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CASS CITY CLUB WINS $925 STATE FAIR PRIZES

Local Boys Exhibited Champions and Won Places as Championship Showmen.

A conservative estimate is that the members of the Cass City Live Stock Club will bring home awards totalling $925.00 in prize money on their exhibits in club and open classes at the Michigan State Fair at Detroit this week. This is more money than the club won at this fair last year, and as premiums were cut one-third, it represents a still greater number of prizes won over those of last season. The club had a greater number of entries in the open class this week than at the1931 fair, Willis Campbell, club advisor, said.

Donald Caister exhibited the Champion Shorthorn female; Harry Crandell, Jr., the champion Oxford ewe, and Clair O'Dell, the champion pen of wethers, in the club classes. Donald Caister was named champion beef showman by the judges, Leslie Doerr was the champion hog showman and Kenneth Maharg stood in fourth place as a showman of dairy cattle. Three members of the club won second, third and fifth places in the milking contest and qualified for the race for champion milker which was held Thursday afternoon.

The following is a list of the prizes won by members of the Cass City club in the club classes:

Swine.

Berkshires—Boar pig, 2nd, Ernest Bullock. Sow pig, 1st 3rd and 4th, Ernest Bullock. Group of four, 1st, Ernest Bullock.

Chester Whites—Junior boar pig, 1st, Geo. Clara. Junior sow pig, 1st, John Bayley; 2nd, Harry Crandell, Jr.; 7th, Duane Wood; 8th, Geo. Clara. Pig herd, 1st, Cass City Live Stock Club.

Spotted Poland China—Junior boar pig, 1st, Leslie Doerr. Junior sow pig, 1st, 3rd and 5th, Leslie Doerr. Herd, 1st, Leslie Doerr.

Sheep.

Shropshires—Ram lamb, 6th, Clair O'Dell. Aged ewe, 6th, Clair O'Dell. Pen fat lambs, 2nd, Clair O'Dell.

Oxfords—Yearling ram, 1st; aged ewe, 2nd; yearling ewe, 1st; ewe lamb, 2nd; ram lamb, 1st all to Harry Crandell, Jr. Champion pen of fat lambs, Ralph Rawson.

Cattle.

Beef Cattle—2 yr. old cow, Shorthorn, 1st, Donald Caister. Senior yearling Shorthorn, 1st, Thos. Hennessy. Junior yearling Shorthorn heifer, 1st, Clayton Moore. Group of four females, 1st, Tuscola 4-H Clubs (3 animals of group from Cass City). Jr. yearling Hereford heifer, 2nd, Myron Spencer. Shorthorn steer, 2nd, Kenneth Hennessy; 8th, Clayton Moore. Hereford steer, 4th, Lynn Spencer; 6th Myron Spencer; 8th, Grant Brown. Angus steer, 6th, Romney Horner; 8th, Clayton Moore. Herd of four steers, 1st, Tuscola County 4-H Clubs (three animals of group from Cass City.)

Dairy Cattle—Holstein cow, 2 years old, 2nd, Kenneth Maharg. Holstein junior yearling, 1st, Audley Horner. Senior calf, Holstein, 3rd, Warren Kelley; 8th, Maynard Doerr. Junior Holstein calf, 2nd, Maxine Horner. Group of seven, 2nd, Tuscola County 4-H Clubs (four animals of group from Cass City.) Senior yearling Ayrshire heifer, 2nd, Grover Hulburt.

Jim Milligan of Cass City received two second awards in the Michigan Special steer class, one on his purebred and one on his grade Shorthorn.

Miss Harris Bride of Donald Skinner

A very pretty wedding was solemnized at two o'clock Monday afternoon, September 5, in the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. Harris of Pontiac when their daughter, Miss Ruth Harris, became the bride of Donald Skinner of Cass City.

The marriage service was read by Rev. Forest Dean of Brown City, brother-in-law of the bride, in the presence of relatives and a few close friends... An altar of palms and baskets of fall flowers formed the setting for the ceremony. Miss Ruth Jean Sherby played Lohengrin's Bridal chorus.

Miss Harris, who was given in marriage by her father, wore a gown of beet-root transparent velvet and carried an arm bouquet of Jonathan roses. Miss Florence Grogran, as maid of honor, wore yellow figured chiffon and carried Talisman roses. Assisting Mr. Skinner as best man was his cousin, George Cole, of Cass City.

A buffet luncheon was served immediately following the ceremony.

The groom is a son of Alex Skinner of Dresden, Ontario, and is employed by the Elkland Gas and Oil Company in Cass City. He was a graduate from the Cass City high school with the class of '26.

The bride is a graduate of the Pontiac high school and is a graduate nurse. She is employed as a welfare nures in Pontiac.

Mr. and Mrs. John Cole and son, George, of Cass City attended the wedding.

150 Attended Striffler Reunion

Favored with ideal weather, the Striffler reunion held on Labor Day in "Uncle John's Woods" on the John Striffler Estate, two miles northeast of town, was attended by 150 members of the family and "a good time was had by all."

A bountiful potluck dinner served under the pine trees at noon was followed by a short program at which Frank A. Striffler presided. "Praise God" was sung by the group. "The First Picinc in Uncle John's Woods 43 Years Ago" was the subject of a talk by Mrs. W. D. Striffler, and Mrs. S. G. Benkelman told about "My First Impressions of the Striffler Road." A German song was given by Mesdames Solomon Striffler, Samuel Striffler, W. D. Striffler, A. A. Ricker and Edward Helwig, and Miss Martha Striffler. Miss Johanna Sandham read a poem dedicating it to the memory of Daniel Striffler and Mrs. John C. Corkins, members of the Striffler family, who had passed away during the year. Edgar Braun of Detroit gave a short talk and Geo. Striffler of Lockport told of the Striffler family in New York. Solomon Striffler, the eldest member of the clan present at the reunion, gave the report of genealogy committee. Doris June, three months old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Southworth of Elkton, was the youngest of the Striffler family

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Class of 1917 Held Reunion

Thirteen members and six guests were present Sunday afternoon and evening at the reunion of the members of the 1917 graduating class of the Cass City high school. The gathering was held at the Sandham cottage at Caseville where a most enjoyable time was spent. A six o'clock chicken and fish dinner was served at the McLean Inn. An interesting letter was read from Foster VanBlaricom of Detroit, who is running for congress in the Thirteenth district in Detroit. A poem written by him, "To the Class of '17," was read.

Those from a distance who attended were Mr. and Mrs. William Pierson (Vernita Treadgold) and Miss Gladys Jackson of Detroit; Mr. and Mrs. Earl Buchanan (Kathryn Striffler) of Battle Creek; Mr. and Mrs. A. D. McIntyre (Irene Frutchey) of Saginaw; Mrs. Charles Keough (Miriam Fritz) of Tonopah, Nevada; Joe Dickinson of Pittsburg, Pa.

Two Fatally Hurt in Auto Smash

Henry J. Lynch and Mrs. Fred Koehler, both of Mayville, are dead as the result of an automobile accident, when two machines met at a blind corner, one mile north of Silverwood on August 31. Mr. Lynch passed away at his home in Dayton township Sunday morning and Mrs. Koehler died Friday morning.

CRAMTON TO SPEAK HERE ON SATURDAY

Louis C. Cramton of Lapeer will give an address in Gagetown at 11:15 a. m., at Cass City at 2:00 p. m., and at Owendale at 3:00 p. m. on Saturday, Sept. 10.

Chicken Supper.

The ladies of the Cumber M. E. church will serve a chicken supper in the basement of the church on Thursday, Sept. 15. Prices, 20c and 35c.—Advertisement1.

Straub Herd Leads in Michigan Tests

The Holsteins owned by Don Straub, Berrien county, again leads all Michigan herds which are being tested in improvement associations as producers of butterfat, according to the dairy department at Michigan State which supervises this testing.

The Straub herd produced an average of 14,822 pounds of milk and 550.1 pounds of butterfat per cow for the last year. This herd has led the Michigan associations three times previously before and has had high ranking in herds tested throughout the United States.

Alfalfa hay, silage, and home grown grains supplemented with concentrates are the recipe offered by Mr. Straub for the production records of his herd. The fact that the entire Straub family takes a working interest in the welfare of the herd also may be a reason for the records.

Seals Prophesy Disease Eclipse

How well will Michigan's line of defense against tuberculosis be held in 1933?

Some 57 million answers to this query will be sought starting Thanksgiving Day when that number of the 1932 edition of tuberculosis Christmas seals is placed on sale in the state. Delivery of the seals has just been made to the Michigan Tuberculosis Association and affiliated county societies, preparatory to the task of distribution in late November.

An optimistic prediction of success in the coming sale, and consequently in the public anti-tuberculosis work to be done next year in Michigan, is voiced by T. J. Werle, executive secretary of the Michigan Tuberculosis Association.

"We in Michigan recently observed a phenomenon of nature, in the partial eclipse of the sun, that strikingly illustrates the course of events in the anti-tuberculosis campaign during the past quarter century, as well as its position today," he said.

"Compared to twenty-five years ago, when it literally placed in complete eclipse the chances of thousands had for disease-free life, tuberculosis today only half obscures our people from health.

"Will it eventually and permanently be removed as an obscuring and a defacing factor on our well being? I firmly believe it will. People now undestand that, just as permanent withholding of the light of the sun would soon kill all living things, return of tuberculosis to its old position, blotting out health, would mean each year in Michigan alone the indiscriminate killing of thousands of men, women, and children.

"That is something we cannot afford to have happen. It surely will not occur as the voluntary campaign against the disease is given its annual impetus through pennies and dollars from the sale of Christmas seals."

ORLO J. McDURMON
Candidate for
County Treasurer

To the voters of Tuscola County:

At this time, the close of my campaign for treasurer, I wish to thank the good people of this county for the kindly, courteous treatment accorded me. Handicapped as I have been physically, it has been very gratifying to have you good people come to my car or chair and listen to my appeal. Even though I lose, your kindness thus far will not be forgotten, and should I win, you will have my unlimited gratitude, and the satisfaction of knowing that your confidence and support has been placed in capable hands.

My campaign, as you know, has been clean and fair, free from unkind remarks about my opponent. If placed in office, my conduct will be the same and it will surely fill my heart with gratitude to know that I have a job I can do, within range of my physical limitations, and one that will give me an opportunity to return the same courteous treatment received at your hands.

I thank you.

ORLO J. McDURMON.
—Advertisement.

WHAT M-53 MEANS TO THE THUMB

Paper by County Agent Raven Before the Earle Memorial Meeting.

A paper read by Emmett L. Raven, Huron county agent, at the annual meeting of the Earle Memorial Highway Association presented some interesting facts regarding M-53. In it, he said:

"Since 1620, when our forefathers landed on the coast of Massachusetts, agriculture and roads have developed together. Roads have developed agriculture and agriculture has developed roads.

"At the present time the value of agricultural commodities and agricultural farm lands are very uncertain guaranties. For a few seasons, the farmers have been

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38 Local Students to Attend College

Cass City students will attend college this year at the following places:

Michigan State College at Lansing—Clifton Heller, fourth year, floriculture; Pauline Sandham, fourth year, public school music; Mabel Crandell, fourth year, liberal arts and journalism; Virginia Day, fourth year, public school music; Harriet Tindale, fourth year, public school music; Catherine Hunt, fourth year home economics; Esther Schell, fourth year, liberal arts; Mrs. Robert Hickok (Helen Knight), fourth year. liberal arts; Barbara Taylor, third year, home economics; Evelyn Robinson, second year, liberal arts; Deloris Sandham, second year, public school music; Donald Schell, third year, electrical engineering; Lucile Knight, fourth year, liberal arts.

Central State Teachers' College, Mt. Pleasant—Mildred Karr, third year, teacher's course; Blanch Stafford, second year, teacher's course; Frederick Brown, second year, coaching; Caswell Hunter, second year; Albert Warner, first year; Lorene McGrath, teaching course; J. C. Blades, third year, coaching.

Ypsilanti — Margaret Landon, fourth year; Marjorie Boyes, business course.

University of Michigan, Ann Arbor—Margaret Jondreau, fourth year; Edwin Fritz, second year, dentistry; Louis Pinney, second year, dentistry; Horace Pinney, first year.

Hillsdale College—John Morris, second year, law.

North Central College, Naperville, Ill.—Phyllis Lenzner, second year, music.

Olivet College, Olivet—Janet Allured, second year, music and art.

Bay City Business College—Irene McComb.

Big Rapids—Glen McCullough and Raymond Wood both first year, pharmacy.

Tuscola County Normal—Iva O'Dell.

Huron County Normal—Marjorie Shier.

Sanilac County Normal—Nellie Pringle and Florence McKenney.

Detroit Business Institute—Irene Stafford and Selena Jackson.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENT.

When you cast your vote for Judge of Probate of Tuscola county at the Republican primary election on Tuesday, September 13, 1932, will you consider that I am qualified to be nominated for these reasons:

I have the ability to conduct the affairs of that office.

My business transactions in the many years during which I have served the people of the county are testimonials of my honesty and fairness.

I merit your support because I have been a life long resident of Tuscola county, a large taxpayer for many years, and always a loyal Republican.

I pledge myself to serve you well and to extend to all the courtesies which the office of Judge of Probate demands.

H. WALTER COOPER.
—Advertisement.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENT.

I am a Republican candidate for County Drain Commissioner. I am a World War veteran with service in France. Graduate civil engineer with 8 years' practical and responsible experience. Capable of making surveys and plans thereby saving the county thousands of dollars. Asking for first term. Your vote respectfully solicited.

ROSCOE J. BLACK.
—Advertisement.

CO. WOMEN TO STUDY HOME FURNISHINGS

First Meetings Will Be Held at Caro and Fairgrove Oct. 4-5.

Usable suggestions to make a home more attractive are always welcome to the homemaker. Home Furnishings II will be studied by the Tuscola county women this year.

This course is offered by the Home Economics Extension Department of the Michigan State College. The first meetings will be held at Fairgrove and Caro, on October fourth and fifth, at ten o'clock, announces E. L. Hammond, county agent. Each group wishing to take the project will send two leaders to these meetings.

Miss Gertrude Reis, home furnishing specialist, will have charge of this project in Tuscola County and will give a series of five lessons.

Meeting I—Selection of slip cover and upholstery materials.

Meeting II—Making slip covers.

Meeting III—Refinishing furniture.

Meeting IV—Window treatment.

Meeting V—Pictures for the home.

Individuality and charm can be brought into the home by renovating and repairing old pieces. Old chairs can take their places again if dressed with a slip cover or refinished in good taste.

Home can be kept up to date with very little expenditure of money when one knows some of the secrets of color, design and texture.

Each lesson offers some practical suggestions for the upkeep of the home.

ARTHUR WHITTENBURG

Candidate for County Treasurer

Tells His Own Story.

Mr. and Mrs. Voter:

Next Tuesday you will go to the polls of Tuscola county to select Republican candidates for county office, among them being the office of County Treasurer, for which position I am a candidate.

Two years ago I was a candidate for this same office and was defeated by Mr. McDurmon, who is now seeking a fourth term, by just a few votes the county over. Because so many people voted for me at that time, and because I am convinced in my own mind that I can handle the position to your satisfaction, I decided to be a candidate again this year.

Crippled by Infantile Paralysis.

Although I do not ask your vote out of sympathy for my misfortunes, it is a fact that an attack of infantile paralysis 32 years ago left me crippled so that I have been since forced to go about on crutches continuously. Despite this fact, I have been as active as possible on my farm in Almer township. If you are a farmer, and practically everyone in this county knows something about farm work, you know the handicap I have been under in pursuing my work. But farming has been my life work, and with the help of my wife, who I married 16 years ago, I have been busy at my job, bringing up my five children, now all of school age, paying my taxes and doing my best to be a good citizen.

Qualified by Experience.

My friends in Almer township know my ability to handle the duties of public office. I am now on my sixth term as supervisor, being elected four of the six times without opposition. This I believe, is the strongest testimonial one needs of ability to carry out the duties of public office, such as County Treasurer.

Let me assure you, Mr. and Mrs. Voter, that it has been hard for me to parade publicly in this manner the facts of my physical handicap. I have done so merely because the infirmities of candidates have been injected into this campaign as a qualification for office, and have been forced by this circumstance to tell you my story.

I regret very much the fact that I have been unable to see and talk with every voter in the county, but because of the shortness of time and my physical handicap, that has been impossible. But wherever I have been, my candidacy has been courteously received, and for such reception I thank you most heartily. I trust that this courtesy may be continued to me when it comes time to cast your vote for County Treasurer.

Cordially yours,
ARTHUR WHITTENBURG.
—Advertisement.

Advertise it in the Chronicle.

PROGRAM FOR BAND CONCERT SEPTEMBER 14

The following is the program for the open air concert by the Cass City Ladies' Band on Wednesday evening, Sept. 14:

March, "Solid Front".....Miller
March, "First Parade".....Grabel
Overture, "Royal Palm".....King
"Anchors Aweigh," Navy Song
.....Zimmerman
"When You and I Were Young, Maggie" .....Butterfield
Selection, "A Day in the Cotton-field" .....Smith & Zublin
Andante, "The Evening Hour"
.....Francis Myers
March, "Class Mates" .....Grabel
Waltz, "Blue Bell and Violet"
.....Cochran
March, "Colonel Miner" Rosenkran
"Star Spangled Banner"

200 Attended Co. W. C. T. U. Picnic

The W. C. T. U. of Tuscola county met at the fair grounds in Caro, Sept. 1, for a picnic. The day was ideal and about 200 gathered for the picnic dinner served shortly after noon.

The principal speaker of the day was Hon. Louis Cramton. Rev. White, a member of the Anti-Saloon League, gave a half-hour talk on the prohibition question before Mr. Cramton spoke. The county organization went on record as pledging their support to Mr. Cramton for congress.

Mrs. Burt Maxwell gave a poem appropriate for the occasion. Candidates for county and state offices were allowed a few minutes for campaign speeches.

Sunday, Sept. 11, Mr. Cramton will speak at Vassar, in the Presbyterian church at 7:30. Everybody interested is invited to attend. The members of the W. C. T. U. of the county are asked to attend in a body.

Give Land for Wild Life Sanctuaries

Nine residents of Tuscola county have given land to the state for wild life sanctuaries.

Mrs. W. J. Spears of Vassar is the donor of 80 acres in Vassar township. Confiscated coons, squirrels, pheasants and partridge secured by Game Warden Chas. Hall during the past two years have been released here.

Wesley J. Coleman of Vassar has given 100 acres in Arbela township for birds and coon, and seven farmers of Birch Run and Vassar are donors of the entire section 3, Tuscola township, for a wild life sanctuary for deer. Two bucks, three does and two fawns have been released on that tract.

The transfers of this land to the state were made Sept. 5.

A Murder Story or a Fairy Tale?

Officers are puzzled over statements made by Maude Davis, 19, of Flushing, trying to decide if they will make a murder story or a fairy tale. Sheriff Kirk is inclined to the latter.

He was called up by Detroit officers and went to that city to bring the young woman to this county. Her story, as first told, was that while in company with a man she shot her friend, Don Adams, and the body was thrown into a small lake near Murphy Lake in Tuscola county. After arriving at the county jail, she changed her story, stating that the lake was Buell Lake in Genessee county, and she was given in the custody of officers of that county Wednesday. It is said that the woman escaped from a psychopathic ward of a Flint hospital on July 4.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Ben Burrows, 35, Caro; Helen Kreilack, 44, Caro.

Wm. V. VanOoteghem, 23, Bay City; Hanna L. Ties, 23, Caro.

Mett Wrobel, 53, Cass City; Mary Miller, 45, Detroit.

Edwin Nitschke, 37, Fairgrove; Ruby Kelley, 29, Fairgrove.

Henry Schultz, 58, Richville; Barbara Heinlein, 65, Bay City.

Vaughn E. Randall, 36, Mayville; Lucile B. Clement, 28, Mayville.

WEITZEL-ROGERS.

Mr. Kirk Rogers and Miss Luella M. Weitzel, both of Bad Axe, were united in marriage Wednesday evening, Aug. 31, in the Methodist parsonage at Cass City, Rev. T. S. Bottrell officiating. Those who attended were Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Saliard, also of Bad Axe. Mr. and Mrs. Rogers will make their home in Bad Axe.

2000 AT DEFORD HOME-COMING

Citizens Well Satisfied with Program Prepared for Labor Day.

By Deford Correspondent.

On Labor day, Deford scheduled its first home-coming attempt, and its success exceeded even the brightest anticipation. It is considered that two thousand would be a very conservative estimate of attendance. The day was ideal, and the committee on program is to be commended, not only for program plans, but for the manner in which they carried through. There was such a diversity of interest. The chief feature of the forenoon was the ball game, Deford vs. Wilmot, the home team getting the winning score in the last half of the tenth inning. Scores stood 6 to 5.

At 1:30 p. m., Rev. White of Detroit, an Anti-Saloon worker, gave an old time temperance address, based on lines of morality. He is a very forceful speaker and held the undivided attention of several hundred listeners. Immediately following him, Louis Cramton, former Congressman, gave a very informative address regarding the political issues and economic problems of the country, especially regarding the farming problems. Song and encore, by Harley and Robert Kelley, followed the address.

The afternoon ball game, Deford vs. Caro, was won by the Caro team 6 to 4. At the two games, gate receipts at ten cents per ticket, (children and those too poor to pay, free) were in excess of $50.00.

The horse pulling contest awakened much interest. Three teams competed, each team displaying 100%, relative to style, and effort, in performance. The prizes given by the Michigan Bean Co. were awarded, first, $10.00, to the Auslander team of Shabbona. The Harry Knapp team of Decker and the George Kitely team of Wilmot were each awarded $5.00, being so evenly matched that a decision would have been difficult.

The aeroplane came in for its share of attention, and many enjoyed their first experience in the air.

Several boxing bouts were given and a free movie at night, a dance all night, and go home with the girl in the morning brought the end of a perfect day.

An important and pleasing part of the day's features, was the good behavior of those who came from far and near, and speaks well for the citizenry of the state.

Cass City Pitchers Have Winning Streak

Cass City horseshoe pitchers defeated the Pt. Austin team here on Sept. 1, having a margin of 262 points.

On Labor Day, the local team defeated Bad Axe and Port Austin at the latter place. They had margins of 252 and 345 points respectively.

Tonight, the Cass City group go to Mayville where they expect to encounter the stiffest competition of the season.

521 Pupils Enroll in Cass City Schools

Two hundred seventy-three pupils were enrolled in the grades when the Cass City schools opened this week and 248 are included in the four classes in high school. Of the 248 enrolled in high school, 151 are non-resident pupils.

The enrollment by grades follows:

Kindergarten	18
First Grade	35
Second Grade	28
Third Grade	27
Fourth Grade	33
Fifth Grade	35
Sixth Grade	30
Seventh Grade	34
Eighth Grade	33
Ninth Grade	72
Tenth Grade	54
Eleventh Grade	72
Twelfth Grade	50

DRAIN COMMISSIONER'S ANSWER ON PAGE 5

Bert R. Walker, Sanilac county drain commissioner, prints on page 5 of this number of the Chronicle an answer to the article which appeared in the Sandusky Republican-Tribune of Sept. 1. It is of particular interest to Sanilac voters.—Advertisement.

News Review of Current Events the World Over

President's Business Conference Already Showing Results—R. F. C. Considers Loans—Court Establishes Roosevelt's Right to Remove Mayor Walker.

By EDWARD W. PICKARD

IF PROSPERITY can be restored by the united efforts of individuals the business and industrial conference in Washington should have marked results. The 300 men who participated pledged themselves to work along these lines:

Henry M. Robinson

To spread employment by shortening the hours of each worker; to stimulate capital expenditures by industry; to expand employment and repair and replacement work on the railroads; to stimulate home improvement and repair; to assist home owners in carrying their mortgage burdens; to make credit affirmatively useful by making it available to those entitled to it.

The central committee named to carry out this program is headed by Henry M. Robinson of Los Angeles, a white-haired banker and lawyer who has been one of President Hoover's closest friends and unofficial advisers and who has previously served the public in various capacities, notably as a member of the commission that formulated the Dawes plan. It is said in Washington that Mr. Robinson may soon be known as the Colonel House of the Hoover administration.

Of the sub-committees named at the conference, the first to get into action was that on spreading employment. Its chairman, Walter C. Teagle, president of the Standard Oil Company of New Jersey, said the committee intends to educate industry to do the most convenient thing to be worked out from the various methods already devised and operated by nearly 400 companies throughout the country, which reported to the unemployment relief organization in the course of its study of the program and its application to industry.

Dispatches received in Washington from all parts of the country indicate that the conference already was having an effect on the revival of industry, and the news from banks was especially cheerful.

MONTAGU C. NORMAN, governor of the Bank of England, came over to this country recently as "Prof. Clarence Skinner," ostensibly to spend a vacation in Maine. But it was not long before he was in New York consulting with some of our leading bankers, and then it was officially admitted in Washington that he would "see or communicate with" Ogden L. Mills, secretary of the treasury. In the minds of many this made it certain that the main object of Mr. Norman's visit was to discuss war debts. It also probably had to do with Britain's return to the gold standard in 1933, this being dependent on the settlement of the war debts and reparations and the lowering of world tariff barriers.

PRESIDENT HOOVER and Budget Director J. Clawson Roup have begun preparation of the budget for the 1934 fiscal year which starts July 1 next. Cabinet members and all heads of independent establishments have submitted their estimates and Mr. Roup has begun hearings on them. Whether the budget will be larger or smaller than the one submitted to congress for the current fiscal year is not yet known, but probably it will be large.

Sec'y Adams

The naval general board completed its new building program and laid it before Secretary Charles F. Adams. Whether or not he would submit it to the President with a recommendation that it be offered to congress in December was not to be decided until Secretary Adams had consulted with a number of ranking admirals.

It is understood the general board program included a one-year installment of the Vinson $800,000,000 ten-year program. It recommended starting work on the seventeen 8-inch gun cruisers permitted under the London treaty and already authorized. Other parts of the program presumably call for the laying down of two cruisers, one airplane carrier, and additional airplanes and submarines.

SUPREME Court Justice Ellis J. Staley at Albany ruled in the Walker case that Governor Roosevelt had the authority to sit in judgment on the mayor, and that the courts could not interfere in the executive acts of the governor. However, he also ruled that court action might be taken after the governor has given his decision on the Walker ouster charges, provided the mayor's three constitutional defenses had been violated. These safeguards, the court said, were:

That the mayor must have been given a "fair trial" by the governor. A fair trial, Staley explained, gave the mayor the right to cross-examine the witnesses on whose testimony the charges against him were based.

That the removal was "only for cause, and for a cause relating to some act or omission which amounts to official misconduct or violation of public trust, or one that involves moral turpitude."

That the "act or neglect" justifying the removal must have occurred "during the term which the officer is serving.

The "trial" of the mayor was resumed by Governor Roosevelt on Friday, having been postponed until then because of the death of a brother of Mr. Walker.

UNLESS late returns from the Democratic run-off primary upset present figures, "Ma" Ferguson will be governor of Texas again. At this writing she has a rather slight lead over Gov. Ross S. Sterling. The vote had veered and swayed from the incumbent to Mrs. Ferguson in such dramatic manner that A. F. Henning, head of the Texas election bureau, declined to forecast either the possible outcome of the race or the probable total vote.

The returns were still to be canvassed by the county committees and then by the state committees.

ONE after another the state conventions of the American Legion are disregarding the advice of the leaders of the Legion and adopting resolutions calling for immediate payment of the veterans' bonus in full. The meeting of the New York Legion, in Brooklyn, was enlivened by an almost violent demonstration against F. Trubee Davison, assistant secretary of war for aviation and now an aspirant for the Republican nomination for governor of New York.

F. Trubee Davison

Mr. Davison, defending the federal administration for the use of force in expelling the bonus army from Washington, charged that many members of the B. E. F. in the National Capital were "tramps and hoodlums" possessing fake military discharges that were produced by a "Communist-owned diploma mill." His speech was frequently interupted by loud jeers and boos and cries of "put him out," and finally it was necessary to call the police reserves to restore order.

GOVERNOR'S day at Seagirt, New Jersey, was taken by Franklin D. Roosevelt as the occasion for his first campaign speech on the prohibition question, and what he said to his 150,000 listeners was highly pleasing to the wet Democrats. Some of the Republican leaders, on the other hand, called it old stuff and ludicrous; and it did not have the approval of the Prohibitionists.

After speaking a good word for genuine temperance, Mr. Roosevelt dealt with the "tax burden" that prohibition has brought, declaring "the only business in the country that was not helping to support the government was in a real sense being supported by this government."

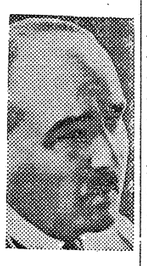
Describing the Republican platform as "long, indirect, insincere and false," the governor compared its stand on prohibition repeal with "the concise sincerity of our own platform."

"The Democratic party squarely met the issue," said the governor, "while the Republican administration attempted to evade and confuse the issue."

THREE major conditions on which it will make loans for self-liquidating projects were announced by the Reconstruction Finance corporation board. The applicant must prove that his project is self-liquidating; he must prove that it is adequately secured by good collateral; and he must be able to give the board complete information on all phases of the project. Among the minor conditions are the barring of convict labor; limitation of labor to 30 hours a week and giving preference to war veterans with dependants.

NATIONAL air races at Cleveland were almost disrupted at the start because the aviators learned that the prizes for the closed events had been reduced to 28 per cent of their advertised value. But the flyers finally gave in and consented to go ahead with the contest. James G. Haizlip, former army flyer, won the Bendix dash from Burbank, Calif., to Cleveland in 8 hours and 19 minutes elapsed time. He then continued to New York, establishing a new transcontinental record of 10 hours 19 minutes.

IOWA farmers engaged in the "strike for higher prices" were being investigated by a grand jury in Council Bluffs which was instructed to inquire into wilful obstruction of property and intimidation of truck drivers. The "holiday" movement, started by C. P. Savery and other leaders, meanwhile was losing its peaceful aspect and there were conflicts between the pickets and sheriffs' possees at various points. Generally the officers had the best of it, but not always. Near Cushing, Iowa, a force of fifty deputies that undertook to escort five truckloads of hogs was attacked by hundreds of farmers armed with lead pipes and sticks, and eleven deputies were injured. The aroused sheriff declared the picket lines would be broken. It is noteworthy that many of the members of the late bonus army have entered the fray on the side of the striking farmers.



C. P. Savery

ENGLAND was confronted with one of the worst strikes of recent years when more than 125,000 cotton weavers in Lancashire quit work because of a wage cut and working conditions. While most of the mills were forced to close, some continued with depleted staffs and others, which made private arrangements with the workers, operated at full capacity. The leaders of the weavers' union estimate that the walkout was two-thirds effective on the first day and believe it will spread to all the mills.

A direct appeal to King George to intervene through the government in the dispute was sent to Balmoral by Joe Compton, a former Laborite member of parliament, who wields great influence in the mill district.

It appears likely that the 20,000 conductors and drivers of London busses would strike soon because of wage reductions and changes in working conditions ordered by the London General Omnibus company.

GERMANY was tremendously excited when its parliament met for Adolf Hitler had decided his 230 Nazi members should not support the Von Papen government. At the last moment the chancellor had luncheon with Hitler and in their discussion the breach between them was widened. Von Papen then went quickly to Neudeck, where President Von Hindenburg was resting on his estate and received from him authority to dissolve the reichstag at his discretion, giving him almost dictatorial powers. The aged president told the chancellor he was at liberty to do this if the reichstag tried to vote no confidence in Von Papen's government and its $500,000,000 reconstruction program which seemed a certainty. This would give the chancellor's regime at least three months further life.

The entire German press features the Neudeck confab as of historic moment. There is no doubt that Von Papen enjoys the president's full confidence and the chancellor will not yield even to a Nazi Centrist combination unless the president can be shown that such a coalition would set up a presidential and not a party cabinet and that it would offer a concrete program of action, acceptable to the majority of the reichstag and at least as good or better than Von Papen's.

Clara Zetkin, seventy-five-year-old Communist, presided over the opening session of the reichstag, being entitled to that prerogative by being the oldest member. She demanded the impeachment of the president and cabinet in a long speech. The National Socialists behaved with dignity and, with the aid of the Catholic Centrists, Nationalists and Bavarian People's party, they elected as speaker Hermann William Goering, one of Hitler's lieutenants.

LAST will of Mrs. Edith Rockefeller McCormick, daughter of John D. Rockefeller, signed by her before her death, was filed for probate in Chicago. Edwin Krenn, the Austrian architect who was Mrs. Rockefeller's close friend and business associate, is the principal beneficiary, being bequeathed five-twelfths of the estate. To her daughter, Muriel Hubbard, she left one-third of the estate; to her daughter Mathilde Oser, one-sixth; and to her son, Fowler McCormick, one-twelfth. Edward A. Dato, Krenn's partner in a real estate firm, has announced that before Mrs. McCormick died Krenn signed an agreement with Dato by which he waived all claims to the estate as well as his interest in the firm of Krenn & Dato, and accepted in lieu thereof a guarantee of $2,000 a month income for life.

The estate was once estimated to have a value of $40,000,000, but it has been greatly depleted.

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NOVESTA.

The rain on Saturday night made plowing fine.

Some are filling silo. Corn borer is plentiful.

Mr. and Mrs. N. W. Bridges spent Thursday of last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Eber Stewart of Wilmot.

Mr. and Mrs. Colin Ferguson and family visited friends at Wilmot on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. George McArthur went on Saturday for a week-end visit with relatives in Lapeer, Pontiac and Detroit, expecting to return on Monday or Tuesday of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Holcomb and family of Redford, who have been spending some time at the home of Duncan McArthur, returned to their home on Tuesday.

The Misses Emily and Sara Schell of Wilmot were visitors on Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Ferguson.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Wright and son, Harold, of Detroit visited from Saturday until Tuesday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Levi Delong. Mrs. Wright is a daughter of Mrs. Delong.

The second annual reunion of the Crawford school came off in good shape on Saturday in spite of the rainy day, dealt out by the weather man. The crowd was estimated at from 250 to 300. There was no evidence of a depression at the spread of eats and ice cream. Because of the rain, the program was given in the school house which was more than filled. Program consisted of community singing; address of welcome by N. W. Bridges; humorous talk by Rev. Samuel J. White of Detroit; instrumental music by the Novesta trio; and several readings, dialogues, etc. At the business part, the following officers were chosen: President, Wm. B. Hicks; vice pres., Clayton Crawford; secretary, Mrs. Robt. Horner. Visitors came from Detroit, Jackson, Flint, Saginaw, Lapeer, Port Huron, Pontiac, and several nearby small towns. The next reunion will be held on the Saturday preceding Labor Day in 1933.

ELLINGTON-NOVESTA.

School started at the Brown school on Monday. Miss Hazel Hower is the teacher.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Wanner attended the Wanner reunion at Cedar Park, Lake Pleasant, on Labor Day. About 75 were present.

Mrs. Wm. Jackson and daughter, Jeanetta, and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Little and sons called at the Wm. Little home Sunday.

Don Tallmadge of Sandusky and Joseph Parrott and son, Kent, spent from Saturday until Monday in Detroit and attended the boat races and fair.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Johnson and daughter, June, of Base Line were Sunday evening callers at the Luke Tuckey home.

Mr. and Mrs. Maynard Delong and daughter, Dolly, spent Sunday and Sunday night with the latter's sister, Mrs. Wm. McCumons, at Brown City.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Tuckey entertained on Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Tuckey and family, Mr. and Mrs. Clair Tuckey and family, and Mr. and Mrs. Luke Tuckey and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Johnson and daughter, June, of Base Line spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Goodall.

Mr. and Mrs. Mack Little and sons were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Turner.

Emerson Jacobi of Sarnia, Ont., and Chas. Doerr of Cass City were Sunday callers at the home of their cousin and daughter, Mrs. Luke Tuckey.

Elkland and Elmwood Town Line.

Miss Lorene McGrath and Miss Bertha VanEldick of Lapeer spent last week at the John McGrath home.

Mr. Jaggers of Lexington spent the week-end at the Richard Karr home.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Habicht and Miss Edna Habicht of Ypsilanti spent the first of the week at the E. A. Livingston home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Bearss and son, Wilfred, spent Sunday at the George Walls home in East Dayton.

Nelson Anker of Detroit spent the week-end at his home here.

PAUL SCHOOL.

Teacher, Mr. Blackmer.

School opened August 29 with 38 pupils enrolled. It was a rainy day and many of us got wet. We have 8 eighth graders this year, but no seventh grade. We have a new teacher this year. We like him very well.

Wednesday we spent several minutes watching the eclipse of the sun.

The 1st, 2nd and 3rd grades are making health booklets and learning health verses.

The 4th grade is learning the poem "September" by Helen Hunt Jackson.

The 5th and 6th grades have been making posters of foreign lands. They have also made one for the month of September. They expect to make one for each school month.

The 8th grade is studying the Revolutionary War.

Marvin Norris was absent Wednesday because of illness.

We had three visitors this week, Robert Boughton, Genevieve Cisto, and Hurford Korte.

Friday afternoon we had an arithmetic match. Billie Kastruba and Eugenia Smentek were captains. Billie's side won.

Reporters, Alice Anthes and Georgene Wright.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Thomas Little and wife to Stanley Wojtowicz and wife, NW¼ of NW¼, Sec. 20, Twp. Novesta, $1-200.00.

Vernorma L. Mead to Mary E. Freeland, lots 1, 7, 10, E½ of 6, Blk. 3, Turner's 2nd Add. Village of Mayville, $1,200.00.

Justin Yorks and wife to Elmer C. Miller and wife, N½ of NE¼, Sec. 8, Twp. Arbela, $1.00 etc.

Elmer C. Miller and wife to Marie A. Krenz N½ of NE¼, Sec. 8, Twp. Arbela, $1.00 etc.

Lena Lowell to William Lowell, lot 5, Blk. 3, Village of Millington, $1.00 etc.

A. Lawerence Mills et al to Garnet M. Merritt, pt. SE¼ of SE¼, Sec. 29, Twp. Wisner, $1.00 etc.

Casper Dingman and wife to Leo Russell Dingman and wife, pts. of the Village of Caro, $1.00 etc.

Ellen Flajole to Sen Dzunka et al, SW¼ of SE¼ Sec. 28 & NW¼ of NE¼ & NE¼ of NW¼ Sec. 33 Twp. Wells $1.00 etc.

Fanny J. Beverly to Alexander Marshall and wife, pts. of the Village of Kingston, $1.00 etc.

Henry J. Larabell and wife to Segurd Baver and wife, W 10 A. of W½ of NE frl. ¼, Sec. 3, Twp. Akron, $300.00.

John Wuestenberg to Salvador Gonzalez pt. SE¼ of SE¼, Sec. 26, Twp. Akron, $1.00 etc.

William Nokes and wife to Superintendents of the Poor Tuscola Co., pt. lot 11, Blk. 24, Village of Caro, $1.00 etc.

Helen M. Garvin to Clyde B. Garvin and wife, W 3-4 of W½ of NW¼, Sec. 33, Twp. Arbela, $1.00 etc.

Rosa Randall to Sidney Schroeder and wife, pt. SE frl. ¼, Sec. 29, Twp. Tuscola, $1.00 etc.

John Kirkpatrick and wife to Mary Leo Kirkpatrick, Lot 17, Wilsey & McPhail's Addition, Village of Cass City, $1.00 etc.

James H. Patrick and wife to John Hedgers, pt. NE¼ of SE¼, Sec. 3, Village of Caro, $1,600.00.

Plea for Privacy

"Sporting one's oak" originated in English universities, and means to shut the door as a sign of being engaged. Most rooms at colleges have two doors, the outer one of oak, which is closed when the occupant is away.

Fast-Traveling Salmon

A red salmon marked by the United States bureau of fisheries in Alaskan waters in May and caught 44 days later in a Siberian stream was found to have traveled 1,300 miles in that time.

Right of Franchise

The Constitution of the United States does not give citizens the right to vote. This right is reserved to the states. The federal Constitution says that, in granting such right, the states shall not discriminate on account of race, religion or sex. This safeguard was inserted in the Constitution because, in the colonies, local governments forbade Jews, Catholics, Quakers and Baptists the franchise.

Modern Sense of Chivalry

"My husband," wails a worried wife, "is forever spouting about those days when valorous knights championed 'chivalry.' What is chivalry?" she asks the Meriden Journal. "Chivalry," defines the editor, "is that noble quality in a man that makes him considerate of every woman, who is beautiful, and isn't married to him."—Pathfinder Magazine.

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The whole vast Gulf organization has been geared up to handle gas almost as a dairy handles milk. Gulf has carefully located its huge refineries in many sections of the country, so that a stream of FRESH gas can be easily kept flowing into every one of the 45,000 Gulf filling stations. Gulf tank trucks speed FRESH gas to Gulf pumps every day in the year.

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Locally

Miss Eva Baskin of Detroit spent the week-end with Cass City relatives.

Glen Reid visited friends in Detroit from Friday until Monday evening.

Miss Sylvia Card of Detroit was a caller at the Frank Dillman home Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. William Cooper of Flint were week-end guests at the Harve Klinkman home.

Mr. and Mrs. John Jaus of Cleveland, Ohio, visited relatives here over the week-end.

Miss Leone Lee left Tuesday to begin her duties as grade teacher in the Kingston school.

Glen McCullough and the Misses Barbara and Bernita Taylor were Big Rapids visitors Friday.

Miss Blanch Stafford left Tuesday to spend the remainder of the week with friends in Detroit.

Donald Reid attended the boat races in Detroit Saturday and spent the week-end with friends there.

Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Bailey visited friends and relatives in Niles and Albion a few days last week.

Mrs. C. W. Heller spent the week-end with Mr. Heller at Romeo and attended the peach festival.

Mr. and Mrs. Wellington Law of Pontiac spent the week-end with relatives here and in Kingston. Mrs. Law remained to spend several days.

Miss Cressy Steele returned Monday from a two weeks' visit with her father, Charles Steele, in Vassar.

Mrs. A. L. Bruce of Deford and Mrs. Wilbur Bruce of Vermontville were Thursday guests of Mrs. John Zinnecker.

Miss Mary Striffler of Detroit visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Striffler, from Saturday until Monday night.

Mrs. Clara Hayes of Leamington, Ontario, is spending a few weeks with her cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Omer Glaspie.

Miss Margaret Reagh of Muskegon Heights came Friday to spend a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Reagh.

Miss Lorene McGrath and her guest, Miss Bertha VanEldick, spent the week-end camping at the State park near Caseville.

Mrs. W. R. Wiley and son, David, of Detroit visited the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. David Tyo, from Thursday until Labor Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam LaVine and daughters, Patricia and Geraldine, of Detroit spent Sunday and Monday with Mr. and Mrs. James McMahon.

W. O. Stafford, son, Lloyd Stafford, grandsons, Nile and Norris Stafford and E. A. Corpron attended the boat races in Detroit Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Kaiser and family and Mr. and Mrs. William Quingley and two children, all of Detroit, were week-end guests of Cass City relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Bartlett and Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Colwell were entertained for Sunday dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Darling at McCue.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. McConkey, Mr. and Mrs. Sheldon Peterson and Mrs. Willis Campbell spent Sunday and Monday in Detroit and attended the state fair.

The Misses Dorothy Boyes, Georgene VanWinkle, Lucile Bailey and Frances Henry spent from Thursday until Sunday evening camping at Caseville.

Mr. and Mrs. Neil Fletcher, daughters, Mary Agnes and Lillian, and Vern Evens spent the week-end in Kalamazoo with Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Agar.

Mrs. Zora Day, who has spent the summer at Ypsilanti where she has been employed at the Ypsilanti State Hospital, returned Thursday to her home here.

George Hooper of Caro spent a few days last week as the guest of his daughter, Mrs. Herman Doerr. He was called here because of the serious illness of his mother.

The South Novesta Farmers' club will meet Friday evening, September 16, with Mr. and Mrs. William D'Arcy near Deford. A potluck supper will be served.

Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Luebke, son, Frederick, and Miss Esther Dillman, all of Ann Arbor, visited Miss Dillman's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Dillman, over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Solomon Striffler entertained over the week-end Mr. and Mrs. Frank Striffler and daughter, Luella, Leonard, Louis and Miss Gertrude Striffler, all of Detroit.

Miss Margaret Marble entertained a number of little friends Wednesday afternoon in honor of her sixth birthday. Out-door games were played and ice cream and birthday cake served.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Taylor and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Fees, all of Grand Ledge, came Friday to spend several days with Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Taylor here and at the Taylor Cottage in Caseville.

Mrs. Mary Gekeler spent Sunday and Monday in Port Huron.

Harry Zeitlin of Detroit is spending some time at the Charles E. Steers home.

Mr. and Mrs. Jones of Sandusky were Sunday guests of William I. Moore, father of Mrs. Jones.

Miss Helen Doerr spent last week at the home of her uncle, James Doerr, in Sandusky.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Hall of Flint were guests of Cass City relatives over the week-end.

Arthur Fisher of Gagetown is a patient at Morris hospital where he underwent an operation Friday.

Miss Mary Mark and Leitch Mark spent Thursday with their grandmother, Mrs. Jane Leitch, at Pontiac.

Miss Myrtle Greenleaf, who has spent the summer with relatives in Painsville, Ohio, returned home Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Clement and family are moving from Third street to the Harry Young house on East Pine Street.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Baker and baby were called to Hastings last week because of the serious illness of Mr. Baker's mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Howard of Detroit were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Steers from Friday until Monday night.

Mrs. Williams and Mr. and Mrs. William H. Champion and daughter of Detroit visited in Cass City from Thursday until Monday.

Mrs. Ray Hulburt, son, Henry, and the Misses Agnes, Alison and Leanore Milligan attended the State Fair at Detroit Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Warner and family, who have spent the summer at their cottage at Shady Shores, returned home Monday.

Miss Hollis McBurney of Youngstown, Ohio, came Saturday to spend a month's vacation with her mother, Mrs. Jane McBurney.

Miss Eunice Ehlers of Shabbona, who has attended Cass City high school for the last three years, left Sunday for Detroit where she will attend school.

Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Greenleaf entertained Sunday and Monday Mr. and Mrs. Harry Tiller of Millington and Mrs. Harold Tiller and family of Flint.

Mr. and Mrs. Hazen Patterson and children and Mr. and Mrs. James Hatton, all of Pontiac, spent Sunday in Cass City. Mrs. Patterson and children remained to spend the week with relatives.

Dr. and Mrs. F. D. McIntyre and Mr. and Mrs. Lynde of Grosse Pointe spent the week-end and Labor Day at the home of Dr. and Mrs. I. D. McCoy here and at the McCoy cottage at Caseville.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Graham and family visited relatives in Port Huron Sunday. Mrs. Graham's sister, Mrs. E. O. Kohlhaas of Detroit accompanied them and remained to visit in Port Huron.

Clark W. McKenzie and daughter, Miss Margaret McKenzie, returned Monday to their home in Kalamazoo after spending several days with the former's sister, Mrs. A. J. Knapp, and other relatives and friends.

Mrs. Maud Collins had as guests last Thursday, Mr. and Mrs. Frank McCracken and their daughter, Mrs. A. O'Connor, all of Highland Park, Lyle and Lucille McCracken of Detroit, and Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Funk of Deford.

Mr. and Mrs. John McGrath and Mrs. Alma Schenck were entertained by relatives in Detroit Thursday and Friday. Miss Gertrude and Miss Luella Striffler of Detroit returned home with them, spending several days here.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Striffler, daughter, Miss Anna, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Buchanan and three children, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Striffler and son, all of Battle Creek, spent the week-end with relatives here and attended the Striffler reunion on Labor day.

Mrs. Clare Stafford and daughter, Miss Irene, left Monday for Detroit where Miss Irene remained to attend Detroit Business Institute. Mrs. Stafford's mother, Mrs. Viola Bingham, who had been visiting here, returned to her home in Detroit with them.

Mr. and Mrs. George Gulick and Miss Shirley Marie Gulick of Lansing were week-end guests at the Dan Hennessey home. Sunday night, Mr. and Mrs. Hennessey and their guests left for Detroit to spend a few days with relatives and to attend the State Fair.

Mr. and Mrs. William Thoma and daughter, Eleanor, and Mr. and Mrs. L. Carroll and children of Fordson, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Thoma of Pontiac, Ward and Billie McGinn of Detroit were guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Kenney from Saturday until Monday night.

A delightful time was held Monday evening when Mr. and Mrs. Angus McPhail entertained at a garden party at their home on South Segar street. Supper was served at small tables on the back lawn. Guests present included Mr. and Mrs. William Moreton of Detroit, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Striffler and family of Caro, Dr. and Mrs. Harry Striffler and son, David, of Pontiac, and Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Sandham and family.

Mrs. George Hooper of Caro was a Cass City visitor Sunday.

Miss Marion Read of Detroit was a week-end guest at the Angus McPhail home.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Weaver and two sons of Flint visited at the A. A. Ricker home over the week-end.

Miss Wilma Hyatt of Shabbona spent from Friday until Monday at the home of her uncle, W. C. Hyatt.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Kelley and two children of South Lyons were callers at the George Ackerman home Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Pierson and daughter, Nancy, of Detroit were week-end guests at the home of Dr. and Mrs. I. A. Fritz.

The Misses Eleanor and Laura Bigelow, Katherine and Florence Crane spent several days the first of the week at Watkins Lake.

Mrs. Ernest Croft and daughters, Marjorie and Marion, returned Sunday from a two weeks' visit with relatives at Traverse City.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Steers entertained over the week-end, Mr. Steer's nephew, Edward Rouston, Mr. Reichter, Miss Ruth Hall and Miss Mae Lively, all of Detroit.

Mrs. Hugh Gardner and four children, who had spent two weeks with Mrs. Gardner's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Dickinson, left Thursday for their home in Port Huron.

Mrs. R. Atherton, Mrs. Dwight Goodrich and two children and Mr. and Mrs. Eber Gale, all of Flint, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Young from Thursday until Monday evening.

Dr. Charles Kennedy and son, who have been in Pointe Aux Barques, were callers at the home of Mrs. Archie MacLachlan Tuesday morning on their way to their home in Detroit.

Rev. Fr. McEachin and Norman McGillvray, both of Owosso, visited the latter's mother, Mrs. Angus McGillvray, on Sunday, and all were entertained at dinner at the home of relatives in Ubly.

Mrs. Eliza Schwaderer and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Dunham and daughter, Alice, of Royal Oak spent Sunday in Cass City. Mrs. Schwaderer remained to spend some time with friends and relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Collins of Detroit and Mrs. Mack Adams of Chicago were guests at the home of Mrs. Harriet Dodge from Wednesday until Friday. Mrs. Adams remained to spend several days with her sister, Mrs. Dodge.

Deaths

Norine Bigham.

Much sorrow and regret is expressed at the untimely death of Miss Norine Bigham, which occurred Friday morning, September 2, at the East Side Hospital in Pontiac.

Norine Mae Bigham, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Bigham of this place, was born July 3, 1910, in Evergreen township, five miles east and two miles south of Cass City. Six years ago, she came with her parents to the home on Seventh street in Cass City and two years later left for Pontiac where she has since been employed. At the time she was taken ill she was employed at the Hildenbrand hotel.

Norine was taken sick five weeks ago, and although everything possible was done for her, she passed away Friday morning. The body was brought to the home of her parents that day and funeral services were held Saturday afternoon at three o'clock from the Methodist church. Rev. T. S. Bottrell officiated and burial was in Elkland cemetery.

She is survived by her parents and four brothers, Clarence and Lloyd of Pontiac, Vernon and Basil at home.

Miss Bigham was spoken of as a young lady of sterling worth by those who knew her and was highly esteemed for many qualities which endeared her to all with whom she came in contact.

Mrs. Rosina Bey.

The funeral service of Mrs. Rosina Bey was held at the Bey farm home in Elkland township on Thursday afternoon, Sept. 1, and interment was made in Elkland cemetery.

Rosina Kuhn was born in Waschenbeuren, Wurtenberg, Germany, and was united in marriage with Michael Bey in May, 1868. They came to the United States, settling in Elkland township in 1881, where Mrs. Bey has since resided. Mr. Bey passed away in 1901.

Mrs. Bey's death occurred Aug. 30 after an illness of four months. She is survived by five children, Sherman Bey and Mrs. Rose Ellesworth, both of Cass City, Mrs. Mary Bailey of Rose City, Mrs. Bertha Wilson of Flint and August Bey of Snover.

Work of the Liver

The function of the liver is that of saving heat when the body is hilled or at the onset of fever.

New Silk Organdie Is Greeted With Delight

The new silk organdie that will be seen everywhere this summer is truly a sheer delight. It is a little more sophisticated than its cotton sister and so will be welcomed by the more mature woman who feels that an organdie evening frock is not for her.

The weave and look of cotton organdie is cleverly kept and simulated and the fabric is grand for evening frocks. It is being used in fascinating prints and in this form is being promoted for formal as well as informal wear and, very charming it is, too, young and refreshing.

Parasols Back

The fussy parasol of the era of rose jars, petticoats and fainting damosels, has returned, more restrained in design, perhaps, but as dainty and decorative as ever.

Patent Leather Trifles

Dark blue sailor hats, bright colored belts and gay bags of the shiny leather are used as accessories for many smart costumes.

"Contrary" Japanese

Japanese folk do many things in "contrary" ways. For instance, during the day the Japanese housewife opens wide the sliding walls of wood and paper which form her house, but at night they are enclosed by solid board shutters, and people sleep virtually without ventilation.

To the Voters of Tuscola County:

Next Tuesday, Sept. 13, you will nominate a candidate for County Drain Commissioner of Tuscola county.

Many reasons are given by candidates why they should be nominated, and qualifications for office are listed. Previous to becoming drain commissioner of Tuscola county, I was a contractor for many years, and learned, I believe all the angles of the contracting game. I believe this has been a valuable aid in carrying out the duties of my office, as the drain commissioner is constantly in contact with contractors.

My experience as a contractor, and long service as supervisor of Denmark township, and above all, my experience as County Drain Commissioner together with a complete knowledge of the drainage system in Tuscola county and neighboring counties affected, and my experience in dealing with state, road, railroad and power company officials, give me a training and qualification for performing the duties of drain commissioner with ability and efficiency.

Being an engineer does not necessarily add to the qualifications of a drain commissioner. I am not an engineer, and my experience has shown me that it would not have been an aid to fulfilling the duties of the office as far as costs are concerned. Surveying of drains is not a duty of the drain commissioner. One cannot, by law, be the drain commissioner and at the same time the surveyor of drains. The statutes provide that in accepting drains, especially those constructed by a dredge, the drain commissioner shall designate a competent engineer or surveyor to make such inspection, and the certificate of acceptance of a drain must be signed by both the county drain commissioner and the engineer so designated. This is supposed to be a protection for the taxpayers in preventing any fraud that may occur between contractor and drain commissioner in accepting and paying for contracts, and while being a qualified civil engineer is a fine thing and might benefit the person holding the office, it can hardly be said it would make a saving of any expense to the taxpayers on the drain.

The office of county drain commissioner is a big job in itself, in fact my experience as county drain commissioner has taught me that to successfully work out the many problems pertaining to the office, especially that of Tuscola county, it having as large, if not the largest drainage system of any county in Michigan, required my constant attention, and I do not believe if I had been an engineer I could have found the time to survey drains. That is a job by itself.

I make my bid for the office of drain commissioner on what I have accomplished in the past. I feel that I have saved the taxpayers money in practically every instance of letting drain contracts, and if nominated and elected, I promise the same efficient, courteous service that has even been my desire in filling the duties of the office.

CONRAD MUELLER.

—Advertisement.

Turning Back the Pages

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

Twenty-five Years Ago.

Sept. 13, 1907.

A. Louis Heid, 23, was drowned with three other young people in Saginaw river Monday night. He was the son of August Heid, Sr., who conducted a bakery in Cass City for several years, later moving to Saginaw.

Mrs. Frank Burnham was found dead in bed by her husband Wednesday at their home 7 miles north of Cass City. She had been in poor health for a short time, but her death was entirely unlooked for by the family.

The following talent is signed for the lecture course this winter: Thomas Brooks Fletcher, Hungarian Orchestra, the Stirling Jubilees, Robt. S. Seeds and Ralph Bingham.

Clyde Lutze, who has been employed in D. Losey's grocery store the past summer, has gone to Donora, Pa., where he has secured employment.

Chauncey Boulton left this week for Kansas City, Mo.

Mrs. D. G. Wright, residing three miles southeast of town, has sold her farm to Cassius Wells of Armada.

Chas. Sackett, formerly postmaster at Wickware, and his wife are now located at White City, Fla., where they have purchased property.

Schwaderer & Striffler shipped three carloads of cattle, sheep and swine to Buffalo Saturday. C. D. Striffler also shipped one carload to the same city.

Thirty-five Years Ago.

Sept. 16, 1897.

Colin Monroe has returned from Great Falls, Mont., and is again clerking for J. S. McArthur.

Rev. A. E. Cragg is expected to preach his first sermon as pastor of the Gagetown M. P. church next Sunday evening.

John McCullough has moved to his farm 1 3-4 miles north of Beauley, in Grant township, having sold his farm west of town.

S. F. Bigelow and T. H. Hunt are attending a manufacturers' and jobbers' convention at Saginaw.

John Tuckey of Mitchell, S. D., has been the guest of his brother, Jas. D., for the past week.

On Friday, while Cassius Wood was cleaning his bicycle, he placed the ball bearings in his hat. Being busily occupied with another part of the wheel, he did not notice the approach of a hen who mistook the balls for a delicate morsel of food and helped herself. Cassius was obliged to walk to town and procure a new set of balls. The hen still lives because her identity could not be discovered.

Last Sunday being the last of the conference year at the M. E. church, the services were a departure from the usual routine. In the morning, the pastor gave a review of the work during his three years' pastorate here. During that time seventy persons have been received on probation and only five or six have been "dropped."

S. Jamieson organized a lodge of Star of Bethlehem in school house No. 4, Grant, last week which is progressing nicely. Sixteen members have already taken their stand while several others are expected this week.

GENERAL PRIMARY ELECTION

Notice is hereby given that a General Primary Election will be held in the Township of Elkland, County of Tuscola, State of Michigan, at the township hall, within said township, on

Tuesday, Sept. 13, A. D. 1932

for the purpose of placing in nomination by all political parties participating therein, candidates for the following offices, viz:

STATE—One candidate for Governor; one candidate for Lieutenant Governor.

CONGRESSIONAL—One candidate for Representative in Congress for the Congressional district of which said township forms a part.

LEGISLATIVE—One candidate for Senator in the State Legislature for the Senatorial District of which said township forms a part. One candidate for Representative in the State Legislature for the Legislative district of which said township forms a part.

COUNTY—Also candidates for the following county offices, viz: Judge of Probate, County Clerk, County Treasurer, Register of Deeds, Circuit Court Commissioners, Drain Commissioner, Coroners, Surveyor.

Delegates to County Conventions.

There shall also be elected as many Delegates to the County Convention of the several political parties as said ward, precinct or district is entitled to under the call of the county committees of said political parties, which number will be indicated by the number of blank lines printed on the official primary ballots used at said election, under the heading "Delegates to County Conventions."

The Board of Primary Election Inspectors shall certify to the County Clerk the names of the electors so elected as delegates, naming the political party upon whose ballots such electors were elected. The County Clerk shall notify by mail each person elected as such delegate.

The name of the candidate for delegate to the county convention shall not be printed upon the official primary election ballot, but one or more such names may be placed on such ballot by printed or written slips pasted thereon by the voter, or the names may be written in by the voter.

Suggestions Relative to Voting.

SEPARATE BALLOTS for each political party will be provided. The elector must name the political party of his choice when asking for a ballot and in marking his ballot must make a cross in the square to the left of the name of each candidate for whom he desires to vote, and can vote for only one candidate except where two or more candidates are to be nominated in which case he should vote for two or the number to be nominated.

Relative to Opening and Closing of the Polls.

Election Revisions of 1931—

No. 410—Chapter VIII.

Section 1. On the day of any election the polls shall be opened at seven o'clock in the forenoon, and shall be continued open until six o'clock in the afternoon and no longer: Provided, that in townships the board of inspectors of election may, in its discretion, adojurn the polls at twelve o'clock noon, for one hour, and that the township board in townships and the legislative bodies in cities and villages may, by resolution, provide that the polls shall be opened at six o'clock in the forenoon and may also provide that the polls shall be kept open not later than eight o'clock in the evening of the same day. Every qualified elector present and in line at the polls at the hour prescribed for the closing thereof shall be allowed to vote.

THE POLLS of said election will be open at 7 o'clock a. m. and will remain open until 6 o'clock p. m., Eastern Standard Time, of said day of election, unless the Board of Election Inspectors shall, in their discretion, adjourn the polls at 12 o'clock, noon, for one hour.

CHAS. E. PATTERSON,
9-3-2 Clerk of Elkland Township.
Dated July 12, A. D. 1932.

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By Dr. M. M. Wickware.

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You will please your wife and, upon your belated return from the courts, she'll greet you with a smile (?) and marvel at your increasing physical prowess. (And you'll need all of the latter.)

It's a game that will not only massage your liver, stomach and abdominal organs, (thus enabling you to digest home cooking) but will increase your vocabulary as well.

We could mention other reasons why you should pitch horseshoes, but there are so many of them, we are simply obliged to desist for this time.

Crater Made Into Garden

The crater of a volcano near Edinburgh, Scotland, has been made into a garden.

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Local Happenings

Miss Myrl Rowley visited friends and relatives in Detroit last week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Law spent Sunday in Unionville with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kile.

Mrs. Herman Doerr spent a few days the first of the week with relatives in Detroit.

Mrs. Sarah McDonald returned to Detroit after spending a few months at her home here.

Mary Lee Doerr spent a few days last week with her grandfather, Geo. Hooper, at Caro.

Berkley Patterson and daughter, Miss Margaret, of Detroit were week-end guests at the Jas. Tennant home.

Miss Dorothy Tindale left Monday to begin her second year as kindergarten teacher in the Sebewaing school.

Mr. and Mrs. O. K. Janes of Caro and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Outwater of Detroit were Cass City callers Sunday.

Miss Vernita Knight, who has been employed at Traverse City during the summer, returned home Monday evening.

Mrs. Harry Ostrander returned to her home in Pontiac Thursday after a ten-day visit with her father, Isaac Cragg.

Mr. and Mrs. N. Merion and daughter of Detroit were week-end guests of Mrs. Merion's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Hitchcock.

Isaac Ostrander and Kenneth Clement, both of Pontiac, spent Monday and Tuesday with the former's grandfather, Isaac Cragg.

Miss Margaret Patterson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Berkley Patterson, entered the training class at Harper Hospital, Detroit, on Sunday.

Miss Ruth Mark has finished her training at Harper Hospital, Detroit, and came Monday to spend a week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Mark.

Mr. and Mrs. Wellington Law of Pontiac spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Ward Law. Mrs. Law will spend the week with friends here and at Kingston.

Miss Johanna McRae, who has spent a few weeks with her brother, Dr. Colin McRae, in San Francisco, California, returned to her home here Wednesday.

Mrs. Wm. Miller of Birmingham and Mr. and Mrs. Merton Weaver of Pontiac spent Monday and Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Benkelman and other relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Douglas spent Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday in Owosso where they attended a funeral directors' school of instruction and demonstration.

Glen Benkelman of Lakewood, Ohio, and John Benkelman, Jr., of Detroit visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Benkelman, Sr., over the week-end and Labor Day.

The Evangelical Woman's Missionary Society will meet Friday afternoon, Sept. 16, with Mrs. H. O. Greenleaf. Mrs. H. I. Voelker will have charge of the program.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Leach, Mr. Miller, Mrs. Flora McLachlan and Miss Eliza Brownley spent from Friday until Sunday in Glencoe, Alvington and other places in Ontario.

Mrs. Philip Striffler, Mr. and Mrs. Van Striffler and son, Donald, of Lockport, N. Y., attended the Striffler reunion on Labor Day and spent several days with relatives here.

Mrs. G. A. Tindale, Mrs. Andrew Bigelow, Miss Dorothy Tindale and Miss Leone Lee spent Friday in Detroit. Miss Harriet Tindale, who had spent a week with friends there, returned home with them.

The Butzbach Missionary Circle held their monthly business and social meeting at the home of Maurice and Miss Lena Joos, on Tuesday evening. Games were played after which refreshments were served.

Mr. and Mrs. James Hines and daughter Betty Jane, of St. Clair were guests of Mrs. Edward Schwaderer, sister of Mrs. Hines, on Labor Day. Miss Genevieve Schwaderer returned home with them to spend the week in St. Clair and Marine City.

G. A. Rohr of Pontiac spent the week-end at the home of his brother, Chas. Rohr.

Miss Vivian Carolan of Bay City was a guest of Miss Gladys Lenzner last Thursday.

James Kosanke of Elkton visited his son, Charles Kosanke, from Thursday until Sunday.

R. G. Fisher of Chicago is having a delightful visit with his sister, Mrs. Eleanor Bader, whom he has not seen for 25 years.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar G. Braun and son, Ted, and Mrs. S. Lenzner of Detroit spent Sunday and Monday with Miss Emma Lenzner and attended the Striffler reunion.

On Thursday, Norman Rowly of Flint and his sister, Mrs. Jane Ostrander, of Whittimore, Oscar O'Kelly and Ted O'Kelly, of Caro visited at the Jas. S. McCrea home.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Wheeler entertained Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Wheeler and two daughters of Kalamazoo and Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Wheeler and son, L. Wheeler, of Capac.

Mr. and Mrs. James Cole and daughter, Doris Jean, returned to their home in Detroit Monday after a ten days' visit with Mrs. Cole's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kosanke.

John Lenzner of Gagetown was taken very ill Wednesday morning and was brought to Cass City to the home of his brother and sister, Frank and Miss Emma Lenzner, where he is being cared for.

Walter Kilpatrick and Mrs. Geo. Seed spent Saturday afternoon and evening with relatives and friends in Pontiac. Mrs. Kilpatrick returned to Cass City with them and will spend two weeks at the Seed home. Mrs. Della Lauderbach was a guest of the Seed family Sunday and Monday.

The first meeting of the Parent-Teacher Association will be held Monday evening, September 12, at the high school and will be a reception for the teachers and is in charge of the reception committee. The meeting will begin at eight o'clock and every one interested in school work is urged to attend.

Mrs. Mary Wilson, son, Raymond, and Mr. and Mrs. James Kelley and William Withey of Thamesville, Ont., visited at the homes of Wallace Withey and George Rohrbach Thursday and Friday of last week. William Withey remained to spend some time in Cass City.

Mr. A. J. Knapp, Mrs. S. B. Young, Mrs. A. A. Ricker, Mrs. Willis Campbell and Miss Margaret McKenzie attended a one o'clock luncheon Friday given by the Sanilac County Brucker committee in honor of Mrs. Brucker at Marlette. Mrs. Kate V. English was present and both she and Mrs. Brucker gave interesting talks.

Joseph Dawe, Sanilac county clerk, was a caller in Cass City Wednesday. Mr. Dawe returned from the University hospital at Ann Arbor last week where he underwent an operation on his limb which afforded him prompt relief and he is happy to be again able to be "on the job" after several weeks confinement at his home.

The Thoma reunion was held Monday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Kenney in Cass City. Thirty-six members of the family were present from Toledo, Ohio, Fordson, Detroit, Pontiac and Clawson. The oldest member present was Mrs. Kenney's uncle, Peter Lehmann of Clawson, and the youngest, Shirley Ann Carroll, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. Carroll of Fordson. A potluck dinner was served.

In circuit court on Saturday, in Tuscola county, the Lincoln National Life Insurance Co. was awarded two decrees in mortgage foreclosures. One was on 40 acres in Gilford township in which Ernest H. Rau and wife were defendants and the sum involved is $3,055.69 and interest. In the other suit, Chas. and Pern V. VanAllen were the defendants, the land consisted of 40 acres in Gilford, and the amount was $2,125.61 and interest.

R. S. Proctor and Leslie Townsend spent several days the first of the week at Long Lake, near Fenton, with James Proctor and family, who have a cottage at that place. The Proctors have two gasoline boats, one a small fishing craft and the larger one about 18 feet long in which Clifford, grandson of R. S. Proctor, installed a motor this summer that he built himself. It drives the boat at a speed of sixty miles an hour. Clifford thinks he could have beaten Don's boat at Detroit if he had been in the races.

Mrs. Hugh McColl celebrated her 92nd birthday Monday, Sept. 5, and on Sunday a family gathering was held in her honor at the home of her daughter, Mrs. G. W. Landon, with whom she lives. A delicious dinner was served and a large birthday cake with candles and cut flowers adorned the table. The guests included Mr. and Mrs. D. H. McColl and son, Hugh, of Greenleaf, Mrs. E. F. Kreiman and daughter, Vera, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Ippel and Mr. and Mrs. Hughferd Giesel, all of Saginaw, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Rich and daughter, Belva, of Deckerville, and Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Landon and daughter, Joella, of Howell.

WHAT M-53 MEANS TO THE THUMB

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somewhat discouraged. The fact is, we are trying to adjust ourselves to new conditions and we will do it all right. I still believe that this good rich farm land of ours in the Thumb district, especially Huron county, is bound to become valuable again, due to the fact that land is the source of all wealth. I believe that the farmer is going to come back and to get a fair return for all his produce.

"Another factor encouraging to farmers in the Thumb district is their advantageous position compared with farmers in other sections of the state. The markets for farmers in the Thumb district are closer and marketing costs lower than for farmers located at greater distances from centers of population.

"Seventy-five per cent of Michigan farm sales consist of dairy, poultry and livestock products and fruits and vegetables, prices for which for 1931 were about 96 per cent of the pre-war level as compared to a 63 per cent pre-war price level for grains and cotton. Since farmers in the Thumb are located close to their markets and because of the type of farm products produced for sale, business recovery will aid Michigan farm prices more rapidly than farm prices in farming sections farther from markets.

"M-53 is often spoken of as the trunk line of the Thumb district. Let us glance at a few facts—taken from the agricultural census of April 1, 1930, in regard to Huron, Sanilac and Tuscola counties. Huron county produced approximately $494,852 worth of butterfat and $1,014,056 worth of dairy products. The poultry products, eggs, amounted to $616,141; poultry meat $156,388; livestock $2,192,068. Sanilac county produced $373,577 worth of butterfat and milk sold $1,273,555. The poultry products; eggs, amounted to $391,086; poultry meat $198,379 and livestock products $1,910,760, while Tuscola produced $605,275 worth of butterfat and $2,074,911 worth of milk. The poultry products produced in Tuscola county: eggs amounted to $465,894 and poultry meat $187,472 and livestock products amounted to $415,223.

"The total amount of these commodities for each county amounts to: Huron, $4,453,507; Sanilac, $4,157,357 and Tuscola $3,748,775.

"According to information that I received from various sources the dairy and poultry products are sent by truck to market, while only about 80 per cent of our livestock products, such as cattle, calves, hogs, sheep are transported by truck.

"Let's take an estimate of what goes over our trunk line highway M-53. I have inquired from several sources, such as truck drivers, farmers, merchants, bankers, managers of milk companies, etc. From their statements I have drawn the following conclusions: That 75 per cent of Huron county commodities mentioned above and amounting to $3,052,818; 25 per cent of Sanilac, amounting to $1,011,221; and Tuscola, amounting to $1,403,804 or the grand total of the three counties, Huron, Sanilac and Tuscola amounts to $5,467,843. The price of this is 40 per cent less at the present time than it was at the time the census was taken, which amounts to $2,187,133, go over M-53 to Detroit markets.

"I mention these statements merely as facts. It seems almost impossible to get accurate information on the movement of agricultural produce of various kinds by truck.

"Roads are no longer exclusively local problems. During the past decade, the rapid development of the use of automobiles and trucks for interurban and interstate travel, has greatly increased the use of roads. We need such organizations as the Earle Memorial Highway Association, Civic clubs and various Community clubs to stand back of a constructive road program."

VASSAR PHYSICIAN DIED ON WEDNESDAY

Dr. Fred Hazelwood, who had practiced his profession for more than 20 years in Vassar, passed away in the Samaritan hospital at Bay City on Wednesday morning, at the age of 54 years. Besides his widow, he leaves a daughter and two sons.

HOLBROOK.

Blanche Hill of Flint, who has spent the month visiting relatives here, returned to her home Friday.

Tanner school opened Sept. 6 with Miss Leta O'Dell as teacher. This is Miss O'Dell's third year at this school.

Historic Wakefield

Dr. A. S. W. Rosenbach owns the original deed for the purchase of Wakefield. The original owner was Hercules Bridges. He sold it to Daniel Liston.

Advertise it in the Chronicle.

Church

Wickware M. E. Church—There will be preaching service at the Wickware Methodist Episcopal church Friday, Sept. 9, at 8:15 p. m. Epworth League meeting at 9:00 p. m.

Sunday school, Sept. 11, at 10:30 a. m.

H. N. Hichens, Pastor.

Mennonite Church—Order of services as follows:

Riverside Church—10:00 a. m., preaching; 11:00 a. m., Sunday school; 8:00 p. m., evangelistic services.

Mizpah Church—10:30 a. m., Sunday school; 11:30 a. m., preaching.

Evangelist H. B. Wiswell of the Fort Wayne Bible Institute, who is now assisting the pastor in gospel tent meeting 5½ miles west of Deckerville, will be the speaker at both services. Song Evangelist Ira L. Wood of the Vaughn School of music, Lawerenceburg, Tenn., will render sacred selections in the services.

G. D. Clink, Pastor.

Presbyterian Church—Paul J. Allured, minister. Sunday, Sept. 11:

Morning worship and church school 10:30 and 12:30. Sermon: "A Year of Christian Service for the Community." Adult lesson: "Israel Journeying Toward Canaan." Numbers 10:11-36.

Christian Endeavor, 6:00 p. m.

Union service 7:30, at the Evangelical church. (See Baptist church notice.)

Thursday, 7:30, mid-week devotional Bible study beginning a series of studies of the Psalms. (Sept. 15.)

Baptist Church—An old pastor, Rev. Rushbrook, will be with us this week-end, speaking Saturday evening at 7:30 on "The Origin and Growth of the English Bible," illustrated with a chart, 26x36 inches.

Sunday morning at 10:30 the theme will be "Why Was the Gospel of John Written?" and Sunday evening at the union service in the Evangelical church, he will speak on "Why Was the First Epistle of John Written?"

Prayer meeting and Bible study Thursday evening at 7:30.

Choir rehearsal Thursday evening at 8:30.

William R. Curtis, Pastor.

Evangelical Church—Sunday, September 11:

At 10 o'clock the S. S. session opens. The superintendent, Lawrence Buehrly, has a class for every one and invites you to come. The morning worship at 11 o'clock. The theme for meditation, "Our Faith—Its Foundation." You are invited to worship with us.

The junior and senior leagues meet at 6:45 p. m. The union service at 7:30 p. m., with Rev. Rushbrook bringing the message. Let us make this last union service the best of all our summer meetings. Prayer service every Thursday evening at 8 o'clock.

H. I. Voelker, Pastor.

Decker M. E. Circuit—Shabbona Church—Sunday School at 10:30 a. m. Young people's service at 3:00 p. m. Topic, "How Money-Spending Reveals Character." Leader, Elmore Caister. Evening service at 8:00 p. m. Prayer service on Thursday at 8: 00 p. m.

Decker Church—Sunday School at 10:30 a. m. Morning service at 11:30 a. m. Prayer service Tuesday at 8:00 p. m.

Elmer Church—Morning service at 10:00 a. m. Sunday School at 11:00 a. m. Prayer service on Wednesday at 8:00 p. m.

J. H. James, Pastor.

First M. E. Church—September 11:

Class meeting every Sunday morning at 9:30. Morning worship at ten o'clock with a sermon by the pastor. Subject for Sunday morning: "Christian Belief and Nation - al Practices." Sunday school immediately after the morning service.

The union service will be in the Evangelical church at 7:30 p. m.

There will be an official board meeting Monday evening at 8:00, in the church. All members are requested to be present. The annual conference will convene September 21 in the First Methodist Church of Mount Clemens, Bishop Blake, our newly appointed bishop presiding.

Bethel Church services—Sunday school 11:00 a. m. Morning worship and sermon 12:00.

T. S. Bottrell, Pastor.

Ellington Nazarene Church—The first regular meeting of the season of the Huron-Tuscola County Holiness Association will be held in the Nazarene church at Ellington on Sept. 15. The annual business meeting will be held following the noon luncheon. Meals will be served. Basket lunch system. Membership fees will be payable at this meeting.

Holiness Meeting — An all-day meeting of the Tuscola-Huron Interdenominational Holiness Association will be held on Thursday, Sept. 15, at the Ellington Nazarene church.

Crusader Quits to Back Brucker

Another letter in which a prominent member of the Crusaders resigned from the organization because of its opposition to Gov. Brucker was made public at the governor's campaign headquarters. It contained the resignation of Dehull N. Travis of Algonac, until recently a Crusade leader in that district.

The letter follows that of Harry Fletcher, who resigned Saturday as commander for the wet organization in the Eleventh District.

Mr. Travis said in part:

"Gov. Brucker has declared he will support the platform of the Republican Convention as interpreted by President Hoover. A chief executive is bound by all laws. That is the duty Gov. Brucker announced by his declaration to abide by the will of the people. Your request for a promise from him as to his future official acts was just as improper as to request a court to tell you in advance what its judicial action would be.

"The Crusaders now seem to be placed in the light of a small group of selfish, drinking men who appear to be disgruntled over the price, quality, or quantity of their liquor. The problem is broader than that and is so being considered by our thinking people generally, who also in the main have a proper knowledge of and respect for official duty."

GRANGE NOTES.

The Tuscola County Grange convention was held at Caro, in the court house Sept. 1st to elect delegates to attend the Michigan State Grange at Lansing, Oct. 26-29. Four sets of delegates were elected, and four sets of alternates.

Delegates are: Mr. and Mrs. Jay Northup, No. 1, East Almer Grange; Mr. and Mrs. Otto Kewleitz, No. 2, Millington Grange; Mr. and Mrs. Consinger, No. 3, Grange; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Burgess, No. 4, Ellington Grange.

Alternates are: Mr. and Mrs. Lockhart, No. 1, Forest Lawn Grange; Mr. and Mrs. Grant Ross, No. 2, Columbia-Almer Grange; Mr. and Mrs. Sam Titus, No. 3, Ellington Center Grange; Mr. and Mrs. Garfield Leishman, No. 4, Ellington Grange.

Ellington Center Grange was represented by Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Avery, Sr., and Mr. and Mrs. Elby. Gagetown Grange was represented by Mrs. Wallace Laurie. Ellington Grange, No. 1650, was represented by Mr. and Mrs. Garfield Leishman and Mr. and Mrs. John Hayes.

THE HOURLY NURSE?

Children under 6 years of age are highly susceptible to diphtheria. 65 per cent of all cases occur in this group and 85 per cent of diphtheria deaths occur in this group.

Children can be protected against diphtheria. Are yours? If not, see your physician—The Hourly Nurse.

150 ATTENDED STRIFFLER REUNION

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present. Six little folks claiming Striffler ancestry have been welcomed into six families during the past year. Games, stunts and picture taking were made a part of the afternoon's program.

Officers elected for the coming year are: President, G. A. Striffler; secretary-treasurer, C. J. Striffler. The 1933 reunion will be held on Labor Day at the same grounds.

Members of the family from out of town who attended the reunion included the following: Mr. and Mrs. Frank Striffler and daughter, Luella, Louis Striffler and the Misses Gertrude and Mary Striffler, Mrs. Samuel Lenzner, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Braun and son, Ted, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Striffler, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Moreton and Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Kaiser and family, all of Detroit; Dr. and Mrs. Harry Striffler and son, David, of Pontiac; Miss Margaret Reagh of Muskegon; Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Striffler and daughter, Anna, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Striffler and son, and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Buchanan and three children, all of Battle Creek; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Striffler and daughters, Charlotte, Dorothy and Marjorie, of Caro; Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Smiley of Drayton Plains, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Weaver and two sons of Flint; Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Nique and daughter, Eleanor, of Decker; Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Southworth and three children of Elkton; Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Striffler, Mr. and Mrs. Lorn J. Muck, Mr. and Mrs. Van G. Striffler and son, Donald, and Mrs. Philip Striffler, all of Lockport, N. Y., and Jacob Muck of Gasport, N. Y.

Man's Seven Ages

Hippocrates divided the age of man into seven, and the arrangement was adopted by Shakespeare

CARO YOUNG PEOPLE IN AUTO COLLISION

Tom VanTine and Miss Elizabeth McCrea, both of Caro, received several bruises when the car in which they were riding met in head-on collision with an automobile driven by Earle Burke. The accident occurred on East Jefferson Ave., Detroit, on Sunday. The cars were badly damaged.

Better Than Riches

Good instruction is better than riches.—William Penn.

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—Child's good ivory bed with mattress. Mrs. Harold Murphy. Phone 151-F-2. 9-9-1

W. O. MARSHALL farm of 25 acres at Cass City for sale or will trade for house andpiece of land in or near Cass City or Kingston. Can give clear deed. Mrs. W. O. Marshall, 543 Detroit St., Ann Arbor, Mich. 8-12-5p

FOR SALE—Standard binder twine, $6.50 cwt., cash. Claude Root. 9-9-1p

FOR SALE—Three year old colt, cheap work horse, 2 heifers, 2½ years old, to freshen soon, good ones. Elkland Roller Mills, Cass City, Mich. 9-2-2

FOR SALE—Residence on Third St., Cass City. Mrs. Harry Nowland. 9-9-3

FOUND—A lady's tan coat with auto keys in pocket, 1 mile west of Cass City. Owner call at Chronicle office and receive property by paying for this notice. 9-9-1

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.

EARLY POTATOES for sale. Thoroughly ripe and good quality. Delivered in large or small quantities to suit purchaser. Clarence Quick. 9-9-1p

FOR SALE—Team of horses, bays, 6 and 7 years old; well matched and well broke; 2,800 lbs.; sound. These are good ones. Allen Wanner. 9-9-1

REJUVENATE your clothes—and they will be ready for weeks or months of additional wear. Send your "old" suits to us for dry cleaning and see how good they look when we deliver them. Robinson's Laundry and Dry Cleaning. 9-2-

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

I AM VERY grateful to neighbors and friends for the many acts of kindness and for floral offerings at the time of my bereavement. Sherman Bey.

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.

CUT FLOWERS for sale. Choice asters and many others at one cent each. Mrs. Ben Schwegler, 3¼ miles north of Elkland cemetery. 9-9-1

FOR SALE—Hammer feed mill, complete, blacksmith vice, wagon tire shrinker, blower and drill press. Also 38 cal. rifle and 12 gauge shot gun. Will sell cheap. Thomas Avery, Jr., 146 Ellington St., Caro. 9-9-1p

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.

WASHINGS wanted by Mrs. Geo. Wintersteen. Phone 144. 9-9-1

FOR SALE—Second-hand silo filler. J. A. Caldwell, Cass City. 9-9-1p

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

BUNDLE OR FAMILY washings wanted. Mrs. Maud Wayne. Phone 118-F-3. 9-9-2

MODEL T FORD Sedan in good running order and appearance, going at right figure. Phone 30. 9-2-2.

FOUND—Some marked money. Loser may have same by proving ownership and paying for this ad. Inquire at Chronicle Office. 9-9-1

FOR SALE—100 Rock pullets, hatched in March, at 75c apiece. Phone 154-F-21. Fred Emigh. 9-9-2

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

SILO FOR SALE. Telephone 93-F-3. 9-9-1

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-tf

THE YOUNG people of the Holbrook M. E. church will have an ice cream social at the Loren Trathen home Thursday evening, Sept. 15. Everybody come. 1*

EXCHANGE your wheat for flour and have the difference. If you raise wheat, you cannot afford to do otherwise. Elkland Roller Mills, Cass City, Mich. 9-2-2

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

THREE COLLIE pups for sale. John Morrison, 2 miles west and ½ mile north of New Greenleaf. 9-9-1.

POULTRY BOUGHT every day at Cass City, Phone 184, and at Greenleaf on Tuesday, Phone 177-F2; at Shabbona on Monday. Cass City phone 130-F6 or Snover phone 33-F14. Joe Moinar. 8|26|tf

TO THE FRIENDS who came to us in our hour of sorrow and contributed all that human kindness could suggest to help and comfort, we return our heartfelt thanks. The family of John W. Nicol.

WE WISH to express our thanks to the friends and neighbors for their help and kindness during our recent bereavement; also to Rev. Bottrell for his comforting words and to Mr. and Mrs. McPhail and those who sang. Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Bigham and family.

COMMUNITY SALE

There will be a crowd to buy your horses, cattle, machinery, hogs, chickens, or anything else you have to sell at the

Frank Hegler Farm

5 miles south of Cass City on

Saturday, Sept. 10

Heating Season Is Here

Prevent fire hazards by having your heating system checked over and having defective smoke pipes renewed. We clean furnaces and install furnaces and repairs of all kinds.

For service call No. 79-F-11.

Wanner & Matthews

Plumbing and Heating

AMENDMENT
to the Michigan Constitution
WHO MAY VOTE ON EXPENDITURE OF PUBLIC MONEY

From Clinton Co. Republican-News.

Section 4—Whenever any question is submitted to a vote of the electors which involves the direct expenditure of public money or the issue of bonds, only such persons having the qualifications of electors who have property assessed for taxes **in any part of the district or territory to be effectd by the result of such election or the lawful husbands or wives of such persons shall be entitled to vote thereon.**

The above is the language of another of the amendments which the voter will be asked to vote "Yes" or "No" upon in November. There is already a similar provision applied to school districts. Only people who pay taxes in the district may vote upon a bond issue or the raising of money by taxation.

This sounds reasonble, and probably is a sane safeguard. Its provisions are not complex and are easily understood unless some of the other amendments which are to be voted upon in November change the status of a great many property owners.

If, for instance, the amendment discussed in this column last week which provides that $3,000 of real estate shall be exempt from taxation and $1,000 of personal property, it would exempt considerable property from being "assessed for taxes" as the above amendment recites.

That being true, would these people whose property paid no tax have any right to vote on raising money for taxes? If they did not, would not this responsibility fall upon a comparatively few people?

In itself, this amendment appears very simple and understandable to us. When coupled with the other amendment there might be some nice questions raised as to who would and who would not have a right to vote.

NEWS OF THE NEARBY SECTIONS

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

Notice has been received by Mrs. H. C. Dean, chairman of the Tuscola county Red Cross, that a second allotment of 500 barrels of flour will be sent to Tuscola county for distribution among the needy families. The work of distribution will be under the direction of Mrs. Dean and Mrs. E. O. Babcock, Unionville, home service secretary. County Red Cross officials also expect a shipment of cotton cloth from the government soon, which will be manufactured into garments by social service and welfare agencies.

E. J. Leenhouts, general agricultural agent of the New York Central lines located at Rochester, New York, after a pleasure-business trip through East Michigan says in a letter to the East Michigan Tourist Association: "On a trip through northern Michigan, stopping at almost every town in your territory along the Michigan Cetnral Railroad for a few hours, I found the sentiment rather hopeful and in some places very satisfactory. On the whole, it was my impression the tourist business has been more remunerative than almost any other line of business and that your organization has played its usual effective part."

Harry Walker, publisher of the Unionville paper, has been putting out his paper in the same location for more than 40 years. He says that times are a deal better in Unionville than they were 40 years ago. Also, concerning Harry Walker—Needing some ready cash he sent a letter to his subscribers telling them of his need. The mails brought him some hundreds of dollars. Well, it isn't such a tough world, after all.

Think It Over

The first step toward happiness is to determine to be happy.

KEEP ON THE RIGHT SIDE.

One good way to educate the people of Michigan up to better automobile driving, is to dwell upon the special circumstances under which accidents occur. According to statistics, failure to keep on the right side of the road is one of the most common causes of collisions.

There is a temptation to a fast driver on a curving road to keep too near the center of the road. It takes a little more time and care to follow the bends, and keep close to the outer edge. He will have to slow down a bit to be sure of not going off the edge. So he is very apt to wander over toward the left side. If some car is coming swiftly around that curve, and is hidden by trees or other objects, then it is very difficult to avoid an accident.

It only takes a second longer to round the curve properly, keeping well to the outside, and many drivers would keep out of the hospitals and out of lawsuits, if they would conform to that precaution.

Then there are the impatient people who can't wait until they get a clear look ahead before passing a slower car. They cut in on curves or on slopes where they can't see the approaching cars. Many of the worst accidents occur from this cause. If the car which a driver wishes to pass is running 30 miles an hour, he will probably have to run 40 or 45 miles an hour to get by it easily. When a car at that rate has a head-on collision with another, considerable junk is going to be deposited on the surrounding scenery. If the driver escapes sufficiently to be taken to the hospital instead of the undertaker, he can consider himself lucky.

People will live longer and avoid bringing sorrow and loss to themselves and others, if they will stick to their own side of the road, except when conditions make it perfectly safe to pass other cars.

Weight of the Earth

Dr. Paul R. Heyl of the United States bureau of standards in Washington has worked for several years on a new figure for the gravitational constant from which the weight of the earth is calculated. Doctor Heyl announced that the estimated weight of the earth is 5,997,000,000,000,000,000 tons.

Cannibalism Not Extinct

Cannibals are known to live in some parts of New Guinea, Africa, and the interior of Australia.

THE TAIL OF A SHIRT.

It seems to us as if almost everybody must be pretty near out of clothes by this time. We don't see how the necessity for new clothes can be met without having some effect upon general business conditions. We notice in the fashion papers and on the streets that women's skirts are getting longer and their sleeves bigger. That ought to mean a larger demand for fabrics of all kinds, and that, in turn ought to mean a better demand for cotton and wool and silk and rayon, out of which to manufacture the fabrics.

We don't think American women are going to dress out of fashion very long, and while it was easy enough to cut down the long skirts and cut off the long sleeves, it is not going to be so easy to make over a short-skirted, sleeveless dress into one with full sleeves and a long skirt.

We don't remember the name of the political economist who pointed out, many years ago, that if he could be Emperor of China and issue a decree that every Chinaman's shirt tails must be three inches longer, it would double the business of the Manchester cotton mills.

Whoever he was, he expressed a great economic truth.

BACK TO NATURE.

It seems to us that one of the beneficial results of this long period of depression and industrial unemployment has been to force upon large numbers of people, who had never realized it before, that there is no safety or security for most folks if they get too far away from the soil and the sea.

We were reminded of this by reading that the State of New York has decided to grant fishing licenses free to the unemployed, so that they may at least have the chance of catching part of their food from the rivers and lakes, bays and ponds of the state. We think it would be a good plan to adopt everywhere.

Then we read about the various places all over the country where thousands of unemployed are being encouraged to pan out gold from the soil. There is gold almost everywhere in the United States. Most of it doesn't run enough gold to the ton of earth or rock to pay for the expense of setting up regular mining equipment, but we understand that a good many thousand people are making good wages panning out placer gold all the way from the Pacfic Coast to the Atlantic.

Hundreds of communities gave help and encouragement during the past summer to the unemployed who were willing and able to work small garden patches and so help to feed themselves and their families.

All such projects are, of course, merely temporary expedients, but out of them it is reasonable to expect that a great many Americans, who have been so brought up that they did not know how to take care of themselves unless they were attached to a payroll, will have learned that it is possible for a man to make a living without much equipment beyond his two hands, if he will stick close enough to nature's sources of wealth, and seize them for himself instead of buying them through a chain of middlemen.

Deaths

Miss Eliza Summers.

Funeral services for Miss Eliza Summers, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ostrum Summers, were held Wednesday afternoon from the Canboro church. Rev. Myron Karr of Jeddo officiated with burial in the Williamston cemetery.

Eliza Summers was born April 13, 1917, in Grant Township. She had been ill for a few days, but was much better and Wednesday had prepared her father's breakfast. During the day, she was taken suddenly very ill and passed away.

IN JUSTICE COURT.

Ray Phillips, 36, and Jas. Barber, 29, both of Columbiaville, were brought before Justice Frank St. Mary on the charge of breaking and entering. Pleading guilty, they were bound over to the circuit court for trial. The men are charged with entering the house of Chas. Ramsdell in Watertown township and taking antique furniture from the place.

Glen Marsh of Deford was arrested by Deputy Sheriff Millikin on an assault and battery charge.

Potato Weighs Four Pounds

Patrick Malone of Cork, Ireland, produced in a tiny garden patch a potato weighing four pounds.

To Burn 1,800 Years

Enrico Caruso's memorial candle, 16 feet high, 5 feet in circumference and weighing one ton, will burn one day each year—All Saints day—and will last 18 centuries it is said.

Cannon a Curiosity

A breech-loading cannon chiseled from a solid bar of iron by Andrew J. Nave of Columbus, Texas, is in the Witte Memorial museum of San Antonio, Texas.

Quality ! Service ! Price !

WE DELIVER.

Independent Grocery

M. D. HARTT Telephone 149

JAR RINGS—LIPPED, TWO PACKAGES FOR	9c
MARSHMALLOWS ONE POUND PACKAGE (A tablet FREE)	18c
PINK SALMON GOOD QUALITY	9c
PREMIUM BITTER CHOCOLATE ONE-HALF POUND BAR	19c
3 BARS PALMOLIVE SOAP FOR (10c package Super Suds Free)	23c
POST TOASTIES LARGE PACKAGE	10c
STALEY'S GLOSS STARCH TWO POUNDS FOR	15c
QUAKER COFFEE 3 CANS	$1.00
DRY ONIONS 50 POUND SACK FOR	58c
SEEDLESS RAISINS 2 POUND PACKAGE	19c

See us about Celery, Dill, Pickling Onions, Peppers and Pure Cider Vinegar during the pickling season.

ALL KINDS OF FRESH FRUITS AND VEGETABLES FOR SATURDAY AT SPECIAL PRICES ! !

TRADE IN YOUR THIN, RISKY TIRES FOR GOODYEAR ALL-WEATHERS

DON'T drive on thin, risky tires this Fall and Winter. With tire prices so low it doesn't pay to take chances. Come in—get our liberal offer for your old tires. We'll do everything we can to help you get those thin, risky tires off your car. We'll make a proposition to you on the world's greatest tire for safety, long life and economy—the Goodyear All-Weather. Don't take chances on thin, risky tires. Come in—see us.

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As low as $3.30 Each in Pairs

Full Oversize	Price of Each	Each in Pairs	Tubes
30x3½ Reg.Cl.	$3.39	$3.30	$.86
4.50-20	3.89	3.79	.91
4.50-21	3.95	3.83	.91
4.75-19	4.63	4.50	.94
4.75-20	4.70	4.57	.91
5.00-19	4.85	4.72	1.00
5.00-20	4.95	4.80	1.14
5.00-21	5.15	4.98	1.16
5.25-18	5.55	5.39	1.02

Cash Prices—Other Sizes in Proportion

S., T. and H. Oil Co.

Cass City. Phone 19

SPECIALS
for Saturday, Sept. 10

Parowax, lb. package	9c
Jar Rings, double lip	2 for 9c
2 pound Jar Peanut Butter	19c
Catsup spices, 2 ounces, Tumeric, 4 ounces, Pickling spices, 3 ounces, Saccharine, per package	10c Each
Quart Jar Apple Butter	15c
Big 4 Soap Chips, per package	17c
Toilet Soap (assorted)	6 for 23c
CAMPFIRE MARSHMALLOWS POUND BOX (School Tablet FREE)	18c

Alex Henry
PHONE 82.

Drain Commissioner's Answer To Article That Appeared in Sandusky Republican-Tribune Sept. 1

To the Voters of Sanilac County:

I feel that it is my duty to answer the article which appeared in the Sandusky Republican-Tribune September 1st. "Taxpayer asks report on County Drain Office."

I am very grateful to Mr. Reinelt for his inquiry and the paper for printing the matter, as it gives me an opportunity to answer the public who have been listening to rumblings made by my opponents over the County—that there was something radically wrong about the Drain office and that I was misappropriating county funds.

The article stated that I drew $14,295.19 in two years. We must deduct from voucher No. 3978, $135.93 which was back expenses for Dec., 1928, Jan. and Feb. of 1929, also deduct voucher No. 8025 for repairs on bridge in Minden township. This will make orders drawn to the amount of $14,100.66, which I believe to be correct.

I was not at all surprised when the article appeared as I was told almost every day for months that there would be an article published to defeat me in the coming primaries. You can see that I was waiting for such to appear when I read L. E. Warner's article in the Port Huron Times-Herald and a similar article in the Sandusky Republican-Tribune, which quoted an expenditure in my office of more than $14,000 for a period of two years. At about this time I received a letter which contained a list of the Drain orders in typewritten form which was being circulated in the County and being carried by one of my opponents which he was treating as confidential matter. The list of vouchers was practically the same as appeared in last week's issue of the paper.

Why did the article state from March 1929 to March 1930? Why not the fiscal year from October 1929 to October 1930? Had the fiscal year been taken it would not have been $14,100.66, because a part of the report would have been in 1931. Let us insert the word "surveying" and pass on. We will now analyze the $14,100.66.

Salary, $1,800 per year, for two years	$ 3,600.00
Clerk hire, $1,200 per year, for two years	2,400.00
Expense, mileage at 6c per mile, meals and traveling expense, for two years	2,572.88
Surveying	5,527.78
Total	$14,100.66

I have fully accounted for the above $14,100.66, which was shown by vouchers and numbers in last week's issue of the paper.

I sincerely believe that it was not my salary, my expenses, or clerk hire on which the article hoped to defeat me. It was the money appropriated to me for surveying. The question will here arise as to what right I had to do the surveying and to draw orders to myself when employed as the County Drain Commissioner. See the official proceedings of the Board of Supervisors for 1929, on page 11. You will there find that I was so authorized to make surveys and draw orders to myself. When the Board of Supervisors met in the fall of 1930, certain papers were put in circulation among the Board drawing the attention to the fact that Gov. Brucker had so instructed me that I could not do both the surveying and Couny Drain work and draw a salary for both. The papers further showed that I had drawn various orders to myself in direct contradiction to the Governor's opinion. You will find on page 33 of the official proceedings of the Board of Supervisors of 1930 that they appointed a committee to investigate, as it was believed that I had been receiving a salary as Drain Commissioner and at the same time devoting my time to surveying. The investigation of the committee showed the same not to be true. I secured the services of a competent registered Civil Engineer who was doing the work. "The committee further stated that I had very materially reduced the cost of surveying of our county Drains and they further authorized that I continue keeping with the services rendered in the past year, and that the Drain Commissioner shall receive his annual salary of $1,800 and in addition those expenses provided by the statute." Signed: W. H. Davis, J. M. Sommerville, Geo. Park.

As a matter of fact, I surveyed for three days on Elk Creek Drain. I also spent one day checking up bridges and other small items. For services rendered, I re-embursed to Sanilac county by check, October 9, 1930, $45 which official receipt I have signed by Geo. C. Gardner.

Also on page 35 of the same official record you will find that when I learned that I was re-hired, I personally appeared before the Board and asked that they recind their motion hiring me to do the engineering, inasmuch as I knew that there was some criticism. Again acknowledging the saving I had made the county, the Board did as I asked and recinded their motion. These facts are well known to your supervisor, and if he was on the Board in 1930, ask him and he will enlighten you on matters pertaining thereto.

I shall, however, endeavor in as brief a way as possible to show the savings which I made the county. I authorized the survey of 45.094 miles for which I charged Sanilac county $63.03 per mile. Elk Creek, 21.89 miles, was surveyed at $125.00 per mile. Previous to the time that I was given power to survey, 47.23 miles were surveyed for $97.12 per mile. Black River, 13.2 miles, was surveyed at a cost of $161.36 per mile. You will note that I saved $34.09 per mile on 45.094 miles which is a total sum of $1,537.12. Now you will also note that I saved $36.36 per mile on 21.89 miles, which is a total sum of $795.92, making a total saving to the county on drain surveys of $2,332.13.

I was also appointed by the Judge of Probate, Huron county, to spread the tax on Sebewaing River in Huron county. At the same time, I carried on my work in Sanilac county. For the work in Huron county, I received $138.00 which I turned over to Joseph Dawe, July 14, 1930, for which I received the official receipt, 4997, which when added to my drain surveying with my $45.00 which I returned from services rendered on Elk Creek would make a total saving to the county of $2,515.13.

Salary for 1930	$1,800.00
Expenses for 1930	$1,269.79
Total wages and expenses	$3,069.79
Saving to Sanilac county	$2,515.13
	$ 554.66

My services and expenses cost Sanilac county for the year of 1930 but $554.66.

I also surveyed, for Sanilac county, the following drains for which I made no charges except for the stakes: The Mellon Drain, Flannigan Extension Drain, Road Drains, No. 1, 2, 3 and Loading Drain. I also surveyed a number of drains in the county where the people in the locality were hiring the drain constructed themselves.

I have endeavored to enlighten you on the criticism of the cost of running my office. If it is economy and efficiency you want vote for Bert R. Walker at the primaries, September 13th, for County Drain Commissioner.

BERT R. WALKER.

—Advertisement.

Dept. of State News Bulletin

Michigan business showed only a very slight reduction during the past year, Department of State records show. An analysis of statistics of the corporation division of the department disclosed that the reduction was far less than was expected.

On Aug. 24, 1931, a total of 4,422 corporations had paid their annual privilege taxes amounting to $1,150,310. This averages about $260 per company. On the same date this year, 3,833 corporations had paid $898,101 in privilege taxes or $234 per company.

While annual corporation reports should have been filed with the department before Sept. 1, the law allows a 10-day period in which the reports can be filed without penalty. All corporations which fail to file by Sept. 10, automatically lose the right to transact business legally until the irregularities have been corrected.

CASS CITY MARKETS.

September 8,1932

Buying price—

Wheat No. 2 mixed	.46
Oats, bushel	.15
Rye, bushel	.30
Peas, bushel	1.20
Beans, cwt.	1.50
Light red kidney beans, cwt.	1.40
Dark red kidney beans, cwt.	1.60
Barley, cwt.	.50
Buckwheat, cwt.	.70
Butterfat, pound	.19
Butter, pound	.18
Eggs, dozen	.16
Hogs, live weight	.4
Cattle	3 4
Calves	5
Hens	9 12
Springers	9 12
White ducks, 5 lbs. and up, lb.	7

RE-ELECT

JESSE P. WOLCOTT

REPUBLICAN CANDIDATE FOR

Representative in Congress

SEVENTH DISTRICT OF MICHIGAN

Mr. Wolcott was elected to Congress two years ago. At that time he promised to devote his entire time to the interests of the people of the Seventh District. He has kept that promise and many of the things now advocated by his opponents have already been accomplished by Mr. Wolcott.

Although he has not yet finished his first term in Congress, he has already exhibited a profound knowledge of National and District affairs.

He has worked hard and courageausly in the face of great odds to advance the agricultural, industrial and labor interests of the Seventh District, and has been particularly active in assisting the Sugar Beet Industry by the introduction of legislation which will save our sugar beet market from destruction.

Quick to sense the attitude of the people with respect to issues, so essential to representative government, his record in Congress is a credit to the District.

He believes it is his duty to advance the interests of the Seventh District in preference to those of any other part of the country, and solicits your support so that he may carry on the work he has begun.

MR. WOLCOTT DESERVES A SECOND TERM

The Black Box of Silence

By Francis Lynde

Illustrations by O. Irwin Myers

(WNU Service)
(Copyright by William Gerard Chapman.)

CHAPTER IV

Broken Threads.

DURING the four days which intervened between the disappearance of Landis' black box and the college commencement, Markham burrowed patiently—and alone. If the footprints under Landis' laboratory window had been made by Betty Lawson, her companion, and accomplice, must have been Herbert Canby. Hence, during the four-day interval, Markham spent most of his time keeping the promoter of real estate schemes under quiet surveillance.

Nothing definitely helpful came of this. So far as outward appearance went, Canby ate, drank and slept the Greater-Carthage scheme to the exclusion of most other interests; also, he was gradually overcoming the obstacle of small-city conservatism—to the substantial increase of his deposits in the Carthage Savings Bank & Trust, of which Markham senior was the president.

Wally dropped in upon his father at the bank for a word of counsel. The young man had inherited a comfortable competence from his grandfather, the bulk of which was invested in a local tool and implement factory, the future expansion of which was threatened by one of the ramifications of Canby's schemes.

"About that tract adjoining the shops," Wally began. "I was told that Canby is trying to get an option on it. Do you know anything about it?"

"Nothing definite. Gaultney—he's taken over the handling of the estate—was here yesterday, and he said nothing about it. I'm reasonably sure he would give us a chance if anybody else were trying to tie the tract up."

"I hope he would. But Canby is pretty cagey in his deals, and he knows how much we're going to need that piece of ground some day."

"You needn't worry a bit about Canby, Wally. He's nothing but a noisy false alarm—as a good many people in this town are going to find out before they are through with him. As yet, nobody can put a finger upon anything he has done that you could call crooked, or even shady. Just the same, I shan't be surprised any day if the bookkeeper comes in to tell me that Canby's account has been checked out, lock, stock and barrel. When that happens, if it happens, I'm thinking we shall have seen the last of the young man who says he's from New York."

Markham sought Landis in his backyard workshop, and found the robbed inventor a prey to the most gloomy forebodings touching the use to which his stolen invention might be put.

"I'm a total loss, Wally," was the way he described his condition; "can't work—can't even think straight. And now Betty tells me she's leaving Carthage for the entire summer."

Markham laughed. "Which is another way of saying that the worst is yet to come, eh?" Then, "When did you see Betty?"

"Yesterday. She came to the house to tell the folks goodby. They are leaving for the West tomorrow, she and her father."

"Did she come out here to your shop?"

"Oh, she couldn't well do less than to include me in the goodbys."

"Well, what did you talk about?"

"Shucks! I wasn't fit to talk about anything. She saw it and tried to jolly me up. Wanted to know if I couldn't take the summer off and go out to the wilderness with her and her father. Of course, she didn't mean it."

"Of course not," Markham agreed brutally. "As you say, she was merely trying to jolly you up a bit. But what about the black box? Any new developments?"

"Nothing; less than nothing. I've been buying newspapers from all around and reading them for the crime news. Plenty of crime, of course, but nothing to hint at any mystery. But it will come, you mark my words!"

"Good stunt, that—watching the papers. Keep it up."

"I shall. I suppose you haven't learned anything?"

"Nothing that you could give a name to," Markham evaded. Obviously, he couldn't tell Landis the length to which he had gone in checking up the scorched shoe, Neither could he make any mention of his suspicions of Canby, since Landis knew that Canby was Betty's escort on the night of the play. It was a mess, any way one chose to look at it.

Later that afternoon Markham learned from the room clerk of the Collier house, where Canby had his rooms, that the promoter had left town, to be away overnight. Whereupon he took another lawless step in the path which, up to the present, had led nowhere. Ormsbury, manager of the hotel, was a time-tried friend, and to him Markham appealed.

"You know me pretty well, John, and I'm going to ask you to break all hotel traditions for me," was the way he began on Ormsbury. "I want to borrow the master key to the rooms on the third floor for a few minutes. Do I get it?"

"You've got your nerve, Wally," Ormsbury chuckled. "What's your lay this time? Are you posing as a room thief? Or are you playing around as an amateur detective? Whose room do you want to break into?"

"Can't we let the room number hang up in the air for the time being? I don't want to point a suspicion unless there is something to point it at."

"Then you are sleuthing? Why not turn it over to the police, and so stay on the windward side of the law? I suppose you know what will happen if you should be caught out between bases?"

"Of course. But I'm not going to be caught out. The rooms I want to break into are unoccupied just now, and you may be sure I'll leave them exactly as I find them."

"You've given yourself away," said the manager, with a laugh. "There is nobody away on the third floor excepting Mr. Canby. What have you got on him, Wally?"

"Nothing at all. I merely want to see how he lives when he's at home."

"All right," Ormsbury agreed, producing the coveted passkey. "It's smashing the traditions, as you say, but I'm banking on your discretion. Don't you want an authorized witness along?"

"No; you'd better not come. What you don't know you can swear you don't know. If anything develops, I'll promise you'll be the first to know it. Won't that answer?"

"I guess so—for this one time. But, for the Lord's sake, be careful!"

With the pick-lock key in his possession Markham made sure there was no one looking on in the corridor when he opened the door of Canby's sitting room and let himself in. The sitting room, bath, and the adjoining bedroom were all in order, and it took him but a few minutes to make a rapid but thorough search in every nook and corner large enough to conceal Landis' black box. He didn't find the box; he had scarcely hoped to.

It was when he was shutting the doors of the clothes closet wardrobe in the bedroom that he made a discovery. One of the several suits of clothes had fallen from its hook, and when he reached down to prevent it from interfering with the closing of the door, he found that the bottom board of the piece of furniture was loose.

Laying the fallen suit aside, he lifted it. Underneath there was an enclosed space of a few inches in depth. At the farther end his groping hand came in contact with a leather bag lying flat. When he tried to lift it, it was so heavy that he had to take both hands.

Taken from its hiding place and opened upon the floor, the case contained nothing to throw light upon Landis' loss; still, its contents were surprising. First, wrapped in a chamois skin, there were two large caliber automatics, new, well oiled and with the magazines filled with cartridges. Next came a larger piece of leather, which served as a wrapping for a set of tools, drills, files, steel saws, cut-nippers, pliers, a bunch of objects that he took to be skeleton keys, and, lastly, a short steel bar drawn to a chisel-end at either extremity and beautifully tempered; each piece looking to be as new and unused as the automatics.

Having, as he believed, plenty of time at his disposal, Markham drew up a chair and sat down to consider his prize thoughtfully. Of course, there was no doubt as to its nature. It was a complete kit of burglar's tools, with the guns to back it up, a spare kit, as it appeared, since there was every indication that the tools had never been used or the guns fired. What was Canby, figuring as an energetic young promoter intent upon making Carthage grow, doing with a burglar's kit hidden in his wardrobe?

During the four days in which he had been quietly pursuing his investigations Markham had found the circumstantial evidence, based on clews revealed the morning following the robbery, gradually losing its hold. Apart from the fact that Betty Lawson had demonstrated, or had seemed to demonstrate, her innocence of any part in the robbery, Markham was reluctantly compelled to admit that, up to the present moment, he had discovered nothing upon which to hang an assumption of Canby's guilt. Moreover, if Betty were innocent, her acquittal necessarily cleared the young promoter, since the two were together from the close of the theater performance up to and including the return to the Lawson house. Yet here was this burglar's kit, cunningly hidden in Canby's bedroom, to muddy the pool of his thoughts.

Deep in a maze of dubiety, Markham restrapped the bag and returned it to its hiding place. Clearly, the first thing to do was to tell Ormsbury of his discovery. Possibly the hotel manager might be able to indicate the next step to be taken. In replacing the bag he tried to leave everything just as he found it, rearranging the fallen suit of clothes so that it might appear as if it had not been disturbed, and turning the key in the lock of the wardrobe door.

Five minutes later he was handing the passkey to Ormsbury and congratulating himself upon an exceedingly narrow escape. For, as he emerged from the elevator he had seen Canby getting his own proper key from the clerk.

"If I had delayed a few minutes longer," Markham said to Ormsbury, "he would have caught me red-handed!"

Ormsbury grinned. "It would have served you right. I don't quite see how you could have ducked out of it."

"Neither do I. At the same time, I found something that needs an explanation quite as much as my presence in Canby's rooms would have, if he had found me there."

"What was the something?"

"A pair of man-size automatics wrapped up in a complete outfit of burglar's tools, hidden under the bottom board in Canby's wardrobe."

"The devil you say! Bert Canby a burglar?" Ornsbury ejaculated. "That's ridiculous, Wally. I grant

"The Devil You Say! Bert Canby a Burglar?"

you anything you care to charge him with in the blue-sky field; he is burglarizing the community pocketbook to the queen's taste in the promotion schemes. But he doesn't need a cracksman's kit to do that. What did you do with it?"

"I put it back where I had found it. It is up to you to rediscover it, if you want to. I don't know how it got there, or what use, if any, he means to make of it; but it's there."

"But see here, Wally; perhaps—"

What the manager was about to say was left unsaid, for at that moment the office door opened to admit the promoter himself; and the leather case he laid upon Ormsbury's desk was the one Markham had so lately restored to its hiding place.

"Hello, Markham!" Canby exclaimed cheerfully. "Glad to find you here. Two witnesses are better than one, any day in the week." Then to Ormsbury, "A few minutes ago, as I was putting my grip away upstairs, I found that thing hidden in the bottom of my wardrobe. It isn't any of mine, so I'm turning it in."

"What is it?" Ormsbury asked.

"Search me; I haven't opened it. Wouldn't, you know, without witnesses. It may be an infernal machine, for all I know."

"Suppose you open it, John, and let us see what it is?" Markham suggested.

Ormsbury unbuckled the straps and spread the contents of the bag on his desk. Canby's astonishment was either real or faultlessly simulated.

"Well—I'll be d—d!" he burst out. "Wouldn't that set your back teeth on edge? Who do you suppose planted that outfit on me?"

"Where did you say it was?" queried Ormsbury, sparring for time.

"Under the bottom of my wardrobe. The bottom board is loose, and when I opened the door to put my grip away, I saw that one leg of the trousers had got caught under the loose board, and when I picked the clothes up, the board came with 'em. And there in one corner, was this thing. What is it—a plant, or joke?"

Markham was watching Canby narrowly as he talked, but his open-eyed frankness was as convincing as it was disarming.

"If it was a joke, somebody must have a badly distorted sense of humor," Markham put in. "It strikes me that the point of a joke like that would be rather hard to discover."

"Oh, I don't know," Canby returned with an easy laugh. "There are still a few standpatters in Carthage who are calling me all the hard names they can dig out of the dictionary. I don't doubt some of them would be ready to shout, 'I told you so!' if I should be caught with a burglar's kit in my possession. It's up to you, now, Ormsbury. What will you do with the stuff?"

"I suppose I ought to turn it over to the police," he said half doubtfully.

"That would be the part of a good law-abiding citizen," Canby agreed. "On the other hand, though, it would earn a good bit of unpleasant publicity for the hotel, wouldn't it?"

"It would," Ormsbury admitted with a wry smile. "I guess I'll lock the bag up in the hotel vault for the time being, and wait to see what, if anything, develops."

"That is sensible. Meanwhile, I'll keep an eye out for the joker—if it is a joke."

"Well, what do you make of it, John?" Markham asked, after Canby had gone.

"Just what you did, I imagine. The fact that he brought the stuff here to me clears him. But that isn't all. You remember the series of burglaries we had last winter, don't you. At the time they were going on, we had a man and a woman who registered as his wife in Suite Three-Sixteen—Canby's room. About the time when the town got desperate and called in a well-known detective agency to work with the local police, the couple vanished—disappeared between two days."

"And you think the man was the burglar?"

"I've always had a sneaking idea that he might have been—and had nothing to tie it to. The hidden tool kit knocks out the doubt, doesn't it?"

Still holding a mental reservation or two on his own part, Markham said, "Well, I suppose that clears up the mystery," and got up to go.

"Not quite," Ormsbury smiled. "It doesn't tell me why you wanted to break into Canby's room in his absence."

"I had a notion which now seems so foolish that I'd like to keep it to myself," Markham pleaded; and he had climbed into his car and was driving home before he recalled an incident, the significance of which he had entirely missed at the moment, namely Canby's mention of the fact that a trousers' leg of the fallen suit of clothes had been caught under the loose board, and had so been the means of disclosing the hiding place of the burglar's kit. "By George!" thought Markham. "I wonder if that was his way of telling us, or me, that he knew somebody had been prying around in his diggings. I wonder!"

But the wonder became unimportant when, as he was passing the Landis house, he saw Owen waving a newspaper as a signal for him to stop.

"It's come at last, just as I said it would!" Owen said, passing the newspaper to Markham. "Read that!"

Markham read the news item to which Landis was pointing.

"At an early hour this morning the inhabitants of the quiet village of Perthdale were electrified by the discovery that their one and only bank, the Perthdale Security, had been wrecked, actually torn to pieces as to its interior, by an explosion which should have rocked the town to its foundations. A charge of explosives heavy enough entirely to demolish the bank vault, to make junk of the fittings and furnishings and to shatter every window in the building had been fired some time during the night, the perpetrators of the robbery getting away with cash and negotiable securities amounting to over $50,000.

"The singular thing about this bold robbery is the fact that the crash of the terrific explosion was not heard, even by persons sleeping directly across the street from the bank, nor by either of the town's two night watchmen. The theory is that some new explosive, noiseless in its operation, was used by the robbers, and every effort is being made to ascertain if such an explosive is known to science."

"Here's where we get action!" Markham snapped. "Jam a few things into a grip and tell your family they needn't look for you back until they see you. I'll do the same and come around for you in a jiffy. If we spin the wheels we can be in Perthdale before dark. The 'noiseless explosion' settles it, doesn't it?"

"No question about that. These yeggs had my box and used it."

"Right! Hustle your make-ready or I'll beat you to it. Time is the essence of the thing. We want to hit the trail while it's warm. I'm gone!"

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To be continued.

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Mr. and Mrs. John Grey spent Saturday in Pontiac. They also attended the home coming at Deford on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Rondo and three sons of Caro were Sunday visitors at the Wm. Rondo home.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Ware had as guests on Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hartman and Wm. Miller of Muskegon, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Miller of Bay Port, Ernest Deming and Miss Carrie Keating of Detroit, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Johnson of Oxford, Mrs. Edna Young and daughter, and Mrs. Wm. Beardsley of Lapeer, and Henry Deming.

Clair Haynes of Caro and Miss Marie O'Dell spent Sunday in Saginaw at the Hubert Root home.

Miss Margurite Chaffee of Ferndale spent last week with her cousins, the Misses Wilma and Janetta Jackson.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Moore of Caro spent Sunday at the Stephen Moore home.

John Jackson of Caro is spending this week at the Wm. Jackson home.

A little daughter was born Tuesday, Aug. 30, to Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Beardsley.

School opened at Hillside on Aug. 29, with Miss Iva Thane as teacher, and at Cedar Run on Sept. 6 with Miss Marian Leishman as teacher.

GENERAL PRIMARY ELECTION

Notice is hereby given that a General Primary Election will be held in the Township of Novesta, County of Tuscola, State of Michigan, at the township hall, within said township, on

Tuesday, Sept. 13, A. D., 1932

for the purpose of placing in nomination by all political parties participating therein, candidates for the following offices, viz.:

STATE—One candidate for Governor; one candidate for Lieutenant Governor.

CONGRESSIONAL—One candidate for Representative in Congress for the Congressional district of which said township forms a part.

LEGISLATIVE—One candidate for Senator in the State Legislature for the Senatorial District of which said Township forms a part. One candidate for Representative in the State Legislature for the Legislative district of which said Township forms a part.

COUNTY—Also candidates for the following county offices, viz.: Judge of Probate, County Clerk, County Treasurer, Register of Deeds, Circuit Court Commissioners, Drain Commissioner, Coroners, Surveyor.

Delegates to County Conventions.

There shall also be elected as many Delegates to the County Convention of the several political parties as said ward, precinct or district is entitled to under the call of the county committees of said political parties, which number will be indicated by the number of blank lines printed on the official primary ballots used at said election, under the heading "Delegates to County Conventions."

The Board of Primary Election Inspectors shall certify to the County Clerk the names of the electors so elected as delegates, naming the political party upon whose ballots such electors were elected. The County Clerk shall notify by mail each person elected as such delegate.

The name of the candidate for delegate to the county convention shall not be printed upon the official primary election ballot, but one or more such names may be placed on such ballot by printed or written slips pasted thereon by the voter, or the names may be written in by the voter.

Suggestions Relative to Voting

SEPARATE BALLOTS for each political party will be provided. The elector must name the political party of his choice when asking for a ballot and in marking his ballot must make a cross in the square to the left of the name of each candidate for whom he desires to vote, and can vote for only one candidate except where two or more candidates are to be nominated in which case he should vote for two or the number to be nominated.

Relative to Opening and Closing of the Polls

Election Revisions of 1931—
No. 410—Chapter VIII

Section 1. On the day of any election the polls shall be opened at seven o'clock in the forenoon, and shall be continued open until six o'clock in the afternoon and no longer: PROVIDED, That in townships the board of inspectors of election may, in its discretion, adjourn the polls at twelve o'clock noon, for one hour, and that the township board in townships and the legislative body in cities and villages may, by resolution, provide that the polls shall be opened at six o'clock in the forenoon and may also provide that the polls shall be kept open not later than eight o'clock in the evening of the same day. Every qualified elector present and in line at the polls at the hour prescribed for the closing thereof shall be allowed to vote.

THE POLLS of said election will be open at 7 o'clock a. m. and will remain open until 6 o'clock p. m. Eastern Standard Time, of said day of election, unless the Board of Election Inspectors shall, in their discretion, adjourn the Polls at 12 o'clock, noon, for one hour.

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About Ourselves

We have to let things go sometimes to keep them.

JOSEPH DAWE

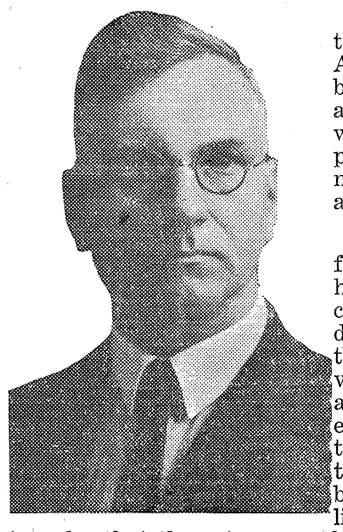
CANDIDATE FOR

County Clerk

AT THE PRIMARIES, SEPT. 13.

To the Voters of Sanilac County:

As a candidate for County Clerk at the primaries on Sept. 13, I have been forced into the rather unfortunate position of being unable to make a personal campaign, due to a physical handicap which is an outgrowth of an old affliction with which I have had to contend since a small boy. My trouble has been an affection of the lower leg which has forced me to remain at home for several weeks and placed me on the "sick list," while at the same time I have been able to partake of the usual three meals a day.



Last week I made a trip to University Hospital, Ann Arbor, where my trouble was carefully diagnosed and an operation performed which has afforded me prompt relief, and I am now able to be in regular attendance at the office.

During my absence from the office, the work has been efficiently taken care of by Mrs. Kelly, my deputy, and I am sure that the only person to be inconvenienced by my enforced absence has been myself, especially after nearly forty years of close association with the public in business and professional lines. I state these facts in order that the voters may know why I have not made an active campaign for nomination.

I ask for your support on Tuesday purely upon my record as a public official. During my four years I have endeavored to give the public prompt and efficient service, and this fact will be vouched for by those having frequent personal contact with the office. In fact, we refer with a great deal of satisfaction to the commendation of the State Auditors in their various reports on our work and invite comparison with former reports.

The County Clerk's office is one in which the highest degree of efficiency can not be attained in a year or two. It requires education and training in order to become of the greatest service to the people of the county and the public at large; I have acquired this experience and training and believe that I am in a position to give you the benefit of it.

If, in your opinion, you feel that I have measured up to the requirements, I will be pleased to have your vote and support on Tuesday. Thanking you for the same and assuring you that I need the job, I am

Yours very truly,
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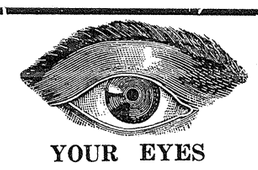

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The Inquiring Reporter

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Chili Con Carne—One pound of chopped meat, 4 potatoes, 4 onions, 4 carrots, 1 can tomatoes, 1 can kidney beans, 1 tablespoon celery seed. Sear meat in fat, then cover with water and let simmer. Grind or dice vegetables. Put in with meat and cook for one hour. Season to taste with salt and red pepper. Thicken with one tablespoon of flour.—Mrs. Geo. Munro, Gagetown.

Corn Fritters—One can Golden Bantam corn, 1½ cups sweet milk, 2 teaspoons baking powder, flour to make batter, last fold in one well beaten egg. Drop in tablespoonfuls on hot, well greased griddle, brown, turn and serve hot. —Mrs. A. H. Henderson, Deford.

Escalloped Tomatoes—One cup fine bread crumbs, 1 cup corn, 2 cups tomatoes, ¼ teaspoon salt, ¼ teaspoon paprika, 4 tablespoons melted butter, 2 tablespoons chopped onions. Mix ingredients. Bake in buttered casserole 20 minutes in moderate oven.—Mrs. J. F. Fournier, Gagetown.

Strawberry Short Cake—Two cups Swansdown flour, 3 rounding teaspoons baking powder, 1 level teaspoon salt, 3-4 cup sweet milk, 3 rounding tablespoons lard. Measure two cups of sifted Swansdown cake flour, add salt and baking powder; sift three times. Mix shortening with fork or dough blender. When mixture resembles coarse corn meal, add gradually milk; mix lightly, bake in oven (425 degrees F.) 15 minutes—Gagetown.

Green Apple Pie—One quart of sliced apples, 1½ cups sugar, 1½ tablespoons flour, ½ teaspoon cinnamon, dash of nutmeg, 1 tablespoon butter. Line a pie plate with pastry flour. Mix together sugar, cinnamon and nutmeg. Sprinkle some on bottom crust. Add apples which are of the early tart variety, sliced thin. Sprinkle on remaining sugar, flour and spice mixture. Dot top with butter. Cover with crust, press down the edges and trim. Cut gashes on top to permit steam to escape. Bake 10 minutes in hot oven; reduce heat and bake 25 or 30 minutes longer.—Mrs. C. P. Hunter, Gagetown.

Potato Soup—Five cups water, add 1 large onion, diced, 1 heaping tablespoon of butter salt, and pepper to taste. Let come to boil, then add 6 large potatoes, diced. When nearly cooked, take 3 or 4 tablespoons of flour, beat up 1 egg in the flour so as to form little noodles and stir into kettle. Let come to a boil and serve.—Mrs. Frank Hegler, Deford.

Macaroni Salad—My husband's favorite dish is macaroni salad. Cook 1 lb. macaroni in salted water until tender. Drain and add celery and onions to taste. Green peas may be added also if desired. Mix well with salad dressing.—Mrs. Robt. Horner, Deford.

Lemon Cake Pie—One cup sugar, 1 tablespoon of butter, creamed 2 egg yolks, 3 level tablespoons flour, 1 cup of sweet milk, 1 lemon, juice and grated rind. Beat the whites of the eggs stiff, and put into the liquid, and fold in, being careful not to beat. Put in hot oven and bake until top is solid. —Mrs. J. D. Funk, Deford.

SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

by Charles E. Dunn

Israel Journeying Toward Canaan
Lesson for September 11-Numbers 10:11-36
Golden Text: Numbers 10:29

The children of Israel occupied about forty years in their wanderings toward the land of promise. It is surprising how eventful was their wilderness sojourn, although it was of supreme importance in laying the foundations of their religion and culture, and so preparing them for the momentous changes of their later history.

For the most part their life was fairly settled, with headquarters at Kadesh, a holy shrine on the southern border of the promised land, with an exceptional spring of water. Our lesson describes the departure of the Israelites from Mt. Sinai, where they had camped nearly a year, giving, in detail, the order of the twelve tribes on the route of march.

Then comes the charming episode of Moses' appeal to his father-in-law, Hobab, elsewhere called Jethro, to act as guide. A member of the nomadic clan of Kenites or Midianites, he was thoroughly acquainted with the country through which the chosen people desired to pass. It is evident that he finally yielded to his son-in-law's urgent entreaty, despite his initial blunt refusal. That his services were not forgotten is indicated by Saul's counsel, many years later, to the Kenites to separate themselves from the enemy he was about to attack, because they, doubtless through Hobab, had been kind to his own folk. (See I Samuel 15:6.)

The Golden Text, "Come thou with us, and we will do thee good," the greeting of Moses to Hobab, is one of the Bible's gracious invitations.

Hobab was a foreigner, but he is promised complete equality of treatment. "Come and be a pair of eyes for us," pleads Moses, to quote Moffatt's graphic translation, "and as the Eternal prospers us, so will we prosper you."

The Church of God might well make use of the Hobabs outside its fold capable of guiding its thinking into new areas of experiment. Let every household of faith welcome such with open arms in the generous affection of the Golden Text.

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First of all he had the voice and manner of the leader—the personal magnetism which begets loyalty and commands respect. The beginnings of it were present in him even as a boy. John felt them.

On the day when John looked up from the river where he was baptizing converts and saw Jesus standing on the bank, he drew back in protest. "I have need to be baptized of thee," he exclaimed, "and comest thou to me?"

The lesser man recognized the greater instinctively. We speak of personal magnetism as though there were something mysterious about it—a magic quality bestowed on one in a thousand and denied to all the rest. This is not true. The essential element in personal magnetism is a consuming sincerity—an overwhelming faith in the importance of the work one has to do.

Most of us go through the world mentally divided against ourselves. We wonder whether we are in the right jobs, whether we are making the right investments, whether, after all, anything is as important as it seems to be. Our enemies are those of our own being and creation. Instinctively we wait for a commanding voice for one who shall say authoritatively, "I have the truth. This way lies happiness and salvation." There was in Jesus supremely that quality of conviction.

Even very successful people were moved by it. Jesus had been in Jerusalem only a day or two when there came a knock at his door at night. He opened it to find Nicodemus, one of the principal men of the city; a member of the Sanhedrin, a supreme court judge. One feels the dramatic quality of the meeting—the young, almost unknown, teacher and the great man, half curious, half convinced.

It would have been easy to make a mistake. Jesus might very naturally have expressed his sense of honor at the visit; have said: "I appreciate your coming, sir. I should like to have you advise me as to how I may best proceed." But there was no such note in the interview—no effort to make it easy for this notable visitor to become a convert. One catches his breath involuntarily at the audacity of the speech:

"Verily, verily, I say to you, Nicodemus, except you are born again you can not see the kingdom of Heaven." And a few moments later, "If I have not told you earthly things and you have not believed, how shall you believe if I tell you heavenly things?"

The famous visitor did not enroll as a disciple, was not invited to enroll; but he never forgot the impression made by the young man's amazing self-assurance. In a few weeks the crowds along the shores of the Sea of Galilee were to feel the same power.

This is to be a wind-blow season for all and winter millinery. No matter whether it is a felt or a velvet if the new hat has the wind-blown effect it is a good silhouette, especially at this time. Also and of much importance, veined seaming, as illustrated in the top sketch, is quite the thing in crowns.

Hats with the beret suggestion are meeting with much favor, but

not the plain beret of other seasons. Instead they are carefully worked out in felt and velvets with bows and feathers and it was this fashion twist which brings the wind-blown effects—and noted in all new models.

In velvets, black and browns, the turbans are enjoying an early season popularity, especially for afternoon wear. Velvets and dull finish fabric hats will also enjoy great favor later in the season.

It is predicted the elegance of women's costumes this fall and winter will call for close harmony in line and feeling twixt hat and gown. Therefore, the selection of milady's hat this season is of utmost importance.

DIAGONALS ARE IN FAVOR FOR SUMMER

Anything that is diagonal in weave, diagonal in pattern or diagonal in cut has the approval of Paris these days. Criss-cross stripes are a success.

They are used for every type of costume; sweaters are hand-knitted in striped patterns, blouses are made of diagonal striped silks, woolen dresses are cut of serges that show plainly their diagonal weave, tweed coats in plain colors are cut on diagonal lines.

Many of the new dresses and coats are made of vertically or horizontally striped fabrics, but are on the bias, so that the result is a diagonal stripe. The whole effect is one of slashing lines, but lines which make the figure look more slender than the old-fashioned stripe which "cut off" one's figure and had a tendency to make it look dumpy.

"Rasputin" a Nickname

Rasputin's real name was Gregor Novikh. Rasputin was a nickname given this notorious Russian monk as a term of opprobrium, as it means dissolute, profligate, licentious.

Advertise it in the Chronicle.

ELLINGTON-ELMWOOD.

Delayed Letter.

Frank Bardwell and daughters, Jean and Dorothea, spent Friday in Detroit. Frederick, who has been vising there the past two weeks, returned home. Mr. Bardwell's mother, Mrs. Fred Bardwell, came for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Shad Dean, son, Frank Dean, and little grandson of Bad Axe spent Sunday afternoon at the Sam Dean home.

Harold Perry has returned to Lennon where he will teach the coming year.

Miss Carmen Peck of Detroit, who is spending her vacation at the Dorr W. Perry home, spent Sunday at Caro at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Deming.

Rev. and Mrs. E. R. Wilson have returned from the M. P. conference at Gull Lake, where they spent the last two weeks.

To the Voter:

It is only through the activities of my friends and the support of those who have confidence in me that I can hope for success. There is much evidence of such activity and support and I am confident of success.

I ask your support and will greatly appreciate anything you can do to bring my candidacy favorably to the attention of other voters and to get our friends out to vote at the primaries September 13.

Yours sincerely,
LOUIS C. CRAMTON.

Hear Cramton

At one of the following Open Air Meetings.

Saturday, Sept. 10

9:00 a. m., Reese.
9:30 a. m., Gilford.
10:00 a. m., Fairgrove.
10:30 a. m., Akron.
11:15 a. m., Gagetown.
2:00 p. m., Cass City.
3:00 p. m., Owendale.

Cramton Invaluable to District and State.

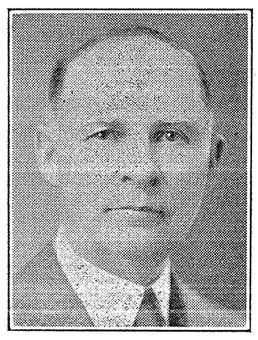
"A man like Cramton, with eight sessions of accumulating seniority and experience, important committee posts and the respect and acquaintance of practically everybody in congress and the departments, is invaluable. It is a far easier matter to find a man who will make a lip gesture of anti-prohibition, either sincerely or just to gain votes, than it is to find representatives who understand and ably promote constituent interests along a hundred lines, know the 'ropes' at Washington and have proved that they have the capacity for the whole job. Anybody can say 'I'm wet.' Only a few make good Congressmen, and when a district has found such a man it should cling to him."—Editorial in the Grand Rapids Press.

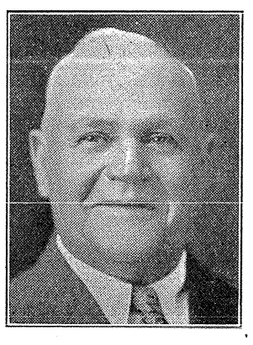
GEORGE W. SHADLEY

Candidate for
Register of Deeds
of Tuscola County
At the Republican Primaries to be held September 13, 1932.

Your support will be appreciated.

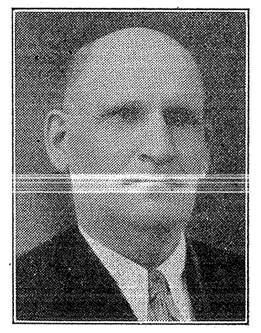
Last minute literature usually contain unfounded statements. Please do not be influenced by them.





VOTE FOR
D. Knox Hanna
CANDIDATE FOR
Representative
Who pledges his efforts for Economy and Lower Taxes.

Your support is solicited and will be greatly appreciated. Republican Primary Election, Sept. 13, 1932.



Guy N. Ormes

CANDIDATE FOR THE OFFICE OF
Judge of Probate
Tuscola County

LET ME BE
YOUR
CANDIDATE THIS TIME

For County Clerk

☒ **STEPHEN W. MORRISON**

on the Republican ticket at the primary on Sept. 13, 1932

A good loser in 1928, make me a winner now.

GUY G. HILL

Candidate for Nomination for the office of
Judge of Probate
on the Republican Ticket
At the Primaries September 13, 1932

Your Support will be Sincerely Appreciated

Stanley Osburn

Candidate for the Nomination of
Register of Deeds
TUSCOLA COUNTY

On the Republican Ticket at the Primary, Sept. 13, 1932

Your vote will be greatly appreciated.

Nominate
Henry Van Wagnen
for
REGISTER OF DEEDS

of Tuscola County at the primaries on Sept. 13, 1932.

Life long resident of the Township of Millington and supervisor for 15 years; perfectly able and physically fit. First time seeking county office. Believes in rigid economy in county affairs; believes in the reduction of all county expenses which will greatly help all taxpayers of the county.

Millington township has not had a candidate for any county office in 33 years, and during the years has been asked to support candidates from every section of the county. Now the people of Millington are asking a like support for their candidate from this township and will be greatly appreciated by them.—Advertisement.

This expense contributed by his friends.

Clare Atkinson

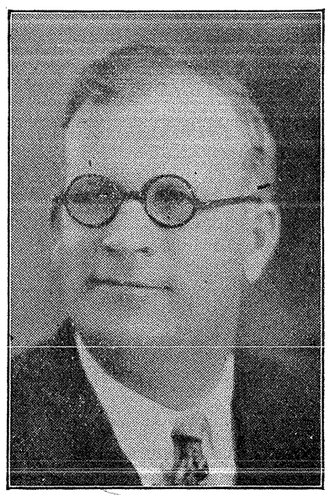
For
SANILAC COUNTY
Treasurer

Solicits your support and that of your family, on the Republican ticket, at the primary election, September 13, 1932.

VOTE FOR
J. Lawrence Clement
The Dry Candidate For
SHERIFF

of Sanilac County, on the Republican ticket. He is a man of sterling character and ability. It is his sincere desire to further the interests of the people.

He has lived in your community for thirty years and has always been connected with the better things of life. He has had almost five years experience in the Sheriff's office, and can do the job. Your vote and support will be appreciated.



GAGETOWN.

Death of Peter Bartholomy—

Peter Bartholomy, for 21 years field man for the Michigan Sugar Co.'s plant at Sebewaing, passed away at his home here on Wednesday morning, Sept. 7, after a short illness. Mr. Bartholomy suffered several days from poisoning which it is thought he contracted from a poisonous weed in the beet fields. He was 66 years of age.

Born in Chipstoke, Ont., on July 12, 1866, he came to Brookfield township when 19 years of age and has since resided there and at Bach and Gagetown. He was united in marriage with Mrs. Freeman, whose maiden name was Phoebe Peaslee on Nov. 29, 1905. Mr. Bartholomy was a member of St. Agatha's church here and of the Knights of Columbus at Gagetown.

Besides his widow and daughter, Miss Lucile, he leaves three stepdaughters, Mrs. Fred Fifield of Gagetown, and Mrs. Dan Kehoe and Mrs. Andrew Winter, both of Detroit; one step-son, Harold Freeman, of Detroit; two brothers, Louis and Mark Bartholomy of Bach; and two sisters, Mrs. John Brenmier of Colling and Mrs. Jos. Trudeau of Gagetown.

Wear Shabby Shoes to Party—

Another enjoyable event took place at the Hemerick cottage at Rose Island Friday evening. Invitations read, "Wear your shabby shoes and raggety frocks," and by all appearances the guests found plenty of old clothes. Envelope bridge was the entertainment which was a new game to all, leaving everyone in the dark as to their score. Besides the Rose Island guests, Mrs. John Munro and daughter, Elsie, of Albion, Mrs. Lee Stewart of Caro, Miss Beryl Koepfgen of Cass City, Miss Edith Miller, Mrs. M. P. Freeman and Mrs. C. P. Hunter attended. A hard time luncheon was served of toast, crackers, oatmeal and corn meal mush. Mrs. Hemerick is an ideal entertainer. She was ably assisted by Mrs. Jennie Slack.

Mrs. Rocheleau Entertains—

Mrs. Alphonso Rocheleau entertained 20 Gagetown ladies at Killkare cottage, Rose Island, last Thursday. This affair is looked forward to as Mrs. Rocheleau entertains this group each year and a happy time is had. The tables were loaded with all kinds of goodies for dinner and supper. L. C. Purdy had an unusually large catch of fish on that day which he kindly left at the Rocheleau cottage, and with the help of the ladies, fish were soon in frying pan and ready for supper. Bridge was played in the afternoon. Mrs. Josephine McDonald received first prize; Mrs. Theresa Wald, second; and Mrs. Geo. Purdy was awarded the house prize.

Mrs. Mike Ryan and daughters, Aurelia, Bernice and Benadine, and Miss Malloy of Detroit spent Labor Day at the Gagetown homecoming.

Mrs. Jane Fitz-Stephen and daughters, Nora Jean and Agnes, of Detroit and Miss Frances Hunter of Lapeer visited with Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Hunter and friends here on Labor Day.

C. A. Davenport of Flint visited here Monday and Tuesday.

Miss Margaret Wald of Saginaw visited her mother, Mrs. T. Wald, over the week-end.

Miss Leah McKinnon of Pontiac spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Edward Kehoe.

Mrs. Bridget Walsh and son, J. M. Walsh, and Miss Mary Mazenalle of Detroit visited in Gagetown Monday.

Miss Pauline Hunter of Detroit visited at her parental home over the week-end.

Mrs. Heenan and daughters of Pontiac and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Collins of Port Huron were guests of James Phelan and Mr. and Mrs. Jules Goslin.

Mrs. Sugnet, William, John and Patricia Sugnet of Detroit spent Monday at the home-coming here.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Sefton of Detroit spent Labor Day in Gagetown.

James Phelan of Chicago spent a few days of last week at the home of his sister, Mrs. Lawrence McDonald.

Miss Marjorie Trudeau returned home Monday after spending two weeks with relatives in Argyle.

Miss Margaret Glougie spent the week-end with Miss Inez Crawford of Owendale.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Wideman and son, Morris, of Pontiac are visiting friends in Gagetown.

Miss Roberta Wills returned to her home in Royal Oak Monday evening after spending two weeks with Mary Burdon.

Miss Ruth McCarty spent Monday in Gagetown visiting relatives.

Miss Esther Wald returned to Detroit Tuesday where she will again teach school.

Miss Helen High and Miss May Belle Clara returned to Pontiac after spending the summer in Washington and Gagetown. They will resume teaching.

Miss Irene Dupree spent the week-end with friends in Flint.

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

Miss Nina Munro left for Owosso Monday where she teaches school.

The infant child of Adam Leiterman was buried in St. Agatha's cemetery Tuesday morning.

St. Agatha's school opened on Wednesday. The teachers are as follows: Sister Matthew, superior; Sister Albertina, music; Sister Marie Joseph and Sister Marie Anthanet.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Kehoe and daughter, Geraldine, spent the week-end with Mrs. Kehoe's parents at Detroit. Mr. Kehoe attended the Harmsworth boat races while in the city.

DEFORD.

School started on Tuesday under the directorate of E. J. Stewart and Neva Zinnecker.

Mrs. Orville Wilson is at the Pleasant Home Hospital in a very critical condition.

Mr. and Mrs. Sherman VanBlaricom of St. Louis, Mo., are visiting relatives in the community, arriving by motor Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. George McArthur were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Guy W. Woolman, at Royal Oak, from Saturday to Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Hicks of Flint and Jay Hicks of Detroit visited relatives and attended the Crawford school reunion on Saturday and the home-coming Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Rolland Kilgore of Pontiac and Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Kilgore of Ypsilanti were Sunday and Monday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kilgore.

Mrs. Olive Webster was a Sunday visitor at North Branch at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Winn.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Augustine had as guests for the week Mr. and Mrs. Stephens of Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Martin and Mr. and Mrs. Herb Philips attended a reunion of the Martin family on Monday at Gilford, at the Frank Ackerman home. Fifty-two were at the reunion.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Rock entertained Sunday and Monday, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Phillips of Clifford.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Streeter and daughters, Vivian and Imogene, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Streeter and children, all of Gilford, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Martin, and on Monday, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Martin of Vassar were visitors at the Martin home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. McLaughlin of Detroit and Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Martin spent Sunday at Croswell, guests of Mrs. Martin's mother and sister.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. VanBlaricom of Pontiac were visitors of relatives here Saturday to Monday.

The Misses Norma and Evelyn Retherford, accompanied by Miss Bessie Croft of Bad Axe, returned home the past week from a very delightful two weeks' vacation trip made by motor. Over 2,100 miles were driven. They visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Retherford at Oneonta, N. Y., and returned home by way of the route along the Hudson river to Montreal, Canada, and down the Canadian side towards home along the St. Lawrence river. The scenery through the mountains was especially beautiful.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Tedford entertained at a chicken dinner on Sunday, Mrs. Lillian Tallien and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Barrons and daughter of Wahjamega, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hunt and family of Kingston, Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Hunt and family of Cass City, Mrs. Agnes Slaton of North Branch, and Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Tedford.

Mr. and Mrs. Boney Daugherty had as guests during the week Mrs. Ray Titus of Oxford and John D. McCaughna of Pontiac.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Little were guests on Sunday at Metamora, of her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Lambertson.

KINGSTON.

Funeral services for Keith Elliott, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Elliott, who died Monday in Pleasant Home Hospital, Cass City, were held in the Baptist church Wednesday at 2:00 p. m. Rev. Sherk officiated. He leaves his mother and father, one brother, Kenneth, at home, and two sisters, married and living in Detroit.

A large number attended the White Creek reunion in Barrett's grove, three miles east of town, on Labor Day.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Maynard spent from Friday until Monday with his mother in Elsie.

Mr. Hill, English teacher in Kingston school, arrived here Saturday.

Grace Carless had her tonsils removed in a Bay City hospital last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Stephens and daughter of Detroit spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Stephens.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Jeffery of Pontiac spent Sunday and Monday here with relatives.

Mabel McKichan spent from Saturday until Tuesday in Detroit and Pontiac.

Oscar Moyer and Geo. Peter spent Friday in Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Lorenzo Reamer and son, Sherman, visited relatives in Detroit last week.

Funeral services for LeRoy Parrott of Rochester were held at the home of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Al VanHorn, Saturday at 2:00 p. m. He was 15 years old and the son of Walter Parrott and was killed accidentally when a revolver, which he and a neighbor boy were repairing, was discharged. He leaves his father, one brother and one sister at home. He was buried in Kingston cemetery beside his mother, who died several years ago.

E. R. Hartt and Miss Lillian Hartt of Pontiac and Mrs. Mary Hartt of Wilmot spent Monday with their sister, Mrs. Thos. Everett.

Margaret Heineman returned home from Port Hope where she has been visiting.

BEAULEY.

Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Heron had Monday evening dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Heron of Cass City.

The community was greatly saddened Monday to hear of the sudden death of Eliza Summers, 15 year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ostrum Summers of Rescue. Much sympathy is extended to the bereaved family.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Campbell, Mrs. Ora Palladay and granddaughter, Ellen, and Thomas Lawre, all of Lansing, spent Labor Day with Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Moore.

Miss Eva Baskin of Detroit spent Sunday and Monday at the C. E. Hartsell home.

Frank Reader lost a valuable horse Monday night.

Mrs. Millie Martin and son, Merrill, of Caro attended church here Sunday and visited Mr. and Mrs. Harold Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Thorley and children spent several days at the Frank Reader home.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Hartsell, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Hartsell and daughter, Marion, attended the Parker reunion at Caseville Sunday.

Miss Euleta Heron started high school in Cass City Wednesday.

WICKWARE.

Mrs. Earl Nicol visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. I. Cooke, Sunday.

The Wickware community extends deepest sympathy to the family of John W. Nicol in their sad bereavement.

Mrs. Mary Nye and daughter, Miss Jean Nye, guests at the Stewart Nicol home the past week, returned to their home in Lansing Monday.

We are sorry to hear of the illness of Mrs. Lynn Fuester. Her many friends here wish her a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Harris and little son of Pontiac were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wagg Sunday and Labor Day.

Miss Grace Wagg, who has been visiting in Detroit, returned to her home here Monday.

Mrs. Erwin Baker and daughters, Margery and Pauline, of Clarkston were guests of Mrs. Leland Nicol last week.

Wickware school started Tuesday, Sept. 6, with Miss Nora Jackson as teacher.

Rev. and Mrs. Willie Firth and sons of Peck and Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Nicol and daughters of Forester were visitors at the S. Nicol home Saturday.

WILMOT.

Mrs. Alex Graves is spending a few days with her daughter in Detroit.

Will Clark of Caro is spending a few days with his brother, R. B. Clark.

Alex Graves was called to Carsonville Sunday by the illness of his sister, Mrs. Chas. Green.

Mr. and Mrs. Orla Moulton and two children of Caro spent Sunday at the Wm. Moulton home.

A great many from here attended the home-coming at Deford on Labor Day.

Mrs. Guy Harrington and daughter of Pontiac visited Mrs. Kitely last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Allie Wilcox of Toledo, Ohio, spent Labor Day with Mr. and Mrs. Sam Ferguson.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Caverly and daughter of Pontiac spent Saturday evening with Mrs. Wm. Penfold.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Wenta entertained company from Detroit over Labor Day.

Robert Peters and Barton Hartt were in Detroit to see the boat races on Monday.

Miss Allie Hartt returned to Detroit on Sunday after spending 10 days with her parents here.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Weldon and daughter, Grace, of Detroit visited at E. N. Hartt's Friday.

Ross Hartt and son, Paul, and daughters, Doris and Bettie, returned to their home at Ferndale on Friday.

ELKLAND.

Mr. and Mrs. John Doerr, Jr., and children, Maynard, Lorena and Leslie, spent the first of the week in Detroit and attended the State Fair.

Mrs. Lewis Maharg and sons, Donald and Fred, spent from Friday until Monday in Pontiac with Mrs. Maharg's mother, Mrs. Emmet Biddleman. Mrs. Sam Kirk and son, Billie, returned home with them to visit relatives here.

Miss Julia Shoemaker and mother of Ionia are spending the week with Mrs. John Profit.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Profit and sons spent Saturday and Sunday in Flint. Helen Profit, who had spent the week with her aunt, Mrs. Jas. Murray, returned home with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Maharg spent Sunday with Mrs. Maharg's sister at Millington.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Karr of Gagetown were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Allen.

Bird school opened Tuesday with Miss Abina Garety as teacher.

Mrs. Jacob Helwig is spending some time in Detroit with her daughter, Mrs. Raymond LaVigne. Mr. and Mrs. LaVigne are the parents of a baby boy born Sept. 1.

Miss Edith Chaffee, who is a student nurse at Saginaw General Hospital, is spending a vacation of three weeks at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Chaffee.

Mrs. Geo. Karr and daughter, Ruth, of Cass City visited last week at the Claude Root home. On Wednesday, Mr. and Mrs. Root took their visitors for a lake shore drive from Sebewaing to Harbor Beach.

Clinton Helwig took a party of young men to the State Fair on Tuesday. Those included were Lewis Yoe, Gordon Stirton, Winton Roblin and Fred McEachern.

Visitors at the David Murphy home this week were Mr. and Mrs. Bert Reives and daughter, Patsy Lou, of Detroit and Mr. and Mrs. John Murphy and daughter, Isla, of Sandusky on Thursday; Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Martin of Prescott on Tuesday; and Mr. and Mrs. R. A. McNamee of Cass City on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Blair of Standish spent Labor Day with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. Crawford, who returned home with them to spend the week.

CEDAR RUN.

Harold McGrath and Miss Marion Leishman spent Sunday at the home of Ernest Goodall at Owendale.

Born Tuesday to Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Beardsley, a baby girl, Arliene Mildred.

Roxey Laucello spent Tuesday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Omar Bullock.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Finkbiner and family of Gagetown spent Sunday at the O. A. Hendrick home.

Miss Leatrice Schemck, who has spent the summer at the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Buetler, has returned to her parental home in Saginaw.

Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Hendrick and family spent the week-end in Pontiac.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wyatt of Standish and Mrs. Ross Childs of Detroit spent Thursday night at the G. T. Leishman home.

Mrs. T. D. Leach and son, Robert, and daughter, Mrs. Leslie Clark of Saginaw spent Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Clara Spaven.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Buetler and Will Brown of Detroit spent the week-end at the home of Anthony Buetler. Mr. Brown called on several of his old neighbors here.

The following were entertained at the G. T. Leishman home Sunday: Mrs. Elizabeth Shepard, Miss Liza Leishman of Caro, Mrs. Roy Vance and daughter of Cass City and Joe Leishman.

Ernest Deming of Detroit spent the week-end at the Henry Deming and Wm. Ware homes.

RESCUE.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Putman were in Harbor Beach Tuesday evening calling at the Edward Caryl home.

A number from here attended the home coming at Pigeon Friday and enjoyed it.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Taylor were Cass City business callers Saturday forenoon.

Stanley Mellendorf was a Bad Axe business caller Saturday.

Miss Vera McCallum of Pontiac visited at her parental home here a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Tebeau and children moved back here on Thursday and have opened up their store again. The store has been rented to Arnold McCallum the past year.

George Markel of Royal Oak was a visitor at the Henry Mellendorf home Saturday afternoon and Sunday morning. His nephews, Edward and Milton Mellendorf, returned home with him and will attend the State Fair and visit relatives there this week.

About 75 attended the Parker reunion at Caseville. A bountiful potluck dinner was served at noon. A short program was given in the afternoon. The following officers were elected: President, C. E. Hartsell; sec.-treas., Mrs. Claud Asher. They will meet at the same place again next year the Sunday before Labor Day.

The Komjoynus S. S. class meeting will be held at the Haskett Blair home Friday evening, Sept. 9.

SHABBONA.

Chapman Reunion—

About 60 members and relatives of the Chapman families held their annual reunion at the home of Harvey McGregory on Labor Day, Sept. 5.

After partaking of a bountiful dinner, a short program was given and the business meeting was held. Officers elected for the following year were: Pres., Arthur Chapman, Monroe; vice pres., Frank White, Mt. Clemens; and sec. and treas., James Williams, Washington, Mich. The remainder of the afternoon was spent in playing games, visiting and a ball game. Ice Cream was served before returning to their several homes. The 1933 reunion will be held at the home of James Chapman at Memphis, Mich.

Miss Lucile Burns of Detroit spent the week-end at her parental home.

Laurence Dafoe of Rochester visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Dafoe, over the week-end.

Desmond and Ray Aldrich spent the week-end with their parents in Detroit.

James Cook lost one of his work horses Monday.

Floyd Collins filled John Chapman's and James Cook's silos the first of the week.

HOSPITAL NOTES.

Mrs. Chas. Dutcher was able to leave the hospital Thursday for her home in Owendale.

Donald Wilson of Detroit was able to leave Sunday.

Mrs. Orville Wilson of Deford entered Wednesday and underwent an operation Thursday morning.

Valeria Langenburg of Argyle, 11 years old, entered the hospital Sunday and was operated on the same day.

Robt. Davis of Akron was admitted Monday morning and underwent an operation that day.

Miss Louise Haebler of Hurley hospital, Flint, is doing private nursing at the hospital.

Hero Worship Eternal

Hero worship exists, has existed, and will forever exist, universally among mankind.—Carlyle

Long Symbol of Evil

The story of the serpent as a power of evil is found in the mythologies of most ancient countries.

Quite Accurate

"There are two sides to every question," is a popular saying. Your own and the wrong one?

Poets

When poets say, "I've written 50 rhymes," they make you dread they will recite them, too.—Byron.

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Blue & White Pork and Beans ..... 6 for 25c
Bulk Macaroni ..... 2 pounds 9c
Red and White Fancy Red Salmon 17c
Red Salmon ..... 2 for 29c
Tea Pot Green Tea ½ pound pkg. 19c
Fruit Jar Rubbers ..... 3 doz. 12c

PEACHES PER BUSHEL 95c

Fruit Jar Caps per doz. 25c
Fruit Jars, qts. 79c, Pints 69c
Sugar, Pure Cane ..... 10 lbs. 45c
Red & White Jelly Powder ..... 4 for 25c
Cigarettes Popular Brands ..... 2 for 25c
Red & White Rice or Bran Flakes 9c
Calumet Baking Powder ..... 1 lb. can 27c
Red & White Baking Powder ..... 1 lb. can 23c
Green & White Coffee ..... per lb. 20c

ONIONS TEN POUNDS 10c

"The Owner Serves." Fruits and Vegetables "The Buyer Saves."

W. C. HYATT, Owner

THE RED & WHITE STORES

KROGER STORES

HOUSEHOLD Flour GOLD MEDAL OR PILLSBURY 64c

CANE Sugar 100 lbs.....$4.39 5 pound box 23c

FRENCH BRAND Coffee Pound tin 27c

P & G Soap OR KIRK'S FLAKE 11 bars 29c

Graham Crackers 2 pound box 19c

Country Club Milk 2 cans 9c

Candy Bars Baby Ruth or Butter Fingers 5 bars 14

Federal Matches 6 boxes 19c

Penn-Rad Motor Oil 8 quart tin—tax paid $1.08

Clifton Tissue Special 4 rolls 15c

SWEETHEART Soap Flakes 5 pound box 23c