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FRIENDS GATHER IN TUSCOLA
CO. TOWN TO GREET DR.
BISHOP.

Give Evidence of Appreciation for
Half Century's Service in Millington
Community.

Through the courtesy of the Millington Herald, the Chronicle presents its readers with a halftone picture of Dr. H. A. Bishop of Millington, a prominent physician of Tuscola county, who was honored by a homecoming celebration on Tuesday, July 28, in his home town.

It has been nearly fifty years since Dr. Bishop came to Millington to practice his profession and in that period he has made many friends who felt that something should be done to give evidence of the appreciation of his service to the community in the half century of activity.

A parade of floats representing all business places of the town, a short program, a base ball game and the serving of refreshments were events of the day arranged by the committee. A mail bag filled with letters from old friends of the physician was presented to Dr. Bishop.

Dr. and Mrs. Bishop have two children, Mrs. David J. Evans and C. E. Bishop, both of Millington.

"Flowers Today" is the title of an appropriate poem which was published in Dr. Bishop's home-town paper last week. It read:

I would rather have one little rose,
From the garden of a friend,
Than to have the choicest flowers,
When my stay on earth must end.

I would rather have the kindest words
Which may now be said to me,
Than flattered when my heart is still
And this life has ceased to be.

I would rather have a loving smile
From friends I know are true,
Than tears shed 'round my casket,
When I bid this world adieu.

Bring me all your flowers today,
Whether pink, or white, or red,
I rather have one blossom now,
Than a truckload when I'm dead.

WASHINGTON INSIDE OUT

A Weekly Panorama of Events at the
National Capital.
By Peter Keegan.

Washington has been made for the battleground of the forces of religion and science, fresh from their first important engagement of this century in Tennessee. Hardly had the Tennessee case reached its conclusion before a clerk in the Treasury Department here involved a part of the last District of Columbia Appropriation Act, passed by Congress in 1924, to stop the teaching of the natural science in the public schools of Washington. The injunction proceedings thus instituted are brought under a provision that none of the money spent for salaries can go to teachers who teach partisan politics or disrespect the Holy Bible. The man who started the suit admits he is an atheist, that he is opposed to all religion, and that he wants to make a real test of the power of religious bodies to set up the Bible as a standard in school curricula. The Washington case may end quickly if progress cannot be made in the District courts, but failure there is expected to result in other attempts to get the question squarely before the United States Supreme Court.

At the same time another battle along the same line is in prospect as Congressman Upshaw of Georgia, an itinerant preacher, and other religious fundamentalists are planning to try to get the Tennessee anti-evolution law enacted as a federal statute. There seems no way at the present to avoid a conflict over the war of religion and science in the next Congress, regardless of the efforts that will be made by party leaders to prevent it. On questions of that kind party lines will be smashed completely and the debates which are started probably will crowd all other legislative business aside.

The work of repairing and returning the White House is not proceeding as rapidly as had been hoped, with the result that the Coolidges may not be able to return to Washington early in September as they are planned. Those in charge of the work now estimate that it may take until the first of October before the entire executive mansion is again ready for occupancy. The President's plans are not known yet, but it is thought here that he would remain on in Swampscott until the White House repairing is finished or would go up in Vermont to finish his vacation, thus avoid a month's stay in a hotel here.

Following his resignation from the War Finance Corporation, to which he was appointed as a lame duck by President Harding, Frank W. Mondell, former Republican leader of the

House, is in Washington without a federal job and there has been much speculation as to whether or not President Coolidge has something in mind for him. One report had it that Mondell was to be appointed Secretary of the Interior, but Secretary Work, who now has the job, has denied that he intends to resign. About the only other important post which is likely to become vacant shortly is the war portfolio and it may be that Mondell will succeed Weeks there unless he decided definitely to stick to private law practice.

A special joint congressional committee has embarked on a tour of the country to find out how the new postal rates are working and what further changes, if any, should be made. Before leaving Washington, the committee learned that the post office department stands to have a deficit of forty million dollars this year because the increases in postal salaries are costing more money than the increased rates bring in. Various plans for cutting down expenses have been suggested among them being the proposal that Congressmen be compelled to pay their own postage instead of having the free franking privilege.

Secretary of Labor Davis has gone to Europe leaving the anthracite situation up in the air and with threats of a strike this fall still being heard. The feeling in the Capital is, however, that the President's threat of Government control unless the coal industry learned to behave has offset a walkout for the present.

BEAN MEN OF STATE ORGANIZE EXCHANGE

BAD AXE AND CARO MEN
NAMED AS TEMPORARY
PRES. AND TREAS.

Organization May Create State Bean
Pool for Marketing Crops of
Members.

Representative farmers from the principal bean growing counties of Michigan met at East Lansing July 20 and organized on a tentative basis the Michigan Bean Growers' Exchange, an organization planned eventually to include all bean growers of the state.

Temporary officers were selected, these officers to guide the organization until August 6, when the same representatives will meet at Lansing again for the purpose of completing all details of the organization. These officers are as follows: President, Earl McCarty, Bad Axe; secretary, Richard F. Price, Saginaw county; treasurer, P. G. Dowling, Caro.

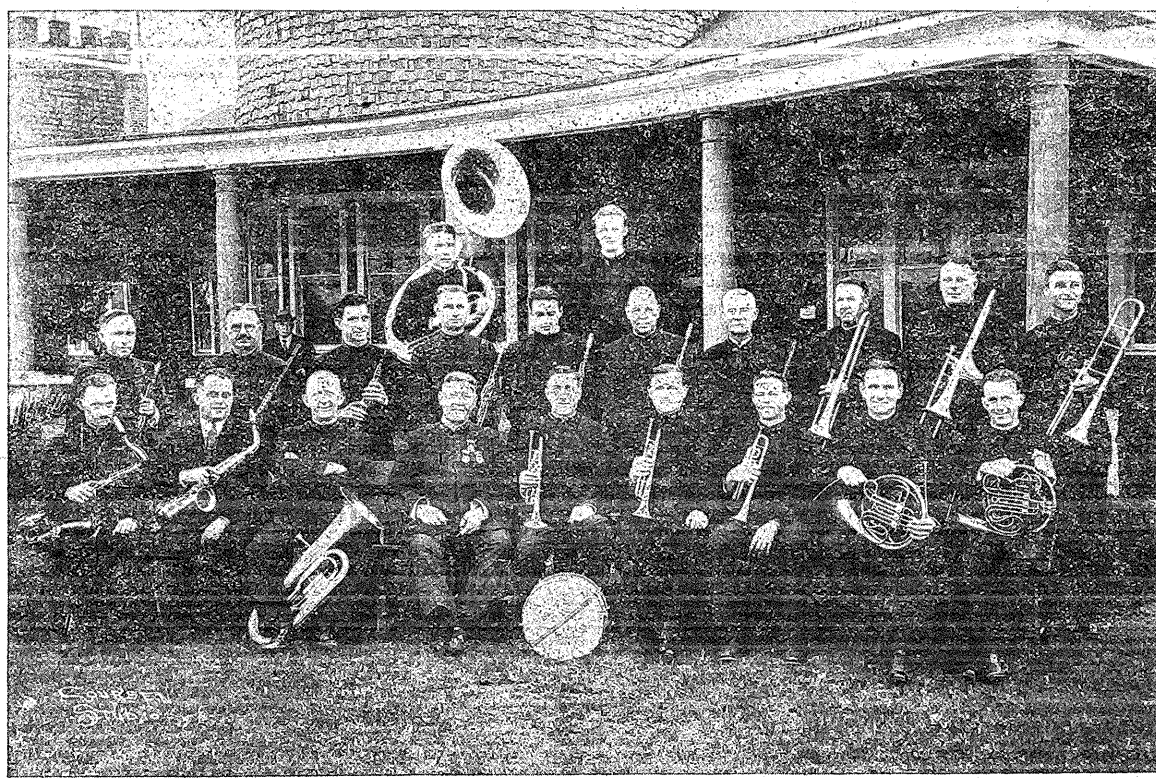
Mr. Price was appointed chairman of a plans committee which Monday outlined provisional plans for the organization, with the help of the officials of the Michigan State College, and will complete all plans and by-laws for governing the organization at the August 6 meeting. C. W. Cheney, Saginaw county, and C. R. Oviatt, Bay county, were named to act with Mr. Price on the committee.

Each of the county representatives was named as chairman of his county organization, the plan of the state exchange calling for organization of each county's bean growers into a local association. Under the program of organization, as soon as 20 of the county associations have ratified the plan for the state exchange the exchange will be incorporated to permit it to carry on any business necessary.



DR. H. A. BISHOP

For nearly fifty years a physician at Millington, who was honored by fellow townsmen at a celebration in that village Tuesday.



ARTHUR AMSDEN'S FAMOUS SAGINAW BAND.

will play at the Cass City Fair August 18, 19, 20 and 21. This band, one of the best in Michigan, filled an engagement at the fair here last year and gave such excellent satisfaction that officers considered themselves fortunate in being able to secure this band for the 1925 fair.

The state exchange may include in its plan creation of a state bean pool for marketing of all beans of its members. Membership in the exchange is limited strictly to bean growers and all members must subscribe to the rules of the exchange.

The exchange will be organized with the aid of the officials of the marketing and crops departments of the Michigan State College. The better features of the Michigan Milk Producers' Association and the Michigan Potato Growers' Exchange are to be incorporated in the bean exchange.

Thumb Tales Tersely Told

Pigeon—A crew of surveyors from the State Highway Department arrived last week and are now working on the route of the scenic highway between Cassville and Port Austin. It is expected that it will take between two and three weeks to complete the job. For the present the surveyors are making their headquarters in Pigeon.

Sandusky—Shifting of dates by other fair associations of the Thumb district has made it advisable also for a change in the Sandusky fair dates this year and the fair has been postponed one week and will be held Sept. 8, 9, 10 and 11.

Deckerville—The reorganization of the State Bank of Deckerville, following the amalgamation of the Farmers State Bank a few months ago, was completed at a meeting of the board of directors held July 14. The board is composed of the following personnel: A. E. Sleeper, of Bad Axe; J. P. Niggeman, of Crosswell; John Ryan, of Bad Axe; C. H. Clement, of Deckerville; W. J. McCaren, of Carsonville; Fred J. Kemp, of Port Huron; Geo. B. Forrester, A. A. Pattullo and M. M. Forrester, of Deckerville. New officers elected are as follows: President Geo. B. Forrester; vice president, A. E. Sleeper; vice president, C. H. Clement; vice president, C. E. McCluskey; cashier, Fred J. Kemp; assistant cashiers, Otis J. Munn and J. F. Powell.

Sandusky—Another silver black fox farm will be established in this

community this fall on twenty acres of land, four miles south and seven east of this city, by Mrs. Arthur Hoffman who bought the land of Bert Fairman. Material is being placed on ground and it is expected that foxes will be in quarters there by Nov. 1.

Elkton—Citizens here are preparing a fine program and expect large numbers of former residents at the annual homecoming celebration on Friday, Aug. 7.

Marlette—The Marlette Farmers' Co-operative Elevator Co., at the annual meeting, reported elevator sales \$20,892.58 larger than the previous year and a net profit of \$3,979.98 was shown. The previous year's business showed a loss. Directors will not pay regular dividends this year due to the fact that surplus funds are not available for that purpose.

Bad Axe—R. J. West, prosecuting attorney of Sanilac county was attending to some legal business in Bad Axe on Monday. When asked regarding alleged charges reported as being investigated against him by the Governor, Mr. West said there was nothing to it as far as he knew or was personally concerned and that the talk about his office being due for an investigation was probably the result of the work of an over zealous news reporter. West said that all he did was to prosecute the cases brought before him by the justice and sheriff. He understood, however, that there was something doing or talk about something doing in the sheriff's office by state authorities.—Tribune.

Lightning Fires Catholic Church

During the electrical storm in Cass City Saturday afternoon, lightning struck the steeple of St. Pancratius church, setting fire to that part of the edifice. The fire department made short work of extinguishing the blaze and comparatively little damage was done.

The lightning struck the cross at the top of the steeple and then followed the roof of the spire to its base. It is thought that the bolt ignited a sparrow's nest in the steeple and then spread to the woodwork.

LOCAL ITEMS.

Relatives and friends here have received announcements of the marriage of Miss Charlotte Hamilton and Howard Hoadley at Detroit on Saturday, July 18. Both are well known here, being members of the Class of 1915, Cass City high school. They will make their home in Detroit.

Hiram Keyser, residing north of Wickware, says his apple crop will be larger this fall than he had reason to anticipate several weeks ago, an opinion which it is hoped many fruit growers in this community will realize this autumn when they harvest their crop of apples. Mr. Keyser has one tree which he estimates will yield 30 bushels or more. It measures 5 ft. 8 in. in circumference, stands 34 1/2 ft. high and its branches extend 60 ft. from side to side.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Bolton and son of London, Ont., Miss Cathcart of Montreal and Mrs. McFarland of Cleveland, Ohio, were guests at the J. L. Cathcart home from Sunday until Tuesday. Monday was spent by the Cathcart family and their guests in touring the Thumb and viewing the splendid farming lands of Tuscola and Huron counties. Miss Hester Cathcart accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Bolton to London Tuesday morning and will visit Niagara Falls and Buffalo before returning to her home in Cass City.

Moshier Reunion Held at Silverwood

The third annual reunion of the Moshier family was held at the fine farm home of Mrs. Florence Moshier-Sickler at Silverwood on Saturday, July 25. Eighty friends came from Detroit, Wahjamega, North Branch, Deford, Caro, Clifford, Evergreen township, and Oxford, Mich., and Toledo, Ohio, to enjoy a bountiful dinner served on the lawn.

A ball game between the Giants and the Midgets early in the afternoon resulted in a victory for the latter. The company then adjourned to the house and President J. R. Moshier of Deford called the meeting to order. After the business session, a fine program of readings and songs was given. Lowell Sickler sang a solo and responded to an encore and Eugene Moshier of Oxford sang two gospel songs which were very much enjoyed.

A kind and interesting letter from Mr. and Mrs. George A. Moshier, formerly of Kingston, now of Portland, Oregon, was read. Mrs. Addie Yallmen, and Miss Mable Degrow delighted the company with some splendid readings. The occasion was a very enjoyable one.

The next reunion will be held at the home of Mrs. Emma Patch at Novesta Corners on the third Saturday in July, 1926, when a much larger attendance is hoped for.

Cheer Up, It's Looking Better

On the first page of the Breeder's Gazette, one of the foremost agricultural publications in the United States, in its July 23rd number, appeared this paragraph:

"Best cattle at Chicago yards last week, \$14.50; same week last year, \$11.00; bulk of fed cattle last week, \$10.50 at \$13.50; last year, \$9 at \$10.50! Best hogs last week, \$14.60; last year, \$7.65! Best lambs, last week \$15.75; last year, \$14.15! That's all."

Tri-County Gleaners Picnic on Aug. 12

The Gleaners of three counties, Sanilac, Tuscola and Huron, will hold a picnic in Willerton's grove, 1 1/2 miles west of Argyle, on Wednesday, Aug. 12. Base ball, tug of war, sports and games, fancy drills, and addresses by prominent speakers are numbers on the day's program. A band will furnish music throughout the day.

A PAGE OF COMMUNITY BOOSTERS

A Community Booster page appears in the Chronicle this week signed by a lot of boosting business men. It is the first of a series that will appear—one each month.

It's a message forcefully written, ringing with true sincerity of purpose and one which will inspire in you a new friendliness for those who serve and aim to please you. It will convince you that you and the local business interests have much in common. They have done much toward building up this great and promising community of ours of which we all are proud. And quite often, they did it by putting loyalty to you above what might have been their personal gain.

Every little boost helps. Everybody boost! Every boost for the town boosts you and this community.

Animal Circus.

Animals of all kinds may be seen at the animal circus at the Cass City Fair Aug. 18-21.—Adv. 1

OUR OWN MICHIGAN.

(Saranac Advertiser)

Recent rains over the land of the Wolverine have given promise of splendid crops this fall. Despite the extremely dry weather during the fore part of the spring and early summer, everything now indicates we were more scared than hurt and that we will be bounteously rewarded for our labors again by Mother Nature. There seems to be something peculiar to Michigan soil and atmosphere that keeps us from a complete crop failure during any single year. Other states suffer much more than we do and when they come around telling of the wonderful advantages of Florida or California it is a good plan to pass them on the other side of the street. There is no greater state in the Union for real opportunity than right here at home. Get that story over to your boy or girl and have them planning for a business career right here in the land of their nativity.

ORGANIZING WORK HAS JUST BEGUN

TO RAISE MICHIGAN'S SHARE
OF LEGION FUNDS FOR
ORPHANS.

Appeal Is Made for Two Great Groups
of Sufferers—Disabled Men and
Orphans.

"An appeal for two great groups of war sufferers—the disabled men and the orphans—is about to be sounded in Michigan," declared John F. Roehl, state commander of The American Legion, Thursday in announcing the opening of a campaign for Michigan's share of the national \$5,000,000 endowment fund, now being founded by the Legion in support of rehabilitation and child welfare work.

The endowment has been launched in virtually every state and is meeting with spontaneous response, Commander Roehl stated. The work of organizing state and city endowment fund committees has begun in Michigan, and the campaign in this state will culminate with an intensive drive early this fall.

"The American Legion is asking the American public to come forward to the aid of the men who gave their health, and to the aid of the children of those who gave their lives in the defense of the country," explained the commander. "Rehabilitating the disabled veteran and caring for the orphans of former service men are two most sacred tasks left us by the war. They are so entwined with delicate human problems they cannot be handled adequately by government machinery alone."

"Since its organization at the close of the war, the Legion has been laboring to bring about the fulfillment of the nation's obligations to its disabled defenders and the children who are left fatherless. It has worked in close cooperation with the government agencies, clearing the way for government aid, and stepping in where government relief could not reach."

"The work has been heavy and is growing heavier as every day the injuries and diseases of the war bring down more victims. The resources of the Legion have been inadequate. Hand-to-mouth methods of financing threatened the continuance of the work. Therefore, the Legion has come to the public for help. It is asking for \$5,000,000 to be held in trust forever, the income to be used to soften the sufferings of those who are bearing the war's bitterest burdens."

"Everywhere the endowment movement has spread, it has met a sympathetic reception. I know it will meet the same response in Michigan."

President Coolidge is chairman of the national honorary committee for the endowment fund, and all members of his cabinet have endorsed it.

ROY TAYLOR STARTS A NEWSPAPER

Roy Taylor has started a newspaper.

Its name is the "Grist Screenings" and the first number is out today.

Mr. Taylor has eliminated the high cost of newspaper making, however, and has not invested in a costly typesetting machine and newspaper press. Instead he has engaged space in the Chronicle and each week you may find his newsy sheet on a page of this newspaper.

Take a look at the "Grist Screenings" today. That means you will continue reading it indefinitely.

NOTICE.

To meet the convenience of our patrons, you are permitted to pay bills at either bank after Aug. 1.

MICHIGAN ELECTRIC POWER CO.
E. J. Kremer, Mgr.—1 Adv. 1

Grand Champion Calif.

See the Grand Champion Club calf at the Cass City Fair Aug. 18 to 21.—Adv. 1

LOCALS WIN TWO IN PAST WEEK

DEFEATED BOTH FAIRGROVE
AND VASSAR LEAGUE
TEAMS.

Cass City Was Strong with Stick,
More Than Doubling Number of
Opponents.

Cass City tied for second place in the Tuscola County league on Tuesday when they defeated Vassar on the local diamond by a 12-2 score. This was the second victory within a week, the locals defeating Fairgrove at Fairgrove last Thursday afternoon by an 8-3 tally.

Cass City doubled the number of hits secured by Fairgrove. They scored their first run in the second inning, added five in the fourth period and two more in the ninth. Fairgrove was held scoreless until the seventh period. Messler, Asher and Hutchinson were the heavy hitters of the day, each man securing three.

The score:

Cass City	AB	R	H	SB	SH	E
Patterson, rf	4	0	1	0	1	0
Benkelman, ss	4	0	2	0	1	0
Wallace, 1b	4	0	1	0	0	1
Hutchinson, p	5	2	3	1	0	0
Messler, 2b	5	1	3	0	0	1
Asher, lf	5	2	3	0	0	0
Fiddymont, c	5	1	0	0	0	0
Sherman, cf	5	1	1	0	0	0
Callan, 3b	3	1	0	0	0	1
Totals	40	8	14	1	2	3

Fairgrove	AB	R	H	SB	SH	E
Barriger, 1b	5	0	0	0	0	1
Laver, 3b	4	1	1	0	0	0
McCloy, ss	4	0	0	0	0	0
Massol, 2b	4	0	2	0	0	1
Arndt, rf, p	4	1	1	1	0	1
F. Furman, cf	3	1	1	0	0	0
Jayne, c	4	0	0	0	0	0
Crosby, p, rf	4	0	1	0	0	0
O. Furman, lf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Luther, lf	3	0	1	0	0	0
Totals	36	3	7	1	0	3

Cass City ... 0 1 0 5 0 0 0 0 2-8
Fairgrove ... 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 1 1-3

Hutchinson pitched a fine game on Tuesday afternoon, holding Vassar to three scattered hits. Cass City cinched the game in the middle of the contest, securing seven scores in the fifth inning and five in the next. The locals led the visitors in hitting.

Vassar	AB	R	H	SB	SH	E
Nickless, 2b	5	0	0	0	0	0
Sevensen, ss	4	1	1	1	0	0
Stange, p	3	0	0	0	0	0
Atkins, lf	4	0	1	0	0	0
Englehart, 1b	4	0	0	0	0	0
Allen, c	4	0	0	0	0	0
Chambers, 3b	4	0	0	0	0	0
Everts, cf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Maysin, rf	4	0	1	0	0	0
Totals	33	2	3	1	0	0

Cass City	AB	R	H	SB	SH	E
Patterson, rf	5	2	2	0	0	0
Benkelman, ss	4	2	1	0	0	0
Hutchinson, p	5	1	1	0	0	0
Evo, c	5	1	1	0	0	0
Messler, 2b	4	2	1	0	0	0
McConnell, lf	4	1	1	0	0	0
Asher, cf	4	0	2	0	0	0
Wallace, 1b	4	1	0	0	0	0
Callan, 3b	3	2	2	0	0	0
Totals	38	12	11	0	0	0

Vassa ... 2 0 0 0 0 0 0 0-2
Cass City ... 0 0 0 0 7 5 0 0-12

Bryan's Funeral Today in Washington

The funeral of William Jennings Bryan will be held today at the New York Ave. Presbyterian church in Washington, D. C., the body having left Dayton, Tenn., Wednesday for the national capital.

The death of Mr. Bryan, who many years ago as "the boy orator of the Platte," with his "Cross of Gold" speech won a democratic presidential nomination and lasting place before the American public, occurred suddenly at Dayton, Tenn., Sunday afternoon. The end came while the "Commoner" was sleeping in the house of Richard Rogers, which had been assigned him during his stay at Dayton when he came for the Scopes trial. Physicians stated death was caused by a hemorrhage of the brain, resulting in apoplexy. He was 65 years of age.

Accounts Must Be Collected at Once

All accounts due the firm of Crosby & Son must be collected immediately. Those owing the firm will confer a favor by calling at the Pinney State Bank, where the accounts are on file, and paying same. Roy Bricker.—1 Adv. 3t

Max's Exposition Shows
are booked for the Cass City Fair the week of Aug. 18-21.—Adv. 1

Compare the Figs.

See the pig that was fed a balanced ration and the one that was not at the Cass City Fair Aug. 18-21.—Adv. 1

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STRAIGHT TALKS WITH AUNT EMMY ON A NARROW ESCAPE

"Oh, Aunt, I just have to talk to you," said Maud, bursting in on Aunt Emmy. "Those bonds Tom's father gave us for a wedding present have matured and Tom has the money. A man is trying to get Tom to invest in a radio company. I want your opinion on it."

"Don't hurry; tell me everything you can remember," said Aunt Emmy. "Well, Tom didn't seem enthusiastic. Then Mr. Brown, the salesman, said that if he bought stock in his company, and wanted his money at any time, the company would buy back his stock."

"Are you sure he said that?" interrupted Aunt Emmy. "That is a claim that is not made by people connected with dependable investment houses. Unless you have an agreement with the company clearly stating that it will repurchase its stock, signed by one of its officers, you would have great difficulty in getting the company to buy back your stock. A company cannot be compelled to repurchase its own stock. Do you know who Mr. Brown is?"

"No," replied Maud. "Neither does Tom, but he seems awfully nice and Tom liked him right from the start. He is good looking, well dressed, and has beautiful manners."

Aunt Emmy sniffed. "Did he offer to sell you preferred stock on which dividends are guaranteed?"

"Why, how did you know, Aunt?" exclaimed Maud. "That is exactly what he did."

"I thought so," said Aunt Emmy. "Reliable stock salesmen don't promise that a company will repurchase its stock, nor do they promise guaranteed dividends. Unless a company operates profitably, it cannot pay honest dividends of any sort, guaranteed or otherwise. You can see how foolish it is to believe that you can get dividends just because some one says they are guaranteed. The only guarantee in the world for dividends is the successful operation of a company. Guaranteed dividends is a glib phrase used by unscrupulous persons to get money from unthinking ones. A while back the country was flooded with fake oil stock. Now dishonest promoters are trying radio stock."

"What shall I do?" cried Maud. "Tom is with Mr. Brown now at the store to buy the stock with the bond money."

"You just go to the phone and call Tom," said Aunt Emmy. "Ask him and Mr. Brown to meet you at the bank at ten o'clock. Tell him not to buy the stock until you talk with him again. Half the money is yours. Then call the bank and make an appointment with the vice president to discuss an investment."

About noon Aunt Emmy's telephone rang. It was Maud. "The queerest thing happened, Aunt," she said. "Mr. Brown agreed to meet us at the bank at ten o'clock. Tom and I waited until eleven and he never showed up. Then Tom told the vice president about it and he said we had a lucky escape. Only last week the bank looked up the company Mr. Brown represented and it is absolutely no good!"

A. B. Ayres.

Avoid Evil Speaking

A good word is an easy obligation; but not to speak ill requires only our silence, which costs nothing.—Tillotson.

No, This Wasn't Said

A parson wrote to his bishop asking him to come and hold a quiet day. The bishop declined, saying: "Your parish does not need a quiet day. It needs an earthquake."—Christian Register.

British Fight Slang

Parents in British society are discussing the elimination of slang among young people, such expressions as "bally" and "old thing" being among the most offensive expressions.

Confidence Means Much

Confidence is the very basis of all achievement. There is a tremendous power in the conviction that we can do a thing.—Orison Swett Marden.

Michigan Happenings

Distribution of the primary school fund for the present year will be made on the basis of \$13.70 per child, Thomas E. Johnson, superintendent of public instruction, announced. This is 30 cents a child less than last year, due principally to the abnormal increase in the number of school children in Michigan last year. The recent school census shows the increase to be approximately 50,000, or double the increase of recent years. The number of school children in the state is 1,124,000. The primary school fund totals \$15,440,000.

Secretary of State Charles J. DeLand acted to put into force regulations aimed to eliminate fraudulent dealings by building and loan associations. The new regulations were drawn following an examination of the books of some 40 associations, many of which were found to be violating the law passed by the 1925 legislature. The rules place the building and loan salesmen exactly in the class of the stock salesmen, in that he must be registered and approved by the department before he is permitted to do business.

The State of Michigan faces a deficit of at least \$1,100,000, it is revealed in figures given members of the administrative board by Henry Croll Jr., state budget director. The state's books for the fiscal year, which ended June 30 this year, will show when the accounting is completed a paper surplus of \$1,800,000. This paper surplus, however, is obtained on the basis of considering as assets large sums owed the general fund by the prison fund and the state highway department.

A suit to prohibit the City of Detroit from collecting more than \$23,000 assessed against the State Fair property in connection with the widening and improving of Woodward avenue, has been started in the Ingham County Circuit Court by Victor H. Spike, assistant Attorney-General. The State contends that the Fair Ground property is used for public educational and welfare purposes and is exempt from participation in the cost of improvement.

An announcement was made at the Y. M. C. A. at Lansing that the camp for underprivileged boys of the city, financed by the Rotary club and conducted under direction of the Y. M. C. A., will be held at the Boy Scout camp at Clear Lake, near Jackson, from August 15 to 22. About 65 boys recruited from the social service center, the underprivileged "Y" boys club, and by members of the Rotary club, are to go to the camp.

A reorganization of personnel and the institution of a policy of rigid economy by the State Department of Public Safety was announced at Mt. Clemens by Alan G. Straight, commissioner. The changes involve also the establishment in both the lower and upper peninsulas of State Police troops and a centralized operations office in Lansing, comprising a system not unlike that employed by the army.

The assessment of property in Michigan will be boosted half a billion dollars this year according to preliminary figures compiled by George Lord, head of the state tax department. The assessment will be completed by August 3 for service on the municipalities. The board of equalization will meet August 17 to hear protests and comments from the various counties.

Indications that the merchant's bureau of the chamber of commerce does not intend to drop its fight against projecting signs on the principal streets of Lansing, despite the protests of several merchants, were given when Charles G. Mackichan, president of the bureau, announced the appointment of a committee to plan for the removal of the signs.

After a discussion between the city manager and the city commission of Pontiac, a decision was reached to abandon the plan to widen East Huron street. The heavy cost of property in this district made it inadvisable to proceed with the work, despite the fact that the street is in the downtown section and carries heavy traffic.

Believing that many fish were killed by a quantity of acid dumped into the Kalamazoo river at the plant of the Albion Bolt company, Deputy Game Warden Daniel O'Leary of Marshall, analyzed samples of water from the river above and below the sewer from the plant. Prosecution under the law of pollution of streams is expected.

In an effort to stimulate patronage and increase revenues, the Detroit United Railway will not take advantage of the 3-cents-a-mile fare rate granted recently by the State Utilities Commission, as far as the Flint division is concerned, but instead a reduction is planned.

Grand Rapids has a population of 168,812, according to estimates based on the new school census just completed. Children of school age total 42,203.

The administration committee of the Grand Rapids city commission and city manager, Fred H. Locke, has acted to force the Grand Haven & Muskegon Railway company to so route its passenger and freight cars as to remove them from downtown streets. The Grand Rapids Railway company has petitioned for permission to build track to connect the G. R. & M., with the Michigan Railroad company's lines to permit of through freight traffic. The committee and manager granted the petition on condition the interurban companies vacate the downtown streets.

Three youthful bandits made away with the \$33,000 Lakeview Foundry company payroll, of Muskegon, after holding up the three carriers, near the paymaster's office, where a score of employees were waiting for their pay. The carriers were unarmed and did not resist. As the carriers approached with two boxes containing the money, two of the men stepped through the gate into the factory yard and brandished pistols. They loaded the boxes into the automobile and it sped down a side street hidden from view of those who had witnessed the job.

City Attorney John Farley has acted to protect Flint's interest in collection of delinquent taxes in a petition to the circuit court for an injunction restraining stockholders of a defunct automobile sales agency from disposing of the company's holdings pending collection of the taxes. The petition came as the aftermath of a judgment for \$4,085 granted the city against the Hurd Auto Sales company, which has since gone out of business. The delinquent taxes are included in the \$50,000 personal taxes uncollected.

Five persons were in Nicholas hospital and several others in jail as the result of the race riots at Battle Creek. Soldiers and civilians formed great mobs and invaded the negro district, and later went to a carnival grounds where several clashes occurred. All available police and sheriff's officers were called out in an effort to halt the riots.

A workman who suffers a sunstroke cannot be awarded compensation from his employer, Charles Ravens of the State Industrial Accident Board, ruled at Owosso, in denying compensation to H. F. Ginter, of Lansing. Ginter was overcome by heat while demonstrating a tractor last spring and has been unable to work since.

John Long has brought suit in Port Huron against the Saginaw Fair association for \$5,000 damages. Long alleges that he was injured badly while attending a carnival in Saginaw when a motorcycle jumped the rim of a motordrome and ran over him. He holds the fair association responsible for not providing proper safeguards.

The announcement of the purchase of the plant and equipment of the Michigan Drop Forge Co. at Pontiac, by the Wilson Foundry & Machine Co. was made by D. R. Wilson, general manager of the Wilson company. The property was surrounded by the Wilson plant and will be used for future expansion Mr. Wilson said.

The Electric Railway Co. at Port Huron, which provides local street car transportation, must provide improved transportation facilities to the city's beaches before a fare increase will be granted, Mayor McIlwain announced. The company had asked the city to permit it to charge a higher fare.

Isaac Quigno 75 years old, former chief of the Pottawatomie Indian tribe near Hartford, has been married to Mrs. Lizzie Gibson, of Water-viet. Quigno for years has been a leader in an attempt to gain settlement of Lake Michigan property at Chicago, which he claims belongs to the Indians.

Northville is to have a new modern movie theater and play house. The Allen-Penniman syndicate, of Plymouth, has purchased the property on Main street left vacant by the recent fire which destroyed the Alcyon theater and the grocery store of W. H. Elliott.

Police Chief William Kurtz has notified all police patrols operating in Saginaw that they must obey the state motor vehicle laws relative to speeding. This is in response to ordinary calls, emergency calls being allowed the necessary speed to get results.

Fire starting in the shop of the De-foe boat works at Bay City, threatened destruction of the entire plant. In the shops are many cabins and other wood parts, as well as engines for the rum chasers now under construction for the government.

A request has been flashed over the country for apprehension of Kingsley Harris, paying teller of the Central Savings bank of Sault Ste. Marie, alleged to have embezzled \$4,100 and fled from the city with a friend, who drove him away in a motor car.

Antoine Rushford, 106 years old, the oldest Ionia county resident and believed to have been a first cousin of Napoleon Bonaparte, died at the county home near Ionia.

GAGETOWN

Miss Lucile Bartholomy will spend the week end with friends in Caro. Mrs. Geo. W. Purdy was a dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Seeley at Caro on Wednesday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. James Parks and daughter, Doris, and Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Seeley of Caro were callers at J. L. Purdy's Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Munro were in Bad Axe Sunday.

Mrs. Helen Sugnet has been among our sick folks.

Mrs. Daniel Mullen was very ill last week.

O. E. S. picnic at Huron Co. park July 30.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Oatz and son and Cecil Creguer of Hanman, Ind., visited Mr. C's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Creguer, last week.

Miss Edna Weire is visiting her sister, Mrs. Geo. Thompson, in Pontiac.

Frank Mulloy and two sons of Chicago visited last week with the former's parents and sister, Mrs. Catherine Ryan.

Miss Jennie Montey of Caro visited Miss Lucile Bartholomy last week.

Pauline and Frances Hunter are visiting in Pontiac and Detroit.

Mr. Shannon of Flint was a caller here Saturday.

A. Rocheleau spent the week end with his family here.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Burton, Mrs. Williams and Betty spent the week end with friends in Vassar.

Mrs. Ottaway from Flushing is visiting her nephew, Bert Ottaway.

Carlton Wiere of Detroit visited his parents over the week end.

Quarterly conference held Monday of last week at the M. P. church. Rev. Coonsman, the presiding elder, was present and gave a splendid sermon.

Mrs. Arthur Rocheleau, sr., is a patient at Hubbard hospital in Bad Axe.

Mrs. Margaret Hess of Detroit visited her sister, Miss Miller, several days last week.

Mrs. Butland and sister, Mrs. Reicher, of Toronto are visiting their sisters, Miss Louise Verrell and Mrs. French.

Wm. Carr of Flint transacted business here Tuesday of last week.

Mrs. M. P. Freeman spent several days of last week in Detroit. Mrs. P. Kehoe assisted in the store during her absence.

Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Hemerick and son, Frederick, were in Chicago last week.

George Hendershot is bookkeeper in the Gagetown Auto Co.'s garage.

J. L. Purdy attended the lumberman's meeting in Pigeon Tuesday evening, July 21.

Mrs. Fraser of Flint is visiting daughter, Mrs. Ottaway.

WICKWARE.

Delayed letter.

James and Will Jordan and the Misses Mae and Carrie Jordan of Grant visited at the S. Nicol home Sunday.

Mrs. O. Walker, who has been spending some time with her daughter Mrs. James Watson, has returned to her home near Argyle.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Willis and Mr. and Mrs. John Willis visited at the F. Willmet home Sunday.

James Nicol, who has been employed in Detroit for the past several months, has returned to his home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Johnson and son, Orlo, have returned to their home in Birmingham.

Little Duane Nicol owns a fine Shetland pony.

We are sorry to hear of the serious illness of Mrs. John Gordon.

Mrs. James Watson was called to Cass City last Saturday on account of the serious illness of her brother, W. A. Walker.

CEDAR RUN.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Beutler and two sons spent Sunday at North Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wilson of Hamilton, Ont., spent part of last week at the Spaven home here.

E. Cutler of Caro and Mr. and Mrs. B. Ritter were Sunday guests at Wm. Ware's.

Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Fulcher and children of Wickware were Sunday guests at T. C. Hendrick's.

Mrs. Wilder of Lapeer and Mrs. Sour of Wyandotte are visiting at the Wm. Beardsley home.

Mrs. Jas. Uren and baby of Detroit are visiting the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Deming.

Mrs. Sweeney and two grandchildren of Grayling have been visiting the former's sisters, Mrs. O. A. and Mrs. E. S. Hendrick.

GREENLEAF.

Mrs. Agnes Diamond of Pontiac, who has been visiting friends and relatives in this vicinity, returned to her home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Meredith and daughter of Pontiac were callers in town a few days last week.

George Philpox was a caller Sunday at S. Ballagh's.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Terrace Wallace to Zuleika Stafford, lot 13 Blk. 1, J. L. Hitchcock's add., Cass City. 50c rev.

Geo. Wilcox Estate by Adm. to Oscar Petzold and wife, pt. S 1/2 of SE 1/4, sec. 10, Arbela, \$4,100.00.

Jas. L. Purdy and wife to Patrick Stapleton and wife, lot 17, blk. 1, James Cleaver's add., Gagetown, \$1,500.00.

Harriett S. Ash to Floyd M. Brand and wife, NW 1/4 of NW 1/4 sec. 29, also SW 1/4 of SW 1/4, sec. 20, Arbela, \$1.

James D. Byington to Coy M. Kent and wife, SW 1/4 of SW 1/4 and E 1/2 of SW 1/4 sec. 33, and SW 1/4 of NW 1/4, sec. 32, Wells. \$1 rev.

John H. Wooley and wife to Mary E. Gaspie, lots 4 and 5 blk. 1, A. H. Ale's add., Cass City. \$3.00 rev.

Mary E. Gaspie to John H. Wooley and wife, E 1/2 of W 1/2 of SE 1/4, sec. 23, Novesta. \$2 rev.

Omar D. Gaspie and wife to John H. Wooley and wife, pt. SW 1/4 of NE 1/4, sec. 23, also W 1/2 of W 1/2 of SE 1/4, sec. 23, Novesta. \$1 rev.

Clark Harris to Mary Ellen Well-wood, pt. SE 1/4 sec. 24, Koyiton, love and affection.

Wm. Demshuk and wife to John H. Walsh, E 1/2 of W 1/2 of SW 1/4, sec. 35, Dayton, \$1.

Martin A. Honeywell and wife to Ethan Grout, lots 131 to 135 inc., Oak Hurst Park, Wisner Twp. \$2.50 rev.

John Vills and wife to Peter Egged and wife, W 1/2 of NW 1/4 of NW 1/4, sec. 11, Vassar, \$400.00.

John Meyer and wife to Harry Kabat et al, lot 1 blk. 2, Woodruff's add., Reese, \$500.00.

Jared Ashe and wife to Lloyd E. Ashe and wife, lot 44, blk. 12, Vassar, \$2,900.00.

Lucia W. Burritt to George Brown lot 5 blk. 1, Wm. Turner's add., Mayville, \$1.

Enoch Hartt to Lillian Hartt et al E 1/2 of SW 1/4 sec. 20, Kingston, \$1.

Thumb Not "Finger"

Strictly speaking, the thumb should not be referred to as a finger and we have on each hand four fingers and a thumb. The term that refers to all five of the divisions of the hand is digit. However, the word "finger" has come to be used loosely in reference to the four digits and the thumb.

Notice of Hearing Claims Before Court—State of Michigan, the Probate Court for the County of Tuscola.
In the matter of the Estate of Albert J. Palmer, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given that 4 months from the 3rd day of July, A. D. 1925, have been allowed for creditors to present their claims against said deceased to said court for examination and adjustment, and that all creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said court, at the probate office, in the Village of Caro, in said county, on or before the 3rd day of November, A. D. 1925, and that said claims will be heard by said court on Tuesday, the 3rd day of November, A. D. 1925, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.
Dated July 3rd, A. D. 1925.
GUY G. HILL,
7/24/3 Judge of Probate.

Notice of Hearing Claims Before Court—State of Michigan, the Probate Court for the County of Tuscola.
In the matter of the Estate of J. H. Striffler, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given that 4 months from the 3rd day of July, A. D. 1925, have been allowed for creditors to present their claims against said deceased to said court for examination and adjustment, and that all creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said court, at the probate office, in the Village of Caro, in said county, on or before the 3rd day of November, A. D. 1925, and that said claims will be heard by said court on Tuesday, the 3rd day of November, A. D. 1925, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.
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Notice of Hearing Claims Before Court—State of Michigan, the Probate Court for the County of Tuscola.
In the matter of the Estate of Margaret A. Hendrick, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given that 4 months from the 2nd day of July, A. D. 1925, have been allowed for creditors to present their claims against said deceased to said court for examination and adjustment, and that all creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said court, at the probate office, in the Village of Caro, in said county, on or before the 2nd day of November, A. D. 1925, and that said claims will be heard by said court on Monday, the 2nd day of November, A. D. 1925, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.
Dated July 2nd, A. D. 1925.
GUY G. HILL,
7/24/3 Judge of Probate.

Notice of Hearing Claims Before Court—State of Michigan, the Probate Court for the County of Tuscola.
In the matter of the Estate of George Gray, Sr., Deceased.

Notice is hereby given that 4 months from the 19th day of June, A. D. 1925, have been allowed for creditors to present their claims against said deceased to said court for examination and adjustment, and that all creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said court, at the probate office, in the Village of Caro, in said county, on or before the 19th day of October, A. D. 1925, and that said claims will be heard by said court on Monday, the 19th day of October, A. D. 1925, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.
Dated June 19, A. D. 1925.
GUY G. HILL,
7/24/3 Judge of Probate.

Punished for Pugnacity

Thomas Mowbray, duke of Norfolk, was banished from England by Richard I, in 1193, for challenging and preparing to meet in single combat Henry Bolingbroke, earl of Hereford, afterward King Henry IV.

Strange Accompaniment

William Collins, English poet, in fits of melancholic insanity, used to haunt the cloisters of Chichester cathedral, England, and would utter weird and unearthly howls whenever the organ was played at services.

Warning

While in conversation with a banker located in a town about fifty miles from Cass City a few days ago, we were informed that his particular town had been visited by five or six different groups of stock salesmen this summer selling stocks which investigation proved to be anything but as represented.

Some of the best citizens of the community in each case had been swindled. Others consulted their banker who secured an unbiased opinion from agencies whose business it was to investigate such matters and not one invested after they got thorough information on the offering.

Don't give crooks a chance to get started in our community. If someone comes along with a good sounding proposition, remember that investigation will be welcomed if the proposition is legitimate.

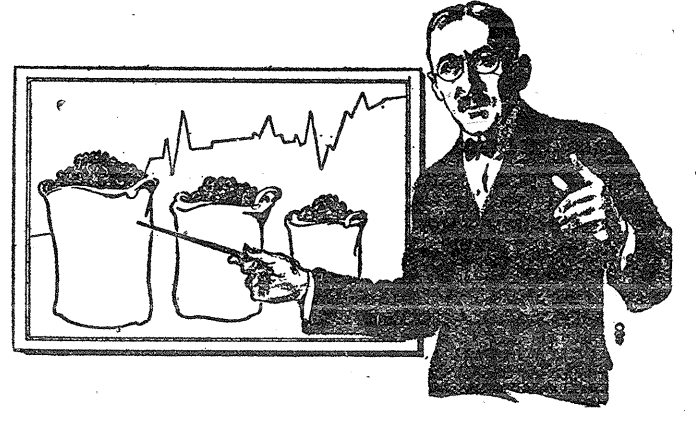
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**KINGSTON-NOVESTA
TOWN LINE**

Miss Hannah Eyo of Detroit spent Saturday night and Sunday at her home here.

Colin Ashley and family of East Lansing visited at the M. E. Wentworth home last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Lord of Pontiac visited a few days of last week with their nephews, Clarence and Edgar Vorhes.

Miss Marion Retherford spent a few days of last week with her sister, Mrs. Alva Stewart of Midland.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Retherford entertained Mr. and Mrs. Harrington of Dryden Sunday.

Mrs. John McCracken of Detroit is visiting at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Arthur Van Blaricom, for a couple of weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Patch of Detroit spent Saturday night and Sunday with the latter's sister, Mrs. A. VanBlaricom.

Mr. and Mrs. J. McLaughlin of Detroit are spending their vacation at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Martin.

Mr. Grover returned to his home in Detroit Saturday after a few days' stay with her daughter, Mrs. R. McCall Connell.

The Eyo family attended a family reunion at Silverwood Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Wentworth had for their guests last week, Mrs. Alice Rogers of Detroit and Mr. and Mrs. J. Henderson of St. Petersburg, Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Martin attended the Kingston Farmers' club picnic at Lake Pleasant Friday. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. R. Jacoby and Mrs. Patterson of Deford.

Clarence and Edgar Vorhes and their guests, Mr. and Mrs. Lord of Pontiac, Geo. Ashcroft and family of Wilmet, Bemis Bentley and family of Deford, Alex Slack and family of Novesta, spent a day recently at Pointe aux Barques.

Myron Retherford and family of Royal Oak spent Saturday night and Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Retherford; also visited Mrs. Retherford's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Wagner, east of Cass City.

Mrs. L. Retherford visited her mother at Caro one day last week.

Miss Mabel Thick spent over Sunday in Detroit.

RESCUE.

The ladies' aid will meet with Mrs. Twilton Heron on Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Hartsell and children were callers at the Wm. Parker home Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Melendorf and son, Stanley, were Pigeon callers Sunday forenoon.

Miss Veta Parker was the guest of her cousin, Miss Vernita Ross, north of Elkton, from Wednesday till Sunday.

Please remember that the Premo S. S. class will have an ice cream social at the Beasley church on Tuesday evening, Aug. 4. Everybody welcome.

Donald Banfield of Farmington was a caller at the John McCallum home Monday. He was accompanied home by his sister, Mrs. Asa Kahl, and daughter, Donna, who have been visiting friends here for some time.

The Premo S. S. class held their class meeting Friday evening at the Ray Webster home. They elected new officers for the coming year: vice president, Howard Martin; secretary, Vera McCallum; treasurer, Erma Bissett; teacher, Arthur Ellicott.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Britt and children of Ivanhoe and Mr. and Mrs. Roland Hartsell and children of Bad Axe were Sunday visitors at the Ralph Britt home.

Sunday visitors at the William W. Parker home were Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Thompson, Miss Vernita Ross and Edgar Gascho of Elkton, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Cooley and children of Owendale, Arnold McCallum, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Ross and daughter and Miss Ila Ross of Rochester.

A number from around here attended the Epworth League at Owendale Sunday evening.

**Happenings of a
Quarter Century Ago**

Taken from the Tri-County Chronicle of August 3, 1900.

A serious fire in Mayville Monday night destroyed Mr. Bryant's saw mill, lumber yard and electric light plant at an estimated loss of \$5,000. There is no fire protection whatever in the town.

The Cass City Brick and Tile Co. has put in a new tile machine for making five and three-inch tile.

Thos. LaFond of Bad Axe, who has so ably assisted on the Chronicle for the past year, left Tuesday for Bad Axe where he has secured a position in the Tribune office.

Wm. Cressor, formerly of this place, died at his home in Toledo, O., July 25, at the age of 49 years. The remains were brought here for burial last Saturday.

About \$1300 worth of cement walks have been laid in Mayville this summer. Caro has laid over 20,000 feet this season, the city paying one-fourth of the cost price.

Midgets United

At a wedding at Weymouth, England, recently, the groom was three feet ten inches tall and his bride two inches shorter.

Harsh Words

Over-Gushing Hostess—Such a dear man the new vicar is—so outspoken. In his sermon last Sunday he censured the devil most severely!—London Passing Show.

Pioneer in Good Work

Thomas Hopkins Gallaudet, a native of Philadelphia, founded in 1817 at Hartford, Conn., the first institution for deaf mutes in this country. He was first president of this institution, resigning in 1830.

**Community
Building****Community Building
in State of Virginia**

A community must lift itself by its own bootstraps. That is the keynote of the Co-operative Education Association of Virginia as sounded in its latest annual report which says that the genius of the organization is to develop the citizens and the community from within, and not superimpose some plan from without.

The association promotes better schools, roads, recreation, health, farms, homes, citizenship, and community leadership. It works under the direction of the governor, the state departments, higher institutions of learning, and a group of citizens. Its machinery of organization includes senior and junior leagues and a county council whose object is to bring the workers of the county into closer co-operation.

It has grown from a few leagues in 1904 to 1,833 in 1924—1,302 senior and 531 junior. Its membership is 62,575—37,107 senior and 25,468 junior. Last year the junior and senior leagues together raised \$163,128 for local improvements. Most of this money was spent upon the public schools. The reports show that these gifts cover about every phase of school improvement from furnishing a broom to guaranteeing a school board \$1,200 for the 1924-25 school budget. Either through public meetings or material accomplishments 8,787 pieces of definite work were reported for schools, health, roads, agriculture, civic and recreational improvement. The association is financed by the state and by donations from various corporations and individuals. Its receipts for the past year amounted to almost \$24,000.

**Room for Improvement
in Country Schools?**

H. O. Dietrich, superintendent of the schools of Norristown, speaking before the National Education association, declared that half of the 15,000,000 children of the public schools are in the hands of teachers partially or wholly unqualified to teach them, says the Philadelphia Ledger. Forty-five per cent of the teachers, he said, are without normal school training, and 54 per cent have had so little experience as to be almost helpless in the face of their classes.

United States Commissioner of Education John J. Tigert said that half the school population of the country is rural and had to put up with the shortcomings and inefficiencies of the small rural school. He appealed for more government control to enable the city school to share some of its advantages with the country school, declaring that the rich cities should bear more of the financial load of rural education than they do. In spite of the great advancement of education in all lines, the leaders at the convention see things in our educational system to find fault with, and probably they are right.

Garden Color Schemes

Many large gardens have long borders where color schemes could be wrought with annuals or perennials, or with both. Remember two points which may be called fundamentals: White is the one great neutralizer or harmonizer in flowers and gray performs a similar office in foliage.

Borders in which flowers and gray foliage heavily predominate may have any and all colors in harmony so long as they do not mix, but have between them a mere touch of white. Such a peace-maker is often more necessary between shades closely allied than in marked contrasts.

Thus with two shades of pink the lighter appears washed and faded in close comparison with a deeper and therefore stronger hue. Even great masses of white relieved by an occasional touch of any color never appear monotonous.

Clean Town Is a Winner

In spite of the best efforts of the householder dirt will accumulate during the winter, and a municipal cleaning is as necessary as the domestic cleaning. Yet much can be done in the way of keeping clean that will mitigate the rigors of the cleansing, whether in house or city. The habit of cleanliness is easily acquired, and it is one that should be coveted and cultivated.

Nothing does more than dirt to give a town an unprosperous appearance, as is no doubt understood by those who are planning to make known the merits of Indianapolis. It does not require much imagination to visualize a clean, shining and even glittering city, and this we can have if we only have the will to strive for it.—Indianapolis News.

Measurements of Metals

Iron is measured by avoirdupois weight at 2,240 or 2,000 pounds to the ton, depending on the laws of the state in which sold. Gold is measured by troy ounces even though the amount runs into thousands of ounces.

Oil Wastage in Coal

It is estimated that 8,000,000,000 gallons of oil a year, besides numerous valuable by-products, could be recovered from the coal mined in the United States.—Science Service.

ELMWOOD.

Delayed letter.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Jackson and family motored to Flint Sunday.

Clyde Moore is driving a new Ford roadster.

The first quarterly meeting held at Remington church Sunday was well attended.

The three churches of the Cass River circuit hold their annual business meetings this week.

Clare Turner was elected Sunday School superintendent at the recent election of the Sutton S. S.

M. Hyde and Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Seeley were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. McCree.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Southworth are the proud parents of a baby girl named Pauline Grace.

Grain threshing has started. Wm. Jackson was the first to thresh wheat in our neighborhood.

Rev. Ray Wilson and family returned Monday from a short visit in Canada.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Dean are visiting in Detroit.

Wm. Jackson has purchased an Aberdeen Angus bull from parties in Ohio.

NOVESTA.

Everyone is rejoicing over the rain Saturday.

Robert Horner is in very poor health.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Cunningham and family and Mrs. A. H. Henderson and daughter spent Sunday at Lake Pleasant.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Frost and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Chapman and family spent a day at Pointe aux Barques last week.

We hear the Omar Glaspie farm has changed hands, the new proprietor being one John Wooley of Cass City.

Mr. and Mrs. Emmet Holcomb entertained Mr. Holcomb's brothers, Herb and Levi, and their families from Detroit and Redford Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gekeler and family and John Youngs and two children of Flint visited at the George Youngs home on Sunday.

Quite a number from here attended the funeral of Reuben Delong at the Church of Christ on Monday. Mr. Delong was one of our old and highly respected neighbors until a few years ago when he went to Flint. His death which occurred on Friday last came as a shock to us although he had been in poor health for about a year. Interment was made in Novesta cemetery.

Utopian Idea

God grant that not only the love of liberty, but a thorough knowledge of the rights of man may pervade all the nations of the earth, so that a philosopher may set his foot anywhere on its surface and say, "This is my country."—Benjamin Franklin.

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Pastime Theater

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"The Dixie Handicap"

The greatest race horse production ever filmed. Brave Days in Old Kentucky. The life and love of racing folk. Plenty of negro comedy. Full of thrills, chills and spills. Also see "Cave Inn," a funny comedy. Children, 10c. Adults, 30c.

SUNDAY, MONDAY, AUGUST 2-3

CORINNE GRIFFITH IN

"Declassé"

(Pronounced DAY-CLASS-SAY, accented on last syllable). Definition—One barred by society for social errors. AN OUTCAST! Overnight the poison tongues were wagging. Overnight gossip besmirched her. Overnight a society belle lost all because of a moment's careless romance and another woman's perfidy. Overnight wealth, position, home, toppled. Overnight declassified, though innocent. A really great picture—Just recently played Capitol Theater, Detroit. Don't miss that funny comedy "Aladdin." Children 15c; Adults 35c.

OPEN AIR WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 5 OPEN AIR WESLEY BARRY IN

"The Printer's Devil"

This is the funniest picture you have ever seen. COMING—"THE TEN COMMANDMENTS"—"CHARLEY'S AUNT"

Auction Sale

The household goods of the late Mrs. Charles McCue will be sold at public auction on the premises on North Seeger St. opposite the Presbyterian Church on

Saturday, August 1

Sale commences at 2:30 p. m.

The following is a partial list of goods to be sold to the highest bidder:

Bookcase	Dishes and cooking utensils
Dining room table	Lamps
6 dining room chairs	Copper boiler
Buffet	Wash tub
Leather couch	Ironing board
Morris chair	Carpet sweeper
3 rocking chairs	Vacuum cleaner
2 leather chairs	2 fruit cupboards
3-piece bedroom suite	2 kegs
Single bed with springs and mattress	Axe
2-piece bedroom suite	Crates
Sewing table	Garden tools
3 large rugs	Lawn mower
Number of small rugs	Carpenter's tools
Clock	Buck saw
Dresser	Garden hose
Work stand	Kitchen chairs
Number of picture frames	Scythe
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LOCAL ITEMS

Elmer, baby of Mr. and Mrs. Jerome Root, is on the sick list.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Striffler visited friends in Bay City Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. A. A. Brian, who was quite ill during the past week, is much improved this week.

Mrs. George McIntyre and Mrs. McKellar spent Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Flora McLachlan.

Miss Bernice Mickle of Detroit came this week to spend a few weeks as the guest of Miss Marie Martin.

Mrs. Fred Ackerman and son, Archie, of Gagetown, spent Tuesday afternoon at the George Ackerman home.

Mr. and Mrs. Eber Gale of Flint are visiting at the home of the former's mother, Mrs. E. Gale, and with other relatives.

Miss Eleanor M. Bigelow returned Saturday from East Aurora, New York, where she had visited relatives for two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Schell and children spent Sunday at the home of Mrs. Schell's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Cooper, at Marlette.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Reynolds and Mrs. Floyd Karr and little son left Sunday to visit friends and relatives in Oscoda for a week.

Mrs. Benjamin Guinther and Harvey Hornby motored to Flint on Sunday. Mrs. Guinther remained to visit relatives for the week.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Bliss and daughter, Audrey, and Mrs. Alice Moore, visited relatives in Gagetown Sunday afternoon.

County School Commissioner B. H. McComb, and family are camping at Tawas Beach, a delightful spot on the shore of Lake Huron.

Miss Fern Cooley returned to Detroit Sunday after having visited the past few weeks at the home of her mother, Mrs. Agnes Cooley.

Mrs. Thos. Boyd and Mrs. Walter Stanley and baby, all of Pontiac, were guests last week of Mrs. I. W. Hall and other Cass City friends.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Bearss and daughter, Emma, spent Sunday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Bearss' brother, C. W. Wilsie, near Caro.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Greenwood, James Greenwood, and Mr. Glaspie, all of Saginaw, visited Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Ackerman.

Mrs. Vyse, mother of Samuel Vyse, died Friday morning at Saginaw. Burial was in Elmwood cemetery Monday. Mrs. Vyse formerly lived in Uby.

Ed. Walton of Romeo has purchased the blacksmithing business of Joseph Lee on East Main St. Lawrence Keegan has been engaged by Mr. Walton to assist him in the shop.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Bigelow and daughter, Miss Elynore, Mrs. N. Bigelow and her guest, Mrs. Lucy Yost, and Mrs. J. W. Fenn were business callers in Caro Friday afternoon.

O. A. Withey is offering cash prizes to attract a better poultry display at the Cass City Fair. One dollar will be given for the largest display by one exhibitor and 50c for the second largest.

F. A. Bliss and daughter, Audrey, were week-end guests of friends in Detroit. Miss Doris Bliss, who visited in Pontiac and Detroit for the past three weeks, returned with them on Saturday.

H. Heiden, manager of the Heiden Real Estate Co., Detroit, Mrs. Heiden, Mr. and Mrs. Harley Keating and family, all of Detroit, were Saturday and Sunday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Keating.

Miss Margaret Landon entertained eight friends at her home Saturday afternoon in honor of her birthday. After an afternoon spent in playing games, the girls were served a delicious chicken supper.

Miss Betty Wager returned Friday from Port Huron where she had visited friends and relatives during the past two weeks. Miss Thelma Schriber of Port Huron, returned with her, and is visiting relatives in town.

Mr. and Mrs. V. J. Carpenter motored to Saginaw Friday to meet their daughter, who has been spending the past four weeks in Grand Rapids, Michigan, and various points in Indiana. She reports having had a very enjoyable time.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. John A. Caldwell has been painted in white this week. Extensive remodeling has been done, new porches to the north and the south being added. The house presents a much improved and very pleasing appearance.

The Tuscola County Holstein Breeders Association is planning a picnic to be held sometime the latter part of August at the park at Vassar. All those who are interested are cordially invited to attend. There will be state men present to address the meeting, and a judging contest with the Holsteins that will be on the grounds, is being planned. The date and program will be announced later.

Mr. and Mrs. Asa Root gave a surprise party at their home Thursday night in honor of their guests, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest E. Root and family. There were 32 relatives at the gathering. Mr. and Mrs. Root and family returned to their home in Flint Sunday afternoon after spending a week at the home of Mr. Root's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Asa Root. Artemas E. Root and Ashley Root accompanied them to Flint. They returned to Cass City Monday.

Mrs. R. C. Rogers was a business caller in Bay City Monday.

John Morrison of Rockford was a caller at the Lester Bailey home Monday.

Byron Schmuhl of Detroit was a business caller in Cass City on Saturday.

William Angle and Albert Milne visited the week-end at Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Milne's home.

Miss Lena Joos entertained the Mission Circle of the Evangelical church Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Robt. Peters and little daughter, Marny, of Detroit are guests at the home of Dr. and Mrs. F. L. Morris.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Jackson left today (Friday) to spend the week-end with friends and relatives in Lansing.

Mrs. Samuel Ottaway of Flushing came Tuesday to visit for some time at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Stafford.

The ladies of the Evangelical church held an aid at the church on Wednesday. Pot-luck dinner was served.

Miss Lola Rogers of Hope, who visited during the past week at the R. C. Rogers home, returned to her home Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Wilson of Lansing spent several days of the past week at the home of the former's father, Levi Bardwell.

Miss Frances Nicholson of Springfield, N. J., came this week to visit at the home of her cousin, Miss Mary Yakes, for some time.

Mrs. J. L. Bearss left Friday (today) for Saginaw where she will be the guest of her sister, Mrs. E. M. Depew, for the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Hartsell of Beaulieu and their guest, Miss Eva Baskin of Detroit, spent Tuesday at the home of Mrs. Zuleika Stafford.

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Root left Friday for Saratoga Springs, N. Y., where they will visit the former's sister, Mrs. T. Darling, for a few weeks.

Mrs. George and John Geeray of Walkerville, Canada, and Mrs. Priscilla and Robert Carmichael of Emmett spent Thursday at I. W. Hall's home.

Mr. and Mrs. George Milne were suddenly called to Mr. Clemens on Monday morning to attend the funeral of Mrs. Milne's mother, Mrs. M. P. Rottell.

Mrs. Stanley Warner, the Misses Velma and Thelma Warner, Miss Dorothy Tindale, and Albert Warner were business callers in Saginaw on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl P. Lindsay and Mrs. Chas. G. Moore, all of Detroit, visited at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Milne Saturday to Monday.

Mrs. Marvin Boney of Pontiac is spending several weeks at the home of her aunt, Mrs. Stanley Warner. Mr. Boney visited here Friday and Saturday, also.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Turner and children, Elaine and Esther, left Thursday for Lansing and New Lothrop where they visited friends and relatives. They expect to return Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Turner and daughter, Miss Helen, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Turner and children, and Cressy Steele attended an ice cream social at the Samuel McCreedy home Tuesday evening.

Wellington McDonald of Detroit, visited over Sunday at his home north of town. His mother, Mrs. Duncan McDonald, who suffered a slight stroke recently, is somewhat improved at this time.

Secretary Campbell is assured an extensive showing of cattle at the Cass City Fair which starts in less than three weeks. Already Holsteins, Ayrshires, Jerseys, Herefords and Brown Swiss have been signed up for exhibition.

Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Niles and three children, Lloyd, Merrill, and Jimmie, of Rochester, Mrs. Mabel Wilcox and two children, Ersil and John, and Harry Niles of Imlay City, visited Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Niles.

A company of 43 Cass Cityites motored to Oak Beach Sunday afternoon for a picnic supper. The party included Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Warner and children, Mr. and Mrs. John Lorentzen and son, Donald, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Barnes and family, Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Karr and daughter, Maxine, Mr. and Mrs. Bay Crane, Mr. and Mrs. Loren Brown, Mr. and Mrs. J. Doerr, Mr. and Mrs. N. Melick and daughter, Catherine, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Hoffman and children, and Mr. and Mrs. T. Heron.

Louis Krahling drives a Ford roadster with a winter top and mourns the loss of the "tin lizzie" which has served him so faithfully as an adjunct in the business affairs of the Ricker & Krahling market. Two theories are advanced by friends for Louis' parting with the old car so dear to him. One is that it developed a slight knock and the top sprung a small leak in a recent rainstorm. Louis, nursing resentment because of these slight afflictions, yielded to the wiles of the auto dealer and made the exchange before fully realizing its seriousness. The other theory is that the old bus brought a very attractive price, too enticing to resist, and will be prominently placed in Mr. Ford's antique shop. Of course, one of these theories may be correct, and then again, it might not.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Martus were visitors in Imlay City Monday.

Miss Ethel Zavitz of Imlay City, visited friends here over Sunday.

Miss Helen Turner left Thursday to visit relatives in New Lothrop for a few days.

Miss Mary Linck of Detroit is spending a few days at the W. J. Martus home.

Willis Campbell, fair secretary, was in Pontiac Saturday in the interest of the fair.

Rev. and Mrs. F. T. Kyle of Bad Axe were callers at the home of Mrs. Flora McLachlan Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Harris spent last week with the former's brother, Roy Harris, at Coldwater.

Miss Marjory Graham returned on Sunday after spending the past two weeks with friends in Detroit.

Little Miss Helen Sharrard of Hay Creek visited this week at the home of her aunt, Mrs. Hazen Patterson.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Bohnsack and sons, Harry and George, were Sunday guests at the H. F. Martin home at Beaulieu.

Lloyd Stafford of Royal Oak spent a few days of this week at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Stafford.

The Woman's Missionary society of the Presbyterian church will meet Friday, Aug. 7, at the home of Mrs. A. D. Gillies.

Dr. and Mrs. M. Jones returned to Detroit on Monday after spending the week-end the guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Burke.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Zemke and family were guests at the home of Mrs. Isaac Aggar at Ann Arbor Sunday and Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Holcomb and daughter, Dorothy, and Miss Sarah McArthur were business callers in Saginaw on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Bailey and family motored to Huron City Sunday afternoon, where they heard Prof. Wm. Lyon Phelps.

Miss Eunice Schell returned Sunday from Saginaw where she had visited for several days. Mr. and Mrs. Wade Dawson accompanied her here.

Mrs. Frank Dillman and son, George, left Wednesday for Detroit. Mr. Dillman will remain to study at the Detroit Conservatory of Music.

Dr. and Ms. F. S. Fritz of Owosso, Dr. and Mrs. P. L. Fritz and children, Maurice and Helen of Pigeon, were guests at the home of Dr. and Mrs. I. A. Fritz on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Lorentzen entertained at six o'clock dinner Friday the following guests: Mr. and Mrs. Wm. LaGore and Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Clutes, all of Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Martus of Brown City, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Dandell of Detroit and Mrs. A. Martus of North Branch were guests at the W. J. Martus farm home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Taylor of Grand Ledge were guests of their son, Roy Taylor, from Thursday to Sunday. They were on their way home from a motor trip in the northern peninsula.

Mr. and Mrs. Warner Kelley and son, Archie, Mr. and Mrs. Archie McPhail, Hamilton McPhail, Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Fox and daughter, and Miss Doris Bridge, all of Detroit, visited friends in Novesta township and Cass City from Wednesday to Sunday.

Mrs. E. P. Smith was hostess to about 25 guests at a shower Wednesday afternoon at Maple Hill Farm, in honor of her granddaughter, Miss Marie Stoner of Flint. The engagement of Miss Stoner to Mr. Eugene Allen of Davenport, Iowa, has been announced, the wedding to take place the latter part of August.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn L. Moore and children and Mrs. F. A. Bliss leave today (Friday) for Hastings to attend a school reunion. All of the former and present pupils and families of the Brown school in Barry county have been invited to join the local pupils and patrons of a day of fellowship and acquaintance-renewing. Mrs. Bliss says that it has been 34 years since she has visited that community where she attended school.

Sunday was the occasion of a reunion of the W. D. Striffler family at the home here. It was the first time in three years that all of the family were able to be together at one time. Those present from a distance were Mrs. Geo. Southworth and son, Donald, of Dinuba, California, Dr. and Mrs. Wm. Sturm of Detroit, Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Orr and family of Pigeon, and R. J. Striffler of Battle Creek.

About 30 friends and relatives of George Dillman attended a surprise party in his honor at the Frank Dillman home Monday evening. After an evening of fun, a delicious pot-luck supper was served. The company presented George with two volumes of Edgar Guest's poems as a token of friendship. His many friends most sincerely wish him the greatest success in his work at the Detroit Conservatory of Music.

"Buddy" Graham of Detroit came Sunday to spend some time at the home of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Graham. His father, Alex Graham, is planning to spend fair week in Cass City, a visit he makes each year the third week in August. Mr. Graham finds this period a most convenient time to visit with his old Cass City friends. A large number who now live in distant places also make fair week a home-coming period which enables them to see a large number of acquaintances and friends in a short period of time. The home-coming dates, August 18, 19, 20 and 21, are nearly here.

J. L. Cathcart left Tuesday on a business trip to Chicago.

Miss Flossie Law is spending two weeks with friends in Park Hill, Ailsa Craig and London, Ont.

Mrs. James Proctor returned to Flint Thursday after spending a week at the A. H. Kinnaird home.

Mrs. Matilda Pierce of Caro is spending the week at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Stanley Warner.

Mrs. A. McGillvray left Wednesday to spend a week at the summer home of Francis Dykstra near Battle Creek.

Miss Isabelle McIntyre returned Monday from Detroit where she visited friends during the past two weeks.

J. D. Brooker is among the latest radio fans. A splendid neotrodyne set was installed Wednesday for Mr. Brooker.

Miss Bertha Zemke left Tuesday to visit relatives and friends in Lansing and Vermontville. She expects to be gone ten days.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Campbell and John A. MacKichan and son of Ailsa Craig, Ont., spent the first of the week with Ward Law.

The Misses Emma and Gladys Lenzner spent the week-end at the homes of S. Lenzner in Detroit, and H. Lee Pocklington in Algonac.

Members of the Presbyterian Sunday school motored to Caseville on Thursday for the annual picnic, which was held this year at the Huron county park.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Bigelow and daughter, Miss Elynore, and Mrs. J. W. Fenn were callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Scrifer at Decker-ville Thursday.

Grey F. Lenzner was a caller in Port Huron last Friday and on his return trip, went to Oxford for a short visit with O. E. Wells. Mr. Wells returned to Cass City with him.

M. and Mrs. G. A. Tindale and daughter, Harriett, motored to Detroit Wednesday. Mrs. Tindale and Harriett remained to visit friends and relatives for a week.

Mr. and Mrs. P. Lowe and children, Margaret, Ida, Esther, Beatrice, Marian and Charles, of Forestville, were visitors at the H. F. Lenzner home on Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Beaumont Livingston and three children of Harbor Beach are visiting at the Brackenbury home. While in Cass City, Irene and John Livingston will undergo operations for removal of tonsils.

Mr. and Mrs. I. Walker entertained the Royal Neighbors at their home on Tuesday evening. A delicious chicken dinner was served to the company of ten, after which the regular business meeting was held.

Willis Campbell, secretary of the Cass City Fair, has secured applications from owners of herds of cattle for TB tests in this community. It is expected that 300 head of cattle will be given the test here next week.

Mrs. P. S. Rice has received word of the death of her sister, Mrs. Cash Malsbury, of Detroit. The interment will be made in Imlay City on Friday. Mr. and Mrs. Rice and Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Atwell and son, Stewart, left on Wednesday for Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Schwedler and two sons, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Buehrly, Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Elliott and two sons, Mrs. C. O. Lenzner, Wm. Akerman, Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Lenzner and two daughters attended the sacred concert of the Northwestern college girls' glee club at Sebawaing Sunday evening.

The Girls' Glee club of North-Western College were greeted by a large audience at the Evangelical church Monday night. The concert attracted several from Sebawaing, Elkton and other towns in the Thumb. The program presented was clean, artistic and vibrant with life and altogether pleasing to the audience.

A dog belonging to George Sholte bit a son of Mr. Kelley residing on West Main St., inflicting wounds in the boy's hand and leg as he was delivering milk at the Scholte home Friday. The animal was promptly shot and the head sent to Ann Arbor for examination.

The Huron County park at Caseville proved to be an enticing spot for picnics Thursday. Four societies had planned to spend the day there, the Jolly Farmers' club, the Presbyterian Sunday school, the Mothers' club and the Gagetown Eastern Star lodge. The Mothers' club however, postponed their picnic a week.

Mrs. Ben Schwedler and three daughters, Marjorie, Mildred and Fern, Ruth Mark, Mrs. Jos. Benkelman and daughter, Fern, went to Caseville Friday to spend a few days at the Benkelman cottage at Oak Bluff. Mr. Schwedler and Mr. Benkelman joined their families Saturday evening and the party returned home Sunday evening.

AUCTION SALE TOMORROW.

Chas. A. McCue announces in this issue an auction sale of the household goods of the late Mrs. Chas. McCue on the premises on North Seeger St., Cass City, on Saturday afternoon, Aug. 1. R. N. McCullough is the auctioneer.

Not All Blank Verse

In the main, "Hamlet" is written entirely in blank verse. The exceptions are the scenes in which Hamlet feigns insanity, those in which he converses with Rosencrans and Guildenstern, with the actors and with Oseic and the scene with the grave diggers. All these are in prose.

Harry Parker Died at Caseville July 23

Harry Parker, formerly of Cass City, passed away at his home at Caseville on Thursday, July 23. The remains were brought to Cass City where funeral services were held on Friday. Interment was in the Elkland cemetery.

Harry Parker was born in Memphis, Michigan, on January 19, 1869. He lived in and near Cass City for many years, being employed for some time at the A. Doerr restaurant. In 1918, he married Mrs. Mary Kasnell, who passed away about four years ago. Three years ago, shortly after moving to Caseville, Mr. Parker's health failed. Death was caused by heart trouble.

He is survived by four sisters, Mrs. W. L. Ward, Cass City; Mrs. Annie Crout, Jackson; Mrs. Lottie VanNester, Chicago, Ill.; Mrs. Edith Warington, California; and by one brother, Henry Parker of Memphis.

Relatives from out-of-town in attendance at the funeral were Mr. and Mrs. Roy Topping, Mrs. M. McKinley, Mrs. B. Dennis, and J. Dennis, all of Caro.

SHABBONA.

Mrs. Matilda Jones spent the week-end at the home of her daughter, Mrs. John Harriman of Marlette.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Hyatt and family left Saturday to spend a few days with relatives in Pontiac.

Mrs. Dave Clark returned to her home in Detroit Saturday, having spent two weeks with her daughter, Mrs. Earl Phetteplace.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Groombridge and family returned to their home in Flint Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Krause of Detroit visited the latter's father, Andrew Lorentzen, Saturday and Sunday. Mrs. Margaret Neville and Fred Neville of Cass City were Sunday guests at the J. P. Neville home.

Mrs. J. A. Cook and daughter, Miss Bertha Cook, were in Sandusky Monday.

Mrs. Thos. Brown had the misfortune to hurt her knee quite badly while getting into a car last Sunday. She is still confined to her bed.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hyatt entertained Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Hyatt of Flint Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. McAulley and Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Phetteplace attended L. D. S. services at Canboro Saturday evening.

W. W. Auslander of Detroit spent the week-end here.

Oakley Phetteplace of Ypsilanti spent the week-end at the home of his brother, Earl Phetteplace.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Phetteplace entertained the following at dinner Sunday: Mrs. Mary Gaffney, Mrs. Ernest Smith and daughter, Florence, and Geo. O'Rourke, all of Port Huron, and Mr. and Mrs. R. Duncan and son, Robert, of Saginaw.

Elder T. D. Williams of Lamoni, Ia., of the Quorum of Twelve of the L. D. S. church, gave a very interesting talk at the church here Monday evening.

Cameos

The word "cameo" is not the name of a gem. It is merely a method of cutting. In other words, any hard substance or gem can be made into a cameo, although usually onyx, sardonyx, agate and ivory are used.

Record Emerald

The largest emerald known today is the Muzo stone; an uncut crystal, six-sided (as all emeralds are), about two inches long, of the same diameter, and weighing over 1,300 karats, more than nine ounces, and is owned by the duke of Devonshire.

To Re-Erect Temple

A temple on the Acropolis of Selinus in Italy is to be re-erected. Originally it was 230 feet long by 85 feet wide. Six columns decorated the front, 18 the side. This particular temple occupied the most prominent place on the Acropolis. To whom it was dedicated is not known.

Sure of One Thing

The sun was going down, clouds were banking up, and they had driven for miles in silence. Finally, the wife asked, "Do you know where you are, darling?" Friend husband stepped on the accelerator and replied a bit shortly: "No. If I did we wouldn't be here."

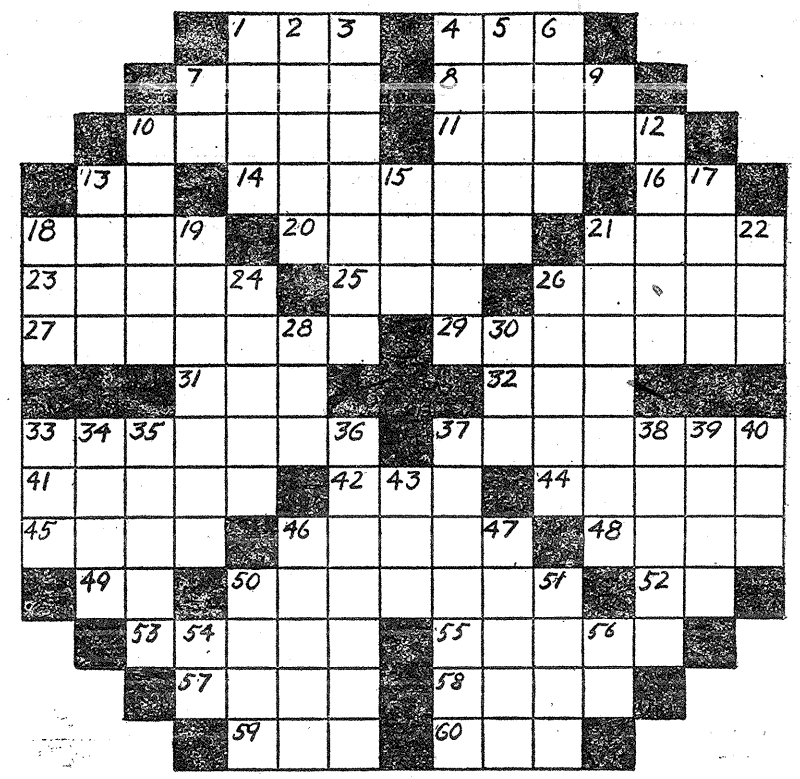
Cass City Markets.

July 30, 1925.	
Buying Price—	
Mixed wheat, bu	\$1.43
Oats88
Rye, bu77
Corn, shelled, bu (56 lbs.)	1.10
Buckwheat, No. 1, cwt	2.00
Barley, cwt	1.60
Beans, cwt	4.15
Baled hay, ton	10.00 12.00
Eggs, dozen32
Butter, lb.38
Cattle4
Calves, live weight6
Hogs, live weight13
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Broilers	15 23 25
Stags10
Ducks18
Geese10
Hides6

Cross Word Puzzle

HOW TO SOLVE A CROSS-WORD PUZZLE

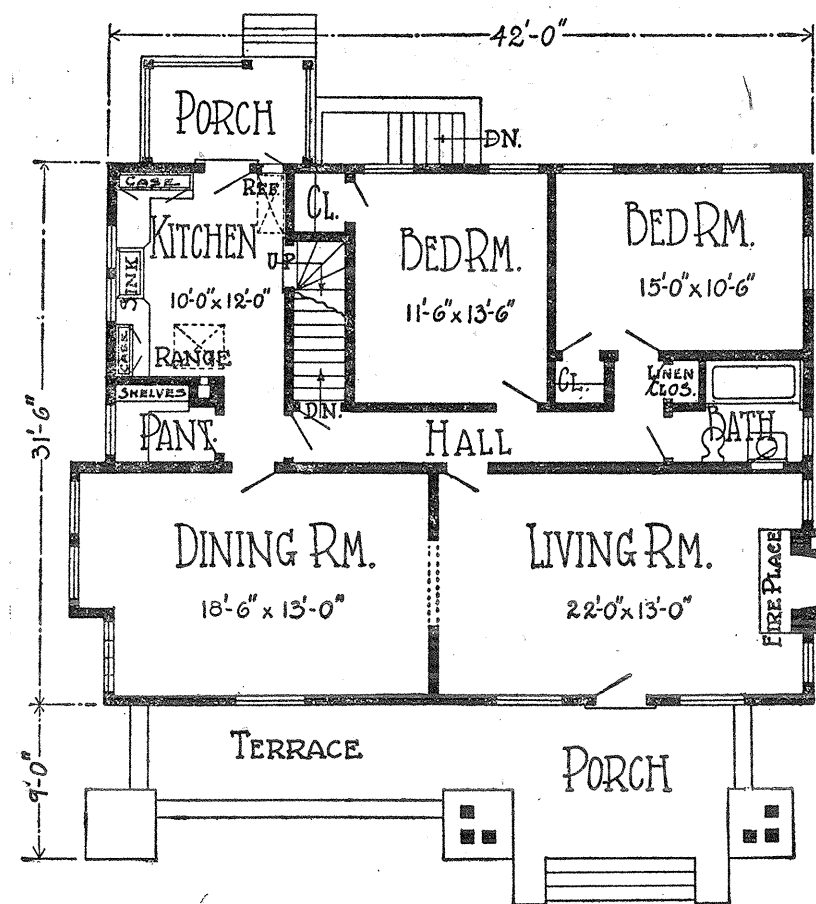
When the correct letters are placed in the white spaces this puzzle will spell words both vertically and horizontally. The first letter in each word is indicated by a number, which refers to the definition listed below the puzzle. Thus No. 1 under the column headed "horizontal" defines a word which will fill the white spaces up to the first black square to the right, and a number under "vertical" defines a word which will fill the white squares to the next black one below. No letters go in the black spaces. All words used are dictionary words, except proper names. Abbreviations, slang, initials, technical terms and obsolete forms are indicated in the definitions.



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| 1—Watering place | 4—Pig pen | 1—Inflict a knife wound |
| 2—Small particle | | 2—Openings in the skin |
| 3—Street car | | 3—A continent |
| 4—Gaze fixedly | | 4—Had tried valiantly |
| 5—Adventitious sound accompanying normal breathing | | 5—Track |
| 6—Note of musical scale | | 6—Eastern university |
| 7—Girl's name | 16—Pald (abbr.) | 7—Preposition |
| 8—Number under seven | | 8—Personal pronoun |
| 9—Adventitious sound accompanying normal breathing | | 9—Treasured |
| 10—To run quickly | | 10—Prevaricated |
| 11—College in Iowa | 26—Feeling | 11—Prefix meaning "new" |
| 12—Anything to be added (pl.) | | 12—To stop |
| 13—Petroleum product | | 13—To color slightly |
| 14—Born | 32—Prevaricate | 14—Name signed by Lamb to group of essays |
| 15—Early | 37—Buccaneers | 15—Fall month (abbr.) |
| 16—Satire | 42—Through | 16—First name "Arabian Nights" character |
| 17—Roman urban official | | 17—Part of a harness |
| 18—Sharp taste | | 18—Periods of time |
| 19—To cut | 48—A clip | 19—Accelerated |
| 20—Point of compass | | |

Ever Popular Bungalow Home Should Be Fitted to the Site It Occupies



Floor Plan.

By WILLIAM A. RADFORD

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

Did you ever, when passing along the streets of a town or down a country road, notice how some of the houses give one the feeling of being wooden boxes set down on the ground just anywhere and entirely unattached and unrelated to their surroundings, and how other houses seem to have almost grown in the spot where they stand, fitting it perfectly as no other would fit it?

Right here is the second principle of planning the new house. It should be designed to fit its site. If this is done it will be an ornament to its community and a permanent satisfaction to its owner, as well as a first-class investment.

The first principle is more likely to receive attention because its necessity is more clearly defined in the mind of the layman and its need more immediately apparent. This principle is that of fitting the house to the family which is to occupy it, considering not only the present but also the future requirements.

Because of its low, squat lines a bungalow is well suited to a somewhat elevated site and a terrace, such as the one on which the house illustrated here is set, is a good substitute where sufficient natural elevation is lacking. The effect of the steps leading to the terrace, succeeded by others, leading up on equal distance to the porch, is

good. This porch of brick, decorated with rough boulders, with one-half covered and the other half open, is well suited to the style of the house. The shingled siding, laid wide, exposed rafters and composition roof form a pleasing combination.

The front entrance opens directly into the large living room. This is the most common practice today with small houses, at it saves much space which was formerly devoted to a little used hallway, the latter hardly being necessary where there is no need of providing for a stairway to a second floor. At one end of the living room is the ever-desirable fireplace built of brick in the same style as the porch.

Almost as large as the living room, is the dining room which occupies the opposite side of the house, the two rooms extending clear across the front. Both rooms are well lighted with large windows on two sides. Just back of these rooms is a hall extending the width of the house and with the bathroom at one end and a large pantry at the other.

Across the rear of the house, and opening off this hall, are two bedrooms, the basement stair and the kitchen. Both bedrooms are of a comfortable size and are provided with closets. There is also a linen closet near the bathroom.

The kitchen is equipped in the most up-to-date manner with a fine sink set under broad windows, built-in cupboards and an ice box which may be filled from the back porch. Here also is a stair which leads to the attic space above and beside the porch is an outside stair to the basement. On the whole this is a plan well designed to take care of the family of limited size and afford it an abundance of comfort and satisfaction.

Steel Bridging Does Away With Wood Type

In line with the modern trend toward speed and security in building methods is an innovation in the form of steel bridging designed to supplant the old-fashioned wooden cross-bridging.

It does away with the cutting and fitting necessary with wooden bridging, makes a neater and more permanent job, and enables the latter to be done in a fraction of the time and with half the number of nails.

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The bridging is made of heavy steel in a single piece, flanged, ribbed and painted. It has the added advantage of always remaining tight, since steel cannot warp, shrink or split. Another advantage that it possesses over wood is that it leaves more space between joists for pipes, etc.

Build House Right and Avoid Trouble

Building a home is one of the most fascinating and companionable enterprises in life; and yet because of its newness and perhaps unfamiliarity, it is a matter upon which one is quite likely to make mistakes in judgment which prevent the full enjoyment of the home after its completion.

It helps, at this time, when information of a technical nature is literally thrust upon you, to keep in mind the real vital reasons for home building. From the time that man first erected a permanent abode on down through

the ages, the first concern, the vital essential of home has been shelter—protection against the winds and cold, the snow, rain and heat.

This is the primitive principle of protection—the age-old reason for home building. And though it is now hidden away in the walls and roofs of houses, concealed and subdued by the beauties of architecture, conveniences of arrangement, and the niceties of interior decoration, this matter of protection against heat and cold has lost none of its potency.

Houses, to be truly homes, must be comfortable. They must be so built that the winter cold and the summer heat will be kept out, so that fuel bills will be reasonable and the cost of heating equipment not exorbitant. Houses in which these vital matters are overlooked are no more homes today than in years gone by.

You see them—"heartbreak houses," someone has called them—for sale every day. All the time and money, all the thought and care that was put into them has been wasted, thrown away, because the vital matter of comfort was overlooked. You should insulate your home.

Rose Trellis

An alluring little rose trellis is a fascinating adjunct to any country or suburban home.

Even the amateur carpenter can easily construct one, since it is little more than an arch over a seat. The arch is made of latticework, so that the climbing vine may find a hold for its tendrils. A back of open woodwork for the seat is in keeping with the airy nature of the trellis.

Paragraphs Concerning Michigan

By Ed. A. Nowack.

More than 75,000 patients have been admitted to the Ford hospital since it opened in October 1915.

All forest fire observation towers in the state are now equipped with an American flag three by five feet. This flag is to fly on the tower when the towerman is on duty and if the man flies the flag and is not on the tower that warrants immediate dismissal, Chief Forest Fire Warden Peterson says.

State Trappers report that bears are robbing wolf and coyote traps of their booty, one bear recently being found trapped himself in one of a set of traps from which he had torn a wolf and partly eaten the carcass.

The unusual spectacle of an owl catching and killing a mink was witnessed by a state game warden and two commercial fishermen near Au Train Lake near Munising. The owl was stoned, released the mink and its pelt was sent to Lansing.

A mother coyote caught in a trap in the upper peninsula nursed its brood of puppies until the last when a trapper appeared and killed the mother. The pups escaped.

The state is checking up on state owned autos to weed out the boys who love to drive like mad and ruin their cars because they have nothing invested. Comparative endurance tests of cars are being made to see what different types of drivers will do.

Relentless war is on against Michigan porcupines. These waddlers spring about 50 per cent of the state traps during the summer season and also do great damage to summer homes and camps.

There are about 48 former school teachers and about a dozen former pastors now editing money making weekly papers here. Some of the pastors now divide their time between pushing the pencil and filling the pulpit.

The state highway department is planning on almost doubling its last winter's work during next winter in keeping the roads open.

In the revision of the primary school fund money distribution that is being completed by T. E. Johnson, superintendent of public instruction, 52 counties in the state gain money. The work done by Johnson shows all cities and shows many changes in the local lists.

During the last 12 years general reviews of local assessments have been made in nearly all the counties in the state by the state tax commission.

Mortgages and mortgage bonds top all other forms of investment in the state of Michigan today, a review by the securities commission shows.

Last year there were general assessment reviews in part or all of these counties: Wayne, Osceola, Charlevoix, Marquette, Berrien, Kent, Muskegon, Kalamazoo, St. Clair, Gladwin, and Houghton.

There is \$516,643,360 worth of real estate in this state that is exempt from taxation and of this sum \$151,779,560 is in the city of Detroit.

Marinesco township, Gogebic county, and Richfield township, Roscommon county, are the only townships in the state not reporting to the tax commission as to whether or not there is tax exempt real estate therein.

OBITUARY OF MRS. MARY J. MEREDITH

Mrs. Mary J. Vincent Meredith was born in Prescott, Ont., July 24, 1850, and passed away July 21, 1925, after an illness of two weeks. She was 74 years, 11 months and 27 days old.

In 1873 she was united in marriage to Wm. Meredith of Canada, and later moved to Austin township, Michigan. Mr. Meredith preceded her in death six years ago.

She leaves to mourn her loss eight children and two stepchildren, Edward Meredith of Pennsylvania, Mrs. Edward Styles of Detroit, Mrs. Hiram Lewis of Cass City, Mrs. Samuel Robinson of aCass City, Arthur of Snover, Albert of Caro, Emory of Snover, Mrs. George Ferguson of Snover, Mrs. Wilbur Meddough of Pigeon, Charles of Snover. She also leaves 27 grandchildren and six great grandchildren, two sisters, Martha of Simcoe, Ont., and Tillie of Detroit, and a host of friends.

Funeral services were held in Shabbona M. E. church of which she was a faithful member, Rev. Young of Caro officiating. Interment was made in Elkland cemetery.

Those from a distance who attended the funeral were Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Meredith of Sandusky, Mr. and Mrs. Myron Vincent and Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Gardiner of Croswell and Mrs. Amanda Putman of Detroit.

Church Calendar.

Baptist—10:30, morning worship; subject, "Our Lord's Teaching Concerning the Permanence of the Church."

12 m., Bible school.

7:30, evening service at the Evangelical church.

All are cordially invited to these services.

A. G. NEWBERRY, Pastor.

Evangelical—Sunday, Aug. 2, Bible study, 10:00 a. m.; sermon, 11:00. Senior and Junior League C. E. at 6:45 p. m. Union service at 7:30.

C. F. SMITH, Minister.

Erskine United Presbyterian—Dur-

ing the month of August the pastor will exchange pulpits with the Rev. Andrew S. Creswell, pastor of the United Presbyterian church of Pontiac. Each pastor and family will occupy the other's residence for the month. Services each Sabbath at 10:30 a. m. and 8:00 p. m. with the Rev. Mr. Creswell in charge. He is an able preacher and an experienced pastor. We bespeak for him a large attendance. F. T. KYLE, Pastor.

Methodist Episcopal Church—Ira W. Cargo, pastor. Sunday, Aug. 2, class meeting 10:00, morning worship 10:30, Sunday school 11:45, union evening service will be held in the Evangelical church at 7:30. Everyone is cordially invited to attend these services.

NOVESTA CORNERS.

Wheat harvest is done and threshing begun. Crop fair, quality good, considering the dry season.

Bruce and Wilma Wentworth are on the sick list.

Ruby Palmateer is visiting friends in Pontiac.

Mrs. Wm. Collins is quite sick at this writing.

Mrs. Alice Rogers of Detroit and Mr. and Mrs. Jake Henderson of St. Petersburg, Florida, were entertained at dinner Thursday at the Ben Wentworth home.

Leslie Collins of Pontiac is spending a few days with friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Wheeler of Cass City and Mr. and Mrs. Claud Wheeler of Kalamazoo were callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Palmateer Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Perry, Miss Nora Moshier and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Churchill spent Wednesday in Caro at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Brown.

The large barn on the Alex Hamilton farm, one mile east and one-half mile north of Novesta Corners, was completely destroyed by fire Saturday morning together with the season crop of hay. The fire was discovered about one o'clock but had gained such headway that the crowd was unable to do anything, only to save the home.

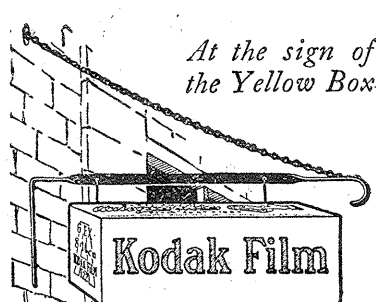
Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Perry, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Patch, jr., and children, Mrs. Wm. Patch, sr., John Moshier and sister, Nora, and Ed. Patch and son attended the Moshier reunion Saturday at Clifford.

Fred Palmateer and family visited friends in Dryden Sunday. Miss Ruby Palmateer, who has spent the past week in Pontiac, returned home with them.

Dick Wells from near Rochester spent Sunday with his father, Henry Wells.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hicks and children ate Sunday dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Ben Hicks at Deford.

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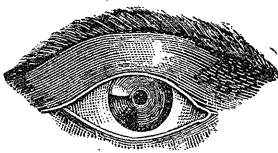
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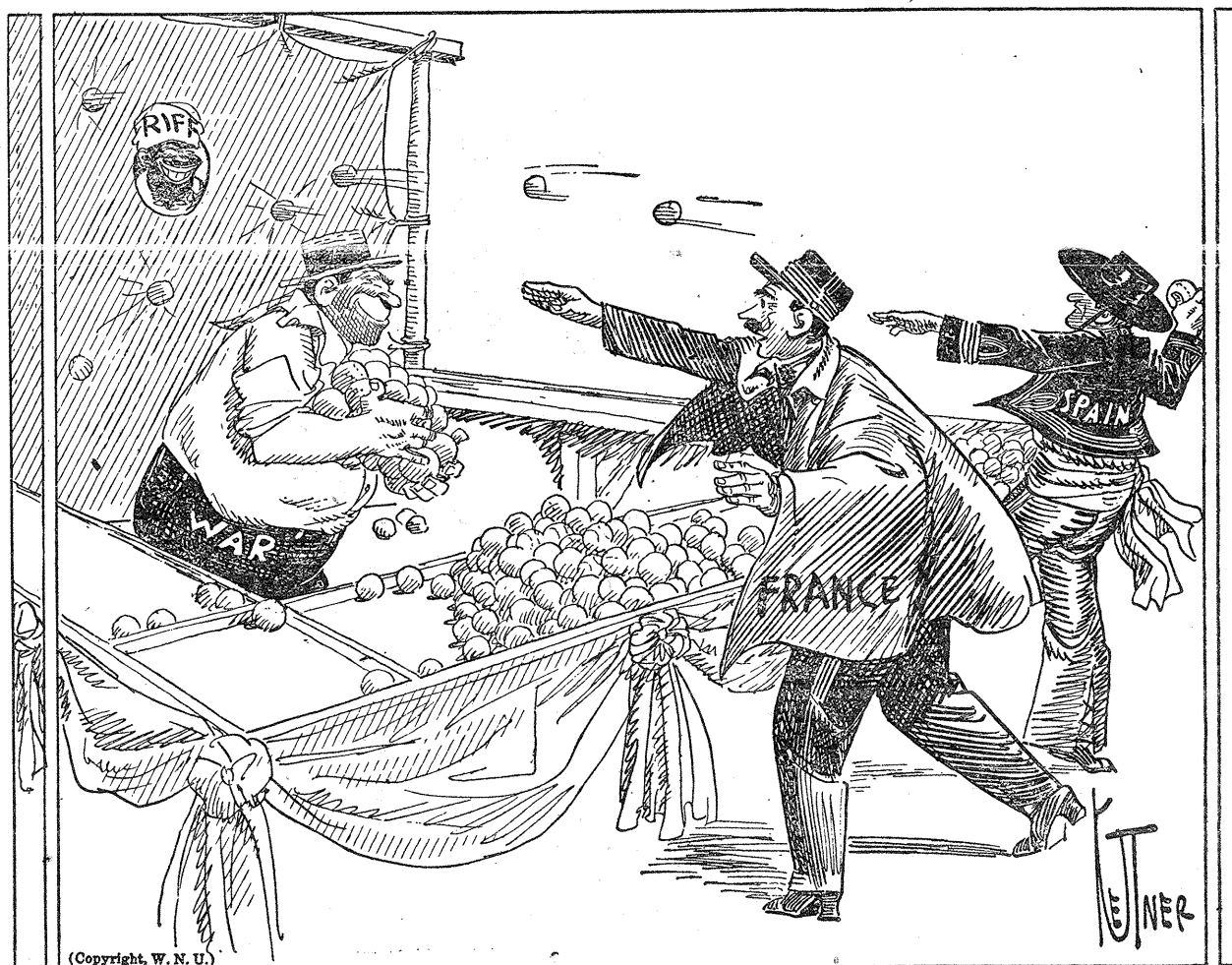


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Mrs. Berman of Kingston visited her sister, Mrs. Johnson, one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Kitchin and daughter, Hester, and Mrs. J. Agar and son, Forest, attended the Moshier reunion near Silverwood last Saturday.

Services at the church next Sunday will be as usual, Sunday school at 10:30, preaching following. Evening service at eight o'clock. Everyone welcome.

Relatives from Toledo, Ohio, visited at T. Stitt's Sunday.

Miss Clarice Howey, who has been

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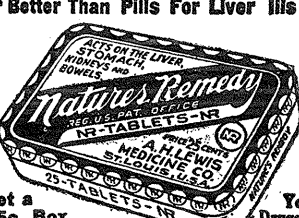
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Favorite Recipes**Apple Sauce Cake.**

One egg, 1 cup brown sugar, ½ cup butter, salt, 1 cup applesauce, 1 teaspoon soda, ½ teaspoon cinnamon, ½ teaspoon cloves, ½ teaspoon nutmeg, 2 cups flour, 1 cup raisins.—Mrs. G. E. Reagh.

Spice Cake.

One cup of brown sugar, 1 egg well beaten, 1-3 cup of melted butter, 1 teaspoonful each of cinnamon and allspice, ½ cup of buttermilk, ½ cup of raisins, 1 small teaspoon of soda, 1-3-4 cups of flour. Icing, powdered sugar.—Mrs. J. A. Calster.

Date Pudding.

Beat two eggs until light, add 1 cup powdered sugar, 1 cup dates chopped fine, 1 cup nuts chopped, and 2 tablespoons of flour mixed with 1 teaspoon of baking powder. Bake 3-4 of an hour and serve cold, with whipped cream.—Mrs. Jas. Wallace.

Oatmeal Cookies.

One cup of sugar, 2 eggs, 1 cup sour cream, 1 teaspoon soda, 2 cups oatmeal, 2 teaspoons vanilla, 1 teaspoon salt. Flour enough to drop nicely.—Mrs. Fred Palmtater.

Chop Suey.

Four tablespoons butter, 4 onions, 1 lb. beefsteak cut in small pieces (or put thru coarse food chopper), 2 cups cooked rice, 1 qt. cooked tomatoes, 1 heaping teaspoon salt. Fry onions and beefsteak until brown, then add other ingredients and cook 15 minutes.—Mrs. Emory Lounsbury.

Custard Pie.

Three eggs, 1 scant cup granulated sugar, pinch of salt and nutmeg, 2 cups sweet milk, and two tablespoons sweet cream. Beat eggs and salt 'till light, add sugar and nutmeg. Beat again. Add milk and cream, stir until sugar is dissolved. Pour into deep pie tin lined with paste that has been brushed with white of egg. Bake in moderate oven 'till firm.—Mrs. Wm. H. Ware.

White Layer Cake.

One cup white sugar, 1 egg, ¼ cup butter, 1 cup sweet milk, 1½ cups flour, 1 tablespoon cornstarch, 2 teaspoons baking powder. Use any kind of frosting.—Mrs. Frank Asher.

Devil's Food Cake.

Two eggs, 1½ cups sugar, 3-4 cup of butter or lard, ½ cup cocoa melted in hot coffee, 1 cup coffee, small teaspoon soda, 1 teaspoon baking powder, vanilla, salt, 2½ cups flour.—Mrs. A. E. Goodall.

Butter Pie.

Recipe over 100 years old.
First line a pie tin with the pie crust, then add fresh butter about the size of a hen's egg. Spread it in the pie or cut it in little pieces and scatter it about in the pie, then put on a tart top by cutting the crust in strips and twisting them, then add 1 cup of sugar, 1 rounded tablespoon of flour stirred into about 1½ cups of sweet milk. Apply to the pie, sift on nutmeg, and if you don't have fresh butter, wash the most of the salt out of the butter—but if butter is strictly fresh, then add a pinch of salt.—Mrs. Phebe A. McCool.

Scotch Fruit Cake.

One lb. flour, ½ lb. sugar, ½ lb. butter, 3-4 lb. seedless raisins, 2 oz. almonds, 1 teaspoonful mixed spice, 1 teaspoonful carbonate of soda, a few pieces candied orange peel, 2 eggs, ½ pint of milk.
Beat the butter and sugar in a basin to a cream. Rub the spice and soda well into flour with the minced almonds, beat up the eggs with the milk, add the fruit, mix all together with the milk and eggs, and bake in moderate oven.—Mrs. Alex Milligan.

Poor Financial Return

One New York man says he spent \$10,000 on his son's college education and only got a quarterback.—New York American.

Founder Guillotined

Lavoisier, the founder of modern chemistry, was in 1794 sentenced to death and guillotined by the Revolutionary tribunal because he had, under the king, held the post of farmer general of the revenue.

Wisdom Here

"You ain't giner get much good 'um readin' de Bible," said Uncle Eben, "if all you's lookin' foh is sumpin' to stahnt an argument about."—Washington Star.

Takes Inventory of Life

Once a day, especially in the early years of life and study, call yourself to an account what new ideas, what new propositions of truth you have gained.

Pleasant Prospect

"Well, how's trade?" inquired an old merchant of a young man who had just been taken into partnership with his father. "Very good," replied the young man. "I think father will soon be earning enough so I can retire."

When Mother Gave Up

"Anyway," says one woman, "mother used the new steam cooker once before declaring that she is a housekeeper and not an engineer."—Kansas City Star.

DAIRY FACTS**INCREASE PROFITS BY GROWING FEED**

The dairy farmer who can raise all or a big proportion of the feed for his dairy cows has a distinct advantage over the dairyman who has to purchase his feed, according to Prof. J. B. Fitch, head of the dairy department at the Kansas State Agricultural college. His feed will be cheaper, giving him greater profits on his milk products, and he has the chance of getting market prices for his surplus feed.

Alfalfa is the best hay for dairy cattle, Professor Fitch stated. In sections where alfalfa cannot be grown, sweet clover is being used to great advantage. Soy beans and cowpeas are being used in some sections, both as a hay crop and protein substitute.

Corn or "cane" silage is the best and cheapest feed with which to supplement legume hay. As to the use of corn, "cane," or kafir as a silage crop, Professor Fitch recommends the one which will give the largest yield with the greatest degree of certainty.

For higher production it is necessary to use grain in addition to the bulky feeds. Kansas produces corn, oats, barley, kafir, "cane," and wheat, all of which may be used in a dairy ration. Bran is another popular concentrated feed because of the large amount of wheat milled. Linseed oil meal and cottonseed meal are both used as concentrated protein for high producers.

Besides the natural pasture crops, the use of wheat and rye for pasture is very extensive. Sweet clover and sudan grass, both of which are relatively new, have also become very popular as pasture for dairy cattle.

Future of Dairy Herds**Depends on Heifer Care**

Declaring that the future of the dairy herd depends a great deal upon the care given the heifer calves which will be the cows of tomorrow, H. M. Jones, dairy extension specialist at South Dakota State college points out that the usefulness of many a good cow is impaired by neglect or mistreatment as a calf.

"Feeding is of prime importance," he says. "On well-managed dairy farms, regularity in feeding is the rule, and the pails used for feeding calves are as clean as those into which milk is drawn for human use. The best insurance for the health of the calf is cleanliness in quarters and feeding pails."

Raising the calf on whole milk is not economical, according to Jones, but it is necessary that the whole milk be fed for at least the first two or three weeks of the calf's life. After that, he suggests a gradual shifting of skim milk plus a grain ration of ground oats and corn. The cause for an "undersized" cow, he says, can usually be traced to too scanty feeding during the early period of her life.

Butterfat and Feed Are**Most Important Items**

If a cow receives sufficient nutrients to maintain her body weight, the percentage of fat cannot materially change for any considerable period of feeding or by supplying any particular kind of feed. Cows that are greatly underfed may produce milk somewhat lower in fat percentage than normal. All experiments conducted up to the present time show that there is no positive evidence of any continued direct effect of a feed in stimulating milk production or increasing the percentage of fat. No kind of feed or care will cause a Holstein to give milk rich in fat like the Jersey. However, a cow may be fattened before freshening and caused to milk off this body fat in the first month of lactation, thereby raising the percent of butterfat in her milk.—From Colorado Experiment Station Bulletin 205, "Make the Dairy Pay."

Dairy Notes

Sometimes cow-testing shows that the cow you think is a "poor stick" is being maligned.

See that the pasture fence is in good condition for the summer, making necessary repairs.

Freshen up the premises with whitewash—all buildings and fences which have not been painted.

The cost of producing milk may be reduced by using pastures. The feed cost is generally the biggest expense item in producing milk.

See that the salt boxes in the pastures are kept well filled. Milk cows need more salt when on green pasture.

Continue to feed liberal grain rations to the cows in milk especially. Fresh green grass is very watery and contains little food value.

The feed and care given the dairy cow will bear a rich harvest all through her coming lactation period. It will help her to start well and that means she will continue well, if you do your part.

DEFORD**Reuben Delong's Funeral—**

Reuben Delong, a resident of Novesta township for many years, died suddenly at his home in Flint Friday morning at the age of 55 years. Mr. Delong was taken ill during the Christmas holiday season and was sick for several months. He had apparently recovered his health and had started work for a Flint contractor on Friday for the first time since his long illness. He had been on the job but a very short time when he fell over dead. The body was brought from Flint and funeral services were conducted by Colin Ferguson at the Church of Christ on Monday afternoon. Burial was made in Novesta cemetery. Mr. Delong is survived by his widow, one son and one daughter. The family moved from Cass City to Flint two years ago. Several from Deford attended the funeral service Monday. The sympathy of the community is extended to the bereaved family.

S. S. Class Entertained—

Mrs. L. Vanderkooy entertained her Sunday school class at the Dead Waters on Wednesday. Mrs. Roland Bruce accompanied her.

Dr. Merriman Drives a new car.

Mr. and Mrs. John-Field and sister, Mrs. Geo. Perkins, and father, Wm. Randall, spent Tuesday at the Wm. Lamb home at Jeddo.

Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Mills and family spent Monday with his nephew, Wm. Gage.

Mrs. James Vargo of Pontiac spent Sunday with her husband. She will return here next month to live. He came three weeks ago.

Mrs. Peter Bell was called to Millington on Friday to attend a funeral of a nephew and returned to her home on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Gage and mother, Mrs. Chas. Tedford, called in North Branch on Tuesday afternoon to attend a funeral of Mrs. Tedford's cousin.

Mrs. Ella Croop is having her home re-decorated, both interior and exterior.

Howard Cuer of Kansas arrived on Friday for a month's visit at his parental home.

Warren Sherck of Pontiac came home on Saturday, returning on Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Webster called in Oxford one day last week to take their granddaughter home after a week's visit here.

Lloyd Warner drives a new Ford coupe.

Mr. and Mrs. Aaron McConnell and family left for their home in Piper City, Ill., after a two weeks' visit with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Spencer.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Lambkin and family of Detroit visited over the week-end with her father, J. Wells Spencer.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Colwell of Cass City and Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Spencer spent Sunday in Port Huron.

Mr. and Mrs. Elisha Randall and father, Wm. Randall, and sister, Mrs. Geo. Perkins, spent Sunday in Wingham, Ont.

Wedding bells are ringing in our community. Wm. Huffman and Mrs. McDonald of Detroit were married on Wednesday, July 22. They have the wishes of their friends for a long and happy life.

Roderick Kennedy, sr., is some better at this writing.

Floyd Walker of Royal Oak, a grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Hack, and Wm. Snyder of Royal Oak spent Sunday at the Hack home. Floyd remained to visit for a week.

Lester Day and family returned on Friday from their fishing trip.

J. B. Gage and wife and daughter, and C. L. Gage and wife and father and mother returned from their fishing trip on Sunday evening.

ELKLAND AND ELMWOOD TOWN LINE

Miss King and Mrs. Carter of California, who have been visiting at the Moses Beckett home, have gone to Prescott, Ont., to spend some time with relatives.

Miss Pauline Livingston is spending the week at the E. A. Livingston home.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Seekings of Flint visited at the Chas. Seekings home Monday.

Grover Laurie spent Saturday and Sunday at the Clark Bixby home in Cass City.

G. S. Brawner of Saginaw was a caller at the E. A. Livingston home one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Striffler of Cass City and Mrs. Flora Donahue of Bad Axe visited at the Wallace Laurie home Sunday.

Mrs. McDonald of Detroit, who has been visiting at the H. Anker home, is visiting her son, Peter McDonald, of Brookfield.

Miss Maxine Livingston, who spent the past two weeks in Imlay City and Rochester, returned home Friday.

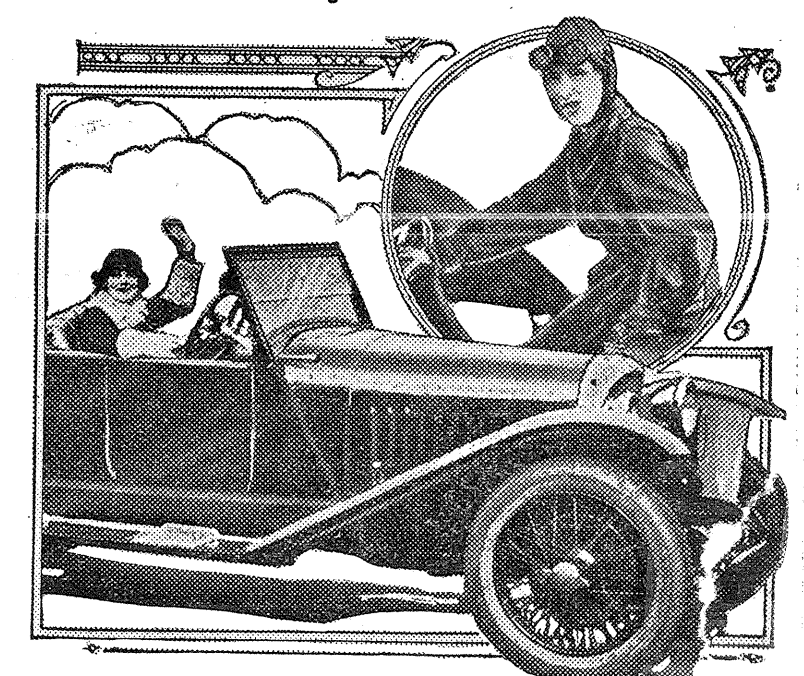
Misses Lorene McGrath and Janet Laurie are numbered with the sick.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Seekings and family spent Sunday at Caseville.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Rawson of Cass City spent Sunday at the Elmer Bearss home.

Mrs. Sadie Bingham is spending the week at the Robert McConkey home.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Lounsbury were callers at the P. Livingston home Sunday.

Women Rank With Men As Expert Drivers Says Noted Statistician

Women have proved themselves so competent in control of motor machinery, according to the findings of Frederick L. Hoffman, LL. D., in his recent survey of motor traffic and its hazards, that he sees no reason why they should not be equally skillful in the handling of the aeroplane. For this reason, he says, the rule adopted by the International Commission on Aviation, excluding them as aviators, "is not to be commended."

"There are no reasons," asserts Dr. Hoffman, "for assuming that women, in the course of time, will not prove as capable of managing aeroplanes as they have been found to be in the driving of motor cars. The prejudice against women drivers and the charge that they are erratic or unreliable is usually voiced by men who could be convicted of recklessness."

As consulting statistician of the Prudential Insurance Company, Dr. Hoffman is now making an inquiry into aerial traffic hazards in view of the prospective development of commercial aviation in this country and the resultant demand for the insurance of aviators. Flyers are now among the few persons positively declined as insurance risks.

Dr. Hoffman believes that aerial traffic as rapid transit for both passengers and freight will become a commonplace of the next decade. In his opinion, based on data procured from his investigations of rail and motor traffic, the accident hazard will decrease in ratio to the increase in the number of flying machines. There is no reason, as he views the situation, why women should not be permitted to qualify as pilots for the planes that carry freight, passengers or mail.

Annual Financial Statement of School District No. 4, Novesta Township, Tuscola County, Michigan, for year ending July 13, 1925.

Expenditures.	
1924	
July 11, Frank Hegler, 1923-24 board meeting.....	\$ 2.00
July 11, John McArthur, 1923-24 board meeting.....	3.00
July 11, Geo. Spencer, 1923-24 board meeting.....	4.75
July 11, Chas. Kilgore, 1923-24 board meeting.....	5.00
July 17, E. A. Cones, supplies.....	2.66
July 17, L. I. Wood, chalk.....	3.20
Aug. 15, Sam Sherck, labor.....	2.00
Deford, 1 bd. meeting, making out census roll.....	5.50
Aug. 29, Floyd Ottaway, decorating.....	24.60
Aug. 29, A. Flannigan Co., crayon and troweling.....	4.55
Sept. 1, L. I. Wood, kalsomine.....	9.15
Sept. 1, Mrs. J. Clark, cleaning school house.....	15.00
Sept. 1, Teachers' retirement fund.....	20.00
Sept. 26, Eber Stewart, janitor work.....	40.00
Sept. 26, May Bruce, slating and brush.....	1.51
Sept. 26, Cass City Chronicle, pub. financial statement.....	8.40
Oct. 4, M. Wentworth, fixing locks.....	8.25
Oct. 4, Deford Mutual, lumber.....	4.32
Oct. 4, Tuscola Mutual, insurance.....	32.00
Oct. 4, R. E. Johnson, hardware.....	54.80
Oct. 4, E. Stewart, janitor, etc.....	42.74
Oct. 29, R. E. Johnson, window shades.....	114.86
Nov. 10, H. Hegler, unloading coal.....	21.00
Nov. 21, E. Stewart, fixing pump.....	2.50
Nov. 21, E. Stewart, janitor.....	40.00
Nov. 21, Burke's Drug Store, erasers.....	3.50
Dec. 18, Cyclone insurance.....	9.00
Dec. 18, E. Stewart, janitor.....	40.00
Dec. 18, Geo. Jacoby, tuition.....	60.00
Dec. 19, Geo. Riker, supplies.....	2.69
Dec. 19, Deford Bank, coal.....	281.11
1925	
Jan. 23, E. Stewart, janitor.....	40.00
Feb. 20, E. Stewart, janitor.....	40.00
Feb. 20, Burke's Drug Store, chalk.....	3.00
Mar. 17, W. M. Welsh, diplomas.....	11.23
Feb. 3, R. E. Johnson, windows and repairs.....	10.30
Mar. 20, E. Stewart, janitor.....	40.00
Apr. 15, E. Stewart, janitor.....	40.00
Apr. 16, Roland Bruce, bd. meetings.....	40.00
May 21, E. A. Cones, school supplies.....	10.36
June 4, R. E. Johnson, supplies.....	6.35
June 4, Mrs. John Clark, returned tuition.....	8.33
July 7, Denoyer-Gipert Co., maps.....	62.82
July 7, John McArthur, bd.....	7.00
July 7, Roland Bruce, bd.....	1.00
July 7, Chas. Kilgore, bd.....	8.00
July 7, Geo. Spencer, bd.....	8.30
July 7, Frank Hegler, bd.....	13.50
May Bruce, salary.....	\$1244.28
E. Stewart, salary.....	970.20
Total disbursements.....	\$3329.48
Receipts.	
Cash on hand July 14, 1924.....	\$ 243.11
Oct. 9, 1924, Rec'd from twp. treas., primary.....	1652.00
Jan. 21, 1925, Rec'd from twp. treas., voted tax.....	500.00
Mar. 10, Rec'd from Lewis Retherford, tuition.....	35.00
Mar. 11, Rec'd from twp. treas., voted tax.....	600.00
June 4, Rec'd from twp. treas., voted tax.....	400.00
Apr. 14, Rec'd from Mrs. J. Clark, tuition.....	2.22
Apr. 14, Rec'd from John Slack, tuition.....	35.00
Apr. 15, Rec'd from Mrs. John McCool, tuition.....	25.00
May 13, Rec'd from Mrs. John McCool, tuition.....	10.00
May 13, Rec'd from Mrs. John Clark, tuition.....	1.11
1924-25 Receipts.....	\$3503.44
1924-25 Expenditures.....	3329.48
Balance on hand July 13, 1925.....	\$ 173.96

July 13, 1925.

Regular school meeting called to order by chairman,

C. Kilgore, at 8:30.

Secretary's report read and approved.
The chairman announced that one director and one trustee were to be elected to fill the positions held by F. Hegler and John McArthur.

Mrs. C. J. Malcolm and John Walk were appointed tellers.

Henry Cuer was elected director for a term of three years and John McArthur was elected trustee to succeed himself for a term of two years.

Voted to have nine months school. Carried.

Voted to have one week of vacation during Christmas time.

Motion made to adjourn. Carried.

FRANK HEGLER, Director.

Overalls and Jackets at Pre-war Prices

Beginning Saturday, Aug. 1 the price of Spring-O-All Overalls and Jackets will be reduced from \$1.75 a garment to

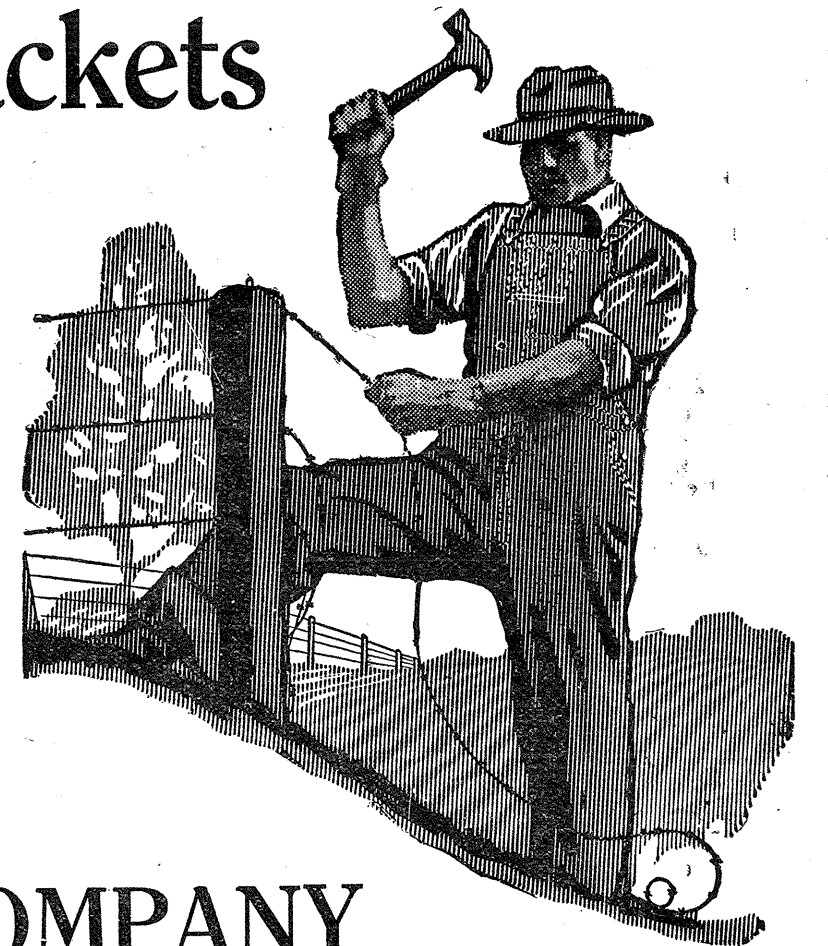
\$1.29

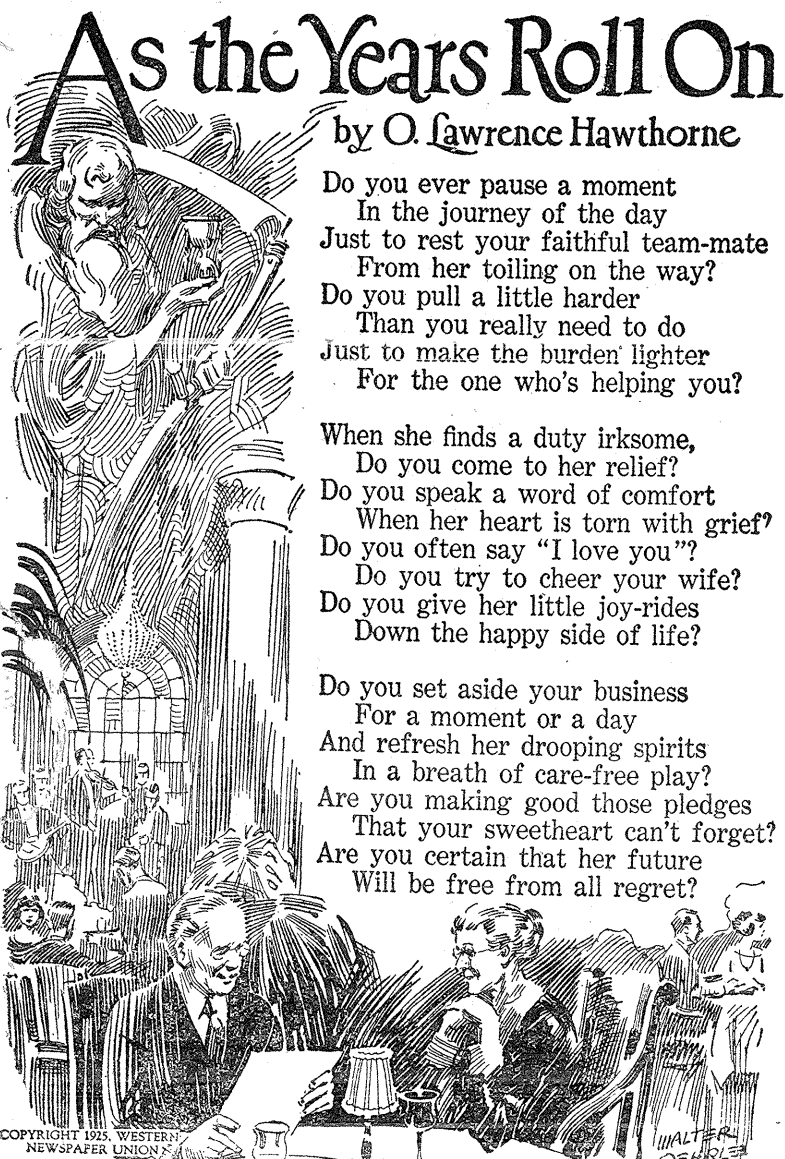
Spring-O-Alls are high grade, full cut, well made Overalls. A look will convince you that this is absolutely the best buy on the overall market. Don't forget the new price—\$1.29.

KINDE & COMPANY

SHOES

CLOTHING





As the Years Roll On

by O. Lawrence Hawthorne

Do you ever pause a moment
In the journey of the day
Just to rest your faithful team-mate
From her toiling on the way?
Do you pull a little harder
Than you really need to do
Just to make the burden lighter
For the one who's helping you?

When she finds a duty irksome,
Do you come to her relief?
Do you speak a word of comfort
When her heart is torn with grief?
Do you often say "I love you?"
Do you try to cheer your wife?
Do you give her little joy-rides
Down the happy side of life?

Do you set aside your business
For a moment or a day
And refresh her drooping spirits
In a breath of care-free play?
Are you making good those pledges
That your sweetheart can't forget?
Are you certain that her future
Will be free from all regret?

Original Loving Cup

A silver mug fashioned in 1757 and presented to Mathew Bains of Northallerton, England, in 1839, is said to be the first railroad testimonial ever given to an employee of a railroad.

Seals Once Land Animals?

Seals are probably of land origin, but have become almost perfectly adapted to life in the water. They seek land or ice floes only for breeding and rearing of young.

Chronicle Liners

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

STRAYED from my farm 3 miles north, 3 miles east, two yearling Holstein heifers. Notify E. J. Preston, 4 miles south, 3 miles east. 7-24-2p

CASH—Bring your cream to Kenney's and get 2 cents pound for hauling. It pays your gasoline. 7-3-1f

VANITY FAIR FLOUR—Every sack guaranteed. We also have in stock Blatchford's Chick Mash—Red Hen Chick starter. Cass City Grain Co. 5-22-1f

FOR RENT—Nine-room house with electric light, city water and garage; also 6 good living rooms with lights and water. G. L. Hitchcock. 7-24-2

USE CREAM of Wheat Flour. Buy it at the Elkland Roller Mills. 3-7-1f

FORTY ACRES good clay loam farm to exchange for a larger farm. Good house, barn, and other buildings, located 10 miles east, 1 north Cass City, 60 rods from school and two stores. Enquire at Chronicle. 7-24-3p

1 PLUS 1 makes two gallons of paint cost little more than one gallon of other makes. Bigelow. 7/31/2

USE CREAM of Wheat Flour. Elkland Roller Mills. 3-7-1f

FARM Insurance in the Old Hartford is the best you can buy. No fees, no assessments, no future liability. Drop me a card if interested. C. M. Pierce, Vassar, Mich. 7-17-5p

ROOMS or board for high school students at the residence of the late Mary Ann Murphy. Call Mrs. Harold Murphy. Phone 110—3S. 7/31/1

1 PLUS 1 lets you paint when hard up. Bigelow. 7/31/2

FOR SALE—Buy what cockerels you need at this time as I do not intend to carry any over till fall; also have a few hens to let go. Call for prices. G. W. Landon, Cass City, Mich. 7-24-2p

1 PLUS 1 is a high class paint at a very low price. Bigelow. 7/31/2

AUTO CRANK found near the Bird School, 1 mile east, 4 miles north, 1/2 mile east of Cass City. Owner enquire at Chronicle office and pay for adv. 7/30/1

THE ERSKINE Y. P. C. U. will have an ice cream social in the church basement on Tuesday, August the 4th. Everybody invited. Bernice MacAlpine. 7-31-1

LOST—Between Cass City and Marlette a Dayton cord tire, rim and tube. Suitable reward. Leave at Chronicle office. 7-31-1

FOR SALE—Hard wood, mill wood \$2.75 per cord in lots of 5 cords or more. Inquire of W. C. Schell. 7-31-3

FOUND—Michigan auto license plate No. 902-033 found 1 1/2 miles east of Cass City. Owner enquire at Chronicle office. 7-31-

The Passing Throng

A Weekly Column
of Personal Comment
by
Millard S. Binney



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And Advertising Pays.

Evolution is receiving the greatest advertising it has had since the days of Darwin. Regardless of the truth or falsity of the theory, hundreds of thousands who never heard of it before have now had it brought to their attention in a forcible and interesting manner. As a result, it will appeal to a certain percentage and win at least some converts.

Those of us who believe that the theory of evolution is false will deplore this result of the trial. Those of us who accept it as the correct explanation of our origin will exult. But regardless of our personal beliefs, and our hopes, we must now face the result of popularizing a subject which in the past has been to a large extent beyond the mental horizon of the multitude.

Acting Like Monkeys.

When those with great minds disagree on a subject, it would be hardly appropriate for one of humble attainments to display cocksureness in the exposition of his belief.

Therefore I would not attempt to state whether man did, or did not, descend from the monkey. I can assert, however, and with perfect faith in my judgment that, regardless of their origin, there many right now who act as though their ancestors lived among branches.

The Master brought to us a message of tolerance and of love. He did not resort to the sword, or to the court of law, to make His disciples. He won men to Him through the wisdom of His words and the greatness of His character.

I cannot understand why evolutionists should find it necessary to turn to hatred and malice in attempting to disprove a doctrine of gentleness and love. Nor can I understand how those who profess to be inspired by the kindness of the Great Teacher justify their resort to an intolerance and rancor which rivals that of their uninspired opponents.

Beyond a certain point, comedy becomes tragedy, and shame. We very much need in this world more serious reasoning and less combat on both sides of many important questions.

Mind Over Matter.

For longer than most of us have lived, people have told the story of the farmer who, dissatisfied with the efforts of his hens, hung an ostrich egg in a prominent place in the henhouse and lettered the following injunction across it: "Keep your eyes on this and do your best."

In Tucson, Ariz., the other day, a Black Minorca hen attempted to lay an egg which weighed three pounds and two ounces. The hen which weighed just seven pounds, including the egg, had to be killed. The egg will be preserved by the museum of the University of Arizona.

Did the owner of the hen actually try the ostrich egg experiment on her, or was the hen merely jealous of the record of Josephine, Governor "Ma" Ferguson's Holstein cow, which had merely jealous of the record of just delivered triplets to her famous owner? If this evidences state rivalry between Texas and Arizona, where will it end?

None Totally Bad.

The New York police branded "Tinker" Walsh as a bad man. He had been in jail so many times that they watched him whenever he left his home, knowing that he would not be out long without finding some victim whom he could slug and rob.

But "Tinker's" evil days are over. He is dead. And in his passing, he did much to atone for the villainy which had characterized his life. He was drowned in East River after having dived from a pier to save the life of his dog.

There is some good in every man. We have criminals because the rest of us do not know how to appeal to and develop the dormant good qualities in those who also possess criminal tendencies. Some day we may learn.

Esperanto Perhaps.

I am on the verge of advocating the repeal of the Volstead Act. Back in the time of good liquor, one could at least read the headlines and derive some meaning therefrom. That is impossible under present conditions.

Here is a gem: "Peddles Dick's Mug; Racket Brings Jacket." After four hours of effort, and the help of a burglar friend, I finally interpreted the Portland dispatch that this conglomeration of words introduced. Dick and Jack are not Boy Scouts as I at first supposed. Dick means policeman; mug, photograph; racket, scheme; and jack, money. There we have it. "Sells Policeman's Photograph and the Scheme Brings Money." I think I shall try Arabic next. It should be interesting.

CARD OF THANKS—We desire to express our heartfelt thanks for the kindness of friends in this community at the time of our late bereavement. Mrs. Reuben Delong and Family.

Advertise it in the Chronicle.

How Weather Cuts In on Reception

Direction and Differences in Pressure Important Factors.

Prof. Eugene Van Cleef of Ohio State university in an article in the Radio Magazine says that the weather affects radio reception.

"It seemed that with broadcasting and receiving stations oftentimes 500 to 1,000 miles apart," he declares, "the local weather conditions at the receiving stations could not have much influence on reception, unless the same conditions prevailed over all the country between the two stations. Such uniformity is not common. Therefore, to ascribe poor receptivity to local weather could not be an accurate analysis. Furthermore, it was true that occasionally when the weather was 'bad,' reception was good, although the association of the two facts at such times was overlooked.

Result of Observations. "The situation led to an investigation which has thus far revealed some striking conclusions. It seems that since broadcasting involves the transmission of electro-magnetic waves, a wave motion transverse in type, there might be a definite relation between such transmission and the circulation of air in high and low pressures. Observations were made to determine whether any such relationship might exist, or whether there could be a relation between the strength and clarity of the reception and the arrangements of isobars. A five-tube neodyne set was used, with an outside antenna about 125 feet long. The direction of the antenna was almost exactly northeast-southwest and about 30 feet from the ground." The observations follow:

1. If a line connecting the receiving station with the broadcasting station crosses the intervening isobars at right angles, reception is at its best.
2. The steeper the isobaric gradient (that is, the closer the isobars to each other) the stronger the reception.
3. The more nearly the transmitted waves approach parallelism with the isobars, the weaker the reception. Under these conditions fading occurs.
4. Reception in a low-pressure area tends to be somewhat weaker than in a high of corresponding intensity.
5. Reception is weaker when the transmitted waves cross from one pressure area into another.

As to "Bad Weather."

6. The strength of reception for any station is a factor of both its location in a pressure area and its position with respect to the broadcasting station.
7. "Bad weather" does not affect reception, excepting as it may be the index of an unfavorable pressure distribution.
8. Reception can be as good in "bad weather" as in good weather if the pressure distribution is right.
9. Temperature does not influence reception, excepting as it may be the index of pressure distribution, as follows:

- (a) Reception is better in winter than in summer because the cyclones and anticyclones are more intense in the winter period.
- (b) Reception is better when temperatures are low than when high, because low temperatures usually indicate intensive high-pressure areas, that is, areas with intense isobaric gradients.
- (c) Low temperatures accompanying poorly defined high-pressure areas make reception poor.
10. Shallow or flat-pressure areas result in much static—noise in the receiver.

Single Tube Circuit That Is Satisfactory

The illustration herewith shows a hook-up with which I have had very good results, writes a correspondent in Radio Digest. My variocoupler is an old style one and was necessary to place variable condenser C across the

Diagram Showing Hook-Up for Single Tube Circuit.

secondary in order to reach the higher wave lengths, but it does not prevent me from getting the lower meters also. If your coupler is wound according to present requirements you can dispense with this condenser. The condenser C1 is a plain 23-plate.

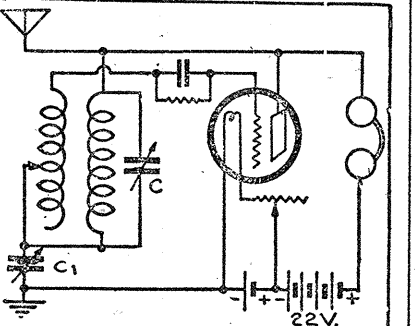


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RADIO WAVES

Tubes should always be well set in the tube sockets. Silver is considered the best conductor of electricity.

The average life of a standard "B" battery is about nine months. A sewing machine motor when in operation may create noises in a radio set.

A variometer and a variable condenser make an easily operated set for beginners.

The Why of Superstitions

By H. IRDING KING

APRON STRINGS

IF YOUR apron string becomes loosened your true love is thinking about you" is a common superstition with unmarried young women.

This arises from the idea of the ancients of the magical power of knots to trammel and obstruct human activities, physical and spiritual. In matters of love and marriage knots might obstruct the relations between a bride and groom and act as obstacles to the course of true love.

Professor Frazer says that as lately as 1718 "the parliament at Bordeaux sentenced a person to be burned alive for having spread desolation through a whole family by means of knotted cords"; and cites a case in Scotland in 1705 where two persons were sentenced to death "for stealing certain charmed knots in order, thereby, to mar the wedded happiness of Spalding of Ashintilly." These magic knots, you see, had to be found and untied in order that their baleful effects might cease and the two persons who stole and secreted them had thus prevented the untieing.

Now the knot which holds your apron strings may be a charmed knot, obstructing the thoughts of love. If it comes untied of itself your lover's thoughts flow to you free and unobstructed.

Far back in early classic days examples of this superstition of obstructive knots is found and it prevails today among nearly all the savage tribes of Africa. It is primitive in its origin and based on homeopathic magic—"like produces like."

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Producing Liquid Air

Liquid air is a transparent, limpid and intensely cold liquid, slightly blue in color, and of about the same density as water. It is prepared by subjecting air to great pressure and then cooling it by its own expansion to a temperature below the boiling point of its constituents (nitrogen, 194 degrees centigrade; oxygen, 183 degrees centigrade). Its chief use is as a refrigerant.

Glorious Contemplation

An English parliamentary candidate wound up a frenzied oration as follows: "Gentlemen, the glorious victory which will swamp our opponents when the eve of the election dawns upon us will re-echo in words of gold through the corridors of time, until the last grand trump shall sound through the valleys on the mountaintops."

Couldn't See.

"Tough luck on old Dimsight." "How so?" "He paid \$10 for a seat at a girlie show and broke his glasses during the first scene."

A LINE O' CHEER

By John Kendrick Bangs.

A QUERY

FLOWERS blooming in the fields, Meadows full of harvest yields, Rivers rushing to the sea, Bearing gifts for you and me, Light a-streaming from the sun, Cooling night when day is done, Air to breathe, and fire to warm, In the chilling winter storm, Mother-love, and sympathy, Faith, and hope, and charity— Can you say, O doubting Man, All of this is without plan And our world's the merest chance Of unordered circumstance? (© by McClure Newspaper Syndicate.)

Duck Refuge

The Winneshiek bottom preserve is a 300-acre tract of land along the Mississippi river. Congress in 1924 passed a law preserving this land from drainage for a breeding and feeding place for ducks. There have been two or three instances where land in this vicinity has been drained for agricultural purposes and found absolutely useless. It was through the efforts of the Laak Walton league that this land was preserved.

Signaling by Drums

In South Africa messages are signaled by means of drums made of bark, theappings on which can be heard many miles away. It is by this method that the defeat of Sir Redvers Buller at Colenso was made known to natives 60 miles distant in the space of two hours.

Poultry Wanted

I will buy poultry on the following days:

Friday at the Greenleaf Store
Cass City Phone 177-2S.

Saturday, Monday and Tuesday,
at the John P. Guza Store
at Gagetown.

Gagetown Phone No. 36

Before you sell your poultry, phone to these stores for prices.

Joe Molnar

Buyer of All Kinds of Poultry.

Big Values in Aluminum at 10c

Our West window contains a table of aluminum dishes which we will sell at 10 cents each. These are exceptional values in good ware, in fact we do not know when aluminum has ever been offered so cheap. Look it over. The selection contains at least one dish you need in your kitchen.

10 per cent Reductions on Oil Stoves and Ranges

E. A. CORPRON

Suits Made to Measure

OVER 200 NEW PATTERNS TO SELECT FROM.....

The new fall samples just arrived. Now is the time to order a new suit and be all dressed up at the Cass City Fair in August

You will be surprised to see the beautiful cloth that Royal Tailors have in their new fall line. Quality and fit guaranteed.

Remember the Hoffman Steam Press runs every day. Bring in your clothes and get them pressed.

SHOES The J & M CLOTHING QUALITY STORE CASS CITY