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SUPERVISORS TURN DOWN BOVINE TEST

RESOLUTION FOR APPROPRIATION FOR CATTLE TB TEST DEFEATED BY 12-11 VOTE.

Board Increases Mileage Allowance to County Officers from Six to Eight Cents.

The resolution for an appropriation for testing cattle for tuberculosis was defeated by the Tuscola county board of supervisors at their June session last week by a 12 to 11 vote. Supervisors Hoover, Reavey, Morrison, Benkelman, Hutchinson, Perry, Kirk, Noble, Whitlock, Robertson and Wilsey voted in favor of the resolution while Supervisors Tinglan, Dillon, Mueller, Frenzel, Higgins, Osburn, Blauvelt, McComb, McArthur, Ormes, Hascall and Black opposed it.

At the October session, the allowance for expenses of the sheriff's office were cut down to such an extent that Sheriff Jay Colling appeared before the board asking that an increase be considered regarding mileage and board of prisoners.

Mileage was reduced to six cents and the new sheriff asked to have it returned to 10 cents and the board of prisoners to 25 cents per meal instead of the 15 cents he has been allowed. He cited a few figures in support of his plea. He said he had boarded prisoners from January 1 of this year for \$394. Had he received 25 cents per meal this would have cost \$657.50. He said it cost the county \$1,894 from January 1 to July 1, 1922, under the administration of Sheriff Morris at 25 cents per meal. The request of the sheriff was referred to the committee on county officers' salaries.

The committee on salaries, in their report to the board, recommended that the county school commissioner should receive an increase in salary from \$1,900 to \$2,200.00 a year which was adopted by the board. The committee also recommended that the sheriff be paid 20 cents a meal for boarding prisoners and that all county officers be allowed eight cents per mile for driving their automobile on county business. This was also adopted by the board of supervisors to take effect on July 1, 1923.

The board adjourned Thursday, June 28, until Saturday, June 30, to give the committee on claims an opportunity to audit several accounts which had been held for investigation.

The board will convene for the fall session on the second Monday in October.

McPHEE HELD FOR DEATH OF WIFE

Former Melvin Village President Accused by the Coroners' Jury Monday.

William J. McPhee, former president of the village of Melvin, was held in the Sanilac county jail at Sandusky, Monday night, accused of slaying his wife, Esther, whose charred body was found in the fire-swept ruins of the McPhee home, March 6.

McPhee, a well known figure in Sanilac county, was arrested following the exhumation of his wife's body and a coroners' jury inquiry Monday afternoon. The jury returned a verdict naming McPhee as the slayer.

Exhumation of Mrs. McPhee's body revealed, it is said, several unusual marks which indicated she had been dead before the fire destroyed their home, early one March morning. Her legs apparently were burned from her body, but closer investigation revealed, it is said, that the bones bore marks of chopping. This definitely involved McPhee, officers said, and it was chiefly on this ground a verdict was returned accusing him.

Medical authorities in the county, including the coroner, declared it would hardly have been possible for Mrs. McPhee's legs to have been burned off without her entire body being consumed.

McPhee's story, told at the time of the fire, and at various investigations held since, was that his wife had overturned a lamp while in a small room upstairs, and that his repeated efforts to rescue her in the face of smoke and flames failed. He had been downstairs, he said, when the blaze started.—Free Press.

30 AUTOMOBILES IN GOOD FELLOWSHIP TOUR

About 30 automobiles will take part in the Good Fellowship Tour of the Bay City Chamber of Commerce which spends 45 minutes in Cass City on Wednesday afternoon, July 11. They will arrive at 4:15. President F. A. Bigelow will welcome them on behalf of Cass City and Homer E.

Buck, past-president of the Bay City organization and just recommended for the postmastership of Bay City, will respond.

The party leaves Bay City at 1:30 p. m., arrives in Fairgrove at 2:30 and stops there 15 minutes. Fifteen minutes have also been allotted to Akron at 3 o'clock.

From Cass City, the tourists move on to Caro where they sit down to dinner with the Caro Board of Commerce at 6:15.

Charles Trombley, tour chairman, extends an invitation to the business men of Cass City to join them in the run to Caro and the dinner there.

LARGE CROWD AT CELEBRATION

MORNING GAMES ON STREET HAD MANY CONTESTANTS IN VARIOUS EVENTS.

Ball Games in the Afternoon Were Too One-sided to Create Much Interest.

The festive youth and some of the older boys were out at early morn and the spasmodic crack of the small cracker interspersed with the more pretentious boom of the larger noisemakers made sleep impossible to many who preferred sweet repose, consequently the town was all astir at an early hour on Independence Day.

The morning dawned bright and clear and the weather could not have been better for a celebration. The heavy shower of the evening before had laid the dust and the weather man sent a fine brand of celebration weather.

A block was roped off on Main street to provide for the morning games and this wise provision of the officials made it possible for all to see the contests without difficulty. One or two events failed to have any contestants, but others were substituted by those in charge and a full program was enjoyed. The contests, especially those provided for the younger set, had many entries. The results follow.

Race for boys under 10—1st, Leo Hendricks; 2nd, Harry Whale.

Hundred yard dash for all—1st, Harry Smith; 2nd, Carl Severance.

Girls' race under 10 yrs.—1st, M. Hawksworth; 2nd, Marie Goodell.

Boys' race, between 10 and 16 yrs.—1st, George Lapeer; 2nd, Edwin Fritz.

Three-legged race for boys—1st, Ralph Kosanke and Charles McKenzie; 2nd, John Tuckey, Keith McConkey.

Girls' race, 10 yrs. and over—1st, Turn to page 8.

HURON COUNTY HAS 4,000 FORDS

According to County Clerk Clark there are four thousand Fords in Huron county. At least he has issued that many licenses to Ford cars. Up to this time, he has issued 5,500 auto licenses and the list continues to grow at the rate of from 15 to 25 a day.

POULTRY SPECIALIST TO VISIT TUSCOLA COUNTY

R. D. Ure from M. A. C. Will Hold Poultry Culling Demonstrations on July 9-11.

R. D. Ure, Poultry Extension Specialist from the Michigan Agricultural College will be in Tuscola county July 9th, 10th and 11th holding poultry culling demonstrations in connection with poultry demonstration farms which have been secured by the county agricultural agent.

The following schedule has been arranged:

Walter Ayre, Caro, on South State St., Monday, July 9, at 3:00 p. m.

John Hughes, Fairgrove, 1½ miles south of Fairgrove, Tuesday, July 10, at 8:00.

Harry Densmore, Fairgrove, 1½ miles south of Quanicasssee, Tuesday, July 10, at 10:30 a. m.

C. E. Morse, Gagetown, 2½ miles west and 2 south of Gagetown, Tuesday, July 10, at 3:00 p. m.

Brandt & Little, Millington, 1 mile east and 1 north of Millington, Wednesday, July 11, at 8:00 a. m.

J. J. Jeffrey, Kingston, 1 mile north and 1 mile west of Kingston, Wednesday, July 11, at 11:00 a. m.

Arthur Tonkin, Fairgrove, 1 south and 1 mile east of Fairgrove, Wednesday, July 11, at 3:00 p. m.

The idea of holding these demonstrations is to instruct as many of the people of that vicinity as are interested, how to cull their own poultry. After these demonstrations the county agricultural agent will hold similar demonstrations in various parts of the county and at each place where the culling is done the plan will be to invite in as many neighbors as are

EQUALIZATION OF TOWNSHIPS OF TUSCOLA COUNTY

The following is the equalization of townships of Tuscola county as adopted by the board of supervisors at the June session held last week.

Township	Assessed	Added	Deducted	Equalized	Personal	Total
Akron	\$1,950,400	10,000	....	1,960,400	147,250	2,107,650
Almer	1,572,900	....	....	1,572,900	64,375	1,637,275
Arbela	782,370	....	....	782,370	50,245	832,615
Columbia	1,945,660	....	....	1,945,660	161,130	2,106,790
Dayton	870,215	....	....	870,215	64,900	935,115
Denmark	2,298,200	5,000	....	2,303,200	235,600	2,538,800
Elkland	1,903,795	....	....	1,903,795	317,750	2,221,545
Ellington	783,400	....	....	783,400	28,450	811,850
Elmwood	1,542,600	....	....	1,542,600	111,300	1,653,900
Fairgrove	2,096,475	....	....	2,096,475	164,300	2,260,775
Fremont	943,540	....	....	943,540	123,725	1,067,265
Gilford	1,655,850	....	....	1,655,850	77,550	1,733,400
Indianfields	2,627,850	....	....	2,627,850	382,000	3,010,450
Juniata	1,146,100	....	....	1,146,100	45,250	1,191,350
Kingston	919,130	....	....	919,130	73,870	993,000
Koylton	909,100	....	....	909,100	53,675	962,775
Millington	1,355,950	....	....	1,355,950	97,100	1,453,050
Novesta	732,965	....	....	732,965	29,945	762,910
Tuscola	1,441,785	....	....	1,441,785	76,845	1,518,630
Vassar	1,074,225	....	....	1,074,225	203,849	1,278,074
Watertown	941,950	20,000	....	961,950	74,750	1,036,700
Wells	520,050	....	....	520,050	23,900	543,950
Wisner	689,500	....	2750	686,750	25,200	711,950
Totals	30,704,010	35,000	2750	30,736,260	2,638,559	33,374,819

interested and instruct them in culling their own flocks because it is impossible to cull the flocks of all people who may want to have their flocks culled. It is considered that those who attend these demonstrations and take an interest in the work, can, in an hour or more, learn to do a very efficient job in their own flock.

CHARMING WEDDING IN KINGSTON TOWNSHIP

Miss Eva G. Martin Becomes Bride of John McLaughlan of Detroit.

A charming home wedding of the past week took place Thursday, June 28, at high noon in the pretty farm home of Mr. and Mrs. George Martin of Kingston township where their elder daughter, Eva Goldie, was united in marriage with Mr. John McLaughlan, son of Mrs. Alice McLaughlan of Detroit.

The ceremony took place before an improvised altar which was banked with ferns, peonies and roses. A profusion of which also made the decoration of the entire house most beautiful. Pink and white ribbon from either side of the altar to the stairway landing made a pretty aisle through which the wedding party passed. Miss Martin, who approached the arch on the arm of her father, was a beautiful bride gowned in white silk canton crepe with accordion plaited tier skirt and carried a shower bouquet of pink rose buds and smilax.

The bridesmaid, Miss Lillian Martin, sister of the bride, wore a beautiful turquoise blue silk tyme crepe dress trimmed with Spanish lace and carried a bouquet of rose buds and sweet peas tied with pink ribbon. The groom was attended by Eldon Lovell of Detroit, a cousin of the bride.

The ceremony was read by Rev. Arthur Beadon, former pastor of the Deford M. E. church and an intimate friend of the Martin family. The ring service was used.

After the ceremony the guests were invited to the dining room where a sumptuous four-course dinner was served. The bridal table was most attractive with decorations of candles and pink and white ribbons suspended from the ceiling to the corners of the table, with smilax entwined. In the center of the table was a three-story wedding cake, made by the mother of the bride and cut by the bride.

The groom's gift to the bride was a Sterling piano and the bride's gift to the groom was a solid gold watch chain. Mr. and Mrs. McLaughlan also received many gifts from guests and friends.

The bride has been for the past four years in Detroit where she held the responsible position of auditor of receipts in the Michigan Bell Telephone company. Before going to Detroit, she gave much attention to music, taking special work in the same directly after her graduation from the Cass City high school.

Mrs. McLaughlan possesses the true qualities of womanhood and will make an ideal home-maker. Mr. McLaughlan holds a prominent position with the Ford company in Detroit.

When Mr. and Mrs. McLaughlan return from a wedding tour on the lakes, they will make their home in Detroit.

The guests were as follows—Mrs. Ed. McLaughlan, Geo. Lommie, Annie Boland and Eldon Lovell, all of Detroit; Mr. and Mrs. George McIntyre, Mr. and Mrs. George Holt and Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Holt, Jr., all of Yale; Mrs. John Dell of Abbottsford, Lawren Martin and Miss Dora Martin of Avoca, Mrs. A. W. Camfield, grandmother of the bride, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Campfield and son, Wayne, Mrs. J. Lovell and daughters, Thelma and Mary, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Holt and sons, Richard and Melvin, all of Crosswell; Mr. and Mrs. John Glyshaw of Adams, Dr. and Mrs. George J. J. and George Lombard and

daughter, Ella, of Kingston, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Osburn, Mr. and Mrs. C. Wentworth and daughter, Norma, and Rev. and Mrs. Walter Hubbard, all of Deford. Guests from Cass City were Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Knapp, Mr. and Mrs. I. Agar, Mr. Terry, Mr. and Mrs. F. Hutchinson and son and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Lamb.

ITEMS OF INTEREST FROM THUMB POINTS

Gleanings from Chronicle's Exchanges Representing Three Counties.

A vacation Bible school has been organized at Imlay City with an enrollment of 40 pupils. The session continues each day from 9:00 to 11:30 a. m. excepting Saturday and Sunday.

A promise has been secured from Saginaw Shriners for their famous band and Patrol squad at the county Masonic picnic at Caseville, July 26. The Patrol will give an exhibition drill on the picnic grounds.

Construction of the Great Lakes Power Co.'s lines at Brown City and Marlette will start about July 15 and service will commence at the latter place in August according to late advice received from the company.

Last year the Deckerville high school dispensed with the customary graduation exercises, and the seniors and members of the faculty took a trip to Niagara Falls. They liked the plan so well that the '23 class will follow suit and take a motor trip into northern Michigan.

The Deckerville council has ordered 20 tons of calcium chloride to be applied on the street running east and west from the Deckerville depot to the schoolhouse. The material is a part of a carload which is expected to arrive for the county road commission for use on the Shore Pike near Forest.

The first woman speeder to be arrested in Sanilac county this season was Mrs. George Smith, of Lapeer. Traffic Officer Holdberg, stated that he had to travel at the speed of 46 miles an hour for three or four miles before he could overtake her. The arrest was made in Elmer township. Mrs. Smith paid fine and costs amounting to \$11.50.

The first section of the Colegrove Memorial Highway, the six miles between Carsonville and Port Sanilac, will be sold on July 13 at the offices of the county road commission in Sandusky. According to information from Lansing, that section between Carsonville and Sandusky will be sold at a later date and it looks as if the Colegrove Memorial will be a reality.

John Ader, 17, recently sentenced to the Sanilac jail on the charge of robbing a Decker store, and who escaped jail on Friday night, was recaptured at Imlay City as he was found hiding in a box car by officers. Ader was ordered to his cell with other prisoners and during the absence of the jailer slipped out of the jail and made his escape. His departure was not discovered until Saturday morning when the sheriff's forces in the surrounding counties were notified. Ader's freedom was short-lived for he is now back in the county jail.

Miss Edith Powley, daughter of John Powley, of Deckerville had a very narrow escape from death when lightning struck their home during the electrical storm Monday afternoon. The bolt hit the chimney, completely wrecking it, went down thru the stove pipes leading to the kitchen and parlor, ripped the stove pipe open, threw the lids and doors about the rooms and practically ruined the interior decoration of the house. Miss Powley was sitting about four feet from the parlor stove and was rendered unconscious for a short time. When she came to, she saw the disordered condition of the house and ran to the neighbors.

Advertise it in the Chronicle.

UNIONVILLE GIVEN A MEMORIAL PARK

J. H. Kemp has given the Women's club of Unionville, an indefinite lease of the property at the head of State street for a park. The land is to be used as a public park for Unionville to be known as the Emma Liken Kemp Memorial Park. The first improvements were made Monday evening in the way of making flower beds, mowing the grass and cleaning up the property. Next fall donations of bulbs, to be planted for the spring blooming and shrubbery will be solicited and it is planned to replace the memorial trees to Unionville's world war soldier dead as the trees planted at the power plant in 1919 did not live.

SNOVER LAD KILLED IN TRUCK ACCIDENT

FOUR HURT WHEN AUTO IS HIT BY INTERURBAN CAR AT MARYSVILLE.

Snover Merchant Was Taking His Son and Chums on Long-Promised Outing.

Howard Paldi, 12 years old, son of a Snover merchant, was fatally injured when a light truck in which he was riding was struck by an interurban car at Marysville Monday. He died at the Port Huron City hospital a few hours later. The Paldi lad was riding on the seat of the truck with J. H. Kitching, Snover hardware dealer. David A. Cotler, 8; Leonard Dorman, 12, and Keith Kitching, 12, were other members of the party and they with Mr. Kitching were badly bruised and cut in the accident.

The party started out from Snover, in the morning with the intention of spending a week camping on the bank of St. Clair river near Marine City. It is necessary to pass over a detour road in Marysville to reach the river front highway, and it was while the truck was crossing the tracks on the detour road the tragedy occurred.

The occupants of the truck were hurled through the air for some distance. Paldi was found lying unconscious beside a fence, with his skull crushed. Kitching is a hardware dealer of Snover and was taking his son and the latter's chums on a long-promised outing.

LOCAL ITEMS.

H. S. Wickware possesses a very human dog. He demands candy often, goes with whoever carries the pocket-book to the store, waits 'till the sack is delivered to him, then takes it in his mouth and returns home with it. He abandons the candy when he once gets home safely, and does not eat any until it is offered to him.

True Americans who wish to be obliging must think quickly and possess a strong, carrying voice. Tuesday morning, there passed through town an auto-full of tourists evidently bent on making Bad Axe in fifteen minutes. As the car bumped along at the rate of about twenty miles an hour, one of the male occupants leaned out of the car and shouted "Is the road straight ahead the one to Bad Axe?" There were a number of people on the street but no one answered except by laughing for this way of ascertaining directions was certainly new to them. Advice to people with faint voices—carry a megaphone or some poor traveler may go to his death on a poor road.

H. D. Schiedel, E. Knight, Andrew Seeger, sr., and J. L. Cathcart motored to Alma Sunday to hear Geo. Robinson, professor of archaeology at the McCormick school in Chicago, give an address. Mr. Robinson spoke before the synodical meeting at the First Presbyterian church in Alma Sunday afternoon on the subject, "Walks and Talks Around Jerusalem." The Cass City people found Prof. Robinson a very absorbing and interesting speaker worth driving such a distance to hear. The gentlemen met many former residents of Cass City, among them being Joe Kennedy, Rev. Irwin Bradfield, Norris Winslow and Miss Helen Grimm.

BAY CITY FIRM SEEKS COAL NEAR SEBEWAING

More than 700 acres of land just north of Sebewaing have been leased by the What-Cheer Coal Mining company, of Bay City, and the area will be tested for coal in a few days. If deposits are found in paying quantities a shaft will be sunk immediately.

No Cut Rates.
Smirker: "Come here, little girl, I'll give you a penny for a kiss."
"Little Girl" "Huh-uh. I can earn more'n that taking castor oil."

MOONSHINE PLANT UNDER STRAW STACK

SHERIFF COLLING AND DEPUTIES MADE UNUSUAL DISCOVERY ON JULY 4TH.

Mark McPherson, Liquor Law Violator Last Year, Was Again Arrested on Similar Charge.

Sheriff Colling and Deputies Putnam, Austin and McDougal made a visit to the farm of Mark McPherson in Gilford township on the morning of July 4th in search of a moonshining outfit. The search revealed an unusual setting for the manufacture plant of this nature.

A room about 12 by 14 feet in size was discovered in the bottom part of a large strawstack which was reached through a tunnel of straw about a rod long and just large enough for a man to make his way on hands and knees from the outside world to the entrance of the "factory."

Here, it was evident to the officers, was the place for the manufacture of moonshine products as many of the necessary utensils in the way of oil stoves, barrels of mash, empty barrels, crocks, jugs, etc., were found in the strawstack rendezvous. A 25-gallon still and three gallons of whiskey were found in the brush nearby. In addition to the whiskey another moonshine product, known to the trade as kummell, a concoction made from caraway seeds, was also found here. There were five gallons of this. Of mash, there were 13 barrels.

McPherson was arraigned before Justice Brown, waived examination and was bound over to the circuit court. He was released on \$1,000 bail furnished by Chas. McPherson and J. Haska.

McPherson was arrested on a charge of violating the prohibition law last year and was released after paying a \$75 fine.

BALL GAME WILL ADD ZEST TO MASONIC PICNIC

Team from North County Lodges to Play Team from Southern Section.

The "great American game" of base ball will add zest to the sports planned for the Tuscola County Masonic Picnic to be held at the Caro Fairgrounds Tuesday, July 17. Players will be selected so that each of the lodges in the county will have an interest in the sport.

From the lodges in the northern section will be selected a team to play a representation from the lodges in the southern section. In the northern section are the following lodges: Cass City, Gagetown, Unionville and Fairgrove. In the southern section are Kingston, Mayville, Millington and Vassar. J. H. Beckton of Caro has been appointed to have charge of this event. From a list of eligible ball players sent him from each lodge, he will pick the teams and appoint the captains.

The tug-of-war always arouses interest and the county has been divided into east and west sections for this event. The eastern section will be composed of men from the lodges of Cass City, Gagetown, Kingston and Mayville; the western from Unionville, Fairgrove, Vassar and Millington. Jacob Spencer of Cass City has been appointed captain of the eastern team and Erastus Brainerd of Vassar of the western team.

F. C. Striffler, E. H. Dyer—both well-known former athletes in the county—and G. D. Gilbert, Caro high school coach, will have charge of other sports.

JUNIATA TWP. TURNS DOWN NEW SCHOOL

A proposition to bond the district of Juniata for \$5,000 for a new school was defeated Saturday at a special election by vote of 103 against to 13 in favor. The present school building is said to be inadequate and badly in need of repair.

Last January a proposition to bond the township for \$60,000 to build a central school was defeated.

MARLETTE HAS JULY 4TH FIRE

Fire destroyed the recreation building of O. E. Burke at Marlette on July 4. The fire started in the basement of the building at 3:00 a. m. and the cause is unknown.

On Independence Day last year, Marlette had another big fire when the Wilson hay sheds burned to the ground.

Advertise it in the Chronicle.

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WILMOT.

Chas. Woodruff was taken sick while working on section last Thursday, but is back at work again.

Orlo Moulton intends moving his family to Caro this week where he has work with the Michigan Sugar Co.

Milton Woodruff went to Pontiac last Wednesday and has found work there.

Barton Hartt left Thursday for Pontiac where he plans to work thru vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Gemmill spent Tuesday night with relatives here on their way to Pontiac.

Prayer meeting will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Powell, sr., next Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Mitchell of Flint are visiting relatives here thru their vacation.

Mrs. Cora Smith assisted Wm. Hoffman in his store for a time last week.

Mrs. Wm. Penfold and son, Everett, and daughter, Helen, visited friends in Pontiac Sunday.

Eva Thompson of Caro is visiting at Elmer Thorp's.

Viola Barrows came home from Cass City hospital last Thursday where she had undergone an operation for appendix trouble the week before. She is getting along nicely.

Mrs. Ethel Tallman moved into Ray Miles' brick house last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Barret and little daughter, Norma, of Kingston and Ernie Barrows and Miss Bertha Martin of Deford visited at J. Barrows Sunday.

PINGREE.

Miss Rosella Chambers and J. Paul of Cass City visited at the home of R. Craig Sunday.

Wm. H. Gardner and Chas. I. Cook have just returned from a trip covering a distance of nearly 400 miles, the round trip to Canada. They called on relatives and old schoolmates in western Ontario which is an old settled country and represents today a most beautiful part of the province as well as great wealth. Either by poor management of the provincial government or the English home parliament, they have increased taxation to the extent of \$1.00 per acre and their provincial debt to \$240,000,000. At the same time, there is a noticeable difference in times and future prospects of the countries, United States and Canada. Well, to sum matters up, on that line, they simply admit Uncle Sam has got the gold and that is what makes "Henry" go.

Quite a number of friends from Saginaw visited at the John Crocker home Sunday.

Mr. Moore was admitted as a full fledged member of the Orange lodge at Cass City Saturday evening.

Pastor Edwards of the Presbyterian church will preach the annual Orange sermon on Sunday, July 8, at 10:30 a. m. at Cass City. Orangemen are invited to bring their families and attend. Everybody welcome.

That's Different.

Conductor (on train in Germany): "Say, you can't bring that in here. All heavy baggage in the car ahead."

American Tourist: "That ain't baggage—that's my purse—I just exchanged \$100 U. S. money for your German marks."

NOTICE.

All Noxious Weeds Must Be Cut Down and Destroyed on or Before July 15.

(Act No. 66 Public Acts of 1919).

To owners, possessors or occupiers of land, or any person or persons, firm or corporation having charge of any land in this state.

Notice is hereby given that all noxious weeds growing on any land in the Township of Elkland, County of Tuscola, State of Michigan, must be cut down and destroyed on or before the 15th day of July, A. D. 1923.

Failure to comply with this notice on or before the date mentioned or within ten days thereafter shall make the parties so failing liable for the costs of cutting same, to be levied and collected against the property in the same manner as other taxes and levied and collected. Dated June 27, 1923.

JOSEPH A. BALKWELL,
Highway Commissioner of Township of Elkland, County of Tuscola, Michigan.

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Michigan
Happenings

A wireless telephone, the first to be installed for service lighthouses on the Great Lakes, has been received by C. Wesser, radio operator, first class, of the U. S. S. Amaranth, docked at Marquette for repairs. The installation will be made in the Marquette lighthouse and will connect with the station on Stannard Rock, 45 miles out in Lake Superior. It will provide entertainment for lighthouse keepers and their assistants enabling them to tune in for radio concerts broadcasted from all stations in the United States.

Saginaw went back to the street car form of civic transportation voting a franchise by three to one, to a company to be organized with a majority of the directors local men and which must be in the field within a few months. Almost two years ago, August 10, 1921, street cars ceased to operate in this city and since that time the Saginaw-Bay City railway company has gone into bankruptcy, the cars have stayed in the barn and the rails have rusted.

The first Sunday school convention in this county in several years was held at Wellston last week. J. H. Engle, secretary of the Michigan Sunday school council, was the principal speaker. Dr. W. J. Atkinson, pastor of the Methodist Episcopal church, is president of the county organization, formed to promote the convention, and Miss Ruth Richmond, Onkama, is secretary.

Failure of officials at M. A. C. to furnish detailed, explicit information as to the arrangement whereby certain county agents, having charge of agricultural college extension work are paid part of their salaries by the local farm bureaus of the counties may result in the cutting off of state funds for extension work until such information is furnished the state administrative board.

Elaborate plans are in progress for the annual encampment of Boys' and Girls' clubs, to be held at the upper peninsula experiment station, Chatham, August 6 to 11, in connection with the fifth annual Farmers' Round-up for the upper peninsula of Michigan. It is expected that about 250 boys and girls, representing every county in the upper peninsula, will be present.

The tentative itinerary adopted by the tour committee of the Michigan State Horticultural association provides for a trip of more than 300 miles by the fruit men August 7, 8 and 9. The tour will include some of the best tree and small fruit farms in Kent, Ottawa, Muskegon and Ionia counties. Several air and ice cooled storage plants will be visited.

Harrison Bedford, Jr., two and one-half-year-old son of Harold Bedford, proprietor of the Eagle hotel, Grand Rapids, plunged backward in his father's car over a 50-foot embankment of the river entrance to the pier at Charlevoix. He escaped without a scratch, although the car was wrecked.

Tuscola county farmers will conduct a potato demonstration at Caro to compare crops from certified seed in yield and freedom from disease. J. W. Sims, county agent, has obtained 25 bushels of certified Potoskey Russet seed potatoes from the Potoskey Growers' exchange for the test.

Three thousand people attended the opening of the Alpena county rest station at Alpena last week. The station was dedicated to the use of the farmers of the surrounding district. The county nursing service and other activities will have headquarters in the building.

Excavation work has been started on the Colgrove highway from Sandusky to the shore. This road is known as M-46 and crosses Tuscola county by way of Richville through Indianfield, Wells and Kingston.

Announcement has been made of the appointment of Walter A. Terpenning, of the faculty of the University of Michigan, to a place on the faculty of Western State Normal, Kalamazoo.

The first duplex wireless telephone in the world by which uninterrupted conversation may be put to practical use now is in operation between the Battle Creek and Jackson plants of the Consumers Power company.

Michigan's state tax levy for 1923 will be approximately \$16,000,000, according to estimates made by Governor Groesbeck, after receiving a report from Auditor General Fuller showing that the total of appropriations bearing tax clauses amounts to \$17,300,000.

A "Better Babies" week campaign will be held in Ingham county soon. Free clinics will be held by Dr. Lucy Elliott at Stockridge, Dansville, Leslie, Onondaga and Mason.

The State of Michigan gets \$2,043 in a mortgage tax and the county of Calhoun \$125.85 as a registry fee from the \$50,000,000 mortgage given by Armour & Co., of Chicago, incorporated in Delaware, to cover a bond issue of some months ago. Property in Michigan to the amount of \$408,360 is covered also in the trust mortgage and, therefore, the mortgage had to be filed in this state as well as in other states where the company owns property. The mortgage runs 20 years and draws 5 1/2 per cent interest.

Testing of the Michigan law which places bus lines under the supervision of the Michigan public utilities commission was started at Pontiac last week, when owners of several lines operating out of Pontiac and Detroit filed an injunction suit in circuit court here. They ask that the commission be restrained from interfering with business, if they fail to file petitions to come under the law. Legal points tending to show the law is unconstitutional are set up in the action.

A medal was conferred, by General Moseley, commander of the sixth corps area, on Sergeant S. Forbes, company A. R. O. T. C., who saved the life of Joseph Fitzgerald, 11 years old, of Kalamazoo. The lad was bathing at the LaBelle resort, Gull Lake, when he stepped into a 20 foot hole. Sergeant Forbes, in his uniform, swam out to the drowning boy and succeeded in keeping him above the surface until rescuers arrived in a rowboat.

In 1911 the legislature enacted a law to authorize the employing of prisoners, on highway construction. Under this act inmates of the Jackson and Marquette prisons and the Ionia reformatory can be leased for not less than 50 cents a day and their board to county road commissioners in counties that have adopted the road construction system, and to boards of supervisors in counties that have not done so.

Thirty-four Masonic lodges in central Michigan have been invited by Alma Lodge number 244, F. and A. M., to a picnic July 11. It will be the biggest Masonic event of its kind ever attempted in this part of the state. Six bands will furnish music during the day and evening. The grand lodge of Michigan has been asked to furnish a speaker for the lay.

Members of the Michigan Bankers' association with their friends and guests to the number of 331 returned to Detroit, on the Steamer Noronic of the Northern Navigation company's fleet, aboard which the association's thirty-seventh annual convention was held while the steamer was bound from Detroit to Mackinac, Kilarney and Owen Sound.

A report submitted to the State Administrative Board by the Accounting Division shows that the State has tentatively authorized highway work which exceeds by \$111,597 the money it will have available this year, including the \$5,000,000 bond issue recently authorized but not yet sold.

Harold Haas, 8-year-old son of Frank Haas, farmer, residing three miles southeast of Standish, was run over by a roller, on his father's farm and killed. A bolt of lightning frightened the horses, causing them to run away, throwing the boy in front of the heavy roller.

Henry Wilkie, 60 years old, a pioneer grocer of Escanaba and an ardent base ball fan, became so excited when a member of the local team made a two-base hit, bringing in two runs and tying the score with Gladstone, that he dropped dead in the ball park.

Between three and four hundred motor bus concerns in Michigan will be forced out of business before Aug. 1 by the terms of the new bus law, W. W. Potter, chairman of the Michigan Public Utilities Commission, asserted.

Rebuilding of the Dixie highway south of Flint was started when 20 trustees from Jackson prison began the construction of three camps in which the 150 convict laborers who will be sent here will be housed.

Toino Solomon, contractor and large timber owner, was shot and killed in the woods 15 miles from L'Anse by Lester Lipponen, who mistook Solomon for a deer. Lipponen was hid in the top of a tree.

Edgar Stark, a member of the 1923 graduating class of the Eaton Rapids high school, has gone to Fort Sheridan to take the West Point entrance examinations.

Arrangement are under way to equip the Blanchard school with a twelfth grade this year.

Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Hubbard, of Durand, last week celebrated the fifty-eighth anniversary of their marriage. They have lived in the county 57 years.

The steamer E. G. Crosby, oil burning vessel recently acquired in Florida waters, arrived at Muskegon last week on its first trip over the Muskegon-Milwaukee route. It is an ocean-going ship remodeled for Great Lakes trade and is excellently appointed. Freight facilities will be greatly increased.

CONVENIENCE IN
ANY HOUSEHOLD

Serving Tray Saves Housewife's Time and Strength in Many Different Ways.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

A serving tray on castors or wheels, sometimes called a "wheel-tray," "tea-wagon," or "tea-cart," is a household convenience that saves the housewife's time and strength in many ways. A boy or man handy with simple tools can make one; a number of women, similarly skillful, have also made them. In a Virginia home recently a very successful wheel-tray was made out of an old washstand, utilizing the large drawer, the top, the framework, and other parts. To roll such a tray around conveniently, swivel castors may be provided from some discarded piece of furniture, small swivel wheels or the small wheels of a baby carriage or toy wagon. In the serving tray illustrated the wheels were evidently taken from a child's wagon. A wheel tray saves many trips between the dining room and kitchen, both in serving and in clearing away meals, especially in a large household where many dishes must be handled. The top and shelf spaces are sufficient to



Wheel Tray Saves Many Trips Between Dining Room and Kitchen.

carry all dishes to the table in one trip, or to remove them from it after the meal. Steps are saved by it in serving refreshments at social occasions. It is invaluable for use as a bedside tray in the sick room. When well made the tray is attractive as well as useful and may serve as a reading table or flower stand. It may be stained dark or enameled white to harmonize with the dining room and its furnishings. The space in the top may be used to keep dishes in, and the drawer will store silver and table linen.

Dimensions for Tray.
The United States Department of Agriculture recommends the dimensions given below for making a convenient serving tray which will go through doorways without danger of bumping. The upper part of the tray is box shaped, 16 inches wide and 26 inches long. The box part, or china compartment, is 4 1/2 inches deep. This is upheld by 4 legs, 5/8 by 1 1/2 inches, which measure 31 inches from the floor to the top of the tray. It is best to edge the top of the tray or the



Drawer is Useful to Store Silver and Table Linen.

lid of the china compartment by a molding 1 1/4 inches wide to prevent dishes from slipping off. The inside of the china compartment is painted white even if the outside of the tray is dark. On the sides of this compartment are little screw hooks on which cups may be hung. There is space in the compartment for serving dishes for six.

Drawer for Silver or Linen.
Below this serving compartment is a drawer 2 inches deep, which is divided into two parts. One side is used for linen and one side for silver. The side used for silver is lined with dark-colored felt or outing flannel.

In the space below the drawer a large undershelf is fitted. It should be edged with molding about 1 1/4 inches wide, so that soiled dishes may be safely placed on it. One handle may be put on if preferred, instead of the two shown in the illustration, for pulling or pushing the loaded tray about. These handles may be made from old broomsticks.

Cleanse Marble Slab.

To cleanse the marble slab cut a slice of lemon, dip it in salt and rub it over the marble; let it remain an hour, then wash the slab in the usual way. A mixture of saleratus and whiting will remove stains from marble.

Warm a Knife-Board.

Warm a knife-board before using it, and the knives will polish more easily. Should the cover of a knife-board wear through, a piece of zinc may be used to replace it.

Prosperity

On June 30, 1922, our deposits were \$49,232.56. On June 30, 1923, they were \$572,276.56, an increase of about \$74,000 in a year.

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LOCAL ITEMS.

Mrs. Samuel Champion is quite ill this week.

Mrs. J. L. Cathcart and Mrs. Hale were callers in Caro Friday.

Stuart Wilsey spent Saturday and Sunday in Lexington the guest of Walter Wixson.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Orr and family of Pigeon called on relatives here Thursday last week.

Ray Yakes of Detroit has been spending a few days at the home of his mother, Mrs. Catherine Yakes.

Mrs. James Purdy and daughters, the Misses Florence and Carolyn, of Gagetown, called on friends here Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Sandham and family were in Argyle Wednesday last week attending the Sunday school rally.

Mrs. Geo. Cabine, who spent last week with her friend, Mrs. A. H. Higgins, returned to her home in Jackson Sunday.

Mrs. J. A. Sandham and three daughters, Pauline, Deloris and Johanna, spent a few days last week at



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kind of a sweet
for the hot summer
days.

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ishing---Let your
boy eat all the Ice
Cream he wants,
and if you send
him here for it,
you will know it
is the best.

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their newly completed cottage at
Cassville.

Dr. and Mrs. Edward Bonner left
Saturday for their new home at Hud-
son where Dr. Bonner will practice
as a dental physician.

Mrs. Audley Kinnaird and Miss
Minnie Kinnaird left Saturday for
Chicago where they will spend a
number of days visiting relatives.

Miss Alison Spence, who has been
teaching in the public schools of Che-
boygan for the past year, has re-
turned to spend the summer months
at the home of her parents, Mr. and
Mrs. J. J. Spence.

Rev. and Mrs. I. W. Cargo and
sons, Paul and William, left early
Monday morning for Bellevue and
Mason where Mrs. Cargo and chil-
dren will remain while Mr. Cargo
goes on to Albion on a business trip.

Little Miss June Townsend enter-
tained six of her friends at a birth-
day party last Friday afternoon. The
measles caused the absence of many
of the guests invited, but those pres-
ent had a very delightful time play-
ing games and having a good time
generally.

Little Miss Deloris Sandham had
the misfortune Saturday to hurt her
head quite badly. As she was look-
ing out the window, the window fell,
causing quite a bad wound on the
head. It bled quite badly and it was
necessary to clip off all the hair and
take a stitch in the wound.

ELLINGTON AND NOVESTA.

Dougald Livingston of Pontiac
spent Saturday and Sunday at Ora
Delong's.

Kenneth Benedict of Royal Oak
came Saturday to spend a week with
his aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs.
Henry Stone.

Miss Thelma Stone left Monday for
Detroit where she will spend a week
with friends and relatives of that
place.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin O'Dell spent
Sunday with Barnes Perry of Caro.

Miss Frances Jones of Gagetown
is spending a few days with her
grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. A. F.
Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Tuckey and
daughter, Jean, spent Sunday with
Mrs. Robert Coulter of Shabbona
and William Mitchell of McHugh.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Stine and
daughter, Marjorie, and Arthur Red-
man spent Sunday with David Justin
of Brown City.

Mr. and Mrs. Rinerd Knoblet and
children, Ruth and Frederick, visited
with relatives in Elkton Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Collins and
family of Flint spent Sunday even-
ing at Chas. McConnell's.

Vernon McConnell of Flint, Sylves-
ter Hyke and the Misses Alice and
Lilah McConnell of Detroit are spend-
ing a few days at Chas. McConnell's.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Quick and
family visited the Andrew Berry
farm at the center of Grant.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Benedict and
sons, Kenneth and Howard, of Royal
Oak and Mr. and Mrs. Boney Daugh-
erty of Deford spent Sunday at Hen-
ry Stone's.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Yax and family
spent Sunday at Herb Layman's at
Gagetown.

Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Kirton and Mr.
and Mrs. Stanley Sherd and family
spent Sunday at Lak Forester.

Reason for Everything.

Wife--"John, I'm disgusted with
this old car. It squeaks dreadfully."
John--"Can't be helped m'dear.
There is pig iron in them axles."

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The Dunster  
Piano Business  
Continued

Mrs. George Dunster  
will continue the sale of  
Schiller Pianos and will  
have them on exhibition  
at her home, West  
Huron Ave., Bad Axe,  
at the lowest possible  
prices.

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Schiller Piano are well  
known in this commu-  
nity. Come and get  
prices before buying.

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LIVE
STOCK

INCREASED VALUE OF LAMBS

Docking and Castration of Young Ani-
mals Destined for Market Im-
proves Quality.

(Prepared by the United States Department
of Agriculture.)

Docking and castration of lambs des-
tined for the market materially in-
creases their market value because of
improved quality, according to the
United States Department of Agri-
culture.

There are several reasons for this.
Docking makes the hind-quarters of
lambs appear more blocky and deep,
and it also adds much to the cleanli-
ness of the animals. Thus they appear
more attractive to the buyers when
they reach the market. Ewes which
are to be kept in the breeding flock
should also be docked as a very large
portion of the undocked ewes will fall
to breed.

Ram lambs over three months of
age tend to grow thin and develop
coarse shoulders and neck. Thin-
fleshed, coarse, open-shouldered lambs
are not of a desirable quality, and
when they reach the market they are
discriminated against by the buyers
because of these features. If the
lambs are castrated and docked when
they are a few days old their growth
will not be retarded. On the other
hand they will present a better appear-
ance, and if they have been properly
fed, will have a smooth, desirable
finish at four months of age. Lambs of
good quality in this condition com-
mand a premium over bucky and un-
docked lambs at the markets. Often-
times during the period when the Jer-
sey City market is receiving large num-
bers of lambs from the eastern states,
lamb prices at that market fluctuate
sharply because of the high percent-
age of undocked and bucky lambs
which are discriminated against by
buyers seeking a high-quality product.

MAKE ALL BROOD SOWS WORK

Properly Managed Animal Should
Produce Two Litters Each Year
Roasters in Demand.

The properly managed sow should
produce two litters a year if the farm
is equipped for fall pigs. Under such
a system the sow should farrow in
March and again in the early part of
September. A sow that was bred about
November 15th will farrow March 6th
to 9th. By weaning the pigs at eight
weeks of age, the sow may be rebred
late in May to farrow in September.

In states where the winters are
severe, good houses are necessary for
the young pigs born in March. Those
coming in September will almost take
care of themselves until cold weather.
They are then in need of good care,
or a large number of runts will re-
sult.

A good demand exists during
Thanksgiving and Christmas for small
pigs for "roasters." A farmer in
northeastern Iowa has raised pigs for
this special market a number of years,
and finds it a profitable means of dis-
posing of his fall pigs.

CALCIUM NEEDED FOR STOCK

Cows, Horses and Sheep Must Look
to Roughage for Needed Supply
--Silage May Answer.

The cow, together with the sheep
and horse, must look to its roughage
to supply the needed calcium. Fre-
quently there is not sufficient calcium
in the roughage or the vitamin needed
to make it available to the body is not
present. This vitamin is present in
green pasture at all times. If silage
has been properly made it is possible
that there will be enough of the vit-
amin in it also to cause the assimila-
tion of calcium. It is not well to
count on this, however, for much of
the silage made at the present time
is not properly made.

LIVE STOCK HINTS

Poor feeding is keeping brood sows
on hundreds of farms from paying a
profit.

Feed alfalfa hay to brood sows. It
pays a greater return in this way
than any other.

Damp beds are responsible for pneu-
monia, bowel trouble and skin dis-
eases among pigs.

The responsibility of animal dis-
ease control rests with the veterinary
profession, says Dr. R. A. Craig, head
of the veterinary department of Pur-
due university.

A good ration for a sow with pigs
is 6 parts corn, 3 parts middlings and
10 parts tankage, when on full feed.

Mixed shipments show a greater
number of killed and crippled hogs
and a greater shrinkage than straight
shipments.

The man who consistently follows a
well established live stock system on
his farm is more prosperous than the
man who tries to be in when condi-
tions look good and out when they
look bad.

MY LITTLE SON

My little son, my little son, he calls to
me forever
Across the gulfs and through the mists
which shroud him from my sight;
I hear him in the noonday, in the midst
of all the turmoil
I hear him, oh, so plainly, in the silence
of the night.

My little son, my little son, I see in
clearest vision
The merry face, the deep, clear eyes,
the crown of golden hair.
But these, ah, these are sleeping where
the hillside glows with sunset,
And the little boy, my darling that I
loved so, is not there.

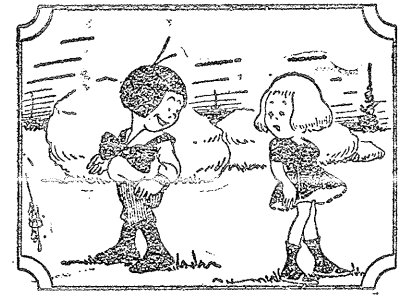
My little son, my little son, there are
starry paths at night time,
Above the swaying tree-tops where the
birds are fast asleep;
Does he wander up and down them with
the winds in endless playtime?
Does he read in sudden manhood all the
wonders of the deep?

My little son, my little son, he hovers
ever near me,
I meet him in the garden walks, he
speaks in wind and rain;
He comes and nestles by me on my pillow
in the darkness
Till the golden hands of sunrise draw
him back to God again.
--George Frederick Scott.

FOR MONUMENT TO COLUMBUS

Project on Foot to Erect Splendid
Tomb in San Domingo City,
"Cradle of America."

A report has been made to the War
department by the receiver-general of
Dominican customs, dealing with the
remains of Columbus. A project is
now on foot to erect a massive tomb
at San Domingo city, somewhat mod-
eled after the tomb of Napoleon in
Paris and the exterior something like
Grant's tomb in New York, remarks
the Scientific American. A beacon
tower 300 feet in height is part of the
plan. Unfortunately the bones of Co-
lumbus, which were brought from
Spain in 1540, were often opened for
inspection to distinguished visitors.
This should be stopped. It was that
very fact that first suggested the idea
that it should be the concern of Pan-
Americans, the peoples of the 21 re-
publics occupying the territory of
North and South America to Canada,
to provide a suitable memorial and
find a resting place for Columbus in
the cradle of America, as San Dom-
ingo is called.



BOTH EXTRAVAGANT

"My Ma sez my Pa is burnin' the
candle at both ends."
"My Ma's always kickin' about our
electric bills, too."

Evidently Not Born to Drown.

When the Guernsey schooner Colden
was sunk in collision with the Humber,
near Liverpool, her skipper, George H.
Gush, experienced his sixth shipwreck.
Three vessels were sunk under him
by enemy submarines during the war,
but his narrow escape was in Sep-
tember, when the ketch Alfred was
lost in a gale off the Hook of Holland.
After a two hours' fight with huge
seas a Dutch lifeboat rescued Captain
Gush and his crew as the ketch was
on the point of sinking.

A Visiting Delegation.

There was a delegation in Washing-
ton from Kurdistan. They were fixing
up a course of action. The leader put
the question.

"Now shall we, as a delegation, call
on the secretary of war?"

A business man in the crowd thought
not.

"No," said he, "we can get war any-
where. What we want to do is to
shine up to the secretary of the treas-
ury."--Louisville Courier-Journal.

Well, the Whale Charged No Fare.

"Where," blurted B. M. C., "do the
newspapers get that stuff about there
being elevators 2,000 years ago and
Solomon giving the queen of Sheba an
airplane? The next thing they'll be
telling us is that there were street cars
in Jonah's day, because the Bible says
of him: 'So he paid the fare and
went.'--Boston Evening Transcript.

Accident Restored Hearing.

At work on a dredge in a Philadel-
phia shipyard, a man became almost
stone deaf from the noise. Some
months after his affliction while mov-
ing some machinery overhead, a plank
fell and struck him on the back of the
neck, just where the spinal cord en-
ters the spine. He was not injured
much, but right after the accident he
regained his hearing and can hear as
distinctly as ever.

Cheated of Birthdays.

Although technically he has had
only 23 birthdays, J. S. Stevenson of
Winnipeg has entered his one hun-
dredth year, hale and hearty. Stev-
enson was born February 29, 1824, and
has been cheated out of about 75
birthdays, even skipping a leap year
birthday which was rightfully his in
1900, due to a quirk of the calendar.

Odd Accident.

A Nova Scotia woman was out on a
windy day when a puff of wind shook
the collar of her coat on which was a
large button. The edge of the button
hit a lens of her eyeglasses, making
a hole right in the center of it, and
lodging a piece of broken glass in her
eye. She managed to remove the glass
with a piece of cloth.

Atlas--We Know Him Well

Penter--"I heard a good story last
night. Let's see, what was it? Oh,
yes. Did you hear that one about the
newspaper; black and white and red
all over?"
Doda--"No--go ahead."

Smart K-9

Jenkins--"Purty good dawg ya got
there, Steve--but why do you call him
'Hardware.'"
Steve--"Natural--most natural.
Every time I think I'll whip him he
makes a bolt f'r the door."

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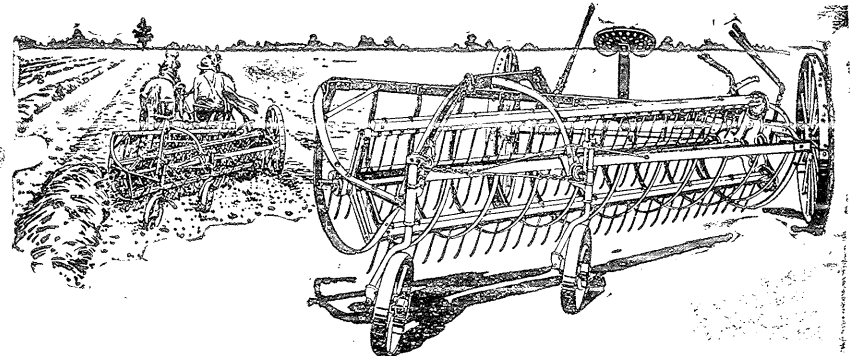
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spaced--lift instead of
dragging or kicking the
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construction.
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ter wheels.

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keeps better in the mow, stack or bale, and
is more palatable, more digestible and has
greater feeding value. Whether you sell your
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cure hay. You merely use a Dain System
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purpose. It is the easiest to operate, and you
can handle the heaviest hay because, with
the inclined frame, the capacity is the greatest
where the quantity of hay handled is largest.
And, remember, the curved teeth of the rake
lift the hay instead of kicking it.

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Rakes we have in stock.

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LOCAL NEWS



Mrs. Anna Patterson is in Pontiac this week visiting relatives.

Wm. Walters of Detroit called at the home of Mrs. E. Craft Monday.

Miss Wilma Striffler is employed at the millinery shop of Mrs. Julia Gay.

Dr. and Mrs. I. D. McCoy and Mrs. A. A. Ricker motored to Lansing Friday.

Miss Ethel Wager returned Sunday from a week's visit with relatives in Elkton.

Miss Hester Cathcart is employed for a few weeks at the Nestle's Food Co.'s plant here.

Mr. and Mrs. Ebeson and John Ebeson of Owendale spent Sunday with Mrs. Eunice Crafts.

Mr. and Mrs. James Walters of Royal Oak visited Sunday at the home of Mrs. Eunice Croft.

Little Miss Madeline Muck of Colwood visited Friday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Corkins.

D. R. Graham was in Lake Orion from Saturday till Monday attending the annual McCall reunion.

Miss Ballard of Grand Rapids arrived in town Friday and will be here on business for a few weeks.

"Buddie" Schenck, accompanied by Kenneth Wickware of Detroit, is spending the week in Caseville.

Mrs. Margaret Houghton returned Saturday to her home here from a visit with relatives in Ellington.

Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Moulton and two children of Wilmet visited with Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Gemmill Sunday.

Mrs. Holstein of Detroit has come to spend some time at the home of her friend, Mrs. Florence McLaughlin.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Bond and family of Wickware were entertained at the George Bond home here Sunday.

A. J. Knapp and son, Clark, attended the "Home-Coming" in Ypsilanti Tuesday. Ypsilanti is Mr. Knapp's old home.

Miss Bertha McCullough left Sunday for Detroit where she will visit relatives and friends for a few weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Pohly and daughter of Flint visited at the home of Rev. and Mrs. F. L. Pohly here a few days this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Pasche and daughter, Eleanor, of Detroit have come to spend a few days with Mrs. Stanley Karr.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Warner and family, accompanied by Mrs. H. Cheesman of Yale visited relatives in Bay City Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Prue and daughter of Flint spent Monday this week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Ackerman.

Mrs. Margaret L. Haines of Los Angeles California, has come to spend some time at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Edward Pinney.

Arthur Walker, physical director of the public schools at Plymouth for the past year, returned Monday to his home here to spend a few days.

Members of Cass City Lodge, L. O. L., are planning on attending the Orangemen walk and celebration in Harbor Beach on Thursday, July 12.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Epplett and daughter, Edna, visited with Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Gemmill Sunday. They motored from Pontiac Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Greenleaf and family of Kingston and James Greenleaf left Monday for Muir where they will spend some time with relatives.

Mrs. Geo. Murbach of Leighton and Mrs. Amanda Farver and daughter of Toledo, Ohio, visited a few days last week at the home of the ladies' sister, Mrs. F. L. Pohly.

The E. L. C. E. of the Evangelical church held their regular business meeting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Kercher on Houghton street Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. George Cleland of Detroit, Mrs. James Cleland of Charleston and Dr. and Mrs. Lane of Bad Axe spent Monday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cleland.

Members of Cass City Lodge, L. O. L., will attend the Presbyterian church in a body next Sunday morning when Rev. W. W. Edwards will address members of that society.

Miss Jeanette Farr of Sandusky spent last week at the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John Summerville. Mrs. Farr came Sunday, Jeanette returning with her.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Bailey and family left Thursday morning for a motor trip to Gary, Indiana, where they will visit relatives. They expect to be gone a week or ten days, making several visits on the way.

The Misses Marie Gemmill and Leona Philips and two young men from Clifford were Sunday callers at Miss Gemmill's parental home. They also called at the home of Mrs. Mary Gemmill on their way to Mayville.

Mrs. John Sugden, mother of Milton Sugden, recently celebrated her 80th birthday at her home in Mayville. She is the mother of nine children, all living, grandmother to thirty children and great-grandmother to four others. The many friends and relatives who gathered to make the day enjoyable for her sang old time songs, extended congratulations to her and partook of light refreshments.

John Bearss drives a new four-door Ford sedan.

Frederick Pinney was in Flint a few days last week.

Master Frederick Brown is quite seriously ill at present.

Miss Inis Whale returned Monday from a few days' visit in Detroit.

Little Herbert and Irene Schiedel are victims of the measles this week.

Mrs. Wm. Huff of Bad Axe was in town Tuesday visiting her friend, Mrs. Agnes Cooley.

Miss Cwendolyn Wilson of Marlette was in town this week, the guest of Mrs. G. H. Burke.

Mrs. Charles Talmadge left Sunday for Lapeer where she will spend some time with relatives.

Mrs. Caroline Fenn-Bigelow and daughter Elynore, were callers in Caro Saturday evening.

Miss Lura DeWitt was out of town over the week-end the guest of friends in Northville.

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

Arthur Murphy of Detroit visited over the Fourth at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Murphy.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Rogers of Detroit visited a few days this week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Whitfield.

Mrs. Benj. Watson and children of Hay Creek visited Mrs. Watson's sister, Mrs. Hazen Patterson, over the Fourth.

Dr. and Mrs. P. A. Schenck and Mrs. Edward Pinney were callers at the Troy Golf Club, near Detroit, last Thursday.

The fourth reunion of the Metcalf family was held July 4 at the home of Wesley Metcalf, one-half mile west of Ellington.

Mrs. Thos. Murphy left the latter part of the week for Otisville where she will visit Mrs. Wm. McGinn and Mrs. C. McLellan.

Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Brown and son, Frederick, and Mrs. Sarah E. Turner spent Sunday at the James Brown home near Greenleaf.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Cridland and daughter, Kathryn, and Miss Mildred Fritz were business callers in Bad Axe Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Hitchcock of Detroit spent a few days this week in town, the guests of Mrs. Hitchcock's sister, Mrs. A. J. Knapp.

Mrs. M. M. Schweger spent the week-end in Caro where she attended the Woman's Missionary convention of the Evangelical church.

Mrs. Geo. Cridland left this week for Detroit where she will remain for an indefinite period the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Louis Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Dailey, who have been in Oak Bluff for a few weeks, were in town Wednesday to attend the celebration of the Fourth.

Miss Jane McKichan of Detroit and Mary Jane and Robert McKichan of Lansing are spending a few days at the A. J. Knapp home this week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Heller and children, who are spending the summer months at their cottage in Bay Port, returned this week to spend the 4th in town.

H. L. Hunt and son, Louis, and daughters, Thelma and Betty, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Herr and Mrs. Julia Gay visited in Argyle and Bad Axe Sunday.

Dr. and Mrs. M. M. Wickware of Detroit spent a few days in town this week at the home of Dr. and Mrs. P. A. Schenck, previous to spending their vacation at Oak Bluff.

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Burke, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Brooker, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Bricker and Mrs. Hanson and twin daughters, spent Friday at the Brook-er cottage at Oak Bluff.

Mrs. H. Schusler, two sons and daughter of Pontiac motored here on Sunday to spend the day with E. Bearup. Dave Allen accompanied them here and will remain for two weeks.

Mrs. Anna Patterson entertained the following people Sunday: Mr. and Mrs. B. O. Watkins and son, Eldon, of Pontiac, Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Hall, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Robinson and family and Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Hall and family.

James Nesbitt has accepted a position with the Ford Garage at Marlette where he will be in charge of the battery department. He has rented a residence in that village and he and his family will move there soon. Mr. Nesbitt expects to start work there next week.

Miss Ione Striffler, who has been employed at a Lapeer pharmacy for some time, spent Friday at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Striffler. Miss Striffler expected to leave soon for Detroit where she has accepted a similar position.

The choir of the Evangelical church rendered in a very pleasing manner a special selection at the closing meeting of the convention of the Michigan branch of the Woman's Missionary Society Sunday evening at the Caro Evangelical church. The male chorus also gave evidence of their ability in an appropriate number.

Master Robert Jondro, who suffered from an attack of pneumonia following measles, has passed the danger point, so the doctors say. Mrs. J. B. Coates received word from Detroit Monday night that although the little fellow was still seriously ill, the worst point of the sickness was passed and that careful tending would probably nurse him back to health.

Mrs. Thos. Colwell was a business caller in Caro Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Higgins were callers in Jackson Sunday.

Dan Douglass of Detroit spent a few days with friends this week.

The home of C. L. Graham on Third St. is being redecorated within.

Dr. and Mrs. P. A. Schenck and family visited relatives in Saginaw Sunday.

James A. Brackenbury left for Detroit this week where he will spend some time.

The front of the C. D. Striffler store has been much improved by a coat of paint.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. McIntyre of Deford visited relatives in town Sunday afternoon.

Miss Wilma Striffler spent the week-end with her aunt, Mrs. C. W. Clark, in Caro.

J. D. DeLong, who is employed at Flint, spent the Fourth of July with friends in town.

Mr. and Mrs. James Doerr and children of Sandusky called on relatives in town Sunday.

Miss Eva Brackenbury, who is employed at Detroit, visited at her home here over the Fourth.

Leslie Townsend, who is employed at Detroit, spent a few days at his home here this week.

Leonard Striffler, who is employed at Detroit, spent a few days this week at his home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Hall of Detroit were guests the first of the week at the home of Orris Reid.

Clark Knapp, who has been visiting relatives in Kalamazoo for a few weeks, has returned home.

The Misses Bernice and Fern Wager and Annabel McRae were business callers in Caro Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Nathan and family of Pontiac visited at the home of Mrs. Sarah McWebb here Sunday.

Miss Violet Elliott of Elkton, former teacher of English in the Cass City schools, was a caller in town Sunday.

Miss Margaret McKenzie of Kalamazoo has come to spend some time at the home of her aunt, Mrs. A. J. Knapp.

Miss Jane Campbell, who is attending the Port Huron business college, is spending this week in town, the guest of friends.

Mrs. Flora Donahue, who has been spending some time with relatives here, returned to her home in Bad Axe last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas Melick and little daughter, Catherine, called in Harbor Beach, Pt. Hope, Kinde and Soultstown Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clark Bixby and daughter, Veda, spent Sunday with relatives in Gagetown. Dave Montgomery of Caro accompanied them.

Rev. and Mrs. O. Y. Schneider and two daughters of Petosky spent a few days this week at the home of their daughter, Mrs. S. A. Striffler.

Mrs. C. L. Stoner and daughter, Marie, of Flint motored here last week to spend a few days with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Smith.

Mrs. G. A. Tindale and daughters, Dorothy and Harriet, and the Misses Marion and Catherine Wallace spent a few days last week camping at Caseville.

Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Livingston and children of Harbor Beach, who are known to many Cass City people, started this week on a motor trip to New York state.

Wm. Jondro and daughter, Margaret, were called Saturday to Detroit by the serious illness of little Robert, who is suffering from a relapse after the measles.

Miss Addie Gallagher, who has been teaching in the schools of Detroit, has returned here to spend some time at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Gallagher.

Master William Ruhl may now be seen riding through the streets in a new buggy drawn by a Shetland pony which has caused some commotion not only in the Ruhl household but throughout the town, for every person on the street is treated to an unusual ride.

CANBORO.

The farmers are haying again. Mrs. Emma Leslie of Detroit is visiting at the B. Libkuman home. Mrs. A. Libkuman is about the same; not much improvement.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Etsel and children and Mr. and Mrs. Gus Book of Sheridan autored to Detroit Sunday to visit relatives for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Jarvis and children and Mr. and Mrs. James Uptogrove spent Sunday at Weil.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Jarvis and daughter were callers in Elkton Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Anderson and son, Homer, of Harbor Beach, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Warrington of Oliver, and Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Parker and daughter of West Grant were callers at the Wm. Parker, sr., home Sunday.

No teacher has been engaged yet for the Canboro school.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Libkuman, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Jarvis and children, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Parker, Oscar Sharr and daughter, Miss Pearl, Henry Melendorf, and Mr. and Mrs. Jay Andrews were some of the callers in Elkton Saturday evening.

SHABBONA.

Crops are looking fine since the recent showers.

Henry McLaren and family of Port Huron visited from Saturday until Sunday with relatives here.

The McLaren family reunion was held at the home of Avon Boag last Wednesday.

Mrs. Earl Fulcher and daughter, Nora, spent Friday with her parents here.

Mrs. D. McNiven visited friends at Brown City last week.

Altha Chapman of Cass City spent the week-end with her sister, Mrs. H. Gregory.

Beatrice Harms went to Mt. Pleasant last week where she has employment.

Mrs. H. Fleming and son, Robert, returned to their home in Detroit on Sunday.

Hazel Leslie attended the Epworth League convention held at Albion last week.

Ellen Parrott is entertaining the mumps.

Strawberries were not as good a crop as expected.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Darling of Uby were callers in this vicinity Saturday. Frederick Ehlers is visiting his grandmother, Mrs. George Gotham.

Alex Lindsay took charge of the services Sunday evening during the absence of the pastor. Clark Phillips will conduct the services next Sunday morning.

John Lorentzen of Sandusky visited his father, Andrew Lorentzen, Sunday evening.

Mrs. J. B. Proctor of Pontiac was the guest of Mrs. Matilda Jones for the week.

Ardis Neville of Minden City is spending the week at the home of her uncle, J. P. Neville.

W. W. Auslander and Mrs. Adolf Auslander and Mrs. C. Wilcox of Muskegon were Sunday afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Krause of Snover.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hyatt and son of Flint visited the week-end at the homes of Paul Auslander and Nelson Hyatt.

Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Muck and daughter, Madeline, of Colwood were callers at the J. P. Neville home Sunday.

The Misses Lillian and Maud Davidson and W. W. Auslander motored to Port Huron Thursday, where the former took the afternoon train for their home in Buffalo. Mr. Auslander returned home Friday.

Mrs. C. Wilcox returned to her home in Muskegon Monday having spent the past week with relatives here.

CENTRAL GREENLEAF.

Mrs. Stone of Sandusky is caring for her sister, Mrs. Fred White.

Farmers are busy haying these days.

Mrs. Jas. Knight expects to raise their barn some time this month.

Eleanor Jones of Detroit visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jones, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Flint and daughter, June, and Roy McCaslin of Pontiac spent Sunday at Fred McCaslin's. Charles and Maurice Wright are employed at John Seeger's.

Mr. and Mrs. George Kivel of Port Huron visited Eugene Otis last week.

Fred White is on the gain. We hope to soon see him out again.

NOVESTA CORNERS.

Haying just nicely begun.

Miss Nora Moshier attended tent meetings at Owosso for several days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Patch, Jr., entertained relatives from Oregon and Ohio Tuesday evening and Wednesday of last week.

The Bullock reunion was held Wednesday, June 27th, at the George Collins home. About 125 were present and reports are a good time for all.

Mrs. Doris Hunter is rejoicing over the arrival of a ten pound boy on June 27th. Mother and babe are doing fine.

Miss Nora Moshier spent Saturday night and Sunday with her sister, Mrs. John Kitchen.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Benedict of Royal Oak were Sunday callers at the E. Biddle home.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Perry and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Perry spent Sunday at their parental home here. Mrs. Frank Perry remained for an indefinite time.

ELKLAND ELMWOOD TOWN LINE

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Livingston of Caro were callers in this vicinity on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Butler and family spent Sunday at the Chas. Beach home.

Miss Maxine Livingston of Gagetown spent Sunday at her home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Evans and family motored to Pontiac Friday and spent the week-end at the A. L. Ewald home.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Reid and son, Alvin, and Mr. and Mrs. A. Phelps of Detroit motored to this vicinity Sat-

urday calling on relatives and friends. They returned to their home Sunday accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Geitgey.

We have a new milk hauler through this vicinity—Mr. Fisher of Gagetown.

Miss Mildred Lounsbury, who is spending the summer with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. T. Lounsbury, of Cass City is visiting this week at the home of her uncle, Calvin Hiser.

Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Milligan and family are enjoying riding in a new Ford touring car which they have purchased.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Summers of Cass City spent Monday at the home of their daughter, Mrs. Colon Bingham. Mr. Summers is helping Mr. Bingham with haying.

Glen Reid of Detroit motored to his parental home here Friday to spend a few days.

Mr. and I. K. Reid accompanied Mr. and Mrs. J. F. on their trip to Pontiac.

Strawberries have been selling for 10c but have now raised to 15c. They were a good crop in this locality.

NOVESTA.

Much needed rain on July 1st.

The Wiltse bridge gang are putting in bridges on the Holcomb drain.

Stuart Henderson went to Pontiac on Wednesday for a short visit.

Mr. and Mrs. George McArthur and Mrs. Park Wagg and son went to Pontiac on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Henderson and family and Mr. and Mrs. George Barker were visitors Sunday afternoon at the A. H. Henderson home.

While drawing in hay on their farm five miles south and ¼ mile east of Cass City, on Monday evening, Mrs. Jacob Mackie was seriously injured.

As we heard it, Mrs. Mackie was on the load; the team, one being a colt, became frightened and ran away. Mrs. Mackie was thrown from the load and suffered broken ribs and other injuries, the extent of which have not been determined. The advanced age of Mrs. Mackie, being 68 years, makes recovery seem doubtful.

DEFORD.

The W. C. T. U. meets with Mrs. C. J. Malcolm Thursday afternoon, July 12. Everyone invited.

CASS CITY MARKETS.

Cass City, Mich., July 5, 1923.

Baying Price—	
Mixed wheat, bu	.....99
Oats, bu	.....38
Rye, bu	.....55
Barley, bu	.....2.00
Corn, shelled, bu. (56 lbs.)	.....90
Peas, bu	.....1.25
Beans, cwt	.....1.50
Baled hay, ton	.....7.00 9.00
Wool	.....30 40
Eggs, dozen	.....18
Butter, lb	.....30
Cattle	.....5 6
Calves, live weight	.....7 9
Hogs, live weight, per lb	.....64
Hens	.....14 18
Broilers	.....21 34
Stags	.....8
Ducks	.....16
Geese	.....10
Turkeys	.....20
Hides	.....5

Bibie Thoughts for the Week

Sunday.

GOD'S RESPONSE.—If my people, which are called by thy name, shall humble themselves, and pray, and seek my face, and turn from their wicked ways; then will I hear from heaven, and will forgive their sin, and will heal their land.—II Chronicles 7:14.

Monday.

THE REAL TEST.—Is it not to deal thy bread to the hungry, and that thou bring the poor that are cast out to thy house? when thou seest the naked, that thou cover him; and that thou hide not thyself from thine own flesh?—Isaiah 58:7.

Tuesday.

GRACE AND PEACE.—The Lord make his face shine upon thee, and be gracious unto thee: the Lord lift up his countenance upon thee, and give thee peace.—Numbers 6:25, 26.

Wednesday.

FREE FROM WANT.—The Lord is my shepherd; I shall not want.—Psalm 23:1.

Thursday.

GOD LOVES THE GOOD.—Truly God is good to Israel, even to such as are of a clean heart.—Psalm 73:1.

POULTRY



MAKE SUCCESS WITH GEESSE

Goslings Month Old Are Hardest of Fowls—Grass in Nation is Most Important.

After goslings are a month old they are among the hardest of fowls, but they are rather delicate at first and should have careful attention. The main thing is to keep them warm and dry the first few weeks, feeding them a little at a time and often—say four or five times a day. One of the best rations on which to start goslings is a mixture of corn meal and shorts, mixed with bread or cracker crumbs, hard boiled eggs chopped fine, etc.

It is also a good plan to provide some tender grass as a relish right from the start. The goose is essentially a grazing bird, hence grass in its ration is quite important at all times. Other grain food, along with meat scraps, should be added to the ration gradually as the goslings grow.

Most people keep goslings in small movable runs for the first two weeks, so they can't run wild but can be moved to fresh ground each day where they can pick grass and bugs. The extent of this ranging space can be gradually increased until the goslings are a month old, then they should be turned out on free range where they will find lots of pasturage to make rapid growth.

Geesse do not have to have water to swim in, but at the same time they get lots of enjoyment from it. If a small stream or pond cannot be provided, then it is quite essential that the fowls have an abundant supply of good drinking water, which they consume freely.

After goslings are turned on pasture, if the grass is in good condition, it is not necessary to feed them grain more than twice a day at first and later once a day. The first object should be to get as large a growth of frame as possible. Let fat come last. To build frame requires lots of grass, bugs and worms, and grains like oats and buckwheat that are not especially fattening.

As fall approaches and the grass begins to fail, corn should be substituted for one of the other grains as it is more fattening. Starting at least a month before the holiday selling season, the geese we want to sell on market are fed all they will eat of a mixture of corn and oats at first and corn alone later. In fitting geese for market it is hardly possible to make them too fat, as extreme fatness has no bad effect upon their table qualities and therefore most people want lots of it.—Farm Life.

GEESSE AND CHICKENS MIXED

Fowls Do Not Breed Very Well Together—Supply of Clean Water Is Important.

Geesse and chickens do not breed very successfully together. As is well known, geese like to dig around in the dirt and then wash their faces in every pail of water that is placed in the yard for the poultry. The geese will soon empty the pails by dipping their heads deeply in the water and throwing it over their backs until the pails contain only a few inches of dirty water. A steady supply of clean water is important for growing chickens so the geese become a nuisance in the enclosure.

Geesse will often drive the poultry away from the dry mash hoppers. As the profit in geese depends on raising them on a cheap ration largely composed of grass it does not pay to feed them much mash during the summer.

The best place for geese is a field near a pond. This gives the birds plenty of water. They do not need a body of water but it saves the work of carrying a lot of drinking water if the geese have their own supply for washing in.

POULTRY POINTS

Cull your flocks as many times as possible during the year.

Drafts in the poultry houses mean colds and colds mean less eggs.

Chicks in the habit of receiving good, fresh milk each day, are very apt to develop some digestive troubles if old milk—milk that is beginning to turn—is given them.

Americans are eating more poultry every year. Farmers may yet find that the hennery department is among the most profitable. Start with a standard breed rooster and breed up the flock.

Lack of suitable equipment is one of the main reasons why mediocre success is experienced in raising chicks.

Newly-hatched chicks should not have any feed for 36 hours after hatching, and in most cases 48 hours is better.

To get eggs in abundance, it is necessary not only to place feed in the hen house but to get it into the hen's crop in the right proportion for manufacture of eggs.

GOOD QUALITY SIRE OF BIG IMPORTANCE

Influence of Male Is Greater Than That of Female.

Figures Collected by Department of Agriculture Show Economy of Beginning Improvement With Use of Purebred Sires.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

Although the sire and the dam contribute equally to the heredity of an animal, the influence of the sire in a herd or flock is much greater than any one of the females because in practically all cases a sire is the parent of a much larger number of offspring than the dam.

Figures kept by the United States Department of Agriculture, representing the proportion of males to females on more than 8,900 farms in 46 states, show that the male has from 13 to 30 times more influence than the female, among all classes of animals, in determining the character of the offspring.

These ratios are based on more than a million head of breeding stock listed with the department in the "Better Sires—Better Stock" campaign.

The figures show that on the average farm where purebred sires only are kept, there is one bull to 18 cows; one stallion to nearly 20 mares; one boar to 13 sows; one ram to nearly 30 ewes; one buck to 25 does; and one rooster to 21 hens. These figures show at once the economy of beginning improvement in animal breeding with the use of purebred sires.

The history of the nation-wide movement for better live stock shows, however, that the use of purebred females quickly follows the use of purebred males. More than one-third of the female live stock and more than two-thirds of the female poultry listed in the better-sires campaign are themselves purebreds. This promises much more rapid improvement in the quality of the country's live stock than if purebred sires alone were used.

PURCHASING POWER GOES UP

Agriculture Continues on Mend Financially According to Index Figures Just Released.

Agriculture continues financially on the mend according to Department of Agriculture index figures just released. The index number of the purchasing power of farm products in terms of other commodities that farmers buy is placed at 68 for December, as compared with 66 for November. The average for the year is 69, compared with 67 in 1921, and with 86 in 1920.

The improved condition for December is brought about by an increase of 5 points in the index number of the average farm prices of ten leading crops, and a decrease of 1 point in the prices of commodities, excluding farm and food products, that farmers buy.

For the year the average farm prices of ten leading crops is given an index number of 113 as compared with 109 in 1921 and with 238 in 1920. The average farm price for the year of live stock is placed at 111 compared with 107 in 1921 and with 168 in 1920. The average index number of prices of commodities other than farm products which farmers buy is placed at 103 for 1922 compared with 161 in 1921 and with 234 in 1920.

MAKING HONEY FROM HUBAM

Iowa Specialist Says It Is of Excellent Quality and Has Fine Color and Body.

Hubam, the annual sweet clover developed at the Iowa experiment station, is the best of the sweet clovers for honey production, according to W. A. Jenkins, apiarist, of Shenandoah, Ia. He says that the honey made from Hubam is of excellent quality and has a fine color and body.

Mr. Jenkins planted some Hubam in 1921 and has found that it keeps blooming from June until frost comes, and that it gives bees something to work on when other clover is gone. Forty-four hives of bees owned by Mr. Jenkins made a total of 4,362 pounds of honey from Hubam clover during the period from July 25 until the end of the season last year. During 1922 he got practically as good results.

TIMOTHY AND SWEET CLOVER

When Grown Together Will Make More Per Acre and Is an Advantage in Curing Later.

Timothy and sweet clover grown together will make still more per acre and is an advantage in curing the sweet clover. To cure sweet clover hay well it should be stirred often and never allowed to sunburn. Sweet clover and alsike make a still richer feed when grown together, but this mixture is harder to cure.

Sandy Loam for Garden.
The garden soil is of great importance. However, the soil can be made if you have a good site. A rich sandy loam is best for the garden. The lighter sandy soil is best in which to plant the earlier vegetables.

Seed Testing Worth While.
When testing seed requires so little work it seems as if every farmer would take the trouble to find out whether the seed which he intends to put in the ground is really worth the effort which he is expending.

DAIRY FACTS

SUPERIOR SIRES HELP DAIRY

Improvement Means Mating of Females Already in Herd With Purebred Bulls.

In most cases dairy herd improvement must mean the mating of such females as are already in the herd with a superior male, says the New York State College of Agriculture at Ithaca. If the superior characters in the sire are more likely to be transmitted than the less desirable ones in the dams, the sire's more desirable qualities will predominate in the daughters.

One of the most outstanding examples of what a good sire can do in a purebred herd is in the case of Embagard Tritoma Homestead. This bull, still unproved, was purchased in 1911 by the University of Illinois, but his ancestors had been excellent as producers or as transmitters of production. The first ten daughters of this bull to freshen gave as two-year-olds an average increased production over that of their dams of 3,907.7 pounds of milk and 160.65 pounds of butterfat.

The value of good purebred sires in grading up scrub or grade cows was shown at the Iowa State college in an experiment starting in 1907. Native scrub cattle from Arkansas were graded up through the continuous use of purebred sires. The granddaughters had an average increase of 4,471.7 pounds of milk and 186.60 pounds of butterfat over their scrub dams.

FALL CALVES ARE PREFERRED

Young Animal Develops Sufficiently During Winter to Get Some Good From Pasture.

With many farmers it is the practice to have the cows freshen in the spring. There is much to be said in favor of fall-calving. In a fall-calving schedule, there is usually more available help for caring for the calf and it gets better attention during the first few months of its life. The fall calf is kept in the barn and is more constantly under the observation of the caretaker, so that any disturbance is much more likely to be detected.

During the winter months the calf develops sufficiently so that by the following spring, it is old enough to get some good from the pasture. A six-months-old calf cannot, however, depend entirely on pasture for its feed. Flies and hot weather are particularly bad for the little calf and spring calves suffer a great deal because of them.

It requires a great deal of care and attention to give the calf a proper start. Such attention is seldom given when the crops are being put in and cultivated. There are other practical advantages of fall freshening which do not directly affect the calf. The dairy farmer can usually plan his breeding so that the majority of his calves will be dropped at the most favorable season of the year.

DETERMINE VALUE OF BULL

Do Not Send Animal to Butcher Until He Has Had Chance to Prove Himself.

It is a mistake to dispose of a bull that has any prospects whatever until his true value is determined by his progeny. Many a dairy bull has gone to the block only for it to be found later on that some of his daughters are making fine records. You cannot tell much about the record of a bull until he is about five years old, and he has to be about seven years old before much can be told of his breeding qualities. Do not butcher an animal that may be the making of your herd, until he has had a fair chance to prove himself.

ESSENTIAL TO MILK COW DRY

Pays to Spend Few Minutes in Stripping Udder to Make Sure of Getting All Milk.

Milking cows dry is essential. When milk is left in the udder after each milking, the glands will gradually slow up on secreting milk and ultimately the cow will dry up. It pays to spend a few extra minutes stripping the udder to make certain that all the milk has been extracted.

ROOTS DESIRABLE FOR COWS

Greatest Objection to Mangels Is Amount of Labor Involved in Harvesting.

Mangels or roots make a very desirable feed for dairy cows. The greatest objection is the labor involved in growing, harvesting and storing them. This renders them more expensive than silage and for this reason they are seldom grown in large quantities where it is practical to build silos and fill them with a satisfactory crop.

Pigs Require Good Care.
It isn't the number of pigs that are farrowed so much as the number saved that counts. The first ten days in a pig's life are the most critical. Give both sow and her litter special attention then.

Benefits From Cows.
Cows earn while they are making the soil richer. During the bad weather when farmers cannot work in the field they may feed and milk cows and thus receive wages for their labor in addition to improving the soil.

GAGETOWN NEWS

Mrs. Ray DeCorte and family of Saginaw are visiting friends here.

Ina and Iva Crawford spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Profit.

Miss Aggie Quinn of Detroit is spending a few days at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Quinn.

Mr. and Mrs. James Hooks and children of Detroit are at the home of his sister, Mrs. Jos. McDermit.

Mrs. N. C. Maynard and daughter, Barbara, left Monday for Milan to spend a few weeks with the former's mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Hall and children of Detroit are spending a few days at the home of Mrs. H's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Barney Dolwick.

Mrs. L. Facer of Detroit is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Devillo Burton.

Celia Glougie of Gaylord is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. McGuire Glougie.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Wilson and family were callers in town Saturday.

Miss Beatrice McConkey is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry McConkey.

Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Yoemans, Jr., were business callers in Caro Saturday.

Miss Nellie Muntz of Pontiac is visiting at the home of Lloyd McGinn.

Mrs. Grace Hurd Rice and little daughter of Pontiac are visiting the former's sister, Mrs. Clarence Brandon.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Lloyd and son, Floyd, of Pontiac were callers in town Thursday.

Lloyd McGinn is the owner of a Chevrolet sedan.

Hiram Yoeman, sr., had a slight stroke Wednesday but is recovering splendidly.

Mrs. Mose Karr was a business caller in Cass City Wednesday.

Miss Ella Wickson of Detroit is visiting her sister, Mrs. Wm. Commet.

Mrs. Wales and Mrs. Ella Hooks of Owendale spent Wednesday with Mrs. Joe McDermit.

Miss Elsie Barnes spent Thursday afternoon with Miss Helen High.

Mrs. Thos. Fournier of Pontiac is visiting relatives of this place.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hurd left Saturday for Pontiac to attend a reunion.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Loomis and Mr. and Mrs. John Profit were callers in Bad Axe Sunday.

Mr. Dennis of Caro is visiting his daughter, Mrs. Emerson Butler.

James Kehoe of Detroit spent Sunday with his family here.

Miss Dena Wald passed away Sunday evening.

Harve Krug spent Sunday with his family.

Mr. and Mrs. Angus Crawford, Ina and Iva and Alex, Miss Florence Purdy and Clinton Socley were Sunday callers at Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Profit's.

Miss Myrtle Crawford is attending Mt. Pleasant summer normal.

Mrs. Jos. Trudeau has returned from Canada.

Master Francis Hunter, Leslie Munro and Frederick Hemerick left Sunday for Rose Island where they expect to camp out for three weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Summers from Cass City visited Friday in town.

Mr. and Mrs. Angus McCarthy visited Friday in Cass City.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Spring of Detroit spent Sunday the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd McGinn.

Kenneth Walsh and Jack Murphy have secured positions in Detroit.

Miss Ethel Carson has been rehired as second grade teacher in the Unionville school.

Miss Lucile Bartholomy spent Sunday with Nina Munro.

Ray J. Ottaway of Owendale spent Sunday at the home of his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Williamson of Grant entertained a company of young people Wednesday evening.

Olin Thompson has a radio installed in his home.

Ed. Rockeyfellow owns a motherly rooster that set on a nest of eggs. Twelve chickens were hatched and three more chickens were added to his flock. He clucks and cares for them the same as a mother hen.

Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Hunter, Mrs. Alfred Stryhn and Mrs. Proudfoot were Sunday callers at Mrs. Tressa Wald's.

Miss Mary Fuller of Caro was a Sunday guest at J. L. Purdy's home.

J. L. Purdy and daughters were callers in Caro Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Wallace and children were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Wallace Sunday.

Clinton McGinn of Pontiac is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. McGinn.

Miss Mae Toohy is visiting in Detroit.

Miss Carolyn Purdy entertained a

company of friends at her home one evening last week.

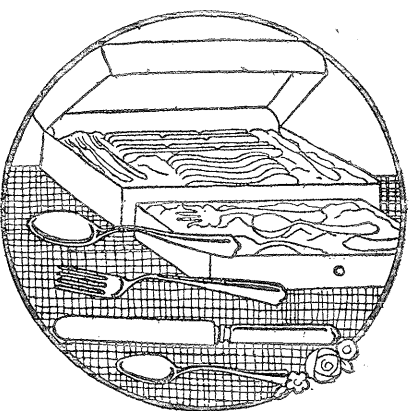
Miss Pauline Hunter is visiting relatives in Saginaw.

Mr. Lockwood of Caro transacted business in town last week.

Miss Hilda Schramm of Mt. Clemens and Miss Pauline Norton of Grand Rapids have returned to their respective homes after a week's visit at the home of Frankie Beckett.

You May Not Have Known.
If the scale of the universe were reduced 5,000,000,000,000 times, the distance from the earth to the sun would be represented by one inch and the distance of one light year would be about one mile.

Wagner Grand March.
It is not generally known that the Grand March in Act 2 of "Tannhaeuser" was improvised by Wagner in a cab, and not at first meant for the famous opera at all, but a greeting to a German prince who had safely arrived home.



Gifts for Weddings

In our attractive array of Wedding Gifts you will see many suggestions for the Gifts you wish to make.

Our prices are very moderate for the quality of each item offered.

A. H. Higgins

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One complete Threshing Outfit

Consisting of one fifteen-horse traction engine; also grain separator, water tank and truck and silo filler, all complete and in good shape at a price which is less than one-third of original cost.

For information enquire of

MAYNARD DELONG, Novesta

ROBERT WARNER

Mgr. Cass City Oil & Gas Co.

Notice to Stockholders

All stockholders of The Cass City Oil and Gas Co. are earnestly requested to attend our annual meeting which will be held at B. L. Middleton's Theater on

Thursday Evening, July 12

AT 8:30 P. M.

We have business of importance to discuss, and we will give you a general review of the two years business and will endeavor to answer all questions and read you a clean report of all moneys received and paid out. Come one and all and make this meeting a grand success.

Cass City Oil & Gas Co.

Robert Warner, Manager

DEFORD NEWS

Edward Hartwick of Royal Oak visits in this locality.

Many prepare to be at Cass City on Independence Day.

Mr. Shaw on Church St. is in poor health.

R. Kennedy has sweet corn knee high on July 1st. Good for this year.

Mrs. Mary Spencer visited Mrs. Alice Curtis Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Riker and Mrs. Croop spent Sunday at Oxford.

Don Nutt has bloating attacks that are serious.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacoby went to Caro Sunday to see sick kindred.

Robert Orr of Lansing, cousin of Mrs. R. D. Lewis, called on her Sunday.

Kindred from Caro visited at R. D. Lewis' Sunday.

Mr. Bohms entertained friends from Imlay City on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Malcolm is at Pontiac attending the Hoofman and Duffes reunion which is of Mrs. Malcolm's side of the house. They will wait to hear the Pontiac eagle scream, then return.

Lewis Locke and sister, Edythe, of Imlay City visited Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Patterson.

Miss McMonagle of Imlay City visited at Merchant Patterson's Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. G. Smith of Marlette spent Sunday at E. L. Patterson's.

C. J. Malcolm visits friends in Pontiac.

William Cooper does not gain in strength of limbs as he should. Not seriously ill otherwise.

He that hath two coats let him impart to him that hath none. Luke 3-11.

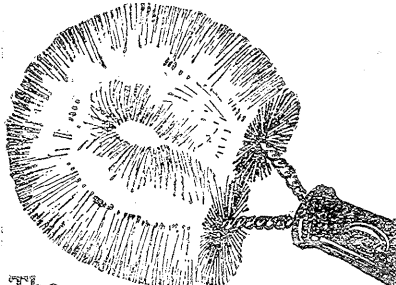
Mr. Douglass of Detroit, former owner of the William Cooper 40 in Novesta, is here to spend Independence Day.

Rev. Oscar Beeden, now located in suburbs of Detroit, passed through Deford past week. He was called to tie a legal knot on Town-line south-east of here in which Miss Goldie Martin, daughter of Geo. and Genie Martin, was one of the contracting parties. Bro. Beeden's time was limited or he would have called on all who were here 14 years ago when he was our beloved pastor.

Senator Cousins wants six per cent beer and "Alcohol Smith" of New York wants Irish whiskey which is ninety per cent alcohol. Shall we go back on judgment of our great men?

FREE!

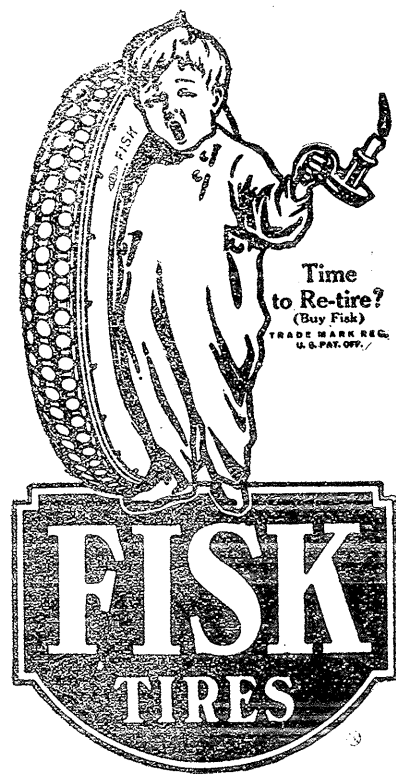
to every housewife when I call



The Fuller Handy Brush

I am the "Fuller Man". Watch for me when I call, or send for me to come any day you wish.

M. P. KARR, Cass City.



FISK TIRES



Sunburned? MENTHOLUM cools and soothes the parched skin.

Yet it seems hard to please them.

Friends from here gave Miss Maud Quinn of "Kazoo" a post card showing Friday. Her health seems to improve.

Scaffold at the Webster cottage in process of erecting slid down but did not injure the sprightly occupants, who were a lively little wood butcher from Wilmet and Joe McCracken, known as Longfellow, but not the poet.

No man can demonstrate who his friends are in prosperity. 'Tis the fellow creature that moves closer to the unfortunate when poverty grips, that is a friend. The market of the world is overstocked with make-believe friendship.

Charles Tedford has a new car, Buick No. 6.

Carload of cattle shipped from here Saturday by firm of Henry and Wentworth. Will ship here every two weeks if can get the goods.

James Valentine was a caller in town on the 27th.

Item in regard to F. Terry's absence here should read 25 instead of 5 years.

E. R. Bruce is moving beet families from point to point.

Thrashing machine passed through Friday. Aren't much behind Kansas. Gage street is being improved to the north.

Our two new cottages are being painted—Mae Bruce's white trimmed with brown; Mae Webster's brown trimmed with white. Which strikes your fancy best?

Big Roderick Kennedy complains of poor health.

If all chicks live we have started in the burg this year, next season all can have an egg for breakfast and enough will remain to supply Detroit trucksters that call on us for hen fruit.

Herbert Frutchey of Gaines was in town on the 26th touching palms with old acquaintances.

We haven't got wealth enough to be a statesman but if Russia as she advertises can export three million tons of wheat and then comes around calling for famine relief, we have got head enough to know they are having sport with us.

The young bloods fly through our burg as if trying to burn up the road and that's why we must have village laws to hold the youth in check. His crazy speed is not necessary for if you follow him to see what use he makes of time he has saved, you find him on the lounge while father and mother are working to get the youth eatables.

Clarence Chadwick is east of Snover boring down in the bowels of the earth that that people may have pure water.

CASS CITY HAPPENINGS

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

Items from the Cass City Enterprise of July 7, 1898.

Miss Belle McKenzie has signed a contract to teach the Caseville schools next year.

Miss Grace Striffler of Argyle is visiting friends in town.

Marc Wickware returned from Oxford Tuesday where he has been visiting relatives.

Members of the Cass City Summer Home are preparing to enter upon camp life. The club sailboat has been undergoing repairs and improvements at H. S. Wickware's shop and is now in first class shape for the summer's cruise.

At the business meeting of the Young People's Alliance held Tuesday evening, the following officers were chosen to serve the following six months: President, Mrs. S. Benkelman; vice president, Miss Anna Klump; rec. sec., Miss Kate Zinnecker; cor. sec., Miss Lena Helwig; treas., Miss Martha Striffler; organist, Miss Laura Klump.

Henry Wettlaufer of Grant township yesterday completed the purchase of the Ed. Weaver Estate lying north of Sanilac (or Church) St. at the west end. The deal was made through I. B. Auten of the Cass City Bank. Mr. Wettlaufer will probably build a house at once and make various other improvements. We shall be happy to welcome him as a neighbor.

Another important business change has taken place in our midst. A. W. Seed, who has conducted a pharmacy for some 14 years in the Lamont block, north side of Main St., has disposed of his entire stock to Amos Bond of Fairgrove, who is a thorough and practical pharmacist. He has conducted a drug business at Fairgrove for several years and has the advantage of being acquainted in this vicinity, as his relatives live east of town. Through the transaction, Mr. Bond will also become local manager of the Moore telephone exchange. Mr. Seed has not definitely decided what line of work he will take up but feels the need of a change after so many years close attention to business.

C. Schwaderer informs us that he has a patch of corn four feet in height that is now in silk and tasseled out.

BEAULEY.

Delayed letter.

Mrs. W. J. Moore made a business trip to Saginaw Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Hoffman and children, Gerald and Gordon, arrived from Long Beach, California, Friday evening. They came by auto and enjoyed the trip. Their friends are glad to see them looking so well after an absence of nearly five years. Glen is a booster for California.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Moore and children and Mrs. C. W. Hartzell spent the week end in Lapeer City visiting their sister and family. Miss Doris and Master Paul stayed for a week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Moore spent Sunday at the Claud Hinman home near Unionville. Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Pallady and children, Naoma and Jack, accompanied them home, returning to their home in East Lansing Monday. Mr. Pallady's family intend going to California this fall to make their home.

C. E. Hartzell and family spent Sunday in Cass City at the T. H. Wallace home.

We were sorry to hear of Mrs. Neiman's illness. Hope that she will be well again.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Reader and family called on Miss Mae Jordan at the Bad Axe hospital Sunday. Miss Jordan's friends will be glad when she is able to return home again. She has been there nearly two months.

Allan Heron leaves for Lapeer City where he will stay till after July 4.

ELMWOOD.

Delayed letter.

Mrs. Fred Stull of Flint met with a painful accident at the home of

FORECLOSURE SALE.

Default having been made in the payment of money due on a certain mortgage, bearing date the third day of March, A. D. 1911, made and executed by W. H. Anderson and Annie M. Anderson, his wife, to E. G. White and recorded in the Register of Deeds' office of the County of Tuscola, Michigan, in liber 104 of mortgages, on page 539, that default has also been made in the payment of taxes assessed against the said mortgaged premises and secured by said mortgage and there is claimed to be due upon said mortgage at the date of this notice the sum of seven hundred fourteen dollars and five cents.

Now therefore, by reason of said defaults said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises described in said mortgage at the front door of the court house, in the Village of Caro, Tuscola County, Michigan, at public auction or vendue, to the highest bidder, on the twentieth day of August, A. D. 1923, at one o'clock in the afternoon. The said mortgaged premises are described in said mortgage substantially as follows, to-wit: all that certain piece or parcel of land, situated and being in the Township of Novesta, in the County of Tuscola, and state of Michigan, known and described as follows, to-wit: the Northeast Quarter of the Northeast Quarter of Section number twenty-one in Township number thirteen North, Range eleven East. The said mortgaged premises will be sold as aforesaid to satisfy the amount due on said mortgage and the costs of foreclosure.

Dated May 22, A. D. 1923.

E. G. White, Mortgagee.

J. D. Brooker, Attorney for Mortgagee.

Business address, Cass City, Mich. 5-25-13

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Dated this 22nd day of May, A. D. 1923.

Pinney State Bank of Cass City, Assignee of Mortgage.

J. D. Brooker, Attorney for Assignee of Mortgage.

Business Address, Cass City, Michigan. 5-25-13

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

at the close of business June 23, 1923, as called for by the Commissioner of the Banking Department.

RESOURCES

LOANS AND DISCOUNTS, viz:

a Unsecured 177,476.96

b Items in Transit 2,800.00

Totals 180,276.96

BONDS, MORTGAGES AND SECURITIES, viz:

a Real Estate Mortgages 7,900.00

b Municipal Bonds in Office 68,287.50

c Municipal Bonds Pledged 20,000.00

g Other Bonds 7,900.00

Totals \$ 7,900.00

RESERVES, viz:

Due from Banks in Reserve Cities 31,690.52

U. S. Bonds and Certificates of Indebtedness carried as legal reserve in Savings Dept. only.... 10,600.00

Total cash on hand 6,200.35

Totals \$ 37,890.87

COMBINED ACCOUNTS, viz:

Overdrafts 794.90

Banking House 4,500.00

Furniture and Fixtures 2,200.00

Customers' Bonds Deposited with Bank for Safekeeping 10,650.00

Total \$ 343,100.23

LIABILITIES.

Capital Stock paid in 40,000.00

Surplus Fund 3,000.00

Undivided Profits, net 2,953.74

COMMERCIAL DEPOSITS, viz:

Commercial Deposits Subject to Check 72,174.01

Demand Certificates of Deposit.. 123,530.35

d Checks 120.00

e's Checks 52.50

St. Moneys on Deposit..... 10,000.00

Totals \$ 205,876.86

SAVINGS DEPOSITS, viz:

Book Accounts—Subject to Savings By-Laws 80,619.63

Totals \$ 80,619.63

Customers' Bonds Deposited with Bank for Safekeeping 10,650.00

Total \$ 343,100.23

State of Michigan, County of Tuscola, ss.

I, M. B. Auten, Vice President 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.

M. B. AUTEN, Vice President.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 2nd day of July, 1923.

C. M. Wallace, Notary Public.

My commission expires June 22, 1926.

Correct Attest:

G. A. Tindale, A. J. Knapp, B. F. Benkelman, Directors.

Charles Seekings Tuesday afternoon. As she was descending the porch steps, she fell and broke her leg just above the ankle. The accident was an unfortunate ending to a pleasant visit between the two families. Mr. Stull and Mr. Seekings were boyhood chums and this was Mr. Stull's first visit to his boyhood home in 14 years. After a physician attended the injuries, the party drove to Unionville to the home of relatives.

Roscoe and Eleanor Hallock of Detroit are guests at the home of their uncle, Fred Hallock.

Mr. and Mrs. John Noble of Detroit visited Mrs. Smith's parental home Sunday.

John Simmons lost a valuable cow

Quick Verdict

Daughter—"Father, I've got to

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

at the close of business June 23, 1923, as called for by the Commissioner of the Banking Department.

RESOURCES

LOANS AND DISCOUNTS, viz:

a Secured by collateral 1,422.74

b Unsecured 62,382.47

c Items in Transit 9,208.87

Totals \$ 73,014.08

BONDS, MORTGAGES AND SECURITIES, viz:

a Real Estate Mortgages 23,184.60

d U. S. Bonds and Certificates of Indebtedness in Office 15,500.00

f War Savings and Thrift Stamps 5.00

g Other Bonds 73,256.82

Totals \$ 96,421.42

RESERVES, viz:

Due from Federal Reserve Bank. 14,470.20

Due from Banks in Reserve Cities 32,089.56

Exchanges for clearing house... 554.78

Total cash on hand..... 3,629.93

Totals \$ 50,744.47

COMBINED ACCOUNTS, viz:

Overdrafts 1,521.61

Banking House 6,150.00

Furniture and Fixtures 2,850.00

Other Real Estate 737.00

Customers' Bonds Deposited with Bank for Safekeeping 22,600.00

Stock of Federal Reserve Bank.. 1,650.00

Total \$ 647,846.52

LIABILITIES.

Capital Stock paid in..... 50,000.00

Surplus Fund 4,000.00

Undivided Profits, net 7,631.18

COMMERCIAL DEPOSITS, viz:

Commercial Deposits Subject to Check 91,448.20

Demand Certificates of Deposit.. 68,536.75

Cashier's Checks 3,557.10

State moneys on Deposit..... 10,000.00

Totals \$ 168,542.05

SAVINGS DEPOSITS, viz:

Book Accounts—Subject to Savings By-Laws 127,437.93

Certificates of Deposit—Subject to Savings By-Laws 267,220.22

Total \$ 394,658.15

Customers' Bonds Deposited with Bank for Safekeeping 22,600.00

Accrued Interest on Customers' Liberty Bonds 415.19

Total \$ 647,846.52

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.

ROY BRICKER, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 30th day of June, 1923.

D. W. Benkelman, Notary Public.

My commission expires Apr. 20, 1925.

Correct Attest:

Elizabeth E. Pinney, J. D. Brooker, J. M. Dodge, Directors.

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

at the close of business June 23, 1923, as called for by the Commissioner of the Banking Department.

RESOURCES

LOANS AND DISCOUNTS, viz:

b Unsecured 45,611.54

Totals \$ 45,611.54

BONDS, MORTGAGES AND SECURITIES, viz:

a Real Estate Mortgages 86,910.00

b Municipal Bonds in Office 1,000.00

c Municipal Bonds Pledged 5,000.00

g Other Bonds 1,750.00

Totals \$ 622.00

RESERVES, viz:

Due from Banks in Reserve Cities 3,428.91

U. S. Bonds and Cert. of Ind. carried as legal reserve in Savings Dept. only 5,600.00

Total cash on hand 1,483.94

Totals \$ 4,912.85

COMBINED ACCOUNTS, viz:

Overdrafts 5

KINGSTON-NOVESTA
TOWN LINE

Clark Courliss has purchased a new Ford touring car.

M. C. Wentworth and family were callers at Sandusky Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Lobb are entertaining their son and daughter from Detroit this week.

Mrs. J. Lovell and daughter, Thelma, and Mrs. Chas. Campfield and little son of Croswell spent a few days of last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Retherford attended the Walker and Putnam reunion at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Putnam of Ellington Saturday.

Sheriff Colling of Caro was a professional caller at Northeast Kingston Sunday.

Mrs. A. W. Campfield of Croswell is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Geo. Martin.

Miss Beatrice Wentworth is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Wentworth.

The families of J. D. Funk of Cass

City and Lloyd Osburn spent July 4th at Lake Pleasant.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Cooper and children of Lansing are visiting at the M. C. Wentworth home this week.

Evelyn Retherford is visiting with relatives at Caro.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Retherford entertained Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. W. Northrup of Marlette and Mr. and Mrs. B. Putnam of Caro.

Mr. and Mrs. Myron Retherford and baby of Royal Oak spent a part of last week with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. Retherford.

NOVESTA.

Guy Niles and family of Rochester and Miss Lillian Munro of Ann Arbor visited at Mr. Niles' parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Niles, Thursday and Friday of last week.

Harry Niles and daughter, Ethelyn, of Orion made a flying visit at the farm home of O. E. Niles Friday. Miss Ethelyn is staying for an indefinite time.

Advertise it in the Chronicle.

DAIRY
FACTS

WAGE WAR ON TUBERCULOSIS

Besides Organized Forces There Are Thousands of Accredited Veterinarians Helping.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

Tuberculosis of live stock is being attacked on all sides. In addition to the large force of federal, state and county veterinarians engaged in the nationwide campaign for eradicating this disease, there are thousands of accredited veterinarians assisting with the work. Records of the bureau of animal industry, United States Department of Agriculture, show that on March 1, 1923, there were 5,120 accredited veterinarians in the United States. As accredited herds are established the various states turn them over to accredited veterinarians, who test them annually at the expense of the owner. This permits county, state and federal veterinarians to devote all their time to herds that have not been accredited.

The federal government keeps in close touch with the accredited veterinarians and furnishes them every few months with information regarding the disease and any unusual conditions that may be encountered in the herds under supervision.

The tuberculosis-free accredited herd list is increasing very rapidly. The report of the bureau of animal industry just published shows that on March 1, 1923, there were 24,132 fully accredited herds, 269,034 once-tested free herds, and 332,887 herds under supervision.

MUDDY BARN LOT IS COSTLY

Additional Work Heaped on Dairyman Every Way He Turns—Clean Stable Pays Best.

A poorly drained barnyard costs the dairyman more money than he imagines. In some cases, no doubt, it costs him more than the laying of the necessary tile through which to keep it dry. It means additional work for him pretty nearly every way he turns—dirty cows, dirty stables and an extra physical effort on his own part in the matter of going about his chores with mud-caked boots. If he sells his milk locally from house to house, he probably loses many a customer who associates thoughts of the general appearance of the barn and its surroundings with the milk which is being delivered to his home. Clean environment in the case of a dairy barn offers a telling argument, in an advertising way, for the milk produced amid these surroundings.

COW TESTING IS IMPORTANT

Record Showing High Production of Animal Greatly Increases Price of Bull Calf.

A farmer sold a male calf for \$35. Later its dam was tested for advanced registry. When the yearly record was completed it was found that the cow produced over 22,000 pounds of milk and 681 pounds of butter. Her next bull calf was sold for \$300. This indicates in a concrete way something of the value of testing dairy cows.

Production of Cows.

Average production of dairy cows in the United States is 3,412 pounds of milk per cow per year. In Holland it is 7,585 pounds; Switzerland, 6,950 pounds, and Denmark, 5,666 pounds.

DAIRY NOTES

Nobody cries when a scrub bull dies.

Don't keep cows. Make cows keep you.

Good cream is clean cream, kept cool.

Tuberculosis is a community problem.

Fall calving usually gives best results.

The dairy cow, like a human being, enjoys sunshine.

The most successful dairymen raise most of their cows.

Milk from infected cows or from a creamery should be pasteurized before it is fed.

Milk substitutes are not equal to milk, but give fair results when used with care.

Creameries prefer the rich cream, as they can use it more easily and efficiently.

All calves should be fed regularly; very young calves should be fed three times a day.

The dairyman who produces and sells a low grade of cream is nipping profits in the bud.

Young dairy stock should have all the hay they will eat, and grain in proportion to weight.

"Keep the milk cool and the utensils clean." This applies as well in winter as in summer.

ELMWOOD

The quarterly services held at Sunshine church this week were well attended. Rev. Hart of Caro occupied the pulpit Sunday morning and Rev. Clark led the services in the evening.

Word came Friday of the sudden death of Thos. Welsh of Caro formerly a resident of this place.

Miss Margaret Brown of Detroit came Saturday to spend her summer vacation with her mother, Mrs. Will O'Dell.

Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Turner and daughter, Cressy, visited Sunday at Clare Turner's.

Miss Helen Turner of Cass City and Mr. and Mrs. Godfred Ewald and children of Colling visited Sunday at the George Seeley home.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam McCreedy entertained Rev. and Mrs. Clark at dinner Sunday.

Arthur Geutner of Harbor Beach is visiting his uncle, Oliver Myers, this week.

The Putnam family met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Putnam Saturday for a reunion.

After a long illness, Miss Dena Wald passed to her eternal reward on Sunday evening. Burial took place from the Catholic church on Wednesday morning.

The strawberry festival held at Mr. and Mrs. Bert Perry's Thursday evening was a success. Proceeds, nearly \$20.00.

Miss Mary Yakes of Cass City visited Thursday with Miss Fern Seeley.

Arthur O'Dell of Flint has been working for George Seeley several days this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Evans motored to Pontiac on Friday of last week to visit their daughter, Mrs. Arthur Ewald.

H. W. Youmans is very ill at this writing, having suffered from a stroke on Friday of last week. He is still unable to speak.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Southworth and daughter, Mary, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Seeley and daughter, Fern, Mrs. Earl Seeley, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Seeley and family, Mr. and Mrs. Roland Wilson, Frank Southworth and Lillian Darby, Mr. and Mrs. A. Van Conant and Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Seeley spent Friday at Rose Island.

Both Right.

Customer — "Sir—this salmon smells."

Butcher—"Impossible, madame—it's dead."



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On a warm day there is nothing so cooling and refreshing as a dish of our wonderfully good

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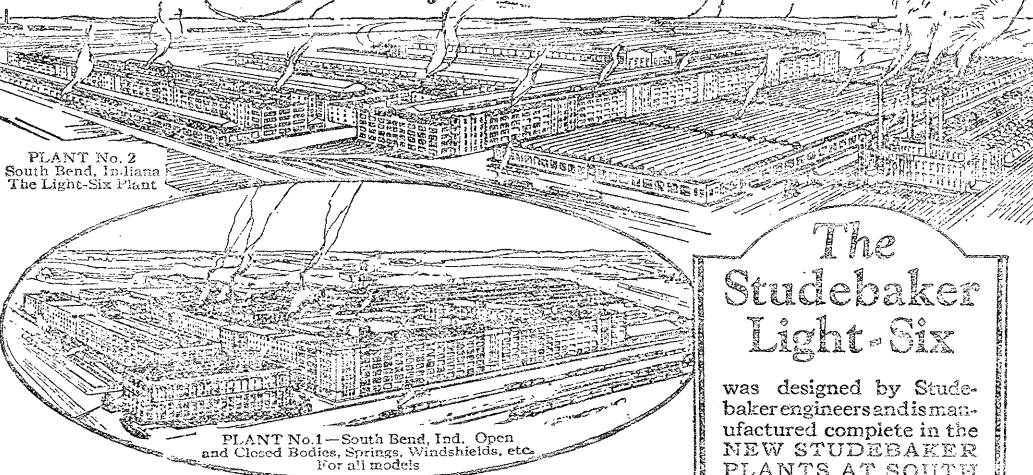
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Take a quart or more home with you for dessert. It saves you the effort of making one—and everybody likes it.

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(Plants 3, 4, and 5, Detroit, where the Big-Six, the Special-Six and Service Parts are made, are not shown in this illustration)

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Studebaker Light-Six

Studebaker's vast resources are utilized to manufacture (not assemble) the Light-Six complete in the newest and most modern large automobile plants in the world.

The Corporation's resources, consisting of \$85,000,000 of actual net assets, including \$45,000,000 of plants, make it possible for Studebaker to offer a six-cylinder car, at less than \$1,000, that is emphatically superior in design, construction, performance, comfort and dependability, to any car within hundreds of dollars of its price.

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Buyers are justified in expecting more for their money in a Studebaker than in any other car.

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Coupe (2-Pass.) 1225		Coupe (3-Pass.) 1975		Coupe (3-Pass.) 2550	
Sedan.....1550		Sedan.....2050		Sedan.....2750	

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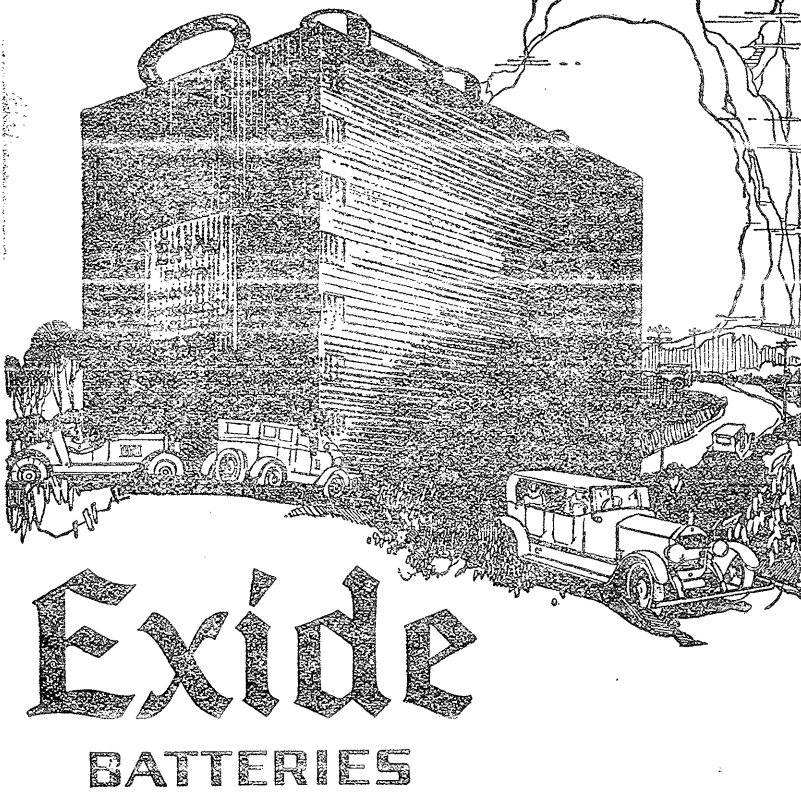
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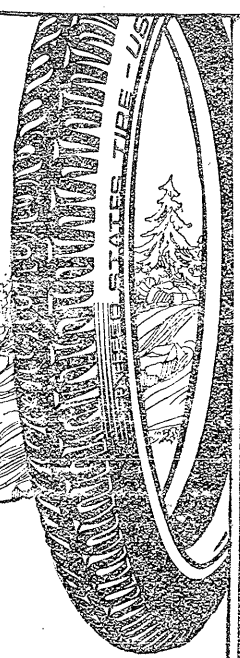
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LOCAL HAPPENINGS

F. A. Bigelow has purchased a four-door Ford sedan.

Archie Mills of Pontiac spent a few days in town this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Warner spent one day last week in Pontiac.

Ernest Bass of Detroit called at the J. C. Corkins home Wednesday.

Harvey Hornby left this week for Pontiac where he will be employed.

Miss Thelma Hunt is employed for a few weeks at the local lumber yard.

The Baptist Sunday School picnic will be held today (Friday) at Bay Port.

Miss Dorothy McPhee left last week for Flint where she will remain some time.

Miss Lila Warner has left for Decker where she will be employed at the lumber yard.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Hague of Oxford were in town for the Fourth of July celebration.

James Yakes of Flint spent Wednesday at the home of his mother, Mrs. Catherine Yakes.

Mrs. Sim Bardwell and daughter, Theda, visited over the week-end with relatives in Pontiac.

The Presbyterian Missionary society will meet Thursday, July 12, at the home of Mrs. C. D. Striffler. Everybody is welcome.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. King of Highland Park spent from Saturday to Monday with Mrs. King's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Willis.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Mulholland of Reed City and Mr. and Mrs. L. V. Mulholland of Sand Lake were guests at the D. Tye home on July 4th.

Miss Lucile Corkins left Thursday for Detroit where she will visit a few days. From there, she will go to Ypsilanti where she will visit relatives.

Harold Dickinson, who underwent an operation for appendicitis about two weeks ago, is home from the hospital and about the streets, being much improved.

H. W. Holmes entered Kalamazoo normal last week to pursue the studies at the summer course. The previous week he spent fishing in Northern Michigan.

Orpha, five year old daughter of James Cooley of Greenleaf township, has been suffering the past week with blood poisoning caused by stepping on a rusty pin which penetrated her foot.

The community house proposition was freely discussed by members of the Woman's Study club at their special meeting last Friday. No action was taken and another meeting will be held this afternoon to again consider the proposition.

Stalks of sweet clover measuring seven feet in length were brought to the Chronicle office Monday. They came from the farm of Andrew Schmidt of Elmwood township, who has seven acres of this crop, much of it standing five to seven feet high.

The Rebekahs, after waiting for some time at the home of Mrs. C. W. Heller, gave her a real surprise party. When they arrived with their good "eats" they found her away from home. However, when she returned, a fine time was had and everyone declared it a great success.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Murphy entertained last Thursday evening in honor of their son and his bride, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Murphy. The newlyweds received many lovely gifts which will prove very useful. Refreshments were served. The guests from out of town were Mr. and Mrs. Hartsell and Mr. and Mrs. English, all of Kingston.

While shooting off the fireworks at the celebration here Wednesday night, sparks set fire to a few pieces not ready for lighting with the result that a skyrocket went through the crowd and hit Leonard Striffler, tearing his trousers and inflicting a burn which proved quite painful. Fortunately for the young man, the injury was not a serious one.

LARGE CROWD AT CELEBRATION

Concluded from first page.

Irene Miller; 2nd., Mary Whalen.

Fat men's race—1st., Phil McComb; 2nd., W. Spar.

Team hitching contest won by Chas. Day and Dugald Krug. Times, 3 minutes, 40 seconds.

Cracker stunt—1st., Clayton Beyette; 2nd., Chas. McKenzie.

Pie eating contest—1st., Walter Nadgier; 2nd., Donald McLaughlin.

Race for boys over 16 yrs.—1st., Frank Agar; 2nd., Frank Bullis.

Potato race, 8 yrs. or under—1st., Ralph Kosanke and Chas. McKenzie; 2nd., Keith Gowen and Anthony Wayne.

Greased pig—Won by Walter Nadgier.

In the afternoon, two league ball games and a running race were held at the fairgrounds. In the farmers' running race, Dick won first money, Prince second and Robert third. There were eight entries and in the three heats they arrived at the pole as here given:

Popsie (Blakeley)	3	2
Prince (Robinson)	2	3
Beauty (Skinner)	7	7
Dewey (Hunt)	5	8
Robert (Williams)	1	5
Phil (V. Allen)	5	1

McIntyre (Schwaderer) 4 6

Roan (Dafoe) 4 4

The ball games were so one-sided as to be devoid of much interest. It has been a long time since a home team has put up such poor exhibitions of the national game. Akron leaguers had no trouble in defeating Cass City early in the afternoon by a 15-0 score in which the visitors claimed 13 hits to one for the locals.

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Cass City 0 0 0 0 0 0—0

The second game with Caro proved little better, the county seat team allowing Cass City but one lone run while they chalked up nine.

Caro 3 3 0 0 1 2 0 0—9

Cass City 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0—1

The 16-piece band from Filion, a little town of Huron county, furnished an abundance of music during the day and evening.

The program concluded with a fireworks display. Accustomed to the fine and elaborate pyrotechnical displays given at the evening exhibitions of the Cass City Fair, the crowd was disappointed at the meager showing given at the celebration here Wednesday evening and this feature was a distinct disappointment.

CHURCH CALENDAR

Presbyterian Notes—Morning worship at 10:30 a. m. conducted by the pastor.

By special request of the members of the Orangemen's lodge of Cass City, the pastor will deliver a message in keeping with the times.

At the close of worship there will be held a congregational meeting purpose of same will be announced at that time.

Sabbath school at 12 o'clock, classes for all. Please note the hour which is for Sunday only.

Union service at Methodist church in the evening.

The business sessions of synod held at Alma were combined this year with a conference on various phases of church methods, thus making the week a school of instruction. In this Michigan is falling into line with a large number of Presbyterian synods of the western part of the country.

It was decided to have the conference idea again for next year with the meeting at Alma college the last week of June.

Rev. Roy VanWick of Bay City was made moderator. Among speakers at inspirational meetings and at conferences were: Dr. Geo. L. Robinson of McCormick Theological Seminary, Chicago; Dr. James H. Snowden of Western Theological Seminary, Pittsburgh; Dr. Frank W. Bible, Chicago and many others. Your pastor enjoyed every day of it.

Attend service on Sabbath, life will be finer, courage higher and ideals nobler.

A hearty welcome to all. WILLIAM W. EDWARDS, Pastor.

Evangelical—10:00 a. m., Bible school. Classes for all. 11:00 a. m., morning worship and sermon. 6:45 p. m., Junior and senior leagues. 7:30 p. m., Union service at the Methodist church. "Go-to-church Sunday."

Prayer and fellowship hour at 8:00 p. m., Thursday.

July 23rd will be an important date at this church. Watch for announcements.

F. L. POHLY, Pastor.

Baptist—10:30, morning worship Subject, "Rest for the Heavy Laden." 12 m., Bible school.

Baptist picnic to Bay Port Friday of this week.

7:30, union service at the M. E. church.

Methodist Episcopal Church—I. W. Cargo, pastor—The services of the church Sunday, July 8: Class meeting 10:00, morning worship 10:30, Sunday school 11:30, Junior League 7:00. Union evening service in the church, 7:30.

Everyone is cordially invited to attend these services of the church.

Human Nature.

Musician—"I've been playing Mendelssohn."

Golfer—"Bet you beat him. That guy never could play golf."

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

At a session of said court, held at the Probate Office in the Village of Caro in said county, on the third day of July, A. D. 1923.

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

In the matter of the Estate of John Striffler, Deceased.

George A. Striffler and Martha Striffler, the administrator and administratrix of said estate, having filed in said court their final administration account, and a petition praying for the allowance thereof and for the assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate, to the persons entitled thereto according to law,

It is ordered, that Monday the 30th day of July, A. D. 1923, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for examining and allowing said account and hearing said petition.

It is further ordered, that public notice thereof be given by publication or a copy of this order, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Cass City Chronicle, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

O. D. HILL, Judge of Probate. (Probate Seal). A true copy.

Orpha E. Hunter, Registrar of Probate.

The Scrap Book

SPEED IN READING VARIES

Average Person Will Get Through Twenty Thousand Words in an Hour, Others Double That.

Few people see the whole of each letter as they read. Most of us glance only at the tops of them. You can test this for yourself by placing a straight-edged piece of paper along a line of print. Cover the bottom halves of the letters and you have no difficulty in reading it; but if the upper parts are hidden, reading becomes a difficult business.

Reading speeds vary enormously. The average man can get through about 20,000 words in an hour. Fast readers will easily double this speed and still take in what they are perusing.

The greatest speed ever achieved was that of a famous man of learning who could read and remember more than fifty words a second. He is said to have read six novels a day.

If each line of print was 3 1/2 inches in length, and there were 40 of them to the page, his eyes must have traveled rather more than a mile and a quarter from side to side in half an hour.

GOLFERS ANNOYED BY GULLS

Birds Seem to Have a Peculiar Fondness for Balls—Probably Mistake Them for Eggs.

A few weeks ago a golfer who had made a fine drive was astonished to see a gull swoop down upon his ball and carry it away. Eventually the bird dropped the ball, which fell much further from the tee than he had driven it. Here was a knotty point not covered by the rules!

A still more difficult case occurred during the war, when an officer playing on a course behind the lines drove his ball into a cow's ear. The cow bolted, and, when the ball was recovered, it was nearly a mile from the hole!

Some birds have a great fondness for golf balls. Carrion crows, magpies, and certain gulls will take them whenever they can. As all these birds are nest-robbers, they probably mistake them for eggs.

One might imagine that attempts to crack a golf ball would lead to such a sore break that this kind of thing would be left severely alone in the future. Far from it: no fewer than sixteen balls were found in and near one magpie's nest, whilst a Scottish crow's home contained four.

All records, however, were broken by an American squirrel (another nest raider) in whose hole at the foot of a tree on a golf course more than a hundred balls were discovered.—London Answers.

More Milk, Less Meat.

The American Institute of Meat Packers has found that the per capita consumption of meat is steadily falling off. Twenty years ago the average citizen ate over 180 pounds of meat a year. Now he eats only 150 pounds. He consumes more milk, however—this average citizen. Figures just issued by the Department of Agriculture place the daily per capita consumption of milk at seven-tenths of a pint. This is an increase of about 17 per cent. In Boston, Concord, Hartford, Denver and Los Angeles the milk consumption per capita is heaviest, running up to about a pint a day. In St. Louis it is only about half a pint and in Louisville it is less than half a pint. The people in the small towns and in the country are the biggest milk users, and this is as it should be.—Farm Life.



MOTHER GOOSE OF TODAY

Simple Simon: Let me taste your ware. Here's a penny.

The Pisman: I'll hold one up and let you smell it for a penny but tastes have gone up to a dime now. Medium sized out four bits.

Kept Health Through Long Life.

Born in County Monaghan, Ireland, July 12, 1807, Mrs. Harry A. Sabins has just died in Massachusetts at the age of one hundred and fifteen. She came to the United States when twelve, and 't is said that she never was confined to bed through illness. Once a physician told her she had influenza and prescribed for her. She threw away the medicine. On the day of her death she sat in a chair for several hours.

Died Because of Greediness.

A Washington farmer shot a skunk that he saw wandering aimlessly about the farm. The animal had its head stuck in a can and could not get it out. It had evidently thrust its head into the can when in search of food.

Philanthropic Playwright.

The proceeds of all the plays written by Queen Maria of Rumania are devoted to the charities of her country.

RYE FRIEND OF HOME GARDENER

Decreased Number of Work Animals Makes It Difficult to Maintain Soil Fertility.

PLANT SOIL-BUILDING CROPS

Clovers and Other Legumes Are Good, as They Gather Nitrogen From the Air—Lime Will Prevent Any Sourness.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

Years ago, when manure was plentiful around cities and on farms, the question of keeping up the fertility of the back yard or farm garden was very simple, but with the decreased number of work animals now being kept, especially in cities, it is no longer possible to get manure in sufficient quantity to maintain the fertility of our gardens. The farmer has been compelled to plant soil-building crops in order to keep up his fertility and the back-yard gardener must necessarily resort to some similar method. Clovers and other legume crops are considered best for this purpose, as they gather nitrogen from the air, but legume crops are subject to a good many limitations and do not always fill the bill for the home gardener.

Possibly old-fashioned rye comes nearest answering the requirements of the home gardener than any other crop. Rye grows anywhere from North to South, or in the Northwestern sections; barley may be used instead, suggests the United States Department of Agriculture.

Work During Winter.

One home gardener who always has a good garden follows the practice of buying a small supply of seed rye along in August and keeping a pailful of this seed hanging inside the door of his garage, where his garden tools are kept. Beginning about the middle or 20th of August, this gardener follows the practice of sowing rye on every foot of his garden that becomes vacant. In fact, he goes further than this and sows rye between practically all of his fall crops. The rye makes a good start in the autumn and gets a firm hold on the soil before winter sets in. All during the winter, whenever the ground is not frozen, the roots of the rye are developing and working their way between the soil particles and are picking up every choice morsel of plant food that nature sets free in the soil.

This gardener keeps chickens and all during the winter, when the ground is not covered with snow, he turns his laying hens out upon the growing rye in his garden for a short time before they go to roost in the evening. This gives the hens the necessary green feed to stimulate egg production and costs practically nothing.

Rye Turned Under.

In the springtime, as soon as the soil is dry enough to be plowed or spaded, and before the rye has made any appreciable growth, the land is completely turned over and the roots of the rye have formed almost a perfect mat or sod is the top three inches of soil. In turning under the rye the important thing is to see that it all goes under, because if any of the tops are left sticking out of the soil they will grow and have to be worked out with a hoe later. In ten days to two weeks after the rye is turned under the roots decay and, as there is not enough of the tops of the rye present to give any difficulty, the soil breaks down in a loose mellow loam and every particle of the plant food that the rye has picked up during the winter time becomes available for the summer garden crops.

The rye not only prevents the garden soil from washing during the winter, but adds organic matter or green manure to the soil. A very little lime should be sprinkled over the surface after the rye is plowed or spaded under, to correct any possible sourness that might be caused by the decay of the rye itself. If more gardeners would plant rye or barley or even wheat on their garden soil during the fall of the year, we would hear less about the scarcity and need of manure for gardens.

SEED BED FOR SWEET CLOVER

Seems to Germinate Much Better and Make Quicker Growth on Well Packed Soil.

A deep, well worked seed bed such as other crops demand, is decidedly unfavorable to growing sweet clover, as it seems to germinate much better and make a better growth on well-packed soil, a simple covering of the seed being all that is necessary, and many a good stand has been secured by sowing on unbroken land or on that put to small grain the previous year.

Rebuild Poor Fences.

There is no economy in trying to make a poor fence do duty once it has outlived its usefulness, and every man who has had experience in repairing fences containing a lot of decayed posts and rusty wire knows this to be a fact.

Rotate to Avoid Diseases.

To avoid diseases that affect tomatoes it is well to rotate crops. There is always danger that there will be some infection in the soil, so it is best to not grow tomatoes on the same ground year after year.

OUR POPULATION ON THE JUMP

The Geological Congress which met in Canada states that the United States is the world's chief source of coal supply, being accredited a supply of 3,854,000,000,000 metric tons. Canada comes next with 1,234,000,000,000 tons; China and Germany following in turn, with the United Kingdom winding up in last place with 190,000,000,000 metric tons. When we come to thinking in trillions the mind grows wobbly, but when we visualize the coal bins of the folks in this county and realize the way the people have been either frozen or exploited despite this 1,234,000,000,000 tons we don't feel so delighted that America stands first in possession of the black diamonds.

The relative figures show plain as a pikestaff that something is radically wrong not only with our economic system, but with the economic system of the entire world. While Americans were suffering from biting cold and could not obtain fuel all winter our railroads were busy carrying coal to

Canada which has 1,234,000,000,000 tons of coal under her own soil. Coal administration failed to check extortionate prices and it completely collapsed in distribution that was anywhere near adequate. The result is a permanently higher level of cost for the consumer.

With furnaces about closing and spring buds appearing coal dealers already are warning us that prices next year will be about the same as they are now. True we know—or rather we are advised—there will be no strike, but what does that matter where profits are involved?

The dear old public must pay through the nose just the same.

Frank invitation. There is one honest brokerage house. It advertises: "Let us place your name on our waiting list."—Associated Editors.

Advertising. Men proclaim their own virtues as shopkeepers expose their goods, in order to profit by them.—Fielding.

Chronicle Liners

Rates—Liner of 25 words or less, 25 cents each insertion. Over 25 words, one cent a word for each insertion.

GET YOUR BUTTER at Kenney's. Save money—36 cents per pound. Kenney's Grocery and Creamery. 9-1-tf

WE EXCHANGE flour for wheat and can save you money on your flour needs. Elkland Milling Co. 8-19-tf

KENNEY'S CREAMERY now open for business. We would appreciate a few more cream customers. Churning capacity 10,000 lbs. butter per week. If you cannot bring your cream, call phone 34 and we will truck it in. All weights and tests guaranteed. Yours respectfully, M. E. Kenney, Cass City, Mich. First door west of Harry Young's meat market. 5-18-tf

ON ACCOUNT of lack of help I am called to withdraw my Belgian stallion from the road. He will be at the barn every day during the balance of the season. Robert Wilson and Sons. 6-29-tf

LOST between Cass City and Shabbona, license No. 542-427. Report to Will Coulter or call telephone 130—2S, 1L. 6-29-2p

FOR SALE CHEAP—23 1/2 A. good pasture land, running water, within mile of Cass City. Pinney State Bank. 7-6-2

CARD OF THANKS—I am very grateful to friends and neighbors for their kindness during the illness and at the death of my mother, Mrs. C. L. Dodge; also to those who sent the beautiful floral offerings. Mrs. John Wagner.

FOR SALE—Good Shetland pony; also good work horse, 8 years old and sound. L. A. Koepfgen, Cass City. 7-6-1p

NOTICE—The annual school meeting of School Dist. No. 5, flr., Elkland township, Tuscola county, Michigan, will be held at the high school building in Cass City on Monday, July 9, at 8:00 p. m., for the purpose of electing two trustees and transacting such other business as may come before this meeting. A. A. Ricker, Acting Secretary. 7-6-1

THE BAPTIST ladies' aid will serve supper in the basement of the church July 11, beginning at 5:30 'till all are served. Price 35c. 7-6-1

VISITING CARDS—We print them correctly. Chronicle, Cass City. 3-9-

EVERY YEAR more people exchange their wheat for flour. Why not you? Elkland Milling Co. 8-19-tf

FOR SALE—Potatoes. Enquire of Fred McCaslin, R5. Phone No. 147—2S, 1L. 6-15-

WANTED—Girls and women either steady employment or summer vacation work. Light easy work, good wages to beginners with advancement. We furnish board and room at our Girls' Dormitory and have matron in charge. Come at once or write Western Knitting Mills, Inc., Rochester, Michigan. 6-29-2

S. C. RHODE ISLAND Red chicks at 10 cents during July and August. Get in your orders early; also a number of March hatched cockerels from Michigan's Greatest Color and Egg Strain. W. C. Morse, Gagetown, R2, Gagetown phone 6-29-2p

WHITE PAINT in gallon cans, \$3.00 to \$3.50 a gallon for a short time. Geo. L. Hitchcock. 6-29-2

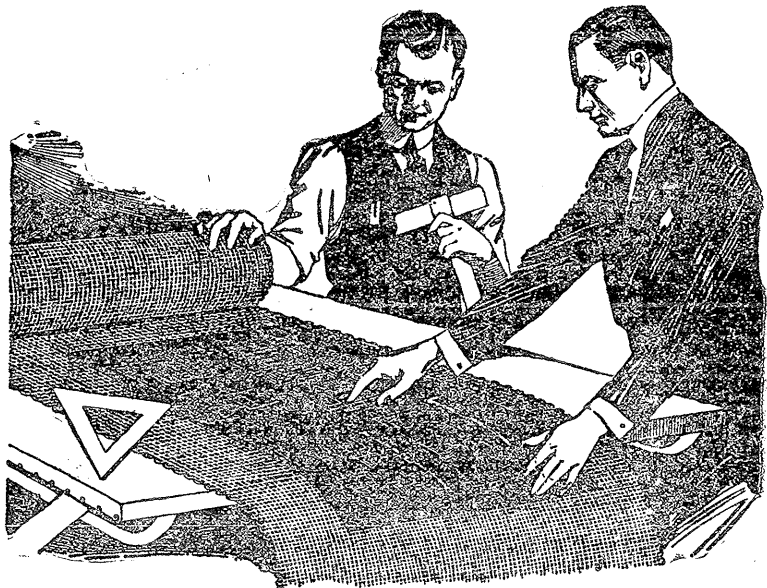
WE DESIRE to thank the friends and neighbors for the many kindnesses and for the flowers and also those that sang at the funeral of our beloved brother and uncle, and also Elders Newberry and Willerton for their services. Mrs. Wm. McComb and Family. 7-6-1p

FOR SALE—Two Aladdin hanging lamps, nearly new. Price will be made upon inquiry. Mrs. J. C. Corkins. 7-6-1f

WE WISH to thank our many friends and neighbors both near and far, for their loving acts of kindness during the illness and death of our beloved husband and father; especially Rev. Willerton for his words of comfort, both at the funeral and the many times he came to us during the past year. Also Mr. and Mrs. Collins, Miss Sangster and those who furnished the music and cars. Mrs. Roswell Allen and children.

WANTED—To hear from owner of good farm for sale. State cash price, full particulars. D. F. Bush, Minneapolis, Minn. 7/6-20 8/3-17 9/7-21

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