

## TUSCOLA'S STATE TAX IS \$31,000 HIGHER

County Tax Will Probably Be Some Higher Says County Official.

A notice from the auditor general sent to County Clerk Ormes contains the information that Tuscola county's share of the state tax this year will be \$131,478.55. This was determined by the state board of equalization at their session last month. This year's state tax is \$31,065.86 higher than in 1928 when Tuscola's apportionment reached \$100,412.69.

Last year the board of supervisors voted to make the county tax the same as the 1928 state tax. The board will meet for their fall session on Oct. 14 when the amount to be raised for the 1929 county tax will be determined. A prominent county official predicts an increase in taxes this winter for county purposes. Last year, he says, the poor commissioners started their year's work with an overdraft of \$8,000.00. The supervisors voted \$30,000.00 for the poor fund at their last session, but this has proved inadequate for the commissioners as the demands on their fund have been unusually heavy and he predicts that the overdraft will reach \$16,000.00 by December.

The amount of state tax apportioned to Tuscola county under various acts of the legislature is as follows:

Advertising Michigan	\$ 445.69
Aid to school districts	8913.80
Boys' vocational school	1627.08
Central State Teachers College	1408.38
College of Mining and Technology	2335.42
Covert Road Tax	178.28
Employment Institution for the Blind	314.52
Farm Colony for Epileptics	1087.48
Girls' Training School	1206.41
Home and Training School	8168.20
House of Correction and Branch Prison	1963.35
Ionia State Hospital	1071.05
Kalamazoo State Hospital	4972.35
Legislature	1018.35
Mich. State College	9917.87
Military Establishment-Armories	1337.07
Newberry State Hospital	1811.97
New Hospital for Insane	6685.35
Normal College	3875.05
Northern State Teachers College	1225.34
Pontiac State Hospital	4054.54
Psychopathic Hospital	434.50
Reformatory	2576.13
Sanatorium	1615.60
School for Blind	544.92
School for Deaf	826.37
Soldiers' Bonus	13532.19
Soldiers' Home	2631.35
State Fair Refunding Bonds and Interest	623.97
State Prison	6488.98
State Public School	1305.12
Teachers Retirement Fund Commission	22.28
Traverse City State Hospital	4920.64
University of Michigan	26433.22
Vocational Education	619.06
Vocational Rehabilitation	144.99
War Loan Refunding Bonds and Interest	1403.92
Western State Teachers College	8736.66
Total State Tax	131,478.55

## CHICKEN CHECK PROVED TO BE N. G.

A Novesta township farmer is going to be more careful hereafter when he accepts bank checks from strangers. A few days ago he sold some chickens and received a check for over \$50.00 drawn on a local bank. When he presented the check for payment, he was surprised to have the bank official inform him that the chicken buyer had no account at the bank and he had never seen the name before. The purchaser posed as a farmer living near Old Greenleaf and spoke familiarly of residents in this section of the Thumb. Officers are trying to locate him, but so far have been unsuccessful.

## NOTED EVANGELIST COMES HERE OCT. 6

Under the auspices of the Salem Evangelical Church Commission on Evangelism, of which Rev. Charles W. Lyman, pastor, is chairman, one of the outstanding inter-denominational evangelists of the day will hold an intensive revival campaign, in which all Christian people are invited to participate.

Miss Imogene Quinn, now a young woman of wonderful personality and magnetic power, has been preaching the gospel with great success since early childhood, and everywhere her work is marked by the most satisfying results.

Rev. Mr. Lyman has employed her on two of his former pastorates, the large Evangelical church at St. Jo-

seph, Mich., and last fall in the Brown City church. He says that great crowds filled the churches at every service, and the scenes of fervent worship of other days were reenacted under the preaching and singing of this remarkable woman.

The local Commission on Evangelism, and all the earnest membership of the Evangelical church, esteem themselves as indeed fortunate in securing the services of Miss Quinn, known as "The Hoosier Girl Evangelist," for a series of meetings covering three Sundays, and nightly for two weeks.

She will preach her initial sermon here one week from next Sunday morning, Oct. 6. Pastors and members of the several churches in and around Cass City are cordially invited to attend as many of these uplift services as possible, without neglecting their own stated services, the commission announces.

## REV. HILL RETURNED HERE FOR THIRD YEAR

Few Transfers Made of City Pastors at Annual Conference at Ann Arbor.

Rev. Geo. Hill was returned as pastor of the M. E. churches at Cass City and Bethel by the annual conference at Ann Arbor. Few changes were made at the Detroit conference of that denomination in city pastorates, it was revealed Monday with the reading of the list of appointments at the concluding session of the 74th annual meeting. In this (the Port Huron) district, there were 17 changes made.

Appointments of pastors in the Thumb of Michigan include the following:

Fairgrove, Robert Bryce; Caro, Henry W. Kuhlman; Reese, J. J. Strike; Vassar, J. S. Priestly; Argyle, Joseph Blackmore; Bad Axe, Harry Biddlecomb; Bay Port, A. P. Landon; Brown City, W. L. Card; Carsonville and Applegate, W. L. Francis; Clifford, Merl Townsend; Crosswell, W. B. Weaver; Decker, J. H. James; Decker, Chas. Bayles; Elkton, O. W. Trask; Harbor Beach, W. Greach; Inlay City, A. F. Niemann; Kingston, E. L. Carles; Lexington, H. J. Salmon; Marlette, R. E. Niemann; Sinden City, C. J. Bell; North Branch, E. H. Hazard; Peck, R. S. Griswold; Pinnebog, Aaron Mitchell; Port Austin, W. Frith; Port Hope, C. W. Scott; Port Sanilac, Mrs. W. I. Francis; Sandusky, H. G. Bushong; Unionville, W. P. Nicholas; Mayville, E. C. Stubbs; Millington, C. P. Shapter.

## POTATOES COSTLY TO DETROIT MEN

Fined \$220 for Stealing Couple of Bushels from Tuscola Farmer.

When Charles Schian, Denmark township farmer, returned to his home Monday night he found two men busy harvesting the Schian potato crop. Rushing to his house Schian seized his rifle, ran to the field and made the two men surrender at the point of the gun. Schian kept the gun on them until Deputy Sheriff William Atkins of Vassar arrived and took the men to the county jail.

The men came with a truck, 28 sacks, a number of baskets and a potato fork. They had one basket on the truck and another on the ground, both filled with potatoes, when they were captured.

The men, who gave their names as James Howard and Fred Pleis, both of Detroit, pleaded guilty to simple larceny in Justice Wm. Imerson's court at Caro Tuesday and were fined \$100 and \$10 costs each. Two bushels of potatoes at this rate brought the cost to \$220, or \$110 a bushel.

## TEACHERS OF THUMB MEET HERE MONDAY

A meeting of intermediate teachers of the Thumb district will be held at the Cass City school building next Monday evening. This conference is sponsored by superintendents of the more prominent schools of the Thumb and will be in charge of an instructor of the Central State Teachers College at Mt. Pleasant.

The session will be held in the evening as an experiment to ascertain if the attendance will be larger than those at meetings last year when the sessions were held in the afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Hartt spent the week-end with relatives at Belleville. F. H. Morgan and daughter, Lucile, and Miss Della Martin, who have spent some time here, returned to Belleville with them.

## H. W. HOLMES RESIGNS AS SUPT. OF SCHOOLS

Has Been Elected Head of Marshall Schools with Staff of 42 Teachers.

H. W. Holmes has resigned as superintendent of schools at Cass City to accept a similar position at Marshall and expects to take up his new duties on Nov. 1. He has been given a three-year contract with an increase in salary each year.

Marshall is a town of 5,500 population and its schools have 42 teachers. A new \$300,000 high school is in process of construction which will house the students of the junior and senior high schools. Pupils below the seventh grade study in four ward schools and a portion of the old high school building.

When B. H. VandenBelt was appointed assistant superintendent of public instruction recently, the board of education at Marshall invited several successful school superintendents of the state for an interview, with the purpose of selecting one to succeed Mr. VandenBelt as superintendent of schools at Marshall. Mr. Holmes was among the number invited and the latter part of last week was notified of his selection for the position.



H. W. Holmes.

Quite a number of school men have visited Cass City the past week for the purpose of placing their applications for the superintendent position with the board of education. Others are expected this week end. Most of the applicants are men of many years' experience as school administrators and the board anticipates no trouble in securing a capable man to fill the vacancy.

## TUSCOLA CO. BREEDERS TO SHOW JERSEYS

Tuscola county will endeavor to repeat the successful representation of last year at the Jersey Parish Show held at the Saginaw Fairgrounds on Oct. 8, 9 and 10. The officers of the County Jersey Association are now co-operating with County Agricultural Agent D. B. Jewell in selecting the animals which will go to the show. At this show will be found the best animals from Shiawassee, Clinton, Gladwin, Midland, Genesee, Lapeer, Sanilac, Saginaw, Bay and Tuscola counties. Each county makes only one entry in each class, selecting the best animals they can find in the county for that purpose.

There are five classes for bulls, six classes for females, class for get of sire, produce of dam, four cows in milk and graded herd. This means that Tuscola county will have in the neighborhood of about 17 of their best animals there.

A banquet on the evening of Oct. 9, at which time such prominent speakers as A. C. Carton, state department of agriculture, C. V. Ballard, assistant county agent leader, H. E. Dennison, Jersey cattle field man, and others will provide an evening's program both interesting and instructive, under the care of W. E. McCarthy, county agricultural agent of Bay county, as toastmaster.

## MAP TALK INTERESTS WOMAN'S STUDY CLUB

The home of Mrs. J. D. Brooker was prettily decorated with bouquets of autumn flowers for the first meeting of the 1929-30 season of the Woman's Study Club. The business was conducted by the president, Mrs. R. J. Knight, and Mrs. John Marshall served as secretary in the absence of Mrs. A. Atwell, who is ill.

Rev. P. J. Allured gave an instructive and comprehensive map talk on "The New Europe" which renewed a desire in his audience to study geography and become informed more fully in the changing conditions in Europe. The club is very grateful to Mr. Allured and hopes he may continue the discourse in the near future.

Mrs. Knight, in her annual message, stressed co-operation and closed her remarks by reading a beautiful inspirational prayer. The responses, Men and Women of the Hour, were prepared by Mrs. James Tennant. The next club meeting will be held in the

high school building on Oct. 8. The annual convention of the Michigan State Federation of Women's clubs will be held in the state capitol at Lansing Oct. 1-4 with about 1,000 delegates from the organization's membership of 600,000 in this state expected for the convale. Women of national prominence will address the convention. They include Justice Florence E. Allen, of the Ohio supreme court; Mrs. Grace Morrison Poole, of Brockton, Mass., first vice-president of the national organization, and Mrs. Lillian M. Gilbreth, New York business and social leader.

## POWER COMPANY PLANS ON NEW LINE TO SERVE FARMS

The Michigan Electric Power Company is making plans for the construction of a new power line to serve the section south and east of Fairgrove. Manager R. D. Meade of the company's Caro plant recently met with 40 farmers in the section who are interested in securing electric connection for lights and power.

## CLUB MEMBERS TO REPRESENT STATE

Michigan Boys and Girls Will Compete at St. Louis and Chicago.

Thirty boy and girl club members from Michigan will compete against youngsters from many other states in the contests to be conducted at the National Dairy Show at St. Louis, Oct. 12 to 19, and at the Boys and Girls Club Congress, Chicago, Nov. 29 to Dec. 6, according to A. G. Kettunen, state club leader.

The dairy cattle judging team which will go to St. Louis will be Vedo Heric, Delta County; Wilbur Steinaeker, Livingston county; and Maxwell Kempf, Newago county. Hilding Williamson, Delta, is alternate to fill any vacancy on this team.

Ferris Church and Harold Woven, both from Kent county, will go to St. Louis as a dairy demonstration team. Members winning trips to Chicago include Junior Mitchell and Orlin Johnson, Midland county, handicraft demonstration; Lewis Drake, Antrim, Ralph Brown, Ottawa, and Jack Gilbert, Washtenaw, crop judging; Robert Hefflin and Carl Peterson, Antrim, crops demonstration; and Carl Shultz, Washtenaw, poultry judging.

Other Chicago contestants will be Ronald Hawley and Clayton Stevens, Alger, poultry demonstration; Jim Milligan, Harold McGrath, and Clarence Bullock, Cass City, livestock judging; and Victor Weller, Kent, and Helen Norberg, Oceana, health.

The girl team members are Mary Hass, Muskegon and Mamie Bernhardt, Iron, canning judging; Carnet Sturdevant, Newago, and Marie Postema, Oceana, clothing judging; Lorraine Churchill, Oceana, style show; Catherine Hakes and Louise Hakes, Calhoun, and Lydia Altman and Margaret Knauf, Chippewa, home economics demonstration.

## CAR WRECKED AND FIVE NEGROES BRUISED

A quiet but pretty wedding was solemnized Saturday afternoon, Sept. 21, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hector McKay when their daughter, Miss Elda Helene, was united in marriage with Harold Arlo Compton of Detroit. The ceremony was performed by Rev. W. R. Curtis, pastor of the Cass City Baptist church, at five o'clock. Only members of the families were present. The couple were attended by Miss Marguerite McKay, sister of the bride and George Compton, brother of the groom.

## PIGEON-OWENDALE COUNTY ROAD OPEN FOR TRAFFIC

The Pigeon-Owendale county road has been opened for traffic after rebuilding activities that have been going on for a number of weeks. The finishing surface will not be put on the road until next spring. The road is of the tar penetration type. William J. Steadman of Pigeon was in charge of the reconstruction work.

## MICHIGAN LICENSE PLATES TO BE YELLOW AND BLACK

Michigan license plates for 1930 will be the reverse of the present color combination. The background will be deep yellow with black lettering. Pennsylvania's plates will also be the same colors but of course a difference in lettering. Indiana's will have a blue background with orange letters, Alabama a red background with white letters, Wisconsin will have black letters on a light green background, and New Jersey will have white letters on a gray background.

Ora Sugden of Mayville and Miss Helen Baker of Maine, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Bright and daughter, Donna Jean, spent Sunday at the Milton Sugden home.

## BEANS MAY HOLD TO LAST SEASON'S PRICES

Last Year's Stocks Practically Cleaned Up. This Year's Crop No Larger than in 1928.

With a total acreage above any harvested since 1918, the bean growers of the United States on August 1 anticipated a crop of 17,626,000 bushels or 568,000 bushels more than the average produced during the years 1923-27. By September 1, the continued drought in Michigan and Montana had reduced that estimate 373,000 bushels, notwithstanding the fact that all the western states except Montana had made substantial increases due to favorable weather. The September estimate for the United States is for a crop of 17,254,000 bushels or 633,000 bushels more than last year's production. This increase is due partly to the gains made in the western states and partly to a planted acreage ten per cent larger than that harvested last year.

However, the fact that the drought effects have been greatest in the white variety states makes this month's estimate of more than usual significance to Michigan growers, according to Verne H. Church, agricultural statistician for the Michigan Co-operative Crop Reporting Service. Last year 85% of the Michigan crop was of the white variety or a production of 5,050,000 bushels. With a similar percentage this year, the September estimate would indicate a production of 4,711,000 bushels or a decrease of 339,000 bushels for the white variety. In 1928 the states of Michigan, New York, Idaho, Montana, Wyoming, and California produced 8,265,000 bushels of white beans or 97% of the total United States production of this variety. If similar proportions of this year's crop are of the white variety in each of these states the estimate on September 1 would point to a production of 8,105,000 bushels of white beans or a decrease of 160,000 bushels compared to last year's crop.

Hence, the present indications for a larger total production of all varieties than last year for the country as a whole should have little effect upon the situation in Michigan. Last year's high prices have practically cleaned up all stocks, and with prospects for a United States crop of the white varieties no larger than last year's, it seems probable that this season's prices will be comparable with those of 1928.

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## 30,000 TEACHERS TO ATTEND CONVENTIONS

District Programs To Be Held in Nine Michigan Cities in October.

It is expected that more than 30,000 teachers will attend the programs of the Michigan Education Association in the nine districts of the state. The Michigan Education Association is the voluntary organization of the teaching profession in Michigan. The largest group will assemble in Detroit October 24, 25, and 26, where general meetings will be held at Cass Technical High School. From previous attendances, it is estimated that more than 9,000 will attend the meeting at Detroit. Instructors of the Cass City Schools are planning to attend the Detroit conference.

Music and dramatics will supplement the programs of addresses at the general and division meetings of the nine districts of the Michigan Education Association this fall. Speakers of national reputation from outside the state will share the platform with four well-known Michigan educators.

President M. R. Keyworth, superintendent of schools at Hamtramck, will address the membership in each district on the work and program of the Association. Public school relations will be discussed by Dr. Arthur B. Moehlman, professor of supervision and administration, University of Michigan, at the general meetings of each district. Professional standards will be the subject of an address to be given either by Dr. J. B. Edmonson, dean of the School of Education of the University of Michigan, or Dr. Dwight B. Waldo, president of Western State Teachers College. Dean Edmonson will be on the programs in Districts Four, Five, Six, Seven, and Eight. President Waldo will speak in Districts One, Two, Three, and Nine.

One of the headliners among the speakers from outside the state is Will Irwin, author and correspondent, who will address the general sessions of the first six districts.

Some of the speakers for the division meetings are Dr. Harold Rugg, professor of education, Columbia University; Dr. James F. Hosc, professor of education, Columbia University; Dr. Daniel Harrison Kulp II, associate professor of education, Columbia University; Dr. R. L. Lyman, professor of the teaching of English, University of Chicago; Miss Helen Hefnerman, chief of the division of rural education, state department of education, Sacramento, California; Dr. Caroline Hedger, Elizabeth McCormick Memorial Fund, Chicago; Dr. Arnold Gesell, director of Yale Psycho-Clinic, New Haven, and John Beattie, director of public school music, Northwestern University, Evanston, and formerly state supervisor of music in Michigan.

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## FOUGHT CLASS A OUTFIT TO STANDSTILL

Cass City High School opened its 1929 football schedule at Saginaw Saturday, losing a 12-0 game to Arthur Hill. Greatly outwitted, the team fought the Class A outfit to a standstill the first half and played most of the period in Saginaw territory. The maroon team threatened to score twice in this period. After Vatters recovered a fumble, Edgerton put the ball on the 30-yard stripe and a short pass to Gowen advanced it 12 more. On the next play, Arthur Hill intercepted a pass and ran the ball to mid-field. Later in the period Gowen intercepted a Saginaw pass and carried the pigskin to the 25-yard line. Edgerton made about 8 yards outside end and a backfield tumble on a trip for first down gave Saginaw the ball.

Saginaw scored in each of the last quarters after a fresh back-field started the second half. The local squad looked exceedingly good for the first game.

The Thumb schedule opens Friday when the maroon and gray journey to Pigeon. Pigeon defeated Marlette 24-6 last week, and unless the squad is in fine fettle, may meet a tartar. Season tickets for the home games are now on sale and the home fans are urged to support the team.

## T. C. H. S. A. A. MEET.

The annual meeting of the Tuscola County High School Athletic Association will be held at Caro next Tuesday night for the purpose of electing officers and planning the school year athletic program.

Chicken Supper Tuesday. Come to the M. E. church Tuesday night, Oct. 1, for supper and have Chicken and biscuits in gravy Mashed potatoes Buttered beets Cabbage salad Jelly Brown or white bread Pumpkin or apple pie Coffee Served by Division No. 4. Adult, 50c; child, 35c.—Advertisement.

# LOCAL HAPPENINGS

David Ashmore of Gagetown is a patient at the Morris hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Rench and Mrs. E. J. Klingener were callers in Flint Friday.

Miss Erma Flint of Lansing visited at her parental home in Cass City over the week-end.

Miss Ada Taylor of Detroit and Miss Perrin of Pittsburg, Pa., were week-end guests of Mrs. B. L. Middleton.

William Zinnecker and son, John, spent Sunday with their son and brother, Wallace Zinnecker, at Pontiac.

Rev. and Mrs. Chas. W. Lyman were guests of their daughter, Mrs. Fred Elder, at Pigeon the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Hardy and family of Midland were Sunday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Grant Van Winkle.

Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Lake of Brussels, Canada, were visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Urquhart Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kosanke and son, Donald, who have spent some time in Detroit, returned to Cass City Sunday.

Miss Anna and John McIntyre of Alvinston, Ontario, were week-end visitors at the homes of R. N. McCullough and John West.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Reid, Mrs. Harriet Boyes and daughters, Misses Marjorie and Dorothy, were callers in Caro Saturday evening.

Mrs. Benj. Kirton and daughter, Elaine, spent from Thursday until Sunday with Mrs. Kirton's father, William Handley, at Deckerville.

Mrs. John Marks underwent a serious operation at the Morris Hospital Wednesday, Sept. 18. She is getting along as well as can be expected.

Willis Campbell, Andrew Bigelow and James Milligan spent Tuesday and Wednesday at Alpena, where they attended the fair and Mr. Campbell judged the livestock.

Mr. and Mrs. Schluchter, sr., and Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Schluchter of Pigeon and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Cooley and children of Owendale were Sunday guests of Mrs. Agnes Cooley.

Garrison Moore of Detroit spent the week-end in Cass City. His mother, Mrs. M. M. Moore, returned to Detroit with him Sunday evening and is spending the week with relatives there.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Corkins and children, Jean, Hazel and Shirley, visited at the home of their daughter and sister, Mrs. Clare Hewens, at Ypsilanti from Friday until Sunday evening.

Darwin L. Bailey of Harbor Beach visited at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Bailey, Saturday afternoon. Clare Z. Bailey of Mount Pleasant spent Saturday afternoon and Sunday with his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Bigham and son, Junior, and Miss Norine Bigham of Pontiac spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Bigham. All were entertained at the home of Mrs. Walter McCool at Shabbona for dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Preston of Snover, Edward Preston and Mrs. Sherman of Novesta and Mr. and Mrs. Lute Ives of Stockbridge spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Wheeler. Mr. and Mrs. Ives remained to spend a few days with their aunt and uncle.

Miss Lura DeWitt entertained her cousin, Miss Lura Williams of Flint, from Thursday until Saturday when both left to spend a few days in Detroit. Friday afternoon, Miss DeWitt and Miss Williams were entertained at the home of Mrs. James Purdy at Gagetown.

## WILMOT.

While returning home from church Sunday evening, Mrs. Cora Atfield was knocked down by an auto. She was taken to a doctor, where it was found she was badly bruised, but no bones were broken.

Chas. Clark and family entertained guests from Pontiac Sunday.

Miss Bernice Evans, who is attending school at Pontiac, spent Sunday at her parental home here.

Mrs. Westerby has been quite poorly the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Rayworth of Pontiac were callers in town Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Rickwalt of Owendale spent Saturday night and Sunday with the latter's sister, Mrs. Burt Barton.

Mina Clark and family of Pontiac called on old friends in town Sunday.

Mrs. Wm. Harbin of Detroit was a caller at the home of Mrs. Wm. Penfold Sunday afternoon.

Miss Marie Gemmill of Detroit spent Sunday with Mrs. Wm. Moulton.

Ernie Barrons of Flint called on his father, Jacob Barrons, Sunday.

Mrs. Helen Brunson and sister, Mrs. John Kress, of Silver Hill, Ontario, spent a few days here last week.

Mrs. Claud Upper and son, Jack, of Detroit are visiting her mother, Mrs. Mary Hart.

Lee Penfold and family of Kinde spent Sunday with Mrs. P's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Evans.

## Current Comments

### Time Is Precious.

Editor E. R. Eaton of Northville, who up to five years ago never rode on anything faster than a Pere Marquette train, is getting terribly concerned about the loss of a few minutes time. It develops on a recent drive from Northville to Lansing he was detained a couple of seconds at a half dozen stop lights. On two stops as we recall, no traffic crossed over the protected right of way while he raged at the throttle of his noble Essex. The Northville gent was particularly provoked about the stop at Webberville and calls those folks a bunch of hicks and says to them Grand River road is just another path running in front instead of back of the house. We don't know what Eaton did when he arrived at Lansing all covered with froth but in all probability he was like the Charlotte man who a few years ago drove to Bellevue a mile a minute clip and spent the next half hour playing pool waiting for the ball game. Isn't that the way, we throw off all semblance of safety for speed to get time to play pool.—Charlotte Republican.

### Speaking of Mail Boxes.

A mail box in front of a farm rather discloses the condition of the farm. Some of them are carried by a straight, upright, nicely painted post, with the box bright and plainly lettered with the owner's name. These as a rule represent that farm. Others are sagging on an old post, the paint is all worn out and you cannot even guess the name of the patron of the R. F. D. This, too, is apt to truly represent the farmer who gets his mail from that particular box. Now, which portrays your mail box.—Croswell Jeffersonian.

### Success Comes to Hard Workers.

It is said that only 5 per cent of printers and publishers make good. Less than fifteen per cent of business and professional men achieve success. Probably less than fifteen per cent of the farmers make their occupation a success. There is no known calling or business where twenty-five per cent are successful. Therefore if you have not made a success in your undertaking, don't feel dejected, you are with the majority. It takes pluck, perseverance and enthusiasm to get to the top, so don't worry but work. The hardest workers make the greatest success.—Huron County Tribune.

Sixty-four in Two and One-half Years In the two and one-half years that L. S. McEldowney has been sheriff of Tuscola county, 64 prisoners have

been removed to penal institutions other than the county jail. Ten years ago, in the same period, but one offender was taken to prison by E. C. Brainerd, then sheriff. One might well wonder what the world is coming to. Apparently Barmum was right when he said that a new sucker is born every minute, and while the famous Showman was thinking about the people who attended circuses, the statement would seem to apply equally well to suckers who try to beat the law through the commission of all kinds of crimes.

Due to the efficient work done by Sheriff McEldowney and his deputies, the law-breaking suckers in this county have been unable to get away with their jobs.

We know of no better way to cope with the situation than to have such a sheriff as the county now possesses who works quietly and efficiently, and who secures the results that he has obtained.—Caro Advertiser.

### Poetic License

All my life I have heard of men on their knees before women. I doubt that any such thing ever happened anywhere, except in play or book. I have never had any such disposition, and in my younger days I was a wild man about women.—E. W. Howe's Monthly.

### Fault of the Public

We do not blame the political orators much for taking advantage of the situation, and there is a great disposition among the rank and file to mis take terrific bawling for fearless thinking.—Ohio State Journal.

### Deepest Rivers

The Amazon is the deepest river in the world, being 1,200 feet at its mouth and 620 feet one thousand miles from its mouth. Next is said to be the Saguenay, which is 500 to 600 feet deep.

### Bunny in New Role

A hen in Ireland laid seven eggs near a rabbit burrow. The eggs disappeared and some time later a newly hatched chicken popped out. It is supposed the heat from the animals incubated the eggs.

### Speech Defects

Stammering and other speech defects may be caused by malformations of the palate, tongue, etc. Various speech defects may be symptoms of a functional nerve disorder.

### Growth of Nails Varies

The nails of the hands grow at the rate of about 1 millimeter a week, while those of the toes grow a millimeter in a month.

## DEFORD

Mr. and Mrs. Neil Martin and grandchildren and Mrs. Clarence Chadwick and James Phillips spent Sunday in Pontiac.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Sanson spent Sunday afternoon and Monday in Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Newel Hubbard returned to their home after being gone three weeks, while Mrs. H. was in a hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawson Stinger spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ray Webster of Owendale.

Mr. and Mrs. Benj. Gage and daughter ate dinner on Sunday at the George Ashcroft home near Wilmot and in the afternoon motored to Pontiac and Oxford.

Mr. and Mrs. Crittenden of Hubbard, Oregon, came on Friday for a visit with their brothers, William and Joseph McCracken. They have been away 24 years.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Malcolm entertained from Friday until Tuesday, Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Kelley and son, Raymond, and daughter, Mrs. Smith, and her two daughters of Brantford, Ontario.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Vanderkooyp spent Sunday at her parental home in Spenston.

Mrs. Bertha Cooper is spending the week with her son-in-law, Ray Gibbs, of Caro.

Ben Gage and John Davis spent Tuesday night in Wilmot.

Mrs. Ed. Sutton of Detroit spent Sunday at her farm home here.

The South Novesta Farmers' Club met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. McIntyre on Friday. A very nice time was had by all.

Mrs. John Clark spent from Friday to Sunday with her daughter, Mrs. Delbert Martin, at Colling.

Mr. and Mrs. Richardson and Mr. and Mrs. Seeley of Ellington spent Sunday at A. E. Webster's.

N. R. Kennedy and Benj. Gage spent Thursday at Sand Pointe.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Agar spent Sunday at Sebawaing.

Mr. and Mrs. Benj. Hicks entertained the following guests at dinner Wednesday: Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Hicks and son, and Mrs. Fred Marriot of Sarnia, Ontario. Mr. Hicks and Mrs. Marriot are brother and sister of Benj. Hicks.

Mrs. John Slack and daughter of Novesta spent Wednesday with the former's daughter, Mrs. Newell Hubbard.

Max Agar, Benj. Gage and Lyle Penfold spent Tuesday evening in Wilmot.

Mrs. Max Agar and Mrs. Benj. Gage and daughter, Bernice, spent Tuesday evening at Cass City.

## Impressive Contrast

An instrument made from the wings of a common housefly (the sort children are encouraged to swat) is employed at the Mount Wilson observatory in California to measure heat radiated by stars millions of miles from the earth. A shred of fly's wing as the receiving end of a 100-inch telescope presents the maximum of contrast.—World's Work.

## Most Lasting Gift

The most precious gift . . . must be something imperishable. If instead of a gem or even a flower, we could cast the gift of a lovely thought into the heart of a friend, that would be giving, as the angels I suppose must give.—George McDonald.

## Believe It or Not!

Rice paper is not made from rice. Catgut is from sheep, and not from cats. Irish stew is an American invention. Most linen collars are cotton. And there you are.—Farm Journal.

## It May Be Needed

Some of us would like just to hang on another 50 years, or thereabouts, to see whether the learned authorities who name the vitamins will need a second alphabet.—Detroit News.

## First American Duels

The first duel fought in this country was in 1621 in Plymouth between two serving men.

## Fish May Swim

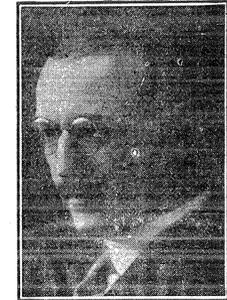
The Kansas City Court of Appeals has decided that "a woman may lie to her husband when the provocation is great enough." We wait in dreadful suspense to get a ruling from the Kansas City body on what water may do on a grade.—Buffalo Courier-Express.

## Lucky Digger

A German gardener dug up a gold coin minted in 1444. Only one specimen of this coin was known before and it was valued highly. He received for his the equivalent of a year's wage.

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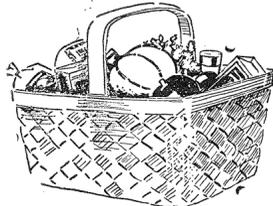
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- Baker's Coconut** Shredded—high quality. 4-oz. pkg. **12c**
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- CHOCOLATES** Hiawatha—five flavor fancy. Per lb. **23c**
- FIG BARS** Always fresh. 2 lbs. **25c**
- Tea Siftings** Viking or Lantern. 2 1-lb. pkgs. **25c**
- Big 4 Soap Flakes** Soft as velvet. Per pkg. **19c**
- Fly Spray** HALF PINT **39c** PINT **59c**

### FRUIT AND VEGETABLE SPECIALS.

- Oranges, Sun Kist, 252, per dozen. 27c
- Sweet Potatoes, 6 lbs. 20c
- Concord Grapes, 4 qt. basket. 25c
- Michigan Potatoes, Cobbler, per peck. 54c
- Bananas, Ripe, 3 lbs. 25c

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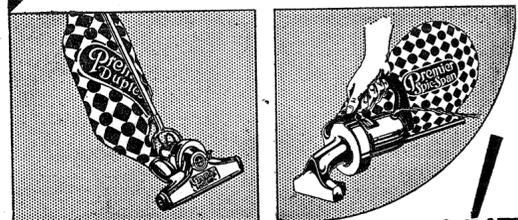
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### KINGSTON-NOVESTA TOWN LINE

Mr. and Mrs. John Retherford of Caro were Town Line callers Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Jenerous of Pontiac spent Sunday at their farm home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Evard Rawson and family of Cass City were visitors Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus Wells.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Heidemann of Caro spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Martin.

Mrs. Ruth Stewart of Midland visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. Retherford, several days of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Hillman and daughter of Fairgrove were guests at the Geo. Hillman home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Palmateer and daughters visited Sunday at the home of Wells Spencer near Deford.

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Wagner of Hazel Park visited the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. Retherford, a couple of days of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Montague and Mr. and Mrs. Clark Montague and son spent Sunday at the George Hartwell home at Rescue.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Retherford and son, Arleon, visited friends at Caro Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Osburn and children, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Funk and Roy Courliiss spent Sunday at the homes of Wm. Barringer and Mrs. Hedden of Imlay City.

Mrs. Coroly and the Misses Norma and Marion Retherford of Saginaw and Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Everett and children of Kingston were Sunday visitors at the L. Retherford home.

Alvah Palmateer with Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Colwell of Cass City spent Sunday with relatives in Saginaw.

Mrs. C. C. Beeman of Caro and Mrs. Leta Silvernail from near Kingston were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Martin Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Bruce and baby spent Sunday at Pontiac.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Retherford and family attended a surprise birthday party Friday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Putnam of Caro, it being the birthday of Mr. Putnam who is Mrs. Retherford's brother.

There were forty present, and he received some nice gifts. A delicious supper was served and all enjoyed a pleasant evening.

The W. C. T. U. will hold their October meeting at the home of Mrs. G. A. Martin on Thursday, Oct. 3, at two o'clock. Members are especially requested to be present.

Delegates to the district convention, which will be held in Caro, late in October will be elected at this meeting and other important business will be done. Program is in charge of the director of child welfare work, Mrs. L. Osburn.

### SLATS' DIARY.

BY ROSS FARQUHAR.

Friday—the preacher got sore at pa and ma and pa got sore at me tonite.

He was at are house for supper and he ast us witch part of the servus we liked the best on Sunday and I spoke up and sed that I herd pa say he was all ways tickled when the benediction was given. Frum that time on the supper was very discomfable. For me a speshfully.

Saturday—Ant Emmy went to the pitcher show tonite and when she cums home she was all excited up. She sed she never new that munkeys cud tawk but it showed on the screen where a animal pitcher was shone and the munky sed to the tager You will pay for this insult to my pryde.

Sunday—Hellen Glunt got home frum a Finishing skool today witch she had onley ben there a wk. but pa sed it was Hellen's pa witch got finished 1st so she cums on home half finished.

Monday—Ma went to a bridge luncheon today and pa and me had to go to the restarant for lunch. I ast pa what was the differents between a lunche and a luncheon and he answered and sed About a \$ and a quarter most genrally all ways.

Tuesday—Unkle Hen was sick for about a wk. and got to feeling all rite last Sunday but he woodent get up till this after noon becuz he still had sum medicine left and he sed Drs. was to Xpensive and he wanted to get his muney's wirth.

Wednesday—They was a new baby borned a cuple days ago acrost the crick and it onley wayed three pounds, and a ½. But frum all I can hear I gess they are going ahead and keep it enny ways.

Thursday—well I gess I am in bad with Jane and it aint my fault neather. I borried pa's tipe riter today and rote her a nice long letter and this evening Elsy telephoned and sed Jane was offy mad becuz I begun the letter My Dear Pest. I cudent help it becuz I made a Mistake and sed that instead of PET witch was my enten-shun. Well who cares for gurl's enny-ways. Onley Sissy boys, and 1 aint 1 of them.

### Age of Commercialism

"Sentiment," said Hi Ho, the sage of Chinatown, "is commercialized. A gatekeeper made me pay money for the privilege of weeping at the tombs of my ancestors."—Washington Star.

### Happenings of a Quarter Century Ago

Items from the Tri-County Chronicle of Sept. 23, 1904.

The M. E. conference held its annual session at Adrian last week. Rev. M. W. Gifford, who has so acceptably filled the M. E. appointment here for three years, goes to Romeo this year. R. M. Muholland will be the new pastor at Cass City, D. H. Kyes at Derora, B. H. Blagee at Gagetown, W. T. Wallace at Kingston, Andrew Wood at Pigeon, J. G. Gordon at Ubyly, H. A. Leeson at Caro, and E. W. Exceby at Unionville.

D. M. Houghton of Cass City was elected president of the Rural Letter Carriers Association of Tuscola County Saturday.

The Gifford Colored Jubilee Singers will open an eight night engagement at the opera house Sept. 23.

Over \$8,000 was paid out of the two local banks to the farmers last Saturday for livestock, produce, cucumbers, etc. Of this amount about \$1,600 went to pickle growers.

Louis Usher has gone to Newberry where he is employed as attendant at the asylum.

Stanley Schenck is captain of the football team at Alma again this year.

A new organization has sprung into existence in our fair village whose very name is secret, the initials being W. T. B. C. The membership consists of 12 young ladies.

Mrs. Wallace Ball and family, accompanied by the former's father, Mr. Ridgeway, moved to Coldwater this week where Mr. Ball has been employed this summer.

Literary Teamwork  
I look forward to the day when a prime minister will recommend a novel because the home secretary has suppressed it, and the home secretary suppresses a novel because the prime minister has recommended it.—Sir G. S. Robertson.

Flower Easily Cultivated  
Lilies of the valley require no special attention, and are adapted for planting around shrubbery, porches or shady places, where they come up every season and bring an abundance of beautiful flowers.

No Place for Riches  
Riches should be admitted into our houses, but not into our hearts; we may take them into our possession, but not into our affections.—Charron.

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 17th day of September, A. D. 1929.

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

In the matter of the Estate of Lurania Mattoon, Deceased.

Charles E. Steers, having filed in said court his final administration account, and his petition praying for the allowance thereof and for the assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate,

It is ordered, that the 16th day of October, A. D. 1929, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, he 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. 9/20/29  
Minta E. Hill, Register of Probate.

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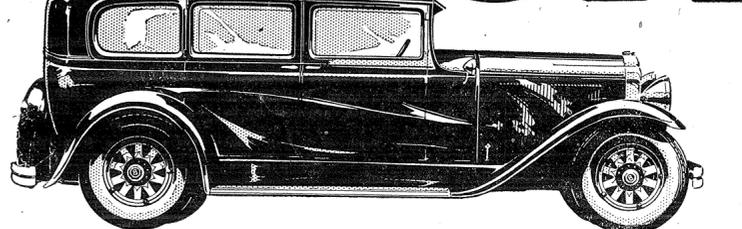
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# Farm Auction Sale

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## Wednesday, Oct. 2

Commencing at one o'clock

- Brown mare, 13 years old, weight 1350, in foal
- Black horse 11 years old, weight 1200
- Sorrel mare 10 years old, weight 1000
- Red and white cow, 3 years old, due April 5
- Jersey cow 2 years old, milking
- Red and white cow, 4 years old, due Apr. 4
- Red yearling heifer
- Heifer calf 5 months old
- Superior grain drill
- Deering mower
- Set 3-section spring tooth drags
- 2-horse cultivator
- 1-horse cultivator
- Oliver plow
- Wagon
- Wagon box and rack
- Double buggy
- Set double harness
- Horse blanket, new
- Whippletrees and neck yoke
- Corn planter
- Chain 15 ft. long
- Grain bags
- 10 rods chicken wire
- 21 ft. 1½ inch pipe
- 8 tons mixed hay
- 251 shocks corn
- About 20 Barred Rock pullets
- About 10 hens 1 year old
- Tool chest and tools
- Cream separator, nearly new
- Oil drum
- Renown range
- 4-burner oil stove
- Kitchen cabinet
- 3 dining room chairs
- Set springs, new
- Couch
- Pork barrel
- Large barrel
- Quantity 2 qt. fruit jars
- Wash tub
- Set scales, 60 lbs.
- Other articles not mentioned
- Bean pods
- Kitchen table
- Center table
- Kitchen table
- Lamp
- 5-gallon churn
- 3 milk pails
- Man's fur coat

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STOP LIGHT NEEDED.

Two automobiles met Monday morning in another accident at the corner of Main and Seeger Streets. Both cars were damaged, but fortunately no person was hurt. Two weeks before, a little school girl was knocked to the pavement by an automobile at this point and she, too, was fortunate in escaping serious injury.

This corner, the busiest in town, has been the scene of several narrow escapes from accidents in late weeks, but will we always be so fortunate? A "stop and go" signal light is a safety device needed at this point and the Chronicle hopes to see the village council place one there at an early date.

HOME.

Let no one be rash enough to say in the autumn time that the American people are losing the homing instinct, that the United States has ceased to be a nation of homes, that the great American home is now a myth. If some should be so rash there are a thousand arguments to make their statements ridiculous and to prove them fallacious.

In the winter when thousands seek more moderate climes away from home, in the spring time when great preparations are made for vacation tours and new automobiles are a national objective, and in the summer when the nation leaves home en masse for strange lands and vacation resorts, then it is that there are grounds for the accusation that the American people no longer hold the home sacred and no longer believe "there's no place like home."

But how different is the aspect when autumn rolls around in the cycle of months. Step into any home. You are bound to find new furnishings and always somebody at home. But it is not even necessary to go to the homes. Pass by the stores where they sell home furnishings. The most casual observer cannot fail to see a quickening of activities in October and November, the real autumn months of the year.

CONGRATULATIONS TO YOU, MR. HOLMES

While we expected that H. W. Holmes would leave this community some of these days, it was with deep regret that the news was received here a few days ago that he had resigned his position as superintendent of schools to take a similar position in a larger school at Marshall. The offer came unsolicited to Mr. Holmes.

Friends of the school man in this community, and they are many, are exceedingly loath to have him leave the position he has filled so successfully for nearly nine years, but are happy that the opportunity for a larger field of usefulness has come to him and congratulate him on his preference.

The Cass City schools have made a steady growth during his administration, not only in number of pupils, but in the number of new courses of study offered its students and in the quality of instruction. The number of non-resident pupils has grown from 50 to 175 in nine years, a new school building has been erected and the high school placed on the North Central list.

Mr. Holmes' ability has been recognized by his fellow instructors in the Thumb district in that he has been elected to the positions of president, vice president and secretary-treasurer of the Tuscola Co. High School Athletic Association and president of the Thumb Round Table. He has served as chairman of the sub-district oratorical and declamatory contests, chairman of the district music contest and manager of the district basketball tournament.

Mr. Holmes' activity extended beyond his school duties. Since the organization of the Community Club, he has served as president, secretary and treasurer of the society, and the M. E. church found him a valuable asset as a teacher in their Sunday School. Many other community enterprises found him a willing worker. Men of his calibre are assets to any community.

CURE FOR THE BLUES.

Work is the greatest of all cures for discontentment. If you are blue, if you feel that you haven't a friend on earth, if you feel that you are not getting what belongs to you, if you are spending restless nights, go to work and watch the difference. It won't be long before you will begin to feel different, you can sleep better at night, you can digest your food better and you will soon feel "and breathe a more soothing atmosphere." Work is a necessary adjunct to every happy and prosperous community.

WHAT ABOUT YOUR HOME TOWN?

Occasionally one hears somebody berating his own town. Nothing is right. The merchants are not up to snuff and the city officers are neglecting their duty. Business is bad and getting worse and everything generally is out of joint.

Just criticism in the right place and at the right time is all right and proper and should be indulged in. It tends to betterments. But when a man complains to a stranger of his own town he is not doing his part to make the town better. If he is so soured that he can see nothing good in his town he might at least keep his mouth shut when strangers are around.

THOSE WHO LIVE IN GLASS HOUSES.

This "hewing to the line" and "never minding the chips" sounds very well, but it is hard to carry out in running a community newspaper—as we have discovered. While the public has its right with respect to news, yet we have not the heart to print stories which will do unnecessary harm to boys and girls, still in the formative period, or stories which an inflated public opinion will be inclined to interpret recklessly.

Of course, there will be those who will ridicule our policy and who believe that sensation should be the policy. But some of these same folks are apt to walk into the office before long and say, "Please don't say anything about this"—and they will be very grateful for our thoughtfulness.

Which is only another way of saying that most of us either have glass houses or plenty of windows.

UNSKILLED LABOR NOT NEEDED

"Unskilled workers are doing themselves a favor if they remain away from Detroit," James Carbery, vocational director at the downtown Y. M. C. A. said yesterday in commenting upon the rush of applications for employment over last month.

"Highly skilled men are almost certain to find employment here if they have the funds to sustain their search over a period of two to six weeks," Carbery continued. "It is folly for the young fellow with no trade to come into the city at this time.

"So far September has been a hard month for the unskilled man, and the prospect for the situation continuing through the winter must be faced."

Carbery joins with other employment men in saying that some means must be found to deter the young fellow, who has a good job at home, from a trip to Detroit at present.

"The legend that the streets of Detroit are paved with gold and all one needs to do is come in and pick up his share seems to persist," Carbery observed. "It is time fact supplanted legend."—Detroit Press Press.

WILL BREAK RECORDS IN EGG LAYING RACE

With the International Egg Laying Contest at Michigan State College swinging into the home stretch, production records exceed those of any previous year that the contest has been conducted.

Hen number 278, owned by George H. Freeman, Middletown, Ohio, has lived up to the requirements of her number by laying 278 eggs in 300 days. This bird is a single comb Rhode Island Red.

The records of the high individuals in other breeds are: Banded Rocks, 249 eggs, high hen owned by Scheiwe Poultry Farm, Algonac; White Rocks, 203 eggs, high hen owned by Elmer Haines, Vassar; rose comb Rhode Island Red, 210 eggs, high hen owned by C. N. Whittaker, Lawrence; and White Leghorns, 273 eggs, high hen owned by Pontiac Trail Poultry Farm, Milford.

The high production record for a pen of 10 birds goes to J. A. Hanson, Corvallis, Oregon, whose White Leghorns have laid 2351 eggs in the 300 days. The West Neck Farm, Huntington, N. Y., pen of Rhode Island Reds has a record of 2071 eggs, and the Banded Rocks owned by F. E. Fogle, Okemos, have laid 2013 eggs.

The contest will continue for 60 days and any slackening in egg production will result in a shifting of places among the leaders. Members of the poultry department at the college believe this year's contest will discover an unusual number of birds which will lay 300 eggs during the year.

Think It Over  
Take away from our hearts the love of the beautiful and you take away the charm of life.

Local Happenings

Mr. and Mrs. Hector McKay are spending the week in Detroit.

E. A. Carron was a business caller in Detroit Tuesday and Wednesday.

Louis Striffler of Detroit visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Solomon Striffler, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kuehne spent Sunday with Mr. Kuehne's parents at Unionville.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Guilds of Colting spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Dan McClorey.

Dr. and Mrs. S. A. Bradshaw and children visited friends in Uby and Minden Sunday.

Grant Campbell of Kalispell, Montana, spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. L. I. Wood.

Mrs. Selina Brown spent the week-end with her niece, Mrs. Charles Bond, at Wickware.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Maharg and Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Fuester spent Sunday in Lansing.

Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Hartt and Miss Hazel Merchant were callers in Saginaw Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Huller of Foreston were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Holmes.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Baur of Caro were visitors at the home of Conrad Willy Sunday evening.

Glen Crawford of Pontiac visited over the week-end with friends and relatives in Cass City.

Mrs. W. I. Moore and Miss Lavern Hill spent Saturday at Caseville, where Mr. Moore is employed.

Rev. and Mrs. C. W. Lyman, Mrs. S. B. Young and Mrs. A. A. Ricker were Saginaw callers Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. William McBurney of Lapeer spent from Saturday until Wednesday with Cass City relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Douglas, Mrs. Charles Wilsey and Mrs. P. A. Schenck were Detroit callers Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Klein and son, Forest, of Deckerville spent Sunday with relatives and friends in Cass City.

Mr. and Mrs. William Parrish and family visited at the home of John Collins near Novesta Corners Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis Campbell and daughter, Mary Jane, and Mrs. Harold Jackson spent Saturday in Saginaw.

Mr. and Mrs. Sheldon Peterson and Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Ottaway spent Sunday with friends and relatives in Pontiac.

Mrs. Catherine Crobar is spending a few weeks with her brother at Midland and with her sister at Mount Pleasant.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Graham of Detroit spent Sunday and Monday with Mr. Graham's mother, Mrs. D. R. Graham.

Mrs. N. Mellick entertained a few friends at dinner Thursday evening in honor of the ninth birthday of her daughter, Catherine.

Mr. and Mrs. George Burt were guests of Mrs. Burt's sister, Mrs. Robert J. Waddell, at St. Clair from Friday until Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. William G. Moore, Miss Anna Moore, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Ward and son, Fred, visited relatives in Sandusky Sunday.

Dr. and Mrs. S. A. Bradshaw had as guests over the week-end, Mrs. Bradshaw's aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. John Willerton, of Argyle.

Mr. and Mrs. William G. Moore and Miss Anna Moore spent Friday and Saturday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alex Sinclair at Marlette.

Miss Hollis McBurney of Youngstown, Ohio, is spending a few weeks with her mother, Mrs. Jane McBurney, and with other relatives here.

Mrs. Bay Crane and daughters, Miss Katherine and Miss Florence, spent Sunday with Mrs. Crane's sister, Mrs. James Wilson, at Ellington.

Mrs. Addie Marshall visited her daughters, Mrs. Kenneth Michaels and Mrs. L. M. Zimmerman, at Imlay City Saturday night and Sunday.

Mrs. Robert Charlton and son, Kenneth, Mrs. H. O. Greenleaf and daughter, Myrtle, spent Sunday at the home of Mrs. Greenleaf's sister, Mrs. Peter Decker, at Peck.

Mrs. A. A. Brian, Miss Mabel Brian, Mrs. H. T. Crandell and son, Harry, and Mrs. Sam'l Heron and daughters, Elva and Madeline, spent Sunday with friends in Bad Axe and Uby.

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Hitchcock had as guests Sunday their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. N. Merion, and little daughter, Carolyn Jeanne, of Detroit, Mrs. Charles Merion of Columbus, Ohio, N. B. Hitchcock and two sons of Kalamazoo.

Word has been received that Henry G. Zinnecker, son of Mr. and Mrs. George H. Zinnecker, of Heath, Montana, and formerly of Cass City, has been appointed as apprentice petty officer of his company at the U. S. Naval Training station at San Diego, California. These men are chosen because of their neat personal appearance, their ability to profit from instruction and their apparent qualities as leaders of men.

George Copland of Detroit spent the week-end with his father, John Copland.

Mrs. Hugh McGill spent last week with her daughter, Mrs. E. F. Kreiman, at Saginaw.

Mrs. Babcock of Unionville was a caller at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Knapp Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis Campbell entertained a few friends at a chop suey supper Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Wentworth spent Saturday and Sunday with relatives in Detroit and Royal Oak.

Clement Kelley and Miss Catherine Kirby of Detroit visited at the home of Mr. Kelley's brother, Thomas Kelley, Sunday.

Dr. and Mrs. Lloyd A. Campbell and son, Lynn, of Saginaw were Sunday guests of Dr. Campbell's brother, Willis Campbell.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Doerr and son, Edwin, and Mrs. George Hooper left Sunday to spend a few days with relatives in Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Hazen MacLachlan of Detroit were guests of Mrs. MacLachlan's parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. W. Hall, over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. William I. Moore entertained Sunday Mr. and Mrs. John Louks, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Bellinger and two children, all of Bay City.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Kercher and son, Gerald, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Joos and daughter, Helen, spent Sunday at the L. E. Hartman home in Saginaw.

H. S. Harp, field representative of the Salvation Army, is in the county for the purpose of putting on the annual home service appeal for state funds.

Mrs. John Beslock and Mrs. S. Sanford, both of Ann Arbor, were guests of Mrs. Beslock's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Colwell, Tuesday and Wednesday.

Miss Inez Maurer of Reese was the week-end guest of Miss Dorothy Tindale. Both young ladies left Sunday evening to spend a few days with friends and relatives in Detroit.

Mrs. L. I. Wood and Mrs. Warren Wood spent the weekend in Detroit and Royal Oak. L. I. Wood and son, Warren, spent Sunday at Royal Oak and all returned to Cass City Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Urquhart entertained Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Fred Emigh and daughter, Lois, of Hay Creek, Mr. and Mrs. Oakley Petteplace of Ypsilanti, and Leonard Urquhart of Pontiac.

High school pupils, at chapel Wednesday morning, elected officers of the High School Athletic Association as follows: President, Horace Pinney; vice president, Phyllis Lenzner; secretary-treasurer, Francis Elliott.

The young people of the Evangelical church enjoyed a weenie roast Tuesday evening at the home of Morris and Lena Joos. The roast was given in honor of Miss Wilma Striffler and Mrs. George Southworth of San Luis Obispo, Calif., who are visiting at their parental home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Brown welcomed the first grandson into the Brown family Sunday morning. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Pearl E. Fleming, was born at the Caro Community Hospital, weighed 9 1/4 pounds and has been named William Robert, after his grandfathers. The Browns' have five granddaughters.

The Owendale Study Club held their regular meeting Monday evening at the home of Mrs. A. J. Knapp in Cass City. The following program was given: Law Observance, Mrs. Palmer Briand-Kellogg Treaty, Miss Proudfoot Reading, Miss Bond. The Giants' Stair, Mr. Logan. Mrs. Knapp organized the Owendale Club several years ago.

Mrs. Lora M. Butzbach has written to friends here that she has arrived safely at her destination in China after a pleasant trip of exactly one month's duration. She is employed as matron and Bible teacher in the Kuling American School located at Kuling, a summer and also a health resort. She says the trouble between China and Russia is not felt at Kuling as the distance from the scene of action is too great.

"The Womanless Wedding," a play that "goes over big," will be presented here in November if plans made by the Parent Teachers' Association are fulfilled. Ernest Schwaderer, M. B. Auten, J. R. Niergarth and Frederick Pinney were named as the committee in charge of the play, it was announced at the meeting of the P. T. A. Friday night. This session of the society was very well attended and an enjoyable program was presented. Greetings to teachers were given by Mrs. A. A. Ricker, Rev. P. J. Allured, Dr. S. B. Young, Walter Mann, Mrs. R. J. Knight, and Mrs. E. Hunter, all representing societies of the community. The response was given by H. W. Holmes. The invocation was given by Rev. C. W. Lyman and community singing was in charge of Miss Elynore Bigelow. Musical numbers were presented by Mrs. I. D. McCoy and G. W. Landon. The evening closed with a recreational hour in charge of Rev. Wm. Curtis.

Miss Emma Lenzner was a guest of Mrs. George Carolan in Gagetown on Tuesday and Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Grant Van Winkle, son, Richard, and daughter, Sharlie, were callers in Saginaw Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Lauderbach, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Moore and children spent Sunday in Saginaw.

Harry Young is entertaining his brother-in-law, William Barraclough, and granddaughter of Blackpool, England.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Champion visited Mrs. Champion's parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Parsons, at Caro Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Tindale and Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Auten were guests of Mrs. Sam Parks of Caro at a picnic supper Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Knapp were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Finzel of Bad Axe at the Verona Golf Club house Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Copland and children of Detroit spent the week-end with Mrs. Copland's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sim Bardwell, and with Mr. Copland's father, John Copland.

Mrs. Robert H. Orr of Pigeon entertained at dinner Sunday in honor of the birthday of her mother, Mrs. W. D. Striffler. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Striffler and son, Delmar, of Cass City; Mr. and Mrs. George Southworth and two children and Miss Wilma Striffler of San Luis Obispo, California, and Miss Mary Striffler of Detroit.

Mrs. Norman Gillies will represent the Woman's Study Club as delegate at the 35th annual convention of the Michigan State Federation of Women's Clubs at Lansing next week from Tuesday to Friday. Other club members who are planning to attend are the president, Mrs. R. J. Knight and Mrs. A. J. Knapp, general federation director.

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Elkland Roller Mills  
Roy Taylor, Editor

Don't question your wife's judgment—look who she married.

The price of 15 or 20 gallons of milk and sell the extra 80 or 85 gallons.

Our fat friends may take comfort in the ruling of a judge in Birmingham, Ala.

It has been our observation that baseball players and chorus girls usually get fired unless they make a hit!

We don't have to pay taxes on all of our treasures. Take friends, for instance.

Feed Cow Chow now and you will be well paid later on by the extra milk you'll get and also the better condition of the cows.

For some time we have been watching the results obtained by feeding Wayne Feeds and have found them to be very satisfactory. Last week we received a car of Wayne Feeds and expect to carry these feeds in stock from now on. Mr. Ayre of the Caro Hatchery advises feeding Wayne Feeds.

Wayne Egg Mash contains thirteen high quality ingredients properly proportioned and uniformly mixed, and provides the proper nutrients which every hen must have before nature will permit her to lay the greatest number of eggs she is capable of laying.

The Latest Barber: "Sonny, how do you want your hair cut?"

Sonny: "With a hole in the top like daddy's."

We sell Wayne Feeds.

For a short time we will sell Purina Lay Chow (Egg Mash) at \$3.00 per bag. You can't go wrong on this excellent feed at the price.

D'y'remember way back when Grandma returned from the lakes sunburnt only on her face and hands?

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The following facts were obtained from a comparison of the Oakland All-American Six with 20 other medium-priced automobiles. All told, 878 individual comparisons were made. Of these, Oakland proved to be distinctly superior in 451 or 51.37 per cent. The 20 cars combined were at best equal to Oakland on 382 or 43.50 per cent. And 13 of the 20 were higher-priced than Oakland.

WHEELBASE  
Only one car as low-priced as Oakland has a wheelbase as long as Oakland's, which is 117 inches. That car requires a turning circle to the left of 42 feet as compared with Oakland's 36 feet. Six higher-priced cars have shorter wheelbases.

FISHER BODY  
Only Oakland and two other cars in the field offer bodies by Fisher. And one of the two is nearly \$100 higher in price than Oakland. Of the 18 cars which have less-known bodies, 11 are priced above the All-American Six.

BRAKES  
Only Oakland and one other car in its field use the fine type of brakes which Oakland employs. And no car in the field equis Oakland's 290 square inches of brake band area. Oakland's separate emergency brake operates on the transmission. Seven cars in the field have no separate emergency brakes, although three of them exceed Oakland in price.

PISTON DISPLACEMENT  
Oakland's 228 cubic inch piston displacement is greater than 12 of the 20 cars in its price field. Of the 8 remaining cars, 7 are much higher priced than Oakland.

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**CHURCH CALENDAR.**

**Nazarene Church**—Sunday school, 2:00 p. m. Preaching service, 3:00 p. m.  
Prayer meeting Tuesday evening at eight o'clock at the home of Casper Whalen. Everyone welcome.  
Rev. E. A. Ferguson.

**Presbyterian Church**—Paul Johnson Allured, Minister. Sunday, Sept. 29:  
Morning worship, 10:30. Sermon theme: "Echoes from Michigan Synod." The latest news and plans of our great denomination which now numbers over two million members.  
Church school at noon. Get your quarterly for the new lessons which begin with October.  
Christian Endeavor, 6:30. "In What Ways is the World Getting Better or Worse?"  
Evening service, 7:30. (Postponed from last Sunday). Miss Hollis McBurney will exhibit over fifty stereoscopic slides to illustrate the story of the Christlike service of various kinds being rendered by the Christ Mission Settlement of Youngstown, Ohio.

**Baptist Church**—William Curtis, Pastor. Preaching Sunday morning at 10:30. Theme, "Divine Cooperation Given the Church."  
Sunday school at 11:45.  
B. Y. P. U. at 6:30 in charge of the "Fellowship Commission." Topic, "How Can Young People Work Together in the Church."  
Song service and sermon at 7:30. Theme: "The Man Who Did Some Thinking after Dark."  
Prayer meeting Thursday evening at 7:30.

**St. Pancratius Church**—Services are held each Sunday morning at 10:30 except the first Sunday in each month. On these days, services begin at nine o'clock.  
Rev. Fr. Fitzpatrick, Pastor.

**Salem Evangelical Church**—Charles W. Lyman, minister.  
The second quarterly meeting for this conference year comes this week and Sunday as follows: Quarterly conference Thursday evening at 8:00, conducted by Rev. Conrad A. Wilkie, presiding elder of Bay City district. This service, to which a general welcome is extended to all, opens with devotional singing and prayer, followed by a sermon by Mr. Wilkie, who will then call the session of the local conference. All members of the quarterly conference urged to be present. Sunday evening Rev. Wilkie will preach and administer the holy communion.

In the Sunday school, which meets at 10:00 a. m., there will be an interesting review of the lessons of the past quarter.  
The pastor will present a vital message in the morning worship hour, beginning at 11 o'clock, immediately following the Sunday school session.  
The "Hoosier Girl Evangelist" will arrive in Cass City Saturday, Oct. 5, and open her revival campaign Sunday morning following. She will be met by a reception committee, who will welcome and install her in her place of residence while here.

**Methodist Episcopal Church**—Class meeting, 10:00.  
Morning worship, 10:30.  
Sunday school, 11:45.  
Epworth League, 6:30. Leader, Miss Grace Beach.  
Evening service, 7:30.  
Prayer meeting Thursday evening.  
Bethel Church—Sunday school, 11:00.  
Preaching service, 12:00.  
George Hill, Pastor.

**SHABBONA.**  
Mr. and Mrs. Thos. McHugh and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph McHugh of Redford visited their niece and cousin, Mrs. Earl Petteplace, Sunday.  
Mrs. Wm. Philpot and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Faltinoski and children spent Sunday afternoon at Ernest Hyatt's.  
Mr. and Mrs. Dan Tanton of Ewart were callers at Duncan Waun's Saturday.  
Mrs. T. W. Stitt and Mrs. Hazel Kitchin and son, Donald, visited their daughter and sister, Mrs. Bruce Adams, near Decker Thursday.  
Alex Lindsay and family of Blissfield spent from Thursday to Saturday at their farm here.  
Mr. and Mrs. James Burns and son, Robert, visited at John Atfield's in Greenleaf Sunday afternoon.  
Miss Marian Kritzman of Birmingham spent the week-end at her parental home.  
Wm. Gerber of Pontiac was a caller in this vicinity Saturday.  
Art Kerbyson of Flint and Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Harp and children of Imlay City visited at S. Hyatt's Sunday.  
Mrs. Wm. Butts is clerking in Hyatt's Grocery during Walter Hyatt's illness.  
Mr. and Mrs. John J. Brown and family of Holbrook visited at John Chapman's Sunday afternoon.  
Mrs. D. R. Leslie visited Mrs. Joseph Dibden at Port Hope last week.

**WEST ARGYLE.**  
The farmers are busy filling silos and harvesting beans.  
Mr. and Mrs. Buel Starr of Pontiac and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Patterson of Cass City called at the Thad Patterson home Sunday.  
Mrs. Fred Walker received word Sunday evening that her son, Earl Hillaker, of Akron was ill with pneumonia.  
Miss Irene Brooks and Miss Vernice Patterson entertained friends from Flint Sunday afternoon and evening.  
Miss Jessie Pratt is visiting her brother in Detroit.  
Wesley McBurney is spending some time at the Ed. Rose home.  
Alex Ross of Forester called in this vicinity Monday.

**GAGETOWN.**  
Mrs. Margaret Murphy and daughter, Kathleen, returned Friday from a two weeks' visit with relatives in Detroit and Windsor, Ontario.  
Mrs. Grant Howell and Miss Margaret Murphy were Cass City callers Monday.  
John W. Murphy of Detroit spent the week-end with his mother here.

**WICKWARE.**  
Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Hunt and Mrs. E. E. Hunt and Miss Ida Pollard of Bad Axe were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Bond Sunday.  
Mrs. J. Wooden, Mrs. A. LaLound and Louise Bookie of Pontiac visited Mrs. E. Pelton and family the first of the week.  
Mrs. Margaret Nicol, Mrs. Jean Chase and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. Geo. K. Nicol and daughter, Nancy Jean, of Lansing were week-end guests at the Stewart Nicol home.  
Harvey Linderman, who was operated on for ruptured appendix at the Morris Hospital, Cass City, two weeks ago, returned to his home this week.  
Mrs. W. Law is visiting this week with relatives in Pontiac.  
Mrs. Selina Brown of Cass City was a week-end guest at the Chas. Bond home.

**GREENLEAF.**  
Mrs. Bertha Baker and daughter, Helen, and son, Elmer, from Dearborn spent the week-end with A. Hiller in Greenleaf.  
Miss Minnie Balcer attended a wedding in Rapson last Monday.

**BEAULEY.**  
Mr. and Mrs. Garnold Hinman and children of Unionville spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Philip Moore.  
Mrs. Marguerite McDonald is visiting Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Turner at present.  
Mr. and Mrs. J. McCormick and

**EVERGREEN.**  
Miss Helen Craig of Pontiac spent the week-end at her parental home here.  
Mrs. W. McCrea and little son, Kenneth, of Detroit spent last week at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Mitchell.  
Rev. and Mrs. L. L. Surbrook of

Colfax called at the home of her parents last Thursday, while on their way home from Levering, where they have been assisting in tabernacle meetings.  
Farmers are very busy since the heavy frost filling silos.  
Prayer meeting next Tuesday at the home of Mrs. Hazel Kitchin. All are welcome.  
Elder E. Krake is holding revival meetings at Wheatland. He is assisted by Forest Coon from the Fort Wayne (Ind.) Bible school.  
Word has been received from Rev. and Mrs. Frank Cook and daughter, Marie, who recently left Port Huron for Idaho, that they arrived there safely, though they traveled through much mud and some snow. Mr. Cook has taken charge of a pastorate there.  
Wilford Lepla, who is working in Detroit, was home over the week-end.  
Walter Wood, who spent the past three weeks here with his family, has returned to his work in Detroit.  
John Hall and his mother, Mrs. E. Hall, spent Sunday with relatives near North Branch.  
Mr. and Mrs. John Kennedy attended the funeral of M. Heemer at Snover last Wednesday.  
Mrs. Carl Thomas and Mrs. Geo. Darling, jr., were callers in Cass City Friday afternoon.  
William Coulter of Orion spent the week-end with his family here.  
Miss Blanch Thom of Marlette spent a few days last week at the home of her cousin, John Kennedy, leaving Saturday for Ypsilanti, where she will attend college the coming year.  
Mrs. Celia Palmateer of Cass City is visiting Mrs. F. Auslander for a few days.  
Mr. and Mrs. Charles Mudge spent Sunday with friends near Clifford.  
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Henry Karr spent several days last week at Alfred Karr's home.

Misses Laura DeWitt of Cass City and Laura Williams of Williamsport, Pa., spent Friday afternoon, with Mrs. J. L. Purdy.

Leo Vanmeir of Ypsilanti visited last week with Charles Beckett.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Karr were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Alton Marks of Cass City.

Mrs. Florence Edmonds of Saginaw visited her sister, Mrs. G. B. Wallace, last week.

Mrs. Catherine Karr of Kingston is making an extended visit with her son, Mose Karr, and family.

Miss Maxine Teller had a tonsil operation at Morris hospital at Cass City Saturday.

Miss Nina Munro spent the weekend at her parental home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Edd Flint of Cass City were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Mose Karr.

Mrs. Basil Ziehm and Miss Myrtle Ziehm visited Mrs. George Munro one day of last week.

Miss Myrtle Munro left Wednesday to attend Kalamazoo Normal.

David Ashmore, who has been in very poor health for some time and is in Morris hospital where he will remain for a while.

Archie Ackerman's car was badly burned one day last week while he was at work at the Surbert farm. The top was completely burned. Sev-

eral of the work hands' coats and dinners were in the car. However, the engine was not injured and took them safely home at six o'clock.

Avon Walsh, G. Meyer, H. Engelman of Detroit spent several days last week as guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Freeman. The boys leave for Layola Medical College, Chicago, this week.

Mrs. Margaret Bliss left for Pontiac Sunday.

Miss Thelma Walsh of Pontiac, formerly of this place, was quickly married to Art Crawford, a resident of Pontiac, Monday morning at nine o'clock at St. Vincent's church, Pontiac. They were attended by Evelyn Kehoe and Steve Dillon. Several social affairs were held in her honor, and after a short wedding trip, they will settle in Pontiac, where they expect to make their home.

Mrs. Ellen Hendershot, son, George, and daughter, Maude and Miss Roberts accompanied Mrs. James Dillon, who has been a guest for the past three weeks of Mrs. Hendershot, to her home in Clifford Sunday.

Harry Mullen, Mr. and Mrs. Pat Freeman, and John Bliss, all of Detroit, spent Sunday with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lenhard, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Commet spent Sunday with friends in Pontiac.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Walsh of Pontiac spent Sunday with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Quinn.

High Yoemans was kicked in the hip by one of his horses Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex McKinnon and Miss Nellie Hughes of Detroit spent Sunday at the Mert Hughes home.

Mrs. F. Fahndrick is among the sick folks.

Mrs. Wm. Ibbitson returned from a four weeks' visit with her daughter, Mrs. G. Irwin, of Cathro, Mich.

Miss Margaret Burleigh and Miss Edith Miller spent Sunday with Mrs. Chas. Sellers of Richmond.

Miss Genevieve Wills and Miss Berniece Wilmont of Caro spent Sunday here with the former's parents.

H. Schwartz of Chicago is visiting

his brother, Stephen Schwartz.

Saturday night will be the last motion picture for this season. The movies have been sponsored by the business men of our town. If you have enjoyed seeing our streets crowded with people and the pictures on the screen, which have been carefully selected, step in and express your appreciation to Gagetown business men and particularly to Wes Downing, the operator, who has given his time. Not only has he been operator but traffic officer as the crowd disperses as well. Not an accident of any kind has occurred during the four years, all due to taking time, to use your eyes, use your ears and then use your feet. Uncle Ned over WJR has helped us all.

The Gagetown Club of Detroit have extended invitations to the Gagetown folks to join them at the club house Saturday evening at Burns Aviation Field. A very enjoyable evening is anticipated.

The Wald-Martin-Freeman-Hunter-McDonald families met Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Oehring of Saginaw at a birthday dinner, honoring Mr. Oehring's 70th birthday. From the absent member, Mrs. Germain of Florida, a greeting was read.

The O. E. S. meets Thursday. The afternoon will be spent in "Stitch and Chatter," a pot luck seven o'clock dinner served and the evening spent with cards. Mr. and Mrs. Chris Roth will be hosts at their home and a crowd has been assured.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Rocheleau and Catherine spent Sunday at Kill Kar Lodge, Rose Island.

Mrs. H. B. Leparet of Port Huron passed through our town on her way home from Gaylord last week.

Mr. and Mrs. John LaFave and son, Vincent, of Port Huron visited among relatives and friends here on Monday.

Mrs. Mary Trudeau spent Sunday with Mrs. A. Creguer.

Miss Emma Lenzner of Cass City was a guest of Mrs. George Carolan Tuesday and Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph McDermid

were called to Detroit Saturday, because of the serious illness of their friend, Mr. Anderson.

Ralph Clara is driving a new Chevrolet and Richard Karr a new Ford.

Mrs. Wm. Commet entertained the 500 Club last week Thursday. Mrs. Jos. Freeman won the high score.

Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Hemerick are in Detroit.

Mrs. Jack Lehman is taking treatments in Saginaw.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Lazard of Detroit, who have visited among friends and relatives here, returned Sunday. About 12 from here are spending an evening this week with Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Tulley, the former being in poor health.

Mrs. Leithhead has been a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Angus McCarty for three weeks and returned to her home in Canada Sunday.

Mrs. Murphy and Catherine returned home after a three weeks' visit with relatives in Canada.

Mr. and Mrs. Curby of Caro were callers in town Monday.

**ELKLAND-ELMWOOD TOWN LINE**

Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Hiser of Ohio were callers at the T. Lounsbury home Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Calley and Mrs. C. Gill and Irene Parsell were guests at the Wallace Laurie home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Strong and daughter of Bay City, Mr. and Mrs. James Peddie and family spent Sunday at the T. Lounsbury home.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Seekings and family were callers at the Sarah Walsh home in Caro Sunday.

Mrs. John Marks is a patient at the Morris Hospital, Cass City.

Calvin Hiser family are sick with scarlet fever.

Richard Karr, John McGrath and George Purdy are all driving new Fords.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Livingston of

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Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Seekings and family visited at the Guy Stoddard home in Watrousville, where Mr. S's mother is quite ill.

**ELKLAND.**

William and Alex McCallister and sister, Rebecca, of Bad Axe visited at the A. H. Shier's home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Root spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Karr.

Mr. and Mrs. Amos Hoffman and Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Hoffman and baby, Donald, were visitors at the A. H. Maharg home Sunday.

R. J. Knight and family and Delbert Profit accompanied Miss Pauline Knight to Saginaw Sunday, enroute to Lansing where she will resume her studies at the M. S. C.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Profit and family, Mrs. Delbert Profit and Betty Jean were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Russell Sunday.

Mrs. A. Knight and daughter, Mildred, spent a few days in Detroit this week.

The Bethel Ladies' Aid will meet with Mrs. Audley Rawson on Thursday, Oct. 3, for dinner and work.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Maharg spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Allan in Novesta.

Mrs. L. Durfey and Miss May Durfey of Bad Axe spent Sunday with Mrs. A. Knight.

Clayton Doerr and Miss Lasetta Jems of Sebawaing spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John Doerr, jr.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Crawford, Mrs. L. Connell, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Crawford and Frances Graves spent Sunday in Standish. Mr. and Mrs. M. Crawford remained to spend the week with their daughter, Mrs. C. J. Blair.

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Miss Neva Parker of Crescent Lake is visiting her brother, Ray Webster, and family a few days.

Chas. Linabery had the misfortune to lose another house by fire on Monday. Cause of fire unknown.

Jos. Mellendorf and children visited Sunday at the Levi Helwig home.

The Premo class meeting held their meeting at the John MacCallum home last Friday evening.

The Komjoynus S. S. class will hold their next meeting at the Richard Cliff home Friday evening, Oct. 4.

Stanley Mellendorf was a Bad Axe caller Saturday and also spent Satur-

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Mr. and Mrs. Claud Martin and children were callers at the Levi Helwig home in Elkland Sunday evening.

The following Sunday school officers were elected Sunday: Supt., Arthur Moore; ass't. supt., Hasket Blair; sec., Marion Hartzell; ass't. sec., Irene Elliott; treas., Agnes McLachlan; pianist, Doris Moore; ass't. pianist, Beatrice Martin; choristers, Mrs. Roy Russell and Chas. E. Hartzell; librarians, Mildred Sowden and Erville Cliff.

**NOVESTA.**

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Henderson visited relatives in Pontiac Saturday night and Sunday. Stuart Henderson returned with them to spend a few days.

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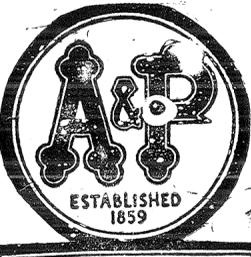
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**THE STORY**

**CHAPTER I**—In the usually quiet home of Rev. Mr. Tolliver, Methodist minister in the small town of Red Thrush, Iowa, his motherless daughters, Helen, Miriam, and Ellen—"Ginger ELLA"—are busy "grooming" their sister Marjory for participation in the "beauty pageant" that evening. With Eddy Jackson, prosperous young farmer, her escort, Marjory leaves for the anticipated triumph.

**CHAPTER II**—Overwork and nervous strain attendant on the building of a new church to replace the outgrown structure has affected Mr. Tolliver's eyes to the point of threatened blindness, and he is forbidden to use them, though continuing to occupy his pulpit. Ginger has tried in many ways to add to the family's slender income, but she is not discouraged. Marjory, with Eddy Jackson and a friend he introduces as "Tub Andrews," returns in triumph, acknowledged the prize beauty, and with fifty dollars in gold, the chief prize. She gives the money to her father as part of the expense necessary for the treatment of his eyes by Chicago specialists.

**CHAPTER III**

"Ginger, do run up and change your dress. Mr. Andrews is coming to take me for a ride, and the very sight of you would disgrace the parsonage. He is in the bank, you know."

"Mister who?" demanded Ginger.

"Mr. Andrews. You know—the young man who came with the crowd last night—"

"To take who out driving?"

"Me. At least, he didn't mention anybody else."

Ginger squared about in her chair, drew the rumpled smock carefully

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about her, crossed one knee over the other, planting a deliberate elbow on the topmost one and dropped an amazed face in her palm, staring at her sister.

"You don't mean—Miriam, you certainly do not mean—I must absolutely have misunderstood you—you could not possibly intend to intimate that—that Andrews creature, called Tub, as I remember, who twanged that godless ukulele for three hours without stopping—is coming to take you out—alone—in a car—for sentimental purposes? Tub Andrews? Father, you will enjoy him. His conversation is the squeal of a ukulele. Disgusting, father, simply disgusting."

"They used to live here, father, and then moved to Detroit. He went through college, and now he has a position in the First National bank. The president, Mr. Mills, is his uncle."

"Simply disgusting," reiterated Ginger.

In his heart, Mr. Tolliver was inclined to agree with her. He had found life very pleasant in the old days, with the interest of every daughter centered exclusively in the parsonage confines, the five of them as one mind and spirit. But now, what with Helen and Horace, Marjory and a townful of admirers, and now Miriam and this new young man with the ukulele, his sigh rivaled Ginger's own.

There was still the strained, high tension in his bandaged eyes, still the vague sensation of a firm band circling his brow. It seemed a shameful thing to him, in his gentle orthodoxy, that he should chafe at the temporary restriction upon him. He had so much, was denied so little. Even Paul had suffered his thorn in the flesh. His great yearning for restoration was almost unchristian, certainly unscriptural. He had said that to Ginger a few weeks before.

"Yes," she had agreed pleasantly, "but awfully human."

Particularly, he desired recovery before the formal dedication of the new church. It was a great accomplishment for Red Thrush. He wanted to look into the glad faces of his members on that day, he wanted them to see the grateful joy in his. It is hard for a blinded face to mirror the heart's emotions. He sometimes felt that he would be willing to accept blindness for months—for a year even—at another time, if only on that day he could meet his people face to face, his eyes reading their eyes, and all reflecting their gratitude for the realization of their hopes.

In many ways, his misfortune had come at a critical time for the minister. The building of a new church, desiring of a new parsonage, disposal of the old property, all entailed a great deal of careful figuring. It was hard to figure finances through the eyes of committees, and boards, and daughters. Approximately two thousand dollars was still unpledged on the church debt. It had been his dream that on the Sabbath of the dedication, his people, of their own free will, should make up that amount, calling the church a free church, consecrated to the service of Red Thrush without encumbrance. He sighed a little.

The day of rest, in a parsonage, affords scant leisure for sisterly reprimands, and Ginger was forced to forego her plan to subject Miriam to a bitter grilling on the subject of sentiment in general. By nine-thirty, the girls were on hand for silent meditation and prayer. In the interval while the classes were reassembling for dismissal Miriam ran across to walk with him the short distance to the church, where he usually conducted a brief review of the lesson. Sunday school was followed by the formal morning worship, where, as there was no pew system in Red Thrush, the girls sat where they liked with their special friends. From a corner far back on the right side, Ginger's heart went out tenderly, as it did every Sunday morning, to her father. She used to say the pulpit was becoming to him. Against the dark wood, he seemed very tall, very pale, almost radiant. His voice seemed gentler, yet somehow more incisively penetrating, since his blindness.

"Poor dear," she thought compassionately, for she followed the sermon but intermittently, and usually consecrated the hour to her own thoughts. "I dare say if the heathen are right, and we really do reincarnate in this world, I was father's mother the last time. I feel like a mother to him now, he's such a lamb."

Sunday afternoon in the parsonage was given up to quiet recreation. Helen went out with Horace. Marjory, too, went out, with anyone who asked her, strolling, driving, or calling, sometimes with Miriam in the party, sometimes not. Ginger usually retired to her attic studio.

This one small section of the house from the very beginning of their residence, was Ginger's own. It was difficult of approach, for there were no stairs leading to it, and sole admission was by means of a wobbly old ladder of six rounds, which, carefully balanced against the wall at the end of the upper hall, led to the trapdoor which opened upward into the attic. Ginger loved the attic most of all for its inaccessibility. The trapdoor, which swung on a hinged lock and had to be pushed upward with one hand, was no obstacle, but an added charm in her eyes. On the attic side of the door, she had, with her own hands, driven a big staple, added another hook, and when she went thither on matters of any special moment, she locked it furtively behind her.

The studio was her sacred retreat, and on this particular Sunday after-

noon she had a definite motive in retirement, for she sought the guidance of the Muses. Ginger had made a find. Eddy Jackson had brought to the parsonage, as a Saturday gift from his mother, a jar of preserved peaches wrapped in an old page of the New York World. Helen had crumpled it lightly into the waste basket, where the sharp eye of Ginger ELLA had espied it, whence her greedy fingers had rescued it. And from it she learned, to her delight, that the New York World would pay five dollars each for the Bright Sayings of Children.

One of Ginger's great grievances in life was the tendency of her sisters to recall, and repeat, smart sayings of her own none-too-remote childhood. Such repetition reduced her to abject and helpless fury. But she noted that the auditors always laughed, ample proof of the presence of humor. She cast about in her memory for the most amusing of these pseudo laugh-producers, and unable to discover merit by her own judgment, she hit upon the one that had produced the greatest gales of merriment. Merely changing names and relationships from her own and Helen's to that of a mother and daughter, she wrote:

"Mrs. Ingraham spent an entire afternoon assisting a neighbor to cut out and fit a gown, and when the garment was entirely finished, she wished to make payment for the time consumed. 'Oh, no,' said Mrs. Ingraham pleasantly, 'I shall not take a cent for it. I did it entirely out of friendship.' The neighbor was insistent, but Mrs. Ingraham remained firm, and would not take the money. At last she turned to Alice, Mrs. Ingraham's small daughter standing near, and said, 'Alice, tell me, how can I make your mother take this five dollars which she has fully earned?' Alice considered a moment, and then announced gravely, 'You might give it to me, and she will borrow it.'"

Ginger wrote, corrected, and copied. Then she read it, distastefully. "It's a dumb thing," she thought frowningly. But the memory of unfeeling laughter



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encouraged her, and she folded it neatly, tucked it into an envelope, and addressed it in a firm large hand.

At six o'clock, the girls came together in the kitchen where they hurriedly set out a light supper, in order to be at church again at seven for the meeting of the Epworth league. Mr. Tolliver did not attend this, as it was a service especially calculated to encourage and train the younger members of the congregation in active participation, and he inclined to the belief that they took part with more freedom in his absence.

On Monday afternoon, at one o'clock, the anxious little family gathered in the living room to say good-bye to Mr. Tolliver and Miriam, starting for Chicago. Such tremendous issues were involved in this small journey. Perhaps he would return without the hated glasses, perhaps the dear tired eyes would see once more the love that shone in theirs. Perhaps the dreaded operation would be declared inevitable. Perhaps things would just drag on and on, month after month, as they had dragged in the past.

They went out to the veranda, Miriam leading the way with the light bag. Her father reached for it, struggled with her playfully for possession of it. She tucked her hand into his arm, looking back. The girls smiled at her, she smiled in return. Their smiles were sad, their father could not see the smiles. Their young eyes yearned with pain. Their father could not see the yearning. He waved a hand at them in blithe farewell.

"Be good girls. Ellen need not anybody else go man-mad while I am away."

"You must mean Miss Jenkins. She is the only one left."

Light words they were, and gay voices, for their father heard.

But Miss Jenkins, unaccountably, without a word, detached herself from the cluster of girls and ran up to him. She threw both arms about his shoulders, and kissed him on both cheeks.

"Be careful, oh, be careful," she said, and her face worked with emotion.

In the dramatic silence which followed this unexpected outburst, Miriam's light hand led her father away.

"Why—my dear—" gasped Helen.

"Why, why—"

"Oh, the poor, brave, dear, afflicted soul," wept Miss Jenkins. "Going

away like that—with just that helpless young girl to look after him. I shouldn't have permitted it. I should have gone myself."

"Oh, Miriam is very capable. She has always gone before. She will take care of him."

But Miss Jenkins, still weeping, without a word, pulled away from her and hurried down the flagstone path toward her own home.

Ginger's eyes were stormily reflective.

"H'm," she muttered. "H'm!—Man-mad. The darn thing's catching."

Later that afternoon, Eddy Jackson, calling by telephone, got Ginger on the wire.

"Have you anyone there who would like a little beauring?" he inquired teasingly.

"Marjory would like it, I suppose, but I'm here to see that she doesn't get it."

"Miriam there?"

"No, she has gone to Chicago with father. Helen has gone driving, and for dinner, with the mathematical squire, and won't be home until late. Margie's here, I'm here, and if you want to hold hands we can get Miss Jenkins."

"I don't. But I have a chap here—man I met in Chicago a long time ago—pretty nice fellow—lives in New York—just back from a two years' tour of the world and all points east. I thought perhaps Marjory might take him on for the evening, but since Miriam is away, you would have to girl-friend me."

Even over the telephone Eddy could feel the sudden aversion in Ginger's voice, the covetous glitter of her bright eyes, the gulle in her flying thoughts. New York—Chicago—around the world—

"Why, Eddy—of course! I'd love to. Miriam will adore it—me, too. You know I always enjoy you, Eddy, you've got so much sense."

"We'll breeze in about eight, then," Ginger flew up the stairs. "Margie, Margie," she called. "Quick—put on the dress."

Marjory's calm was maddening. She was manhandling her pink nails. She looked up evenly, looked down, continued to polish.

"The dress—the dress! He is from New York, and Eddy Jackson is bringing him to—to look at you. Around the world, my dear, two years of it—and that takes money! He's used to people dressing up for dinner every single night, I dare say he'll wear an evening gown himself—I mean dress suit. I'll put on Helen's Alice-blue organdie, it just fits me."

Marjory considered. The mere joy of dressing was a point in favor.

"Well, I don't know, I dare say it would be all right. Lots of folks do dress for dinner."

"Oh, darling, how good of you. I'll do all the work. We'll be having after-dinner coffee by the floor lamp."

"But we haven't the right cups—"

"We're going to borrow the gold set out of Helen's hope chest. The set the Gleaners gave her for Christmas."

"If we break one of those gold cups—"

"We won't. And if that dumb-bell of an Eddy Jackson gives us away—I'll—I'll—Hurry, darling, and put on the dress. I'll fix things downstairs."

Ginger sped away to do her sister's organdie before she carefully removed the frail golden dishes from among the wedding treasures in her sister's chest, and carried them gingerly down the stairs.

When, some sixty minutes later, Eddy Jackson appeared in the open doorway with his customary blithe, "Hello, everybody," a ravishing vision presented itself. Marjory, lovely, laughing, sat among the cushions in the wide couch by the floor lamp, with a delicate cup poised between her white fingers. At her side, with the shining array of the golden coffee set on a small table close at hand, was Ginger in blue organdie.

"Come in," she called brightly. "We are having our coffee slowly, so you can join us."

"Coffee? Oh, indeed, I see." Eddy's voice was enigmatical, but, rallying with a visible effort, he proceeded to introduce his friend, Alexander Murdock, a genuinely romantic figure, although neither garbed in conventional dress suit nor shining coat of mail. He was very tall, with a great ease of manner and complete self-possession, with sleek dark hair, and dark bright eyes, and a thin brown face. Ginger could have danced with joy.

She poured the coffee with fingers that trembled just a little, casting discreet proprietary glances at Marjory to make sure that she remained vividly alert and interested, and frowning terribly at Eddy Jackson on the side. Eddy studied the delicate lines of his small cup with a significant fascination, balanced the small saucer precariously on his large hand, and emptied the cup in two large draughts, requesting more, and again more.

Alexander Murdock, on the other hand, as became a genuinely romantic figure, handled his with an ease, a finish, born of long and steady custom. Ginger flashed triumph at her sister.

"You see?" her expression proclaimed. "Just as I told you! Am I so dumb?"

"Marjory and I have not been abroad—yet, Mr. Murdock," she said, in a tone which implied that their departure was a mere matter of days. "It must be very fascinating."

"Father went on a tour of the Holy Land," volunteered Marjory, "before we were born."

"For myself," continued Ginger, pausing for a light touch of her lips to the rim of the golden cup, for she abhorred black coffee, "I should not care so much to do the Holy Land. I want to go to Paris and see Montmartre, and the boulevards, and the Folies, they don't have things like

that in the Holy Land. How long are you to be in Red Thrush, Mr. Murdock?"

"Oh, some weeks, I fancy." He said "fancy." In the Middle West, "I think" and "I dare say" are quite common, while "I guess" and "I reckon" are not altogether unknown. "I fancy" is an affectation in any but a romantic figure.

"Do let me fill your cup," she cooed.

"You see," continued the low, slow voice, "I look on a job today, and shall go to work tomorrow."

Ginger leaned forward. She did not breathe. Oh, if he could but be president of the bank where the Tubby individual aspired to licking stamps.

"What—what profession—"

"The D and B. You know, the little Orange and Black chain grocery store on the corner of Main and Broadway."

Ginger sat motionless. Her slim fingers froze about the handle of the little gold cup. Presently she set it down with a determination that spoke volumes to the accustomed ears of Marjory and Eddy Jackson.

"Let's go for a drive now," she said coldly. "Eddy, you've got to take Marjory in front with you. I want Mr. Murdock to tell me all about the—the groceries. I think they are so fascinating."

"But I was prepared for you," objected Eddy. "I planned to give you a driving lesson."

It had long been Ginger's great desire to learn to drive, but now, with a sigh, she relinquished that beautiful dream to save her lovely Marjory from the machinations of this base pretender. Around the world—as a stoker, perhaps. Or working his way from port to port by the sale of vegetables.

Marjory slid into the front seat with Eddy Jackson. Ginger triumphantly drew Alexander Murdock in by her side, and immediately set herself to snubbing him. When occasionally, in sheer youth and good spirits, she forgot her annoyance and yielded to the pleasure of the hour, she consoled herself with the thought that at least she had saved Marjory for the future, and they parted at the parsonage two hours later merrily enough.

Three days passed before they had news from Chicago. It was not very encouraging. There was no improvement in Mr. Tolliver's condition. His eyes were still clouded in the misty fog. The doctors were pessimistic. By all means he should remain at hand for daily observation and treatment, for an operation if it came to that. But in the meantime absolute rest was imperative. He must have entire freedom from nervous strain, entire lack of worry and responsibility. Fresh air, good food, mild exercise, these were the tonics that, by feeding the body would strengthen his sight. Particularly they warned that a shock of any nature whatsoever might precipitate total and permanent blindness.

In writing this sad news to her sisters, Miriam begged them to face it bravely, and to greet their father with their usual light good cheer.

"Be very cheerful," she begged, "oh, very. He doesn't say anything, but he looks so sad."

"The girls at home went into immediate consultation. Ginger was first to give expression to her thoughts. Ginger was always first.

"There's just one thing about it," she said stoutly. "He's in for a good long siege of it, and we must have more money. You've got to let me go to work."

"What can you do, dear?" queried Helen mildly. It was Helen's mildness that so maddened Ginger. How could one expect to pull gloriously out of a crisis without fire and flame and flash? Helen was the sort to ask what one could do, when obviously one must do something!

"I don't care what," cried Ginger, passionately. "Anything. I'll scrub, or take in washing, or go on the stage, or anything."

Helen considered gravely. Helen was the sort to consider gravely in such a moment.

"The twins must go to normal just as we have planned," she decided at last. "We have the future to consider, as well as the present. I will simply postpone my marriage for a year, and apply for a school. Miss Jenkins will come and stay here with you, Ginger."

Ginger flung herself upon her sister's neck. "Don't do that," she begged. "Oh, don't. It isn't fair, Helen, for you to do all the giving up."

Marjory, for her part, was in favor of abandoning the normal course, which required two years to finish, in favor of a stenographic one, which could be crowded into six months if necessary. But of that they knew their father would disapprove. Stenography—private offices—male employers—lovely girlhood—Impossible! Mr. Tolliver had clung to his gentle old-fashioned ideas in spite of the changing times.

Ginger gazed at Marjory despairingly. "Oh, Margie, I should think you could do something. The world is just overflowing with millionaires—praying every night for pretty wives—and you just wearing out here in Red Thrush."

Marjory carefully inspected a pink forefinger, questioning the shape of a nail. "Well, I'm willing," she assented, generously. "Trot one out."

Later in the afternoon as Eddy Jackson was passing in his small car, Ginger signaled him to stop and ran out to the curb.

"Something terrible is going on in this house," she said, gloomily. "Father is no better, and he is pretty discouraged. And Helen is going to postpone her wedding, and it will just make him sick."

Eddy turned the key in the car, stilling the engine. "That requires silent meditation," he said slowly.

"What do you think about it?"

"I think it is terrible. I think it will break his heart."

They talked a while, and then he walked with her slowly up the flagstone path.

"Helen?" he called into the open door, and when she came out, he motioned her to join them in the vine-shaded corner by the hammock. "I want to mix in other people's business, and put my fingers in other people's pie, and paddle other people's canoes and everything," he warned her.

"Do you? That is not quite like you, Eddy."

"I am changing. Ginger tells me that you think of postponing your wedding, Helen. We talked it over, and she and I think—"

Ginger sat up in the hammock and looked very important. This was showing some deference to her opinions. She tried to mirror in her small piquant face unutterable depths of wisdom.

"She and I agree that it would be the worst thing that could happen."

"Eddy, do you not see how impossible it is for me to leave home when



"Ginger Tells Me That You Think of Postponing Your Wedding, Helen."

father needs me? Horace will understand. He will be glad to do his share in helping out."

"I am not thinking of Horace. I am thinking of your father. The doctors say he must have complete mental rest. Do you think he can be happy, and serenely quiet, when he knows that you are sacrificing your dearest aims and plans on his account? Will not every touch of your hand and sound of your voice be a reproach to him?"

"Oh, Eddy, I couldn't bear to go away and be happy by myself, with father and the girls—"

"Yes, I am sure, Helen, you would be happier to stay at home, and work, and sacrifice yourself. But you father's happiness is the thing that counts right now. Look at it this way, Helen. I think—and Ginger agrees with me—"

"Indeed I do," said Ginger stoutly. "We think you should go ahead as if this little setback amounts to nothing. Make light of it. Go on with your wedding. Helen, don't you see, that if you teach school you will be away, out of town, tied up with your work? But if you marry, you are right here at hand, ready to help. Your time will be your own. You can help Ginger, help your father, and he will not realize what you are doing for him. If necessary, you and Horace can come and stay in the parsonage part of the time. But don't add to your father's burden the knowledge that he is stealing a year of his daughter's happiness. I dare say he is sick at heart, this very moment, dreading to come home and have you tell him, sweetly, that your happiness has been burned on the altar of daughterly duty."

Helen studied him seriously. "You are a wise, wise boy," she said gently. "And I think you are right. I could help more, that is true, if I were here in Red Thrush. And I know it would grieve him bitterly to have us change our plans. I could come every day and help them."

"And they could call on me in a pinch—"

"But Ginger is a such a child. So much responsibility—"

"Responsibility never hurt anybody. You had it when you were young, and it did you no harm. And Ginger is not a child. She is growing up."

Ginger stood up with a bored hauteur. "Ella is grown up now, if you ask me. And if you will excuse me, I shall go upstairs. I have some very important work to do."

On Friday afternoon, Mr. Tolliver and Miriam returned to a parsonage that smelled sweetly of wild roses, to three girls whose light glad voices gave no hint of the pain with which they had watched his approach, head lowered, shoulders sagging dispiritedly, his arm limp beneath Miriam's hand. And under the charm of their laughter, their caresses, their welcoming delight, his shoulders straightened presently, the tired lines in his face gave way to those of pleasure, and soon his laughter joined theirs.

"I can't take off the glasses just yet, you see," he said huskily. "Still in the fog, as you might say."

"I rather thought it would take longer," said Helen sympathetically. "It would be foolish to rush things."

"But it's really too bad, father," put in Ginger gaily, "because I just wish you could see the carryings-on in this old house. Do you know what Marjory has on hand now? A grocery clerk, father. And not regular groceries, either. Canned ones. The Orange and Black. Maybe he will give us a discount."

Light laughter, light talk, which hid the sadness beneath, but did not hide the tenderness, the pervading sympathy, the great gladness that they were five together, even in their sorrow.

To be continued.

**Giving All a Chance**  
A sculptor in Poland has suggested to his government that it erect a "universal monument" in the form of a bronze bust, on which should be placed detachable heads which could be changed, according to who was most popular at the time.

**Could Not Work; Konjola Scores Quick Triumph**

**Modern Compound Proves More Than a Medicine—A Body-Building Tonic.**

"I had stomach trouble so long that my general health was depleted and undermined," said Mrs. Ernest Hale, 14943 Strathmoor avenue, Detroit, Mich. "I finally became so low in vi-



Mrs. Ernest Hale.

tality that I could not attend to my household duties. I lost in weight, too, and was completely discouraged over the outlook.

"Konjola was strongly recommended to me and I decided to give it a trial. Day after day the improvement was more marked and when I had completed the twelfth bottle I was not only completely well, but had gained weight and strength. Konjola not only restored my health, but built up my sadly worn down system. Now I can put in a good day's work around the house and still not feel all rundown and tired in the evening. Konjola is certainly a wonderful medicine and I praise it highly."

Konjola is sold in Cass City, Mich., at Burke's Drug Store, and by all the best druggists in all towns throughout this entire section.—Advertisement.



**OLD FOLKS SAY DR. CALDWELL WAS RIGHT**

The basis of treating sickness has not changed since Dr. Caldwell left Medical College in 1875, nor since he placed on the market the laxative prescription he had used in his practice.

He treated constipation, biliousness, headaches, mental depression, indigestion, sour stomach and other indispositions entirely by means of simple vegetable laxatives, herbs and roots. These are still the basis of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin, a combination of senna and other mild herbs, with pepsin.

The simpler the remedy for constipation, the safer for the child and for you. And as you can get results in a mild and safe way by using Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin, why take chances with strong drugs?

A bottle will last several months, and all can use it. It is pleasant to the taste, gentle in action, and free from narcotics. Elderly people find it ideal. All drug stores have the generous bottles, or write "Syrup Pepsin," Dept. BB, Monticello, Illinois, for free trial bottle.

**OUTWIT FATIGUE, HIGH BLOOD PRESSURE AND DIZZINESS.**

Avoid paralysis and nerve trouble in advanced years. Do it with San Yak Pills for the kidneys. They give ease to the stomach, antiseptic to the bowels and vegetable when used to prevent 95% of all diseases arising from intestinal trouble. Sold at Burke's Drug Store.—Advertisement.

# DAIRY

### LITTLE MILK IS NEEDED FOR CALF

#### Youngster Is Early Taught to Eat Hay and Grain.

Although whole milk is often marketed leaving little skim-milk for feeding, it is no longer necessary to be handicapped in raising at least enough calves on dairy farms to take care of replacements in the herd.

For feeders and animal husbandmen have found that they can raise thrifty calves successfully and use only about 375 pounds of salable whole milk in doing it.

The general method of feeding calves is practically the same for all dairy breeds, reports I. W. Rupel, in charge of the work at the Wisconsin College of Agriculture. The calf is given a start on whole milk for a few weeks and during this time is taught to eat hay and concentrates. Thrifty calves are then gradually taken off the milk and continued on concentrates, hay, water and salt.

But, in their experiments, Rupel and his associates have also found that one schedule was most successful for Holsteins and Brown Swiss, while another schedule had to be worked out for Ayrshires, Guernseys and Jerseys.

The method of feeding best for the Holsteins and Brown Swiss was to leave the calf with the mother for three days and then to pall feed whole milk by gradually getting the calf to take, by the end of the first week, nine pounds until it was six weeks old, and then the allowance was gradually reduced until, at the end of the seventh week, no milk was fed.

The process for the other three breeds was slightly more complicated. The calves were left with the mother for three to four days and then were pall fed at the rate of six pounds daily for two weeks, when the amount was increased to seven pounds daily for five weeks. After the calves were seven weeks old, the milk was reduced gradually until at nine weeks no milk was fed.

Because the calves must get along without milk, it was found that it is necessary that the feeds given be highly palatable and nutritious. The protein supply must be especially liberal, and so the concentrates need to carry a high proportion of protein rich feeds. The experts also found that the hay needs to be of the highest quality obtainable, preferably clover or alfalfa.

#### Dehorning Calves Best Done While Still Young

The best way to dehorn calves is to use caustic potash when the calves are about one week old.

When the calf is a week old the horns may be detected as small buttons or scurs which are covered with hair. To remove the scurs, clip the hair over and around them, then take a stick of caustic potash, moisten it and rub vigorously until the button gets red and blood appears about to ooze through.

The stick of potash should be wrapped in paper at one end so that the hands of the operator are not injured and only a small amount of water should be used so that it will not run down over the calf's head. If the water from the stick of caustic or from the horns is allowed to run, it will either injure the eyes or take off the hair. If a small amount of vaseline is rubbed around the hair surrounding the buttons it will aid in preventing any injury to the skin adjacent to the horns.

Calves should be kept in stanchions or separated from other calves while they are being treated and for a few days afterwards. Then any remaining caustic may be washed off and the place greased with oil.

#### Inefficient Separator Is Extravagant Waste

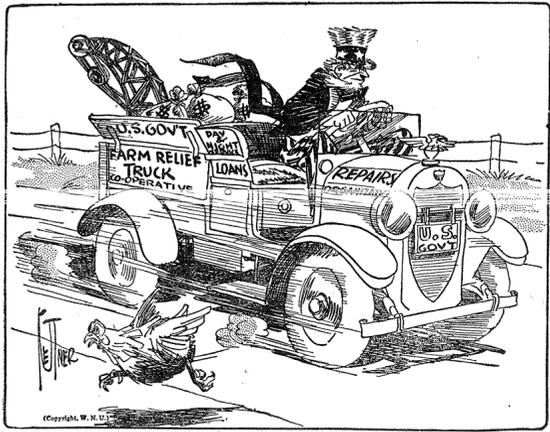
An inefficient cream separator is an extravagant waste. Separators normally lose about .03 of 1 per cent of butterfat into the skim milk, but when the loss amounts to as much as 15 per cent, this excess makes itself sharply felt in the cream check. In a herd of twenty 400-pound cows, a separator out of adjustment to this extent would bring about a loss of something like 225 pounds of butterfat annually. Figure this at the prevailing prices for butterfat and the total is not to be sneezed at.

Through frequent tests of the separator this loss may be controlled. It is by stopping the small leaks that the dairyman can boost his margin of profit.

#### Withholding Salt

At the Wisconsin experiment station some milk cows, well fed otherwise, were given no salt for periods as long as a year. After two or three weeks the cows showed abnormal appetites for salt, but the health of the cows was not noticeably influenced for a much longer time. But finally a complete breakdown occurred, accompanied with complete loss of appetite, rough coat, and a rapid decline in both weight and amount of milk given.

## Ding, Ding, Ding



### FIRE PREVENTION ON MICHIGAN FARMS

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pils, Friday, Oct. 11, making that Fire Prevention day in rural schools.

At the close of school that day, one pupil in each family will be provided with an inspection blank, which will be taken home to the parents. On Saturday morning, October 12th, the parents are urged to join with their children in making an inspection of their property, recording the results on the inspection blank furnished, which will be returned to the teacher the following Monday morning. The teacher will forward all inspection reports to the State Fire Marshal, Lansing, which will form the basis reports which will later be made from that office.

The information imparted to the pupils at their Fire Prevention session, Friday, together with their taking part in the home inspection will make an impression upon the growing minds which will follow them through all their years, causing them to be real fire preventionists.

The plan, as originated, backed by the Governor, State Fire Marshal, Superintendent of Public Instruction, the press of the state, insurance companies, county school commissioners, and rural school teachers, is sure to be a marked success, and it will doubtless be followed with a marked decrease in fire losses in the rural districts in the years to follow, and no doubt will be copied by fire prevention authorities of other states.

Parents, living in the country, who have no children in the schools, will be provided with inspection blanks by the teacher of the local school, that they may join in this laudable undertaking, making their district 100 per cent, returning the completed inspection blank to the teacher who will forward same with those returned by the pupils to the State Fire Marshal.

Gov. Green's Fire Prevention Week proclamation says:

"For some years past it has been the custom to inaugurate a campaign of education and action for fire prevention, with the view of reducing the great unnecessary fire losses which cause an enormous destruction of property each year.

"The time designated for this commendable undertaking is the second week in October of each year, therefore as Governor of Michigan I proclaim the week from October 6th to October 12th, 1929, Fire Prevention Week.

"The work which will be accomplished during that period will result in a great saving of life and property, therefore it is essential that it be given the cooperation which this movement deserves. It should be observed in cities, villages, and rural communities to the fullest extent.

"Heretofore there has been a lack of extending fire prevention week activities into the rural districts where it is so much needed. A scattered population, numerous buildings grouped and no means or apparatus for fighting fire, the farmer is quite helpless in case his buildings take fire, facing the complete destruction of his accumulations of years. Therefore, it is hoped that the work may this year be extended into the rural districts.

"Great benefits would follow in the years to come if teachers in rural schools would instill in the minds of the growing pupils the most common dangers of fire on the farm, and how to combat them, with the suggestion that they closely watch for fire hazards, that their parents be advised and the property made safe.

"With the near approach of time for the starting of heating plants, furnaces, stoves, pipes, chimneys, etc., should be placed in safe condition, rubbish removed and burned, all combustibles, gasoline, oils, paints, varnishes, etc., should be safely stored.

"The marked interest shown by the Michigan Fire Chief's Association, in their efforts to make Michigan safe from fire furnishes an example of what may be accomplished by other similar organizations.

"Through the united action of the citizens of our state, it is hoped that we may be able to continue to decrease the great unnecessary fire waste."

Advertise it in the Chronicle.

#### Artistic Early Combs

The first combs found—those made of ivory and amber—as made by the ancient peoples of Rome, Greece and Egypt, were entirely handmade. Some of the engraving and carving on these old combs stands out today as works of art of that period.

#### Variation in Mankind

Great men are the true men, the men in whom nature has succeeded; it is the other species of men who are not what they ought to be.—Amler.

#### And That's That

Need of the times: More firetrucks and fewer roadsides.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

## Chronicle Liners

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

#### INSTRUCTION IN MUSIC

Frank Lenzner, music instructor with an experience of over twenty-five years, was given a high recommend by the highest paid piano instructor in Detroit Conservatory of Music (who is paid seven dollars per 30-minute lesson). After hearing one of Mr. Lenzner's pupils play "Oberon" by Leybach, this Detroit instructor wrote "Your pupil has a fine talent, coupled with a fluency in technic and expression, which speaks well for your instruction." This pupil had taken only 93 lessons, starting with a b c d e f g, and finishing the last three lessons on above selection. This letter can be seen at residence, one block south of Chronicle office, where instruction is given on piano; organ, violin, cornet, and other musical instruments at \$1.00 per one hour lesson. Telephone, 91 R 3-1. 9-27-1

#### WANTED

Neat girl to assist with housework in family of three, (boy 4 years). Wonderful home and easy work. Answer at once. Mrs. Paul Heinsohn, 295 Cherokee Rd., Pontiac, Mich. Phone No. Dial 8852 9-27-1

#### STOCK

of new guns and ammunition. Also some good second-hand guns. G. L. Hitchcock, Cass City. 9-20-2

#### FOR SALE

—30 cords good poplar wood; also good top buggy, newly painted, with side curtains and lap robe, at a price that will suit you. T. L. Stewart, Deford, Phone 88 F 1-4. 9-27-2

#### QUICK SERVICE

—Farm animals removed promptly, horses, cattle, sheep (dead or alive) in Tuscola County only. Call Wallie Marshall, Caro, 937-R4. Tell operator to reverse charges. 9-13-4p

#### FOR SALE

—170-acre farm with buildings at \$10 an acre. A real bargain; good house; good land. The Cass City State Bank. 9-27-1f

#### FOR SALE

—One five months old registered Chester White boar. W. C. Schell. 9-27-2p

#### STRAYED

from my pasture, a black driving mare. Finder please notify Mrs. Chris Nolty, Cass City, or Robt. Wilson, Galetown. 9-27-1p

#### BAKE SALE

at Henry's Grocery Store on Saturday, Sept. 28, starting at one o'clock, under the auspices of the Rebekah Lodge. 9-27-1

#### PUREBRED

Chester White pigs, 6 weeks old for sale. Sam Blades. Phone 131 F 31. 9-27-2

#### FOR RENT

—Two five-room apartments in Post Office Block. Well heated at all times, with toilet, bath and electricity. The Cass City State Bank, Agent. 9-27-1f

#### ELLIOTT MOTOR Lines Schedule

—Bus leaves Cass City for Pontiac daily—at 8:20 a. m. and 5:00 p. m., fast time. Bus leaves Cass City for Bad Axe at 11:40 a. m. and 4:45 p. m. On Sunday (one bus each way), leaves Cass City for Pontiac 4:05 p. m. and leaves Cass City for Bad Axe at 10:45 p. m. \*

## CRICKET SAYS HURRY IF YOU WANT BEAUTY

### Autumn Shrubs and Flowers Make Homes Attractive in Winter.

The cricket's song is a warning to go ahead and gather autumn flowers and shrubs for use in the home during the gray days of winter, according to home economics specialists at Michigan State College.

The bittersweet is especially recommended for decorative purposes, but the specialists warn against the use of ornate vases for displaying this plant as the over elaborate container detracts attention from the bouquet.

Bittersweet should be picked early and some of its leaves should be gathered along with the berries. If the plant is, then, well dried it will remain beautiful for a long time.

Teasel, wild carrot, milkweed, goldenrod, and the cattail also offer decorative possibilities. Several or all of these weeds can be combined to make an attractive display for the time when snow is swirling outside the house.

The straw flowers and the hydrangea are cultivated plants which readily lend themselves to the winter display collection. Both are easily dried and they retain their beauty.

The specialists advise against the attempt to improve nature by painting the plants selected for winter bouquets. Nature has been planning color schemes many more years than most amateur painters and the natural effects secured have had the approval of many artists.

## HOSPITAL NOTES.

Irma Nolan, eight year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Nolan, entered the hospital Friday and underwent an operation for appendicitis the same day.

Margaret Carpenter entered the hospital Tuesday and was operated on the same day for appendicitis.

Otto Fisher of Akron was brought to the hospital Monday and underwent an appendicitis operation the same day.

The floors of the reception room and the private office at Pleasant Home Hospital have been recovered with new linoleum and the X-ray room has been redecorated and has had an entirely new and of the latest type equipment installed.

## CASS CITY MARKETS.

September 26, 1929.

Buying Price—

Mixed wheat, bu.	1.09
Oats	.43
Rye, bu.	.88
Corn, shelled, bu. (56 lbs.)	1.00
Peas, bu.	1.75
Beans, cwt.	7.90
Dark red kidney beans, cwt.	7.75
Light red kidney beans, cwt.	8.00
Barley, cwt.	1.40
Buckwheat, cwt.	1.75
Butter, per pound	.45
Eggs, per dozen	.38
Cattle	6 9
Hogs, live weight	10
Calves, live weight	15
Broilers	20 24
Hens	16 24
Hides	5

Advertise it in the Chronicle.

## NEXT TO HOME

# The Classic Cafe

is the best place to eat.

### Try Our Special Sunday Chicken Dinner.

#### FOR SALE

—Two water tanks, 10 ft. long, 2 1/2 ft. high, 2 1/2 ft. wide, 1/4 in. steel. One Federal 5-ton dump truck in A-1 shape. Apply J. Greenburg, Vassar. 9-27-1

#### STRAYED

to my premises 10 head of young cattle about two weeks ago. Owner please pay for pasture and notice. Wm. Powell, 1 mile east, 1/2 north of New Greenleaf. 9-27-1

#### SEE

our furnaces and heat circulators before you buy. The right size at the right price. G. L. Hitchcock, Cass City. 9-20-2

#### THE CIDER MILL

at Cass City will run every Wednesday and Saturday until further notice. Krug & Patterson. 9-27-1f

#### SILOS

—Six second hand wood silos of various sizes for sale. G. Sieweke, Prop. of Interlocking Cement Stone Silo Co., Romeo, Mich. 8-16-3

#### FOR SALE

—Police pup. Melvin O'Dell, R. R. 4, Cass City. 9-27-1p

#### GRAPES FOR SALE

Clare Tuckey, 1 mile east and 1 mile north of Cass City. 9-27-1p

#### HIGHEST

prices paid for poultry. Ricker & Krahlmg, Cass City. 9-6-4

#### FOR SALE

—Two purebred Holstein bulls 1 year old. Papers furnished with one. Emory Lounsbury, Cass City. 9-27-1

#### FOR SALE

—44-ft. lot and buildings, or will trade for good house in Cass City. F. E. Hall, West Main, Cass City. 9-6-4p

#### WANTED

—Man to work on farm by month or year. Stanley Muntz, 1 mile west, 3 miles north of Cass City. 9-27-1p

#### FOR SALE

—Baby buggy and two-door Ford sedan. Enquire of Floyd Carpenter, Deford. 920-2p

#### LOST

—Shell-rimmed glasses in blue leather case. Reward for return of same to Laura Bigelow. 9-27-1

#### DANCE

at Doerr's Hall, Cass City, on Friday night, Sept. 27. Music by Sutton's Rhythm Kings. 9-27-1

#### WANTED

—Guernsey and Jersey heifer calves. Enquire of Parrott Creamery, Cass City. 9-6-4

#### CHICKEN SUPPER

at M. E. church Tuesday night, Oct. 1, served by Division No. 4. Serving starts at 6:00 p. m. Prices, 35c and 50c.

#### FOR SALE

—House and lot on Houghton Street. Price very reasonable. See R. N. McCullough. 9-20-2p

#### FOR SALE

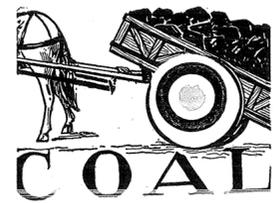
—120-egg incubator for \$10.00 (Cost \$22.00). Perfect condition. Mrs. Bell, 1 1/2 miles south of Cass City. 9-27-1p

#### FOR SALE

or rent, a seven-room house with bath and furnace, on West Pine St. Also 120-acre farm 5 1/2 miles north and 1/2 mile west of Cass City, known as the John H. Barnes farm. Enquire of Andrew T. Barnes. 9-20-1f

#### CARD OF THANKS

—I wish to thank all those who sent flowers, fruit, candy, ice cream, cards, letters, etc., also Dr. Morris and nurses for the wonderful care I received during my stay at the Morris Hospital. Katherine Joos.



## A LITTLE COOLER NOW!

Just a touch of fall in the air now and then makes you think of coal without a hint from us. Nevertheless a reminder helps. Let us fill your bin before the rush is on. Our coal contains the highest heating qualities and the lowest ash.

### Farm Produce Co.

Phone 54.

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### The Most Popular Shopping Center in the Thumb.

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We are particularly proud of the Merchandise we have ready for the Month-End Selling. You should plan now to see the new collection of Coats, Dresses and Millinery shown for the first time this week.

## DRESSES

Our feature for this week is new dresses in Black Satin and Canton Crepe. Also showing entirely new styles in brown and various blue shades. Prices \$10.00 to \$16.75.

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To close out the balance of our Fibre Suites, we are offering them this week at

## 25% REDUCTION

Every Rug in our stock must be sold as we wish to remodel this room. Only a few rugs left. If you are in the market for one this fall, be sure to see them.

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