

## ALUMNI PLAN GIFT TO NEW SCHOOL

Former Students Undertake Task of Furnishing Stage in the Auditorium.

With the work on Cass City's new school building nearing completion, and the task of furnishing it becoming a more immediate problem, another very generous contribution has been announced to the school board, on the behalf of the former students of Cass City high school. The task they have undertaken is that of furnishing the stage in the auditorium, which includes buying a front curtain, a back curtain two sets of scenery and the lighting equipment, totaling some \$1,300 in cost. Those who have seen just what has been ordered give their assurance that these things will certainly be a striking addition to the building of which the community is already very proud.

The readers of this article who fall within the class of former students of the Cass City high school may expect to be called upon by the committee who have undertaken this contribution on their behalf, either personally or by letter within the next week or ten days, for their plans are to meet and dispose of this obligation within as short a time as possible.

## PRIZES AWAIT THE BEST CORN GROWERS

Michigan Corn King This Year Will Receive Eighty-Rod Crown.

The winner in this year's five acre corn growing contest will receive 80 rods of wire fence and 80 steel posts as a sweepstakes prize, according to the statement made by the farm crops department at Michigan State College.

The state will be divided into three districts, and identical prizes will be awarded to the winners in each district this season. The first prize in each case will be a ton of acid phosphate fertilizer and a gold medal. Medals and merchandise prizes will be given as second and third prizes. First prize winners in each district will compete for sweepstakes.

First place in the last contest was won by a crop of 90 bushels of shelled corn to the acre. The three high yields last season were produced on alfalfa soils.

The only qualification needed for entry in the corn growing contest is a membership in the Michigan Crop Improvement Association. The membership dues are one dollar a year.

Entry for the contest must be made before July 1. Application blanks can be secured from Ralph H. Morrish, farm crops department, Michigan State College. Last year a number of entries were received too late for inclusion in the contest. A record of the cost of producing his crop is kept by each contestant.

## Crops Loss Averted by Producing Seed

The production of alfalfa seed promises to become a leading agricultural activity in many sections of Michigan, according to reports of county extension agents.

Continuous rains which interfered with hay making last year resulted in many alfalfa fields being saved for seed in the hope that a small amount of seed might be obtained and a total loss be avoided on the year's crop.

The amount of seed produced by fields in several counties indicate that seed production is much more profitable than cutting the crop for hay. One farmer harvested 135 bushels of first class seed.

The farm crops department of Michigan State College has placed an alfalfa seed variety test plot on the farm of Alfred Sturm at Pigeon. The varieties that are being tested are Hardigan, Grimm, Ontario Varigated, and Michigan Common. It is expected that the test will show which of the varieties is the most valuable as a seed producer in this state.

An abundance of lime in a great deal of the soil in the Thumb section aids in the production of both forage and seed from the alfalfa crop. However, the possibilities of successful seed production are not confined to the Thumb. Most of the counties in northern Michigan had records of good crops last year.

## CIVIL SERVICE EXAM FOR POSTAL CLERK AT CASS CITY

An open competition examination, under the rules of the United States civil service commission is announced, for the position of clerk in the post-office at Cass City, Mich. Receipt of applications will close June 8, 1927.

Applications for this examination must be made on the prescribed form, which with necessary instructions, may be obtained from the post-master at Cass City or from the Secretary of the Seventh Civil Service District, 13th Floor, Federal Bldg., Chicago, Ill.

All persons wishing to take this examination should secure blanks and file their applications with the Secretary prior to the hour of closing business on the date specified.

## 4 NEW INSTRUCTORS SIGNED CONTRACTS

Fourteen Now Teaching Here Will Be Members of the 1927-28 Staff.

Of the 18 instructors who have signed contracts to teach in the Cass City Schools next year, 14 are occupying positions on the staff at the present time.

James Lewis, who will teach history and be the new coach of athletic teams, has attended the Michigan State College for two years and will receive his life certificate from the Mt. Pleasant Normal this summer. Mr. Lewis has been a member of the State College football and basketball teams and comes well recommended as an athletic director from Mt. Pleasant.

Miss Esther Tarnoski, the new instructor in home economics, holds a Smith-Hughes certificate and is a graduate of Northwestern College at Naperville, Ill. She is finishing a successful year in teaching in an Illinois school and is accomplished in music and art.

Miss Alison Spence will teach public speaking and Junior High subjects the coming year. Miss Spence is a graduate of the University of Michigan and taught successfully for three years in the public schools at Cheboygan. Last year while teaching at Wyandotte, she was called to her home in Cass City by the illness of her mother, Mrs. J. J. Spence.

A commercial course will be added to the school next year which will include bookkeeping, typewriting, shorthand and the necessary requirements for office work. Miss Grace Beach will have charge of these subjects. She has had one year's experience in teaching in rural schools, is a graduate of the Ft. Wayne Business College and the Mt. Pleasant Normal and has had considerable experience in office work.

The following is the list of instructors who have signed contracts to teach here next year:

H. W. Holmes, Superintendent.  
Harry Duke, Principal.  
Jeanette DeYoung, English.  
Amy Boone, Mathematics.  
Louise Watrous, Foreign Languages.

James Lewis, History and Coaching.  
Bertha VanEldick, English and Jr. High.

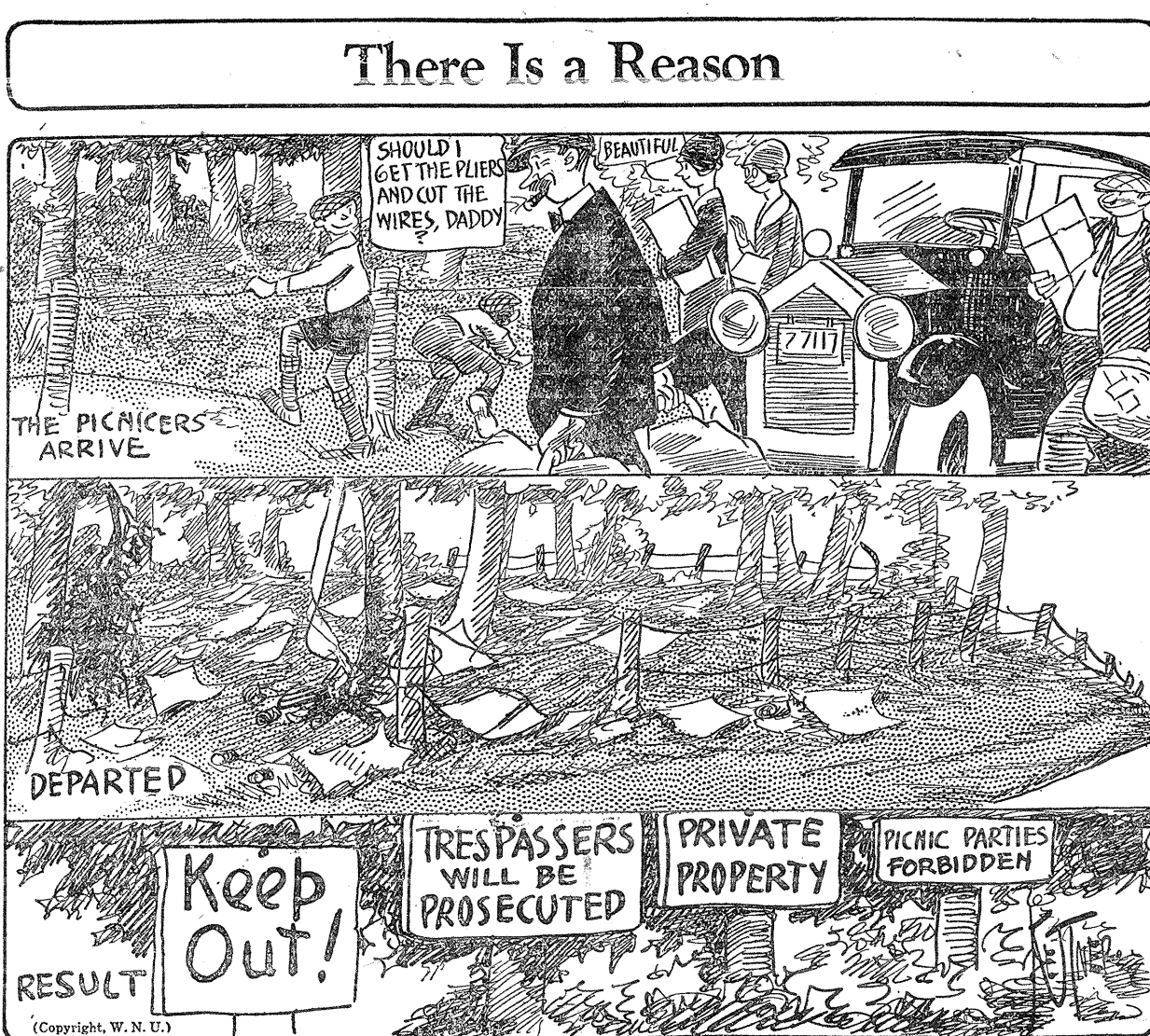
Alison Spence, Public Speaking and Jr. High.

Grace Beach, Commercial.  
Willis Campbell, Agriculture.  
Ester Tarnoski, Home Economics.  
Threna Ellenbaas, Sixth Grade.  
Blanch Ferguson, Fifth Grade.  
Zada Tindale, Fourth Grade.  
Margaret Wallace, Third Grade.  
Ruth Elliott, Second Grade.  
Lulu Barton, First Grade.  
Zora Day, Kindergarten.

## LANDSCAPE DEMONSTRATIONS AROUSE INTEREST

Landscape demonstrations were put on five places in Tuscola county last week by O. I. Gregg, Extension Specialist Landscape Gardening, Michigan State College. Mr. Gregg assisted by County Agricultural Agent, D. B. Jewell, put on demonstrations at Sam McCreedy's Elmwood; Doris Perry, Ellington; Albert Ruggles, Kingston; Nate Pattison, Almer, and Almer Center School. At each place a number of interested people questioned Mr. Gregg and learned the rudiments of planning and planting.

On Wednesday evening Mr. Gregg gave a talk on Landscape Work to the Liberty Farmer's Club. This talk, which was accompanied by picture chart, was very well received. Mr. Gregg plans on returning and visiting some twelve farms during the summer and at that time plans will be made to put on four more demonstrations next spring either at schools or private homes. Over 800 shrubs were planted as result of these demonstrations.



## F. A. BIGELOW HEADS COMMUNITY CLUB

W. J. Schwegler Elected Vice Pres.; F. Pinney, Sec; and W. L. Mann, Treas.

At a meeting of the executive board of the Cass City Community Club held at the Chronicle office Friday night, F. A. Bigelow was elected president of the club; W. J. Schwegler, vice president; F. H. Pinney, secretary; and W. L. Mann, treasurer.

The executive committee, in its session, endorsed the project to carry mail by bus from Cass City to Saginaw and also endorsed the work of the local chapter of the Red Cross and promised co-operation in raising the quota for the relief of flood sufferers.

Members of the executive committee of the Community Club include the officers named above and H. W. Holmes, Bruce Brown, M. E. Kenney, Robt. Warner, Wm. Profit, Rev. I. W. Cargo, Rev. C. F. Smith, Rev. A. G. Newberry, Rev. P. J. Allured, Rev. Mudge and Rev. F. McCarthy. Chairmen of the standing committees to be appointed by the new president will also be members of the executive committee.

The new officers of the club are prominent in business and community activities and are well fitted for their positions.

## Clean-up Campaign May 17 and 18

Banish dirt and starve the fly! This is the slogan of the "annual cleanup" movement which already has been productive of much good in many towns and cities and has assumed national proportions.

The village council has designated Tuesday and Wednesday, May 17 and 18, as cleanup days in Cass City. The council will provide trucks for hauling away old tin cans and other rubbish to the dump grounds on the two days designated. The co-operation of local residents in past years has made the cleanup campaigns a big success in beautifying the village and removing unsightly piles of rubbish from streets, lawns and yards, and members of the council anticipate that the community will again enter whole-heartedly into this campaign for bettering local conditions.

## MUSICAL ROMANCE HIGH SCHOOL PUPILS

"Once in a Blue Moon," a musical romance in prologue and three acts, will be presented by the High School Music Department, under the direction of Miss Lois Rainey, at the opera house on Wednesday evening, May 18, with the following cast: Moon Lady, Lady of the Blue Moon.....Catherine Newberry Mrs. Montgomery, the hostess Sylvia Montgomery, her daughter.....Harriett Tindale Leatrice Montgomery, her younger daughter.....Mabel Crandell

## Mr. Babbitt Morton, a home town booster.....Clare Bailey Betty Morton, Sylvia's best friend.....Virginia Day Mrs. Lila Lavender, still in mourning.....Carol Phillips Billy Maxwell, a victim of circumstance.....Raymond Wood George Taylor, alias Bob Harrington.....Bruce Hoadley Sir Percival Chetwood, M. Rene LeMon (Pseudo-Plenipotentiaries).....Harry Bohnsack, Clifton Heller Susanne, the French maid.....Maybelle Livingston Hop Sing Hi, the house man.....Louis Pinney Skylark Roams, a detective.....Harry Keenoy Mooney, a policeman.....Clark Helwig Spanish Dancer.....Marguerite Goff Chorus of guests, burglars, reporters, travelers, etc.....George Cole, Robert Kelley, Clare Schwaderer, John Simkins, Donald Schell, Keith Gowen, Glenn McCullough, Charles Simkins, Donald Wallace, Esther Caister, Margaret Jondro, Doris Bliss, Agnes Ferguson, Adella Ferguson, Catherine Wallace, Ethel Wager, Catherine Newberry, Marguerite Goff, Marshall Starr, Leila Battel, Luverne Battel, Mildred Karr, Barbara Taylor, Ruth Mark. Accompanist.....Phyllis Lenzner

## COMMITTEES NAMED FOR MEMORIAL DAY

Plans Being Completed for Program at Elkland Cemetery on May 30.

Arrangements are being made for the observance of Memorial Day at Cass City with appropriate exercises on May 30. It is planned to have the program at Elkland cemetery commencing at 1:30 p. m. in the event of inclement weather, the program will be given at the opera house. The following committees have been named:

Street Decorations—M. D. Hart, M. C. Wentworth.  
Music—Mrs. J. D. McCoy, G. W. Landon.  
Speaker—H. W. Holmes, Geo. C. Hooper.  
Transportation—A. C. Atwell, Clifton Champion.  
Parade and Salute—Arthur Little, Ora Luther, Ernest Schwaderer.  
Flower Committee—Mrs. W. C. Schell, Mrs. Anna Patterson, Mrs. H. M. Willis, Mrs. Z. Stafford, Mrs. Harriett Dodge.  
Decoration of Soldiers' Graves—Edmund Brotherton, C. M. Wallace.  
Chairman of the Day—Rev. P. J. Allured.

## Close Race for Class Honors in '27

Pauline Knight and Magdalena Just Finish with Fraction of a Point Difference.

The Cass City High School records show a close race for honors in the Class of 1927. Pauline Knight is named the honor student and valedictorian. Magdalena Just, who is within a fraction of a point of Miss Knight's record, will deliver the salutatory at the Class Day exercises which will be held on Monday evening, June 13.

Rev. Green of Ionia will deliver the Commencement address on Tuesday evening, June 14. The Junior-Senior banquet will be held on the following evening. The class, which numbers 32 members, hopes to have the Class Day and Commencement exercises in the auditorium of the new school building.

## \$3.23 in Milk for \$1.00 Spent for Feed

Elmer Spencer, dairyman, living 11 miles east of Cass City, has kept a careful record of the receipts and expenses of his dairy herd and finds that for every dollar expended for feed he has received a return of \$3.23. His herd consists of three two-year-olds, one three-year-old, four-year-olds and two mature cows. Basing his records on seven cows for a year, one for nine months, one for seven months and one for six months, he has received 99,733 pounds of milk valued at \$2,025.48. The cost of the feed was \$627.15, and the cost of hauling \$249.33. The difference between the receipts and expenditures is \$1,149.00.

## J. D. Brooker Named Court Commissioner

J. D. Brooker of Cass City was appointed circuit court commissioner in Tuscola county on May 8, by Governor Fred Green, to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Walter S. Wixson from this office. Mr. Wixson was recently appointed circuit judge of the 40th judicial district by the governor to succeed Judge Wm. B. Williams, who resigned because of ill health.

Mr. Brooker has served the county as circuit court commissioner previously to this time and is well versed in the duties of that office.

## TWO JUDGES HOLD COURT WEDNESDAY

Judge Smith on Calendar Cases; Judge Wixson on Naturalization Hearings.

In circuit court in Tuscola county, on Friday, the jury brought in a verdict of "not guilty" in the case of G. A. Proctor in which the charge was arson. Van Hanthone, charged with rape, was found guilty by the jury. Hanthone was given an indeterminate sentence of one to two years in the State Reformatory at Ionia, with the recommendation of one year.

Erwin Leland Martin, who pleaded guilty to arson at the last term of court, was placed on probation by Judge Smith for a period of one year and required to report monthly to the probation officer.

On Monday, the civil case of the Commercial State Bank vs. W. J. Moore was dismissed without cost to either party by agreement of counsel of both plaintiff and defendant.

Tuesday was devoted to chancery matters and on Wednesday the trial of Frank Stoner charged with incest was heard. The court directed the jury to return a verdict of not guilty and the defendant was discharged.

While Judge Guy E. Smith of Gladwin was conducting court at the court house on Wednesday, Judge Walter S. Wixson, recently appointed to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Judge Wm. B. Williams, conducted naturalization hearings at the office of the County Road Commissioner, P. H. Nelson of Detroit was the examiner. The following were admitted to citizenship:

Henry Schaffer, Unionville.  
Geo. Finkbeiner, Caro.  
Rudolph Schmidt, Reese.  
Mike Seres, Wilmet.  
Alfred Fort, Cass City.  
Glady Fort, Cass City.  
John Wilfred Greenwood, Akron.  
Eliza Merrill, Gilford.  
Stanley Stashia, Wilmet.  
Julius Arthur Koss, Unionville.  
Josef Belica, Akron.  
John Milovic, Unionville.

The jury was called again on Thursday to hear cases in circuit court. Judge Boomhower of Bad Axe expects to preside at the Saturday session of court in Tuscola county.

## FARM BUILDINGS BURNED SUNDAY

Thos. E. Park Lost Barn and Live Stock and John Kitchen His Farm Residence.

Thomas E. Park, 5 1/2 miles west of Cass City, lost his barn and eight head of live stock in a fire Sunday night, caused by lightning. Mr. Park estimated his loss conservatively at \$1,500, which was partly covered by insurance.

About 9:00 p. m., some young men driving by noticed the fire and informed Mr. Park. When he stepped out of the house, the barn was a mass of flames and it was impossible to release the three horses, three cows and two calves imprisoned in the burning structure. A Ford truck and a small quantity of hay were also destroyed. The barn was 32x46 ft. in size with lean-to. Mr. and Mrs. Parks bought the farm and came here from South Dakota about six months ago.

The farm home of Mr. and Mrs. John Kitchen in Evergreen was destroyed by fire Sunday morning about ten o'clock. Mr. and Mrs. Kitchen were attending the Free Methodist church at Hay Creek. Miss Ethel Moshier, a sister of Mrs. Kitchen, was at the house alone when she discovered the roof had caught fire from a spark from the kitchen chimney. Quick work of the people who were at the Nazarene church near by saved everything on the first floor and in the basement. The loss was partly covered by insurance.

## FALSE RUMORS SPIKED IN CORN BORER FIGHT

Farmers Advised to Complete Clean-up Work. Ample Funds Available.

Rumors to the effect that corn fields and premises in the borer infested area which were cleaned up satisfactorily after May 1, would not be eligible for the extra labor award are vigorously denied by L. H. Worthley, federal administrator of corn control work.

Michigan State College authorities have also been advised that approximately \$5,000,000 is available to compensate farmers in the infested regions for their efforts in the clean-up.

Worthley explains that the date, May 1, was set in order to give the regulatory forces legal authority to clean up abandoned farms and premises in cases where there was good reason to believe that no efforts were being made to comply with the regulations.

Farmers are advised by Worthley to disregard such "wartime" rumors and to apply the finishing touches to their farms which will entitle them to the extra labor fee. Farmers who have not completed their clean-up work because of weather conditions, or other reasons, are advised to finish their work and to ask for inspection. If the work meets the requirements, the extra labor award will be paid.

In some cases, the clean-up around barnyards and feed-lots has not been finished. Indications are that a little handpicking and gathering will complete over 85 per cent of the clean-up in the state. The need of a thorough and complete clean-up is emphasized by Worthley.

Dr. and Mrs. F. L. Morris left Thursday morning on a motor trip to Washington, D. C., where Mr. Morris will attend a national medical convention. They expect to be gone two weeks. Dr. N. J. Malloy, until recently located at Gageton, until recently located at Gageton, is caring for Dr. Morris' patients during his absence. Dr. and Mrs. A. C. Edgerton of Clio are also planning on making a trip to Washington, D. C., at this time.

## Jersey Club Organized in Tuscola Co.

A. G. Denison, fieldman for Indiana, Ohio and Michigan, was at Caro Tuesday evening and assisted in the organization of the Jersey Club of Tuscola County. Officers elected by the Jersey breeders of the county are: President, M. D. Hall, Fairgrove; vice pres., Steven Dodge, Cass City; secretary, F. B. Crosby.

Two major projects were decided upon at this meeting. One is a summer show which will probably be held at Caro and the second is advertising the sale of Jersey products.

The stranger in our fair land is entitled to be told that "Rink Go" is the headline writer's shorthand for hockey contest.

## Local Items

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Albert Ware April 25, a son, weight 8 3/4 lbs. The little one has been named Charles Frederick.

Miss Alison Spence visited over the week-end in Saginaw where she attended the wedding of Miss Anne Robertson and James A. Spence.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Bigelow spent Sunday and Monday with their daughter, Miss Eleanor, who is teaching music and art in the public school at Casnovia.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Kelsey, Mrs. G. A. Tindale, Pauline Knight and Rev. P. J. Allured attended the county Sunday school convention at Fairgrove on Wednesday.

At the conclusion of the Mother's Day program at the Evangelical church Sunday evening, an offering was taken for the Red Cross relief fund in which \$28.25 were contributed.

Wm. Fulcher of Caro and Miss Margaret G. Kerbyson of Cass City were united in marriage by the Rev. C. F. Smith, at the Evangelical parsonage, on Wednesday afternoon, May 11. Mr. and Mrs. Fulcher will reside on the Fulcher farm in Greenleaf township.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. McNamee left Wednesday for Chicago to visit their son, H. G. McNamee. Mr. McNamee will also attend the Grand Trunk R. R. Agents' Assn. meeting which will be held Thursday and Friday at Chicago. They expect to return to Cass City Sunday.

The M. E. Missionary society will meet Friday, May 20, at the home of Mrs. L. I. Wood. This is gentlemen's evening and the program will include the mite box opening, and a report by a delegate from the district convention.

Two hundred eighty-six pupils of rural schools were at Cass City last Thursday and Friday attending the 7th and 8th grade review, preparatory to the county examinations being held this week. Reading, orthography, spelling, geography, penmanship and hygiene subjects were reviewed by 139 seventh grade pupils on Thursday and 147 eighth graders "brushed up" on grammar, history, civil government, arithmetic and agriculture on Friday. The review was conducted by teachers of the Cass City Schools—reading by Mrs. Baker, history by Mr. Smarks, physiology by Mr. Duke, agriculture by Mr. Campbell, and other subjects by Mr. Holmes.



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GAGETOWN

Wedding Chimes—

St. Agatha's wedding chimes echoed through the air Saturday morning at nine o'clock for Miss Myrtle Roshleau, charming daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Roshleau, sr., and Mr. Carl Seiland of Caro. The bride wore a gown of orchid taffeta and carried a bouquet of sweet peas. The bridesmaid, Miss Catherine Hosswebber, of Detroit wore a gown of pink gettoe crepe and carried spring flowers. Joe Seiland was groomsmen. The bridal party partook of a sumptuous breakfast at the bride's parents and motored to Detroit where they will spend their honeymoon. They will be at home after May 18 at their farm home near Caro which is equipped for the newlyweds.

Motoring to Oregon—

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Lehman are leaving next week to motor through to Portland, Oregon, where they will spend the summer, thinking the change of climate will be beneficial for Mrs. Lehman's health.

Interesting Meeting—

The last meeting of the Parent-Teachers' Association held Monday evening will be remembered as the most interesting ever held by this association from several viewpoints. Miss Roberta Wills gave a splendid paper on health. A charming little play was sponsored by two of our capable teachers, Mrs. Emmett Pheasant and Miss Crawford. Mrs. Elizabeth Fischer, a former English teacher in the school, presented and dedicated an Irish Juniper tree in honor of Supt. B. Koepfgen, who has exhibited untiring interest for several years to beautify our school grounds with trees and shrubs. This memory Irish Juniper tree will remain green and fresh all year around, just as will ever be our cherished memories of our most beloved Miss Koepfgen. Needless to say Miss Koepfgen's response was most fitting.

Kastner-Stapleton Nuptials—

Miss Anna Kastner and Mr. Edwin Stapleton were united in marriage Monday morning at nine o'clock by Rev. O'Sullivan at St. Agatha's church. Although the early morning had been dark and cloudy as the wedding party entered the church the heavens cleared and the sun shone bright, indicating without doubt a happy and peaceful life. They were accompanied by Clem Kastner, only brother of the bride, and Miss Maggie Stapleton. The bride was charming in a gown of pink crepe and carried spring flowers. The bridesmaid was gowned in light brown crepe and also carried spring flowers. A wedding dinner was served at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Chris Kastner, to a large company of relatives. The newlyweds will be at home very soon at their farm home, south and west of Gageton.

Mesdames R. J. Willis, R. Clara, F. D. Hemerick, Wm. Morris, M. P. Freeman and Jas. L. Purdy and the Misses Martha Clara, Edith Miller and Beryl Koepfgen attended the convention of the East Central District of the Michigan Federation of Women's Clubs held at Caro May 8.

Mrs. Art Burdon and daughter, May, were callers in Caro Wednesday.

Ray Strong and R. J. Ottaway transacted business in Saginaw on Thursday evening.

Hugh Karr is putting a galvanized roof on his barn.

Little June, 11 months old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Karr, passed away May 4, following an illness of a few weeks of the flu. Funeral from the home, Rev. T. Tamblin officiating. Burial in the Elkland cemetery Thursday afternoon. Besides her parents, she leaves little Wanda, three years old, to miss her in the home.

Mrs. Akerman is some improved from her illness. Mr. and Mrs. Leland Wood of

Bach announce the arrival of a little son. Mrs. Ida Deneen is nursing in the home.

Mrs. Lloyd Karr and daughter, Wanda, Mrs. B. Ottaway and R. J. Ottaway were callers at Hubbard Hospital in Bad Axe Saturday.

Mrs. Clyde Davenport spent several days of last week in Sebewaing. Miss Edith Miller spent the week-end in Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Kehoe announce the arrival of a little daughter. Geo. Clara, sr., has been ill with pneumonia.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Shannon of Flint spent Sunday with Mrs. T. Palmer.

Junior and Tena, small children of Mr. and Mrs. Russell Thomas, have been quite ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Crowell have moved to the McDonald residence.

Mrs. Sullivan has purchased the Jas. Humphrey residence on Gage St. Mrs. Geo. Russell and son, Lee, were callers in Cass City Saturday.

Preston Fournier, student at M. S. C., spent Sunday at his parental home.

Miss Myrtle Crawford and friend from Romeo spent the week-end with her mother, Mrs. Margaret Crawford.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Purdy were dinner guests of Mrs. E. G. Purdy of Caro Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Roshleau, after spending the winter in Saginaw, are settled in their home here.

Mrs. E. S. Simmons sold her household goods at public auction Saturday. She will live with her daughter, Mrs. Livingston, and with her son, W. H. Simmons. She will be missed by her neighbors and friends in town.

Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Hemerick spent the week-end with friends in Detroit. Mrs. Bliss, sr., spent a few days at the Pat Kehoe home.

Mr. and Mrs. Berryman of Pontiac spent over Sunday at the Earl Hurd home.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hinton were callers at the Wm. McKee home Sunday.

Mrs. Wm. Ibbittson is spending a few days with relatives in Detroit. Miss Nellie Hughes, Billy, Ruth and Richard Lennox of Detroit spent Sunday with Mrs. Richard Hughes.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Bartholomy and Martin, Mr. Montgomery and Hughie Crawford spent Tuesday evening at the Arthur Wood home.

Miss Mable Lafave is assisting Mrs. John Bliss with her house work.

Mr. and Mrs. N. Hughes were Cass City callers Saturday evening.

The Brookfield Sewing Club attended Achievement Day at Bad Axe all day Friday.

Mrs. Harry Russell and Royce and Mrs. George Russell and Lee were callers in Cass City Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Mert Hughes and family spent Sunday at the A. O. Wood home.

Miss Maggie Gill is working for Mrs. Delbert Profit.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hatherill and family of Durand spent the week-end at the F. D. Wright home.

Sherman Carolson of East Lansing was a guest Sunday at J. L. Purdy's. Jean Elizabeth is the name of the little sister who arrived at Harry and Junior Kehoe's home on May 4.

Mr. Brock's barn was struck by lightning Sunday night and burned. Loss is reported heavy.

Supt. B. Koepfgen and little niece, Phyllis, were dinner guests of Miss Ada Karr Thursday of last week.

Wednesday was the last day of school at Winton school. Mrs. Harry Russell, teacher, has been hired for next year. A program and pot luck luncheon closed a very successful year of school.

Clayton Doerr of Pontiac visited Sunday at Al Russell's home.

Alex Crawford of Ypsilanti spent Mother's Day with his mother.

Seventh and eighth grade examination for rural schools Thursday and Friday this week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Deneen and son, James, and Mrs. Mose Karr were callers in Caro Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Wood spent Thursday evening at the John Bliss home.

Mr. and Mrs. Karl Wolf and Wilma were Elkton visitors Sunday.

Mrs. Mary Banwick and Miss Etta of Flint visited at the Wolf and Fahndrick homes the past week.

Miss Hattie Fahndrick visited Miss Irene Saldon Sunday afternoon.

Mr. Montgomery spent Thursday evening the guest of Floyd and Lloyd Hughes.

Mr. and Mrs. Clinton McGinn and daughter of Flint and Mr. and Mrs. John Rogers and son of Montrose spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd McGinn.

The lower grades of the public school entertained their mothers Friday afternoon with a program and refreshments.

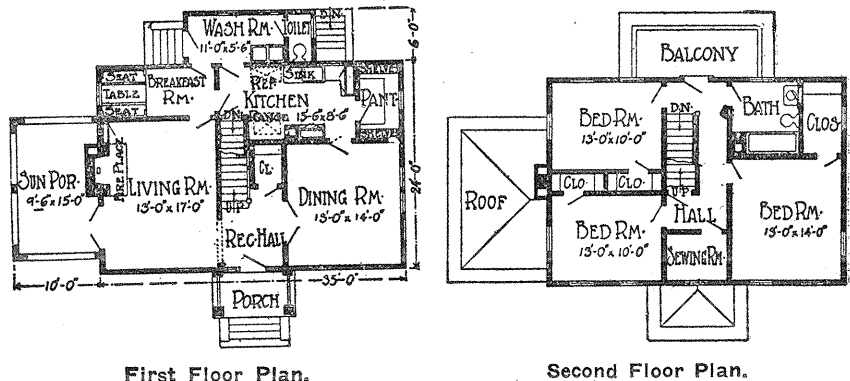
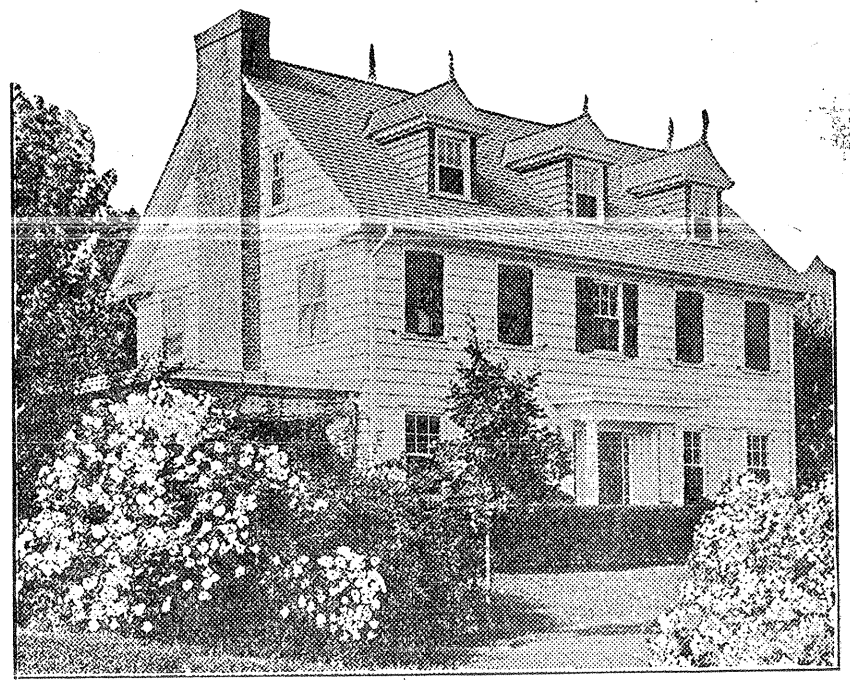
Virgil Spitzer and mother were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Crawford of Brookfield.

Mrs. Marie Fournier-Thomas of Detroit visited her parents over the week-end.

That's Plain Enough

Sign in front of Missouri farmhouse. "Drive slow. Chickens \$5 each."—Boston Transcript.

Colonial Residence Is Type of Home That Is Popular Everywhere



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, for reply.

Colonial homes lend themselves to the surroundings shown in the illustration. While they are somewhat severe in exterior appearance, proper plantings of shrubs and flowers make them most attractive.

The home shown contains six rooms, sun parlor, breakfast nook, washroom and bathroom. How these rooms are arranged and their sizes are shown on the plans of the two floors.

There is a full basement of the same dimensions as the house, 35 by 24 feet.

The house is of frame construction set on a concrete foundation. Downstairs there are living and dining rooms at the front divided by an entrance hall out of which run the stairs to the second floor. At the back is the kitchen with a large breakfast nook adjoining. Upstairs are three sleeping rooms, all corner rooms, and a large bathroom. A good feature of the home is the sun parlor, which may be an open porch, or glazed for use the year around.

This is the type of home that is popular everywhere, even though it did originate in New England. Its lines are straight, which means a minimum of cost for the amount of room secured.

Spanish Hacienda Is Returning to Favor

An example of the reaction among architects in California to the original Spanish hacienda is found in the recently completed hilltop residence of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Thomson at Beverly Hills, Calif., writes Charles Ray Glass in Arts and Decorations.

Mr. Glass says: "The Southland of California has a distinct architectural heritage in the Spanish colonial hacienda of the early days, the missions and granaries of the padres."

"Somewhere the bequest was dissipated or the formulae lost. Artistically there have been terrible gropings in darkness since that time. Grim reminders in the form of endless blocks of structural crudities, calamities and downright architectural catastrophes mark every settled city community. "It is just the contemplation of these districts that has driven the architects back to that birthright of domestic architecture of New Spain, which is broadly known as the Mediterranean type of dwelling."

"While the advocates of Italian, Tudor and conventional styles find their following (and often lead them to splendid realizations of their desires), the concession is becoming general that, for the Pacific coast at least, the old heritage is found in the rejuvenation of the Spanish-type dwelling and that no other style fits both climate and country so well as does that adapted by the Spanish settlers of early days."

Floor Shown to Best Advantage by Varnish

Modern people of taste and culture do not want their homes to be replicas of a dozen others in the community. The mistress of any home now has an opportunity for self-expression equal to that of the writer, composer, painter or sculptor.

Even the floor, which used to be covered with a carpet and forgotten, now offers as many decorative possibilities as any other surface in the home.

Instead of finishing the floor without regard to its material or to the general decorative scheme of the room, more attention should be paid to making the finish appropriate and of proper color value.

Varnish, of course, is the ideal finish for beautifully grained hardwood floors, because it enhances and protects their natural beauty, but soft-wood floors show best results when painted.

Want to Shingle Roof? Here's How to Do It

A shingle is 16 inches long. To make a shingle roof tight each shingle must have several laps. A shingle laid more than five inches to the weather is almost worthless. From four to four and one-half inches is far better. Laid properly, a shingled roof will last for many years.

CANBORO.

A very heavy rain Sunday night. Mr. and Mrs. Richard Jarvis were callers at the Thomas Jarvis home at Rescue Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Carver and children left Saturday to make their home in Flint. We are sorry to lose them from our neighborhood but wish them success in their new home.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Jarvis and children and Mr. and Mrs. Peter Keivel and children were callers in Elkton Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hallock of Pontiac called on friends in these parts Sunday.

The friends and neighbors gave the Carver family a farewell party on Thursday evening. Pot luck lunch was served and the teacher, Miss Helen Pechett, gave the children a marshmallow roast. Fifty-four were present and everybody enjoyed a good time.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Warrington of Oliver, Mr. and Mrs. John Parker and children of Brookfield, Cletus Parker of West Grant, Wm. Parker and daughters of Owendale called at the Wm. Parker, sr., home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Jarvis and children were callers in Cass City on Saturday.

Mrs. George Parker, jr., is improving slowly. She had a tonsil operation about two weeks ago. She is stopping with her mother, Mrs. Severen, of Oliver.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Mellendorf and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Mellendorf were callers in Cass City Sunday.

We extend sympathy to the bereaved family of Frank Fay, especially to his wife and children.

Reasonable Supposition

A seal was recently killed off the shore of New York, presumably for the reason that seals are only infrequent visitors. One may reasonably suppose, therefore, that New York would be prompt to take a pot shot at an angel from heaven if one were ill-advised enough to go there.—Philadelphia Ledger.

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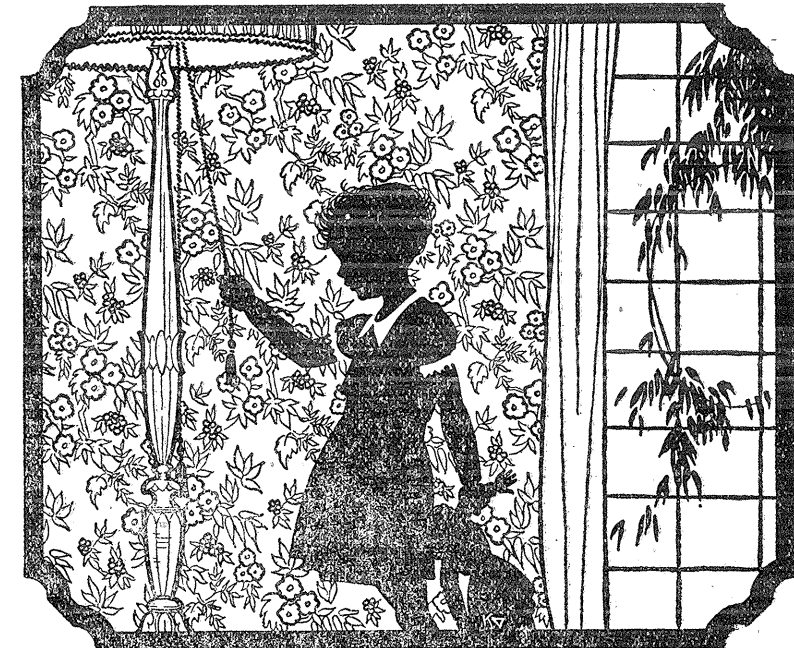
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# GRIST SCREENINGS

Vol. 2. May 13, 1927. No. 39.

Published in the interest of the People of Cass City and vicinity by the

**Elkland Roller Mills**  
Roy Taylor, Editor

The following item appeared in a metropolitan newspaper recently: "Ikey Ikenstein accidentally drove his car into the parade of the Ancient Order of Hibernians. He would have been thirty-eight years old next October."

Efficient culling will save you a lot of money—or maybe we should say, will make you money.

And we extracted a laugh from this one: Young Brown got married. On the first pay day he gave his wife \$20 of his \$25 salary and kept the balance. Next week he reversed the process. "But Harold," exclaimed the bride, "how do you expect me to get along on \$5?" "Hanged if I know," he replied, "I had a rotten time myself last week. Now it's your turn."

For more and better bread use Cream of Wheat Flour.

A Cass City man was trying to teach his wife to drive the car the other evening. She was pretty nervous. Suddenly she yelled, "Here you take the wheel, here comes a tree!"

The mill will be open Saturday evenings for the next few weeks. Do not ask us to grind feed Saturday evenings.

Colin McCallum bought a one thousand chick size brooder this week.

John Smith says he is still working for the same people—wife and four children.

Have you seen the Purina Poultry Book? It is worth \$10 to anyone interested in poultry raising but you can have one for nothing. Just call and ask for one.

You may not think so, but we thought this was funny: A minister asked a man why he didn't attend church. "Well, I'll just tell you," replied the backslider, "the first time I went they poured water in my face, and the second time they tied me to a woman and I've had to keep her ever since."

Dead chicks are expensive. Purina chick Startena will avoid much of this loss.

Do any of you readers know where we could find a good assistant editor for the "Grist Screenings?" What if we got sick or something! Wouldn't that be a calamity?

**The Elkland Roller Mills**  
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Cass City, Michigan

# DAIRY

## FAT NEEDED FOR QUALITY BUTTER

Two things hampering profits to creameries and cream patrons are the low grade of butterfat sent to the creameries and small amount per patron.

"These two things prevent the creameries from paying about five cents per pound more than they do pay for butterfat," says W. L. Clevenger, specialist in dairy manufacturing at the North Carolina State college. "There are a large number of patrons who sell less than 200 pounds of butterfat annually. It costs just as much to collect, weigh, test and otherwise handle a small quantity of cream as it does to handle a larger amount. It is a general rule that the smaller the amount of cream produced on a farm each day, the poorer the quality, because of the longer period between deliveries and the less care and attention given the cream while it is on the farm."

Those creameries which are now making the best grade of butter, manufacturing it at the lowest cost per pound and selling the product for the highest market price, are the ones which get an average of 1,000 pounds of fat per farm, states Mr. Clevenger. This means that the product from five cows, each producing as much as 200 pounds of fat per year, is being sold.

Under such conditions, the creameries can operate most profitably and the patrons also get a profit from their dairying. The average return is about five to ten dollars per cow per month.

Mr. Clevenger states that the creameries of North Carolina are producing an excellent product, but it could be made still better. There are some farmers who are making money by shipping cream, but more are needed. There are too many farmers supplying cream who keep only one or two cows. If the unprofitable cows were weeded out and the whole matter put on a business basis, cream production would soon become a source of real wealth in the state.

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## Replace Whole Milk in Manufactured Products

Milk powder and condensed milk are replacing whole milk and evaporated milk in the manufacture of confectionery, ice cream and bakery products, the bureau of agricultural economics of the United States Department of Agriculture has announced. The reason for the shift is that the concentrated products are easier to transport and store.

Figures collected by the bureau show that 66 manufacturers of milk chocolate used 171,542,798 pounds of whole milk last year as against 228,821,543 pounds used by 61 manufacturers in 1925. The quantity of evaporated milk used to manufacture milk chocolate last year was 2,912,639 pounds against 3,037,669 pounds in 1925, and of skim milk 26,689 pounds against 6,168,287 pounds.

Consumption of milk powders, on the other hand, shows an increase. The 65 manufacturers used 6,652,127 pounds of whole milk powder last year, as against 4,396,231 pounds used by 61 firms in 1925; of condensed milk there was used 5,499,095 pounds against 4,369,769 pounds, and skim milk powder 3,270,577 pounds against 1,437,810 pounds.

The consumption of all products reduced to the common equivalent of whole milk used in the manufacture of milk chocolate last year shows a decrease of about 10 per cent under 1925.

## Keep Calves Hungry

It is best to keep young calves just a little hungry rather than to overfeed them. This applies while they are under four months of age. Legume hay such as red clover, alfalfa, or mixed hay with more than 50 per cent clover are all good. Quality is important in hay for calves. A calf one month old should get 10 to 12 pounds of skim milk. This amount should gradually be increased until calves four months old are getting 16 to 18 pounds daily.

## Dairy Notes

Oats and wheat are commonly grown for succotash for feeding dairy cows.

Feeding boarder cows is worse than throwing away money, for it is also throwing away labor.

Care must be exercised to prevent farm cream from freezing prior to delivery to the creamery.

"A pure-bred sire makes milk checks higher." How about this for a pure-bred sire campaign slogan?

Keeping feed records and weighing and testing milk regularly make it possible to determine the production of your cows with a high degree of accuracy.

In raising the dairy calf, leave the calf with the cow for one or two days and then take it away and feed from eight to ten pounds of warm milk per day for about two weeks.

# LOCAL HAPPENINGS

John Willy was a business caller in Saginaw Wednesday.

Mrs. A. H. Kinnaird was a business caller in Caro Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Nique of Decker were callers in town Sunday.

Wallie Marshall of Caro spent Friday with his mother, Mrs. W. L. Ward.

Charles Wood of Midland spent Sunday at his parental home in Cass City.

Glen Reid of Detroit spent Mother's Day with his mother, Mrs. I. K. Reid.

Mr. and Mrs. James Spencer and son, Wayne, were callers in Marlette Sunday.

Miss Caroline Keating of Detroit spent Sunday with her father, E. W. Keating.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Heck of Linkville visited Saturday at the Conrad Willy home.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Messner of Detroit visited relatives in Cass City on Monday and Tuesday.

Arthur Walker of Pontiac spent Mother's day with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Walker.

Mr. and Mrs. Angus McCarty of Gagetown were guests at the Dan McClorey home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Croft and daughter, Marjorie, spent Sunday with relatives in Bad Axe.

Mrs. Lee Brooks and three children spent Sunday with Mrs. Brooks' sister, Mrs. Wesley Northrup, at Marlette.

Mrs. G. A. Tindale and daughters, Misses Dorothy and Harriet, and Miss Zada Tindale spent Saturday in Saginaw.

Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Auten are the proud parents of a baby boy born on Saturday, May 7. He has been named Charles Stewart.

B. J. Dailey of Three Rivers spent a few days the first of the week in town on business and shaking hands with old friends.

Born Saturday, May 7, to Mr. and Mrs. Glen Guilds of Caro a baby boy. Mrs. Dan McClorey is at Caro caring for her daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Wereshkey and children of Sebewaing were guests of Conrad and John Willy on Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Mary Palmer and daughter, Miss Sarah, were guests of Mrs. Palmer's mother, Mrs. D. McRae, at Argyle Sunday and Monday.

Mrs. David Tyo and son, David, and Mrs. Marie Nelson and children, all of Detroit, spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. David Tyo, sr.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Jones and daughters, Gwendolyn and Elizabeth, of Flint and D. Graham of Caro attended church in Cass City Sunday morning.

Louis Ward and the Misses Madeline Speck and Goldie Ward, all of Detroit, were entertained Saturday evening and Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clem Tyo.

Mrs. Harriet Boyes had as dinner guests Sunday Mrs. I. K. Reid and Mr. and Mrs. John Dillman and daughter, Miss Esther, all of Cass City, and Glen Reid of Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. John West entertained Sunday at their home on East Main Street, Mr. and Mrs. R. N. McCullough, Mr. and Mrs. George West and daughter, Miss Lottie.

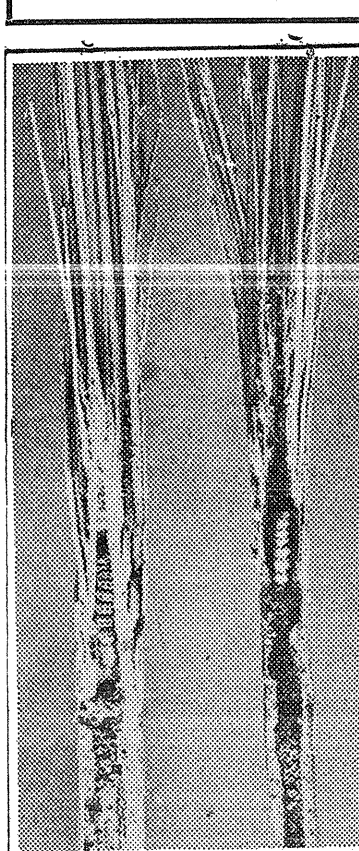
Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Zemke and children and Miss Bertha Zemke were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Zemke at Caro Sunday. Miss Zemke remained overnight, spending Monday there.

Mrs. Sarah Burse, Mrs. Lavina Mallory and son and daughter, Ellis and Myrtle, all of Cass City, Ben Shrader of Rochester, who was visiting at the Mallory home, and Mr. and Mrs. Dan Hutchinson of Gagetown were entertained Sunday at the home of Mrs. Nancy Rose at Sebewaing.

Members of the M. M. class of the Methodist Sunday school enjoyed an exceptionally pleasant evening Friday when they were entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Warner, with Mrs. Warner, Mrs. Richard Edgerton and Mrs. Alex Henry as hostesses. Sides were chosen for the evening, Garfield Leishman and Frank Hutchinson being captains. As it was undecided who won Hershey bars and life-savers were divided among both groups. Strawberry shortcake, cakes and coffee were served.

Mrs. G. W. Landon entertained for dinner Sunday in honor of her mother, Mrs. Hugh McColl, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Rich and daughter, Belva, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Rich and son, Ronald, and Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Davis, all of Deckerville, Mrs. E. F. Kreiman of Saginaw, D. H. McColl of Greenleaf, and Mrs. T. H. Vickere and daughter, Jean, of Spokane, Washington. Mrs. Rich and D. H. McColl with their children and grandchildren and Mrs. Hugh McColl formed two groups of four generations each. In the afternoon the following were callers remaining for lunch Mr. and Mrs. I. A. Ippel, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Bryson, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Krause, and Mr. and Mrs. E. Blowers, all of Saginaw.

# THE STOWAWAY



Broom corn, this is, sectioned to show larvae of the European corn borer right at home in it. This is the way America's greatest corn pest came over to the United States in 1909 from Hungary. At that time there was no federal plant inspection to prevent such importations.

## RESCUE.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Putman and sons, Elton and Billie, were Cass City callers on Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. John Parker and children of Brookfield were Sunday visitors at the Burdette Webster home.

Miss Marion Mellendorf returned home Saturday evening after working the past two weeks at the Wm. Ashmore home.

William Parker and daughters of Owendale and Mr. and Mrs. Ostrum Summers and children were Sunday visitors at the Wm. Severn home.

Wm. Ashmore and sons and Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Mellendorf were Owendale callers Saturday evening.

Joseph Mellendorf was a business caller at the Jacob Kain home, west of Owendale, Monday evening.

The Ladies' Aid met at the home of Mrs. Philip Moore last Thursday and will meet with Mrs. Claude Martin on May 19 for dinner and work.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Britt and children and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Severn and Miss Retta Summers were Owendale callers Saturday evening.

William and Howard MacCallum were called home by the death of their brother-in-law, Frank Fay.

Miss Irene Heberly of Owendale was a Sunday visitor at the Joseph Mellendorf home.

## BEAULEY.

Wm. Hartsell of Pontiac is visiting relatives here at present.

Mrs. S. H. Heron and son, Graydon, were callers in Saginaw Sunday.

The three Fay brothers, Fred, Hugh and John, are expected today (Tuesday) from Montana to attend the funeral of their brother, Frank.

The trees have arrived and are all set out for the Beasley church park on the ground where the parsonage stood.

Our eighth grade pupils expect to go to Owendale to write on the examination Friday of this week.

Miss Elva Heron is spending the week with her grandmother in Lapeer.

The friends of Frank Fay were very much saddened when the news came that he had passed away at the hospital at Bad Axe on Saturday at five o'clock. Frank was reared to

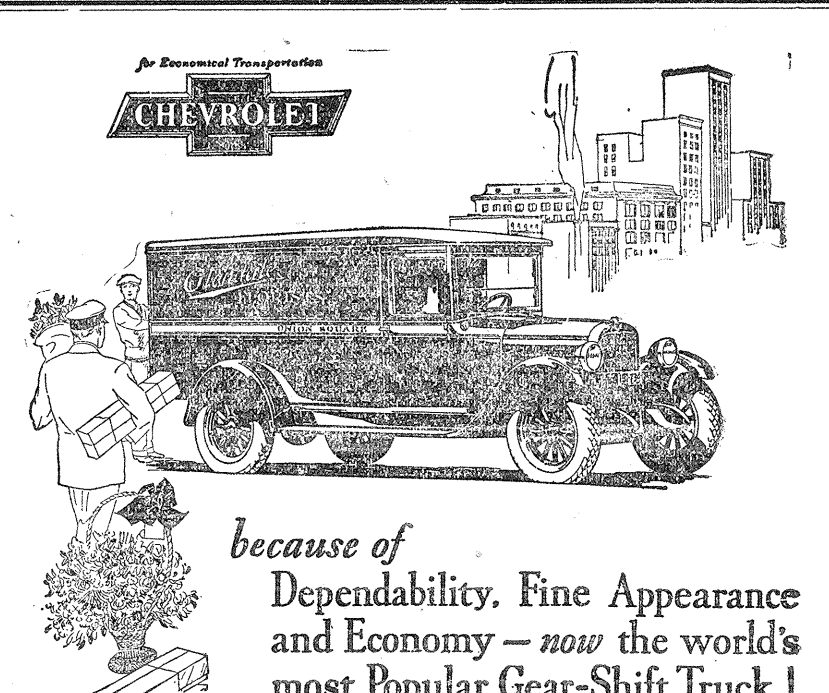
manhood in this neighborhood. He was a World War veteran and his untimely death was a shock. Sympathy is extended to his loved ones in their bereavement.

## English as It Is Spoken

In the grade school a little girl was working a problem on the blackboard. A sidelong glance showed the teacher that she was placing the figures in column form. He asked: "Doris, are you subtracting or multiplying?" "Neither one, sir. I am 'plusing,'" was the reply.

## Founded Confederacy

On February 4, 1861, there was held in the South a convention of seven southern states. The convention was held at Montgomery, Ala., and it had for its purpose the organization of the government of the Confederate States of America.



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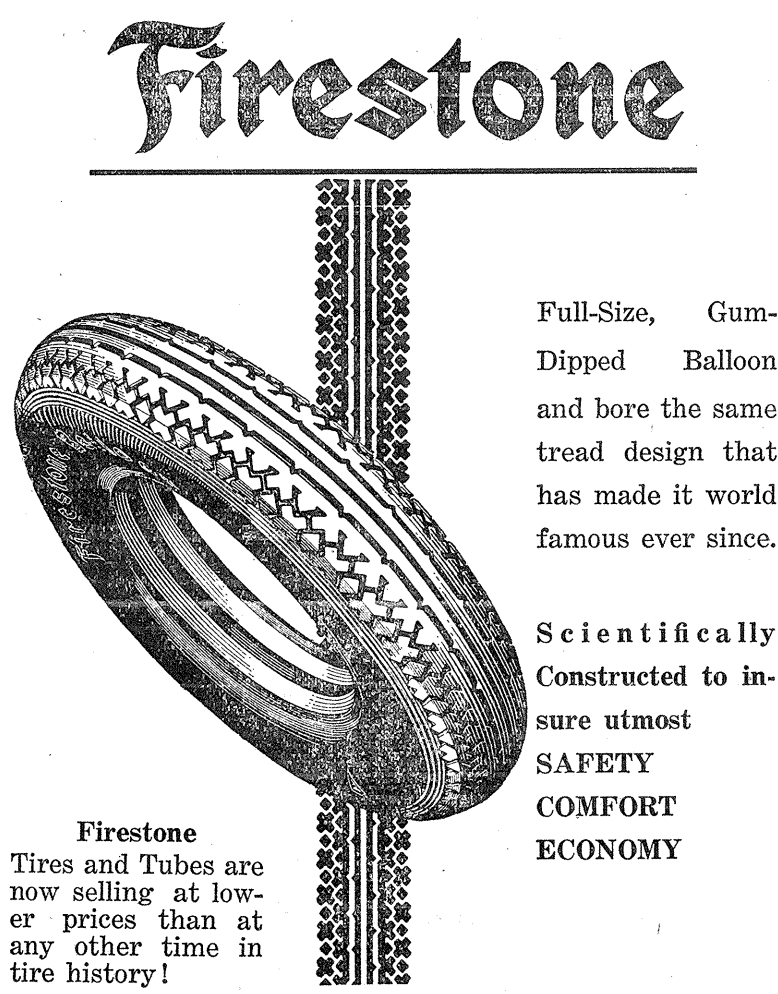
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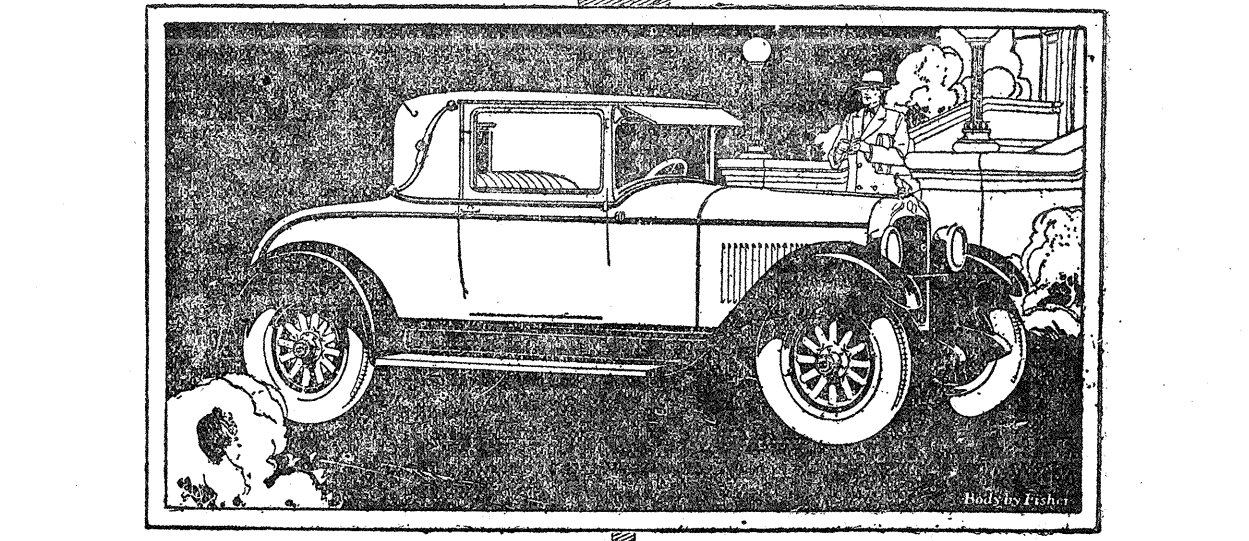
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LOCAL HAPPENINGS

C. D. Striffler was a Detroit caller Friday and Saturday. Mrs. E. C. Rose of Argyle spent Friday with Mrs. Mary Gekeler. Jack Cariova of Detroit spent Sunday at the Walter Mark home.

Conrad Willy was a business caller in Owendale Monday. Miss Edna Jackson of Jeddo was a caller in town Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. L. I. Wood were Caro visitors Friday evening.

Born Tuesday, May 10, to Mr. and Mrs. Manley Asher, a daughter. Wm. Moshier of Deckerville was the guest Sunday of Isaac Cragg. Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Striffler and son, Irvine, were callers in Saginaw Sunday.

SHABBONA. Ray Severance of East Lansing spent the week-end at his parental home. Ben Phetteplace was a business caller in Flint Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Stitt spent Sunday afternoon with their daughter, Mrs. Bruce Adams, near Decker.

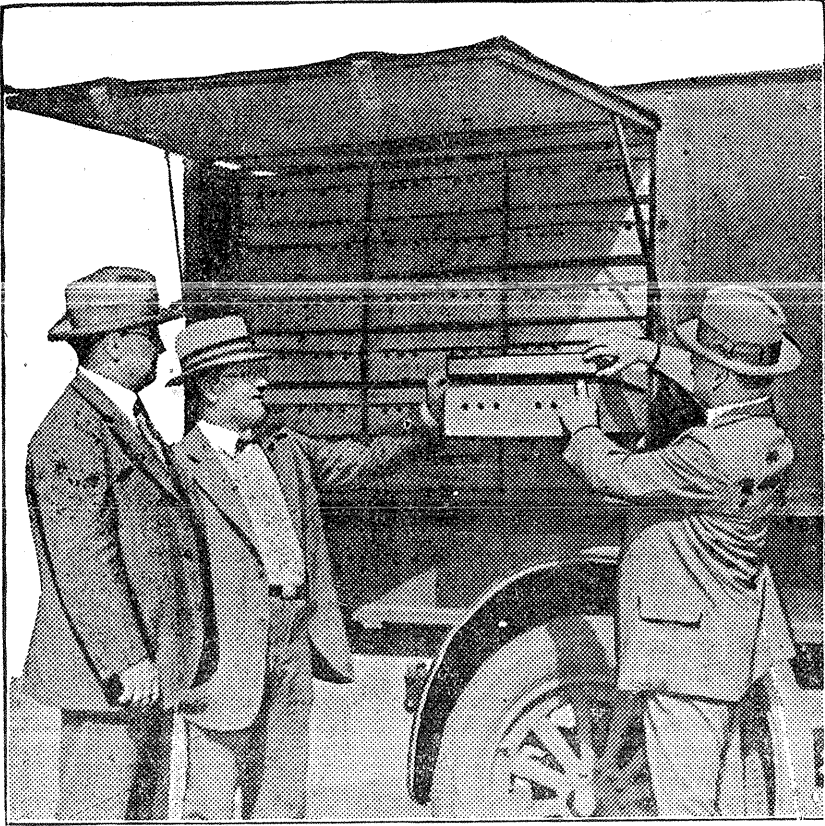
Bible Thoughts for the Week Sunday. The Friend of Sinners.—Their scribes and Pharisees murmured against His disciples, saying "Why do ye eat and drink with publicans and sinners?"

BOLERO AND PLAITS CONTRIBUTE TO SMART SPRING STYLING. CLEVER platings and the "nifty" bolero are playing an interesting duet this season, achieving in their combination a most youthful silhouette for the daytime frock.

REPORTS ARE THAT SHE IS ABOUT THE SAME. JULIA BOTTOMLEY. (© 1927, Western Newspaper Union.)



**FLORIDANS STUDY LOS ANGELES METHODS**



Florida commissioners recently visited Los Angeles to learn how southern California does her "stuff." Nathan Mayo (left) commissioner of agriculture for Florida, and L. M. Rhodes (center), commissioner of the Florida State Marketing bureau, are shown one of the up-to-date trucks used to convey baby chicks from the hatcheries to southern California chicken ranches by B. R. Holloway, inventor of the truck and chairman of the agricultural committee of the Los Angeles Chamber of Commerce.

**OVERHEATING OF ENGINE HARMFUL**

**It May Mean Some Mechanical Difficulty or Lack of Water.**

Fever in a human being may indicate merely some digestive disturbance, or it may be the symptom of a serious, deep-seated disorder. An overheated automobile engine may mean only that you need more water in the radiator, or it may be the sign of some grave mechanical difficulty.

A great many motorists think that a fresh supply of water will always act as a cure for an overheated engine. This is not true when the overheating has progressed to the stage where it injures the cylinders, pistons and bearings.

**What Overheating May Do.**  
For example, bearings will crack if subjected to tremendous heat. Heat causes oil to lose its lubricating power, and therefore great heat may cause frictional scoring of the cylinder walls and wearing of the pistons.

On the other hand, overheating may mean that your radiator is leaking water, that you have forgotten to fill it, or that it is clogged with sediment from dirty water. It may mean that you have been driving for a long distance in first or second speed, or that the fan belt is not at proper tension to give an adequate cooling draft. If overheating occurs on the road, do not keep on driving, but stop and investigate. Filling up the cooling system with cold water after the engine has cooled somewhat will afford temporary relief. Try to find the cause of the overheating—whether it is entirely due to the cooling system, or whether it has some other mechanical basis.

**If You Must Go On.**  
When it is absolutely necessary to continue the journey, overheat the engine with oil. This will cause it to give off volumes of smoke through the exhaust, but the additional oil will protect the cylinders and pistons. In case you cannot get either water or oil, and cannot find the cause of the overheating, telephone the nearest garage and wait for help to arrive. As a general precaution, always keep the radiator of your car full of water, and make sure that it is watertight.

**Dangerous Practice to Stop for Ride Beggars**

Kind-hearted motorists are warned against being too liberal in giving people rides, in a bulletin issued by the National Safety council, which says:

It often is dangerous to stop for pedestrians who want a ride. Sometimes these beggars are hold-up men.

It is bad taste to pick up girls. In some cities the police arrest autoists who get companions this way.

School children who stand in the roadway, begging rides to and from school, may be hit by machines or stumble or slip and fall beneath the wheels of the car which has stopped for them.

**Oil Will Make Steering Easier for Car Drivers**

Steering has been made marvelously easy, but the driving feature still requires most of a car owner's energy—that is, he is continually busy at this particular job. An interesting thought in connection with this fact is that the point most frequently ignored in the lubrication of a car is the top of the steering wheel. Oil here means a great deal of energy conservation when trying to put the car into a narrow parking space. It also serves to eliminate one of the most annoying groans or whistles in the machine.

**ELKLAND-ELMWOOD TOWN LINE.**

Jessie Lounsbury had the misfortune to break her arm above the elbow and sprain her wrist and elbow, while playing at school Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Anthes spent Monday in Deford.

Bingham school closed a successful term Friday. Mrs. Muntz is hired for another term.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Evans and son, Richard, and Ira Evans of Detroit spent Saturday and Sunday at the J. F. Evans home.

Miss Winifred Woolman and Myrtle Waltres spent Sunday in Deford.

Mr. and Mrs. Chris Schwaderer of Cass City were callers at the A. Anthes home Tuesday.

Geo. Walls was a caller in this vicinity on his way to the Earl Hurd farm to install a milking machine.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Daus of Imlay City spent the week-end with relative and friends in this vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Collins and sons, Glenn and Clayton, of Flint, Mr. and Mrs. C. Hiser and family of Saginaw, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Flint, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Peddie and children were the Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. Lounsbury.

The friend and neighbors surprised Colin Bingham last Thursday evening, it being his 49th birthday. He was presented with a shaving set. The evening was spent with games, music and cards after which a luncheon was served which included a birthday cake with candles.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Morse are rejoicing over the arrival of a young daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Simmons and family and Misses Emma and Gladys Lenzner and F. Lenzner of Cass City enjoyed a shore drive last Sunday to Minden City and Harbor Beach.

**GREENLEAF.**

Mrs. H. D. Livingston was numbered with the ill last week.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Crandall of Pontiac were visitors at the W. O. Crandall home several days this week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Frederick were called to Minden by the serious illness of a relative Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Girmus spent Saturday and Sunday at the latter's parental home.

Mr. and Mrs. Hunter of Fairgrove were visitors in town last week.

Mrs. J. Britton and daughter, Florence, were guests of friends Friday.

Stanley Jackson was a caller in Cass City the last of the week. His daughter, Violet, came home with him to spend the week-end.

J. Britton has an attack of rheumatism.

Mrs. E. Mills is recovering from a severe cold.

**KINGSTON-NOVESTA TOWN LINE.**

The heavy rain of Sunday and Monday night will delay the farmers with their work for several days.

Miss Vera Flint will close her school here on Friday, May 20.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Kilgore and nephew, Donald Wolven, of Deford were Sunday guests at the Grover Pratt home.

Mr. and Mrs. Amos Webster of Deford were Sunday afternoon callers of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Osburn.

Miss Edith Wood of Kingston township has been engaged to teach the Town Line school next year.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Martin attended the Sunday school convention at Fairgrove Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Stephens of Birmingham visited from Thursday until Monday at the homes of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Funk and Mr. and Mrs. Clark Couriss.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Retherford and son, Arleon, spent Saturday afternoon and Sunday with their daughter and sister, Mrs. Mark Smith, and family in Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Retherford entertained their children Sunday, Miss Norma Retherford of Saginaw, Mr. and Mrs. Alva Stewart of Midland and Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Wagner of Detroit.

Mrs. G. A. Martin went to Detroit to visit her daughters Thursday evening of last week. Mr. Martin went on Saturday afternoon and they returned home Monday evening. On Sunday, they called on Mrs. Isaac Agar in Ann Arbor and Monday took dinner with Mrs. Martin's brother, Chas. Campbell and family at Pontiac.

At the W. C. T. U. meeting held at the home of Mrs. J. D. Funk Thursday afternoon, May 5, the following delegates were elected to attend the county convention at Vassar June 1 and 2. Mrs. Lloyd Osburn, Mrs. Howard Malcolm, Mrs. Chas. Kilgore, Mrs. Jesse Kelley, Mrs. C. J. Malcolm and Mrs. Howard Retherford.

**Ancstral Pride**

There is no better heritage than a good name that a father can bequeath to his children; nor is there in a family any richer heirloom than the memory of a noble ancestor.—James Hamilton.

**Church Calendar.**

**Evangelical Church**—Bible study, 10:00 a. m. Sermon, 11:00. Senior and Junior league, 6:45 p. m. Song service and preaching, 7:30. C. F. SMITH, Minister.

**Wickware M. E. Church, Pastor, W. Firth.**—Church worship, 10:30 a. m. Sunday school, 11:30 a. m. Please note alteration of time. We welcome you to worship with us.

Epworth League will meet tonight (Friday) in the church, 8:00 p. m. Leader: Avis Durkee. Topic: "Jesus and His Purpose." All young people are welcome. The following were elected to office at our business meeting Friday evening. President, Miss Gladys Nicol; vice presidents, Louretta Brown, Doris Durkee, Charles Nicol and James McTavish; secretary, Miss Margaret Pelton; treasurer, Miss Avis Durkee. Young people, let's get together; there's a great work to be done.

Church night meeting Wednesday evening in the Argyle church. Everybody welcome.

**Free Methodist**—Quarterly meeting services May 13 to 15 at the Free Methodist church, Hay Creek. Rev. F. D. Voller, district elder, in charge. Services as follows: evangelistic services Friday at 8 p. m., Saturday at 2 p. m. and 8 p. m., Sunday evening at 7:30. Love feast at 10:00 a. m., Sunday, followed by the sermon and communion service.

The annual circuit meeting and the official board meeting will be held following the Saturday afternoon service. All members are requested to attend these business meetings as there will be an election of a lay delegate and reserve lay delegate to the annual conference. Come over and worship the Lord with us.

The Sunday school at Crawford schoolhouse will be held at 3 p. m. Sunday, May 15, on account of the quarterly meeting. Also for the same reason the Wilmot Sunday school will be held at 6:30 p. m. This will be followed by song and praise service at 7:30. Preaching by Rev. J. F. Hunter at 8 p. m.

**REV. C. R. ANGUS, Pastor.**

**Erskine United Presbyterian**—F. T. Kyle, pastor. The usual services next Sabbath at 10:30. The S. S. follows sermon. There is a class for you. The pastor's sermon theme will be, "What becomes of the sinner's sins?"

The group prayer meetings are very enjoyable and well attended. This week we meet Thursday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Donald McTaggart. All are welcome.

**Baptist**—10:30, morning worship; Subject, "Peace, though the Clouds Are Threatening."

11:30, Bible school. 7:30, evening service. Subject, "Has Man any Pre-eminence above the Beast?"

We invite you to these services. A. G. NEWBERRY, Pastor.

**Presbyterian Church**—Paul Johnson Allured, Minister. Sunday, May 15:

Morning worship 10:30, "Michigan's Rally for Prohibition" Echoes from the Detroit State Dry Convention.

Church school at noon. "Peter at Pentecost." Acts 2.

Junior Endeavor, 3 p. m. "What Are the Values of Prayer?" Leader, Lucile Knight.

Evening service, 7:30, "Good Will Sunday." Sermon on the Good Samaritan.

**Methodist Episcopal Church**—Ira W. Cargo, pastor. Services for Sunday, May 15 are class meeting at 10:00; morning worship, 10:30; Sunday school 11:45; Epworth League, 6:30; evening service 7:30. Everyone is cordially invited to these services of the church.

**Cass City Schools**

Having learned how to construct the different types of arches commonly used in architecture, the geometry students are applying this knowledge in the construction of designs for church windows. Some really beautiful results have been obtained.

The Home Economics department presented a chapel program last week. A band with cooking utensil-instruments; a short play, "A Lesson in Diabetics," and readings made up an interesting and well presented program.

The sophomore English classes are working on a newspaper. The staff is made up of the students who plan to publish the first number of the paper next week. Short original stories are another division of the work which these classes are doing.

The first year Latin classes are working on Latin derivatives notebooks. Into them are compiled lists of words, with their Latin roots and meaning. This study increases the student's understanding of words and his vocabulary.

Agriculture—Owen Lovely has his fine Ayrshire heifer home now and is working hard to get it in shape for the fall show.

Harry Clark's Shorthorn steer is feeding in splendid shape. The Shorthorn class at Detroit is a stiff one, but you never can tell what Harry has up his sleeve. The harder the job, the better he likes it.

Applications for pigs have been coming in fast. It is not too late to get yours in.

**Kindergarten**—We went to the woods Friday afternoon and picked great bouquets of wild flowers for our room and our homes. We think that our room looks very nice with all the fresh blossoms in it.

**First Grade**—We are studying the spring flowers, learning their characteristics, the different kinds, and all about them. The boys of the room picked bouquets of them so we may look at the flowers themselves as we talk about them. In our art class, we are making Japanese lanterns.

**Second Grade**—The boys in our room with the boys in the first grade room, enjoyed a trip to the woods last week. We gathered flowers and then built a bonfire and roasted "weenies." The girls are planning to go this week. For language we are learning this week "Wonderful World."

**Third Grade**—At our number down last week, Betty's side won two more stars. We have two very fine baseball captains in our room. They are choosing teams and arranging a schedule. Charles Walmsley and Norris Stafford are the captains. Millie's reading class has finished work in the Bolonius texts and are reading from supplementary books. Thomas' class has completed the Progressive Road to Reading books.

**Fourth Grade**—In language we are writing letters. Carlos Vader was the winner in our last spell down. In geography, we are learning where wheat grows, and also how it grows.

**Sixth Grade**—We are learning how to write clear, easily understood directions for playing games. Minnie Parrish has returned to school after a week's absence.

**EVERGREEN.**

Mrs. Wm. Mitchell, Mrs. Otto Mishnack, of Evergreen, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Schmidt and daughter, Evelyn, of Cass City, Mrs. Mollie Yahraus and Mrs. Loretta G. Stelter of Cleveland, Ohio, and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Chambers of Clifford were guests at the home of Mrs. Israel Hall Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Greenleaf and Harold and Iva Biddle of Novesta spent Monday at the home of Mrs. Israel Hall.

John Kitchin's house caught fire last Sunday morning, while they were at church. Miss Ethel Moshier, who was at home, noticed it and notified the neighbors. A crowd soon gathered and were able to save the furniture from the first story and also saved the kitchen.

Mrs. R. Craig is much improved in health.

Mrs. Albert Kitchin spent part of Wednesday and Thursday with her daughter, Mrs. Lewis Surbrook, near Sandusky.

Mrs. Geo. Bullock and daughters, Marion and Mildred, are spending the week with her daughter, Mrs. Clark Montague.

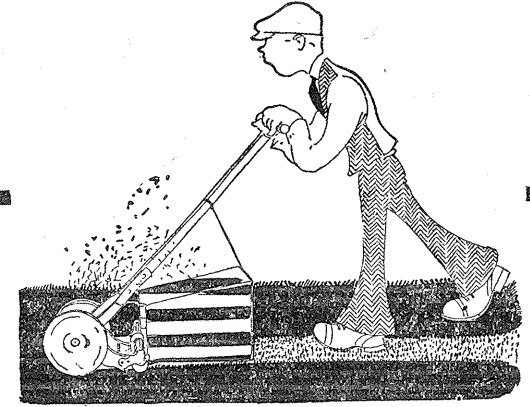
Rev. Lewis Surbrook of Sandusky

is working for Jason Kitchin this week.

Mrs. Loren Churchill and Mrs. Glenn Churchill and two daughters visited at Sam Mitchell's one day last week.

**A Cynic Speaks**

Director of personnel of a large industrial corporation finds that married men are less liable to injury while at work than divorced chaps or bachelors. This is an upset of theories, indeed. Our impression was that the fact the average man didn't care much what happened to him conduced to make him careless.—Philadelphia Inquirer.



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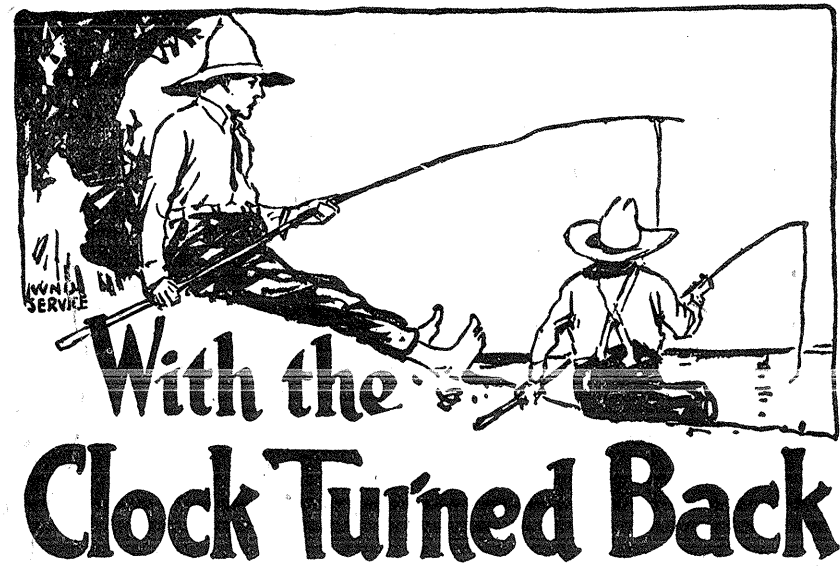
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# With the Clock Turned Back

By Courtney Ryley Cooper

## CHAPTER III

### In the Jutting Ledges

Indian creek strolls along through bluff and prairie—mostly the former. And cleft in the highest of these, one hundred feet by a sloping footpath above where the reflection of the shimmering moon told of the water, there sat that night two figures.

Their faces were lighted from the glow of the fire which blazed cheerily on the ledge they had made their resting place. The great rocks behind them were dark shadowed and formed a background of almost overpowering weirdness. Beyond gaped the darkness of a small cave, or, rather, a sheltering hollow in the jutting ledges of rocks. The heads of both figures were bare. One was much so, because it wore a crown of baldness. Both shirts were open at the neck. Both pairs of feet were short of covering—but in them was a great difference. Those of the boy were brown and calloused, while those of the bald one were gingerly extended, toes rampant, spotted with marks of purple and blue.

Neither the man nor the boy had spoken for a few minutes. The younger person was busy attaching the white meat of two frog saddles to two forked sticks preparatory to roasting them. The older man's mind was busy in thought.

"Freck," he began in a complaining sort of voice, "my feet hurt."

"Stone bruised, mebbe," came from the boy. "That's always the way, though, when you first take off your shoes. They'll toughen up after a while. I know Jennie says when I first take off my shoes in the spring I look like a bow-legged goose on a hot griddle."

Mr. Brent, undergoing the first painful stages of his metamorphosis, stared glumly ahead. "Who's Jennie?" he asked.

"Why, Jennie's my sister," Freck returned. "She's older than I am—she's twenty-one. She works in the city, but she comes out every couple of weeks to see ma and me. I guess if ma hadn't looked at Jennie and seen what the city had done for her I wouldn't have been here now."

The bruises on Mr. Brent's feet absorbed his attention too much for him to delve into Freck's conversation to any depth. He merely grunted while the boy went on.

"You see, ma knows that Jennie knows what's what and she's just been thinking lately that maybe the place ain't nice enough for Jennie to come to visit us in. So she wanted to get a new rug for the parlor, but, huh! we haven't got any money. So when I got a chance to take this job, I took it. Five dollars a week would help out lots."

Mr. Brent had looked up quickly. "I didn't say anything about five dollars a week," he broke in. "I said four-forty. By George! if I'd go to the end of the earth, there would be somebody nagging me for money."

"Beg your pardon, sir, but I wasn't nagging," Freck interrupted. "You said you would give me four-fifty now and five if I gave satisfaction."

"Well, you haven't given satisfaction yet," Mr. Brent said, adding, however, with a little twinge of conscience, "you are a pretty good boy, though. What are you going to do with those frog legs?"

"I'm going to cook 'em. See, here's yours and here's mine." Freck handed Mr. Brent his forked stick with the frog leg dangling on the end. "We'll brush the fire away a little so we can get down to the embers and hold 'em over and let 'em roast."

Mr. Brent, doubled up on the ledge, felt himself taking rather an elephantine interest in the doings of his young companion.

"Then what?" he asked.

"There won't be any 'then what' after that," said Freck. "We'll just eat 'em." A moment later he added: "It's going to rain."

Mr. Brent looked at the young prophet with a queer expression in his face.

"How do you know it is going to rain?" he asked, casting a glance upward. "I can't tell whether there are any clouds or not."

Freck moved his frog leg closer to the ember. "Can't you hear that rain crow?" he asked.

Mr. Brent listened. "I thought that was some one chopping wood."

"No; it's a rain crow," said Freck. "You'll get so you'll know all these things after a while. Screech owls, and rain crows, tree toads, and all them things. You'll like it fine after you get started."

There was a snort. Mr. Brent had almost ruined his frog leg by jamming it into the very ashes for em-



Mr. Brent Doubled Up on the Ledge, Felt Himself Taking Rather an Elephantine Interest in His Young Companion.

dollars a year, just wasting it, but they won't give people enough salary to keep 'em from starving to death. I bet he'll make 'em see what he's good for some day."

"Foundry business?" Mr. Brent asked. "What foundry?"

"I don't know—it's one of the biggest ones there."

"Edwards—Edwards," Mr. Brent repeated the name. "I guess it's just because it's a common name that it sounds familiar to me. I haven't got any competent people in my employ. Nobody in the whole shop knows enough to pound sand into a rat hole."

"Burning your frog leg," Freck broke in.

Thereupon thoughts of mergers and the foundry business were dropped for a time while Mr. Thomas Brent, capitalist invalid, gingerly began to chew upon the browned and well-cooked flesh of a frog saddle, and after the first bite was forced to admit to himself that frog legs cooked over live embers on a forked stick were rather good after all.

Continued next week.

**Old Saying Discounted**

The opinions of men who think are always growing and changing, like living children.—Hamerton. That saying about consistency being a jewel is mostly blah.—Grit.

**Convict Stripes**

The striped material used for the suits of convicts was first produced in the Seventeenth century in England.

## DEFORD

Mr. and Mrs. N. R. Kennedy and children and aunt, Mrs. Mary Leitch, of Romeo spent Sunday in Deford.

Mr. and Mrs. Seth Spencer are nicely settled in their new home on the south side of town.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Suprenant of Cass City spent Sunday at Wm. Gage's.

On Saturday last, Argyle school ball team visited the Deford school team. The score was 10 to 1 in favor of Deford.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Gage of Wilmot spent Sunday with their son, Ben.

Mrs. Lena Slickton returned to her home on Sunday and is working in the beanery this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Robertson of Detroit came on Friday to stay with the latter's father, Rev. C. Scott, for an indefinite time.

Mrs. Ella Croop had the misfortune to get her left hand in the electric wringer. It was badly bruised at the wrist.

Word has been received of the death of John McPhail at Calumet, Mich.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Koppeler of Kingston called in town on Thursday evening of last week.

Mrs. Mary Hack and daughter, Iva, left on Sunday for Lowell where they will visit their daughter and sister, Mrs. Russell Bettes.

The beanery has run the past week.

Warren Sherk of Pontiac spent Saturday night and Sunday with his father, Sam Sherk.

Mrs. Lester Day spent last week in Pontiac, visiting her children. She returned to her home on Sunday.

Russell Clark returned to his home on Tuesday of last week, after five years' absence in the northwest.

Mrs. Bertha Cooper spent Mother's Day with her daughter, Mrs. Ray Gibbs, of Caro.

Bernice Gage spent Sunday at Effie Allen's.

Ethelyn Ross is staying with her grandmother, Mrs. Wm. Bentley, for a time.

Mr. Derfee returned to his home on Thursday from North Dakota.

Mr. and Mrs. Billie Daily of Pontiac called at the Geo. Spencer home on Saturday, enroute to the former's parental home, east of Cass City.

Lyle Spencer and family of Cass City spent Sunday at Geo. Spencer's.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvah Stewart of Midland spent Saturday night and Sunday visiting the homes of Lewis Retherford and T. L. Stewart.

Mrs. Chas. Kilgore, Mrs. H. D. Malcolm, and Mrs. A. L. Bruce attended the funeral of Mr. Johnson of Detroit. It was held at East Dayton.

He was the father of Mrs. Bert Myers of Saginaw, and an old resident of Deford.

Mrs. C. L. McCain spent Sunday evening with her daughter, Mrs. Chas. Silverthorn.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Sherwood and family and Mr. and Mrs. Clare Smith, all of Pontiac, stayed here Sunday night and Monday, visiting the ladies' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Silverthorn.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Gee spent Monday afternoon with her sister, Mrs. R. D. Lewis.

Mr. and Mrs. N. R. Kennedy and family of Romeo spent Thursday in Deford.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Webster left on Tuesday for their new home near Emmet, where he has work for the summer months.

Mr. and Mrs. John Clark entertained on Sunday their children, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Huffman of Inlay City, Mr. and Mrs. Max Agar of Cass City, and Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Dowling of Inlay City were also guests at the Clark home.

Lawson Stinger drives a Dodge sedan.

Mrs. L. Vanderkooij is boarding the men from the railroad and Billie McCrackon in the absence of Mrs. Mary Hack.

Mrs. Ella Croop is under the care of a physician. She makes daily trips to a hospital at Cass City for treatments.

Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Silverthorn were called to Oxford Sunday by the serious illness of their mother, Mrs. Nutt.

## NOVESTA.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Henderson went to Lapeer Saturday on business and visited relatives in Pontiac Saturday evening and Sunday.

Miss Hazel Sweet returned to her home Sunday after spending two weeks in Pontiac with her sister, Mrs. Mathan Yon.

Glenn Crawford and Milford King of Pontiac spent Saturday night and Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Crawford.

### This One Is Noisy

Douglas pine squirrel is darker and browner than its relatives, for it inhabits the moist, coniferous forests west of the Cascades in the Pacific Northwest, says Nature Magazine. It is a noisy little animal, scolding or singing as the mood of the moment dictates. Any edible thing will do for a red squirrel's meal. Average length is 14 inches.

## SCHOOL DAYS



THE STUBBED TOE

### CEDAR RUN.

Ernest Deming of Detroit spent Sunday at his home here.

Mrs. McGrath of Cass City spent the first of the week with her daughter, Mrs. W. Spaven.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvah Campau of Pontiac visited the first of the week at the E. S. Hendrick home.

Mr. and Mrs. Omar Bullock of Pontiac visited Sunday at the E. S. Hendrick home here.

Mrs. G. T. Leishman and her mother, Mrs. McCready, spent last Thursday in Fairgrove.

Henry Deming and son, Howard, spent Sunday at Bay Port.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Beardsley and children and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Ware visited relatives in Lapeer Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Leach and daughter, Mrs. Roy Byer, and baby and Mrs. Leo Byer, all of Saginaw, visited at the Spaven home here on Monday.

O. A. Hendrick and son are putting a new roof on their barn this week to replace the one which the wind blew off about two weeks ago.

Mrs. Beutler and son, Alfred, spent Sunday at Saginaw. The former's little granddaughter, Leatrice Schmeck, returned with them.

### Fire Thermometers

When their thermometers fail to register men in the Far North can determine the approximate temperature by building a wood fire. At 40 degrees below zero the wood fire appears to give off steam instead of smoke.

### DOC WISE



IT ALWAYS TAKES A SCOTCH MAN TO GIVE UP GOLF AFTER LOSING HIS BALL!

### Government Hard Task

"Every man," said Hi Ho, the sage of Chinatown, "believes he knows how a government should be conducted; no man has ever conducted one with complete satisfaction to himself or his public."—Washington Star.

### The Inquiring Reporter

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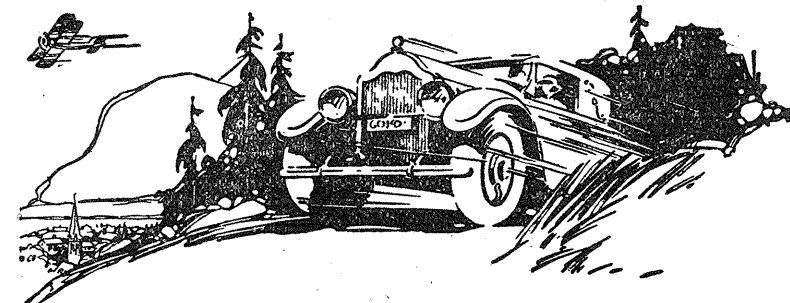
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- 2—The Mississinewa River running through Marion, Indiana, one of the three rivers in the world whose course runs north. State Highways 11 and 35.
- 3—Excelsior Springs, noted health resort situated among the hills northeast of Kansas City, Missouri. Famous for its many kinds of mineral water. More than twenty springs. Highway 10.
- 4—East Tawas, Michigan, located on Tawas Bay. Gateway to Michigan National Forest, containing 163,000 acres of natural beauty. Unrivaled recreational resources for the summer tourist. State Trunk Line M-10.
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- 8—"Backbone State Park," Manchester, Iowa. Some of the best natural scenery in America. Local wonders—"Golden Stairs," the "Pulpit Rock" and other curiosities. Government Fisheries on A. Y. P. Trail 5. State Highway 13 north of Manchester.
- 9—"Indian Head" sentinel on the Mississippi. Natural stone face, forty-four feet from chin to forehead. Near Fountain City, Wisconsin. State Highway 35.
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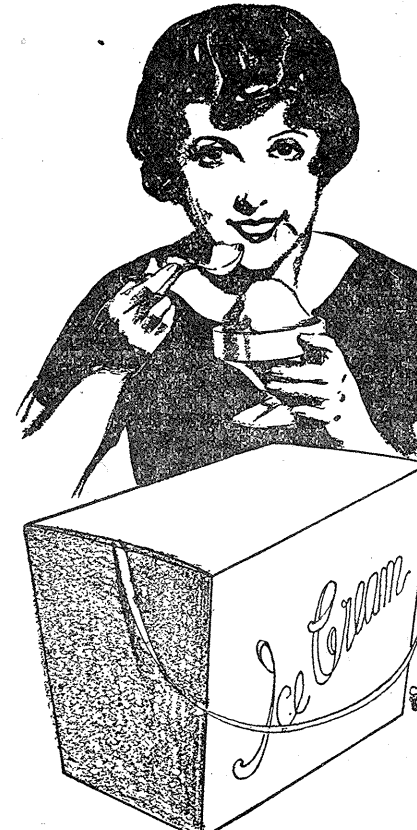
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**COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.**

Proceedings of Mar. 21, 1927.  
 Regular meeting called to order by Pres. West. Trustees Bailey, Auten, Tindale and Patterson present.  
 Minutes of March 7, 1927, read and approved.  
 The following bills were read and referred to committee on claims and accounts:  
 Fred Fulcher, labor .....\$20.30  
 Geo. Ackerman, labor ..... 34.40  
 Jas. Greenleaf, labor ..... 20.20  
 Bay Crane, labor ..... 30.87  
 Election Board, 3/14..... 23.00  
 L. A. DeWitt, registration..... 4.00  
 C. C. Telephone, rentals..... 16.50  
 Farm Produce Co., coal..... 4.85  
 Standard Oil, stat. 3/12..... 11.85  
 C. C. Oil and Gas, stat. 3/21..... 3.49  
 Total ..... 169.56  
 Moved by Tindale, seconded by Bailey, bills be allowed and orders drawn on treasurer. Carried.  
 Moved by Auten, seconded by Bailey, the request of Harold Murphy for water service on North Oak St. be granted. Carried.  
 Moved by Auten, seconded by Tindale meeting adjourn. Carried.  
 LURA A. DEWITT, Clerk.

Proceedings of April 4, 1927.  
 Regular meeting called to order by President West. Trustees present, Auten, Folkert, Mann and Bailey.  
 Minutes of Mar. 21st meeting read and approved.  
 The following bills were presented:  
 Michigan Electric Power.....\$201.44  
 R. Gallagher, 86 1/4 yds. gravel 9.06  
 Bay Crane, 59 hr. team labor. 38.35  
 Cass City Oil and Gas, 13 gal. gas ..... 2.73  
 Jas. Greenleaf, 71 hrs. labor.... 24.85  
 M. Burt, 48 hr. labor ..... 16.80  
 G. Ackerman, 119 hr. labor..... 47.60  
 N. Bigelow & Sons, water extension ..... 3.30  
 Cass City Grain Co., lawn seed .75  
 C. U. Brown, salary and P. O. box rent ..... 105.60  
 Fred Fulcher, 69 hr. labor ..... 31.15  
 E. A. Corpron, water and street extension ..... 28.24  
 Total ..... 509.87

Moved by Auten, seconded by Bailey, that bills be allowed and orders drawn on the treasurer. Carried.  
 The following committees were appointed by President West:  
 Finance—Patterson, Taylor and Mann.  
 Budget—Auten, Mann and Folkert.  
 Street and Sidewalk—Bailey, Patterson and Folkert.  
 Light and Water—Taylor, Auten and Bailey.  
 President pro tem—Auten.  
 Health officer—Dr. I. D. McCoy.  
 Street Commissioner—C. U. Brown.  
 Moved by Auten and seconded by Bailey that the committees as appointed be approved. Carried.  
 Moved by Auten and seconded by Bailey that report on unpaid paving tax by the retiring treasurer be accepted. Carried.  
 Moved by Auten and seconded by Folkert that meeting adjourn. Carried.

Proceedings of April 18, 1927.  
 Regular meeting called to order by President West. Trustees present, Auten, Bailey, Patterson and Mann.  
 Minutes of April 4 meeting read and approved.  
 The following bills were presented:  
 G. A. Striffler, plow share..... .70  
 R. Gallagher, 86 1/4 yds. gravel 21.56  
 Bay Crane, 80 hrs. team labor 52.00  
 I. D. McCoy, health officer..... 50.00  
 J. McLellan, gas ..... 4.20  
 C. C. Oil and Gas, gas ..... 2.78  
 G. Ackerman, 115 hrs. labor .... 46.00  
 J. Greenleaf, 67 1/2 hrs. labor.... 23.63  
 R. Edgerton, March ..... 40.00  
 C. C. Chronicle, adv. .... 12.55  
 Fred Fulcher, 107 1/2 hrs. labor 37.63  
 B. J. Dailey, Feb. and Mar. rest room ..... 44.00  
 Moved by Patterson and seconded by Auten that bills be allowed and orders drawn on treasurer for several amounts. Carried.  
 President West appointed R. Edgerton to act as night watch for the ensuing year.  
 Moved by Auten and seconded by Bailey that appointment be approved. Carried.  
 Moved by Mann and seconded by Bailey that bleachers at the Fairground be repaired and painted. Carried.  
 Moved by Bailey and seconded by Patterson that meeting adjourn. Carried.

Proceedings of May 3, 1927.  
 Regular meeting called to order by President West. Trustees present, Taylor, Folkert, Mann and Auten.  
 Minutes of April 18 read and approved.  
 The following bills were presented:  
 R. Gallagher, 202 1/2 yds. gravel 28.18  
 Kenneth-Anderson Co., invoice 4/6/27 ..... 59.12  
 Same, invoice 4/18/27 ..... 11.93  
 Billings-Chapin Co., invoice 4/23/27 ..... 9.80  
 Elkland Oil and Gas, 27 gal. gas 5.18  
 Fred Fulcher, 91 1/2 hrs. labor.... 32.03  
 Bay Crane, 86 hrs. team labor 55.90  
 J. Greenleaf, 111 1/2 hrs. labor. 39.03  
 G. Ackerman, 90 hrs. labor..... 36.00  
 R. Edgerton, Apr. salary..... 40.00  
 B. J. Dailey, rest room Apr..... 17.00  
 N. Bigelow & Sons, bill 4/30/27 3.89  
 C. C. Chronicle, bill 5/2/27..... 13.60  
 C. U. Brown, salary and frt. bills ..... 108.03  
 Mich Electric P. Co., light and power ..... 201.46  
 Moved by Mann and seconded by Auten that the bills be allowed and

orders drawn on the treasurer for the several amounts. Carried.  
 Moved by Auten and seconded by Taylor that the village enter into a contract with H. J. McKay to paint stand-pipe as specified for the sum of \$235, at his own risk. Carried.  
 Moved by Taylor and seconded by Mann that May 17 and 18 be observed as "clean up" days. Carried.  
 Moved by Auten and seconded by Mann that the president appoint a committee of three and appropriate \$50 toward defraying expenses of Decoration Day observance. Carried.  
 President West appointed F. Bigelow, Mrs. Knapp and H. F. Lenzner to act on the Decoration Day committee.  
 Moved by Auten and seconded by Mann that the matter of settling dust be referred to the Street and Sidewalk committee and that they take a census of the public opinion and that they be given power to act. Carried.  
 Moved by Auten and seconded by Taylor that we adjourn. Carried.

**Property Protection First**  
 The death penalty was used against thieves long before it was applied against killers, says a criminologist.

**ELLINGTON AND NGVESTA.**  
 Wm. Parrott has started to dig the basement for his new house.  
 The seventh and eighth grades of the Brown school are writing this week.  
 The electric storm did quite a bit of damage around here, Sunday night.  
 Miss Myrtle Brown of Pontiac was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Brown Sunday.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Townsend of Flint spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Frank McCaslin.  
 Mrs. Chas. McConnell, Mrs. C. R. Kolb and little son, Bobbie, were callers in Caro Thursday.  
 Carl McConnell and Otis Sweet of Mt. Pleasant spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Chas. McConnell.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Laf Goodell and son, Willie, spent Tuesday of last week with Mr. and Mrs. Punes Rice of Caro.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Walter Kelley and children were guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Bruce of Deford for Sunday dinner.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Little and

baby Grant, were guests at dinner Sunday of Mrs. Little's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Milner of Almer.  
 Mrs. C. R. Kolb, Miss Abina Garety of Cass City, and girl friend of Clare, Otis Sweet of Carsonville and Carl McConnell motored to Mt. Pleasant Monday. Mrs. Kolb returned the same day and the others remained to attend normal.  
 Mrs. C. R. Kolb and little son, Bobby, left Wednesday to spend a couple of weeks with relatives in Detroit.

**GREENLEAF.**

The following guests were entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Seeger Sunday: Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Hartwick and family of Pinconning, Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Day, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Klinkman and baby, Dorothy, Ella McCaslin and Wm. Meek.  
 Miss Ila Phillips of Peck is the new teacher at the McConnell school.  
**High Form of Love**  
 The love of nature is something that may be developed in every breast, and it is a love that rarely fails to purify and exalt.—E. P. Roe.

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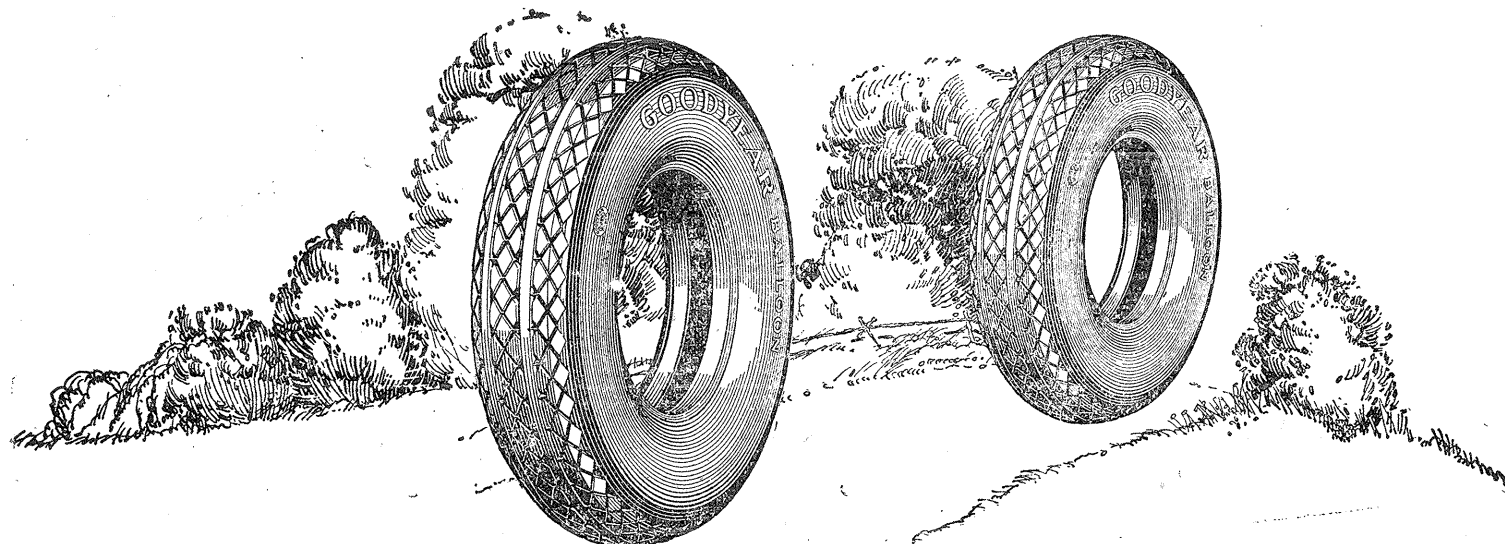
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FOR SALE—Guernsey-Jersey cow 5 years old due to freshen soon; also black mare in foal. Harry Wagner, Cass City. 5-13-2

THE MILL will be open Saturday evenings during the balance of May, June and July. No feed grinding evenings. Elkland Roller Mills. 5-13-2

FOR SALE—One good second-hand sewing machine at a bargain. About 1000 ft. of elm plank, seasoned, at a bargain. C. D. Striffler. 5-13-1

YOUNG PIGS for sale. Wm. Merchant, 2 miles north, 1/2 mile west of Cass City. 5-13-1

THOROBRED Durham heifer for sale—I would also like to buy two young calves. Enquire of Matthew Parker, Cass City, phone 139—1L, 1S, 1L. 5-13-1

FOR SALE—14 brood sows and litters; also 50 good feeders. Francis McDonald, 1 mile west, 3 north of Cass City. 5-6-2

FOR SALE—Quantity fresh fertilizer, span of grey Percheron horses and three fresh cows. Enquire G. M. Davis. Phone 154—2L, 2S. 4-22-tf

WANTED—Ambitious, industrious person to introduce and supply the demand for Raleigh Household Products in N. Sanilac County. Make sales of \$150 to \$600 a month or more. Raleigh Methods "get business everywhere." No selling experience required. We supply Products, Sales and Advertising Literature and Service Methods—everything you need. Profits increase every month. Lowest prices; best values; most complete service. W. T. Raleigh Co., Dept. MC8622, Freeport, Ill. 5-6-4p

ELLIOTT Motor Bus Line schedule effective April 20—Bus will leave Cass City for Bad Axe at 12:00 m., Eastern Standard time. Returning bus leaves Bad Axe at 3:00 p. m. and Cass City at 4:00 p. m. for Imlay City. Connections made at Imlay City for Detroit, Flint and Pt. Huron. Commencing April 20, another bus line will be started between Cass City and Imlay City. Bus will leave Cass City at 7:15 a. m. Returning bus leaves Imlay City for the north at 4:00 p. m. 4-8-tf

BABY CHICKS—175,000 for 1927. Our chicks have a reputation for quality which has taken twelve years to build. May prices per hundred, Rox and Reds \$14.00, Tancred and Hollywood White Leghorns \$13.00, English White Leghorns \$12.00. Reductions of 1 cent per chick on 500, 2 cents each on 1000 or more. Custom hatching a specialty. Hatching days Sunday, Monday and Thursday. Catalog on request. "Largest Hatchery in the Thumb." Beechwood Hatchery, Mayville, Michigan. Phone 9. 4-22-tf

WANTED AT ONCE—Boy to drive car for about four weeks. No hard work. Elkland Roller Mills. 5-13-1

COME in and see our New Process Flexible Linoleum, 12 and 6 ft. wide. Linoleum varnish and wax. G. L. Hitchcock. 5-13-2

"ONCE IN A BLUE MOON," an opera, will be presented by the high school music department on Wednesday, May 18. Keep the date open. 5-6-2

VANITY FAIR FLOUR—Every sack guaranteed. One low price to all. Cass City Grain Co. 1-7-tf

SEED BEANS for sale. Choice white pea beans, screened and machine picked, test 90% germination, \$4.50 per hundred. William Smith, Colling. Moore phone 925-R24. 4-22-5p

ALL KINDS of farm and poultry fence for sale; also roofing and roof paint. G. L. Hitchcock. 5-13-2

MONEY TO LOAN—On good improved farms in Tuscola County. Rate 4 1/2%. Long or short time. Kingston Farm Loan Association. E. J. Stewart, Sec.-Treas., Deford. 10-2-tf

PASTURE to rent for cattle at \$4.50 per head per season. Salt furnished. Enquire of Chas. H. Travis, or C. M. Wallace, cashier Cass City State Bank. 4-22-4p

BABY CHICKS—We have arranged to handle chicks hatched by one of the largest State Accredited Hatcheries in the state, which also produces Certified White Leghorns. Arrangements have been made whereby chicks will be delivered direct from the incubators to Cass City, and my customers will not suffer the consequences of long overnight shipments. Our prices are low for this High Quality Stock, and we should have your order now to assure you of delivery. We believe this service will prove entirely satisfactory. Elkland Roller Mills. 3-25-tf

THE CATHOLIC Ladies' Aid will have a bake sale first door west of Cathcart store, on Saturday, May 14, at 1:30. 5-13-1

BUILDING Wreckers Attention—Sealed bids for two two-story solid brick school buildings at Cass City will be received on or before noon June 1. Buildings measure 52x32 and 93x67 ft. Right reserved to reject any or all bids. For further particulars write A. A. Ricker, Cass City, Mich. 5-13-1

FOR SALE—Seed corn and feed corn. J. S. Parrott. 5-13-1

THE BETHEL Queen Esthers will have a shadow social at the Claud Root home on Wednesday evening, May 18. Ladies bring pies. 5-13-1

NOTICE—A bee will be held (all day) Friday, May 20, at the Sunshine cemetery, 6 miles west of Cass City, to improve the grounds. All persons interested in this cemetery, should plan to be present. J. R. O'dell, sexton. 5-13-2p

25 O. I. C. PIGS 6 weeks old; also 3 sows with litters. Arthur Little, R. R. 4. 5-13-1p

REFRIGERATORS—Two practically new refrigerators for sale. B. L. Middleton Hotel Gordon, Cass City. 5-13-2p

FOR SALE—Boy's bicycle in good condition. Call 93—2L, 2S. 5-13-1p

CHOICE Red Kidney seed beans, hand picked, for sale at 7c pound. John Slack, Deford. 5-13-3

FOUR little pigs for sale. Anna Haidysz, 6 miles west, 1 mile north and 1/2 mile west of Cass City. 5-13-1p

TAILORING, repairing, pressing and cleaning. See Geo. Botonski, west of Parrott Creamery, Main St., Cass City. 5-6-2p

FOR SALE—3000 burlap sugar sacks. These will hold about 2 bus. of beans and are a very practical sack to use around the farm. You will need them next fall. Buy now while they last. 7c in lots of 1 to 25 or 6c in lots over 25. Nestle's Food Company. 4-29-tf

FOR SALE—A 40-acre farm, 1 1/2 mi. from town. The best of land, almost new bank barn, house fair; at a bargain. E. W. Keating. 5-6-2p

WANTED—Ten new milch cows or due to freshen soon; also 50 bus. of seed potatoes wanted. John A. Seeger, R. R. 1, Cass City. 5-6-2

HAVE your suits dry-cleaned and pressed at Robinson's Laundry. 3-11-tf

FOR SALE—Ten Hereford calves 10 to 15 days old. John A. Seeger, R. R. 1, Cass City. 5-6-2

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ENGRAVED CARDS—Leave your order for engraved visiting cards and engraved announcements with the Chronicle, Cass City.

EARLY Seed potatoes for sale. Glen Tuckey, Cass City. 5-13-1

FOR SALE—100 bus. of seed buckwheat. John A. Seeger, R. R. 1, Cass City. 5-6-2

80 ACRES of pasture land to rent for horses and cattle. Price for cattle \$4.50 per season or \$1.00 per mo.; horses \$6.00 season or \$1.50 per month. Spring water, 5 miles east and 1/2 mile north of Cass City. Geo. Trimble. 4-15-tf

LOST on Wednesday afternoon a bar pin with stone settings and bearing the word Colorado. Finder return to this office. 5-13-1p

FOR SALE—Seed beans, improved Robust, 99% germination, \$4.50 per cwt., screened. Wm. Profit, 2 miles south of Fairgrove. 5-13-2p

CARD OF THANKS—Mr. and Mrs. John Kitchin and family wish to express their appreciation to the many kind friends who put forth such heroic efforts to save their house and furnishings at their fire Sunday, and to the neighbors for their kindness in entertaining them since.

I WISH to thank Dr. Morris and nurses for their care and kindness during my stay at the Morris hospital; also friends and neighbors, and the Sunshine class of the Evangelical church and the Nazarene people for flowers, fruit, candy, ice cream and money; also Mr. and Mrs. Angus McPhail for their kindness. Mary White.

CARD OF THANKS—We are very grateful to friends and neighbors for their many acts of kindness and assistance at the time of our bereavement in the loss of our little baby. Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Karr and Wanda Joyce.

A TRAMP WITH A BANK ACCOUNT

By GEORGE E. COBB

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THE "magnet city" had attracted Joel Benson with its bright lights and glowing fascinations, only to cast him away when his little store of money was gone. He was too proud to let his friends back in the little country village he had left—and for which he now longed and mourned—know of his condition. Practically he had become a tramp.

Poor clothes shut him out from decent employment. Poor food began to show its effects. Just off a quiet street, where a paved alley held a broad-topped ash bin, wearied and disconsolate, he had stretched out to try and forget hunger in sleep. Once he awoke. It was at the echo of a cry for help. In his sudden slumber, however, he treated it as part of his dream, and never opened his eyes. Early daylight aroused him. No one was astray but himself, it seemed. He yawned, rubbed his eyes and mechanically glanced about him.

"Hello!" he ejaculated, and went over to where a man's hat lay. Then he noticed that it was stove in, and near it was a piece of lead pipe. He shivered and turned to hurry away. The implication was irresistible: footpads, the victim slugged, to wander away later on, hatless and dazed.

"If the police happened on me they would link me up with the business," meditated Joel, and started briskly to make clear of his suspicious environment.

"Hello!" he uttered a second time, and now his eyes snapped eagerly and hope succeeded fear.

For a few feet away from the hat lay a flat, bulky case. It was half pocketbook, half a tiny sample receptacle. It lay in a heap of rubbish. He picked it up.

"Oh!" The aspiration was marveling, yet ecstatic. As he opened one side of the case there flashed up at him a dozen rare gems, radiant diamonds, opaline pearls in rich, heavy gold settings. Breathlessly Joel opened the opposite section, to draw out a folded banknote—

One thousand dollars! His fingers tingled. Like Cinderella touched by the fairy wand, he seemed suddenly to be arrayed in rich raiment, to be riding in a handsome touring car, and on his way to the most exclusive restaurant in the city, able to rival a nabob.

Then suddenly Joel thrust the tempting case out of sight into an inside pocket of his ragged coat. He was trembling all over, the cold perspiration stood in icy drops on his forehead. The intense excitement of the moment made his steps unsteady as he hurried from the spot.

"Not mine, so it's no breakfast!" he breathed, a little hysterical catch in his voice. "What shall I do?"

He was human, he was hungry, he felt that to restore this wealth to its legitimate owner deserved some reward, for, ah! how he needed it. He wandered about all that morning, thinking—thinking. To give it up to the police would be to deliver up his opulent find and receive not even a "thank you." Half a dozen times he wandered by the alley and lingered about it, wondering if the owner of the case might not show up, which he finally determined was fanciful and ridiculous.

Towards nightfall a thought came to him. About a week previous, in his night-hawk wanderings, he was attracted by a big fire. He had helped rescue an ambitious reporter who had climbed a fire escape. The young man had struck up a speaking acquaintance with Joel. Once he had invited Joel to a cafe supper with him. Joel knew where he worked. He sought him out.

"You'll do something for me, I know," he told the scribe. "Find out if the police have any record of a man knocked down and robbed of—well, say a thousand dollars, and—well, say some diamond and pearl rings and brooches, will you?"

"Hi, now!" hailed the reporter, pricking up his ears; "that has the flavor of a story."

"If it leads to that, you'll get it first, believe me," pledged Joel. For two consecutive evenings Joel visited his friend, to learn that no such event as that he described had been reported to the police.

Not for a moment had the thought of appropriating the money and jewelry come to Joel's mind. Being honest, he kept his own counsel, but went into a bank one day and deposited the one thousand dollars in his own name. He made a small package of the jewelry and tied it in a handkerchief, and secured this by a string across his chest. That week he got work and earned five dollars, and twice he guardedly advertised his find—no result.

Many a time the possession of unclaimed wealth became a burden, nearly a temptation. Then Joel accepted his strange responsibility as a matter of course.

"When I get a little money ahead, I will see a lawyer, and learn the honest limit I must go to as a full duty to seek to locate the owner of the money and the jewelry," he decided. "If he cannot be found, surely I have some claim in the matter."

operation. A fall temporarily crippled one limb. He fell ill and became unfit for work. Finally he determined to return home, a veritable prodigal son. It was bitter to acknowledge defeat, however, after all his high hopes and bouts. Besides that, his relatives in the home village cared little for him. Joel made his way from the city slowly, painfully. At a town fifty miles on his route he found unexpected comfort and rest. Applying for what light work he could do at a modest little home, the patient-faced sweet-souled mistress pitied his forlorn condition. There was some work to do about the chicken house and the garden. He might try a week at it, and meantime he would be welcomed to a cot in the garret and all the well-cooked food he could eat. Joel worked with a will, so far as his condition would permit. He became acquainted with the daughter of a widow next door. They were poor, but respectable. They grew to like the bright-hearted young fellow, who entertained them with stories of a wandering career that showed a deep knowledge of human nature. From them he learned that the Davises, people for whom he worked, were under a spell of trouble. Their son, about to be married, had lost his position, was forced to find work. He was, furthermore, under suspicion, and the wedding and his social rehabilitation must wait.

"Why! What is this?" exclaimed Mr. Davis one afternoon, as moving a chair on the porch upon which hung Joel's coat, a bankbook fell out. "I declare! A great object of charity you've picked up, Nellie—a tramp with a thousand dollars in the bank!" "He's good all through, just the same," declared Mrs. Davis. "A thousand dollars? Husband, I can't understand it—he told me he had no money whatever."

"He'll explain or leave," decided Mr. Davis. And he called Joel. The latter valued his pleasant environment. He told all his story. To his astonishment Mrs. Davis uttered a shriek and fainted at the recital.

But an explanation of the mystery came speedily. It was the son of Mr. Davis who had been robbed in the city. He had gone to see his fiancée, had drawn from the bank his savings in one large banknote, and had taken from the jewelry establishment where he worked a number of pieces of jewelry from which his lady love might select a bridal gift.

Within a week young Davis was restored to his old position. Gratitude could do no less than find Joel a good position. As he prospered, love kept him staunch to the widow's pretty daughter, and the wanderer found the safe anchorage of a cozy, happy home at last.

How the Desert Moth Provides Food Supply In the desert we find that marvel of the insect world, the Pronuba moth, which emerges from the ground about a week before the Joshua tree breaks forth in blossoms and other varieties of yucca open their creamy bells to the desert air.

Snow white, brown underneath, the moth hovers around the blossoms, apparently aimlessly, says Nature Magazine. But study her. She is carrying golden pollen of the flower, industriously pushing it down the opening of the pistil.

Instinct teaches her this pollination is necessary in order that the seed ovules may develop, thus insuring a supply of food for the tiny Pronuba babies which she will never see. She bores into the seed pod and lays her eggs close to the developing food supply. A week, and the eggs have developed into the larval state. Here they are cradled for about a month before they bore their way through and drop to the ground, there to remain through fall and winter.

A week before the next flowering season of the yucca they, too, emerge to complete the cycle of their lives. Meantime, the seeds which they did not eat in their larval state have been ripening, falling and germinating.

How Flower Got Name A superstition common to lovesick young bachelors of early times is responsible for the naming of the flowers called bachelor's buttons.

These flowers were carried by the bachelors and if they faded quickly it was a sign that their love was not reciprocated, but if the flowers continued to bloom, everything would go well with their affairs.

Begonias are named for Michael Begon, a botanist, who died in 1710. Clematis is derived from the Greek word klematis, meaning twig. From the Latin word thymus, meaning sacrifice, comes the word thyme for the little plant that grows in backyard gardens.

It was burned on the Roman altars because of its sweet odor. Wistaria is so-called after an American, Caspar Wistar.—Detroit News.

How Hair Tells Secrets Any hair on your head is just as certain a mark of your identity as are your fingerprints. That criminologists make use of this scientific fact was disclosed in recent reports of the importance attached to a single red hair in the McPherson case in Los Angeles.

Scientists say that human hair, examined under a powerful microscope, has tiny overlapping scales, much like the scales of fishes. In the center of the hair is a hollow canal containing the coloring matter. In no two individuals, says Popular Science Monthly, is the hair structure exactly the same. Among the points of identification are the size of the hair, size of the central canal, size of the scale units and the nature of the hair surface.

How Church Holds Members A church in Calgary, Canada, has solved the problem of holding its members. As the town grew, the congregation dwindled when the members moved gradually to another quarter. It was recently decided that the church should follow its congregation, so the wooden structure was lifted from its old foundation and carted off to a location so central that no member will henceforth be able to plead inaccessibility as an excuse for non attendance.

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FIRST MONTH WAS GIVEN THE NAME OF JANUARY.—How familiar to everyone are the names of the months, yet few persons stop to think of the wealth of meaning they possess. The name of each month has a story of its own which dates back to the days of ancient mythology, when the deities so closely associated with these names were very real in the life of the people.

The first month was called Januarius by the Romans, after Janus, the god of doors and gates (Janua, the Latin for gate or opening). Since a door is the way in, an entrance, it was the custom among the Romans to pray to Janus whenever they undertook a new work. In the family worship he was invoked each morning as pater matutinus (father of the morning), and before any important undertaking—before the harvest, before a marriage or a birth—his blessing was sought. Above all, he was the god of beginnings and, since he was worshipped at the beginning of the day, month and year, it was only natural that the month beginning the year should be named after him.

Janus was important among the gods and the first day of the month named in his honor (New Year day) was observed by the ancient Romans as a day of good humor and good fellowship. All grudges and hard feelings were forgotten, sacrifices of cake, wine and incense were made to the two-faced god, who looked forward and backward. Men of all trades gave to the god the best they had as an offering of their respective arts. It was the great occasion of the entire year, as it is now in many countries.

How the Desert Moth Provides Food Supply

In the desert we find that marvel of the insect world, the Pronuba moth, which emerges from the ground about a week before the Joshua tree breaks forth in blossoms and other varieties of yucca open their creamy bells to the desert air. Snow white, brown underneath, the moth hovers around the blossoms, apparently aimlessly, says Nature Magazine. But study her. She is carrying golden pollen of the flower, industriously pushing it down the opening of the pistil.

Instinct teaches her this pollination is necessary in order that the seed ovules may develop, thus insuring a supply of food for the tiny Pronuba babies which she will never see. She bores into the seed pod and lays her eggs close to the developing food supply. A week, and the eggs have developed into the larval state. Here they are cradled for about a month before they bore their way through and drop to the ground, there to remain through fall and winter.

A week before the next flowering season of the yucca they, too, emerge to complete the cycle of their lives. Meantime, the seeds which they did not eat in their larval state have been ripening, falling and germinating.

How Flower Got Name

A superstition common to lovesick young bachelors of early times is responsible for the naming of the flowers called bachelor's buttons. These flowers were carried by the bachelors and if they faded quickly it was a sign that their love was not reciprocated, but if the flowers continued to bloom, everything would go well with their affairs.

Begonias are named for Michael Begon, a botanist, who died in 1710. Clematis is derived from the Greek word klematis, meaning twig. From the Latin word thymus, meaning sacrifice, comes the word thyme for the little plant that grows in backyard gardens.

It was burned on the Roman altars because of its sweet odor. Wistaria is so-called after an American, Caspar Wistar.—Detroit News.

How Hair Tells Secrets

Any hair on your head is just as certain a mark of your identity as are your fingerprints. That criminologists make use of this scientific fact was disclosed in recent reports of the importance attached to a single red hair in the McPherson case in Los Angeles.

Scientists say that human hair, examined under a powerful microscope, has tiny overlapping scales, much like the scales of fishes. In the center of the hair is a hollow canal containing the coloring matter. In no two individuals, says Popular Science Monthly, is the hair structure exactly the same. Among the points of identification are the size of the hair, size of the central canal, size of the scale units and the nature of the hair surface.

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You'll Understand Some Day

Oh, little men, whom God has given me To cherish and to nurture through the years Of childhood, how it hurts my heart to see Your faces clouded with unbidden tears, Or in your trustful eyes the flash of fears That suddenly disturb your spirits gay, And drive the smiles of happiness away!

At times it grieves me most because I know Your tears are prompted by an act of mine, Some effort on my part to help you grow In harmony with Nature's great design. I wish that every moment joy could shine Upon your busy little world of play, And life could be an endless holiday.

I wish that everything you want to do Could be accomplished in the way you planned; But oh, so many tears must come to you Before your baby minds will understand The laws that rule our actions, and demand A penalty for every word or deed That violates what Wisdom has decreed.

And so, dear little men, I hope some day— Perhaps I shall have crossed the Great Divide— I hope that then your many spirits may More readily believe your father tried To be your friendly comrade and your guide. Oh, maybe you will thank me for these tears When you recall them in the after years!

ELMWOOD. Clarence Ewald of Pontiac spent Sunday with his parents. Mrs. L. Dudenhofer of Detroit is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Wm. Ewald, this week. Brock Pardo has been operating one of the government corn stubble beaters on the Jackson farm and other near-by farms this week. Mr. and Mrs. Bert Hendrick entertained for dinner Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. B. Dolwick, Mr. and Mrs. Orris Reid and family and Mr. and Mrs. Bert Hendrick, sr. The third quarterly meeting of the Cass River circuit was held at the Remington church Sunday. About 150 were present at the morning service, many of whom remained for lunch, which was served in the church basement at noon. The afternoon service was given over to the young people who gave a splendid program. Dr. Stillson of Adrian college gave them a very good address on "Christian Education."

Cass City Markets.

Table with 2 columns: Item and Price. Includes Mixed wheat, Oats, Rye, Peas, Corn, Barley, Buckwheat, Baled hay, Wool, Eggs, Butter, Cattle, Calves, Hogs, Broilers, Hens, Stags, Ducks, Geese, Turkeys, Hides.

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