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GAS EXPLOSION VICTIM DIES OF HER INJURIES

Mrs. Edward Coler of Fairgrove Township Was Fatally Burned Saturday.

Mrs. Edward Coler, who was burned in an explosion of gasoline fumes at her farm home six miles northwest of Caro on Saturday afternoon, died of her injuries at 8:45 o'clock Sunday morning in the Caro Community hospital.

Mrs. Coler was cleaning clothes with high test gasoline in the basement of her home Saturday afternoon. A partition separated her from the furnace, but the fumes from the inflammable liquid penetrated the furnace room where the heat caused the explosion. Mrs. Coler was thrown against the basement wall and her husband's hands were burned when he rushed into the house from the yard to beat the flames from her burning clothing.

Concrete blocks in the foundation of the house were blown out, causing the frame building to settle. Floors in the rooms were bent upward, bricks were forced from the chimney and nearly all windows were blown out.

Just what the loss will amount to has not yet been estimated, but will be several thousand dollars. The house was remodeled a few years ago at a cost of about \$5,000.

Fairgrove and Caro fire departments assisted neighbors in putting out the flames before much damage was done by fire. Mrs. Coler was a leader in her community and active in the Fairgrove Evangelical church. Her husband is one of Tuscola county's prominent farmers.

Funeral services were held in the Caro Evangelical church Wednesday afternoon and interment was made in the Caro cemetery. Besides her husband, Mrs. Coler leaves six daughters.

BAPTISTS HOLD ANNUAL CHURCH MEETING

The annual church meeting and election of officers of the Baptist church was held Monday afternoon at the church. Devotional were led by the pastor, Rev. W. Curtis, after which reports were given by the different departments, all showing excellent gains. A harmonious spirit was manifest throughout the meeting.

Officers elected were: Trustee for three years, P. S. McGregory; deacon for five years, C. U. Brown; treasurer, Mrs. G. W. Landon; clerk, Mrs. C. U. Brown; missionary treasurer, Mrs. Stanley McArthur; flower committee, Mrs. P. S. McGregory; finance committee, Bruce Brown, G. W. Landon, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Livingston; pianist, Mrs. Stanley McArthur; assistant pianist, Charlotte Warner; chorister, Mrs. W. Curtis; Sunday School sup't., Cecil U. Brown; assistant superintendent, Eugene Livingston; member of charity board, Mrs. I. W. Hall.

A certificate just received from the state convention was shown by the pastor stating that the Baptist church of Cass City was on the honor roll as one of the churches in the state having paid their missionary apportionment each month during the past year. This is also true of the Austin church of which Rev. Curtis is pastor.

ART EXHIBIT COMING.

The Cass City school's second art exhibit is scheduled for Wednesday, Jan. 21. An entirely new group of pictures are being sent by the Colonial Art Company, featuring American artists.

An unusual program is being planned consisting of the new high school chorus of 90 voices, the kindergarten and first grade band, and a unique journey to Art Land by the grades.

This program should have the hearty support of everyone. Watch the paper for further announcements.

CHAS. WOOD BUYS LANSING DRUG STORE

Charles Wood has purchased the Campbell drug store on South Washington St., Lansing, and took possession on January 1. Mr. Wood has been employed in this same drug store for the last three years.

FOOTBALL BANQUET THURS., JAN. 15

On Thursday, January 15, the football banquet for the letter-winners of the Cass City High School, will take place at the gymnasium at seven o'clock. This banquet will be more than just an ordinary "feed" for besides the food, there will be speakers of unusual caliber. Definite arrangements for the evening's entertainment have not yet been made, but included

in the list of speakers there will be such men as "Butch" Nowack, All-American tackle at University of Illinois two years, who is now head football coach at Central State Teachers' College; W. C. Parker, Athletic Director at Central State Teachers' College, formerly an all-star athlete; "Dutch" Lodewyk, varsity basketball and baseball coach from Central. The program will consist of other speeches, music, etc.

This banquet is entirely in the hands of the Hi-Y Club of Cass City High School. Tickets will be printed and sold by this new organization early next week. The ticket sale will be limited to 100 and everyone is urged to buy early so there will be no disappointments. Don't forget the date—Thursday evening, January 15, at the Cass City High School gymnasium.

JEWELRY STORE BURNS AT BAD AXE SUNDAY

Fire Sunday destroyed the Graham jewelry store at Bad Axe. The loss is estimated at more than \$7,000. Considerable jewelry, silverware, and china were lost. The cause of the fire is unknown.

DAIRY PROFITS MEETING FOR SANILAC COUNTY

Representative Farmers Will Discuss Dairy Problems on January 27.

A dairy products conference is being planned for Sanilac county which according to County Agricultural Agent C. J. Hart will be held at Sandusky on Jan. 27. This conference will be a business meeting of representative farmers and dairymen who will discuss the dairy problems of the county with the county agent and extension dairyman from Michigan State College.

The conference will be devoted to outlining a long time plan of work. This plan of work will help put the dairy business of Sanilac county on a more highly profitable basis. Means of getting more economical production will be discussed with the thought that profits lie in economy of production rather than in increased total production.

About 150 delegates selected from every part of the county will participate. These delegates will be farmers with many years of dairy experience. This experience combined with the many years of scientific yet practical information collected by the Michigan State College should result in some lively discussion for real good to the community.

The roster of delegates to the 1931 dairy profits conference for Sanilac county has just been completed. Following is a partial list of the delegates appointed:

Greenleaf township—Stanley Jackson, Charles Moore, Steve Decker, Robt. C. Spencer, Milford Robinson, and Henry Klinkman.

Evergreen township—Art Meredith, Fred Ryan, Wm. Mitchell, Nicklas Bowers, Arthur Craig, Andrew Hamilton, and James Wallace.

Austin township—John Franzel, Isadore Morrell, Joe Lapeer, Wm. Thomas, and Peter Osantoski.

Argyle township—Percy Starr, Jas. Suder, John Pratt, Art Heemer, Wm. Watson and Frank Pringle.

NO CRIMINAL CASES ON JAN. CALENDAR

Circuit Court in Tuscola Will Convene on Monday, January 26.

An unusual feature of the January term of circuit court in Tuscola county is the absence of any criminal cases. It has been many years since no cases of this character were listed at any term of court.

Court convenes on Monday, Jan. 26, with the following cases on the calendar:

Civil Cases.

Henry Borgwelt vs. Verne Stewart, declaration.

Peter B. Squires vs. Wm. Lowell, declaration.

John Henry Bernthal and G. Conrad Bernthal vs. Hiley W. Saunders, garnishment.

The People of the State of Michigan vs. Wm. J. Moore, et al, trespass.

Rodney Parks, Administrator of the Estate of Allie Parks, deceased, vs. Wilfred Neveau, garnishment.

W. J. Webber vs. Peter Stein, assumpsit.

In the matter of the Estate of Wm. R. Conley deceased, appeal.

G. H. Kaven and Carrie Kaven vs. Esvy Sahaydak, assumpsit.

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RESUME OF EVENTS OF THE PAST YEAR

Review of Local Happenings Taken from the 1930 Files of the Chronicle.

A review of local and Thumb of Michigan events of the year of 1930 may be gleaned from the following paragraphs which are grouped week by week as they appeared in the Chronicle under the dates given:

Week of Jan. 3—

Mrs. James Ward tendered her resignation as debating and English teacher to the board of education. Churches announce week of prayer. Cass City Grange installs officers. Frederick J. Libby is speaker at Community Club's "Open Night" meeting.

Chas. Beckett and Miss Margaret Karner married at Gagetown. Death of Mrs. Wm. N. Flint.

Week of Jan. 10—

Bank statements show big growth in savings. Baptist church elected officers. Oil companies abandon drilling for oil in Koylton township. Death of Peter Doerr. Volleyball series started Tuesday. W. R. Trueb wounded and robbed Monday.

Fine program at "Reciprocity Night" of P. T. A.

Week of Jan. 17—

Local farmers get oil lease checks. Roy Bricker married in Toledo Saturday.

Business block burned at Pigeon. Mr. and Mrs. John Scriver celebrated 50th wedding anniversary.

Joe Diaz and Miss Reyes married. Light calendar for January term of court in Tuscola.

Vassar won debate here Friday.

Week of Jan. 24—

Giles Whitlock, Indianfields supervisor, died at Caro Monday.

Mrs. Lewis Law elected president of Woman's Study Club.

Stuart Wilsey named member of music committee for 1930 J-hop at East Lansing.

Mrs. P. S. Rice left to spend winter in California.

Cass City Lodge, I. O. O. F., elects officers. C. E. Patterson is noble grand.

Week of Jan. 31—

Commissioners named to determine necessity of Sebewaing Drain.

State names 35 Tuscola county schools to get cash from Turner fund.

Claude Willis Mitchell and Miss Vernita Knight are among seven students from Thumb district on Michigan State College honor roll.

Five miles added to rural mail route No. 1 at Cass City.

Week of Feb. 7—

Special commissioners decide Sebewaing Drain necessary.

Michigan's potato stocks smallest since 1926.

Arthur Freeman's farm house, 3½ miles west of Gagetown, burns.

Wm. Hurley named new cashier of Fairgrove bank.

County Odd Fellows held meeting here.

Week of Feb. 14—

Eighteen Sanilac county schools get Turner cash.

Pastime Theater installs "talkies."

C. W. Heller sells cement garage on East Main St. to Harold Murphy and Alfred Fleishman. Mr. Murphy sells merchandise delivery system to Omar Glaspie.

Wedding of Miss Maude R. Coulter of Owendale and Theodore G. Brice of Flint announced to take place Feb. 20.

Week of Feb. 21—

J. D. Brooker passed away at his home here Saturday.

Juniors are entertained at costume party.

Just nine voters attend village caucus.

Hilltop Players to present three plays.

More bleachers added to school gym.

Week of Feb. 28—

Cass City Fair directors were elected Thursday.

Howard Coulter killed in automobile crash near Howard City.

Caro in Class C and Gagetown in Class D are county tourney winners in basketball.

Edward Helwig, superintendent of Evangelical Sunday School for many years, honored at church gathering.

Week of Mar. 7—

Largest P. T. A. in Tuscola county is at Cass City with membership close to 300.

W. T. Schenck celebrated 83rd birthday on Tuesday.

Poor maintenance bill in Tuscola county grows larger. Monthly expenditures by poor commission runs from \$3,000 to \$4,000 this winter.

Big crowds attend district basketball tournament here.

Week of Mar. 14—

Cass City wins honors in Class C and Kinde in Class D at district basketball tournament here.

Local teachers were all offered contracts Monday.

Local basketball players honored at banquet of Community Club.

Elkland is lowest township in county in taxes returned.

M. P. Freeman elected 12th time as village clerk at Gagetown.

Week of Mar. 21—

Robt. Edgerton chosen guard in all-tournament, Class C schools.

Herbert Wilson lost barn and live stock in fire near Argyle.

Reid and Dickinson groups win honors in volleyball series.

The L. O. L. hall, an old landmark of Brookfield township, sold to Sebewaing parties and moved from its foundation Friday.

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SPEED WILL REIGN ALL FARMERS WEEK

Program Includes Meetings, Banquets, Shows, Contests, and Talks.

Plans for Farmers' Week at Michigan State College, February 2 to 6, have progressed to the point where the committee in charge make the prophecy that visitors will need to get a program in advance and to make out a time schedule if they are not to miss any of the interesting features.

Association meetings, department programs, contests, shows, feature events, and talks by prominent men and women follow each other so rapidly that in many cases several of the attractions are simultaneous rather than successive. The plan of holding sectional meetings for farmers' organizations in the morning, the general program in the afternoon and evening, and the entertainment features and banquets in the evening is continued this year.

Dairy farmers will have their inning on Monday, February 2, when most of the dairy organizations hold meetings throughout the day and close with a banquet at night. There are five associations of dairymen in the state. All of the dairy cattle breeds are represented and the latest entrant to the list is the group who are interested in the milking goat industry.

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Supervisors assess Allen drain costs.

Death of Archie McPhee, Elias Killins, Thos. Hennessy Sr., and David B. Hershey.

Week of Apr. 4—

L. S. McDowney, Tuscola county sheriff, died Saturday. James Kirk appointed acting sheriff.

Mr. and Mrs. John Medcalf of Ellington honored by host of friends at 60th wedding anniversary Wednesday.

Large mortgage of \$31,947,000 covering Grand Trunk Western Ry. Co. is recorded by Stanley Osburn, register of deeds in Tuscola county.

Death of Gwendolyn R. Seeley, Mrs. Mary Dennis and Mrs. B. J. Dailey.

Week of Apr. 11—

Little excitement at spring elections.

All teachers returned signed contracts to board of education here.

Gordon Hotel sold to Chas. Kleinschmidt and his two sisters.

Mildred Karr, Alison Milligan, Louis Chaffee, Barbara Taylor, Marion Leishman and Phyllis Lenzner are six members of Class of 1930 who are classified as honor students.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Livingston surprised and honored by friends on 25th wedding anniversary.

Week of Apr. 18—

L. C. Carpenter, 82-year-old druggist at Silverwood, captured burglar in his store Friday morning.

Cass City High School continued on list of North Central Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools.

Fifteen new members join Cass Live Stock Club.

Bernita Taylor of Cass City first in declamations at sub-district contest. Emerson Scott of Caro is first in orations.

A. W. Atkins of Vassar elected road commissioner.

Week of Apr. 25—

Forty-four to graduate from Cass City High School. Gagetown will graduate 15.

May 5 and 6 are named clean-up days.

Wm. Parrott decides to locate ice cream factory at Lapeer.

Millington Milling Co.'s plant is destroyed by fire.

Death of Mrs. Mary Ann Lambkin and T. P. Zander.

Week of May 2—

Blue spruce tree planted on school lawn in honor of Mrs. A. J. Knapp.

Twenty-six townships show loss and 7 gain in early census report.

Eleven barrels of wine destroyed in raid by officers northeast of Unionville.

Echo Chapter, O. E. S., installs officers.

Death of Thos. A. Balkwell, Mrs. Wm. Fulton, Mrs. W. J. Allis, Mrs. Sarah Bingham, Mrs. Carrie A. Mosher, Mrs. Joseph Brown and John W. Thiel.

Week of May 9—

Five new instructors will teach in local school next fall.

Death of Jacob Mackie and Mrs. John Profit.

Two hundred eighty-five rural pupils here for preliminary 7th and 8th grade examinations.

County Sunday School workers met at Vassar Wednesday.

Cass City opened baseball season with 14-8 victory over Unionville.

Week of May 16—

Mrs. Alex Sanson killed instantly and her little daughter, Martha, fatally injured in auto accident north of Marlette.

Mrs. Daisy S. Barrie of Vassar admitted to the bar in Tuscola county court.

Bidders were numerous at letting of Sebawaing River and Branches drain. Total cost will come within \$450,000.

"Thank You" comedy attracted large audience. Will repeat performance on May 20.

School bond proposition lost at Kingston by 80 to 62 vote.

Death of Malcolm Ferguson, Enoch Hartt and Mrs. Wm. Paul.

Week of May 23—

Heron school and Deford school hold reunions.

Census returns indicate Cass City has 2% gain in population. Nazarene church and Frazier Presbyterian church hold dedicatory services.

Cass City is third in regional track meet at Flint.

Death of Mrs. Isaac Cragg.

Plans made for rural Y. M. C. A. groups in Saginaw-Tuscola area.

Floyd Ziehm and Miss Madelyn Good married at Gagetown Saturday.

Week of May 30—

Many candidates are out for Sanilac county offices.

Rev. "Bob" Ingersoll delivered Memorial Day address here.

John May elected president and S. Champion secretary of Cass City Fair.

New telephone directories printed. Tuscola Normal to graduate 29.

Week of June 16—

Clayton Reid of Kingston will represent

Tuscola county 8th grade pupils at State Fair school.

School bond issues were turned down by Kingston and Marlette voters.

Miss Bernice Plaxton, teacher in the Elmer school, was fatally burned in kerosene explosion.

Death of Miss Myrtle Hegler, Albert Darling and Mrs. Henry Combs.

Week of June 13—

Auditorium was well filled at commencement exercises Tuesday evening.

Tuscola athletes set three new records at county track meet. Caro is first in Class C schools and Akron in Class D division.

Merger of Cass City Grain Co. and Michigan Bean Co.

Miss Nora Lowe and Henry Hacker married at Port Austin.

Rotary Club organized in Cass City.

Death of Warren Leonard, county surveyor, Mrs. Cleo Timmens and John E. High.

Week of June 20—

Cass City High School wins Upper Thumb athletic meet.

Ninety enjoyed junior-senior banquet at Gagetown.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Sandham leave on 10-day trip to Old Quebec.

Ralph K. Price and Miss Aileen Seeley married at Caro.

Kingston school bond proposition carried by one vote.

Members of Class of 1930, on motor trip to Northern Michigan, get extra thrill when one of two large busses conveying the party was burned near Ludington.

Death of Mrs. Asa Root and Mrs. Geo. Hillman.

Week of June 27—

Tuscola population has decreased 398 according to 1930 census.

Kenneth Kelly, new high school coach here, awarded M. S. C. athletic scholarship gold medal.

Village tax rate cut 2 1/2 mills lower than previous year.

Weddings this week: John J. Urich and Miss Irene Quinn; Clinton G. Mitchell and Miss Lucille E. Jones; Clare B. Turner and Miss Mary Ruth Elliott.

Oil firms lease land in Huron county.

Week of July 4—

Sun Bros.' Circus engaged as special attraction for Cass City Fair.

Four hundred Odd Fellows met here Friday to see grand lodge officers confer initiatory degree on class of 46.

Elkland township buys gravel pit.

Joseph Warrick and Miss Margaret Doerr married at Dearborn.

Two hundred attend Bingham school reunion.

Week of July 11—

Tuscola county club champions go to Lansing.

Huron City church re-dedicated Sunday.

More than 200 at Holbrook homecoming.

Henry Dodge died in California. Paving of five miles of M-81, east of Reese, is authorized.

Miss Mardell Starr is bride of Leo Ware.

Ten Cass City boys go to Y camp.

Week of July 18—

Mrs. E. Pinney and Dr. P. A. Schenck re-elected members of board of education.

W. J. Schwegler elected school officer for 22nd year.

Huron county supervisors ask for grand jury investigation of county officers.

Death of Stuart A. Charles and Mrs. Nancy Barker.

Week of July 25—

Lightning fired barn on farm of Alfred J. Wallace. Barn, tool shed, silo, hay and implements burned.

Gagetown votes to sell electric lines.

Dr. M. M. Wickware tells Rotarians of days of stumps and mud puddles in Cass City's Main Street.

Mrs. Bertha Brown and son, Frederick, leave here Sunday on motor trip to New Mexico.

Death of Henry Croft and Philip Mark.

Week of Aug. 1—

G. W. Landon was re-elected president of Michigan Rural Letter Carriers Association.

James Wills, 90 years of age, honored at birthday party.

Bursting boiler of a threshing engine severely injures John Beebehyser.

Six dredges are at work on Sebawaing Drain.

Week of Aug. 8—

Boys have "big time" at Y. M. C. A. camp.

Pedlow drain let for \$3,875.

Argyle bank cashier is missing.

J. P. Howe of Los Angeles, California, pioneer merchant at Cass City, greets old friends here.

Death of Mrs. John Retherford, Roy B. Crosby, Louis S. Smith, Mrs. John Medcalf and Mrs. Mary Elizabeth McCrear.

Week of Aug. 15—

Large line of exhibits at fair this week.

Ray Yakes has position as relief manager for General Motors Co. in Copenhagen, Denmark.

Death of E. J. Calley.

Lewis Pinney "pans for gold" during his trip through Alaska.

Farm Produce Co. re-elects directors.

Abina M. Garety and Mary H. Holcomb graduate from Central State Teachers' College.

Class of Aug. 22—

G. & C. Folkert open second store in Cass City.

Marriages—Harland Bond and Miss Thelma Agar; Willard Fader and Miss Mary C. Moore.

Class of 1930 presents school with aquarium.

Deaths of William Lewis Jarvis, Clark Courless, Mrs. Howard Putnam and Geo. Blakley.

Week of Aug. 29—

Class of 1908 holds first reunion in 22 years.

Beans reached \$7.40 mark Thursday.

Death of Mrs. H. H. Wilson, Alexander Gracey and Wm. A. Lamb.

Daylight robbers hold up William Crandell and Dorus Butler.

Bones of prehistoric animal found by Putnam Bros., contractors, in excavating basement in Novesta township.

Week of Sept. 5—

Cass City Live Stock Club won three grand champions at State Fair.

Two hundred forty-six pupils are enrolled in high school.

Mrs. Hugh McColl celebrates 90th birthday anniversary.

Prof. William Lyon Phelps lists best books of the year.

James Wills, Elmwood township pioneer, passed away.

Death of Maynard Delong, Mrs. Chas. Richter, Rose Zella Seeley and Mrs. Henry Vatters.

Week of Sept. 12—

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. G. Moore celebrated golden wedding Sunday, surrounded by relatives and friends.

Chas. S. Pearson selected as superintendent at Pigeon, to fill vacancy caused by resignation of G. C. Adler.

Death of Rev. Chas. W. Lyman, Everett Nye and Chas. S. Eddy.

Walter Hyatt buys grocery store at Kingston.

Pigeon meat market is razed by fire.

Week of Sept. 19—

Charlotte L. MacFall of Gagetown school is first prize winner in state in safety essay contest.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Cooper of Marlette celebrate golden wedding.

G. & C. Folkert buy Ellis store at North Branch.

Orlo McDurmon, county treasurer, received check for \$194,700.80, Tuscola's share of primary school interest fund.

Harry Severance and Miss Esther Marie Krake married.

Week of Sept. 26—

Fourteen candidates file statements regarding their primary expenditures with County Clerk Ormes.

Rev. Geo. Hill assigned to pastorate of Elkton M. E. church and Rev. T. S. Bottrell of Richmond succeeds Mr. Hill as minister at Cass City.

Richard Gwinn, Huron county pioneer, killed by hit and run motorist at Flint.

Death of Mrs. John Graff, Clarence O. Greenleaf, Jas. E. Hegler and Mrs. Sarah J. Thompson.

Week of Oct. 3—

Tornado causes heavy damage at Caro.

Fire destroyed barn, shed and horses on Wm. Zinnecker farm in Novesta township.

Wolcott wins over Cramton in recount for congressman.

Friends honor Edward Spencer, Deford, who completed long service as railroad employee.

Mr. and Mrs. Ward Law celebrate 30th wedding anniversary.

Marriages—Miss Marie Tindale and Edwin H. Iverson; Dr. Albert D. Law and Miss Vernetta Richardson.

Week of Oct. 10—

Presentation of charter to Cass City Rotary Club witnessed by 225 Rotarians of 23rd district.

Relatives and friends honor Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Seeger on occasion of their 50th wedding anniversary.

New bus mail service, Bay City to Port Huron, by way of Gagetown and Cass City, will start Oct. 16.

Thelma Warner graduates as nurse. Simeon J. Moore and Mrs. Helen G. Schwaderer married.

Week of Oct. 17—

District C. E. convention here was well attended.

Fred Ziehm, member of Class of 1927, Gagetown High School, lost his life in plane crash in Bryson City, N. C.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Hulbert celebrated golden wedding Oct. 14, surrounded by friends.

Methodists welcome new pastor and family.

Supervisors appoint committee of five to study plans for court house.

Week of Oct. 24—

Superintendents of poor ask for \$50,000 poor fund for Tuscola county.

Sanilac will have county normal school.

Second annual meeting of Tuscola Co. Young People's Conference of the Council of Religious Education at Caro was well attended from nearly all parts of county.

Thos. Wilson & Son lose elevator at Marlette through fire.

Hubert Root and Miss Helen A. O'Dell married.

Week of Oct. 31—

Fire damaged Dailey store building Sunday.

Tuscola supervisors re-elect seven county officers.

Supervisors set county tax in Huron at \$50,000 less than 1929 amount.

G. & C. Folkert purchased A. C. Fick stock of merchandise at Lapeer. Mrs. Elizabeth Hazelton, 106, oldest resident of Tuscola county, passed away at Silverwood.

Week of Nov. 7—

No changes made in county officers' salaries by Tuscola supervisors.

Rev. C. F. Smith returns to Cass City as Evangelical pastor.

One hundred attended meeting of Tuscola County Federation of Women's Clubs here.

Vassar had \$40,000 fire in business district.

Weddings—Delbert Landon and Miss Pauline Sage; Robt. E. Fry and Miss Wilma Striffler; John Gordon and Miss Ida Vogel; Elton Brown and Miss Madeline Shagena.

Death of Mrs. John Fletcher, Henry Deming, Martin Johnson, Mortimer Schommuller and Hugh W. Seed.

Week of Nov. 14—

Community club adds 28 members.

Five hundred deer licenses sold in Tuscola county to date.

Basement barn on Boughner farm and Geo. Daley farm residence, both near Argyle, are destroyed by fire.

Marriages—Leland Alumbaugh and Miss Marie Goodell; Geo. Kirton and Mrs. Amy Holmes; John Ingles and Miss Florence Brown.

Miss Barbara Taylor is one of eight attendants for queen at Michigan State Florists' show at Lansing.

Week of Nov. 21—

Winter tax will be less this year in Elkland township.

Cass City high school continued on U. of M. list.

John Kitchen lost farm residence in Evergreen township by fire.

Mrs. C. W. Lyman honored at farewell party.

W. R. Kirk of Fairgrove, Jas. Mahaffy of Marlette, D. T. Knight of Marlette, Warner E. Ramsey of Port Hope and David Running of Filion are among 12 Michigan agriculturalists named as master farmers.

Week of Nov. 28—

L. D. Randall will serve as chairman for 1930 Christmas seal sale at Cass City.

Crandell's sheep win many prizes at big live stock shows.

Cass City debaters won from Unionville.

Joseph Murray, democrat, won in recount for sheriff office in Huron.

College students come home for Thanksgiving.

Week of Dec. 5—

State administrative board authorizes paving 3 1/2 miles east of Cass City.

Waldo Trueb shot while hunting.

Marvin Moore, 90, is honored at birthday party.

Zygmunt Zielski fatally injured when hit by auto on M-53.

November marriages—Stanley E. Heron and Miss Amy L. Boone; Melvin L. Craig and Miss Aletha Ogden; Naaman Karr and Mrs. Ethel Ruhl; Andrew Yoe and Betty Sanislo.

Week of Dec. 12—

Thirty-two new volumes placed in W. S. C. library.

Community Club membership reaches 95.

Deford school slightly damaged by early morning blaze.

Six members of Cass City Live Stock Club were successful in placing among winners of Junior Live Stock Show at Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Anker celebrate 40th wedding anniversary.

Week of Dec. 19—

School at Elkton destroyed by fire.

Pinney and Peterson groups are winners in volleyball series of seven games.

Eight boys' and girls' club members sell eight steers at fairs for \$1,896.15.

Eight Thumb students graduated from C. S. T. C.

Miss Ione Hults is bride of

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE CASS CITY STATE BANK at Cass City, Michigan, at the close of business Dec. 31, 1930, as called for by the Commissioner of the Banking Department.

RESOURCES	Commercial	Savings
LOANS AND DISCOUNTS:	104,099.17	77,099.27
Totals	104,099.17	181,198.44
REAL ESTATE MORTGAGES:	5,895.89	160,931.67
BONDS AND SECURITIES, viz:		
a Municipal bonds in Office		3,000.00
e Other Bonds		206,500.00
Totals		209,500.00
RESERVES, viz:		
Due from Federal Reserve Bank	7,000.00	13,467.47
Cash and Due from Banks in Reserve Cities	26,405.31	
Totals	33,405.31	46,872.78
COMBINED ACCOUNTS, viz:		
Banking house, furniture and fixtures		3,000.00
Customer's Bonds Deposited with Bank for Safekeeping		48,650.00
Stock of Federal Reserve Bank		1,800.00
Total		657,848.78
LIABILITIES.		
Capital Stock paid in		40,000.00
Surplus Fund		20,000.00
Undivided Profits, net		4,734.25
COMMERCIAL DEPOSITS, viz:		
Commercial Deposits Subject to Check	89,473.05	
Demand Certificates of Deposit	824.33	
Certified Checks	531.00	
Cashier's Checks	901.22	
Totals	91,729.60	91,729.60
SAVINGS DEPOSITS, viz:		
Book Accounts—Subject to Savings By-Laws	339,230.43	
Certificates of Deposit—Subject to Savings By-Laws	113,504.50	
Totals	452,734.93	452,734.93
Customers' Bonds deposited with Bank for safe-keeping		48,650.00
Total		657,848.78

State of Michigan, County of Tuscola, ss.
I, C. M. Wallace, cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief and correctly represents the true state of the several matters therein contained, as shown by the books of the bank.

C. M. WALLACE, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 5th day of January, 1931.

Mylo Ragan, Notary Public.

My commission expires Jan. 5, 1934.

Correct Attest:

M. B. Auten,
J. A. Sandham,
B. F. Benkelman,
Directors.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE PINNEY STATE BANK AT CASS CITY, MICHIGAN

at the close of business Dec. 31st, 1930, as called for by the Commissioner of the Banking Department.

RESOURCES	Commercial	Savings
LOANS AND DISCOUNTS:	139,419.77	62,589.79
Items in transit	1,740.00	
Totals	141,159.77	203,749.56
REAL ESTATE MORTGAGES:	1,300.00	181,446.28
BONDS AND SECURITIES, viz:		
a Municipal Bonds in Office		51,190.00
c U. S. Bonds and Certificates of Indebtedness in Office		4,300.00
e Other Bonds		364,250.00
Totals		419,740.00
RESERVES, viz:		
Due from Federal Reserve Bank	2,934.88	25,000.00
Cash and Due from Banks in Reserve Cities	20,870.14	15,000.00
Totals	23,805.02	63,805.02
COMBINED ACCOUNTS, viz:		
Overdrafts		41.72
Banking House		2,500.00
Other real estate		2,500.00
Due from Banks and Bankers other than in Reserve Cities		2,600.00
Customer's Bonds Deposited with Bank for Safekeeping		87,306.00
Outside Checks and other Cash Items		521.10
Stock of Federal Reserve Bank		2,200.00
TRUST DEPT. RESOURCES, viz:		
Cash and Due from Banks		121.42
Total		967,831.10
LIABILITIES		
Capital Stock paid in		50,000.00
Surplus Fund		25,000.00
Undivided Profits, net		8374.59
COMMERCIAL DEPOSITS, viz:		
Commercial Deposits Subject to Check	116,801.22	
Demand Certificates of Deposit	11,497.20	
Cashier's Checks	1,693.12	
Totals	129,491.54	129,491.54
SAVINGS DEPOSITS, viz:		
Book Accounts—Subject to Savings By-Laws	372,935.87	
Certificates of Deposit—Subject to Savings By-Laws	294,601.68	
Totals	667,537.55	667,537.55
Customers' Bonds Deposited with Bank for Safekeeping		87,306.00
TRUST DEPARTMENT:		
Trust Deposits—Totals		121.42
Total		967,831.10

State of Michigan, County of Tuscola, ss.
I, Ernest Croft, Cashier of the above named bank do solemnly swear, that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief and correctly represents the true state of the several matters therein contained, as shown by the books of the bank.

ERNEST CROFT, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 6th day of Jan., 1931.

D. W. Benkelman, Notary Public.

My commission expires Apr. 10, 1933.

Correct Attest:

Elizabeth E. Pinney,
H. F. Lenzner,
Frederick Pinney,
Directors.

Local Happenings

Mr. and Mrs. William I. Moore of Uby were Cass City callers Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Vader and two children spent Saturday in Richmond.

Miss Marion Harbec was a New Years guest at the Omar Glaspie home.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Warner spent Friday and Saturday in Pontiac and Detroit.

Miss June Ross of Caro visited her cousins, Misses Catherine and Lucile Bailey, Friday.

Mrs. F. E. Kelsey, Spafford Kelsey and Miss Hester Cathcart were Bay City visitors Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Bailey and daughters were New Years guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Striffler.

Glenford Straube of Ann Arbor spent Wednesday night and Thursday as the guest of George Cole.

Mrs. Marie Murphy returned Wednesday after spending several weeks with relatives in Detroit.

Miss Fanny White of Saginaw was the guest of Miss Thelma Warner Wednesday night and Thursday.

Frank Agar of Ann Arbor spent a few days last week with friends and relatives in and near Cass City.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Schell spent New Years with Mr. Schell's sister, Mrs. W. H. Dawson, in Saginaw.

Max Connell returned to Pontiac Wednesday after a ten day vacation spent with relatives near Cass City.

Mrs. Angus McPhail and little son spent from Thursday until Monday with relatives in Detroit and Pontiac.

Miss Ruth Agar of Ann Arbor spent from Wednesday until Sunday at the home of Dr. and Mrs. S. A. Bradshaw.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Cervenka and children and Mr. and Mrs. Sheldon Peterson visited in Bad Axe Sunday.

Mrs. M. M. Moore and Mrs. James Tennant spent a few days last week with Mr. and Mrs. William I. Moore at Uby.

Jack Whitehall of Cleveland, Ohio, and Miss Ann Taylor of Pontiac were callers at the Andrew Barnes home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Heemstra and children of Crosswell were guests Saturday of Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Randall.

Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Kenney and two sons were entertained for New Years at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Hennessey.

Mr. and Mrs. James Campbell and daughter, Grace, of Caro were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Lauderbach.

Mrs. Howard Lauderbach and Mrs. Glen Moore and children visited at the E. W. Childs home near Unionville Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Grant Randall and son, Ronald, of Elsie were guests over the holidays at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Randall.

Mr. and Mrs. Hazen Patterson and two children returned to their home in Pontiac Sunday after spending two weeks with relatives here.

Harold Dickinson and M. D. Hartt spent Tuesday in Ann Arbor where they visited Floyd Morgan, who is a patient at the hospital there.

George Dillman and Miss Ina Otis of Detroit attended the alumni party here Wednesday night and spent New Years with Cass City relatives.

Miss Flossie Law returned to her studies at Ypsilanti Sunday after spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ward Law.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Champion and Mrs. Lyle Bardwell and daughter, Barbara Jean, spent last week with relatives in Toledo, Ohio.

Howard Lauderbach and Mr. and Mrs. Glen Moore and daughters, Colleen and Ila, visited Mr. Lauderbach's brother-in-law, P. S. Stiner, in the Caro hospital Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Paul and Mrs. Sarah Welsh spent New Years at the Wm. Welsh home near Caro in celebration of Mr. Welsh's birthday. He is a brother of Mrs. Paul.

Harold McGrath and Donald Schell left Friday for Lansing where Harold will begin a course at Michigan State College and Donald will continue his studies in the same place.

D. L. Bailey attended the annual senior "prom" of the senior class of Harbor Beach High School Wednesday night in the Harbor Beach Community house to welcome the new year.

Malcolm Schell of Detroit spent the week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Schell. Esther Schell returned with him Sunday as far as Lansing to resume her studies at Michigan State College.

The Baptist Ladies' Aid will meet Wednesday afternoon, Jan. 14, at 2:30 at the home of Mrs. C. U. Brown for the annual meeting and election of officers. All members are urged to be present.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Steers spent last week with relatives in Detroit. Mr. and Mrs. William H. Champion and daughter, Marjorie, returned with them and are spending the week in Cass City.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Sullivan of Northville spent last week with Mrs. Sullivan's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Urquhart. Friends of Mr. and Mrs. Urquhart will be glad to hear that they are slowly gaining after their long illness.

ELMWOOD.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Ferguson and Nelson Ferguson of Deford and Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Moore were New Year guests at the Stephen Moore home.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Seeley and son, Clifford, spent Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Seeley at Wisner.

The Young People's class of the Sunshine Sunday school met last Friday evening at the Isaac Thane home.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Rando and children and Mrs. Lena Rushio spent New Years day with Mr. and Mrs. Amenzo Kinyon at Bay City.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Chaffee from Bethel were Friday visitors at the George Seeley home.

The Elmwood Grange will entertain the Pomona Grange from west of Caro at the Ellington Gleaner Hall Tuesday, Jan. 13, for dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Jackson and daughters were entertained at the Arthur Little home in Ellington on New Years day.

Mr. and Mrs. Preston Richardson entertained the Elmwood Farmers' Club Thursday for dinner.

Miss Melita Haynes of Caro was entertained over the week-end at the Warren O'Dell home.

Mrs. Lena Rushio went Sunday to spend some time at the Clarence Owen home at East Dayton.

The Elmwood Missionary circle meets today (Friday) with Mrs. Chas. Seekings.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Root of Saginaw were New Year visitors at the Warren O'Dell home.

Miss Florence Smith, who has been suffering from blood poisoning in her hand, is much improved.

Miss Iva Thane returned to her studies at Mt. Pleasant Monday morning, after a two weeks' vacation at her home.

ARGYLE.

Dr. and Mrs. McNaughton, Dan McNaughton and family, Mrs. Carrie McNaughton and son, Kenneth, attended the funeral of the Dr.'s sister, Mrs. Abbie Dickinson, of Applegate Friday.

Mrs. Percy Starr visited her mother, Mrs. Kitchen, Wednesday.

Mrs. Mina Manigold was a Detroit visitor over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Walker of Deckerville and Mrs. Anna Walker visited at the home of Mrs. Neil McPhail recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Smitherman of Detroit visited at the Elmer Hawksworth home Friday.

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 19th day of December, A. D. 1930.

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

In the matter of the Estate of Charles A. Palmer, Deceased.

Helen Youmans, having filed in said court her final administration account, and her petition praying for the allowance thereof and for the assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate.

It is ordered, that the 14th day of January, A. D. 1931, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for examining and allowing said account and hearing said petition;

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

GUY G. HILL, Judge of Probate.

A true copy. 12-26-30
Minta E. Hill, Register of Probate.

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LOCAL HAPPENINGS

Mrs. Joy Smith is a patient at the Morris hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Schwaderer were visitors in Caro Monday.

Mrs. Bessie Niles, W. O. Root, and Ashley Root were New Years guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Parrish.

Mr. and Mrs. John Lorentzen left last week to visit at the home of their son, Ernest Lorentzen, in Romeo.

Mrs. James Hines and daughter, Betty Jane, of St. Clair visited at the Duncan McKellar home Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Schwaderer returned to Detroit Monday after a week spent with Mr. and Mrs. Chris Schwaderer.

Friends of Mrs. M. H. Quick will be sorry to hear that she is quite ill at her home 4 miles south and 1/2 mile west of Cass City.

Thomas McConnell, living five miles east and one mile south of Cass City, suffered a stroke Sunday which left his left side paralyzed.

Mrs. I. D. McCoy and son, James, left Thursday to spend two months at Miami, Florida. They are making the trip for James' health.

Mr. and Mrs. Murray Schluchter of Pontiac were Saturday guests of Mrs. Bertha Brown. Mrs. Schluchter was formerly Miss Marguerite Goff.

The Misses Nina and Gertrude McWebb returned to Cleveland Saturday after spending the holidays with their mother, Mrs. Sarah McWebb.

John Benkelman, Floyd Bounger and Garrison Moore, all of Detroit, attended the alumni party here Wednesday and spent New Years with relatives.

Eber Hamden of Minden City and twin sons, Jack and Bill Harnden, of Dearborn, were guests of Mr. Hamden's nephew, A. A. Schmidt, Friday evening.

G. W. Landon spent Sunday and Monday in Lansing. On Monday, he attended a meeting of the Michigan Good Roads Association at Hotel Olds in Lansing.

Mr. and Mrs. Chris Schwaderer, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Schwaderer and family, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Schwaderer and Curtis Hunt spent Sunday at Chesaning.

Mr. and Mrs. Neil Donnelly and son, Charles, of Saginaw visited Mr. Donnelly's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Donnelly, Sunday. Mrs. Charles Donnelly, who has been quite ill, is slowly improving.

The South Novesta Farmers' Club will meet Friday, January 16, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Colwell. All members are urged to be present as this is the election of officers. Dinner will be served at noon.

Carl Hammon of Ann Arbor, Mrs. W. S. Huits and Mitchell Huits of Eaton Rapids were callers here Sunday. Mrs. Hammon, who had spent the holidays in Eaton Rapids and Ann Arbor, returned to Cass City with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Franklin and little son, Miss Ford, Miss Hardger, Walter Kilpatrick and Miss Alethea Seed, all of Pontiac, and Mrs. Della Lauderbach were dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Seed on New Years day.

The next meeting of the Cass City Music Study club will be held Wednesday afternoon, January 14, at three o'clock at the school house. This is to be a public school music demonstration under the direction of Mrs. Carl Hammon and is open to the public.

Over one hundred attended the alumni party given New Years eve in the auditorium of the high school and a most enjoyable time was held. Don Seed's six-piece orchestra from Pontiac furnished the music. Out of town guests were present from Detroit, Saginaw and Bad Axe.

The B. Y. P. U. of the Baptist church met at the home of Miss Charlotte Warner on New Years eve for a watch night party. Games were played and officers elected for the coming year as follows: President, Stanley McArthur; vice president, Irene McComb; secretary-treasurer, Clara Hutchinson; commission leaders, Maxine Corkins, Irene McComb, Donald Schenck and Mrs. Marcell Ware. A delightful luncheon was served and each one wished the other a Happy New Year.

William Martus and Frederick Brown were callers in Lansing Sunday.

Mrs. Jessie Pettit spent last week with her sister, Mrs. W. L. Harden, in Bad Axe.

Miss Esther Tarnoski of Alpena spent the week-end with friends in Cass City.

Raymond McCullough of Big Rapids spent the week-end at his parental home here.

Dr. and Mrs. S. B. Young were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Davidson at St. Clair.

Mrs. Andrew Barnes spent the week-end with her sister, Mrs. Frank Charles, in Pontiac.

Born Tuesday, December 23, to Mr. and Mrs. Hector Ross of Sheridan a son, Edward Sheldon.

Miss Lulu Barton of Dowagiac was a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Auten Saturday.

Miss Irene Jones was among the students from Mt. Pleasant who spent the holidays at her home here.

Miss Inez Maurer of Reese and Miss Dorothy Tindale spent Friday with Miss Betty Burgess at Bad Axe.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Bailey and daughters, Catherine and Lucile, visited Clara Z. Bailey at Midland Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Corpron and daughter, Elnora, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Herbert King at Vassar.

Mrs. Blanch Ferguson and daughter, Miss Belda, of Detroit visited friends here Wednesday and Thursday.

Hamilton McPhail and Carl Zinnecker spent Wednesday and Thursday with relatives and friends in Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Guinther and Harvey Hornby of Flint spent New Years with Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Brian.

Major H. C. Sweeney of Omaha, Nebraska, came Sunday to visit his mother, Mrs. M. H. Quick, who is very ill.

Miss Margaret Kelly, Kindergarten teacher in the Powers-Spalding high school, left here Saturday to resume her duties.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Lewis and baby of Detroit spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Lewis, parents of Mr. Lewis.

Rev. and Mrs. Smith and Mr. and Mrs. Edward Buehly and son, Carlton, spent New Years with Rev. and Mrs. F. L. Pohly at Sebawaing.

Tuscola county supervisors closed a three-day session Wednesday afternoon. Approving bonds of banks and county officers was the principal item of business.

Word has been received that Mrs. William Heller of Bad Axe, who with her husband left to visit their son at Los Angeles, California, has been quite ill at the son's home.

Sam LaVine of Detroit spent Sunday at the James McMahon home. Mrs. McMahon and daughter, Janice Lucile, returned to Detroit with him to spend some time there.

Alex Graham of Detroit was a week-end guest of Cass City relatives. Miss Marjorie Graham, who had spent two weeks in Detroit, returned to her home here with him Saturday.

Mrs. Bay Crane and daughters, Miss Katherine and Miss Florence Crane, Samuel and Miss Flossie Crane were entertained Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lorn Brown.

The Woman's Missionary Society of the Evangelical church will meet Friday afternoon, January 16, with Mrs. B. A. Elliott, Mrs. H. F. Lenzner has charge of the program. The topic is "Women in Social and Welfare Work."

Ray Johnston of Traverse City spent the week-end with relatives here. Mrs. Johnston and daughter, Phyllis, who have spent two weeks with Mrs. Johnston's sister, Mrs. A. J. Wallace, returned home with him Sunday.

A baby girl, Shirley Ida, was born Tuesday, December 23, to Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wells. Mrs. Wells will be better known to many as Irene Perry. Born, Tuesday, December 30, to Mr. and Mrs. Howard Martin, a son. He has been named Sheldon Chauncey.

The Past Noble Grands club met Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. A. A. Ricker with Mrs. Ricker and Mrs. L. Bailey as hostesses. A social time was enjoyed and refreshments were served. The next meeting will be held with Mrs. George West on Feb. 6.

The Methodist Missionary Society will meet Friday afternoon, January 16, with Mrs. Willis Campbell. The hostesses are Mrs. Campbell, Mrs. Dodge and Mrs. Henry. The leader is Mrs. L. I. Wood and the topic, "Youth in Industry, in Porto Rico and America."

Guests at the David Hutchinson home New Years day were Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hutchinson and son, Grant, Mr. and Mrs. Philip McComb and family, Mrs. Janet Messner, Miss Lorraine Watson, Miss Erma Wilson, Edward Miller of Detroit, and Bernard and Delister Wilson of Pontiac.

Rev. and Mrs. C. F. Smith and the Misses Lena Joos, Luverne Battel and Phyllis Lenzner attended the Youth's Conference held under the auspices of the Council of Religious Education at the Pigeon Evangelical church Friday. Miss Lenzner responded to a toast at the banquet given in the evening.

Mrs. A. A. Ricker entertained the Evangelical Ladies' Aid at an all-day meeting at her home Wednesday. A fine dinner was served at

noon and the ladies spent the time quilting. The quilt will be presented to the orphan home maintained by the Evangelical church at Flat Rock, Ohio.

Leonard J. Bell, treasurer of Columbia township, was the first to turn over state and county tax money collected this year to County Treasurer McDurmon. The amount deposited was \$3,725.00. Other township treasurers who have reported and the amounts left with the county treasurer are: W. C. Downing, Elmwood, \$7,000.00; Scott McCrea, Almer, \$3,000.00; Henry Cuer, Novesta, \$3,600.00.

Church Calendar

Decker M. E. Circuit—Shabbona church—Sunday school at 10:30. Evening service at 7:30. Prayer service on Thursday at 8.

Decker church—Sunday school at 10:30. Morning service at 11:30. Prayer service on Tuesday at 8.

Elmer church—Morning service at 10. Sunday school at 11. Prayer service on Wednesday at 8.

The New Year has started with good attendance, interest, and results, for which we are very thankful. It is our purpose to make each church a spiritual center with all services contributing to that end. We solicit the hearty co-operation of all.

J. H. James, Pastor.

Evangelical Church—Sunday School at 10:00 a. m. Sermon at 11:00 a. m. Theme, "Saint Peter's View of the Christian Life."

Senior league at 6:45 p. m. Mildred Striffler, leader.

Junior league, Myrtle Greenleaf, leader.

Preaching at 7:30. Theme, "Thou Art—Thou Shalt Be."

Prayer service Thursday at 7:30. Choir rehearsal Friday evening at the B. A. Elliott home.

C. F. Smith, Pastor.

Presbyterian Church—Paul Johnson Allured, Minister. Sunday, Jan. 11. Morning worship at 10:30. Devotional message on experiencing fellowship, followed by the Lord's Supper.

Church school on noon. Adult lesson, "The Childhood of Jesus." Luke 2:40-52.

C. E. and E. L. at 6:30.

Joint evening service at 7:30 at the Methodist church.

First M. E. Church—Rev. T. S. Bottrell, Minister. Sunday services for January 11, 1931:

Class meeting at 10:00 a. m. John Mark, leader.

Public worship at 10:30 a. m. Sermon subject, "The Life of Paul." Music by the choir.

Church school at 12:00 noon. Supt., Fred Bigelow.

C. E. and E. L. at 6:30 p. m. Marjorie Graham, leader.

The evening service will be conducted by the ladies of the Home Missionary Society. Mrs. Dodge, the district president, will give a talk and the ladies will give a short play, entitled, "Missionary Thankoffering."

There will be special music by a male chorus. The public is invited. The time is 7:30 at the M. E. Church.

Bethel M. E. Church will have their Sunday school at 11:00 a. m. and the church service at 12:00.

Baptist Church—Preaching Sunday morning at 10:30. Theme, "Partnership with Jesus." As this will be our motto for the coming year, this service is worth while.

Sunday school at 11:45. Our Sunday school is steadily gaining ground.

B. Y. P. U. at 6:30 in charge of the Stewardship Commission, Maxine Corkins, director.

Preaching at 7:30. Theme, "Using Your Temptations for Stepping Stones." Happy-Half-Hour after preaching. Last Sunday evening about fifty remained to the Happy-Half-Hour.

Prayer meeting Thursday evening at 7:30. Choir rehearsal Thursday evening at 8:30. Brotherhood announced Sunday.

William R. Curtis, Pastor.

St. Pancratius Church—Services at 10:30 a. m. every Sunday except the first Sunday of each month which is at 8:30 a. m. Sunday school immediately after services.

Rev. William X. Fitzpatrick, Pastor.

Time's Changes

In Oliver Cromwell's time, it required 14 days for the English ambassador to Sweden to travel from Gothenburg to Stockholm. The distance of about 282 miles now being covered by a fast express train in five hours 43 minutes.

Explaining Dreams

Dreams are due to the excitement of our brains during the period when the brain's connection with the other parts of our organism is suspended. In other words, when we dream, we are like an automobile with the engine running and the clutch out.

Yiddish Long in Use

The Yiddish language, which is composed of about 70 per cent German, 20 per cent Hebrew and 10 per cent Slavic words, has been in use since the Sixteenth century.

Foundation of Greatness

History shows, wrote Heine, that the majority of men who have done anything great have passed their youth in seclusion.

LAPEER HOME TO ADD MORE INMATES

(From Lapeer Press.)

Four new cottages erected during the past year will be ready for occupancy within 30 days, according to Dr. Robert L. Dixon, superintendent. There has also been a new power house built and an addition to the sewage disposal system, new sidewalks and much repair work completed.

The new cottages will be used to house geriatric patients and has a capacity of 500 patients in the four cottages. Of special interest is a large one-story cottage which will take care of 100 crippled girls. There are no steps or stairs in this building. New equipment has been installed in the central kitchen which has also been reconstructed to meet the additional demands.

There are at present 1,350 on the waiting list of the institution and the population of the institution for the next fiscal year will be 3,760 and if the contemplated program of building materializes the population for 1932 will be 4,242 patients.

The total appropriation for the Michigan Home and Training School was \$2,200,000.00 covering a four-year program and a three year spreading of appropriation. One million dollars was appropriated for the first year and \$600,000.00 for each of the second and third years. We are now in the second year of the period and also of the appropriation and running even with the plans of the board.

Unless unforeseen difficulties present themselves 400 will be taken off the waiting list several months sooner than anticipated, according to a survey made by Dr. Dixon of general conditions at the present.

J. K. BROWN PASSED AWAY AT CALUMET

John K. Brown, son of the late Jos. Brown, who spent his boyhood and early manhood on the Brown farm near Cumber, 10 miles east of Cass City, passed away at his home in Calumet, Mich., on Sunday, Dec. 28, following an illness of several weeks.

He was the eldest son in the family and while very young helped his father to clear the land of a large farm and build the home when that part of Sanilac county was in its most primitive state. The tremendous energy which all men and women had to possess in order to survive those strenuous times lasted throughout his vigorous life.

J. K. Brown was a veteran employee of the South Shore railroad and one of Calumet's well known and esteemed residents. Had he lived he would have been 76 years of age on New Years day. He was born in Canada and married Miss Eliza Bradburn of Caro. For 47 years he had been in the employ of the Duluth, South Shore and Atlantic railroad as master car foreman with the exception of a few months with the Copper Range railroad. He went to Hancock from Marquette 43 years ago, and resided there for 27 years when he moved to Calumet, where for the past 16 years he had been one of its highly respected residents. Announcement of his passing was received with sincere sorrow by a host of friends throughout the Copper Country.

One of Mr. Brown's last wishes was to visit the family lot in Elkland cemetery here and walk across to the grave of his dearly loved sister, Frances Elizabeth Graham. Only two members of the pioneer family now survive, Stanley A. Brown of Rochester, Mich., and Wm. T. Brown of Wichita, Kansas.

Surviving are his widow, two daughters, Mrs. Wm. C. Pearce of Houghton and Miss Lillian of Detroit and three sons, Howard and Russell of Calumet and Douglas of Detroit. The body was taken to Houghton and funeral services were held on Wednesday afternoon from the home of the daughter, Mrs. Pearce, 209 Edwards St. in that city. Burial was made in Forest Hill cemetery at Houghton.

Deserted Mining Towns

Throughout the West there are a great many mining towns or camps which were deserted after the ore ceased to be profitable. Among them may be mentioned Rough and Ready and Hart, Calif.; Grand Forks, Yukon, Granite, Leadville and Oro, in Colorado.

America's "Corn Belt"

The "Corn Belt" is the region composed of Indiana, Illinois, Iowa and parts of Ohio, Missouri, Nebraska, South Dakota and Kansas. In which the greater part of the commercial corn crop of the United States is grown.

Old Female Organization

The Daughters of Rebecca was founded at South Bend, Ind., in 1857 by Schuyler Colfax "to reconcile women to the pledge of secrecy made by their husbands, by inducing them to take similar obligations."

No Venomous Reptiles

There is no species of venomous serpent in Cuba, Haiti, Porto Rico and Jamaica are also free from poisonous reptiles.

Embalmers Helped Physicians

Physicians in ancient Egypt called upon the expert Egyptian embalmers to make some of the difficult types of bandages that were needed in surgical cases.



Deaths

Mrs. Wm. E. Holcomb.
Mrs. Effie Margaret Holcomb passed away at Snover on Dec. 30, following an illness of three years. Funeral services were held at the Novesta F. W. B. church Jan. 1 and were conducted by Rev. L. Welton. Interment was made in the Novesta cemetery.

Mrs. Holcomb was born in Brockway, St. Clair county, 66 years ago. She moved to Sanilac county in 1885 when she was united in marriage with Wm. E. Holcomb. She was a member of the Free Will Baptist church. Besides her husband and two sons, Sheriff Holcomb of Snover and John H. Holcomb of Ann Arbor, she leaves one brother and three grandchildren. One daughter preceded the mother in death.

Relatives from a distance who attended the funeral were Mr. and Mrs. Dayton Freeman and family and Mrs. John Phillips and family of Yale, Wm. Phillips of Detroit, Sam Holcomb and Anna Hulett of Pontiac, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Hulett and family of Holly, Mrs. Ella Lohr of East Jordan, Mr. and Mrs. John Holcomb of Ann Arbor, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Cooper and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Phillips of Marlette, and Mr. and Mrs. Chet Holcomb of Hemans.

Funeral services for Carl Swadling were held Friday afternoon from the Deerfield church and burial was in the Deerfield cemetery.

Carl Swadling was born March 30, 1889, on a farm near Fostoria and has lived there all of his life.

He was taken to the Bay City hospital on Christmas day with a ruptured appendix and passed away Tuesday morning, December 30. He leaves his mother, Mrs. Cora Swadling, and one brother, Guy Swadling, both of Fostoria. His father died four years ago, and Carl has lived with and cared for his mother since. Those from Cass City who attended the funeral were Mr. and Mrs. John Whale, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Clark, Melvin Chase and Mr. and Mrs. Vern Wright.

George Walker was born near Imlay City Oct. 13, 1856 and passed away December 28, 1890, at the home of his youngest daughter, Mrs. Alger Clark, near Marlette. He was married to Ida E. Lewis on March 18, 1880. Surviving are the widow, four children, Mrs. Chas. Campfield, Fred Walker, Mrs. Herman Vincent and Mrs. Alger Clark, nine grandchildren, and four sisters, Mrs. Olivia Hall and Mrs. Margaret Secord of Dryden, Mrs. Mary Retherford of Pontiac, and Mrs. Chas. Orth of Kingston.

HOSPITAL NOTES.

Mrs. Frank McKenzie and little son left the hospital Tuesday for their home in Ubly.

Preston Karr of Gagetown was brought to the hospital Wednesday, December 31, suffering from a cut knee. He underwent an operation Monday.

Frank Erard of Argyle entered the hospital Saturday and underwent a gastroenterostomy operation Monday. Edward Dillon of Colwood entered January 1 and was operated on the same day.

Mrs. William George of Owendale is still a patient.

Miss Ruth Karr of Cass City is still at the hospital.

Pauline Connell of Tyre was able to leave the hospital Friday.

Miss Flossie Smith left Friday for her home at Gagetown.

Order for Publication—Determination of Heirs.—State of Michigan, the Probate Court for the County of Tuscola.

At a session of said court, held at the probate office, in the Village of Caro, in said county, on the 7th day of January, A. D. 1931.

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

In the matter of the Estate of David Wright, Deceased.

Floyd L. Clark, having filed in said court his petition praying that said court adjudicate and determine who should inherit the real estate of which said deceased died seized,

It is ordered, that the 30th day of January, A. D. 1931, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition;

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

GUY G. HILL, Judge of Probate.

A true copy. 1931
Minta E. Hill, Register of Probate.

Notice of Hearing Claims Before Court—State of Michigan, the Probate Court for the County of Tuscola.

In the matter of the Estate of John H. Kolb, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given that 4 months from the 6th day of January, A. D. 1931, have been allowed for creditors to present their claims against said deceased to said court for examination and adjustment, and that all creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said court, at the probate office, in the Village of Caro, in said county, on or before the 6th day of May, A. D. 1931 and that said claims will be heard by said court on Wednesday, the 6th day of May, A. D. 1931, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated Jan. 6, A. D. 1931.

GUY G. HILL, Judge of Probate.

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Pleasure in Color

Motorists like stretches of smooth highway, but why not a pale green or brown concrete, instead of the miles of dazzling white?—Woman's Home Companion.

Yet to Be Written

"The great American novel" is a phrase applied to a novel not yet written, but dreamed of by all who are interested in American literature.

The Inner Sanctum

The most commonplace person has wild regions—wildernesses, it may be—of thought and feeling, which even his most intimate friends hardly ever enter.—Arthur Helps.

Statistics on Everything

We are a methodical people. It is possible to get statistics of nearly everything except the total cost of opening jackpots for the fiscal year.—Duluth Herald.

Henry's Specials for Saturday

January 10

GRAPEFRUIT LARGE CAN	20c
SARDINES IN OIL FOUR CANS FOR	19c
SALTED PEANUTS TWO POUNDS FOR	25c
COCOA QUART JAR	19c
MACARONI THREE PACKAGES FOR	21c
LUX FLAKES LARGE PACKAGE	23c
CALUMET BAKING POWDER PER CAN	31c
1 combination cookie cutter with each pound FREE.	

Alex Henry

PHONE 82.

Grist Screenings

ELKLAND ROLLER MILLS TOLD BY ROY

You Must Be Satisfied -- Published Every Friday.

Vol. 6 January 9, 1931. Number 27

Published in the interest of the People of Cass City and vicinity by the Elkland Roller Mills Edited by Roy

Greater love hath no man than this—that he'll get up at night and get a blanket for someone who can't sleep.

240 ATTENDED P. T. A.

MEETING MONDAY

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During the business meeting, a resolution was passed to be sent to our senators urging them to use their influence to secure the entry of the United States into the World Court at this session of Congress.

Thomas Rowe, town and county Y. M. C. A. secretary for the Saginaw-Tuscola area, made a few remarks about his work with the boys. He says his main work is to build firm character foundations in the lives of the boys of the community and that Cass City should be proud of its boys' activities, the Friendly Indian club under the leadership of Glen McCullough, the Boy Scouts under Rev. Curtis, and the Hi Y under Coach Kenneth Kelly.

The main speaker of the evening was Ray Johns of Detroit, state, town and county secretary. He took for his subject, "Resources for Rich Living." Rich living for most of us, he said, is to be found not so much by doing something different from what we ordinarily do, but by being more intelligent, more thorough-going about things we would be doing anyway. Educate yourself to the best. Taste can be developed. In reading, books can take you places you have never been; they can introduce you to persons, races and places you would otherwise never know.

One of the most important things in a boy's life is to teach him to use his leisure time correctly. Leisure time is of increasing importance in American life because of shorter hours and more rapid transportation.

Mr. Johns spoke of the wonderful camps for boys. He said that camping was no longer a pastime to keep them out of mischief but an educational affair. He also spoke of the wonderful results of the Older Boys' Conference held in Bay City this fall when the delegates returned to their homes, determined to live better lives, and enrich their leisure time.

The Y. M. C. A. is in possession of \$250,000,000 worth of property in the United States which has been given them by those who realize its worth to the mankind of America. They also have 6,000 paid secretaries in the United States.

SAFETY STUDIES IN THE LOCAL SCHOOL

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dangerous intersections and is alert at all times.

"During 1929 more than 560,000 children in the United States were involved in traffic accidents which necessitated the absence of from one day to many weeks from school. Ten percent of these children injured were on their way to or from school. This accident list can be reduced, and Michigan is doing a large part in keeping its accident total below normal."

With the inauguration of this safety program, the Cass City schools are entered in a state-wide competition between schools in the club's territory for various loving cups offered to the schools doing the best safety work. Fifty-six loving cups were presented during 1929. A special cup was also presented to the teaching staff which showed the greatest activity during the past year. Schools showing special interest in this safety work are given every possible assistance and the Safety and Traffic Division each year loans out safety plays which are produced in many schools throughout the State.

In addition to these various activities, motion pictures are shown as a part of the visual safety educational program.

NO CRIMINAL CASES ON JANUARY CALENDAR

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Hugh O. Black vs. Monarch Accident Insurance Co., appeal.

First National Bank of Bay City, trustee in bankruptcy of Ealy, Campbell & Co. vs. F. A. Stein and Walter F. Dawson, co-partners.

Walter E. Robertson vs. James M. Knight and Maude E. Knight, assumption.

The Exchange State Bank of Carsonville vs. Arthur LaFave, replevin.

First National Bank of Bay City, trustee, vs. Ernest Rau and Elizabeth Rau, collection on note.

McIntyre-Burrill Co., a corporation, vs. Gottlieb Reinhardt.

Sam Babchenko vs. John Gordon, trespass on the case.

F. L. Stevens vs. Watrous Hardware Co., declaration.

Ella Brown vs. John Pratt, assumption.

Harry Mobley vs. Joseph O'Brien and John Doe, trespass.

Miller & Walser, a co-partnership, vs. Fred E. Reed, trespass.

Chancery Cases.

Walter Canfield, et al. vs. George Canfield and Cora Canfield, his wife, set aside deed.

Fred Cocklin vs. Milda Cocklin, injunction.

Chas. J. Oleson vs. Henry O. Babcock, et al, foreclosure.

Eurista G. Purdy vs. Grant Allen and Wright Allen, foreclosure.

State Savings Bank, Caro, vs. Montague Land and Timber Co., foreclosure.

Agnes M. Stone vs. Jacob Lawrence, Wm. R. Conley, et al, to quiet title.

Myrtle M. Boath vs. Jacob Lawrence, Wm. Conley, et al, to quiet title.

James Berry, administrator of Estate of Franz Blasius of missing person vs. Chas. Bellamy, assumption.

Addie Wilkinson vs. Wm. J. Cooper, to discharge mortgage.

Wm. O. Worden and Janette Worden vs. Golden Jackson, injunction.

Jeannette G. Handy vs. Martha M. Gamble, her unknown heirs, legatees and assignees, et al, to quiet title.

John W. Kennedy and Carl Hunt vs. Emma Falk, dissolution of co-partnership and accounting.

Sophina Streeter vs. Anna E. Streeter and Celia Streeter, for accounting.

Chester H. Chesnut vs. Wm. J. Spears, bill for partnership accounting.

Thos. Ashcroft vs. Chas. Voss, mortgage foreclosure.

Howard Parks and Beatrice Parks vs. John Clark and Laura E. Clark, and Paul Polishuk and Rosa Polishuk, forfeiture of land contract.

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Furstenberg Bros., a co-partnership, vs. Stephen Dautre, et al, foreclosure.

Chancery Cases—Divorce.

Lillian E. Johnson vs. Wm. E. Johnson, extreme and repeated cruelty.

John Hedgers vs. Mae Hedgers.

Cora Lauria vs. Alfred Lauria, cruelty.

Wesley J. Wright vs. Catherine Wright, extreme and repeated cruelty.

Doris A. O'Bryant vs. Ike O'Bryant.

Wm. Paul Grubb vs. Ruth Grubb, desertion.

Anna Sluz vs. Alex Sluz, extreme cruelty.

Myrtle Furman vs. Chas. Furman, non-support.

Violet Marsh vs. John Marsh, desertion.

Justina Ratzloff vs. Edward Ratzloff, extreme and repeated cruelty.

Louis E. Hornel vs. Olga Hornel, extreme and repeated cruelty.

Ethel Florence Schlicht vs. John Henry Schlicht.

Chas. Boulton vs. Mary Boulton.

Edward H. Dunn vs. Eva L. Dunn, extreme and repeated cruelty.

Mary Meyer vs. John Meyer, extreme and repeated cruelty.

Laura M. Jones vs. Elmer B. Jones, cruelty.

Mary Shingledecker vs. Daniel Shingledecker, cruelty.

Edith Huntley vs. Arthur Huntley, desertion.

Frank Drain vs. Helen Drain, desertion.

Beatrice Schempp vs. Albert C. Schempp, extreme and repeated cruelty.

Maxwell J. Katz vs. Beatrice E. Katz, extreme and repeated cruelty.

Roy Stringer vs. Bessie Stringer, extreme and repeated cruelty.

Elizabeth Brining vs. Albert Brining Jr., cruelty.

Ida Stickland vs. Harold Stickland, cruelty and non-support.

Ethel M. Pelton vs. Henry Pelton, extreme and repeated cruelty.

FARMERS PLAN WAYS TO BEAUTIFY HOMES

An increasing number of Michigan farmers are deciding that it is just as profitable to live in an attractive house with a yard with well planned plantings of shrubs and flowers, and they are asking for the assistance of O. I. Gregg, extension specialist in landscape gardening at Michigan State College.

Actual plantings of shrubs were made by Mr. Gregg at 37 different places in the state. These plantings are made to enable all the people in the community to see just how the shrubs should be placed and to give them a chance to ask questions about the kind of plants which would be adapted for use at their own home.

Illustrated lectures explaining the points of landscape architecture which can be applied to rural homes were given in 73 communities with a total attendance of 5,162. Mr. Gregg has been making plans for the beautification of rural homes for the past four years and the work has become so well established that it is possible to have automobile tours to visit a series of farm homes which have used the planting plans and are standing examples of the value of the work.

The planting plans used by Mr. Gregg make use of the best perennial shrubs arranged to emphasize the good points of the farm yard and to conceal the undesirable features. In many cases, it is possible to use native plants and, in no case, is the cost very great.

Penn and Pennsylvania

The region now comprising the state of Pennsylvania had a white population of several thousand before it was granted to William Penn by Charles II. Settlers had been going there to establish homes for many years, and when Penn arrived with his colonists he took over the government of the settlers already there.

Stock Market Term

The word "cover" in stock market transactions, is an English expression and is rarely heard in this country. It is the equivalent of margin—the money deposited with a broker if one does not purchase stock outright.

Utopian Interest Charges

In Utopia the interest on the mortgage works on an eight-hour day and five-day-week schedule.—Duluth Herald.

Chinese Jade Carvings

Heavy slabs of jade were used as tablets on which to carve writings in ancient China.

HOLBROOK.

A New Years party was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Simkins on New Years eve. Out of town guests were Floyd Schubel of Detroit and Edward and Howard Rose of Caro. Fifty young people representing the Argyle, Wickware and Holbrook Epworth Leagues joined in the singing the old year out and the new year in. Tables were set for 50 and a dainty luncheon was served by the hostess, Mrs. N. Simkins. Rev. Hichens acted as toastmaster. In the wee small hours, they all left, thanking their host and hostess for the good time they had and hoping that they would be asked back next New Years eve. Doyle Cleland also celebrated his birthday at this party.

New Years guests at the John Jackson home were Mr. and Mrs. Alex Henry, Delbert Henry, Mrs. Robert Wright, Miss Nora Jackson, Mr. and Mrs. Howard McCordle and daughter, Linda Jean, Muriel Chambers, Mrs. Nelson Simkins and son, Charles.

Saturday evening visitors at the Nelson Simkins' home were Robert McCarty and two children of Kingston, Ben Bailey and daughters, Irene and Velma, Shirley and Kenneth Bailey and Mr. and Mrs. Muriel Shagena.

Mr. and Mrs. Lorn Trathen and Miss Lorene Barnes visited in Flint over the week-end.

The Holbrook Community club will hold its monthly meeting at the church, Jan. 21. Pres. Robert Spencer will have charge of the program. Pot luck luncheon will be served. Everyone welcome.

Willis Campbell of Cass City and Robert Spencer and son, Lynn, motored to Flint on Saturday to buy calves from the "Crapo Farms." Mr. Spencer purchased three Herefords. Here's hoping that one will be the champion at the next fat stock show.

Mrs. Jay Britton of Port Huron came to spend a few days with her daughter, Mrs. Robert Spencer.

Mrs. Nelson Simkins and son, Gerald, were in Caro on business on Saturday.

Mrs. Barney Shagena, Miss La Dema Krug and Mrs. Nelson Simkins and son, Charles, attended the P. T. A. meeting at the high school on Monday night. The program was excellent, especially the play put on by the fourth graders. They enjoyed the dainty luncheon that was served by the losers of the membership contest.

Charles and Russell Simkins, Shirley Bailey and Steve Palaski were visitors at the Robert McCarty home in Kingston on Tuesday evening.

WICKWARE.

Mr. and Mrs. John Jackson entertained New Years day Mr. and Mrs. Alex Henry and family of Cass City, Mr. and Mrs. Howard McCordle and daughter, Linda Jean of Jeddo and Nora, Francis, and Jenny Jackson. Mrs. McCordle and Linda Jean remained and are spending a few days at the Jackson home.

Rev. H. N. Hichens was a business caller in Laport the first of the week. Miss Clara Decker was the guest of her aunt in Caro this week.

Miss Nora Jackson returned to Mt. Pleasant Sunday after spending the holidays at her parental home.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Karr and family of Gagetown, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kile of Columbia Corners, and Miss Flossie Law and Frank Agar of Ann Arbor were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ward Law New Years. Miss Law and Mr. Agar returned to Ann Arbor Sunday.

Miss Bertha Wright who has spent several weeks with her sister, Mrs. Leland Nicol, returned to her home in Clarkston the first of the week.

The Wickware Ladies' Aid will meet with Mrs. Nelson Simkins Wednesday, Jan. 14. Dinner will be served.

Mr. and Mrs. Leland Nicol and family spent Sunday and Monday with relatives in Clarkston.

Revival services will open Monday evening, Jan. 12, at the Wickware M. E. church and continue until Jan. 25. The evangelist who will assist the pastor, Rev. Hichens, is the Rev. Erskine of Evert.

ELKLAND.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Maharg and Kenneth spent New Years day in Millington with Mrs. Maharg's sister and family.

Audley Rawson spent Sunday in Lansing. The Misses Pauline, Vernita, and Lucile Knight returned with him to resume their duties at M. S. C.

John Profit spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Profit in Yale.

Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Doerr Sr. were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Doerr Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. Duncan Battel and family of Cass City were dinner guests Sunday of Mrs. Addie Knight.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Williams and children of Harbor Beach spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Clair Profit.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Maharg and Nora had Sunday dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Maharg.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Blair of Standish were visitors at the M. Crawford home Sunday.

Mrs. Claude Root returned home from Cass City Thursday, where she spent a week with Mrs. Geo. Karr and daughter, Ruth. Friends of Miss Ruth

will be pleased to learn that she is gaining rapidly after her recent operation and will soon be going home.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Maharg entertained for New Years dinner, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Maharg, Lewis Maharg and son, Ralph.

NOVESTA.

Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Woolley of Flint spent New Years day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Woolley.

Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Preston of Snover and Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Henderson visited Sunday afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. N. W. Bridges.

Henry Holtz of Rochester was a caller in this vicinity the first of the week.

Mrs. Mary Wagg, who has been in Pontiac caring for her son, Park, returned home on Saturday. Park, who was ill with pneumonia, is improving.

George McArthur spent several days last week visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Woolman in Detroit and also with friends in Pontiac.

Mr. and Mrs. George McArthur were Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Henderson.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Sole and Mr. and Mrs. Roland Bruce went to Pontiac on Monday because of the illness of L. Mattoon, who was taken suddenly ill last week.

The South Novesta Farmers' Club will meet on Friday, Jan. 16, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Colwell, 1 1/2 miles west of Cass City, for 12 o'clock dinner. There will be election of officers and a short program will be given. Everybody welcome.

The young people of the Church of Christ will hold their monthly class meeting with Arthur Henderson on Friday evening, Jan. 16.

EVERGREEN.

Miss Helen Craig returned to her school work in Pontiac on Monday after spending her vacation at her parental home here.

John Kitchin's have moved into their new residence. They lost their house by fire six weeks ago.

Revival meetings are in progress at the Mizpah Mennonite church. Elder Klink of Yale is the evangelist. Come and hear the full gospel preached. Mr. Klink has been blind since a very small child, but is not blind to the things of God. Services at eight o'clock through the week; at 7:30 on Sunday.

A number from here attended the funeral of Mrs. Emmet Holcomb at Novesta last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Bullock entertained on New Years day Mr. and Mrs. Carl Thane and children of Caro and Mr. and Mrs. Clark Montague and children of Novesta.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Churchill and sons, Kenneth, Harold, and Ralph, Mrs. William Churchill and son, Clark, Loren Churchill, Mrs. Churchill and four daughters of Novesta, Miss Carrie McRobbie of Wilmot, Mrs. Crawford of Baltimore, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Kitchin and children, Roy and Ruth, Mrs. Hazel Kitchin and son, Donald, Miss Virginia Wyble and Clarence Kitchin were guests of A. W. Kitchin.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred McInnis and family and Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Mudge of Port Huron spent Christmas at the home of Will Mudge. Little Miss Jane Mudge, who has been staying with her aunt, Mrs. Joe Towle, returned home with her parents.

WILMOT.

Delbert Hartwick is visiting in Caro. Mrs. Nancy Hoffman is in very poor health.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Downey of Caro were callers here Sunday.

Wm. Moulton has been ill for a few days and is feeling somewhat better at this writing.

Eugene Rounds and Miss Margery Rice of Ypsilanti spent New Years with relatives here.

Friends of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Ferguson met at their home Friday to welcome them back to this community. A pot luck dinner was served and they were presented with a can of fruit from each family represented.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Miner entertained Mrs. Miner's father, mother, brother and family for New Years dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Zemke Sr. and Mrs. Clarence Miner and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Barons were callers at the home of Wm. Moulton Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cleo Evans motored to Detroit Monday to call on Mrs. Evan's sister, Edith Weeden, who has been in the hospital for several days. They returned to their home Tuesday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Barrons attended the funeral of Rev. Mayer at Kingston Thursday afternoon.

ELLINGTON AND NOVESTA.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Lane and Mr. and Mrs. Bert Winer of Flint spent Sunday with their mother at the Fred Stine home. Mrs. Justin, who has been very ill, is much better.

Mrs. Russell and daughter, Bessie, and son, Chrisp, returned to their home in Detroit on Sunday after spending the holidays at the Ross Russell home.

Callers at the Fred Stine home Monday afternoon were Mr. and Mrs. Roy

Setter and daughter of Detroit, Mrs. Gilbert Ramsey of Marlette and Mrs. Roy Stevenson of Brown City.

Harry Talmadge of Sandusky was a business caller at the Maynard Delong home Thursday.

Dorothy Doerr spent from Sunday until Thursday with her sister, Mrs. Luke Tuckey. Marjorie Doerr spent the week-end at the Tuckey home.

Mrs. Clinton Crandell and son, Lee, of Pontiac and Charles and James Walmsley of Cass City spent New Years day with their uncle, Maynard Delong.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Little entertained on New Years day, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Little, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Jackson and two daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Mack Little and son, and Cressy Steele.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Ellis and family of Brown City visited Friday at the Fred Stine home.

Sewell Mudge and G. Mitchell of Detroit spent Saturday at the Charles McConnell home.

Mrs. A. L. Bruce of Deford was a visitor at the Walter Kelley home on Friday.

Norman Gillies, Mrs. Mary Gillies, Mrs. Sarah Gillies, and Mrs. Charles Roblin and son were callers in Niles the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Tallmadge and family spent New Years at the Joseph and Wm. Parrott homes.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Humphrey and family of Ellington spent Friday at the Maynard Delong home.

Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Turner and John Medcalf of Ellington spent Sunday at the Mack Little home.

Mr. and Mrs. Riner Knoblet and family visited Mr. and Mrs. Jason Kitchen in Evergreen Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Zenton of Detroit spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Stine.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Tuckey and daughter, Gladys, and sons, John and Harold, and Mr. and Mrs. Luke Tuckey and family enjoyed New Years day at the Clair Tuckey home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Goodall spent Friday at Caro.

Cressy Steele spent several days last week with Mr. and Mrs. Mack Little. Elaine Turner spent the week-end at the Little home.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Stine were business callers in Marlette Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Taylor of Pontiac, Gaylord Shagena of Detroit, and Mrs. John Shagena of Cass City spent Sunday evening at the Charles McConnell home.

Marjorie Doerr spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Goodall.

Better Be Slow and Sure
Quick motion should hardly be considered an object in life.—Walter Damrosch.

CASS CITY MARKETS.

Jan. 8, 1931

Buying Price—	
Mixed wheat, bu.	66
Oats, bu.	30
Peas, bushel	1.10
Rye, bu.	54
Beans, per cwt.	4.05
Light red kidney beans	6.25
Dark red kidney beans	12.25
Barley, cwt.	1.10
Buckwheat, cwt.	1.75
Butter, lb.	25
Eggs, per dozen	72
Hogs, live weight	7 1/2
Cattle	4
Calves	9
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Broilers	13
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The Plains of Abraham

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James Oliver Curwood

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THE STORY

CHAPTER I—With his English wife, Catherine, and twelve-year-old son, "Jeems," Henri Bulain, French settler in Canada in 1745, cultivates a fertile farm, adjacent to the Tonteur seigneurie. As the story opens the Bulain family is on its way home from a visit to the Tonteurs. Catherine's wandering brother, Hepsibah, meets them.

CHAPTER II—Hepsibah, as is his custom, has brought presents for his sister and her family. To Jeems he gives a splendid piece of crimson velvet, laughingly telling the boy it is to be a present from Jeems to Toinette Tonteur, small daughter of the seigneur. Hepsibah also gives Jeems a pistol, bidding him perfect himself in marksmanship, for the people of the frontier are constantly in fear of raids by Indian war parties, allies of the English.

CHAPTER III—Hepsibah fears for the safety of the Bulains, in their isolated position, but Henri laughs at the idea of danger. Jeems presents the velvet to Toinette. Her cousin, Paul Tache, a few years older than Jeems, contrives to throw the parcel away. Jeems resents the action, and attacks Paul, but the latter whips the smaller boy.

CHAPTER IV—Next day Jeems, feeling he was wrong in braving before Toinette, goes to her home to offer his apologies. He hears Madame Tonteur refer to him as a "little English beast," but makes his apologies and goes home, saying nothing of what he had overheard. Hepsibah takes his departure. The Tonteurs go to Quebec, where Toinette is to be educated. After four years, during which Jeems practically reaches manhood, the Tonteurs return. War between Britain and France rages, and French settlers hasten to join Dieskau, French commander. Henri and Jeems remain at home. Absent one day on a hunting trip, Jeems returns from a distance his home in flames.

In the autumn of 1754, after four years at school, Toinette returned to Tonteur manor.

Peace and happiness lay over the Richelieu. It had been a splendid year for France along the far frontiers. Washington had surrendered at Fort Necessity, and Villiers was triumphant at Fort Duquesne. England and France were still playing at the hypocrisy of friendship. While they played, thrusting at each other secretly and in the dark, not an English flag was left waving beyond the Alleghenies. French arms and Indian diplomacy were victorious along the Ohio and westward to the plains. The policies of the British royal governors were alienating their Indian allies, and in spite of their million and a half population against eighty thousand in New France, Dinwiddie had frantically called upon England for help. In response, England was sending General Braddock.

In a double rejoicing over Toinette's homecoming and his country's success at arms, Tonteur planned a levee and barbecue at the seigneurie. Hepsibah was away at the time, which disappointed the baron, who insisted that Henri and his family must attend the celebration or he would never call them friends again.

Jeems felt a thrill growing in him as the day drew near. He was no longer the Jeems of Lussan's place as he set out in the company of his father and mother with Odd pegging along faithfully at his side. In January he would be eighteen. The alert and sinuous grace of one of the wild things

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of the forest was in his movements. Catherine was more than ever proud of him and rejoiced in the cleanness of his build, in his love of nature and God, and in the directness with which his eyes looked at one. But she was not more proud than Hepsibah Adams, who had seen in this pupil of his flesh and blood the qualities and courage, the lock, stock, and barrel, as he called it, of a fighting man.

Jeems was anxious to see Toinette, but with this desire there remained none of the old yearnings which had once oppressed him. She whom he was going to regard today was a stranger, one into whose presence he was determined not to force himself again. This resolution was not inspired in him by a lack of boldness or an uncertainty as to his own social fitness. An immense pride upheld him. The spirit and freedom of the forests were in his blood, and behind these was also the spirit of Hepsibah Adams. He knew that he could meet Toinette coolly and without embarrassment should they chance to stand face to face, no matter how splendid she had grown. And he realized there must be a great change in her. She was fifteen now. A young lady. At this period of his life, five years seemed a long time, and he thought it was possible he might not recognize her.

An overwhelming moment of shock seized him when at last he saw her. It was as if a yesterday of long ago had come back into this today, as if a picture which had been burned and scattered into ash had miraculously been restored.

She was taller, of course. Perhaps she was lovelier. But she was the same Toinette. He could see no change in her except that she had become more a woman. Hepsibah's work, his own, his freedom, and his courage were dissipated like dust as he looked at her, and once more he felt himself the inferior being offering her nuts and feathers and maple sugar and praying in his childish way that she might smile on him. This was not a new Toinette removed another million miles away from him, as he had supposed she would be, but the old Toinette, commanding him to slavery again, and making his blood run hot in his body.

With a group of young ladies from the neighboring seigneurie, she had come down from the big house, and he was almost in her path, with Peter Lubeck at his side. It was Peter who advanced a step or two toward them. Except for his action Toinette would not have turned, Jeems thought. He pulled himself together and stood with his head bared, as cold and impassive in appearance as a soldier at attention, while his heart beat like a hammer. Toinette had to face him to return his companion's greeting.

It was impossible for her not to see him when she made this movement. But there was a slowness in her dis-



It Had Not Been Her Desire to Speak to Him.

covery, an effort to keep from looking at him which was more eloquent than words. It had not been her desire to speak to him.

If he needed courage, it was this enlightenment which gave it to him. He inclined his head when she met his gaze. Her face was flushed, her eyes darkly aglow, while his own cheeks bore only the color of sun and wind. He might never have known her, so unmoved did he stand as she went on her way.

She had slightly nodded, her lips had barely formed a name.

Later, after the feast on the green, came Tonteur's spectacular feature of the day, a military review of his tenants, with wives and children witnessing the martial display. The male guests, who had drilled in their own seigneuries, joined Tonteur's men. Only Henri Bulain and Jeems were not among them. Henri, sensitive to the fact, and to save Catherine from the hurt which might arise because of it, had started with her over the homeward trail half an hour before. Jeems had remained. This was his answer to Toinette's contempt—that he was not of her people, that his world was not circumscribed by the petty boundaries of the seigneurie. He stood with his long rifle in the crook of his arm, conscious that she was looking at him, and the invisible shafts from her eyes, poisoned with their disdain, stirred him with the thrill of a painful triumph. He could almost hear her calling him an English beast again. A coward. One to be distrusted and watched. He did not sense humiliation or regret, but only a final widening of what had always lain between them.

He bore this feeling home with him. It grew as time went on, and with its growth an increasing restlessness came over him. News creeping through the wilderness and reaching every corner, like the whispering winds, kept an unquenchable heat under the ash of these fires, fanning the embers into flame in spite of him. Secrets were no longer secrets. Rumors had grown into facts. Fears had become realities. England and France were still playing at peace in their mighty courts. In the sunlight they were friends, in the dark they were seeking each other's lives like common cutthroats.

And the thirteen little Colonial governments of the English, quarreling like small boys among themselves, just beginning to walk alone, feeling the significance of the new word American, cheated by their parent, laughed at by their parent, hated by their parent, still yearned for the love of that parent as children have wanted love from the beginning of time, and were loyal to it.

So tragedy began to move, to build out of death, out of betrayed confidence, out of dishonor and fraud and pitiless murder the American and Canadian nations of the future.

Eighty thousand French and more than a million English in the New world made ready for the sacrifice. Massachusetts enlisted one man out of eight of her male population. Connecticut, New Hampshire, Rhode Island, New York, and the others followed her example.

Children, loyal, proud to fight—and hating the French ferociously!

Then came Braddock, preceding Wolfe, to call them "worthless trash." And New France, a glory of sun and land even now gutted of her prosperity by corruptions brought from Louis and La Pompadour, sent out her own sons to fight and kill, valiant, glad, confident—and hating the English implacably!

With them, on both sides, went Indians from almost a hundred tribes—red men who had once found honor in fighting, but who, now skulking and murderous and vengeful, found their souls in pawn to the great White Fathers across the sea who had prostituted them with whiskey, bought them with guns, maddened them with hatreds, and who paid them for human hair.

Of these things Jeems was thinking as winter grew into spring and spring into summer. Only love held him from leaping to the temptations which were drawing closer about him, love for his mother whose happiness marked the beginning and the end of all action on the part of her men folk. And in this hour, when three out of four of the fighting men along the Richelieu were preparing to join Dieskau, when half of his acquaintances at the Tonteur seigneurie had already gone to fight Braddock, when the forests trembled at the stealthy tread of painted savages, and when the Frenchman who did not rise to his country's call was no longer a Frenchman, Jeems observed that the strain upon his father was more difficult to bear than his own. For Henri, in spite of his worship of Catherine, was of New France to the bottom of his soul, and now that other men were making a bulwark of their bodies against her enemies, his own desire to make the same sacrifice was almost beyond the power of his strong will to control. In their years of comradeship, Jeems and his father had never come so near to each other as in these weeks of tension.

Almost as painful to them as the sting of a wound was the day when Dieskau came up the Richelieu with a host of three thousand five hundred men and made forever a hallowed ground of the Tonteur seigneurie by camping there overnight.

When she knew they were coming, Catherine had said:

"If your hearts tell you it is right, go with them!"

But they remained. For Henri it was a struggle greater than Dieskau fought, greater than that in which Braddock died. For Jeems it was less a torment and more the mysterious madness of youth to tramp to the clash of arms. For Catherine it was the gehenna of her life, a siege of darkness and uncertainty in her soul which gave way suddenly before news which swept like a whirlwind over the land.

God had been with New France! Braddock and his English invaders were destroyed!

No triumph of French arms in the New world had been so complete, and Dieskau, the great German baron who was fighting for France, moved southward to crush Sir William Johnson and his Colonials and Indians, planning not to stop until he had driven them to the doors of Albany.

With him were six hundred and eighty-four of the loyal men who were beginning to call themselves Canadians.

Tonteur rode over to bring the news to Henri Bulain. To Catherine he recalled his prediction that the English would never get into this paradise of theirs. Now the whole thing was settled for many years to come, for Dieskau would sweep their last enemy from the Champlain country as completely as a new broom swept her home. He had sent almost every man he had to the scene of fighting, and only his wooden leg had kept him from joining Dieskau.

Even Toinette had wanted to go!

This recalled an important matter to his mind. Toinette had entrusted him with a letter for Jeems. Boiling over with his own selfish exultations, he had forgotten it. He hoped it was an invitation for Jeems to come to the seigneurie. He had often told his girl she should be more friendly with the lad.

Jeems took the letter and went off by himself. It was the first recognition from Toinette since the day of the levee. He had not seen her and had tried not to think of her. Alone, he read the words she had written him.

With pitiless coldness and brevity, they called him a renegade and a coward.

On a September morning some days later, Jeems stood watching his uncle as he disappeared into the frost-untouched woods of Forbidden valley. It seemed to him that Hepsibah's suspicious and guardianship of the valley had become greater with the growing news of French triumphs in the south which so positively assured their safety. Only yesterday Tonteur had brought the latest word from Dieskau. The German had been on the eve of smashing Sir William Johnson and his mob of Colonials and Indians when his messenger had left. By this time the event had probably happened, Jeems thought. Yet his uncle was going into Forbidden valley with a look in his face which puzzled him.

Restlessness possessed Odd after Hepsibah had gone. Passing years were beginning to leave their mark on the dog. He was growing content to watch life with Jeems instead of ceaselessly pursuing it. He was not old, and yet he was no longer young. There remained one thing which did not fail to stir in him the fierce fierceness of his youth. This was the Indian smell. He always told Jeems when one of their wilderness visitors was near, sometimes many minutes before the savage appeared from the woods. And he never tired of watching Forbidden valley. In the dawn he faced it. At midday he dozed with his half-closed eyes turned toward it. In the evening he sniffed its scents. Yet he did not go down into the valley unless Jeems or Henri was with him.

During the morning, Odd's uneasiness began to reflect itself in Jeems. Soon after noon, he left his work and told his mother he was going in the direction of Lussan's place. Catherine walked with him through the young orchard and up the slope. Never had she seemed more beautiful to Jeems. His father was right—this mother of his would always be a girl. From above the orchard, standing on a little plateau that overlooked the Bulain farm, they called to Henri, who was in his turnip field, and waved



Jeems Stood for a Few Moments With His Arm About His Mother.

at him. Jeems stood for a few moments with his arm about his mother. Then he kissed her, and Catherine watched him until he was lost to her sight in the Big forest.

Jeems did not have the desire to hunt, nor did Odd. Unexplainable impulses were pulling at them both. Odd's restlessness was unlike his master's. Whenever Jeems paused, the dog turned and sniffed the air of their trail, facing Forbidden valley in an attitude of suspicion and doubt. Jeems observed his companion's enigmatic actions. Odd was not giving the Indian signal. It was as if something without form or substance, a thing bewildering and unintelligible, lay behind them.

They came to Lussan's, nine miles from their home. Since Lussan's departure, the place had been abandoned, and in those five years the wilderness had largely reclaimed what man had taken from it. Jeems stood where he had fought Paul Tache, and ghostly whispers crept about him in the stillness. Then came a feeling of dread, almost of fear. He turned back to the house and to the open, where long ago he had stood with Toinette and all her loveliness so near to him.

The sun had set and dusk was gathering over the land before he drew himself away from the ghosts which haunted Lussan's place. Night could add nothing more to his gloom.

Odd whined frequently in his eagerness to reach home. Sometimes he showed impatience at his master's slowness by running ahead. Jeems did not hurry. He unsling his bow, which was the only weapon he had brought, and carried it ready in his hand. Yet if Odd had hinted of danger he would have paid no attention to the warning. Danger was miles away on the other side of Dieskau and his men. It would come no nearer and he would never have a chance to meet it. In Toinette's eyes he would always remain a renegade and a coward.

Night thickened. The stars came out. Deepening shadows lay about them as they climbed the tallest of the hills; from which they could look

over the ridges and woods between them and Forbidden valley. Because from this hill it was possible to see over the Big forest which sheltered their farm from the north winds, Jeems and his father called it Home mountain.

Odd whined as he climbed it tonight. He went ahead of Jeems, and when he gained the crest his whining changed to a howl, so low that one would scarcely have heard it at the foot of the hill.

Jeems came to him and stopped. For a space, there was no beating of a heart in his breast—nothing but a stillness that was like death, a shock that was like death, a horror that could come only at the sight and the feeling of death.

Rising from the far side of the forest into which Hepsibah had gone that morning was a distant glow of fire. Nearer, over the rim of Forbidden valley, the sky was a red illumination of flame. And this illumination was not of a burning forest. It was not a scorch of burning stumps. It was not a conflagration of dry swamp grass reflecting itself against a moonless heaven. It was a tower of blazing light, mushrooming as it rose, flattening itself in a sinister scarlet radiance under the clouds, dripping at its edges into colors of silver and gold and blood.

His home was burning!

With the cry that came from his lips, there leapt madly into his mind the words that Hepsibah had spoken to him a last time that morning: "If ever I'm off there and you see a fire lighting up the sky by night, or smoke darkening it by day, hurry to the seigneurie with your father and mother as fast as you can go, for it will mean my hand has set the heavens talking to you and that the peril of death is near."

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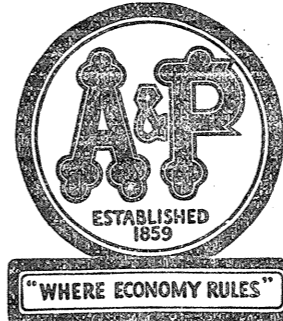
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HAPPENINGS IN THE NEIGHBORING TOWNS

Carefully Selected from Interesting Exchanges for Chronicle Readers.

John Graham of Verona township was named undersheriff of Huron county January 1 by Sheriff Joseph Murray. Charles Tucker will be the chief deputy. Other deputies named by the new sheriff are: George Pangman, Harbor Beach; Edwin Johnson, Port Hope; August Ender, Port Austin; Dr. T. A. McAllister, Kinde; A. McEachern, Elkton; H. Buerker, Pigeon; W. H. Wallace, Jr., Bay Port; Robert Adams, Caseville; C. Rummel, Sebawaing; and Joseph Smith, Parisville.

Eva, 9 year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Russell of Gilford township, was seriously burned Tuesday when she poured kerosene on live coals in a stove. Her mother sustained painful burns in attempting to smother the flames in the child's clothing.

Prof. and Mrs. William Lyon Phelps celebrated their thirty-eighth wedding anniversary on Sunday, Dec. 21, in Augusta, Ga., where they were spending the holidays. An article in the Augusta Chronicle states that they received hundreds of telegrams of congratulation and were presented with many bouquets of flowers by the citizens of Augusta and many others.

Miss Grace Henderson, 45, died at Lapeer last Wednesday afternoon in the local hospital as a result of burns sustained that morning when the high test gasoline she was using in the kitchen of her home, at 160 Monroe St., in cleaning clothes, exploded, setting fire to the home which was totally destroyed. Her aged mother, Mrs. Fred Henderson, 74 years old, with whom she lived, was burned about her head and hands in trying to aid her daughter.

Burr B. Lincoln, veteran supervisor of Sand Beach township, was named chairman of the Huron county road commission at a meeting of the board. Other members are Godfried Gettel, Sebawaing, former state senator, and Peter Richardson, Bad Axe.

William Robinson, Austin township, was elected chairman of the Sanilac county road commission at the organization meeting in the road office Friday. Mr. Robinson has served several years on the commission.

Appointments of Sheriff L. C. Hagle for the year are as follows: Undersheriff, John Ritchie, Sandusky; deputy sheriffs, Mrs. Amelia Hagle, Sandusky; George Trigger, Carsonville; Alvin D. Westover, Marlette; Joseph Lathrop, Sandusky.

Sandusky electors will vote Monday, Jan. 12, on the question of bonding the city for \$35,000 for construction of a sewage disposal plant.

A community fair will open at the Sandusky high school auditorium on Wednesday, Jan. 14. It is being given under the direction of George Landsburg, teacher of agriculture, under the sponsorship of the Future Farmers and Home Economics clubs of the Sandusky High School. The fair promises a fine exhibition of agricultural products and of home economics work.

Plans for the replacement of the Elkton school building destroyed by fire on the night of Sunday, December 14, are being made by the Elkton school board. Lane, Davenport & Peterson, Detroit architects, have been engaged to prepare plans for the new building, which will be of brick construction. It will be two stories high and will have eight rooms besides a modern gymnasium. The cost will be \$60,000 and citizens will vote on a bond issue at a special election Jan. 15.

Caro Exchange club officers elected for the six months period ending July 1, 1931, are: John MacLachlan, president; Rev. H. W. Kuhlman, vice president; B. T. Pomeroy, vice president; Guy N. Ormes, vice president; Carl Mantey, secretary-treasurer; Boyd Russel, sergeant-at-arms. Members of the board of control are H. H. Purdy, Reid Thurston, and E. A. Jones.

Mrs. William Lyon Phelps had a part in making 80 youngsters living near Huron City happy this Christmas time when she sent gifts to each of them.

The Thumb Creamery Co. of Bad Axe has sold its machinery and cream collection station to the Siedel Creamery Co. of Bay City. The Siedel Creamery Co. will move the butter-making machinery from Bad Axe to Bay City.

Citizenship papers were granted six persons after an examination conducted in the Huron county circuit court by Robt. C. Wilson, naturalization examiner. The new citizens are: Mr. and Mrs. Herman August Winkler, both of Harbor Beach; John Eifert and Mrs. James McGee, both of Bad Axe; Michael Tandler, Gagetown, and Mrs. Anna Wakefield, Elkton.

Bruce Adam of Marlette has been appointed deputy sheriff to serve the north Marlette district, Sheriff L. C. Hagle, has announced.

Albert McLaughlin, 16, of Crosswell, was overcome with monoxide gas Tuesday afternoon in Port Huron while riding in an automobile driven by Chester Grant of Crosswell. McLaughlin was taken to a fire station where firemen worked over him with an inhalator. A doctor was summoned and McLaughlin was revived. He had inhaled monoxide gas which

had seeped into the car from the exhaust pipe.

A partnership for the practice of law was effected on Jan. 1 by Roland O. Kern and Maurice C. Ransford, two of the younger members of the Tuscola county bar association. Mr. Ransford has given up his office in the McNair block at Caro, and the two will have offices together in the quarters occupied for several years by Mr. Kern on the second floor of the Wisconsin-Dwyer block.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Alfred Gall and wife to Herman Gall, S ½ of NE ¼, Sec. 3, and NE ¼ of SE ¼, Sec. 2, Columbia twp., \$100 etc.

Grover H. Burke and wife to Geo. McIntyre and wife, lot 4, blk. 7, Village of Cass City, \$100 etc.

Caroline V. Smith to Frances Ceaser, commencing 28 rds. 5½ ft. E and 10 rds. N of SW corner of SE ¼ Sec. 34, running N 113 3-4 ft., W to R. R., thence southwesterly along R. R. to a point west of place of beginning, thence E to beginning, Akron twp., \$500.00.

Walter C. Hyatt and wife to Otis Jarvis and wife, commencing at NW corner of SW ¼ of SW ¼ sec. 25, E 110 rds., N 20 rds., W 110 rds., S to beginning, also W 55 A of S ½ of SW ¼ sec. 25, Vassar twp., \$1,500.00.

State Savings Bank, Gagetown, to Joseph Kuchta and wife, SW ¼ of NW ¼, sec. 1, Elmwood twp., \$800.

Frank Findlay and wife to Roger Versept and wife, commencing 12 rds. S of NE corner, sec. 34, thence S 9 rds., W 16 rds., E 8 rds., S. 2 rds. E 8 rds. to place of beginning, \$100 etc.

Elson Welch and wife to Frank C. Wethy, W ½ of SE ¼ and SE ¼ of SW ¼, sec. 26, Koylton twp., \$100 etc.

Joseph Fiedler and wife to Janina Wisniewski, S ½ of SE ¼, sec. 26, Dayton twp., \$100 etc.

Louise Foede to Amos Faedie, NE ¼ of SW ¼, sec. 10, Ellington twp., \$100 etc.

Frank C. Wethy and wife to Wilford S. Cameron and wife, W ½ of SE ¼ and SE ¼ of SW ¼, sec. 36, Koylton twp., \$100 etc.

Cora E. Rogers to Ida Fournier, beginning at SE corner of NE ¼ of NW ¼ sec. 12, N 52 rds., southwest along State road 53 rds., thence E to beginning, Village of Gagetown, \$100.00.

Moses L. Simpson and Moses G. Garner to Steve Kazmierczak and wife, plot 6, k. T. North's addition to the Village of Vassar, \$2,450.00.

Mabel Ash to Herman J. Bickel and wife, SW ¼ of SW ¼, sec. 9, Tuscola twp., \$100 etc.

BEAULEY.

A large crowd attended Martin Black's sale.

Mr. and Mrs. Claud Martin visited at George Hartell's home Sunday.

A group of neighbors met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thompson on Tuesday to enjoy a social time. Games were played and luncheon was served. Mr. Thompson and family have purchased the farm recently vacated by Manley Fay and moved here from Pontiac.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Dulmage entertained at New Years dinner Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Heron and Elva and Madlyn and Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Heron of Cass City.

The Ladies' Aid will meet with Mrs. Wm. Cliff Jan. 15 for dinner.

The Premo S. S. class will meet with Miss Marion Hartsell Friday evening, Jan. 16.

The Claude Martin and Philip Moore families have been quite ill with colds, but are reported better at present.

THE MOTION PICTURE AS AN EDUCATOR

A most enjoyable meeting was held Tuesday afternoon, December 30, when the W. C. T. U. met at the home of Mrs. Stanley Warner. Devotionals and program were in charge of Miss Mina Anderson. Papers on moving pictures were read by Mrs. J. S. McCrea, Mrs. Harriet Dodge and Mrs. Stanley Warner.

The following resolution was adopted by the W. C. T. U.:

"Resolved, that the organization unanimously endorse the entry of the United States into the World Court, and having learned that the foreign relations committee of the Senate has postponed action upon it until the next session of Congress, we earnestly appeal that you use your influence for a reconsideration of this postponement and for favorable action on the protocol at the earliest possible opportunity."

Rev. P. J. Allured gave an address on "The Motion Picture as an Educator," in which he said in part:

"Because of the stronger impressionable effect on the student of eye and action education, the use of moving pictures have produced, according to recent experiments, 33% greater gains in geography and a 15% gain in science. In schools where films are regularly used, the number of failures is much smaller, interest in the subjects taught has shown a marked gain, and the practical side of their education has been more easily developed."

"But this use of the movie is still in its infancy. To date, the greatest use of this modern invention has been in the theater as recreation, and here

the evil still outweighs the good done. The industry has so far been able to defy all the efforts made to eliminate the unwholesomeness which still exists on the screen and in the advertising. Among the evil effects produced are a retarding of mental development, false views of life, stimulation of abnormal sex instincts, diminished sensitivity to crime and lower standards of modesty and social conduct. Because America supplies 85% of the world's movie trade, the effect of such films on foreign audiences has been exceedingly detrimental to our reputation around the world. Apparently the only way that this evil can be eliminated is through legislation such as the Brookhart or Hudson bills now before Congress.

"Meanwhile, churches are being equipped with movies and finding religious and moral films a great aid in building up Sunday night services and imparting knowledge essential to effective Christian living. It would be an excellent investment for our community to possess a 16 mm. machine for use in any of our churches and schools as there is a growing supply of moving pictures illustrating cultural and religious activities which it would be a great advantage to know about through such a realistic medium."

MRS. M. CONLEY DIED AT CARO SATURDAY

Mrs. M. A. Conley, who with her husband published the Times, a weekly newspaper at Gagetown for many years, passed away at her home in Caro Saturday morning. Death was caused from a cerebral hemorrhage, following injuries received in an auto accident a week before her demise.

She was returning from Saginaw with Mr. Conley, who was driving, when the auto slipped on icy pavement a mile west of Reese and upset in a roadside ditch. She received fractured ribs, a broken shoulder and bruises about the head. She had apparently recovered when death came suddenly.

Mrs. Conley had been a well-known club woman in Caro and active in community and church work in that village.

JOHN G. CLARK DIED UNEXPECTEDLY IN DETROIT

Funeral services for John G. Clark, 54, who died unexpectedly Friday morning in the Hotel Tuller in Detroit, were held Monday afternoon at the M. E. church at Bad Axe. Business places in Bad Axe were closed during the funeral which was conducted by Rev. H. N. Biddlecombe. Verona Lodge, F. & A. M., had charge of the grave service in Colfax cemetery.

Mr. Clark assisted in the organization of the Clark & McCaren Co., wholesale grocers, in 1908, and was vice president and general manager at the time of his death. In recent years, he was also active in the Independent Grocers' Alliance, an organization of retail grocers.

Mr. Clark is survived by his son, Crosby, and two grandchildren, all of Bad Axe; four brothers, Justice Geo. M. Clark of the state supreme court, Lansing; A. J. Clark, Bad Axe; O. W. Clark, Flint; and Donald Clark, Huntington, W. Va., and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. C. Clark.

Why Honey Flavor Differs

The flavor of honey usually depends on the flowers from which the nectar is extracted. Western honey comes from alfalfa, sweet and white clover; eastern honey from Swedish alfalfa and white clover. From southern California we obtain honey from the sage, orange, bean and yellow star thistle; from Texas from the mesquite, guajilla and horse mint. The clover, poplar and tupelo trees yield nectar for bees in some southern states.

Why Yellow Is Brand

It is not known how the color yellow first became associated with cowardice. One writer suggests that "he has a yellow streak" refers to light-colored feathers in a game cock. It was commonly believed among cock-fighters that a fowl with light feathers in it was a mongrel and consequently cowardly.

Why Grandfather Clocks?

Two reasons are advanced for "grandfather" clocks being so called. One is that their height would be right for an old man to see the time easily; the other is that they outlived by many years their original purchasers, and thus would be referred to as "Grandfather's clock."

Why Rubber "Ages"

The bureau of standards has found that one phase of the deterioration or "aging" of rubber is due to the formation of hydrogen sulphide which is caused by the splitting or breaking up of the rubber sulphur compound.

Why Wishbone Is Lucky

The wishbone of a fowl is considered lucky, owing to its resemblance to a horseshoe in shape. Breaking the bone allows the luck to escape, and it goes to the person who gets the bigger piece.

Why Birds Peck at Windows

When birds peck at windows it is called shadow boxing. The bird is fighting its own reflection in the glass. The mocking bird, the robin and cardinal are often attracted to windows.

Advertise in the Chronicle.

Turning Back The Pages

Items from the files of Cass City Newspapers of 1895 and 1905.

Twenty-five Years Ago.

Jan. 12, 1906.
W. J. Campbell of Cass City was elected president and H. S. Myers of Caro secretary of the Tuscola County Farmers' Mutual Fire Insurance Co. on Jan. 10.

Ausey Smithson and Miss Elsie Winger were married in Caro on Dec. 28.

On Tuesday, at St. Pancratius church, John Obee and Miss Isabel McIntosh were united in marriage.

Mrs. Isabella Hains passed away at her home here on Jan. 4.

Theodore H. Fritz, for many years engaged in the drug business at Cass City, died at his home early Monday morning, after an illness of only a week's duration from pneumonia.

Leases of over 15,000 acres of land in Moore and Elmer townships, near Snover, have been secured for the purpose of mining coal.

The Young People's Alliance has elected the following officers: President, Bertha C. Benkelman; vice pres., Lillian Striffler; recording secretary, Mollie Akerman; corresponding secretary, Attie Muck; treasurer, Solomon Striffler; organist, Clara V. Lenzner; junior supt., Esther Akerman.

Thirty-five Years Ago.

Jan. 10, 1896.

Clark McKenzie, who has of late been employed at the Cass City Bank, left on Saturday for Detroit where he will spend a term at the business college.

Wm. Spurgeon has sold his residence property on Third and Leach streets to E. B. Landon, the consideration being \$600. Mr. Spurgeon will move to his farm north of town.

Dr. C. F. Mills of Pt. Huron has decided to locate in our midst and will have his office over Stevenson's store.

Mrs. May S. Knaggs of Bay City will speak on "Woman in the Home and Government" in the Presbyterian church Monday evening, under W. C. T. U. auspices.

Peter Day, an old bachelor of Aus-

tin township, was found dead Wednesday morning at his door.

Bad Axe has a \$2,000 damage suit on hand. Ex-Drain Commissioner Nugent, who asks for this sum, claims that he was thrown from his cutter and injured because of a stone that had been left lying in the middle of one of the village streets.

PRISONER TELLS OF GETTING DOPE IN "PENS"

William Henry, whose capture at the Caro fair, after he had picked a man's pocket, created no little excitement, pleaded guilty in Tuscola county circuit court recently, to a charge of larceny. Questioning by Judge Smith brought out the fact that the man had been addicted to the use of morphine for more than 18 years, that he had served prison sentences at various places in the United States, including Michigan and that at all prisons he was in, he was supplied with dope by underground methods.

While in jail in Tuscola Henry's shots of morphine were reduced each day and finally stopped altogether. For two months before his trial he had not had any morphine.

HURON AND TUSCOLA CONNECTED WITH RADIO

Radio receiving sets have been installed in the sheriffs' offices in both Huron and Tuscola counties as a part of the State owned radio station at Lansing. The new station was built recently as means of combating crime in Michigan. The sets in the various counties are so constructed that local officers may broadcast messages from their own headquarters. A direct wire to Lansing enables local officers to talk directly into the microphone there. This arrangement is designed to broadcast crimes with the least possible delay.

Grave of Betsy Ross

Betsy Ross, the woman who is supposed to have made the first American flag, and her husband, John Claypool, were first buried in the Free Quaker burying ground on the west side of Fifty-ninth street, south of what is now known as Locust street, Philadelphia. In 1857 the bodies were removed to a lot in Mount Mari-ah cemetery.

Chronicle Liners

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

OLD HORSES WANTED for fox feed. Otto Montel, Fairgrove, R2, or Caro phone 954-R5, reverse charges. 10-24-tf

FOR SALE—Japanese hullless popcorn. Nine pounds for \$1.00, post-paid. Write for sample. E. E. Pike, Fairgrove, Michigan. 1-9-2p

CREGUER'S GARAGE offers a wonderful bargain in batteries, \$6.95 and up. Don't overlook this bargain. 1-2-3

BASKETBALL Game, Shabbona vs. Ubly, at Evergreen Community Hall, Shabbona, Friday, Jan. 9, at 8:30. Admission, 10c and 20c. 1-9-1

CEMETERY MEMORIALS — Monuments, markers, grave or vault covers. See or call Chas. Mudge, R3, Cass City. Phone 35-F23. Representing A. B. Cumings, Caro, Michigan. 12-19-tf

BAKE SALE—The Komjonyus class will have a bake sale at the Cass City post office on Saturday, Jan. 10, commencing at 1:00 p. m. 1-9-1

MILL YARD—I am going to do custom sawing at the old Ben McAlpine farm, 7 miles north of Cass City or 1 mile south of Grant Center. Andrew McAlpine, Owendale. 12-26-4p

FOR SALE—Purebred Shorthorn bulls, age 1 year. Cudham and Dreadnaught breeding. Reds or roans. Special price for January. Mack Little. Phone 148-F22. 1-9-1*

FOR SALE—One Durham cow, nine years old, due Feb. 15; one Holstein cow, four years old, due Feb. 13. Geo. Knight, 1 mile east, 1 north, 1 east and ½ north of Cass City. 1-9-2p

WHITE ASH WOOD for sale. J. M. Wise, 3 blocks south of Ford Garage. 1-9-1p

ROOMS TO RENT—Mrs. James Tennant will rent two rooms with or without board. 1-9-1

I WILL SAW lumber in Cass City in spring. Mill located by cider mill. Milo Shagena, R5, Cass City. 1-9-3

I WILL BUY poultry every day at Gillies' Creamery at Cass City (Phone 184) and at Greenleaf on Tuesdays. Joe Molnar. 12-5-

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. *

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Gottlieb Spannagel, 26, Akron; Marjorie Whalen, 20, Akron;
Forest Leo Tyo, 20, Cass City;
Phyllis Brooks, 18, Cass City.
Bernard Thick, 22, Wilmot; Marion Miner, 18, Flint.

Tomb Robber Trapped?

During excavation of a large tomb near the Egyptian sphynx, a skeleton was found with a chain of gold beads in its fingers, and it was suggested that the man may have been a robber, who lost his way in the mazes of the complicated tomb.

The Children's Corner

Edited by DOROTHY EDMONDS

A Blower of Bubbles

Now just imagine a little bug that knows how to make bubbles so strong that they will not ever burst, but stay shining and round until they are not needed any more. When that time comes they just dry up and become quite hard and crusty.

You have probably walked through the fields and seen numberless little white foamy bunches on the grass or clover stems? Would you ever suspect that inside of each bubbly mass was the tiny buff-colored architect that designed and blew it? Don't you think that it would be jolly to blow one's own house?

This interesting insect is called a frog-hopper or a spittle-bug, and when it comes out of the egg it looks very much like a miniature submarine. It seems to know just what it is expected to do next, for it climbs up on a grass stalk and begins at once to cover itself with a shimmering mass of foam.

First of all it puts a drop of sticky fluid on the stem and then with the very special bubble-blowing machine at the tail-end of its body it begins to blow one bubble after another in this way:

Into the sticky fluid it dips the machine, as we dip the bubble-pipe upside down in the soapy water, just enough to cover the opening. Then with a pressure from inside the body, just as we blow through the pipe-stem, it blows one bubble, then another and another and soon you would never imagine there was any fat, juicy little bug anywhere about!

Three or four days after finishing

the house, feeding meantime on insects that have been caught in the gluey walls, the spittle-bug rests a little while. The bubbly wall begins to dry up and form a hollow shell about its body. A few days later, if you watch very carefully, you will see what appears to be a stranger creeping forth from the old dried bubble-



HOUSES BLOWN BY SPITTLE-BUGS

house—a very slender insect with gleaming wings. The same yet not the same queer little creature that hid itself within the nest of froth, she appears now quite grown up, clad in a more becoming costume and eager for new adventure and work in a shining-winged world.

I Never Do

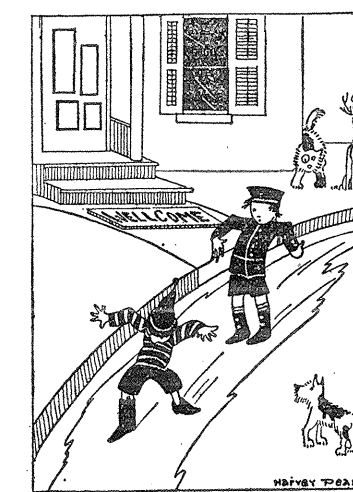
I never spill my milk upon my mother's tablecloth,
I never stir my spoon around to meddle with my broth,
I never pass in front of folks without excuse me said,
I never make a fuss when it is time to go to bed,
I never do those dreadful things, (that is, I try not to)
I never do, I never do, I never do—DO YOU?

I never say I will not, or I cannot, if I can,
I never leave my toys about when things are spick and span,
I never tease the kitten or the smaller children dear,
I never, when I hurt myself, will shed a single tear,
I never do those dreadful things, (that is, I try not to)
I never do, I never do, I never do—DO YOU?

I never scribble on my books or anywhere, indeed,
I never cross the street without a great amount of heed,
I never shout and slam the doors when quiet I should be,
I never wear a pouty face where anyone can see,
I never do those dreadful things, (at least I try not to)
I never do, I never do, I never do—DO YOU?

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Careless Artist Puzzle



Here is a picture drawn by a careless artist, who has made ten mistakes in the drawing of it. See if you can find them.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE STATE SAVINGS BANK AT GAGETOWN, MICHIGAN

at the close of business Dec. 31, 1930, as called for by the Commissioner of the Banking Department.

RESOURCES	Commercial	Savings	
LOANS AND DISCOUNTS:	32,567.04		
Totals			32,567.04
REAL ESTATE MORTGAGES:	8,550.00	77,475.00	86,025.00
BONDS AND SECURITIES, viz:			
a Municipal Bonds in Office.....		6,000.00	
e Other Bonds	11,000.00	24,250.00	
Totals	11,000.00	30,250.00	41,250.00

RESERVES, viz:			
Cash and due from Banks in Reserve Cities	16,110.47	14,935.63	
U. S. Securities carried as legal reserve in Savings Department only.....		2,100.00	
Totals	16,110.47	17,035.63	33,146.10

COMBINED ACCOUNTS, viz:			
Overdrafts			102.52
Banking House			7,200.00
Furniture and Fixtures			1,350.00
Other Real Estate.....			8,460.32
Outside Checks and other Cash Items			191.49
Total			\$210,292.47

LIABILITIES			
Capital Stock paid in			25,000.00
Surplus Fund			8,460.00
Undivided Profits, net			7,375.