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## CARO MAN KILLED HIMSELF FRIDAY

Jackson F. Staples Committed  
Act in Presence of Two  
County Officers.

Jackson C. Staples of Columbia Ave., Caro, took his life by shooting himself in the temple with a .44 calibre revolver, in his home Friday about 10:30 a. m. Sheriff Kirk and Deputy Sheriff Milliken were in Staples' home at the time and were unable to prevent the man from committing the suicidal act.

In his testimony before the coroner's jury, Sheriff Kirk said:

"We had a complaint from Tim Beyette, the neighbor next door to the home of Jackson C. Staples, that Staples had threatened to shoot him. I told the probate judge, Guy G. Hill, and informed him we would take his orders as to what to do. Judge Hill came to my office and asked me to make an investigation. Deputy Sheriff C. E. Milliken and I arrived at the Staples home at about ten o'clock. We talked with the man for awhile about his condition and asked him whether or not he had any firearms in his possession. We found one on the dresser here loaded and this we confiscated. We then asked Mr. Staples if he had another gun. He said he had it in his trunk. He went to get the gun. I told him we wanted to register them so he could be in possession of the guns legally. He replied the gun was in his trunk and that he would get it for me. He was on the bed on his knees, reached down the opposite side of the bed and got the gun. He said, 'You'll never take me; I'll end it all.' Deputy Milliken got to him but Staples shot himself before we could get the gun away from him. The discharge burned Milliken's hand which had grasped the gun around the barrel. Staples had a hold of the gun with both hands before Milliken got to him."

The testimony of Deputy Sheriff Milliken corroborated that of Sheriff Kirk. The jury impaneled by Coroner C. N. Race decided that Jackson C. Staples had committed suicide. Members of the jury were: D. C. Gallery, H. L. Weith, G. H. Montague, Robt. Kirk, J. L. Meyers and E. S. Frey.

## PROHIBITION LECTURES IN NOVESTA TWP. NEXT WEEK

Paul Jones will speak in favor of national prohibition in Novesta township at 8:00 p. m., as follows: Monday, Oct. 10, Paul School. Tuesday, Oct. 11, Brown School. Wednesday, Oct. 12, Ferguson School. Thursday, Oct. 14, Crawford School. Friday, Oct. 14, Quick School.

A general discussion will follow each lecture and both wets and dries will have a chance to say a word. To get the truth concerning national prohibition is the purpose of each meeting.

## FOUR CANDIDATES FILE CAMPAIGN EXPENSES

Four candidates in the Tuscola county primaries have filed campaign expenses with County Clerk Ormes. All were within a few dollars of one another. The list shows the following amounts: Stanley Osburn, \$128.24; Orlo J. McDurmon, \$135.00; Guy G. Hill, \$138.65; Guy N. Ormes, \$139.00.

## For Business Success, Open Mind Is Essential Says Prof. Phelps

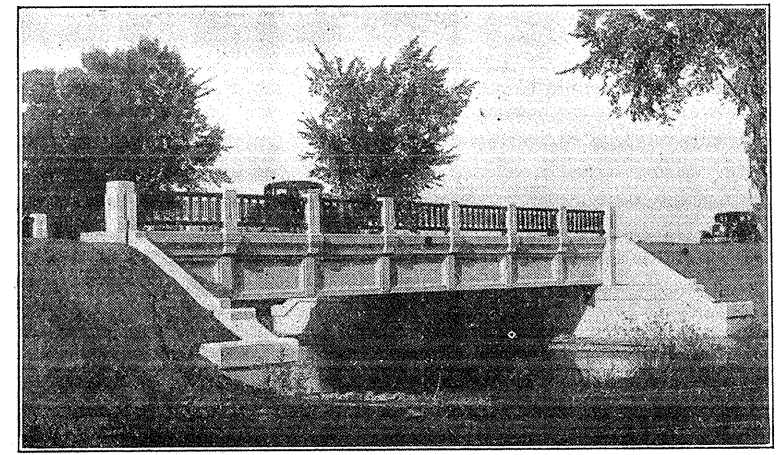
For better business and professional success "the mind of mature men and women should be like a first-class hotel; open all the year round to every guest except criminals." So says William Lyon Phelps, Lamson professor of English at Yale University and author in the current issue of the Rotarian Magazine.

"Apart from the imponderable values of the open mind, there are three definite gains by freeing one's nature of prejudice," Professor Phelps goes on to say. "Every man will enjoy better success in his business or profession or whatever may be his field of activity, by possessing a mind open to suggestions, to new points of view, to new methods."

"History is full of the business failures of those who would not learn; who seem to think that although the calendar declares that this year is 1932, the methods of business should remain what they were in 1902. The open mind means a progressive mind."

Secondly, he points out that as nearly all difficulties with individuals, communities and nations arise

## Beautiful Bridge Recently built on M-81 Over Cass River, 2 Miles East of Cass City



## "So Boss! Let Down Your Milk" Will Be Cry of Racers Tuesday

Audley Rawson and Willis Campbell, who are arranging the farmers' night program of the Cass City Community Club for next Tuesday evening, are bringing a state fair attraction here to whet the amusement appetites. And there promises to be more fun than a barrel of monkeys in the contest they are staging.

But there is a more serious side of the program. Frank Wilson, Uby farmer, is slated for a chalk talk and in the way of music there are three groups of talented entertainers—the Kelley Bros., the O'Dell Quintet and the Charter Trio.

This community has furnished champion milkers in contests at

the state fair in recent years and program managers have decided that it is time to determine the community champion milker, and so four cows giving all the way from 12 to 20 quarts of milk each will be on the stage with four would-be milking champions, official timers and weigher, and prizes to urge on the racers.

Out of a number of applicants, the following have been selected as contestants: M. B. Auten, Alex Henry, Audley Kinnaird and Frank Reid. Prizes are offered as follows:

To contestant securing the most milk, a milk pail donated by N. Bigelow & Sons.

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## ACOUSTICAL CEILINGS FOR COURT HOUSE

Special Care Taken to Prevent  
Noise in Court Rooms  
in New Building.

Architect William H. Kuni has given special attention to the acoustical treatment, or installation of sound absorbing material in the circuit court room, circuit judge's office, supervisors' room, probate court room and first floor lobby, in the new Tuscola county court house, under the supervision of the architect.

Noise in court rooms is most objectionable as inability to hear what is said, is very annoying to everyone, and an echo is even worse.

The architect, after an extensive study and investigation of various methods, finally selected a type of acoustical treatment which is one of the most recent developments for absorbing sound, known as Sanacoustic Tile.

The actual construction of the acoustical ceilings is interesting as the whole ceiling is first plastered and then metal "T" runners are attached to the plastered ceiling. Into these "T" runners, 12x12 metal tile containing a sound absorbing pad of rock wool are locked. Each of these metal containers has a face with forty round perforations per square inch. The perforations cause the sound to be broken up and passed through to the pad in back of it, where the sound is absorbed and echo prevented. Rock wool is secured from limestone, which is first converted by means of high temperature into a molten mass and blown into fibers.

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## STILL TIME TO ENROLL IN EXTENSION COURSE

There is still an opportunity for teachers to enroll in the extension course which is being conducted in Tuscola county. County School Commissioner McComb urges all who wish to enroll to do so by Saturday of this week.

Arithmetic is the study taken up this fall and teachers have voted to double the length of the class periods which cuts the number of lessons in two. The class meets each Saturday at 10:00 a. m. at Caro and this course will be completed by Nov. 12. This offers an unusual opportunity to teachers to earn a credit in a short time while roads are good and also makes it possible to introduce the new methods in their own school work.

It is expected that the arithmetic course will be followed by one in English. Twenty-one teachers are now enrolled.

## Teachers Enjoy Treasure Hunt

One of the most enjoyable affairs of the season was that of Tuesday evening when Miss Frances Perrin and Miss Gertrude Hale entertained the teachers of the Cass City school at a treasure hunt and a shower for Mr. and Mrs. Niergarth. Each teacher was sent an invitation to

"Come with flash light, nickel and car. And we will send you near and far. For the treasure there to find If you are lucky and use your mind."

They were asked to meet at the Miss Eleanor Bigelow home on West Main street for instructions which were given them in the form of hidden verse or code. The men were given small derby hats and the ladies received suckers.

In spite of the rain, every guest was game, even though the hunt led as far south as Port's ice house and north to the Bethel church and to many places between, ending at the Bigelow home. Mr. and Mrs. Randall, Mr. and Mrs. Campbell and Mrs. Day received prizes for finding the treasure first.

Mr. and Mrs. Niergarth were presented with a gift from the company. A chop suey dinner was served at the Bigelow home after the hunt.

## Landscape School at Caro Oct. 21

The first lecture in the series of three to be given by O. I. Gregg, landscape specialist from Michigan State College, will be held in the Presbyterian Church Auditorium, Caro, on the afternoon of October 21.

The public is invited to attend the afternoon session at which time Mr. Gregg will discuss foundation plantings about the house and general landscape policies.

The two other lectures which are to follow during the winter months will be announced at a later date.

## ALUMNI DEFEATED HIGH SCHOOL 6-0

Simmons Stars as Old Grads  
Defeat C. C. H. S. in Long  
Drawn Out Contest.

Concentration on how to stop Vassar and diligent work on the offense has kept the local football squad engaged in long hours of practice this week. The showing against the Alumni uncovered some glaring weaknesses in the high school's offense; also, a marked let-up in the defense after the Bay City game. Several new plays have been added to increase the effectiveness of the light, fast backfield.

A few probable changes will be made in the line-up for the Vassar game with Bill Doerr going back to his tackle and Ward working in a guard position, and with Rawson definitely out on account of illness, Morris will take over the duties of left end. O'Dell may be shifted from tackle to guard or center position in an endeavor to get more scrap and fight on defense. It is hoped that Knight will have recovered sufficiently from his injury so that he may be used in the coming games as he adds considerable driving power to the backfield.

## ENROLLMENT OF 4-H CLUBS DOUBLES

47 Tuscola Schools Request  
Winter Projects in  
Club Work.

4-H Club work is becoming more popular and better established each year in Tuscola county, according to E. L. Hammond, county agricultural agent. Requests have now been received for clubs in winter project work in 47 schools throughout the county.

These clubs will take clothing and handicrafts projects during the winter months. The expected enrollment will be between 400 and 500 boys and girls. This means that the enrollment this year will be more than double that of last year. The schools that are requesting clubs are as follows: Elkland—Winton School, Miss

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## Mrs. Wells to Address 7th Dist. Voters

The Republican campaign in the 7th district will be opened next Wednesday, Oct. 12, when Mrs. Sylvester Wells of Kansas City, Mo., will give three addresses as follows:

Unionville, open air, 1:00 p. m. Caro, court house, 3:00 p. m. Sandusky, evening meeting.

Mrs. Lillian Land Wells is a native Missourian. She received her education in Central College for women at Lexington, Missouri, and Howard-Payne College, Fayette, Missouri. She is married to Sylvester Wells, member of the Real Estate Board of Kansas City. Mrs. Wells' first public work was in campaigns for proposed amendments to the constitution of the State of Missouri and Liberty Loan Campaigns. Mrs. Wells is an honor graduate of the Kansas City School of Law. In 1927 she opened an office in Kansas City and since that time has been actively engaged in the general practice of law.

## Wheat at 75c a Bushel

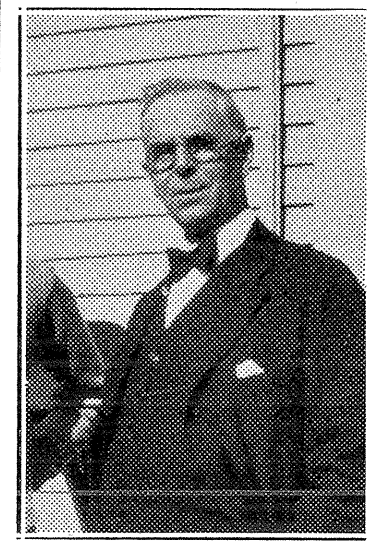
The Cass City Chronicle offers to trade a year's subscription for two bushels of wheat.

Wheat growers who wish to take advantage of this offer to pay their subscription for another year are asked to bring their wheat to the Farm Produce Co. or the Elkland Roller Mills at Cass City, the Michigan Bean Co. elevators at either Cass City or Deford, or the Gagetown Elevator Co.

A receipt will be given by the grain dealer for the two bushels and this should be brought to the Chronicle office where subscription credit will be given.

Bring in the wheat. The equivalent in cash will not be accepted. This offer is for a limited time only.

## Begins Third Year in Pastorate Here



Rev. T. S. Bottrell begins his third year as pastor of the M. E. church at Cass City and Bethel, having been returned here by the conference held recently at Mt. Clemens.

Local churches extended a unanimous invitation for the return of Rev. Bottrell at the annual meeting of the Bethel and Cass City congregations in July.

## New Telephone Directory Printed

What name would you guess appears more than any other in the new telephone directories printed by the Chronicle for the Cass City and Kingston exchanges? It is Striffler. Eight telephones are entered under this name in the Cass City division. Benkelman, Brown, Kitchen, Moore, Schwaderer and Wood come next with five each. Thirteen other names are third numerous with four each—Bigelow, Gillies, Hall, Hartwick, Heller, Helwig, Mitchell, Patterson, Profit, Smith, Tuckey, Turner and Young.

The directory this year is set in single column and in a larger size type than the 1931 issue, making it easier to read.

The new directories are being given to subscribers of the Cass City exchange who call for them at the telephone office here.

## Mail Man's Car on Rampage, Hits Three Automobiles

Guy W. Landon and L. D. Randall attended the football game at Ann Arbor Saturday, going in Mr. Landon's Chevrolet coupe. On the return trip, when driving out Vandike from Detroit, as they neared the Eight Mile road, Mr. Landon moved over to give a car beside him more room and traveled down the street car tracks in the middle of the street. As they came to the corner, the tracks led to the left, and Mr. Landon says he hardly knows how it happened, but the Chevrolet followed the tracks into the traffic on the left. Not being satisfied with hitting three automobiles, the car struck the corner of a hardware store building, breaking one of the plate glass windows. The cars were all damaged but no one was injured. Mr. Landon's car was fully covered by insurance.

## Ministerial Ass'n. Elected Officers

Rev. P. J. Allured and Rev. W. R. Curtis from Cass City attended the first fall meeting of the Tuscola County Ministerial Association held in the M. P. church at Gagetown Monday. Rev. A. C. Sawtelle of the First Presbyterian church of Bay City gave a very interesting address in the morning on "The Church and the Ministry." Dinner was served in the church. In the afternoon, a business meeting was held and the officers were elected for the year: President, Rev. Cornell, Caro; vice president, Rev. H. I. Voelker, Cass City; secretary-treasurer, Rev. Burch, Gagetown. The program for the year was planned. The next meeting will be held in Mayville.

## Sugar Beets to Bring \$6 a Ton

The plant of the Michigan Sugar Co. at Caro commenced receiving beets on Monday when 330 loads were delivered. Rain slowed down the delivery on Tuesday when 269 loads were brought to the plant and Wednesday's hauls were still lighter for the same reason. The start at slicing beets was delayed a day and factory operations did not commence until Thursday. The

sugar factory employs 350 men and the run will probably last 90 days.

Sugar beets which promise to be at the top of this year's crops in financial remuneration were contracted at a base price of \$4.00 a ton with added compensation depending on the sugar content and the price of sugar on this fall's market.

"I will be very much disappointed if the farmer does not receive \$6.00 a ton for his beets," Lee Stewart, factory manager, told the Chronicle Wednesday. "This year's crop as far as tonnage is concerned is the best that the Caro factory has had."

## \$26,817 COLLECTED IN DELINQUENT TAXES

Treas. McDurmon Sent Checks  
to Townships Totalling  
\$13,190.92.

The third quarter's collection of delinquent taxes made by County Treasurer Orlo J. McDurmon reached \$26,817.73. Of this amount, \$2,189.14 were for drains, \$3,852.25 for the state, \$5,631.09 for the county, \$565.03 for Covert roads redemption, \$501.40 for villages, \$13,190.92 for townships and \$887.89 for the court house fund.

Villages sharing in the division of the fund and the amounts received are:

Akron	\$ 5.36
Caro	366.07
Cass City	19.17
Gagetown	19.81
Millington	61.52
Vassar	20.12
Unionville	9.35

The 23 townships in Tuscola county received the following amounts:

Akron	\$1179.00
Almer	680.79
Arbela	365.18
Columbia	598.43
Dayton	193.86
Denmark	608.20
Elkland	998.21
Ellington	418.26
Elmwood	482.65
Fairgrove	376.12
Fremont	425.08
Gilford	1166.64
Indianfields	1755.24
Juniaata	233.63
Kingston	225.78
Koylton	185.63
Millington	1153.24
Novesta	335.72
Tuscola	265.24
Vassar	634.67
Watertown	171.44
Wells	376.35
Wisner	361.56

## Two Thumb Grid Stars Are Injured

Clare McDurmon, backfield star and all-round athlete of Caro high school, broke the small bone of his right leg about four inches above the ankle in a football game at Sandusky Friday. McDurmon was hurt while retrieving a punt in the third quarter. Caro won the game, 7-0.

Stewart Herdell, quarterback of the Bad Axe high school team, had his collar bone broken on the first play in a game with Marlette, at the Huron county seat. Bad Axe won the contest, 56-0.

If money talks  
As some folks tell,  
To most of us  
It says: "Farewell."

## Cramton Urges Election of Pres. Hoover and Republican Congress

To the People of the Seventh Congressional District of Michigan:

For nine consecutive terms you honored me by election and re-elected me in the Congress of the United States. In 1930 I was defeated by the trivial margin of 25 votes in a total of over 50,000, and this year I again submitted my candidacy to you in the Republican primary for your decision. The result is again defeat for me, this time so decisively as to leave no room for doubt as to the purpose of the electorate.

I have no complaint. I have been treated by the 7th District more generously than any other man in the history of the district and I shall never cease to appreciate that confidence so long continued.

In return for those repeated elections as your representative, I gave the best there was in me. As I think of the long years of continuous support given me by so many men and women in the district, I am happy that no campaign promise was ever left unfulfilled and

## 150 ATTENDED P. T. A. MEET

Fine Program of Addresses  
and Music Was Presented Monday.

The October meeting of the Parent Teachers' Association was held Monday evening in the high school auditorium. About 150 were present. The meeting was called to order by the president, Mrs. Zuleika Stafford, and opened by repeating the Lord's prayer in unison. Mrs. Stafford read the objects of the P. T. A. as taken from the by-laws of the National Parent Teachers' Association. Two changes in dates were reported. The November meeting date has been advanced to Oct. 31, and the December gathering will be held on Nov. 21.

The high school boys' quartet, composed of Leonard Elliott, Harland O'Dell, Floyd Boulton and Maurice Caister, sang two selections, "We Journey to the City" and "Ivory Palaces." Mrs. Schell, chairman of the program committee, then introduced the speaker of the evening, Dr. Rachel Stuttsman of the Merrill-Palmer school in Detroit, who took as her subject, "Mental Health of the Child."

In answer to the question, "What is Mental Health," Mrs. Stuttsman said in part:

"It is not merely a question of avoiding mental disease, but an active attempt to gain positive mental health. The goal of an all around development for the child includes physical health, mental health, social health, emotional health. A child should advance in every type of development which makes for maturity. He should be growing physically, mentally, religiously, socially, emotionally. One must go out to meet mental health. Man has a great gift in his ability to make choices; choice of food, hours of sleep, choice of friends, etc."

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## TWP. REPUBLICAN COM. MEMBERS MEET OCT. 11

Members of the Republican township committees of the 23 townships in Tuscola county and county officers will hold a meeting in the court house at Caro on Tuesday, Oct. 11, at 8:00 p. m. in the interest of the Republican campaign of the next four weeks.

The Tuscola county Republican committee has established headquarters at 217 State St., Caro, where campaign literature will be available and an office manager will be in charge to answer inquiries and furnish information.

## 4-H CLUB BOYS PURCHASE STEER CALVES

Three 4-H club boys of this community have already made purchases of steers for their 1933 projects. Kenneth Hennessy and Romney Horner will secure Short-horns from Edllyn Farms at Wilson, Ill., and Grant Brown has a Hereford steer coming from the Buck & Doe Ranch at Mortonville, Pa.

## COMSTOCK TO VISIT TUSCOLA CO. OCT. 11

Wm. A. Comstock, Democratic candidate for governor, is scheduled to give an address following a luncheon served at the Montague hotel at Caro, on Tuesday noon, Oct. 11.

## Cramton Urges Election of Pres. Hoover and Republican Congress

that in my service my course was always charted by my desire to keep faith with my constituents rather than to win future support by specious pretenses.

In that long service I gave always the most earnest attention to the affairs of individual constituents submitted to me, and served as actively and efficiently as I could the interests of the Seventh District and of every community in it. I am happy to know that some of my accomplishments for the district will continue to benefit its people long after I am gone.

Beyond that individual and district service, I sought also to fully perform my duties as a member of the National Congress, and as a result there are in the National Capital, as well as in many states, contributions to a greater United States that should be credited to you, because they were brought about by me as your Representative. The man with unequal opportunity—the poor man, the negro, the Indian—can thank the Seventh District for help. The

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# News Review of Current Events the World Over

## Porto Rico Devastated by a Hurricane—Gandhi's Fast Ends in Victory—De Valera Tells League of Nations What Ails It.

By EDWARD W. PICKARD

ONCE again the "storm of San Eusebio" came out of the southern Atlantic ocean on the feast day of that saint and swept across Porto Rico as it did in 1928, leaving a terrible trail of death and destruction. For hours the hurricane raged, tearing down buildings, ruining the coffee and fruit crops and killing and maiming the people of the unhappy island. Gov. James R. Beverley thought the dead would number well over two hundred and the injured more than a thousand. The property damage has not been estimated, but it certainly will run into many millions of dollars. Broken communication lines and roads blocked by debris made the gathering of accurate information slow. Before reaching Porto Rico the storm struck the Virgin Islands, killing 15 persons, sinking many vessels and wrecking buildings. Later it hit Haiti and Santo Domingo.

Most of the fatalities in Porto Rico were in the country districts, for the authorities of San Juan, forewarned, placed many hundreds of the residents in the solidly built schools and churches. The property losses in the city, however, were heavy, especially on the ocean front.

Governor Beverley was prompt in starting relief machinery. He formed an emergency committee and placed ample insular funds in its hands. By his order the police impressed into service prisoners in all the jails, letting them work without guards at clearing the roads and streets and reopening communication facilities. The governor of course reported the conditions immediately to Washington and the Red Cross ordered its chief supply officer to the island and sent a destroyer with medical supplies.

MAHATMA GANDHI'S "fast unto death" was a striking victory for the little Hindu holy man, for the caste Hindus and the untouchables, hurrying to save his life, agreed upon a compromise electoral plan that was fairly satisfactory to Gandhi. It was hastily accepted by Prime Minister MacDonald and the British cabinet, and thereupon the mahatma broke his fast with a few sips of a lime concoction. For more than six days he had partaken of nothing but water with salt or soda in it, and the physicians at Yeravda jail said he could not have survived much longer.

The compromise plan provides that 148 seats in provincial legislatures be held by the depressed classes and that a percentage of seats in the central legislature be reserved for them. It also provides a system of primary elections. These special features are to end after ten years.

In accepting this plan, the British government pointed out that some details still remained under consideration. The official statement said this did not imply opposition by the government.

WHEN the League of Nations assembly opened its thirteenth annual session in Geneva, Eamon de Valera, President of the Irish Free State, was in the chair as president of the league council, and he took the opportunity to tell what he thought of the league and its failures. He spoke without restraint, telling his gloomy hearers that the league had lost the world's confidence because it had not boldly tackled the major problems that came before it, notably the situation in the Far East and the question of disarmament.

"People are complaining that the league is devoting its activities to matters of secondary interest while vital international problems of the day are being shelved or ignored," he continued. "People are saying that equality of states does not apply here in things that matter. 'People are becoming impatient at the apparently meager face-saving results of successive league conferences and meetings. They are inquiring whether these conferences justify the burden of contributions to the league's budget. Finally there is the suspicion that little more than lip service is paid to the fundamental principles on which the league was founded."

"There is a suspicion that action by the league in the economic sphere is paralyzed by pressure of powerful national interests and that if a

hand is raised against the covenant sufficiently strong it can smite with impunity."

This last obvious allusion to Japanese controlled Manchuria was followed by a warning that the only way to silence criticism of the league is "to show unmistakably that the covenant is a solemn pact of obligations which no state will find it possible to ignore."

Disarmament, he also declared, was a flop and a bluff. The Lausanne conference on reparations, he admitted, was a mild success, but he made it clear it was not the fault of the league.

Nicholas Politis of Greece was elected as the president of the assembly. What that body would find to do was uncertain. The reception and discussion of the league's commission on Manchuria already had been postponed for at least two weeks at the behest of Japan, and the statesmen were not agreed even upon the establishment of disarmament, financial and economic commissions.

To make matters worse, the steadfast refusal of Germany to take part in the sessions of the disarmament conference effectually stopped up that august international body for the time being. The steering committee in a quarrelsome secret meeting considered the demand of Arthur Henderson for immediate convocation of the general conference and then announced it had adjourned until October 10.

DEMOCRATS now are in control of the United States senate, outnumbering the Republicans by one. This comes about through the appointment of Walter Walker by Gov. William H. Adams of Colorado to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Senator Charles W. Waterman. So the upper house now has 48 Democrats, 47 Republicans and one Farmer-Laborite. There was uncertainty as to whether the new man would serve in the lame duck session of congress or only until a successor to Waterman is elected November 8.

BOTH the Republicans and the Democrats professed to have high hopes of carrying Iowa in the Presidential election, but their claims are unsettled by the announcement of Senator Smith W. Brookhart that he will be in the race for the senate as the nominee of the "progressive" party, expecting to draw support from both the major parties. His decision came three months after his defeat in the Republican primary by Henry Field. He admittedly has a large following among the Iowa Republicans, especially in the rural districts. The Democrats had expected that Brookhart would follow the example of his brother progressive Republican, Senator George W. Norris of Nebraska, and come out flatly for Franklin D. Roosevelt for President.

JOETT SHOUSE, former executive chairman of the Democratic national committee, gave the California Democrats a shock by the announcement that Association Against the Prohibition Amendment, of which he is president, would support Tallant Tubbs, Republican nominee for senator from that state, rather than William G. McAdoo, the Democratic choice. Shouse said that McAdoo had not made his position clear on the prohibition question. He stated also that the association feared the cause of prohibition repeal might be retarded or embarrassed by the election of McAdoo. It therefore urged, he said, that California advocates of prohibition repeal vote for Tubbs.

FOES of President Machado of Cuba reopened their campaign of assassination, their victim being Dr. Clemente Bello, president of the senate, leader of the Liberal party and the man slated to succeed Machado at the head of the government. Seven men in an automobile fired five volleys from a machine gun at Bello as he was leaving his home, and he was struck and killed by eleven bullets. His chauffeur also was mortally wounded. Within a few hours alleged government agents had retaliated by slaying four prominent oppositionists, Dr. Ricardo Arango,

and Representative Gonzalo de Andrade and his two brothers. A fifth leader of the Conservatives, Dr. Miguel Aguilar, was fatally wounded.

HOW to arrange the financing by the Reconstruction Finance corporation of the sale of 15,000,000 or more bushels of northwestern wheat to China has been taking the attention of President Hoover and the interested federal agencies. Negotiations have been opened with China and though the final arrangements had not been made it was said in Shanghai that the deal was practically assured. It involves about \$9,000,000 in gold.

The grain involved in the proposal would come from producers of the Northwest on whom shipping costs have borne heavily. The relief act authorized the Reconstruction Finance corporation to make loans for financing foreign sales of surplus agricultural products where they "cannot be financed in the normal course of commerce" and where they will not "affect adversely the world markets of such products."

GEORGE WASHINGTON'S famous trowel is being put to use quite often these days. The latest occasion was the laying of the cornerstone of the new \$10,000,000 post office building on Pennsylvania avenue. With Mrs. Hoover an interested spectator and hundreds of others gathered about, Mr. Hoover wielded the tool that the Father of his Country used in laying the cornerstone of the Capitol in 1793. He stepped on the mortar and the stone was swung into place, a real mason tested the block with his level and pronounced it truly laid. Postmaster General Brown told the crowd that the day was the one hundred and forty-third anniversary of the founding of the postal service, Senator Smoot spoke briefly, and the President then delivered an address dwelling on the function of the postal service in the making of the nation.

FIVE eminent citizens have agreed to act as a commission which will "survey the transportation situation in this country" and report such recommendations for relief and betterment as may appear wise to them. The commission is sponsored by the National Association of Mutual Banks, and the announcement of its creation was made by Walter Bennett, New York banker, on behalf of the association. Calvin Coolidge, former President, is chairman of the commission; and the other members are Bernard M. Baruch, financier and railway director; Alfred E. Smith, former governor of New York; Clark Howell, publisher of the Atlanta Constitution, and Alexander Legge, president of the International Harvester company and former chairman of the farm board.

The commission is the result of mobilization of virtually every bank, insurance company, and major business association in the country for a concerted effort to convince congress of the imperative necessity of immediate legislation to protect the financial foundations of the railroad industry. Its survey will include all the transportation facilities of the nation, including buses, trucks, pipe lines and other carriers, as well as the railways.

REPRESENTATIVES of the Railway Labor Executives' association called on President Hoover asking administration intervention in the matter of the proposed railway wage reductions which they opposed "at a time when there are some hopeful signs that the depression may have run its course." Mr. Hoover also talked with railway presidents and Secretary of Labor Doak, and the latter then issued a statement that the President felt it was desirable that the question should be deferred until the end of the year, since the present wage agreement does not expire until February 1.

THE noble words of our Golden Text, "I will walk with my house with a perfect heart," could have been spoken by the Master Himself. They represent the completeness of His well-balanced personality, an ideal which all right-thinking folk in a day of spiritual confusion and darkness, cherish for themselves.

One of the finest expressions of the Christian ideal in family life are the words of Ruth to Naomi. "Whither thou goest, I will go; and where thou lodgest, I will lodge: thy people shall be my people, and thy God my God."

CANNOT each one of us say the same, only addressing ourselves to Christ? It is He Who glorifies ordinary family cares and joys. With His help the lost radiance of the home can be restored.

CRAMTON URGES ELECTION OF PRESIDENT HOOVER

# BRUCE BARTON

Writes of "THE MASTER EXECUTIVE"

Supplying a week-to-week inspiration for the heavy-burdened who will find every human trial paralleled in the experiences of "The Man Nobody Knows."

## A STRONG RIGHT ARM.

Stung by his taunt, Jesus' accusers hesitated when he told them by what authority he had driven the money-changers from the Temple, and in their moment of hesitation were lost. The soldiers turned their backs; it was nothing that they cared about. But the crowd burst forth in a mighty cheer and rushing forward bore him out of the Temple, the priests and the money-changers scurrying before him. That night his action was the talk of the town.

It is a very familiar story, much preached upon and pictured. But almost invariably the pictures show Jesus with a halo around his head, as though that was the explanation of his triumph. The truth is so much simpler and more impressive. There was, in his eyes, a flaming moral purpose; and greed and oppression have always shriveled before such fire.

But with the majesty of Jesus' glance there was something else which counted powerfully in his favor. As his right arm rose and fell, striking its blows with that little whip, the sleeve dropped back to reveal muscles as hard as iron. No one who watched him in action had any doubt that he was fully capable of taking care of himself. No flabby priest or money-changer cared to try conclusions with that arm.

There are those to whom it will seem almost irrelevant to suggest that Jesus was physically strong. They think of him as a voice, a presence, a spirit; they never feel the rich contagion of his laughter, nor remember how heartily he enjoyed good food, nor think of what years of hard toil must have done to his arms and back and legs. Look for a minute at those first thirty years.

There was no soft bed for his mother on the night he entered the world. He was brought forth in a stable, amid animals and animal-like men who tended them. When Jesus was still an infant the family hurried away into Egypt. On the long trip back, some years later, he was judged old enough to walk, for there were younger children; and so, day after day, he trudged beside the little donkey, a hard life.

Early in his boyhood Jesus, as the eldest son, went into the family carpenter shop. The practice of carpentry was no easy business in those simpler days. Doubtless the man who took a contract for a house assumed responsibilities for digging into the rough hillside for its foundations; for felling trees in the forest, and shaping them with an adze.

In after years those who listened to the talk of Jesus by the Sea of Galilee, and heard him speak of the "man who built his house upon a rock" had no doubt that he knew what he was talking about. Some of them had seen him bending his strong clean shoulders to deliver heavy blows.

So he "waxed strong" as the narrative tells us—a phrase which has rather been buried under the too-frequent repetition of "the meek and lowly" and "the lamb."

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feel that my present defeat comes, not in condemnation of the record I have made, but because, for the moment, I am not in accord with the majority sentiment of the district on the much discussed issue of prohibition.

My long public service has left me no richer than when I first went to Washington, and the earning of a livelihood sufficient to care for my family and meet my obligations in interest and taxes is now my greatest responsibility. I will, therefore, not be able to take as active a part in the present campaign as I should like. The reelection of President Hoover and a Republican Congress is of the greatest importance, and I hope the president and Congressman Wolcott will have the support of our district.

My thanks to the Seventh district and my deepest appreciation to all who have fought with me, in victory or in defeat.

LOUIS C. CRAMTON.

Lapeer, Mich., Oct. 5, 1932.

## Turning Back the Pages

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

## Twenty-five Years Ago.

Oct. 2 and 11, 1907.

The auction sale season is now at hand and there promises to be plenty of sales this season. J. H. Striffler and A. A. McKenzie, Cass City's popular auctioneers, have five booked for next week.

Carload of pickles was shipped this week from the pickle station. Mr. and Mrs. Amos Bond, who recently went to Hickory, N. C., have gone to Tallapoosa, Ga.

Many Muma, left Monday afternoon for Cincinnati, Ohio, where she will attend Bible School.

Miss Ruth Striffler of Argyle was the guest of relatives here a few days last week on her way to Ypsilanti to attend college.

The Misses Mae Mulholland and Cecil McKim left Monday morning for Ypsilanti to attend college the coming year.

Dr. J. H. Hays left Monday morning for Philadelphia, Pa., where he will pursue a post graduate course.

H. C. McDermott dropped dead about ten o'clock Oct. 9 while assisting Morton Orr, who was at work in a corn field on his mother's farm. Mr. McDermott was subject to heart attacks and early Wednesday morning complained of a pain in his side.

Geo. Warner of Deford has the record of pulling 63-4 acres of beans in 35 hours.

The special attractions booked for four days at the fair last week failed to put in an appearance. By Friday, there were plenty of attractions which had been secured by hard work on the part of the officials. The total receipts of the fair from all sources were \$2,301.95. Services in the churches begin at seven o'clock Sunday evenings.

Mrs. M. M. Schweger left on Friday for Denver to make her home with her brother indefinitely. Clement Tyo has gone to Argyle where he will conduct a barber shop in the Matthews building.

Samuel Brown has purchased the Frank Ellis house on North Oak street.

Thirty-five Years Ago.

Oct. 7 and 14, 1897.

A. A. Hitchcock is superintending bicycle races at Sebewaing. Rev. W. Bergey of Elkton will exchange pulpits Sunday with Rev. U. Y. Schneider of this place.

A. Frutchey shipped about 1,100 chickens last week.

Arrangements are now about completed for the organization of a ladies' lodge of the Independent Order of Foresters.

Mrs. C. D. Striffler is the proud possessor of a night blooming cactus which she had the pleasure of showing to her friends last week while the plant was in bloom.

Duncan Paul, merchant and postmaster at Appin, Huron county, was murdered Oct. 6. He received five bullet holes from a revolver, any one of which would likely have proven fatal.

F. L. Terry of Sec. 1, Kingston, lost his barn and outbuilding by fire on the evening of Oct. 4.

S. Champion has opened a barber shop in the basement of Hotel Gordon.

The shipments of live stock during the past week have been unusually large. On Saturday, four carloads were sent out, two of them being double-deckers. The shippers were Schwaderer Bros., W. A. Fairweather and Oscar Auten.

Carleton Stoner of Yale and Miss Alta Smith of Novesta were married at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Smith, on Oct. 13.

## Current Comment.

The State Fair and the Midway.

Lapeer County Press.

How necessary is all the ballyhoo and carnival rackets worked at the fairs? We doubt very seriously whether they add anything to the attractiveness of a fair. Rather, we feel they detract considerably. People are too intelligent to get any enjoyment or any thrill out of seeing a bunch of fakirs pull their stuff.

At the Michigan State Fair in Detroit the usual midway was much in evidence. Same old fakirs, same old gyp games, same old dirty banners, same old painted "mysteries" displayed on platforms in an effort to get the gullible inside. Somehow, the whole effect was to cheapen the otherwise fine exhibition. It is hardly in keeping with the dignity of a state exposition to have a noisy midway with its fakirs and squalor.

The Michigan State Fair is too big and too worth-while an exhibition to be messed up with an old-time midway.

And if the county fairs are to carry on they will have to return to the purpose for which they were originally intended—a place for agricultural and industrial exhibits. Midways and cheap vaudeville acts are killing the fairs. Entertainment is necessary, of course, but in many cases the officials in charge have left this side of the fair predominate. It's a case of the tail wagging the dog.

## The Amendments.

From Charlotte Republican-Tribune.

The Republican-Tribune is against the plan (amendment No. 1) to nullify the operation of the 18th (federal) amendment in this state. It is time enough to consider the proposals set up in this amendment after the new congress convenes and has a chance to express itself on the subject. To take any action ahead of such federal expression is to borrow unnecessary trouble. We favor a change in the present prohibition law but we are sharply opposed to the removal of all restrictions until orderly federal legislation is under way. Therefore we take our stand early in the campaign so that there shall be no confusion as to our position. In other words sense is still more important than speed, which is the present day equivalent of the old Greek axiom—Moderation in all things.

Michigan newspapers are beginning to show concern over the proposed amendment to limit property taxes to \$15 per \$1,000 valuation. In many cities the present school taxes are higher than this fixed limitation which, if adopted, shall be "for all purposes" to quote the precise wording of the amendment. The local school budget (which has been steadily reduced for last year was \$10.55 per \$1,000 and in the past, school costs have been considered about a third of the annual tax item. Much as everyone desires the most rigid economy it is hopeless to believe that the orderly processes of government can be maintained at this figure. As the Greenville Daily News points out:

The average tax rate of the state of Michigan in 1931 was \$32.36 per thousand dollars of valuation. In the event that Michigan voters decide to limit this base of taxation to \$15 per thousand in 1933, it will be necessary (if present government expenditures be maintained) to raise \$17.36 per

thousand through other means rather than property tax.

Where are the additional taxes coming from? While we have long favored a state income tax, this source can no longer be depended upon. For example, the federal income tax yielded \$217,000,000 from Michigan in 1930, \$87,000,000 in 1931 and approximately \$30,000,000 in 1932.

Bert Wermuth writing in this week's Michigan Farmer, which publication is sponsoring this tax limit amendment says

the limitation amendment does not affect the entire tax roll. It excepts taxes for the payment of interest and principal on debts outstanding at the time of adoption and taxes on city and village property for local purposes. These taxes now make up over 50 per cent of the property taxes and will not be disturbed by the proposed limitation amendment. This explains away some of the argument against the proposal as nearly every unit of government is paying on bonds or interest. Mr. Wermuth concludes his rather lengthy appeal for support with this paragraph:

In the meantime readers should not lose sight of the fact that this measure if adopted will be evolutionary in its effect by gradually reducing our tax rate to the proposed limitation and will promote rather than discourage property ownership, thereby increasing our tax rolls and broadening our whole base of taxation to the financial benefit of every taxpayer and to the security of our schools and other public institutions. This proposed amendment will be Amendment No. 2 on the ballot at the coming general election in November.

## SAND VALLEY SCHOOL.

Eva Marble, teacher.

Our enrollment has increased to sixteen now. Lance, Kenneth and Ralph Robinson entered school Monday.

We elected Alice Sobieray for president of our school. Each week she appoints helpers to see that our schoolroom is neat and that we come to school with clean faces.

We made about seven dollars at our bake sale. We appreciate the cooperation everyone gave us.

We have no tardy marks yet. Robert Shagena, Virginia Shagena, Agnes Windy, Clare Sowden and Steven Windy received awards for perfect attendance for this month.

We succeeded in finding fly mushrooms which are so deadly a poison to flies. This is a real economical way of getting rid of flies.

The primary classes were greatly interested in the story, "Why the Tortoise Bites so Hard."

The eighth grade girls are busy writing about trees, flowers and weeds.

Elizabeth Windy, reporter.

## CEDAR RUN SCHOOL.

The lower grades have been making leaf booklets telling the kinds of leaves and the characteristics of the tree to which they belong.

The first, second and third grades have made an Indian poster for our blackboard. The upper grades have made Indian teepees and chiefs for the windows.

We have our new fall pictures up and several new posters on the wall.

Teacher, Marion Leishman. Reporters, Shirley Beardsley and Marie Hartley.

## BROWN SCHOOL.

Teacher, Hazel Hower.

We have started some plants for our windows. We have also made Halloween decorations for our blackboards.

The chart class, first and second grades have learned many rhymes and songs.

The eighth grade history class have pretended they were Pilgrims. They have arrived on New England shores safely and have written letters back to their friends in Holland. Their history bulletin board has much Pilgrim material on it.

The seventh and eighth grades have been gathering weeds, flowers and leaves to press. They have gathered many seeds, too.

Gerald Caswell was our visitor on Tuesday.

Our attendance averaged 96.2 per cent during September. We had thirty children present every day.

Reporters, Anna Frederick and Ruth Knoblet.

## DO YOU KNOW THAT?

Health is the biggest social and economic asset in a community. In any society, premature death or unnecessary illness is a calamity.—Cleanliness Institute.

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## Local Happenings

Henry Tate drives a new Ford Tudor.

Ansel Laws of Caro was a guest at the Hector McKay home Sunday.

Miss Lena Joos of Mt. Pleasant spent the week-end at her home here.

Mr. and Mrs. William Cooper of Flint visited relatives here over the week-end.

Herbert King of Saginaw was a visitor at the E. A. Corpron home Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Corpron and daughter, Miss Elmore, were callers in Bay City Sunday.

Clement Kelly and Kathryn Kirby of Detroit spent Sunday at the Thomas Kelly home.

Mrs. Mary McCarron of Flint is spending some time with her sister, Mrs. Thomas Kelly.

Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Lee were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Summer at Saginaw.

Mr. and Mrs. George West left Sunday to spend a week with relatives in places in Canada.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Doerr visited relatives in Royal Oak and Detroit Friday and Saturday.

Mrs. Thomas Kelly spent from Wednesday until Saturday with relatives in Flint and Durand.

Caswell Hunter and Albert Warner, students at Mt. Pleasant, spent the week-end at their homes here.

Miss Mildred Kriewal of Bay City and Virgil Logan visited at Indian River Saturday night and Sunday.

Mrs. Sarah Welsh of Caro and Mrs. Ellen Wilson of Ellington visited their sister, Mrs. Bay Crane Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Strickland and George Finkle of Caro were callers at the Joseph Balkwell home Sunday.

Mrs. W. D. Lane and son, Donald of Romeo spent the week-end with the former's mother, Mrs. Robert Cleland.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Mosher of Adrian were guests at the home of Mrs. Mosher's brother, Rev. W. R. Curtis, over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Wood and Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Benkelman, Jr., enjoyed a supper at the Wood cottage at Caseville Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Cummings of Flint, Mrs. Willis Campbell and daughter, Mary Jane, visited relatives in Alpena over the week-end.

Ernest Croft entertained his mother and sister, Mrs. Henry Croft and daughter, Miss Bessie, of Bad Axe Saturday night and Sunday.

Mrs. Sophia Striffler and Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Ricker returned Sunday evening from a few days' visit at the F. A. Smiley home in Drayton Plains.

Mrs. Mary Lutz and son, James, returned to their home in Boston, Mass., last week after spending some time with relatives in and near Cass City.

Mr. and Mrs. George Southworth and three children of Elkton were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Striffler, parents of Mrs. Southworth.

Mrs. Robert Milligan entertained the members of the Malfem club Thursday afternoon. A social time was enjoyed and the hostess served a delicious supper.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Warner spent the week-end at their cottage at Shady Shores Park. Virgil Logan was a guest there Friday night and Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Warner Welley, Mr. and Mrs. William Weldon and daughter, Miss Grace, of Detroit visited relatives and friends near Cass City a few days the last of the week.

Miss Ruth Mark of Detroit came Saturday to spend a month's vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Mark, before returning to Harper Hospital where she will do general nursing.

Glen and Miss Beatrice McClorey visited relatives and friends in Pontiac Saturday and Sunday. Mrs. Glen McClorey and son, Larry, who had spent the week in Pontiac, returned home with them Sunday night.

Miss Esther McCrea, who is employed at the Michigan State Hospital at Ypsilanti, came Thursday to spend a two weeks' vacation at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Bigelow and with other relatives in and near Cass City.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Joos entertained at dinner Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Joos, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Buehrly, daughter, Miss Elsie, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Buehrly and son, Donald Lee, Miss Hazel and Miss Helen Hower.

A most enjoyable time was held Wednesday evening, when the Cass City Music club held their first meeting of the year at the home of Mrs. Zora Day. A potluck supper was served at seven o'clock after which a social time was enjoyed. The president, Mrs. Day, gave an outline of the year's work. About twenty were present.

R. S. Proctor is spending the week with relatives in Detroit.

Roy Burton of Caro is spending some time with his brother, George Dillman.

Miss Irene Martin of Pigeon was a week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Buehrly.

Andrew Champion was a business caller in St. Louis Tuesday and Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Champion and children of St. Louis spent Sunday in Cass City.

Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Thede of Detroit were Sunday guests of Rev. and Mrs. H. I. Voelker on Sunday.

Miss Ethel Stewart returned Sunday from a two weeks' visit with friends and relatives in and near Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Striffler of Detroit spent the week-end with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Striffler.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Ware are the proud parents of a baby boy born Saturday, Oct. 1. He has been named Ferris Dean.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Champion, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Parsons of Caro, spent Sunday with relatives in Capac.

Dr. and Mrs. A. F. Logan of Mt. Clemens spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hyatt. Mrs. Logan is a sister of Mrs. Hyatt.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Striffler and Mr. and Mrs. Sim Bardwell and daughter, Theda, visited at the Fred Lepla home in Uby Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin C. Carey of Port Huron were guests at the home of Mrs. Carey's sister, Mrs. Catherine Ross, Sunday night and Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen McIntyre and John Trahnor returned to Detroit Monday after spending several days with relatives here and in Greenleaf.

John May visited in Stockbridge Monday. Mrs. May and grandson, Jackie Douglas, who had spent a week with relatives in Leslie and Stockbridge, returned home with him Monday.

Mrs. Grace Krug and Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Krug visited in Flint Sunday. Mrs. Jessie Pettit, who had spent two weeks in Saginaw and Flint, returned to her home here with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy W. Landon attended the annual meeting of the Sanilac-Tuscola Rural Letter Carriers' Association held in the Methodist church at Millington Wednesday night, Sept. 28.

Mrs. Neil McLaren, who has spent three months with relatives and friends in Canada and Michigan and the last two weeks in Cass City, left Wednesday for her home in Bishop, California.

Guests at the home of Mrs. Catherine Ross on Saturday were John McIntosh of Park Hill, Ont., Angus McDonald, Miss Florence and Miss Mamie McDonald of Port Huron and John McEachin of Uby.

Mrs. Catherine Ross and daughter, Miss Kathryn, were entertained at the home of their daughter and sister, Mrs. Wm. Cleland, at Minden City Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Dan Ross of Sheridan were also guests.

Mrs. Levi Bardwell entertained a few friends and neighbors Monday afternoon in honor of Mrs. Neil McLaren of Bishop, California. The afternoon was spent in visiting and recalling old times. Dainty refreshments were served.

Lois Emigh, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Emigh of Hay Creek, had the misfortune to break one of the bones of her left arm just above the wrist Sunday when she fell from the back of a horse on which she and a girl friend were riding.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Boat of Oxford and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Harris of Kingston were entertained Sunday at the Kleinschmidt home here in honor of the birthdays of Ms. Boat and Mrs. Harris, sisters of Charles and the Misses Kleinschmidt.

Mrs. Robt. Proctor, Jr., of Flint was a guest at the A. H. Kimbaird home last week. Robt. Proctor and Miss Thelma Proctor of Flint, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Moore and Mrs. Laura Gillem of Detroit and Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Proctor were Sunday guests at the Kimbaird home.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Sinclair of Gaylord and Mrs. M. Edwards of Pontiac were guests at the home of Mrs. William G. Moore Tuesday night and Wednesday of last week. Mrs. Edwards and Mrs. Moore accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Sinclair to their home and will spend several weeks there.

Mylo Vatters, 24, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Vatters of Argyle, is in Tweedie hospital at Sandusky with a fractured skull, fractured nose and fractured right arm as the result of a fall of 35 feet off a silo at the Bert Brooks farm in Argyle Thursday afternoon. Mr. Vatters was employed in repairing the silo and slipped from a scaffold while adjusting pipes near the top.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Creguer and daughter, Helene, spent Thursday in Saginaw.

Miss Waunetta Warner spent the week-end with her sister, Mrs. David Orr, in Caro.

Dr. and Mrs. S. A. Bradshaw and two daughters spent Sunday with relatives in Port Huron.

Frank Scripture of Sarasota, Florida, called on Cass City friends Thursday afternoon and Friday.

Mrs. Violet Bearss was the guest of relatives in Tilsonburg, Ontario, from Saturday until Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Greenleaf of Mt. Pleasant came Thursday of last week to spend several days with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Kelly attended the football game at Ann Arbor Saturday, and Sunday were guests of relatives in Royal Oak.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Bailey, Mrs. James McMahon and daughter, Janice, Miss Catherine Bailey and Miss Marjorie Boyes were Saginaw visitors Thursday.

Mrs. E. M. Depew and Mr. Fry of Detroit, Mrs. Douglas Ingles and sons, Billie and Robert, of Saginaw were entertained Sunday at the home of Mrs. Depew's sister, Mrs. John Bearss.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Sutton and two sons, Junior and Donald, of Pontiac were entertained at the home of Mrs. Sutton's sister, Mrs. Wallace Zinnecker, from Friday until Sunday evening.

Mrs. J. A. Sandham, Mrs. Angus McPhail and son, Albert, visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Moreton in Detroit a few days the last of the week. Mrs. Moreton is a sister of Mrs. Sandham and Mrs. McPhail.

### RESCUE.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Putman and children, Gertrude and Alton, were business callers in Bad Axe Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Feekings and sons of Elkton were Sunday callers in this vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Mellendorf and sons, Norris and Perry, were Gagetown callers Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. William Ashmore, Jr., and Mr. and Mrs. John Combs were callers in Romeo Sunday.

The Komjoynus S. S. Class meeting will be held Friday evening, Oct. 7, at the Luther Sowden home.

A nice crowd attended the reception at the John MacCallum home on Friday evening in honor of the newlyweds, Mr. and Mrs. Arnold MacCallum.

Mr. and Mrs. John MacAlpine and son, Kenneth, spent Sunday at the Duncan MacAlpine home in Bad Axe.

Mrs. Peter Anderson of Pigeon was a week-end visitor at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Taylor.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Heron and daughter, Misses Elva and Madeline, and Mrs. Wm. Moore were Sunday evening callers at the Joseph Mellendorf home.

Mr. and Mrs. Levi Helwig and children, Lenora and Elwyn, of Elkland were Thursday evening callers at the Arthur Taylor home.

A farewell was given Rev. and Mrs. George Hill at the church basement last Tuesday evening. A short program was given consisting of singing, one reading, two songs and recitations, and talks

given by Rev. Hill, Mrs. Hill and Rev. Walter Hubbard which were enjoyed by all. After this John Moore presented a lovely quilt to Rev. and Mrs. Hill from the ladies of the church. A potluck lunch was served to all. The best wishes of the people go with Rev. and Mrs. Hill to their new home at North Branch.

### CEDAR RUN.

William Fegan and Howard Deming are employed at the sugar factory in Sebewaing.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Beardsley and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Collins of Swartz Creek.

Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Hendrick are spending a few days at the home of their daughter, Mrs. Chas. Coulter, of Fairgrove.

Mr. and Mrs. Byron Hall and family of Caro spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Buetler.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Avery, Jr., and family, formerly of this vicinity, have left for California where they intend to make their home.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd McCreedy and son, Mrs. George McCreedy and Elmer McCreedy, all of Detroit, spent Sunday at the G. T. Leishman home.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Hammond of Caro called at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Hayes Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Finkbinder of Flint are spending the week in this vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Fulcher and Will Adams of Wickware called at the O. A. Hendrick home Sunday.

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# Locals

Mrs. Mina Smith of Rockdale, N. Y., is the guest of Mrs. Geo. Akerman.

Esmond Houghton of Grayling was a guest at the Andrew Bigelow home Thursday and Friday.

Mrs. William Lamb of Jeddo is spending the week with Mrs. Jessie Pettit and other friends here.

Garrison Moore of Detroit spent Saturday afternoon and Sunday with his mother, Mrs. Mary M. Moore.

Week-end guests at the Edward Mark home were Mrs. Jane Leitch, Mrs. L. G. Carpenter and son, Alister, of Pontiac.

Mrs. Robert Milligan, daughter, Miss Alison, Mrs. Charles Randall and Miss Marion Leishman were Bay City visitors Saturday.

Division No. 4 of the Methodist church will have a potluck supper Monday night at seven o'clock at the home of Mrs. Audley Kinnaird.

The ladies of the Baptist church held an all-day quilting in the church basement Thursday. A potluck dinner was served at noon.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kenney, Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Kenney and two sons were entertained at dinner Sunday at the farm home of Mr. and Mrs. William Martus.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Herr, Mrs. Archie MacLachlan and Miss Eliza Brownlee spent Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. George Elliott at Port Hope.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Moon of Orion spent Wednesday in Cass City. Mrs. Moon remained to spend the week with her sister, Mrs. A. E. Summers.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Doughty and son, Billie, returned to their home in Detroit Friday after spending a ten days' vacation with Mrs. Doughty's mother, Mrs. John Bears.

The members of the Lambda Sigma entertained the new members at a banquet Tuesday evening at the schoolhouse. Dancing and games were enjoyed after the banquet.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Tate and children spent Sunday with relatives in Brown City. Mrs. Tate's mother, Mrs. Maud Leeson, who had spent a few days here, returned to her home in Brown City with them.

Mrs. Arthur VanVliet and two children of Decker, Mrs. Stanley Fike and daughter, Charlotte, were entertained in Pontiac over the week-end. Mrs. Fike's sister, Mrs. Eliza Sutphen, who has spent some time in Cass City returned to Pontiac with them.

Mr. and Mrs. William McCallum and family are moving to the Mrs. Edward Buehrly house on West Main street. Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Boulton and family, who have been living in the Buehrly house, have moved to the rooms over the Gillies creamery.

The Ladies' Aid of the Evangelical church held an all-day meeting in the basement of their church Wednesday with a potluck dinner at noon. The time was spent in sewing and Miss Martha Striffler as president of the society conducted a devotional and a short business meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. John Caldwell visited Mr. Caldwell's mother, Mrs. Margaret Caldwell, at St. Williams, Ontario, from Saturday until Tuesday. On Sunday a family reunion was held when eighteen sat down to a delightful dinner. All of Mrs. Caldwell's living children were present, six sons and one daughter. Although she is nearly 96 years of age, she is still real well and went out for a drive with her Cass City son while he was there.

The second regular meeting of the Woman's Study Club was held at the home of Mrs. J. A. Sandham on October 4. A program on home economics was given by Mrs. B. Benkelman, Jr., and Mrs. E. Baker, Mrs. Benkelman providing an outline and practical demonstration of marketing, and Mrs. Baker giving a discussion of nutrition. Favorite time savers in the home were given by the members in response to the roll call. The next meeting will be held on October 18 at the home of Mrs. Stanley Heron.

Miss Inez Quick returned home Wednesday evening from a few days' visit with her sister in Kingston.

Willis Campbell has been invited to give a talk on "Bees" at the Bad Axe Rotary Club meeting on Wednesday.

Wm. Adams of Detroit is visiting at the home of his nieces, Mrs. Clarence Quick and Mrs. Jos. Fulk. Mr. Adams is nearly 83 years old and is very spry for one of his age.

Hugh McBurney has been wondering since Sunday if summer is really over. That day he found quite a number of red raspberries in the swamp northeast of Cass City. He brought several branches with berries to the Chronicle office.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Gifford and Mr. and Mrs. John Howell and three children, all of Wayne, spent Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Quick. Mrs. Gifford remained to spend a week with her parents.

Mrs. Sarah McLachlan and son, Donald, have moved from Mt. Clemens to their home on West Pine street. Mrs. Kate Ferguson and Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Price, who have been living in part of Mrs. McLachlan's house, have moved to the rooms over the Elkland Gas and Oil Co.'s station.

For the past three years there have been cases of scarlet fever in School Dist. No. 5, Elkland, and in order to control it, a check up will be made to determine the children that are susceptible to the disease. Plans are made to give children the Dick test the first of next week. Children may be given the test at school or by their family doctor. Enough material is at the school to test 500 or 600 children.

Rev. Paul J. Allured, in an address before the Rotary club Tuesday said that socialism aims by a plan of public or collective ownership of resources and means of production to correct many of the evils of the present day. Socialism in operation would reduce to a minimum the hours of labor required to make a living, he said, and provide everyone a maximum of privileges and luxuries and thus supply one the opportunity for a more complete expression of his individuality.

The time remaining for discussion after Mr. Allured's talk was limited and the program committee announced more time would be devoted to discussion of this subject by members at a future meeting.

## Planter of Tree Gets Last Laugh

(From Flint Journal.)

Some of his friends laughed four and five years ago when G. W. Goff, 1017 Pershing street, left in his garden a peach tree raised from a pit. Today he has the laugh on them, for the bushel of peaches he has harvested are unusually huge and fine ones, instead of inferior fruit as the friends predicted.

Some of the best of the lot measure 10 inches in circumference and weigh 10 ounces. They are all very sweet and juicy. His friends now agree they are luscious.

The tree grew from a pit thrown in the garden six years ago. His friends told Mr. Goff he might as well pull it out, because only grafted trees ever grew good fruit, but he left it to see for himself. The tree has borne fruit for three years and the present crop is the largest and finest.

## MICHIGAN HENS WIN IN PRODUCTION RACE

Michigan poultry farms won six of the first 10 places in the International Egg Laying contest at East Lansing which recently furnished a year's test of the production ability of 1,000 hens divided into 100 pens.

The owners of the birds which won the first five places are: Dundee Hatchery, Dundee, first; W. C. Eckard, Paw Paw, second; J. A. Hanson, Corvallis, Ore., third; Frank Teasdale, St. Williams, Ont., fourth; George Ferris, Grand Rapids, fifth.

Eight out of the first 10 places were won by pens of White Leghorns. Fourth place went to a pen of Barred Rocks, and eighth honors were given to Rhode Island Reds. A single pen of White Wyandottes which made an excellent record enabled that breed to lead all others in average production per hen per year.

Seven hens laid 300 eggs or more during the year. The high producer was a White Leghorn owned by H. A. Keister, Bangor. This bird produced 307 eggs.

The egg laying contests have been supervised by the poultry department at Michigan State College for the past six years. A new contest with 1,000 new birds entered began as soon as the sixth race ended.

## A PIPELESS (?) FURNACE.

As it was rather chilly Sunday morning Rev. Mitchell, pastor of the Federated church, decided there should be a little fire in the fur-

nace of the church. He didn't notice until he had the fire going nicely that there was no pipe to carry the smoke from the furnace to the chimney because the pipes were taken down last spring to prevent them from rusting. Naturally, the church was filled with smoke, but they managed to get it aired out in time for services. We bet Rev. Mitchell will inspect the furnace next time before he starts the fire.—Capac Journal.

## 150 ATTENDED THE P. T. A. MEET

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choice of mental food, literature, thoughts, choice of associates. "The child grows by doing. Use of his muscles develops his skill; use of his senses develops keenness of hearing, sight and touch. The child needs to learn the possibility of finding self expression and pleasure through work as well as play. Parents must not stop growing. In order for the home to be a fit place for children, the parents must grow along with them. To attain mental health, a child must develop courage, a willingness to face life.

"Parents should guard against doing the child's thinking for him. Let him learn to think and choose for himself. Let him learn by his mistakes. Teach him to do things for his own merit and not for what people will say.

"Spiritual devotion is the keynote of living. If you live a truly spiritual life the Kingdom of Heaven will be around you. The home should be founded on all kinds of love. It is a little kingdom of heaven, bounded on the east, the west, the north and the south by love. Love is more important to the home and to the child than money or success, for where there is love, there is tolerance, there is sympathy, there is understanding, and true love does not stifle by seeking to possess, but only to render to the one loved more development and fulfillment as a personality."

At the close of the address, a general discussion was held.

Coach Kenneth Kelly, in a very interesting way, explained football. He began by showing the clothes worn by the football player and explained how they protect the body. He then put his men through a number of plays, explaining their positions as well as the play.

Coffee and individual cakes were served.

The next meeting will be held Monday evening, Oct. 31, and will be school night, the regular afternoon classes of the school meeting in the evening.

## MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Albert Ewald, 61, and Viola Conley, 61, both of Columbia.  
Lawrence Perkins, 22, Fremont; Mary Robbins, 17, Caro.  
Eric Gall, 37, Unionville; Catherine Burley, 20, Shugar Grove.  
Harvey O'Dell, 21, Cass City; Marjorie Stine, 18, Cass City.  
Lawrence Blue, 23, Saginaw; Muriel Dillabough, 20, Gilford.  
John Ruppel, 25, Akron; Morjorie Irwin, 23, Akron.  
Bervia A. Smith, 21, Caro; Mildred I. Jolley, 18, Charlotte.  
Michael Stoick, 24, Vassar; Mary Groytz, 19, Vassar.  
Andy Kovas, 24, and Elizabeth Kota, 16, both of Amadore.

## RADIO TALKS WILL INTEREST P. T. A. MEMBERS

A series of two radio programs will be broadcast over station WJR which it is believed will be of interest to parents of school children. The first one, on Sunday, October 9, at 5:00 p. m. will be on "The Problems and Methods of Character Education" by Professor Olson of the University of Michigan. The second one at the same hour, Sunday, October 16, when Dr. McCusker of the University of Michigan will discuss "The Role of Emotions in Character." These talks should be of special interest to P. T. A. followers as a part of this year's program centers somewhat on this subject.

## TO GET SENTENCE AFTER BEET HARVEST

Justice Imerson, realizing that Fred Schneider, 43, is much needed to harvest 30 acres of sugar beets, sent him to his home in Gifford township with the understanding that he returns to the justice on Nov. 1 to receive his sentence. Schneider was arrested on Oct. 3 by Deputy Sheriff Milliken on a "driving drunk" charge.

Almado Marteniz, 20, of Ashmore was arrested on a statutory charge by Sheriff Kirk and held for Saginaw county. He was released to Saginaw officers on Oct. 3.

## BEAULEY.

A number from here attended the reception given in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Arnold MacCallum Friday evening.

The Grant M. E. Sunday School elected for the coming year, the following officers: Supt., Haskell Blair; ass't. supt., Stanley Enders-

be; sec., Clark Sowden; treas., Ercole Cliff; librarians, Isla Russell and Marion Hartsell; pianist, Euleta Heron; ass't. pianist, Doris Moore; chorister, C. E. Hartsell; ass't. chorister, Mrs. Roy Russell.

Miss Marion Hartsell spent a few days last week visiting friends in Sandusky.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Spero and daughter, Laura, of Unionville spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Reader.

The Ladies' Aid was held in the church basement Thursday of this week.

A large crowd attended the farewell given last Tuesday evening in the church basement for Rev. and Mrs. George Hill. A program and potluck lunch was enjoyed by all and the best wishes of all go with them to their new home in North Branch.

S. H. Heron had the misfortune to fall from a load of corn while filling silo at C. E. Hartsell's Monday. Mr. Heron was badly injured. Our new pastor, Rev. Ralph Harper, will preach at the usual hour in Grant Sunday.

Miss Josie Stover of Owendale spent Sunday with Miss Mildred Reader.

Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Rowden and son, Frederick, Jr., of Dearborn, Mich., Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Moore and Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Hartsell, Sr., visited at the C. E. Hartsell home Sunday.

## Elkland and Elmwood Town Line.

Miss Leila Dodge and Mr. and Mrs. Kirkland of Detroit spent Sunday at the Harold Evans home.

Mrs. Harry Habicht and daughter, Janet, returned to their home in Ypsilanti the latter part of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Walls and family of East Dayton spent Sunday at the Ross Bearss home.

Harold Evans made a business trip to Pontiac the latter part of the week.

Miss Florence Smith of Royal Oak spent the week-end at her home here.

Helen Kastruba spent the week-end at her home near Colwood.

## EVERGREEN.

The wheels that were stolen from the auto belonging to Edd Case a short time ago, were found in a ditch about one and a half miles from the place where they were taken. The tires were gone.

Silo filling is about done in this locality.

John Fry, who has been helping here with farm work, returned to his home in Port Huron Friday.

## SHABBONA.

Miss Lucile Burns of Detroit is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Burns.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank McGregory of Farmington are visiting their brothers, Vern and Harvey McGregory, and other relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Hyatt spent Sunday with friends at Carsonville.

Mrs. Rachel Kitley of Marlette is visiting at the Frank Auslander home.

Mr. and Mrs. Vern McGregory spent Sunday with relatives at Yale.

Harold Robinson of Argyle was a Sunday visitor at the James Burns home.

## GAGETOWN.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry McClood of Detroit and daughter spent the week-end at the home of James Phelan.

Mr. and Mrs. Julius Goslin is spending the week with relatives and friends in Detroit.

Mrs. Guy Paul of Unionville spent Monday visiting her sister.

Francis and Pauline Hunter of Detroit visited at their parental home over the week-end.

Miss Irene Dupree visited her father and brother in Detroit over the week-end.

Miss Lucille Bartholomy, who has been in the Morris hospital, Cass City returned home Monday. The Gagetown football team has been very successful. They played Owendale and were victorious 13-0, and won from Elkton 27-0. This Friday they play Uby.

The Junior class are giving a dance Friday evening in the opera house. The Bay Port orchestra will furnish the music.

C. P. Hunter and son, Carroll, are spending the week in Detroit. Carroll is having an operation on his eye.

The Woman's Study club held their first meeting at Mrs. Hemerick's. The officers of this year are as follows: President, Mrs. F. Hemerick; vice president, Mrs. M. P. Freeman; secretary, Miss Miller; treasurer, Mrs. B. Clara; critic, Miss Dupree; and parliamentarian, Mrs. Elizabeth Fisher. The program was: Roll Call, "One thing that I learned in vacation."

Report of North East District Women's Club, Mrs. Alf. Rochelle; Vacation Reminiscence, Mrs. M. P. Freeman; singing, Mrs. James Secor is the hostess for October 17 meeting.

Miss Leah McKinnon of Detroit spent the week-end with her sister, Mrs. Edward Kehoe.

James and Jimmie O'Rourke spent Sunday in Clare with relatives.

Mr. Thiel and sons, Arthur and James, are at Pigeon working on their farm.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Orhing of Saginaw returned home Friday. James Secor was a caller at Ann Arbor Saturday.

Miss Rosella Mall of Saginaw returned home after spending a few weeks at the C. P. Hunter home.

## EXTENSION GROUP TO MEET OCTOBER 13

The Novesta second year Home Furnishing Extension group will hold the first meeting Thursday, October 13, at ten-thirty, at the home of Mrs. Walter Kelley. Any one interested in this work is cordially invited to attend this meeting.

## ENROLLMENT OF 4-H CLUBS DOUBLE

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Flossie Merchant, teacher.  
Elmwood—Gagetown, James Secor, teacher. Bingham, Mrs. James Secor, teacher.

Akron—Brookston, Doris Priestly, teacher. Hammond, Donald Ellwanger, teacher. Akron, C. H. Bush, teacher. Lewisville, Mrs. Lila Hall, teacher.

Wisner—Wisner Corners, Genivieve Gardner, teacher. Quianicasee, Mrs. Bertha Achenbach, teacher.

Fairgrove—Center, Eleanor Rohlf, teacher. Graham, Bernice Sheppard, teacher. Moreland, Marjory M. Sage, teacher.

Almer—Parsell, Miss Alice Tonkin, teacher. Darbee, Mrs. Wm. Lassiter, teacher. Humes A., Alice McNeil, teacher. Almer Center, Rachel Romaine, teacher.

Ellington—Ellington No. 1, Helen Miller, teacher.

Novesta—Paul, Lawrence Blackmer, teacher.

Kingston—D. Evangeline McRae, teacher. Wilmot, Will Rogers, teacher.

Wells—White Star, Mildred Van Horn, teacher.

Indianfields—Carpenter, Bernice Fitzgerald, teacher. Four Towns, Clarissa Hunt, teacher.

Juniata—Allen, Mildred Lynn, teacher. Rogers, Helen Higgins, teacher. Rowley, Miss Katherine Seene, teacher.

Denmark—Richville, Eva J. Hill, teacher.

Tuscola—Elkhorn, Jennie Harvey, teacher. Tuscola Center, Mrs. Edna Bates, teacher.

Vassar—Rogers, Bernice Harvey, teacher.

Fremont—Juniata Brick, Mrs. Elmer Titsworth, teacher. Barton, LaBelle Grauber, teacher. Turner, Marion Terbush, teacher. Frenzel, Lyle Fenzel, teacher. Mayville High School, Eva Erb, teacher.

Dayton—East Dayton, Ada Stokes, teacher. English, Mrs. Grace Quick, teacher. Maple Grove, Labona Duncan, teacher.

Watertown—Duncan, Miss Helen Bremer, teacher. Watertown Center, Ruth Nickert, teacher. Springhill, Ethel Selleck, teacher.

Millington—Murphy, Theo Jensen, teacher. State Road, Gladys S. Osburn, teacher. Whitney, Franklin Louks, teacher.

Arbela—Gunnell, Flossie Schlosser, teacher. Diamond, Nina Perry, teacher. Hinkley, Esther S. Brand, teacher.

## CASS CITY MARKETS.

Oct. 7, 1932.

Buying price—	
Wheat No. 2 mixed	43
Oats, bushel	13
Rye, bushel	29
Peas, bushel	1.20
Beans, cwt.	1.30
Light red kidney beans, cwt.	1.80
Dark red kidney beans, cwt.	1.80
Barley, cwt.	50
Buckwheat, cwt.	70
Butterfat, pound	20
Butter, lb.	20
Eggs, doz.	22
Hogs, live weight	3 1/2
Cattle	3 4
Calves	5
Hens	8
Springers	8
White ducks, 5 lbs. and up, lb.	7

## Varieties of "Sardines"

Commercially speaking, any small fish of the herring family is a sardine. The herring family includes not only the true sardine or pilchard, but also the sea herring or sild and the sprat or bristling.

## Wonderful Cave

Mammoth cave, Kentucky, occupies a circle approximately ten miles in diameter. The length of the passages in the cave aggregate 150 miles.

## From the Algonquin

The word Chesapeake is an Algonquin Indian word meaning country on a great river.

## Web of Life

The web of life is of a mingled yarn, good and ill together.—Shakespeare.

## Her Own Show

In modern beauty prize contests every girl has a show.—Toledo Blade.

# 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—Choice Hart's Mountain Singers, some spotted and some green; all young birds. \$2.50 to \$3.00 each. Mrs. Israel Hall, Cass City, Mich. 10-7-1

TEN HORSES for sale or trade. Edward Keating, 530 N. Crescent St., Bad Axe. Phone 414. 9-30-2

OXFORD RAM, 2 years old, purebred, for sale or exchange. W. C. Predmore, 3 miles west, 1/2 mile south of Cass City. 10-7-1p

CROSSLEY RADIO, electric, for sale. Mrs. Stephen Dodge, Cass City. 9-30-2p

WE BUY cream, eggs and poultry at our store on East Main St. M. C. McLellan. Phone 6. 2-27-4f

WANTED—Farms for sale or exchange. Have free and clear property and stores and gas stations and homes in Pontiac, Detroit, Flint and Ann Arbor. Chas. Kimball, 85 North Roselawn, Pontiac, Mich. 9-23-4p

STRAYED from my pasture, 7 yearlings. Finder please notify Milton Hoffman, Cass City. 10-7-1p

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.

BEAN THRESHING—New machine. 7c per bushel. Tractor fuel included. Cass City Phone 59-F-3. 10-7-10p

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

EXCHANGE 2 sows due Nov. 1 for cow or heifer. Amberboy, mile west of Deford. 10-7-1p

BALANCE YOUR budget by having M. & B. Electric Welding Works weld your worn or broken parts, such metals as aluminum, brass, malleable steel and cast iron. Located at Kellogg's Machine Shop, Sebawaing, Mich. 9-23-4f

POP CORN for sale at \$1.00 a bushel. Albert Gallagher, Cass City. 10-7-1

IF YOU haven't tried Cavalier Coal, there's a pleasant surprise waiting for you—a cleaner basement, less frequent firing, more even heat, fewer ashes to carry out. Elkland Roller Mills. 9-30-2

DRY CLEANING specials for October—Suit, cleaned and pressed, 75c. Overcoat, cleaned and pressed, 75c. Lady's coat, cleaned and pressed, 75c. Dresses, cleaned and pressed, 75c up. Robinson's Laundry and Dry Cleaning. 10-7-4

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.

CAVALIER COAL speaks for itself. It has told its own story of economy and satisfaction to thousands of users. Ask for Cavalier Coal by name. Elkland Roller Mills. 9-30-2

FARM FOR SALE with stock, tools and crop, \$3,500. \$1,500 cash, balance contract



**Really Harmful Dreams**  
 "Dreams that come to us in sleep," said H. H. Ho, the Sage of Chintown, "bring little harm. Those that prompt ambition in our waking hours are dangerous."—Washington Star.

**Order for Publication—Appointment of Trustee.**—State of Michigan, the Probate Court for the County of Tuscola.

At a session of said court, held at the probate office, in the Village of Caro, in said county, on the 4th day of October, A. D. 1932.

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

In the matter of the

Estate of Ella Croop, Deceased.

Mildred Riker, having filed in said court her petition praying that Bay Trust Company, or some suitable person be appointed trustee of said trust estate.

It is ordered, that Friday, the 28th day of October, A. D. 1932, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition;

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

GUY G. HILL, Judge of Probate.

A true copy. 10-7-3

Minta E. Hill, Register of Probate.

**Registration Notice for General**

**November Election, Tuesday, November 8th, 1932.**

To the qualified electors of the Township of Elkland, County of Tuscola, State of Michigan:

I, the undersigned township clerk, will, upon any day, except Sunday and a legal holiday, the day of any regular or special election or primary election, receive for registration the name of any legal voter in said township not already registered who may apply to me personally for such registration.

Provided, however, that I can receive no names for registration during the time intervening between the Second Saturday before any regular, special, or official primary election and the day of such election.

Notice is hereby given that I will be at my store within said township,

Wednesday, Oct. 19th, 1932

the twentieth day preceding said election, from 8 o'clock a. m. until 6 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of reviewing the registration and registering such of the qualified electors in said township as shall properly apply therefor.

Saturday, Oct. 29, 1932—Last Day for general registration by personal application for said election.

C. E. PATTERSON, Twp. Clerk. 10-7-2

**Statement of the Ownership, Management, etc., required by the**

Act of Congress of Aug. 24, 1912, of Cass City Chronicle published weekly at Cass City, Michigan, for Oct. 1, 1932.

State of Michigan, County of Tuscola, ss.

Before me, a notary public in and for the state and county aforesaid, personally appeared H. F. Lenzner, who having been duly sworn according to law, deposes and says that he is the publisher of the Cass City Chronicle and that the following is, to the best of his knowledge and belief, a true statement of the ownership, management, etc., of the aforesaid publication for the date shown in the above caption, required by the Act of August 24, 1912, embodied in section 411, Postal Laws and Regulations, to-wit:

1. That the name and address of the publisher and editor are: H. F. Lenzner, Cass City, Mich.

2. That the owner is:

H. F. Lenzner, Cass City, Mich.

3. That the known bondholders, mortgagees, and other security holders owning or holding 1 per cent or more of total amount of bonds, mortgages, or other securities are: (If there are none, so state). None.

H. F. Lenzner, Publisher.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 4th day of Oct., 1932. (Seal).

D. W. Benkelman,

Notary Public, Tuscola County, Michigan.

My commission expires Apr. 10, 1933.

**Pastime Theatre**

Cass City

FRIDAY and SATURDAY

10c and 25c

TOM MIX in

**The Rider of**

**Death Valley**

Also Heroes of the West

SUNDAY and MONDAY

10c and 25c

RICHARD CORTEZ in

**Reckless**

**Living**

Also Comedy-News

TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY

and THURSDAY

10c and 15c

GEORGE SIDNEY in

The

**Cohens and Kellys**

**in Hollywood**

OCTOBER 28, 29, 30.

BRING 'EM BACK ALIVE

10c and 25c

## Church

**Wickware M. E. Church.**—There will be preaching services at the Wickware Methodist Episcopal church on Friday, October 7, at 8:00 p. m. An Epworth League meeting will follow.

Herbert N. Hichens, Pastor.

**Mennonite Church.**—G. D. Clink, Pastor.

Riverside, Thursday evening, Oct. 6, prayer meeting at Irwin Wanner's residence in town.

At ten o'clock Sunday morning, preaching, followed by Sunday School. At eight o'clock, Sunday evening, evangelistic sermon.

Mizpah.—At ten thirty, Sunday School followed by preaching.

**Novesta Church of Christ.**—Lord's Day, Oct. 9. 10:30, Bible study. 11:30 a. m., communion and preaching. Subject, "Why We Suffer?" 8:00 p. m. subject, "Our Debt of Gratitude to Freemasonry." Special music. Cordial welcome to all.

Paul Jones, Minister.

**Decker M. E. Circuit.**—Shabbona Church.—Sunday school at 10:30 a. m. Young people's service at 8:00 p. m. Topic, "Helps and Hindrances from Within." Leader Mrs. Wm. Wark. 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. Ralph Smith will preach at this service. Prayer service on 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.**—Services for Sunday October 9:

Sunday morning, 9:30, class meeting. Morning worship at 10 o'clock. The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be administered.

We invite all Christians to meet around the Lord's table with us.

Sunday school will meet at 11:15. The Sunday school orchestra will meet for rehearsal on Thursday evening 8:30, at the church.

Joint evening service at the Presbyterian church, 7:30.

Thursday evening 7:30, prayer meeting.

Bethel M. E. Church.—Sunday school at 11:00. At 12:00 noon, the dramatic play entitled, "Out of the Fog," will be presented in the Bethel church by members of the Cass City M. E. Sunday school. A welcome to all.

T. S. Bettrell, Pastor.

**Presbyterian Church.**—Paul J. Allured, Minister. Sunday, Oct. 9:

Morning worship and church school 10:30 to 12:30. Children's story. Sermon text: "Train up a Child in the Way He Should Go." Adult lesson: "The Christian in the Family"—Luke 2:40-52, 10:38-42.

Our unified plan, which provides a two-hour balanced program of worship and instruction for the whole family, is working out better each Sunday as we grow in experience and understanding.

The Christian Endeavor meets at 6:00.

Joint evening service in this church at 7:30. Sermon: "Changing Asia and Its Challenge to the Church."

Mid-week Bible study Thursday, 7:30. Psalm 19, "The Works and the Word of God."

Presbyterian Young People's League meets Saturday, Oct. 15, at the Caro Presbyterian church, from 10:00 a. m. to 5:00 p. m. No expense except price of noon dinner, 35 cents.

**Evangelical Church.**—Sunday, Oct. 9. The S. S. which begins at 10 o'clock enjoyed a very fine attendance last Sunday but our goal is still higher. There is a class for you. The morning worship is at 11 o'clock. The theme, "How Much More." The meditation is a parable of comparison.

The young people's services at 6:45 p. m. are growing in interest. Come and see for yourself. The subject for the evening service which begins at 7:30 is "What shall We Glory in?" During the evening hour of worship, there will be the dedication of our new electric cross. We believe you will enjoy this hour with us and receive the blessing that comes from an hour at the foot of the cross.

H. I. Voelker, Pastor.

**Baptist Church.**—Preaching Sunday morning at 10:30. Theme, "Dividing the Work." Sunday school at 11:45. Cecil Brown, superintendent.

Junior B. Y. P. U. at 3:00.

Senior B. Y. P. U. at 6:30.

Preaching at 7:30. Subject, "The Man that Took the Back-seat." This is the second of the series on "Men That Jesus Made." A mass meeting for men with a men's choir.

Happy-Half-Hour at 8:30. Prayer and Bible study Thursday evening at 7:30.

Choir rehearsal Thursday evening at 8:30.

William R. Curtis, Pastor.

## Plan New Methods to Sell Turkeys

An effort to assist Michigan turkey owners to get a fair price for the birds marketed this fall will be made by the poultry department at Michigan State College which asks all growers of Thanksgiving birds to cooperate in this campaign.

The marketing plan is simple, consisting of bringing all the birds to a central point and securing bids for them from representatives of reliable firms. There will be no costs of organization and probably no other expense in this marketing plan.

The success of the marketing depends upon the willingness of growers to cooperate and to send information to the College poultry department about the number of birds owned and when they are to be marketed. In communities where enough birds are owned to make centralization and bid plan practical, owners will bring their birds in at designated times to get the bids from poultry buyers.

Buyers from Detroit, Chicago, New York, and other large cities have shown interest in the plan and will send representatives to bid on the poultry if they are satisfied enough birds of good quality will be offered at central points. A representative of the Michigan Turkey Growers Association will be at the marketing points and the birds will be offered for sale on a graded basis if possible.

Questionnaires are being mailed to growers in the state who are known to the college department. Those who have not received this list of questions are asked to assist in the marketing by asking for the questionnaires and by suggesting to their neighbors that they also use the plan.

**Destroy Insects now**

**with Plow and Fire**

Fall plowing and fire are the measures suggested by the entomology department at Michigan State College for destroying insects to lessen depredations in orchards and gardens next year.

Many of the pests which damage fruits and vegetables pass the winter hidden under trash or in vegetation or prunings from trees or vines. Fence rows, fields overgrown with grass and weeds, remnants from crops, or brush piles are ideal winter quarters for bugs.

Insects may pass the winter as adults, larva, or pupa but they are ready to start a campaign of destruction in the spring if the fall clean-up measures have not destroyed them. The insects which live over winter in the ground can only be reached by fall plowing but the burning of trash near orchards and gardens will kill thousands which use such places for winter homes.

Early frosts do not stop the increase and feeding of such insects as squash bugs and aphids which may be found in thousands on stumps of cabbage plants. The tarnished plant bug gets its fall meals from rag weed plants. Insects which attack bramble fruits can pass through all stages of their existence in the pruning from vines or canes.

The squash vine borer and the tomato worm pass the winter underground and the same winter resort serves for the bean maggot. Use of the plow on these insects and of fire for those living above ground will save many dollars next year.

**DEFORD.**

**Building Improvements.**

The John Walk residence looks finely in its new white paint job, also the Ben Hicks home of the same color. The R. E. Bruce house is being re-roofed. Homer Howard has a new chicken house, 14x40. The James Nelson buildings, known as the Wm. Cooper property all newly painted and the fine new dwelling house of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Pelton attest that repairing and building go forward as in other years.

Mrs. Lillie Wilson, who is at the home of her mother, Mrs. Louis Slickton, still continues very ill.

Mrs. Wm. Bentley is still confined to her bed. Their children, Mr. and Mrs. Bemis Bentley, of Lapeer, were Sunday visitors at the Bentley home.

The following betrothal announcement was taken from a copy of a Saginaw paper: The engagement of Miss Marion Retherford, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Retherford, of Deford, to Alvin Seidel, son of Mr. and Mrs. Christian Seidel, of Saginaw was announced Friday evening at a party at Miss Retherford's apartment, 2408 North Michigan Avenue. The wedding will take place October 15.

The many Deford friends of Cassius Lewis of Caro will be glad to know of his continued improvement in health since his recent operation.

Miss Maud Quinn of Kalamazoo acquired many warm friendships while at Deford bank as book-keeper. Miss Quinn has been

poorly for some years. Mrs. Olive Webster received a letter the past week indicating improvement of her health to some extent.

Mrs. Mary Parks, who has been absent most of the year, was a caller on Sunday at her home here.

Mrs. Bertha Cooper is a visitor for this week at Pontiac.

Miss Bernice Gage is in Detroit for the week.

Miss Eva Hiser spent the week-end at Caro, a guest at the home of her aunt, Mrs. George Gee.

Mr. and Mrs. Clare Smith were Sunday callers at the Louis Sherwood home. Mrs. Sherwood returned with them after a week of absence at the Smith home at Birmingham.

Mrs. Ed Sutton of Detroit, son, Harold, and Mrs. Arthur Howell and daughter were visitors Thursday and Friday at the Sutton farm. Miss Minnie Sutton also came for a two weeks' stay.

James Redli spent the past week at Detroit at the George Thompson home.

Chas. Nemeth was a business caller in Detroit Friday and Saturday where he purchased a Ford truck.

J. D. Hicks of Detroit was a visitor of the week of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Hicks.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ball had as guests Friday and Saturday Mr. and Mrs. Thompson of Davisburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Cuer were visitors Tuesday at Avoca.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hegler, had as guests Saturday and Sunday, Mrs. Wesley Hamburg and two sons, Mr. and Mrs. Lou Carrier,

all of Detroit, and on Sunday John Gallagher, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Gallagher and daughter, Mary Ann, of Cass City.

Visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Sole during the week were Mr. and Mrs. Vern Whitney and daughter, Betty, and Mrs. Lynn Taylor and children, all of Hazel Park, and Mrs. Frank Evo and Don Evo of Wahjamega.

Guests of Sunday at the Howard Retherford home were Mr. and Mrs. Robert Brown, Mrs. Vilas Vandecar and children of Caro, and Mrs. Mary Sage of Vassar.

Mr. and Mrs. John Wentworth of North Branch spent Sunday at the Ben Wentworth home.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Vance of Clifford called on Tuesday evening at the Rolland Bruce home. Mr. Vance is in very poor health and plans to go to Ann Arbor in the near future for a diagnosis of his ailment.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Palmateer and family spent Sunday in Attica at the home of Mrs. P's mother, Mrs. G. Black, who is in very poor health.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Perry spent the week-end at the Wesley Perry home at Lapeer.

Elmer Bruce, Mr. and Mrs. Rolland Bruce and son, Jesse, and Axel Collins were Sunday visitors at the Wm. Patch home.

Rev. L. D. Welton drives a new Essex six coach.

Mrs. Byron Kelley of Caro spent Tuesday at the Biddle home.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Patterson were Sunday visitors at Marlette.

C. J. Malcolm was a business caller on Tuesday at Caro.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Vorhes spent the week-end with relatives at Berville.

**HOSPITAL NOTES.**

Albert Haskell of Port Austin, who entered Tuesday of last week, was operated on the same day. He is still a patient at the hospital.

James Filion of Port Austin is still a patient here.

Mrs. Mary M. Moore was admitted Friday and was operated on the same day. She was taken to

her home Saturday afternoon.

Earl Scott, eight year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Milton Scott of Detroit, entered Saturday and underwent an operation the same day.

Mrs. Mary Englehard was able to be taken to her home in Kilmanagh Thursday.

Earl Smith left Thursday for his home in Fairgrove.

Mrs. Doris Passow of Saginaw is doing special nursing at the hospital.

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On Saturday, Oct. 15, a prize will be given to the one who calculates most closely the number of seeds in a pumpkin on display at our store. Ask us !!!

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# The White House Conference

(Excerpts from articles prepared by Michigan editors who called on President Hoover.)

Floyd J. Miller, Editor of the Royal Oak Tribune.

\* \* Briefly, one's impressions of the conference might be summed up as follows:

1. Herbert Hoover understands probably better than any other man, "what it is all about," the causes and nature of the depression.
2. He has done more than any other man, already, to overcome the depression that has threatened to engulf the whole world.
3. He is thinking of the whole situation from the standpoint of a humanitarian, which he is; and very little from a political standpoint.
4. He radiates strength, cheerfulness and a quiet confidence that, silently, speaks more loudly than any words. One realizes that here is one of the world's biggest men; and that this bigness is evidenced in a powerful, straight-forward attack on the problems at hand without egotism or worry about his own personal or political fortunes.
5. Not only does the average man have no idea of the size and importance of the great world economic battle, but even the captains, the majors and the colonels who are helping fight it are ignorant of many of its horrors, and the narrow escapes from catastrophe. Only the commander-in-chief must bear the brunt of all the problems, must be aware of all the dangers.

In a way it is unfortunate that the rules absolutely forbid one to quote a President, directly or indirectly, on such an occasion. Because of the great importance of his every word, only statements that are given out in writing to the entire nation can be quoted.

On the other hand, the protection of this custom and the absolute confidence reposed in this group of twenty Michigan newspapermen allowed him to drop the curtain of formality and necessary official secrecy. It was as though we were taken personally to the very front trenches of a great battle, where we could see and hear all without being killed. We learned of great deeds of heroism; too, we learned of dirty treason by many who pose as our business leaders or as loyal Americans in the ranks. There is plenty of yellow in the backbones of this country. Its workings are a stab at the heart of every leader and President Hoover displayed more feeling over this than any other blows which he has had to withstand. Like Caesar, amazed at the duplicity of his old friend, Brutus, Herbert Hoover has been deeply grieved at the double-dealing of those Americans whose actions to save their own financial skin might have wrecked the nation.

Senator Chester M. Howell in the Chesaning Argus

\* \* \* If I live to be 100 years, which I don't expect to do, I will never forget the words that came from the President's mouth. I will never forget the calm and determined self assurance with which he spoke, slowly and pointedly of the accomplishments of the administration, particularly during the stormy days of congress and the great rehabilitation which has occurred since that time.

I sat about seven feet from the president and looked directly into his eyes and his face all the time he was talking. That night I went over his talk; in my mind, and I could see him as the giant saviour of the country holding on his two shoulders, not only the people of the United States, but the whole world. \* \* \*

President Hoover was not under wraps talking to us. He unburdened himself and there was no hesitancy in what he said. There was a smile of satisfaction on his face as he talked and recited the achievements which have been accomplished during the perilous days which he thinks, and officials of Washington believe, are gone, at least the big danger point is long in the past. If I were to put down on paper some of the stories President Hoover said—Well, I am quite afraid that some of the trying days, and they are yet trying, would have to be lived over again for panics (not depressions) might jump up here and there to bite such publicity.

That's the spot President Hoover is in with the great election seven weeks away. He has done a great job, he has gone through hell for his countrymen and he is now looking to the world economics congress as a means of stabilizing the problems of other great nations of the world and I honestly believe that Hoover, the builder, put in exactly the same position George Washington and Abraham Lincoln were, is not thinking very much about the second term. I believe, and I could see in his tone of conversation, and the light in his eyes, genuine satisfaction in

doing for the people of this country what he did for starving Belgians back in the world war days. \* \* \*

It seems the political world is torn with trouble and discontent and some folks are just running around making up things and capitalizing on the troubles of others and stirring up the masses—well, we went down to see and hear and every last one of the newspaper gang came away with a feeling of genuine sympathy for this President of ours.

We wish the pages of history could be turned ahead for a few years—so the real worth of this giant of mind and action could be given the proper place in the history of the world's strong men. You may be interested in the details of this visit of ours which lasted one hour and 35 minutes. Every member paid his own expenses down to Washington and back and while it was tough, every member believes that he, himself, and he hopes his readers have profited immensely. That visit will live forever in the minds of those who sat at the feet of the President and heard him unfold the history of the fight back to save this country.

All the time the President talked he sat in a big easy chair, first one leg crossed over the other, then the other leg crossed. He had on evening clothes. He smoked a cigar and cigars were passed around to the party. I smoked two of Mr. Hoover's cigars and some of the boys smoked his cigarettes. The president, you know has, or did have considerable of an independent fortune.

Mrs. Hoover does not smoke cigarettes if you are interested in that and she is a most charming lady to meet. She just radiates the spirit of "we're both so glad you have come."

Major Elton R. Eaton in the Plymouth Mail

\* \* \* It was a rare privilege of the editor of the Plymouth Mail to be a member of a group of Michigan newspaper publishers who were invited to meet President Herbert Hoover Monday evening and hear him discuss for a period of two hours the problems of this nation and the rest of the world. It was a discussion such as the president seldom enters into and one that every publisher present felt perfectly free to take part in. \* \* \*

Out of it all came a clear picture of the tremendous efforts this country is putting forth to help the entire world right its economic problems, and out of it came the knowledge too, that the stability of the nations of other continents depends entirely upon the success of our country in meeting the rapidly changing business changes that every business and every person is confronted with. \* \* \*

The United States government for nearly two years has been

bearing the brunt of the business problems of the world. First came the collapse of the Austrian business structure. Then followed that of Germany, with its financial system completely wrecked. With the business system in Central Europe in chaos, it did not take long for the economic affairs of England to become involved. \* \* \*

When England went off the gold standard it provided the climax that led to the near business collapse of every nation and directly affecting the affairs of the United States.

With this background in mind, the twenty Michigan publishers had but little difficulty in understanding the vastness of the task that confronted Washington, and that it set out to accomplish, not only for the protection of our own country, but in an effort to stabilize the affairs of the world. America can no longer look upon itself as a country entirely immune to other nations. \* \* \*

Out of the depression, it is clearly evident that there is to come a new economic standard, a new method of doing business—and that adjustment is now taking place.

Everyone associated with the Washington government believes that the critical period was passed in June, that it was in the spring when this country faced its greatest danger and overcame it. For months there has been a steady improvement in the general conditions of not only the United States, but most of the other parts of the world as well. The legislative program advanced by President Hoover and supported by both Democrats and Republicans provided the methods for blocking the inroads that were being made into the business morale of the nation.

It brought back the confidence of the people and it checked the demands being made upon banks and insurance companies for money. It not only checked this onslaught on the resources of the nation, but it provided the financial institutions with the reserve that was necessary to offset the money that went into the old shoe in the closet or into banks across the border line.

## HOLBROOK.

A large number attended church Sunday and enjoyed the singing by Mrs. Bradford. She will sing for us again soon. Come and hear her.

We are glad to welcome our pastor, Rev. Hichens, back for the coming year.

Mrs. Floyd Shubel of Detroit is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Jackson.

Mrs. Jack Robinson visited last week at the home of her sister, Mrs. Wm. McDonald, at Bad Axe.

Glen Shagena was pleasantly

surprised Saturday evening when a large number of his friends came to help him celebrate his birthday. All enjoyed dancing and the lovely supper served by Mrs. Shagena. Many happy returns of the day, Glen.

The Holbrook Ladies' Aid received nine dollars from their bake sale held at the M. D. Hartt store Saturday afternoon. We thank the Cass City people for their patronage.

## NOVESTA.

Silo filling is all closed. Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Bruce and family spent Sunday afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Colin Ferguson.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Sidelinker of Detroit were Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Henderson.

John McArthur and daughter, Mabel, and Mrs. George McArthur were Caro callers Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Smith spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John Grey in Ellington township. Mrs. Grey put on a fine birthday dinner in honor of Mr. Smith's 79th birthday which occurred on Saturday, Oct. 1.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bonsteel and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Jones of Brown City, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Richardson and Mrs. Peter Greer of Otisville and Mr. and Mrs. Orson Valentine of Oxford were Sunday company at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Pringle.

William Churchill is having some trouble with rheumatism in his shoulders.

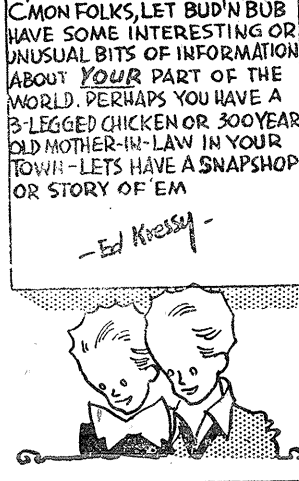
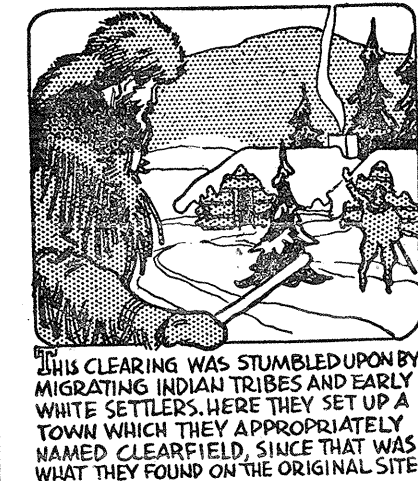
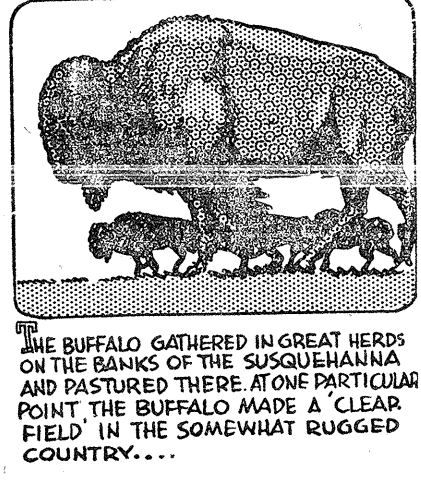
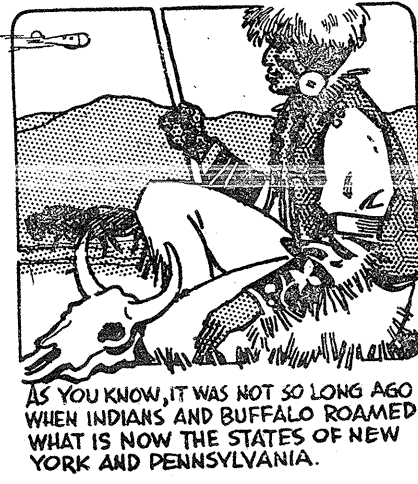
The Novesta Ladies' Aid Society of the F. W. B. church will hold their October meeting and 12 o'clock dinner with Mr. and Mrs. E. Elwell on M-53, on Tuesday, Oct. 11. Everybody welcome.

Visitors at the Lee Brooks home on Sunday included Mr. and Mrs. Clem Tyo and two daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Forest Tyo, Mr. and Mrs. Morris O'Connor and baby, Carl and Miss Marie Vader, all of Cass City; Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Retherford and daughter, Evelyn, and Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Wagner of South Novesta.

## BUD 'n' BUB

WHEN BUFFALO STARTED A TOWN.

By ED KRESSY



## ELMWOOD.

Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Smith of Novesta were Sunday guests at the John Grey home.

Stephen Moore and Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Moore spent Tuesday in Detroit and Pontiac.

The Misses Hilda, Marie and Iva O'Dell attended the Nazarene young people's rally at Gagetown Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Seeley entertained on Sunday Mr. and Mrs. A. VanConant and daughter of Flint, Mr. and Mrs. Orson Hiser and family of Unionville and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Burse.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Little and sons of Ellington were Sunday guests at the Wm. Jackson home.

## ELLINGTON-NOVESTA.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Little and sons were Sunday afternoon callers at the Wm. Jackson home in Elmwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Parrott were entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Tallmadge in Sandusky.

Mrs. Neil McLaren of Bishop Calif., was a dinner guest of Mr.

and Mrs. J. D. Tuckey on Saturday.

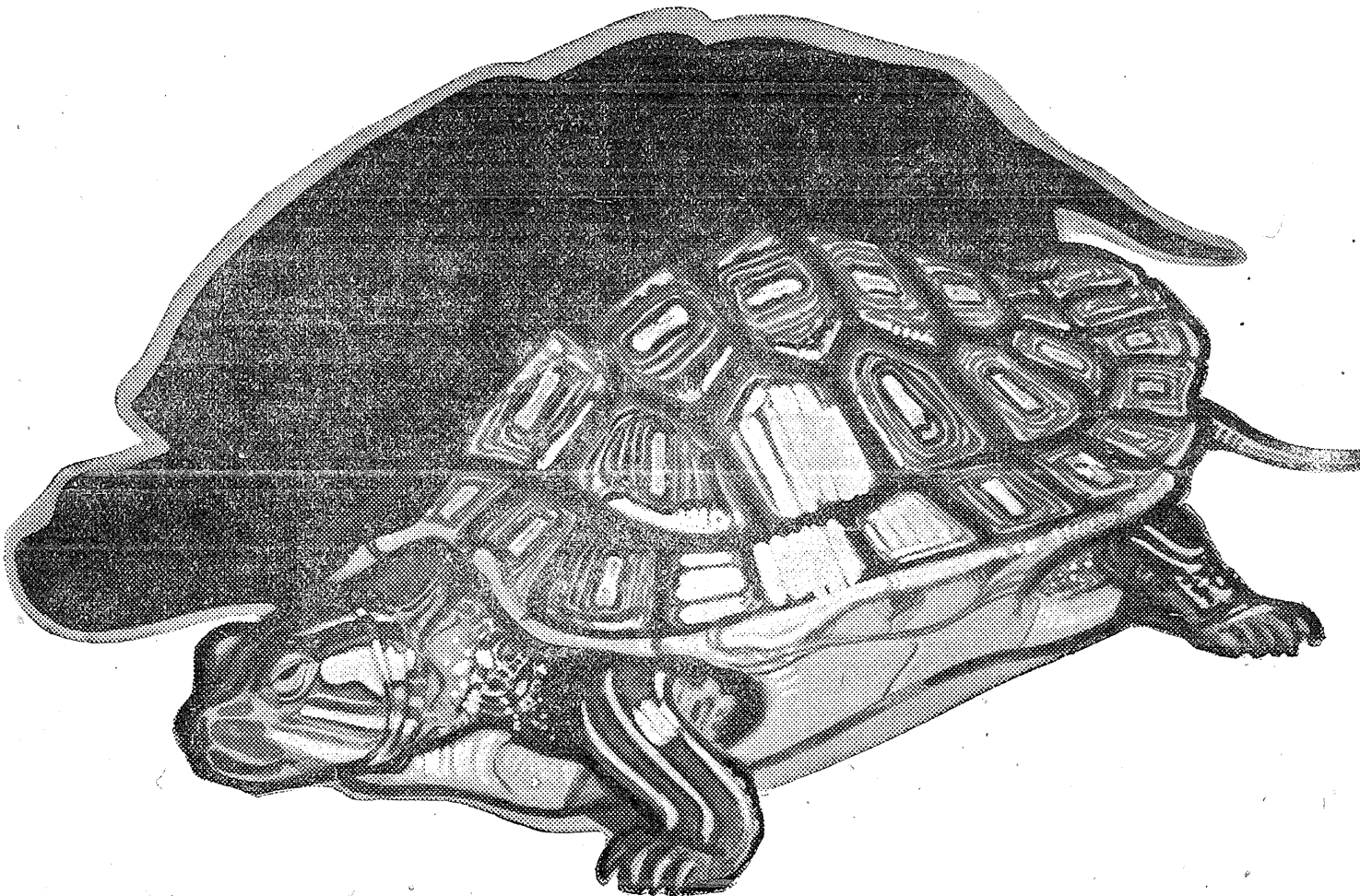
Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Kitchin of Evergreen spent Sunday at the Allen Wanner home.

Miss Elaine Turner spent the week-end at the Mack Little home.

## Flag Collections

There is a partial exhibit of different United States flags since June 4, 1777, in the Arts and Industries building of the United States National Museum in Washington, D. C. The United States Navy department also has a valuable collection, but the flags in this one antedate rather than follow the year 1777.

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The next time you have a bilious headache, or feel all bound-up, take this delicious syrup instead of the

usual cathartic. You'll be rid of all that poisonous waste, and you haven't weakened the bowels. You'll have a better appetite, and feel better in every way. The constant use of cathartics is often the cause of a sallow complexion and lines in the face. And so unnecessary!

Would you like to break yourself of the cathartic habit? At the same time building health and vigor that protects you from frequent sick spells, headaches, and colds? Get a big bottle of Dr. Caldwell's syrup pepsin today. Use often enough to avoid those attacks of constipation. When you feel weak and run-down or a coated tongue or bad breath warns you the bowels need to be stimulated. Give it to children instead of strong laxatives that sap their strength. It isn't expensive.



## The Black Box of Silence

By Francis Lynde

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### CHAPTER VII

#### At the Cinnabar.

"I LEARNED something, but not as much as I hoped to," said Markham, in answer to Landis' repeated question as to what he had learned by following Canby and the three; and he recounted the talk he had overheard. "All I can make out of it is that Canby is hooked up with these men in some sort of a deal in which he is the kingpin."

"You say Canby gave the others a map?"

"Something of the sort. He called it 'the layout.'"

"What did he mean by saying that the three had yelled for help?"

"That is just another of the mysteries."

"You heard what Betty told us; that they had bought their train tickets, and then Canby changed his mind and asked them if they didn't want to drive? I'm wondering if it wasn't the yell for help that made him change his mind and plans?"

"It may have been."

Step by step, each new development, or half development, pointed to Canby as the thief of the black box of silence. But if Canby were the thief, Betty Lawson was just as certainly his accessory. And that, Markham thought, was unbelievable. Yet there was the great stone, tumbling down the mountain side in utter silence, to point the finger of implication at Canby. What desperate undertaking was Canby engaged in that would warrant a cold-blooded double murder as one of its conditions?

The lights of Copah had long since vanished in the eastward distance before Markham spoke again. "Sorry your time with Betty was cut so short, Owen. But maybe we'll see more of her later."

"The time was long enough," was the sober reply. And then, half hesitantly, "I'm out of it with Betty, Wally. Canby's the man."

"No, he isn't; not if our suspicions are justified."

Landis' smile was a mere barring of the teeth. "You ought to know women better than that, Wally. Business deals, straight or crooked, don't mean anything to a woman in love."

"If you think Betty would wink at criminality, even in her lover—"

"We haven't anything to base a charge of criminality on."

"Nothing positive, maybe. But what I overheard in Copah seems to lean that way—not to go any farther back in the mess."

"Do you think so?"

"I'm thinking so hard enough to make me run the wheels off this wagon to keep in touch with that Fleetwing Eight somewhere ahead of us."

As he spoke, the roadster was

Order for Publication—Appointment of Administrator.—State of Michigan, the Probate Court for the County of Tuscola.

At a session of said court, held at the Probate Office in the Village of Caro in said county, on the 20th day of September, A. D. 1932.

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

In the matter of the Estate of Catherine Yakes, Deceased.

Ida Vickers having filed in said court her petition praying that the administration of said estate be granted to Mary Y. Mark, or to some other suitable person.

It is ordered, that the 20th day of October, A. D. 1932, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition;

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

GUY G. HILL, Judge of Probate.

A true copy.

Minta E. Hill, Register of Probate.

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

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

Notice is hereby given that 4 months from the 23rd day of September, A. D. 1932, have been allowed for creditors to present their claims against said deceased to said court for examination and adjustment, and that all creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said court, at the probate office, in the Village of Caro, in said county, on or before the 23rd day of January, A. D. 1933, and that said claims will be heard by said court on Tuesday the 23rd day of January, A. D. 1933, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated September 23 A. D. 1932.

GUY G. HILL, Judge of Probate.

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topping a slight rise, and Landis pointed out a faint dot in the forward distance. "You've got the touch," he remarked.

After this, for an interminable time, the two flying cars held their relative positions. It was not until they began to draw in toward the foothills at the northwestern edge of the desert that they lost sight permanently of the red dot in advance. They came to the little way station of Atropia on the railroad, where the road forked.

"Here's where we balk," Markham announced, slowing down. Then he recalled what Canby had said to the man who was driving the Fleetwing, "Your route book will show you where to turn off." But which was the "turn off"—to the left with the railroad, or to the right up the mountain?

Climbing out, they crossed the tracks to the railroad station. When they stepped inside they almost ran into the arms of a group of roughly dressed men, each man nursing a Winchester. Markham apologized for stumbling over the feet of one of the men.

"My fault," said the one whose feet had suffered. "I wasn't looking for anybody to open the door. Are you traveling—or just going somewhere?"

"Both," Markham said with a grin. "More particularly, we are trying to keep in touch with three—er—friends just ahead of us in a Fleetwing Eight, and we don't know which road they've taken. Perhaps you can help us. Do both of these roads go over to Brewster in the Timanyoni?"

"They do," The speaker was evidently the leader of the squad of armed men. "The one to the left follows the railroad as far as it can, and then climbs the Timanyoni range by way of Led Horse pass. The other begins to climb right here and goes in over Dump Mountain, and the two come together at one of the big hills south of Brewster."

"Thanks," said Markham; "but we don't know which way our—the Fleetwing went."

"I can help you there. It went up the mountain."

"That helps us," Markham asserted. Then, "A mining man, are you? I didn't know there were any mines over here."

"There are not many. Ours, the Cinnabar, is about the only one shipping ore just now. Broughton's mine."

"Markham is mine," was the prompt rejoinder; "and this is my friend, Owen Landis. Much obliged for the information about the roads. We'll be getting along before our Fleetwing party gets too far ahead of us."

As they went out the young mine owner followed them.

"I'm no alarmist," he said, "but are you gentlemen 'heeled,' as we say out in this part of the world?"

Markham grinned and pulled out his two automatics—much to Landis' astonishment, since Markham had neglected to mention his purchase.

"Will these do?"

"Fine and dandy, if you know how to use 'em. Reason I spoke was that we're down here for our payroll money—it's coming on Forty-One—and I had a hint that Red Gunter and his gang might try to grab it off. That's why so many of us are here with the bells on. But if there's anything in the rumor, and they are after us, they likely won't bother with you. So long, and he went back into the station building.

As the two friends reached the car the distance-diminishing bellow of a locomotive broke the silence of the desert night.

"There comes Broughton's train," said Landis. "Let's get away ahead of his truck. Then we won't have to pass it on the mountain road."

"You didn't speak soon enough," Markham grumbled, kicking a flat tire under the roadster. "I wonder what did that?"

Whatever had done it, the tire had to be changed, and they fell to work. When it came to the replacement they found that the spare was only about half inflated and would have to be pumped up—by hand. While they were rigging the pump the train came thundering in, made its brief halt, and went clattering on.

Shortly after the disappearance of the train they heard the starting roar of the mine truck's motor, and a moment later the truck, with its load of armed men passed them.

After the truck had gone, they found the tire pump in their roadster's equipment kit had a leaky check-valve, and wouldn't hold long enough to put the proper pressure into the half-inflated tire. While they were taking turns at the leaky pump, the railroad agent came across on his way home, and asked if he could help them out.

"Not unless you can tell us where we can borrow a decent tire pump," said Landis.

"Why, yes," was the friendly answer. "I've got a flivver, and a tire pump is about the most useful attachment it has. Wait, and I'll fetch it."

He crossed to a shed behind the nearest of the half-dozen darkened houses and presently returned with the pump, good-naturedly taking a hand and helping them fill the big spare.

"You've saved our lives," Markham said, returning the borrowed pump. "Thanks a thousand times. Good night."

"No. Were you expecting to meet friends here?"

As he started the motor he glanced at the dash clock.

"It was just midnight when we stopped, and now it's a quarter to one; three-quarters of an hour wasted—time enough to put that Fleetwing thirty miles ahead! That's the toughest piece of luck we've struck yet! We're out of the fight, so far as keeping cases on the Fleetwing is concerned," Markham grumbled, as the car stormed the grade.

They had surmounted the first long grade, of possibly five miles, when a sudden turn in the road brought a group of mine buildings into view, the scene partly lighted by the red glow of a conflagration at the roadside. Markham let the car roll slowly up. When he stopped, Broughton put a foot on the running board.

"Well, Red got us, after all. Blew the safe and the commissary all to hell and set the wreck afire."

Landis saw two blanket-covered figures lying under a tree and said, "Casualties?"

"Yes; murder. My day foreman and the watchman. There was a gun battle; both of the foreman's guns were empty when we found them. But what's running us all ragged is the fact that nobody in the whole camp heard a sound while all this was going on; wouldn't have known about it till morning, I suppose, if a miner's girl in one of the cabins hadn't happened to wake up and see the light of the fire. Isn't it hell?"

"What's that?" Landis cut in. "You say nobody heard the explosion? But perhaps there wasn't any explosion."

"Oh, yes there was; safe looks as if it had been hit by an H. E. shell. Besides, there was gun fire."

Just here one of his men drew Broughton away.

"Not much doubt as to who has your black box now, is there?" Markham asked Landis. "Not very much. The circumstantial evidence is piling in too thick and fast to leave much room for doubt."

"I don't want to believe that these men are the criminals," said Landis.

"Why not?"

"Don't you see! If they are, Herbert Canby is the fourth."

"Well, what if he is?"

"He is going to marry Betty."

"Ump! That's up to you, isn't it?"

"Not now. It has gone too far." Markham made no comment upon this until after they had passed the point where the shorter road by way of Red Horse pass came in. Then he said, "You have only yourself to blame, Owen. It's just as I told you the night you showed me your invention; a girl can't wait forever. I don't suppose you have ever asked Betty to marry you."

"No, I haven't," was the straightforward confession. "It's this way. Betty has always had a small time of it as her father's daughter. The 'U' doesn't pay its faculty members enough to warrant any other kind of time for their families. And she deserves something better."

"So you've been waiting until you could invent something that you could sell for enough money to let her wear diamonds? You don't know Betty Lawson half as well as I do, even if you are her lover! I—hello—what's that?"

In the bottom of the gulch, some distance below the road, a fire, too large to figure as a campfire, was burning. Markham stopped the car.

"Queer," said Landis. "Doesn't seem to be anything down there to burn."

"No; but I haven't curiosity enough to make me climb down there to find out what it is. I don't know how you feel, but I'm about dead for sleep. Let's go."

Due to a blowout which hit them shortly after passing the gulch of the mysterious fire, and which imposed a rather tedious job of casing changing, the early summer dawn was breaking as they skirted Lake Topaz. A little later they came to a group of mine buildings, one of which bore the legend:

"LITTLE ALICE MINING COMPANY"

"MAXWELL & STARBUCK"

"By George!" Markham exclaimed, as he read the sign. "I never knew before just where that mine was."

"What about it?" Landis asked.

"Why nothing much, except that I own a few shares of stock in it; one of the items in the little legacy my mother left me. She was distantly related to Starbuck; or rather to Mrs. Starbuck's family. I've never taken the trouble to look up the location of the mine. I dimly remember the Starbucks. They stopped over in Carthage with us on their wedding trip when I was a kid. If they live in Brewster, we'll look them up."

A few miles farther they found themselves looking down on a little city bestriding Timanyoni river. A little later they stopped in front of a modern hotel. Turning the roadster over to the uniformed "hostler" they went in to register.

"Have you had anybody else in from the east this morning?" Markham asked.

"Yes; a party of three—came in a couple of hours ago. A Doctor Lawson and his daughter, and Mr. Canby."

"Nobody else?" Markham pressed.

"No. Were you expecting to meet friends here?"

"These three gentlemen from Louisville," said Markham, producing his memorandum of the three names.

The clerk read the names and smiled. "You've got your schedules mixed, some way," he suggested. "We have reservations made for these gentlemen for the twenty-eighth. You've beat them to it by a week or more."

"So?" said Markham. "That's a bit odd. They've been just ahead of us all the way across from Indiana, and they drove out of Copah last night a very short time before we did."

"Well," said the clerk, "they'll have to take what they can get, if they turn up now. Their date is the twenty-eighth. You say they left Copah ahead of you? Then you must have passed them somewhere on the road."

"Maybe we did," Markham offered; and with that they followed the boy to the elevator, somewhat mystified.

They were up in time to make the dining room for a late luncheon. At a table opposite sat an elderly man of a type which is fast disappearing, even in the farther West; the pioneer who has made good, and is at last able to take his ease in a civilization for which he was once one of the pathfinders.

Never hampered by the formalities, Markham passed his card across the table and got precisely the reaction the elderly man's appearance presaged.

"That's neighborly. Glad to know you, Mr. Markham. My name is Starbuck," and he reached across the table and shook hands.

"Thanks," said Wally with his good-natured grin. Then, "Not, by any chance, Mr. William Starbuck, a partner in the Little Alice mine?"

The bronze-faced man smiled. "There's only one of me, I guess."

"Um. You've just shaken hands with a faraway cousin by marriage, Mr. Starbuck; also, with a very small fractional owner in your mine. My mother was a Fairbairn on her mother's side; and once—I think it was on your wedding trip—you stopped off for a short time with us in Carthage. But, excuse me; you shook hands with me—won't you repeat the operation with my friend, Owen Landis?"

"Sure! And he's as welcome to the Timanyoni as you are, Walter."

"Gosh!" said Markham. "You don't mean to say you remember my name?"

"Sure I do; now that you've told me who you are. I recollect you as a fat-faced little chap, but, of course, I wouldn't have known you from Adam now. What are you and Mr. Landis doing?"

"No plans whatever; just driving about to see how far we can go on so many gallons of gas."

The mine owner nodded. "I see. You may not believe it, to look at me now, but I was young once, myself—and I sure had a restless foot. I'm sorry Mrs. Starbuck and the girls are on a trip east. If they were here, we'd have you both out of this dump, pronto; not that it isn't a pretty fair sort of posada, at that."

"I'll say it is," said Markham. "Wouldn't you, Owen?"

Landis agreed. "The Carthage Banner would run double-headed editorials about it for a week if we had a hotel as good as this at home."

"Speaking of Carthage reminds me," Starbuck put in. "There are three other people from your town in the hotel; got in this morning. Maybe you know 'em—or know about 'em?"

"We know two of them rather better than well. Professor Lawson used to make a mamma's pet of Owen, here, at the same time that he was doing his level best to funk me in Physics Four."

Starbuck smiled. "I took an eye-shot at the professor—and at the daughter. I take it you'll both agree with me if I say that Miss Lawson is pretty enough to start a stopped clock?"

"Ask Owen," said Markham with a grin; and Starbuck switched to the third member of the party.

"This Canby person, who writes himself down as from Carthage: do you know him, too?"

Markham answered for both. "Reasonably well; though we haven't known him very long. He is a comparatively newcomer in our town."

Starbuck's smile was grim. "Using the word you just now tacked onto your friends, the Lawsons, we know him a heap better than well, out here."

"Is it tellable?" Markham asked.

"Oh, sure. He was here all last summer—booming a bauxite mining and reduction scheme; sold a good chunk of stock."

"And afterward?" Wally prompted.

"There wasn't any afterward, not so you could notice it. The boomed mine was—well you might say it wasn't exactly a straight fake, because there was, and is, a small deposit of the mineral in it, but not enough to make it a commercial proposition."

"All of which is mighty interesting to listen to," Markham commented. "The more so, because just now he is trying a float a factory-and-addition scheme in our town. I'm wondering what brings him out here, right in the thick of his Carthage promotion."

"I might be able to tip you off as to that," said the mine owner. "Can-

by made a barrel of easy money out of us here—and then got his own feet wet. About half a mile above the Little Alice there is a mine that is older than anything else in this neck o' the woods. When Lake Topaz began to be a summer resort the old Quavapai, as it's called, became a sort of show place for tourists, like the Mammoth cave. About two years ago a bunch of tinhorn treezeouts from Tonopah came over here and reloaded the Quavapai; claimed they'd explored it and found new mineral in it. We never have known the real inside, but it's



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the general belief that they were salting the mine and fixing to stick somebody with it. Anyhow that's how it turned out. They sold the Quavapai to Canby; took his money and faded away."

"The bitter bit, eh?" said Markham with a laugh. "Does he still own it?"

"Owns it and operates it. He has kept a small gang in it ever since he bought it; sending good money after bad, you'd say, because there has never yet been a pound of ore shipped from it. Just what's at the bottom of all this, nobody knows. The place is guarded as if it were a diamond mine. Some think that Canby has actually struck it rich in the Quavapai, and is storing the stuff somewhere inside against a big shipment. Others say he is getting ready to stick somebody else. You can take your choice."

Starbuck glanced at his watch and pushed his chair back.

"Sorry, but I've got to chop it off," he said. "I'm due at the bank for a meeting."

To be continued.

## ARGYLE.

Mylo Vatters was seriously hurt on Friday while working on a silo on the Bert Brooks farm. He was taken to the Tweedie hospital in Sandusky. He suffered a compound fracture of an arm and other major injuries.

Mrs. Blanche Pemon and family of Filion were guests at the Jane McIntyre home on Sunday. Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. Milton Walker of Deckerville and Miss Blanche McLean of Argyle.

Dr. and Mrs. D. D. McNaughton attended the Republican state convention in Detroit on Thursday, September 29.

Mrs. Minta Clark, who is in the hospital at Memphis, is improving in health much to the pleasure of her many friends.

Percy Starr is still confined to his bed. Friends hope for a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. John Gueber were guests of the former's mother in Marlette Sunday.

Mrs. Carrie McNaughton of Argyle, C. W. McPhail of Grand Rapids and Mrs. A. J. Knapp of Cass City were guests at the Jane McIntyre home on Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. John Pettinger and Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Pettinger were Sunday guests at the Warren Nugent home.

Mrs. Anna McLean of Cass City was a caller at the J. H. McIntyre home on Monday.

The Willing Workers will meet with Mrs. Cyrus King, on Thursday, Oct. 13.

ELLINGTON-ELMWOOD.

Mrs. Mame Smith of Rockdale, New York, spent several days visiting at the Irvin McDuff home.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Dean and Mrs. Mame Smith were Sunday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tony Riskey of Bach.

Wm. Spaulding of Flint spent the week-end at the Cleo Spaulding home.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Parker of Cass City were Sunday guests at the Dorr W. Perry home.

Miss Mildred Perry and John Graham spent Sunday in Flint. Master Bobby McColey returned to his home after spending a few weeks with his grandparents and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Farmer are on the sick list. Their daughter from Detroit is helping to care for them.

Order for Publication—Account.

State of Michigan, the Probate Court for the County of Tuscola.

At a session of said court, held at the Probate Office in the Village of Caro, in said county, on the 27th day of September, A. D. 1932.

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

In the matter of the Estate of Andrew J. Seeger, Deceased.

George Seeger, having filed in said court his account, and his petition praying for the allowance thereof and for a partial assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate,

It is ordered, that the 25th day of October, A. D. 1932, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for examining and allowing said account and hearing said petition;

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

GUY G. HILL, Judge of Probate.

A true copy.

Minta E. Hill, Register of Probate.

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

At a session of said court, held at the Probate Office in the Village of Caro in said county, on the 9th day of September, A. D. 1932.

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

In the matter of the Estate of David Law.

Chester W. Law having filed in said court his account as Executor of said estate, and his petition praying for the allowance thereof,

It is ordered, that the 11th day of October, A. D. 1932, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for examining and allowing said account;

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

GUY G. HILL, Judge of Probate.

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Lost 20 Lbs. of Fat in Just 4 Weeks

Mrs. Mae West of St. Louis, Mo., writes: "I'm only 28 years old and weighed 170 lbs. until taking one box of your Kruschen Salts just 4 weeks



## NEWS OF THE NEARBY SECTIONS

### Happenings Here and There Garnered from the Chron- icle's Exchanges.

The Sanilac County Republican committee has asked the election commission to place the name of James N. Teets, Sandusky attorney, on the November election ballot in the place of Alex B. Simonson, deceased, for circuit court commissioner. It is expected that Gov. Wilbur M. Brucker will appoint Mr. Teets to finish the unexpired term of Mr. Simonson, which will expire on Dec. 31, 1932.

The office of the Peoples' Elevator Co., at Peck was forcibly entered Tuesday night by prying down a window near the scales. A penny peanut machine containing five pounds of shelled peanuts and about 30c in cash was all that was taken. Evidently the work of small boys who were hungry for goobers.

Harry McQuestion, keeper of the new state park near Caseville, estimated that 70,000 people visited the park during the past summer. The park will be accessible all winter. The tables will be left in place and water pumps will be in working order. The park is three miles northeast of Caseville, on one of the finest stretches of water front in the county.

Ernest Clabusch, cashier of the Pigeon State Bank, at a recent meeting of group six of the Michigan Bankers Association, was elected chairman of the group. John Hands of Sandusky is secretary-treasurer.

Victor Neigenfind, who was signed up with the Cleveland American League baseball team last spring, returned home Monday evening. Victor was the only rookie signed by the Indians who was not farmed out this summer but remained in Cleveland during the entire season. Most of his time was taken up in practice while the team was in the home city. He returns to Cleveland in the spring to be with the team during the training season in the South prior to the opening of the regular playing season.—Sebewaing Blade.

Fifty-eight cases are listed on the calendar of the October session of Huron circuit court which opened before Judge X. A. Boomhower Monday. Out of 14 criminal cases four are prohibition law violations. Theodore Greybowski, former treasurer of Paris township, is to be tried on a charge of embezzlement. The case is an old one having been entered in the calendar May 17, 1930. There are 16 chancery cases on the calendar, five of which are divorce actions.

A new church house is being constructed in the rear of the Presbyterian church at Kinde. Rev. V. E. Coapman is the pastor. A gymnasium 36 by 66 feet is to be the main room in the new structure. The gymnasium will be used for basketball and for social and recreational events of the community. The community, including persons of all denominations, is cooperating in the construction of the building. Thirty men of Kinde and vicinity donated their labor in laying the concrete floor and walls. A carload of cement was used.

M-53, the Earle Memorial highway, was opened for traffic Friday, completing a paved highway from Marlette to Detroit. The last section of road to be opened was between Burnside and the Lapeer road, five miles north of Marlette. Paving was started this year at the Goodland corners in Lapeer county and brought to Marlette. Marlette will soon hold a celebration commemorating the opening of the pavement.

Seventh district American Legion and auxiliary members will hold their annual meeting in Caro Wednesday afternoon and night, Oct. 19. Officers will be elected at the annual session and a banquet and social program is planned. State Commander John W. Gilmore of Detroit will be the main speaker on the banquet program. Plans are being made for more than 250 Legionnaires and auxiliary members.

The reorganized Brown City Savings bank opened for business Oct. 1 under the new banking laws providing for reorganization. Business men and farmers of the Brown City community expressed confidence in the institution and its officers. The bank was closed for reorganization in April.

### ACOUSTICAL CEILING FOR COURT HOUSE

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The circuit court room will have acoustical material on sidewalls, called Rockoustile, in addition to the acoustical ceiling mentioned above. This material used on the sidewalls is rock wool compressed

into slabs and then cut into blocks 12x24 and 1 inch thick, to resemble stone, and is laid up in a stone pattern, and cemented directly to the sidewalls and is intended to absorb sounds and noises which strike against the sidewalls.

The floors of the circuit court room will be covered with rubber tile, which is a very resilient, sound deadening material, and does not give off much noise when people walk on it, thereby again adding to the reduction of noise. Taken as a whole, it will be one of the quietest court rooms possible, resulting in a high degree of efficiency in carrying on court room procedure.

The plastering contractor, George Edwards of Pontiac, has now been working about six weeks and expects to have the plastering completed in one more week, including the setting of the ornamental work.

The Batchelder-Wasmund Co. have had their cleaning staff at work on the exterior stone work for the past week, and have cleaned all the stone and pointed up the mortar joints, which has added greatly to the appearance of the exterior.

The Pittsburg Plate Glass Co. of Saginaw, have been setting the plate glass for the past week in the windows, and the remaining openings will be promptly boarded up and arrangements made to turn heat into the building very soon.

### SO BOSS!

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Contestant making best time, a white gold watch from A. H. Higgins.

Contestant spilling most milk on shoes, pair of rubbers donated by the Smith Store.

Poorest milker, three boxes of "Pep" from M. D. Hartt.

Grand champion milker, 5 pounds of butter; reserve champion, 3 pounds of butter; third prize, 1 pound of butter. The butter is donated by local creameries. Prizes are on display at Wood's Drug store.

Former state champions at the Michigan State Fair, Grant Brown, "Jake" Blades and Harold McGrath, are the official timers and Dr. I. D. McCoy is the official weighmaster.

Rules of the contest—Dry hand milking only. Milk stools, pails and scales will be furnished. Cows will be numbered and contestants will draw for places. The winner of the contest will be determined by doubling strippings, subtracting the weight from the original amount obtained by milker and dividing the amount by time consumed.

## Deaths

### Arden Weaver.

Arden Weaver, a resident of Cass City 24 years ago, passed away on Thursday, Sept. 29, in Pontiac and the body was brought to Cass City Monday for burial in Elkland cemetery. Mr. Weaver was 70 years of age and leaves a brother in Pontiac and a sister in the West.

### John Fanning.

Word has been received here of the death of John Fanning, a former Cass City resident. Mr. Fanning passed away Thursday night, Sept. 29, at his home in Holly, following a heart attack. He was ill but a few hours.

Mr. Fanning was born Oct. 26, 1876. The family moved to Holly from Cass City about ten years ago. He was employed as a salesman for a wholesale house dealing in barn supplies.

Funeral services were held Monday afternoon from the Holy Baptist church.

### WILMOT.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Hartt of Ferndale spent the week-end at E. N. Hartt's.

Mr. and Mrs. Basil Hartt and sons, Frederick, Warren and Harold, of Pontiac visited at E. N. Hartt's Sunday.

In a letter to an old neighbor, Mrs. B. Clement writes that her trip to Winnipeg by auto was a very enjoyable one and she is having a wonderful time seeing the country. The weather and her health were fine. She is spending the winter with her son and family there.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Legg of Detroit were calling on friends and relatives in this vicinity Thursday.

Wm. Barrons, Jr., of White Creek has moved in the Thos. Ashcroft house in town, while he is working in the sugar factory.

Mrs. Wm. Moulton and Mrs. Or-la Moulton were in Bay City Friday attending the funeral of their cousin, Mrs. E. G. Beckerson.

Rev. and Mrs. Harold Hazzard entertained her mother, sister and her two children, and two brothers and their gentlemen friend from Saginaw on Monday.

### Auction Sale.

Cattle, 88 head from best herds. All breeds. Terms. Noon, Saturday, October 15. Anton Hynek, east end, Bad Axe.—Advertisement

## This and That

A peculiar circumstance for a family to be in occurred last Saturday at a farm near the county line, south of Lexington. A man and wife and family brought a few household goods from Detroit to a shack on a farm, and were planning to spend the winter in the country. The husband was ill when they left the city, but not so much as to hinder travel. That evening death summoned his life, and the wife immediately called a Detroit undertaker, to take the body of her husband to the city. Harvey Jewell, coroner, was called, and after all his duties were performed the family packed their goods again and returned to Detroit with the remains, deciding that they had had enough of country surroundings. Their names could not be learned.—Croswell Jeff.

This is the season for canning fruits, vegetables, and what have you, and nearly every industrious housewife is at it. A Marlette lady, with her husband, motored into the country a few days ago to pay a visit to friends. When near the home she remarked: "My, they are canning things here all right! I can smell 'em already—just like being at home." On entering the house and finding no work of this kind going on, she discovered the "smells" came from the sweater she was wearing while doing up pickles, and which she had failed to remove before going a-visiting.—North Branch Gazette.

In the issue of the Pigeon Progress published on September 15, 1930, this item appeared: "Last Saturday afternoon the Progress man counted ninety-seven farmers' buggies and wagons on the main streets of Pigeon at one time. Many farmers are complaining that there are not sufficient hitching posts in the village. We have been told that it often happens that farmers are compelled to leave their rigs in the church sheds—a long ways from the business section—while doing their shopping. If the Pigeon merchants do not find more room near the town section where farmers can tie their horses, many who are doing their trading here now, will trade in other nearby towns. Here is something for our business men to think about." Those were the good old days. Many of us old timers would give a lot to go back to that time if just for a day.—Progress.

### REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Fred W. Skirlo and wife to Clayton D. Black and wife, lots 1 and 2, Blk. 4, Village of Unionville, \$500.00.

Arthur J. Eckfeld to G. H. Kaven and wife, Lots 5 and 8, Blk. 1, Village of Unionville, \$1.00 etc.

Wm. Hollenbeck to Burton C. Morrison, Lots 1 and 2, Blk. 2, Cooper's Add., Village of Caro, \$1 etc.

Clayton D. Black and wife to G. H. Kaven and wife, pt. Lots 1 and 2, Blk. 4, Village of Unionville, \$500.00.

Hughie Mulin and wife to Louise J. Torka, S. 1/2 of SW 1/4 of 1/4, Sec. 30, Twp. Indianfields, \$1.00 etc.

Frank C. Freier and wife to Jos. Ciezsrwaski and wife, pt. NE 1/4, Sec. 31, Twp. Wells, \$1.00 etc.

A. Lawrence Mills et al to Wm. Craig and wife, pt. N 1/2 of S 1/2 of NE 1/4, Sec. 31, Twp. Almer, \$1.00 etc.

Etta B. Stone to LeRoy Kilbourn and wife, S 1/2 of SE 1/4, Sec. 7, Twp. Novesta, \$1.00 etc.

### Dept. of State News Bulletin

Instructions to voters issued by the Department of State this year, are greatly amplified over those issued in previous years. The following instructions are being sent to county election officials and will be displayed at the polling places prior to the November election:

1. If you desire to vote a straight ticket, make a cross in the circle under the name of your party at the head of the ballot. Nothing further need be done.

2. If you desire to vote for a candidate not on your party ticket where only one candidate is to be elected to an office, make a cross in the circle under the name of your party and also make a cross in the square before the name of the candidate for whom you desire to vote on the other ticket. In such case it shall not be necessary to strike off the name of the candidate on your party ticket.

3. Where two or more candidates are to be elected to the same or like office and you desire to vote for a candidate or candidates not on your party ticket, make a cross in the circle under your party name and mark a cross in the square before the name or names of the candidate or candidates for whom you desire to vote on the other ticket or tickets, and also erase an equal number of names of the candidates for such office on your party ticket.

4. If you wish to vote for a candidate not on any ticket, write or place the name of such candidate on your ticket, opposite the name of the office and make a cross in the circle under the party name.

5. A ticket marked with a cross under a party name shall be deemed a vote for each of the candidates named in such party column whose name is not erased or crossed off, except those candidates where a cross is placed in the square before the name of some opposing candidate on the opposing ticket, or when there is written or pasted on the party ticket a name which is not printed on the party ticket: Provided, that at the General November Election in each presidential year the cross in the circle under the party name shall

not be deemed as a direct vote for the candidates of the particular political party for president and vice president of the United States, but, in addition to being a vote for each of the candidates for state, congressional, legislative and county offices named in such party column shall be deemed and taken to be a vote for the entire list of electors chosen by such political party.

6. If the name of any person who is not a candidate on any ticket is written or placed on a party ticket opposite the name of the office and there is a cross in the circle under the party name, the name so written or placed shall be

counted one vote for such person, whether the original name on the party ticket is erased or not, excepting cases where there is a cross in the square before the name of some opposite candidate on some other party ticket.

7. If no cross is placed in the circle under the party name, a cross in the square before the name of any candidate shall be deemed a vote for such candidate except in cases where the elector votes for more candidates for the same office than are to be elected.

8. Such elector shall indicate his preference on any constitutional amendment or other submitted question, by making a cross in the

square in front of the word "YES" or in the square in front of the word "NO" opposite or below such question on the proper ballots.

9. If you wish to vote for the electors of the president and vice president of the United States of a political party other than your own, make a cross in the circle under the name of your party and also make a cross in the square before the bracket embracing the names of the candidates for president and vice president for whose presidential electors you desire to vote.

Advertise it in the Chronicle.

## Cass City Dept. Store

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## Endicott-Johnson Shoes

FOR MEN, LADIES AND CHILDREN

These shoes are known for the best make, style and comfort. We have all styles and sizes. Prices very reasonable. We ask you to come in and see for yourself what style and value you can obtain from us for so little money.

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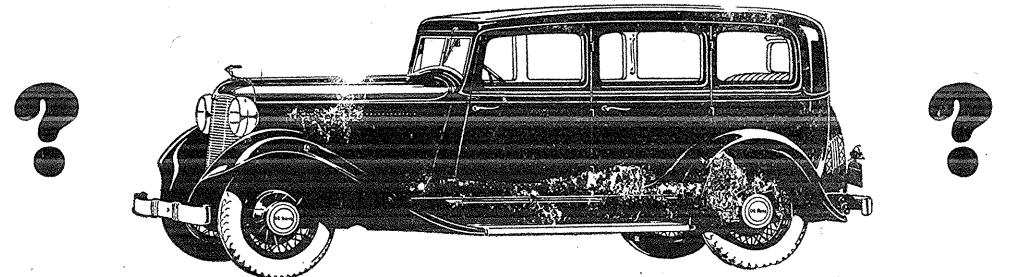
CRACKERS, Country Club, sodas, 2 lb. package.....	17c
FRENCH COFFEE New pound package.....	25c
CHERRIES, Country Club, red, sour, pitted.....	3 cans 25c
PEN-JEL Per package.....	14c
WONDERNUT, Oleo- margarine, lb. cartons.....	2 for 19c

Maxwell House  
Beechnut Coffee  
Del Monte  
Country Club

Per Pound

**29c**

Navy Beans	5 pounds	13c
Del Monte Peaches	2 No. 2 1/2 Cans	27c
Butter Kernel CORN	2 cans	25c
Tomato Juice	27 ounce can	10c
Peaches Country Club	2 cans	25c
Crystal White SOAP	10 bars	25c



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EVERY  
48  
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## October Food Sale

Celebrating Our 73rd Anniversary

SCRATCH FEED 100 POUND BAG.....	\$1.09
ROLLED OATS 22 1/2 POUND BAG.....	49c
MASTER MUSTARD QUART JAR.....	10c
AJAX SOAP 6 BARS FOR.....	19c
BOKAR COFFEE—GROUND OR BEAN, pound.....	25c
RED CIRCLE COFFEE PER POUND.....	23c
TUB LARD 3 POUNDS.....	19c
YELLOW ONIONS 48 POUND BAG.....	39c
MICHIGAN BEET SUGAR 25 POUND BAG.....	\$1.12
BLUE ROSE RICE BULK, 3 POUNDS FOR.....	10c
BIRD'S EYE MATCHES 6 BOXES.....	19c

Monday, Oct. 10, Starts Our

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THE GREAT ATLANTIC & PACIFIC TEA CO.