

Set 2-section spring tooth harrows

Riding cultivator Hand cultivator

2 sets spike tooth harrows

Feed grinder 6-in. Emery grinder

Cream separator, Anker-Holth, near-

ly new Top buggy

Fairbanks-Morse gas engine and

pump jack Spring cutter

50-gal. oil tank Hard coal stove

Large galvanized steel tank

Range Heater 50 chickens

85 White Wyandotte hens

2 pure bred cockerels 15 ducks

10 cords of poplar wood

Large steel vice and anvil

300 bus. oats and barley, mixed

Ford touring car Set double discs

About 8 tons hay

Half barrel of Victor cylinder oil

142 ft. new hay rope and slings

Set of bob sleighs 4 10-gal. milk cans

Some household goods

TERMS—All sums of \$5.00 and under, cash; over that amount, 12 months' time on good approved endorsed notes at 7 per cent interest.

Lem Douglass, Prop.

T. A. Stahlbaum, Auctioneer

R. J. Hagen, Clerk

AUCTION SALE

Having decided to quit farming, I will sell the personal property listed below at auction 1/2 mile west and 1/2 mile north of Gagetown on

Tuesday, Sept. 20

COMMENCING AT ONE O'CLOCK:

Team of Belgians 5 yrs. old, wt. 3000

Horse 4 yrs. old, wt. 1300

Mare 4 yrs. old, wt. 1250

Mule 2 yrs. old, wt. 900

Yearling mule 1 yr. old, wt. 750

Holstein cow 6 yrs. old, due in Feb.

Red cow 7 yrs. old, due in Nov.

Black cow 6 yrs. old, due in Dec.

Holstein cow 6 yrs. old, due in May

Holstein cow 5 yrs. old, due in Feb.

Jersey cow 8 yrs. old, due in Feb.

Yearling bull

2 calves 3 months old

9 pigs, wt. 100 lbs.

9 pigs 7 weeks old

8 pigs 5 wks. old

100 chickens

500-lb. scales

Walking cultivator

McCormick binder

Osborne mower

Hay rake

Two-horse cultivator

Parker plow Oliver plow

Weber wagon

Hay rack and box

Pulverizer Empire grain drill

Set of bob sleighs

Miller bean puller

Planta-Junior cultivator

17-tooth drag Buggy

Single harness Double harness

DeLaval cream separator

Water separator Milk can

300 shocks of corn

20 acres bean straw

20 tons mixed hay

200 bus. oats 50 bus. old corn

50 bus. barley

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

DAN GILLIES, Proprietor

L. S. McEldowney, Auctioneer

Cass City State Bank, Clerk

RAT-PROOF CORN CRIB AND GRANARY

Affords Protection Against Pests Which Destroy Crops.

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Elevator Cup System Lightens the Work of Storing the Grain—Labor-Saving Equipment Keeps Farm Help Satisfied.

By WILLIAM A. RADFORD.

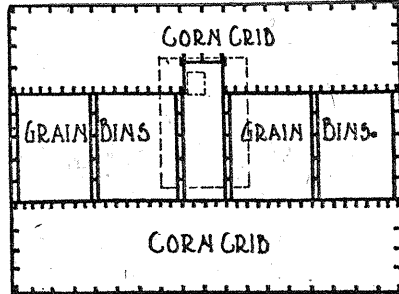
Mr. William A. Radford will answer questions and give advice FREE OF COST on all subjects pertaining to the subject of building work on the farm, for the readers of this paper. On account of his wide experience as Editor, Author and Manufacturer, he is, without doubt, the highest authority on all these subjects. Address all inquiries to William A. Radford, No. 1827 Prairie Avenue, Chicago, Ill., and only inclose two-cent stamp for reply.

Two hundred million bushels of grain are donated yearly by the farmers of the United States to be eaten and wasted by 200,000,000 rats. The rat consumes a quantity equal to the productive energy of 200,000 men working 5,000,000 acres. One rat will eat 50 pounds of grain during the course of a year. These are only a few of the startling figures that indicate the real menace which the rat is to the modern farmer today.

His hope of protection lies in building farm buildings that are rat-proof.

ing above this platform is a sturdy building of frame, built so as to provide a maximum amount of ventilation without exposing the contents to outside attacks.

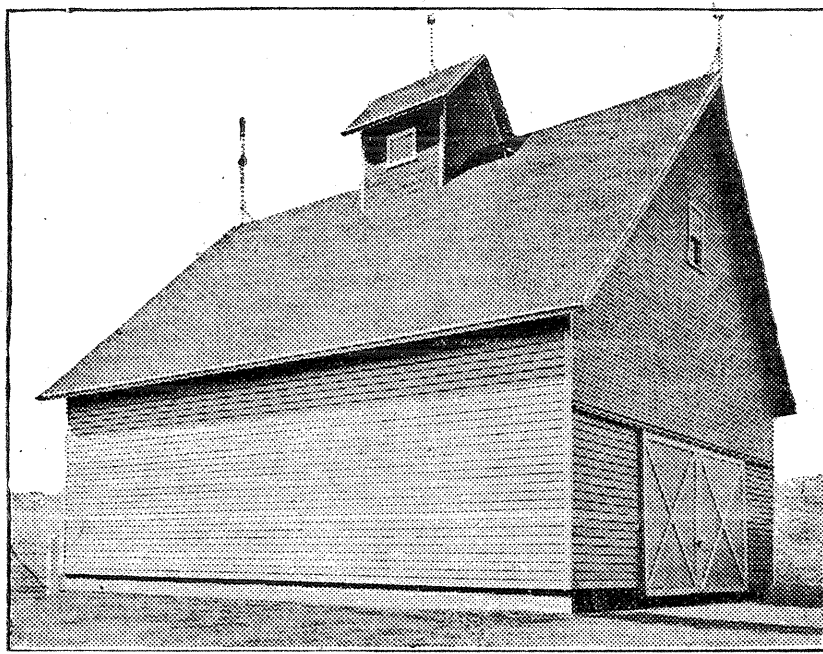
Two wide doors at each end, hung on a special door track which greatly facilitates their operation, open the way into the drive leading through the center of the building. At one end of this driveway is a platform scale set in the floor. The load of grain is weighed as it enters the crib. From



Second Floor Plan.

here the wagon or truck is backed up to the elevator pit, where the load is dumped.

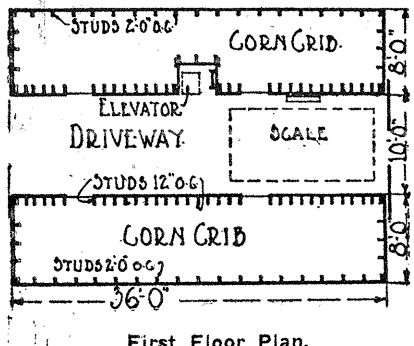
In this corn crib the builder has installed a device which has done wonders in lifting much of the burdensome work from the shoulders of the farmer. He has installed what is known as an inside cup elevator. This apparatus consists of a revolving chain carrying a number of cups from the grain pit in the driveway to the cupola above when they automatically dump the grain into a spout leading to any one of the grain bins or corn cribs. In this way all actual handling or shoveling by hand is eliminated. A great quantity of grain can be put into the granary in a short space of time.



One farmer who overlooked this fact reports half his corn was ruined after it was placed in the crib and another farmer in Iowa reported that rats ate and injured enough to pay taxes on 400 acres of land.

The chief source of attack by this vast army of rodents is the corn crib and granary. Here is stored the crop, the reward of a year's arduous toil.

It behooves the farmer to seek protection from pests and the elements. In addition to the loss incurred by rats, millions of dollars are lost yearly



First Floor Plan.

from mold and rot caused by excessive dampness in inefficient granaries.

The corn crib should be one of the most important buildings on the farm, and its planning should be given careful consideration.

Presented here with floor plans is a substantial rat-proof corn crib and granary built to form an effective shelter for the harvest. The idea of protecting its contents has been kept in mind throughout as the construction shows. In the first place it is built on a sturdy foundation of concrete. Nothing is more effective as a barrier against rats than a concrete floor. Ris-

ing on each side of the central driveway extending up to the roof. On the second floor immediately above the driveway are the bins for the heavier grain. The spout of the elevator can be directed to fill any bin.

The building is 26 feet wide and 36 feet long. The drive is 10 feet wide, and each corn crib is 8 feet wide.

This is the propitious time to build a corn crib so as to be ready for the harvest when it comes around. The wise farmer is aware of the deadly inroads of the millions of rodents, pests, etc., and will not be caught like he was last year. There is no sense in working hard all year only to put the fruits of your efforts in a shack built of a few boards as the only protection against bad weather. The constant exposure to the rain, frost and snow will play havoc with the corn and cut down its market value considerably.

This structure will be a valuable addition for any farmer who raises a good crop, and is doubly attractive because of its economy in construction. Moreover, because of the installation of the elevator it will be a splendid aid to him in keeping help on the farm satisfied. One of the big reasons for the difficulty in keeping help is the back-breaking work which they have to perform. In this case one of the hardest tasks has been made easy.

Only through the construction of such buildings and the installation of the most modern labor-saving equipment can the modern farmer hope to stem the exodus of the young men to the cities. When the work is made attractive they will stay. And only by building substantial corn cribs and granaries can the farmer hope to reap the profits which should be his.

different from the other, though each is sharp alone.

The blending of these two large images gives the artistic "fuzzy" effect so pleasing to most movie patrons and quite the thing among society photographers.

Truth About Whales.

A member of the Brooklyn Institute museum, Brooklyn, N. Y., who has made a special study of whales in Newfoundland, states that the average length of a full-grown sulphur-bottom whale is just under 80 feet. This estimate disregards the exaggerated reports sometimes spread by sailors, and is based on actual measurements of many individual specimens. There seems to be creditable accounts of whales reaching a length of from 85 to 95 feet, but this authority did not see any of that size. Whales appear to grow with great rapidity, the length of "yearlings" being estimated at from 30 to 35 feet.—Christian Science Monitor.

The Mohammedan calendar is dated from the first flight of Mohammed from Mecca to Medina, in 622.

CHURCH CALENDAR.

Free Methodist—There will be services every Sunday at 3:00 in the Council Rooms at Cass City.

Christian Science—Services are held every Sunday at 11:00. Subject for Sept. 18, "Matter."

Baptist—Morning worship next Sunday at 10:00. Bible school at 12:00 m. 5:00 p. m., Jr. B. Y. P. U. 7:30, evening service. Tuesday at 7:00 p. m., the B. Y. P. U. will hold its devotional hour which will be followed by a social hour. Thursday at 7:30 mid-week prayer meeting. All are invited.

Evangelical—Regular divine services next Sunday. We were highly pleased with the goodly attendance last Sunday. Come again and bring others with you. Bible school at 10:00 a. m., morning and evening preaching at 11:00 and 7:30 respectively. Junior and senior Y. P. A. at 6:45 p. m.

Prayer meeting every Thursday night at 8:00.

F. L. Pohly.

Presbyterian—The services on Sunday conducted by the pastor.

Morning worship at 10:30.

Sermon: "For What Does the Church Exist in the World?" What end is it intended to serve, and what end is it serving? These are questions which confront us today, the pastor will discuss them frankly. At the morning service we have special music by the choir.

Sabbath School at 11:45. Classes for all.

Mid-week devotional Thursday at 7:30 p. m.

The Young People's Society at 6:30 p. m. Splendid gathering of last Sunday. Don't fail to come.

Evening service at 7:30.

Theme of address: "The True Philosophy of Life." We extend a special invitation to the young students of our town who will be returning to college this week to hear this message.

A young college man writes the pastor this week:

"My dear Rev. Edwards—I am putting it very mild when I say that I am receiving heaps of good thoughts from your sermon of last Sunday. It will last me a long time because I am putting it into action all I can, but if I could hear you every Sunday I certainly would never miss the opportunity. I wish we could have you speak here at some of our little functions some time this year. Our Bible class started off with about 175 today." Sincerely,

We have something to offer you this Sunday evening. Opening song service and violin selections and a hearty welcome all for the accepting. Wm. W. Edwards, Pastor.

WICKWARE.

Miss Mildred Dodge of Cass City spent Sunday at the home of Miss Pauline Bond.

After spending several days in Detroit, Levi Holcomb and family have returned to their home here.

Returning Monday to Cass City was Miss Jessie Kirton, who spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Kirton.

Vernon Holcomb returned to Redford where he is attending school.

Mr. and Mrs. Leland Nicol spent Sunday with the latter's mother, Mrs. Edward Wright, of Greenleaf.

Miss Marion Robinson spent Thursday visiting her aunt, Mrs. Thomas Whitfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Gracey spent Sunday at the home of Sam'l Blades north of Cass City.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Vader and children of Cass City were guests of Homer Johnson several days this past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Levi Holcomb and two sons, Levi and Bruce, and Mr. and Mrs. M. VanNorman of Shabbona motored to Marlette where they spent Sunday with Chester Holcomb.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Nicols spent Sunday with the former's sister, Mrs. Edward Richerson, of Cumber.

A number from here attended the chicken supper which was served at Holbrook.

On account of Mrs. Hiram Keyser's death, the Ladies' Aid will meet with Mrs. Ella Watson next Wednesday.

Advertise in the Chronicle.

CASS CITY MARKETS.

Cass City, Sept. 15, 1921.

Buying Price—	
White wheat, bu	1.09
Red wheat, bu	1.14
Old oats, bu	.88
New oats, bu	.29
Rye, bu	.88
Buckwheat, cwt	2.25
Corn, shelled, bu. (56 lbs.)	.60
Barley, cwt	1.00
Peas, bu	2.25
Beans, cwt	4.25
Baled hay, ton	12.00
Eggs, per dozen	.32
Butter, per lb.	.30
Cattle	4 5
Hogs, live weight, per lb.	.7
Calves, live weight	.6 9
Broilers	15 19
Hens	15 18
Stags	10
Ducks	13
Geese	10
Hides	.02

RESCUE.

Arnold McCallum is attending high school at Owendale this term.

Our school began Sept. 6th with Miss Lucile Pelps of Mayville as teacher.

Harry Coad was a business caller in Owendale Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Heron of East Grant were Sunday callers at Sidney Roberts.

Joseph Mellendorf made a business trip to Owendale, Gagetown and Cass City last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawson Stinger of Owendale were Sunday callers at the Raymond Webster home.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Schembers and children of Caseville and Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Foster of Pigeon were Sunday visitors at the John McCallum home.

Mr. and Mrs. Valdo Herman and son, Caryl, of Elkton were Sunday visitors at Jesse Putman's.

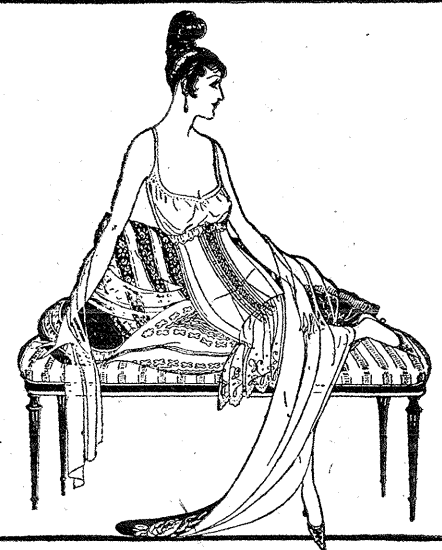
Miss Veta Parker had her tonsils and adenoids removed last Tuesday at Elkton.

Why Rich Men Want More.

The reason a rich man is never satisfied with the size of his fortune is not necessarily because he has acquired a kind of hog instinct, but rather because his knowledge of affairs and his breadth of vision have grown until he sees bigger and bigger things that he wishes to do; and his ambition to accomplish is always a few leads ahead of his capital. The richest men in the world are usually the heaviest borrowers, because they are in a position to see the most to be done. Hence any man setting out to get rich might as well recognize at the beginning, that from the very nature of things, he can never hope to feel that he has enough.—Fred Kelly in The Nation's Business.

When Men Fought in Steel.

As a general statement it may be said that armor weighed from thirty pounds, for a suit of chain mail, and fifty for ordinary complete plate, to 100 or more for the heavy tournament equipment. The armor for the horse might weigh another hundred pounds. In spite of its weight, armor, when of good quality and worn (a most important point) over properly constructed, padded undergarments, was surprisingly mobile.



It is not lowly priced corsets that we refuse to sell, but unlabeled corsets that do not bear the hall-mark of quality.

We cater to those who desire and appreciate distinctive and correct dress, whether their incomes are large or small.

Our

GOSSARD *Front Lacing* CORSETS

carry no extra charge because of their beauty and superior quality. It seems wise to say this because the distinction that comes of careful selection often gives the impression of expensiveness. Nor is there any extra charge for our exceptional fitting service that assumes full responsibility for your complete satisfaction.



Announcement

Mr. Edsel B. Ford, President of the Ford Motor Company, makes the following announcement:

"We are making another reduction in the prices of Ford cars and the Ford truck, effective today. The new prices average \$70.00 under former prices, and are the lowest at which Ford cars and trucks have ever been sold. List prices, F. O. B. Detroit are now as follows:

	New Price	Old Price	Amount of Reduction
Chassis	\$295	\$345	\$50
Runabout	325	370	45
Touring Car	355	415	60
Truck	445	495	50
Coupe	595	695	100
Sedan	660	760	100

"This is the third price cut during the past twelve months. On September 22, 1920, the price of the Ford touring car was reduced from \$575 to \$440; June 7th to \$415, and now to \$355, making total reductions in this type of \$220, or 38 per cent. The same proportionate reductions have been made in all other types. One year ago the price of the Ford sedan was \$975; today it lists at \$660 with the same equipment.

"We are taking advantage of every known economy in the manufacture of our products in order that we may give them to the public at the lowest possible price, and by doing that, we feel that we are doing the one big thing that will help this country into more prosperous times. People are interested in prices, and are buying when prices are right.

"The production of Ford cars and trucks for August again broke all previous high records with the total reaching 117,696. This is the fourth consecutive month in which our output has gone over the hundred thousand mark, the total for the four months being 463,074, which has gone a long way in making possible the present reductions. June this year, with an output of 117,247 was the previous record month.

"One noteworthy feature of our sales is the increased demand for Ford trucks and cars for salesmen. This class of commercial business has been gradually increasing the past sixty days and we interpret it as a very good sign of improvement in general business.

"No reduction has been made in the price of the Fordson tractor, and none is contemplated."

Go over these new prices. See how little it costs to become the owner of a Ford car or a Ford truck. Can you really afford to do without one any longer?

Let us tell you more about it, and advise you regarding the delivery of the particular type of car in which you are interested.

G. A. TINDALE

Cass City