





**LOCAL HAPPENINGS**

G. H. Burk was a caller in Marlette Monday.

Wm. Miller was in Caro Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Dodge were in Marlette Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Jones called in Vassar Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Burke were in Saginaw Sunday.

Michael Downey of Caro was a caller in town Saturday.

Miss Mary McIntyre was a business caller in Bad Axe Monday.

George Girley of Caro as a business caller in town Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Burt motored to Saginaw Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh McBurney visited friends in Argyle Sunday.

A. D. McIntyre of Deford called at the Geo. McIntyre farm Sunday.

Eldon Bruce and Miss Lillie Ferguson called in Deford Monday evening.

Albert Law and Miss Irene Profit were callers in Caro Monday evening.

Miss Lenora Peddie left Sunday for Flint where she has obtained employment.

Alex Henry transacted business in Grand Rapids the latter part of last week.

Miss Jeanetta McCallum, who is a teacher in the Mt. Clemens schools, visited over the week-end at her home in Greenleaf.

William Hough and Miss Beatrice Krug of Ubyly were callers in town on Sunday.

The Misses Elsie Campbell and Hazel Hegler were in Deford Monday evening.

Mrs. J. D. Brooker and Mrs. G. H. Burke spent a few days in Saginaw this week.

Ivan Vader is making extensive improvements on his residence property on Pine St.

Russell Land of Flint spent Sunday at the home of his sister, Mrs. John Peddie, here.

Mrs. Wm. Yackle and three children of Sebewaing visited friends in town Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Sills and Mrs. Albert Price of Holbrook were in town on business Monday.

Miss Jennie McLellan of Detroit spent a few days last week at her home north of town.

Mrs. Neal McPhail and children, Alex and Cassie, visited at the Angus McPhail home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Zemke and children and Miss Bertha Zemke called on relatives in Caro Sunday.

Mrs. G. C. Hooper, who has been visiting in Detroit, returned home the latter part of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Gordon of Jackson, formerly of Cass City, are visiting friends in this vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Schiedel and family spent from Friday until Monday with friends in Lansing.

Mrs. A. H. Shier, who has been visiting relatives and friends in Stirling, Ontario, for past two weeks, returned to her home in Grant township on Thursday last.

**HILL BREEZES**

Reporters—Mary Holtz and Marie Garety.

**Kindergarten.**  
Gordon Stirton made a real, genuine bird house, which we are going to put out in the trees. It shows originality and we are very proud of Gordon's efforts. He removed two knots making two nice doorways for the birds. We're sure Mother Wren will smile when she sees this new home.

**First Grade.**  
Leah Sawden is a new pupil in our grade.

We expect to begin our new supplementary readers next Monday. When we have completed them, we will have read nine books this year.

**Second Grade.**  
We are memorizing "The Merry Brown Thrush."

In our spell-down Friday, Erma Wentworth spelled the room down.

**Third Grade.**  
One of our pupils, Thelma Kehoe, has moved into the country.

We are writing compositions on the different flowers this week.

**Fourth Grade.**  
Vera Rohrbach's group of spellers won the spell-down Friday afternoon.

Wednesday afternoon was a very happy time in our room. The occasion was a surprise party it being Mrs. Fleming's birthday.

We are enjoying "Ali Baba and the Forty Thieves" for our story hour.

**Fifth Grade.**  
We are reading about "Robin Hood and His Merry Men of England."

We have had some interesting Indian relics on exhibition in our room this week.

**Junior High.**  
The 7th grade received both the attendance and punctuality banners last month.

Victor Barnes was absent Monday because of illness.

The 7th grade physiology class is taking up first aid treatment.

Last Tuesday the eighth grade cleft grafted a King apple on a wild tree in the school yard.

The eighth grade are reviewing in arithmetic in preparation for the county examination, which will come next Thursday and Friday.

We had a fire drill Tuesday afternoon. Fire drills are getting to be in our daily curriculum.

The Cass City junior high base ball

team was defeated by Gagtown high school team Tuesday afternoon. The score was 13-5.

**High School.**  
The date for "A Prairie Rose" to be given under the auspices of the Camp Fire girls, is May 28th.

The members of the physics class were given a real "shock" Tuesday morning by the aid of the static machine.

Our base ball team played Akron on our home diamond last Friday, May 4. The score stood 12 to 3 in favor of C. C. H. S.

Be sure and see Silas in "A Prairie Rose" at the opera house May 28th.

Next Friday afternoon, May 18th, the athletic events for Cass City high school are: A track meet and a baseball game with Ubyly.

The final state declamatory and oratory contest is to be held this week Friday, somewhere in the state of Michigan. Miss Reynolds says that as yet we have received no notice of where the contest is to be held and she feels much like saying, "We don't know where we're going, but we're on our way." Maurice Dailey is our representative in declamation, having received first place in the Flint district contest.

The senior class is studying the presentation of plays.

It is reported that upon arising Wednesday morning Oakley P. remarked, "I feel like Rip Van Winkle. Guess I've slept all summer!"

**Music and Art.**  
Oh, oh, the wicked Weed King has come into our Kingdom and he knows where the Power Queen is, and unless we can find her in one day, he comes over us.

The Flowers are all so frightened but the Fairy Queen has hopes that when her messengers return they will bear hopeful news. But Johnny Jump-Up says, "Cheer up, it's never so dark that it couldn't be lighter."

We are doing free hand cutting of flowers in the grades this week.

In the high school art class we are beginning water color painting of spring flowers.

We hope to make several interesting posters for our operetta.

**Money Well Spent.**  
No money is better spent than what is laid out for domestic satisfaction. A man is pleased that his wife is dressed as well as other people, and the wife is pleased that she is so dressed.—Johnson.

**1 oz. or 1 ton?**

One ounce of Royal Baking Powder is worth a ton of cheaper baking powders when you consider the superiority in the quality, healthfulness and taste of food prepared with it.

**ROYAL Baking Powder**

Made from Cream of Tartar derived from grapes

Contains No Alum—Leaves No Bitter Taste

**Perverted Proverbs.**

Every gay dog has his day. All is not golden that's peroxidized. Alimony is the root of much evil. Heaven helps those who help others. He who hesitates is no self-starter. There's many a slip 'twixt the stock and the tip. The faster the pace the shorter the race. A chuckle a day keeps the blues away. A ring on the finger is worth ten on the telephone bell.—Boston Transcript.

**Troublesome Weed.**

Cheese, also called cheat, is a kind of bromo grass which is a troublesome weed in wheat fields, and is often erroneously regarded as degenerate or changed wheat. It bears a very slight resemblance to oats, and if reaped and ground up with wheat, so as to be used for food, it is said to produce narcotic effects.

**A Utility Shoulder.**

"There is some discussion," said the young wife, "of the most beautiful shoulder in the world. I'm not greatly interested in that, but the most useful shoulder in the world to me is the one I cry on."—Birmingham Age-Herald.

**If He Lives.**

Sexton (to tourist)—Yes, sir, you be right—it's a fine ole churchyard. I 'opes to be buried here—if I'm spared.—London Opinion.

**Pastime Theatre**

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

CHAS. RAY IN

**"GAS, OIL, WATER"**

One of Ray's funny ones. Also good comedy, "A Rambling Romeo."

TUESDAY AND WEDNESDAY, MAY 15 AND 16

ALICE CALHOUN IN

**"THE GIRL IN HIS ROOM"**

Also "Buffalo Bill" and a good sport review.

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY, MAY 18 AND 19

WESLEY BARRY IN

**"DINTY"**

A really worth-while show.

**DO YOU REMEMBER**

When you were a little tot, how eagerly you snatched the pennies that mother gave you. And with flying feet you scampered out for a bag of all-day suckers.

Do you remember how with shining eyes she watched your childish joys; how she skimmed and saved so you could have your candy?

What could be a more fitting remembrance now of her loving care than a big box of good chocolates? She will appreciate it.

MOTHERS' DAY, SUNDAY, MAY 13

BARNES & COPLAND



**SCREEN NOW**

OUTWIT flies and mosquitoes. Stop them—keep them out. Health and comfort demand that your house be properly screened. Don't wait until your house is infected with insects—make it fly-proof now. Protect with PEARL! Costs a trifle more at first but lasts longer, so costs much less in the end.

Specify "PEARL Wire Cloth". Its smooth metallic special process coating is a guarantee of beauty and long life. Insist on the genuine—two copper wires in the selvage and our round tag on every roll. Glad to show it.

DON'T WAIT—SCREEN NOW!

N. BIGELOW & SONS

**POPULAR MERCHANDISE MODERATELY PRICED**

This store is always on the lookout to get the best merchandise for the least money

**Summer Coats**

The time is at hand when you will have to discard your heavy winter coat and get something in lighter weight.

Why not come to Zemke's this week and pick out your summer wrap or coat, while the stock is at its best—no larger nor better selected stock has ever been shown by us—and as to prices, we positively can state that nowhere can you purchase a better coat for less money than in your own home town store at Zemke's.

Sizes from 16 to 59. Prices from \$6.50 to \$82.50



CREATED BY Conde

**Spring Suits**

IN A WIDE RANGE OF SIZES, STYLES AND PRICES

**Dresses and Dresses**

If you want to purchase a gingham, Alltyme crepe, ratine, or silk dress, where you can have a large and well selected stock to choose from, it behooves you to come to Zemke's store, for we never have shown a wider range of dresses than we are right now.

These dresses are well made, styled and priced very moderately.



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**HOSIERY**

LADIES', BOYS' AND MISSES' HOSE FROM 15c AND UP.

**Henderson Corsets**

Do not forget that we carry this well known brand. This corset is recognized by every well dressed lady, for its wonderful fit, style, service and comfort, which it renders.

**Dresses, Bloomers, Rompers and Wash Suits for the Little Folks**

Boys' wash suits from \$1.25 and up. Boys' and girls' rompers from 50c up. Little girls' dresses from 75c and up. Boys' light and dark colored waists.

**Bargain Rack**

Our last week's bargain rack and table were a great success, so we have added some new articles of even greater bargains than last week.

Ladies' summer coats not this season's make at \$3.98 and \$5.98—these are bargains that should be considered by every one who does not care to put a lot of money into a summer coat.



**Cotton and Silk Underwear**

We have just received a large shipment of silk and cotton night gowns, kimonos, bloomers, petticoats, bath robes.

**Piece Goods Dept.**

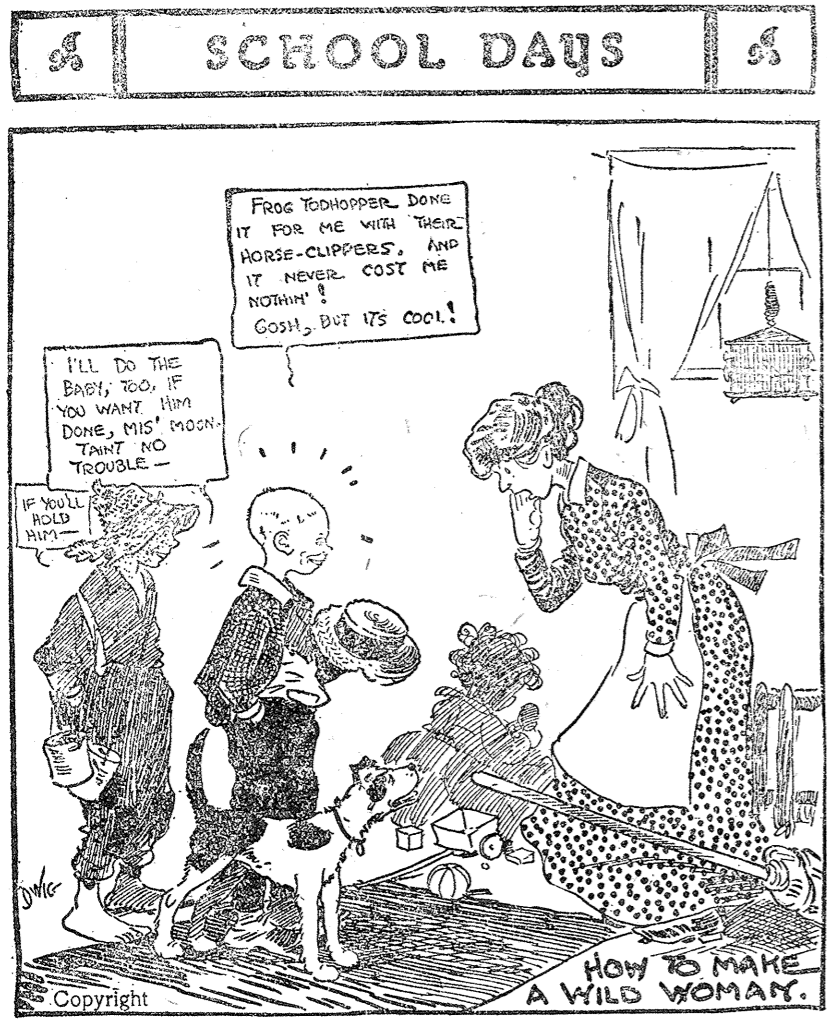
New ginghams for dress-up affairs as well as for the ordinary house dress.

New curtains and curtain materials for the spring decorating.

Ratines, crepes and voiles for the inexpensive wash dresses.

Silk crepes, satins, taffetas, printed georgettes and fancy skirt materials, for ordinary dress-up and party gowns.

ZEMKE BROTHERS



**LOCAL NEWS**

Mrs. Fern Campfield was in Caro Saturday evening.

Wellington Law was a caller in Caro Wednesday evening.

Miss Myrtle Orr of Pigeon visited friends in town Sunday.

Dr. I. D. McCoy was in Caro Monday morning on business.

Dr. C. W. Clark of Caro was a business caller in town Tuesday evening.

Angus McPhail, who was ill the latter part of last week, has recovered.

Mrs. Reuben DeLong spent the early part of the week in Caro with friends.

Miss Helen Turner spent Saturday and Sunday with relatives in Elmwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Clare Atkinson of Marlette visited Mr. and Mrs. Roy Bricker Sunday.

Harry Young is improving his residence recently occupied by Wm. S. Dodge on Oak street.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Orr and children of Pigeon visited at the W. D. Striffler home Sunday.

Hugh Spence and family of Saginaw spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James J. Spence.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Tindale and daughter, Harriett, spent a few days in Detroit last week on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Turner and daughter, Helen, called on Mrs. Elizabeth Turner in Caro Sunday.

Miss Nancy McArthur of Flint spent Saturday and Sunday with her sister, Miss Margaret McArthur.

Miss Kathryn Cridland spent Sunday at her home here. Miss Cridland is attending the Mt. Pleasant normal school.

Mrs. W. A. Lamb returned home from the hospital Thursday, where she has been taking medical treatments.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Croft and Miss Irene Croft of Bad Axe were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Croft Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Greer, Mrs. Charlotte Hargrave and Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Deon from near Elmwood called at the home of Miss Zella Compton Monday.

Andrew Champion and the Misses Reba Balkwell and Bernice Hitchcock attended the American Legion ball at Caro Wednesday of last week.

Mrs. Caroline Fenn-Bigelow and daughter, Elynore, and the Misses Zella Compton and Hester Cathcart were in Caro on business Saturday.

W. A. Lamb left for Port Huron Tuesday returning Wednesday. Mrs. Lamb's sister, who resides in Pt. Huron, returned with him to spend a few weeks.

The sudden snow storm Wednesday caused much blocking of traffic, all garages being exceptionally busy gathering in unfortunate cars that "got stuck."

Carl Zinnecker, who resides south of town, had the misfortune of breaking his arm Wednesday when trying to crank an obstinate Ford.

Mrs. Ira W. Cargo was in Deford one day last week where she spoke to the missionary society of the Deford M. E. church and organized a Standard Bearers society for high school girls.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Landon were in Deckerville Thursday evening where they attended a wedding reception given in honor of their nephew, Hugh Rich, who was recently married to Miss Gertrude Moshier.

Adrian Bixby, Hilton Warner and Harding Ferguson and the Misses Marguerite McTavish, Velma Warner and Elsie Campbell were callers in Caro Wednesday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Bricker, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. McIntyre, Eugene Schwadener and Miss Isabel McIntyre attended the American Legion ball at Caro Wednesday evening last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Greer have moved recently to Northville where they will reside. Mrs. Charlotte Hargrave accompanied them and will remain with them for some time.

E. W. Kercher is completing extensive improvements on his new home recently purchased from the F. J. Nash, sr. estate. The residence is situated on East Houghton street.

Last Sunday began a series of exceptional services at the M. E. church. This month is called "Go-to-Church Month" and special programs are being planned. For the next two Sunday evenings, illustrated sermons will be given.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Whale of Detroit spent the week-end in town. Mr. Whale's mother, Mrs. Isabel Whale, returned with them where she expects to spend a week and go on to Canada for another visit with relatives there.

Rev. F. A. Jones, chairman of the board of trustees of the Chandler Home at Almont, a Mennonite children's and old people's home, shipped on Saturday from Cass City a carload of cattle, Herefords and Shorthorns, to stock the farm connected with the institution.

The regular monthly meeting of the Lambda Sigma Society was held at the high school Monday evening. After the business meeting the girls studied the life and works of Booth Tarkington, whom they found to be a very interesting author. After the literary discussion, everyone enjoyed the eats.

Dr. and Mrs. I. D. McCoy and little daughters, Martha and Mary Lou were callers in Bad Axe Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. John A. Sandham and daughter, Pauline, returned Friday from a business trip to Detroit.

Mrs. C. W. Clark and son, Carroll, and daughter, Emily, of Caro visited relatives in Cass City Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Cathcart, Mrs. Edward Pinney and Miss Alvina Lang visited friends in Caro Sunday.

Mrs. Paul Hague of Oxford is spending a few days this week at the home of her father, George Finkle.

Fred Neville and S. H. Brown left for Ferndale Saturday where they expect to remain for an indefinite period.

Mrs. Annie J. Sandham and little granddaughters, Deloris and Johanna Sandham, visited friends in Hay Creek Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Atwell and son, Stuart, and Mr. and Mrs. P. S. Rice were callers in Bad Axe Sunday afternoon.

Blake Gillies and family of Detroit arrived Saturday to spend a day or two with Mr. Gillies' parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Gillies.

Mrs. Harry Annis of Detroit, formerly Miss Cora Seeger of Cass City, is visiting at the home of her father, M. Seeger, this week.

**Sell Your Cream**

**TO THE FARM BUREAU STATION**

**HIGHEST MARKET PRICE PAID**

**AT**

**J. H. Holcomb's**

Bring in your butter and eggs

**KIDDIES SIX**  
By Will M. Maupin

SONGS O' CHEER

WHAT'S the use o' weepin'?  
Better days are comin' soon.  
Don't be cryin', but be tryin'.  
For t' lilt a merry tune.

What's th' use o' moanin'?  
If th' day is dark an' drear?  
Clouds don't matter—they will scatter.  
If you sing a song o' cheer.

What's th' use o' grumblin'?  
If your plans go all awry?  
Keep on smilin' all th' while on.  
You will git there by an' by.

What's th' use o' kickin'?  
At your tough, untimely fate?  
On tomorrow shove your sorrow  
An' keep hustlin' while you wait.

What's th' use o' cryin'?  
'Cause all days ain't days o' June?  
Prick the bubble you call trouble  
An' strike up a merry tune.  
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**THE ROMANCE OF WORDS**  
"SLAVE"

IT BY no means infrequently occurs that national names become the type of particular qualities, characteristics or dispositions, as is well evidenced in the adjective "frank," derived directly, and without the alteration of a single letter, from the tribe name of the Franks, famous for their free open life, and their continual resistance to oppression of all kinds.

In much the same way we obtain the word "slave," the opposite of the Frank, or free-man. Gibbon, in his "Decline and Fall," has a passage which throws much light on this: "The unquestionable evidence of language attests the descent of the Bulgarians from the original stock of the Slavonic or Slav race. The kindred tribes of Serbians, Bisneans, Kasivians, Croatsians, Wallachians and others followed either the standard or the example of the leading tribe. From the Euxine to the Adriatic, in the state of captives or subjects or allies or enemies, in the Greek empire, they overspread the land and the national appellation of 'slaves' has been degraded by chance or malice from the signification of glory to that of servitude."

A mere chance, mishap in war, is therefore responsible for "slave," and those old Slavic tribes, subdued, stolen and sold, have immortalized their names and concentrated their record within the confines of a single five-lettered word.

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**Common Error.**  
It is incorrect to say "apropos of" such and such a thing. The "of" is unnecessary, since aptopos means, broadly, "in reference to." And you wouldn't say "in reference to of your letter."

**Importance of Health.**  
No great success was ever won without bounding vitality that comes from good health.

**McHUGH.**

Mrs. Peter Beacon of Richfield and Mr. and Mrs. Carson Dorham of Detroit were guests at the Israel Hall home Saturday and Sunday. Mr. Beacon is a sister of Mr. Hall.

**CASS CITY MARKETS.**  
Cass City, Mich., May 10, 1923.

Buying Price—	
Mixed wheat, bu.	1.18
Oats, bu.	.43
Rye, bu.	.70
Buckwheat, cwt.	1.50
Corn, shelled, bu. (56 lbs.)	.90
Barley	1.25
Peas, bu.	1.75
Beans, cwt.	6.25
Baled hay, ton	7.00 9.00
Eggs, dozen	.23
Butter, lb.	.35
Cattle	4 6
Calves, live weight	6 8
Hogs, live wt., per lb.	7 1/2
Hens	20 22
Stags	18
Ducks	.23
Geese	.12
Turkeys	20 30
Capons	19 30
Rabbits	10 10
Hides	10 8

**40% Diamond Gluten Meal**

Feed a mixture that includes the highly digestible 40 per cent Protein Diamond Gluten Meal and the highest production at lowest cost will be obtained while the health of your cows will be safeguarded.

We recommend:

- 300 lbs. Diamond Gluten Meal
- 400 lbs. ground oats
- 200 lbs. ground barley
- 100 lbs. ground corn

**KEEP THE COWS PRODUCING THE LARGEST MILK FLOW POSSIBLE**

**Farm Produce Co.**

Make your wants known through a Chronicle liner. Quick returns at small cost.

**Mother's Cook Book**

For palates that must have inventions to delight their taste.

**THESE ARE GOOD**

SUCH vegetables as the delicate pea are best served in the liquor in which they were cooked.

**Deviled Herring.**  
Take two cupfuls of smoked boneless herring, half cupful of diced celery, one-fourth of a teaspoonful of mustard, two tablespoonfuls of minced green peppers, one-fourth of a teaspoonful of curry, one tablespoonful of minced onion, a fourth of a teaspoonful of Worcestershire sauce, two tablespoonfuls of butter, three tablespoonfuls of flour, two cupfuls of tomato juice and one cupful of buttered crumbs. Cut the herring into dice and let stand in a warm water for forty-five minutes. Melt the butter; fry the celery, onion and pepper until softened. Add the fish, flour and seasonings, mix well and add to the tomato gradually. Let boil. Turn into buttered ramekins, cover with crumbs and bake until brown.

**Bulgarian Dressing.**  
Take three-fourths of a cupful of mayonnaise dressing, add one-half cupful of chili sauce, one teaspoonful of walnut catsup, one teaspoonful of Worcestershire sauce, one teaspoonful of vinegar, one-half teaspoonful each of salt and paprika and one tablespoonful each of chopped red and green pepper. Mix well and chill before serving.

*Nellie Maxwell*  
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**WHY?**  
IS THE SPILLING OF SALT UNLUCKY

THE superstition connected with the spilling of salt during a meal has had the same origin as that concerning 13 people at a table—the Last Supper. But, unlike the latter belief, there is no foundation for it in history. None of the accounts of the Last Supper records any spilling of the salt by Judas and it is doubtful whether Leonardo da Vinci, in his famous fresco of Christ and His apostles, intended to attach any significance to the overturned saltcellar beyond indicating nervousness on the part of Judas. Da Vinci's painting having been accepted as an historic replica of the Supper, it is only natural that the incident of the overturned salt should have been implanted in the public's mind as an integral part of the meal and that it should have been connected with Judas and his subsequent ill fortune.

The custom of throwing salt over the left shoulder in order to dissipate any evil influence has an origin which antedates Da Vinci by many hundreds of years. The pagan Romans considered that salt was sacred to the Penates, the household gods, and that to spill it during a meal would incur the wrath of these gods—not upon the spiller, but upon the person toward whom it was spilled. Casting a pinch of salt over the left shoulder—the shoulder of evil—was therefore an act of politeness, for it was supposed to lift the curse from the person to ward whom the salt fell and to fasten it upon the spiller himself. It was doubtless this ancient Latin belief which caused Leonardo da Vinci to include the overturned salt in his painting of the Last Supper.

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**Use Oil in Steam Tractor.**  
A steam-driven tractor of the end less trend type has been developed in which oil is the fuel used for its two engines mounted on opposite sides.

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**Miss Edith B. Stone Is Coming**

**While in Cass City she will call on several ladies by appointment**

Have you heard your friends say, when speaking of the popularity of some other woman, "What is there about her that attracts people to her so quickly?"

Let us answer this question for you. That woman, whose presence is felt at any gathering, knows first of all how to safeguard the clear skin and healthy complexion that Nature has endowed her with; she realizes that

**To Neglect the Skin is to Forfeit Its Attractiveness**

She also has the good sense to know that to get the best results she must follow the advice of someone who has successfully specialized in the beautifying of complexions, just as you seek the services of a specialist in time of sickness.

**That's What Miss Stone Is—A Toilet/Goods Specialist Who Has Succeeded in Her Profession.**

That's why we contracted for a week of her services for the women of Cass City.

**Miss Stone Will Give You a Personal Demonstration of Jonteel Toilet Requisites in Your Own Home Free of Charge**

**During the Week of May 14**

She will show you by actual massage how you can get the best results. If you are interested in your skin—and you should be—Miss Stone will be glad to show you how you can retain or restore its original attractiveness.

Understand her massage and advice on skin treatment costs you nothing whatsoever. Let us know when she may call upon you, and we will be glad to make the necessary arrangements.

**Miss Stone's Services are Also Free to Women's Clubs—Just Phone Us**

**Wood's Rexall Drug Store**

**Rexall**

CHURCH NOTES.

Methodist Episcopal Church, Ira W. Cargo, pastor. Sunday, May 13, Mothers' Day. Class meeting 10:00, morning worship 10:30 with sermon "Our Mother," Sunday school 12:00, with special Mothers' Day program. League meeting 6:30. Evening service 7:30 with sermon illustrated with colored stereopticon pictures "The Children of the World." You are most cordially invited to attend these services of the church.

Presbyterian—Mothers' Day observances at both services. Pastor will bring helpful messages.

Sabbath school at close of service. Classes for all ages.

Evening at 7:30. Special music by young people's chorus. Good congregational singing.

WILLIAM W. EDWARDS, Pastor.

Baptist—10:30 morning service; subject, Mothers' Day sermon. Help mother to get out to the service. 12 m, Bible school. B. Y. P. U. 7:30, evening service. Subject, "A picture of a True Home."

To all these services you are heartily invited.

A. G. NEWBERRY, Pastor.

Deford Church Notes.

The box social given under the auspices of the Upstreamers class was not very largely attended but the proceeds speak of its success, as the report is \$13.90 we are very thankful. Our piano is almost paid for and we are anxious to help in all the Christian activities we can.

Our church is being reshingled and soon it will be decorated. We are pleased with the interest that is being shown.

Mrs. John C. Agar, who has been spending some time at the home of Isaac Agar, went to Owendale Sunday to visit her son, J. Agar. She is in very poor health.

Isaac Agar received word the first of the week of the serious illness of his brother, George, of Pontiac.

McCONNELL SCHOOL NOTES.

Examination time is drawing near. The eighth grade are reviewing arithmetic, agriculture and U. S. government.

Alice Ballagh was absent the first of the week.

Our visitors were Eleanor Jones and Mae Harrison.

Orpha Cooley is our new pupil. Teacher (in 5th grade geography class)—"What is ivory used for?" Pupil—"To make soap."

Mr. Holmes and Mr. Campbell visited the school Wednesday and gave the seventh and eighth grades a very interesting talk concerning the pig club and encouraging the eighth graders to attend high school.

The fourth grade are studying "Pocahontas" for reading. We celebrated Arbor Day by cleaning the lawn and the interior of the school building.

Lila Loomis was absent from school Friday.

Exide BATTERIES

At an age when many batteries are in the scrap-heap, an Exide will be giving you vigorous service.

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WHY

Light Has So Much Effect on the Atmosphere

It is of much interest to those engaged in sign lighting and signaling to know that lights of different colors show varying degrees of ability to penetrate atmosphere. Some calculations based on experiments give the following results for the minimum intensity visible in a clear atmosphere at a range of two miles. In these calculations light sources of equal area are assumed:

- Red ..... 2.37 candlepower
Green ..... 1.30 candlepower
White ..... 1.71 candlepower

The range of visibility of any light source depends, of course, upon the intensity of the source. However, it must not be supposed that by doubling the intensity the range will be doubled. The relation between range and intensity varies for different colors.

The great absorption of light in an atmosphere laden with water vapor is a well-known fact. A foreign government found that are lights of 1,000,000 candlepower which were installed in a lighthouse had less ability to penetrate a fog than a 10,000 candlepower oil lamp. This indicates that electric incandescent lamps, having more red rays, would be superior to arc lamps for use in lighthouses.

Dust and smoke unquestionably interfere more with the transmission of blue or green light than with red light. Therefore, when viewed through atmosphere all lights would appear to become redder. On weighing the evidence, it seems that reddish illuminants should have greater penetrative power than bluish lights and where details are to be distinguished at a distance the red light is more readily focussed than light of any other color.

PLAN TO EXTERMINATE PESTS

Why the Department of Agriculture Is Promoting Civil War in the Insect World.

Civil war in the insect world is to be further promoted by the United States Department of Agriculture in its fight on the gypsy moth, the insect pest which has caused such great damage to trees and other vegetation in New England and neighboring states. S. S. Crossman and Ray T. Webber of the bureau of entomology have sailed for Europe to recruit reinforcements for the army of insect enemies of the moth.

In its ancestral European home the gypsy moth was afflicted with hereditary enemies which served to control its numbers. When it was introduced into this country its enemies stayed behind, with the result that the invader had things all its own way for years. Then the Department of Agriculture imported some of these enemies, which are parasites preying upon the eggs and caterpillars. These were shown to have an appreciable effect in keeping down the numbers of their enemies, and now the department is sending abroad for reinforcements and also to investigate the possible existence of other similar enemies of the pest of the northeastern states.

Why Moon Affects Earth. Observations now being carried out on the structure of the Tower of London by the staff of the National Physical laboratory, show that the building moves upwards and downwards in unison with the tides by a fraction of an inch, each day. This is a reminder that not only the sea, but the solid earth, responds to the pull of the moon. A series of elaborate measurements carried out with special apparatus have enabled the amount of this earth movement to be measured. Twice every day the earth moves upward by two-thirds of a foot and twice downward the same distance. Some big buildings, too, are very sensitive to changes of temperature. The Eiffel tower varies with every change of temperature, a passing cloud causing it to decrease by as much as two centimetres, and the measured difference in its altitude on one day has amounted to nearly three inches.

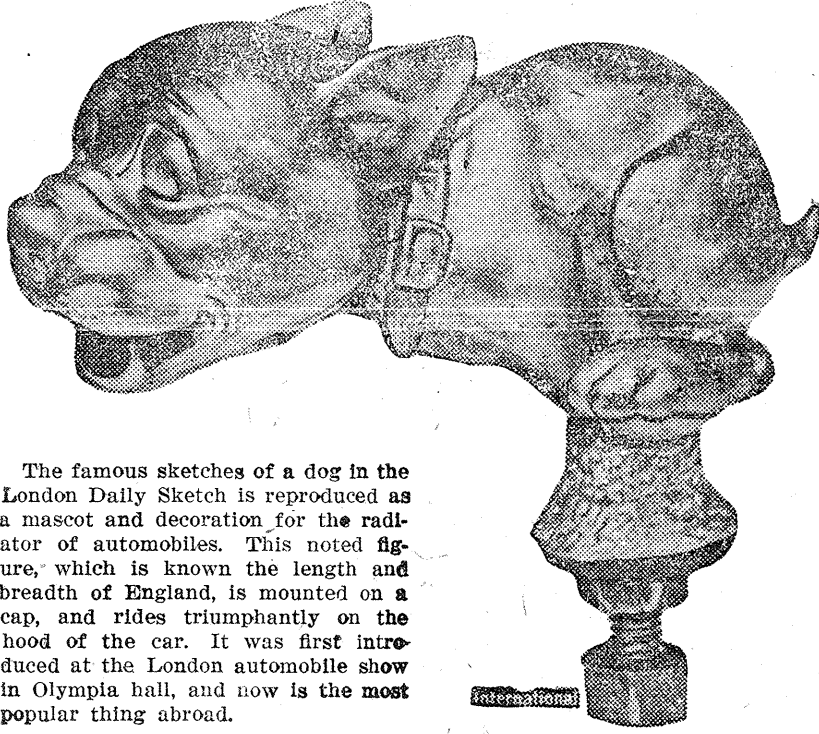
Why Helium Cannot Be Used. Official statements in connection with the bureau of mines reinforce the view that helium gas is beyond reach for the inflation of noninflammable passenger airships. Four years' work by several official plants in the United States has produced 2,400,000 cubic feet of gas, which is the amount required (including reserve supply) for one big airship. The cost remains prohibitive, for the lowest figure hoped for it in the near future is 10 cents per cubic foot, and the hazy expectation that ultimately the cost will be reduced to 2 or 3 cents per cubic foot does not alter the facts.—Scientific American.

Why the Kettle Sings. It is the pressure of gas coming out of the kettle that makes it sing. When the water boils vapor forces its way out of the spout. The kettle trembles, sending vibrations that make your ear tremble.

When you speak or sing you nearly close your throat. Air from your lungs is squeezed through a small opening. The pressure of air sets the vocal cords trembling. Thus the song of the teakettle and the voice are the result of similar causes.

Why the Wind Blows. Wind is air in rapid motion, caused by changes in pressure. When air becomes heated it is displaced by cooler air, and these currents at different temperatures leave "pockets" of space into which air rushes.

MASCOT FOR ENGLISH AUTOMOBILES



VARNISH HARMED IN WASHING CAR

Improper Methods Are Sometimes Worse for the Finish Than None at All.

TEMPERATURE OF WATER

Cleaning Solutions Containing Ammonia or Any Kind of Lye Soap Should Be Avoided—Loosen Mud and Dirt Gently.

The purchaser of a motorcar, proud of its resplendent luster, is prone to make many commendable resolutions pertaining to its frequent washing and cleaning and then actually do more harm than good in the zeal with which these operations are carried out.

If one could watch the minute care with which the final surface is built up at the factory, where coat after coat of expensive material is deftly applied and carefully rubbed, the car owner would be more specific when he gives instructions to have the car washed.

Do Not Use Brush. He would make sure that the water is no warmer than 60 degrees, for no varnish will withstand sudden application of hot water. No matter how much mud or dirt is on the car, it should not be scrubbed off with a brush. Cleaning solutions should be avoided, especially if they contain ammonia or any kind of lye soap.

The integrity of the varnish is impaired by every scratch it receives. Because these scratches often are so small that they are not apparent to the eye does not lessen their danger to the finish. Examine a car with the aid of an enlarging glass after it has received a thoughtless "rush" washing and the apparent glasslike surface is found to be actually broken up into countless cuts and scratches. The process need be continued only a comparatively few times when these scratches will be worn through the coats of finishing varnish, allowing moisture to seep into the undercoats, and the finish will begin to check, crawl and disintegrate.

Right Water Pressure. When running water is used the pressure should be just sufficient to keep the water moving six inches from the open hose. Then the mud and dirt should be gently loosened with a soft, clean cloth or sponge. If soap must be used, it should be pure castile. When the car is clean it should be showered with cool but not cold water, especially if warm water has been used at the beginning of the work or if the car is to be run out into cold weather. It is advisable to wash one section at a time, drying with a good chamois. In using the chamois the motion should be in straight lines rather than circular. The chamois should be kept clean throughout the operation, washing it out frequently with soap and water and rinsing thoroughly with clean water. Do not rub a varnished surface after it is dry.

Every time the car comes in after a muddy trip it should be washed before the mud has a chance to set or harden.

PLAN TO CLEAN UPOLSTERY Many Automobile Owners Make Mistake by Using Gasoline—Plain Water Is Favored.

Many automobile owners make the mistake of trying to clean leather upholstery with gasoline. This method cracks the leather and destroys the good appearance of most leather. Just plain water, mixed with a little ammonia, is recommended by those who have had experience in cleaning upholstery. After this has dried, the leather should be rubbed with a soft cloth in order to get a polish. Service stations will recommend good prepared leather dressings.

RAIN WATER FAVORED FOR AUTO RADIATORS

Its Use Is Recommended as Less Scale Results.

Driver Should Remember That Proper Supply Is Just as Important as Supply of Gasoline and Oil—Keep Close Watch.

There is always a day of reckoning for those who neglect details in the care of their car, and that day is likely to come when you least expect or desire it. What you think you have saved by neglect will be spent in expensive roadside repairs. Attending to details is thrice cheaper, and, what is more, relieves future worries.

And one detail of your car which you should watch carefully is your radiator. Trouble is sure to come unless it is kept full at all times. Form the habit of inspecting and refilling the radiator before the car is taken from the garage. When on long tours, especially if you have been doing considerable hill climbing, keep a weather eye peeled toward the water supply.

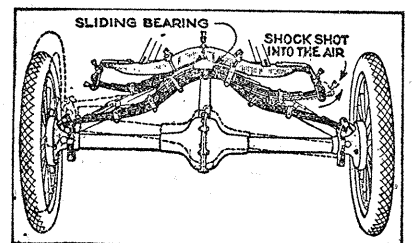
Remember that the proper amount of water is as important as your supply of gasoline and oil. It is not a bad plan to examine the water supply every time you stop for gasoline or oil. Use clear water, and if rain water is obtainable employ it, as less scale and deposit will result.

The cellular openings always should be kept clean. Keep mud from remaining in them, as it cuts down radiation and prevents proper cooling. You should occasionally flush the entire circulating system. This may be done by disconnecting both the upper and lower hose connections and allowing fresh water to enter the filler neck and flow down through the radiator and out the lower hose. The motor water jackets can be flushed out in the same way.

ADAPT REAR-SPRING SYSTEM

Said to Act in Capacity of Shock Absorber in Lessening Effects of Hard Joits.

A new rear-spring system for light-weight cars is said to act in the capacity of a shock absorber or snubber in lessening the effects of a jolt when one of the rear wheels drops into a depression or strikes an obstruction, as well as to serve the primary function of the usual spring which it replaces. It consists of two separate cantilever springs, the ends of each being attached to the rear axle and frame in such a way that they cross



Illustrating Action of New Rear-Spring System When Left Wheel of Car Strikes an Obstruction, Shock Being Deflected to Right.

at the center of the rear cross member of the frame, which they support at that point by means of a sliding bearing.—Popular Mechanics Magazine.

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An emergency cotter pin can be made from a common hairpin by a few twists of the pliers.

It is not advisable to use a nonskid tire on one rear wheel and a plain tread on the other.

It is necessary to have a rather light-bodied, free-flowing oil when the splash type of lubrication system is used.

Don't turn the hose on your car in order to wash it. Water, forced out in this way, gets into impossible-to-reach places and doesn't improve the car.

French Law for Baby's Food.

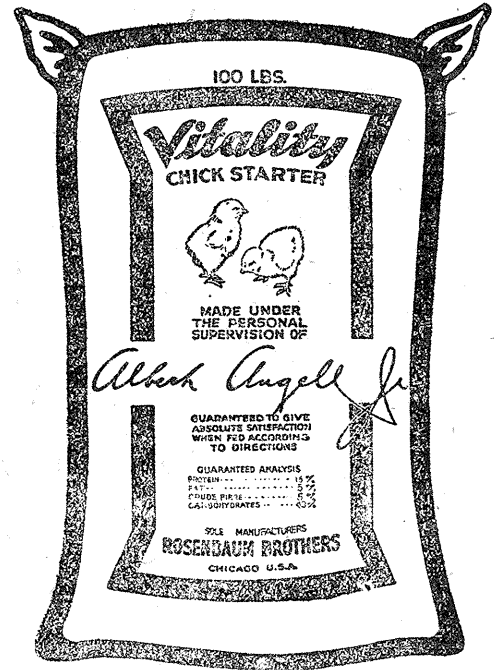
In France it is a penal offense to give any kind of solid food to a baby under a year old unless it is prescribed in writing by a regularly qualified medical practitioner.

Mistaken Zeal.

Zeal ever follows an appearance of truth, and the assured are too apt to be warm; but it is their weak side in argument, zeal being better shown against sin than against persons or their mistakes.—William Penn.

Superior to Any Modern Stadium. The Circus Maximus in old Rome was capable of containing 260,000 people.

America's Greatest Industry. One out of every seven wage earners in the United States earns his livelihood from the automobile industry.



VITALITY CHICK STARTER Contains: Buttermilk, Oatmeal, Bone Meal, Wheat Middlings and Corn Feed Meal.

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M & B Ice Cream

Pure and wholesome and served with fresh fruit juices.

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Ice cream at wholesale and retail.



KRYPTOK GLASSES advertisement featuring two women's faces and text describing bifocal lenses.

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## DEFORD NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hebler of Akron were visitors at Merchant Pattison's Sunday.

R. D. Lewis and family were callers at Novesta cemetery on Sunday. Samuel Sherk was a business caller at Caro last Friday.

Mrs. Lillian Wolvin of Pontiac was here to see her sister, Mrs. Chas. Kilgore, who is ill and at present in Cass City hospital.

Mary Parks is spending a week with her daughter, Mrs. Ray Frapkin.

Ed. Hartwick and family of Royal Oak spent Sunday here with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Sherk spent Sunday at Fred Lester's, southwest of town.

Mr. Johnson, Miss Pauline Day, Mrs. H. Malcolm and Mrs. Hubbard attended church at New Greenleaf on Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. E. R. Bruce and Mrs. A. L. Bruce were callers at Cass City hospital last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Bruce.

Rev. Arthur Thompson of Lennon visited at the Walter Kelley home on Tuesday of past week.

Mrs. E. R. Bruce was in Cass City Thursday of past week.

The Loyal Daughters have received their new class banners of which they are very proud.

The missionary meeting was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Malcolm last Friday. Mrs. Cargo of Cass City gave an address, after light refreshments were served.

The members of the Loyal Daughters class met Tuesday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Malcolm. It was a farewell party in honor of Mrs. Amelia Passovich, a member of the class who is going to Detroit. They presented her with an ivory comb and tray. Light refreshments were served.

Mrs. H. D. Malcolm and daughter, Althea, called at Cass City hospital last Thursday.

Mrs. E. R. Bruce is not in good health at present.

We learn Benj. Hicks will raise a barn this week.

'Tis expected Amos Webster will add another home to our burg this season.

Oats will all be sown in the locality this week—"Better late than never."

A new repairer at the garage. He takes well.

M. Quick, who has been in hospital for past month, is out again.

Bert Curtis was home from Owosso last part of the week. Went back on Monday.

Lecture in interest of the farmer Thursday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Patterson were at Dayton township on the 2nd attending funeral of Mr. Patterson's stepfather. Burial was at West Dayton cemetery.

Looks now as if the church will be reshingled.

Frank Hegler has kindred visiting him in the person of an uncle. Did not learn from what part of the terrestrial ball he came.

New chimney on Ben Gage's house.

Late in the season, but pancakes for breakfast we have yet, and will continue to be our diet 'till the wind ceases to blow from the north.

Looks fair now for a building in our burg this season. We have the needs, the ambition and the silver.

Bread has gone up one cent on a loaf in our town.

We were sorry to learn of the accident that befell Dennis Maul, southeast of Wilmot. Struck by a passing car. 'Tis said his shoulder was broken. Dennis is about 65 years old and a broken bone does not recuperate as if younger.

Business seems to be lively at the garage.

We notice that Peter Bell is lame with rheumatism.

Repairs are being made at home of our railroad agent.

Eve is the only woman who was not pestered with advice by sister women how to keep house.

The denizens of north of Ireland believed that the more stony the land the more robust the inhabitants. Here we are taught the more green timber the more rugged the people. Such are our views, and we read "As a man thinketh so he is."

Elisha Randall's broken arm is so far recovered that he takes part in most all kinds of work.

Since Neil Kennedy has had his new car he covered more miles in the interest of his bridge company than to navigate the globe.

William Cooper seems to improve in health.

Clarence Chadwick will complete a rock well for Miss May Bruce today or tomorrow, 7th or 8th.

It is the custom in north of England for young people to dance on the green May first day. If the custom prevailed here, many would search in vain for the green this season.

Mrs. Warner is remodeling her house.

Mrs. Parks of North street is at home for the summer. She has of late visited for a time with her sons at Redford, suburb of Detroit.

Gardening in full blast now. The Stafford boys of Cass City, fa-

ther and son, who built our gravel road here last season, will put the gravel on five miles east of Bay City this year. The people of this line have nothing but good words for the boys as road builders.

Mrs. Don Nutt is still caring for Mrs. Crawford, who is very low at this writing, not recognizing old acquaintances.

A farmer informs us that he built a barn thirty years ago. Now it requires reshingling and will take as much cash to cover the structure with shingles as it cost to build it complete at that time. Verily, this isn't the world we were in a generation ago.

This common phrase of today when people meet, "How are you coming" is out of place when addressing the aged sinner of 60 years or more. He is going—going down the western slope. He may not realize the fact, but he is surely going.

South Novesta Farmers' Club changed date of meeting for May, without giving its reason in the Chronicle item. Scared many and filled the air with interrogation points.

Mr. and Mrs. William Courliss have fully moved to Cass City.

Peter Bell has his cellar wall plastered.

By time this is before the readers Geo. Spencer will have his sugar beets in soil. George has the land where the beets flourish. 'Tis alluvial soil at what was once the west end of Novesta's "Lost Channel." George informs us that he can closely estimate his tons per acre, so many rows to the acre and so many beets to the row—estimating three pounds for a beet on average. We understand some beet raisers will roll the tobacco over to the other cheek and grin, but the boy has the soil. On said alluvial ground he has raised a special beet that tipped the beam at 18 lbs. We are not winding—we mean a sugar beet and repeat it 18 lbs. Come next autumn and see the crop of rootlets. You who in the long ago made sport of "Lost Channel" lands, come and see the crop; come prepared to have your eyes bulge out with wonder.

### Obituary.

Mrs. Benjamin Sharp, aged 58 years two months and 19 days, died at her home in Deford April 27, 1923. Annie Bell Eliza Schenk was born near Almont, Lapeer county, Mich., Feb. 18, 1865, where she spent childhood days and years of young womanhood. Dec. 27, 1889, she was united in marriage with Benjamin Sharp of Kingston township, Tuscola county, and came to a new farm on section three of said township, where she lived 'till 1914, when the family moved to the village of Deford where she has since resided. Deceased was not of strong

physical structure and her last years must be classed as feeble. She leaves a husband, Benjamin Sharp, and a daughter, Mrs. Gail Sharp-Zemke, of this place and brother, William Schenk of Almont, by consanguinity. Of kindred next in place who attended the funeral are A. D. Schenk of Almont, William Glover, wife and daughter of Almont, Hattie Schenk of Almont, Mrs. Wm. Wilson of Bad Axe, Mrs. Gayfield of Rochester, Mrs. Omer Bliss of Richmond, Mrs. Fritch of Imlay City. Of kindred more remote there were present Hiram Willis and wife and family, Mrs. Yakes and daughter, all of Cass City, Mathew Rumble and wife of Decker-ville, Benj. Willis, wife and children of Decker-ville, Vern Kye of Memphis, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Mathews and two daughters, Mrs. Guy Mathews, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Mathews and Harold Mathews, all of Detroit, Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Cole and son of Pontiac, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Kielitz of Ellington, Mrs. Jane Stephon of Flint and Mrs. William Wood of Kingston township, Mrs. Geo. Christie and son of McGregor, Mrs. Belle Van Dusen of Memphis. Friends from abroad not kindred were William Wood of Kingston, Jacob Hilderbrand

of Yale. The funeral was held at M. E. church April 29, and largely attended. Elder Hubbard officiated and remains were buried in Novesta cemetery. Pallbearers were six old neighbors whom deceased had known since moving to this locality 23 years ago, which strengthens the proverb, "Old friends should never be forgot."

### Horrible Example.

The Woman always enjoyed the auto trip better when her friend's seven-year-old nephew sat at her side. While mother marketed one day the lad saw a dwarf, a man whose body was perfectly developed, but placed on grotesquely short legs that gave him the stature of a young child. The boy observed him solemnly for a minute and then said: "Gracious, how many cigarettes he must have smoked when he was a little boy."—Chicago Journal.

### "Home, Sweet Home."

John Payne, the author of "Home, Sweet Home," wrote: "How often have I been in the heart of Paris, Berlin or London and heard persons singing 'Home, Sweet Home,' when I had not enough to buy a meal."

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