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SCHOOL TAX WILL BE CUT ONE-THIRD

J. A. Sandham and F. E. Hutchinson Were Elected Trustees.

While only 16 took the trouble to attend the annual meeting in School District No. 5, frl., Elkland, and vote for school trustees, many more will be interested to learn that the school tax this year, according to the budget presented by the board of education, will be approximately one-third less than the school tax of 1931.

Last year the budget called for \$28,500 in direct tax and \$1,200 in a one mill tax, totalling \$29,700. The budget approved Monday night carried the item of \$20,000 to be raised by direct tax in 1932 and no one mill tax, making a difference of \$9,700 in the two years. The saving is effected in the elimination of two instructors from the teaching staff, substantial reductions in the salaries of teachers, janitors, and officers and reduction in the cost of supplies. There will be no curtailment of any school activity and the high standards of the school will be maintained, school authorities say.

In the election of trustees Monday night, J. A. Sandham was elected to succeed himself for a term of three years and Frank E. Hutchinson was elected for a two-year term.

With the elimination of a village tax in Cass City this summer and the school tax reduced one-third, it is estimated that property owners here will find their total real estate and personal taxes for all purposes in 1932 approximately two-fifths less than in 1931.

A financial report of the school district, the treasurer's report, the items in the budget for the coming year, and the proceedings of the school meeting held Monday night are printed on page six of this number of the Chronicle.

Bethel S. S. Had Merry Time at Picnic

The Bethel Sunday School and community picnic was held at Caseville on Friday, July 8. Thirty-four sat down to the table and disposed of a bountiful potluck dinner and about fifty more arrived a little later to swell the attendance to 134.

After dinner the usual athletic stunts were enjoyed. The most excitement was caused by the egg race by the ladies, several eggs not being strong enough to stand the abuse they received. Iva Proff was the winner in this contest.

A ball game was played between the Bethel Boys' Club and the married men, the boys winning by a score of 14 to 7. Considerable interest was shown as this was the third contest between these teams this year, the boys winning two games. Ten gallons of ice cream were disposed of just before the ball game. This evidently was the cause of the poor showing made by the married men.

Report on Thumb Dairy Herd Imp. Asso. for June

Seven dairy herd improvement associations are active in the Thumb area according to the dairy department of Michigan State College. These organizations are finding that the high individual herd and cow production together with culling of inferior cows and feeding of the best cows is bringing the best returns under present conditions.

The St. Clair association tested by Harry Tackaberry leads the organization in this area for numbers of cows culled. Eight cows were sent to the yards from this organization while the Lapeer association culled six and the Huron county association culled four cows. The state report shows 112 cows disposed of during the month.

The counties in this district enumerated are Huron, Tuscola, St. Clair, Sanilac, Macomb, and Lapeer and the leading association among the group for the month is Lapeer county, Edgar Miteen, tester. This organization averaged 32.67 lbs. fat. Three other associations averaged above 30 lbs. fat each. They are St. Clair, H. Tackaberry, tester; Huron, Bob Osborne, tester; Macomb, Earl Jackson, tester.

For the district, the herd of grade Holsteins owned by W. J. Armstrong of Huron county leads in regard to high butterfat pro-

duction. The other leading herds according to associations are as follows: W. L. Witkowsky, Tuscola county; Arthur Armstrong, Lapeer county; Theo. Priehs, St. Clair county; Rush Brothers of Macomb county; Chas. Mollan of St. Clair county; and A. H. Ainsworth of Sanilac county.

The cow under three years old making the best butterfat production record is owned by Priehs Bros. of St. Clair county. Under four years old the leading cow is owned by W. J. Armstrong of Huron county, while the leading cow under five years of age is owned by Theo. Priehs. The mature cow leading in production in this district is owned by Raymond Wurzel of St. Clair county making 100.7 lbs. fat and a close second is a purebred Holstein owned by W. J. Armstrong, Huron county, producing 99.3 lbs. fat.

MANY AT DILLMAN SCHOOL REUNION

W. J. Nash, Saginaw Attorney, Elected President of Society.

(Contributed).

It is always interesting and challenging to speculate upon the future of an organization. With the courage of a prophet, though lacking the forethought, it would seem that the ninth annual reunion of the Dillman school in the year 1933 had an inspiring outlook—this vision of renewed friendships future after year—if one judges the future by the past. Only as one works steadily towards an ideal will the prophecy of the future be fulfilled. This group can be and is a very vital part of the rural school of District No. 1, Elkland township.

To say that the eighth annual reunion of the Dillman school held Saturday had lost some of its inspiration would be false. It seemed that the spirit of friendliness and service had increased as the group assembled from year to year. One could not help but feel the multiplicity of welcomes accorded from the moment he entered the school grounds until he left. This welcome was made in many ways. One read it first in bold letters over the school door. One read it again in the eager eyes and joyous smiles of old friends and new. The sincerity of the welcome needed no words to assure the guests. Forty years were as one.

From the East, the West, the North, and the South, the friends gathered at one o'clock around a hospitable table. After a bounteous repast, the group gathered in the schoolhouse for a short program.

TO PICK CHAMPION HAY HAULING TEAM

Contest at M. S. C. Farm Day Will Find State's Fastest Field Hands.

The pride of Michigan's hay fields will fight it out down the windrow during the annual farmers' day at M. S. C., July 29, in a contest which will pick the state's championship team of pitchers and loaders.

There will be two classes in the test—one for teams of two pitchers and one loader; and one for teams which will use mechanical loaders, with two men loading and one driving. In both cases, the time required to load and return to the starting point, the weight of the load, and the construction of the load will be taken into account in awarding the championships.

Many local champions among the huskies of Michigan farm communities have already filed entries for the event, which is something new in the way of farmers' day entertainment. The contest will be run off late in the morning in the college fields, with teams and equipment drawn by lot.

A woodlot thinning contest for farmers who are interested in forestry work will be another of the morning features on farmers' day. A quarter acre of the college woodlot will be marked off, with every tree numbered, and farmers who enter the contest will list the trees which should be cut.

The college forestry department will conduct a demonstration of scientific thinning at the close of the contest, and awards of wind-break evergreens or seedlings will be made the farmers who finish on top in the actual competition.

EXPENSES AT COUNTY JAIL \$4,768 LESS

Total Number of Persons Received During Year Was 424.

A total of 424 persons was received at the county jail in Tuscola county for the year ending June 30, 1932, according to the report of Sheriff James Kirk filed within the past week. These 424 persons spent a total of 6,084 days in jail. The males committed to the jail numbered 402 and the females, 22.

A small percentage of those confined to the jail were under 18 years of age; 14 males and 2 females fit in this category.

The report shows that 114 males and 8 females were arrested who were charged with high crimes and 278 males and 14 females were committed to the jail charged with minor offenses. One person was detained in jail as a witness. Seven insane persons and two idiotic persons were confined.

Of those under 18 years of age, 17 were charged with high crimes and 6 with minor offenses.

The number of those confined in the county jail who were convicted and sent to the state prison was 22 and the number sent to the state reformatory at Ionia was 14. Four were sent to the Boys' Vocational school.

Of the persons received at the county jail, 37 could not read and a similar number could not write.

Of the males received at the county jail, 316 were born in the United States, 14 in British America, 1 in Ireland, 4 in Germany, 1 in Holland, 25 in Poland, 4 in Mexico, 18 in Hungary, 4 in Italy, 1 in Lithuania, 6 in Russia, 1 in Jugoslavia, and 2 in Roumania. Of the females, 8 claimed the United States as their birthplace. Six were born in British America, 5 in Hungary, and 1 in Serbia.

Six male blacks, 3 female blacks, and 2 male Indians are not included in the above figures.

Of whites born in the United States, 75 had foreign born fathers and mothers. Those having foreign born fathers and native mothers numbered 21, and those having foreign born mothers and native fathers were 5.

Twenty-two persons were taken to state prisons from this county in the past year. Fifteen of these were American born and 7 born in foreign countries.

The county jail received only four less persons in the year just ended than in the previous year, yet the expenses of the sheriff's department were \$4,768.57 less this year. For the year ending June 30, 1931, the amount was \$18,686.27, while \$13,917.70 was the amount expended the year following. The greater part of this saving was made by a lesser amount of mileage and less money paid out in salaries for outside deputies. Investigations of most complaints are now made from Sheriff Kirk's central office.

The total salaries and fees received by the sheriff and deputies were \$7,820.73 for the year just closed. Other expenses were: medical attendance, \$118.60; repairs, \$567.81; furniture for jail, \$194.50; supplies, \$1,980.37; making the total cost for maintaining the jail, \$10,682.01. Traveling and other expenses incurred in arresting and taking prisoners to jail reached \$3,235.69, making a grand total of \$13,917.70.

Rev. Bottrell Invited to Return as Pastor

The annual meeting of the Cass City and Bethel Methodist Episcopal churches was held Friday evening in the Cass City church with Rev. Frank M. Field, district superintendent, presiding. The Sunday school orchestra played several selections. Reports read from the presidents of the various departments of the church showed that both churches were in a very good condition. Thirteen persons were received into church membership during the last nine months. Rev. T. S. Bottrell, pastor, received a unanimous invitation to return as pastor for his third year.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENT.

I wish to announce to the voters of Tuscola county that I will be a candidate for the office of county drain commissioner on the Republican ticket at the primaries on Sept. 13, 1932. Your support is solicited and will be greatly appreciated.

Yours truly,
CONRAD MUELLER.
—Advertisement 2t

Advertise it in the Chronicle.

ANNUAL CHRYSLER-PLYMOUTH STYLE SHOW

The annual Chrysler-Plymouth style show enroute to Saginaw will visit Cass City on Wednesday, July 20, about 10:30 a. m. Factory sales and service representatives will accompany this tour enabling Chrysler owners and dealers in this vicinity to obtain desired information.

Featured on these annual tours is the Chrysler Floating Power Brass Band, one of the many entertaining novelties carried. It is understood that brief concerts will be given wherever the crowds and interest warrant.

PROSECUTE 73, 71 CONVICTED

One Case Settled, One Nolle Prossed, Ransford's Report Shows.

Seventy-three persons were prosecuted in Tuscola county during the six months ending July 1, 1932, according to the semi-annual report filed by Maurice C. Ransford, prosecuting attorney. Of this number 71 were convicted of charges ranging from larceny to parking on the highway. One case was settled and one nolle prossed.

In 21 cases, the sentence was imprisonment, fines were imposed in 42 instances, four were released on suspended sentences, and four were placed on probation.

The prosecutions and the disposal of the several cases follow: One was imprisoned on a charge of adultery. Three fines and one imprisonment were made in assault and battery cases. Settlement was made in a bastardy case and a bigamy case was settled.

Imprisonment was ordered in seven cases of breaking and entering. Fines were assessed to six who were fishing without a license or out of season.

One person was imprisoned on a charge of conspiracy to rob. Suspended sentences were given to a wife deserter, to one convicted of forgery and to a violator of the prohibition law.

Of nine persons charged with drunkenness, seven were fined and two received jail sentences. One who defrauded a hotel received a fine and one convicted on indecency and immorality was sent to prison. Of six persons convicted of larceny, one was fined, four placed on probation, and one imprisoned.

Seven were either fined or placed in prison for driving while drunk. Fines were assessed to two for driving without lights, four for driving without operator's license, one for driving without chauffeur's license, one for parking on highway, two for having improper license plates, and one for driving without muffler.

Two were imprisoned for obstructing justice, and four received fines for violations of the prohibition law and one was placed under suspended sentence on the same charge. Three were fined for resisting public officers. Four were placed in prison on rape charges.

School Census Shows Increase in 1932

Early returns from the school census in Tuscola county indicate that there is an increase in the number of school age over the number of last year.

The first 13 townships in which the figures are available report 6,929. The same townships reported 6,872 last year.

The school census in the 23 townships last year reported 11,520 which is an increase of 383 over the number in 1930.

The following gives the number of school age in the first 13 townships in which census figures of 1932 are available together with the census figures of 1931.

	1931	1932
Akron	772	763
Almer	429	428
Arbela	348	314
Columbia	609	644
Dayton	368	395
Elkland	642	643
Ellington	250	249
Elmwood	581	618
Fremont	515	527
Gilford	492	476
Indianfields	1123	1102
Juniata	345	366
Kingston	398	404
	6872	6929

Faulty brakes sent Keith McConkey's coupe into the ditch as he was turning a corner 2 1/4 miles north of Cass City Tuesday. The car turned over and caught fire and was destroyed by the flames.

SEVEN CHANGES GO ON BALLOT

About 170 Candidates Will Have Places on State Primary Ballot.

About 150 more candidates are expected to secure places on the September primary ballot by filing petitions with the Department of State before the close of business July 26. To date, only 24 candidates have filed for lieutenant governor, congress and the state legislature.

When the time for filing initiative petitions expired July 8, seven proposed constitutional changes and one referendum had qualified for submission to the people in November. Under a resolution adopted by the 1932 special session, constitutional amendments are to be numbered. The proposals will appear on the ballot in the following order:

No. 1—Alteration of present prohibition requirements to permit establishments of a liquor control commission.

No. 2—Limitation of taxes on real estate under certain conditions to \$15 per \$1000 valuation.

No. 3—Legislative reapportionment.

No. 4—Exemption from taxation of homesteads. Exemption up to \$3,000 in assessment of homes occupied by owners and fixing assessments at cash value as determined by the amount an owner will accept for his property.

No. 5—Changing election laws in cases where portions of townships are incorporated into villages.

No. 6—Prohibiting pardons, commutations or paroles for first degree murderers.

No. 7—Limiting the public vote on bond issues or questions involving direct expenditures of public funds to those residents who will pay the bill by property taxes.

No. 8—Whether the oleomargarine tax measure adopted by the 1931 legislature, shall become effective.

The first four questions won places on the ballot by the filing of the proper number of signatures with the department of state. The legislature ordered the fifth, sixth and seventh questions submitted to the people while the last question is the result of the filing of referendum petitions preventing the oleo law from becoming effective until approved by the people.

All candidates for governor, lieutenant governor and candidates for congress and legislature from districts comprising more than one county, must qualify by filing the required number of petitions by July 26. In addition candidates for vacancies on the bench in Kent, Saginaw and Wayne counties must file proper petitions by the same date.

Large 4-H Club Enrollment Now in Sanilac Co.

Sanilac county has the largest 4-H club enrollment of any time in its history. In this year's work, the county has three hundred fifty-six members listed in the three main projects—livestock, crops, and canning. The membership consists of 107 boys and girls in livestock work, 56 in crops, and 191 in canning, says John D. Martin, County Agricultural Agent. In order for a boy or girl to be a member of the 4-H club organization which is nation-wide with a yearly enrollment of more than 800,000 boys and girls, it is necessary for the boy or girl to own his own animal, care for the project themselves, and make a report and write a story at the end of the project. What is true for the livestock member also holds for the crop and canning boy and girl. The age of these boys and girls range from ten to twenty years old.

The success of this large enrollment has depended a great deal upon the active cooperation given by local leaders. In the Cass City area, the work has been well directed by Mrs. John McTavish, who is acting as local club leader for the North Evergreen 4-H Canning club. The advisory board for this club is made up of the following people: Mrs. Bessie McQueen, Mrs. Jim McQueen, and Mrs. J. Sharrard. This canning club has a membership of twenty members and is one of the largest clubs in the county. Miss Vera Hirsch is acting as president; Julia Crocker, vice president; and Ariel Rockwell, secretary. The other members of this organization are as follows:

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RAYMOND McCULLOUGH, A REGISTERED PHARMACIST

Raymond McCullough is now a registered pharmacist, having heard Monday that he was successful in passing the examination held recently by the state board. Mr. McCullough has accepted a position in the drug store of G. H. Burke. Mr. and Mrs. McCullough are making their home in the G. H. Burke residence on West Main street for the summer months. Mr. and Mrs. Burke are at their summer cottage at Caseville.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Curtis M. Chapman, 18, Vassar; Thelma R. Whaley, 17, Flint. Harold E. Stone, 37, Caro; Estella Mildred Hubbard, 37, Saginaw. Milton Bedore, 27, Unionville; Mary E. Petiprin, 29, Colling.

NEWS OF THE NEARBY SECTIONS

Happenings Here and There Garnered from the Chronicle's Exchanges.

Miss Marguerite Sullivan, who recently closed teaching in the McIntyre school, Elba township, Lapeer county, has the longest record of any teacher in the county. She has been on the job for the past 42 years, and has taught the McIntyre school since 1907.

J. H. Vandecar, retired druggist at North Branch, was the recipient of special recognition tendered at the state officers of the Michigan State Pharmaceutical association, which held its golden jubilee convention in Lansing. Discovering Mr. Vandecar to be the only charter member of the association present at the meeting, a member of the committee gave him a public introduction from the platform. In his response he gave an informal and keenly interesting talk concerning the pioneer days of the drug business, "when drug stores were really drug stores and not variety stores."

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HOST OF CANDIDATES IN SANILAC COUNTY

Ten Men Are Willing to Serve as Sheriff of the County.

Political campaigns are being merrily conducted over all portions of Sanilac county, and Republican voters face one of the heaviest county ballots in recent years at the Sept. 13 primary election.

With the filing date for nomination petitions set for July 28, not later than 4 p. m., voters are anxiously awaiting to determine if all the avowed candidates will file petitions to place their names on the ballot.

Here is how the slate appears for the various offices to date:

Sheriff—L. C. Hagle, incumbent; Joseph McBride, Sandusky; Harvey L. Howse and James O. Sams, Watertown; George Heussner, Marlette; Willis Merriman, Applegate; J. Lawrence Clement, Crosswell; James Greenan, Carsonville; William Martin, Custer; Jay Grimes, Speaker.

Road Commissioner—William Robinson, incumbent; Arthur Merdith, Shabbona; Edward Bullis, Evergreen; Fred J. Taggart, Marlette; William Bland, Sandusky; Omar D. Wixson, Lexington.

Drain Commissioner—Bert R. Walker, incumbent; Philip O'Connell, McGregor; Alex Alexander, Washington; Robert Hesson, Buel. Judge of Probate—Grant H. Smith, incumbent; Thomas E. Dawson, Sandusky; George Paldi, Snover.

Prosecuting Attorney—William H. Burgess, incumbent; Leonard J. Paterson, Crosswell; James N. Teets, Sandusky.

County Clerk—Joseph Dawe, incumbent; S. Earl Bissonette, Sandusky.

County Treasurer—George C. Gardner, incumbent; Clare Atkinson, Marlette; George Donaldson, Sandusky.

Coroners—Dr. J. C. Webster, Marlette; Harvey L. Jewell, Crosswell.

Register of Deeds—Harold Greenlee.

State Representative—John W. Goodwine, Marlette, incumbent; Frank Derby, Sanilac township. Democrats are also planning on waging an active campaign, and will name their candidates soon.

HARTSELL RE-ELECTED PRESIDENT OF OIL CO.

Stanley Asher Re-engaged as Manager; 5% Dividend Is Voted.

At the annual meeting of the Cass City Oil and Gas Company, the following stockholders were elected members of the board of directors: Chas. E. Hartsell, Lewis Travis, Bruce Brown, W. O. Stafford, W. B. Hicks, and Levi Delong. The first four named were elected to succeed themselves while the last two are new members of the board.

The annual meeting held Thursday night, July 7, was attended by 200 people which included stockholders in the company and their families. Manager Stanley Asher reported an operating profit of 13.3% on the capital stock for the year and announced the decision of the board to pay a cash dividend of 5%.

At a session of the new board of directors, Chas. E. Hartsell was elected president of the company; Lewis Travis, vice president; Bruce Brown, secretary; and Stanley Asher, treasurer. Mr. Asher was engaged to succeed himself as manager for another year.

After the annual meeting, stockholders and their families were guests of the company at a movie presentation at the Pastime Theater.

Revival of Court Activities in Sanilac

Court activity showed a revival in Sanilac county after a two week lull with both circuit court and justice court passing on criminal cases.

Paul Dansit, Brown City, was sentenced to serve 15 days in the county jail, and was placed on two year's probation by Judge X. A. Bogmower in circuit court, after pleading guilty to second offense liquor law violation. Officers who raided Dansit's home declared they found eight cases of beer and two gallons of moonshine which Dansit said he had obtained for a Fourth of July party. The judge ruled that was too much liquor for a party.

Melvin Hudson, Marlette, pleaded guilty to violation of the state liquor law, and was placed on probation for one year. Officers said they found 100 bottles of beer in his home.

James Swoffer, 48, Lamotte township farmer, was sentenced to 40 days in the county jail by Justice Noel A. Babcock on entering a guilty plea to assault and battery. It is the heaviest sentence ever passed by a local justice court for this offense. No alternative of a fine was given.

Complaint was made by Ora C. Turn to page four.

Glee Club Presented Excellent Concert

Residents of Cass City and the surrounding community have always looked forward with much pleasure to the concerts given by the Men's Glee Club, North Central College, Naperville, Ill., and this year as usual they were not disappointed, for the program presented Friday evening, July 8, at the Evangelical church was an excellent one and brought forth much applause from the audience. Ensemble numbers and solo work were included in a varied program and both glee club and soloists were very generous in giving encores. Prof. Herman Baer of the School of Music, North Central College, is the director of the glee club, and Mrs. Baer, also of the club.

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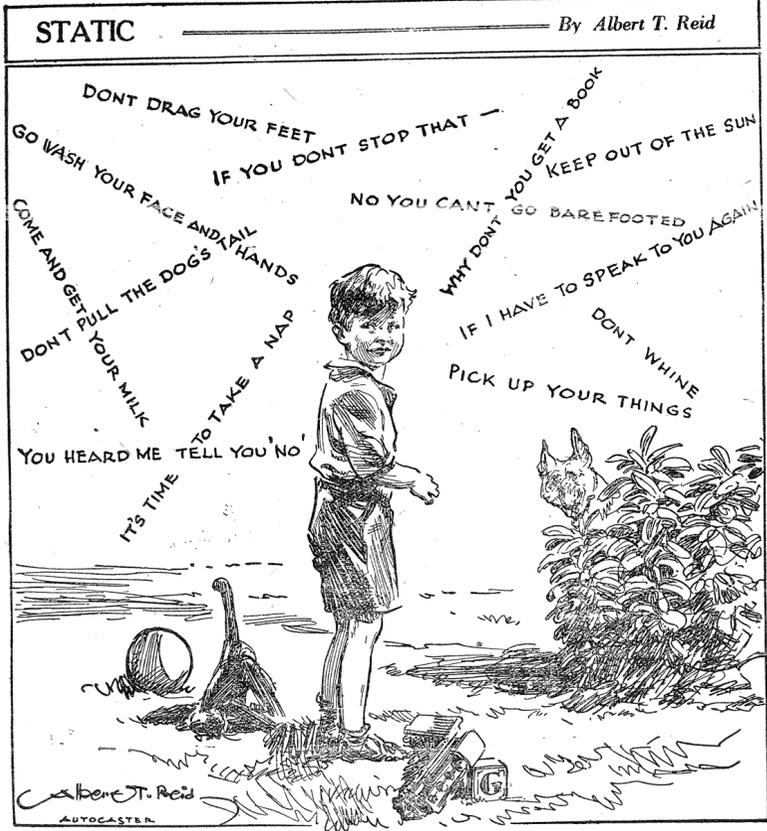
LOCAL ROTARIANS TO ENTERTAIN CARO CLUB

Cass City Rotarians will be hosts to members of the Caro Rotary Club here on Tuesday evening, July 19. The event celebrates the end of an attendance contest in which the Caro club were the winners.

Rev. Neiman of the Marlette M. E. church gave an address before the local club Tuesday noon. In an interesting talk on "What I Would Do as a Rotarian," Mr. Neiman told of attributes which would make the life of the club member more useful and happier.

COUNTY GRANGE PICNIC.

There will be a county Grange basket picnic Wednesday, July 20, at the picnic grounds back of the Caro Golf course. Everyone interested is welcome.



Misses Ernestine Manigold and Mary Jane McKichan, Clark Knapp and Grant Patterson.

The Willing Workers met with Mrs. Clara Vaden Thursday. A large number of members and visitors were present and a pleasant time was enjoyed.

Argyle M. E. Aid held a business meeting Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Will Watson.

Miss Jane MacKichan attended the services at Huron City Sunday as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Knapp.

Obituary—

John D. Ingles was born at Argyle, Nov. 25, 1897, and passed away at the Pleasant Home hospital, Cass City, following a goitre operation June 14, 1932, at the age of 34 years.

Deceased had spent all his life in this community and in his passing, the neighborhood loses one of its worthiest examples of moral integrity. He will be remembered by all by his kind words and sunny smile.

On Nov. 3, 1930, he was united in marriage by Rev. Mr. Hichens to Miss Florence Brown of Wickware, who survives. He is also survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Ingles, and one brother, Earle, of Argyle, and two sisters, Theo, at home and Mrs. Jack Anderson, of Flint, besides a host of relatives and friend to whom he had endeared himself.

Funeral services were conducted Saturday afternoon, June 18, by Rev. Mr. Hichens from the Argyle M. E. church in which Br. Ingles was christened in childhood. The procession of over 200 cars and the many beautiful floral pieces bore mute testimony of the esteem in which he was held. Masonic rites were held at the grave where he was laid to rest in the family lot in the Argyle cemetery.

Those from out of town who attended the funeral were: Mr. and Mrs. Jack Anderson and family of Flint, Mr. and Mrs. John Latimer, Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Latimer and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Graves of Pontiac, Mr. and Mrs. Abe Ingles of Melvin, Bert Howse and Mrs. McMonigal of Pt. Huron, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Firth of Peck, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Zeller, Mrs. O. Zeller, Mrs. Mary Collins and Mrs. Lepean of Yale.

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HOLBROOK.

Mrs. Ben Bailey is very ill with typhoid fever.

Leslie Hewitt is recovering from the measles.

Mrs. Geo. Kets of Pontiac is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Rathbun.

Clare Barnes has been quite sick the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. I. Moore and Mrs. Alice Moore of Cass City were callers at the Loren Trathen home Monday.

Lorene Barnes is visiting this week with her father, Dwight Barnes.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Trathen of Uby visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Kittendorf.

ARGYLE.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Griffin of Marlette were guests at the A. C. McLean home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Austin of Port Huron, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Austin and daughters, Elizabeth and Dorcas Anne, of Port Wayne, Ind., were supper guests at the Thad Patterson home Sunday evening.

Miss Jane McKichan had as dinner guests Tuesday evening the week with Marjorie Livingston. Miss Mary Kelly of Pontiac and Mrs. Ellen Limpricht of Flint are visiting at the Wallace Laurie home.

Mrs. P. Livingston and Mrs. Jas. Peddie visited at the T. Lounsbury home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtiss Brown and Mr. and Mrs. A. Wilcox of Marlette were callers at the Glenn Terbush home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Seekings and family attended the Seekings reunion at the Guy Stoddard home at Watrousville.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Karr entertained the Gagetown Grange Wednesday evening.

School meeting was held at Bingham school Monday night. Charles Seekings was re-elected moderator.

Elkland and Elmwood Town Line.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Bearss, Wilfred Bearss, and Mrs. E. Bearss and children spent Sunday at the Geo. Walls home at East Dayton.

Mrs. E. A. Livingston entertained the Art club Thursday.

Miss Gertrude Anker returned home Sunday after spending two weeks in Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Wise and family called at the H. L. Evans home Sunday evening.

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Mrs. P. Livingston and Mrs. Jas. Peddie visited at the T. Lounsbury home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtiss Brown and Mr. and Mrs. A. Wilcox of Marlette were callers at the Glenn Terbush home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Seekings and family attended the Seekings reunion at the Guy Stoddard home at Watrousville.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Karr entertained the Gagetown Grange Wednesday evening.

School meeting was held at

The WAY of LIFE BY BRUCE BARTON

Always—Something Happens.

A man whose son graduated from college in June was asking what I thought about a post graduate course in the Harvard Business School.

"I don't assume any school can teach a boy how to succeed," he said. "What I want is to have my son learning something about the history of business."

He proceeded to illustrate from his own experience. Until 1904 he was a newspaper reporter, but that year he took a job with the manufacturing concern of which he is now head.

In 1907, when he was just beginning to get under way, along came a panic.

"We cleared away the wreckage and started again," he said, "but in 1910 there was a strike which tied up our plants, destroyed part of our property and disrupted our trade."

"Suddenly the war, and the slump was transformed into a boom! But don't imagine the boom was any picnic. To be sure, the orders rolled in from every side, but prices of raw material sky-rocketed, our capital was limited, and I wore out my shoes and got grey headed borrowing money from one bank to pay back another."

"Then the war ended, and we took an awful beating in our inventory. Then the 1920-22 depression. Then another boom."

"And now this."

"It would be advantageous to my boy, I believe, if he were familiar with this sequence of events, if he knew the ups and downs not only of modern business but of business through the ages. Maybe he would come into life without the illusion which has handicapped so many of us—that there is any such thing as 'normal' in the sense of permanently settled conditions and interrupted progress."

I thought these were very wise remarks.

As far back as I can remember I have been hoping, and planning for a time when I could be "comfortably fixed." At first I thought if I could accumulate \$20,000 in good safe bonds I'd have an income of \$1,000 a year and then I could look out with philosophic calm upon the foibles of the world. The only progress I have made during the past three years has been in health. I try to ride horseback more, swim more, play more golf, and keep generally tough and supple. I'm quite sure that as long as I live I shall have to keep hustling—that just about the time I get everything nicely fixed something will happen.

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"What do you mean Maps get smaller?"

An Interview by **ROBERT J. CASEY** Chicago Daily News Reporter

"People drive faster," explains E. V. Shireman, furniture salesman of 928 East Maple Road, Indianapolis. "I generally run my Packard 60 to 65 miles an hour—have to, to cover my territory." "But what about your car?" asks Bob Casey, famous Chicago News reporter.

IT IS the observation of E. V. Shireman of Indianapolis that the maps are getting smaller every day—people drive faster.

Mr. Shireman is a furniture salesman whose territory embraces all of Indiana, Cincinnati and Louisville. He drives a Packard Custom 8 and covers between 800 and a thousand miles a week the year 'round. The total mileage on his present car is 71,000 miles.

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Local Happenings

Miss Johanna Sandham visited friends in Decker a few days last week.
 Leonard Law of Royal Oak is spending a three weeks' vacation with relatives here.
 Mr. and Mrs. Ray Rhoades of Detroit were Sunday callers at the G. A. Tindale home.
 Mrs. Eliza Schwaderer of Royal Oak is spending a few weeks with relatives and friends here.
 Mrs. Robert Milligan and daughter, Miss Agnes, were Saginaw visitors Monday afternoon.
 Mr. and Mrs. Young of Royal Oak were callers at the Stanley McArthur home Wednesday.
 M. E. Kenney entertained his sister, Mrs. Maggie McMammon, of Detroit over the week-end.
 Elsie Willy is spending the week with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Kuehne, in Unionville.
 Marjorie Croft spent last week as the guest of her grandmother, Mrs. Henry Croft, in Bad Axe.
 Mrs. Gertrude Ricker of Detroit is spending a few weeks with friends in and near Cass City.
 Mrs. J. A. Sandham and daughter, Deloris, returned Sunday from a few days' visit with relatives in Detroit.
 Mrs. Marjorie Fay of Grant spent a few days the last of the week with her aunt, Mrs. Floyd McComb.
 The Baptist Sunday School will hold their annual picnic Friday, July 22, at Huron County Park, Caseville.
 Mr. and Mrs. Charles Daymude and daughter, Wilma Jean, of Detroit spent Saturday at the G. A. Tindale home.
 Mrs. Anna Sandham, who has been the guest of her son, J. A. Sandham, for two weeks, returned to Detroit Friday.
 Mr. and Mrs. Howard Law and granddaughter, Norma Jean Smith, of Royal Oak came Wednesday of last week to spend ten days with relatives here.
 Miss Myrtle Holmes of Ferrisdale, who with her mother is spending the summer at Caseville, was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. L. I. Wood Monday.
 Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Fike, Archie Mark, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Krahling, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Secord and son, Billie, spent Sunday near Standish.
 Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Champion entertained a few days last week Mrs. Bay Brown and two daughters, Fred Miller and Glen Lacer, all of Toledo, Ohio.
 Mrs. Richard Clark entertained her cousin, Mrs. Fred Luther, of Winter Park, Florida, and Mr. and Mrs. George Luther of Grand Rapids Saturday and Sunday.
 William Martus, Leonard Urquhart, Victor Barnes and the Misses Estella Mark, Emaline Mark and Catherine Wallace were guests of Andrew Barnes near Alpena over the week-end.
 Bobby, Frederick and Harold Gardner returned to their home in Port Huron the first of the week after spending two weeks with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Dickinson.
 Dr. and Mrs. L. A. Campbell and two children of Saginaw were Sunday guests at the Willis Campbell home. Mary Jane Campbell returned to Saginaw with them to spend the week.
 The Woman's Missionary Society of the Evangelical church will meet Friday afternoon, July 22, at the home of Mrs. Edward Helwig. Mrs. Calvin Striffler has charge of the program.
 Mrs. John Bearss had as guests from Friday until Sunday evening Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Doughty and son, Mr. Bradley and Miss Pailor, all of Detroit. Mrs. Doughty is a daughter of Mrs. Bearss.
 Ray Johnston of Traverse City spent Saturday and Sunday in Cass City. Mrs. Johnston and daughter, Phyllis, who had spent two weeks with relatives here, returned home with him Sunday.
 Mr. and Mrs. Willis Campbell, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Doerr, Mrs. Wesley Cummings, Mrs. Heri Wood and Miss Bernice Watters were guests at the G. L. Hitchcock cottage at Caseville Saturday.
 Mr. and Mrs. William Ware, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Ware, Mrs. Lydia Starr, Henry Ball, Mrs. J. D. Clement and son, Kenneth, and Mr. and Mrs. Stanley McArthur enjoyed a picnic dinner at Rose Island Sunday.
 Mr. and Mrs. William Ertman and children of Saginaw were callers at the home of Mrs. Ertman's sister, Mrs. Conrad Willy, Saturday. Elsie Willy, who had spent the week in Saginaw, returned to Cass City with them.
 Miss Dorothy Tindale left Wednesday to be the guest of Miss Inez Maurer at Reese until Sunday. Other guests of Miss Maurer are Miss Betty Burgess of Bad Axe and Miss Dorothy Landwehr of Milwaukee, Wisconsin.

Grist Screenings

ELKLAND ROLLER MILLS TOLD BY ROY
 Volume 8. July 15, 1932 No. 2
 Published in the interest of the People of Cass City and vicinity by the
 Elkland Roller Mills Edited by Roy
 If all the ice cream cones that have been eaten in Cass City this month were laid end to end, they would probably spill.
 Sam Putman has some good R. I. Red pullets for sale.
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 One Cass City man just returned from a vacation says the mosquitoes all seem to have taken up bare-back riding this summer.
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 No additional scratch feed is needed when you feed baby chicks. Wayne All Mash Chick Starter.
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 It's bad to marry a man who plays poker, but it's a lot worse to marry one who can't and thinks he can.
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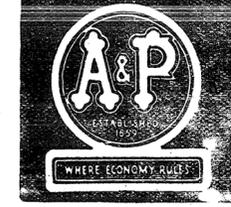
W. O. Stafford and T. H. Wallace were Bad Axe visitors Saturday.
 Mr. and Mrs. M. C. McLellan attended a social at Popple Friday night.
 Miss Beatrice Koepfgen is spending two weeks with friends in Royal Oak.
 Charlotte Fay of Grant is the guest of her cousin, Harriet McComb, this week.
 Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Krug and Miss Laura Bigelow were Detroit visitors Monday.
 Mr. and Mrs. Harold Jackson and Darwin L. Bailey were callers in Flint Monday.
 Dr. and Mrs. P. A. Schenck and daughter, Miss Florence, visited relatives in Detroit Sunday and Monday.
 Miss Myrtle Orr of Detroit came Saturday to spend some time with her brother, Morton Orr, and other relatives.
 Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Hunter are spending some time with Mrs. Hunter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Mark.
 Mrs. Richard Jarvis, Mr. and Mrs. R. Ralph and son, all of Elkton, visited at the Ralph Ward home Friday evening.
 Mrs. William H. Moreton of Detroit is spending a few weeks with her sisters, Mrs. J. A. Sandham and Mrs. A. McPhail.
 Mr. and Mrs. Robert H. Orr and family of Pigeon were Cass City visitors Friday evening.
 Miss Ethel Orr of Pigeon was the guest of Miss Marie Rawson from Friday until Monday.
 Miss Mary Striffler of Detroit spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Striffler.
 John Koepfgen and son, Raymond, of Oak Park, Ill., came Friday to spend some time at the Mrs. P. A. Koepfgen home.
 Mr. and Mrs. Audley Rawson and family and their guest, Miss Ethel Orr, spent Sunday with relatives and friends in Marlette.
 Donald Lorentzen, who is employed at Metamora, spent Saturday night and Sunday with his mother, Mrs. John Lorentzen.
 Mr. and Mrs. Ray Meiser of Pontiac were entertained Saturday night and Sunday at the home of the former's sister, Mrs. Albert Creguer.
 Mrs. Miles Crawford and daughter, Miss Dorothy, of Perry were guests at the W. O. Stafford home from Wednesday until Friday afternoon.
 Mrs. Otto Nique and daughter, Miss Eleanor, of Decker and Miss Sophia Matzen of Detroit were callers at the A. A. Ricker home Saturday.
 Mrs. Willis Campbell entertained her sister, Mrs. Wesley Cummings, of Flint and her niece, Miss Bernice Watters, of Harrisville over the week-end.
 Mrs. Charles D. Striffler and her guests, Mrs. C. P. Miller and son, John, of Detroit spent Saturday and Sunday at the Striffler cottage at Caseville.
 Mr. and Mrs. Roy Houghton, daughter, Marion, and son, Donald, of Detroit were guests of Mrs. Houghton's sister, Mrs. Harriet Dodge, Saturday afternoon and Sunday.
 Miss Geraldine Ross, who has spent the last year with her aunt, Mrs. G. C. Blades, in Glendale, Cal., was a guest at the W. D. Striffler home Saturday. Miss Ross will again make her home in Caro.
 Mr. and Mrs. Roy Taylor and son, Howard, visited in Grand Ledge Sunday and Monday morning. Mrs. Taylor's father, David DePue, who had been a guest at the Taylor home the past week, returned to Grand Ledge with them.
 Mrs. A. Doerr, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Doerr, daughter, Helen, and son, Philip, visited at the Norman Fisher home in Royal Oak Sunday. Mary Lee and Eddie Doerr returned home with them after a week's stay with their aunt in Royal Oak.
 A large number of relatives and friends surprised Mr. and Mrs. Floyd McComb at their home on South Segar street Friday night in honor of Mr. McComb's birthday. The evening was spent in cards and dancing and a potluck supper was served.
 Mrs. L. Williams, Mr. and Mrs. William H. Champion and daughter, Marjorie, of Detroit were week-end guests of Mrs. Champion's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Steers. Mrs. Williams, Mrs. Champion, and Marjorie remained to spend the week.
 Mrs. D. A. Krug and Mrs. Herman Doerr entertained a number of friends Thursday evening at the Krug home in honor of Mrs. N. Merion of Detroit and Mrs. Heri Wood of Flint. Bridge was enjoyed at four tables, favors being won by Mrs. Frank Reid and Mrs. Charles Kleinschmidt. Mrs. Merion and Mrs. Wood were given guest prizes. Dainty refreshments were served.

Miss Jeannette Bleam of Knox, Indiana, was the guest of her cousin, Miss Phyllis Lenzner, from Thursday to Sunday.
 Mr. and Mrs. A. Muellerweiss and son, Paul, and Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Mast, all of Sebawaing, were guests at the H. F. Lenzner home Sunday afternoon.
 Mr. and Mrs. Norman McGillvray and daughters, Norma and Dorothy, and Rev. Fr. McEachrin, all of Owosso, visited Mr. McGillvray's mother, Mrs. Angus McGillvray, Sunday. All were entertained at dinner at the home of Rev. Fr. McEachrin's mother, Mrs. John D. McEachrin, in Ubyly.

GAGETOWN.

Daniel McCarty of Detroit is spending a few days here visiting relatives.
 Preston Fournier returned home after spending a few days at a summer resort.
 The Gagetown town baseball team played with Unionville here Sunday. Gagetown was victorious, the score being 6-4.
 Miss Bernice Clara was operated on at Grace Hospital, Detroit, where she will remain for a short time.
 Mr. and Mrs. George High of Chicago spent the week-end with his mother, Mrs. John High.
 Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Mosack of Detroit spent the week-end at Mr. Mosack's parental home.
 James McDonald spent the week-end with his mother, Mrs. Thomas McDonald, and two children, Thomas and Elaine.
 Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Weiler and Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Grappan spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Karner in Bay City.
 Mr. and Mrs. David Durst and Misses Agnes and Susan Phelan of Detroit spent Sunday with Misses Bridge and Mamie Phelan.
 Mr. and Mrs. Ramie Tangee of Detroit spent a few days with Rev. Fr. McCullough.
 Mrs. John High spent Monday in Detroit.
 Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Freeman left for Manitoba, Canada, to visit Mr. Freeman's aunt last Sunday. They have not decided on the date of their return.
 Mrs. Anna Benninger spent Monday with Miss Sarah McDonald of Cass City.
 Jack Niensteadt of Port Huron is spending a few days with his grandfather, James Phelan.

A meeting Monday evening to elect the officers on the school board was held in the Gagetown High School.
 Miss Esther Wald spent Monday with Iris Flannery of Argyle.
 C. A. Davenport of Millington spent Monday in town.
 Miss Dorothy Knoblock of Adrian is spending her vacation at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lenhart.
 Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Fifield of the state of Washington are spending the summer with Mr. and Mrs. Peter Bartholomy.
 Lucille, Dorothy, and Donald Loomis are spending the week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. O'Dell of Cass City.



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IVORY SOAP	med. cake 5c	large cake 9c
DEL MAIZ NIBLETS		can 12c
DEL MAIZ CORN		can 10c
QUAKER MAID CHILI SAUCE	2 bots	25c
CRISCO	1-lb can	19c
SEMINOLE TOILET PAPER	3 rolls	19c
CLIMALENE	large pkg	19c
VELVET CAKE and PASTRY FLOUR	2 $\frac{3}{4}$ -lb pkg	15c
RAJAH SANDWICH SPREAD	16-oz jar	21c
DILL PICKLES	quart jar	10c
GRANDMOTHER'S BREAD	lb loaf	4c
EIGHT O'CLOCK COFFEE	lb	19c
PENN-RAD MOTOR OIL	8 quarts	\$1.08
FLY-TOX Insecticide	16-oz can	49c

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 16-oz jar **10c** 2-lb jar **19c**

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 5-oz bot **10c**

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CASS CITY MARKETS.

Table with 2 columns: Commodity and Price. Includes items like Wheat No. 2 mixed, Oats, Rye, Peas, Beans, etc. Date: July 14, 1932.

REVIVAL OF COURT ACTIVITIES IN SANILAC

Concluded from first page. Jackson, Hemans, who said Swoffer and his family including his wife and two children, beat him about the head and body with a corn planter, bag of tools, and stones. Jackson received several bad cuts. Mrs. Swoffer and the two children also charged with the assault were temporarily released. The assault was the result of a feud between the families which flared a year ago.

GLEE CLUB PRESENTED EXCELLENT CONCERT

Concluded from first page. School of Music, serves as accompanist. The club was introduced by Herdis Deabler of Capac, also of North Central College. During the intermission, Mr. Deabler showed motion pictures of the college, giving the audience glimpses of buildings, classes, scenery, and personalities on the campus.

SEE MICHIGAN.

"Big cars," bearing Michigan license plates, and which formerly carried their owners on long summer tours through other states are now being noticed in Michigan's state parks according to reports of park superintendents. A higher proportion of more expensive automobiles bearing campers to the parks are being observed, and park officers have reached the conclusion that economic conditions are causing many Michigan people to see their home state for the first time.

More modernized camping equipment is also causing many people to purchase camping equipment and tour the state parks where they are offered a wide variety of scenery and interests.

The economy wave has struck the village of Peck. At the council meeting on Tuesday evening, the salary of village clerk was reduced from \$100 to \$50 per annum and the councilmen also voted a reduction of 50 per cent in their pay.

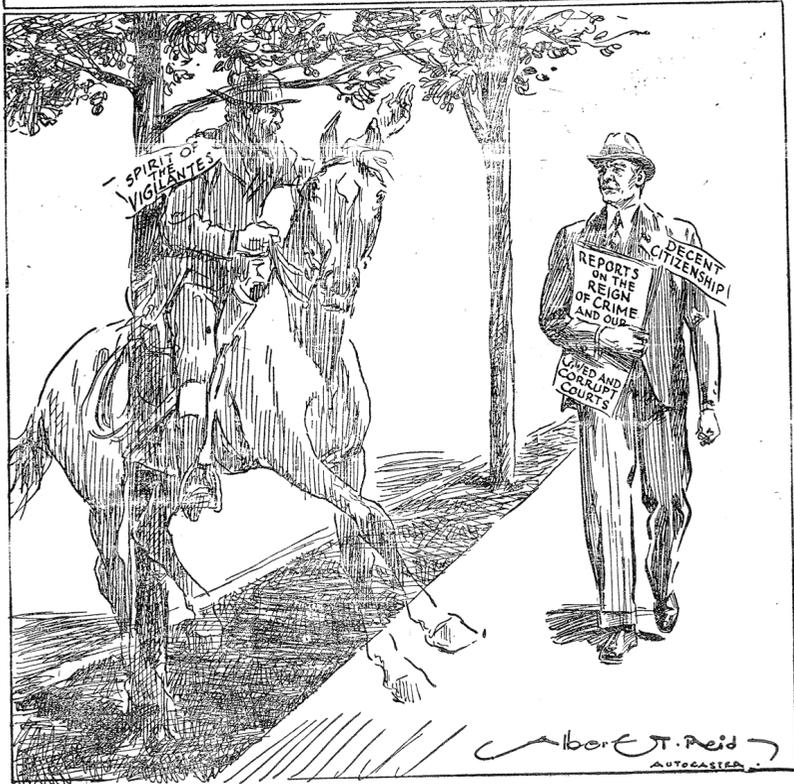
Laughter

If we may believe our logicians, man is distinguished from all other creatures by the faculty of laughter.—Addison

Advertise it in the Chronicle.

Beckoning

By Albert T. Reid



Locals

M. D. Hartt was a business caller in Bay City Monday.

Miss Margaret Kelly and Jack Kelly were Caro callers Thursday.

O. P. Klein of Akron is spending some time at the R. W. McConkey home.

Eber Gale of Flint came Tuesday to visit his sister, Mrs. Harry Young.

Doris and Lena May Cross are spending the week with Mr. and Mrs. Levi Noble at Palms.

Mrs. Eliza Schwaderer of Royal Oak is spending some time with relatives and friends here.

Mrs. George McIntyre of Columbiaville is caring for her daughter, Mrs. E. Hunter, who is ill.

Harry Rosenberger of Toledo is spending the summer with his grandmother, Mrs. John Tewksbury.

Miss Mary Jane McKichan of Lansing was the guest of Mrs. A. J. Knapp from Thursday until Sunday evening.

Harold Comfort of Saginaw is spending the summer months at the farm home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert W. McConkey.

Mrs. Edward James and son, George, of Port Huron were visitors the first part of the week at the Thomas Kelly home.

Mrs. Claude Rose and daughter, Evelyn, of Caro came Tuesday to spend a few days with the former's sister, Mrs. Edward Knight.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Bartlett and baby, Ruth, of Highland Park were guests over the week-end of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Combekall.

Mrs. Catherine Walters, Mrs. Bay Crane, and the Misses Katherine and Florence Crane were guests of Mrs. Sarah Welsh at Caro Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Marshall and son, John, of Kingston and Mr. and Mrs. Levi Bardwell spent the week-end at the Bardwell cottage at Caseville.

Mrs. C. P. Miller, daughter, Miss Irene, and son, John, returned to their home in Detroit Sunday after a ten-day visit with relatives and friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. McCarron and daughters, Margaret and Helen, were Wednesday visitors at the home of Mr. McCarron's aunt, Mrs. Thomas Kelly.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Cross, son, Donald, and Miss Ella Cross were entertained at dinner at the farm home of Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Schmidt Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Stocker, two sons, David and Lloyd, of Flint, Mrs. Joe E. Roberts and daughter, Eileen, of Port Huron were weekend guests at the Thomas Kelly home.

Keith McConkey, William Bottrell, Ephraim Knight, Miss Mildred Knight, and Miss Marjorie Graham were entertained at the Reed cottage at Huron Heights Sunday.

Harry Rosenberger, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Cross and children and Miss Ella Cross of Cass City and Mr. and Mrs. Levi Noble and family of Palms spent Sunday at Bay Port.

Mrs. Mabel Wood and son, Herl Wood, of Flint spent Sunday in Cass City. Mrs. Herl Wood, who had spent the week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John McLarty, returned home with them Sunday evening.

Miss Elsie McComb is employed at Ubyly.

Rev. James of Decker called upon Rev. T. S. Bottrell last Thursday.

Miss Grace Robinson left Sunday to visit her aunt, Mrs. George Reid, in Pontiac.

Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Hartt visited the former's mother, Mrs. M. E. Hartt, at Wilmot Sunday.

Mrs. R. A. McNamee, who has been quite ill at her home on Garfield Avenue, is slowly improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Iberschoff and a party of friends from Detroit are spending the week at the Knapp cottage at Caseville.

Miss Helene Bardwell, daughter of Levi Bardwell of this place, is attending summer school at the Pennsylvania State College at State College, Pa.

The Mother's club which is being organized by Vera Schell, R. N., will hold a meeting at the council rooms on Wednesday, July 20, from 2:00 to 4:00 p. m.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Striffler entertained at dinner Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Ashe, son, Myrl, Miss Dorothy Barnes of Vassar, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Guyette, and William Paul in honor of the birthday of Mrs. Ashe.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Seed of Rochester were guests at the J. E. Seed home Sunday. Mrs. J. E. Seed and daughters, Elizabeth and Frances, returned to Rochester with Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Seed to spend several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Quincy Morley of Detroit spent the week-end at the Clarence Quick home. Miss Beatrice Quick, who has been taking a week's vacation from her work in Detroit, and Miss Inez Quick returned with them.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Knapp, son, Clark, Miss Jane McKichan and Miss Mary Jane McKichan attended the Huron City Methodist church Sunday afternoon. Prof. William Lyon Phelps spoke on the subject, "The Two Thieves."

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Storton and son, Billy Ned, of Detroit were the guests of Cass City relatives from Saturday until Monday evening. Mr. Storton's mother, Mrs. A. M. Storton, returned to Detroit with them to spend a few days.

The Boy Scout camp will break up next Wednesday morning. The large Champion truck will meet and bring them home. There are 17 in camp and all are having a royal time with good fishing, good bathing, a fine ball diamond, and living right at the edge of the lake.

On Thursday, July 7, two automobile loads of members of the S. E. club journeyed to Huron county park with well-filled baskets for a picnic dinner. The dinner was in honor of the birthday of two members of the club, Miss Emma Lenzner and Mrs. C. W. Heller.

Warren Schenck, who has been visiting his daughter, Mrs. John R. Clark, in Detroit, left Detroit Friday with his daughter, Mrs. Clark, and granddaughter, Mary Jane Clark, by airplane to visit Mrs. Evan Schlichter (Catherine Fritz) in Cleveland, Ohio. Mr. Schenck is 85 years of age.

Dr. Leonard Douglas McRae, who graduated from the medical department at the University of Michigan in 1931, has decided to locate at Gagetown and will open an office there in the very near future. Dr. McRae has just completed a year as interne in Ford hospital at Detroit.

Miss Thelma Barnes is spending the week with relatives in Pontiac.

John McGillvray of Donora, Pa., has been in Cass City several days visiting his brothers, Daniel and Duncan McGillvray.

Mr. and Mrs. John LaBelle of Pontiac were guests of Mrs. LaBelle's brother, Albert Creguer, on Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. LaBelle leave this week for Spiritwood, Sask., where they will make their home. On Tuesday, Mrs. Thos. Mackie of Flint was a guest at the Creguer home.

Mrs. G. A. Tindale and Miss Pauline Sandham were callers in Lansing Saturday. Miss Harriet Tindale returned home with them. Miss Tindale had just returned from a two weeks' trip as a delegate for Kappa Alpha Theta sorority of Michigan State College at Lansing to the National Kappa Alpha Theta convention at Estes Park, Colorado.

The Socialist party car visited Cass City on Thursday evening, July 7, and three speakers of that party addressed quite a large outdoor audience on Main street. The campaign car which is in charge of Loren Walter of Detroit is well supplied with literature of the party which is backing the candidacy of Norman Thomas for the presidency. The speakers also visited Caro and Vassar within the past week.

Edward W. Keating celebrated his 76th birthday on Tuesday and, being an Orangeman for more than 50 years, he naturally attended that society's celebration at the county seat and participated in the Orangemen's walk. In the evening, at his home, with his son, Harley, and family from Detroit, he was guest of honor at a dinner with birthday cake and other excellent fare for such an occasion. Mr. Keating came to Cass City in 1879 from Lansdown, Ont., his birthplace. He remembers vividly the big fire of 1881 in this section and has always been foremost in the church, lodge, and business activities of the community and frequently has been chosen to serve in positions of responsibility. In early business life, he was a member of the firm of Landon, Eno, & Keating, planing mill operators and contractors, and after that firm sold their business here, he engaged in building and contracting with Ed Glover as a partner.

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The boys will give the most enthusiastic effort and support to their home town or school athletic team. The players are willing to undergo long hours of practice, to deny themselves many pleasures and indulgences, to enable them to play a winning game, and they root and cheer for the home team without limit.

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Prayer and Labor

He who prays and labors lifts his heart to God with his hands.—St Bernard.

Murmuring

Murmur at nothing. If our ills are repairable, it is ungrateful; if remediless, it is vain.—Colton.

NEWS OF THE NEARBY SECTIONS

Concluded from first page. shops." His accounts of the methods of making up "home-made" pills with the drug grinder and pill roller, in place of the modern medicated tablets, were revelations to a number of the youthful members of the trade who were privileged to hear him.

Re-organization of the Brown City Savings bank is progressing rapidly, Ezra W. Pepper, custodian, announces. Depositors are cooperating readily and are signing depositor's agreements, Mr. Pepper said. Approximately 85 per cent of the depositors have signed the agreements, which is said to be sufficient to assure the opening of the bank. It is planned according to present program, to open the bank early in August.

A call has been issued for a massed convention of the Progressive-Republican party for Saturday morning, July 16, at the Park Hotel, at St. Louis, Mich. The purpose of the convention is to nominate candidates for governor, lieutenant governor, and other state officers. Judge Edw. J. Jeffries of Detroit is chairman of the state central committee which has 16 members. John Diebel, Sr., of Pigeon is one of the members.

Sanilac county is represented at the statewide 4-H club convention at Michigan State College this week by five champions in various projects. They are as follows: Grace M. Bissett, Sandusky, potato project champion and first year canning champion; James Vanderwarker, Peck, first year dairy champion; Florence Groat, Melvin, first year clothing champion; Wilma Hyatt, Decker, second year clothing champion; Leland Atkins, Decker, second year handicraft champion. There were 13 other champions in Sanilac eligible to attend the club week activity. John D. Martin, agricultural agent, is also attending the week of activity. The agricultural extension office in the court house is closed this week owing to Mr. Martin's absence, as Miss Edna O'Connell, office assistant, is on vacation.

A reduction of \$5,000 in the 1932-33 school tax for District No. 3, Indianfields township, as compared to that of last year was announced at the annual meeting of the school board at Caro Monday evening. The tax assessment will be \$40,000. The report showed a balance of \$9,642.17 in the treasury on June 30, 1932. Two new members were elected to the school board. Irl Baguley was named to succeed Walter Cooper, who had served one year of a resigned member's term and who declined to seek re-election. Mrs. Quinn, secretary of the board for nine years, was defeated by Elmer Jones in the race for the office.

About 100 persons attended a golf tournament and dinner at the Verona Hills Golf Course Thursday evening in honor of Frank W. Hubbard of Grosse Pointe, Thumb District banker. The party was given in recognition of the gifts of the hospital and the community house to Bad Axe. The hospital was given 20 years ago and the community house was erected a year ago. Prof. William Lyon Phelps of Yale University, a brother-in-law of Mr. Hubbard, was in charge of the program honoring the banker.

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STIRTON FAMILY REUNION.

The eighth annual reunion of the Stirton family was held Sunday, July 10. Because of the rain, it was impossible to have it at the usual place of meeting, the old Stirton homestead, and this year it was held at the home of a daughter, Mrs. Alex Clark, at Popple one and one-fourth miles from the Stirton farm.

Thirty relatives were present and enjoyed a delightful dinner.

This gathering each year is also in honor of the birthday of J. G. Stirton of Elkton. This year Mr. Stirton celebrated his 86th birthday.

Guests were present from Detroit, Big Beaver, Bad Axe, Elkton, Popple and Cass City.

RURAL ELECTRIFICATION TRUCK AT CARO AUG. 9

Are you a farmer interested in lighting your home, pumping your water, grinding your feed, and doing many other small power jobs around the farm in the best and most economical way?

If so, see the rural electrification truck when it comes to Tuscola County, August 9, for a one day stop at Caro fair grounds.

If you are not now on a rural electrical line, perhaps you would like to be. You should investigate the possibilities for such a line in your community.

Several cheap and practical plans for financing farm lines have been worked out between the Agricultural Engineering department of Michigan State college and the larger power companies operating in Michigan.

The plans will be explained by

Professor H. J. Gallagher at the demonstration-meeting August 9. All farmers are invited to attend the meeting, to enter the discussion of rural electrification and to view the college demonstration of model equipment.

LARGE 4-H CLUB ENROLLMENT NOW IN SANILAC CO.

Continued from page one.

Verneta Linderman, Belya McNaughton, Eleanor Watson, Margaret McNaughton, Maxine Loney, Olive Nichols, Genevieve Pusney, Elsie Pringle, Cleo Nichols, Thelma Cook, Laura Crocker, Margaret McQueen, Jane McQueen, Doris Pringle, Helen Sharrard, and Mable Auslander.

In the Withey community, Mrs. Harvey McGregor is acting as club leader for the Happy Gang Canning club with Mrs. Emmet Elwell, Mrs. Elmer Collins, and Mrs. Otto Dorland acting as advisory board. This club with its membership of seven has Dorothy McGregor as president; Thelma Collins as vice president; and Alma Elwell as secretary. The other members are as follows: Wilda Collins, Eleanor Dorland, Ruth Dorland, and Mary Boughton.

All of these 4-H club members are planning on putting on exhibits for the 4-H club fair which will be held at Sandusky August 25-26.

Taxation Old as History

Taxes are mentioned in history almost as early as history exists. One of the first books of the Bible describes involuntary offerings, which were a form of taxation.

Chronicle Liners

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

FOR SALE—Standard binder twine; 8 lb. ball at \$6.50 and \$7.50 per hundred, cash. Claude Root, phone 117F31, Cass City, 7-15-2

FOR SALE—Baby chicks every Tuesday and Friday to July 30. W. Leghorns 6c, B. P. Rocks 7c each delivered. Bay City Hatchery, Bay City, Michigan 7-15-2

FOR SALE—100 R. I. Red Pullets 16 weeks old, at 40c each, if taken at once. Six west and one south of Cass City. Sam Putnam, R. 4, Caro. 7-8-2*

OLD HORSES WANTED for fox feed; must be alive. Otto Monte, Fairgrove, Michigan. 1-8-1f

HARLEY DAVIDSON motorcycle for sale. Two new tires and in good running condition. 2 1/2 miles east of Old Greenleaf. Guss Moss. 7-15-1

GRAND PIANO for sale—Very good tone, especially good to sing by. Case is walnut, dark shade, like new, good keys, \$150.00 if taken at once. Edward Gingrich, R. 4, Cass City, Mich. See piano at home, 2 miles south, 1 mile west of city. Mail orders for piano tuning to same address. 7-15-2

RADIO ACCESSORIES—All kinds of radio accessories at the May & Douglas furniture store, Cass City. 1-17-1f

FOR SALE—Five little pigs ten weeks old; five little pigs six weeks old. M. E. Kenney, Cass City. 7-8-2

BUYER AND SELLER are quickly brought together through the Chronicle liner column. The regular user has long since found this out. The cost of these little ads is small.

IF THERE IS something you want to buy, why not advertise the fact in The Chronicle liner column? Someone has the article you want. These little ads do wonders at a surprisingly small cost.

WE BUY cream, eggs and poultry at our store on East Main St. M. C. McLellan. Phone 6. 2-27-1f

DILL PICKLES at 20 cents per gallon while they last. Bring your own containers. Ricker & Krahlung. 7-8-2

WANTED—Woman, dignified and refined, with business tact and good personality, not too young, for permanent position with future. Must have a car. Write fully to O. C. Haskins, Attica, Michigan. 7-15-2p

FOR SALE—Five horses, eight cows and a number of good brood sows. Caro Poultry Plant. 7-15-2

FOR SALE—11 acres of Grimm alfalfa. This is a good crop. \$1.25 an acre buys it. Herman Charter. 7-15-1

CHASE A CHRONICLE liner on your errand. It's surprising how quickly one of these little ads does its work and at an extremely low cost. Try it to your own satisfaction.

FORTY ACRES for sale with small barn and house, \$700. The Cass City State Bank. 7-15-3

I DESIRE to borrow \$600 at 7% interest on a first mortgage on desirable property. Address Box T.J, care of Chronicle, Cass City, 7-8-2p

I WANT TO BUY every day—Poultry and calves. Reasonable prices. Telephone 159-F3, Cass City. Louis Darowitz. 5-27-1f

FOR SALE—Congoeum rug nearly new. Size, 9x15. Mrs. William I. Moore. 7-15-1

ICE CREAM Social will be held Tuesday evening, July 19, at Lynn Fuester's home, 6 miles east and 1 mile north of Cass City, for benefit of Wickware church. 7-15-1

SHIP YOUR CATTLE, calves and poultry through the Elmwood Shipping Association and receive better prices. Louis Darowitz. Res. Phone 159-F3, Cass City. Jos. Leishman, Phone 132-F32, Elmwood Store. 7-1-1f

I WANT TO RENT a medium size house in Cass City. Prefer southern part of town. Lawrence Blackmer, Cass City. 7-15-1p

RAPID AND EXPERT—Those two words sum up the secret of our success and the service we render in dry cleaning. Modern equipment and expert workmanship. Robinson's Laundry and Dry Cleaning. 7-1-1

HOUSE for rent or for sale cheap. Enquire at Pinney State Bank. 6-24-

TWO MODERN homes for sale in Cass City. Both well located and up-to-date. Will sell at depression prices and on easy terms. One of these houses we are prepared to sell on a contract with a very small down payment and \$25 a month payment. If you do not own your home, this is certainly the time to think of getting one, when both price and terms are favorable. The Cass City State Bank. 7-15-3

WE WISH to thank our friends for their kindness and flowers during the illness and death of our wife and mother. Albert Russell and family.

WE WISH to express our thanks to the friends and neighbors for the many acts of kindness shown us during the illness and death of our dear baby. Also to those who assisted at the services. Mr. and Mrs. Stanley McArthur, Mrs. Lydia Starr.

MRS. A. M. WESTERBY wishes to thank her many friends for their many kindnesses and lovely flowers sent during her recent illness. 7-15-1*

WE WISH to thank our neighbors and friends for many acts of kindness shown us during the illness and at the death of our mother and father. We are especially grateful to Rev. Ogle and Rev. Welton for their comforting words, to the Ubyly choir and Mr. and Mrs. Douglas and Mrs. Mary Gekeler, and for the floral offerings. Mr. and Mrs. Robert E. Richardson, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. A. McCallum and families.

DEFORD.

The W. C. T. U. met for their open air meeting with Mrs. Carrie Retherford on Thursday of last week.

L. M. Stenger made a business trip to Port Huron on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. N. R. Kennedy and son, Jack, spent Monday in Detroit.

The Rev. Paul Jones of Detroit gave an address on the "Prevention of Crime" Tuesday evening on the street corner at Patterson's store.

Mrs. Harriett Dramer and sister, Etta, of Detroit were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Martin.

Alva Palmateer was greatly surprised on Sunday on arriving home from church to find his house filled with company.

Mrs. Carrie Lewis entertained on Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Ted O'Kelley of Caro.

Miss Doris Harris of Imlay City and Miss Wilma Hill of Detroit are spending the week with Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Patterson.

Wm. Kelley and son, Kenneth, left on Friday to attend the funeral services of Mr. Kelley's sister, Mrs. Ada Weaver, at Battle Creek.

Lue Sherwood and daughters, Luella and Onnelee, accompanied by Mr. Sherwood's brother, Ed Sherwood, from Lum, spent from Sunday until Wednesday at West Branch.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Elsworth of Redford and Milton Clark of Flint were visitors Monday and Tuesday with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Lawrence of Lowell spent Tuesday and Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Malcolm.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Sherwood spent Thursday of last week visiting at Pontiac.

Mrs. Bessie Frahm and brother, James McPherson, of Millington were visitors at the C. J. and H. D. Malcolm homes on Saturday.

Mrs. George McIntyre, Mrs. R. E. Johnson, Mrs. Burton Morrison, and Mrs. Jesse Kelley were callers at Flint Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bemis Bentley, Wm. Bentley, and Mrs. Maud Ross of Lapeer, Mr. and Mrs. Allison Bittle and children of Fairgrove were visitors on Sunday at the Wm. Bentley home.

Those who visited Grandma McCain at the Geo. Spencer home on Sunday were Harry Puegh, Mr. and Mrs. O. Buckwitz and three children of Port Huron, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Colwell and children of Saginaw, Ben Gage and Charles Silverthorn.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hegler entertained on Wednesday Mr. and Mrs. E. Hamberg and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hamberg and children of Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Martin have as guests this week Mrs. Martin's mother and sister, Mrs. A. W. Campfield and Mrs. Mabel Lovell, both of Crosswell, and Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Barwife of Wolf Point, Mont. Mrs. Barwife is also a sister of Mrs. Martin.

Marl Cures Acidity of Michigan Soils

The use of marl to correct soil acidity in Michigan is recommended by the soils department of Michigan State college for farmers who live near enough a natural deposit to make applications of this material more economical than the correction of soil acidity by other forms of lime.

This state has a great many marl beds and many of these contain deposits rich in calcium, the element needed by sour soils. The utilization of the marl from these beds has been a problem studied by the college department of agricultural engineering for several years.

The problem was to develop some type of equipment which would successfully excavate the marl and at the same time be so simple in construction that it could be purchased and operated by one farmer or a group of farmers. A special bucket which meets these requirements has been perfected by Prof. H. H. Musselman.

The method of operating this type of marl excavating equipment has been demonstrated to groups of farmers in many Michigan communities but there are still thousands of alfalfa growers who could use marl to great advantage and who have not investigated the possibilities of removing this material from nearby beds.

Three departments of Michigan State college have cooperated in the publication of a new bulletin which discusses all phases of the use of marl. The bulletin gives detailed plans of the equipment needed for removing marl from beds. Anyone interested in utilizing marl should obtain Special Bulletin No. 224, "Marl," which is sent free to those requesting it from the Bulletin Clerk, East Lansing.

Advertise it in the Chronicle.

Order for Publication—Appointment of Administrator—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 6th day of July, A. D. 1932.

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

In the matter of the Estate of Elizabeth Strickland, Deceased.

Orlando Strickland, having filed in said court his petition praying that the administration of said estate be granted to The Pinney State Bank, Cass City, Michigan, or to some other suitable person,

It is ordered that the 16th day of September, 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, once each week 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. 7-8-32. Minta E. Hill, Register of Probate.

News Review of Current Events the World Over

House Passes Relief Bill in Face of Veto Threat by the President—Bingham's Beer Rider Seems Blocked—Plans for Campaign.

By EDWARD W. PICKARD

WITH the aid of 35 Republican members the Democrats put through the house the compromise emergency relief bill carrying \$2,122,000,000 as revised by the conferees and containing provisions that President Hoover had plainly indicated would lead him to veto the measure.



Speaker Garner

Chief of these is a clause empowering the Reconstruction Finance corporation to make loans to individuals and municipalities unable to obtain funds from normal banking facilities. Speaker Garner had insisted on the retention of this provision for the "benefit of the masses," and Mr. Hoover had been equally insistent on its exclusion, asserting it made the government a pawn broker and would jeopardize the credit of the nation.

The bitter controversy between President and speaker followed two futile conferences at the White House. Mr. Garner violently attacked Mr. Hoover on the floor of the house and Mr. Hoover retorted with a scorching statement placing all the blame for the disagreement on the shoulders of the speaker.

As the bill went to the senate following a flurry of debate shot through with politics and peppered with attacks on Speaker Garner as "obstinate willed" and "demagogic," it provided for increasing the capitalization and borrowing power of the Reconstruction Finance corporation from \$2,000,000,000 to \$3,760,000,000. It also carried in addition \$322,000,000 for public works construction to be financed by the treasury.

Of the \$1,760,000,000 turned over to the Reconstruction Finance corporation all but \$300,000,000 is set aside for loans. Part is to be loaned directly to individuals and cities on such security as they can command. The balance is to be loaned to states, cities, public and private agencies, corporations and various sorts of organizations to build toll bridges, waterworks, tenements and other projects of what is termed a self-liquidating nature.

SENATOR BINGHAM'S effort to force a vote in the senate on the legalization of beer was not getting along very well. He sought to attach the proposition to the home loan bill as a rider, but the dyes came to the front strongly, and at least delayed matters by precipitating a long debate on the bank bill itself.



Sen. Bingham.

ONE after another the insurgent Republicans of the senate are turning toward Roosevelt and the Democratic ticket. Norris of Nebraska was the first to announce himself and Frazier of North Dakota came next. Both declared they would support the New York governor in his campaign against President Hoover.

Although Senator Johnson declined to say whether he will openly support Governor Roosevelt in the campaign, his statement left little doubt that he prefers the Democratic nominee to President Hoover.

MEETING in convention in Indianapolis, the Prohibition party decided it wanted Senator Borah as its Presidential candidate and so informed him. His reply was noncommittal as to his acceptance but advised the party to nominate some one else and then leave the door open for withdrawal of its candidates if an amalgamation of all dry groups is arranged at the coming conference in Washington.

Therefore the convention nominated William D. Upshaw, former congressman from Georgia, for President and Frank S. Regan of Rockford, Ill., for Vice President.

BY COMBINING the Liberty, Farmer-Labor, Progressive and Socialist parties, the Monetary league and the Farmers' union, the New Liberty party was formed at a convention held in Kansas City, Mo. Frank Webb of San Francisco was nominated for President, and Andrew Nordskog of Los An-



Henry J. Allen

gels, for Vice President, both being named by acclamation, though "General" Jacob S. Coxey of Ohio also was offered as a candidate. Roland Bruner of Kansas City, the chairman, called a meeting of the national committee in Kansas City August 30.

work, and Ray Benjamin of California, who has been of material assistance, will continue their services with the committee.

There was no such certainty of location in connection with the Democratic organization. James A. Farley, New York state chairman and Roosevelt pre-convention manager, who has been elected chairman of the Democratic national committee, has indicated a tendency to favor New York as the center of operations.

ALFRED E. SMITH settled all doubts as to his intentions when he issued a statement that he would support the Democratic candidates, platform and party. He said he had received many letters urging him to run independently for President on the Democratic platform but regarded such a course as impracticable and impossible.

DOWN in North Carolina the wets scored a decided victory in the defeat of Senator Cameron Morrison, veteran leader of the dries, in the Democratic run-off primary, which is equivalent to an election. The senator was swamped, losing by more than 100,000 votes to Robert R. Reynolds. The winner, who campaigned as an advocate of repeal of the Eighteenth amendment, received the largest majority ever given a candidate in that state. He is forty-seven years old and practices law in Asheville.



R. R. Reynolds

J. C. B. Ehringhaus of Elizabeth City won the nomination for governor.

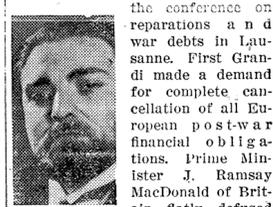
VICE PRESIDENT CHARLES Curtis and Speaker Garner, who hopes to succeed "Charley," both expect to do a lot of speaking throughout the West for their respective tickets. Indeed, the heavy work of the campaign will fall to them, for President Hoover will make only a few speeches in large cities and Gov. Franklin Roosevelt probably will not often depart from Albany.

Mr. Curtis said in Washington: "I expect to do a lot of campaigning this fall and would be glad to meet Mr. Garner on the stump."

Mr. Garner said little of his plans except that as soon as congress adjourned he would go to his ranch home near Uvalde, Texas, for a rest. Both these gentlemen are seasoned campaigners, familiar especially with the West and the South. And both of them like the old style of oratory, with plenty of gestures and language that appeals to the "common people."

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DINO GRANDI, Italian foreign minister, and Premier Herriot of France both gave utterance to declarations that greatly disturbed the conference on reparations and war debts in Lausanne. First Grandi made a demand for complete cancellation of all European post-war financial obligations. Prime Minister J. Ramsay MacDonald of Britain flatly defused Grandi's demand that the slate be wiped clean. Great Britain, he said, cannot cancel debts due to her unless the United States does likewise.



Dino Grandi

Grandi precipitated the discussion by asking Premier MacDonald to agree never to demand renewal of war debt payments by Italy, in line with the policy he had outlined as the ideal of Premier Benito Mussolini.

MacDonald replied politely but firmly that Great Britain is bound by the Balfour declaration, which sets forth that Britain shall ask from her debtors only as much as she needs to pay her own war debts. While she has to continue payment of her own debts, he said, Britain cannot agree to wiping the international slate clean.

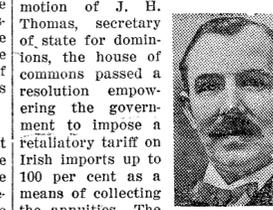
Then Premier Herriot came forward with the flat assertion that either the United States must revise the war debt schedules or Germany must continue to pay reparations under the Young plan. At the same time Germany continued to stick tightly to its contention that it can no longer meet the Young plan payments.

Herriot's declaration was made at the end of a day of negotiations which led nowhere. It was given to the press in explanation of why France demands a safeguarding clause, protecting its reparations income in case America remains adamant on the debts, in any agreement negotiated.

Chancellor Von Papen has proposed that Germany pay about \$600,000,000 in a flat sum on condition that the war guilt clause be removed from the treaty of Versailles and that Germany be permitted equality of armament. It was the impression in Lausanne that Von Papen attached to the conditions even more importance than to fixing the amount Germany might be called on to pay. Herriot, however, declined to consider them at all.

MacDonald, as the week closed, was trying hard to bring accord between France and Germany.

GREAT BRITAIN and the Irish Free State are at each other's throats over the matter of the defaulted Irish land annuities. On motion of J. H. Thomas, secretary of state for dominions, the house of commons passed a resolution empowering the government to impose a retaliatory tariff on Irish imports up to 100 per cent as a means of collecting the annuities. The special duties act was then put on its way through parliament, though it was opposed by George Lansbury, Labor leader.



President De Valera of the Free State has demanded that the dispute be referred to an international tribunal for arbitration, but the British government insists it must be handled by an empire tribunal. As Mr. Thomas says, Great Britain could never permit foreigners to arbitrate a domestic dispute.

The land annuities, amounting to approximately \$11,000,000 a year, were set up by the Anglo-Irish treaty of 1921 and were intended to reimburse landholders, mostly British, for land purchased for parceling to tenant farmers.

WITHOUT having accomplished anything of importance, the disarmament conference at Geneva prepared to adjourn until next autumn. Its final act was to be the issuance of a statement prepared by Sir John Simon, British foreign secretary, lauding President Hoover's proposals for reduction of armaments by one-third and setting forth certain points in them on which the various delegations were approximately agreed. It also said some phases of the plan would require considerable time for study by the powers concerned.

TWO American aviators, James Mattern and Bennett Griffin, undertaking to set a new record for flight around the world, flew from Harbor Grace across the Atlantic ocean in record time, making their first stop at Berlin. Thence they hurried on toward Moscow, but were forced down 50 miles from Minsk. Their plane was wrecked.

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One black gelding, 5 years old, 1300 lbs. 100.00
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These horses are at the Charles Travis farm, 2 miles south, 2 miles east, 1/2 mile south of Cass City.

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—Author Unknown.



LUMBERMEN'S MEMORIAL

Dedication of the \$50,000 Bronze Memorial to the Pioneer Lumbermen of Michigan will take place Saturday, July 16, at the site of the monument, located on the bank of the Au Sable River in the National Forest.

The location is at the junction of the River road from Oscoda and the Thompson Trail from the Tawassee. It is designated on the Michigan Highway map.

Turning Back the Pages

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

Twenty-five Years Ago.

Chris Schwaderer, who has the contract for building 2 1/2 miles of state road north of town expects to complete the job next week.

W. N. Straube tendered his resignation to the village council Monday, as superintendent of the electric light and waterworks plants. He has been offered a position as electrician at Helena, Mont.

The following is the list of successful candidates from Cass City who took the teachers' examination here June 20 and 21: Myrtle B. Wickware, Minnie M. Tiedgen, Ethel Gallagher, Eunice E. Hendrick, Merle Craig, Mae Little, Bessie Skinner, Ethel Charlton, Ethel McCrea and Etta L. Keating.

Dr. Morris, who has been a resident of Lexington for 1 1/2 years, will locate soon at Greenleaf to practice his profession.

Dana Losey has purchased the grocery business of H. L. Hunt and takes possession this week.

E. H. Lincoln, the local agent for the P. O. & N. R. R., expects to leave this week for Pontiac where he has been offered a position with the same railroad company.

Miss Emma Burg has been engaged as teacher in School District No. 6, Novesta, at a salary of \$35 a month.

Dr. M. M. Wickware has purchased an automobile this week. It is of the Reo-type and a runabout.

Dr. P. A. Schenck has moved into the residence he purchased recently from Edward Pinney on Houghton street.

Miss Clara Lenzner, who is employed as a nurse in a hospital at Ann Arbor, is enjoying a month's vacation at her parental home here.

Quite a number attended the show, "Ten Nights in a Bar Room," at Deford Thursday night.

Thirty-five Years Ago.

Church street is now open to the railroad.

Jas. Tennant has purchased a new two-seated carriage from H. S. Wickware.

Manley P. Karr and Miss Emma Lang were united in marriage yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Marr are enjoying a cycling tour to Niagara Falls.

A street lamp has been placed at the fire hall corner on Segar street and is certainly a step in the right direction. It gives a faint idea of what our streets would be like if properly illuminated.

Dr. A. N. Treadgold of Kilmanagh was married on Tuesday to Miss Lillian N. Thomas of Tyre, at the bride's home.

An order of the Patriots of America was organized in the Town Hall Saturday morning. The following officers were elected: J. S. McArthur, first patriot; J. L. Hitchcock, treasurer; J. B. McGilvray, secretary.

Dr. M. M. Wickware, who has been practicing in Caro for the past few months, has decided to return to his home at this place, and accordingly has established his office over Mrs. E. K. Wickware's millinery store.

S. S. Alwood, a pioneer of Elkland township, passed away in Northwestern Ohio early this month.

Advertise it in the Chronicle.

small babe in his arms and the young mother lugged a bundle of belongings. Their clothing and their looks were destitute. The vision of such a couple rides with one long after the couple have been left trudging behind on the pavement. It is not a pleasant thing to contemplate—either taking a chance by giving them a lift or passing them by.

KINGSTON.

Douglas Noble of Detroit is visiting relatives here.

Neil Burns, Thomas Everett, and L. A. Maynard transacted business in Mayville and Marlette Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hazen Peter attended the Roberts reunion at Pontiac Sunday. Mrs. Peter's sister, Lorena Roberts, returned home with them for a visit.

Fred Rode of Detroit was in town Monday.

Winifred Soper of Highland Park is visiting her cousin, Francis Soper.

Mrs. Richard Albery and children, Richard Jr., Max, and Alice, of Covington, Ohio, came Monday to visit Mrs. Albery's niece, Mrs. Alex Marshall.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Marshall, son, John, and Charles Barden spent the week-end at Oak Bluff.

Erie Tewksbury of Saginaw was called here Monday by the serious illness of her sister, Mrs. Albert Peter, Jr., who is in a hospital at Marlette.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Gobert and son of Pontiac spent the week-end with relatives here.

Mrs. Ed Stephens is visiting her son, Clayton, and family in Detroit.

Mrs. Wilson from Ontario gave some facts about government liquor control in her country at the W. C. T. U. meeting at Mrs. Dr. Bates' home Friday afternoon. Those present all felt sure that the law is not what we want in our country.

Mrs. Walter Legg's father, Mr. Innes, suffered a paralytic stroke Monday morning.

A large crowd attended the ice cream social at Arthur Schell's last Friday evening.

Sherwood Heineman returned from Port Hope Friday after spending the week there with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Amber Jones were called to Detroit Monday by the death of his brother's wife.

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Peter, Jr., was buried in Kingston cemetery Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Thompson of Wahjamega called on Mr. and Mrs. Walter Legg Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Jeffery and two sons returned home Friday night from Muskegon where they visited Mr. and Mrs. Allan Umbright.

Rev. Paul Jones gave a very interesting talk on "How to Prevent Crime" from the band stand Saturday night.

Hitch Hikers.

(St. Johns Republican-News). People who drive automobiles along the main trunklines are forced to make decisions about hitch hikers often this year than ever before. The roads are literally lined with these people. Many of them are worthy of a lift. But the liberality of drivers has frequently been rewarded with a gun in the ribs and an order to drive far out of their way. Robberies of this nature are common. Most drivers are refusing anyone a ride after dark and using considerable discretion in daylight. One of the sights which the motorist witnesses more frequently this year than ever before is that of a man and wife "thumping" a ride together. One day last week the man was carrying a

WILMOT.

Mrs. L. M. Jackson and brother, Jim Craig, of Detroit spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Moulton.

Mrs. E. N. Hartt is on the sick list.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Vincin of Pontiac were calling on old friends here Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Moulton and two children of Caro spent Sunday with Mr. Moulton's parents.

Mrs. E. V. Evans has been on the sick list.

Phylis Penfold is visiting at Pontiac.

Lyle Penfold returned from Detroit last Sunday after spending the past week there.

Mr. and Mrs. Lew Stokes and sons, Ralph and Kenneth, and grandson, Ralph, Jr., of Cleveland spent from Saturday until Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Sam Ferguson.

Mr. and Mrs. Art Daily and daughter spent Sunday with Mrs. Daily's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Barrons.

Mrs. Kitley returned from Caro Thursday where she has been working for the past two weeks.

Wm. Huffman of Deford called at the home of Chas. Ferguson Monday.

John Roberts had the misfortune to fall from the hay mow one day last week and was quite seriously injured.

Several from here attended the services of Dr. Merriam at the grave yard last Wednesday.

ELLINGTON-ELMWOOD.

At the annual school meeting of the Brown school which was held Monday evening, Charles McConnell was elected as moderator to succeed James Tracy.

Lucile Delong has returned after spending a week with her aunt, Mrs. Wesley Fetter, at Brown City.

Vernon McConnell spent the first of last week at Oak Beach on business.

Mr. and Mrs. James Tracy and sons attended the camp meeting at Caro on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carmon Wanner of Pontiac spent the week-end with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Wanner.

More than six dollars were cleared at the ice cream social held at the Novesta Church of Christ last Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. James Heller of Wickware, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Jekell and three children and Miss Julia Jaskell of St. Louis, Mo., Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Wright and family, Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Stilson and family, Wm. Flint, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Tuckey and family, Mr. and Mrs. Clair Tuckey and family, and Mr. and Mrs. Luke Tuckey and family spent Tuesday evening at the J. D. Tuckey home and enjoyed ice cream and cake. The gathering was in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Jekell and family and Miss Julia Jaskell of St. Louis, Mo., who are relatives.

Florence Johnson and Fred Baynes of Detroit and Norine Goodall visited Friday at the J. H. Goodall home.

Mr. and Mrs. Rinard Knoblet and family and Mrs. Ed Knoblet spent Sunday afternoon at Akron at the Ralph Harrington home.

Mrs. O. Delong returned to Pontiac Tuesday after spending a few days with her son, Maynard Delong.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon McConnell and family spent Sunday at the L. Kellitz home.

Mr. and Mrs. Clair Tuckey and family were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Allen Wanner.

DO YOU KNOW THAT?

"Malarial mosquitoes (the only source of the disease) occur all over the United States in sufficient numbers to carry malaria to thousands of people."—Professor G. W. Herrick of Cornell University.

"Over two thousand people die from malaria in the United States each year."—U. S. Census Bureau.

Mosquitoes thrive and breed in stagnant water. Do not leave breeding places for them.

Historic Quill

The quill pen, used by the American humorist, Charles Farrar Browne, who wrote under the pen name of Artemus Ward, is in the University of Kansas library.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT OF SCHOOL DIST. NO. 5, FRL., ELKLAND TOWNSHIP

For the year ending July 1, 1932.

General and Library Fund Receipts, 1931-1932.

Table with columns for General and Library funds, listing receipts from July 1, 1931, to July 1, 1932, including items like interest on account, borrowed money, primary money, and tuition.

General and Library Fund Expenditures.

Table with columns for General and Library funds, listing expenditures for items like Beecher, Peck & Lewis; stencils; Bigelow & Sons; supplies; Nockstanz Brothers; supplies; Burke's Drug Store; supplies; Willis Campbell; project work; Cass City Chronicle; printing and supplies; Cass City Oil and Gas Co.; supplies; Village of Cass City; water; J. L. Cathcart; cheese cloth; Central Scientific Co.; laboratory equipment; James B. Clow & Son; repairs; E. A. Corpron; supplies; Frank Cranick; janitor salary.

Croft & Wallace; insurance 3 years.

Table listing various expenditures for items like Davis Sanitary Supply Co.; sweeping compound; Denoyer Geipert Co.; maps; L. Dewey; moving ashes; Dobson Evans Co.; supplies; Dudley Paper Co.; towels; Electric Storage Battery Co.; clock supplies; Elkland Gas and Oil Co.; supplies; Farm Produce Co.; coal and supplies; Finnell System Company; supplies; G. & C. Folkert; supplies; Frankel Mfg. Co.; stencils; Ginn & Company; library book; High School General Fund; substitute teacher; supplies; J. I. Holcomb Company; supplies; Houghton, Mifflin Co.; library books; H. L. Hunt; pipe; M. H. Hunt & Son; agriculture supplies; Jennison Hardware Co.; supplies; Keewanee Boiler Corp.; furnace grates; Vera Kelly; office salary; Ben Kirton; hauling dirt; D. A. Krug; bottle gas; The Macmillan Co.; library book; Maier's Studio; framing pictures; Mayfair Agency; magazines; Michigan Associated Telephone Co.; service and tolls; Michigan Bean Co.; coal; Michigan Company Inc.; supplies; Michigan Electric Power Company; Michigan School Service; supplies; Morley Brothers; supplies; Guss Moss; labor; North Central Association; membership fee; Harry Nowland; freight and cartage; E. Paul & Son; repairs; Peoples Wayne County Bank; bond principal and interest; Pinney State Bank; secretary's postage; Pinney State Bank; notes and interest; Elizabeth E. Pinney; secretary salary; Clarence Quick; janitor salary.

Table listing various receipts and expenditures for the Railway Express Agency, Robinson's Laundry, P. A. Schenck, Scott, Foresman & Co., Seeman & Peters, L. D. Smith Corp., Roy Taylor, Tropical Paint Co., Union Paper and Twine Co., Wagnenord & Company, George Wahr, Weibert & Pfeil Co., W. M. Welch Company, George West & Son, Westover-Kamm Company, John C. Wilk, George L. Williams Company, H. W. Wilson Company, and L. I. Wood & Company.

Total (Library Fund \$116.09 of total) \$24856.93

Salary Fund Expenditures.

Table listing salary fund expenditures for individuals like Elma Aurand, Willis Campbell, Marguerite Countryman, Zora Day, Ruth Ann Erskine, Gertrude Hale, Mary Holcomb, Kenneth Kelly, Mildred Kriewall, Alice Lammers, Virgil Logan, Ernestine Manigold, Margaret Muntz, J. Ivan Niergarth, Frances Perrin, L. D. Randall, Geraldine Reed, Goldie Wilson, Verda Zuschnitt, and Michigan Teachers' Retirement Fund.

Total \$27295.00

Summary.

Table summarizing receipts and expenditures, including Total Receipts, General Fund, Paid Teachers' Salaries, Paid General Fund Expenses, Paid Library Fund Expenses, Balance on Hand, General Fund, and Balance on Hand, Library Fund.

Annual meeting of School District No. 5, frl., Elkland Township, Tuscola County, Michigan, held at the school house July 11, 1932.

The meeting was called to order by the president, J. A. Sandham. The minutes of the last annual meeting were read and approved.

The treasurer's report for the school year 1931-1932 was read. Moved by Mrs. A. J. Knapp and seconded by Frank Hutchinson that the report be accepted. Motion carried.

Treasurer's Report.

Treas. Summary—1931-1932.

Table listing receipts and expenditures for the Treasurer's Report, including Receipts (Balance on hand, Voted Tax, Smith-Hughes, Primary, Turner Bill, Tuition, Loans, Miscellaneous) and Expense (Teachers' Salaries, Janitors' Salaries, Office Help, Bonds, Principal and Interest, Notes and Interest, Insurance, Coal, Library, Miscellaneous).

Balance on Hand—General 6,410.27

Balance on Hand—Library 180.53

\$58742.73 \$58742.73

Budget.

Table listing budget items like Direct Tax, Tuition, Primary, Turner Aid, Smith-Hughes, Library, Auditorium Rent, and Interest.

\$41,205.00

Expenditures—

Table listing expenditures for Teachers' Salaries, Bond and Interest, Janitors, Clerk and Officers, Fuel, Light and Water, Janitors' Supplies, and Miscellaneous.

\$41,205.00

Moved by Mrs. A. J. Knapp and seconded by Clarence Quick that the budget be approved as read.

Motion carried. Moved by Walter Schell and seconded by Mrs. F. Hutchinson that the chair appoint two tellers. Motion carried. The chair appointed Mrs. A. J. Knapp and H. F. Lenzner, who were duly sworn in.

The following were nominated to fill the vacancy on the board of the expired term of J. A. Sandham—J. A. Sandham and Frank Reid. First ballot—Total number of votes cast, 16, of which Mr. Sandham received 14 and Mr. Reid 2. Mr. Sandham was declared elected for a term of three years.

The following were nominated to fill the unexpired term of Walter Schell—Frank Hutchinson. Total number of votes cast, 12, of which F. Hutchinson received 7 and Frank Reid received 5. Mr. Hutchinson was declared elected for the term of two years.

Moved by John McLarty and seconded by F. Cranick that the meeting adjourn. Motion carried.

ELIZABETH E. PINNEY, Secretary.

PROCEEDINGS OF ANNUAL MEETING SCHOOL DIST. NO. 4, TOWNSHIP OF NOVESTA.

Meeting held on the 11th day of July, 1932.

Expenditures.

Table listing expenditures for July 16, E. L. Patterson, supplies; Aug. 10, Cass City Chronicle, printing reports; Aug. 26, Mike Palaski, labor; Aug. 29, Michigan Bean Co., coal; Sept. 4, H. Case, labor; Sept. 8, Alton Lewis, labor; Sept. 17, R. E. Johnson, supplies; Sept. 22, John Marsh, wood; Oct. 7, Michigan School Service, supplies; Oct. 8, E. J. Darbee, fire ins.; Oct. 13, Howard Malcolm, mowing yard; Nov. 5, Henry J. Andress, cyclone ins.; Nov. 23, Ella Spencer, freight and supplies.

Table listing various receipts and expenditures for Dec. 12, Cass City School, tuition; Dec. 12, John McArthur, salary; Dec. 12, Wells Spencer, salary; Dec. 12, L. VanderKooij, salary; Dec. 12, Ella Spencer, salary; Dec. 12, W. B. Hicks, salary; March 5, D. K. Hanna, fire ins.; March 11, Montgomery Ward, brushes; March 11, Oval and Koster, diplomas; March 25, Hartford Fire Ins.; April 19, L. VanderKooij, freight; April 27, Tracy Ide, labor; June 9, W. W. Moore, library books.

770 240.00 15.00 15.00 15.00 45.00 40.93 24.00 2.74 15.90 47.25 3.60 5.00 20.41

879.05 1,320.00 801.90 270.00 38.10

Total expenses \$3,309.05

Balance on hand July 1, 1931 617.31

Received from Primary fund 2,177.10

Library fund 15.99

Voted Tax 1,400.00

Tuition 500.00

Total receipts including amt. on hand \$4,710.40

Expenditures 3,309.05

Balance on hand July 1 \$1,401.35

Annual School Meeting of District No. 4, Novesta township held Monday, July 11, 1932

Meeting called to order by Chairman L. VanderKooij.

Director's report read and approved. Chairman announced that one moderator and two trustees be elected.

Moved and supported that the chairman appoint two tellers. Carried. Mrs. Edith Gage and R. E. Johnson appointed tellers.

R. E. Johnson elected moderator for term of three years.

Wells Spencer re-elected trustee for two years. John McArthur elected trustee to fill vacancy for term of one year.

Moved and supported that we adjourn. Carried. Moved and supported that we adjourn. Carried. Ella Spencer, Director.

MINUTES OF ANNUAL SCHOOL MEETING, DISTRICT NO. 3, FRL., ELMWOOD.

The annual school meeting of District No. 3, Frl., Elmwood Township, was held at the school-house, July 11, 1932.

The meeting was called to order by the president, W. C. Downing.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved. The financial report was read and accepted.

W. C. Purdy and James Phelan were appointed tellers.

The names of Peter Bartholomy and Harry Russell were placed in nomination for the office of trustee. Forty votes were cast. Peter Bartholomy received 24, and Harry Russell received 16 votes. Peter Bartholomy was declared elected.

For the second trustee, the name of Harry Russell was again placed in nomination. Thirty-nine votes were cast. Harry Russell received 36, scattering 3. Harry Russell was declared elected.

The meeting was adjourned.

Signed, GEORGE W. MUNRO, Secretary.

Financial Report, Elmwood Dist. No. 3, Frl.

Table listing financial report items like Cash Receipts (Balance on hand, Tuition, Voted Tax, Library Money, Primary Money, Retirement Refund, Books sold, Book money refund) and Expenditures (Officers' salaries, George W. Munro, W. C. Downing, Earl Hurd, Harry Johnson, John F. Fournier, Total salaries, Cass City Chronicle, printing report, C. P. Hunter, postage and box rent).

10036.39

General and Library Fund Expenditures.

Table listing general and library fund expenditures for Anthony Weiler, janitor; M. P. Freeman, lights and water; Michigan Bell Telephone Co.; Standard Oil Co., floor oil; Floyd Ottoway, decorating school; Daniel Mullen, draying; Gagetown Farm Bureau, coal; Gagetown Elevator Co., coal; Bruce Williams, shoveling coal; James Mosack, shoveling coal; John Miller, cleaning cesspool; Arthur Fischer, labor on tennis court; George Munro, labor on school; Gagetown Hardware Co., supplies; Square Deal Hardware Co., supplies; F. D. Hemerick, piano; Michigan Windstorm Insurance Co.; Walter Dondineu, rent of hall; Mrs. John High, room and board for 11-branch; H. L. Hunt, flowers; H. L. Purdy, lumber; J. H. Secor, expenses of reviews; Alfred Fort, supplies; John Fournier, supplies; M. P. Freeman, supplies; State Savings Bank, tax on checks; W. C. Downing, buying books; Commencement speaker; W. M. Welch Mfg. Co., supplies; Michigan School Service, supplies; The Michigan Co., supplies; Webster Publishing Co., supplies; Laurel Book Co., supplies; American Book Co., supplies; Wuehner Typewriter Co., supplies; Educational Supply Co., supplies; Ailyn and Bacon, supplies; Govers, Central Supply Co., supplies; Dobsen, Evans & Co., supplies; Harlowe Publishing Co., supplies; John C. Winston Co., supplies; The MacMillan Co., supplies; John Wiley & Sons, supplies; Scott, Foresman Co., supplies; Charles E. Merrill Co., supplies; Ginn & Co., supplies; Inter Collegiate Press Co., supplies; Acme Chemical Co., supplies.

7550.00

Total \$2209.17

Total Expenditures \$9901.50

Balance on hand 134.89

MEDUSA'S HEAD



by Josephine Daskam Bacon
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CHAPTER I

A SLENDER, dark, young man skipped nimbly out of the very luxurious French motor in which he had been carried from New York city to Southampton, Long Island, and preceded his luggage up the marble steps of that typical American palace called a summer cottage, into the vestibule.

This vestibule was constructed very simply, of mottled old ivory marble, with bronze urns holding Venetian glass lights, and bronze doors carved in the simplest possible Greek design. The hall into which it opened might well have belonged to one of the simple old Italian merchants of the Fifteenth century—most of it had, in fact. For this cottage was the summer home of Aaron Glaenger, jeweler extraordinary and gem-cutter plenipotentiary to the royal families of London, Paris and New York.

It was three full generations since Aaron Glaenger's family had left Vienna, and he might perfectly well have been named James or Henry, if he had liked—but he hadn't liked. His wonderful brow, his deep-lidded eyes and his unmistakably modeled nose had not altered by a centimeter in those three generations, and he was very glad they hadn't, for he was very proud of them. This made him, like any other aristocrat, very easy to deal with, and everybody liked and admired him, among the rest his young guest, whom one of the cottage helpers introduced in a pronounced English accent as Mister Motherwell.

"This is very good of you, Motherwell," said the older man, shaking hands warmly. "We could have met in town, of course, but—I had my reasons for dragging you out here."

"It was a very pleasant drag, sir," the young man replied. "I'd be glad to walk out, just to see this room!"

The cottager smiled, the quick, flashing smile of his race, evidently pleased, as all of his sort are likely to be, with the appreciation of his little shelter against the elements.

After their meal, which was perfectly digestible and calculated to sustain them till morning, they went back to the library for their coffee.

When there was no one in the room but themselves, Mr. Glaenger lit a pale and very fragrant cigar and moved to the fireplace where, since it was late October, a dull fire burned.

"And how is your young friend, Mr.—Mr.—that married old Miss Wintham's niece—was it Reid?" he asked.

"Yes, Douglas Reid. She was only her goddaughter, I believe, sir. They're as happy as possible. He's working like a horse. Going to have a baby very soon."

Again Mr. Glaenger smiled his flashing smile.

"That's nice. Now, isn't that nice?" he said warmly. "How happy they'll be! I've collected about everything there is to collect, Motherwell, but there's nothing like the babies! If only they'd stay so—like the other things one collects!"

Motherwell thought of the only two of Mr. Glaenger's sons he had ever met, and said nothing.

"Ah, yes," said his host, "ah, yes."

They both smoked.

"Tell me, Motherwell," the older man said abruptly, "do you consider yourself a member of the police force?"

"Certainly not, sir," came the quick answer.

"You have a regular business, then?"

"I have been a member of my grandfather's publishing firm for eight years. I am one of the managers of the New York branch."

"Ah, I see. But you have sufficient leisure to follow your various—er—hobbies?"

Motherwell's eye twinkled.

"Quite," he said. "The arrangement was made with both my uncles. It's fully understood."

"I used to know your uncle Sears rather well. They tell me you have a rare gift—a sort of flair, Mr. Motherwell, for putting your finger on things—for jumping at the right conclusion," he branched off abruptly.

"The Chief thinks I've done it once or twice," Motherwell answered simply. "But I'm bound to tell you, Mr. Glaenger, that they have, mostly, suspected something, and asked me to follow it up. They had the case, really."

"Not in my case," said the jeweler.

"Oh!" Motherwell waved his hand deprecatingly.

"That was different, sir. That was an accident."

"When a pair of queer people move into the house next but one to a great jeweler's and take great pains to get everybody out of both houses, and keep them under their eye; and even to remove an interesting party across the street; and when they spend most of their time in the cellar, knocking and hammering; and when their alleged business turns out to be an utter bluff—why, it doesn't take any vast amount of flair, as you put it—"

"Wait a moment," Glaenger interrupted gently, "wait a moment. I quite agree with you. But the point is that everything was so cleverly managed and so apparently open and aboveboard, that the average and unsuspecting persons concerned were completely hoodwinked. In fact, your friend Mr. Reid appears to me to be distinctly above the average."

"But he suspected something all along, Mr. Glaenger. He felt that they were fishy, from the start. That was why he told me about them."

"Ah, yes," Glaenger replied quickly, "but what did he suspect, my young friend? That's just the point. He suspected the wrong thing entirely. It was your quick action that saved us."

"I think you lay too much stress on it, sir."

"Well," said the jeweler slowly, "we shall see. That's what I want to find out. Have you ever done anything entirely by yourself, Mr. Motherwell?"

The young man's eyes lighted up. He could not restrain a slight flush.

"Not since I left college, sir," he answered. "I worked out a few odd things. But, of course, I never had any authority—"

"You can have some, now," said Mr. Glaenger, "and you are the only person I know, Motherwell, to whom I feel justified in appealing. I may be wrong, but you are the only person."

He moved over to the wonderful refectory table and took up a large photograph framed in Florentine leather.

"Do you know this lady?" he asked.

Very few women's faces could be said to add to a room as beautiful as Mr. Glaenger's library, but this one did.

It was perfectly familiar to Motherwell, but he could not, to save his life, put a name to it.

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He handed the young man a sheet of smooth violet wrapping paper of the sort used in the higher-class shops that cater to rich women. On it was written in a heavy, soft pencil in very irregular lines quite obviously blistered and rubbed with drops of some liquid:

"Dearest Cran:

"I must leave you for a little [the last word had been scratched out, replaced by "some time," replaced again by the original phrasing] and I cannot tell you why. But I cannot have you frightened to death—though I am. But you need not be. I will try to come back as soon as I can. Nobody is hurting me, Cran, you must not think so. I ought not to take even this time. You are not to send to the police or anything of that sort. I am going of my own accord. If you try to find out by the police, I swear that I will never come back. Remember that, I mean it. I will try to let you hear again. Pack up some clothes and send them somewhere—you will know what to say. I shan't need any. I am quite well. No one is hurting me. I told him that I tell you know I love you. I hope to come back.

"LELY."

CHAPTER II

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"Her name is Clelia," said Mr. Glaenger.

"Is that her writing?"

"I should say so, beyond a doubt. Here is a note I had from her a few days ago." And he handed Motherwell a small, pale gray sheet.

"Dear Glen [it read] "be sure to come in about four on Friday, won't you? I want to talk over Cranny's birthday present. I have thought of something, but I don't know what you will say."

"Hastily."

"C. L. W."

"You were good friends, I judge?"

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"Perhaps," Motherwell suggested thoughtfully, "they're afraid the average rich man mightn't pay such a large ransom for his wife! But it so happens that in this case the rich man would. I take it there are no children?"

"None."

"As a matter of fact, it wouldn't be at all impossible to abduct a rich man's wife," Motherwell persisted. "I admit it's not a fashionable crime, but it could be done. He would pay anything, wouldn't he?"

"Anything he owns."

"Then it will be easier."

"Easier?"

"Why, of course. It's much easier to find a woman who doesn't want to be lost than one who does. And one thing that makes it easier in any event, in this lady's case, is her spectacular beauty. It must be fairly difficult to keep such a person unnoticed, I should think. Do you know what she had on, when she left the house?"

"No," said Glaenger despairingly. "We don't. And we can't very well ask. I made Crandall telephone her maid from my house."

"What did he say?"

"Why, let me see, he said, 'Coggeshall, your mistress has decided suddenly to stay out of town. She's not quite up to the mark, I'm sorry to say, and wants you to pack her clothes for a few days—negligees and simple things, you know. Send them to the office, and I'll take them.'"

"I suppose you don't know what she answered?"

"Why, yes, as it happens, I do. I asked him, because I wondered, of course, just what the servants were thinking. You see, she hadn't been back all that evening, and Crandall was nearly wild. She only said, 'Is that so, sir, I'm truly sorry. I'll pack directly, sir. I suppose she won't want you to bring any of her jewels, sir?'"

"So then he said no, and I nudged and whispered to him to ask if she had enough, or something like that. I thought it would be an excellent chance—"

"Exactly, and had she?"

"I'm sure she had only her wedding ring and guard, Mr. White, and the Medusa, of course," she answered.

"What's the Medusa, sir?" Motherwell asked.

The jeweler handed him for the second time the magazine, still open at the portrait.

"She has it on," he said.

Against an evening dress of iridescent white, cunningly massed against her marvelous skin, there shone but one jewel, a lambent green thing as large as a silver dollar, or nearly. In low but exquisite clear relief was cut upon it a woman's beautiful face, framed in a mass of tossing serpents, too tiny for belief. At first you thought them wild locks of hair, merely, but in a moment you knew them for what they were and wondered, since the painter was so gifted, what must the gem-cutter have been!

"Whew!" Motherwell exclaimed, "what a wonder! It's jade?"

"Its only equal is in Peking, I believe," said Glaenger. "I gave it to her as a wedding gift. She took an absurd fancy to it and always wore it—called it her lucky piece."

"This doesn't look as if she'd been spirited away for her jewelry, does it, sir?"

"No," said Glaenger quietly.

"Didn't she wear more than that, usually?"

"Always, when I have seen her."

"What for instance?"

"Her betrothal ring—a large black pearl set in diamonds; a small triple string of pearls, usually; a sapphire link bracelet, perhaps. The Medusa she wore as a brooch, either at her neck or sometimes as a pendant to the pearls. But she always wore it."

Motherwell considered a moment.

"Her maid said nothing more?"

"Oh, yes. She went directly to White the next morning and asked if her mistress didn't want her. He said he understood not, but would make sure. This morning she asked if the clothes were satisfactory and if there was any message for her. He said yes, of course, and that there was none. This noon she called me up here about five and asked if any message had been sent her from Mrs. White. I said not that I knew of."

"I'm sure she'll send if she requires you, Coggeshall, I told her, and she answered rather dispiritedly. 'Yes, sir, I suppose so.'"

"She's English, I suppose?"

"An extremely high-class woman for that position. She is devoted to Clelia and earns, I imagine, all of her undoubtedly high wages."

Mr. Motherwell looked into the fire in silence, and his host forbore to break it. At last he spoke.

Church

M. B. C. Church—In addition to the regular service scheduled for Sunday, there will be a baptismal service conducted just west of the Deadwater bridge on M53, four miles east and four miles south of Cass City, or two miles west and one mile north of Shabbona. This service will occur at three o'clock Sunday afternoon.

A large crowd is expected to be present to witness the administering of this sacred rite. The public is cordially invited.

G. D. Clink, Pastor.

Baptist Church—Preaching Sunday morning at 10:30. Sunday school at 11:30. Cecil Brown, Superintendent.

The Junior and Intermediate B. Y. P. U. will be discontinued during the summer months. Senior B. Y. P. U. at 6:30.

Union service at the Evangelical church at 7:30. Rev. Curtis will be the speaker. The theme will be, "The Making of a Great Prophet." Prayer meeting Thursday evening at 7:30. Choir rehearsal Thursday evening at 8:30.

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MANY AT DILLMAN SCHOOL REUNION

Concluded from first page. gram and business meeting. Mrs. Richard Bayley presided. After the invocation by Mrs. Knapp, group singing led by George Dillman assured one that the walls of Dillman school re-echoed a fine time. Several selections were played by the O'Dell trio. Short talks were given by Willard Nash, Willard Wells, Herbert Predmore, Mrs. Knapp, and Nelson Perry. The last two named were former teachers of the school. Mrs. John McLarty was unable to be present to tell some of the early experiences of the school. Miss Hall, the present teacher, also gave a few remarks.

The business meeting was short and snappy. W. J. Nash, attorney-at-law of Saginaw, was made president for the coming year. Since he had just returned from attending the Democratic convention at Chicago, he asked that parliamentary procedure be set aside and, as at the convention, the president be allowed to choose his vice president. His choice was Willard Wells and President Nash gave the charge that the vice president was to appear the next year as the program committee as well as presiding officer, with no alibis allowed. Beryl Koepfgen was nominated to succeed herself as secretary-treasurer, but she withdrew her name, having served for six years, and the office fell heir to Frank Reid. No bonds were required of the custodian of the money. At this point, James Tuckey saw the need of reimbursing the treasury and, standing at the door as the meeting was adjourned, he allowed no one to exit without dropping a coin into his hat. It was gratifying to know that the exchequer was increased considerably.

After singing "Blest Be the Tie that Binds," the group adjourned to sit underneath the hospitable tent furnished by Messrs. Knapp and Douglas, to enjoy the games directed by Geo. Dillman, Emory Lounsbury, and Frank Reid. As each won in a contest, he was asked to draw his prize from a barrel. Many good laughs were enjoyed as the winners unwrapped their coveted packages.

Jessie Dillman, recalling her early days in the school, asked permission to pass the bucket of water. This she did as graciously as in the old days.

No one could leave the familiar grounds without a feeling that the day had been profitably and pleasantly spent. The associations seemed to be sweeter, the thoughts expressed more vital and complete, and the feeling of service more necessary than ever. Former pupils and guests from a distance were Herbert Predmore and family of Pontiac, Fred Reid and family of Royal Oak, John Koepfgen of Oak Park, Ill., W. J. Nash and family of Saginaw, Willard Wells of Caro, Mrs. Grace McElowney of Caro, Mrs. Mary Randall of Lansing, and Robert Dillman of Detroit.

EVERGREEN.

Mrs. Geo. Darling passed away very suddenly at her home Monday afternoon. The sorrowing family have the sympathy of their many friends.

Prayer meeting next week will be held at the home of Jason Kitchin.

Mrs. Roy Badgero and son of Onaway are visiting at the former's parental home here.

Mrs. Will Coulter and daughter, June, Mrs. Jason Kitchin and children, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Dafoe, son, Orvil, and daughter, Lela, and Mrs. Wells attended the funeral of Mr. Dafoe's brother-in-law in Sandusky on Saturday.

Little Jane Mudge of Pontiac is spending some time with her grandparents.

Elder and Mrs. Clink attended the funeral of a relative at Brown City on Monday. They were accompanied by their two nieces who have been visiting them the past week.

Really American

The rare element Columbian was first discovered in a British laboratory but was named in honor of America because the mineral specimen containing the element was found in Connecticut.

Deaths

Mrs. Geo. F. Darling

One by one the pioneers of Evergreen township are passing away and the community was saddened Monday as the announcement was made that Mrs. George F. Darling had slipped out of life into the great beyond. She had been in poor health for some time but did her own work and was out in the garden about ten minutes before her death. After returning to the house, Mrs. Darling complained of a pain in her chest and passed away within a few minutes.

Miss Elizabeth Thompson Wells was born May 30, 1861, at Greenbank, Ontario, and came with her parents to Evergreen township when eighteen years of age.

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Funeral services were held Thursday afternoon at two o'clock from the Mizpah Mennonite church. Rev. G. D. Clink officiated and burial was in Elkland cemetery.

Mrs. Darling is survived by her husband, four sons, William J., Owen Wells, Everett R., and Geo., all of Evergreen township; two daughters, Mrs. Wesley Perry, Lapeer, and Mrs. Russell Campbell, Detroit; one sister, Mrs. Susie Brooks, of Applegate; and one brother, Vincent J. Wells, of Pontiac; also fourteen grandchildren.

Margaret Jean McArthur.

Margaret Jean, three months old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley McArthur of this place, passed away Thursday morning, July 7, after an illness of two weeks. Margaret Jean was born April 17, 1932, in Cass City. She leaves her parents.

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Those from a distance who attended the funeral were Mr. and Mrs. O. G. Squires and two daughters, Miss Velma and Miss Georgia, of Flint; Mr. and Mrs. Draper of Port Huron; Mr. and Mrs. Howard Law of Royal Oak.

RESCUE.

A nice crowd attended the ice cream social last Friday evening for the benefit of the missionary society.

The Premo Sunday School class will hold their meeting Friday evening, July 15, at the Dugald MacLachlan home. All members are urged to be present as election of officers will take place.

The Misses Gertrude and Helen Putman were Sunday afternoon guests at the William King home.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Putman were business callers in Bad Axe Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Taylor were callers in Cass City and also at the Levi Helwig home in Elkland last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Mellendorf visited Sunday at the Edward Hartwick home in Elkland.

Miss Bernice Cliff is spending some time in Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. William Ashmore, Jr., and Mrs. John Combs were business callers in Cass City Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank MacCallum and children of Pontiac are visiting relatives around here a few days.

Mrs. Joseph Mellendorf and sons,

Norris and Perry, were business callers in Cass City Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Severn of Pontiac are spending some time with relatives in this vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Britt and children, Max Webster, Charles Davison, Samuel, Clarence, and Charles Ashmore, Mr. and Mrs. Dugald MacLachlan and daughters and Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Mellendorf and sons were Gagetown callers Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Levi Helwig and children, Lenora and Elwyn, of Elkland and Mr. and Mrs. John MacAlpine and son, Kenneth, of Bad Axe were Sunday visitors at the home of Joseph Mellendorf.

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Haying is nearly all done. Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Preston of Snover visited friends here Sunday and attended church at Center Line in the evening.
Stuart Henderson of Detroit came home on Friday to spend some time with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Henderson.
A reception and miscellaneous shower was given for Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Pratt at the home of Mrs. Pratt's parents on Saturday evening. About 35 were present. The gifts were useful and numerous, and a general good time was enjoyed. Refreshments were served.

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