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## BURGLARS BUSY IN 7 KINGSTON STORES

### Night Thieves Do Wholesale Business in Early Hours of Sunday.

Burglars found Kingston people living on or near the village's business street sound sleepers Sunday morning. The criminals broke into seven business places, blowing off the safe door in one, and left town without anyone discovering anything wrong until daybreak the next morning.

Street lights were turned on all night. The last business place closed its doors, after the Saturday night trading had been done, at 12:30 a. m. Sunday morning. The burglars evidently put in their work after that hour.

The I. S. Berman Department store was the heaviest loser. Approximately \$500 worth of merchandise was taken from this store after entrance had been gained by breaking a panel from the rear door and then taking the bars down from the door on the inside. Fifteen ladies' dresses, eight men's suits, three suit cases, hosiery, scarfs and other merchandise are listed as missing from the store.

At the G. A. Jeffery drug store, five cartons of cigarettes, three boxes of chocolates, eight dollars in one, five and ten-cent pieces, and two-cent postage stamps to the value of 50 cents were taken.

Canadian money in 50 and 25-cent pieces to the value of \$1.75 was stolen from the office of the Michigan Bean Co.

Pennies were taken from the Legg meat market and the station of the Kingston Gas and Oil Co.

The Red and White Store managed by W. C. Hyatt reports the loss of silver change amounting to \$20.00 and 10 cartons of cigarettes.

No valuables were secured when the door of the safe in the office of the Kingston Lumber Co. was blown off. The safe door is about 3-8 of an inch thick and was blown to pieces and the sides of the safe damaged. Mr. Peter, the manager, lives in a house next door to the office. No member of his family heard the explosion which wrecked the safe.

Entrance was gained to the business places in all cases except the Berman store and the lumber yard office by breaking the glass in the front door and then turning the lock from the inside. The lumber office was entered by the use of a pass key or a common door key.

The fact that a store at Clifford was burglarized the same morning has led officers to think that the parties may have come from Detroit to Kingston and entered the Clifford store on the way home.

Sheriff Kirk of Tuscola county is working on the case. He reports some very good finger prints were obtained from the door glass of the Red and White store. Some prints were also obtained on the gum machine in the drug store.

## Engage Supt. Randall for Coming Year

At a meeting of the board of education Monday evening, L. D. Randall was offered the position of superintendent of the Cass City public schools for the coming year at a salary of \$2,500.00. Mr. Randall indicated to the board that he would continue in his position at the salary named. The contract has not been signed as yet.

No selection was made regarding the other members of the faculty staff nor have salaries been named for the other positions. This will be done at a meeting of the board of education in the near future.

## Oil Co. Entertained at Banquet Monday

The Cass City Oil and Gas Co. entertained members of the sales force of their station, dealers in this and other towns handling their products and members of the board of directors at a banquet at the Gordon Hotel Monday evening.

Henry Cross and John Paddock, representatives of the Sinclair Oil Co., were also present and gave addresses. The sales talk of Mr. Cross is said to have been particularly interesting and instructive.

### GOODELL-BELISLE.

Henry Goodell of Pontiac, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lafayette Goodell, and Miss Gertrude Belisle of Drayton Plains were united in marriage at a nuptial high mass, Monday, February 8, at St. Michaels church by Rev. Fr. Crowley. They will make their home in Pontiac, where Mr. Goodell is employed.

## TUSCOLA GLEANERS TO MEET ON FEBRUARY 24

The Tuscola County Association of Gleaners will gather at the M. E. church house in Caro Wednesday evening, Feb. 24, at eight o'clock when county officers will be elected and a program presented. Musical numbers will be given by the Caro high school, greetings will be extended by Rev. Kuhlman, addresses will be given by H. P. Orr and J. J. England, both of Caro, and Vassar and Gagetown arborers will contribute numbers. The Ellington arbor will give the play, "Stitch in Time." Miss Lucia Belamy of Detroit will give a talk on "Washington."

A pot luck supper will be served.

## BREEZY COMMENTS FROM THE HILL

### A Resume of the Work of Students in High School and Grades.

Margaret Frysig, School Editor. Supt. Randall, Horace Pinney, Kenneth Maharg and Richard Vankle, members of the local Hi-Y organization, attended a Tri-County Hi-Y convention held at Flint last Saturday. There were representatives from 18 clubs from Genesee, Saginaw, and Tuscola counties. The convention dealt with problems confronting the various clubs and was much appreciated.

Our gymnasium is being prepared for the District Basketball Tournament to be held here on March 3, 4 and 5. The floor is being cleaned of all marks, the playing lines repainted and two coats of a special gymnasium varnish applied. Next week on Monday, February 22, at 7:30 the drawing for the district tournament will be held for both classes C and D.

At a meeting of a special committee of the Upper-Thumb athletic association, held at Cass City last week it was voted to deny membership to any other schools. The organization is made up of the following schools from Huron, Sanilac and Tuscola counties: Sebawaing, Pigeon, Bad Axe, Harbor Beach, Cass City, Caro, Vassar, Marlette, Sandusky, Crosswell. The committee was made up of Supt. Crawford of Caro, Supt. Heemstra of Crosswell, and Supt. Randall of Cass City.

A stranger visiting Cass City high school Friday afternoon having not been informed as to the program of the day would have been greatly puzzled over the actions of our lower classmen. There were small girls in costume of Martha Washington and boys in costume of the famous George Washington hurrying and scurrying about the halls giggling, blushing, paying respects to their most honorable superiors, the sophomores, and passing bits of lace with tender greeting of friendship and love accompanied by blushes and broad smiles to the honorable superiors.

At noon the lower center stair was made quite impassable by a crowd of shouting students who were supposedly there to hear Clare Ballaugh, Ed Anthes, Lucille Stinton, Hester Kitchen, Mary Mark, and Paul Moore singing in close harmony the popular ballads of the day.

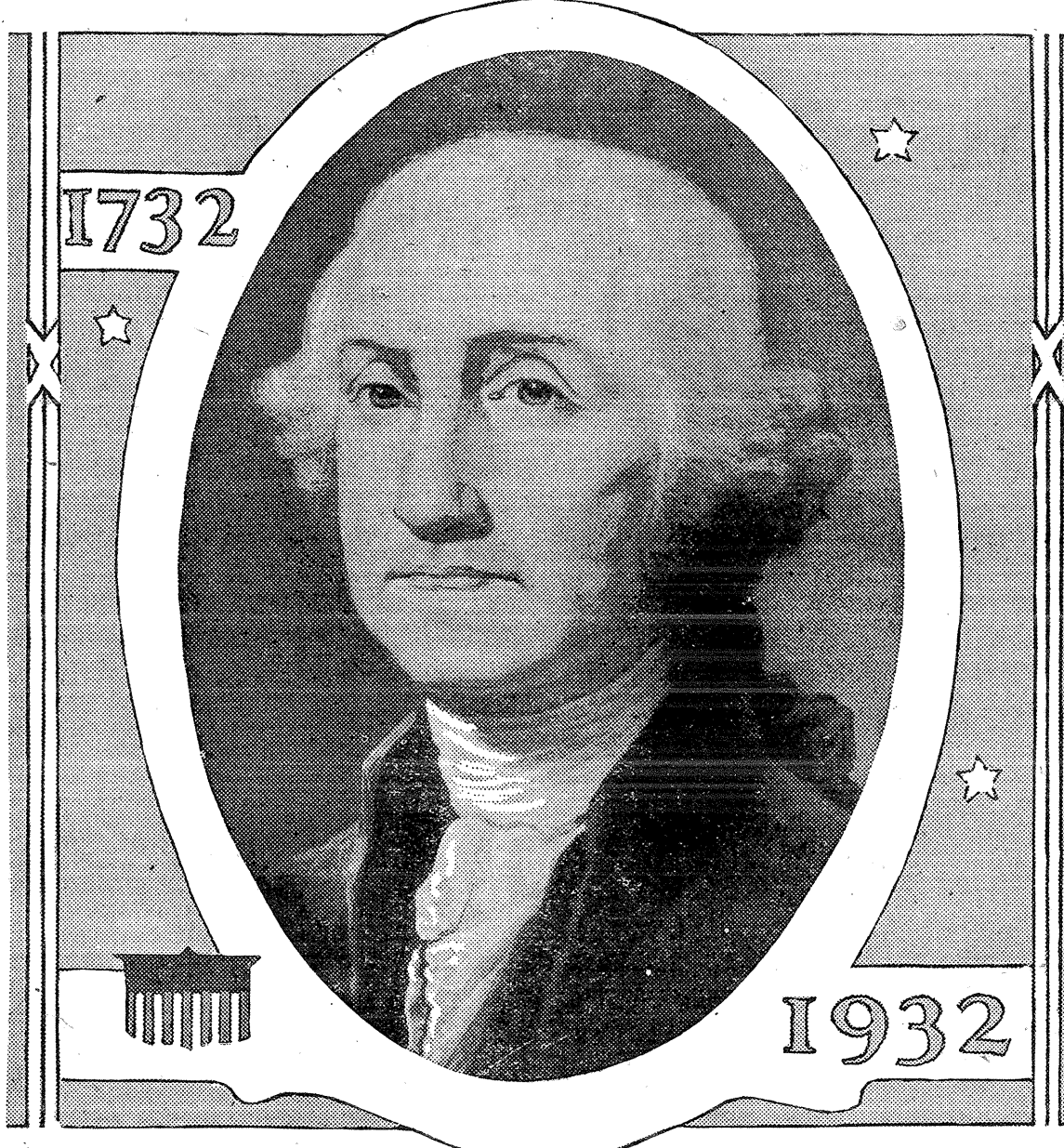
At 3:06 the sophomores offered at the expense of the Freshmen a very humorous entertainment. The Freshmen marched around the gym carrying a banner "Rah for the Sophs." Different members of the class were called upon to perform much to the amusement of their audience.

The Seniors have chosen as their class play "Importance of Being Ernest" by Oscar Wilde, the greatest of English wits. This is undoubtedly the most brilliant comedy ever attempted by the high school. There isn't a dull line in the entire play. It is claimed as a classic of English wit and humor.

The word "Ernest" plays up to double meaning in one sense sincere and truthful, in the other as a man's name. The plot centers around two girls who feel they couldn't possibly love a man whose name is not Ernest. Algenon and Jack are in love with these two girls but they are not in earnest when they tell them their names are Ernest.

We have unusually good material for casting the play with nearly all the boys who played in "Journey's End" and several girls with two or three years' experience. Copies of the play have been ordered and the cast will be chosen in about two weeks.

## The Nation's Greatest Son



This portrait of George Washington, highly prized possession of Marshall Solberg, Chicago, is claimed by him to have been painted by Gilbert Stuart. It bears the year 1794, and is signed by the master in an inconspicuous way. Some have thought that the earliest "Stuart Washington" was painted in 1795, but such is not the case, for John Jay gave Gilbert Stuart a letter to Washington which Stuart delivered while congress was in session in the year 1794 and Stuart refers to this in correspondence with relatives. It was then that one of the three sittings occurred. There were many portraits of George Washington painted by Gilbert Stuart, but there were only three sittings, so that many of the portraits were copied by Stuart from either completed pictures or sketches. It was, of course, not entirely unusual for great painters to make preliminary sketches of their subjects, although they did on many occasions entirely complete their paintings at sittings. This latter procedure was followed, it is thought, by Gilbert Stuart in this portrait. If this is so, it stands unique among the "Stuart Washingtons."

According to a volume in Mr. Solberg's library, Gilbert Stuart admired this picture so much that he retained it himself and would not part with it for many years thereafter. When it landed in the hands of Congressman Gilbert of western New York he loved it so much that he asked that it might be the last object for him to gaze upon in this life.

The grade students of the Cass City school are giving the operetta "Uncle Sam's Visit" on Friday night, February 19, at the high school auditorium. This patriotic operetta is being given in honor of the Washington Bicentennial.

Rev. Allured presented Dr. Ralph M. Crissman, a Presbyterian minister of Highland Park, as the speaker of the evening. Mr. Crissman, who spent four months as a personal guest of Sir Wilfred Grenfell in Labrador last summer, told of his remarkable work of 42 years as a medical missionary in that rock-bound country. "I am able to trace because of this visit one of the finest bits of romance about which I know and the visit is one of the richest experiences I ever had," said the speaker, who is a world traveler. "Dr. Grenfell carried Christianity to the nth degree. In him, one finds the finest example of masculine and muscular Christianity in action." He reviewed Dr. Grenfell's education as a medical student, told how he ministered to 900 sick persons during his first summer in Labrador, referred to the erection of hospitals and orphanages, and told how Labrador was practically free from crime and its people suffered hardly any drunkenness because of the influence of this remarkable missionary.

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## FINE MISSIONARY WORK IN LABRADOR

### Speaker at Community Club Lauds Dr. Grenfell's Activities in Labrador.

The varnishing of the gymnasium floor at the high school building in preparation for the district basketball tournament here on Mar. 3, 4, and 5, made it necessary to hold the February meeting of the Cass City Community club in the school library. The adaptability of this room for the purpose was all that could be desired.

The ladies of the Baptist church prepared an excellent meal which the club members fully enjoyed. Table and room decorations were of a patriotic nature.

The evening's program opened with community singing under the leadership of Rev. Paul J. Allured, with Mrs. I. D. McCoy, at the piano.

L. D. Randall, president of the Community club, reviewed the status of the organization and appointed Ernest L. Schwaderer the chairman of the "inquiry commission." The duty of this committee is to interview members of the club and ascertain their wishes regarding changes they may desire in the functioning of the society.

The program was in charge of the elevator-condensary group of which Walter Mann is chairman. They had planned for vocal selections by the Cass City Male quartet for this program, but because of the illness of a member, the quartet were obliged to cancel the engagement. G. W. Landon, one of the

quartet members, very acceptably served as a substitute in presenting two bass solos, "The Story of Old Glory, the Flag We Love" and "Heidelberg—Stein Song." Mrs. I. D. McCoy was the accompanist.

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## FOUR SENTENCED TO STATE PRISONS

### Three Sent to Ionia Reformatory and One to State Prison at Jackson.

Paul Sikora and Steve Sikora, both of Detroit, who were found guilty by a jury in circuit court in Tuscola county on Feb. 8, on a charge of breaking and entering were sentenced by Judge Smith on Friday to serve from 5 to 15 years. Paul Sikora was taken to the Ionia reformatory and Steve Sikora to Jackson prison. They were arrested on a charge of chicken stealing.

Earl Bemis, Fairgrove, was sentenced to Ionia for one to four years for adultery.

John Treib, 20, Saginaw, arrested by Saginaw officers, on the charge of breaking and entering the Kern's store at Reese Nov. 30, 1928, pleaded guilty to that charge on Thursday. He was sentenced to serve from 2 to 15 years in the state reformatory at Ionia.

## Harry, Jr., to Give Talk at Lansing

Harry Crandell, Jr., and Ephraim Knight are two of the five outstanding boys in live stock activities in the state who will be guests of the Michigan Live Stock Producers association at a banquet at the Hotel Olds at Lansing on Feb. 25. Crandell stands first among the boys and was awarded a trip to the Kansas Royal show a few months ago. Knight as second in line won a prize of \$25.00.

Harry Crandell, Jr., will speak at the banquet, giving an account of his trip to the Kansas Royal. Harry Crandell, Sr., expects to accompany the boys to Lansing.

## DIST. TOURNAMENT HERE MARCH 3, 4, 5

### First and Second Local Quintets Won from Unionville Groups Friday.

The first and second quintets of the Cass City high school closed up their schedule with victories over Unionville's one and two Friday evening. The first team won by a score of 34-12, while the undefeated second team rang down the curtain with a shut-out exhibition. This very unusual occurrence saw the game end with a score of 35-0.

Both squads are now enjoying a much needed rest while the gymnasium floor is being put into top notch shape for the coming district tournament, March 3, 4, 5. The drawings for this tournament will take place at 7:30 Monday evening at the Cass City high school. Unless the dope is badly upset, Caro and Cass City will play each other again during this tournament, to determine who shall be the district champions.

The lineup for the Unionville game was as follows:

Cass City		fg	ft	p	tp
Ruhl, rf	.....	4	0	0	8
Pinney, lf	.....	1	3	0	5
Vyse, c	.....	3	0	2	6
C. Kelly, rg	.....	1	2	0	4
Morris, lg	.....	1	2	0	4
Subs—	.....				
Simmons	.....	1	1	0	3
Crandell	.....	2	1	4	
Maharg	.....	0	0	0	0
Kosanke	.....	0	0	0	0

Hutchinson	.....	0	0	0	0
Day	.....	0	0	0	0
Knight	.....	0	0	0	0
Totals	.....	13	8	3	34

Unionville.		fg	ft	p	tp
Bedore, rf	.....	2	2	2	6
Sutherland, lg	.....	1	1	1	3
Hovey, c	.....	0	1	3	1
Schwartz, rg	.....	1	0	0	2
L. Prime, lg	.....	0	0	0	0
Totals	.....	4	4	6	12

### MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Lorenz C. W. Daenzer, 22, Millington; Isabell Powers, 24, Otisville.  
Adam Maier, 23, Millington; Edna Schroeder, 23, Pontiac.  
Jas. McLeod, 25, and Martha Wilke, 20, both of Palms.

## TO ORGANIZE NEW EXTENSION COURSE

### Tuscola County Teachers Will Meet at Caro High School Feb. 20.

Prof. Clarence M. Loeselle will be at Caro high school Saturday, Feb. 20, at one o'clock for the purpose of completing the organization of a new extension course.

"We believe a course in nature study would be a most practical one," says B. H. McComb, commissioner of schools of Tuscola county, in a letter to teachers. "Such a course will comply with a new requirement of the superintendent of public instruction to allow an examination in nature study as well as agriculture. More requests have come to us for such a course than any other yet suggested. The other course to be offered along with nature study will be determined at the meeting Saturday. Since this will count as the first meeting for both courses we are anxious to have everybody present."

## License Plate Sales Are Slow

Automobile owners have just eight days in which to purchase new car license plates. The deadline on 1931 plates expires at midnight Feb. 29. Henry Beecher, deputy secretary of state for Tuscola county, has sold 1,500 motor vehicle licenses to date. In other years, at this period of the sales campaign, he had disposed of approximately 3,500. The average number of sales in this county during the whole year reaches 7,000. The beginning of the last period rush began Wednesday and the office will be unusually busy in the remaining days before March 1. Mr. Beecher calls attention to the fact that owners of commercial vehicles must present weight bills from weigh stations authorized by the state. An official weight receipt is issued at these stations.

There have been approximately 1,800 plates issued to date in Sanilac county out of a possible registration of 7,000 motor vehicles. Wm. Irving, distributor in that county, urges that motorists purchase their plates as early as possible to avoid the last minute rush.

## Will Emphasize Club Work in Sanilac

Members of the executive committee of the Sanilac County Agricultural Extension association met with John D. Martin, county agricultural agent, last week to draft tentative plans for the 1932 program.

It was decided to call in officials of Sanilac's 23 community and farmers' clubs Thursday, Feb. 25, and enlist these organizations as a medium to serve as representatives of the agricultural agent in their communities. By this plan it is believed that work of the agent can be brought in closer touch with farmers in every community.

The farm and community club program will be emphasized as well as the usual sheep, beef, dairy, horses, farm management, and Four-H club work. Boys' and girls' club work will be emphasized.

After the 1932 program draft is approved locally, it will be submitted to Michigan State college for final approval.

The extension association is composed of the following men who will direct the work the same as the board of supervisors formerly were in charge: Oscar Buschlen, Snover; Representative John W. Goodwine, Marlette; A. A. Pattullo, Deckerville; Mrs. H. A. Ruttle, Carsonville; Mrs. Howard Levitt, Crosswell; John H. Hands, Sandusky; Arthur Meredith, Shabbona.

## CARO SUGAR FACTORY TO OPERATE THIS FALL

### Sugar Firm Made Definite Announcement at Meeting Held Tuesday.

At a meeting of the Caro board of commerce held in the auditorium of the Caro high school on Tuesday afternoon, it was definitely announced that the plant of the Michigan Sugar Co. at Caro would be operated this fall.

The auditorium was completely filled at the meeting Tuesday, the greater part of those attending being farmers. All of them wanted to have the factory start up again, after last season's idleness, and it is anticipated that there will be no difficulty to secure a large acreage.

The price per ton for sugar beets this fall will depend upon the sugar content and the price of the manufactured product. For many years the beets delivered at the Caro factory have averaged a 16.22% sugar content. With a 16% content, sugar selling at \$4.00 per cwt. would bring the price of sugar beets to \$6.15 a ton; \$4.25 sugar, \$6.51 a ton for beets; \$4.50 sugar, \$6.87 a ton for beets; \$4.75 sugar, \$7.24 a ton for beets; \$5.00 sugar, \$7.60 a ton for beets; \$5.25 sugar, \$7.96 a ton for beets; \$5.50 sugar, \$8.32 a ton for beets; \$5.75 sugar, \$8.69 a ton for beets; \$6.00 sugar, \$9.05 a ton for beets; and similar advances up to \$7.00 sugar, \$10.50 a ton for beets.

The lobby of the State Savings bank at Caro will be opened for the writing of sugar beet contracts on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, Feb. 22, 23 and 24.

Don B. Jewell, county agricultural agent, Fred Crawford, in charge of the distribution department of the Michigan Sugar company, A. Lawrence Mills, official of the D. C. & S. R. R., and C. R. Oviatt, head of the seed department of Michigan State college, spoke on the sugar beet situation at the meeting.

Mr. Crawford pointed out that the saving in freight and distribution charges which could be made if all sugar made in Michigan were consumed in this state, would increase the price of sugar beets \$1.00 a ton over that which could be offered under present conditions.

Officials of the Michigan Sugar company were assured that the valuation of the Caro plant situated in Indianfields township would be lowered to \$100,000.00. Last year the valuation was placed by the assessing officer at \$300,000.00. A few years ago, the plant was carried on the township supervisor's books at \$550,000.00. Practically all the buildings of the sugar factory except the office and a few of the smaller buildings are situated outside of the village limits.

The new members of the Caro board of commerce elected at the meeting Tuesday were Fred Striffler, Cletus Kline, John MacLachlan, Herbert Orr, Edwin Eckfeld, Roland Kern, and Clarence Myers.

## NEW STORE IN THE CHAMBERLAIN BUILDING

Mrs. Frances Metcalf of Bad Axe has leased the store building of Mrs. Mary Chamberlain on West Main St. and has placed therein a stock of ladies' dresses and hats. The opening days are today and tomorrow (Friday and Saturday).

## POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENT.

I wish to announce to the voters of Tuscola County that I am a candidate for the office of register of deeds. Your support at the September primaries will be greatly appreciated. G. H. VanWagnen, Millington Twp.—Advertisement 3t

### Village Caucus.

Notice is hereby given that a village caucus will be held in the Council Room in Cass City on Thursday, Feb. 18, at 8:00 p. m. for the purpose of placing in nomination candidates for the various village offices for the ensuing year and for the purpose of transacting such other business as may properly come before it.

—Adv. C. M. Wallace, Clerk.

You are invited to attend A Dance Review presented by Miss Leone M. Lee and her dancing students Cass City High School Auditorium Friday evening, February 26 Adults, 25c Children, 15c 8:15 p. m. Adv.

Advertise in the Chronicle.

Breezes from the Hill

Concluded from first page. children will sing their own folk songs and dance their own folk dances in their native costumes.

The kindergarden children are impersonating the Scotch; the first graders are, for the evening, little Dutch boys and girls; the children of the second grade are appearing in the stately Colonial costumes. As a contrast to these, the third grade students are portraying the gaiety of the negro. In the fourth grade one finds the American Indians practicing the Indian dance along with the Japanese dance. The click of castanets and tambourines in the fifth grade room leads us to believe that some Spanish boys and girls have moved in there. The sixth grade students are merely being themselves, real American boys and girls.

The operetta is being directed by Geraldine Reed, the music teacher, assisted by the grade teachers. The costumes are colorful and the dances clever. An evening of pleasure is in store for all who attend.

The Hilltop players met Thursday night at 7:30 in Mr. Logan's room. At this meeting Mr. Logan spoke to the members on The National Thespian's Dramatic Society for High Schools. This society was first organized in 1928, purely in interest of development and betterment of high school dramatics. There are over one hundred and eighty-five high schools in almost every state in the union belonging at present to the society.

The organization is non-social and non-secret being purely honorary in nature and as the director has the power of bestowing membership it is expected to be on a just basis.

Each member receives annually a copy of the High School Thespian, a dramatic magazine containing numerous side lights on dramatic art.

All high school dramatic clubs belonging to the society will receive reduced royalty rights on the popular high school plays of the season.

The members of the club, at the next meeting will take action upon the question.

We have in the Hilltop players club several people who have attained the qualifications specified by the society.

We were honored by a speech from Dr. Dickerson on "Facts about Food," this week.

Class Activities.

Mr. Logan's World History class students have taken over the class. Under this plan one student plans the assignment for the following day; another asks question on the day's lesson; while the third takes charge of the review work. It seems to work out quite well although some are a bit timid about getting up in front. The students find it a very interesting manner in which to conduct the class.

Miss Lammers' American History classes are also going to give trial to the student control plan. Friday of each week is given over to discussion of current topics of the day. Each student is held responsible for two topics. In the first hour class Eleanor MacCallum and Juanita Barnes, and Marie Vader and Bill Doerr took charge in the eighth hour class. Thus far it has proved quite successful and indeed enjoyable.

The first year Latin class made valentines containing verses in Latin which were read and translated to the class.

Miss Manigold's English nine class during the past week have been making posters on correct English forms. Among the best were those made by Betty Hunt, Lorraine Hoffman, Hester Kitchen, and Marion Milligan.

In the Domestic Science department we find the eighth grade making beach pajamas, the ninth grade cotton dresses and smocks while the cooking department in the seventh grade is studying "Breakfast." Next week they will serve a breakfast to one another.

The eleventh and twelfth grades are serving hot lunches at noon to about thirty-five people.

A radio course in the playing of all band instruments, conducted by Joseph E. Maddy, professor of Public School Music, is released over WJR at two o'clock on Monday and Friday of each week.

The first attempt of teaching the playing of band instruments by radio was made in 1931, by the Michigan University of the air when several thousand boys and girls learned to play well enough to join their school orchestras and bands. Others also have found these lessons to be of great benefit.

There have been thousands of requests for another such course and in response the University of Michigan is offering this second radio course. The radio pupils, teachers and persons interested are invited to write to Joseph E. Maddy at Ann Arbor and tell him of their progress in this course.

Miss Reed is sponsoring a class consisting of eleven cornets, one C

melody saxophone, one trombone, one baritone, four clarinets and three melophones.

Participating are the following people: Lucile Goodall, John Day, Maurice Caister, Harold Hulbert, Marjorie Dew, Catherine Bailey, Lucile Bailey, Marion Callender, Elaine Turner, Leland Kelly, Bernita Taylor, Cressy Steele, Frank Morris, Howard Taylor, Arlington Hoffman, Eldon Hall, Clayton Dew.

Sixth Grade.

The attendance of the sixth grade is practically back to normal. We have been making valentines which we gave to one another Friday afternoon at a valentine's party at which we all had a very lovely time.

Fifth Grade.

We celebrated Lincoln's birthday as well as Valentine Day. In the morning the door was guarded by a sentry to whom the pass word "Lincoln" was given. We had an old fashioned roll call by which each pupil answered with a story of Lincoln. In the afternoon we had a party—valentines were distributed and we had apples.

We are working on a debate "The country is as nice to live in as the city," to be given at a later date. Our attendance has gone up to normal again, two people still being absent. This has brought up our spelling temperature a great deal.

Third Grade.

We are reading stories about Abraham Lincoln in reading class. In Art class we made some very pretty valentines. We are planning to have a valentine party Friday afternoon. A committee, consisting of Sharlie VanWinkle, Kenneth Higgins, Carolyn Auten, and Mabel Jean Bradshaw, are working on a little program to be given. In geography class we are studying about the different kinds of fish. For opening exercises we are hearing "The Bobbsey Twins at School." Christina Graham is back in school after having had the scarlet fever.

Second Grade.

We made puppy dogs and valentine gifts for our mothers. Friday afternoon we had a party at which a story was dramatized by the following members of our class: Laura Tesho, Juanita Wise, Alice Schwaderer, Gerald Kercher, Leona McComb, Keith Murphy and Elaine Brown.

Kindergarten.

We had a valentine party Friday afternoon. We made some original valentines and bought some. We have had only thirteen pupils present for the last two weeks but we hope our sick members will be back again soon. We are sorry that they missed the fun of making lace paper and valentine clowns.

We have learned the stars and stripes, and some interesting flag salutes, and military drills and we think we know all there is to know about Washington, Lincoln, the Revolutionary War and the Boston Tea Party. We are glad that they spilled all the tea in the ocean because we never drink tea and coffee anyway, but enjoy our daily graham cracker and glass of milk. Many of us that are under weight are nearly normal weight now.

TANNER SCHOOL.

Teacher, Leta O'Dell. Our school has seemed quite vacant this week because of the flu.

The seventh grade geography have been studying about China and Japan. They drew maps and wrote stories about each. It is interesting to know why they do not live like we do.

The primer, first and second grades made a chart of all their pets. Among the many names we could give each we think we have found some suitable ones.

They also learned the song "Oh, Mr. Bunnie Rabbit."

The eighth grade grammar is planning a patriotic program for Washington's birthday to be given for morning exercise.

James Hewitt is ahead in our reading contest.

Violet Hathaway and Ella Hewitt trimmed our valentine box.

Little Helen Hewitt was a visitor on Friday.

Reporter, Loreta Jackson.

SHABBONA SCHOOL.

"With malice toward one, with charity for all."—Abraham Lincoln. In our reading, history, and grammar classes, we learned more about Lincoln on Friday.

Donna Hillaker has started to school.

Virginia Hillaker and Eunice Phetteplace are ready to start in the first grade reader.

The fourth grade have made a vegetable chart on the blackboard. Each day they place a picture of the vegetables they have eaten on the board by their name.

Our Indian village isn't growing very rapidly. We hope to do more to it this week.

We didn't have our valentine box Friday. Some of the folks weren't able to get to town. We will have it Monday.

Wilma Hyatt, Marion Brown, and Miss Jackson attended the 4-H leader's meeting at Snover Tuesday evening.

The 4-H folks enjoyed their party Monday night.

The following folks have received achievement stamps in spelling: Marie Auslander, June Auslander, Donna Ehlers, Joseph Conley, Edward Phetteplace, Eunice Phetteplace, Virginia Hillaker, Marjorie Leslie, Vivian Phetteplace, Isabella Conley, Cleo Nichols, Virginia Leslie, Jane Phetteplace, Mable Auslander, Maurice Bigham, Earl Bigham, Lucy MacLarty and Fred Nicholas. Each stamp means five perfect lessons in spelling.

Reporters—Dorothy Jones and Virginia Leslie.

SAND VALLEY SCHOOL.

Eva Marble, teacher. We postponed our entertainment indefinitely because of the flu. We are sorry to hear that Mrs. Sowden is ill.

There was no school Wednesday because of the illness of Mrs. Marble's father, Mr. Brackenbury. The seventh grade have started their work books on Michigan geography.

The hygiene class was very much interested in the study of arteries, veins, and capillaries.

"Now," said Mrs. Marble, "What causes a 'black and blue' spot to appear on the flesh when the flesh has been bruised." "Torn caterpillars," answered the bright pupil, Elizabeth Windy, reporter.

ARGYLE.

(Delayed Letter)

Archie McKichan and family and Miss Jane McKichan were guests at the Ward Law home Sunday.

Mrs. Scott and Mr. and Mrs. Claud Karr of Cass City visited at the J. H. McIntyre home Sunday.

Willing Workers met with Mrs. Clinton Starr Thursday. Pot luck dinner was served. Sewing for Mrs. Starr was the work of the day.

The many friends of Mrs. Bert Brooks are glad to know she is improving and able to be around some after her recent illness.

Dr. and Mrs. McNaughton visited the doctor's brother and wife at Carsonville Sunday.

Gagetown

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Palmer of Owendale were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Fournier.

Carroll Hunter spent a few days in Detroit.

Miss Rosella Mall of Lansing is spending the week with her sisters here.

Preston Fournier returned to Port Huron after spending the past week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Fournier.

Mrs. Adam Nutt and Mrs. Edward Fisher were callers in Bay City Tuesday.

Mrs. R. Wills and daughter, Roberta, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Burdon.

Miss Beatrice Freeman of Ypsilanti spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Freeman.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Hess of Detroit were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Comment.

Mrs. R. Wills and Miss Genevieve spent Wednesday with relatives and friends in Millington.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Latimer and daughter of Akron visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Adrian Nutt.

Miss Fella Jankech of Detroit

is spending a few weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Jankech.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Freeman of Saginaw spent the week-end with Mr. Freeman's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Freeman.

Miss Myrtle Fournier completed her studies and now has in her possession a life certificate in business which she received from Ypsilanti State Normal college the past week. Miss Fournier spent the past week with her parents here. She intends going to Detroit this week where she will be employed.

Mrs. Margaret Bliss is ill and under the doctor's care at the home of her daughter, Mrs. M. P. Freeman.

Mrs. J. R. Snody returned to her home in Onaway after spending the past three weeks with her sister, Mrs. F. D. Hemerick.

Miss Mildred McDonald spent the week-end with her mother and sister in Mt. Pleasant.

Mrs. M. J. Freeman is recovering from an attack of the flu.

Frank Lenhard is ill and unable to attend to his duties as bookkeeper in the elevator.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Martus of Cass City called on friends in town one day last week.

Mrs. Josephine McDonald had the misfortune of falling on the slippery walk last Wednesday morning and dislocated her shoulder.

The Gagetown Woman's Study club met at the home of Mrs. Geo. Munro Monday evening. Music was the topic for the evening. Roll call was responded to with the name of a famous song and its origin. Topics presented were as follows: "Music and Its Influence on Life," Mrs. Ralph Clara, "Story of the Opera Travotore," Mrs. Geo. Munro, "History of the Violin," Mrs. Alphonse Rocheleau. A short time was given for discussion after each paper which was followed by musical selections and parliamentary drill.

Mrs. Moses Karr is slowly recovering after an illness of three weeks' duration with the flu.

Mrs. T. J. Walsh has returned home after spending the past two months with her daughter in Port Huron.

Dr. and Mrs. Malloy, son, Ned, and daughter, Mary Jane, spent Sunday in Bay City.

Mr. and Mrs. Jules Goslin and family and Jas. J. Phelan were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Phelan at Caro.

Miss Gertrude Anker of Detroit spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Anker.

L. T. Hurd is on the sick list.

GREENLEAF.

Dan McEachern of Flint visited Sunday at the home of his brother, Archie McEachern.

J. D. Wright of Owosso visited Friday at the home of his nephew, Anson Karr.

Miss Lucille Goodall of Cass City spent the week-end with her friend, Miss Marjory Dew.

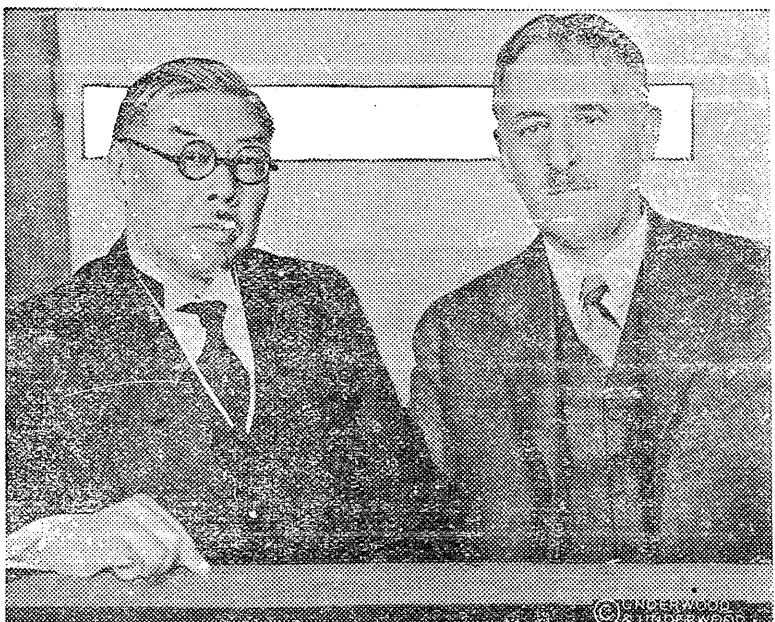
Mr. and Mrs. John McCallum, Mr. and Mrs. Angus McCallum, Alex McCallum, Colin McCallum, Neil McCallum, and son, Angus, Clare Ballagh and Wm. McGillivray attended the funeral of Alex Sinclair.

Mr. and Mrs. Robt. McIntyre, Wm. McAllister, and Jas. McPhail called at the Archie McCallum home Saturday.

Angus Campbell spent a few days last week at Minden City.

Mrs. Sarah Brown was hostess to Fraser Ladies' Aid last Wednesday.

China's New Envoy With Mr. Stimson



Dr. W. W. Yen, newly appointed Chinese minister to the United States, who recently arrived in Washington, photographed with Secretary of State Henry L. Stimson, when he paid his first call to the latter's offices.

Feeding Young Alligators

Alligators are first given a diet of earthworms and minnows. Upon this they are kept for two months, when dead mice are occasionally given them. As soon as they show an increase in size the quality of food is correspondingly increased. Earthworms are then excluded from the menu, while small rodents are given frequently, in alternation with frogs, fish and scraps of beef. Young arats and sparrows are soon added to the list. They are usually fed twice a week, and at most three times a week.

Twain's Respect for Jews

In "My Father, Mark Twain," Clara Clemens says: "Arguments as to the virtues or non-virtues of the Jews were often the topic of discussion in our drawing room, and father always grew eloquent in defence of Christ's race. Indeed, so often were his remarks on this subject quoted that it was rumored at one time father himself was a Jew. About this time he wrote his article 'Concerning the Jews,' in which he states he considers them 'the most marvelous race the world ever produced.'"

Improved Uniform International SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

(By REV. F. B. FITZWATER, D. D., Member of Faculty, Moody Bible Institute of Chicago.)

Lesson for February 21

JESUS THE GOOD SHEPHERD

LESSON TEXT—John 10:1-30. GOLDEN TEXT—The Lord is my shepherd; I shall not want. PRIMARY TOPIC—Jesus Our Good Shepherd.

JUNIOR TOPIC—Jesus Our Good Shepherd. INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC—Following the Good Shepherd.

YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC—Jesus the Good Shepherd.

The occasion for the parable of the Good Shepherd was the excommunication by the Pharisees of the blind man who had been healed by Christ.

1. The Good Shepherd (vv. 1-18). 1. Jesus is the true shepherd (vv. 1-6). He came by the divinely appointed way, John the Baptist and others of the prophets had performed the function of the porter and opened the door to the sheepfold (vv. 2, 3). The power exercised by the Pharisees in casting out this man was not obtained by lawful means. It was stolen by them and exercised in the bold spirit of robbery. The reason the man suffered excommunication was that he recognized Jesus as the true shepherd and turned from the Pharisees, not only as strangers, but as thieves and robbers. Despite the deceit, audacity, theft, and robbery of these Pharisees, those who were Christ's sheep were declared to be forming a new flock and following him as the true shepherd (v. 4).

2. Jesus is the door of the sheep (vv. 7-10). The way to fellowship with God is through Christ. He is not only a door, but the only door (Acts 4:12). There is absolutely no way into the fold of the redeemed but by and through him. All who attempt to gain access to God except through Jesus Christ are thieves and robbers (v. 8). Those who become members of the flock of God through Jesus Christ enjoy marvelous privileges and gifts (vv. 9, 10).

a. Salvation—"shall be saved" (v. 9). They not only enjoyed present salvation, but are eternally saved (vv. 27, 28).

b. Liberty—"shall go in and out" (v. 9). Only those who accept salvation in Christ know what freedom is.

c. Contentment—"shall go in and out and find pasture" (v. 9). The one who really enters the fold by Christ, the door, receives that which is all-satisfying to the soul.

3. Jesus is the good shepherd (vv. 11-18).

a. He giveth his life for the sheep (vv. 11-13). The hireling abandons his sheep in time of danger. The hireling, represented by the Pharisee, takes up his work and continues it for his own sake, for the profit that is in it. Jesus was so devoted to his sheep that he willingly laid down his life for them.

b. He has perfect knowledge of his sheep and they know him (vv. 14, 15). Knowing his sheep so well, he looks after their welfare. He enjoys such personal intimacy with his sheep that he knows them by name, goes before them to lead the way and defend them from every danger. This he will do even unto death. This found historical fulfillment on Calvary.

c. His sympathy is world-wide (v. 16). He declared, "Other sheep have I which are not of this fold." This suggests that the Gentiles have a place in his fold.

d. He enjoys the love of the heavenly Father (vv. 17, 18). Such singular devotion receives the peculiar love of God.

11. The Sheep (vv. 19-30). 1. Unbelievers are not Christ's sheep (vv. 19-26). Christ's assertion that he was the good shepherd caused a division among the people. Some accused him of being mad, others that he had a devil. To their request that he would tell them plainly if he were the Christ, he responded by referring them to the testimony of his works, declaring that the secret of their inability to recognize him was their unbelief.

2. His sheep recognized his voice (v. 27). There are many voices in the world; the voice of the hireling, the voice of the thief, and the voice of the stranger; but none of these will the sheep hear. The voice of the true shepherd is recognized by his sheep even amidst the babble of voices in the world today.

3. He knows his sheep (v. 27). Regardless of how helpless and ignorant the sheep may be, he knows every one. He not only knows them as his, but he looks after them.

4. His sheep follow him (v. 27). This is the proof that they are his. The true sheep will flee from strangers (v. 5). This should be a solemn warning to all such as are following strangers.

5. His sheep are eternally secure (vv. 28, 29). The sheep are entirely dependent upon the shepherd. It is the shepherd's business to look after and care for the sheep. This he does for he knows them by name and is acquainted with their weaknesses and trials.

day with twelve members and five last week at the home of her sister, visitors present. The next meeting Mrs. D. McColl, and other relatives, will be held at the home of Mrs. Miss Dorcas McLeod of Detroit Archie McLachlan on Wednesday, spent the week-end at the home of February 24. her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Angus Mrs. Bertes of Owosso visited McLeod.

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# Local Happenings

Ivan Niergarth visited friends in Lansing over the week-end.

Miss Frances Perrin visited in Lansing over the week-end.

Miss Margaret Muntz spent the week-end at her home in Bad Axe.

Mr. and Mrs. William Martus visited friends in Bad Axe Sunday.

Kent Parrot and Delmar Striffler were callers at Watrousville Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Doerr and family of Sandusky spent Sunday with Cass City relatives.

Mrs. Harriet Dodge and Mrs. Willis Campbell visited relatives and friends in Marlette Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Reagh visited Mr. and Mrs. John Dickinson at Bad Axe over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ewing of Pinebog visited the former's mother, Mrs. Sarah Ewing, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Bigham and son, Basil, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Burns at Marlette Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Yakes of Berkeley visited relatives and friends here Sunday night and Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Smith of Bad Axe were entertained Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sim Bardwell.

Mrs. Agnes Foster and daughter, Miss Laura, of Midland were guests of Misses Eleanor and Laura Bigelow Sunday.

The Misses Gladys and Mabel Bronidge of Pontiac were callers at the home of Miss Eleanor Bigelow Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Ricker spent a few days the first of the week with the former's sister, Mrs. A. W. Weaver, in Flint.

The members of the B. D. club were entertained Thursday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Young. A luncheon was served.

H. C. Morris and Mrs. William Rambo of Marlette were callers at the home of Mrs. Harriet Dodge Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Kenney and two sons, Jack and Clare, were entertained at the home of Mr. Kenney's brother, Leo Kenney, at Lapeer Sunday.

Mrs. D. D. McNaughton of Argyle and Mrs. A. A. Ricker attended the Republican state central committee meeting at Lansing Thursday of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Wright and son, Howard, of Detroit were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Levi DeLong, Mrs. Wright is a daughter of Mrs. DeLong.

Rev. M. S. Rice of Detroit will give a lecture at the Methodist church in Cassville on Monday evening, February 29, on the subject, "The Value of Great Men."

J. C. Corkins entertained from Friday until Sunday afternoon his sister, Mrs. Roy Adams, of Willis and his daughter, Mrs. Clare Hewens, and two sons of Ypsilanti.

Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Hilbert and daughter, Mary Margaret, and Mr. and Mrs. Carpenter and son, Stuart, all of Sebawaing, were callers at the L. D. Randall home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Sinclair of Metamora were visitors in town Wednesday. Mrs. Sinclair's mother, Mrs. William G. Moore, who had spent ten days in Metamora, returned to Cass City with them.

Mrs. Harriet Boyes of West Main street was a delightful hostess to the Jolly-all club Thursday when a dinner was served at noon and the day spent in a social time. All members were present but one.

Mrs. A. H. Kinnaird spent the week-end with her brother, James Proctor, in Flint. Mr. Proctor's son, Robert, is a patient in Hurley hospital at Flint where he underwent an operation for appendicitis.

Mrs. Norman Fisher of Royal Oak spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Doerr. Mrs. Doerr, who had spent the week in Royal Oak and Detroit, returned to her home here with Mrs. Fisher.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Wallace entertained a number of friends at their home Friday evening. Bridge was played at seven tables, favors going to Mrs. M. B. Auten, Miss Hester Cathcart, M. B. Auten and Clarence Burt.

Mrs. Mason Leach and daughter, Mrs. Harry Graham, both of Saginaw, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hutchinson Thursday of last week. Mrs. Leach remained until Monday with her sister-in-law, Mrs. Hutchinson.

A most enjoyable time was held Friday evening when Mrs. David Orr entertained a number of young people from Caro and Cass City at her home near Caro in honor of the birthday of her sister, Miss Waunetta Warner. A chicken dinner was served at a table having a color scheme of red and white. Red nut baskets, favors and candles helped to make the table beautiful. After the dinner, games were played.

Henry O. Greenleaf spent last week with relatives in Millington and Saginaw.

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

The Methodist Ladies' Aid will hold their Bronson hospital day on Thursday afternoon, February 25, with Mrs. I. A. Fritz.

Mrs. A. Doerr returned the first of the week from a visit at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Norman Fisher, in Royal Oak.

Mr. and Mrs. Grant Pinney of Detroit were guests of Mr. Pinney's mother, Mrs. Edward Pinney, from Friday until Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Hitchcock returned to their home at Romeo Thursday after spending a week with Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Knapp.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond McCullough of Big Rapids were week-end guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. N. McCullough.

Mesdames Willis Campbell, Frank Reid, R. B. McConkey, Sheldon Peterson and Herman Doerr spent Friday in Saginaw.

Miss Veda Bixby is a patient at Morris hospital where she underwent an operation for appendicitis Thursday. She is getting along nicely.

Mrs. E. F. Kreiman and Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Ippel, all of Saginaw, were Sunday guests at the home of Mrs. Kreiman's sister, Mrs. G. W. Landon.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Rich of Deckerville spent Friday night in Cass City where they visited Mrs. Hugh McColl, mother of Mrs. Rich, who has been quite ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee McKellar and two children of Port Huron and Mr. and Mrs. James Hines and daughter, Betty Jane, of St. Clair were week-end guests of Cass City relatives.

Mrs. Robert B. McConkey entertained a few friends Thursday. Bridge was the pleasure of the evening and prizes were won by Mrs. A. Bigelow and Mrs. Willis Campbell. Refreshments were served.

A seven o'clock pot luck supper was enjoyed Thursday evening when the bridge club met with Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Burt. After the supper, bridge was played. Prizes were won by Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Benkelman, Jr.

Mrs. H. O. Greenleaf, son, Alex, and daughter, Myrtle, attended a miscellaneous shower Saturday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Decker in Peck. The shower was in honor of Mr. and Mrs. William Dancy of Port Huron, a late bride and groom. Mrs. Dancy is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Decker and a niece of Mrs. Greenleaf.

## HOLBROOK.

The Holbrook Community club held its monthly meeting at the Baptist church Feb. 12. The speaker of the evening was John D. Martin. Mr. Martin showed a chicken with tuberculosis and explained all precautions to take when tuberculosis entered in the flock. He also told the audience of his trip to Europe. At the time, he attended the national poultry show in London, England. A fine program was given at the club with selections on the banjo, mouth organ, mandolin, guitar, accordion and saxophone. There was also some fine singing. The program was followed by a box social. The next meeting will be held March 17. Everyone welcome.

Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Barnes and son, Clare, and Miss Lorene Barnes attended a shower at Peck in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Dancy, a recent bride and groom. Mrs. Dancy was Miss Margaret Decker.

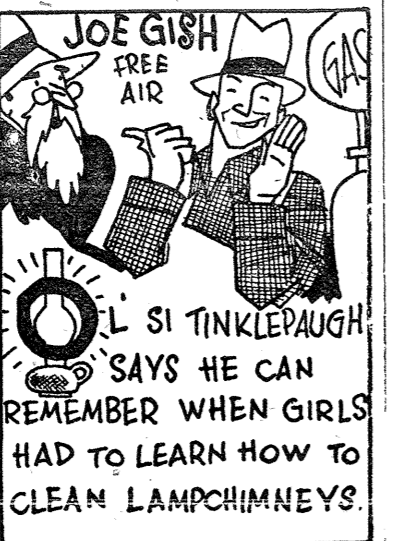
Loren Trathen lost a valuable horse last week with the flu.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Brown and Emerson Brown are visiting friends in Detroit this week.

Mrs. Arthur Ballard, who is employed in Pontiac, visited at her home here over the week-end.

## Well Goes Far Down

The deepest well that has yet been dug is about a mile and three-quarters deep.



JOE GISH FREE AIR... L. S. TINKLEPAUGH SAYS HE CAN REMEMBER WHEN GIRLS HAD TO LEARN HOW TO CLEAN LAMPCHIMNEYS.

## Alaska Sealskin Back in the Fashion Picture

Alaska sealskin, after a generation of practical oblivion, has suddenly rushed into the fashion picture and become once more one of the furs of the season. Its reappearance is logical, for it is a great year for fashion revivals, and all sorts of fashion ideas that flourished in the latter years of the last century are being brought out, dusted off and readjusted to suit the modern age. With past performances in style and durability in its favor, with modern methods of treating pelts to give them new suppleness, Alaska sealskin again takes its place as an important fur.

## COUNTRY CLOTHES FAVOR ENSEMBLES

### Combine the Best Elements of Frock and Suit.

The great out-of-doors is getting a heap of attention in a sartorial way. Whether it be for a good walk across country or for a morning stroll in town, there are loads of perfectly good, suitable clothes.

These are not too simple or severe, yet not too fussy, combining the various elements of the more carefully blended into splendid coats, suits or natty ensembles. In fact the three-piece ensemble is one of the successes in country clothes and will no doubt be strong for spring. They combine the best elements of the frock and the suit with a style all their own and are extremely neat and youthful.

The coats are lavish with furs, yet cleverly avoid that overburdened look that is the worst enemy of the fur-trimmed coat. Some of the more recent models use dark colors with cream furs with huge success. But of course the dark coat with dark fur more than holds its own.

After all the wools have been wound into the mode, broadcloth has come into favor again and is being used for the finest coats. Black broadcloth with silver fox is seen constantly, with now and again a black coat trimmed with mink or sable, the brown and black combination having many admirers.

## WITH CROCHET SCARF

By CHERIE NICHOLAS



A touch of hand crochet on one's frock is considered very smart this season. The modish frock pictured is of dark green wool crepe with yoke effect in fagoting, done with a trim stitch thread which has a firm twist and a glossy surface similar to silk. The scarf is interesting in that it is similar to those noted on many of the newest Paris midseason frocks of sheer woolen. It is hand crocheted of a fine mending wool which comes 30 yards to the card. You can make one of these scarfs for yourself, as it is nothing more than a straight piece 6 inches wide and 50 inches long, crocheted in French mesh stitch.

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## STYLE NOTES

Gowns with daring décolletage are approved. Buttons are noted more and more as trimming. Rough crepes are featured in plain and printed versions. "With a jacket" remains the slogan for resort costumes. Large soft bows in contrast color trim velvet and crepe frocks. Soft novelty-yarn weaves contribute interest to spring coats and suits. The military silhouette of broad shoulders and narrow waistline is reflected in tailored sports type.

## Washington, Man, Patriot, Statesman

COURAGE, physical and moral, was a part of his nature; and, whether in battle or in the midst of popular excitement, he was fearless of danger and regardless of consequences to himself (Sparks, Jared—The Life of George Washington, p. 458.)

At all times and amid all conditions Washington rang true to the note of a splendid manhood. Hypocrisy and a trafficking in expedients for popular applause no more match with his life than the crime of murder. He had little of the captivating style of speech or manner but regard for the nobility of his character, rather than any rhetorical art or charm of personal address on his part, kept wavering lines from retreat in battle and from mutiny amid privation and suffering to which our neglect had exposed the soldiers of the Revolution. (Underwood, Oscar—The Career and the Words of Washington, p. 12.) (State Society of Cincinnati, Philadelphia, Pa., February 22, 1912.)

## HIS PERSONAL TRIUMPH

Then came the horrors of Valley Forge and of the winters in Morris county. Those were the days when desertions were many and enlistments were few, when Washington dared not give open battle and there was hardly left to him a place for retreat. Then came the Conway conspiracy, and the ambition of Gates, and the cowardice of Lee and the treason of Arnold, and a series of persecutions so petty, so bitter, so malignant, that it is amazing how Washington survived them.

It is easy for us as we read these events in the light of the issue to keep up our courage and understand the triumph that finally came, but it was a very different thing for Washington. Congress was weak, meddlesome, and vacillating. The soldiers were raw, undisciplined and sometimes mutinous. There were jealousies and libels and forgeries and slanders almost beyond our present ability to believe.

When I recall Washington's calmness in the midst of exasperating annoyance, his unselfish loyalty when surrounded by cupidity and jealousy and hatred, his faith that put courage into the hearts of men who marched hungry and left bloody footprints in the snow; when I remember how after eight years of this and more he emerged victorious, as calm in victory as he had been serene in defeat, I do not wonder that Frederick the Great is said to have pronounced George Washington's campaigns in the Jerseys the most brilliant in military annals. (Barton, William E.—George Washington.)

Washington did not leave his men and go home to live in luxury, but stayed to endure privation with them. Only he who reads his letters written during these trying times can appreciate his troubles and anxieties. (McLaughlin, Andrew C.—History of the American Nation, p. 168.)

## SHARED MEN'S SUFFERINGS

Behold him (George Washington) in 1775 taking leave of his family and his home, and hastening to the relief of a distant and unknown part of America. See him transforming and cementing a band of rustics into an army. Follow him to the field of battle, and see him first in danger and last out of it. Go with him into Valley Forge and see him sharing the hunger, the cold, the fatigue of every soldier in the

## WASHINGTON'S ARMS



camp. Was there ever such fortitude in adversity? Was there ever such moderation in the hour of victory? (McMaster, John B.—History of the People of the United States, Vol. 1, p. 463.)

## WASHINGTON'S VICTORY

On only one point did there seem to be unanimity and accord. That was that the dogged prosecution of the war and the ultimate victory must be credited to George Washington. Others had fought valiantly and endured hardships and fatigues and gnawing suspense, but without him, who never wavered, they could not have gone on (Thayer, William R.—George Washington, p. 128.)

The American revolution from a military point of view was a group of little wars rather than a single war. The only integrating force was the person of the great commander.

but George Washington held the army and the cause together by his exhaustless patience and courage rather than by any comprehensive plan of war. (Muzzev, David S.—History of the American People, p. 130.)

To Washington no duty, however obscure, was unimportant, and no deviation from duty, however trifling, was possible. (Hoar, George F.—Washington, p. 31.) (Chicago, February 23, 1903.)

Washington was an incorruptible patriot. He was one of the few rich men who was not a Tory. very large proportion of the men of large means sided with the British crown; nor must we too hastily condemn them. But Washington, who had more to lose than almost any other man in the thirteen colonies, was not blinded by vested interests, nor bound to conservative action by his wealth and station.

## PATRIOTISM FIRST

For the sake of the country which he loved he suffered innumerable hardships, was stung by ingratitude and hurt by slander, but he stood firm in his loyalty to the cause he had espoused, and was faithful to the end. (Barton, William E.—George Washington.)

There is a life that is worth living now, as it was worth living in the former days, and that is the honest life, the useful life, the unselfish life, cleansed by devotion to an ideal. There is a battle that is worth fighting now, as it was worth fighting then, and that is the battle for justice and equality. To make our city and our state free in fact as well as in name; to break the rings that strangle real liberty, and to keep them broken; to cleanse, so far as in our power lies, the foundations of our national life from political, commercial, and social corruption; to teach our sons and daughters, by precept and example, the honor of serving such a country as America—that is work worthy of the finest manhood and womanhood.

The well educated are those who see deepest into the meaning and the necessity of that work. Nor shall their labor be for naught, nor the reward of their sacrifice fail them. For high in the firmament of human destiny are set the stars of faith in mankind, and unselfish courage, and loyalty to the ideal; and while they shine, the Americanism of Washington and the men who stood with him shall never, never die. (Van Dyke, Henry—The Americanism of Washington, pp. 70-72.)

## MAN OF FIRM FRIENDSHIPS

The chief thought that runs through all the sayings is to practice self-control, and no man ever displayed that most difficult of virtues, to such a degree as George Washington. (Lodge, Henry C.—Washington (American Statesmen, Vol. 1, p. 51.)

Solitude, indeed, is the last quality that an intelligent student of his career would ascribe to him. Dignified and reserved he was, undoubtedly; and as this manner was natural to him, he won more true friends by using it than if he had disguised himself in a forced familiarity and worn his heart upon his sleeve. But from first to last he was a man who did his work in the bonds of companionship, who trusted his comrades in the great enterprise even though they were not his intimates, and who neither sought nor occupied a lonely eminence of unshared glory. (Van Dyke, Henry—The Americanism of Washington, pp. 4-5.)

## Phonogram-Gramophone

The word "Gramophone" is an invented one. When the new machine for recording and reproducing sound was invented, it was called a "phonogram," and later a phonograph. The machine had a round cylinder instead of the flat disc, and of course the inventor wanted to distinguish it from the phonogram or phonograph. "Hum!" he mused. "Now what can I call it?" Then he had a bright idea: he remembered the backstang he had used when a boy, and twisted the word "phonogram" around until it was "gramophone."

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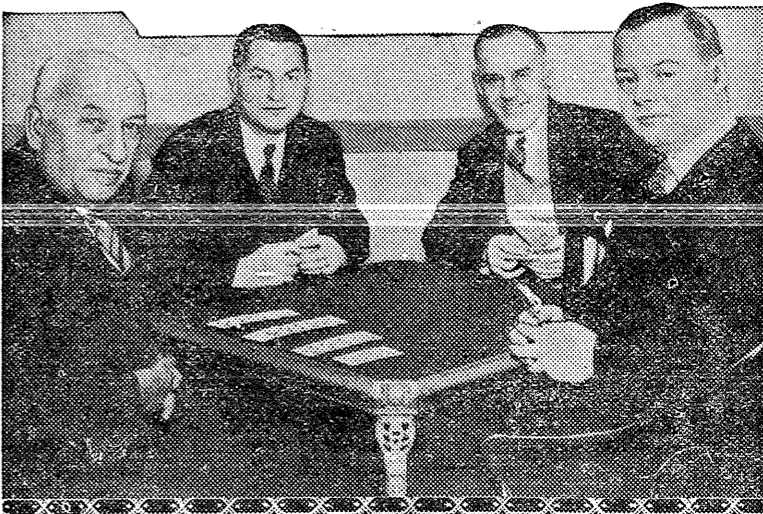
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## MAN'S HEART STOPPED BY BAD STOMACH GAS

W. L. Adams bloated so with gas after meals that his heart missed beats. Adierika brought out all gas and now he eats anything and feels fine. Burke's Drug Store.—Advertisement 2.

## Omaha Has This "Bridge" Natural



These four gentlemen make up the most famous bridge foursome in existence. Left to right the players are: George F. West, G. S. North, Fred A. East and Fremont L. South. All are members of the Omaha (Neb.) Chamber of Commerce. Three of them favor the Culbertson system, the other likes Lenz.

## Hawaiian Islands Ancient

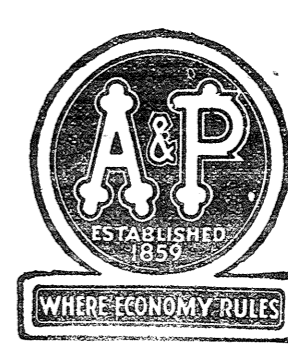
The Hawaiian islands voluntarily joined with the United States in 1898. But that's a very short time compared with the real age of the islands. One ancient Hawaiian tradition has it that they are "so old that 1,000 generations are but youth." Dr. Arthur Star Eakle, mineralogist of the University of California estimates them to be at least 1,000,000 years old.

## Buffalo Tongue a Delicacy

"A few days since we received a present from the North American Fur company, a few buffalo tongues with directions for cooking them," acknowledged the editor of a New York paper 100 years ago. "On trial they have proved a most delicate article and far preferable to the common tongue. The mode of curing them adds much to their fineness of flavor."—Detroit News.

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Commemorating the Principles on which A&P was founded.



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Full Quart Jar 25c For Delicious Salads

- Mello-Wheat Breakfast Food 2 pkgs 25c
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- Babbitt's Cleanser 3 cans 10c
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- Sauerkraut No. 2 1/2 size 3 cans 19c

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Through special invitation, the Boy Scouts had the privilege of hearing the lecture on "Labrador" at the Community club banquet Tuesday evening. Previous to the lecture, the Scouts had instruction in bandaging and in artificial respiration to aid in cases of drowning.

A pleasant time was held Friday evening when the C. J. U. and the Brotherhood of the Baptist church held a joint meeting in the Seeger Memorial chapel at the church. Each organization held their own study hour after which a joint business meeting and social hour was held. The men served refreshments.

Division No. 4 of the M. E. Ladies' Aid society met with Mrs. A. H. Kinnaird on Wednesday evening when the following officers were elected: Leader, Mrs. A. C. Atwell; secretary, Mrs. Grant Van Winkle; treasurer, Mrs. Ben Kirtson; flower secretary, Mrs. Robt. McConkey. The next meeting of this division will be at the home of Mrs. J. A. Sandham on Mar. 2.

"The Sino-Japanese Conflict" was the subject of the citizenship forum at the Presbyterian church Sunday evening and was well handled by L. D. Randall, the leader. He gave among the reasons of the present difficulties in the Far East, the limited territory of the Japanese, the unfavorable balance of trade of their country, and the commercial boycott of Japanese merchandise by the Chinese people. After the presentation of a well-outlined background by the leader, several entered into the discussions. Rev. Allured, a former missionary in China, called attention to the better training of the soldiers of northern China over those of the southern part of that nation and the evident courage and stability of the southern forces. "The United States and the World Court" is the subject for next Sunday evening with Mrs. Harriett Dodge as the leader.

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Mrs. Addie Grice spent Saturday at her home in Colwood.

Earl Gowan of Ann Arbor was a Cass City visitor Sunday.

Mrs. Glen Guilds of Gagetown spent last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dan McClarey.

Mrs. C. W. Law spent last week at Gagetown caring for her sister, Mrs. Moses Karr, who was quite ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Kolb of Pontiac were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Sheldon Peterson Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Atwell and Mrs. Stuart, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Frutchey in Saginaw.

Mrs. W. D. Lane and son, Durrell, of Port Huron spent Saturday and Sunday with Mrs. Lane's mother, Mrs. Robert Cleland.

Miss Myrtle May of Ann Arbor and Alton Bureau of River Rouge were guests of Mr. and Mrs. John May over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Sheldon Peterson visited at the home of Mrs. Peterson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Casey, at Elkton Monday night.

The members of St. Pancratius church enjoyed a social evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wallie Ball Wednesday night of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Kilpatrick and Archie Daton, all of Pontiac, visited Mrs. Kilpatrick's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Seed, Saturday and Sunday.

Louis Houghton, Mrs. Henrietta Rowley and Miss Myrl Rowley of Detroit spent Sunday with Mrs. Margaret Houghton, mother of Mr. Houghton and Mrs. Rowley.

Dr. S. B. Young received word Friday of the death of his cousin, William Bristol, at Almont. Mrs. S. B. Young and Mrs. Mary Holcomb spent Saturday at the Bristol home.

Week-end guests at the C. W. Law home were Mrs. Wellington Law of Pontiac, Frank Agar and Miss Flossie Law of Ann Arbor, and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kile of Columbia corners.

Dale Hills, R. Sutton and Miss Mildred Kitchen, all of Pontiac, visited at the George Rohrbach home Friday. Miss Kitchen remained to spend a few weeks with her aunt, Mrs. Rohrbach.

The Jolly Farmers' club will meet Thursday, February 25, with Mr. and Mrs. William Paul for an evening meeting. A George Washington program will be given. All members are urged to attend.

Frank Striffler of Detroit spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Solomon Striffler. Miss Gertrude Striffler, who had spent the week at her home here, returned to Detroit with him.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Tate, Al Kitchen and Arnold Hartwick spent Tuesday evening in Brown City where the men attended a Kroger meeting and Mrs. Tate spent the evening with her mother, Mrs. Maud Leeson.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Striffler spent Thursday afternoon and evening in Minden City. In the afternoon, they attended a tractor school at the Mahon Implement store and in the evening were entertained at cards at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mahon.

The Neighborhood club met on Tuesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hulbert. Forty-six were present and spent a most enjoyable evening. Progressive pedro was played at nine tables and prizes went to Robert McConkey, Sr., and William Withey. A pot luck supper was served.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack White and William Ruppel of Detroit were among the guests.

The Spafford auxiliary met Monday evening at the home of Mrs. Frederick Pinney with Mrs. Pinney, Mrs. P. J. Allured and Mrs. G. H. Burke as hostesses. Devotionals were in charge of Mrs. E. W. Douglas. A report of the final chapters of the book "Korea, the Land of the Dawn" was given by Mrs. B. F. Benkelman, Jr. A social hour was enjoyed and refreshments were served by the hostesses.

Interior Decoration The Centennial in Philadelphia in 1876 brought an awakening to the possibilities of beauty in the home through harmonious combination of artistic draperies and furniture. Homes of the Colonial period and early American houses were artistically furnished because the furniture in those days was well designed and well made.

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Mrs. Harry C. Dean of Vassar has announced the engagement of her daughter, Mary Lillian Dean, to Frederick C. Miller. The marriage is to take place in Korea in the early summer. Both are engaged in the missionary field in that Far East country.

At a meeting of the North Branch school board, a decisive vote was taken to retain the music department in the school for the coming year. It was deemed necessary, owing to limited funds allotted for school finances, to effect cuts in salaries of teachers in all departments next year. The nature of these reductions will be decided in the near future.

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A blanket complaint against the rates charged by the Michigan Electric Power company has been filed by the Pigeon Community club in behalf of the village of Pigeon, with the Michigan Public Utilities commission. No action has been taken.

Rodin's Masterpiece "The Door of Hell," or, as it is more usually called, "The Gates of Hell," is a work by the eminent French sculptor Rodin on which he originally intended to place his famous statue. The Thinker we understand that this monument has now been set up in Paris, contrary to the sculptor's original idea.—Washington Star

CASS CITY MARKETS.

Table with 2 columns: Commodity and Price. Includes items like Wheat No. 2, mixed; Oats, bu.; Rye, bu.; Peas, bu.; Beans, cwt.; Light red kidney beans, cwt.; Dark red kidney beans, cwt.; Barley, cwt.; Buckwheat, cwt.; June Clover, bu.; Butterfat, lb.; Butter, lb.; Eggs, doz.; Hogs, live weight; Cattle; Calves; Hens; Springers; Geese; White duck, 5 lb. and up, lb.



WASHINGTON.

From the national capital in the District of Columbia to the smallest hamlet throughout the land, Americans, this week, turn their thoughts to the observance of the two hundredth anniversary of the birth of George Washington.

The Government, through an act of Congress, established the United States, George Washington, Bicentennial Commission, of which the president of the United States is chairman. Through the efforts of this commission, celebrations will be held throughout the nation.

February 22nd initiates the occasion and the celebrations continue until Thanksgiving.

If ever a situation called forth a man of destiny, 1776 was the occasion—and George Washington the man. No crisis ever demanded more profound knowledge and ability—not only in one special field, but in all functions of government.

No man ever came nearer to fulfilling in accomplishment all that was required of him than George Washington.

In breadth of vision, virility of spirit, compassion for humanity and conception of government, George Washington was unexcelled in his time, seldom surpassed in any time. It is, indeed, doubtful if our nation could have grown from scarce two million artisans and handicraftsmen, farmers and frontiersmen, into its present highly complex industrial civilization of one hundred and twenty-two millions without the solid, fundamental, yet elastic and flexible foundation which came to us as an heritage from George Washington.

Is it not significant that our constitution has survived the astounding changes in living modes of the past one hundred and fifty years? Is it not significant that a man, thinking, living, working, fighting in an era of agricultural economy, could have assisted in the construction and establishment of a form of government which has served with but eighteen changes through a century and a half?

Back over a span of two hundred years the eyes of a grateful people are at this time focussed on the old Washington home at Wakefield, Westmoreland County, Virginia, where was born our first American, George Washington.

STARTING UP THE HILL.

In every mail this newspaper receives enough neatly mimeographed sheets of paper which, if placed side by side and end to end, would paper a fair sized room.

Each of these sheets is supposed to be disguised as news but the disguise is very thin, so thin in fact that even the office boy can tell that hopeful manufacturers are seeking thereby to obtain valuable advertising without paying for it. And so the huge waste paper barrel fills rapidly.

Occasionally these mendicant "advertisers" have a real pearl hidden away in a labyrinth of words. So it was this morning for at the very end of some six pages of closely typewritten "puffs" received from a tire manufacturer appeared the following paragraph:

"In 1930 according to statistics, 20% more tire mileage was consumed than was sold and approximately the same was true in 1931. We feel, therefore, that this vacuum must soon be filled and that we can look forward to a considerably greater volume of business in 1932."

Right there, in those few words, is the history of this depression, part of the real reason for it, and a prediction of business recovery based on a sound premise.

Just insert the word "clothes," or "shoes," or "automobiles," or "furniture," or "building materials" in place of "tires" in that paragraph omitting the word "mileage" or substituting one more appropriate, and you have the correct picture so far as those other industries are concerned.

Retail stocks in all lines are at low points. Goods in the hands of consumers are being used to the last ounce of good but must wear out eventually.

Roger W. Babson, noted statistician and economist, whose comments on what we may expect for 1932 were published in this newspaper Saturday, points out that as soon as retailers are convinced that commodity prices have reached

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**Dept. of State  
News Bulletin**

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The meeting has been arranged to discuss problems of gasoline tax evasion common to the states. One of the specific problems to be discussed is that of running gasoline across state lines for the purpose of evading taxes.

The secretary of state has delegated George L. Clark, director of the gasoline tax division of the department, to represent Michigan at this meeting.

Portable feed and grist mills, mounted on trucks must pay a tax on the entire weight of the outfit as it is used upon highways before securing 1932 license plates, the Department of State was informed in a recent opinion from the attorney general's department.

There are about 100 portable mills operating in Michigan, according to departmental records, and several owners this year sought to class the mill equipment as "load" and pay a tax only upon the truck chassis. In computing weight taxes for these vehicles, the opinion of the state's legal department is being followed.

Neither the secretary of state nor any other state or local official has authority to extend the time for using 1931 license plates beyond Feb. 29. Motorists who wait until the last days of the month to secure 1932 licenses, may have to endure long waits and other inconveniences.

**ELMWOOD.**

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Moore of Caro and their guest, Mrs. Henry Brandon, of Pontiac were Monday evening visitors at the Stephen Moore home.

The Elmwood Missionary circle met Friday for dinner with Mr. and Mrs. John Schass.

The Misses Marie and Hilda O'Dell visited Saturday with their sister, Mrs. Hubert Root, near Saginaw.

Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Leishman attended the funeral of Mrs. Guy McCreedy at Fairgrove on Thursday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Beardley and children were Sunday dinner guests at the Spaven home.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Sharpe of Royal Oak visited relatives here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Bursé visited Mrs. Bert Southworth of Caro on Tuesday. Mrs. Southworth is quite ill at her home.

The Juvenile Ellington-Elmwood Grange met Friday evening at the Wm. Jackson home.

Mrs. Agnes McCreedy passed away early Tuesday morning and the funeral was held on Thursday afternoon at the Sunshine church.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Bursé called Sunday on John Bearss, who is ill at his home near Cass City.

Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Turner and sons were visitors at the S. A. Dickinson home at Unionville on Sunday.

**ARGYLE.**

The regular meeting of the Argyle Community club was held on Thursday evening, Feb. 11, at the Krause hall with an attendance of about 300. The meeting was called to order by the president, Irene Pomella at 8:30. Community singing was followed by a program sponsored by the Wheeler School, Dist. No. 2. Miss Willets of Sandusky gave a very interesting talk of her trip to Rome. Other numbers on the program were: Song, "Dr. Denny and Nancy Jones." A male quartet sang a few selections. Recitation, "Down on the Farm." Play, "Yes, Caleb." Leonard J. Patterson, Crowell attorney, gave a talk on taxes. County Agent John Martin gave a short talk. B. A. Elliott and son of Cass City furnished the company with musical numbers. Supper was served by the refreshment committee. The next meeting will be held Friday evening, Mar. 4. Everybody welcome.

**NOVESTA.**

Mrs. Melvin O'Dell visited one week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Perry, in Caro.

And some more mud. Arthur Englehart is getting set to do custom lumber sawing on his farm.

Miss Veta Holcomb of Snover visited over the week-end at the home of her uncle, W. Phillips.

Duncan McArthur and sister, Mrs. Sarah Gillies, were Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George McArthur.

Miss Thelma Henderson of Bay City spent from Friday until Sunday at the home of her parents here.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Phillips visited at the home of a brother, Ervin Phillips, at Yale on Monday, returning the same day. Ervin

Phillips is in poor health.

Mr. and Mrs. Anson Henderson and Thelma and Arthur Henderson were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Goodall in Cass City.

William C. O'Dell and friend were callers at his parental home here Sunday. Melvin O'Dell and Miss Valma returned to Vassar with them for a week.

A real estate deal that has been hanging fire for some time was consummated early this week where parties from southern St. Clair county came into possession of the 160-acre farm in sec. 24, Novesta, of Mr. and Mrs. Sheriff Holcomb. The new owners will take possession at once.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Sharp of Detroit and Mr. and Mrs. Jesse O'Dell of Cass City visited at Melvin O'Dell's home last week.

**EVERGREEN.**

The Frank Moore family is moving to Shabbona this week. Sorry to see them go.

Albert Kitchin is ill with congestion of the lungs this week.

News has been received of the death of Robert McInnis of Ann Arbor, a former resident here. The family have the sympathy of their friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kitchin visited Mrs. K's brother in Novesta on Monday.

Mrs. A. W. Kitchin is suffering from an injury received from a fall.

Mr. and Mrs. George Rohrbach of Cass City and Miss Mildred Kitchin of Pontiac were callers at the Albert Kitchin home Tuesday evening.

Mrs. May Stitt, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Hazel Kitchin, has returned to her home in Decker.

Prayer meeting was held at the home of Geo. Bullock on Tuesday evening. Next week at Geo. Darling's home.

Advertise it in the Chronicle.

**Deford**

Mr. and Mrs. N. R. Kennedy and son, Roderick, attended the funeral service for Dugald Kennedy at Rodney, Ontario.

Wm. Bentley had a new electric water system installed the past week.

Bemis Bentley, while assisting in shoeing a horse, received a severe cut in the neck, which required seven stitches. He is improving nicely.

L. M. Stenger made a business trip on Tuesday to Elkton.

Rev. L. D. Welton is holding regular services each Sunday afternoon at the Erskine church.

Newell Hubbard was a business caller at Saginaw on Monday.

Kenneth Kelley was a caller at Detroit on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Kilgore spent Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Scott Kelley at Mayville.

Miss Gladys Wentworth of North Branch spent Sunday with Viola Bruce.

Miss Avis Sangster of Saginaw and Miss Theresa Sangster of Decker were dinner guests on Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. James Sangster.

Mrs. C. J. Malcolm and Mrs. Sarah Riddle attended the Lenten service, Sunday afternoon, at the Kingston M. E. church.

Wm. Patch is at home again after spending the past three weeks at Wahjamega where he was employed as substitute for a man, on account of the other's sickness.

Mrs. Kenneth Kelley spent Thursday and Friday of last week with Mrs. Clarence May at Caro.

Ernest Hildinger and Lloyd Warner spent Sunday at Pontiac. Mr. Warner visited at the homes of Frank Crawford and Mrs. Peter Bell.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Martin were in Mayville Thursday of last week. Mrs. Martin attended the meeting of the Mayville W. C. T. U. and on Tuesday Mr. Martin attended

the meeting of the Michigan Sugar Co. Mrs. Martin visited at the home of Mrs. Chatterton at Caro.

**Current Comment**

**BOTH SENTIMENTAL AND SELFISH**

Most of the arguments concerning trading at home have been worn out with constant repetition. Yet the subject is still a vital and an important one.

During the past few years there have been important changes in merchandising. The argument by most local merchants is not so much to trade at home as to trade with the particular type of store that they represent. Mail order business has declined and most of the mail order houses have established their retail outlets.

The method of distributing merchandise over the counter, a personal transportation between buyer and seller, was never more firmly established than today. That is a favorable fact for local merchants. The local merchant still has his competition. It is usually in the next town or nearby city.

The appeal to people to buy at home must be put upon more than mere sentimental grounds, though there is force to the argument of loyalty to friends, neighbors and customers.

Many people in small communities state that they cannot buy as cheaply at home as in some distant point. Sometimes facts bear out this argument. But when people live in a small community they must expect to do business on the basis that it is essential to success of business in a smaller town. It is selfish to expect your customers to pay the prices that you ask and yet be unwilling to pay fair prices for what you buy of them. Business must be done at a profit. If you get a profit yourself you must expect to pay one to the other fellow.

We are not discouraged about the small town and city. Some folks say that decline of the smaller

centers is inevitable. There is little to prove it. Population is not growing as rapidly in smaller communities as in the cities. But the cities have grown too rapidly—too many of their people have no work. Population is no asset unless that population is well employed.

On every hand there is evidence of improvement in small communities. That improvement consists of better streets, schools, highways, homes and stores. And with all of these things there is a most reasonable evidence of community loyalty—a spirit which makes for sound development and for general good will.

When you trade at home you help other people to trade with you. These are both sentimental and selfish reasons for trading with your neighbors. —Herald-Review, Grand Rapids, Minnesota.

**PURCHASE SHORTHORN SIRE.**

Hennessy Brothers have purchased a Shorthorn sire from McLachlan Bros. of Marion, Mich., which will be delivered at the farm of the boys' father, Dan Hennessy, next week. This will be a valuable addition to the herd on this farm. This animal was sired by Collyne Marshall, that was second at the International Stock show and grand champion at the show at Portland, Oregon.

**Roots Retain Vitality**  
The roots of trees continue to grow after the trees are cut down.

**VILLAGE REGISTRATION NOTICE.**

Registration notice for village election on Monday, March 14, 1932.

To the qualified electors of the Village of Cass City, County of Tuscola, State of Michigan.

Notice is hereby given that in conformity with the "Michigan Election Law," I, the undersigned village clerk, will, upon any day, except Sunday and a legal holiday, the day of any regular or special

election or primary election, receive for registration the name of any legal voter in said village not already registered who may apply to me personally for such registration. Provided, however, that I can receive no names for registration during the time intervening between the second Saturday before any regular, special, or official primary election and the day of such election.

The last day for general registration does not apply to persons who vote under the Absent Voters' Law.

Notice is further hereby given that I will be at the Cass City State Bank, in Cass City, on Tuesday, February 23rd, 1932, The Twentieth Day Preceding Said Election.

From 9 o'clock a. m. until 4 o'clock p. m. on each said day for the purpose of reviewing the registration and registering such of the qualified electors in said village as shall properly apply therefor.

Saturday, March 5, 1932, Last Day From 9 o'clock a. m. to 4 o'clock p. m. for general registration by personal application for said election.

The name of no person but an actual resident of the precinct at the time of registration and entitled under the constitution, if remaining such resident, to vote at the next election, shall be entered in registration book.

C. M. Wallace, Village Clerk.

**RESOLUTIONS OF RESPECT.**

"Our lives are rivers, guiding through To that unfathomed, boundless sea The silent tomb."

In memory of Brother Alexander C. Sinclair, who died Feb. 10, 1932. "Leaves have their time to fall, and flowers to wither at the north wind's cold blast, but thou, oh Death! hath all seasons for thine own."

Once again a Brother Mason, having completed the designs written for him on life's trestle board, has passed through the portals of Eternity and entered the Grand Lodge of the New Jerusalem and hath received as his reward, the

white stone with the new name written thereon.

And Whereas, the all-wise and merciful Master of the universe has called from labor to refreshments our beloved and respected brother.

And whereas he having been a true and faithful brother of our beloved Order, therefore, be it Resolved, That Tyler Lodge, No. 317, F. & A. M. of Cass City, Mich., in testimony of her loss, be draped in mourning for thirty days, and that we tender to the family of our deceased brother our sincere condolence in their deep affliction, and that a copy of these resolutions be sent to the family.

Isaac Hall, Neil McLarty, G. A. Striffler, Committee.

"There is only a curtain between us, Between the beyond and the here; They whom they call dead have not left us, Nay, they were never so near."

**EXTRA  
Special Sale**

One Week Only Starting  
**Saturday, Feb. 20**

we will give  
**1/2 OFF**

on all card goods, brooches, cuff buttons, bracelets, chains, set rings, etc.

**Silverware and Watches**

**1/3 OFF**

All goods sold for Cash.  
**A. H. Higgins**  
Jeweler.

**FEBRUARY SALE**

Zephyr Knit Sweaters  
Very fashionable right now for Women and Misses' New Spring Colors  
**\$1.95**




Bear Brand Hosiery  
New Spring Shades  
**49c** Pair



Men's Dress Shirts  
Large assortment to Close Out  
**49c**



Men's Silk Ties going At  
**25c 39c**



36 in. Percales and Prints Fast Color, per yard	<b>10c</b>
New Gingham and Cretonnes, per yard	<b>10c</b>
Regular 15c Romper Cloth, per yard	<b>10c</b>
Linen Toweling per yard	<b>15c</b>
Manchester Percales 80 squares, per yard	<b>15c</b>
Druid Sheeting 36 in., per yard	<b>5c</b>
Outing Flannel 36 in.	<b>10c</b>
Outing Flannel 27 in.	<b>7 1/2c</b>
One lot of Girls' and Ladies' Unionsuits to clean up	<b>25c</b>
Boys' Wash Suits For Spring	<b>29c and 59c</b>
Children's School Stockings	<b>10c-13c-19c and 23c</b>
New Mesh Hose	<b>29c and 49c</b>
Men's Flannel Night Shirts	<b>49c</b>
Men's All Wool Unionsuits	<b>\$1.98</b>
Men's Half Wool Unionsuits	<b>\$1.59</b>
Part Wool Bed Blankets Size 66x80	<b>98c</b>

Bed Blankets, Double 70x80	<b>\$1.29</b>
Fancy Scrim Curtains, Blue, Pink or Green trimmed, pr	<b>49c</b>
Luncheon Cloths All linen	<b>59c</b>
Baby Blankets 24x36	<b>25c</b>
Outing Night Gowns	<b>39c</b>
Bed Spreads New	<b>98c</b>
Rag Rugs 18x36	<b>25c</b>
Men's-Work Socks, pr	<b>6c</b>
Men's Fancy Rayon Dress Socks	<b>10c</b>
One lot of Sweaters to close out	<b>49c</b>
Men's Felt Hats	<b>79c</b>
Men's One Buckle Overshoes	<b>98c</b>
\$1.98 Wool Shirts Now	<b>79c</b>
Sheepskin Coats	<b>\$1.98</b>
Leather Coats Sale price	<b>\$3.98</b>
Overcoats Now selling at	<b>\$1.98</b>
Bed Blankets All Wool, 70x80	<b>\$3.98</b>

Men's Overalls or Jackets New Low Price	<b>50c</b>
Young Men's Shirts and Shorts This year	<b>19c</b>
Men's and Boys' Dress Caps for Spring New Caps at Special Prices	<b>39c 79c</b>
Girls' School Dresses New Fast Color Materials	<b>55c</b>






**Folkert's Bargain Store**

### Turning Back the Pages

Items from the files of Cass City Newspapers of 1897 and 1907.

#### Twenty-five Years Ago.

Feb. 22, 1907.  
Bender Bros. have purchased the stock of Laing & James and are busy this week taking inventory and getting everything in readiness to do business.

Two new automobiles have been purchased by Cass Cityites—a Stevens Duryea four-cylinder touring car by Herb Frutchey, and a two-cylinder Detroit touring car by A. Frutchey.

Wm. Zinnecker has purchased the Mickle residence on Segar St. from A. H. Ale.

Peter P. Webber of Caseville will open a shoe repair shop in the basement of J. D. Crosby & Son's store next week.

Miss Elsie Murphy left Saturday for Detroit to attend the millinery openings and from there she will go to Vassar where she conducts a millinery store.

Geo. L. Hitchcock this week purchased his mother's interest in the hardware business of J. L. Hitchcock & Sons and also her interest in the opera house block.

Rudolph Kaiser left Wednesday morning for Buffalo, N. Y., to resume his work for Uncle Sam. He has some two years to remain yet before his term of enlistment expires.

John F. Copland, who for some time has possessed the nicest and largest mare in this vicinity, last week sold the same to outside parties for the snug sum of \$295.

#### Thirty-five Years Ago.

Feb. 25, 1897.  
J. D. Crosby and M. Sheridan are testing the efficacy of the mineral waters at Mt. Clemens.

The new post office in Evergreen township is to be called Pingree and the service is expected to start next week.

The gentlemen of the Presbyterian church have organized themselves into a "Men's Aid" and are preparing to give a tea in the town hall on Mar. 2.

At the last meeting of the Summer Home club, it was decided to make an assessment upon stockholders for the purpose of causing a channel to be dredged from deep water to the inner shore at Oak Bluff. The channel will be sufficiently large to accommodate pleasure boats.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh McCol of Greenleaf was the scene of a very pretty wedding Wednesday, Feb. 24, when Anna L., their third daughter, was united in marriage with Ernest F. Kreiman.

#### BEAULEY.

A great many of our neighbors are ill with the grip and flu.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Russell spent Sunday evening at the Archie McAlpin home.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Reader spent Monday afternoon in Sebawaing.

Our W. H. M. S. has been invited to visit the Cass City auxiliary at the home of Mrs. M. D. Hartt on Feb. 18.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Reader attended the funeral of Mrs. Catherine Karr at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Charles Evans, near Cass City Tuesday afternoon.

Claud Martin still continues ill with rheumatism. His friends are wishing him a speedy recovery. He is grateful to his neighbors who provided a wood bee last week and made about 80 cords of wood ready for him to use.

Little Lulu Bell Heron of Cleveland, Ohio, is spending some time with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Heron.

S. H. Heron made a business trip to Lapeer Tuesday.

Much sympathy is expressed for Mrs. L. J. Carroll of Long Beach, California, in the loss of her husband. Mr. Carroll lived for many years in our neighborhood and has many friends who hold his memory dear.

#### RESCUE.

Ralph Britt made a business trip to Detroit the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. John McAlpine visited last week at the former's parental home in Bad Axe.

Albert Yotham, Howard McCallum, Miss Vera McCallum and Mrs. Neva Parker of Pontiac visited relatives here Saturday evening and Sunday.

The Premo S. S. class will hold their class meeting at the William Congdon home on Friday evening, Feb. 19.

Mr. and Mrs. John McAlpine were callers Monday evening at the Alex Clark home in Sheridan.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Taylor were visitors Friday at the Levi Helwig home in Elkland and at the James Brackenbury home in Cass City.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Mellendorf visited at the latter's parental home in Elkland Sunday. Paul Hartwick returned to his home after visiting a few days with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Ulysses Parker and daughter, Freida, were callers in Caro and Cass City Saturday afternoon.

On account of the bad weather, there was a small turnout at the aid meeting at the Martin home last Thursday.

Ralph Britt and son, Frederick, and Charles Davison were Cass City callers Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Ashmore and children spent Sunday visiting relatives at Lum.

Newel Inglesbe returned home recently from Detroit where he visited his sons and families for a week.

Sidney Roberts and Mrs. Joseph Young are very poorly at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. Levi Helwig and daughter, Lenora, and son, Elwyn, of Elkland, Rev. and Mrs. Geo. Hill of Elkton, Mr. and Mrs. John McCallum and Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Heron of Grant were visitors at the Joseph Mellendorf home last Wednesday.

Relatives and friends in this vicinity were indeed sorry to hear of the serious illness of James Brackenbury of Cass City, who was formerly a resident of Grant.

Miss Beatrice Martin has been hired to teach the Sharrard school in Grant Dist. No. 2, and Miss Ellen Shiers has been engaged to teach in the Dickhout school in Grant Dist. No. 6. Miss Florence Slack has been rehired in Grant Dist. No. 4, the Heron school.

Mr. and Mrs. Burt Libkuman, Mr. and Mrs. Charles McDonald and Miss Maggie Burleigh of Marlette were Sunday visitors at the Neil McPhail home in Northeast Grant and also called at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Taylor.

Mrs. Hazel Webster, Erma and Lucille Atkinson, Hazel Summers and Mrs. Joseph Mellendorf and son, Norris, visited our school Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Lock and children spent Sunday in Utica. Mrs. Lock stayed for a week's visit with her aunt.

Mrs. Max Agar and children of Caro spent Sunday at the Ben Gage home.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Sherwood and family spent Sunday afternoon in Clifford.

Mr. and Mrs. N. R. Kennedy and son, Roderick, attended the funeral of an uncle of Mr. K. Dugald Kennedy, of Rodney, Ont. He is the last of the older family.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Lock and aunt, Mrs. Patterson, spent Thursday of last week with a sister of Mrs. Patterson in Utica.

There is sickness in nearly every home in Deford.

Mrs. Clarence May of Caro spent Thursday of last week with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Kelley.

N. R. Kennedy and Ben Gage made a business-trip to Caro on Monday.

Mrs. Mellish and children spent Sunday with Mrs. Ella Spencer.

Mr. and Mrs. Nichols and children of Fairgrove called on Mrs. Ella Spencer on Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Thomas Gillies returned home on Monday from her sister's home northwest of Cass City where she has helped care for her mother, Mrs. Karr, who has been seriously ill for the past two weeks. Mrs. Karr passed away on Sunday evening.

Mrs. Seth Spencer returned home on Tuesday, Feb. 9, from Ann Arbor.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Zemke and Mrs. Ward Roberts spent Saturday afternoon in Caro.

#### KINGSTON.

A large crowd attended the P. T. A. meeting last Wednesday in the high school. B. H. McComb of Caro talked on "Compulsory Education" and the Girls' Glee club sang.

The pastor and choir from North Branch conducted the vesper services in the M. E. church Sunday afternoon from four to five o'clock.

Mart Glassford of New York visited at the home of Charles Sanford last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Theron Gibbs of Caro spent Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Moyer.

Mrs. Earl Williams and children are ill with the flu.

Mr. and Mrs. Murray Wallace and Marian Hartt of Pontiac spent Sunday here with relatives.

Redford Caverly is entertaining his brother, M. B. Caverly, of Prescott.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Earl Nellis of Flint on Feb. 2, a daughter.

The annual Father and Son banquet will be held in the M. E. church dining room on Monday, Feb. 22. Rev. Julian West of Saginaw will be the speaker. Price of tickets for father and son are 75c.

Lena Smith of Cass City spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Smith.

The Marlette pastor and choir will have charge of the vesper services in the M. E. church on Sunday, Feb. 21.

The Thumb basketball tournament will be held at the Kingston high school gym on Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, Feb. 23, 24, 25 and 26.

Marian Oberly, six year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Oberly, died Friday night at Marlette hospital. She was operated on Thursday night at midnight for a ruptured appendix. She leaves four brothers and two sisters, all at home. Funeral services were held Monday morning at the Catholic church at Clifford, with burial in Catholic cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. F. Jeffery of Caro spent Sunday with Rachel Jeffery.

#### ELLINGTON-NOVESTA.

Mrs. Wm. Logey of Kingsley and Mr. and Mrs. George Bergen of Flint spent Wednesday night at the Wm. Little home.

Carl McConnell spent a few days with his parents last week, returning to Detroit Sunday.

Mrs. Lydia Frank and son, Will, of Ubyly spent Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Knoblet. Mr. Knoblet's health is very poor.

Mr. and Mrs. Luke Tuckey and family spent Sunday with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Doerr.

Miss Irene McConnell is unable to attend school this week because of illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Mack Little entertained for dinner Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Little, Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Turner, and Cressy Steele.

Mr. and Mrs. Aller Wanner

were in Lum Friday where they attended the funeral services for Mr. Wanner's brother-in-law, James Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Stine and daughter, Marjorie, and Harold Ferguson were Sunday dinner guests at the Jess O'Dell home.

Mrs. S. B. Hyke spent Monday afternoon at the M. McBurney home in Cass City.

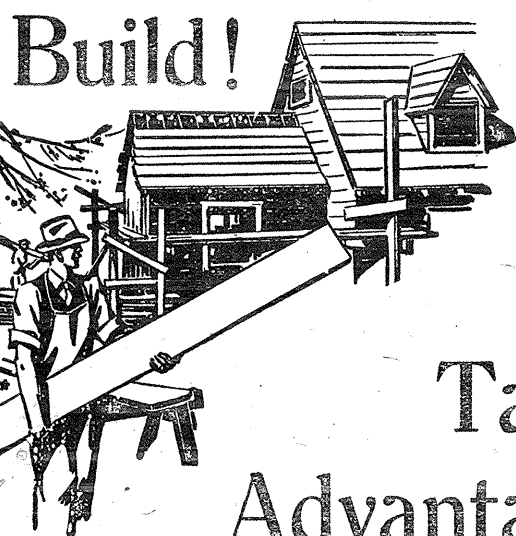
Bobbie Koib was on the sick list last week and missed school for the first time this year.

#### Dice of Asiatic Origin?

It is not known how and in what manner dice actually originated. Wherever dice have been found in the tombs of ancient Egypt, in Greece, or in the Far East, they differ in no material respect from those in use today. They were probably evolved from knuckle-bones. It is certain that dice games were played in times prior to those of which we have any written record. The fact that dice have been used throughout the Orient from time immemorial seems to indicate an Asiatic origin.

#### Alps' New Attraction

The Alps have produced their first cold water geyser. It came into being during the course of sound ing operations near the bath resort of Schuls-Tarasp. The geyser erupts regularly every 15 minutes, the jet attaining a height of more than 80 feet.

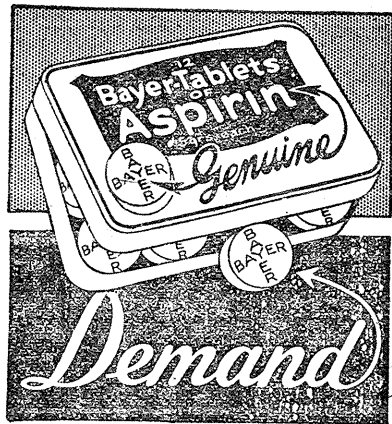


## Build! Take Advantage of 1914 Prices

It's a time of low prices—a time to buy wealth! Build a home. Your money will buy tangible values—wood, nails, cement, brick—supplies that can be made into attractive homes that will increase in value—the more because they were purchased at bottom-of-the-market prices. No other investment that you can make has the potential possibilities of increase that homebuilding has at this time. No other use for your money will return so much in future valuations or present savings.

See us about the materials.  
**FARM PRODUCE CO.**  
Lumber Dept.

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is always SAFE beware of imitations

Unless you see the name Bayer and the word genuine on the package as pictured above you can never be sure that you are taking the genuine Bayer Aspirin that thousands of physicians prescribe in their daily practice.

The name Bayer means genuine Aspirin. It is your guarantee of purity—your protection against the

imitations. Millions of users have proved that it is safe.

Genuine Bayer Aspirin promptly relieves:

- Headaches
- Colds
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No harmful after-effects follow its use. It does not depress the heart.

## Outstanding Dress Bargains



FOR  
**55<sup>c</sup>**

2 for \$1.00

You will be positively amazed at the values presented in this collection! Smart, wearable fashions that you will find perfectly appropriate for countless occasions of spring. Colors to become every type.

## Folkert's Bargain Store

# MEASURED IN MILES

SUPPOSE for a moment that advertising didn't exist—that there were no trade-marked goods—that everything you bought had to be judged solely by its feel or taste?

Imagine yourself setting out to do the morning's shopping under such conditions. You'd drive down the street, looking in windows for the articles you needed—the blouses for Johnny, the half-dozen towels, the toilet soap, the washing machine, the radio, etc. You'd stop, ask questions, examine the towels, smell the soap, wonder if here was your money's worth or if you might find something better farther on. And though you followed this procedure mile after weary mile, you could never be SURE.

Computed simply in terms of gasoline and tires and shoe leather, advertising saves you a startling sum every year. And if you add the value of your time, the amount is vastly increased.

When you buy a product that is advertised you know in advance what you will get, how much it costs you and where you can obtain it. That is why, in millions of modern homes, the newspaper advertising columns are a daily guide to purchases.

Read the advertisements, decide what you need, then buy with assurance.

## Let Advertising Save You Time and Money!

Chronicle Liners Cost Little; Accomplish Much. Try them.

# John Gresham's Girl

by Concordia Merrel  
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## CHAPTER X

Lee Confesses His Love.  
HER tears ceased presently, and she rose, bathed her face and spent some time before the mirror, doing everything she knew to efface the blotchy effect of them. Life seemed very dark and hopeless. She felt that she had done everything, tried everything, in her power to put things right and that it had been utterly unavailing. Well, she had better do as he had said, and go. And yet she was sure that he was so near to loving her.

## Directory.

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Cass City, Michigan.  
Telephone—No. 80.

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We solicit your patronage when in need of work.

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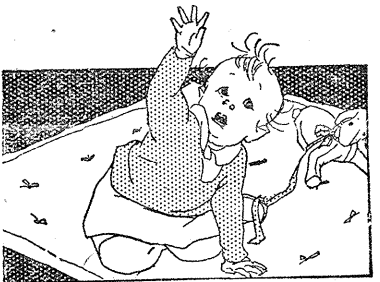
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Jim Auctioneers Bill Age, experience—Youth, ability  
We sell anything anywhere. If you don't employ us, we both lose money. Write for dates and instructions to Deckerville, Mich. Phone 56-15.

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Auctioneer, Cass City  
Dates may be arranged with Cass City Chronicle office, Cass City. Phone 134-F5.



## BABY FRETFUL, RESTLESS?

Look to this cause  
When your baby fusses, tosses and seems unable to sleep restfully, look for one common cause, doctors say. Constipation. To get rid quickly of the accumulated wastes which cause restlessness and discomfort, give a cleansing dose of Castoria. Castoria, you know, is made especially for children's delicate needs. It is a pure vegetable preparation; contains no harsh drugs, no narcotics. It is so mild and gentle you can give it to a young infant to relieve colic. Yet it is as effective for older children. Castoria's regulative help will bring relaxed comfort and restful sleep to your baby. Keep a bottle on hand. Genuine Castoria always has the name.



## A Bladder Physic

Is a medicine that works on the bladder as castor oil on the bowels. Drives out impurities and excess acids that cause irritation which results in getting up nights, frequent desire, burning, leg pains and backache. Get a 25c test box of BU-KETS, (5 gr. Tablets) the pleasant bladder physic from any druggist. After four days if not relieved go back and get your money. You will feel better after this cleansing and you get your regular sleep. L. I. Wood and Co. Druggist—Adv. B-42.

Advertise it in the Chronicle.

Last night during the storm, how gentle and dear he had been. Very willing, too, to hold her close in his arms and press his somber face caressingly to her gold hair. Surely it had been love that had made him unable to bear the torments of jealousy that Jocelyn's lies had aroused; had made him abandon plans and engagements, and get into his powerful car and come post haste to her here to learn the truth for himself? And yet, if it were love, he was utterly unwilling to own it. What was left for her to do? Just to do as he had said, she supposed, and leave him. . . . Should she? Now? Right away? And let him find her gone when he got back? The idea held sway for a while, but somehow she couldn't bring herself to act upon it. She knew it was hopeless and yet she must just see him again before she went; must let him know she was going. . . . But he seemed in no hurry to get back to her. She waited tea till six and dinner till nearly nine. Still he didn't come. So dinner was a lonely meal that evening, that seemed to be threatening to choke her with each mouthful. Then the thought struck her that he did not intend to come back. No, that could not very well be, because he had taken none of his things. Oh, well, whether he came back or not, she would go tomorrow morning; first thing. Back to her father, confessing that failure she had told Jim she would not confess.

She went to her room and began gathering her belongings, ready for packing in the morning. Packing some of them now; feeling wretchedly unhappy; her heart aching as it never had ached before. She was engaged in this way, when suddenly she heard him return. She straightened up and stood rigidly still at the sound of his steps. He came straight to her door and opened it without preliminaries of any sort, shut it behind him and leaned back against it. She was startled at sight of his face, for she had never seen him look just as he was looking now. "What are you doing?" he demanded, his voice strained and queer. "Packing," she answered, "I'm going." "To leave me?" "Yes, you told me to." Their eyes met in a look that held.

Suddenly he came toward her; caught her arms, looked down into her face with burning eyes and said: "You're not. Do you understand? And don't ever shut me out again; say you did this afternoon. Don't." "D'you hear?" The words were shaking from his lips as if the emotions that prompted him were threatening to rend him. "You've beaten me, Lucy. I was lying to you when I said that I didn't love you. . . . I'm mad with longing for you. . . . You've worked your woman-power on me and beaten me. . . . I love you. . . . Love you." The repetition came with an emphasis that made the words sound curiously desperate, as if it were indeed a surrender.

"Jim? Is this true?" she asked, and her heart was knocking hard in her breast. "True?" He laughed, oddly. "True? When I'm so mad for you that I can't think of anything else? . . . When your face comes between me and everything I try to do? When I'm giddy. . . . drunk with the nearness of you. . . . True?" He laughed again in the same way and the strength of his hands around her arms was so great that it was painful. Suddenly he pulled her close. "Love you?" "Do I love you?" "I love you." "I'll show you how I love you." "I'll show you how true it is. . . . His arms went wholly round her and he crushed her up to him, so that she could scarcely breathe. Then she found his face close upon hers, and his kisses on her hair, on her cheeks, on her throat. . . .



"Jim—Jim—" She faltered out. "I love you. . . . I'll show you how true it is. . . . His arms went wholly round her and he crushed her up to him, so that she could scarcely breathe. Then she found his face close upon hers, and his kisses on her hair, on her cheeks, on her throat. . . . "Jim. . . . Jim. . . ." she faltered out. "Love you? Do I love you? . . . Words fell from his lips in a torrent of passion, and then went to silence as his lips closed down upon hers. A timeless moment passed, while she stood there crushed in his arms; unable to move; almost unable to breathe for the passionate strength of him. She was lost in the ecstasy of his kisses; lost in the heaven of his love; her heart beat out sheer rapture in her breast. He raised his head presently, a queer, triumphant laugh breaking

from him; then looked down into her face, trying to see her eyes. But she kept them lowered, until, with a hand beneath her chin, he forced her to look up at him. "You asked me whether it was true," he said, unsteadily. "Is it, Lucy?" "Yes," she whispered. "It is true. . . . "Are you satisfied now that I love you?" he went on. "Yes, Jim. You love me. It is true this time. . . . Real. . . . I have no doubts. . . . "This time?" he questioned. "It was not true or real before. When you made me love you, right at the beginning. . . . When you held me in your arms. . . . Kissed me. . . . It was not real then, Jim. . . . But now. . . . This. . . . Oh, yes it's real this time. . . . She breathed a little sigh and, leaning her head upon his breast again. His arms tightened round her again, roughly; savagely almost. And his voice was queer and harsh as he said: "I think it's always been true. . . . Always been real. . . . I think I've always loved you, Lucy. Any way, you've always tormented me; maddened me; it's been sheer torture to be near you. Torture to be within arms' reach of you. . . . To long for you so. . . . "Always, Jim?" She twisted her face upwards as she asked the question. "Even that night. . . . That night of our wedding day. . . . When you told me that you hated me?"

"Oh, I don't know!" he cried. "There is no precise moment, or hour, or day for these things. They just happen. Take you unaware. Steal upon you to destroy your peace. . . . To weaken your resolutions. . . . Perhaps hate is love, when it is like that. . . . Burning. . . . Torturing. . . . Don't question, Lucy. . . . Take my love. . . . Give me yours. . . . Forget everything that has been. . . . Bury the past. . . . Let the future go hang. . . . Look at me. . . . Give me your lips. . . . Ah, darling, if you knew how I have longed for you. . . . Longed to take you in my arms. . . . Longed to kiss your lips. . . . It's purgatory to want anything as I have wanted you." His words were punctuated by his kisses that fell on her hair, on her cheeks and lips and throat. "Jim. . . . Jim. . . ." she faltered out breathlessly, amazed, almost afraid, of the wildness of his passion. "Lucy, I'm mad tonight, I think. . . . Mad with longing for you. . . . Mad with the sweetness and the beauty of you. . . . Do you know how I love you? Do you know what I want anything as I have wanted you? . . . And they are mine now, aren't they, Lucy? aren't they now?"

"I am all yours, Jim. . . . You know that. . . . I always have been, ever since the first day I saw you. . . . Jim, you know that, don't you? There's never been anyone else for me. . . . "Ames?" The question shot out from between his lips and hers, as he moved the fraction of an inch from a kiss. "Never, do you doubt it? I liked him. . . . Was fond of him as I might be of a brother. . . . But I never have loved any man but you. . . . "He says that he is going to make you leave me. . . . He can't, can he?" "Only one person can make me leave you, Jim; you, yourself. . . . "Then you'll never leave me now, Lucy. I'll never let you out of my sight again! Do you know what it is to long for anything as I have longed for you? . . . I don't believe you do. . . . I don't believe anyone could. . . .

"Jim," she answered, lifting her lips to his, "I love you, too. . . . Don't you think that I must know something about it? I've loved you all the time you have been saying that you hated me. . . . All the time I thought you were in love with Jocelyn. . . . Don't you think that perhaps I know something of what the longing of love can be? You have at least always known that you love me, while I have had to think that you hated me. . . . He crushed that off her lips with his own. "Ah, don't!" he cried. "Girl, it's been such hell. . . . But you haven't thought lately that I hated you. . . . You have known that I loved you? Haven't you? Isn't that what you tried to make me confess? Well, you've done it. You have got it from me. Beaten me. I'm done. . . . Can't hold out against you any longer. I told you I was only a man, Lucy. Nothing more; nothing less. And you have known what it means, have you? You have known the torment of it, too? Then you know that it is to me now to hold you in my arms. . . . To kiss your lips. . . . To know that at last you are mine. Mine. All the sweetness of you. . . . All the beauty. . . . He pushed her away suddenly, until she was at arms' length from him, and looked her up and down with hungry eyes. "You're some sort of miracle, aren't you, Lucy?" he added shakily. "Can anything so lovely be real?"

She laughed, rather tremulously; immensely happy at his admiration, and drew herself away from him further yet, until his clinging hands left her free, and she stood at a slight distance, looking at him with exquisite eyes, a smile on her lips. "You're rather nice to look at yourself," she said, softly. "Hasn't anyone ever told you about it before?" There was a touch of shy humor in her voice, and, as he came toward her she backed away, half-teasing; half, really shy. He started after her, hands outstretched, eyes lit. "Don't play with me, Lucy," he said, a curious tone almost like a warning in his voice. "Don't play the fool with me. I can't stand it."

"Why, darling," she cried softly, melting to a wonderful tenderness. "I'm not playing with you. . . . I'm just trying to realize it. Just trying to believe that it isn't a dream, and that I sha'n't wake up in a moment and find things. . . . as they were. . . ." She caught a breath. "Then if you are not playing with me, come here and show me that you love me. . . . Prove it to me. . . ." he demanded. She moved toward him again, that sweet, young shyness still in her eyes, and on her lips. Then held out her hands and finished the short journey at a little run. He remained unmoving, letting his arms hang at his sides, letting her stand close before him. "Show me that you love me," he said again. She raised her hands and slid them up round his neck; pulled down his head, and laid her lips to his. "Jim. . . . Jim. . . . I love you. . . . Jim," she whispered between soft little meetings of their lips. "Love you with all my heart and soul. . . . Love you so much that I don't see how I could love you more. . . . And I want your love just as much as you want mine. . . . I've longed for it, just as you have. . . . And I'm yours. . . . Wholly. . . . Absolutely yours. . . . Dear, believe it; because it is the truth. . . . At that his arms were round her again, and reality was once more sent spinning into space. "Jim," she sighed, presently, "I think I'm the happiest girl alive. . . .

"If conquest is the height of a woman's happiness, you ought to be," he answered, still holding her close, as if he were afraid to let her go. "For never was there a man more abjectly beaten by a woman than I am beaten by you. . . . And right at the very height of this wonderful new happiness of hers, she had a sudden feeling of chill fear. "That is a queer way to put it, Jim," she said, not quite steady. "Is it being beaten to win what you want? To get the love you have been longing for?" "Being beaten," he answered slowly, "is finding that you are weaker than the force you have been fighting, and surrendering to it. . . . Giving up the fight. . . . Owning up that you can't stand against it any longer. . . . That is being beaten, Lucy. . . . She tried to draw away; the little fear in her eyes now. But he held her fast and would not let her move. "And that is what has happened to you," she said, after a moment. "Yes," he said, with a short laugh. "That is what has happened to me."

"And, Jim. . . . do you want to stand against it any longer? Against love? Against me?" He pulled her strongly to him. "There's only one thing I want at the moment," he answered, with another laugh. "And that's—you." She was silent for some time, recovering from that, and realizing that he had said something from which she needed to recover. "Jim," she said at last, the name a cry. "Don't question. . . . Don't think. . . . Take the love that's burning me up, and give me yours. . . . " he said, his lips touching hers. . . . But she strained away from him, the fear beating all through her now; her newly won paradise already shimmering away into cold, remote distances. "Jim," she faltered. "Is it love that you are giving me? Is it love that you are asking me to give you in return? Is it, Jim?" "What do you think?" he countered. "Ask yourself, Jim. And tell me the truth. . . . Is it love? . . . She was pulling away from him, but he still held her tight. "Can't you see that I'm mad with love for you?" "Yes," she said slowly, a note of tears in her voice. "But, Jim, there is a difference between. . . . madness and love. . . . "Do you expect me to love you coolly? Do you think I can love you and not be mad for you? What are you asking of me, Lucy?" he said, with a touch of violence. She raised her blue eyes to his, very straightly, and he saw the fear that was in them now. "No," she said, bravely. "I do not ask that of you, nor anything else that is impossible in the love between man and woman, and, Jim, I do not want it. . . . But there is a difference between love with madness, and madness without love. . . . There is a difference, Jim, and you know it. . . . "Don't play with me, Lucy. . . . I can't stand it. . . ." he said, warningly. "Whatever my emotion for you is, it is something that is stronger than myself. . . . And anything that is stronger than oneself is dangerous. Dangerous, Lucy. Do you understand?" The words fell from his lips harshly, and the arms that held her quivered with the intensity of their own strength. "Let me go, Jim," she said, in a queer, low tone. He crushed her closer yet. "No," he said, without compromise. She did not struggle against him; she just remained passive in his arms and said again: "Jim, let me go."

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hand over his hair. . . . "What now, Lucy?" She faced him again. "I said just now that there was only one person who could make me leave you, Jim," she said as smoothly as she could. "Well, you've done it. I'm going to leave you." She half expected a renewal of his protestations of love. But he only stood quite still for a moment; then said: "Tomorrow, I'd go tonight, if it were not too late. . . . Her voice shook away to nothing. "Very well," he said. He turned and went toward his room. She followed him and as he went through the doorway he saw



She Faced Him, Pale With the Strain of It All.

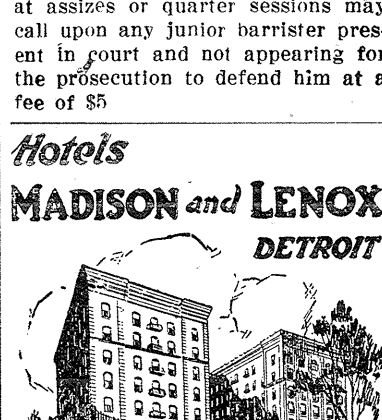
her hand went quickly to the key. He stopped and faced her, his eyes blazing again. "Don't look me out," he said furiously. "If you do, I'll smash the door down. . . . She looked at him, sharply. "And if I don't?" she asked, slowly. "I'll keep to my side of it. . . . For a moment the look between them held, then: "Very well," she said, briefly, and taking the key from the lock, she held it out to him. He took it; held it a moment so tight that the knuckles of his hand stood out white; then shut the door sharply, leaving her standing there. . . .

It seemed to Lucy that it was a stranger who faced her across the breakfast table next morning; a stranger who wore the outward aspect of her husband, but who made her think of a volcano; quiet, superficially; raging within. She knew a pang of sharpest fear as she looked at him. She had hoped that during the night he might have thought things out, and that peace might have come to his revenge driven spirit. But this morning he was like a man possessed. She did not quite know how she arrived at that; he was perfectly quiet. Too quiet; perhaps that was it. His actions were slow and measured, and yet she felt there was a turbulence underlying the smallest movement of his hand, that was all the time threatening to break out. He did not speak, but he looked at her all the time, and she felt that underlying something in his eyes too. She was terribly worried; and felt responsible. Yet what had she done last night that she would not do again, given the same circumstances? How could she use her love for him as a bribe to make him relinquish his hate of Gresham's? And even if he should relinquish all active manifestations of that hate in order to gain her love, the hate itself would still remain. She could not have done otherwise; could not have used his love in such a way; and was hurt to the depths of her heart that he should have asked it of her.

She left shortly after ten, and he said no single word of farewell. But just as she was going out of the room, he said, in a tone she had never heard from him before: "I don't know what may happen now. . . . But you will be responsible for it, whatever it may be. . . . Do you understand me?" She raised a hand to her lips, to steady them, but could not speak, and in silence, left him. To be Continued.

**English Court Procedure**  
In the English courts a prisoner at assizes or quarter sessions may call upon any junior barrister present in court and not appearing for the prosecution to defend him at a fee of \$5.

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**Little for Creditors**  
Liabilities of \$25,000 and assets of "set of gold buttons, \$50" were listed by a bankrupt at a meeting of creditors in London recently.

**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 29th day of January, A. D. 1932.  
Present: Hon. Guy G. Hill, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the Estate of Fred Bardwell, Deceased.  
Frank G. Bardwell having filed in said court his petition praying that said court adjudicate and determine who were at the time of his death the legal heirs of said deceased and entitled to inherit the real estate of which said deceased died seized,  
It is ordered, that the 26th day of February A. D. 1932, 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 2/15/32  
Minta E. Hill, Register of Probate.

**Mortgage Sale.**  
Default being made in the payment of principal and interest of a mortgage made October 11, 1923 by Geo. Marble, Clara A. Marble and John C. Cowe and Ethel B. Cowe to Anthony Doerr and Mary Ellen Doerr and recorded November 9, 1923, in the office of the register of deeds for Tuscola county, Michigan, in Liber 163 of mortgages on page 137, there is claimed to be due at the date of this notice the sum of twenty-five hundred eighty-five dollars and thirty cents.

Forsuant to the covenants thereof, the lands described below will be sold at public auction at the front door of the court house in Caro, Michigan, March 8, 1932, at one o'clock in the afternoon.  
The northeast quarter of Section 23, Town 13 North Range 10 East, Township of Ellington, Tuscola County, Michigan.  
Dated Dec. 11, 1931.  
ANTHONY DOERR,  
MARY ELLEN DOERR,  
John C. Corkins, Attorney for Mortgagee. 12/11/31

**Mortgage Sale.**  
Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made by Horace W. Cook and Lillie M. Cook, his wife, to Wilbur S. Ostrander, dated the 24th day of June, A. D. 1926, and recorded in the office of the register of deeds for the County of Tuscola in Liber 156 of mortgages on page 45, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date of this notice for principal and interest the sum of Three hundred seventy-six dollars and forty cents (\$376.40), and the sum of One hundred twenty two dollars and four cents (\$122.04) for taxes paid by the mortgagee and an attorney's fee of twenty-five dollars (\$25.00) as provided for by law, and no suit or proceeding at law having been instituted to recover the money secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof, notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and the statute in such case made and provided, on the 16th day of April, A. D. 1932, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, Central Standard time, the undersigned will, at the front door of the Court House in the city of Caro, in Tuscola County, Michigan, that being a place where the Circuit Court for the County of Tuscola is held, sell, at public auction to the highest bidder, the premises described in said mortgage, or as much thereof as shall be necessary to pay the amount so as aforesaid due on said mortgage, with seven (7) per cent interest and all legal costs, together with said attorney's fee, which said premises are described in said mortgage as follows:

The west one-half (1/2) of the southeast one-quarter (1/4) of Section thirty (30) Town thirteen (13) North, Range eleven (11) East, Novesta Township, Tuscola County, Michigan, containing 80 acres more or less.  
DATED January 11, A. D. 1932.  
WILBUR S. OSTRANDER,  
Mortgagee.

Wm C. Brown, Attorney for Mortgagee. Business Address: 415 Hollister Bldg., Lansing, Mich. 1/15/32

**What a Bladder Physic**  
Should do. Work on the bladder as castor oil on the bowels. Drive out impurities and excess acids that cause irritation which results in getting up nights, frequent desire, burning, leg pains or backache. BU-KETS (5 gr. tab ts) is a pleasant bladder physic. Get a 25c test box from your druggist. After four days if not relieved go back and get your money. You will feel good after this cleansing and you get your regular sleep. L. I. Wood and Co., Druggist—Adv. B-44.

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# Deaths

**Mrs. Robert McCreedy.**  
Mrs. Robert McCreedy passed away early Tuesday morning, Feb. 16, at the home of her son, Warren McCreedy, 7 1/2 miles west of Cass City. Funeral services were held at the Sunshine church on Thursday afternoon and interment made in Elmwood cemetery.

**Robt. H. McInnes.**  
Robert Henry McInnes was born near Park Hill, Ont., Dec. 13, 1860, and passed to his eternal reward Feb. 14, 1932, at the age of 71 years, 2 months and 1 day.

The early part of his life was spent near his birthplace, in farming and building. He was united in marriage to Melissa Rumohr on Dec. 21, 1887, to which union were born three sons and one daughter. One son died at the age of seven years. In 1895, Mr. McInnes with his wife and two children moved near Cass City and settled on a farm and remained there for several years. They moved to Cass City where they lived three years and then went to Ann Arbor 11 years ago where he resided until his death.

Mr. McInnes was converted in and later joined the Methodist Episcopal church in middle age where he was a faithful and earnest worker. He was a regular attendant of the Simpson Park Holiness campmeeting at Romeo.

He is survived by the widow, Melissa Rumohr McInnes; two sons, Fred T. of Port Huron and Dr. Wm. R. of Alma; a daughter, Mrs. Robt. Bevington, of Kittingning, Pa.; five grandchildren; four brothers, J. S. of Winnipeg, Alexander of Park Hill, Ont., Alfred of Vancouver, Arthur of Mackeroff, Manitoba; a sister, Mrs. Geo. M. Davis of Cass City; and a host of other relatives and friends.

He was carried to his last resting place by Fred T. and Zaida McInnes, Wm. R. and Clarel McInnes, Alma and Rev. Bevington. Rev. Weaver of Crosswell conducted the services, aided by the pastor of the church with which Mr. McInnes was connected.

**Carl J. Thomas.**  
Carl J. Thomas, who conducted an oil station and store, on M-53, four miles east and four miles south of Cass City, passed away Thursday, Feb. 11. Cause of death is given as bronchial asthma and heart trouble. Funeral services were conducted at the home Monday afternoon by Rev. Frank Hemingway and Rev. Clink. Burial was made at the Bad Axe cemetery.

Mr. Thomas was born at Lapeer, Mich., May 28, 1880. He leaves his widow, Mrs. Maude Thomas; three sisters, Mrs. Mattie Kelly of Lapeer, Mrs. Myrtle Castle of Flint and Mrs. Carrie Heck of Lapeer; and one brother, Ray Thomas of Kego Harbor.

**A. C. Sinclair.**  
Alexander Charles Sinclair passed away Wednesday, February 10, at Chicago after a long illness. Mr. Sinclair was born at Cambridge, Ontario, October 10, 1866, and with his parents, the late Mr. and Mrs. John Sinclair, came to Greenleaf when a small boy.

He was united in marriage with Miss Jessie McDonald of Novesta May 30, 1899. She died at Bad Axe January 1, 1919. Soon after the death of his wife, Mr. Sinclair went to Detroit where he entered the Marines and sailed on the Seaboard until July 1929 when he was sent to the Marine hospital in Chicago and was a patient there until his death February 10, 1932.

Funeral services were held at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Delahanty, at 446 Silman, Ferndale, Saturday morning and the body was brought to Cass City for burial. Tyler Lodge, F. & A. M., of which he was a member, had charge of the services at Elkland cemetery Saturday afternoon at 2:30.

Besides being a member of the Masonic order, Mr. Sinclair was a Gleaner and a Forester. He leaves two daughters and two sons, Mrs. Elizabeth Delahanty, Ferndale; Miss Martha and Lester Sinclair, Detroit; A. J. Sinclair, Bad Axe; four sisters and three brothers, William and Neil Sinclair, Detroit; Douglas, Kingston; Mrs. Elizabeth Morgan, Flint; Mrs. Catherine Connine, Traverse City; Mrs. Emma Brining and Miss May Sinclair, Dearborn, and one grandson, John J. Delahanty.

All members of the family attended the funeral but one sister, Mrs. Brining, of Dearborn who is ill.

**Mrs. Silas Karr.**  
Funeral services for Mrs. Silas Karr were held Tuesday afternoon at two o'clock at the Church of Christ and burial was in Novesta cemetery.

Mrs. Catherine Karr was born March 21, 1852, in Canada and passed away Sunday, February 14, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Charles Evans, 1 mile west and 2 1/2 miles north of Cass City. Mrs. Karr has been in very poor health for

several years. Mr. Karr died nineteen years ago.

She leaves five children, Moses Karr, Gagetown; Mrs. Thomas Gillies, Deford; Albert Karr, Pontiac; Mrs. Charles Evans, Cass City and Mrs. Earl Campbell, Kingston, one sister and two brothers, Mrs. Thomas Pickel, Hesperia; John and Albert Thompson of Canada.

**Mrs. Henry Klinkman.**  
Funeral services for Mrs. Henry Klinkman, who passed away Friday, February 12, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Samuel Helwig, were held Monday afternoon from the Helwig home. Rev. C. F. Smith officiated and burial was in Elkland cemetery.

Elizabeth Mattered was born in Lancaster, New York, December 23, 1861, and became a member of the Lutheran church in early life. She was married to Henry Klinkman November 27, 1884, and in 1901 they came from Lancaster to Michigan and settled on a farm east of Cass City where they lived until the death of Mr. Klinkman September 22, 1928. Since then, Mrs. Klinkman has made her home with her daughter, Mrs. Samuel Helwig.

She is survived by six children John Klinkman, Culver City, California; Charles, Flint; Mrs. Helwig, Henry, Warren and Albert Klinkman of Cass City; two grandchildren, Calvin Helwig of Cass City and Maxine Klinkman of Flint; two sisters, Mrs. Arthur Graham, Byron, New York; Mrs. Matthew Graham, Batavia, New York; and two brothers, George Mattered, Lancaster, N. Y.; John Mattered, Buffalo, N. Y. She was a kind and loving mother and will be greatly missed not only by her family but by her many friends.

Those from a distance who attended the funeral were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Klinkman and daughter, Maxine, of Flint; Mr. and Mrs. Orton Klinkman of Decker; Mr. and Mrs. John Cutts and daughter, Helen, Mrs. Beach and Mrs. Shultz, all of Caro.

**Mrs. Carrie L. Gulick.**  
Mrs. Carrie L. Gulick, born Jan. 17, 1857, at Mt. Vernon, Michigan, died at the same place, Feb. 6, 1932, having made her home since Aug. 29, with her brother, George W. Mann.

She married Matthew L. Gulick in 1883, and for nearly 50 years resided in Cass City or vicinity. She was a member of the Cass City Baptist church, having joined the Mt. Vernon Baptist church, in early life.

The funeral was held at her brother's residence, Feb. 8, at 2:00 p. m. Rev. Barclay of Romeo Baptist church delivered the sermon, and Rev. Blackmore of the Mt. Vernon M. E. church assisted with the services.

**Miss Amelia J. Alber.**  
Miss Amelia J. Alber died Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Brainerd at Vassar at Vassar after an illness of three years. She was born in Ypsilanti in 1855. Miss Alber was one of the first graduates of the Vassar high school and of the State Normal college at Ypsilanti. Her family was among the first families to make Vassar their home. She is survived by one nephew, Fred L. Wilson, and one niece, Mrs. E. C. Brainerd, both of Vassar.

**Mrs. Loretta Stickland.**  
Mrs. Loretta Stickland died Tuesday at her home in Caro, following an illness of two months. She was 96 years of age and had lived in Caro for the past 60 years. She is survived by one sister who is 94 years of age and lives in Iowa.

**Dr. Mason H. Tompkins.**  
Dr. Mason H. Tompkins, 46, dentist and prominent figure in Vassar activities, died Monday night after a brief illness. He came to Vassar in 1918.

**E. J. Darbee.**  
E. J. Darbee, for many years secretary of the Tuscola County Farmers' Mutual Fire Insurance Co., passed away at his home in Caro on Sunday. Funeral services were held in the Caro M. E. church on Wednesday afternoon. Members of the Masonic lodge attended the funeral service in a body. Burial was made in Almer cemetery. Mr. Darbee was a rural school teacher and a farmer in Almer township before he was an officer of the fire insurance company. Mr. Darbee suffered a stroke about two weeks ago.

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G. B. Putman and wife to Clarence A. Donahoe and wife, SW 1/4 of NW 1/4, sec. 26, Twp. Columbia, \$1,000 etc.

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Mr. McDurmon says returned taxes are subject to a 4% collection fee and an interest charge of 9% per annum as soon as they enter the county treasurer's office.

### HOSPITAL NOTES.

Mrs. Maurice Morton and little son, Carlyle, left the hospital Monday for their home at Akron.

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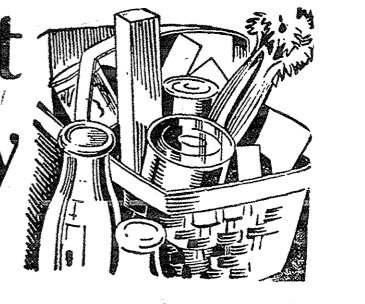
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Acadians settled in Grand Pre in 1632. Evangeline, together with 1,022 people of Grand Pre and places nearby, were expelled in 1755.

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There are two notable sapphire fields in the United States. One, among the great corundum deposits of Macon county North Carolina, has yielded some very good gems. The other is in the gold-bearing, sandy region near Helena, Mont.—Gas Logie.

**Salvage From Films**  
At the end of the normal life of a motion picture, three years, the film is burned and the raw silver extracted from the ash. This is quite considerable, 200,000 pounds of film yielding about 250 pounds of the metal.

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The word "reverend" occurs only once in the Bible. "Holy and reverend is his name."

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