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DISTRICT HIGH SCHOOL MUSIC CONTEST HERE

Students from Five Counties Will Compete in Nine Events April 11-12.

Several hundred high school musicians will come to Cass City on Thursday and Friday, April 11 and 12, to participate in one of the biggest musical events ever held here, when the District E high school music contest will be conducted in the hope of stimulating more interest on the part of teachers and pupils in the study of music masterpieces and improving the regular school music work.

Students from the high schools of five counties—Huron, Tuscola, Sanilac, Lapeer and St. Clair—will compete in nine events as follows:

Boys Glee Club.
Girls Glee Club.
Mixed Chorus.
Orchestra.
Band.
String Ensemble.
Brass Ensemble.
Woodwind Ensemble.
Sight Reading.

Competing schools will be classified according to enrollment in 9th, 10th, 11th and 12th grades as follows:

Class AA—Cities having several high schools may combine these schools into one organization with a more complete instrumentation.

Class A—Over 700 students.
Class B—300 to 699.
Class C—Up to 300.

H. W. Holmes, superintendent of schools here, will be the director in charge of the contest at Cass City.

The state has been divided in six districts for as many contests on Apr. 11-12. Other contests besides the one at Cass City will be held at Mt. Pleasant, Kalamazoo, Ypsilanti, Marquette and Traverse City. Winners at these contests will compete for the state honors at the state finals on May 2 and 3 at Michigan State College at East Lansing.

The assignment of this preliminary contest to Cass City by Miss Ada Bicking, state director of music education, is considered very fortunate by local music lovers. The contest promises to be one of the biggest events staged here in a long time.

From the foreword of the announcement of the contests published by the superintendent of public instruction, these two paragraphs are taken:

"Reactions from the directors of contesting groups and contest managers show that they are fully cognizant of the unlimited possibilities, and are unanimously sincere in their acclaim that the contest brings its full reward to all competing groups. New organizations such as glee clubs, mixed choruses, orchestras, and bands have been created; and interest has been stimulated by this means whether it carries success or defeat. There is no greater incentive for the development of interest in music than that of generous and co-operative competition.

"There is nothing more difficult to compare than spiritual values. An art, especially music which is so elusive and so intangible, is particularly exacting, although there are fundamental elements of rendition and of music literature that offer certain standards for measurement and achievement. Tastes differ, however, and certainly no two judges will hear a thing in exactly the same way."

P. T. A. MEETING COMES NEXT MONDAY

The general theme of the next meeting of the Parent-Teachers Association to be held Monday evening, March 4, is on religious education and character building through the home, church and school. H. W. Holmes will take up the subject of how the home and school can co-operate in character building. Mrs. A. J. Knapp will speak of the moral and spiritual development of the child. Musical numbers will be furnished by the high school girls sextet and by B. A. Elliott and son, Leonard.

The Parent-Teachers' Association is one of the most important organizations of the town and all interested in the school should attend these meetings. Parents and teachers should bring their problems and suggestions. A discussion will be held after each talk and all should feel free to take part.

THUMB OF MICHIGAN ASSO. NEWS LETTER

We have been feeling quite envious of the oil developments in the Muskegon district. We have seen wonderful wells developing over there and a regular oil boom on. We have been told that The Thumb was the most likely field in Michigan for development of paying wells and that the Muskegon boom was the only thing that prevented rapid development of

an oil pool in The Thumb. Now it appears that we have no great reason to be envious of Muskegon. It is said that the oil over there is not what it was thought to be—that the oil from the "Dumdee Stratum" so-called does not produce a gasoline suitable for motor fuel, that there is a lot of "knock" in it. It has been suggested that the "knock" may not be in the fuel but may be a different kind of "knock," aiming at hindering the development of that field.

However, that may be, the Muskegon oil boom seems to be pretty thoroughly punctured. Some day we are likely to see a real oil pool developed in The Thumb. There seems to be every indication.

It was reported the other day that the State Administrative Board had O. K'd the paving of M-19 from Peck to Sandusky. The announcement.

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USE TRAIN TO SHOW BEST KIND OF SEED

Higher Cost of Better Seed Is Returned with Extra Dividend.

All details concerning the operation of the Better Seed Train have now been completed and the three cars of exhibits will leave the Michigan State College tracks on Saturday of this week for their two weeks' trip through the Saginaw Valley, Thumb District and Southern Michigan.

The famous "White Car" of the New York Central Lines will contain the greater part of the exhibits. This car has been divided into five booths and each booth will feature a particular crop of production problem. Exhibits, pictures and charts of alfalfa, corn, potatoes, beans and small grain will be featured.

The second car will consist of a coach where lectures and pictures will be shown. A one-hour lecture will be held at each stop and the lecture will be repeated if all cannot hear it at one time.

The third car will be a baggage car containing seed cleaning and seed treating equipment in addition to graders of various kinds. The value of clean seed and disease free seed will be discussed.

The crew of the train will be Michigan State College Crop Specialists and the train will be located near the Michigan Central freight house. Look for the white car.

The schedule includes these stops: Owendale, Friday, March 8, 9:00 a. m. to 12:00 noon. Caro, Friday, Mar. 8, 1:00 p. m. to 4:30 p. m.

REID, CELLAR CONTENDER, JUMPS TO FIRST PLACE

Climbing steadily since Jan. 15, when they were in the 11th position, the Reid group landed on top Wednesday evening in the volleyball struggle. The McIntyre six were forced in second position and the Mann players advanced from fifth to third position.

Here are the total scores to date:

Reid	282
McIntyre	280
Mann	269
Wallace	267
Wilson	266
McConkey	256
Atwell	250
McCullough	240
Smith	227
Campbell	221
Niergarth	220
Graham	212

FEW PRESENT BUT MUCH INTEREST TAKEN

A two-day poultry school was conducted at the high school building at Cass City on Tuesday and Wednesday by J. M. Moore, poultry specialist of Michigan State College, and D. B. Jewell, county agricultural agent.

Tuesday's sessions were devoted to lectures on feeds and diseases of poultry and Wednesday's meetings to housing poultry and growing baby chicks. The poultry industry stands next to that of dairying in Michigan in point of income, it was said.

The attendance at the school was disappointing. The average number at a session was not over 15 when agricultural students were not counted. That may be a poor way of estimating the value of the poultry school, however, for those who were present appeared to take much interest in the various subjects considered.

State bulletins covering many subjects of poultry raising and plans for poultry housing may be secured at the county agent's office, Mr. Jewell said.

Charles Vogel is suffering from a very sore thumb on his right hand. Friday night while helping to get an auto from the ditch near his home, he caught his thumb in a chain, badly crushing it.

CASS CITY FIRST AT COUNTY TOURNAMENT

Local Squad Defeated Mayville, Caro and Unionville Teams at County Meet.

Saturday Night.
Cass City, 31; Unionville 13.
Caro, 26; Akron, 15.

Friday Night.
Cass City, 22; Caro, 18.
Unionville, 15; Akron, 14.

Cass City won the basketball championship of Tuscola county Saturday night by defeating Unionville high school 31-13 in a game lacking thrills.

In the opening round of the Tuscola County High School Athletic Association, Caro defeated Vassar 23-19, and Cass City won from Mayville 23-21. In the Class D games, Unionville defeated Kingston 21-11 and Gagetown defeated Reese 24-12.

In the second round of Thursday night, only Class D games were played, Akron walloping Fairgrove 17-9, and Unionville upset Gagetown, last year's champs, in a torrid 16-15 battle.

By defeating Caro in the third round, Cass City won the Class C title and the right to play off in the finals Saturday night for the county banner. Taking up the rivalry where they left off in the fall, the traditional rivals waged a fast and furious battle that was decided by a 22-18 score, after a nip and tuck affair. The game was especially attractive to local fans as it was the rubber, both teams having won a game scheduled.

Unionville defeated Akron in an overtime game 15-14, after leading the Akron team all the way. It was a thrilling battle to decide the Class D title holder and also the right to play for the county championship.

In the finals Saturday night, Caro, Class C runner-up defeated Akron, Class D runner-up, in a one-sided contest 26-15.

In the final game to decide the championship, Cass City easily defeated the tired out Class D champs 31-13. The one point wins of the two preceding nights had exacted their toll from the Unionville team and they lacked the dash and fire of the earlier games. Fighting gamely against great odds, the Class D team is deserving of high praise for its stamina.

Cass City is deserving of lots of credit for the style of play shown. In the first game, the team was in a bad slump, but against Caro played the best ball of the season, repeating Saturday night against Unionville.

The tournament was well attended. Total receipts, says H. W. Holmes, secretary of the association, were \$886.00 and expenses were \$186.40. The net proceeds of \$699.60 were divided evenly among the 10 schools participating.

This week the locals meet Pigeon who are tied for Huron County championship, and next week resume the quest for honors in the District No. 10 tourney at Bad Axe.

The scores of the tournament games follow.

Turn to page four.

PAST MASTERS CONFERRED THIRD DEGREE

Tyler Lodge, No. 317, F. & A. M., conferred the third degree on two candidates Monday evening, February 25, the work being put on by Past Masters. The following Past Masters participated: George West, John Caldwell, Neil McLarty, Richard Bayley, Charles Travis, Alex Henry, Chester Graham, Lester Bailey, Clarence Burt, C. M. Wallace, John West and G. A. Tindale. Past Masters from Gagetown, Decker and Uby also assisted. An oyster supper was served after the meeting.

ANNUAL FALL MEETING NEXT TUESDAY EVENING

The annual meeting of the Tuscola, Huron and Sanilac District Fair Association of Cass City will be held at Dr. P. A. Schenck's office on Tuesday, March 5, at 8:00 p. m. All members of the association are invited to attend.

Sealed Bids Wanted.

The Village Council requests sealed bids be presented the Village Clerk any time prior to 8 p. m., March 3rd, 1929, for the following:

1. Council room building and fire engine hall as a whole, said buildings to be removed within sixty days after acceptance of the bid;
 2. Real-estate on which the above named buildings are located.
- The Council reserves the right to reject all bids.

C. M. WALLACE, Clerk.

—1 Advertisement.

PRETTY WEDDING AT HAY CREEK HOME

A pretty wedding took place at high noon Saturday, February 23, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dan McNaughton at Hay Creek when their daughter, Miss Hazel L., was united in marriage with Jaye V. Stoutenberg of Detroit. The ceremony was performed by Rev. William R. Curtis of Cass City. The couple were attended by Miss Irene McNaughton, sister of the bride, and Earl Stoutenberg of Deckerville, brother of the groom. A wedding dinner was served to 30 relatives and friends. Mr. and Mrs. Stoutenberg left at once for Detroit where they will make their home.

SCHEDULE FOR DIST. NO. 10 TOURNAMENT

Seven Schools in Class C and 10 in Class D Will Contest at Bad Axe Next Week.

The basketball tournament for District No. 10 will be held at Bad Axe next week on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday evenings. The following schedule has been arranged:

Games in Class C scheduled for Wednesday include Cass City and Mayville at 9:30, Harbor Beach and Crosswell at 2:30, and Sandusky and Bad Axe at 7:30 p. m. On Thursday, the winners of the Cass City-Mayville and Harbor Beach-Crosswell games will play at 3:30 p. m. The winner of the Sandusky-Bad Axe contest will meet Marlette at 7:30 Thursday.

In Class D, the following games are scheduled for Wednesday: Gagetown and Carsonville at 4:30, Uby and Pigeon at 8:30, Port Austin and Bay Port at 1:30, Owendale and Kinde at 3:30, Sebawaing and Port Hope at 6:30. On Thursday, the winners in the Gagetown-Carsonville group will play the better team of the Uby-Pigeon contest at 8:30. The winners of the Port Austin-Bay Port and Owendale-Kinde contests meet at 2:30 and the better team in the 2:30 game will play the winner of the Sebawaing-Port Hope contest at 9:30 Thursday.

Championship games in Classes C and D will be played Friday night.

THUMB DISTRICT NEWS PARAGRAPHS

Items Gleaned from Newspaper Exchanges and Other Sources.

Blair Woodman, teacher of agriculture in Caro high school the past 3½ years, has tendered his resignation to take effect March 1. Mr. Woodman will take charge of boys' club work in Hillsdale county.

The Michigan State college model dairy truck showing modern and sanitary dairy equipment visited Sanilac county this week, meetings having been held in Brown City, Peck and Sandusky. The Michigan Milk Producers association co-operated. Meetings to stimulate quality dairy farms were arranged by C. J. Hart, county agricultural agent. Much interest was shown by dairymen who inspected the truck. James Hays, dairy specialist was in charge of the truck.

At the petition of 70 radio owners of Harbor Beach, the Michigan Electric Power Co. has investigated their system to see if their lines were causing an oversupply of noises which made reception anything but pleasant in that city. As a result, the situation has been cleared to a considerable extent. Two broken insulators and several motors around town leaking "juice" contributed partly to the trouble. All these leaks have been remedied.

Dr. Samuel A. Howard, well known Applegate physician, died suddenly of heart disease early Sunday. He was apparently in good health until his death, having made a trip to Sandusky Saturday. He awakened Mrs. Howard early Sunday saying he could not breathe. Before a physician could be summoned he died. Dr. Howard died on the day he had completed eight years of public service in Applegate. He leaves his widow and several brothers in Port Huron. Funeral services were held in Port Huron with burial in the Lakeside cemetery.

COMING AUCTIONS.

Fred MacCaslin uses space on page 6 to advertise an all-day auction of live stock, farm tools and furniture at his home 4 miles east and ½ mile south of Cass City on Tuesday, Mar. 5. A free lunch will be served at noon. Turnbull Bros. are the auctioneers.

In next week's Chronicle, Alfred Elley will advertise an auction on his farm 5 miles south and 3 miles west of Cass City on Thursday, Mar. 14.

THE WEEK IN THE STATE LEGISLATURE

A Resume of the Matters Which Are Claiming Attention of Solons.

Michigan Press Association, Lansing, Bureau, Feb. 22, 1929.

Despite the handicap of the time taken off for the state convention, a legal holiday and various other matters, it has been rather a prolific week in disposing of legislation. Taxation problems are still in the formative stage but reported by members of the committees which have them in charge to be getting nearer to readiness for introduction.

The Ming bill proposing an amusement tax met with unexpected obstruction in the House when Rep. McDonald's motion to refer it to the ways and means committee was carried. It is expected the committee will report the bill out. A public hearing is scheduled on this matter for Monday evening and the bill has been made a special order for Tuesday afternoon at 2:30. It is freely predicted that it will meet its death in the Senate even if it passes the House.

Rep. McBride proposes drastic regulations on sale of medicines and foods for stock and poultry, asking that formulas printed in plain English must accompany all packages, in order that contents may be known, and also providing that dealers must have a state license.

Rep. Netting proposes state license for all dealers in pelts and furs of wild animals. Senator Engle of Lake City says no additional tax is necessary for financing rehabilitation of state institutions. He makes the assertion that a close revision of salaries, the dropping of unnecessary employees of the state and other measures of economy would obviate the necessity of additional taxes.

Senator Conlon proposes appointment of a state tax commission to study taxation problems and report at a special session or at the next regular session. In the mean time a proposition for a bond issue is being urged, to be voted on at the spring election, but it is not thought likely that this proposition can be forced through in time for a vote at the April elections.

A proposal to remove the state employment school for the blind from Saginaw and combine it with a similar institution here was frowned down by the ways and means committee, after a careful investigation of the Saginaw institution.

Rep. Miles Callaghan has introduced a bill proposing a license fee for chain stores. Rep. Brady has another along similar lines.

The bill providing that automobile owners shall not be liable for injuries to gratuitous passengers has passed the House. Also one changing the name of the village of Orion to Lake Orion; one to amend the arson law; one requiring prosecuting attorneys to furnish federal authorities with information regarding criminal aliens and one to permit persons ill with contagious diseases to be transported by proper authorities from one county to another for hospitalization. Sunday hunting in Genesee county is also barred in a bill which has passed the House.

Amendments to the election code Turn to page three.

CELEBRATE 52ND BIRTH ANNIVERSARY

Mr. and Mrs. John C. Fay of Grant were very happily surprised on Feb. 22nd, when their children came to take pot luck chicken dinner with them, and to remind them that they had been married 52 years. Mr. and Mrs. Fay are enjoying quite good health despite the years.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Manley Fay and children, Mrs. Frank Fay and children, Mrs. Floyd McComb. A very pleasant time was enjoyed, and all left wishing Mr. and Mrs. Fay many happy returns of the day.

H. S. GIRLS' SEXTET TO BROADCAST MARCH 12

The high school girls sextet motored to Bay City for a try-out at Station WBCM Saturday afternoon. Immediately after the try-out, the group were invited to appear on that afternoon's program. A number of Cass City people tuned in and report the selections came in very clearly and were greatly enjoyed.

The sextet will sing again from the Bay City station on Tuesday evening, March 12.

Members of the sextet are the Misses Elynore Bigelow, Harriett Tindale, Virginia Day, Margaret Jondro, Pauline Sandham and Esther Caister. Phyllis Lenzner is the accompanist.

NEW METHOD GETS SANILAC OFFICERS TO CHURCH

Something new in the manner of securing a church congregation was attempted with good results Sunday night by Rev. E. B. Dixon of the Sandusky M. E. church. Sheriff's officers and a justice of the peace co-operated, and 31 summons to appear at church were issued and served on Sanilac county officials. The subpoenas were regularly served, and the county officials, awed by the procedure, all attended church. Whether the pastor deemed it necessary to get the help of the law to bring county officials to church was not stated by Rev. Mr. Dixon. A stirring sermon on "Building Democracy" was given in which the pastor urged citizens to support county, state and national officers elected by the majority without malice, regardless of the fact whether or not one happened to vote for those particular officers.

TWO ACCIDENTS FATAL IN TUSCOLA COUNTY

Vassar Farmer Killed in Gravel Pit; North Grove Girl Hit by Automobile.

Gus W. Korthals, 49, a prominent farmer, 3½ miles south of Vassar, on the Tuscola road, was instantly killed Thursday afternoon, Feb. 21, at 4:30 o'clock, in a gravel pit located on his farm.

Mr. Korthals had been working all day around the pit which he has owned since 1921 and at the time of the accident he and his son, Harold, were in the bottom of the gravel pit which is eight feet deep, when suddenly two large pieces of frozen gravel fell from the top and crushed him senseless. The weight, being tremendous, struck a vital spot in the body causing instant death. It was very little trouble to extricate the body of Mr. Korthals from the boulders.

Leona Cummins, nine year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Cummins of North Grove, seven miles south of Caro, died at Caro Community Hospital Thursday night, Feb. 21, of injuries received Wednesday when she was struck by an auto driven by Frank Duprey of Caro. Her seven year old sister, Lorraine, is also in the hospital suffering from concussion, a fractured arm and other injuries suffered when struck by the same auto. It is expected that the younger girl will recover.

The girls were returning from school at North Grove in company with other youngsters. They caught a ride on the reach of a sleigh behind a load of hay. Dan Downing, driver of the sleigh, saw the auto approaching from the other direction, it was reported, and shouted back to the girls to stay on the reach until the car had passed. In spite of this warning, just as the car went to pass the sleigh, Leona made a dash across in front of the car and reached the ditch, but on looking back, saw her smaller sister was following. Leona turned back to help her sister across the road, with the result that they were both struck.

The driver of the automobile stopped immediately. An ambulance was called and the girls were rushed to the hospital. Leona never regained consciousness. According to witnesses of the accident, Mr. Duprey was not driving fast.

BEEF FEEDING SCHOOL AT ARGYLE TODAY

Beef feeding schools are being held this week arranged by C. J. Hart, county agricultural agent as a part of the extension program of the year. A meeting is being held today (Friday) in Argyle. One was held Thursday with the North Marlette Community club as hosts. W. B. Moxley, extension specialist of Michigan State college was in charge. Sheep feeding schools are announced for March 7 at Deckerville and March 8 at Crosswell. V. A. Freeman of the animal husbandry department, M. S. C. will be in charge.

Notice to Evergreen Township Voters

I wish to announce that I will be a candidate for the nomination of township treasurer at the Republican caucus. Your support will be greatly appreciated. John D. Jones.—1 Advertisement 2t

Notice to Elkland Township Voters.

I wish to announce that I will be a candidate for the nomination of township clerk at the Republican caucus. Your support will be greatly appreciated. C. E. Patterson.—1 Adv 2t

Notice to Voters of Elkland Twp.

I wish to announce that I will be a candidate for the nomination of township treasurer at the Republican caucus. I have never held this office. Your support and influence will be appreciated. Geo. Burg.—1 Advertisement 1

TWO CHILDREN DIE IN FIRE NEAR MCGREGOR

Flames Licking Their Beds Rouses Family in Dead of Night.

Tragedy stalked in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Schuman early Sunday, when the lives of two of their children were snuffed out in a fire that destroyed their farm house, one mile north and one-half mile west of McGregor.

The dead are Emil 9, and Mary Elizabeth, eight months old. Three other children were burned and cut but not seriously in escaping from the flames, while Mr. and Mrs. Schuman and three other children escaped uninjured. The injured are: Dorothy, 4, severe gash in leg and burns; Henry, 7, burned left hand and face; Rosie, 6, hand burned. John 10, Lydia 3, and Alex 2, escaped without burns.

Awakened at 3:00 a. m. by flames licking their beds, Mr. Schuman roused the family. They were forced to escape in their night clothes. Three efforts were made by Mr. Schuman to rescue the children who were burned, but on the final effort he was overcome by smoke and heat, barely saving himself. The origin of the blaze was not determined. The small farm house was a one story building covered with tar paper, which fed the flames like tinder. The entire building was a mass of flames when the family escaped. Emil, one of the fire victims, sought to reach the door as his charred body was found two feet inside the door. Mary Elizabeth perished in her crib. Double funeral services were held from the Carmen undertaking rooms in Deckerville Monday with burial in the Downing cemetery. The fire swept away the entire belongings of the Schuman family. Relief in the form of clothing, household goods, food and money poured in from Port Huron and nearby Sanilac towns Monday and Tuesday. The family moved to a nearby vacant farm. The Schuman family has lived near McGregor for five years.

CHURCH CALENDAR.

Baptist Church—William R. Curtis, Pastor. Preaching Sunday morning at 10:30. Theme, "Sacrifice, the Test of Discipleship."
Sunday school at 11:45. David Hutchinson, Supt.
B. Y. P. U. at 6:30. A lively meeting for a lively crowd.
Preaching at 7:30. Theme, "Jacob's Wrestling Match."
Prayer meeting Thursday evening at 7:30.

The Friendly Church.

Evangelical Church—Bible study, 10:00 a. m. Sermon, 11:00. League service, 6:45 p. m. Preaching, 7:30. C. F. SMITH, Minister.
The Ladies' Aid will meet with Mrs. B. A. Elliott next Wednesday, March 6, for all day. Members please come early as there is a large quilt to be worked.

Owendale and Grant M. E. Churches—Rev. Fred H. Townsend, Pastor. Meldon Crawford, Asst., Pastor.
Owendale—Sunday church worship, 10:00 a. m. Sunday school, 11:00 a. m. Grant—Sunday church worship, 11:30 a. m. Sunday school, 10:30 a. m.

The Komjynus Sunday school class will meet at the Jos. Mellendorf home Friday evening, March 1st.

Methodist Episcopal Church—Class meeting, 10:00. Morning worship, 10:30. Sunday school, 11:45. Epworth League service, 6:30. Evening worship, 7:30.

Thursday evening, prayer meeting. Bethel Church—Sunday school, 11:00. Preaching service, 12:00. GEORGE HILL, Pastor.

Presbyterian Church—Paul Johnson Allured, Minister. Sunday, March 3: Morning worship, 10:30. Sermon on church membership. An attempt to clarify this subject for the man or woman of today whether or not he is a professing Christian.

Church school at noon. Adult lesson on "The Christian Church."
Christian Endeavor, 6:00. A half-hour with favorite and new hymns. "Laying Life Foundations." Leader, Grace Wyllie.

The Lenten season recalls to man his obligation to a loving God and a saving Christ. What is your spiritual pulse? Is there a leaky valve? Sluggish circulation? Anemic condition of the soul? Take it in time. The Great Physician is able to bring you spiritual health if you follow his directions.

Novesta Church of Christ—A. Mudge, Minister. R. Warner, Supt. Bible school, 10:30, followed by preaching.

Advertise it in the Chronicle.

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H. F. Lenzner, Publisher.



OUR NEW PRESIDENT.

When Herbert Hoover takes the oath of office of March 4, his voice will be heard throughout the world.

His inaugural address will reach not only millions of listeners in the United States, but also other millions of listeners in foreign countries.

The radio has advanced to an almost unbelievable extent. Recently programs from London were heard in New York with absolute clarity. Now this progress makes it possible for not only America, but also other nations of the world, to hear the voice of Hoover as he dedicates himself to the leadership of the American people.

How fitting that this should be so! For his activities during the distressful times of war in foreign lands have endeared him to the entire civilized world, his election was hailed with enthusiasm in messages from many countries—the world has its eye on Hoover, and now the world will be able to hear his first words as he assumes the highest office of his country.

The very thought thrills one—the world has moved forward indeed! Think of George Washington's inauguration address—his words were not known for days after the event by persons within a narrow radius, they were not heard save by those who were within the range of his voice. Today, a man in the remotest corner of the land may be "present" at an important ceremony simply by turning on a dial.

WHEN A WOMAN DRIVES.

Dr. Viteles of the University of Pennsylvania has made a very interesting survey of automobile records. He reports that women drivers become involved in accidents three times as often as men.

At first blush this seems to be rather an indictment of the woman who drives. But let us examine the fact further.

Most of the accidents in which women are involved are minor ones. They are able to act intuitively and quickly in an emergency, and so there is much less damage than results from accidents in which men are involved.

In addition, most of the accidents that happen to women drivers are the result of their carelessness. They drive slowly, and are struck far more frequently than they strike other cars, bearing the brunt of the recklessness of others.

However, it is a common failing of the woman driver to be inclined to choose the center of the road, even when she is going slowly.

Cass City Schools

Kindergarten—We are busy making posters to illustrate the windy month. We hope to use these to decorate the kindergarten. In Nature Study, we are trying to learn in how many ways the wind is a help to us. We are learning two new songs about the wind which allow for dramatization.

First Grade—

Vogue Hats
Hand Carved
Always on the rim
at our

First Grade Hat Shoppe

Second Grade—This week we made soldier hats for Washington's birthday, and Friday we joined the third grade in marching with our hats on. The children are getting so they march much better than at the beginning of the year. Our attendance this year has been so poor that we decided to give a treat to all those who were neither absent nor tardy all month. There were ten who received the treat. We all enjoyed the program given by the fifth and sixth grades Friday morning.

Third Grade—The spell down we had last Friday was won by Ivan O'Connor. In art class we made some very good flags. Jean Corkins' class gave a Washington program Friday for language which everyone seemed to enjoy. Our percent of attendance for last month was 93.6% and we had five tardy marks. We are very glad to have Martha McCoy back again after a week's absence to have her appendix removed.

Fourth Grade—Helen Tallmadge is back to school after a week's absence on account of sickness. Mary Frank won in the spell down Friday night.

Shirley Lenzner has given the room a very nice picture of "Old Ironsides." The B. class are reading nature stories and they find many new and interesting facts about the animals and birds.

Fifth Grade—We have made extensive journeys in European countries for the past few weeks. We are now venturing to write accounts of our European home life to the sixth grade here in America. Some of us have become quite Europeanized. We have thoroughly enjoyed the new book brought by Betty Pinney. The class elected new officers: Norris Stafford, chairman; Dorothy Holcomb, secretary; Betty Pinney and Frank Morris, monitors; Charles Walmsley and Lloyd Donnelly.

Happenings of a Quarter Century Ago

Items from the Tri-County Chronicle of Feb. 26, 1904.

It is a long time since a Cass City audience was treated to such a whirlwind of fun and nonsense as greeted them at the play, "Santiago." The proceeds of the evening were \$145.25.

Mrs. John W. Murphy died at her home on West St. last Friday morning after an illness of a week's duration. The funeral service was held on Monday.

Elias McKim has sold the farm he purchased recently of John Eno to John Krapf of Massachusetts. The consideration was \$3,400. Mr. McKim has purchased the residence property of T. H. Hunt at the corner of Pine and Grant streets for \$1,800.

A. H. Ale has purchased the large general store of H. Halleck of Inlay City.

Mrs. D. A. Freeman will celebrate her 13th birthday next Monday, Feb. 29. She will have lived 56 years on that date but hasn't had a birthday for eight years.

Stanley H. Schenck, who is attending college at Alma, has been elected football captain for next year. He is acknowledged to be the best athlete in the college.

Little Alice Klump celebrated her fifth birthday on Wednesday by entertaining a company of her friends from four to six o'clock. The following little folks were present: Laura Maier, Laura Striffler, Mabel Ahr, Gladys Fitch, Louise and Leonard Zinnecker, Nina Oathout, and Marie, Binnie and Harold Benkelman.

CHRIST FOR ALL—ALL FOR CHRIST
The Word of God
They would be a lamp unto my feet, and a light unto my path.—Psalm 119: 105
BIBLE THOUGHT AND PRAYER

Love Is the Law of Heaven.

John 3: 16. For God so loved the world, that he gave his only begotten Son, that whosoever believeth in him should not perish, but have everlasting life.

John 15: 12, 13, 14. Jesus said: This is my commandment, That ye love one another, as I have loved you. 13. Greater love hath no man than this, that a man lay down his life for his friends. 14. Ye are my friends, if ye do whatsoever I command you.

Prayer: May Thy new Law of Love be written by the Holy Spirit upon our hearts.

HOLBROOK.

Goldie Price of Detroit is visiting his mother, Mrs. Mary Price, for a few days.

Epworth League at the Holbrook M. E. church Friday night.

Mrs. Alice Price is on the sick list. Mrs. Russell Sills is caring for her. At present her case seems quite critical.

Seems it takes quite a bit of courage these cold mornings for the high school students to break their way through the snow drifts to get to school on time. Perhaps in another ten years from now, we will be able to have the roads cleaned out so the mail and milk haulers can get out on the trunk lines, instead of paying so much for license and tax for the benefit of the trunk lines.

The Sunshine Sewing Club met at Mrs. Ward Law's on Tuesday afternoon. Quilting was the order of the day. Mrs. Law served a nice luncheon to the ladies and all report a good time.

Alex Cleland of Pontiac is visiting at the Chas. Morrish home.

Frank Kittendorf, who is employed in Pontiac, is home for a few days' visit.

Wm. Kivel is working for Edgar Jackson.

Russell Rolston and family of Hay Creek were Sunday visitors at the Fred Rolston home.

Stanley and James Jackson are getting up a buzz pile for Mrs. Walker.

A quilting bee was held at the home of Mrs. Edgar Jackson on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Hill and daughter, Marie, were Saturday visitors at A. Moss home.

Quite a number of the neighbors are out with their teams and road grader making the roads passable for the doctor to get through.

Wedding bells are ringing, but dimly. Later on, we will expect to hear them ringing louder.

Michigan Happenings

Official sanction has been given at Ann Arbor for a trip to Japan next summer by the University of Michigan baseball team, Director Yost announced. Coach Ray Fisher expects to take a squad of about 16 men on the trip which will consume a little more than two months time. The Maize and Blue representation will sail the later part of July, returning to Ann Arbor for school during the first week or ten days of October. The nine will play all of the representative school teams of Japan so far as this is possible.

A new German club known as the Americanische Wandervogel, has been organized on the campus of Michigan State normal college at Ypsilanti. The club membership is limited to German students. Its purpose is to take excursions for the enjoyment nature, and to get practice in speaking German. While on the hikes German alone is spoken, old German songs are sung, and in that manner the German students hope to become fluent speakers of the German language.

Uniform hunting seasons in Michigan, Wisconsin and Minnesota may result from a conference which the Wisconsin legislature is trying to bring about between the fish and game committees of the legislatures of the three states. An invitation to the Michigan committee to attend the conference, which is to be held in Madison at a date not yet determined, was read into the records of the House and was referred to the Conservation Committee at Lansing.

It requires four years to produce one pound of trout. These figures have been arrived at by experts in the fish division of the department of conservation at Lansing, who are giving their best efforts to keep the supply of fish in Michigan streams at the point where it will equal the demand. The next time you sit down to a dinner with five pounds of trout as the principal item on the menu, try to realize that it took Mother Nature 20 years to provide the delicacy.

A census of crippled children in Kalamazoo County is being taken by Miss Margaret Ruba under the auspices of the Michigan Crippled Children Commission. Miss Ruba will compile a list of every Kalamazoo County child, under 21 years old, having any physical deformity, no matter how slight. Kalamazoo County is the first county in which the survey will be made, but the commission is planning surveys in other populous counties.

Mrs. Marie Gutman of Saginaw, 26 years old, on her way home from the Municipal Court, where she paid a fine for overtime parking, took a back street to avoid traffic and was injured fatally when her automobile was hit by a Michigan Central switch engine. She attempted to jump from the car, but was caught between it and the locomotive and dragged about 30 feet. She died three hours later in a hospital.

Henry Koeplinger, 32 years old, was drowned when his automobile broke through the ice on the Saginaw River, about four miles north of Saginaw. The body was recovered in 15 feet of water by deputy sheriffs, when they lifted the automobile in which Koeplinger and Howard Routenberger, 30, plunged into the stream. Routenberger extricated himself but failed in an attempt to rescue Koeplinger.

One of those unusual stunts for a Michigan sportsman happened recently at Herring lake near the outlet into Lake Michigan, when Merwin White, of Elberta, Benzie county, bagged a snow goose there. It took two shots with heavy loads to bring the goose down. The bird is all white with the exception of part of its wings and back which were gray. It weighed 13 pounds, six ounces.

William C. Davenport, Kalamazoo farmer, obtained a yield of 43 bushels of white beans an acre last year. The crop from a four-acre field totalled 173 bushels. The state average in 1928 was less than 12 bushels an acre. Davenport's crop is believed to be a new State record. His crop was grown from certified Robust seed.

Recently Mr. and Mrs. Sheldon Bale of Carleton, celebrated their golden wedding anniversary at the Temple Auditorium and dining rooms there. More than 100 relatives and friends attended. Mr. and Mrs. Bale have lived in that community more than 70 years. They have three children and 12 grandchildren.

Word has been received at Hart, that a tablet to be erected in Maine Park, Havana, will bear the name of Lieut. John Gurney, who was killed in the battle of San Juan Hill. The officer was a Hart man. The park in Hart has been named in his honor.

Last rites were held at Ludington recently for Joseph Beaudreux, 82, who was captured by Sioux Indians when a child of 8 years, adopted by a chief and kept four years until rescued by United State soldiers.

After protesting his innocence for more than 13 years, Nathan Corman, now serving life imprisonment in the State Branch Prison at Marquette has confessed the crime for which he was sentenced in Detroit. On Nov. 1, 1915, Mrs. Bertha Newfield was found dead in bed at a house then numbered 376 Canfield avenue east. Corman, a roomer for three years at the Newfield home, said in his confession that he had been an admirer of Mrs. Newfield before and after her marriage to Bert Newfield. They quarreled and he cut her throat with his razor.

The House of Congress at Washington has agreed with the senate amendments on the \$17,185,601 army housing bill, completing legislative action on the measure. The measure provides that Selfridge field, near Mt. Clemens, will receive \$465,000 for officers' quarters and \$230,400 for the construction of a sea wall, under the conference agreement finally accepted. Selfridge field also was given an additional \$122,000 for hangars and a field shop, \$60,000 for heating plants and \$125,000 for improvements to the landing field.

Henry Ford's model farm near Dearborn, gave way before the dynamic growth of the Detroit which he had such a large part in creating when the firming implements which have been used on his experimental farm were placed on auction recently at the Ford and Evergreen roads. Mr. Ford is retiring from farming, and will retain only 200 acres, enough land to feed the 100 thoroughbred cattle which he owns. The rest of the farm, nearly 3,000 acres, is to be cut up and sold. The farm, in 1922, contained 9,000 acres.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Seewald, of Hudson, who observed their sixty-fourth wedding anniversary there recently were married at high noon, Saturday, February 11, 1865, by Rev. Mr. Judd, of that city, at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Cicero Comstock. None of the couples married by Rev. Mr. Judd ever obtained a divorce. Those now living who attended the wedding are Mrs. Seewald's brother, Fred Duryee, and Mrs. Sarah Marie Comstock.

Clyde Clapper was given seven and one-half to twenty-two and one-half years at the Michigan State Prison at Jackson and Ione Baker one to fifteen years at the Michigan Reformatory at Ionia, for the theft of \$600 worth of beans from the Citizens Elevator at Vermontville. Judge R. R. McPeck, in the Circuit Court, at Charlotte, passed sentence. The beans were recovered. It was Clapper's second conviction.

Ernest Melville, of Houghton, organist of Trinity Episcopal church, and director of Michigan Tech's R. O. T. C. band, is regularly in communication with his brother, Captain Frederick Melville, skipper of Commander Byrd's Antarctic expedition ship, City of New York. He has been extended such privileges by the New York Times station KDKA, of Pittsburgh and a station at Hibbing, Minn.

The Greenville potato market took a sudden slump recently, a new low price of 35 cents per 100 pounds being paid on the Greenville market. The marketing of Minnesota and Wisconsin potatoes as well as the entry of Maine tubers into Pittsburgh and Cleveland markets is blamed by local shippers for the slump. Buyers do not hold hope of any change in the market in the near future.

A fire, believed to have been started by a liquor operator, burned two Great Lakes passenger vessels and a steam tug, owned by the Nicholson Universal Steamship company, to the water's edge and seriously damaged another excursion steamer, with a total estimated loss of \$225,000. The ships were swept by fire as they lay at their dock in Ecorse.

Discovering more than 20 years after the death of Michael Devereaux, of Owosso, that his estate never had been probated, and that he has no known heirs, the attorney-general's department at Lansing has petitioned to have the estate escheated. It is valued at \$4,000. Ralph E. Hughes, public administrator, has been appointed administrator.

Michigan railroads will pay a tax rate this year of \$30.42 for each \$1,000 assessed valuation on their properties, the State Tax Commission announced at Lansing. The rate last year was \$30.66. Reports of railway earnings for 1928 are due but an extension of time was asked by most companies. The request was granted.

An airplane has been sold by the Buhl Aircraft Co. of Marysville, which will cover in 150 minutes a route that it now takes a dog team two weeks to travel. The plane will be operated out of Prince Albert by a Canadian company.

Captain Ray Collins and Sergeant Samuel J. Davis, of Selfridge field, had to make a forced landing in Memorial Park cemetery at Battle Creek, one afternoon, when their engine went dead as they were heading toward Kellogg airport.

Gov. and Mrs. Fred W. Green and party, including their daughter, and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Norval Tyrrell will attend the inauguration ceremonies in Washington March 4, it was announced at Lansing.

WILMOT.

Clarence Barrett of Port Huron spent Sunday with his family here.

Chas. Martin has been on the sick list.

Everett Penfold spent Sunday at Cass City with his brother, Lyle.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Hawkins of Harbor Beach spent the week-end here.

Mrs. Robert Hawkins, who is working at Caro, spent Friday at her home here.

Willard and Laverne Sanderson of Port Huron spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Barrett.

Mrs. Wm. Penfold received word from her daughter, Phyllis, who is working in Detroit, that she is quarantined with scarlet fever.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Powell of Millington Sunday, Feb. 17, a son.

Wm. Barrons, jr., of Flint called on his father, Jacob Barrons, Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. John Powell spent a few days last week at Millington, taking care of her little grandson.

The Misses Eleanor Palworth and Billie Hawkins were visitors at the school Friday afternoon.

Revival meeting started at the Free Methodist church Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Penfold spent Friday afternoon at the home of Trum Chambers near Caro.

Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Moulton and

two children, William and Maxine, of Caro spent Thursday evening at the home of Mr. Moulton's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Moulton, helping them celebrate their 41st wedding anniversary.

Samuel Ferguson of Geneva, Ohio, is spending a few days here.

Give 'Em Time

Some medical publicists have got along to the point where they deny there is such a thing as a "common cold" or "rheumatism." So far none has said there is no such thing as a grade crossing.—Detroit News.

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Today as always, the size of the man at the head is of more importance than the size of the business.—Roger W. Babson.

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

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the Village of Caro, in said County, on the 7th day of February A. D. 1929.

Present: Hon. Guy G. Hill, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of William H. Adams, Deceased.

Harry T. Crandell, having filed in said court his final administration account, and petition praying for the allowance thereof and for the assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate.

It Is Ordered, That the 5th day of March A. D. 1929, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for examining and allowing said account and hearing said petition;

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

GUY G. HILL, Judge of Probate.

A true copy. Minta E. Hill, Register of Probate.

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LOCAL HAPPENINGS

Mr. and Mrs. David Palmer have moved to Port Huron.

Mrs. M. M. Moore visited friends in Kingston Friday night.

P. E. Fleming of Detroit was a caller in Cass City Saturday.

Rheo Hainstock of Harbor Beach was a caller in Cass City Wednesday.

Miss Georgine VanWinkle was the guest of relatives in Caro over the week-end.

Garrison Moore of Detroit spent the week-end with his mother, Mrs. M. M. Moore.

Mrs. C. L. Graham is spending the week with her sister and other relatives in Detroit.

Dr. Burt Law of Ann Arbor spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Law.

A number of the Baptist ladies enjoyed a quilting Wednesday at the home of Mrs. P. S. McGregory.

Mrs. Mason Wilson, who has been a patient at the Morris hospital, was able to go to her home last week.

The family of Ray Hagadorn moved the first of the week to Pontiac, where Mr. Hagadorn has employment.

Clark Knapp and Edwin Fritz of Alma spent on Thursday evening until Sunday at their parental homes here.

Miss Lottie West of Pontiac visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George West, from Friday until Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. King and son, Russell, of Detroit were week-end guests of Mrs. King's mother, Mrs. H. M. Willis.

Rev. and Mrs. William Curtis left Tuesday to spend a few days with their daughter, Mrs. Ralph Gardner, at Monroe.

Mrs. Lyle Bardwell and daughter, Barbara Jean, left Saturday to spend a few days with relatives and friends in Detroit.

Kenneth Striffler of Detroit spent Saturday night and Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Striffler, in Cass City.

Mrs. Andrew Swadling of Fostoria, Guy Sweet and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Clark of Deford visited their sister, Mrs. John Whale, Wednesday.

Miss Bertha Zemke attended a social meeting of the Twentieth Century Club of Caro at the home of Mrs. Otto Zemke at Caro last week.

Mrs. Angus McPhail's Sunday school class of girls met at her home Thursday afternoon to sew quilt blocks. They were treated to banana splits and cake.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Colwell and daughter, Pearl, of Saginaw spent Saturday night and Sunday morning with Mr. Colwell's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Colwell.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Donnelly entertained the people of the Catholic church at their home on Garfield Avenue Thursday evening.

The evening was spent in playing cards, prizes being won by Mrs. Dan Hennessey, Clem Tyo, and Jos. Diaz. The company was invited to the home of Mrs. Elizabeth Carolan in two weeks when Mrs. Carolan and Mrs. Dan McClorey will be hostesses.

Don Gage spent Sunday with relatives in Ohio.

E. Pennell of Detroit was a business caller in town Friday.

W. C. Clemo of Port Huron visited G. A. Striffler Thursday and Friday.

Mrs. Willis Campbell spent Wednesday in Saginaw.

Miss Helen Turner of Alma was a week-end guest at her parental home here.

Spafford Kelsey spent a few days the first of the week with friends in Saginaw.

Mrs. C. P. Miller of Detroit was a week-end guest of her sister, Mrs. C. D. Striffler.

Born Wednesday, February 20, to Mr. and Mrs. Neil Donnelly of Saginaw, a daughter.

Born Thursday, February 21, to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cooper at Kingston, a daughter.

Mrs. Harriett Dodge will leave today (Friday) to visit relatives and friends in Detroit.

Mrs. Hiram Baxter is quite ill at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Turner on South Seeger street.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Chisholm visited Mr. Chisholm's aunt, Miss Rebecca Chisholm, at Bad Axe Sunday.

Mrs. F. E. Kelsey, Mrs. F. L. Morris, Miss Dora Krapp and Miss Hester Cathcart were Saginaw callers on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Oakley Best and Miss Irene Graham of Dryden were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Zimmerman.

The Misses Arvilla Wilson and Mildred Carruthers of Snover were guests of Miss Dorothy Tindale Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Rensch and children, and E. J. Klingener spent Saturday and Sunday with relatives and friends in Lansing.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Kaiser and children, John and Ruth, and Paul Bien of Detroit spent Sunday with Cass City relatives.

Russell Haywood, Bruce Warden and Clarence Moshier, all of Pontiac, spent Sunday night at the home of Mrs. Sarah Dorland.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Sharrard entertained Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Anderson and daughter, Ila Mae, and Mrs. Milton Ward and daughter, Roseleen, of Imlay City Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. I. Wood were guests of Mrs. Lillian Wood at Caro Sunday. Mrs. O. C. Wood, who had spent the week in Caro, returned to Cass City with them Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. John Tewkesbury entertained a number of friends and neighbors Friday evening at their home south of town. Games were played and refreshments were served.

Mrs. F. E. Kelsey entertained Mrs. R. J. Knight's class of girls of the Presbyterian Sunday school at her home Wednesday at a missionary program. Light refreshments were served.

Mr. and Mrs. James Proctor and daughter, Thelma, of Flint were Sunday, guests of Cass City relatives.

Mr. Proctor's father, R. S. Proctor, returned to Flint with them to visit for some time.

Misses Catherine and Lucile Bailey were the guests of their cousins at the Dr. Clark home in Caro from Friday until Sunday night. Mr. and Mrs. Lester Bailey were Sunday guests of Dr. and Mrs. Clark.

Mrs. Gertrude Carson, who has spent some time as the guest of Mrs. Charles Wiley, left last week to visit relatives in Los Angeles, California. From there, she will go to her home at Palo Alto, California.

J. C. Corkins spent from Thursday until Sunday in Detroit and Pontiac. He was accompanied home Sunday by Truman Lick, Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Corkins and Miss Helen Corkins, who spent the day at the Corkins home.

R. J. Knight and Frank Reid accompanied the Misses Pauline and Vernita Knight to Saginaw Sunday. The young ladies were on their way to M. S. C. at Lansing, after spending a few days at their parental home in Cass City.

Mrs. Joseph Lee and three children of Pontiac visited the former's mother, Mrs. Sarah Dorland, from Friday until Sunday. Grant Lee, who has been making his home with his grandmother, returned to Pontiac with his mother Sunday, remaining until Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Mylo Ragan entertained the members of the Snover Literary club and their husbands on Wednesday at their home on Houghton street. A six o'clock dinner was served at tables beautifully decorated with Washington birthday appointments. Music and games furnished the evening's entertainment.

Mrs. Sophia Striffler, A. A. Ricker and Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Striffler spent Sunday with relatives in Flint. Mrs. A. A. Ricker, who had spent the week in Lansing and Flint, returned home with them Sunday evening. Mrs. Striffler left Flint to visit her daughter, Mrs. F. A. Smiley, at Drayton Plains.

Division No. 4 of the Methodist Ladies' Aid met Monday evening at the home of Mrs. Harold Jackson. Sides were chosen, Mrs. Guy Rensch and Miss Goldie Wilson acting as captains, to see who could raise the most money during the month of March. The losers will entertain the winners. The hostess served ice cream and wafers. The next meeting will be held next Monday evening with Mrs. John West as hostess.

SLATS' DIARY.

BY ROSS FARQUHAR.

Friday—well I guess I won't never get so very fur in Histry becuz the kvestions they ast a fella is to hard sum or evry times. To day the kvestions was all about the Landing of the Pilgrums on a rock sum wheres but it happened so long before I was borned I dont see how they Xpect me to no about such a thing.

Saturday—They had a skateing Party over to the ice Pond tonite and the peple with went each cud pick there own Costooms and Ant Emmy sed she wood wear the 1 she worn when she worn when she was a yung girl. It had a Bussel to it and after she tryed to skate they that was their cud see how cum she choosed that kind of a Costoom in witch to skate in.

Sunday—Well I got sore at pa myself today. He makes sum pritty dirty Cracks sum times. Ma wanted him to take me and Ant Emmy up to the city this after noon in the ford and take us to the Mewzeum. Pa sed no I wont do it if they want them let them cum after them I ant running no Delivery servis.

Monday—They is an we kid at are school now which's father runs a big chane of stores in different citys. But Jake and me issent going to have much to do with him becuz he is a Athiest & dont beleave in Sandy Claws.

Tuesday—Blisters is a getting to be pritty Lazy I think. Now days he wears a pear of Black pants to skool and he sed the reason he does that is becuz he was all ways loseing his pen Wiper.

Wednesday—Pa got in bad with 1 of the wimmen Subscribers of the noose paper on witch he wirks on today. He let a pease go threw about a otomobile ketching a fire and the pease sed the fire was caused by a cross Wife in the car. It shud ought to of sed a Crossed Wire but she got about 1/2 sore just the same.

Thursday—Went to a party tonite but diddnt have no very good time. The Orkestra was pritty Bum and they cudent keep time with me to save there lifes.

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THE WEEK IN THE STATE LEGISLATURE

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proposed by the special commission were introduced in the Senate Tuesday afternoon by Senator Stevens. It provides for a permanent registration of voters, delays the fall primary one week and would place the names of presidential candidates on the ticket. The pre-primary convention proposition was not incorporated in the code.

The lion and the lamb are to lie down together, in all probability, the medics, the chiropractors and the osteopaths will likely be harmonized under the so-called "basic science" bills which are now in process of reconstruction.

Senator Howell sponsors a bill requiring filing of a list of creditors of a mortgagor and notification of such creditors within five days after execution of such mortgage.

Election recounts, regardless of condition of ballot boxes or ballots, would be authorized under a bill introduced by Senator Lennon.

A bill introduced by Senator Sink would allow Michigan to preserve prehistoric Indian lore and relics. It would require permission from private owners or of the conservation department in the case of state lands, before excavations may be made in search of relics.

A proposition to change the name of the Montgomery game refuge to the Lunden refuge, in honor of the memory of Herman Lunden is proposed by Rep. Green and meets with hearty approval, as does the proposition of Rep. Culver of an appropriation of \$1,000 for a memorial to the late Edwin Denby, a former member of the House.

Rep. Gardner's bill to bar appearing on the highways and streets of Livingston county in bathing suits passed the House after several proposed amendments including one to make the bill state wide had been voted down. If it passes the Senate it must still have to be voted on by people of Livingston county before becoming operative.

Rep. Holbeck introduced a joint resolution permitting the state to improve rivers and streams. State improvements are now limited to roads and bridges.

Rep. Ate Dykstra introduced a bill for the licensing of "beauty culturists." Bill would apply to barbers. The measure is from the established beauty parlors.

Rep. Darin proposes to exempt fraternity and sorority houses at educational institutions from taxation. Exemption from taxation is one reason for too heavy present taxation on property not exempt.

Rep. Hall's bill for more strict grading of Michigan apples passed the House without opposition and now goes to the Senate.

The first really animated debate of the session in the House featured the Thursday afternoon session when the criminal code was in committee of the whole. Rep. Dykstra led the movement against any charge in the present liquor laws and the arguments were hot and heavy but the bill was passed to third reading and is to be made a special order for 2:30 Thursday afternoon. Then there will be more oratory. Rep. Watson defended the proposed amendments, saying they had the support of the governor, the attorney general and of the prosecuting attorneys of the state. He resented the implication that the wet and dry proposition was a consideration; that the amendments were in the real interest of law and order.

A measure introduced by Rep. Warner would permit the state to lease land on campuses of state educational institutions for the erection of dormitories.

Rep. Miller introduced a bill providing that if plaintiffs in malpractice suits against physicians, surgeons and osteopaths establish evidence that they sustained damage as the result of treatment it should be prima facie evidence.

Testimony of husband or wife would be competent in divorce actions involving adultery under a bill introduced by Rep. McColl.

Senator Conlon proposes home rule

of counties under a plan similar to that now in use in many cities, to consolidate responsibility and increase efficiency.

Rep. Haight Friday morning introduced a bill reducing the unauthorized wearing of lodge or fraternity pins and emblems from a felony, which it now is under the statutes, to a misdemeanor, to prevent a mandatory life sentence under a fourth offense.

A bill introduced by Rep. Reed would require township treasurers to immediately transmit to the treasurers of school districts direct the tax money assessed against lands on which taxes are returned to the county treasurer as uncollectable.

Rep. Feighner introduced a bill at the Friday session which would legalize condemnation proceedings of agricultural societies, for additional lands for fair purposes.

Rep. Cuthbertson sponsors a bill authorizing sterilization of insane, feeble-minded, epileptics, moral degenerates and sexual perverses by proper authorities, without consent of the person to be sterilized, an amendment to the present sterilization laws.

The governor, lieutenant governor, Speaker Ming, Supreme Judge Potter, Senators Atwood, Campbell, Richardson and Woodruff, Representatives Snow, Teagen, Palmer, Robertson, Bushnell, Bailey and aWrd, with others made up a party which made an air trip to Kalamazoo Thursday to attend the aviation conference. Two big planes from Detroit and two smaller ones from the local field made the trip. One big ship in the party made the return trip from Kalamazoo to Lansing in 35 minutes. The party was in charge of Rep. Wilbur Snow of Kalamazoo, who is chairman of the House committee on aeronautics.

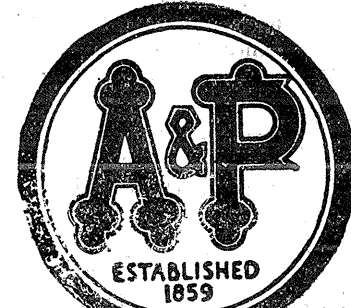
Pretty Scottish Custom

In the song "Comin' Thro' the Rye" reference is to the fording of the River Rye. Custom established a toll of kisses to be exacted from lassies who were met in crossing the stream on the stepping stones.

Founder's Week

SALE

All A & P Stores are celebrating this week in honor of their Company's Founder. Exceptional Low Prices prevail on fine, Quality Groceries of Nation-wide fame.



"WHERE ECONOMY RULES"

Scratch Feed

100-lb tag

\$2.19

Pure Cane Sugar

25-lb bag

\$1.39

Chipso Large Size 2 pkgs 37c
Cigarettes 5 Brands ctn \$1.15

Pure Lard

2 lbs 25c

Campbell's Beans

or
Tomato Soup

3 cans 25c

N.B.C. Premium Sodas 2-lb pkg 29c
Shredded Wheat 2 pkgs 19c
Scot Tissue Paper 3 rolls 23c
Jack Frost Sugar 5-lb pkg 29c
White House Milk 3 tall cans 25c
Rinso large pkg 19c
Swansdown Cake Flour pkg 29c
Bananas 3 lbs 19c

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Local Happenings

Mrs. Dennis O'Connor spent Saturday with relatives in Ionia.

Angus McPhail transacted business in Gladwin last week Thursday.

Mrs. Orpha Watson of Dryden is spending two weeks with her cousin, Mrs. M. L. Gulick.

Mrs. A. J. Wallace, Morley Tindale and Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Tindale spent Wednesday in Detroit.

Stanley Heron entertained his brothers, Graydon, of Pontiac and Allen of Grant, Sunday evening.

Mrs. Lewis Travis is nursing Mrs. J. T. Strange, who is very ill at the home of her daughter, Mrs. P. J. Alured.

Word has been received that Miss Goldie Ward of Detroit has been taken to the tuberculosis sanitarium at Northville.

Mrs. I. D. McCoy and Mrs. M. B. Auten spent a few days this week with friends and relatives in Detroit and Ann Arbor.

Mrs. Edward Sutton of Novesta suffered a slight stroke of the right side Saturday. She was taken to the Morris Hospital for treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Striffler, Mrs. J. C. Corkins, Mrs. E. W. Kercher and son, Gerald, visited Mrs. Catherine Muck at Colwood Friday afternoon.

W. D. Schooley, who has been quite ill for over a week, is on the road to recovery and is able to be in his store part of the time.

The Methodist Missionary Society held a social afternoon at the home of Mrs. Earl Douglas Thursday. All the ladies of the church were invited to attend.

E. W. Keating left Friday for Detroit to attend a father and son banquet with his son, Harley. The banquet was given by Friendship Lodge, F. & A. M.

Mrs. A. A. Brian and daughter, Miss Mabel, Mrs. L. E. Dickinson, Mrs. Harold Dickinson, and Mrs. Clifford Secord spent Sunday afternoon in Caro at the George Albrandt home.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Come of Lansing were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Dilman Friday night. They were on their way to attend the funeral of Mrs. Come's father at Elkton.

Mrs. George Burt entertained her sister and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Somes, of Flint at her home on West street from Friday until Sunday. On Monday, she entertained another brother-in-law, Robert Woadel of St. Clair.

"Metals" will be the subject of papers at the next meeting of the Woman's Study Club which will be held Tuesday, March 5. The program for the day is, "Silver and Pewter," Mrs. N. Gillies, "Wrought Iron and Brass," Mrs. G. A. Striffler.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Bigham and son, Lloyd, Jr., of Pontiac spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Bigham. Other Sunday guests at the Bighams home were Mrs. Walter McCool and Leo McLean of Shabbona and Delwin Watson of Ft. Huron.

A most delightful time was held on Friday evening, Feb. 22, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alex Milligan when about fifty friends and neighbors gathered to help Mrs. Milligan and George W. Seed celebrate their birthdays. Games and music furnished the evening's entertainment and a supper was served.

Miss Viola Quick, who was expected home in March from San Jose, California, surprised her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Quick, by arriving here Saturday evening. Miss Quick has been in California since last July. She was accompanied here from Pontiac by Basil Tolson, Miss Bernice Quick and Frank Hayes, who spent the week-end at the Quick home.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Graham and son, Raymond, of Detroit spent Sunday in Cass City. Mrs. D. R. Graham, who had spent two weeks with relatives in Detroit returned to her home in Cass City with them. John Graham of Dennison, Minnesota, son of Mrs. D. R. Graham, who has been away from Cass City for nearly 23 years, also accompanied them to Cass City and is spending two weeks with his mother.

Word has been received of the marriage of Miss Alice Wells to William Grill of Great Falls, Montana, which took place Thursday, Jan. 31. Mrs. Grill is a daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Wells, formerly of Cass City. Mr. and Mrs. Grill took a trip through California, Mexico and Arizona, visited the Grand Canyon and returned to Montana by way of Portland, Oregon. They will be at home to their friends after March 7, at 217 Central Ave., Great Falls.

The Woman's Missionary Society of the Presbyterian church will hold their next regular meeting Thursday, March 7, at the home of Mrs. G. A. Striffler with Mrs. Striffler and Mrs. Paul as hostesses. The program for the day follows: Prayer service, Mrs. Cole. Chairman of program, Mrs. Kelsey. "The Immigrant," Mrs. Taylor. Religious news, Mrs. Pinney. As this is the last meeting of the year, members who have not paid their dues are asked to look after them at this time.

Forest Tyo spent Sunday and Monday in Detroit.

Angus McPhail was in Detroit on business Monday.

Mrs. Wm. Crandell is spending the week with relatives in Detroit.

Miss Mabel Brian and Stanley Heron were Saginaw callers Monday.

Miss Laura DeWitt left Saturday for Pontiac where she will be employed.

Miss Grace Wagg of Novesta spent the week-end with Miss Norma Wentworth.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas McVeigh are spending two weeks with relatives in Detroit.

Miss Helen Smith of Deford spent the week with her sister, Mrs. Manley Asher.

Abbie Ward of Detroit spent from Friday until Sunday with relatives in Cass City.

Donald Lorentzen, who has been employed in Detroit, returned to Cass City Thursday.

Harry Sutton left Tuesday morning for Sarnia, Ont., to spend two days with his mother.

Miss Thelma Warner of Saginaw visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Warner, Thursday.

A. D. McIntyre of Saginaw visited his father, George McIntyre, at the home of Mrs. E. Hunter Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Cooley and children of Owendale visited Mr. Cooley's mother, Mrs. Agnes Cooley, Tuesday.

The Baptist Ladies' Aid held a business meeting this afternoon (Friday) at the home of Mrs. C. U. Brown.

Mrs. E. B. Schwaderer returned Tuesday from a two weeks' visit with her sister, Miss Mary McIntyre, at Columbiaville.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Champion and Kilbourn Parsons were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Parsons at Caro.

Charles Stears of Detroit, Wm. Mattson and Mrs. L. Mattson of Pontiac were Saturday guests of Mrs. Harve Mattson.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Kercher and two sons spent Sunday at the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John H. Kercher at Elkton.

John Pomfret, salesman of the Mich-I-Penn Oil and Grease Co. of Detroit, spent Monday and Monday night with Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Warner.

Alex Tyo entertained sixteen of his friends Monday evening in honor of his sixteenth birthday. Games were played and a birthday luncheon was served.

The Methodist Ladies' Aid held their regular monthly business meeting Monday afternoon at Mrs. M. D. Hart's. Work was planned for the coming months. The hostess served tea and wafers.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Champion and children, Audrey and Francis Dean, of St. Louis spent from Friday until Monday with relatives in town. Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Champion accompanied them to St. Louis and are spending the week there.

Mrs. John West and Mrs. Andrew Bigelow entertained three tables of bridge Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. West in honor of the birthdays of Mr. West and Mr. Bigelow. Prizes were won by Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Taylor. Refreshments were served.

Members of the Chronicle force spent a few hours away from office duties on Monday when they enjoyed a six o'clock dinner at Saginaw and saw the talking movie of Al Jolson in "The Singing Fool" at the Franklin theater. In the party were Mrs. L. Bailey, E. W. Kercher, Miss Gladys Lenzner and Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Lenzner.

At a meeting of the Cass City Livestock Club on Wednesday evening, the following officers were elected: President, Audley Horner; vice president, Ephraim Knight; secretary, Clarence Merchant; treasurer, Chas. Simkins. The club name was changed to the Cass City Livestock Betterment Club. There were 40 club members present. The next meeting will be held March 15.

Twenty-one members of the Cass City Woman's Study Club were guests of the Kingston Woman's Club Monday evening. The program was on art. Percy Britton, art and music teacher in the Marlette school, gave an interesting talk on art and painting. Musical numbers were given by Mr. Britton and by members of the High School Glee club. Refreshments were served. The meeting was held at the home of Mrs. Thelma Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip McComb were much surprised Sunday when they saw a party of people trudging through the heavy snow on the highway which leads to their farm home. Cars had been left at the center line road and the travelers came loaded with baskets and parcels of food and stayed to enjoy an oyster dinner and spend the afternoon. Those present included Mr. and Mrs. David McComb and family, Mr. and Mrs. John Haley, Al Haley, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd McComb and family and James McKin-

Miss Mabel Brian entertained Miss Elva Heron of Grant and Leslie Proudfoot of Owendale Sunday evening at a seven o'clock dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Benkelman, who attended the funeral of Mr. Benkelman's brother, George, at St. Francis, Kansas, are now visiting their daughter, Mrs. A. T. Ball, at Roselle, New Jersey.

SILVER TROPHY CUPS FOR SPELLING CONTESTANTS

Silver trophy cups will be presented by School Commissioner Harry C. Smith to the winner of each township elimination contest conducted as a part of the countywide spelling contest. Township eliminations will be held in the various townships March 15, with the finals to be held at Sandusky March 22. Only the winner and runner-up of each township contest may enter the finals. Only the winner however, will be presented with a cup in each township. A total of 26 silver cups were ordered this week, also a larger trophy for the county spelling champion. The contest is the first to be sponsored by the school commissioner's office.

Italian Auto Roads

Automobile roads in Italy are known as "autostrada." Autostrada are not a part of the state highway system, but are owned, controlled and operated by private concerns. The state pays an annuity to the operating companies and they are permitted to impose and collect tolls. Eventually the state will own the roads.

Ended War of 1812

On December 24, 1814, a treaty was signed by American and English officials ending the War of 1812. This treaty was signed at Ghent, Belgium. In the treaty England agreed to restore to the United States all the American property seized.

Aid in Apoplexy

First aid in apoplexy or "stroke" consists in loosening the clothing about the chest and neck, keeping the head slightly elevated and applying cold to the head and heat to the feet. Summon a physician as soon as possible.

Problem for Science

Science can explain almost everything except why the static is always much stronger when the radio is being shown off to visitors.—Louisville Times.

His Own Shock Absorber

The Louisville Times mentions another advantage a fat man has over a lean one. When a revolving door, through which a fat man is passing, stops suddenly, it can't hit him in the face.—Capper's Weekly.

Colonial Delicacy

In Colonial times a form of corn bread was called Journey cake or cakes, and was probably cooked for carrying on a journey. The word has become "johnny" as it lost its significance.

Wise Words From Shaw

You cannot believe in honor until you have achieved it. Better keep yourself clean and bright: you are the window through which you must see the world.—Bernard Shaw.

Criticism

A person who cannot stand criticism, who is always on the self-defensive, is almost invariably the person who is intensely personal and who relates everything to himself. states a student of life in the Woman's Home Companion.

Village Election.

Notice is hereby given to the qualified electors of the village of Cass City, County of Tuscola, State of Michigan, that the next ensuing annual village election will be held at the council rooms, within said village on

Monday, March 11, A. D. 1929 at which election the following village officers are to be elected, viz.:

One Village President, one Village Clerk, one Village Treasurer, one Assessor; also three Trustees for two years.

Relative to Opening and Closing of the Polls.

Sec. 1. On the day of any election the polls shall be opened at seven o'clock in the forenoon, or as soon thereafter as may be, and shall be continued open until five o'clock in the afternoon and no longer. Provided, That in townships the board of inspectors of election may, in its discretion, adjourn the polls at twelve o'clock noon, for one hour, and that the township board in townships and the legislative body in cities and villages may, by resolution adopted fifteen days prior to the election and published with the notice of the election, provide that the polls shall be opened at six o'clock in the forenoon, and may also provide that the polls shall be kept open not later than eight o'clock in the evening of the same day.

The polls of said election will open at 7 o'clock a. m., or as soon thereafter as may be, and will remain open until 5 o'clock p. m. of said day of election.

Dated this 1st day of February, A. D. 1929.

C. M. WALLACE, Clerk of Said Village.

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DAIRY FACTS

PREVENT LOSS BY CLEAN HANDLING

Souring is Caused by Bacteria After Milking.

Clean production, prompt cooling, and frequent deliveries will prevent the souring of milk and will put dollars in the pockets of dairy farmers.

"This souring is caused by bacteria which get into the milk after it is drawn from the cow and can only be prevented by the most careful handling," says John A. Arey, extension dairyman at North Carolina State college.

When first drawn from the cow, milk contains very few if any of the bacteria and the contamination comes from outside sources. Chief among these are the cow's body, the hands of the person doing the milking, the air and the containers.

Mr. Arey states that all of the sources can be eliminated by seeing that the cow's flanks and udder are thoroughly cleaned before milking, that the milker's hands are clean, and that all vessels or containers have been cleaned and sterilized.

These containers should first be rinsed in lukewarm water and then scrubbed with a heavy brush in water to which has been added a strong alkali solution. They should then be sterilized with live steam or some chemical made for that purpose. All utensils in which the seams are not well flushed with solder should be avoided as these crevices are hard to clean and furnish a harboring place for bacteria.

The milk should be cooled as soon as possible after milking, placed in the containers in which it is to be delivered and stored in a refrigerator or cooling tank. Only by taking these precautions can the dairyman prevent the milk from souring and be sure of delivering pure, sweet milk to the market, states Mr. Arey.

Give Dairy Cows Silage With Their Winter Feed

Corn silage is the best and most economical way of providing cattle with the succulence necessary in dairy feeding, says the New York State College of Agriculture at Ithaca, New York. Some way must be provided to carry pasture conditions over into winter feeding and silage is the best form of succulence to be provided.

Good legume hay with a succulent feed furnishes a combination of protein, minerals, and succulence which comes as near as possible to pasture conditions. This palatable and bulky feed is good for the digestive tract, and is economical as a source of carbohydrates. Corn silage stimulates the appetites of the animals so that they do not easily go off feed; they consume larger amounts of roughage than when fed on hay alone.

Get Cow Into Condition During Its Dry Period

Largest profit during the milking period may be expected only from cows that have been gotten in good condition during the dry period. Cows that are thin at calving time never have an opportunity to do their best.

Silage and a legume hay are the best foundation of a ration for the heifer or dry cow. The fitting ration should be fed liberally (from 7 to 12 pounds per day) for a period of four to six weeks before calving excepting that when within a week or ten days of calving it is best to change to a lighter and milder laxative ration. Equal parts of corn or hominy feed, wheat bran, ground oats, and from 10 to 25 per cent of linseed oil meal approaches the ideal as a grain mixture for the preparation period.

Dairy Facts

It doesn't pay to overfeed. Overfeeding usually leads to digestive disorders that play hob with the calf.

Inch board overlays or cork brick floors under cows insure against many under troubles which arise from cold concrete floors.

Experiments at different experiment stations show that ground corn is worth 16 per cent more than whole corn when fed to dairy cows.

Slimy, stringy, andropy milk are all caused by bacteria. Such bacteria may come from water or ice, and cows after wading through surface water may carry these bacteria on their bodies to the barn.

Sweet clover pastures seem to give best satisfaction to dairymen who supplement the pasture with silage, hay or grain.

Grooming cows will directly or indirectly prove profitable. It improves the quality of the milk and affords satisfaction to the owner.

Particular care must be taken of milk and cream. They should be kept in a cool place in earthen or glass containers, and should be covered so as not to absorb any sort of odors.

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Mayville-Cass City.

Mayville	FG	FT	PF	TP
Parker, lf	3	3	0	9
Youngfer, rf	0	1	2	1
Dickerson, c	1	2	3	4
Jones, lg	1	1	2	3
Blackmore, rg	1	1	3	3
Moudsley, sub	0	1	0	1
Totals	6	9	10	21

Cass City	FG	FT	PF	TP
Flint, lf	5	2	2	12
McCullough, rf	1	1	1	3
Brown, c	2	0	3	4
Ross, lg	0	0	0	0
Edgerton, rg	0	0	2	0
Bohnsack, sub	2	0	0	4
Totals	10	3	8	23

Caro-Vassar.

Caro	FG	FT	PF	TP
Hess, lf	2	3	1	7
Greene, rf	2	3	4	7
Jewell, c	1	0	1	2
McMahon, lg	0	2	1	2
Ellis, rg	2	1	2	5
Nokes, sub	0	0	2	0
Totals	7	9	11	23

Vassar	FG	FT	PF	TP
Giddings, lf	0	3	2	3
Wellmeyer, rf	2	1	0	5
Bogert, c	1	1	4	3
Conway, lg	1	0	4	2
Adams, rg	2	0	3	4
Gaunt, sub	1	0	0	2
Roth, sub	0	0	1	0
Totals	7	5	14	19

Unionville-Kingston.

Unionville	FG	FT	PF	TP
E. Fox, lf	1	1	2	3
Luther, rf	1	3	2	5
Streeter, c	3	2	3	8
Buchterkirch, lg	1	0	3	2
Hageman, rg	1	0	3	2
Block, lg	0	1	0	1
Totals	7	8	13	21

Kingston	FG	FT	PF	TP
Hickey, lf	0	2	0	0
Sinclair, rf	1	1	3	3
Schwaderer, c	1	2	2	4
Peter, lg	1	2	2	4
Bass, rg	0	0	0	0
Totals	3	5	9	11

Reese-Gagetown.

Reese	FG	FT	PF	TP
Schram, lf	1	1	0	3
Buetow, rf	1	0	0	2
Ryan, c	3	1	1	7
French, lg	0	0	0	0
Stine, rg	0	0	1	0
Herrberger, sub	0	0	1	0
Tennant, sub	0	0	2	0
Totals	5	2	5	12

Gagetown	FG	FT	PF	TP
Crowell, lf	2	0	2	4
C. Beach, rf	2	2	0	6
Jankech, c	2	2	0	6
Kish, lg	2	0	1	4
K. Beach, rg	0	0	4	0
Ziehm, sub	2	0	0	4
Totals	10	4	7	24

Gagetown-Unionville.

Gagetown	FG	FT	PF	TP
C. Beach, lf	0	3	0	3

Notice of Hearing Claims before Court.—State of Michigan, The Probate Court for the County of Tuscola. In the Matter of the Estate of Mary Buerk, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given that 4 months from the 11th day of February A. D. 1929, have been allowed for creditors to present their claims against said deceased to said court for examination and adjustment, and that all creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said court, at the probate office, in the Village of Caro in said county, on or before the 11th day of June A. D. 1929, and that said claims will be heard by said court on Tuesday the 11th day of June A. D. 1929, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated February 11, A. D. 1929.

GUY G. HILL, Judge of Probate.

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Crowell, rf	2	0	4	4
Jankech, c	1	1	0	3
Kish, lg	1	0	0	2
K. Beach, rg	0	0	2	0
Ziehm, sub	1	1	4	3
Totals	5	5	10	15

Unionville

Between You and Me

"Common sense is the most uncommon kind of sense."

By HAROLD BELL WRIGHT

Team Work

"It's true enough that most men are born of women—at the same time, you'll take notice that most of us has a daddy."—Preachin' Bill

NEVER you mind what some say. Boys and girls are a lot more valuable than race horses, Persian cats or Pekingese dogs. Yes, and they are a lot more fun.

It is a poor sort of a youngster that is not worth saving. Even if the girl is your child, you can never tell—it might pay you to give her a decent chance. As for your son—well, you know, there will always be room in the penitentiary for him, if you work things right!

Speaking generally, one need not expect eighteen-karat children from ten-karat parents—occasionally, though, the unexpected happens.

Did you ever wonder what a baby would say if it could talk when it was born?

Yes, I know, it is easy to imagine that some people were born talking; but that is not what I mean.

I think the tiny "just-arrived" would take a good long look at its mother, smile a knowing little smile and then remark: "Well, Mother, here we are but where is the other one?"

"The other one?" mother would falter—not being able at the moment to think of anyone but her baby and herself.

"Yes. There were three of us when this thing started. What has become of Dad? Why isn't he here to hold up his end of this job? Why should you and I do all the hard work?"

And when the doctor or nurse or somebody had hustled out and dragged in the fond papa, I think baby would look the guilty man over doubtfully and then address the pair:

"I feel, parents, it is only fair to everybody concerned that we three have a clear understanding right now. There is no sense in waiting until

Because a man knows more ways to make a fool of himself, he must not, therefore, conclude that he is wiser than a child.

A mother who assumes that her child is thoughtless thereby proves herself incapable of thinking.

We hear much complaint these days about the younger generation's lack of respect for parental authority. But what about the respect which parents owe their children?

Blessed is that man or woman who knows what to say to a child. It is better to be big enough to talk to children than little enough to preach to grown-ups.

Help your boys and girls to think straight. Teach them to accept as perfectly natural the fact that they are better than some of the boys and girls they know about, just as you, their parents, are better than the fathers and mothers of those less fortunate boys and girls.

you have made an unholy mess of things. What we must do is to start right."

To this the doctor would nod his head in solemn agreement; the nurse would look mildly astonished; the parents would know not what to say.

"You must remember," baby would continue, "that I did not ask to come here. You did not even consult me. For all you know I did not want to come. I was doing very well where I was. But here I am and I want to know right now what you propose to do about it. You are both equally responsible for my presence in this strange land. You know the country; I don't. And so I shall hold you both equally responsible for whatever happens to me until I get used to things a little and can begin to find my way around alone."

The parents would look rather more than frightened by now. And I think baby would give them a little reassuring smile before continuing sternly:

"You see, I am an experiment, at best. And you certainly cannot, under the circumstances, expect me to insure the outcome. In a few years I may be able to help a little, but by that time my future will be more or less determined. So it is practically all up to you. And, between you and me, parents, nothing but the finest team work on your part can save this enterprise which you have undertaken from turning out a disastrous and humiliating failure."

I somehow suspect that this whole problem of child training is another one of those things about which the more we talk the less we know.

Because a man knows more ways to make a fool of himself, he must not, therefore, conclude that he is wiser than a child. A mother who assumes that her child is thoughtless thereby proves herself incapable of thinking. The fact is the average youngster will think all around the average older before the grown-up can get under way, and a child knows

more in a minute about humanity than humanity knows about itself in a thousand years. To prove this watch with what unerring judgment babies choose their friends.

Honor that one whom children love; be on your guard against any person whom the children fear, and you will be right more often than if you depend upon Bradstreet or a church membership roll.

We hear much complaint these days about the younger generation's lack of respect for parental authority. But what about the respect which parents owe their children?

For several years now, I have felt that the admonition, "Honor thy father and thy mother"—as it is usually given, without the parallel admonitions to parents—takes too much for granted. It assumes, for instance, that all fathers and mothers are worthy of being honored. Well, you and I know that the most godless, bestial, vicious, criminal human creatures in existence do bring children into this world. How can such unfortunate children honor such parents, and why should they?

While we are on this subject, there is another Scripture which somehow seems to have escaped parental notice: "The children ought not to lay up for the parents but the parents for the children." Perhaps I should add that this was written by a childless old bachelor.

But there are some things about child training of which we may be fairly certain.

For instance, every child is different. Try as they may, with textbooks, conventions, and laws, our educators can never succeed in making them all alike. You see, the boys and girls simply can't help it. Their parents are all different, too.

Somewhere today the Napoleon of tomorrow is mobilizing his army of tin soldiers, or dragging his cannon across the nursery floor. And the time to capture these great war makers is very soon after they are born.

Somewhere tonight the Lincoln of the morning lisps his understanding of divinity. And the time to secure the best legislation is when our law makers are trying to "shee how zee w'eels g'round."

Blessed is that man or woman who knows what to say to a child. It is better to be big enough to talk to children than little enough to preach to grown-ups.

Advice is depressing. Demonstration is catching. But one can never teach a child by showing it what not to do.

The doctors all agree that love is good medicine. It is a wonderful tonic and may be taken in many different ways. A boy usually likes his best with a little ginger in it. If he does not, be very careful of the case.

Most important of all, I think, is self-respect. Self-respect is the anchor of character. What one knows about one's self counts for much more than personal mention in the columns of the home-town paper. So long as self-respect holds one may ride out the wildest storm, but once let that anchor drag and shipwreck is certain.

As I have said before, this equality stuff is dangerous. When you say to your children, "You are no better than anyone else," look out! The growing youngsters will need a lot of the salt of common sense to save themselves from such rot.

Help your boys and girls to think straight. Teach them to accept as perfectly natural the fact that they are better than some of the boys and girls they know about, just as you, their parents, are better than the fathers and mothers of those less fortunate boys and girls. And then—why then, because they are better than some other children, and because Dad and Mom are better than some other fathers and mothers, "there are some things that we simply do not do. We do not do those things because we are not that kind of people. Of course we could do those things if we wanted to. But we don't want to because if we did we would be, in fact, no better than anyone else."

Oh, yes indeed, then you must bear down hard on the personal responsibility which goes with being better than some other people. Exactly! This system will work only when father and mother are, in fact, better than some other fathers and mothers. It will not work at all when father and mother merely assume that they are better than other people. If you are not reasonably certain of this factor in your problem you must proceed with great caution.

However, if your team work was somewhere near 100 per cent before your first was born, you may be reasonably certain that you are a whole lot better than most parents.

You may be sure, too, that, given this starting chance, the other members of the growing family will do their share, and that father and mother and sons and daughters will more and more pull together as the years go by.

With this sort of teamwork the game is as good as won. Without it—well—games have been won by those who are forced to play a lone hand, but the odds against such a victory are heavy.

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Gases in Warfare

Many efforts have been made in the past to use various gases—chiefly sulphur dioxide—in warfare. As early as 431 B. C. the Spartans, in besieging the cities of Belium and Platea, burned pitch and sulphur under the walls of these cities in order to break down their defense by suffocation of the troops of the cities.

DAIRY FACTS

KEEP COWS CLEAN AND COMFORTABLE

Maintenance so far as possible of summer conditions for dairy cows in winter calls for a good snug barn in which the dairy stock will be comfortable the coldest days. "It is not necessary that the temperature of the barn be kept anything like that of a human dwelling," says Dr. C. H. Eckles, chief of dairying of the University of Minnesota, "but on the other hand a barn so cold that the manure freezes every night will have a bad effect on milk production and will therefore be the means of losing money for the cow owner."

"Ventilation is important. Fresh air for the cow is as great a necessity as feed and is cheap to supply. If a barn is thoroughly wind proof and has a good roof the cows will not suffer much from cold. In the northern states the barn should be insulated by being boarded up on the inside. If frost gathers on inside walls of a barn in cold weather, causing them to drip moisture as the temperature rises, the ventilation is poor. But ventilation alone in a cold climate will not prevent frosty walls; proper insulation is needed."

"Any changes in the barn that will improve the sanitary conditions, or that will make it easier to keep the cows clean, should be made now. Let it be remembered that the barn is a place to prepare human food and that the health and even lives of the children of the country depend to a goodly extent upon conditions in the stable where milk is produced. To produce clean milk requires clean cows. A good floor, a gutter of proper depth and width, and especially a platform of the right length for the animals, are the first things necessary to keep cows clean in the ordinary barn."

"Imitate summer conditions both as to feed and comfort of the animals, and winter production will be as satisfactory as early summer, with the price generally better."

Preventable Separator

Losses Total Large Sum

What is the annual loss to dairymen from faulty separation of cream from the milk? Unless the dairyman is one who feels that a certain amount of whole milk should be fed to the hogs or chickens, how much butterfat can be considered wasted because it is fed along with the skim milk to these farm animals?

During a single month Iowa cow testers reported that the preventable losses through poor separation in 79 associations totaled \$493.50. The fact that this loss is preventable is reason enough for being interested in the matter, disregarding the fact that the loss amounts to approximately \$6,000 annually to members of the Iowa cow testing associations.

Temporary mishaps in separator operation may cause a slight preventable loss, but, on the whole, the fault usually rests with the separator. A clean separator that is set level, is properly oiled and run at the correct and uniform speed will get the butterfat from the milk as it should and will not contribute to this annual waste.

Winter Protection for Dairy Cows Important

When the cold rains, sleet and snows of winter bother the dairyman, barn roofs prove to be cheaper shelters for dairy cows than the backs of animals. Some classes of stock can be wintered very satisfactorily out of doors in stormy weather, but exposure to such weather will immediately cause the dairy cow to decrease her milk flow. In addition to a decreased milk flow the cow will be required to consume more feed in order to maintain her body heat, both resulting in increased feed consumption in proportion to the amount of milk received.

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Corn silage contains vitamins which are essential elements in the growth and development of the animal body. This is one of the secrets of the success of the silo.

THUMB DISTRICT NEWS PARAGRAPHS

Joseph Santo, Marion township paid fine and costs of \$19.85 before Justice Noel A. Babcock Monday on pleading guilty to a charge of falsely swearing that he was a citizen in order to obtain a hunting license. Conservation Officer George Trigger made the arrest. The law provides that an alien may not be issued a hunting license, and one of the requirements is that a person state he is a citizen.

Harbor Beach citizens will vote at the April election on issuing \$30,000 in bonds to improve the waterworks system of that city. The proposed improvements include the laying of a new eight-inch main from the pump house to the business district, to install a settling basin and repair, if necessary, the intake pipe into the lake.

Sanilac county farm bureau members met in quarterly meeting last Friday featured by talks by state farm bureau officials and county highway and drain authorities. A good representation was present. C. L. Nash and Newell Gale were officials of the state bureau who spoke on farm bureau organization. Bert R. Walker, drain commissioner, and Walter J. Allen of the Sanilac road commission office were other speakers. Discussion of problems effecting agriculture was a feature of the meeting.

A. L. Cook has been engaged by the Harbor Beach school board as superintendent of schools in that city for another school year, starting next September. Mr. Cook is serving his seventh year at Harbor Beach.

Four liquor defendants pleaded guilty before Judge X. A. Boomhower in circuit court at Bad Axe Thursday. Ignatz Peruski of Paris township was sentenced to serve from six months to two years in Ionia state reformatory for possession of liquor. A \$300 fine was paid by Tony Synosky who was placed on probation for two years. He admitted possession of liquor. Henry Kudlak of Paris township was sentenced to serve 60 days in the county jail for possession. His wife was placed on probation for two years for selling liquor.

Paving of M-19 between Peck and Sandusky will be carried out this summer, County Engineer Ralph A. Ulbright said this week on his return from Lansing. Orders have been issued in the state highway department for a survey of the 11-mile stretch of road to be started as soon as the snow is thawed sufficiently to permit levels to be taken. The survey should be completed by May 1, the engineer said. Plans and specifications will be rushed following the survey, and contracts may be ready for letting by July 1, Mr. Ulbright states. Completion of the pavement by fall is seen by Mr. Ulbright barring unfavorable weather. Should two contractors be awarded the job working from opposite ends of the project, construction work will be further expedited. Highway boosters at the county seat have expended much effort to secure the paving of M-19 south from Sandusky. The trunkline is the shortest direct route to Detroit, and handles practically all of Sanilac county milk taken to Detroit. The 11-mile stretch to Peck will leave nine miles of gravel to Yale, seven of which is in Sanilac. The eventual paving of this stretch of road is foreseen by boosters. The proposed paving will be the first hard surfaced road out of Sandusky. The trunkline has been christened, "the milky way" by Dr. George S. Tweedie, ardent booster for the concrete highway.

The Brown City dairy was robbed this week of 60 pounds of butter by thieves who used a skeleton key to unlock the side door. Officers are investigating the theft. All the butter on hand to begin the week's business was taken. No other goods was taken.

Obituary

Dr. Thomas Sage.

Dr. Thomas Sage of Caseville died early Monday at the age of 58 years, 10 months, after an illness of two years. The body was removed to the McPhail Funeral Home at Cass City and later taken to Detroit, where it was cremated, in accordance with his wishes.

During his residence in Caseville, Dr. Sage had been prominent in village and county politics. He was president of the village in 1925 and Democratic candidate for sheriff in Huron County in 1926.

Dr. Sage was formerly a resident of Detroit. He was born in Blossburg, Pa. He was graduated from the Philadelphia College of Pharmacy and the Baltimore College of Physicians and Surgeons. He held professorships at various times at the Detroit College of Medicine and Surgery, the Medical College of Virginia and the Chicago College of Medicine and Surgery. Following his professorship in Detroit, he moved to Caseville where he engaged in practice. Surviving are his widow, Cora E., and a son, Thomas Jr.

Mrs. John Parrott.

Margaret Ake was born at Rawley Kent County, Canada, March 1, 1842. There she spent her early life. During the year of 1857, she was united in marriage to John Parrott. To this union, fourteen children were born. Six of these children preceded her in death.

John and Margaret Parrott came to

Let's Stop Making This A Dumping Ground

By Albert T. Reid



Sanilac County, Michigan, in 1883. In 1884, they moved to Shabbona. While living at Shabbona, she became a member of the Re-organized Church of Latter Day Saints on April 29, 1895. She was baptized by Elder Wm. Davis of Ubyly.

In the fall of 1904, they moved to Legrand, Michigan, where they resided until five years ago, when they returned to Shabbona and made their home with their son, George, until Mrs. Parrott's death, which occurred Feb. 23, 1929, at the age of 86 years, 11 months, 22 days.

Those left to mourn her loss are her aged husband, 97 years of age, three daughters, Mrs. Belinda Hunt of Kewadin, Mrs. R. A. Ormsbee of Afton, Mrs. Wm. Dunlap of Decker, five sons, Joseph of Cass City, Abraham of Vanderbilt, Frank and John of Indian River, and George of Shabbona, and 64 grandchildren, 86 great grandchildren, four great great grandchildren, and many friends.

The funeral was held at the Latter Day Saint church at Shabbona on Wednesday at two o'clock, Elder Myron Karr officiating. Interment was in Shabbona cemetery.

MARLETTE RURAL ROUTES REDUCED TO FIVE

Due to the resignation of Frank H. Boyne, rural carrier on Marlette route three, a general reorganization of the service has been ordered by the postal department. His route will be absorbed by the remaining routes and Marlette will have but five rural routes.

Route number one, of which C. H. King is carrier, is not affected. Route numbers two and four are the two most seriously affected, because their routes fall the greater portion of what was route three.

NOVESTA CORNERS.

Henry Wells is on the sick list. Miss Eunice Lee is confined to her home with scarlet fever.

Montford Sharp and brother-in-law of Clawson spent the week-end with the former's family here.

Mrs. Wm. Patch and children, Harry and Dorothy Wentworth of Royal Oak spent Saturday night and Sunday with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Clark are visiting friends in Pontiac and Detroit. They are leaving for Flint where they expect to find employment.

Mrs. Archie McLarty and son, Jack, of Auburn Heights spent from Saturday until Monday with his parents, Mr. and George Collins.

Wm. Hicks returned Sunday to Detroit after spending the past week with his family here.

Elmer Collins of Detroit spent over Sunday with his family here.

Miss Teresa Sangster was entertained Sunday at the home of Miss Olive Cook near Decker.

Mrs. Wm. Hicks entertained at Sunday dinner her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Bartlett of Cass City and an uncle from Deckerville.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Biddle of Cass City were entertained for supper Tuesday at the E. Biddle home.

Mrs. Wm. Patch and children of Royal Oak and Mrs. Julius Wentworth and Lucile Wentworth were entertained for Sunday dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Wentworth at Cass City.

The F. W. B. Ladies' Aid of Novesta Corners will meet Tuesday, March 5, with Miss Iva Biddle for dinner. All are cordially invited to come.

Advertise it in the Chronicle.

'Round Home

by CHAS. S. KINNISON

The Right Foot

Our little girl, the roguish elf, At last knows how to dress herself. And thus it is she takes away A gentle task of mine each day. And now I'm sorry, I confess, That I no longer help to dress The little tyke, except that I The stubborn shoe-strings still may tie.

It's still my happy privilege, too—As she holds up a little shoe With puzzled eyes, but smiling face—To tell which foot the shoe should grace. "Is this the right foot, Dad," she'll say—And, oh, I hope I always may Be asked for help when she's in doubt, And take her hand and lead her out.

I pray that I might have the sight To see the way that's true and right—And when she's grown to girlhood sweet, I would that I might guide her feet. I pray she'll always feel that she Should bring her problems all to me. And may she ask me, then, as now, To point the way—to show her how!

Chrysanthemum Growth

The United States Department of Agriculture says that by selecting proper strains it is possible to grow chrysanthemums in almost all the states except the extreme North and the hot, windswept sections of the great plains.

Obstacles to Overcome

Envy, spite, greed, petty pride, and above all, jealousy—these are the obstacles to those daring brotherly feats of generosity that will yet turn human life into a glad, gracious and triumphant fraternity.—Joseph Fort Newton.

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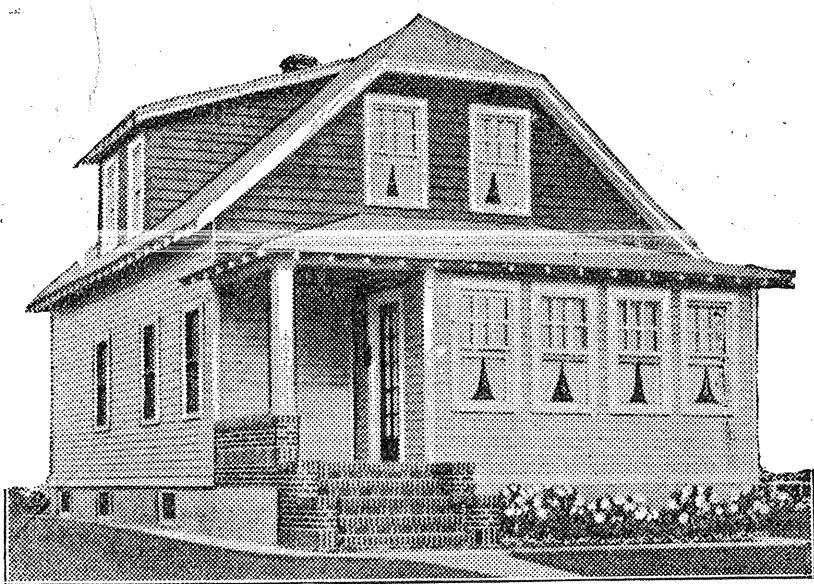
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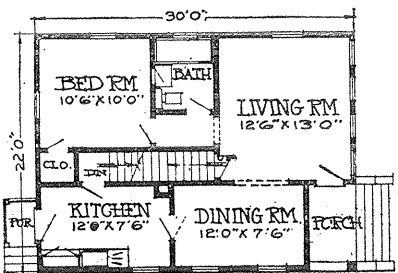
Attractive Story-and-a-Half House Provides Comfort and Ample Space



By W. A. RADFORD

Mr. William A. Radford will answer questions and give advice FREE OF COST on all subjects pertaining to practical home 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 all these subjects. Address all inquiries to William A. Radford, No. 1827 Prairie avenue, Chicago, Ill., and only inclose two-cent stamp for reply.

The economy of the story-and-a-half house is well known, but so many story-and-a-half houses are unattractive in appearance that this type of home does not receive the attention it otherwise would from prospective home owners. An unattract-



First Floor Plan.

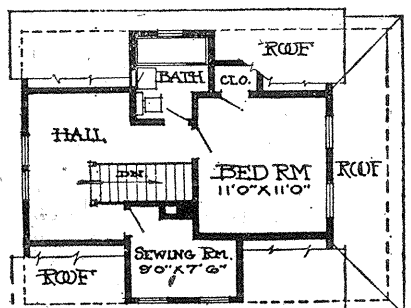
ive appearance, however, is not a necessary characteristic of the story-and-a-half house as is amply demonstrated by the design shown here. A well designed house of this type may be just as attractive as the two-story house or the bungalow.

This small home measures just 22 feet wide by 30 feet deep, making it quite suitable for the owner of a narrow lot. It rests on a foundation of solid concrete. The steps and porch are of ornamental brickwork which adds much to the pleasing effect of the design. The side walls are finished with lap siding except for the gables and dormers where shingles have been used and the combined effect is quite distinctive.

The treatment of the roof lines plays a large part in the success of this house for it is most frequently the uninteresting roof which spoils the story-and-a-half house. Here the snubbed gables and dormers break up the roof and produce a pleasing contour.

From the small porch the entrance leads into an almost square living room, directly back of which is a bathroom and beyond a bedroom. To the left of the living room, through an arched opening is the dining room with the kitchen to the rear. The kitchen is compact but so well arranged that its small size is an advantage rather than a disadvantage. It contains the basement stair and there is a rear service entrance.

The stairs to the upper floor ascend directly from the living room into a large upper hallway. On the floor there is another bedroom, a second bathroom, something quite unusual in so small a home but very desirable



Second Floor Plan.

in any home, and a sewing room which might well be used as a bedroom if occasion required.

Checking back this gives us a house of five rooms, two baths and a sewing room, a really surprising number of rooms for such a small house and yet all of the rooms are of a size that will be found entirely satisfactory.

Many Ways of Keeping Maple Floors in Shape

Maple floors are somewhat harder to keep in good shape than oak, probably because maple is such a hard and close-grained wood. On maple the first coat of varnish should be thinned with a liberal quantity of turpentine to hold subsequent coats of heavy bodied floor varnish.

Not less than three coats should be applied to these floors to secure the best results. Refinishing maple floors which are in bad shape is best done by scraping and sandpapering after removing the old varnish.

Many painters prefer to use oil instead of varnish on maple, and if a slight darkening of the wood is not objectionable it is probably the best way to treat these floors. Oiling should be done frequently, as it soon wears away.

Wax is also an excellent finish for maple and may be applied directly to the wood without the previous coat of varnish recommended for oak floors.

Brick Wall Will Keep Floors From Settling

Foundation supports for interior wall bearing partitions are factors of utmost importance to Ralph W. Friend, Cleveland architect. He suggests an inexpensive way to avoid floor settling troubles.

"The common practice among many builders is to support interior wall bearing partitions on a wood beam held in place by the use of iron columns (pipe) set on a small square footing," he says. "The bases of these iron columns rust, the footings settle due to the heavy load on them and throw the floors out of level, frequently causing the bottom of doors to strike the floor when swung open. This practice should be discouraged and the use of an eight-inch tile or brick wall encouraged and advocated."

"The masonry bearing wall affords an even distribution of load which reduces settlement possibilities to a minimum. It is permanent and is a great aid in building a good house."

Roof Permanence

Roof permanence depends as much upon what holds up the roof as it does upon the surface exposed to the elements. A roof frame with 2 by 6 rafters spaced 16 inches apart and not spanning a distance greater than 10 feet, and which are not set at an angle less than 45 degrees, will be strong enough to support heavy roofing such as the tile and slate. If a peak is wider, or if the angle at the peak is greater, rafters should be sturdier.

GAGETOWN

Moses Karr is ill with the flu. Mrs. A. Rocheleau is spending this week with relatives in Detroit.

Dr. and Mrs. N. J. Malloy were in Bay City Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. H. L. Thompson spent several days last week at the home of her parents at New Baltimore.

Guy Paul, who has been a guest at the R. J. Wills home for the past week, has returned to Detroit.

A large crowd from here attended the basketball tournament in Caro Wednesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday nights.

The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Prior has been very ill with pneumonia.

Merrill G. Marshall of East Lansing was a week-end guest at the home of J. L. Purdy.

A new radio has been installed at Delbert Burton's restaurant.

Delos Wood of Pontiac is ill at the Rabideau home.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Rocheleau and family have returned to Gagetown after living a year in Caro.

Lee Stewart of Caro spent Friday with friends in town.

Francis Hunter of Detroit is again at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Hunter. He will remain for an indefinite time.

Bruce Williams of Pontiac spent the week-end here with his father.

Mrs. J. Ross is at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Anna Fairman.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred D. Hemerick were Sunday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Stewart of Caro.

Mrs. C. P. Hunter went to Detroit Monday to remain with her daughter, Miss Pauline, for two weeks.

Mrs. Roy Wisner and daughter, Eleanor, of Holly have been guests of Miss Edith Miller.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Fischer spent Monday in Caro.

Mr. and Mrs. Waldo Weiler of Detroit were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Weiler and Mr. and Mrs. A. Repshinska.

Alfred Rocheleau and Louis Weiler were in Bay City and Saginaw Sunday.

The Gagetown Woman's Study club will meet Monday, March 4, at the home of Mrs. H. L. Thompson. The program is as follows: Roll Call, original rhymes. Study of Southern Poets, Lanier, Timrod and Hayne. Poems, "Most Men Know Love," "Mocking Birds," "In Harbor," "Barnacles" and "Revenge of Hamish." Conducted by Mrs. Elizabeth Fischer.

Mrs. Edward Fischer and Mrs. A. Rocheleau gave a neighborhood party at the latter's home Thursday afternoon. All the neighbors of Gage St. were present with the exception of one who was ill and unable to attend. Old fashioned games were played and honors were presented to Mrs. John F. Fournier, Mrs. John Weiler and Mrs. William Commert.

The engine of the Grand Trunk railway struck ice on the track, jumped the rails and turned over in the ditch about two miles north of Gagetown. There were no other cars with the engine. The conductor, brakeman and engineer were the only people riding and the two last mentioned received slight bruises.

Mrs. Neil McKinnon of Detroit was a week-end guest of her daughter, Mrs. Edward Kehoe.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Burdon and George Munro attended the funeral of Sandy McAllister at Elkton Saturday. Mr. McAllister was a resident of Brookfield for many years.

Misses Lucile Bartholomy and Alma Phelan were dinner guests of Mrs. Harry Hool Saturday evening.

Miss Edna Bower of Saginaw was a week-end guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bower.

The many friends of R. J. Ottaway will be sorry to hear of his serious illness of intestinal flu and pneumonia at his home in Sebewaing.

George Russell was in Detroit several days recently.

James Watson was in Detroit last week because of the illness and death of his son, Lynton Watson.

Mrs. Charles Hurd is seriously ill with pneumonia. She is being cared for by her daughter.

R. J. Wills and Ray Toohey spent Friday evening with friends in Sebewaing.

Richard Burdon of Pontiac spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Burdon.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Kehoe and daughter, Geraldine, and Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Freeman were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Freeman.

Miss Edith Miller was in Caro on Monday afternoon.

Miss Thelma Welsh of Pontiac spent the week-end with relatives here.

Peter Bushey, who at one time managed our hotel, passed away at the University Hospital at Ann Arbor after submitting to an operation for gallstones and afterward getting pneumonia. Mr. Bushey has been living at Alpena for some time.

Mrs. Conrad Mosack of Detroit was at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Kehoe Saturday and Sunday.

Patrick Kehoe is among our sick people.

Gagetown High School.

Warren Vaughn of the primary

room is out of school for the next eight weeks with a broken ankle. The ankle was injured while Warren was sliding down the large hill across the road from the schoolhouse. He was tossed off the front of the bob-sled and was unable to get out of its path. The back bob ran over his leg just above the ankle, snapping the bone instantly. The accident happened Tuesday, February 12. The boys and girls of the school hope to have him back in school just as soon as he has recovered.

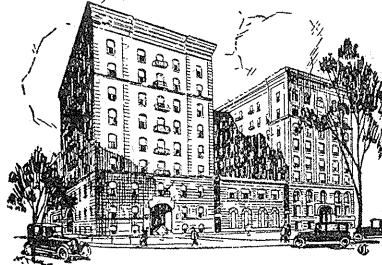
Last week the chemistry class attended a demonstration meeting at Mr. Hemerick's garage at which the class watched the commercial chemist show the advantages of ethyl gasoline over other grades of fuel. The chemist attempted to show the value of ethyl gasoline in removing carbon knock in a motor.

February 8, seven of the junior and senior boys interested in agriculture attended the McCormick-Deering demonstration at Cass City. According to their reports, the meeting was very interesting. In assembly Friday 15 these boys told what they saw and learned to the remainder of the high school. The general topic of the assembly was vocational guidance, and their talks came in very well as a part of the assembly. The boys who attended the demonstration were: Keith Beach, Clayton Beach, Lester Sheppard, Frank Jankech, Grover Laurie, Kenneth Hobart, Chester Haidysz.

The promise of a county championship in class D did not materialize for the Gagetown high school team. Defeating their first rivals, Reese, by a score of 24 to 12, they went down to defeat before the onslaught of Unionville's quintet. Previous to this time, the home team had met the Unionville team on their own floor, and had defeated them by a score of 13 and 6. It was an upset for the Gagetown boys to be defeated by a team which they had trounced so thoroughly. The score was 15 and 16.

The only reason that can be found for the defeat was that the home team was made a little over-confident by the previous victory, and the Unionville basket shooters were given just the impetus needed by the previous defeat to carry them to victory. The two teams were evenly matched and it was anyone's game up until the whistle blew. Two of the Gagetown boys were put out on fouls. The team has one hope of redeeming itself in the district tournament which occurs March 7, 8, 9. The senior play, "Take My Advice,"

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Ask your druggist for genuine "California Fig Syrup" which has full directions for babies and children of all ages, plainly printed on bottle. Mother! You must say "California" or you may get an imitation fig syrup.

is to be given April 19. It is a fun-crammed comedy, and will be well worth coming to see it. Characters have not been chosen as yet, but will be in the near future.

Friday, Feb. 22, the students in oratory and declamation met in the local contest to decide who shall represent the high school in the district contest. For the past two weeks and more they have been practicing faithfully for the event and there are going to be some good speakers develop, especially in the group of declaimers. Those in the contest are as follows: Lee Wallace, oratory. Delma Highes, Reinhard Luckhard, Melvin Fischer, Lester Sheppard and James Thiel, declamation.

TANNER SCHOOL NOTES.

We are hoping that the snow will soon disappear, especially Miss Vogel with her Ford. Cars seem to stall so easily on cold days. Our sewing club meets more regular now. All our members are in good health again.

Helen Simkins is confined at her home on account of sickness. Examinations are over again for another month, much to the relief of the children.

There will be a district spelling match at our school on March 15. All who are interested in a good spell-

ing contest try to be here on time. Program is included. Time, 1:00 p. m. Visitors are always welcome. We do so enjoy seeing the parents come and see how well we are doing in school.

There is so much snow on the hills, it spoils our fun for coasting and sliding. Reporters: Esther White and Irene Bailey. Teacher, Ida Vogel.

THUMB OF MICHIGAN

ASSO. NEWS LETTER

Concluded from first page. seems to have been premature, as later information is to the effect that they simply received the application for the paving and took it under consideration.

Why don't we all get together on these road improvement matters, lay out a program and follow it up consistently and persistently? We are going to get much further along by pulling together, instead of running over to Lansing with a small delegation for each particular road that is wanted. Lack of harmony among the different interests seems also to have held up the paving of the river road in Marysville. It was reported that this improvement was postponed a year, but the writer is informed that this is not definitely so—that consid-

eration of it has been postponed a couple of weeks. Again the moral is—Let's get together and decide on what we want and go after it hard!

The National Drainage Association, with headquarters at Washington, D. C., is bringing up before Congress a law somewhat similar to the law that has been proposed for Michigan, modeled after the Ontario Tile Drainage Act. This proposed law provides for the Government lending money to the counties, drainage districts, or other municipal organizations without interest to refund bonds that are maturing.

The bearing of this law is not thoroughly understood here in The Thumb. The Michigan State authorities do not seem to favor such a law which seems to have been devised more for irrigation districts. Accordingly, the Thumb Association has not got behind this Federal Act and will not do so unless further information is secured showing it to be our advantage.

The Pere Marquette Railroad will devote the April number of its magazine "Pere Marquette Service" to The Thumb of Michigan. It will include a write-up of The Thumb from summer resort and agricultural standpoints, with a number of views of Thumb industries and beauty spots in The Thumb. Your publicity chairman is now getting together the material.

Farm Auction Sale

Having decided to move to Pontiac, I will sell my personal property at auction, 4 miles east and 1/2 mile south of Cass City, on

Tuesday, March 5

Sale Commencing at 10 o'clock

HORSES

Bay Belgium mare 13 yrs. old, wt. 1500
Bay Percheron mare, 11 yrs. old, wt. 1450
Bay Belgium mare, 8 yrs. old, wt. 1300

COWS

Red Durham cow, 11 years old, due Sept. 23
Holstein cow 6 years old, due May 20
Gray Durham cow, 12 years old, due Mar. 26
Black cow 12 years old, due Mar. 26
Holstein cow 7 years old, due Nov. 4
Holstein cow 4 years old, due Sept. 21
Gray Durham cow 6 yrs. old, due May 4
Holstein cow 7 years old, due Oct. 10
Red Durham cow 6 years old, due Mar. 8
Holstein cow 10 years old, due Oct. 16
Red Durham cow 7 years old, due Oct. 1; calf by side

Purebred Hereford cow, Miss Bell, No. 1451008, 3 years old, due Oct. 5; calf by side, legal for registration

YOUNG STOCK

3 heifers coming 2 years old
3 steers coming 2 years old
8 steers coming 1 year old
3 fall calves 4 months old
2 calves 3 months old

PIGS

1 brood sow due May 10
4 shoats weight 90 lbs. each

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130 White Leghorn pullets
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IMPLEMENTS AND TOOLS

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One-horse cultivator, 7 tooth
One-horse cultivator, 5 tooth
Horse collars Trip rope, 70 ft.
Trip rope, 30 ft. Bull chain and snap
2 wagon tongues Horse blankets
Cow leader South Bend walking plow
Syracuse walking plow 32
Syracuse walking plow 31
Syracuse riding plow 32
Syracuse spring tooth harrows, 29-tooth
Spring tooth harrows, 25-tooth

Spring tooth harrows, 17-tooth
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40-gal. kettle Grindstone
Steel wheelbarrow Set gravel planks
Set heavy work harness, brass trimmed
Set heavy harness 2 single harnesses
70 ft. drive belt, 6-inch
30 ft. drive belt, 4-inch
155 ft. hay rope and pulleys
Set of 4 rope slings 2 hay forks
Sling trip Grass seeder
25 good grain bags 50 gunny sacks
15 tons timothy hay
Fairbanks & Morris platform scales, 1,000 lbs.
1/2 bu. mixed clover seed
1 1/2 bu. seed corn 200 bu. oats
Steel pig trough, 4 ft.
Steel pig trough, 5 ft.
Steel pig trough, 8 ft.
Crosscut saw Buck saw
Step-ladder Trailer
Bissells carpet sweeper Mirror 10x18
Two in One hand washer Linoleums
325 lbs. seed barley
500 lbs. seed buckwheat
4 bu. mangles 1 bu. early seed potatoes
Brooder house 10x12
Royal brooder stove, 1,000 chick size
3 drinking fountains
2 dry mash feeders
Dry mash little chick feeder
2 portable pig pens 8x16
United power washer, line shaft, pulleys and belt Clothes wringer
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10-gal. crock 1/2 bbl. vinegar
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Screen doors Beef fork
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Forks, shovels and hoes
Potato sprayer Potato crates
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Primrose cream separator No. 3
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Jamesway oat sprouter, 7 trays
Detroit vapor gasoline stove
10-gal. barrel churn 1-gal. glass churn
Odd dishes Home Comfort range
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Dining room table, 10 ft.
6 dining room chairs
Kitchen cabinet Davenport
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FLASH

The Lead Dog

By George Marsh

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CHAPTER XIII

The Trail to the Coast

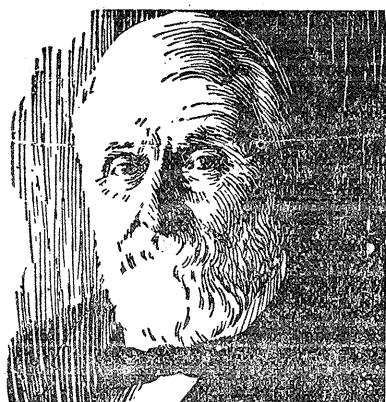
With Joe Nipissing's team in the lead, carrying on the sled some of the caribou meat, fish and flour, from the heavier load of the boys' toboggan, the next morning they pulled out from their camp to the river shore. There Gaspard stopped the two teams. Facing in silence the log-stick spruce marking the grave of the Ungava who, in his superb strength and pride had led the dog team north from the Big Yellow-Leg, Gaspard and Brock raised their rifles and fired the salute to the dead.

"A'voir, Yellow-Eye, mon brave!" called the halfbreed in his father's tongue.

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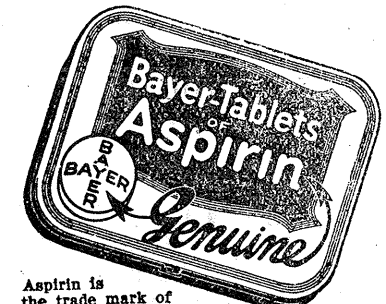
SAME PRESCRIPTION
HE WROTE IN 1892

When Dr. Caldwell started to practice medicine, back in 1875, the needs for a laxative were not as great as today. People lived normal lives, ate plain, wholesome food, and got plenty of fresh air. But even that early there were drastic physics and purges for the relief of constipation which Dr. Caldwell did not believe were good for human beings. The prescription for constipation that he used early in his practice, and which he put in drug stores in 1892 under the name of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin, is a liquid vegetable remedy, intended for women, children and elderly people, and they need just such a mild, safe bowel stimulant.

This prescription has proven its worth and is now the largest selling liquid laxative. It has won the confidence of people who needed it to get relief from headaches, biliousness, flatulence, indigestion, loss of appetite and sleep, bad breath, dyspepsia, colds, fevers. At your druggist, or write "Syrup Pepsin," Dept. BB, Monticello, Illinois, for free trial bottle.



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"Good-by, old king-dog!" choked Brock. "You were a king—every shaggy inch of you! Good-by, Yellow-Eye!"

As if they sensed the significance of the rifle shots, Flash, Split-Ear and Kona sat down in their traces, and lifted their noses in melancholy wails.

The teams pulled out to the river trail and the great husky, who never again would lead his comrades into the teeth of a blizzard; never again follow the game trails of forest and muskeg, never again point his nose to the freezing stars as he roared his



Flash, Split-Ear and Kona Sat Down on Their Traces, and Lifted Their Noses in Melancholy Wails.

challenge! whose slant eyes would never again sweep wilderness lakes mirroring the autumn ridges, was left in his grave in the snow.

Bold to the point of rashness, the boys traveled all day on the hard river trail, for they had barely ten days' food for themselves and dogs, and now, Joe Nipissing to feed on the way south, for Brock had promised the young Cree to take him to Hungry House and send him home to his people at Fort Severn, in the spring.

Spring and Hungry House! Brock wondered if there would be any spring and home for those who were herded north—for the den of the wolves.

The second day they passed around a great lake, not daring to halt. To the beaten trail; then, with the rising of the late moon, kept on down the river. The country was flattening out, the timber thinning and the shores, gouged by the ice and the spring freshets, lifting into cut-banks and bare cliffs. They were nearing the bay.

Sleeping all the following day in a swamp, the next night found the dog teams following the scrub of the back country, for the Cree announced that they were nearing the winter camp of the free-trader, "Red" MacBeth.

At daylight, Nipissing announced, that the boat and camp of the white men lay not two miles over the ridge, which separated them from the Carcajou. Leaving Brock to feed the dogs and make camp in the cover of the scrub, with Joe as guide, Gaspard started for the river to reconnoiter.

The heart of the halfbreed pounded in his chest as he followed the Cree. At last he was to know—to learn whether his father lived—was even now within a mile or two, in the camp of the men he so hated. But why, if he lived, had Pierre Lacroix not escaped? According to the Cree the strange Frenchman was not confined—a prisoner. Nipissing had seen him but once, at a distance, and he was not bound; he was supposed to aid with the trading, the fur, and work around the camp.

If this was so—if this man was the father he sought, there was a mystery behind it, for Pierre Lacroix would never have spent the summer on the Carcajou with these men, while his son mourned him at Hungry House. What was behind it all?

Then Gaspard's dark face knotted with pain. Could he be hurt—so wounded that he was helpless—unable to travel? But Nipissing assured Gaspard that this stranger was actively working around the camp.

Thus ran Gaspard's thoughts as they traveled through the small spruce of the low ridge to a point commanding the river. Nipissing, in the lead, suddenly stopped and beckoned with his mitten. Joining him, Gaspard followed with eager eyes the arm which pointed. On the opposite shore, high above the river ice, stood a schooner, blocked up with heavy spruce logs where it had been warped up from the river beyond the reach of the spring freshets. Some distance upstream, rose the white roof and the snow-banked log walls of the traders' camp.

"Ah-hah!" murmured the halfbreed. "There will be few men there now," said Nipissing.

"How many?" asked the other in Cree.

"Three—four."

"Any dogs?" asked Gaspard.

"No, they are away on the trap lines."

"Ah-hah!" And the eyes of the halfbreed glittered as he swiftly made his plans.

That night, through the murk under a thick sky, three shapes crossed the Carcajou above the camp and cut back from the shore. Approaching from the rear, three hooded figures stopped in the scrub, a hundred yards from where two yellow smears lit the wall of gloom. Then one of the men left the others and faded into the murk. Shortly, Gaspard strained against the log walls of the cabin, beside a window. Slowly he moved his

head until he gained a partial view of the interior.

His father! Was he to see the loved face of the man for whom he had come so far? The heart of the youth shook him with its beating. His breath tortured his lungs. Was he in there—Pierre Lacroix—or was it all a grim joke—this tale of Nipissing's?

To his straining ears came voices and laughter. He moved his head farther, and looked.

In a chair fashioned from spruce saplings, sat a hulk of a man with a red beard. Across a slab table, on which stood a bottle and glasses, a swart-faced halfbreed studied a hand of cards through close-set, evil eyes.

Instinctively the one who watched through the frosted window, gripped the gun in his right hand, while his left mitten found the horn handle of his knife. Those men there, who sat at their cards, drinking, would pay to Gaspard Lacroix! Pay for the father they had taken from him. There, where they sat, he could wipe them out, now, with but two crooks of his finger.

But—was his father there? Presently Gaspard's eyes widened, breathing checked, as another joined the table—but it was not the man he sought.

The man he sought was a servant—a prisoner. He would not sit with the others. The cabin seemed to have one room only, but there was a loft above the large room, for Gaspard saw the ladder leading to the opening in the door. He moved to the opposite side of the window where the sheetiron stove would not obstruct his view.

Then his eyes were drawn to the top round of the ladder. A moccasined foot was thrust from the open trapdoor and rested on the round. Then a peeled spruce stick passed the foot on the top round—a short spruce stick, followed by . . . the stump of—

—a leg!

Breathless, the one flattened against the log wall in the freezing air, watched the body of the one descending the ladder, sliding, lowered hand under hand. Reaching the floor, the tall figure of the cripple turned, and the light from a lantern lit the bold features of—Pierre Lacroix.

"Fader! . . . Fader!" With a sob Gaspard Lacroix watched the tall figure limp from sight.

Then a wave of grief and rage swept the one outside the window. Stepping back, steel clicked on steel as he threw the rifle to his shoulder and covered the chest of the big man, who sat, ten feet from flaming death. For a space, the steel tube in the murk menaced the unsuspecting "Red" Macbeth, as reason fought with hate for mastery of the emotions of the half-crazed youth. Then, slowly, the gun was lowered and the watcher by the window faded into the darkness.

Shortly Brock was seized by a pair of arms like steel cable. Holding Brock in a bear hug, Gaspard poured out his story.

"He ees dere! He ees dere! I saw heem!" cried the overjoyed boy. "He was hurt! He could not travel! So dey do not watch heem!"

In turn, Brock hugged Gaspard, in his delight at the news. "Your father! At last! Old partner, put it there! Golly, that's great!"

Then Gaspard stiffened. "You know 'at dese peopl' do to heem? Dey tak' off hees leg! On hees face ees a beeg scar! My fader!" And the chest of the son of Pierre Lacroix rose in a deep sob.

That night, at their hiding place back in the timber, three men sat long in a council of war.

CHAPTER XIV

The Vengeance of Gaspard Lacroix

The night following, in the blackness of the scrub behind the cabin of "Red" Macbeth, two men waited beside a dog team. That the dogs might not betray their masters, each was gagged with hide. A half-hour before, a third man had left the two who now waited impatiently for his coming, as they watched the yellow glow of the windows of the cabin. At last, the absent one returned.

"Any trouble, Gaspard?" asked Brock. "You've been away hours."

"Ah-hah! Little trouble! All right now!"

"What was it?"

"I meet some one."

"Too bad! What shall we do?"

"He weel not tell—now."

The grim significance of the answer closed Brock's mouth. He understood. Then, leaving Brock with the dogs, Gaspard and the Cree disappeared in the murk. With Flash's collar in his mittened hand, while he soothed the dog who resented the strapping of his jaws with rawhide, Brock strained anxious eyes toward the river shore. At last he saw it.

Gradually, beyond the cabin, the blackness of the night passed. Then, through the murk burst a yellow glow, throwing into relief the dark hulk of the schooner, as red flames licked up over its bilges. The free-traders' boat was afire!

Shortly there rose a cry in the night, outside the cabin. "Iskutew! Fire!" And Joe Nipissing burst wild-eyed into the shack.

"Iskutew! De boat burn!" he cried to the startled Macbeth and the gray-faced men who reached for coats and moccasins.

Running to the door, the red-bearded leader stared in dismay at his blazing schooner. Then the three rushed out to the shore.

Turning at a sound, the excited Joe Nipissing saw a tall figure slide down the ladder, open the door of the great box stove, and seizing a half-burned stick, throw it on the bedding of a bunk. Lunging like a flash on the speechless boy, the steel fingers of

Pierre Lacroix closed on his throat. "The boat go—the shack go!" rasped the Frenchman in Cree. "Where are your dogs?"

But the choking Cree could not explain.

"You understand?" fiercely demanded the other. "We'll load your sled with grub and blankets and make for Hungry House! Quick!" And Lacroix pushed the protesting Nipissing through the door, then turned back into the already burning room for blankets and food. Then to his startled ears came a familiar voice from the door.

"Fader!" And Gaspard had the man he loved in his arms.

For a space, oblivious of the licking flames slowly filling the room with



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smoke, father and son gripped each other in a fierce embrace. Then, recovering his senses, Gaspard turned with: "The dogs; call Brock! Quick!"

"Brock and I are here with the team," Gaspard explained to the puzzled man who stared at his son in wonderment.

Then the Cree burst into the room, followed by Brock, who wrung the hand of the lost Lacroix. The shack, now, was burning in earnest. Slipping on capote and mittens, and carrying his rifle and some blankets, Pierre Lacroix followed his rescuers to the waiting sled.

"Marche! Flash!" called Brock to the lead-dog, and they headed up the river shore.

As the galloping dog team swung through the gloom down to the river trail, the flames of the burning schooner turned her masts into fingers of fire thrust upright into the wall of blackness. Around her burning bulk dark shapes ran helplessly to and fro. Then they left her to her fate as the flames, bursting through the windows of the cabin, drew them back to save their provisions and fur.

On went the dog team into the south, bound for the Big Yellow-Leg while the hearts of two boys beat high with pride and happiness. Since the freezing moon when the men of "Red" Macbeth had started to hunt them from the Yellow-Leg, they had traveled a long trail. And now they had won—found the father whom the loyal Gaspard could not put from his heart.

Before turning the first bend, the dog team stopped.

Lighting the river shores, schooner and cabin sent red flames high into the smother of murk. Seizing the hand of his partner, Gaspard said, as his eyes measured the completeness of his revenge on the men who had taken him from his father, "Wal, Brock, I tink dat M'sieur Macbeth eever sad dis night dat he try to run two little boy out of de Yellow-Leg countree."

"He'll be lucky not to starve this spring," laughed Brock.

"He not starve; he has beeg cache," added Pierre, "but he lose de fur and stuff in the shack."

When the team stopped, later, to boil the kettle and rest the dogs, Pierre told them his story.

Ambushed one day, the previous March, he had received a shot shattering his ankle, and in the knife fight following the rush by three Indians, had been badly slashed across the face. Brought, half-dead, on a sled to Macbeth's quarters, Pierre had later amputated his own foot, and not until autumn had he regained his strength.

His knowledge of fur and ability to handle Indians had been put to valuable use by the free-traders, who had not treated him badly. For this reason, alone, he had not killed them in their sleep, but was waiting for spring, to steal a canoe and follow the coast home. But his boy, instead, had come for him. And the shattered Pierre Lacroix glanced proudly at the boy who stood by the fire with misted eyes.

"It was May," called by the Cree the "Mating Moon" of the birds. To the south, in the land of the Ojibwas, it was the "Moon of Flowers." Long since, the black-tipped wings of the snowy geese had flashed overhead on the long flight to the arctic islands. Already the gray Canadas were nesting in the muskeg ponds back of Hungry House, and the little brothers of the air, duck and snipe and plover, guarding their eggs on lonely backwaters.

The grinding ice had plunged and churned past to the bay. River billows and alder were reddening and the young grass thrusting green from the post clearing where huskies sprawled

in the warm sun. But there was an air of unrest at the house of Angus McCain. Daily, a mother, anxious of face, talked nervously with the grave factor and his head-man, of the absent Peterboro, which had, the August before, started for the unknown Yellow-Leg.

Ten days overdue, there was hardly a moment of the lengthening days when some one at Hungry House was not searching the river where it forked at the delta islands for the black speck of moving canoe, and the flash of dripping paddles.

"I'm worried, Angus. I don't want Antoine to wait another day," said Mrs. McCain, one morning. "They may have been smashed up in the rapids—lost their food. I wish you'd send him and Saul tomorrow."

"Yes, Mother," answered the sober Angus, picking up his telescope and starting across the factor's plot, guarded by dog-stockade, on his way to the high shore.

In a half hour he returned. "Nothing in sight?" demanded his wife.

"No," and McCain went to the trade-house to talk with his head-man. The two were getting together an outfit which would take the search through to the Yellow-Leg headwaters when a black head thrust through the trade-house door.

"Canoe comin'—at de islan!" announced Saul.

"The boys!" cried Angus McCain and he hurried to his house to tell the worried mother of Brock; then joined Antoine and Saul on the high shore above the swollen river.

Where the river split into three channels at the delta islands, a black spot moved slowly upstream close to the main shore. Focusing his small telescope, for a space McCain then handed it to Antoine.

"I can't make it out yet, but there seem to be more than two in the boat." "Ah-hah! Three—four paddle, I tink," answered the halfbreed.

"It's the Peterboro?"

"Ah-hah! Eet ees no bark canoe." Mrs. McCain joined the little group of men, women and children on the cliff shore, watching the approaching boat.

"You're sure, Angus—there's no mistake? It's not Indians?"

"It's the boys for sure, mother," and the relieved trader patted the shoulder of the anxious mother.

"Four paddles, dere!" announced Antoine, handing the glass to his chief. "There're no Indians wintering up the coast—who in thunder have they picked up?"

For an hour the canoe bucked the drive of the current, hugging the shore for the easier going there. They were less than a mile distant when some one shouted: "There are the dogs!"

On the beach, three huskies kept abreast of the canoe.

"There's Brock in the bow!" cried Angus McCain as the craft approached the post. "I'd know his shoulders, anywhere; and Gaspard's steering her!" Closer came the wanderers, and the little group of excited people on the high shore ran to the beach below to welcome those who had returned from the ruthless maw of the Yellow-Leg wilderness.

"Brock!" called his mother, waving her white apron, her eyes blinded with tears. "Brookie! Brookie!" yelled in chorus two young brothers and a sister, leaping like rabbits in their excitement and joy.

"Gaspard! Kekway, Gaspard!" shouted the halfbreeds, as the bow and stern men stood grinning, waving their paddles at the shore.

Then, as he waved his arms at his hulking son in the bow of the approaching canoe, Angus McCain gasped in amazement. "Antoine, look! Raised from the dead! Well—I'll be—Hello! Pierre! Pierre Lacroix!" shouted the astounded trader, running out into the water to meet the canoe.

Standing in water to his knees, Angus McCain took his son in his arms, then passed him on to the mother who waited.

"Pierre!" The hands of Frenchman and factor met in a long grip. "Man, I'm glad to see you! We had given you up!"

Then McCain saw the crippled leg. Pierre Lacroix swung himself from canoe to beach, then standing surrounded by the excited group, said proudly, as he rested a hand on the shoulder of his son:

"Tru de long snows, dese boys here were hunted by 'Red Macbeth, and twenty men. Dey want de Yellow-Leg country for demself. Did Gaspard and Brock run home? No, in March dey hunt Macbeth—clear to de coast."

The silent audience, Indian and white, listened breathlessly as the scarred Frenchman went on: "At de mou't of de Carcajou, dey find schooner and Macbeth's camp. In de night I see de sky red wid fire of burning ship and shack—and dey tak' me home."

Pierre Lacroix, choking with emotion, then finished:

"Dese boy here, Brock and Gaspard, do dese tings!"

With a cheer from the crowd, the returned voyageurs were led to the post clearing where the red emblem of the great company, blazoned with the white letters H. B. C. was hoisted. Then as Brock and Gaspard stood grinning at the honor about to be conferred from the foot of the flag pole crashed a volley from a dozen rifles.

With an arm about the mother who smiled beside him, and a hand on the massive skull of the great gray and white husky nuzzling his sleeve, Brock said to Gaspard, "Do we hunt the Yellow-Leg next long snows, partner?" Gaspard's black eyes snapped as he gave Brock his answer: "Do de bird come back in de sp'reng?" [THE END.]

South Africa's Day

December 16 in South Africa is Dingaan's day and is a day of thanksgiving among the Boers. Dingaan was the king of the Zulus and it was on December 16, 1838, that he and his warriors were put to rout after several bloody battles.

Eastern Architecture

The style of architecture developed in the Byzantine empire during the Fourth century continues in modified forms in the East. Its characteristics are the round arch springing from columns or piers and the dome raised on pendentives.

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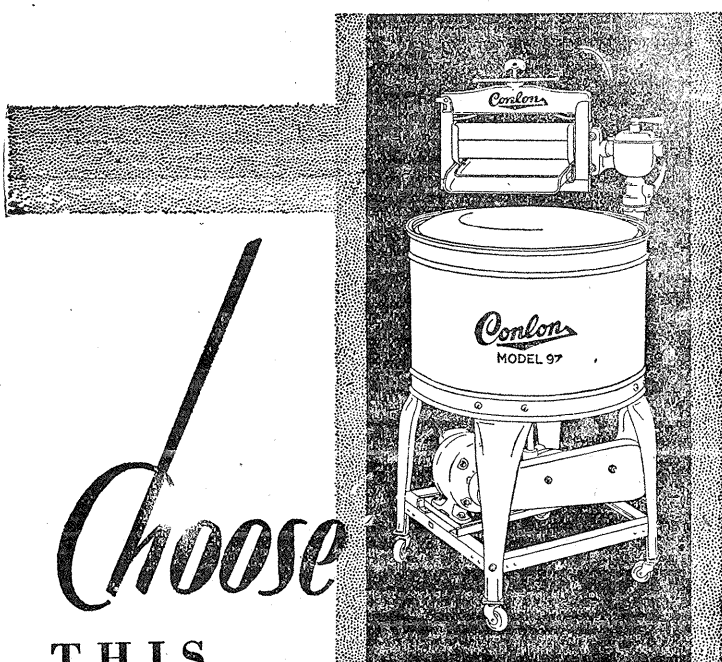
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RATES—Liner of 25 words or less, 25 cents each insertion. Over 25 words, one cent a word for each insertion.

WORK WANTED—Nursing or general housework. Enquire of Mrs. James McKinnon, Deford, Mich. 3-1-1

NOTICE to Elkland Township voters—I will be a candidate for the nomination of township treasurer at the Republican caucus. I will greatly appreciate your support. Jennie Hutchinson. 2-15-1f

LADIES' and children's wash dresses, smocks and aprons made to order. Inquire of Mrs. N. G. Melick. Telephone 66 R 1-3. 3-1-1

I WISH to announce that I will be a candidate for the nomination for the office of township treasurer at the Republican caucus in Evergreen township. Your support will be appreciated. Lewis Travis. 2-15-3p

TO ELKLAND TWP. VOTERS—I wish to announce that I will be a candidate for the nomination of township treasurer at the Republican caucus. Your support will be appreciated. James Tennant. 2-8-1f

LOST near A. B. C. Garage, Briar pipe. Reward. Kilburn Parsons, Doerr's Restaurant. 3-1-1

NOTICE to the voters of Elkland Township—I wish to announce that I will be a candidate for the nomination of Township Treasurer at the Republican caucus. I have never held this office. Your support and influence will be appreciated. Geo. Burg. 2-15-3

NOTICE to Evergreen Township Voters—I will be a candidate for nomination of township treasurer at the annual spring caucus. Your support will be appreciated. Jesse P. Bullock. 2-22-2p

MIXED HAY for sale. Also purebred Holstein bull 12 months old. J. D. Tuckey. 2-22-2p

100 ACRE FARM for Sale—Section 7, Sheridan Township, Huron County, Mich. Would take house and some land for part pay near town, or in town. Also have about 2½ tons Timothy hay for sale. T. J. Auten, Box 512, Cass City, Mich. 3-1-1

WANTED—Middle aged woman for housework in modern suburban home. Write giving references and wages expected to John Bazley, Geddes Road, Ypsilanti, Mich. 2-15-3

GREENLEAF CAUCUS—Notice is hereby given that the annual township caucus of Greenleaf will be held at the Greenleaf town hall on Thursday, Mar. 7, 1929, at 2:00 p. m., for the purpose of placing in nomination candidates for the several township offices. James Dew, Township Clerk. 3-1-1

SIX-ROOM house for rent. Has water and light. Enquire of Frank Reader. 2-15-1f

BARGAIN on electric washing machine. Regular price, \$120.00. Cut price, \$98.00. G. L. Hitchcock. 2-22-2

LOST—One mile south of my farm a 30-ft. chain. Finder please return part of it and keep the balance for reward. Chas. Freshney, Decker. 3-1-1

FOR SALE OR RENT—A farm of 40 acres, 8 miles north of Marlette. Also 80-acre farm, 8 miles north and 1 mile east of Marlette. For particulars inquire of Bruce Adam, R. F. D. 1, Marlette. 2-22-2p

NOVESTA Township Caucus—A township caucus is called for Tuesday, Mar. 5, 1929, at 2:00 p. m., at the Novesta Township Hall at Deford, for the purpose of placing in nomination candidates for the several township offices. N. W. Bridges Twp. Clerk. 2-22-2

O. A. WITHEY will be a candidate for the office of supervisor for the Township of Elkland at the township caucus, held at the town hall in said township in March, 1929. If Mr. Withey is elected, he will make some changes in the assessed valuation. Mr. Withey heartily solicits the patronage of every voter in the township at the caucus. An ample amount of slips will be furnished by Mr. Withey at once to be used at the caucus. 3-1-1

ELKLAND CAUCUS—Notice is hereby given that a Republican caucus for the purpose of placing in nomination candidates for township offices of the Township of Elkland, County of Tuscola, State of Michigan, and for the purpose of transacting such other business as may properly come before it, will be held at Opera House, Cass City, on Tuesday, the 12th day of March, A. D. 1929, at 2:00 p. m. By order of committee. 3-1-2

WANTED—A driver for the French Draft Stallion during the season of 1929, or will sell stallion. Man must have experience. Call Charles Freshney, phone 154 F 4-2. 3-1-1

FOR SALE—Sixteen pigs. Ten are five months old, pure bred Chester Whites, good breeding stock. Five seven months old, not pure breeds. Priced to sell. Charles Simkins, 7 miles east, 2½ miles north of Cass City. 2-22-2*

JUNK WANTED—Hides, copper, brass and other metals, rags, books, magazines, batteries, radiators, etc. Best prices, honest weights. A. Kline, basement town hall, Cass City. Phone 21 R 2. 6-29-1f

I WILL BUY Poultry at Greenleaf Tuesdays, 9:00 to 2:00—phone 177 R-2. At Elmwood every day in the week—phone 132 F 3-2. Joseph Molnar. 7-13-1f

ELKLAND Citizens! It is for you to choose Township Treasurer at Republican caucus. 44 years a taxpayer, now a candidate. Your support appreciated. P. S. McGregory. 3-1-1

NOTICE to Evergreen Township Voters—I will be a candidate for the nomination of township treasurer at the annual spring caucus. Your support will be appreciated. Jessie Wallace. 2-8-1f

FOR SALE—Fresh comb clover honey, by the pound or ton. For particulars inquire Jas. P. Westfall, Jr., Caro. 2-8-4p

BAY TEAM for Sale, coming 8 years old, wt. about 3200, Mike Seres, 2 miles south and 2½ east of Deford. 3-1-1

I WISH to announce that I will be a candidate for the nomination for the office of township treasurer at the Republican caucus in Elkland township. Your support will be appreciated. Mary Yakes Mark. 2-8-1f

FOR SALE or Rent—80 acres of good land, 1 mile east and ½ north of New Greenleaf at reasonable price. Write M. F. Keenoy, 1251 East Grand River, Lansing. 3-1-2

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms for school girls. Also barn to rent for cars. Mrs. Sarah McWebb. 3-1-1p

FOR SALE—Three turkey hens. These are young birds. John Day. Phone 140 F 4-1. 3-1-1

OWING to extra work this spring, I wish to rent my woods during the maple syrup season. Richard Bayley, 4 west, ½ mile south of Cass City. 3-1-1

TEAM of Colts for Sale—3 and 4 yrs. old, well matched. Ed. Fulcher, 7 miles east and ½ north of Cass City. 3-1-1

GRANT TOWNSHIP Caucus—A township caucus is to be held on Wednesday, March 6, 1929, at two o'clock p. m., at the Grant township hall. Dougald Brown, Clerk. 3-1-1

NOTICE to Greenleaf Township Voters—I will be a candidate for the nomination of highway commissioner at the Greenleaf township caucus and will appreciate the support of the voters. J. W. Heller. 2-22-2

BABY CHICKS from Michigan accredited stock, sired with males of known high egg production, delivered direct to our door. Order now. Elkland Roller Mills. 2-1-1f

FOR RENT—Mary A. Murphy residence. Enquire of David Murphy. 12-14-1f

WANTED—Ambitious, industrious person to introduce and supply the demand for Rawleigh Household Products in Northeast Tuscola County and other nearby towns or rural districts. \$150 to \$400 a month or more clear profit. Rawleigh methods get business everywhere. No selling experience required. We supply products, outfit, sales and service methods—everything you need. Profits increase every month. Lowest prices; best values; most complete service. W. T. Rawleigh Co., Dept. MC-8622, Freeport, Ill. 2-8-9p

TO MY FRIENDS in Elkland township, I wish to announce that I will be a candidate for the nomination of township treasurer at the Republican caucus. I will appreciate your support. James W. Brackenbury. 3-1-2

FOR SALE—Washing machine with balance wheel, practically as good as new for \$8.00. Phone 93 F 1-1. Wm. Simmons. 2-22-2p

NOTICE—All parties indebted for stallion service during 1928 by French Draft Stallion are requested to pay service fees to Charles Freshney, Decker, as no credit will be given if paid to any other party. 3-1-2

ELLIOTT MOTOR Lines Schedule—Bus leaves Cass City for Imlay City daily at 8:20 a. m. and 4:50 p. m., fast time. Bus leaves Cass City for Bad Axe at 11:40 a. m. and 4:50 p. m. On Sunday, (one bus each way), leaves Cass City for Imlay City 4:10 p. m. and leaves Cass City for Bad Axe at 8:10 p. m. *

ELKLAND-ELMWOOD TOWN LINE.

Mr. and Mrs. P. Livingston and Mrs. James Peddie spent Wednesday in Saginaw at the Calvin Hiser home.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Terbush, C. J. Bingham and Miss Mattie Bingham spent Sunday in Ann Arbor with Mrs. C. J. Bingham, who is in the Ann Arbor hospital.

Howard Evans of Birmingham spent Sunday at the Harold Evans home.

N. W. Wilber of Royal Oak and H. Gleason of Three Rivers were the week-end guests of Misses Doris and Marian Livingston.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Strong are the proud parents of young daughter, who will be called Norma Lorraine.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Karr attended the tournament in Caro Friday evening.

The friends and neighbors of A. S. Evans gathered at his home Thursday to help him celebrate his birthday. A pot luck dinner was served and all enjoyed the day.

GREENLEAF.

Very bad roads east of town. The mail carrier was able to make only part of his route Saturday.

Fred Rolston has so far recovered from his accident that he was able to visit his doctor at Cass City Saturday.

Mrs. Fred Rolston was a Cass City caller Saturday.

John Guisbert was collecting taxes last week in town.

One of the old landmarks of Old Greenleaf was burned to the ground Monday with all contents. The store was formerly owned by McLeod Bros., who disposed of it to Mr. Simmons. He has since then kept a general store and filling station. He also had his residence in the store. All contents were destroyed. It is reported that insurance was carried.

Woodpeckers Make Trouble

Linenmen in California are worried over the activities of white-headed woodpeckers, who drill holes in the cedar poles carrying wires. Into these holes the birds insert acorns and other nuts. The birds become the home of big grubs. Some of these the woodpeckers eat and others decay with the nut, further exposing the wood to deterioration.

Birds That Know No Fear

Tropical birds abound in central Australia, and because the country is so sparsely settled the birds know no fear and allow themselves to be approached so that they may often be taken in hand. The birds are notable for their number and the brilliance of their plumage. On the lagoons and lakes there are thousands of birds all the time.

Ruins of Old Priory

Dating 800 years back, remains of a Benedictine priory were exposed during the demolition of Sandwell hall, the ancestral home of the earls of Dartmouth, at West Bromwich, near Birmingham England. They comprise walls, dungeons, confessional boxes, and chapel windows.

Boomerang in Action

The ordinary boomerang, the kind used as a weapon, does not return to the thrower. It is a surprisingly effective weapon in the hands of the blacks of Australia, revolving when it is thrown and striking with such force as to cut the flesh of the unlucky victim.

Largest Artificial Lake

The Scientific American says the largest artificial lake in the world is that formed by the construction of the Martin dam in Alabama.

But She Hasn't Any

A woman's clothes, a novelist says, are her sentiments expressed in fabrics.—Springfield Union.

CASS CITY MARKETS.

February 28, 1929.	
Buying Price—	
Mixed wheat, bu.	1.25
Oats, 46	
Rye, bu.	1.01
Corn, shelled, bu. (56 lbs.).....	1.00
Beans, cwt.	9.60
Peas, bu.	2.00
Barley, cwt.	1.45
Buckwheat, cwt.	1.85
Eggs, per dozen	35
Butter, lb.	45
Cattle 6	10
Hogs, live weight 10	
Calves, live weight 14	
Broilers 18	25
Hens 18	25
Hides 5	

FOR SALE—First cutting alfalfa, cured without rain. Ross Bearss, 3 miles west and 2 north. 3-1-2p

CARD OF THANKS—I wish to express my sincere thanks to friends, neighbors and to the church for the many acts of kindness shown me, and for plants and flowers sent during the illness and death of my husband. Mrs. M. L. Gulick.

PEN FOUND—Fountain pen found on Main St. Owner may have same by proving property and paying for this notice. John May, Cass City. 3-1-1

DEFORD

Benj. Gage, Wm. Gage and Max Agar spent Sunday afternoon at Bay Port.

Mrs. John Clark spent from Friday until Tuesday at Almont visiting her daughter, Mrs. George Huffman.

On Thursday, Feb. 21, Mrs. H. Stratton spent the afternoon at her parental home, west of Cass City. Mr. Stratton went after her in the evening. When they returned home, there were 35 friends at the Stratton home waiting to surprise Mrs. Stratton. Progressive pedro provided entertainment for the evening. A two-course luncheon was served. Miss Bernice Gage and Berton Morrison carried home the best prizes. Mrs. Stratton was very much surprised and pleased.

Wm. Snyder and mother-in-law, Mrs. Mary Hack, and Miss Iva Hack of Detroit spent Sunday at the Howard Stratton home.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Little and little daughter, Alice, spent Sunday at the A. E. Webster home.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Kelley of Ellington spent Sunday at the Leland Topping home.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Kelley spent Thursday afternoon and Friday in Mayville.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Parks of Drayton Plains came Saturday to visit the former's mother, Mrs. Mary Parks, for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Case of Detroit spent Saturday night with the latter's son, Clarence Chadwick.

On March 8, the tenth graders of the school will give a play at Webster's Hall entitled "The City Feller." The following is the cast:

Phil Granger.....Max Johnson
Jim Simpson.....Leland Lewis
Martha Simpson.....Effie Allen
Grandpa Simpson.....Wm. Bentley
Auntie Purvis.....Nellie McArthur
Sallie Hecker.....Viola Bruce
Len Hecker.....Darwin Curtis
Lissie Brown.....Bernice Gage
Jeff Briggs.....Jessie Bruce
Orrin Ruddy.....Sylvester Curtis
Mr. and Mrs. Eber Stewart are the instructors.

Word was received last week that Mrs. Chas. Bruce of Colo, Iowa, had entered the hospital in Marshalltown on Sunday, Feb. 17, for an operation. She is doing nicely. They were former residents of Deford.

Edward Spencer and his crew from the railroad section were called near Gagetown as the engine on the Monday morning train ran off the track.

There was a surprise party on Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Lock on Tuesday evening in honor of their third wedding anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. Lock of Imlay City spent Sunday with their son, Lewis Lock.

KINGSTON-NOVESTA TOWN LINE

Levi Bardwell of Cass City was a Town Line caller Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Hicks of Deford visited Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Archie Hicks.

Mrs. Earl Arnold returned to her home in Detroit Sunday afternoon after spending a few days here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Osburn and children spent Sunday at Caro with the former's mother and brother.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Montague and Mr. and Mrs. Clark Montague and baby were Cass City callers Saturday.

Mrs. G. A. Martin attended a meeting of the Vassar W. C. T. U. Thursday, Feb. 21.

On account of the County Farmers' Club meeting at Caro, March 7, the Deford W. C. T. U. will hold their meeting Wednesday afternoon, Mar. 6, at 2:30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. C. J. Malcolm.

Miss Christina Klein of Caro and Miss Vera Fulcher spent the week-end in Detroit.

Delwin Fulcher and Edwin Fulcher of Pontiac and Miss Marceline Fulcher of Caro spent the week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Giles Fulcher.

WICKWARE.

The Misses Pauline and Vernita Knight of East Lansing spent the week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Knight.

Mr. and Mrs. John Marshall and son, John, were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Levi Bardwell of Cass City.

Mrs. John Profit, Mrs. Addie Knight and Kenneth Maharg are on the sick list this week.

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home of Mrs. Audley Rawson on Wednesday.

The David Murphy home is quarantined for scarlet fever.

Mrs. Jacob Helwig and daughter, Arena, returned home from Buffalo on Saturday.

RESCUE.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Roe of Canboro visited at the Jesse Putnam home Friday afternoon.

James O'Rourke recently purchased a new Pontiac coach.

William, Howard and Arnold MacCallum of Pontiac visited at their parental home here Saturday evening and Sunday. Miss Vera accompanied them to Pontiac and will be employed there.

Mrs. Mary Crawford and sons of Owendale visited at the home of Mrs. Kathryn Fay Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Levi Helwig of South-east Grant were entertained for supper at the Joseph Mellendorf home Sunday.

Leslie Proudfoot was a Bad Axe caller Sunday morning.

The many friends of Miss Beatrice Martin were sorry to hear of her serious illness with scarlet fever.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Ellicott were business callers in Cass City Saturday.

Miss Lydia Russell is visiting at the George Hartsell home.

Wm. Ashmore recently purchased a fine team of horses.

Mr. and Mrs. Dugald MacLachlan, Miss Catherine MacLachlan, Mr. and Mrs. George Hartsell, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Martin and children, Marvin Quant and Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Mellendorf were some of the business callers in Cass City.

About 75 attended the League rally at the Grant church Friday evening. On account of blockaded roads, there were a large number unable to get there. A fine Washington program was given and was enjoyed by all.

Obituary—Richard Walter Jarvis. Richard Walter Jarvis passed away at his home in Grant township early Friday morning, Feb. 22, 1929, at the age of 50 years, 7 months, 21 days. He was born in Teesewater, Ontario, July 1, 1878; and moved to Sanilac county with his parents when about three years of age. He lived there a few years and about 40 years ago, he came with his parents and settled in Grant township where he has resided since. He was united in marriage to Miss Myrtle Rolph Sept. 24, 1912. To this union were born five children. One brother died in infancy and his mother preceded him in death nearly three years ago. He leaves to mourn

their loss, his wife and five children, Howard 15, Beatrice 12, Anna, Junior 6, and Robert 8 months, his father, George Jarvis of Bad Axe, three brothers, Robert of Owendale, Lewis of Grant, and Thomas of Port Huron, one sister, Mrs. Daniel Haley of Bad Axe, besides a host of other relatives and friends who deeply mourn and extend their sympathy to the bereaved family. The floral offerings were many and beautiful. Funeral services were held Monday, Feb. 25, at the Canboro church at one o'clock, Rev. Myron Carr officiating. Interment was in Bad Axe cemetery. The pall bearers were Arthur Taylor, Henry Mellendorf, Jesse Putnam, Ralph Ward, Clark Jarvis and Roy Russell. Among those present from a distance were Mr. and Mrs. Roy Rolph and children, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Rolph and children and Mrs. Carry Wein of Detroit, Thomas Jarvis of Port Huron, George Jarvis, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Haley, Stephen Haley and William Parker of Bad Axe, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Ward of Cass City, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Libkuman of Marlette, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ginter and Mr. and Mrs. Matthew Ginter, Mrs. Haist of Elkton and Mrs. Nibel of Pigeon.

SHABBONA.

Mrs. A. L. Sharrard is visiting her son, Charles, and family at Birmingham.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Coulter and daughter, June, visited at the Fred Dafeo and Thurston Wells homes a few days the first of the week.

Fred Dafeo and family visited at the Wesley Perry home Sunday.

Mrs. John Parrott passed away on Saturday afternoon at the home of her son, George, at the age of 86 years. Funeral services were held at the L. D. S. church Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. H. McGregory and daughter, Mildred, and Mrs. S. Hamilton were callers in Caro Tuesday.

Clothing Man Coming.

A little better each season. This great Richman line men's suiting, top coat and overcoatings bigger and better than ever. Not one that could be bought at retail for less than \$40. Our factory to wear price \$22.50. None higher. A larger selection. Have been buying them for 15 years. Mr. E. C. Boice, the agent, will be at Gordon Hotel Cass City, noon, March 4 to 9 a. m., March 6 to show samples and take measures for these wonder clothes. Shipment when wanted. Classy styles. Superior pure wool fabrics. Extra pants if wanted for \$6.00. E. C. Boice, Agent.—Advertise-ment.

Last Day of Big Sale

SATURDAY, MARCH 2nd

Will end this Mammoth Sale of Men's, Women's and Children's Wearing Apparel and Foot-wear so be on hand and share in the many real Bargains.

ONE LOT OF
**Ladies' Fur Trimmed
Winter Coats**
Values to \$25.00 at
\$5.00

Men's Work Pants.
Dark Stripes, \$1.95 values
97c

**Men's White
Handkerchiefs**
—NOW—
3c

Men's Union Suits.
Heavy ribbed, all sizes, \$1.75
value—now
97c

Men's Sheep Lined Coats
Heavy Moleskin Shell, value to
\$9.50, now
\$4.88

Ladies' Oxfords and Pumps
All Wanted Leathers—values up
to \$6.00, now
\$2.44

**Men's and Young Men's
Suits.**
Values to \$19.75, now
\$9.75

Men's Work Sox.
8c

Hampshire Percales
New Patterns, fast colors,
25c value, per yard
14½c

Extra ! Extra ! Dozens of extraordinary bargains fill our store, so be on hand as this is your last opportunity at this sale.

NO MATTER HOW BUSY YOU ARE OR HOW FAR YOU HAVE TO COME IT WILL PAY YOU TO COME TO THIS SALE.

I. Schonmuller, Cass City