

EXCEPTIONAL TALENT IN LYCEUM COURSE

FIRST NUMBER BY MR. AND MRS.
GLENN WELLS COMES ON
DECEMBER 2.

This Afternoon Is Campaign Day by
Club Members for Ticket
Sales.

The lyceum course at Cass City, sponsored by the Woman's Study club, presents exceptional talent in entertainment and lecture numbers for the coming winter. This (Friday) afternoon is campaign day for ticket sales and members of the club will canvass the town in their endeavor to effect a large sale of tickets. After that, tickets will be in the hands of club members and at the stores of B. J. Dailey and A. J. Knapp.

The first number comes early next month, the date being Tuesday, Dec. 2, when Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Wells present musical and dramatic sketches. Twelve years of continuous platform work have made Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Wells the leading two-person attraction on the lyceum platform. In their special line of work they are artists without peers. Before entering the work as a duo they were members of several of the best known concert and play companies known to the lyceum. They have perfected themselves under the best obtainable masters, in the art of musical and dramatic sketches, and are now launching into a more pretentious field. They will present "Anonement," written especially for them by Herbert Thomas, the great playwright, who wrote "Under Orders," which had such a vogue in New York a couple of seasons ago.

On Feb. 17, comes Edward Amherst Ott, one of the lyceum's most notable lecturers. His addresses are styled "The Art of Living" lectures. Among the subjects of his lectures are "Sour Grapes," a popular lecture on heredity, "The Haunted House," "The Spenders," "Community Building," "Victory," and "The Measure of a Man."

The Harp Novelty Co. are scheduled for Mar. 10. This is a musical entertainment company which, as its name implies, presents a distinctly novel program in which the music of the harp has a prominent place. The harp not only affords delightful entertainment novelty but produces musical effects of outstanding beauty. It has always held a deep place in the hearts of the people. It is among the earliest known of all musical instruments. The modern harp possesses 3,000 distinct pieces of mechanism and is always eagerly acclaimed.

In addition to the harp are employed a cello, violin, clarinet and concert accordion. Four gifted women, vocalists as well as instrumentalists, who combine in unique degree splendid ability to entertain, compose the company. The program is rich in instrumental and vocal solos, duets, trios and ensemble numbers. Notable humorous readings add markedly to the variety of the program.

The course will consist of four numbers. Three will be furnished by the Redpath Bureau and the fourth will be secured at a later date by the committee. The course this season is exceptionally attractive and the club should be well patronized because of their efforts in bringing to this community such high class talent.



The inset is a cut of Professor C. C. Rinebarger of New Albany, Ind., who will sing and preach the gospel of full salvation in the Nazarene hall each night at 8:00 and Sunday afternoon and evening, November 23 to December 7.

Rev. Rinebarger is a camp meeting singer, who is well known throughout the country; also a full evangelistic preacher, who has the love of the souls and bodies of men at heart.

There will be an all-day Thanksgiving feast for soul and body enjoyed in Puritanic style. To invite and embrace the revival spirit is to promote hu-

manity's interests spiritually, mentally and physically.
On with the revival!
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INTERNATIONAL TO HAVE PROGRAM OF VARIED INTEREST

The twenty-fifth anniversary celebration of the International Live Stock Exposition at Chicago, November 29th to December 6th, will contain much of interest to every member of the family, both city and country dwellers. A varied program has been prepared by the management, featuring the visit of President Coolidge, which will furnish a crowded week of entertainment and education for the thousands of visitors who will flock to the "Agricultural Capitol of the World" on this memorable occasion.

LARGE NUMBER AT C. C. C. C. BANQUET

MEMBERS ENJOYED INSPIRING
ADDRESS OF CONGRESSMAN
KETCHAM.

James Schermerhorn, Rev. M. S. Rice
and Senator Ferris Speakers
at Future Meetings.

The largest gathering of members of the Cass City Community club since its organization convened at the dining room of the Evangelical church Tuesday night and enjoyed a chicken dinner prepared by the ladies of the church.

T. L. Tibbals, who recently disposed of his business block here and will move to Ann Arbor to join his family, was made an honored guest at this meeting and was presented with a traveling bag as a remembrance from his fellow business men with whom he has been associated in Cass City for the past 20 years. The presentation was made by B. J. Dailey.

John C. Ketcham, congressman from the 4th district of Michigan, was introduced by Rev. I. W. Cargo, chairman of the program committee, as the speaker of the evening. Mr. Ketcham spoke on the subject, "America Facing the Future." Commenting on America's leadership, Mr. Ketcham called attention to the country's remarkable increase in wealth in the last half century, to its leadership in agriculture in that the farmers of the United States comprising two per cent of the world's population produce 24 per cent of the world's agricultural products, to the immense increase in the amount of money spent for educational purposes, and to the leadership of this country in the field of religion.

This new leadership, Mr. Ketcham emphasized, imposes new responsibilities for the United States. Individual responsibility was stressed, for in no land does the individual count as much as he does in this country. The life that is significant is the one that expresses faith in himself, his fellowman, his country and his God.

New standards of community life, said the congressman, demand that we put in the background petty business and political differences and let our vision take in the community as a whole. As a nation, our vision should be like that of VanDyke, who says that in the game of life in America the rules must be the same for all, the penalties the same for all, and may the best man win.

In the business session, the civic committee was requested to get in touch with officers and have the necessary regulations enacted to make West streets of Oak, Seeger, Leach and St. at their intersection with Main St., and have suitable signs erected. An ice skating rink proposition was referred to the juvenile committee.

Roy Bricker, chairman of the civic committee, gave a brief account of a visit of a few local citizens to inspect the consolidated schools at Grand Blanc, Mich., and announced the cordial invitation extended by the superintendent of that school to citizens of this community who desire to view a school of this kind.

Rev. Cargo announced some of the speakers for future meetings. Jas. Schermerhorn, former publisher of the Detroit Times, comes in December. Rev. M. S. Rice of Detroit in January and U. S. Senator Ferris in May.

Each member of the club is privileged to bring his wife or lady friend to the next two meetings and hear the addresses of Messrs. Schermerhorn and Rice.

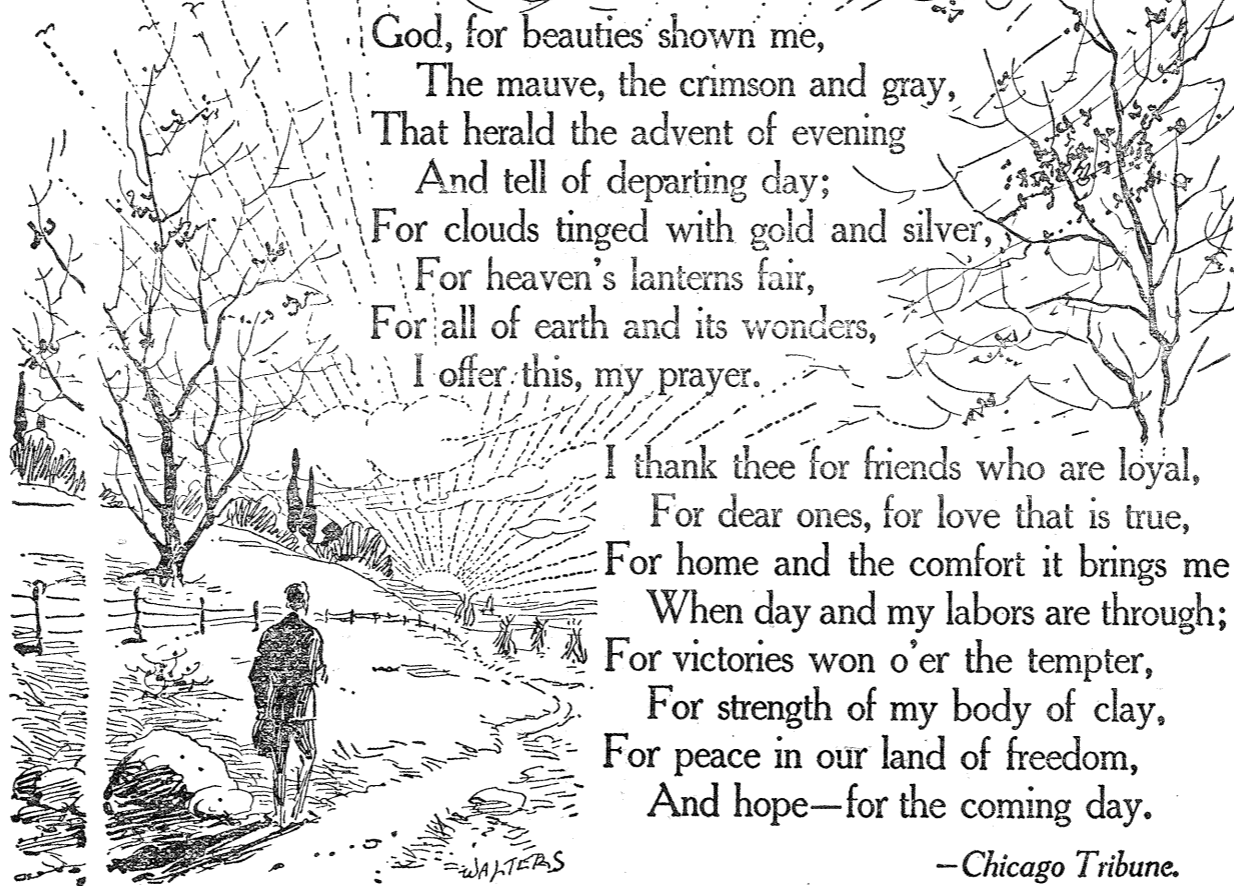
HOSPITAL NOTES.

Mrs. George Kirton underwent a very serious operation Wednesday morning. Her condition is favorable. Mrs. Arthur Anthes, who was operated on a short time ago, is recovering nicely.

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Thanksgiving

Suddenly over the border
That shelters night from day
The sun had dropped and as quietly
Sped on its ceaseless way.
But in the west there lingered
In dapper hues and fair,
A twilight which awakened
The watcher's heart to prayer.



God, for beauties shown me,
The mauve, the crimson and gray,
That herald the advent of evening
And tell of departing day;
For clouds tinged with gold and silver,
For heaven's lanterns fair,
For all of earth and its wonders,
I offer this, my prayer.

I thank thee for friends who are loyal,
For dear ones, for love that is true,
For home and the comfort it brings me
When day and my labors are through;
For victories won o'er the tempter,
For strength of my body of clay,
For peace in our land of freedom,
And hope—for the coming day.

—Chicago Tribune.

FACTS CONCERNING GRADING OF POTATOES

TERMS USED BY STATE DEPT.
OF AGRICULTURE ARE BRIEFLY
DEFINED.

(By County Agent Sims).

One hears a great deal concerning grading of potatoes and just what is meant by terms U. S. No. 1, U. S. No. 1 Small, U. S. No. 2, and Ungraded. These terms are used by the State Department of Agriculture and are briefly defined as follows.

U. S. No. 1 shall consist of potatoes of similar varietal characteristics which are not badly misshapen, which are free from freezing injury and soft rot and from damage caused by dirt or other foreign matter, sunburn, second growth, growth cracks, hollow heart, cuts, scab, blight, dry rot, disease, insects or mechanical or other means.

The diameter of potatoes of round varieties shall not be less than 1 1/4 inches, and of potatoes of long varieties 1 1/2 inches. Not more than 5 per cent, by weight, of any lot may be below the prescribed size, and, in addition, not more than 6 per cent, by weight, may be below the remaining requirements of this grade.

U. S. No. 1 Small, shall consist of potatoes ranging in size from 1 1/4 inches to 1 1/2 inches in diameter, but meeting all the other requirements of U. S. No. 1. Not more than 25 per cent, by weight, of any lot may vary from the prescribed size, but not to exceed one-fifth of this tolerance shall be allowed for potatoes under 1 1/4 inches in diameter. Not more than 6 per cent, by weight, may be below the remaining requirements of this grade.

U. S. No. 2 shall consist of potatoes of similar varietal characteristics which are free from freezing injury and soft rot and from serious damage caused by sunburn, cuts, scab, blight, dry rot, disease, insects or mechanical or other means.

The diameter of potatoes of this grade shall not be less than 1 1/4 inches, not more than 1 per cent, by weight, of any lot may be below the prescribed size, and, in addition, not more than 6 per cent, by weight, may be below the remaining requirements of this grade.

Ungraded, Each sack or other container of potatoes, which are not intended to be marketed as "U. S. Fancy No. 1," "U. S. No. 1," "U. S. No. 1 Small," or "U. S. No. 2," shall be tagged, branded or labeled "Ungraded." Terms such as "Ungraded," "Field Run," etc., are not prohibited. In the case of such potatoes not marketed in containers, a card shall accompany the potatoes stating "Ungraded."

SCHOOL NOTES.

High School.

We have a new athletic banner showing the events of the past year in which the Cass City high school teams won the county championships, namely, football, girls' and boys' basketball, baseball and track. This is indeed a splendid record for a school to hold. The year of 1924-25 has been well begun, the local team winning the county football championship again.

The first debate of the season will be held Tuesday, Nov. 25, at eight o'clock at the local high school. Marlette will uphold the negative and Cass City the affirmative side of the question, "Resolved, that the Philippines should be granted their full and immediate independence." The affirmative speakers are Aletha Spurgeon, Darwin Bailey and Geo. Dillman.

Under the direction of Miss Kathryn Wassenaar, the girls have begun basketball practice.

The first year cooking class has begun the study of batters and doughs. A 20-weeks unit of advance cooking has been begun, and will continue through the hot lunch period. The bookkeeping class has started in advance work.

We are drawing a picture-story of the Pilgrims from the time they left England until they landed in America. One might be surprised how well we can draw the story. We also expect to make a Thanksgiving poster this week.

First Grade.

We are rejoicing over a perfect week, not one person absent or tardy. We have a very good looking Thanksgiving poster done in gray on white. The background is free hand cutting done by the children.

Second Grade.

This being National Education week we made posters on Tuesday as a part of our observance of it. We are making Pilgrims going to church, for Thanksgiving.

Fourth Grade.

We are studying about the Pilgrims and Indians going to church. We are drawing picture scenes and writing original stories suggested by them. Monday being Constitution day in National Educational week, we wrote a constitution for our room. We are pretending that our room is a country and we are determining what good citizens we are by the manner in which we obey our constitution.

Sixth Grade.

We are in line for the punctuality banner this month, having had no tardy marks. We enjoyed very much having Johanna Sandham from the fourth grade read to us one day last week. For our morning exercises we are reading Tales of Indian Life. Monday we learned all about the

Constitution of the U. S., and Tuesday our subject was "Patriotism." Fifth Grade.

Dorothy and Vera Fulcher and Thelma Kehoe entered our grade this week. We are studying the Rocky Mountain states and making a poster of Rocky Mountain views. We are having special exercises this week in observance of National Educational week.

TALES OF THUMB TERSELY TOLD

INTERESTING NEWS ITEMS TAKEN FROM EXCHANGES AND OTHER SOURCES.

The Peck Co-operative Marketing Association has sold their building and business to P. E. Ward of Capac and the business will be conducted under private ownership in the same location.

The proposition of placing a gate at the Main street crossing in Brown City was brought to the attention of the P. M. officials while they were in that city on the annual inspection tour recently. It was favorably received by President Alfred and a safeguard will probably be placed at this dangerous crossing where many accidents have occurred.

Sandusky rural carriers have served notice on their patrons that unless some work is done on many of the dirt roads which they travel, service will be greatly impaired during the winter. A little work on the back roads right now before it freezes up would help the carriers out and materially aid in good service during the winter and spring.

School Commissioner W. J. Musselman has received about 700 volumes of worth-while books from the Michigan state library. These books will be distributed among the rural schools in Sanilac county, and in many cases will start a library in the school. The idea is a good one and promotes interest along better reading lines.

Chas. McCombs, driver for the Marlette Oil and Gas Co., had an exciting experience last week. While hauling a truck load of gasoline to Decken he discovered fire under the footboard of the truck. He quickly stopped the machine and threw sand on the flames, putting out the fire before it got near to the big tank of explosive liquid.

John Sikes, 73-year-old farmer of Oregon township, Lapeer county, committed suicide Nov. 11 by jumping from a boat into Skinner Lake.

Thirty-one car owners of Marlette have signed up as members of the Marlette branch of the Detroit Automobile club.

The Comet Coaster Wagon Co. of St. Clair, finding itself handicapped by lack of room and shipping facilities, has found the plant of the Miller Top and Body Co. at Caro an ideal factory plant on a railroad and efforts are being made to sell a small block of stock in the company to residents of Caro and locating the St. Clair company's plant at Caro.

Improvements have been about completed at the Caro dam of the Great Lakes Power Co. and the new plant was tried out Friday, under the direction of J. J. Schumacher, chief engineer of the company. The completion of the hydro plant at Caro marks another step in the progress of the company toward giving the Thumb country efficient power. A brick and concrete building has been erected the past few months and new machinery costing thousands of dollars has been installed. The gates have been put in place at the dam, and the water is again backing up over the low lands.

LARGE CALENDAR FOR DEC. TERM

BIG NUMBER OF CASES LISTED
FOR CIRCUIT COURT
IN TUSCOLA.

Of 15 Criminal Cases Listed, Charge
of Liquor Law Violation Is
Named in 14.

Of the 15 criminal cases listed on December calendar of circuit court in Tuscola county, 14 are for charges of violation of the prohibition law. One case, The People vs. Adolph Miller, carries the charge of assault with intent to do great bodily harm less than the crime of murder. The 14 charged with liquor law violations are Archie Neart, Laurence Kata, Henry Leprieh, Jacob Nagle, John Bartell, Carl Fisher, James McMahn, Wm. Dyball, Henry Robins, Steve Gilson, John Bielski, Frank Malin, Frank Cooper and Mike Jacowczyk.

Civil Cases.

Thorn Electric Co. vs. Caro Light and Power Co., trespass.
Carl Mitchell vs. Roman Carpovich, trespass.

Lewis Mfg. Co., a corporation, vs. Wm. J. Moore, doing business as Moore Telephone System, trespass.

Earl R. Finch vs. School Dist. No. 1, Vassar, and No. 2, Tuscola, trespass.

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CIRCUIT COURT JURORS FOR DECEMBER TERM

The following jurors have been drawn for the December term of court in Tuscola county:

Akron—B. A. Glasser.
Almer—R. L. Robinson.
Arbela—Isaac Hitsman.
Columbia—Fred Korte.
Dayton—William Lynch.
Denmark—Alfred Garner.
Elkland—Wallace M. Withey.
Ellington—Samuel Putnam, Hugh W. Cooper.

Kilmwood—S. F. Dean, Henry Dunn, Fairgrove—Robt. Davis, Frank Luther.

Fremont—Harley Fulton, Frank Whiddenburg.

Gilford—Wm. Jones, Whitfield Houghtaling.

Indianfields—Wm. Carpenter, Carrie Roxbury.

Juniata—Elmer McLaughlin, Wm. McKenzie.

Kingston—Wm. Gregor.
Koylton—Carl Maxam.

Millington—Henry Forsyth.
Novesta—Duncan McArthur.

Tuscola—John Kischuick.
Vassar—Henry Horning.

Watertown—Fred Boulton.
Wells—Fred Schilke.

Wisner—F. Marion French.

Jurors will not be called until further notice from Judge Williams.

COMING FARM SALES.

John Brooks will hold a farm sale 1 mile north and 2 miles west of Argyle on Monday, Nov. 24. P. L. Phillips is the auctioneer.

On Tuesday, Nov. 25, Geo. Huffman will have an auction sale 1 mile west and 1/2 mile south of Deford, with R. N. McCullough as auctioneer.

James Bigham will have a sale 1 mile south and 1/2 mile east of Wickware on Wednesday, Nov. 26. R. N. McCullough is the auctioneer.

Wm. Barrager will hold a sale of live stock and implements 4 miles south and 3 miles east of Cass City on Friday, Nov. 28, with R. N. McCullough as auctioneer.

The particulars of the above four auctions are printed on page 7.

John Hegler announces a farm sale 1 mile east and 1/2 mile north of Deford on Monday, Nov. 24, in charge of R. N. McCullough. The particulars are printed on page 3.

Wm. Morris will have an auction on his farm 2 miles north of Cass City on Monday, Dec. 8. Full particulars will be printed in a later issue.

CASS CITY WINS CO. CHAMPIONSHIP

SNAPPY GAME PLAYED BY CARO AND LOCAL ELEVEN
FRIDAY.

Members of Both Teams Showed Up
Well in Contest at Caro
Friday.

Cass City and Caro, old time rivals, clashed at Caro Friday in what proved to be one of the best games of the season. Each team had a great deal at stake, for on the outcome of this game hinged the championship of Tuscola county. Of course Caro had more than the county championship at stake, for she had the defeat at the hands of Cass City of the previous three seasons to try to even up, but the closest Caro came was to tie the score in the third quarter. Cass City quickly went ahead again and when the smoke cleared away were on top of the heap by the score 12-6.

Cass City won the toss and chose to defend the south goal. Caro chose to receive and the game began, Hutchinson kicking off to Caro's 10-yard line. Caro attempted to gain through Cass City's line on three plays but could not make the required yardage and so were forced to kick. On this play, however, Don Hartwick broke through and blocked the kick, and McBurney, left end, being on the alert, rushed in and scooped up the ball and ran for a touchdown. His run was not very far, however, for the ball was blocked deep in Caro's territory, and so when Wesley picked up the ball, he had but 10 yards to go. But whether long or short, it counted six points and points were scarce. Hutchinson failed to kick goal after the touchdown for the extra point. Caro then tightened up and Cass City did very little the remainder of the quarter.

In the second quarter, by several beautiful end runs behind perfect interference, alternating with several line plunges, Cass City carried the ball to Caro's one foot line. On the next play, West carried it through for a touchdown, but the umpire ruled one of Cass City's men was holding and so a penalty of 15 yards was inflicted; 15 yards more were added for good measure, thus killing all chances to score. Score remained 6-0 until the end of the half.

In the third quarter, things began to get interesting for Caro got away with two beautifully executed passes, taking the ball to Cass City's 5-yard line. Here they were aroused to a high pitch and of course determined to carry it over for the touchdown. Cass City did good work in holding them off, for it took the whole four downs to carry it those five yards. Caro also failed to kick goal for extra point after touchdown and so the score stood 6-6. Both teams battled furiously back and forth, up and down the field, neither side making any substantial gains. Cass City had been playing straight foot ball up to this time, hitting the line and running the ends. Suddenly Gowen decided to try a pass. On a play which looked like it might have been intended for an end run, he suddenly turned and threw into the arms of Garry Moore, Cass City's elusive end, who after shaking off several would-be tacklers, ran 45 yards for a touchdown, the winning score and the championship. Caro is still trying to figure it out. John Benkelman showed up exceptionally well in this game, especially when it came to returning punts, one of which was brought back 45 yards. Glen Hartwick going into the game at half back, during the second half, showed himself to be a real football player. The way he hit the line and skirted the ends was fine. West went into the line the last half and stopped everything that came his way. Fiddymid did well until injuries stopped him.

Taking everything into consideration, all the boys played finely and deserve some praise for their splendid work. Caro showed a very good team. They played as hard as they possibly could to win. There certainly was no disgrace in losing such a well played game. Although there was intense rivalry, the game was devoid of any of the outward signs of unsportsmanship and that means a lot.

Cass City has one more game, Bad Axe at Cass City, Friday.

Acting upon recommendations from Thomas E. Johnson, superintendent of public instruction, a great many schools in Sanilac county have placed a copy of the Bible on the reading table and other schools will do so soon, according to Wm. J. Musselman, commissioner of schools. There has been no objection to this, for all students know that the Bible is the masterpiece of literature and for the study of ancient history has no equal among books.

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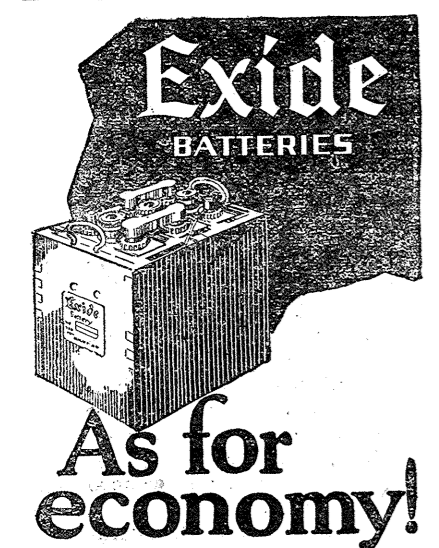
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DEFORD NEWS

Don Nutt's health is still very poor. R. Jacoby and family spent Sunday at Caro.

The R. E. Johnson family spent Sunday in Columbiaville. Mr. and Mrs. Abel Koppelberger called on the R. D. Lewis family on Sunday.

Mr. Shaw and Mr. Bell are our most feeble citizens, but seem to be holding their own.

Mr. and Mrs. Emory Patterson spent Sunday near Mayville with Mrs. Patterson's mother who is yet ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Wilson of Saginaw are yet at E. R. Bruce's because of the illness of Mrs. E. R. Bruce.

Mrs. E. R. Bruce, who has cared for a broken limb for a month or more, has other ailments which places her in a serious condition. A trained nurse came from Saginaw to care for her.

At this date, Monday, Nov. 17, our town enjoys lights since 4:00 p. m. yesterday. All matters were more easily arranged on rest day. Only part of our people have them in their homes yet.

Wm. McCracken is plastering for Elmer Collins of Novesta Corners.

Fifteen above zero Monday morning at 6:00. Some weather!

It may be mild weather again till beets are all harvested but it looks dangerous for a late crop in soil.

Sam Sherk will take a bunch of Mexicans to Bay City tomorrow. They will go from Bay City to Texas. They are good beet tenders.

Amos Webster improves his garden lands by removing the sod on edge of open drain that runs on south end of his lots across the street from his residence.

For many years Deford has had a potato buyer and some seasons as high as three speculators in the tuber crop. Once there were cellars for the vegetables, said to hold 3,000 bushels. All has changed. Not a man will act as a dealer. Sugar beets take the farmers' attention now, which will have its craze and die.

As we older grow, it is impressed as one of the greatest lessons from the school reader where the old man and boy "tried to please everybody, pleased nobody, and lost their beast in the bargain."

The drought has not been an all-round detriment to this locality. The hunters that came from a distance stayed but one or two days and went away, saying too dry for hunting.

The morning of the 15th was a warning that the potato should be in cellar or pit.

Elisha Allen, who went to Wyandotte, came back on the 10th. Didn't like the crowded populace. He has always been used to country life and the change is too late in his earthly journey to be pleasant.

The adopted son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ball cares for a broken arm. Thrown from a sprightly horse.

Readers at a distance will be sorry to learn of the sudden death of Mrs. Martin Soles near Wilmot on the 11th inst.

We hear that Miss Nora Moshier is seriously ill at present in Ford hospital in Detroit.

The wheat begins to show the effects of continued drought.

Even pasture on level lands suffers for want of rain.

In the long ago, it was considered bad taste for the scribes to speak of themselves if it could be avoided and under no circumstances to "pat themselves on the back". Hence your humble servant adheres to that rule to this day.

Bad colds relegate many of our civil citizens to the brittle and cranky list. Forgive them.

Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Hicks have moved from their farm in Novesta and are now settled in their new home lately purchased from Mrs. Balch.

Roy Clark of Pontiac spent part of last week in this locality.

The noted weather prophet Arville avers that a warm October is followed by an open winter. Don't we consider our past month warm for October?

Word comes from Montana that Frances McCracken, formerly of Deford, improves in health and limb.

Plans had been made for W. C. T. U. to meet at residence of E. R. Bruce on 13th. Was changed to the home of C. J. Malcolm because of sickness. Mrs. Persis Bruce was sick besides suffering with broken limb.

We are informed at the weigh station that because of the dry season beets do not weigh up with average years, but the per cent of sugar will be just as great in the crop. In regard to loss or gain, we withhold comment.

Emory Cones buys potatoes here for 30 cents per bushel. Trucks them to Saginaw and sells them for 50 cents per bushel and has some money to jingle. Others think he can't make his salt after expenses are paid. But Emory is a worker.

Robert Jacoby has been in poor health for the past week.

The contest in Detroit at this time is your business, is my business. It concerns every citizen. You or I may sometime run for an office, great or small, and our win or lose may depend on the correct spelling of our name. The correct spelling of the name is Bowles. But if written in on the

ballot and spelled Boles, the canvassing board know beyond question that it was a vote cast for Charles Bowles, and should count it as such. In the case of a will, the highest legal authority has decided that misspelling and technicalities must be swept aside where the court sees the plain intention of the donor. When a voter casts his vote, it is but his will. It should be for A or B, and where the intent is plain, canvassers should govern themselves accordingly.

Mrs. Martin Soles.
A pioneer has passed away who built her monument here by deeds of love.

Mary Fuller was born June 18, 1853, near London, Ont. Died at her home in Wilmot Nov. 11, 1924. At the age of 7 years, she came with her parents to North Branch, Mich. She taught school one year in Novesta township, and was married to Martin Soles of Kingston township in 1877. To this union were born 11 children, of whom ten are living. Little Frank aged 4 years preceded his mother to the Great Beyond. The children now living are Charles of B. C., Harry and George of Detroit, Ernest of Pontiac, Lloyd of Dexter, Mrs. Wm. Lent of Newberry, Mich., Mrs. Mina Clark of Wilmot, Mrs. Frank Summers of Iron Mountain, Mrs. Howard Mahaffy of Brown City, and Mrs. Earl McCool of Flint. She also leaves a husband, 72 years old, and two brothers and one sister; also 27 grandchildren and two great-grandchildren. Charles and Mrs. Lent and one brother, Frank, were unable to attend. All the rest came to pay the last respects to their devoted mother and sister.

While all realized her strength had been failing for some time, yet the sad blow fell unexpectedly. She had prepared dinner and was sitting down in a rocking chair by the window—here the aged husband found her in her last long sleep, when he came in to dinner. Only God can realize the awfulness of the shock to the aged husband. Those who would gladly have spared the father this terrible trial and ministered to the last needs of the mother, can only bow in humble submission and say "Some day we'll understand." Death under any circumstance is a sad thing to contemplate, but it seems particularly sad when it means the severing of ties that bind the hearts of an aged husband and wife, and deprives children of the tender influence of a devoted mother.

The sacred writer speaks of the good mother as one who "Looketh well to the ways of her household and eateth not the bread of idleness." Such a mother was the one of which we write. She knew no idle moments. When the country was in wilderness Mrs. Soles did her part as a true pioneer, never faltering at the task of duty. Caring for the sick and helping the needy was her religion 'till her memory will live in the hearts of all who knew her.

Words of comfort were spoken by Rev. Scott of the M. E. church at Wilmot. Old friends and neighbors gazed into the casket in sorrow. Her husband and children looked for the last time on the marble brow feeling there was a vacancy here that none could fill. The concourse of friends followed the remains to the Kingston cemetery and laid her tenderly down—all that mortals can do.

MANY WOMEN USE GLYCERINE MIXTURE
Women appreciate the quick action of simple glycerine, buckthorn bark, etc., as mixed in Adierika. Most medicines act only on lower bowel but Adierika acts on BOTH upper and lower bowel, and removes all gasses and poisons. Excellent for obstinate constipation and to guard against appendicitis. Helps any case on stomach in TEN minutes. Burke's Drug Store.—Adv. 3.

Order for Publication—Probate of Will—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 tenth day of November A. D. 1924.

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

In the Matter of the Estate of Elizabeth B. Barnhart, Deceased. William Robert Cliff, having filed a petition, praying that an instrument filed in said Court be admitted to Probate as the last will and testament of said deceased and that administration of said estate be granted to William Robert Cliff, the executor named in said will or some other suitable person.

It is Ordered, That Monday the 8th day of December A. D. 1924 at ten a. m., at said Probate Office is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

It is Further Ordered, That Public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy hereof 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. A true copy. Probate Seal. Orpha E. Hunter, Registrar of Probate. 11-14-3

Order for Publication—Sale or Mortgage of Real Estate—State of Michigan. The Probate Court for the County of Tuscola.

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the Village of Caro in said County, on the tenth day of November A. D. 1924.

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

In the Matter of the Estate of Mary Paul, Deceased.

James D. Brooken administrator with the will annexed having filed in said court a petition, praying for license to sell the interest of said estate

in certain real estate therein described.

It is Ordered, That Monday the 8th day of December A. D. 1924 at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition, and that all persons interested in said estate appear before said court, at said time and place, to show cause why a license to sell the interest of said estate in said real estate should not be granted.

It is Further Ordered, That Public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing in the Cass City Chronicle, a newspaper printed and circulated in said County.

O. D. HILL, Judge of Probate. A true copy. Probate Seal. Orpha E. Hunter, Registrar of Probate. 11-14-3

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

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the Village of Caro in said County, on the tenth day of November A. D. 1924.

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

In the Matter of the Estate of Mary Paul, Deceased.

James D. Brooken administrator with the will annexed having filed in said court a petition, praying for license to sell the interest of said estate

in certain real estate therein described.

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O. D. HILL, Judge of Probate. A true copy. Probate Seal. Orpha E. Hunter, Registrar of Probate. 11-14-3

Order Appointing Time for Hearing Claims—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 7th day of November, A. D. 1924.

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

In the Matter of the Estate of Louisa Schwegler, Deceased.

It appearing to the court that the time for presentation of claims against said estate should be limited, and that a time and place be appointed to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against said deceased and before said court:

It is Ordered, That creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said court at said Probate Office on or before the 9th day of March A. D. 1925, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, said time and place being hereby appointed for the examination and adjustment of all claims and demands against said deceased.

It is Further Ordered, That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Cass City Chronicle, a newspaper printed and circulated in said County.

O. D. HILL, Judge of Probate. A true copy. Probate Seal. Orpha E. Hunter, Registrar of Probate. 11-14-3

Order for Publication—Probate of Will—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 November A. D. 1924.

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

In the Matter of the Estate of Frances L. Porter, Deceased.

Hopeful F. Wheeler, having filed a petition, praying that an instrument filed in said Court be admitted to Probate as the last will and testament of said deceased and that administration of said estate be granted to Louis L. Wheeler, the executor named in said will or some other suitable person.

It is Ordered, That Monday the first day of December A. D. 1924 at ten a. m., at said Probate Office is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

It is Further Ordered, That Public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy hereof 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. A true copy. Probate Seal. Orpha E. Hunter, Registrar of Probate. 11-7-3

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

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the Village of Caro in said County, on the 31st day of October A. D. 1924.

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

In the Matter of the Estate of Sidney W. Davis, Deceased.

James D. Brooken, having filed in said court his final administration account, and his petition praying for the allowance thereof and for the assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate

It is Ordered, That the first day of December A. D. 1924, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for examining and allowing said account and hearing said petition.

It is Further Ordered, That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Cass City Chronicle, a newspaper printed and circulated in said County.

O. D. HILL, Judge of Probate. A true copy. Probate Seal. Orpha E. Hunter, Registrar of Probate. 11-7-3

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

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the Village of Caro in said County, on the 31st day of October A. D. 1924.

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

In the Matter of the Estate of James D. Brooken, Deceased.

James D. Brooken, having filed in said court his final administration account, and his petition praying for the allowance thereof and for the assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate

It is Ordered, That the first day of December A. D. 1924, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for examining and allowing said account and hearing said petition.

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O. D. HILL, Judge of Probate. A true copy. Probate Seal. Orpha E. Hunter, Registrar of Probate. 11-7-3

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

At a session of said court, held at the Probate Office in the Village of Caro, in said County, on the 30th day of October, A. D. 1924.

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

In the matter of the Estate of Clara Quick, Deceased.

John C. Corkins having filed in said court his final administration account, and his petition praying for the allowance thereof and for the assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate

It is Ordered, That the 1st day of December, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for examining and allowing said account and hearing said petition;

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

a newspaper printed and circulated in said County.

O. D. HILL, Judge of Probate. A true copy. Probate Seal. Orpha E. Hunter, Registrar of Probate. 11/7/3

Order for Publication—Determination of Heirs—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 fifth day of November, A. D. 1924.

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

In the Matter of the Estate of Mary Meiser, Deceased.

William E. Meiser, having filed in said court a petition praying that said court adjudicate and determine who were at the time of her death the legal heirs of said deceased and entitled to inherit the real estate of which said deceased died seized,

It is Ordered, that Monday the first day of December, A. D. 1924, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition;

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

O. D. HILL, Judge of Probate. A true copy. Probate Seal. Orpha E. Hunter, Registrar of Probate. 11/7/3

Mortgage Sale.

Whereas, default has been made in the payment of the money secured by a mortgage dated the 19th day of February, A. D. 1917, executed by Frank D. Arnold and Margarette Arnold of the city of Grand Rapids, to Eugene Sutphen of Kingston, Michigan, which said mortgage was recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of the County of Tuscola, State of Michigan, in Liber 140 of mortgages on page 611 on the 27th day of February, A. D. 1917 at 11 o'clock A. M. and,

Whereas, said mortgage provided that in the event of non-payment at maturity of any installment of the principal or interest of said note, or on failure to comply with any conditions of this mortgage, said note might then become due at the option of said mortgagee, and foreclosure be instituted at the option of said mortgagee, and the said mortgagor having defaulted in the payment of the interest and in the payment of the taxes due in 1922 and 1923, therefore the said mortgagee does hereby declare the entire amount unpaid on said note and mortgage to be due; with interest thereon at seven per cent, said mortgage providing for interest at seven per cent after such default; and,

Whereas, the whole amount claimed to be due on the 4th day of November, A. D. 1924, is the sum of Four thousand one hundred sixty-four dollars and twenty-four cents (\$4164.24) of principal and interest, and the sum of three hundred seventy-eight dollars and fifteen cents (\$378.15) for taxes paid by said mortgagee, and the legal attorney fee stipulated for in said mortgage, and no suit or proceeding having been instituted at law to recover the debt now remaining secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof, whereby the power of sale contained in said mortgage has become operative.

Now, therefore, notice is hereby given that by virtue of the said power of sale, and in pursuance of the statute in such case made and provided the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises there-in described, at public auction, to the highest bidder, at the front door of the court house in the city of Caro, county of Tuscola, on the 31st day of January, A. D. 1925, at one o'clock in the afternoon of that day.

The said premises are described in said mortgage as the following described premises, situate in the township of Kingston, county of Tuscola, state of Michigan, to-wit:

The east one-half (1/2) of the southwest one-quarter (1/4) and the southeast one-quarter (1/4) of the northwest one-quarter (1/4) of section thirty-one (31) in township twelve (12) north of range eleven (11) east.

Dated this 4th day of November, A. D. 1924.

Jeff Sutphen, Administrator of the Estate of Eugene Sutphen, Mortgagee.

Paul Woodworth, Attorney for Mortgagee, Business Address: Temple Bldg., Bad Axe, Michigan. 11-7-13

NOTHING LIKE

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SAN YAK

for stomach and heart trouble. San Yak gives you the pep in restoring health from rheumatics and bad nerves. You could scarcely have kidney or bladder trouble under the 90 mark by occasionally taking a dose at night. Try it to limber up the stiff joints and muscles. To relieve high blood pressure and paralysis take one or two teaspoonfuls of San Yak in a glass of water 30 minutes before breakfast.

Sample of Thousands of Personal Letters.

Dr. L. P. Bailey, of McBride, Mich., says of San Yak: It will do all you claim. It is fine medicine for the blood and has cured rheumatism of long standing. When one treats the kidneys with San Yak he is renewing the whole body. One can always depend on San Yak.

(Signed) L. P. Bailey, M. D.

Mrs. W. E. Brandon, of Robinson, Ind., writes: I took San Yak for high blood pressure and it worked like a charm. I am not now troubled any more.

S. F. Waring, of Ohio Oil Co., Marshall, Ill., says: "San Yak is a wonderful medicine for stomach and bowels." Sold at

BURKE'S DRUG STORE
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We are still on the job making those good things
A full line of rolls, cakes, pies, fried cakes and cookies.

Rye, Wholewheat, Raisin and Salt-rising Bread

And don't forget those Bread Wrappers you wondered what to do with.

50 Only, then a Bread Knife

Let us take care of your needs.

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WE DELIVER.

COAL COAL

Comparatively few people have put in their winter's supply of coal—prices without doubt will be higher.

High Grade Kentucky Lump Coal \$8.50 per ton at bins

Miller's Creek Splint Coal nut size, for range \$8.50 per ton at bins

Anthracite, nut size \$15.00 per ton at bins

PINGREE.

(Crowded out last week.)

Mr. and Mrs. L. Crocker and two daughters attended the funeral of Mrs. Crocker's father of Harbor Beach the last of this week. Mr. Merchant died in Florida.

Frank White has his new dwelling house well towards completion. It is a modern structure of comfortable proportions, an ideal farmer's residence.

The section line between sections 5 and 8, Evergreen, has been thoroughly graveled east of the Chamber school-house. Road overseer R. Craig completing same Saturday.

It is reported that Mrs. John Fox is one of the heirs to a large amount of money in New York city.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Suttith of Detroit called on friends near Wickware

and Pingree recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Emon A. Cooke and son, R. C. Cooke, were very pleasant callers at Mr. Cooke's parental home. Emon is employed in the fire department in Detroit and spent his vacation with Mrs. Cooke and little son here.

Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Nicol of Detroit were also pleasant callers at the Chas. I. Cooke home here recently. John Towle and Joseph Towle were pressing hay at Louis Crocker's the fore part of the week.

SHABBONA.

Mrs. B. F. Phetipiece left Thursday for Pt. Huron where she will spend two weeks with her daughter, Mrs. H. McLaren, and other relatives there.

Mrs. W. F. Ehlers of Decker was the guest of Mrs. Al Gofton Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Cook, Harold and

Miss Bertha Cook left Friday to spend a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Paul Leinhard of Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey McGregor and children and Mrs. John Chapman visited relatives in Pontiac last week.

Henry Van Norman, sr., was a business caller in Pt. Huron Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Chambers returned home Thursday from Pontiac where they spent the summer.

Mrs. Carrie Waldon returned to her home in Pontiac Monday, having spent the past three weeks with her daughter, Mrs. N. Hyatt.

Mr. and Mrs. Duncan Robinson and Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Robinson of Forestville were entertained at dinner at the W. W. Auslander home Sunday.

Mrs. Dave Cook of Atkins is spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Van Norman, sr. Mr. and Mrs. Al Gofton spent Sunday with relatives at Crosswell.

RESCUE.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. W. Parker, Jr., and daughters were Pigeon callers Saturday evening.

Harold Jarvis of Owendale and Miss Anna MacCallum and Arnold MacCallum were Elkton and Bad Axe callers Saturday evening.

Richard Edgerton of Cass City was a caller in this vicinity Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Combs and Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Mellendorf were Cass City callers last Thursday.

The Premo S. S. class will hold their monthly meeting at the home of the teacher, Arthur Elliott, on Friday evening, Nov. 21.

Mr. and Mrs. Myron Karr and son, Lewis, and Mr. and Mrs. John MacCallum and daughter, Vera, attended L. D. S. service in Owendale Sunday and Sunday evening.

Don't forget about the Thanksgiving supper and bazaar at the Beaulieu church on Thanksgiving evening, Nov. 27th.

Miss Marion Mellendorf spent Sunday at her parental home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Putman and children were Bad Axe callers Saturday evening.

Miss Gretchen Summers has gone to Ann Arbor to work in a restaurant there.

Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Mellendorf and children and Mrs. John MacCallum were Elkton callers Wednesday evening.

The Ladies' Aid met with Mrs. Malcolm Crawford last week and will meet with Mrs. Jacob Hartsell this week.

Miss Anna MacCallum of Sebewaing spent the week-end at her home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Parker and sons, Kenneth and Leo, of Indiana and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Parker and daughters, Veta and Verena, were Sunday visitors at the Joseph Mellendorf home.

(Crowded out last week.)

Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Mellendorf and children, Dorothea, Norris, and Perry, were Elkton callers Saturday evening.

The county health nurse, M. L. McKenney, of Bad Axe was busy at our school Monday examining the pupils.

A number from around here were Cass City callers Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. John Parker and children of Brookfield visited at the Wm. W. Parker, Jr., home Sunday.

Mrs. Fred Hintze and son, Charles, of Sebewaing were Sunday visitors at the Wm. Parker, sr., home.

Miss Anna MacCallum visited at the Webster home over the week-end. Mr. and Mrs. Lawson Stinger and Miss Doris Ayres of Cass City spent Sunday at the Ray Webster home.

Mr. and Mrs. William and daughters, Veta and Verena, Fayette Parker and Neva Webster and son, Jack, were Elkton callers last Wednesday evening.

Miss Marion Mellendorf visited Owendale high school last Wednesday and Stanley Mellendorf visited there on Monday.

Mrs. Ray Webster, Mrs. Lawson Stinger and Miss Doris Ayres called on Mrs. W's mother, Mrs. James McLellan, in Owendale Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Russell and Mrs. Thos. Jarvis and son, Clark, made a business trip to Saginaw last Wednesday.

Mrs. J. B. Webster visited relatives at Caro from Wednesday until Sunday last week.

No school Friday on account of the illness of our teacher, Miss Helen Krueger.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Mellendorf and Mrs. John MacCallum and Mrs. Margaret MacDonald were Cass City callers last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ostrum Summers and children visited Sunday at the Harvey Delling home near Cass City. Mrs. Delling and sons returned home with them for a few days' visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank St. Mary and daughter, Glenna, and grandson, Sidney Applegate of Caro, and Mr. and Mrs. Frank St. Mary, Jr., of Flint were entertained at dinner at the J. B. Webster home Sunday.

Sunday visitors at the Joseph Mellendorf home were Howard, Clifford and Beatrice Martin, Gretchen Summers, Vera MacCallum, Basil Parker of Brookfield, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Mellendorf and sons and Mrs. F. Kinetz of Canboro.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Russell and daughters of N. W. Grant and Mr. and Mrs. William Valance visited at the Thomas Jarvis home Sunday afternoon.

A nice crowd attended the ladies' aid dinner and supper at the John MacCallum home on election day.

PAUL SCHOOL NOTES.

The sixth grade are reading "The King of the Golden River" by John Ruskin. They find it very interesting.

The second grade are reading "The Twelve Months." Maxine DeLong and Orton Spencer have completed their primers. They are now reading in their first readers.

Much interest has been added to our agriculture class. Mr. Campbell gave us samples of various things, among which were rice in the straw, cotton, flax, millet and sugar cane. We are very much interested in the certified seed corn which he gave us. It is hard for the country schools to

obtain these specimens. We have a number of different kinds of grain that the children have brought. One section of our room has been given to the agriculture class for their exhibits. The class has completed their agriculture books and are now studying a bulletin on "Insects That Harm the Farm Crops."

We have decided to invest our social money in a revolving chair, slate blackboards and playground equipment.

We have added a traveling library and will pay the express on it with the balance of our money.

We gave a party Friday afternoon for Eva Just who is moving from our district. A treat of popcorn and peanuts was served after which we all enjoyed outdoor games. Eva will be missed very much as she was a good scholar, good playmate and very regular attendant.

McCONNELL SCHOOL.

Our motto: "Manners should be- speak the man independent of the clothing."

The eighth grade is reviewing fractions in arithmetic.

The sixth grade language is memorizing the poem "Abou Ben Adhem."

The fifth grade language is learning the parts of a letter.

The fourth grade geography is making outline maps of North America.

The seventh grade hygiene is studying about tuberculosis.

The primary language class have been enjoying short stories from our magazine "Little Folks."

Our visitors this week were Avis Durkee, Jeannette Bond and Henry Doerr.

Those who received absent marks this week were: Ila White, Edna Robinson, Alice Ballagh, William Doerr,

Albert Doerr, Mark McCaslin, Herman Knight.
Reporters: Cora Bond and Ethel White.

***** Your Conversation *****
"COQUETTE"
Even the most man-hating spinster is at heart something of a "coquette." Coquette is derived from the French word "coq," which means a cock. The tendency of that bird to strut up and down the parade grounds of the barnyard, attracting attention to himself, is widely known. The word was coined to denote the girl, who, conscious of her charms, is something of a flirt. The pronunciation is "ko-ket," with the accent on the second syllable.

Farm Auction Sale

The undersigned will sell at auction sale on the premises 1 mile west and 1/2 mile south of Deford, on

Tuesday, Nov. 25

AT ONE O'CLOCK SHARP:

Gray mare, 10 yrs. old, wt. 1200

Black horse, wt. 1200

Driving horse, wt. 1000

Gray horse, wt. 1450

Gray horse, wt. 1450

Cow 3 years old, due April 12

Cow 2 years old

Heifer 2 years old, due July 4

Heifer 7 months old

Superior grain drill, 11 hose

2-horse wagon

2-horse wagon, good one

1-horse wagon

2 sets of work harness

Single driving harness

Parker plow, No. 52

Syracuse plow

Deering mower, 5 1/2 ft. cut

Planet Jr. walking cultivator

Set of spring tooth drags

Set spike tooth drags, 60-tooth

Beet box, new

Beet fork, new

4 hickory eveners

Whiffletrees and neckyokes

Buggy thills

Bedstead

Cook stove

Number of hickory pieces

13 tons of good mixed hay

Quality of corn stalks

25 good hens

Quantity of potatoes

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

George Huffman, Prop.

R. N. McCULLOUGH, Auctioneer

CASS CITY STATE BANK, Clerk.

Farm Auction Sale

Having decided to quit farming, I will sell at public auction 4 miles south and 3 miles east of Cass City, on

Friday, November 28

Commencing at one o'clock

Gray mare, 8 years old, wt. 1300

Gray mare, 7 years old, wt. 1350

Bay gelding, 8 yrs. old, wt. 1350

Bay mare, 12 years old, wt. 1000

Hereford cow, 8 years old, due in March

Durham cow, 9 years, due Jan.

Hostein cow, 10 yrs., due Apr. 1

Durham cow, 5 years old, due in January

Jersey cow, 8 years old, due May 24

Spotted cow, 7 years old, due May 25

Yearling heifer

Two spring calves

Black cow 9 years old, due in March

Red cow, 6 years old, due in Mar.

Red and white cow, 7 years old, due in May

Holstein cow 8 years old

Duroc brood sow, 3 years old, due March 15

2 spring pigs, about 150 lbs.

13 hens and 28 pullets

6 ducks

3-ton wagon, nearly new

Narrow tire wagon

Surrey Single buggy

Set bob sleighs

Set heavy harness

Set light work harness

Set double driving harness

Deering mower Horse rake

American cultivator

Oliver walking plow, No. 99

Set spring tooth harrows

Roller Hay slings

Walking cultivator

Diabolo cream separator

10-gal. milk can

3 hives of bees

About 200 bu. of oats

12 tons of hay

10 acres bean fodder

366 shocks of corn

Other articles too numerous to mention

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

Wm. Barrager, Prop.

R. N. McCULLOUGH, Auctioneer.

PINNEY STATE BANK, Clerk.

Farm Auction Sale

On account of poor health of myself and wife we must quit farming and sell at public auction at the premises 1 mile north and 2 miles west of Argyle, or 3 miles south of Cumber the property listed below on

Monday, November 24

Commencing at one o'clock

LIVE STOCK

Roan mare weight 1000

Bay mare weight 1200

Holstein cow 12 years old, milking

Holstein cow, 8 years old, calf by side

Jersey cow 5 years old, calf by side

Black cow 7 years old, due Apr. 22

Red cow 3 years old, due Apr. 12

2 red steer calves

Fat hog, weight 300 lbs.

30 Leghorn hens

25 Leghorn pullets

MACHINERY, ETC.

Disc harrows

Spring tooth harrows

Spike tooth harrows

Fair plow No. 21

Wagon and box

Empire drill

Horse rake

Set of sleighs

Buggy

Cutter

Double buggy

Set double harness

Set single harness Robe

3 horse blankets Wheelbarrow

Stone boat Hog trough

2 single cultivators

DeLaval cream separator No. 10

Water trough Pump

Fanning mill 1/2 bbl. salt

Heating stove, nearly new, coal or wood

3-burner oil stove with oven and back nearly new

Small heater

Washing machine and wringer

Barrel of vinegar 20-gal. crock

Good barrel Good churn

8-gal. cream can

Quantity of potatoes

Quantity of hay

Quantity of corn in shock

Forks, hoes, shovels and other articles too numerous to mention

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

JOHN BROOKS, Prop.

P. L. PHILLIPS, Auctioneer.

HENRY PRENTICE, Clerk.

LOCAL ITEMS

J. A. Sandham was a business caller in Detroit Monday.

Mrs. E. B. Landon left Tuesday to spend a few days in Oxford.

Mrs. Guy Landon entertained the Art club Wednesday afternoon.

Wm. G. Moore visited friends and relatives in Pontiac over Sunday.

Mrs. A. McGillivray was a caller in Minden City one day last week.

Mrs. Thomas Kelley spent the week end visiting relatives in Sheridan.

Mrs. Thos. Keeney and daughter, Marie, spent the week-end in Detroit.

Mrs. A. H. Kinnaird and daughter, June, spent the week end in Flint.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Bailey and son, Clare, were callers in Caro Friday.

Sheldon Peterson and F. McEachern were callers in Bad Axe Tuesday.

R. A. McNamee was a business caller in Kalamazoo a few days this week.

Miss Margaret Ross spent Sunday at the home of her brother, D. Ross, at Sheridan.

Mrs. R. Bricker returned Thursday from Grayling where she visited several days.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Turner spent Wednesday at the Stanley Turner home at Caro.

Mrs. John Zinnecker visited her daughter, Mrs. C. W. Clark, in Caro for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. James Proctor of Flint visited the former's father, R. S. Proctor, Sunday.

Mrs. Homer Motz of Greenleaf spent Friday at the home of her sister, Mrs. R. Ward.

Mrs. J. L. Purdy and daughter, Carolyn, of Gagetown were callers in town Friday evening.

Chas. Robinson and daughter, Evelyn, were business callers in Bad Axe Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Richard Clark, Mrs. William Drew and Mrs. G. A. Tindale were callers in Caro Friday.

Miss Frances Abbott of Detroit spent the past week at the home of Mrs. F. J. Nash, sr.

Walter Davis and Norman McIntosh of Detroit called on Mrs. Catherine Ress Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Peddie and family of Detroit visited Mr. and Mrs. John Lorentzen Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Thiel of Gary, Ind., spent the week end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Bailey.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Dodge and Mrs. George Hooper attended the funeral of Dr. Cornell at Bad Axe Friday.

Miss Emma Beers leaves today to spend the week end in Mt. Pleasant as the guest of Miss Elynn Bigelow.

Miss Marie Gemmill of Silverwood spent the week end at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Gemmill.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Sherman and little daughter, Maxine, of Caro were Sunday guests at the H. Klinkman home.

Mrs. Wm. Drew, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. R. Clark, returned to her home in Detroit this week.

Mrs. B. F. Gemmill spent several days of the past week at the home of her daughter, Mrs. F. Milligan, in Grant.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Warner and family visited at the home of Mrs. Warner's mother, Mrs. Albert Pierce, at Caro Sunday.

Mrs. Chas. Kleinschmidt of Omaha, Nebraska, spent several days of the past week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Kolb.

Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Turner and daughter, Miss Helen, and Mrs. J. D. Turner and children were callers in Pigeon Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Annis, Mrs. George Muir and baby, and Mrs. D. Faithorn of Detroit visited relatives in town Sunday.

Mrs. Caroline Bohnsack of Endora, Kansas, came this week to spend the winter months at the home of her son, J. H. Bohnsack.

Mrs. Elizabeth Parsell, who spent the past two weeks at the Charles Tallmadge home, returned to her home at West Branch Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Campbell and Mrs. Roy Hulbert and daughter, Phyllis of Lapeer spent Friday and Saturday at the Chas. Tallmadge home.

Wm. Seeger of Detroit spent Friday with his father, M. Seeger. Saturday they left Cass City for North Branch where they will spend several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Colwell of Gaylord spent Sunday at the Thos. Colwell home west of town. Monday, Roy Colwell and Neil Kennedy started north on a deer hunt.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Robinson and daughters, Ethel and Edna, and Mrs. H. Patterson and little son, Stuart, attended the funeral of Mrs. Howard Rose at Cumber Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Kirton of Detroit spent a few days this week at the Stanley Warner home. Mr. Kirton was called here by the serious illness of his mother, Mrs. George Kirton.

Mrs. Hetherington and daughter, Ruth, of Winnipeg came this week to visit at the J. L. Cathcart home until after Thanksgiving. Miss Hester Cathcart expects to return with them to Winnipeg.

Mrs. Grace Krug spent Sunday in Elkton.

Mrs. A. J. Knapp spent a few days of this week in Flint.

Mrs. T. L. Tibbals of Ann Arbor spent the week-end in town.

Miss Christie McKee of Lansing spent Sunday at her home here.

Mrs. E. A. Geitgey visited relatives in Detroit the past two weeks.

Stanley Graham visited at the Wm. Lamb home at Jedd this week.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Willis visited friends in Sandusky on Wednesday.

M. B. Auten and Robt. Warner were business callers in Saginaw Monday.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Carpenter, on Monday, a baby daughter.

Mrs. John Profit entertained the Bethel M. E. ladies' aid Thursday, Nov. 20.

Glenn and Adrian Bixby of Ann Arbor visited friends in town over the week-end.

Irvine Striffler and Curtis Hunt of Lansing spent the week-end at their homes here.

Mrs. Irvine Wright and Mrs. W. L. Ward were business callers in Saginaw Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Lorentzen spent a few days of the past week visiting friends in Detroit.

Mrs. Frank Newman of Marlette visited at the home of Mrs. Blanche Ferguson Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Hittle of Lansing visited over Sunday at the J. H. Holcomb home here.

Miss Mildred Fritz of Saginaw visited her parents, Dr. and Mrs. I. A. Fritz, over the week-end.

Rev. and Mrs. W. B. Weaver and son, Thoburn, of Detroit spent Thursday at the I. A. Fritz home.

T. H. Wallace spent a few days of the past week at the home of his son, Chas. Wallace, at Owendale.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Brown, Mrs. C. Yakes and daughter, Miss Mary, visited friends in Deckerville Sunday.

Oakley Phetteplace and Raymond McCullough of Ypsilanti were week-end guests at their homes in town.

Dr. and Mrs. P. A. Schenck, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Burke and Mrs. J. D. Brooker were callers in Saginaw on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Agar returned from Kalamazoo Tuesday after attending the funeral of Mr. Agar's brother.

Miss Bernice Wager was elected vice president of the Sophomore class in the annual fall elections at Western State Normal last week.

Frederick Pinney of Ann Arbor and J. H. Parsons of Detroit spent Sunday at the home of Mr. Pinney's mother, Mrs. Edward Pinney.

The Misses Elynn Bigelow, Helen Turner and Mary Newberry of Mount Pleasant spent the week-end at their respective homes here.

Rev. and Mrs. I. W. Cargo entertained Hon. J. C. Ketcham Tuesday. In the evening, Mr. Ketcham addressed the Community Club.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Kercher of Vernon and Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Kercher and family spent Sunday at the home of John Kercher in Elkton.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Bricker and Mrs. Edw. Pinney leave today (Friday) for Ann Arbor where they will attend the Iowa-Michigan game Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Davidson and the former's mother, Mrs. Davidson, all of St. Clair, were guests of Dr. and Mrs. S. B. Young Saturday and Sunday.

The Misses Elynn Fenn Bigelow and Helen G. Turner, students at the C. M. N. S. at Mt. Pleasant, have had the honor of being admitted to the Rachael Tate literary society. The initiation took place Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Brooker leave Friday (today) to spend the week-end in Ann Arbor, visiting their son, James. They will also attend the Iowa-Michigan football game Saturday.

With the last issue of the Cass City Chronicle, the paper appeared in a seven column size instead of six. The Chronicle has always been one of the Thumb's best weekly newspapers.—Pigeon Progress.

Miss Dorothy Tindale of Cass City has been pledged to the Kappa Iota Literary Society at Alma College. Kappa Iota is the youngest society on the campus but has made rapid strides in the last few years.

Elders, trustees and pastors of the Presbyterian churches of the Flint Presbytery held a meeting at Cass City Wednesday afternoon to consider the new pension plan for aged ministers as proposed by Will Hays.

Red Cross roll call began Armistice day and will continue until Thanksgiving. Because of the late arrival of supplies, the work will begin Saturday, Nov. 22. The work has been well supported in past years, and it is hoped and urged that everyone will respond again this year. There is still a very great need to be served.

Mrs. Crawford's Sunday School class of the Bethel M. E. church held a meeting at the home of Mrs. John Marshall on Friday. The following officers were elected: President, Dorothy Profit; vice president, Pauline Knight; treasurer, Margaret Carpenter; secretary, John Profit. The December meeting will be held at the home of Miss Mildred Knight, Friday, Dec. 12.

Mrs. A. D. Gillies is seriously ill this week.

Glenn Folkert drives a new Buick Six coach.

Wm. Martin of Bad Axe spent Monday at the W. A. Walker home.

Mrs. Catherine Walters, who has been visiting in Caro, returned to her home Friday.

J. E. Wilsie of Caro called at the home of his sister, Mrs. J. L. Beers on Wednesday.

Dr. and Mrs. W. H. Sturm of Detroit were week-end guests at the W. D. Striffler home.

Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Freeman of Gagetown were entertained at the F. A. Bliss home Sunday.

Mrs. Charlotte Hargrave of Elmwood spent one day of the past week at the home of Miss Zella Compton.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Taylor of Grand Ledge spent several days of this week at the home of their son, R. M. Taylor.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Doerr expect to leave this week-end for Tampa Bay, Florida, where they will spend the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Burt were at Marlette Wednesday to attend the funeral of Mrs. Burt's father, Chas. Dennis.

Miss Besse Darbyshire, who spent the past few days in town, left Wednesday for her home at Des Moines, Iowa.

Mrs. Katherine Walters, Mrs. Bay Crane and daughters, Misses Katherine and Florence, were callers in Caro one day last week.

Rev. and Mrs. Wm. Schnug and little son, Robert, and Mrs. Schnug, sr., were dinner guests at the home of Mrs. P. A. Koepfgen west of town Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Truman Darling of Saratoga, N. Y., Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Wedow, and Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Root of Nov. Mich., spent the week-end at the home of their brother, W. O. Root.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Hazard and Mr. and Mrs. E. Bridge and son of Keego Harbor spent the week-end at the G. A. Striffler home. Mrs. Striffler, who spent the past week in Pontiac, returned to her home here with them.

Mrs. J. A. Morley and Mrs. Wm. Crandell left Thursday to visit friends and relatives in Port Huron for a few days. From there they will go to Hamilton and York, Ont., Niagara Falls and Buffalo, N. Y.

Mrs. J. M. Dodge attended a meeting of the official board of the W. H. M. S. of the M. E. church held at Bad Axe Saturday. Dinner was served by Mrs. Ellen Hanley, after which the business meeting was held.

The mothers' meeting of the W. C. T. U., which was to have been held Friday, Nov. 28, at the home of Mrs. M. Bond has been postponed for one week (Dec. 5) on account of so many being away during Thanksgiving week.

Mr. and Mrs. Hazen Patterson entertained the following at dinner Sunday: Mr. and Mrs. S. Robinson and daughters, Ethel and Edna, of Greenleaf, Miss Dorothy Coleman of Wahkiakona, J. C. Hutchinson and Robert McConkey. The occasion was in honor of Mr. Patterson's birthday.

Miss Aletha Spurgeon entertained the Queen Esther society at her home Thursday, Nov. 13. Mrs. J. M. Dodge had charge of devotionals and Miss Ellen Palm presented the text. Refreshments were served at the close of the meeting. The December meeting will be held at the home of Miss Thelma Warner.

Thomas Quinn, a well-known former resident of Cass City, died at his home in Detroit Friday, Nov. 14. Mr. Quinn underwent a serious operation in St. Mary's hospital on Monday, Nov. 10, following an illness of four months. Burial was from Nativity church Saturday, and interment was in Mt. Olivet cemetery. Mr. Quinn is survived by his wife, one son, Raymond, three sisters, three brothers, and his father. Mr. Quinn has been seven years as a motorman on the D. U. R. He had previously resided in Cass City, being one of the owners of the Quinn Bros. livery barn. He is well known here and the sympathy of many friends is extended to the family. Mr. and Mrs. James Quinn and Mr. and Mrs. P. Quinn motored to Detroit Saturday to attend the funeral of their brother.

EARLY COPY, PLEASE.

All correspondents and advertisers of this paper are requested to have their copy in early next week, on account of the Thanksgiving holiday.

Not Much Difference

A Bohemian is much like other people except that he doesn't know what an ash tray is for.—Duluth Herald.

"JUNE"

"June," noted for roses, June bugs and June brides is a souvenir of the once proud and haughty "Junius" family who owned many chariots and went to the public baths with the best of the Romans. Famous people nowadays have cigars and soaps named after them. "June," "July" and "August" were the compliments bestowed on the "Junius" family while Julius and Augustus Caesar each named a month in their own honor.

Thanksgiving Reveries and Queries

Thanksgiving is the first of America's own holidays. As the earliest to be set apart its observance runs through the whole history of the nation. Like most other distinctive features of our American order of life it sprang up out of the local soil. It was at first and for many years colonial. It became national only as its observance spread from town to town, from colony to colony, from state to state.

While it has a historical interest all its own, Thanksgiving is identified with no single event, no special occasion, no definite date in our history. It recalls no single act, as does "Independence day." It commemorates the name and service of no man, as do the birthdays of Washington and Lincoln. It is not shared with other peoples as are Christmas and New Years.

Day Identified With All.

The American Thanksgiving day is identified with the soil we till, for whose harvest we give thanks. It is, therefore, identified with the toil and the toilers whose tillage and productive labor, inventive skill, constructive and distributive enterprise feed, clothe, shelter and develop our own people and many of their kith and kin in the old fatherlands across the seas. "Thanksgiving" is another and greater Labor day. It recalls and calls forth all kinds of effort by all classes of people. It merges the common product of the common toil, for the national possession of which the President and governors of the whole people call upon them to thank their Father-Creator and the good providence of the Great Provider. In this reminding us that our harvests are the joint product of Mother Nature, the children of men and Father God, Thanksgiving is first of all the American people's expression of grateful appreciation for their "country"—its land and waters, its fertility and beauty; for our great out-of-doors nature, its response to human effort, to man's discovery and his working with natural law. Thanksgiving is, therefore, nature's harvest-home holiday.

Celebrates Entire Year.

And yet it celebrates the full round year. While held after harvest, Thanksgiving does not let us forget the seed and sowing of the springtime, the plowing and weeding of the summer as vital to the all-inclusive process of reaping. Moreover, and above all, in this linking soil and skies, earth and the heavens, it is the Day of Remembrance of the Father of us all, as the great giver not only but as the greatest worker, with whom we may work and who works with all for the common good. "My father worketh hitherto and I work," said the greatest of the sons of God and the children of men. These reveries awaken queries, also, Abraham Taylor declares, in the Chicago Daily News. They spring from the sincerest recognition and most appreciative acknowledgment that the American people are and always have been, a composite race, and that adopted citizens from many lands have done very much to make America what it is.

The early history of the United States interweaves fine, strong strands of English, Scotch, Celtic, French, Spanish and Jewish life, with not few or feeble negro traits, and tells, and some relics of Indian and old Mexican civilization. The human crequest and amazing development of this new continent cannot be accounted for without crediting much to the toil and many other enrichments of the Latin, Slavic and southeastern European immigrants. Contributions to our culture in art and philosophy and to our cultivation of the land and our commerce of the sea come from the older civilizations of China, India and Japan.

Founders of Country's Faith.

Foundations of America's faith were laid by pilgrims and cavaliers, Catholics and Protestants, each in its own way, yet all to the same great end. They are merely listed here as queries raised by our Thanksgiving reveries, their discussion being reserved for timely opportunity. Their mere statement, however, makes bold the undoubting faith and hope that these, and all other problems of American life, can all and only be solved and settled by the spirit inspiring Katherine Lee Bates' great patriotic hymn that breathes the soul of our American Thanksgiving:

O, beautiful for spacious skies,
For amber waves of grain,
For purple mountain majesties
Above the fruited plain,
America, America,
God send His grace on thee,
And crown thy good with brotherhood
From sea to shining sea.

O, beautiful for heroes proved
In liberating strife,
Who more than self their country loved
And mercy more than life.
America, America,
May God thy gold refine,
Till all success be nobleness
And every grain divine.

Holiday of the Home.

Thanksgiving is a day sacred to the home. More of it is spent at home

than at church, in family reunions than in public assemblies, in serving the needy, the lonely, and the homeless than in formal services of worship. Its sanctuary is the thoughtful, thankful heart more than the house of worship. Who that has lived in any of our oldest colonial states, especially in New England, can ever forget, or fail to have a glow of heart at every remembrance of the real home Thanksgiving day as observed on the soil from which it sprang? At the very mention of it, what visions reappear, of the long preceding preparations for it at the old family homestead; of the letters flying forth and back between the old folks at home and the scattered young folks in their new homes, or transient abodes; of the railway station platforms and cars thronged by merry home-bound children-of-an-older-growth, and children's children; of greetings at the threshold of the old farm house or village hold of the living with tears or silent, sorrowing, undying yearning for "the touch of a vanished hand and the sound of a voice that is still"; of the bountiful laden, beautifully decorated family table, with America's fattest turkey—as a "welcome home," instead of the "fattest calf" of ancient days.

National Development.

In the truest American homes the Thanksgiving family reunion is all that Robert Burns sang of "The Cotter's Saturday Night," and still more for being more joyous, though no less religious for all that. And there are Americans, not a few, who feel deep down in their hearts for their own country what the Scotch singer sang of his: "From scenes like these old Scotia's grandeur springs."

Out of this population more wonderfully composite than constitutes the citizenship of any other nation, a very distinctive national development has evolved. It is recognized by ourselves and other peoples as distinctively our own. As such, and as a distinct contribution to the world's possessions and to the heritage of mankind, it is here and now being considered, without any comparison with the characteristics of other nations, as better or worse.

This life-spirit of the American people is a fact, and a fact that raises these two queries at least: Is this American life or spirit distinct and valuable enough to be conserved, developed and perpetuated? If so, how can it maintain its distinct identity and value, enriched by the accessions from abroad which are appreciated and welcomed, without being transformed, diluted, or deteriorated? These are not only fair questions, but are queries that are forcing themselves upon the more or less strained attention of our people.

Thankfulness and Hope

Thanksgiving is not, at its best, what anybody says or does, but rather what he feels. And so it is, that all of us, equal members in a free democracy, are privileged to draw our inventories together, to total up the credit side of our ledger of life as one united people, and to join together in a festival of good cheer and hearty thanks for what the past has yielded; to face the future with a mutual hopefulness in what it holds in store.—Farm and Ranch.

Favored Costume in New Aspect



The plaited skirt and overblouse make a combination that has many devotees, and their number shows no sign of lessening. One of the handsomest interpretations of this costume is shown here, developed in black satin with decoration of ecru gorgette, black satin tabs and flat ecru buttons. It is very elegant and effective in black and white or brown and beige and makes the sort of daytime dress in which one is enough "dressed up" and not too much dressed, for almost anything that comes to pass in the course of the average day.

Milton's Wise Words

There is nothing that makes men rich and strong but that which they carry inside of them. Wealth is of the heart, not of the head.—John Milton.

Wife's Attitude

A wife's attitude is that a husband ought always to take her advice, and if it doesn't prove good she can have the pleasure of roasting him for not showing a little more will-power to decide things for himself.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

Chronicle Liners

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

NOTICE—There will be 6 different grocery articles sold at cost every day at Kenney's Grocery during the winter months. M. E. Kenney. 11/7tf

USE CREAM of Wheat Flour. Elkland Roller Mills. 3-7-tf

EVERSHARP Combination sets, a worthwhile gift for the student. Wood's Rexall Drug Store.

USE CREAM of Wheat Flour. Elkland Roller Mills. 3-7-tf

WANTED—A man to work by the month. Phone or call A. D. Gillies. 10/31

WE HAVE your favorite magazine. Wood's Rexall Drug Store.

ARE YOU fully protected against fire and lightning? Tuscola Mutual Fire Insurance Co., in business 35 years, solicits your patronage. Call Frank Hegler for particulars. 8/11tf

USE Cream of Wheat Flour. Buy it at the Elkland Roller Mills. 3-7-tf

FOR SALE—Black team 9 years old, weight about 2,900; red heifer 2 years old with calf by side. Harold Jackson, 4 1/2 miles west of Cass City. 11-14-2p

FOR SALE—Grade Oxford buck, 2 years old. Frank White, Cass City. 11-14-3

TRY WOOD'S Rexall Drug Store first.

ABOUT 6 acres of corn in shock for sale. A bargain if taken at once. Earl Parrott. 11-14-2

FOR SALE—A good residence with barn, corner, shade trees, city water at terms you can handle. Will take good closed car, preferably a Ford or Chevrolet. Inquire at Chronicle. 11-14-2

FOR SALE—Barn frame. Enquire of Chas. Severance, Decker. Phone 130—1S, 1L. 11-21-tf

ROOMS TO RENT over McGillivray millinery store. Mrs. Gay. 11-21-tf

CHILDREN'S School Tams, from \$1 to \$3. Hats at reduced prices. McGillivray Millinery. 11-21-2

FOR SALE—Ten head of young cattle 6 to 18 months old. Henry Cooklin, 4 miles west of Deford. 11-21-1p

WANTED—Middle-aged woman to act as companion for an elderly lady; light housework. Terms satisfactory. See Mrs. George C. Hooper. 11-21-1

WANTED—Poultry and veal calves on Saturdays only at Ashley & Son's store, Cass City. I buy every day at my residence, 4 miles south of Cass City. Clyde Quick. Phone 39—3R. 11-21-tf

4 ACRES of corn in shock cut with corn binder, 2 miles north of Cass City. John Doerr, P. O. Box 162, 11-21-1

FOR SALE—Several grade and registered cows, some fresh and some due to freshen this month. Reasonable prices. Norman McLeod, 1 mile south of Cass City. Phone 138—1L, 3S. 11-21-2p

FOR SALE—2 high grade Holstein cows, T. B. tested. One fresh and one due soon. Good ones and price right. C. J. Hobart, Gagetown, R2. 11-21-2p

SEE O'HARA and see better, at the Bad Axe Optical parlors, upstairs, opposite court house, Bad Axe, Mich. Special days every Tuesday, Friday and Saturday. Glasses scientifically fitted. 11-21-3

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

NOTICE—There will be 6 different grocery articles sold at cost every day at Kenney's Grocery during the winter months. M. E. Kenney. 11/7tf

DID YOU see the new stationery at Wood's? Better hurry.

FOR SALE—16 Rhode Island Red cockerels, well bred. First come, first choice. Prices reasonable. B. F. Gemmill, Cass City. 11-14-4p

WE DEVELOP and print your films. Wood's Rexall Drug Store.

WANTED—A farm to rent on shares, 120 acres or more. Chas. Gubody, c/o Wm. Morris, R. R. 2, Cass City. 11-14-3p

Evidently Not All Turkeys Are Unlucky



At Least, This One Ought to Be Happy in Such Companionship.

Education Pays in Leadership, Influence and Honors

An investigation published by the United States Bureau of Education shows that of all the people in the United States who have performed distinguished service and received high honors that there was:

One person out of each 150,000 who had no schooling.

One person out of each 37,500 with a common school education.

One person out of each 1,724 with a high school education.

One person out of each 187 with a college education.

The above lines show the comparative chances of no schooling and with the different grades of education. Parents who give their children a common school education give them four times the chance to become a leader and receive distinction that the child with no schooling has. Those who give their children a high school education give them 87 times the chance, and the parents who sacrifice and give their children a college education give them more than 800 times the chance of the child without schooling.—E. J. Bodman in *Banker-Farmer*.

LARGE CALENDAR FOR DECEMBER TERM

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Hubbard Memorial Hospital vs. Wm. H. Geoit, trespass.
Wm. Farrell vs. Herman Kabat, appeal.

Wm. Geoit vs. Frank L. Morris and Chas. B. Morden, trespass.
Ralph A. Fuerbringer vs. Peter Herman, trespass.
Joseph Burza vs. Glen O. Baker, trespass.

Chas. F. Wills vs. Albert Reitz and Ella Reitz, appeal.
John Tremonti vs. John E. Lowe, secretary of the Burt Construction Sand Co., appeal.

Louis Emery vs. Chas. Gibbs, assumpsit.
Mary Irene McCarron, an infant, vs. School Dist. No. 1, Tuscola Twp., trespass.

Commercial Savings Bank vs. B. H. Smith, assumpsit.
Commercial Savings Bank vs. William H. Gussell, assumpsit.
Ira D. McCoy vs. Frank L. Morris, slander.

The Sebewaing State Bank vs. Frank Humpert, assumpsit.
John McCarthy vs. Michael Simmons and William Simmons, trespass.
August Vuillemot vs. Frederick Honolda, appeal.

Earl R. Fuich vs. Fractional School Dist. No. 1 of Vassar and No. 2 of Tuscola, assumpsit.

Frank Bears vs. E. O. Babcock and Carl F. Eckfeld, assumpsit.
L. T. Hands, Receiver for the U. S. Mutual Auto Ins. Co. vs. John Whittaker, assumpsit.

Farmers' State Savings Bank of Bay City vs. Chas. Zeigler, trespass.
Geo. E. Pannebaker and Malissa Pannebaker vs. William F. Tulford and Caroline Tulford, assumpsit.
Roy Cole vs. Howard Smith and John Smith, appeal.

Ann Marie Wescott vs. Dewey H. Smith, B. H. Smith, Henry H. Smith, trespass.

Farmers' State Bank of Bay City, Mich. vs. Philip Eckfeld and E. D. Parish, trespass.
Ivan Nutt, by his next friend, vs. Earl Lockwood and Frank Murray, malicious prosecution.

Belle Wilson vs. School Dist. No. 4, Twp. of Ellington, trespass.
Margaret C. Lindsay vs. Percy Ellison and William Jones, slander.

Chancery Cases.

Richard Wright, Adm., Frank Chapel et al., vs. Gertrude C. Gage.
Geo. Meuser vs. Sophia Herberts, bill for accounting.

Herbert W. Irion vs. Rineholdt R. Thiel and Melvin Herford, accounting.

Martha A. Lambertson vs. Homer A. Case, accounting.
Unionville Lumber Co. vs. John Eigler et al., accounting.

Winifred A. Graves vs. Jessie May Dickinson et al., injunction.
Geo. C. Young vs. State Mutual Rodded Fire Insurance Co., accounting.

Stanley J. Despres vs. Frank Kler et al., foreclosure.
Ann Thatcher vs. Minnie Gibson, bill to declare a trust deed.

Olive Pettingill et al. vs. Adel Wheeland et al., accounting.

Joseph M. Trudell and Jennie M. Trudell vs. Howard G. Taylor and James D. Brooke, injunction.

Danna Jane Conklin and Edwin C. Conklin vs. Carl Scott, injunction and accounting.

Thomas C. Hynes vs. Wm. E. Murdick and Fannie B. Murdick et al., injunction.

Mamie Terbush vs. Claude H. Smith, injunction.
Frank Humpert vs. Ruggles Motor Truck Co. and Sebewaing State Bank, injunction.

John F. Heinlein and Elizabeth Heinlein vs. Ruggles Motor Truck Co. and Sebewaing State Bank, injunction.

Norman VanWormer and Clate Van Wormer vs. Stone Road Dairy Co. et al., injunction.

Chas. Zeigler vs. F. O. Whitelaw et al., fraud.

Fred Alexander vs. Owosso Coal Mining Co. and the State Savings Bank of Reese and The Bank of Reese, injunction.

Mary Alexander vs. Owosso Coal Mining Co., The State Savings Bank of Reese, The Bank of Reese, injunction.

Vendel Bale and Lydia Bale vs. An-

thony Toyzan, injunction.
John Burns vs. Kingston Home Telephone Corporation and William A. Collins, foreclosure.

Farmers' State Savings Bank of Bay City vs. Marcus M. Hobart, Anna I. Hobart, Alanson C. Hobart, Effie Hobart, foreclosure.

Divorces.
Cecile Welch vs. Frank Welch, divorce.

John J. Keller vs. Emma Keller, divorce.
Gust Cooklin vs. Barbara Cooklin, divorce.

Eva Hillman vs. George Hillman, divorce.
Helen Babesany vs. John Babesany, divorce.

Luke E. Wright vs. Lovina Wright, divorce.
Richard Goehring vs. Lena Bader Goehring, divorce.

Bertha A. Gifford vs. Alva Gifford, divorce.
Jane Bearup vs. Elbert Bearup, divorce.

Ida A. Covill vs. Alfred A. Covill, divorce.
Elga M. Greenfield vs. Leslie H. Greenfield, divorce.

Kate Oleinacz vs. Stanley Oleinacz, divorce.
Ella R. French vs. Herbert C. French, divorce.

Lester Knight vs. Mona Knight, divorce.
Glen C. Haggitt vs. Bessie Haggitt, divorce.

May Sage vs. Arthur C. Sage, divorce.
Phoebe Harris vs. John Harris, jr., divorce.

Doris Hunter vs. Dennis Hunter, divorce.
Maude M. Purdy vs. Clare T. Purdy, divorce.

Karl Flaker vs. Teresa Flaker, divorce.
Cecil M. Kelley vs. Lucile Kelley, divorce.

Jessie L. Van Guilder vs. Roy M. Van Guilder, divorce.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Mike Singer, 20, Unionville. Susie Licht, 17, Unionville.

Archie Murphy, 29, Cass City; Marie Crandell, 25, Cass City.

Jacob E. Spencer, 34, Cass City; Lottie Spencer, 32, Bluffton, Indiana.

Russell Siver, 22, Vassar; Dora Kilbourn, 18, Vassar.

Frank M. Gerou, 21, Unionville; Mary E. Smith, 18, Akron.

Wilhelm Wuertel, 41, Sebewaing; Mary Berg, 37, Unionville.

Fred Morse, 22, Caro; Margaret Wise, 18, Saginaw.

Chas. D. Walker, 25, Mayville; Florence M. Sanford, 20, Mayville.

Russell Taylor, 18, Millington; Lila Thornton, 18, Millington.

CARE NEEDED IN SELECTING SEED CORN

Most farmers who have started husking their corn have been very much surprised at the amount of immature, chaffy corn. In fact, only a comparatively small percent is dried down as it should be and care should be taken in selecting and caring for seed corn. While there will probably be no serious seed corn shortage in Tuscola county, a little extra care will insure a better stand of healthier plants.

Blue Eyes Keener

Blue-eyed men are better shots than the brown-eyed ones, United States army statistics show. Of 1,000 men qualifying for military marksmanship, 605 have blue eyes, while the remaining 395 have brown eyes.

Coal Used Centuries Ago

Coal was worked in Scotland for the first time in the year 1200, but was not actually mined until 1243. It was not popular, however, until the use of chimneys began to increase.

Gas From Straw

Tests conducted by the bureau of chemistry show that gas produced from straw may be used successfully for lighting and heating and as motor fuel, but indicate that use of this material for the production of gas on the farm is not practicable.

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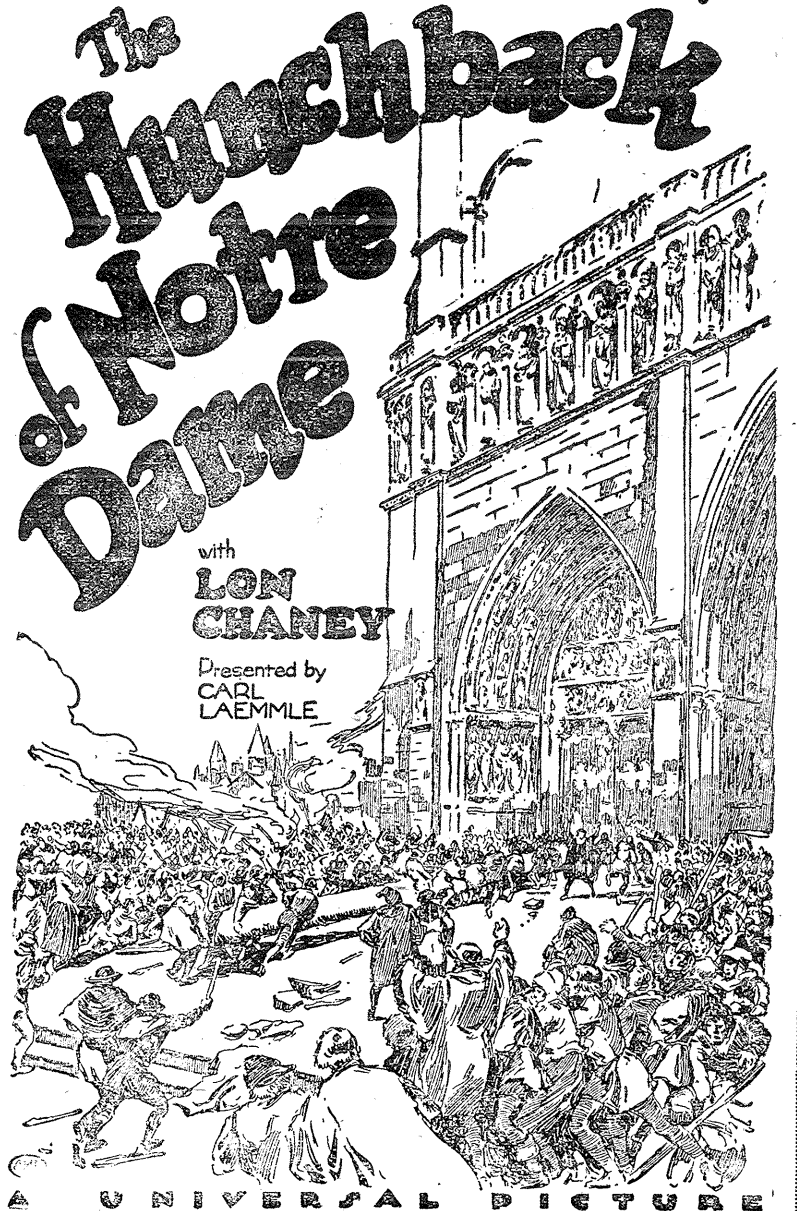
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America's Thanksgiving Days

Since the earliest times and throughout all the nations of the earth, there has been and still is observed some sort of festival in celebration of the ingathering of the grains and fruits of the soil. Moreover, religious services of some sort have always had a prominent part in the festival. As in ancient times the peoples offered sacrifices and gave offerings to some special deity in gratitude for the present and supplication for the future, so today the sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving for the blessings of the present and solemn prayer for their continuance in the future are offered to God.

The Old Testament is filled with exhortations calling the Hebrews to bring their "first fruits" unto the house of the Lord, to adorn the temple with boughs and palm branches, and continue the feast and rejoicing for seven days. The ancient Egyptians offered sacrifices and gave offerings of corn and wine to Neith, the mother of the sun. The ancient Teutons and Scandinavians offered sacrifices to Frey, the god of rain and sunshine, and the author and protector of all fruits of the soil. Although, for the most part, present-day celebrations are connected with the final ingathering of the crops, the festive observance in many countries is still made with the "first fruits."

Distinctively American.

But Thanksgiving, as commemorated in America, is distinctively an American institution. The day finds its birth in that first Thanksgiving observed by the doughty Pilgrims of Plymouth colony in the fall of 1621, who were justly grateful for the first harvest in their new home in Massachusetts, and Governor Bradford appointed three days of Thanksgiving and feasting. Chief Massasoit and other friendly Indians were bidden to the feast, and brought with them four dressed deer.

The dawn of the first day of Thanksgiving was broken by the booming of a great cannon, and later a solemn procession filed toward the meeting-house. Elder Brewster carried the great Bible, and Governor Bradford followed in the rear. After the serv-

ice the party returned to the central log cabin, where all enjoyed such a feast as they had not tasted since leaving their home land the year before. The ceremonies lasted for three days, and it is to be doubted if many similar gatherings since have been filled with such friendliness and brotherliness, as characterized this first day of thankfulness. Although the first year in the new land had been a hard one for the colonists, nearly half of their number dying during the first terrible winter, yet they felt that they had much to be grateful for.

Sponsored by Governor Bradford.

The year 1622 was even more fraught with misfortune, but again they declared and observed their thanks, and continued to do so year after year. Later the idea of Governor Bradford—a period of "rejoicing together after a more special manner"—was taken up by other colonies, such as Boston, Salem and Virginia. The state of Connecticut did much to foster and encourage the annual celebration of Thanksgiving day, and by the first quarter of the following century the fall festival had become well established throughout the New world.

The dutch settlers of New Amsterdam had brought with them memories of Thanksgiving days in Holland, where, indeed, the Pilgrims had also been initiated into the Dutch manner of observing such festivals. The annual Thanksgiving day in the Netherlands fell early in October, when the people went to church to thank God for their deliverance from the Spanish; for the Dutch early in the Seventeenth century cast off the yoke of the Spanish, just as our forefathers later threw off the yoke of Britain, because their

rights were invaded and they were taxed without their consent. In the New Amsterdam (New York), the first Thanksgiving proclamation on record was in 1644, in gratitude for deliverance from the Indians.

Thanksgiving in December.

With the coming of Revolutionary times, the custom of Thanksgiving days spread still further. In October, 1775, a proclamation was issued for Thanksgiving to be observed December 15, signed "By order of the Provincial Congress, John Hancock, President." This proclamation is noteworthy, since it was the first to appear without the royal arms and the words, "God Save the King." Previous to that date the proclamations had read something after this fashion (1743): "In the seventeenth year of the reign of our Sovereign Lord George the Second, by the Grace of God of Great Britain, France and Ireland, King, Defender of the Faith, etc., God Save the King."

The first national proclamation for a Thanksgiving was made by the Continental congress, designating December 18, 1777. The next year, December 30 was set apart, although in May a special day of thanks had been appointed upon receipt of the news that France had signed a treaty of alliance with the thirteen states of the American Union.

Washington's Proclamation.

After the signing of peace with Great Britain, in October, 1783, congress appointed December 11 as a day of Thanksgiving. In January, 1795, George Washington issued a national proclamation for February 19. In recognition of our "exemption from foreign war, the prospect of continued exemption and the great degree of internal tranquility," and directing the people to "render thanks to the great Ruler of nations for the manifold and signal mercies which distinguished our lot as a nation."

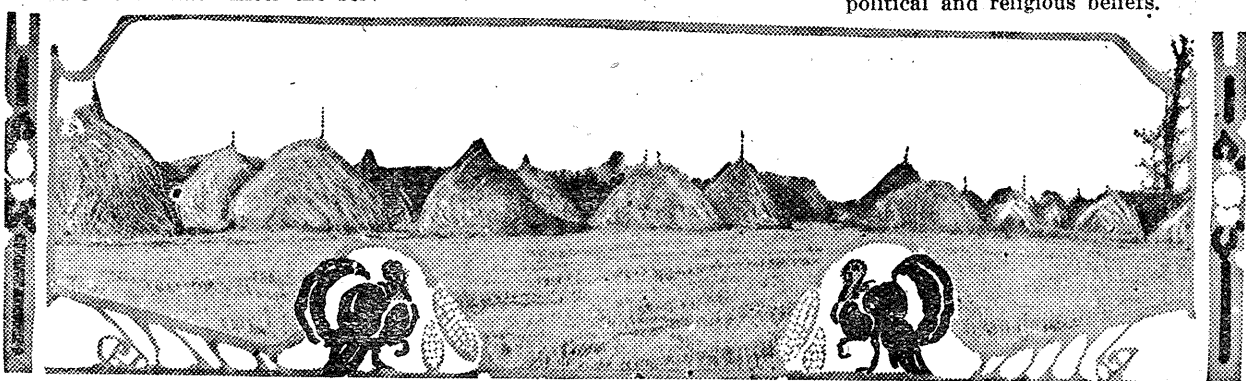
Not until April, 1815, did another national Thanksgiving occur, proclaimed by President Madison upon the conclusion of the War of 1812. During the Civil war, President Lincoln appointed a day of Thanksgiving following the victory at Gettysburg, and it was he who established the custom of Presidents issuing annual Thanksgiving proclamations, appointing the last Thursday of November. Today the governors of many of the states issue proclamations in conjunction with that of the President, so that Thanksgiving is the one holiday of the year receiving official sanction and personal support on the part of Americans of all political and religious beliefs.

A Prayer

Give us this day our daily bread;
In prayer we all engage;
But please to have it well mixed up
With parsley, milk, and sage.

And keep this bread from worldly eyes,
Our pride must be held down;
So please to hide it all away
In a turkey cooked quite brown.

That man lives not by bread alone
Is still quite true, we ween;
So with our bread include today—
Some cranberries and ice cream.



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ELKLAND AND ELMWOOD TOWN LINE

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Simmons spent Monday in Caro.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Bingham spent Sunday at the Alvin Summers home in Cass City.

Rev. S. J. Slough of Romeo was a caller in this vicinity last week.

Mrs. Alma Schenck and children of Cass City spent Sunday at the John McGrath home.

Mr. and Mrs. George Milspaugh and daughter, Ellen, of Oxford spent Sunday at the Frank Dillman home.

Glenn Reid and friend, Mr. McMannish of Detroit visited in this vicinity the latter part of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Livingston and family spent Sunday at the George Gekeler home.

NOVESTA CORNERS.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Patch, Jr. spent Sunday in Dryden. Mr. and Mrs. Julius Wentworth accompanied them home after spending the past two weeks with relatives there.

Mrs. Wm. Patch, sr., is numbered with the sick. Mrs. Leslie Taylor of Highland Park is caring for her.

Wm. Collins will work in Pontiac for an indefinite time.

Mrs. Ross Allen spent the past week with old neighbors here.

John Lewis of Dryden is assisting Fred Palmateer with his farm work. Roy Clark spent a few days in Pontiac last week.

Wm. Collins, who has employment in Pontiac, spent Sunday at his home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Lew O'Rourke of Pontiac spent Sunday with relatives here.

The "Whosoever" Bible class of the Baptist church will serve an oyster and pot luck supper at the home of Elmer Collins, Tuesday, Nov. 25. Everybody is invited.

CRAWFORD SCHOOL NOTES.

Reporters, Bernice Lerczenski and Winona Pratt.

The chart class has entered the first reader this week.

The second grade is multiplying by two numbers.

The third grade is working problems in multiplication.

The fourth grade is studying about North America in geography.

The fifth grade is studying about Europe in geography.

The seventh grade is studying the civil war in history.

The eighth grade is taking percentage in arithmetic.

The three Crawford girls are visiting in Pontiac. They expect to be gone about three days.

Our teacher, Miss Nora Moshier, has been in the Ford hospital because of poor health. Reports are that she is improving. Mrs. Churchill is filling vacancy.

Motto, "Work Wins."

Girls Start Hockey Practice



Above is shown Miss Dorothy B. Lee, who is captain of the Bryn Mawr hockey team now preparing for several games with the teams of other colleges. Miss Lee is the daughter of Elisha Lee, vice president of the Pennsylvania railroad.

Michigan Happenings

All the property of the Detroit Bay City & Western Railroad, running from Bay City to Port Huron, via Caro and Sandusky, will be offered for sale Dec. 17, under an order of the United States District Court. The road has been in the hands of a receiver for nearly two years. The court has set the minimum price at \$200,000 or if sold in parcels the road must bring not less than \$2,500 per mile for its trackage outside of Bay City and \$7,500 for that within the city. The purchaser under this sale must continue to operate the road.

After having fought through the World war without a scratch, Dr. Bruce Pozor, house physician at the Edward W. Sparrow hospital at Lansing, suffered the loss of one eye in a freak accident. Dr. Pozor was injured when an automobile he was driving struck a stray horse wandering on the road near Howell and the windshield was broken. A flying piece of glass struck Dr. Pozor in the eye, cutting the eyeball so badly that he immediately lost his sight. Physicians say they will save the sight of the other eye.

Judge Ray Hart, of Midland, in Circuit Court at Mt. Pleasant, sentenced Austin Vahey, 25 years old, a farmer to seven to 15 years in the Michigan Reformatory at Ionia for causing the death of Raymond McKillip. Vahey, according to a signed confession, deliberately drove his automobile into McKillip, who was walking down the road after he and Vahey had an argument, and fatally injuring him he picked him up and took him to a railroad track, to give the impression that McKillip had been killed by a train.

Announcement has been made that Henry M. Stegman and his wife, Dr. Louise V. Stegman, head of the eye department of the sanitarium at Battle Creek, are about to start a trip around the world, visiting China, India, and other lands. The main objective will be Shikarpur, India, where Dr. Stegman has been invited to do special clinical work in a Mohammedan charitable hospital. She is the third American ever accorded this honor.

The Detroit and Windsor Ferry company has awarded a contract to the Great Lakes Engineering works of Detroit to convert the day excursion steamer Britannia into an automobile and passenger ferry. It will ply between Detroit and Windsor. When placed in commission, about January 3, 1925, the new ferry will be able to accommodate 375 automobiles an hour.

A new steel bridge has been opened to traffic at Grand Haven. The bridge, the largest in Michigan outside of Detroit, is one of the most important engineering feats of the state highway commission and is the connecting link for M-1 and M-11, two important trunk line roads. The structure cost \$250,000, paid for jointly by the state and the city of Grand Haven.

Michigan's problem of financing its future highway development may find its solution in the form of an auto weight tax at the hands of the 1925 legislature. The secretary of state's office is at work compiling the weight of the state's automotive vehicles in order that accurate information may be placed before the house and senate when the question comes up.

The Devil's Bowl, a scenic sink-hole on trunk line M-10, near Alpena, is to be surrounded by a state highway for the benefit of tourists who wish to view the geological curiosity, and several other sink-holes in the vicinity may be set aside as state property according to plans tentatively adopted by the state administrative board.

One man was killed and two injured when the Michigan Central passenger train which was taking Sousa's band from Grand Rapids to Ann Arbor, struck a freight car at Caledonia. The dead and injured were on the car struck by the passenger train and no one on the passenger train was injured.

Fire of unknown origin started in the large woods at the extreme west end of Ionia. As a high wind was blowing, the fire spread rapidly and several homes were threatened. The woods are not far from the Michigan reformatory. Several hundred men turned out to assist the fire department.

A new industry, The Coaster Wagon Company, has been organized at Caro.

Boys and girls farm clubs in the state now number 17,256 active club members who are members of 1,373 clubs. The club work is carried on in 70 of the 83 counties of the state.

The establishment of "historical rooms" in each of the Grand Rapids high schools, where records of Grand Rapids service men and women may be displayed, together with such relics as may be conveniently handled, is proposed by George A. Davis, president of the board of education.

Life in the State House of Correction at Marquette was the sentence meted out at Cadillac by Judge Fred S. Lamb, after Alfred Madison, 24-year-old confessed slayer of his wife, had pleaded guilty. He made no defense, although his family had retained an attorney and intimated a possible insanity plea. Madison killed his young wife, Ruth, on the night of July 24, throwing her body into the Manistee river near Mesick, where it was discovered Oct. 11. He was suspected when his stories of his wife's disappearance were found at variance. After being questioned, he admitted his guilt.

Electrical fans are being used by the Calumet & Hecla Mining Co. to keep under control a fire that has been burning for six weeks nearly a mile under ground in the company's copper mine at Calumet. One man lost his life in fighting the fire. He was Tony Koppel, a pumpman. Koppel went down below the fifty-sixth level to throw water on burning timber and never returned. It is believed that he was overcome by smoke. The fire has made it necessary to suspend operations and as a result several hundred men are out of work.

The Peninsular Fire Insurance company, of Grand Rapids, which has been in financial difficulties for some time, has petitioned the circuit court for dissolution and has obtained appointment of its president, manager and director, Henry A. Brink, as temporary receiver. Hearing on the order to show cause will be held December 13.

The proposed system of wide super highways for Detroit and its environs is being studied by all the leading cities of the country, according to Maj. J. P. Hallihan, engineer in charge of the Rapid Transit Commission. Chicago, New York, Boston, Philadelphia and other cities have asked for pamphlets and literature on the system.

The first fatality of the hunting season in the upper peninsula was the death, from exposure, of Harold Knudson, of Michigan, whose body was found in the woods about 10 miles from Michigamme. Coroner Prin said the condition of the body showed that Knudson died from exposure.

Broken glass from a mustard bottle, eaten in a sandwich, caused the death of Lawrence Doudrie, 37 years old, of Monroe. He is said to have mixed the glass accidentally with the mustard when he opened the bottle with a knife. Physicians said the glass penetrated his heart.

The State Administrative board has decided to make the completion of trunk line highway M-23, across Lenawee and Washtenaw counties, one of its major prison labor projects for 1925. Two prison camps are to be established along the route, probably this fall.

Contracts totaling over \$2,000,000 have been let for construction of additional main feeder lines, part of the gigantic \$40,000,000 development program of the water board that is designed to meet Detroit's rapidly growing requirements up to 1935.

The task of importing a huge Christmas tree to Charlotte every year will be spared Santa Claus now. An evergreen to be used for the community celebration will be set out in the court house square by order of the board of supervisors.

George W. Jackson, prominent farmer and cattle breeder of Elk Rapids, was killed instantly when a plow he was pulling with a tractor, caught a telephone guy wire, breaking the pole which fell and struck him on the head.

President John L. Seaton, of Albion college, announced that final plans for the new \$175,000 Stanley Kresge gymnasium had been approved and that bids would be asked for within a month.

James Elliott, of Hamburg, was fatally injured when an automobile collided with the gasoline speeder on which he and several other Grand Trunk section workers were riding.

O. C. Dickinson, of Hillsdale, an employee of the New York Central railroad since 1882, local ticket agent for the last 28 years, has retired after 42 years in the company's employ.

Her clothing ignited when she tried to light papers she had put fat to a stove, Mrs. Abbie Powell, 63 years old, of Kalamazoo, suffered burns which caused her death.

M. F. Parker, for 30 years a teacher at Whittemore, died in his school room. Dismissing his pupils for the noon hour, Parker ate his lunch and fell dead in his chair.

Port Huron organizations have a drive under way to raise \$46,291, the sum set as a community chest, which will care for all contributions regularly asked of the people.

James C. Halladay, 93 years old and a Battle Creek resident for 83 years, is dead. When Halladay came from Seneca, N. Y., in 1841, the village numbered 200 people and was surrounded by Indian teepees, occupying sites that are now a part of downtown Battle Creek.

The Week Ender

By THOMAS ARKLE CLARK
Dean of Men, University of Illinois.

HE CAME into the office Monday morning listless and heavy-eyed making excuse for his absence. He had been home over the week-end and he said he got back late, but had missed nothing important, of course. He could make up the time easily if only the boss would be reasonable.

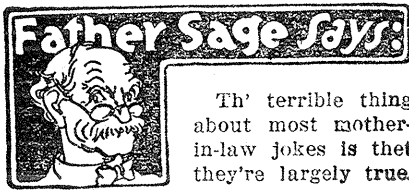
He had had a marvelous time, he admitted, yawning wearily as he told me about it, but it had left him wrecked. He had intended to get up a little back work, but—well, there had been a dance, and a dinner party, and he had slept until noon Sunday and there had been something doing until he started back, so, of course there was no time for anything else. He went out not exactly in a good humor, because I unreasonably could not get his point of view.

It is a growing custom, this spending the week-end at home or out of town, but it plays havoc with a man's work. There are, however, adequate reasons to justify the practice; the quiet influence of the home and the home folks, the taking down of the screens for winter or putting them up in the spring, getting the teeth filled or pulled, or the tonsils in or out. There is always the emotional pull of the sweetheart. One would be cruel indeed to object to a man's visiting her occasionally. Often the home folks think it is a good thing for a son to try to get home week ends.

"Are you going to the Michigan game?" I asked another. "No," was his reply. "I'd like to, tremendously, but a trip like that upsets me for two days and leaves me a mental junk heap for a week after I get back. I can't afford it. I rested this afternoon for two hours and then got up my back work."

The week-ender is usually not doing so well in his work, and not much interested in it. The explanation is simple. He has a double interest and does justice to neither of them. His week-ends give him pleasure, but he comes back to his duties tired, uninterested and bored.

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A light and silky cotton corduroy, in many rich and cheerful colors, has proven itself to be about the best medium for negligees that are at once practical and handsome. They are cut on graceful lines, and the easiest things to slip on in the morning. One of them, in henna-colored corduroy, is shown here. Sometimes a lining to match, of mercerized and silky-looking cotton material, is used, but as after they are unlined.

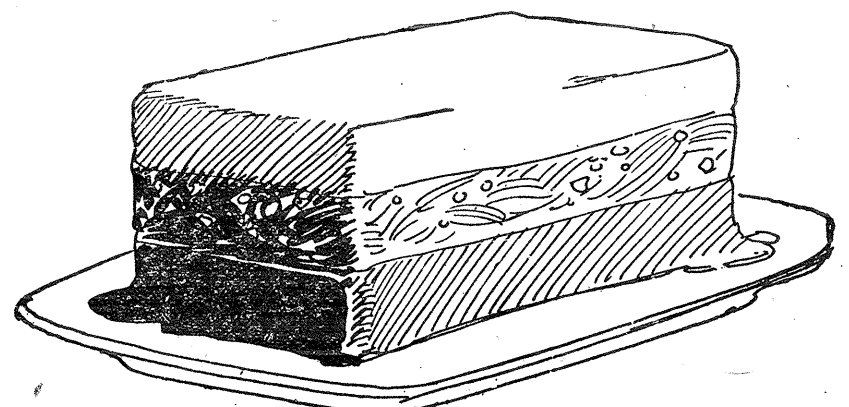
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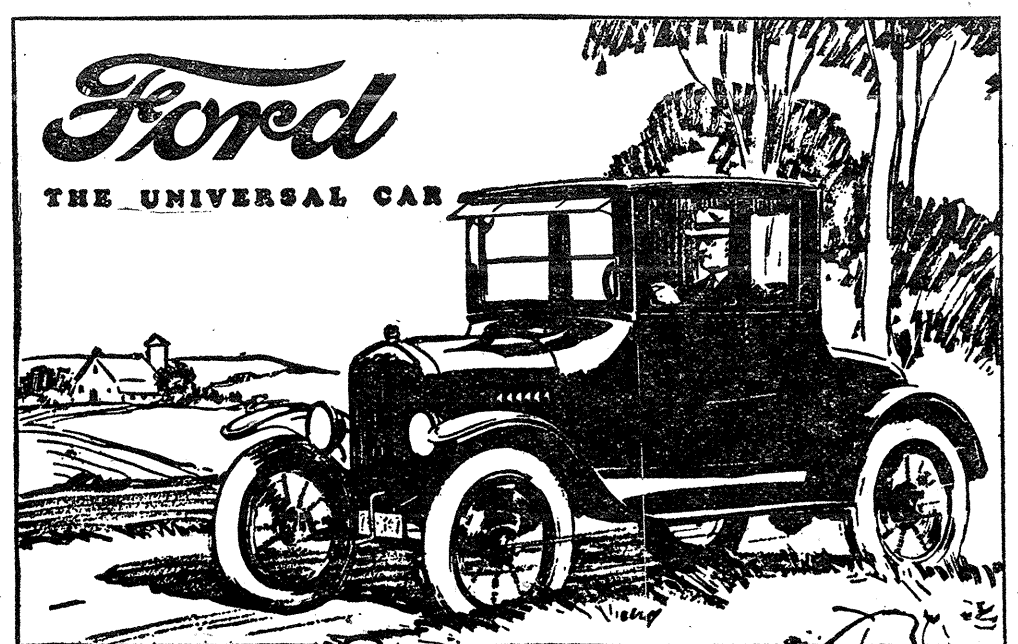
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GAGETOWN NEWS

John McKichan from Pontiac visited relatives here last week.

Alvin Beach has secured a license and expects to go deer hunting soon. N. C. Maynard, Clyde Davenport and C. Brandon have gone north hunting deer.

The M. P. L. A. elected the following officers at a recent business meeting: President, Mrs. Sarah Calley; with cancer.

secretary, Mrs. Wm. Simmons; treasurer, Mrs. Levi Hurd.

The M. E. L. A. elected the following officers: President, Mrs. Anna Wilson; secretary, Mrs. J. L. Purdy; treasurer, Mrs. Geo. Munro; soliciting com., Mrs. Fred Hemerick and Mrs. George Williams; committee in charge of bazaar, Miss Burleigh, Miss Miller and Miss Clara.

Mrs. Teresa Wald and daughter, Mary, spent a few days at the home of Mrs. Clayton Hobert, who has been confined to her bed for many weeks.

Miss Genevieve Wills of Detroit will spend Thanksgiving at her parental home.

Harry McGinn and Miss Helene Kehoe visited Miss Crawford at the Winthrop school recently.

E. J. Hurd and Mrs. L. T. Hurd visited Mrs. E. J. Hurd at Hubbard hospital Sunday.

Our high school basketball team plays Owendale Friday night in Owendale.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Seeley and Alice and Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Seeley of Caro were callers in town Sunday.

Mrs. Mina Havens is visiting this week with relatives in Lansing.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Carr were in Deford Friday.

Miss Lucile Turbush was absent from school one day on account of sickness.

Rev. and Mrs. Wm. Schnug and Mrs. A. J. Knapp were callers in town Friday.

The Catholic Ladies Circle will meet this week Thursday at the home of Mrs. Ed Tully.

St. Agatha's card parties are held every two weeks at their hall on Tuesday evenings.

Miss Helen High from Mt. Pleasant Normal will spend Thanksgiving with her relatives, Mr. and Mrs. John High.

Dr. Sugnet, F. D. Hemerick and Dave Ashmore were in Rose Island several days of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. L. S. McDowney and the former's mother from Caro were visitors in town one day of last week.

Mrs. Bert Ottaway and Ray J. spent last week with relatives in Flint.

Mr. Wilson, Frederick Hosner and Miss Jennie Moretey of Caro were callers in town Tuesday evening.

Miss Josephine Ryan did shopping in Cass City last week Wednesday.

Prof. Harmer of Lansing was a caller at Mason Wright's home recently.

Postmaster Hunter was in Marlette last week assisting his sisters, Misses Frances and Doll, move to Lapeer where the young ladies have purchased a hospital.

Miss Belle Clara of Mt. Pleasant normal will spend Thanksgiving at her parental home here.

Gifford Chapter enjoyed a chicken supper and social evening Tuesday.

Miss Mary Williams visited Mrs. Duncan Morrison in Bad Axe recently. Miss Williams will leave for the West about Dec. 1.

Mrs. Jos. McDermid entertained the M. E. Ladies' Aid society at her home Thursday afternoon.

Miss Maude Coulter of Flint will spend Thanksgiving at her home in Grant.

Mrs. Wills, Mrs. Hemerick and Frederick, Mrs. Maynard and Barbara, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Calley, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Purdy and Carolyn saw "America" at the Pastime Theater in Cass City Saturday.

Lester Williamson has a position in Bad Axe.

Miss M. Burleigh and Mrs. F. D. Hemerick were callers in Caro Monday.

A. J. Palmer transacted business in Caro Monday.

Fred Palmer of Owendale will leave Friday for San Antonio, Texas, with about 20 families of Mexicans, who have been sugar beet laborers during the beet season here.

Stanley Jarock of Detroit spent Monday with his family here.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Hool are moving from their farm to their residence in town for the winter. The latter's mother, Mrs. Young, will spend the winter with them.

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ing were the order of the evening. A delicious midnight luncheon was served.

Education week is being observed in our school.

The English literature class are devoting the recitation period to public speaking.

The economists are preparing for a debate on the question, "Resolved, that the government should own and operate the railroads."

EVERGREEN.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bossard and baby, and Mr. and Mrs. Anson Wittmer and family of Brown City attended services here and visited at Jason Kitchen's Sunday.

Miss Myrtle Bullock is spending a few days at her parental home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Clare Mudge and family of Grosse Pointe with some of their friends spent the week end at Will Mudge's.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Mitchell and grandson, Herbert, Mr. and Mrs. Loren Churchill, Warren Churchill and son, Kenneth, Mrs. Jason Kitchen and children, Clarence and Emma, Mrs. Emily Warner, Mrs. Albert Kitchen and daughter, Edith, ate dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Churchill last Wednesday. It was Mr. Churchill's 54th birthday. The ladies tied a quilt in the afternoon.

Arthur Adams of Marlette is spending a few days with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. T. Stitt.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred McInnes and family of Port Huron visited at Will Mudge's recently.

Mrs. Albert Kitchen and daughter, Edith, visited at Walter Wood's near Snover Friday.

Items Of Interest in World's News

Cut in Surtax Contemplated.

Washington—Reduction of the surtax on big incomes to 25 per cent will be recommended to congress next month by President Coolidge, it was learned officially at the treasury department.

Auto Plunges 600 Feet Down Canyon Kingman, Ariz.—Mr. and Mrs. W. Hill, of Flint, Mich., saw their automobile plunge 600 feet into a canyon of Gold Road near here after they narrowly escaped death by leaping from the machine.

Ex-Senator Cole, Aged 102, Is Dead. Los Angeles, Cal.—Ex-Senator Cornelius Cole, one of the oldest men in Los Angeles and one of the most famous characters of early California history, died at his home here at the age of 102 years.

Cartridge Belt Inventor Is Dead. Washington—Brig. Gen. Anson Mills retired, inventor of the woven cartridge belt and loom for its manufacture, used in the American Army and Navy, is dead. He was a veteran of Indian and Civil wars.

Lard-Turpentine Blast Kills Woman. Bay City, Mich.—Mrs. Menzel Mochty, 52 years old, wife of an Isco County farmer, died at a hospital here from burns suffered at her home when a mixture of lard and turpentine which she was preparing in the kitchen exploded.

Potatoes Yield 500 Bu. to Acre. Wayland, Mich.—Mason Parmlee, prominent Hopkins township farmer, claims he has smashed all records for potato yields in this section of Michigan. A 14-acre tract, averaged 500 bushels to the acre. The seed were certified russet rurals.

Florida New Mecca for Wealthy. Jacksonville, Fla.—Florida voters have swept into existence by a big majority the amendment to the state constitution which exempts from taxation inheritances and incomes. The unofficial vote shows a lead for the amendment of approximately seven to one.

Second Body From Clifton Found. Southampton, Ont.—The body of Sam Stevenson, of Eau Claire, Mich., steward of the steamer Clifton, wrecked on Lake Huron September 21, was picked up on the shore near here. This is the second body recovered from the wreck in which more than a score perished.

Ship Cuts Through 10 Miles of Ice. Dutch Harbor, Alaska — Cutting through ice of the Arctic ocean 10 miles to deliver 36 tons of provisions, the United States coast guard cutter Mojave saved the people of Teller, 60 miles northwest of Nome, from starvation, according to members of the crew of the Mojave.

Bacteria in Currency. Coins are much more sanitary than paper money, a recent study made by a German bacteriologist discloses. On a bank note which had been in circulation some time and subjected to frequent handling, as many as 143,000 bacteria were discovered. Metallic coins showed a much smaller bacteria count, but children placing them in their mouths are in danger of infection.

Phrase Coined in Ignorance

It is a curious fact that the phrase, "bald as a badger," owes its origin to authors of the past who had no exact knowledge of natural history, and who, because the forehead of a badger is covered with smooth white hairs, came to the conclusion that it was bald.

To Prevent Accidents

Most accidents are not necessary. It isn't luck which prevents them, but just being careful. Keep your mind on the job and don't let it wander off on what you did yesterday or what you are going to do tomorrow.

Facts About Tuberculosis

The National Tuberculosis association says that tuberculosis is not hereditary, and it is practically never handed on from parents to a child before birth. Infection usually comes from tuberculous parents or relatives who, by careless habits, infect the healthy child shortly after birth.

Church Uses Hand Organ

In a small parish church at Frotscliffe, England, a hand organ is used regularly for services and weddings. It is capable of playing 60 hymn tunes, and the sexton turns the handle.

Hard, but Worth While

"Heaven," says the old-fashioned saw, "is an income of a dollar and an outlay of ninety cents, while hell is an income of a dollar and an outlay of a dollar ten." The creation of even a small surplus is the simplest thing in the world to plan and the hardest thing in the world for most people to carry out.

Potential Cotton Growth

British and Portuguese East Africa have areas of land suitable for cotton production twice as great as the cotton lands of the United States.

Thronged to Overflowing

THE CROWDS STREAM IN
THE GOODS POUR OUT

HURRY FOLKS---HURRY

Time is short---the bargains are fleeting. Prices that are unmatched---economics that scream out their superiority the moment you examine the merchandise. You, too, will join the great throng of shoppers here every day of this great sale. Lay your work aside and come, it will pay you.

ZEMKE BROS.

Farm Auction Sale

Having decided to quit farming, I will sell the following property on Mrs. McCool's farm 1 mile east and 1/2 mile north of Deford, or 5 1/2 miles south of Cass City on

Monday, Nov. 24

Commencing at one o'clock

HORSES

Black mare 9 yrs. old, wt. 1400
Bay horse 10 yrs. old, wt. 1400
Bay mare 9 yrs. old, wt. 1300
Gray mare 14 yrs. old, wt. 1200

COWS

Holstein cow 4 yrs. old, due Jan. 1, registered
Durham cow 9 yrs. old, due Jan. 1st
Durham cow 8 yrs. old, milking
Jersey and Durham cow 8 yrs. old milking

MACHINERY

Champion mower 5 ft. cut
Wagon 3 1/2 in. tire
Steel roller
20th Century 2-horse cultivator
One horse cultivator
Beet plow
2 sets of spring tooth drags
Three-horse plow
Two-horse plow
Buggy top in good condition
Buggy without top

2 sets of double harness
Massy & Harris hay loader
Blacksmith forge and anvil
Wagon box and beet box
3 milk cans
New leather breast collar
50 gallon oil can
1 bushel of timothy seed
75 shocks of corn, corn in shock
Forks, eveners, and other farm articles too numerous to mention

HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE

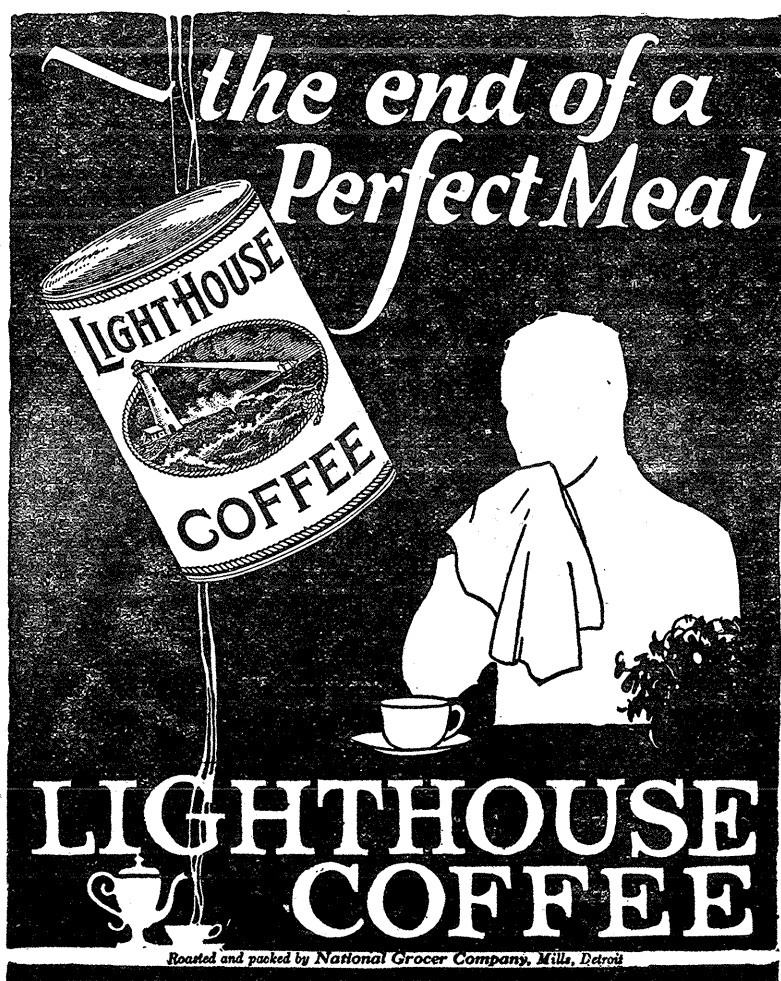
South Bend Malleable stove with large reservoir
Kitchen stove
Dining room table, 8 ft.
Heating stove
LaReine sewing machine
Kitchen table Oil stove
6 dining room chairs
3 rockers Writing desk
Commode and dresser, extra good
3 new bedsteads
3 new mattresses Lamps
Axminster rug, 10x12
Kitchen cupboard
Quantity of glasses

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

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STEPPING AHEAD OF THE BANK CROOK

Bankers Association Official
Gives Rules to Foil Criminals
and Avoid Loss.

By JAMES E. BAUM.

Manager Protective Department
American Bankers Association

The direct cost of all crimes in this country has now reached its highest peak. Statistics reveal startling increases in nearly every type of crime during the past ten years. The total financial loss through the operations of criminals is estimated at more than \$3,500,000,000 for this year. A few of the items follow:

Embezzlement	\$ 120,000,000
Credit frauds	400,000,000
Burglary, larceny, and petty thefts	250,000,000
Forgery, including worthless and bogus checks	100,000,000
Seaport robberies, mail and customs frauds	100,000,000
Railroad thefts	125,000,000
Stock frauds	1,700,000,000
Insurance frauds	1,000,000,000
Arson	50,000,000
Miscellaneous	15,000,000

I am giving cod figures, not to startle any one unless it be toward more extreme care in handling and safe-guarding funds and valuables. Right here let me quote rules to help foil criminals known as "check passers" or "scratchers"; they will help you to avoid serious loss:

1. Never write checks with a pencil. Use pen and ink or, if possible, a check protector.
2. Fill in all blank spaces.
3. Don't erase. Errors should be corrected by writing a new check and destroying those incorrectly written.
4. Never give a blank check to a stranger and never cash a "stranger's" check without an endorsement which you have positively verified.
5. Make checks payable to "cash" or "bearer" only when you personally present them at your bank. Otherwise use the name of the person you intend shall receive payment.
6. Never place your signature alone as an endorsement on checks you intend to deposit. Write above your signature the words "For deposit only".
7. Never sign blank checks. If you expect to be absent any length of time open a separate account subject to check of your employee or agent.
8. Guard your cancelled vouchers as you would a valid check, leaving none where they may be easily taken.
9. Keep your check books securely locked up and be careful how and where you sign or exhibit your signature.
10. Beware of the magic of the word "certified". Ordinary certification stamps can be duplicated almost as easily as any other rubber stamp.
11. Watch checks which apparently bear the makers' "O. K." or other form of approval. These are more easily forged than the full signature.
12. Safeguard your checks as you would your money, for they represent money.
13. Deposit slips provide space for your name, usually upon the upper lines. Those written incorrectly should be destroyed as otherwise your signature will be available for fraudulent use. You can prevent loss by first writing the detail of amounts deposited and then printing your account name.

The bankers' campaign for everybody to "pay by check" has borne fruit. It has been estimated that today more than 95 per cent. of the business of the U. S. is transacted by the use of checks or other credit instruments. That means about six and one-half billion checks will be written by bank depositors in this country during 1924 and they will total about \$500,000,000,000 in amount, or one hundred times the money in circulation.

Banks War on Crooks

The average bank depositor when queried as to what his bank does to protect his deposits, will probably tell you they are kept in a great vault and that armed watchmen are employed, as well as an elaborate and efficient burglary and robbery alarm system. He may not know that the 23,000 banks comprising the American Bankers Association have constantly and conveniently available an army of highly trained specialists who wage a continuous and relentless warfare against the bank criminal. These operatives are within easy reach of any member bank. Criminals know that if they attack a member bank they are attacking one of the most powerful and effective protective organizations in existence.

Another medium by which bankers prevent many financial crimes or losses is the warnings continually broadcast from the American Bankers Association and forty-eight state bankers associations. These warnings keep the trap constantly set and carry out the Association's plan of crime prevention as contrasted with detection.

Danger Ahead

American farmers should not increase their wheat acreage for 1924 if they increase the acreage by three million acres, as is indicated by the Intentions to Seed Wheat Survey of the government, and normal conditions again prevail in other wheat producing countries, next year's wheat market will be glutted and once more wheat prices will be ruinously low. The present high price of wheat is due to poor crops in other countries and in certain sections of the United States.—W. M. Jardine, Advisory Council, Agricultural Commission American Bankers Association.

Where Bankers Come From

The smaller localities are to a large extent the recruiting ground for the profession of banking. A recent survey discloses the fact that of 632 senior bank officers in the largest cities of the United States, 406, or 60 per cent, were born in the country or in small towns.

Of the 632 senior bankers of large cities, 427, or approximately 62 per cent, had a high school or college education. The conclusion is reasonable that the smaller environment, coupled with an education, makes for success in the banking field.—American Bankers Association Journal.

NOVEMBER CROP REPORT.

The growing season of 1924 terminated for the greater part of the state on October 21-23, when the first general killing frost occurred. Notwithstanding the backwardness of the season and slowness in maturing, all main crops except corn, clover seed and sugar beets are above the average in yield per acre, according to the November crop report issued by L. Whitney Watkins, Commissioner of Agriculture, and Verne H. Church, U. S. Agricultural Statistician for Michigan.

Fruit growers suffered more generally than grain farmers this year as apples, peaches and pears were only partial crops. Crop correspondents report an average corn yield of 27 bushels per acre, or a total crop of 45,981,000 bushels, as compared with a yield of 34.5 bushels, per acre and a total production of 58,167,000 bushels last year. The ten year average yield for Michigan is 32.2 bushels per acre. 42 per cent of the crop this year is reported to be of merchantable quality as compared with 73 per cent last year. Only about 50 per cent of crop is being husked, approximately 35 per cent has been put into silos, and 15 per cent is being hogged down.

The National crop aggregates 2,477,538,000 bushels, more than one-half billion bushels less than was produced last year. It is estimated that 63.2 per cent is of merchantable quality. The amount of old corn remaining on farms is reported at 101,934,000 bushels.

The average yield of buckwheat is 15.5 bushels per acre, as compared with 14.2 last year and 13.6 the ten year average. The total crop for the state amounts to 803,000 bushels, and has an average quality of 90 per cent or one per cent better than the ten year normal. Yields varied considerably as fields did not ripen evenly in all cases.

For the country as a whole, the buckwheat crop amounts to 15,520,000 bushels, or 1,500,000 larger than the 1923 crop.

Although Michigan growers planted about 12 per cent less potato acreage than the average of the last 10 years, the production indicated from their reports amounts to 38,227,000 bushels. This crop has only been exceeded twice, in 1909 and in 1914. The large production is due to the high yield of 127 bushels per acre. This is the highest yield since 1869 when the acreage was only one-sixth of that for the current year. The quality is rated at 91 per cent being four per cent above the average and good in nearly all sections. It is estimated that 61 per cent of the crop will be shipped out of the counties where grown.

A marked increase in other states, as reported since the harvesting of the crop became well advanced, gives a total of 454,119,000 bushels. This is the largest crop on record although less than a million bushels over the bumper crop of 1922.

A special inquiry during the month brought forth the information that 84 per cent of the total acreage of beans in Michigan this year was planted to small whites, 4 per cent to large whites, 10 per cent to red kidneys, and 2 per cent to soys, limas and others.

While some good individual yields of clover seed are reported, much of the crop averages light. The acreage is estimated at 85,000 as compared with 105,000 last year and 150,000 two years ago. The indicated yield is 1.2 bushels per acre, giving a total production of 102,000 bushels as against 147,000 in 1923, and 240,000 in 1922. The quality is rated at 86 per cent.

The total crop of the United States is estimated at 817,000 bushels, being generally light throughout the country. Last year's crop was 1,233,000, and that of 1922, 1,887,000 bushels.

Test weights of grains: The average weight per measured bushel of winter wheat this year is found to be 59.5 pounds; spring wheat, 58.0 pounds; oats, 33.8 pounds, and barley, 48.4 pounds, all being decidedly above the average.

The condition of the sugar beet crop on November 1 was 83 per cent as compared with 90 per cent one year ago. The beets are averaging smaller in size than usual but possess a good sugar content.

Fruits—The harvesting of the apple crop has been completed and is estimated at 7,333,000 bushels, or 44 per cent of a full crop. The commercial portion is placed at 1,222,000 bushels. The quality is rated at 67 per cent, 12 per cent below last year and 10 per cent below 10-year average. The total apple crop of the country aggregates 177,238,000 bushels, of which 27,188,000 barrels constitutes the commercial portion. The quality is 74.7 per cent. Last year's commercial crop was 34,403,000 barrels.

SPIRIT OF THE PRESS.

The smallest camera ever made has just been completed in Rochester, N. Y. It is only three-quarters of an inch high and when closed only 1-728th the size of an ordinary kodak. It is to be used to take pictures of husbands who won't let their wives get their hair bobbed.—Chicago Tribune.

Relatives are people who wonder how you manage to get by.—Burlington Hawk-eye.

Some people imagine they are sympathetic when really they are only being inquisitive.

A bootlegger suggests that Americans should boost home trade by buying moonshine instead of imported liquor. Here is a good chance to die for your country.—Fort Worth Record.

Advertise it in the Chronicle.

CHURCH CALENDAR.

Nazarene—In the hall Sunday afternoon at Cass City, Sunday school at 2:00, preaching, Prof. Rinebarger, at 3:00, evening praise service at 7:30, preaching, Prof. Rinebarger, 8:00. Evangelistic services each night at 8:00.

Greenleaf—Sunday 10:00 a. m. Sunday school, 11:00 preaching. Let us come up to the help of the Lord against the mighty.
C. E. AND L. LING, Pasotrs.

Evangelical Church—Sunday, Nov. 23. Bible study 10:00 a. m. Near East Relief service at 11:00. Sattenick S. Hatchadourian, a native of Armenia, will bring the message.

Y. P. C. E. 6:45 p. m. Communion service conducted by Rev. G. Knechtel, 7:30.

Preaching and quarterly conference Friday evening at 7:30.
C. F. SMITH, Minister

Erskine U. P. Church—Next Sabbath morning we will have the thank-offering service under the auspices of the Missionary societies. The pastor will preach a suitable sermon for the occasion. Special music.

Erskine church will also observe our National Thanksgiving by public worship at 10:30 a. m., November 27. The public is invited to all these services.

F. T. KYLE, Pastor.

Methodist Episcopal Church—Ira W. Cargo, pastor. Sunday, Nov. 23, class meeting 10:00, morning worship and sermon "Our Responsibilities to God" 10:30, Sunday school 11:45, Intermediate League 6:30, evening service and sermon. "The Story of the Pilgrim" 7:30.

Union Thanksgiving service Thursday morning 10:00 in the Methodist church.

Everyone has a most cordial invitation to these services.

First Presbyterian Church—Morning worship at 10:30 a. m. Sermon. Sunday School at 12:00 m. Evening worship at 7:30 p. m. Sermon theme: "As the Day Is Cast." Prayer meeting Thursday at 7:30 p. m. Junior C. E. will meet at 6:30 p. m. this Sunday.
Wm Schnug, Pastor.

Baptist—10:30 morning worship; subject, "The Seeker of Goodly Pearls."
12 m., Bible school.

7:30 service. R. S. McLaren, who is home for a while from his work in Africa, will preach on the subject, "The Shepherd of the Sheep." We extend to you a hearty invitation to attend these services.

The Baptist people will attend the revival meetings in Bad Axe tonight, therefore, there will be no prayer meeting here.

A. G. NEWBERRY, Pastor.

KINGSTON-NOVESTA TOWN LINE

R. Routell of Bay City was a Town Line caller Tuesday.

H. H. Wilson of Pontiac visited at the George Martin home one day last week.

Israel Palmateer of Cass City and H. H. Wilson of Pontiac spent last week Thursday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur VanBlaricom.

Myron Retherford and family of Royal Oak visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. Retherford, Sunday night and Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Retherford and John Retherford, jr., were visitors of friends in Caro Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. McLaughlin and Miss Lillian Martin of Detroit spent Saturday night and Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Funk entertained Mr. and Mrs. John Retherford of Caro Sunday.

Arthur VanBlaricom and Israel Palmateer were business callers in Caro one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Horner were business callers at Cass City Friday.

Israel Palmateer of Cass City has been spending a few weeks with his nephew, Harvey Palmateer.

Mr. and Mrs. Clark Courliss entertained Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Churchill and son from near Novesta Corners.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur VanBlaricom and daughter, Edna, were entertained at Sunday dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. VanBlaricom's daughter, Mrs. Morrice Kelley, in honor of Mrs. VanBlaricom's birthday.

MRS. HOWARD ROSE.

Harriet Susan Lowe, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lowe, and wife of Howard Rose died at the family residence, 1224 Scott St., Port Huron, Mich., Nov. 11, 1924. The deceased was born in Austin township, Sanilac County, July 28, 1902 and died Nov. 11, 1924, aged 22 years, three months and 14 days.

She was united in marriage to Howard Rose of Argyle, Oct. 2, 1920. To this union were born three children who survive. She leaves to mourn her going, her husband, three daughters, Esther 3 years, Evelyn 2 years, and Mavis 6 months; also her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lowe of Austin township, one brother, Samuel Lowe of Austin twp., and one sister, Mrs. Mable McClean of Port Huron, Mich., besides a host of relatives and friends. Funeral services were conducted from her father's home in Austin twp. Thursday afternoon, Nov. 13. The sermon was preached by Rev. J. B. Sluyter, pastor of the local M. E. church Interment was made in Mt. Pleasant cemetery of Austin township.

The services were very largely attended. Among those from a distance are the following: From New York state: Mrs. Joe Schoenthaler, Clarence Center, Mrs. Geo. Hummel, of Buffalo, From Detroit, Mich., Mr. and Mrs. Bert Whitefoot and daughter, and son, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Hiller and Harry Rose, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Russell and son, Mr. and Mrs. John Pratt and son, Ernest Kilbourn, Mr. and Mrs. John Starr and Mr. and Mrs. Verholty, Port Huron, Mrs. Edward Willerton, Sandusky, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Moier, Brown City, Mr. and Mrs. McBurney and two sons and a daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Gekeler, Mrs. Alex McLachlan, Mrs. Alex Ewing, Angus McPhail, all from Cass City, and Mrs. Ben Atchinson of Alvinston, Ontario.

NO RECORDS SET IN STATE CORN CONTEST

Poor Season for Crop Holds Down Production—High Moisture Content Found.

Twenty-eight fields of corn, sampled as entrants in the Five-Acre corn growing contest conducted in the state during the past season by the Michigan Agricultural College, fail to include a contestant likely to approach the 100 bushel goal set for the contest.

Adverse weather conditions during the season proved too big a handicap for Michigan corn growers to overcome in the contest, according to D. F. Rainey, M. A. C. extension specialist in charge of the Five-Acre tests. The fields sampled for production all showed very high moisture content in the corn, running from 51 per cent down to 32 per cent, the lowest found among the contestants.

This high moisture content, checked for the best growers in the state, gave positive indication of the need for careful handling of the state's seed corn stores this year. It is said to be unsafe to "crib" corn with more than 30 per cent moisture content.

While none of the entrants in the 1924 contest are expected to reach the 100 bushel mark, Mr. Rainey predicts that the 1923 record of 83 bushels of shelled corn per acre, will be equalled or passed.

Winners in the contest, which will be announced during Farmers Week at M. A. C. in February, will be awarded special medals and other prizes. The list of prizes runs all the way from a standard cultipacker to pure bred seed and farm paper subscriptions.

The Five-Acre contest is a new thing for Michigan farmers, having been started only a year ago. It will run again in 1925, according to the college men, becoming an annual event.

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Ladies' wool dresses from \$5.95 up.

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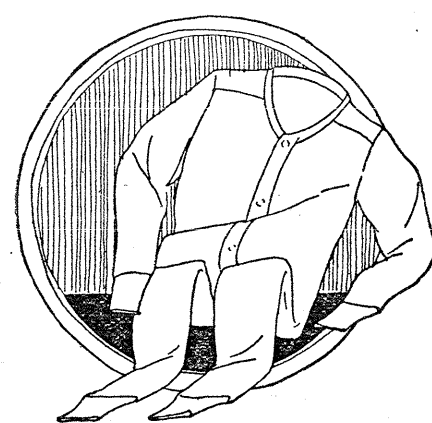
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