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CASS CITY GOES TO FLINT REGIONAL

Second Team Wins 25 Out of Last 26 Games Over Two Year Period.

Cass City, playing one of its scrappiest games of the year, took a thrilling battle from Bad Axe, 15-11, Friday night. This victory gives the Maroon and Gray another opportunity to match its ability with other regional contenders at the Flint regional tournament March 9, 10 and 11. The locals were eliminated there last year by St. Mary's of Bay City in the second round of play. This will be the first tournament experience for the majority of the squad, Vyse and Morris being the only men to play last year.

The second team also won their final game, making a total of 25 games won out of the last 26 played during the past two years.

Hogan was the outstanding star for the visitors. It would be difficult to select any one star for the local squad. Rawson, Ward and Kosanke played a brilliant defensive game, while Vyse, Maharg and Kilbourn, aided by Rawson's scoring, kept Cass City out in front most of the way.

Silver Wedding of Elmwood Couple

On Monday evening, Feb. 27, about 150 relatives and neighbors, including the parents of both Mr. and Mrs. Fred Seeley, came with well-filled baskets as a surprise to help Mr. and Mrs. Fred Seeley of Elmwood celebrate their silver wedding anniversary.

At 10 o'clock the bridal party descended the stairs to the strains of the wedding march played by Miss Susie Cross, who also played the wedding march twenty-five years ago.

The bride was attended by her sister, Mrs. Clara Simmons, and Mr. Chas. Seekings acted as best man. The nuptial vows were read by Ray Rondo.

The bride's grandfather, William Hutchinson, who is 90 years of age, sang several hymns, accompanied by Miss Susie Cross. Mrs. Fred Seeley and sister, Mrs. Clara Simmons, and Steve Moore played and sang several selections. Mrs. Fred Seeley also entertained with the band.

A delicious supper was served. A beautiful wedding cake, made by Mrs. Clara Simmons, formed the centerpiece for the table.

A purse of silver was presented to Mr. and Mrs. Seeley as a remembrance of the occasion. The guests departed at a late hour all wishing them many more years of happy wedded life.

Cass City Grange Presented Program

The Cass City Grange, No. 1711, met with the Ellington Center Grange on Tuesday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Keitz in Ellington. About 50 were present.

The Cass City Grange conducted the lodge meeting and presented the following program:

"The Grange Marches On"—Song by Granges.

Selection by Cass City male quartet.

Review of the birthdays for February by Mrs. Frank Hutchinson.

Recitation, Robert Ryland.

Vocal solo, Shirley McComb.

Music and Singing, Bert and Leonard Elliott and Dewey Kane.

"City Rubes in the Country"—a play by Mr. and Mrs. Norman Gilles, Mrs. Andrew Schwieger, Joseph Benkleman, Mildred Schwieger, Dewey Kane, Carl Schell, and Fern Schwieger.

The evening was closed with a potluck supper.

On the evening of March 17 the Ellington Center Grange will visit the Ellington Grange at the home of Ernest Beardsley and have charge of the meeting.

SPRAY SERVICE AVAILABLE TO FRUIT GROWERS

Timely information on the spraying of tree and bush fruits for disease and insect control is sent to fruit growers from the Horticultural Department of Michigan State College through the county agents of the various counties. In order for fruit growers to receive this information he should request that his name be placed on the spray service list at the county agricultural agent's office. County Agent Hammond is now compiling a list of fruit growers who wish

to take advantage of this service. Names should be sent at once in order to be available for the first notice of dormant spray which usually is mailed in March.

The advice which this service gives is made timely and accurate by the information obtained in the field by specialists from the college. These specialists travel in the fruit areas of Michigan in the spring and summer months and observe the conditions of growth on the various fruit trees. Also they observe the developments of the plant disease and the emergence of the insects. Their advice as to the time of application of these sprays is usually within a few hours of the most opportune time as it actually develops.

CASS CITY AND HARBOR BEACH TIE

Both Stand High in Number of Christmas Seals Sale.

Once again the "Christmas Seal Rivals of the Thumb," Cass City and Harbor Beach, have waged a battle royal for supremacy in the "Class C" Christmas seal classification. This year the contest for all practical purposes ended a tie, so both will be awarded the prizes of re-X-rays offered to schools winning awards in 1931.

With a sale averaging eleven seals per student, Chatham becomes the winner of the tuberculin test and X-ray survey offered to the community making the best sale, excepting last year's winners. Consistently good sales have been conducted for five years in Chatham by Superintendent Otto Malenknecht.

Several other communities, conducting excellent sales in past years, again reported in 1932 high per student returns, but their totals were not quite high enough to receive immediate awards.

In a letter to L. D. Randall, superintendent of schools, the Michigan Tuberculosis Association says: "From the accompanying summary sheet and form letter you will see that a tie has been declared to exist between Cass City and Harbor Beach for first place in class 'C.'" An additional return received from Harbor Beach after my previous letter to you was written raised the Harbor Beach average just enough to go slightly above your scale, where the division was carried out to the second decimal point.

"We will plan to come to Cass City for re-X-rays as soon as our X-ray unit again is sent into the Thumb. How soon this trip will be made depends upon several variable factors, including the eventual result of our banking holiday. We will get in touch with you as soon as our plans are made."

Cass City Store News

Space in this column cannot be purchased.

Folkert's Bargain Store springs a new one on page 3. Its action sale at night. Begins at seven o'clock this (Friday) evening. The announcement carries many prices on many lines of merchandise.

From apple butter to pastry flour—a wide range of grocery items at M. D. Hart's store makes interesting reading to those who wish to practice economy.

"Fuel that is dependable is the subject of an informative message of The Farm Produce Co.

Saturday's specials at Henry's Grocery include a soap special of three bars for nine cents that will look attractive to housewives.

Stanley Asher, manager of the Cass City Oil and Gas Co., tells patrons of that institution of a new basis of conducting business in the future.

Floor wax, hack saws and breakfast sets are among an array of Saturday specials offered at the Bigelow Hardware.

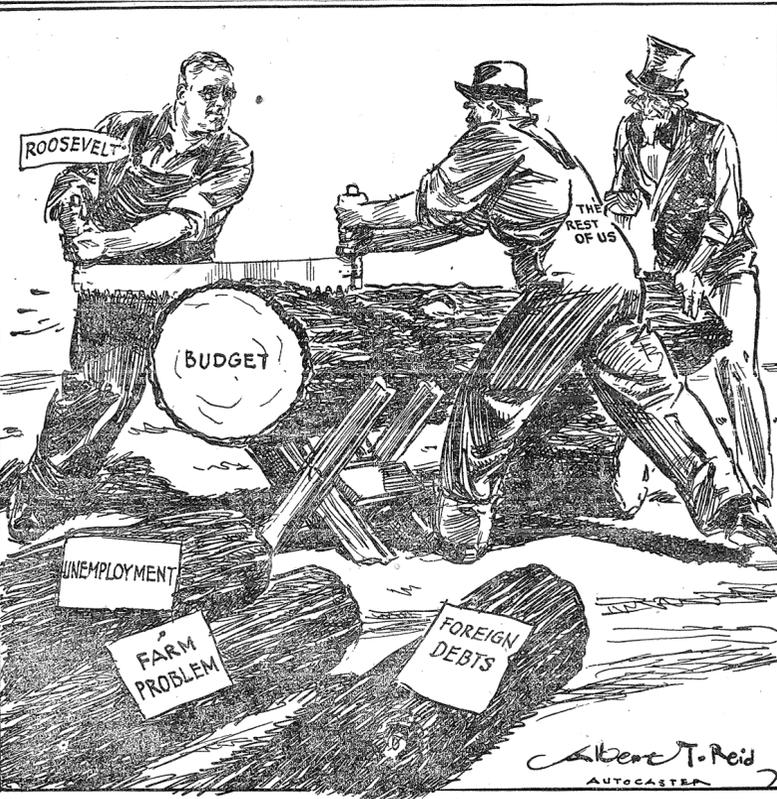
The Thumb Hatchery is ready for custom hatching and has chicks of several breeds for sale.

Cream cheese, 2 pounds for 25 cents, is the item that heads the offering of specials at the A. & P. store.

Notice to the Voters of Novesta Township.

I will be a candidate for nomination to the office of supervisor. Your support will be appreciated. Mack Little.—Advertisement.*

Now For Some Wood Sawing — By Albert T. Reid



DILLMAN NOMINATED STATE HIGHWAY COM.

State Republicans Ask for Early Corrective Legislation.

Outstanding of the Republican state convention's activities at Grand Rapids Tuesday were the nominations of Grover C. Dillman for state highway commissioner, the dumping of Judge James O. Murfin, for many years a regent of the University of Michigan, and the nomination of A. J. Rogers of Beulah for the state board of agriculture.

Dillman's strength was forecast by his backers, and the opposition, led by Frank McKay, decided a few hours after the delegates began to arrive that there was nothing to be gained in opposing the commissioner, seeking his second term.

The party's nominees are as follows:

Supreme Court Justices—John S. MacDonald, Grand Rapids, and George M. Clarke, of Bad Axe, unanimous renominations.

Highway Commissioner—Grover C. Dillman, unanimous.

Regents—Donald E. Johnson, Flint, and William L. Clements, Bay City.

Members State Board of Agriculture—Melville B. McPherson, Lowell, and A. J. Rodgers, Beulah.

Superintendent of Public Instruction—Webster H. Pearce.

Member State Board of Education—Fred A. Jeffers, Painesdale.

The convention's resolutions called upon Republican members of the Legislature to assume control of the "unbearable situation" brought on by the bank holiday and secure the immediate adoption of remedial measures. No criticism was offered of the holiday, as such, but it was pointed out that it precipitated a situation of grave danger and that the Democratic administration in Lansing has done nothing to correct it.

The convention also asked early corrective legislation by Congress to speed the reopening of banks and took a stand for Federal guarantee of bank deposits.

It recommended the reflation of real estate mortgages and their refinancing over a long period of years.

President Hoover's "statesman-like leadership" was commended and Republicans continuing in state offices endorsed.

The Democratic administration in Lansing was criticized for ignoring its economy pledges, and especially the 15-mill tax limitation amendment to the State Constitution, and for proposing new forms of taxation; also for failure to adjust the State's liquor control laws to the expressed will of the electorate last November and for delays incident to referring this matter to a commission.

The integrity of the gold standard was approved and a pledge given for its maintenance.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Louis Reddi, 22, Deford; Elsie M. Hessler, 17, Unionville.

Frank L. Green, 50, Kingston; Jessie Kelly, 52, Kingston.

Warren Koehler, 20, Kingston; Doris Albertson, 20, Clifford.

Henry C. J. Haske, 28, Fairgrove; Esther Jurk, 16, Richville.

A. Glyde Rohlf, 21, Akron; Evelyn L. Robinson, 20, Fairgrove.

Stanley Stoss, 26, Caro; Mary Warda, 22, Caro.

Dale Reed, 30, Vassar; Mrs. Violet Heney, 31, Vassar.

Wm. Roy Groh, 32, Caro; Margaret Montgomery, 22, Caro.

Isaac P. Decker, 55, Kingston; Myrtle M. Sheridan, 48, Flint.

Funeral of Herb Frutchey Today

A life teeming with business activity came to a close Tuesday afternoon in the death of Herbert Frutchey, who passed away at an Ann Arbor hospital where he had been taken on Sunday. His illness of ten days culminated in pneumonia.

Born in North Hampton county, Pennsylvania, 57 years ago, Mr. Frutchey came with his parents to Deford about nine years later. The family then moved to Cass City, and after completing his studies in the high school here, he became associated with his father and brother in the elevator business in Cass City. When the business was organized as the Cass City Grain Co., Herbert Frutchey was chosen its treasurer.

Not long after Mr. Frutchey's Turn to page 4, please.

LEVI DELONG LAID TO REST TUESDAY

Levi E. Delong, a resident of this community for 44 years, passed away at his home in Novesta township on Saturday, Feb. 25, at the age of 72 years. Funeral services were held at the Baptist church at Cass City on Tuesday afternoon, Rev. W. R. Curtis officiating, and interment was made in Elkland cemetery.

Levi E. Delong was born in Dunham county, Ontario, Sept. 19, 1860. On May 1, 1883, he was united in marriage with Miss Elizabeth McKay and 44 years ago they moved to Novesta township, Tuscola county, where Mr. Delong followed the pursuit of farming for several years. Mrs. Delong passed away five years ago.

Mr. Delong, on March 8, 1930, married Mrs. Mary Goff at Ridgeway, Ont., who survives him. He also leaves four children. John Delong, of Deckerville; Mrs. John Dickinson, of Bad Axe; Mrs. Ernest Reagh and Daniel Delong, both of Cass City; one brother John Delong, of Port Huron; and three sisters, Mrs. Wm. Voorhes, of Detroit; Mrs. Edward Cornell, of Port Huron; Mrs. Lester Warner, of Fort Francis, Ont.

Mr. Delong has been an active member of the Baptist church at Cass City for many years and served as deacon in that society. He was highly respected and his best monument will be the good report that he has left behind in Turn to page 4, please.

CHANGE OF DATE OF ELKLAND TWP. CAUCUS

The date of the Elkland township caucus for the nomination of officers of that municipality will be held on Tuesday, March 14, instead of the day first selected. The first date did not allow for twenty days between the caucus and the election as provided by law.

NOVESTA TOWNSHIP CAUCUS.

The Novesta township caucus will be held on Thursday, March 9, 1933, in the Novesta Township Hall, in the Village of Deford at 2:00 p. m. for the purpose of placing in nomination candidates for the several township offices and for transacting any other business that may properly come before it.

Robert Phillips, Novesta Township Clerk.

Cash Paid for Cream. Kenney's Creamery, Cass City.—Adv.

DEMOCRATS NAME STATE TICKET

Dr. Voelker, Former Tuscola Co. Boy, Is Candidate on Ticket.

A pre-convention session ironed out differences of Democrats at the state meet at Grand Rapids Saturday, Feb. 25. The only rift was the question of credentials raised by a few rival factions representing the same counties. Protests that patronage had not yet been dispensed rapidly enough were met with a promise to speed up the process, and a threatened break on that score averted.

The convention eschewed any stand on the question of Governor William A. Comstock's sales and gross income tax bill.

Candidates named by the convention are:

State highway commissioner, Murray D. Van Wagoner, Pontiac engineer.

Superintendent of public instruction, Dr. Paul F. Voelker, president of Battle Creek college.

Justices of the supreme court, George E. Bushnell, Highland Park, and Edward M. Sharpe, Bay City.

Regents of the University of Michigan, Charles T. Hemans, Detroit.

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From Detroit Free Press.

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Senator Couzens spent the entire day in conferences with bankers and with Henry and Edsel B. Ford, and in the evening declined to comment upon the banking situation in the state. It was learned, however, that he had expressed disgust at the failure of the legislature to enact any legislation in two weeks, and pointed out that while Michigan was the first to call a bank holiday, a dozen other states have already acted to relieve pressure upon banks.

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ALL DAY HOLINESS MEETING IN GAGETOWN

The March meeting of the Huron-Tuscola Counties Association for the promotion of Holiness will be held in the Nazarene church at Gagetown on Friday, March 10.

Rev. M. C. Beers, pastor of the Evangelical church at Kilmanagh, will speak at 10:30 a. m., Rev. G. A. Hosmer, pastor of the Free Methodist church at Bingham at 2:00 p. m. and Rev. H. W. Link, pastor of the Evangelical church at Sebawaing, will bring an evangelistic message in the evening at 7:30.

A cordial invitation is extended to all.

T. M. Fast, Sec.

POULTRY THEFT SENDS WOMAN TO PRISON

Judge Dehnke Sentenced Akron Man 4 to 10 Years at Jackson.

Mrs. Mabel Knight of Deford was convicted of breaking and entering the chicken coop of John Pringle of Novesta the night of January 20 and stealing 49 chickens, by Judge Herman Dehnke of Harrisville, in circuit court in Tuscola county Friday. She waived the right of trial by jury.

Oliver Freeman of Akron was also convicted by Judge Dehnke of taking indecent liberties. He waived the right of a jury trial also. Both were remanded to the county jail to await sentence which was pronounced by Judge Dehnke on Saturday. Mrs. Knight was sent to the Detroit House of Correction for a term of 2 to 15 years. Freeman was sentenced to serve 4 to 10 years in the Michigan State Prison at Jackson.

The suit for damages of George Jacoby, principal of Owendale high school, vs. John Schafsnitz of Richville started Friday afternoon. The case grew out of an automobile accident Dec. 12, 1931, near the Schafsnitz home in which Mr. Jacoby's wife, Vena Willets Jacoby, was killed, and her mother was seriously injured. Judge Dehnke, in giving his decision, said that the plaintiff had made a case for recovery and the findings are that the defendant gave no warning of his intention of turning his automobile just previous to the accident. The court fixed the total damage at \$450.00 with cost to be charged. Two hundred dollars were for damages to the car and \$250.00 damages for pain and suffering.

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Miss Bird Bride of Fred McEacherin

Miss Iris Bird and Fred McEacherin of Greenleaf were quietly married in Flint Saturday afternoon. They came to the home of Mr. McEacherin's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Archie McEacherin, on Sunday to spend a few days, and will reside at the bride's home with her mother, Mrs. Vernor Bird, for some time.

On Monday evening, a seven o'clock luncheon was given for them at the McEacherin home where a host of the young couple's friends came to offer congratulations, and a delightful evening was spent.

Mr. McEacherin is a graduate of the Class of 1926 of the Cass City high school and Miss Bird attended college in California.

ASSAILS TARDINESS OF LEGISLATURE

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21 SCHOOLS HAVE HIGH ATTENDANCE

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Two schools with an average mark of 99.2% in attendance lead Tuscola county rural schools for the month of January. The two are the Hopkins school in Dist. No. 1, Millington, Mrs. Amethyst Davidson, teacher, and the Silverwood school in Dist. No. 8, rrl., Dayton, of which A. W. Stickle is the instructor.

Nineteen other schools in the county have an average attendance of 95% or better. The following is the list of these schools, their location, the name of the instructor, and the attendance mark:

Garner school, Dist. No. 5, Denmark, Mrs. Mona VanPetten, 98.8.

Almer Center school, Dist. 7, Al-Turn to page 4, please.

Prohibition Party Names State Ticket

The state convention of the Prohibition Party, which was held in Kalamazoo, Wednesday, Feb. 22, nominated a state ticket as follows:

State highway commissioner—E. S. Stacks, Boyne Falls.

State superintendent of public instruction—Grover C. Brennen, Alma.

Justices of the supreme court—H. J. Cortright, Albion, and John W. Meyer, Ithaca.

Regents of the university—Spurgeon D. Gostellow, Lansing, and Fred W. Corbett, Lansing.

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Narrow Escape From Death

William Akermann received word of the miraculous escape from death in an automobile accident experienced by his daughter and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Blodgett of Hartford City, Ind. The accident happened at Columbia, Ind., when a Dodge sedan Mr. Blodgett was driving, stalled on the Pennsylvania railroad tracks and was struck by a fast railroad passenger flier enroute from New York to Chicago. Although the front of the car was clipped off, the motor jammed back and radiator demolished, Mr. and Mrs. Blodgett escaped unhurt.

The accident occurred as Mr. and Mrs. Blodgett were returning to their home from Kalamazoo. Approaching the crossing cautiously, Mr. Blodgett and wife looked both ways for the approach of the train. Seeing none, Mr. Blodgett started to cross the tracks and as the wheels rolled upon the right-of-way, both heard the whistle of the train as it roared down upon them, at a speed estimated by Mr. Blodgett at greater than sixty miles an hour. Mr. Blodgett immediately attempted to back from the tracks, stalling his engine as the car rolled backwards.

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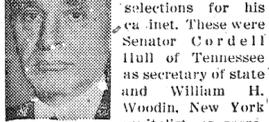
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News Review of Current Events the World Over

Hull and Woodin Head the Roosevelt Cabinet—Congress Puts Prohibition Repeal Up to the States—Japan Invades Jehol.

By EDWARD W. PICKARD

SO THAT his administration might get a running start in the negotiations concerning war debts, world economics and other related matters that are worrying the nations, President Roosevelt made public two of his selections for his cabinet. These were Senator Cordell Hull of Tennessee as secretary of state and William H. Woodin, New York capitalist, as secretary of the treasury. These gentlemen, who, Mr. Roosevelt said, were "drafted" against their will, were at once associated with him in the preliminaries of determining the policies of the incoming administration in its relations with foreign powers. They became members of what Mr. Roosevelt has called his "unofficial" committee to advise him on world economic problems, and met with that group, which includes Bernard Baruch, Prof. Raymond Moley and others.



Cordell Hull

Mr. Hull, long considered one of the ablest men in the Democratic party, is not an orator or an accomplished debater, but is studious, resourceful and has served his country ably for many years in the house and the senate. Before entering congress he was in the Tennessee legislature, and he served in the Spanish-American war as a captain of volunteer infantry. He is devoted to the policy of tariffs for revenue only, and believes that one of the basic causes of the business depression has been nationalist isolation, started by the United States in 1920 with the erection of tariff walls which other nations were quick to copy. Prohibitive tariffs, he holds, have helped stagnate trade by creating a productive capacity in excess of domestic demand.

Senator Carter Glass of Virginia was Mr. Roosevelt's first choice for secretary of the treasury, but he declined the post solely because he believes he can better serve the country in the senate. So the President Elect persuaded his close personal friend, William H. Woodin, to accept the portfolio. Mr. Woodin formerly was a Republican, but he joined the Roosevelt camp before last summer's convention and afterward was treasurer of a special finance committee that raised a large fund for the Democratic party. He has an international reputation as a manufacturer of railway equipment and as a banker and is now president of the American Car and Foundry company. His interests are not all business, for he is an accomplished musician and composer, a numismatist and an art collector. He is sixty-five years old, married and has four children.



William H. Woodin

UNOFFICIALLY, the other members of the Roosevelt cabinet were announced to be these: War—George H. Dern of Utah. Attorney general—Thomas J. Walsh of Montana. Postmaster general—James A. Farley of New York. Navy—Claud A. Swanson of Virginia. Interior—Harold L. Ickes of Illinois. Agriculture—Henry A. Wallace of Iowa. Commerce—Daniel C. Roper of South Carolina. Labor—Frances Perkins of New York.

GIUSEPPE ZANGARA, the brick-maker immigrant who tried in vain to assassinate the President-Elect in Miami, must spend 80 years in prison at hard labor, if he lives so long. He pleaded guilty to deadly assault on Mr. Roosevelt and on three others whom his bullets reached, and was sentenced by Judge E. C. Collins. Two of the victims of his mad deed, Mayor Cermak of Chicago and Mrs. Joseph H. Gill of Miami, were still lying in the hospital severely wounded, and so there was a chance that Zangara might later be put on trial for murder.

Mr. Roosevelt wrote a graceful letter of appreciation to Mrs. W. F. Cross of Miami, who probably saved his life by seizing Zangara's arm as he was shooting; and Representative Green of Florida introduced a resolution to have congress vote a gold medal of honor to the courageous woman.

Government agents in Washington were investigating a second apparent attempt on the life of the President-Elect, following the discovery of a package addressed to

him containing a crudely wrapped shotgun shell. It was mailed from Watertown, N. Y., and was found in the Washington post office. Postal inspectors thought it was the work of a crank, but said the shell was wired to explode if jarred or struck and might have resulted fatally.

SIR RONALD LINDSAY, British ambassador, immediately after his return from London held conferences with Mr. Roosevelt Secretary of State Stimson approving and reported to Sir John Simon, foreign secretary, that the conversations had been "useful." What was said was not revealed, but Sir John said:

"The conversations are, of course, at present in a wholly preliminary stage and of an entirely general character, but it is not too soon to say that we believe that by a frank and intimate interchange of views between ourselves and the United States over the whole field of current economic problems, the way will be best prepared for the effort which the countries of the world must make together to assist in promoting world recovery."

Mr. Roosevelt also conferred at length with Paul Claudel, the French ambassador, and William Duncan Herridge, the minister from Canada. In Paris Foreign Minister Paul-Boncour said war debt negotiations between France and the United States would be resumed after the inauguration of Mr. Roosevelt, but did not explain just what form the negotiations would take.

REPEAL of the Eighteenth amendment is now up to the states, for the senate's Blaine resolution submitting the action to state conventions was passed by the house by a vote of 289 to 121, or 15 in excess of the required two-thirds of those present and voting. For the repealer were 108 Republicans, 180 Democrats, and 1 Farmer Laborite. Against it were 89 Republicans and 32 Democrats. The action of the house was a reversal of its attitude of the first day of the session, when a resolution to submit unqualified repeal failed of adoption by 6 votes. It was in a way a personal victory for Representative Henry T. Rainey of Illinois, Democratic leader, who moved the adoption of the senate resolution and argued warmly and effectively in its behalf.

Though immediate steps toward the calling of conventions were taken in many of the states, the battle for repeal was by no means won when the submission resolution was adopted. Ratification by thirty-six states is necessary, and if this is not obtained within seven years the whole matter lapses and prohibition remains. Of course the wets are confident that repeal will win in the required number of states within at the most four years, and possibly in much less time, and it may be they are right. Wet leaders assert that only Kansas, Mississippi, Oklahoma, Arkansas and Nebraska can be counted on as certainly dry, and Alabama, Vermont, Idaho and Maine are doubtful. On the other hand Bishop James Cannon, Jr., asserts that thirty to thirty-three states will refuse to validate the Blaine amendment.

Disagreement as to the method by which states' conventions may be set up may delay the functioning of the machinery of ratification. Some congressmen thought congress should prescribe the procedure, but Senator Walsh of Idaho held that all connection which congress has with prohibition repeal ended with submission of the new amendment to the states. This view also was taken by Representative Beck of Pennsylvania, who, like Senator Walsh, is an eminent authority on the Constitution.

FOLLOWING a demand on China to withdraw its troops voluntarily from Jehol, actually by Japan but nominally by the government of the puppet state of Manchukuo, the main body of the Japanese army in Manchukuo crossed the border of the province and advanced rapidly toward Chaoyang, second largest city of Jehol. The opposing Chinese were reported to have fled, but immediately thereafter regular Chinese troops crossed into Manchukuo to join irregulars in an attack on the Japanese positions at Tungliang. The Japanese high command in Manchuria announced that it was determined to "annihilate" the 100,000 regular troops in the army of Marshal Chang Hsueh-liang, and that it might become necessary to occupy Peking and Tientsin. As is its custom, the Japanese foreign office declared that Japan regarded

the Jehol invasion as purely a local affair. The Japanese delegation in Geneva maintained its uncompromising attitude as the assembly of the League of Nations began general discussion of the report of the committee of nineteen on Manchuria. This report is in most respects at utter variance with the claims of Japan, and the Tokyo delegates warned the League that a grave situation would arise if it were adopted by the assembly. Such action, they suggested, might upset "friendly relations between nations, upon which peace depends."

PRESIDENT HOOVER, rather neglected in the news of late, surprised congress by sending in a special message urging action on eight subjects of legislation which he thought would aid in economic recovery. He asked that the present congress pass the bankruptcy bill, the Glass banking bill, a measure to increase the amount of Reconstruction Finance corporation funds for state relief loans, a federal farm lease bill and



President Hoover

repeal of publicity clause in the R. F. C. act. The President also advised the ratification of the St. Lawrence waterway treaty, the adoption of the arms embargo resolution and the starting of study looking to the expansion of the home loan banks into a general mortgage discount system. Mr. Hoover advocated the Hyde farm leasing plan as a substitute for the domestic allotment scheme, declaring the latter seemed "wholly unworkable" and calculated to do far greater harm than good to agriculture.

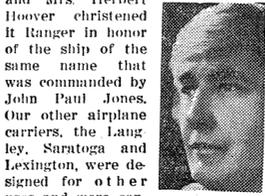
The senate did take up the bankruptcy bill, which had passed the house, and it also passed the Wagner relief bill, which increases the R. F. C. funds for state relief and goes farther than the President contemplated. It was generally agreed that his other recommendations would meet with no response during the short session.

SPEAKER GARNER dropped his plan to make Roosevelt a constitutional dictator for two years, and the house accepted the senate provision of the treasury and post office appropriation bill conferring limited autocratic power on the incoming President to reorganize the administrative branch of the federal government. By its terms he may consolidate or abolish any administrative agencies and their functions, but may not abolish or consolidate entire departments.

The house rejected the senate amendment directing the head of each department and independent establishment to effect a 5 per cent reduction in expenditures from appropriations for the fiscal year 1934.

Without debate the house accepted the "Buy American" amendment sponsored by Senator Johnson of California. It provides that the heads of all government departments must buy for government use only goods made or produced in the United States or substantially composed of domestic material.

FOR the first time the navy now has a vessel designed and built as an aircraft carrier. It was launched at Newport News, Va., and Mrs. Herbert Hoover christened it *Intrepid* in honor of the ship of the same name that was commanded by John Paul Jones. Her other airplane carriers, the *Langley*, *Saratoga* and *Lexington*, were designed for other uses and were converted. The authorized design intended the *Ranger* to be of the "flush deck" type, but the navy is now trying to get a bill passed through congress to authorize a change in the plans to construct with an "island deck." In the first type of construction no superstructure is provided except a smokestack which swings out of the way so that the entire deck is available for taking off and landing.



Mrs. Hoover

The "island deck" type has a superstructure at the extreme side of the vessel, leaving practically the entire deck free for the use of the airplanes. The change, if authorized by congress, would entail an extra expenditure of \$2,000,000.

AUSTRIA was greatly disturbed by a request from France and Great Britain that a shipment of 50,000 rifles and 200 machine guns shipped there from Italy be returned or destroyed, but after some indignant protests Chancellor Engelbert Dollfuss announced his government would comply with the demand and the arms returned. Sir John Simon told the house of commons that he hoped the matter might be considered a closed incident. The guns, or at least a part of them, were believed to be destined for Hungary, and the French and English were inclined to hold Mussolini responsible for the seeming violation of the peace treaty. The Italian version was that the arms were sent to Austria by private citizens merely to be repaired and returned.

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BRING DOWN COCK FROM FRENCH SPIRE

Daring Stone Masons Profit by Ancient Tradition.

New York.—American "human flies" who today find it hard to make money out of their exploits may borrow an idea from the French. The weathercock which tops the Cathedral of Senlis, France, which maintained its perch despite eight German projectiles which hit the spire in 1914, was recently brought down from its perch to fill the pockets of the men who climbed to it, writes Samuel Chamberlain in American Architect.

Four stone masons who were repairing the tower remembered the tradition that whenever the peak of the cathedral had been reached by a steeplejack, the cock (Le Coq Gaulois) could be brought down and passed from door to door as a means of exacting tips from home owners, and they did it. As this is the bird's first descent in 120 years, the custom has not been overdone.

Twice in recent history an audacious alpinist has succeeded in climbing up the spiny surface of the spire as far as the rooster, without the aid of ropes or scaffolding. In June, 1731, an innocent-looking young man obtained permission to climb the winding steps leading to the bell tower. He dashed upward and passed through an opening on the highest platform before the startled sexton could catch his breath. Climbing like an ape from crocket to crocket, he finally reached the huge ball of copper which caps the masonry. By a heroic and almost suicidal effort, the climber got over this ball. Once on top of the ball the rest was easy. He performed a few gymnastics to the awe-struck witnesses below, and then boldly unfastened the weathercock, strapped it on his back and crawled down to face the irate sexton. By this time all the population of Senlis was a gaping, horror-struck gallery including, unfortunately for the intrepid climber, the bailiff who promptly clapped him in jail.

Pay French President 3,600,000 Francs Salary

Paris.—While the French government is devising economies and studying the possibilities of raising more revenue through new taxation in a desperate effort to balance its budget, the Paris Midi has conducted a private investigation into the salaries paid to public officials.

It appears that while French cabinet ministers receive a salary of 180,000 francs (\$7,200) yearly, they cease to have the benefit of any allowance to which they may be entitled by membership in the chamber of deputies. They continue to receive 2,750 francs (\$110) a month from the chamber, but this amount is deducted from their salary as ministers, so that they are paid for their cabinet labors only 12,250 francs (\$490) at the end of each month, plus 4,165 francs (\$166) for motor car expenses.

Should a cabinet remain in office only 48 hours—such cases have happened—its members are allowed two days' pay.

The president of the republic receives an annual salary of 1,800,000 francs (\$72,000), paid monthly in advance, plus 900,000 francs (\$36,000) for his household expenses and a like sum for traveling and other outlays incidental to his office. Even 3,600,000 francs a year is not excessive when the expenses are taken into account. Very few presidents have left office richer than when they were inducted.

Man's Son Arranges His Funeral, Though Alive

Boston.—John J. Hogan, fifty-five, blamed his son, Edward, for a hoax in which complete arrangements for the elder Hogan's funeral were made while he was in perfect health.

Cancellation of a death notice which had been published in newspapers revealed the hoax. Before the notice was withdrawn, however, scores of mourners had visited the Hogan home, a hearse had brought 40 folding chairs, and many floral tributes had arrived.

Undertaker William J. Cassidy said Edward Hogan had informed him of his father's "death," and had borrowed \$45 from him "to buy some clothes to attend the funeral."

Ship Is Haven for Exhausted Birds

Boston.—It was a bird of a tale the United Fruit San Blas brought into port here. The bird in hand, bird in sieve, bird in boot, bird in the lounge and in the fo'c's'le, birds and more birds.

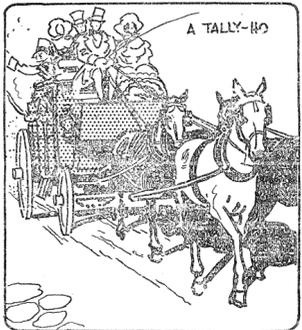
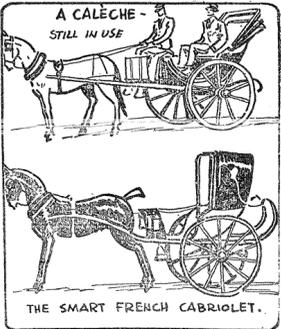
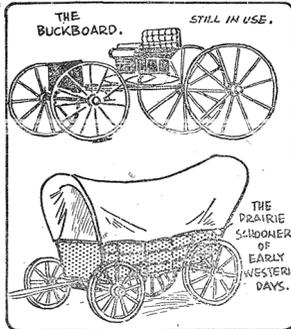
It was all due to the gale that forced the birds some 200 miles from land. Capt. George H. Grant said. The ship was overrun with them. They came in droves, flocks, and swarms, hundreds of them, all made quite tame by their battle with the wind.

The ship was a haven for the feathered flock, the ship's officers said. They made the ship their home until land was near.

BUD 'n' BUB

THANKS FOR THE BUGGY RIDE

By ED KRESSY



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."

STREET CARS AND MEN.

Surely no one will consider us lacking in reverence if we say that every one of the "principles of modern salesmanship" on which business men so much pride themselves, are brilliantly exemplified in Jesus' talk and work. The first of these and perhaps the most important is the necessity for "putting yourself in step with your prospect." A great sales manager used to illustrate it in this way:

"When you want to get aboard a street car which is already in motion, you don't run at it from right angles and try to make the platform in one wild leap," he would say. "If you do, you are likely to find yourself on the floor. No, you run along beside the car, increasing your pace until you are moving just as rapidly as it is moving and in the same direction. Then you step aboard easily without dangerous jolt."

"The minds of busy men are in motion," he would continue. "They are engaged with something very different from the thought you have to present. You can't jump directly at them and expect to make an effective landing. You must put yourself in the other man's place; try to imagine what he is thinking; let your first remark be in line with his thoughts; follow it by another with which you know he will easily agree."

"Thus, gradually, your two minds reach a point where they can join without conflict. You encourage him to say 'yes' and 'yes' and 'that's right' and 'I've noticed that myself,' until he says the final 'yes' which is your favorable decision."

Jesus taught all this without ever teaching it. Every one of his conversations, every contact between his mind and others, is worthy of the attentive study of any sales manager. Passing along the shores of a lake one day, he saw two of the men whom he wanted as disciples. Their minds were in motion; their hands were busy with their nets; their conversation was about conditions in the fishing trade, and the prospects of a good market for the day's catch. To have broken in on such thinking with the offer of employment as preachers of a new religion would have been to confuse them and invite a certain rebuff. What was Jesus' approach?

"Come with me," he said, "and I will make you fishers of men." Fishers... that was a word they could understand... fishers of men... that was a new idea... what was he driving at... fishers of men... it sounded interesting... well, what is it, anyway? They listened. They were convinced. They said yes—and they went with Him.

Turning Back the Pages

Items from the files of Cass City Newspapers of 1898 and 1908.

Twenty-five Years Ago.

March 6, 1908. With two tickets in the field, there promises to be a large vote cast at the village election Monday.

Wm. Morris, state veterinarian, has received word that 30 horses are quarantined with glanders at Calumet. Mr. Morris expects to leave for that city Tuesday.

SAND VALLEY SCHOOL.

Eva Marble, teacher. Elizabeth Windy is absent from school because she has an abscess under her tongue. The second and third grades wrote letters to her. We all miss her and will be glad when she returns.

Mrs. Marble is reading the interesting story, "Tawny," to us.

The eighth grade girls have been through their agriculture book twice. The primary grades are learning to make their alphabet. The third grade is trying hard to find stories of Geo. Washington's boyhood.

Monday, Mrs. Marble read an interesting story, "Joan of Arc," for the third grade history class. They enjoyed it very much.

Jennie Sobieray and Grace Harrison are learning "The Night Wind" for their language.

We are making a collection of different kinds of stamps.

Ruth White brought a letter with a Chinese stamp on it which was very interesting to us.

Shirley Sowden saw a blue bird Thursday. Virginia Shagena, reporter.

CRAWFORD SCHOOL.

The primary grades are working very hard to get perfect marks in spelling for a whole week in order that they might receive a prize. The pupils earning a prize this week were Dorothy Jackson, Dorothy Slack, Frank Kapral and Harry Crawford.

The eighth grade have started the study of the World War in history. We find it to be very interesting.

The seventh grade are reviewing in their geography books.

Mill Milligan finished the book "The Bobsey Twins at the County Fair." We grew very excited when the twins went up in the balloon.

We had a geography match Friday afternoon. Alma Palmateer was the winner.

Our visitors for the week were Mrs. Hazen Warner and Helen Warner.

Reporters, Hazel Pringle, Lucille Hergenrieder.

Teacher, Alison Milligan.

TANNER SCHOOL.

Teacher, Leta O'Dell.

Reporter, Loraine Moss.

All the grades have been busy this week writing their county tests.

We are sorry that Velma Bailey will not be able to attend school because of quarantine for scarlet fever.

The little folks have enjoyed the story, "The Sunshine Farm."

The sixth grade history are starting the story about Lafayette.

The warm weather reminds us of playing baseball.

CEDAR RUN SCHOOL.

The first three grades made Dutch girls that stand.

Miss Ruby Stay, County Normal critic, and Miss Edwina Pike called at our school Friday afternoon.

Lester and Lloyd Soldan will be leaving our school some time this week.

The eighth grade have completed their agriculture book. They have had test over all of it.

The second and third grades have started geography notebooks.

Reporters, Dorothy Orlovski and Phyllis Hendrick.

Teacher, Marion Leishman.

Elkland and Elmwood Town Line.

A. Anthes is numbered with the sick.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Palmer are moving on the farm this spring.

Miss Lorene McGrath was able to return home last week after her operation.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Daus of Imlay City spent the first of the week at the Livingston homes.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Seekings spent Thursday at the A. Anthes homes.

Mrs. E. A. Livingston, who has been caring for Mrs. Basil Curtis, returned home Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Laurie attended the O. E. S. convention at Bad Axe Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Livingston of Caro spent Sunday at the E. A. Livingston home.

Famous Dividing Line

The Gramplan hills, extending across Scotland from the southwest to the northeast, are generally regarded as the dividing line between the Lowlands and the Highlands.

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 Double Part Wool Bed Blankets Satin Bound. \$2.45 value. Sale price, pr. **\$1.29**
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 Choice of NEW SPRING MILLINERY. Sale Price..... **\$1.29**
 LADIES' STREET DRESSES. Values to \$3.95..... **98c**

These Specials on Sale Friday Nite
 From 7 to 10 p. m. only

Ladies' Corsettes and Combinations. Values to \$2.95. Going **49c**
 Ladies' Silk Undies Values to 50c. **14c**
 Ladies' Handkerchiefs 5 and 10c values **1c**
 Full Sized Pillow Cases Unbleachable Bargain. Each. **9c**
 Ladies' Crochet Cotton 750 Balls Going **3c**
 36 Inch Fast Color Cretonnes **10c** yard.
 Children's Heavy Union Suits Part Wool, Cotton and Heavy Fleece. Going **25c** Suit
 Men's Part Wool Heavy Socks 19c value **10c** Pair.
 Men's Fast Color Broadcloth Dress Shirts \$1.00 values. **34c**

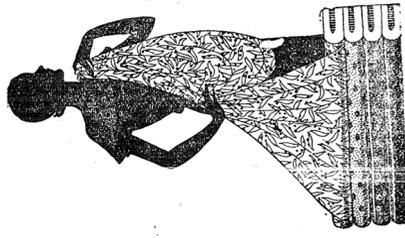
MEN'S DRESS OXFORDS. Values to \$4.50. Sale price.....\$1.50
 ONE LOT OF LADIES' SHOES. Going at, per pair.....**50c**
 THOROUGH WORK SHOES—FOR MEN. Never sold at this low price before. \$2.50 value. Sale price, pair.....**\$1.49**
 MEN'S RUBBERS. \$1.25 values. Sale price, per pair.....**50c**
 One Lot of MEN'S RUBBER BOOTS. Values to \$3.50. Sale price, per pair **\$1.50**



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MIRACLE TABLE.
 1 lot Men's, Ladies' and Children's Underwear, going **10c**
 Half Linen Toweling. Regular 12 1/2c value..... **5c**
 36 Inch Unbleached Sheeting Well known Druid Sheeting. Limit 10 yds. Sale price, yd. **5c**
 SANITARY NAPKINS. 12 in box. Regular 25c boxes. Limit 2 boxes. Sale price, box **10c**
 MEN'S FANCY SILK SOCKS Regular 25c values. Limit 6 pairs to customer, pr. **9c**
 Wash Cloths. Standard Size **2 1/2c** Yard

New Patterns
36 in.
Prints
 Fast color Sale price, **9c** Yard



Men's Overall and Jackets, Heavy 2.20 weight. Sale price **49c**
 Men's Sweaters. \$1.95 value. Sale Price **50c**
 Men's Dress Pants. \$3.00 values. Well made. Sale price, pair..... **\$1**
 Yellow Monkey Skin Gloves. Double back and palm. Sale price, pair..... **9c**

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Local Happenings

Mrs. Geo. Mills is a patient at the Morris hospital. Mr. and Mrs. L. I. Wood spent Monday in Saginaw. Samuel Champion was a business caller in Caro Tuesday. Miss Edith Bloomfield was a caller in Caro Friday.

Mrs. and Mrs. Clifton Champion were callers in Caro Sunday. Roy Briggs of Bad Axe was a guest at the John Sandham home Sunday. Pauline Sandham, student at East Lansing, spent the week-end at her home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Champion and son spent the week-end in St. Louis with friends. Mr. and Mrs. John Bohnsack and Miss Florence Crane were callers in Caro Monday night. Mr. and Mrs. A. D. McIntyre of Saginaw visited at the E. B. Schwaderer home Sunday.

Frank Reid was a business caller in Lansing Friday. Mrs. Flora McLachlin is reported improved in health this week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Graham were callers in Crosswell Monday afternoon. Miss Lily Ertel of Marlette visited her mother, Mrs. A. Ertel, Sunday.

E. Williams of Lansing was a guest at the D. Krug home a few days last week. Mrs. Willis Campbell and Mrs. Andrew Bigelow spent the week-end in Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bohnsack spent Sunday with their son, Harry, in Brown City. Miss Beatrice McClorey is spending the week with relatives in Rochester and Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Hyatt of Shabbona were Sunday callers at the W. C. Hyatt home. Mrs. Bertha Skoda and son, Andrew, left Saturday for a week's visit with friends in Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. D. T. and daughter, Mrs. W. R. Wiley, of Detroit were Sunday callers in Caro. Mr. and Mrs. Harry Tiller of Millington were Friday guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Greenleaf.

Mrs. Depew of Saginaw is spending a couple of weeks with her sister, Mrs. John L. Bearss, at her home here. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Agar of Ann Arbor visited last week-end with Mrs. Agar's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ward Law.

Wm. Cellmer and Miss Pearl Ballagh of Rochester were the week-end guests at the Dan McClorey home. Mrs. Albert Price, who has been a patient at Pleasant Home hospital, returned to her home in Holbrook Monday.

Mrs. W. R. Wiley of Detroit spent from Friday until Monday at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. David Tyo. Sunday guests at the Mrs. Moore home were Mr. and Mrs. Willard Fader and son, Carl, and Ernest Ertel of Millington.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Ward and family and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Ward of Detroit spent the week-end with relatives in town. Mr. and Mrs. C. Heemstra and two children of Crosswell were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Randall at Wednesday night dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Colwell and children of Saginaw spent Sunday at the home of Mr. Colwell's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Colwell. Mrs. J. May and Mrs. E. W. Douglas and son, Jackie, left Monday for a week's visit with Mrs. Douglas' sister, Mrs. Donald Allen, in Leslie.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Bigham spent Sunday with Mrs. Bigham's mother, Mrs. Walker McCool, in Shabbona, who has been ill but is improving. Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Wright and daughter, Marjorie, spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mrs. Wright's sister, Mrs. Paul Wheatley, at Flint.

Glenn Reid entertained the bridge club at the Frank Dillman farm home Friday evening. Four tables of bridge were played and refreshments were served.

Mrs. C. J. Striffler and Miss Veda Bixby of this city and Mrs. N. Mellick and daughter, Catherine, of Bad Axe motored to Detroit Saturday where they spent the day. Miss Bernita Taylor entertained a number of friends at her home Wednesday evening, Feb. 22, at a jig-saw puzzle party. Light refreshments were served and a pleasant time enjoyed by all.

Sunday guests at the W. D. Striffler home were Miss Mary Striffler and J. H. McMullen of Detroit, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Southworth and family of Elkton and Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Orr and family of Pigeon.

Miss Lucille Stirtion is ill with scarlet fever at the R. N. McCullough home. Her aunt, Mrs. J. W. Stirtion, of Rochester is caring for her, her husband having brought her here Friday night. He returned home Saturday.

The Art Club met Wednesday, Feb. 22, with Mrs. Frank Hall at her home. A six o'clock dinner was served and the evening spent in working on the quilt to be donated to the Associated Charities. The next meeting will be held on St. Patrick's Day with Mrs. Ralph Ward at her home on S. Segar St.

The Past Noble Grand Club will meet today (Friday) at the home of Mrs. John Caldwell.

Mrs. Stephen Dodge is a patient at the Morris hospital, having submitted to an operation. Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Lee and children of Decker visited Mrs. Sarah Dorland at her home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wood of Lansing spent Saturday night and Sunday at the L. I. Wood home. Mrs. Thos. Kelly and daughter, Mary, left Wednesday to spend several days with relatives in Flint and Fowlerville.

Mr. and Mrs. N. Mellick and daughter, Catherine, of Bad Axe spent Saturday night and Sunday with Miss Veda Bixby. Mrs. Harriet Boyes was hostess to the Jolly All Club Friday at her home. A one o'clock dinner was served and the afternoon spent in social time.

W. O. Stafford went to Mt. Pleasant Friday afternoon. Blanche Stafford and Mildred Karr, students at Central State Teachers' College, returned to Cass City with him where they spent the week-end at their homes here.

Tuesday night, Feb. 21, the bridge club met with Mr. and Mrs. Peterson at their home on South Segar St. Seven o'clock dinner was served and an evening of cards enjoyed. Mr. and Mrs. Robt. McConkey, Jr., carried off honors.

Audley Rawson, E. B. Schwaderer and Mrs. A. A. Ricker attended the Republican state convention at Grand Rapids. Mrs. Ricker and Mrs. McNaughton of Argyle were re-elected members of the state central committee to represent the seventh district.

Celebrating the birthdays of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Schwegler, Miss Alice Buehly and Mrs. Joseph Benkelman, a family dinner was enjoyed Sunday at the Fred Buehly home. A large birthday cake, inscribed with names of the honor guests, was the center of attraction upon the well-filled dining table.

Mrs. Albert Martin was pleasantly surprised Saturday, Feb. 25, when thirty relatives and friends gathered at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Haskett Blair, to help her celebrate her 64th birthday. A delicious potluck dinner was served at noon after which an entertainment of music and games was enjoyed by all. A birthday cake made by Mrs. Herman Charter was the delight of the occasion. The guests departed wishing Mrs. Martin many more happy birthdays.

Meeting Your Child's Problems

All mothers and fathers of Tuscola county are to have the opportunity of attending two meetings for the discussion of the little everyday problems of children in their homes, under the leadership of Mrs. Lydia Ann Lynde, specialist in child care and training, Michigan State College. So many of the difficulties that parents have with their children are due to their not understanding child life and development trends.

Many of the failures and breakdowns of adult life can be traced back to these childhood experiences. Even a little of the new knowledge that the great world-wide scientific research is giving will help parents in solving these situations. Fathers and mothers the world over and in the United States particularly are seeking and using this knowledge. One mother who has been following the work in Mrs. Lynde's project in Ottawa county said, "This study has helped our homelife so much. We are enjoying our children one hundred per cent more, and my husband and I get along better too. Our children are certainly different." A father in Kent county remarked: "For a long time I've been getting government help in raising and handling livestock—now I'm more than glad to be getting some real help in rearing and handling the most important little animals on my place. We're using all this scientific help we can get and, believe me, it works."

County agricultural agent, E. L. Hammond has been able to arrange for parents in Tuscola county to have a share of this work. The first meeting will be held at Caro, on Tuesday, March 21. Enrollment cards may be secured from Mrs. Z. Stafford, Mrs. C. L. Graham, or L. D. Randall.

LEVI DELONG LAID TO REST TUESDAY

Concluded from first page the community where he resided so many years. Friends and relatives from out-of-town who attended the funeral were Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Schram, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Delong and Mrs. Howard Willis, all of Pontiac, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Wright of Detroit, John Delong, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Sophie, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Clement and family, all of Port Huron, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Clement of Jedd, Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Leverton, Ernest Guyette, Walter Guyette, Miss Adeline Guyette, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Carnegie, and Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Scott, all of Highgate, Ont.

ASSAULTS TARDINESS OF LEGISLATURE

Concluded from first page books would be continued in the one bank. The liquid assets would be made immediately available for depositors. They could draw out their prorated share of their deposits listed in the liquid assets, and made available for withdrawal.

It was authoritatively stated that Senator Couzens has consistently opposed the setting up of two new banks in Detroit, and has frequently told Detroit bankers "you can work this out for yourselves," without the new banks as proposed. With this in mind the senator put through emergency legislation at Washington, which is still to be followed at Lansing.

The proposal of the senator is concurred in by many officials of the First National Bank while some directors of the Guardian National have also expressed preference for his suggestion over others that have been made in the two weeks since the holiday was proclaimed. It was toward legislation to make such a plan possible, that the bankers worked at Lansing Wednesday night.

Gov. William A. Comstock, whose proclamation closed the banks on Feb. 14, had agreed to get behind the proposed bills and to use executive pressure to push them through the House and Senate. He was convinced that immediate action was desirable and urged adoption of the emergency bills prepared by Arthur J. Lacy, Detroit attorney, and Attorney General Patrick H. O'Brien.

Gov. Comstock and members of the legislature continued Wednesday to be flooded with telegrams, letters and phone calls from indignant merchants throughout the state, demanding action. The chief executive was much exercised over his inability to persuade the Comptroller of the Currency to release reserve funds held in Detroit banks for the outstate banks.

If the proper legislation is adopted the First National Bank is ready to reopen under the limited withdrawal plan, it was authoritatively stated. There were reports that the bank would open shortly to release additional deposits, but these were unconfirmed.

Bank Holiday Spreads. The bank holiday spread Wednesday with governors of three states—Kentucky, Tennessee and Alabama—declaring moratoriums designed to support banking institutions and protect depositors.

Bank holidays and legislative or executive edicts authorizing restricted withdrawals operated in various states as follows: Tennessee—Governor proclaimed a six-day holiday, not mandatory. Kentucky—Governor declared a four-day holiday, also not mandatory.

Alabama—Ten-day suspension of banking business ordered by governor. Ohio, Indiana, Pennsylvania and Arkansas have in force measures authorizing banks to limit demands on their funds to a small per cent of deposits, in most cases 5 per cent.

Maryland—Banking moratorium extended by gubernatorial proclamation pending enactment of stabilization measures. The Idaho Legislature authorized the Governor to declare suspensions of all business operations in the state by proclamation, "Legal holidays," whenever, in his opinion, "extraordinary conditions exist justifying such action."

Gov. Olson, of Minnesota, signed an emergency measure giving the State Commissioner of Banks power to authorize State banks to suspend business for short periods.

DEMOCRATS NAME STATE TICKET

Concluded from first page troit, and Frank Cook, Hillsdale, defeating William B. Cochran, Iron Mountain, and William L. Walz, Ann Arbor.

State board of agriculture, Benjamin F. Halstead, Petoskey, and Charles Downing, Ypsilanti. State board of education, Mrs. Earl Wilson, Saginaw.

Mrs. Oscar Olson, St. Joseph, was elected vice chairman of the central committee, defeating Mrs. Minnie Kaltenbrum, also of St. Joseph.

The convention went on record with an endorsement of the administration's bank holiday program, declaring the governor had performed "vigilant and courageous service which protected bank depositors." The banking plank pledged the party to support the governor and the legislature in speedy enactment of pending banking measures to give the state banking commissioner broad dictatorial powers. The platform demanded a "nation wide guarantee for bank depositors and adequate state control of banking."

Other platform provisions called for: Drastic reduction of small loan interest rates to levels not exceeding one per cent a month. Calling of a convention to revise the state constitution.

Use of uniform text books without cost to the pupils, and maintenance of educational institutions

Pharmacy Offers "Movie"

One California pharmacy, to stimulate trade, dispenses moving pictures along with its other stock to patrons.

"Sonny Boy"

Some way when a little boy is called "Sonny" by his parents one has a feeling the parents do not whip.—Atchison Globe.

Russian Slang

The Russian word "nitchevo" is one which is used in the sense of the American slang phrase, "I should worry."

Leopards Don't Roar

Instead of roaring the leopard makes a noise that resembles the sawing of wood.

FUNERAL OF HERB FRUTCHEY TODAY

Concluded from first page. marriage with Miss Elsie Murphy on Jan. 16, 1909, they moved to Saginaw where he became a partner in the firm of Henry W. Carr Co., grain dealer. Later he purchased a grain business at Swartz Creek which he sold after a few years and purchased a similar business at Gaines where he has since resided.

Mr. Frutchey was a member of the board of directors of the Michigan Bean Co. and a member of the Elk's Lodge. Besides his widow, he leaves a daughter, Mrs. Theron Donahue, of Detroit; a brother, Joseph Frutchey, of Saginaw; a sister, Mrs. Alice Nettleton, of Cass City.

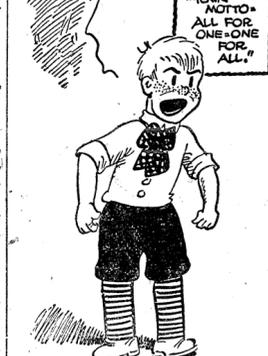
Funeral services will be held at the family residence in Gaines this (Friday) afternoon and the body will be laid to rest in the mausoleum in Oakwood cemetery at Saginaw.

21 SCHOOLS HAVE HIGH ATTENDANCE

Concluded from first page. mer, Rachel Romaine, 98.4%. St. Paul's Lutheran, Arbelia, E. G. Klammer, 98.4%. Godkin school, Dist. 7, Gilford, Marion Kirk, 98%. Wilcox school, Dist. 7, Arbelia, Mrs. Nilda Kiteinger, 97.9%. Rutherford school, Dist. 6, Junata, Grace Noble, 97.8%. North Grove school, Dist. 6 frl., Fremont, Elizabeth Kun, 97.3%. Barton school, Dist. 7, Fremont, LaBelle Graubner, 97.1%. Clothier school, Dist. 3, Koylton, Marjorie Denhoff, 96.7%. Turner school, Dist. 2, Fremont, Marion TerBush, 95.9%. Carson school, Dist. 1, Wisner, Virginia McHenry, 95.7%. Pinkerton school, Dist. 4, Tuscola, Dorothy Barnes, 95.7%. Pleasant Hill school, Dist. 6, Almer, Mrs. Grace Trisch, 95.6%. St. Lorenz Lutheran school, Tuscola, Louis Meyer, 95.6%. Hubb school, Dist. 6 frl., Tuscola, Paul Koeltzow, 95.5%. Elkhorn school, Dist. 7 frl., Tuscola, Jennie Harvey, 95.4%. Hickory Island school, Dist. 3, Akron, Mrs. Hattie Honeywell, 95.2%. Santee school, Dist. 7 frl., Akron, Rudolph Walk, 95.1%. Honsinger school, Dist. 6 frl., Fairgrove, Mrs. Elgia Grimm, 95%.

MICKIE SAYS

DOGGONE IF I DONT GIT MAD SOMETIMES AT THE WAY FOLKS WILL TAKE TH' PAPERS FROM OUT TOWN AND BORROW TH' HOME PAPER FROM TH' NEIGHBORS!



CASS CITY MARKETS.

Table with market prices for various goods like Wheat, Oats, Rye, Peas, Beans, etc. as of March 2, 1933.

Obligations

To owe an obligation to a worthy friend is a happiness, and can be no disparagement.—Charron.

Trained by Misfortune

The Orient has by a long series of periodical famines developed a race that surpasses all others in industry and submission to discipline.

Flag Salute Optional

The saluting of the flag each day in the public schools depends entirely on the regulations of the individual schools.

Precedent

The referendum idea isn't new. Noah sent out a dove to see if the land was dry.—Akron Beacon-Journal.

Chronicle Liners

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

CASH PAID—Kenney's Creamery, Cass City, will pay you cash for your cream. 3-3-1

HOGS FOR SALE or will trade for feed grain. Hogs weigh from 200 to 300 pounds. Paul Polishuk, 3 miles south, 1/2 mile west of Cass City. 3-3-1p

WE PAY CASH for beans and grain. The Farm Produce Co., Cass City. 2-24

YOUR FINEST dress and his most particular suit will be returned by us just the way you want them—immaculate. Robinson's Laundry and Dry Cleaning.

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.

FOR SALE or trade—Horses, cow, tractor with plows, buggy, Pekin drakes, gobblers, etc. Inquire Caro Poultry Plant, Caro, Mich. 3-3-

CATTLE BOUGHT or shipped through the Elmwood Shipping Association, buyer, or trucker, Louis Darowitz. Call 159-F-3 or Joe Leishman, Phone 132-F-32, Cass City. 2-3-1f

GOOD REBUILT batteries, 90-day guarantee, \$2.00 and your old battery. One year guaranteed battery, \$3.25 and old battery. Caro Auto Parts, Caro. Phone 305. 2-24-4

GOBBLER TO TRADE for turkey hen. Hay to trade for corn, oats or young cattle. Clyde Quick, 4 miles south and 1/2 mile west of Cass City. 3-3-1

SPECIALS—Violin strings, banjo, ukelele, mandolin, guitar and Hawaiian guitar strings, 3 for 10c. All kinds of miscellaneous musical parts such as picks, tuners, rosin, bridges, keys, rests, stands and saxophone reeds. Several bargains in musical instruments. Townsend's 10c Store. 3-3-1

WANTED—Poultry and calves at Moore's Shoe Shop, Gageton, on Wednesdays and Saturdays, or every day at Joe Leishman's Elmwood store. Phone 132-F-32. Buyer, Louis Darowitz, Phone 159-F-3, Cass City. 3-3-1f

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Ribbed Velvet for Latest Coats

By **CHERIE NICHOLAS**



RIBBED velvet for the midseason and early spring coat is a style suggestion which should prove particularly good news to the woman who covets distinction in dress. The haute monde in Paris are all enthusiastic when it comes to this handsome material, while the best shops here are displaying new coats and suits made of it in both dark and light colors.

When signs of spring stir within a desire to discard one's cumbersome fur coats, comes the problem of a timely substitute which shall measure up in chic appearance to its worthy predecessor. The coats pictured give a highly satisfactory answer to the question. Ribbed silk velvet fashions each of them. Notice how the strips or ribs are worked for the model shown to the left. In the body of the coat the ribs run vertically, thus contrasting the horizontal direction of the sleeves. The scarf collar takes a diagonal movement. An interesting item in connection with this soft-tied collar is that it attaches to the beige wool dress underneath, for this model is really an ensemble costume. This same coat worn with one of the now-so-fashionable separate or removable fur neckpieces makes an ideal wrap with most any gown for midseason wear.

This idea of working the stripes or

ribs of the velvet in a diagonal way is stressed throughout the garments which are fashioned of this swaggy material. One is especially impressed with this when it comes to observing the high-style resort apparel which the better shops are now displaying. Some perfectly ravishing little sports coats are shown with the most unique yokes and pockets, likewise belts, tabs, flaps, scarfs and cuffs which make a play on maneuvering the ribs of the velvet in ingenious effects by contrasting verticals, horizontals and diagonals.

String color, beige and various tones of gray are favorite colors for these resort coats, which later on will feature for wraps to wear over one's summer dresses. Even more alluring are the sports coats which are made of white velvet. Of course these are strictly tailored, their only trimming feature being conspicuously large buttons.

In the opinion of leading French style leaders white ribbed silk velvet qualifies as a superb material for the formal evening gown. Just so you may see how effectively it is handled we include a tiny sketch in the illustration of an evening gown which Maggie Rouff creates of white ribbed velvet. The sleeves are unique in that they are fashioned of white silk floss to simulate soft feathers.

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NEW SPRING MODELS NOW BEING SHOWN

The Worth mid-season collection hints at spring fashion's trend and introduces a new range of colors, but principally combinations of beige, gray, sand, black and white in a delightful manner.

Aside from the fur trimmed long coats and suits shown at this time, Worth has shown a number of models which will have a decided influence of spring fashions. These are the flaring shoulder capes, worn over light wool or crinkly crepe frocks with fur around the bottom. "Fontainebleau," a black and white crepe satin afternoon ensemble, is already a favorite with Parisian clients. Its bodice of draped white satin, with its curiously shaped puffed and shirred short sleeves of the black, matching the simply cut skirt offer a smart afternoon costume, suitable for many occasions.

A brownish beige woolen costume consists of a simple sports dress and jacket with cape sleeves, the distinguishing feature of which is its trimming of stitching. It is called "Ervreux" and is particularly young and charming.

Taffeta Vogue Spreads to Hats and Accessories

The flair for taffeta is so insistent that milliners are creating some of their choicest hats of it. Nor does the favor for taffeta stop at that point, for all sorts of belts, girdles, scarfs, and even handbags are being fashioned of it. Among smartest details there is none more definitely featured than the jaunty waistcoats of checked or plaid taffeta which will be worn with the new spring suits. Often the jacket or three-quarter coat of the suit is lined with the silk, the revers and a sprightly tied scarf furnishing a dash of color such as the new style curriculum calls for so insistently these days.

The fact that there is such a wide variety of taffetas shown makes the vogue all the more interesting. The smartest new item is matelasse taffeta. This puff-surfaced silk looks best made up very simply.

Don't Plant Unknown Soy Beans in State

Michigan farmers who are planning to cut the expense of buying concentrates by the use of soy beans should check with the farm crops department at Michigan State College before planting any variety whose worth is not known to the grower.

Many varieties of the soys will not mature a profitable grain crop in this state. Planting in previous years have been almost entirely limited to Manchu or Ito San varieties. The value of these two has been proved by many tests at the college and by general use by farmers in Michigan.

The college has made one year's tests on a new variety, Mudken. The original seed of this variety was obtained from Mudken, Manchuria, and the station at Iowa was used to increase the seed supply.

Tests made by the Michigan State College crops department indicate that this variety may have a definite value in Michigan. Last year it equaled Manchu and Ito San in hay production and outyielded those two varieties in seed yields. However, as far as known, there is no supply of seed of this variety available for general planting.

Tests of all other varieties of soy beans at the Michigan station prove that farmers of this state will be taking a chance in planting any other varieties than those recommended. Many of the soys which produce good crops of seed in southern states will not mature a seed crop in Michigan.

The crops department will answer question about soy bean culture for any farmer who writes to the college. County agricultural agents have printed records of the comparative yields of soy bean varieties.

Male Dandies

Men in times past have worn tight waists and full petticoats; sported stays and stomachers; muffs, ear rings and love locks; ruffs and patched and laced.

REPORT ON POTATO STOCKS IN THE U. S.

The stocks of merchantable potatoes on farms and in the hands of dealers on January 1, 1933, and available for sale in 37 intermediate and late states was estimated at 103,948,000 bushels. According to the report released today by the Michigan Co-operative Crop Reporting Service, this volume is approximately 6,000,000 bushels less than reported for January 1, 1932. For these same states, the crop harvested in 1932 was about 8,000,000 bushels less than that of 1931. Therefore, the January 1 stocks for both years represent practically the same percentage of the total crop. The survey indicates that 1,626,000 bushels of the 1932 crop were not harvested in some of the western states, principally in Minnesota and North Dakota, because of the extremely low price. It also reveals that a larger quantity was fed to livestock before January 1 and that more potatoes are being consumed for food on the farms where grown, fed to livestock, and saved for seed than estimated for last year. The amount retained for food was reported to be an average of 27 bushels per farm or two bushels more than in the preceding year.

The stocks on January 1, 1933, as reported for the leading northern potato states in percentage of the corresponding stocks on the same date a year ago were as follows: Maine, 81 per cent; New York, 94 per cent; Pennsylvania, 67 per cent; Michigan, 141 per cent; Wisconsin, 89 per cent; Minnesota, 94 per cent; and Idaho, 78 per cent. The fact that Michigan showed a marked increase in stocks while all the other leading states reported decreases is due to the very light Michigan crop in 1931 which was more than 6,000,000 bushels less than that of 1932.

The low prices for potatoes have resulted in large quantities being fed in the late surplus states, particularly in those sections largely dependent upon rail transportation to market. It is estimated that in addition to the usual feeding of culls, 10,000,000 bushels of merchantable potatoes will have been fed to livestock by the end of the current marketing season. Of this amount 3,600,000 had been fed prior to January 1 according to the report.

Rail and boat shipments prior to, and since, January 1 have been considerably below those of a year ago, averaging around 25 per cent loss. There is no available accurate measure of the volume of potatoes moved by truck, but growers supplied information in their reports indicating that 40 per cent of the potatoes sold up to January 1 had been marketed by auto truck as compared with 48 per cent by rail and boat transportation. Indicated percentages moved by truck for the different groups of states were: the 18 surplus late states, 37 per cent; the 12 deficient late states, 74 per cent; the 37 late and intermediate states, 41 per cent. Three eastern surplus states averaged 51 per cent; five central surplus states, 36 per cent; and ten western surplus states, 19 per cent. There are no comparable figures for previous years, nor will these percentages apply to the portion of the crop marketed after January 1.

During recent years, there has been a decided increase in the amount of potatoes produced in home and local gardens, particularly in and around industrial centers where many people are either employed or working only a part of the time. There has also been a noticeable tendency to increase the acreage of potatoes in the deficient late states, probably due to the growth of commercial truck transportation. This restricts to some extent the market outlets in those states for potatoes produced in commercial surplus areas such as Michigan. The recent reductions in freight rates to more distant states are timely and will give Michigan growers and shippers an enlarged field for the distribution of Michigan potatoes.

PAPA KNOWS—



"Pop, what is pending?"
"Feeling sad about nothing in particular."
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When Moving Day Comes
On an average, the American family moves three times in its career.

That Which Pleases
Let that please man which has pleased God.—Seneca.

YOUNG ARTISTS APPEARED IN C. C. M. C. PROGRAM

Cass City Music Club met at the home of Mrs. Holcomb, Feb. 22. The young artists of the community gave the following delightful program:

1. Floating Along—(O. H. Wedell) by Jimmy McCoy.
2. Washington Song by Fourth grade.
3. Mazurka—(C. E. Cohen) and Giant's Footprints—(Simmons) by Marjorie Hall.
4. Waltz Glide—(Vanderbilt) and To a Wild Rose—(MacDowell) by Mary J. Campbell.
5. Sparklers, a duet—(W. E. Miles) by Charlotte Auten and Marjorie Croft.
6. Rustle of Spring—(C. Sindring) by Ruth Schenk.
7. Outline of Theoretical Work that Mrs. Lee gives her pupils, Glenna Asher.
8. Valentine Song by Harriet McComb and Norman Grey.
9. Narcissus—(Nevin) and Jugglers of Normandy—(Layman) by Dorothy Holcomb.
10. Largo—(Handel) by Delbert Henry.
11. Delta Kappa Epsilon March—(Pease) by Patty and Betty Pinney.
12. Fading Rose—(Keats) by Phyllis Koepfen.
13. Song, Sunbonnet Babies, Overall Boys by Fourth grade.

Program made possible by the kindness of Mrs. Lee's and Mrs. Bigelow's pupils.

High Averages Ruin Rest of Herd Owner

Increasing the profits from a dairy herd by increasing the average amount of butterfat produced by the cows is a harder problem than becoming a millionaire, if the old adage that the first thousand is the hardest is true, because each succeeding increase of 100 pounds of butterfat is more difficult to obtain and finally becomes a puzzle which robs the dairyman of restful sleep.

The dairyman who owns cows which produce an average of 200 pounds of butterfat can go out blindfolded and pick any purebred dairy bull and be almost certain that the daughters of the bull will have a higher average production of butterfat than their mothers. Even when the herd produces 300 pounds of fat per year, the dairyman has better than six chances to one of improving his herd with a herd sire picked at random.

A herd which averages better than 400 pounds of butterfat per year will keep its owner up nights figuring blood lines and production records behind the sires which he contemplates purchasing. Less than half the purebred bulls will produce daughters which will produce better than their dams, and the majority of the bulls will decrease the herd production when his daughters become milk producers. Herds that average above 500 pounds of fat are not numerous and the reason probably is that a seventh son of seventh son with years of training in white magic is the only person who is qualified to consistently select herd sires which will even maintain the herd average of butterfat or milk production.

Roosevelt Raises Son



Two weeks before being inducted into office as President of the United States, Franklin D. Roosevelt visited Masonic Hall in New York City, there to witness and raise his son, Elliott Roosevelt to the degree of Master Mason in the Architect Lodge, F. & A. M. The photo was taken of father and son at the lodge hall.

Ancient Book of Verse
The oldest book of poems in the English language is the famous Exeter book, in the library of Exeter cathedral. It was first prepared in manuscript 1,700 years ago.

NEWS OF THE NEARBY SECTIONS

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

F. M. Johnston, founder of the Mayville Monitor, is dead at the age of 72 years. He was a veteran of 50 years' newspaper experience. As a young man he established the Mayville Monitor, which he edited for seven years. He next worked for two years on newspapers in Grand Rapids before going to Lowell to found the Ledger, which he published for 37 years. He retired following the deaths of his wife and daughter.

The Evangelical church was damaged by fire at Elkton Tuesday afternoon, when sparks from the chimney set the roof ablaze. In places the roof was badly burned, but there was little damage to the interior of the building. The loss, which has not yet been determined, is fully covered by insurance.

Responding to two out-of-town fires Monday afternoon and evening, the Pigeon fire department extinguished a blaze at the Quarry school after damage estimated at \$50 had been done to the roof. At 10 p. m. the department was called to Bay Port by a fire in the Fred Kuhl garage which was extinguished after a small damage by smoke.

Miss Wilma Kohler, 18, of North Branch, was fatally injured Tuesday night when she was struck by an automobile driven by William Neifeld, Detroit, on the Dixie highway just south of Flint. She was walking with Mrs. Zella Teed of Flint at whose home she was a guest. Neifeld said he swerved his car in time to avoid hitting Mrs. Teed but could not avoid Miss Kohler, who was walking near the center of the pavement.

Folks who never do any more than they get paid for never get paid for any more than they do—Elbert Hubbard.

WICKWARE.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex McLachlan celebrated the 19th birthday of their oldest son, Carlyle, by having a family dinner in his honor on Sunday, February 19. Mrs. McLachlan baked a pretty birthday cake for the occasion.

CEDAR RUN.

Mrs. Omar Bullock and three children spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Bullock of Shabona.

Mr. and Mrs. Wellington Darbee of Ellington spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Southworth.

Mrs. and Mrs. T. C. Hendrick and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Beardley.

Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Leishman and family, Joe Leishman and Harold McGrath spent Sunday with Mrs. E. Sheppard of Caro, celebrating the birthdays of Garfield, Everett and Marion Leishman.

Miss Maxine Hendrick spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Clare Tuckey.

Miss Lanetta Hendrick spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Rinerd Knoblet.

Mrs. Anthony Buetler and son, Alfred, and Elmer Hall of Caro

Community Dance

DOERR'S HALL
FRIDAY, MARCH 3

MUSIC BY
HOT FOOT'S
RAMBLERS

Modern and Old-time

Admission:
Ladies, 10c. Gents, 25c.

spent Sunday at the Clyde Moore home in Gagetown.

Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Leach and two daughters, Mrs. Roy Beyer and Mrs. Leslie Clark of Saginaw spent Tuesday at the Spaven home.

and John Lapham of Port Austin are still patients in the hospital.

Mrs. Michael Kennedy of Port Austin underwent an operation Friday. She is improving rapidly.

Indestructible Matter
Matter is indestructible, and merely changes form, as for instance, when wood and coal are burned, the new forms of matter consists of gas and ash.

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Independent Grocery

M. D. HART. Telephone 149

- APPLE BUTTER.....qt. jar 15c
- CLOTHES LINES.....100 ft. 23c
- SUNBRITE CLEANSER.....2 cans 9c
- GOLDEN BANTAM CORN, 3 cans 25c
- PUMPKIN.....large can 9c
- LEAF TEA.....per lb. 19c
- Good Health Toilet Paper.....4 rolls 19c
- Buckeye Rolled Oats.....9 lb. sack 21c
- BIG 4 SOAP CHIPS.....per pkg. 10c
- Tuscola Pastry Flour, 24½ lb. sack 37c

FRUIT SPECIALS

- ORANGES, 2 dozen27c
- CALIFORNIA CELERY, Large stalk10c
- HEAD LETTUCE, Large and solid9c
- SWEET POTATOES, 3 lbs. for13c

SPECIALS

for Saturday at the Henry Grocery

- California Figs, 8-oz. pkg.....3c
- Apple Butter, qt. jar.....15c
- Peanut Butter, pt. jar.....10c
- Fancy Muir Peaches, 2 lb. pkg.....15c (PIONEER BRAND)
- Trixy Molasses, No. 2½ can.....13c
- Sun Brite Cleanser, 2 cans.....9c
- Sal Soda, 2½ lb. pkg.....9c (WATER SOFTENER)

Our Soap Special For This Week:

CLASSIC KIRK'S FLAKE } 3 for 9c
P. & G.

Yours for Better Meals,

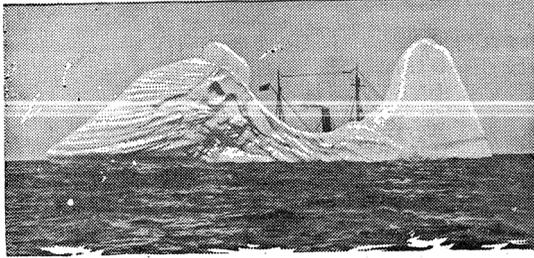
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We buy Cream and Eggs. Telephone 82

Saturday Specials at Bigelow's Hardware

- Decorated Drop Leaf Breakfast Set\$8.99
- Kyanize Floor Wax One Quart89c
- Kyanize Floor Wax One Pint59c
- Kyanize Floor Wax One-half Pint33c
- Kyanize Wax Paste One Pound57c
- RUBBER HEELS Per Pair10c
- CEMENT SOLES Per Pair10c
- HACK SAWS Good Quality.....3 for 10c
- Handy Rolls Lace Leather35c
- VIT-REX Quick Dry Enamel, 1 qt.75c
- VIT-REX Quick Dry Enamel, 1 pt.40c
- CROWN Quick Dry Enamel10c

WHITE TERRORS of the SEA



A White Terror of the North Atlantic

(Prepared by the National Geographic Society, Washington, D. C.) (WNU Service.)

ICEBERGS, the white terrors of the North Atlantic ship lanes, are on their annual migration from the Arctic to their doom in the warm waters of the gulf stream. Already North Atlantic traffic lanes have been moved 60 miles southward by order of the ice patrol which reports that some 350 bergs will move southward during the 1932 ice season of April, May and June.

Icebergs have always been the dread of transatlantic navigators. They drift hither and yon. They give no warning of their presence. They are propelled now by ocean currents, now by tides, and now by winds and waves. Fog is their constant companion.

A vessel speeding through an area infested with moving ice, during night or in fog, plays a game of chance. Even on a starlit night a berg cannot be seen beyond a half mile; but when the position of the ice is known to the navigator, the danger is eliminated; he can alter his course to avoid the menace.

The ice comes down every year, as it has for centuries; but now every berg that follows the eastern edge of the Grand Banks into the steamer lanes is kept under surveillance by the international ice patrol. From this service navigators can learn the answer to the question which each asks: "Where is the ice?"

Not a single ship has been lost through collision with an iceberg since the patrol was inaugurated.

Greenland's "icy mountains" alone are the source of the icebergs that come as far south as the steamer lanes, journeying about 1,800 miles—approximately the distance from Washington, D. C., to Denver—before they become "white specters" to shipping.

With the exception of a small strip of coast line, Greenland is completely covered with a vast ice cap. Its estimated thickness is 5,000 feet.

Always the ice mantle is moving down the slope of the land toward the sea, in great glaciers pushing out through the valleys. As the ice reaches the sea it noses out into the water until buoyancy lifts it up, and then the front of the glacier breaks off at a weak spot.

There is a deafening roar and a thunderous crash, and with a tidal splash the glacial fragment plunges heavily into the sea, almost submerging. The water is churned into creamy waves as the newborn berg shakes off the sea, regains its equilibrium, and settles itself comfortably for a long journey southward.

Come From Greenland. There are eight principal berg-producing glaciers in Greenland. The worst offenders are those of Disko bay, Jakobshaven, and Torshakatak, Karajak, and Umanak on the west coast.

Bergs are discharged in vast numbers from these and other Greenland fjords. Yet few come south of Newfoundland. Many are too small to last long. Only the fittest survive the buffeting of the sea, to be carried south on the flow of the Labrador current and along the eastern edge of the banks of the gulf stream. This warm current gives them short shrift; but until they have dwindled to the size of an ample library desk they are capable of staying in a vessel's plates.

The Labrador current, although a danger carrier, has its usefulness. It tempts with all kinds of marine life, affording breeding and feeding grounds for our best food fish.

The berg danger period coincides with the heavy flow period of the Labrador current each year—that is, from March 1 to July 1. It is during this period that the cutters patrol the ice-endangered areas.

Two cutters are assigned to the ice patrol, with a third cutter held in reserve. The cutter on duty is a busy place every day. To carry out the orders, "to locate the icebergs and ice fields nearest the transatlantic steamship lanes, and to determine the southerly, easterly and westerly limits of the ice as it moves to the southward, and keep track of all ice seen or reported," is not an easy task.

The oceanographer's day begins before the break of dawn, because he must get star sights for position if the fog permits, the first of the series to be made and checked all during the day.

At six o'clock the first ice broadcast goes out to the ships with modern equipment: "Patrol vessel near two bergs—latitude, 42 degrees 30 minutes; longitude, 48 degrees 30 minutes; set and drift, 180 degrees

five-tenths of a knot per hour; foggy, smooth sea." Added to this will be the position of perhaps twenty other bergs.

The set and drift data enable the ship navigators to know that the two bergs, which are the two southernmost, are coming south at the speed given.

rotation of corn, oats, wheat, hay. The oceanographer notices, while plotting the water temperature, reports from ship that their present course might carry them close to a number of dangerous bergs. An ice warning is immediately dispatched, which the vessels acknowledge with thanks. The vessels alter their courses to clear the ice.

On the great steamer lane between Europe and America liners, cargo carriers, and tramps pass constantly. It is an avenue of the sea just as much as Michigan boulevard or Fifth avenue is a heavy traffic street. On what is known as the "westbound tracks" are the ships coming from Europe, and on the "eastbound tracks," 60 miles south, are the ships going to Europe.

All vessels off the tracks are reported for violation of the rules. A vessel off the track is just as dangerous as an iceberg or a derelict. The ice patrol cutter stands as a traffic officer on the avenue of the sea. If the ice threatens blockage, the cutter sets the stop sign and turns traffic into a "side street" detour to the south.

Three separate charts are plotted recording the ship's ice and water temperatures. The latter is very important, because by using from 900 to 1,300 messages in 15 days one can locate the "cold wall," the line of demarcation between the gulf stream water and the cold Labrador current water.

The Danger Line. This line is the danger line, because icebergs that are perils to shipping seldom cross it. The location of it at the beginning of the season is an index to the severity of conditions to be expected.

A berg that crosses the line commits quick suicide, for water of 55 to 60 degrees melts ice very rapidly. The cold wall is easy to see. North of it the ocean is a beautiful olive green, south of it the water is indigo blue. The higher content of microscopic marine life gives the Labrador current its olive-green tone.

The prow of a cutter can be in green water of 40 degrees Fahrenheit, the stern in warm blue water that registers 60 degrees. The crew may swim in tropical temperature water, while half a mile away to the north floats a large iceberg, drifting in cold water.

As a boat approaches a floating ice island a sizzling sound becomes audible. Close attention shows that this comes from small pieces of ice slipping off into the sea. Unlike ordinary ice lumps, the pieces effervesce. This is a peculiarity of glacial ice.

Thousands of Americans sailed to Europe last year. Few of them were aware as they retired to their staterooms at night, of what precautions were being taken for their safety. They did not know that in the radio room on the upper deck of their ships, a message from the ice patrol was coming in, telling about fog and icebergs.

Nor did they realize that their liner was reporting a coast guard cutter drifting on the Grand Banks, so that officers on the cutter could check to learn if the liner's course was entirely clear of danger.

The Titanic catastrophe in April, 1912, shocked the entire world, and a universal demand for a patrol gave birth to the International Ice patrol. Immediately after the Titanic disaster the United States navy detailed two cruisers for guard duty until the last bergs disappeared from the steamer lanes in late June. In the spring of 1913 two revenue cutters were detailed to carry out the patrol.

During the fall of the same year the international conference for the safety of life at sea was convened at London, to organize this patrol on an international basis, in recognition of its service to ships of all nations. Representatives of the principal maritime nations of the world signed the agreement on January 20, 1914, creating the International Derelict Destruction, Ice Observation, and Ice Patrol service.

The United States was asked to undertake the management of this service. This country agreed to send two vessels which would patrol the danger zone during the iceberg season. Each of the contracting parties consented to bear a share of the cost in proportion to its shipping tonnage.

WILMOT.

Miss Bernice Evans of Pontiac spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Evans.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Daily and daughter of Pontiac spent the week-end with Mrs. Daily's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Barrons.

Chas. Clark and family spent Sunday with friends in Caro.

Roy Ashcraft of Pontiac spent the week-end with his family here.

Jack Barrons and son, Leland, are making their home with Lewis Barrons for the present.

Miss Ina Atfield spent Sunday at the home of John Tyrell in Snover.

The Robt. Hawkins' home was damaged by fire Friday morning. The flames were put out by the help of friends.

Mrs. R. Rayworth has purchased a new radio.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Nickert of Mayville spent the week-end with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Kitley.

Mrs. Warren Churchill of Novesta spent the week-end with friends here.

Wm. Moulton is entertaining the la grippe.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Hawkins and little daughter of Harbor Beach called on old friends here one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Orlo Moulton and two children of Caro spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Moulton.

Jack Barrons is moving west of town.

Alfred Legg of Milford, who has had a serious time with sinus trouble the past four months, is well again and was calling on relatives here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Thompson of Wahjamega and Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Mathewson and little daughter, Joan, of Caro spent Friday visiting relatives in this neighborhood.

Dogs wounded and killed 10 sheep belonging to Geo. Hampshire Friday morning.

KINGSTON.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Taylor visited their daughter, Mrs. Kenneth Colton, Sunday. She is in a hospital in Detroit where an operation was performed on Sunday.

Foster Wilkinson, Miss Lee and Mrs. Frost spent the week-end in Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Everett were in Caro Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carleton Peck of Royal Oak visited relatives here Sunday and Monday.

Mrs. Abbie Schwaderer was hostess for the Woman's Study Club members Monday evening.

Dorothy Lee, Margaret Heine-man, Edna Weldon, Hazel Jeffery and Earl Harneck attended a special meeting of the O. E. S. at Bad Axe Saturday afternoon and evening.

Joseph Coan is ill at the home of his son, James Coan.

J. D. Harneck will be the leader in the Epworth League service next Sunday night.

Close friends of Mrs. Mary Hunter helped her celebrate her 82nd birthday Wednesday evening, Feb. 22.

SHABBONA.

Several are buzzing wood these days.

Mr. and Mrs. Vern McGregory visited relatives at Yale recently.

Clyde Rice has moved his family to Sterling, Mich.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hamilton and children of Toledo, Ohio, visited their uncle, Sam Hamilton, from Thursday to Saturday.

Leona and Elwood Faltinski are sick with the measles.

The F. W. B. Ladies' Aid of Novesta met with Mrs. Montford Sharp Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Hyatt were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Hyatt Sunday.

RESCUE.

Rev. Ralph D. Harper of Elkton was a caller at the Joseph Mellendorf home Friday afternoon.

John Combs spent a couple of days the first of the week on business to Romeo.

The class in religion will meet this week at the Harmon Enders home.

Rev. and Mrs. Myron Carr of Edo were visitors at the Wilber Ellis and Joseph Mellendorf homes on Monday afternoon.

John MacCallum has been on the sick list the past week.

Ulysses G. Parker was a business caller in Cass City Monday forenoon.

Ralph Tebeau, Wilber Ellis, William Ashmore and Ralph Britt buzzed wood recently.

Do not forget about the Komjonyus class meeting at the Levi Helwig home Friday evening, Mar. 3.

Mr. and Mrs. John MacAlpine and son, Kenne'h, of Bad Axe were visitors at the latter's parental

WICKWARE.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Nicol Feb. 17, a son, Carl Dale.

Rev. Thos. Wilson of Wadsworth was the guest of friends here a few days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Charlton and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Waggs spent Sunday with the ladies' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Kelley, of Cass City.

Mr. and Mrs. Leland Nicol were business callers in Mt. Pleasant Friday.

Robt. Spencer and Mrs. Guy Cleland attended the funeral of their aunt in Armada Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Nicol entertained Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Fockler and Mr. and Mrs. L. Squires of Deckerville.

Rev. H. N. Hichens was the guest of Sandusky friends Monday.

The Ladies' Aid will meet with Mrs. Thos. Nichol Wednesday, March 8.

Mrs. R. E. Durkee and daughter, Opal, of Caro spent from Friday until Monday with their daughter and sister, Mrs. Chas. Nicol. Other guests on Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Craig.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Agar of Ann Arbor are visiting at the home of Mrs. Agar's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ward Law.

Preaching service at Wickware M. E. church Sunday, March 5, at 2 p. m. Sunday school at 3 o'clock. Epworth League Friday night, March 3, at the home of Gladys Nicol.

ELKLAND.

(Delayed Letter).

Mr. and Mrs. Altan Mark visited Mr. and Mrs. Harry Vickers in Sandusky Sunday. Mrs. Mark remained to spend the week with Mrs. Vickers.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Maharg and Nora were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Muntz Sunday.

Miss Mildred Knight entertained a company of friends at her home on Monday evening. The occasion was in honor of the birthday of Keith McConkey. Bridge was played at four tables, high score going to Mrs. Delbert Profit.

Sunday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clair Profit included Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hulbert and son, Henry, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Williams and three sons of Harbor Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hulbert opened their home on the evening of Feb. 15 to the members of the Bethel Home Furnish'ing Club and



Two spring frocks that are much alike and yet so different. They are alike in the bell-shaped short sleeve, in waist and in neck-lines. On the left, however, is a frock of two-toned crepe, on the right a silk print jacket-suit dress that will be gay for the bright sunshine of late April and early May.

There is a slight puff to the bodice of the crepe frock. From the bowed neck-line to top of the inverted V of skirt top there is a fullness reminding of Gibson-girl days. The sleeve tells its own story, a fullness at elbow which



makes for comfort. An "Eldred" blue with a jaunty blue bow hat make a most interesting spring appeal.

The silk-print suit may be worn with or without the jacket. There are short, slightly puffed, three-quarter sleeves in the dress. The jacket fastens at the neck with a bow tie of self material. It may be in as bright patterns as the wearer wishes in ushering in the new season.

Affection

Affection is an awkward and forced imitation of what should be genuine and easy, wanting the beauty that accompanies what is natural.—Locke.

Hesitation

To hesitate is to yield, to deliberate is to be lost; we must act always on principles; we must never pause to calculate consequences.—Agrippinus.

For Medicines

Americans are estimated as spending \$6 annually per capita for medicines.



SOME PEOPLE ARE AS HELPLESS IN HARD TIMES AS A ROBOT WITHOUT A WALL PLUG...

their husbands. The evening was spent in playing "Progressive Bug" at eight tables. High scores were won by Mrs. Lewis Maharg and Twilton Heron. A delicious luncheon was served. Mr. and Mrs. Hulbert were highly commended for their splendid hospitality and entertainment of the guests during the evening.

Miss Vernita Knight spent last week in Fairgrove, where she substituted for the Latin and English teacher of Fairgrove high school.

Self

To rule one's self, how hard, but how glorious!

Coined by Rabelais

The word "gargantuan" is from the work of Rabelais, in which Gargantua is a gigantic king having an extraordinary appetite.

Intentions

Let a man be true to his intentions and his efforts to fulfill them, and the point is gained, whether he succeeds or not.—Letters of Thomas Carlyle.

First Skyscraper

The first United States skyscraper is said to have been the Home Insurance building of Chicago, erected in 1884.

Thumb Hatchery

Always Good Chicks

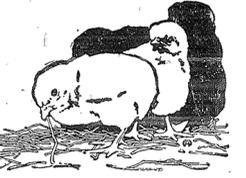
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To Our Customers:

Due to the recent proclamation laid down by our governor, and all banks in the State of Michigan entering in a new deal, we find it necessary to conduct our business on a cash basis, starting immediately.

We trust that you will give us your support in this matter and all look forward to a new era of prosperity. We hope this marks the turning point of this prolonged depression and thank you for your patronage in the past.

Cass City Oil and Gas Co.

Stanley Asher, Manager

Our Government

—How It Operates

By William Bruckart

BUREAU OF STANDARDS

AN ELDERLY guide at the Smithsonian institution, the wonder of wonders and storehouse of the interesting, was asked by a tourist on an occasion what the purpose of the institution was. His reply epitomized the place in these words: "It shows what people have done."

I am indebted to him, therefore, for the thought that the bureau of standards shows what people are doing. And there can be no more accurate description, albeit: to state fully its meaning and to comprehend its scope it must be expanded and expanded until one's mental processes grow foggy.

Some years ago, a friend of mine who has devoted many years to the public service as an expert in the bureau of standards, invited me to ride in his car to my destination at another point in the city. Upon entering his automobile I was surprised to find a veritable battery of taxicab meters operating in the tonneau of the machine. His explanation of their presence may be used to illustrate the type of work performed by the bureau:

"We never have known whether taxi meters are accurate. In other words, we have been unable to say positively whether persons hiring taxicabs are cheated by the machines that register the fare. By installing these meters and using this car normally, we get a test of them under all sorts of conditions of operation. The speedometer on the car is tested regularly so that we can check against it. We will know in about two months whether any or all of these meters give the public a square deal."

Such is one phase of the work done at the bureau of standards and all of it has its end and aim, the making of this a better world in which to live. Its accomplishments in this direction are endless, because those scientists are tireless in their pursuit of knowledge.

It will be impossible in a brief space to set out even a small portion or outline of the work done in the bureau, a place that to my humble mind contains more thrills than ever have been concentrated under one roof anywhere else in the world. But when one recalls that by persistent effort bureau experts have persuaded scores of commercial lines to do away with countless styles and types of products and to concentrate on standardized designs, all as means of reducing the cost to the consumer, some idea is given of the dollars and cents value of the work accomplished. Take for example, bolts and nuts. One can buy them anywhere in this land and if he calls for a certain type, that type will be supplied whether it is manufactured in the city of Pittsburgh or San Francisco.

Experiments have been carried on at the bureau for years respecting the best methods of heating homes and the best methods for steam production, always with the view of economical operation in view. A chemistry division operates one of the great laboratories of the country, testing, testing, testing. Thousands of chemicals that reach the public, ready for economical use and prepared to meet the everyday needs of one unskilled in handling delicate instruments, are better today because the scientists of the bureau of standards devoted many months to experimentation.

Development of the airplane has brought with it many and varied problems. The bureau has set about solving them. Some of them are mechanical, purely; others deal with natural forces. That explains why there is a gigantic wind tunnel in operation at the bureau. Air is forced through at every speed and at every angle and against propellers operated with certain horsepower behind them. The calculations arrived at enable engineers to know what weaknesses to avoid in plane construction.

And so it is, too, with tests made of such commonplace things as electric light bulbs. They are actually burned out. Tests are made with filaments of every known substance used for that purpose, and combinations of substances are tried. Manufacturers have the direct benefit of these experiments, of course, but the ultimate consumer gains eventually through lower prices on quality products.

Almost constant experiments are carried on at the bureau with materials used for dyes, for cloth, colors for paints, for inside and outside decorative purposes, for metals, etc. The fastness must be known; the condition under which they will fade are developed conclusively if they fade at all, and means of correcting that weakness are looked for. The scientists experiment with the cloth or the metal or wood, or whatever other base is used, to ascertain what results are brought about by a different foundation for the colors. When they get through one job of testing, those men and women can be said to know the truth. But it seems that instead of the truth making them free, it merely starts them off again in search of something else that will be helpful in your life and mine.

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TOWN SPURNS NEW COSTLY POST OFFICE

Fights Expense and Town's Loss of Rent.

Southampton, L. I.—This village does not want a new post office, and, if it can help it, will not have one under any conditions.

Southampton, center of one of Long Island's exclusive summer resort colonies, thinks its present post office is good enough, and Mayor J. Foster Terry and the town's four trustees, Elmer Van Brunt, Robert E. Hubbard, Lewis E. Downs and Latham R. Reed, told Secretary of the Treasury Ogden L. Mills so in no uncertain terms.

Instead of relieving unemployment Southampton feels that the expenditure of \$110,000, which was appropriated at the last session of congress for the erection of a new post office, would not only increase the financial burdens of the federal government, but would result in increased local taxation. The present building, "erected by the village primarily for the post office," Mayor Terry told Mr. Mills, brings in a rental of \$3,000 a year from the government. The proposed new post office, the mayor estimated, would cost the government \$6,000 a year to operate, and "render it necessary to increase the village taxes to make up this loss of revenue."

Mr. Terry said that the village had been opposed to the construction ever since it first had been proposed, about four years ago.

Besides writing a letter of protest to Mr. Mills, Mr. Terry sent a letter to Dr. Nicholas Murray Butler, president of Columbia university, who has summer residence near the village, requesting his help in "stopping this project."

The mayor declared that the village did not believe the construction of a new post office building would help the town's unemployed, since the "contractor would come from outside and bring his own labor."

Monkeys Startle Town

After Escaping Circus

Upper Darby, Pa. — Monkeys perched atop telegraph poles, ran into basements, peered into bedroom windows and jumped on housepets in this quiet town.

A negro ran from a store basement shouting, "Monkeys! The place is full of them, or I'm crazy!"

A man telephoned police in a rather apologetic voice:

"I may be wrong, but there seem to be hundreds of monkeys running around on Sixty-ninth street."

The skeptical police sergeant advised:

"That's all right, old fellow. You just go home and get some sleep and you'll be all right."

Then an early morning workman called to report the basement of a store "full of wild animals."

A woman called and explained that a monkey had attempted to enter her half-opened bedroom window.

By this time the "monkey business" had become serious for the police, and the hunt began.

They found the creatures perched on electric light signs, hovering in doorways, shivering from the cold, huddled in basement entrances and hanging to tree limbs. They had escaped from a cage which was consigned to an indoor circus opening here.

Light Keeper Plans to Celebrate Resignation

Charlevoix, Mich.—Dominick Gallagher, lighthouse keeper on Beaver Island, who has visited the mainland of Michigan only four times in his 32 years of service, is planning a trip to the Gulf of Mexico to celebrate his recent resignation. Three of Gallagher's four trips off the island were occasioned by the deaths of relatives, the fourth by an operation.

Splinter Kills Man

Picher, Okla.—C. F. Potter, seventy, was chopping wood. A flying splinter severed an artery in his leg. Neighbors found him sitting on a log, dead from loss of blood.

Crow Is Victor in Battle With Hawk

Shamokin, Pa.—A battle between a crow and a chicken hawk in midair interested road workers engaged in repairing the highway over Cameron mountain near here.

The crow surprisingly won the battle, according to the witnesses.

When they first saw the unusual conflict, the hawk was pursuing the crow. Suddenly the crow circled above the hawk and dropped on its back.

From this vantage point it pecked at the hawk's head. The larger bird shook off its tormentor. The crow maneuvered back to its position on the hawk. Again it pecked steadily until the bird of prey dropped.

The workers found the hawk dead. It measured 2½ feet from wing tip to wing tip. The crow was a medium-sized representative of its kind.

Current Comment.

Debts Agreement Is Vital to Prosperity.

A suggestion of the probable position to be taken by both England and France on the debt question at the coming conferences in Washington, is set forth in statements just made public by Sir Ernest Simon, prominent British manufacturer, former member of Parliament and at present member of the British Economic Advisory Committee, and Lucien Romier, French economist and political advisor.

Any further payment by England to the United States must be made in goods; it cannot possibly be made in any other way, states Sir Ernest, who visited the United States last fall to inform himself regarding American opinion on the debt question. On the other hand, that France may ask for a radical revision downward, is indicated by the opinion of M. Romier, who believes that the economic depression, reduction in exchanges, and falling prices have completely changed all the data which inspired the original accord on figures.

"Three years ago when the volume of transactions and price of commodities were twice what they are today, paying a debt called for one-half the amount of labor and wealth that would be necessary in paying the same debt in gold today," says the French economist in one of three signed articles in the March Rotarian, setting forth French, British and American views on debts. "In reality, therefore, not only has the effective burden of book debts been maintained at a time when the capacity for payment by debtor states is less than formerly, but the real burden of these debts in gold, in other words in labor and wealth, has been increased enormously in practice."

That there is much resentment in France over the attitude of the Hoover administration, is indicated by M. Romier's reference to the vote on the December 15th payment in the Chamber of Deputies.

"France has not refused to meet the December 15th payment. She has simply delayed it," he says, "pending a further examination of the question and further conversations. This is the sense of the vote taken in the Chamber of Deputies. Moreover, it is notoriously true that France would have paid without delay on Dec. 15th and the Chambers' vote would have been quite different, if the Hoover administration had not at the last moment informed public opinion in both countries that it rejected, in the most categorical and brutal manner, even the principle of conversations on the point at issue."

"The French attitude," continues M. Romier, "was inspired in no way by a desire to evade her commitments, still less by a desire to minimize the services that America rendered her during and after the World War. The French attitude was a dignified reflex in the face of the abrupt summons served by the Washington government, which appeared furthermore to disavow its own promises and the formal statement of its agents in previous negotiations."

On the other hand, while England may ask for a modification of her debt to America, according to Sir Ernest Simon, the real point at issue, as far as England is concerned, is some method of relief from payment in gold.

"If America is unwilling to lend back to us the amount we pay her," he says, "then the only possible methods of payment are either in gold or in goods. We made our last payment in gold. But two-thirds of the world's gold is already piled up in the vaults of New York and Paris and the 500 million dollars which we still possess are utterly inadequate for future payments; in fact, experts advise us that any further depletion of our gold reserve must have a disastrous effect on our credit and so on world prices and on world trade."

Neither the British financial advisor nor the French economist minimize the importance of arriving at an equitable settlement at the earliest possible moment. "War debts," believes Sir Ernest Simon, "are the main originating cause of the present world depression. And the only people who can make a wise and satisfactory settlement are the governments concerned. It is not a problem that the man in the street can settle. He can never hope to understand it. The task of democracy in this matter is that having elected the best possible government, to leave it to them."

"I appeal to those who read this statement," he concludes, "whether in America or Britain: trust your government. Give them your whole-hearted support in any settlement they make."

NOVESTA.

Many are having colds and the flu.

Mrs. Colin Ferguson returned to her home on Tuesday of last week after spending a week with her daughter, Mrs. E. Bruce, of Fairgrove.

N. W. Bridges is able to be around again after a tussle with eye trouble and flu.

Harold Ferguson has been suffering for the last week with rheumatism in the hip.

Duncan McArthur, Mrs. Sarah Gillies and Mrs. George McArthur were Caro callers on Monday the 27th.

Several of the young people met at the home of Stuart and Arthur Henderson on the evening of the 24th for music and singing. Refreshments were served.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Holcomb left on Sunday for Detroit to spend a few days with their children.

Geo. and Duncan McArthur attended the 13th annual Washington's birthday celebration of Caro Chapter, No. 96, Royal Arch Masons, at Caro on Wednesday, Feb. 22. A seven o'clock dinner was served in the evening, followed by addresses by outstanding Masons of Michigan, and other pleasing numbers on the program.

Or a Turnip!

Now some evolutionists say that man is of vegetable origin. That is easy for the man to understand whose wife is always calling him a "cabbage head."

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

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

Notice is hereby given that 4 months from the 28th day of February, A. D. 1933, 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 5th day of July, A. D. 1933, and that said claims will be heard by said court on Wednesday, the 5th day of July, A. D. 1933, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated February 28, A. D. 1933. H. WALTER COOPER, Judge of Probate. 3-3-3

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

In the matter of the Estate of Minnie Barnes, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given that 4 months from the 28th day of February, A. D. 1933, 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 5th day of July, A. D. 1933, and that said claims will be heard by said court on Wednesday, the 5th day of July, A. D. 1933, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

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Registration Notice For Biennial Spring Election and Annual Township Election, Monday, April 3rd, A. D. 1933.

To the qualified electors of the Township of Grant, County of Huron, State of Michigan:

Notice is hereby given that in conformity with the "Michigan Election Law," 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 residence in Grant township, Tuesday, March 14, 1933

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, Mar. 25, 1933—Last Day for general registration by personal application for said election.

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

GILLIES BROWN, Twp. Clerk. Dated Feb. 11, A. D. 1933. 3-3-2

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

In the matter of the Estate of Andrew Parker, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given that 4 months from the 27th day of February, A. D. 1933, 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 3rd day of July, A. D. 1933, and that said claims will be heard by said court on Monday the 3rd day of July, A. D. 1933, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

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

Notice is hereby given that in conformity with the "Michigan Election Law," 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 in Cass City, Tuesday, March 14, 1933

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, Mar. 25, 1933—Last Day for general registration by personal application for said election.

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

C. E. PATTERSON, Twp. Clerk. Dated Feb. 11, A. D. 1933. 3-3-2

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

In the matter of the Estate of Frederick E. Kelsey, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given that 4 months from the 20th day of February, A. D. 1933, 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 26th day of June, A. D. 1933, and that said claims will be heard by said court on Monday, the 26th day of June, A. D. 1933, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated February, A. D. 1933. H. WALTER COOPER, Judge of Probate. 2-24-3

Mortgage Sale.

Default being made in the payment of the principal and interest of a mortgage made September 7, 1922, by Albert N. Treadgold and Lillie B. Treadgold to the Cass City State Bank and recorded in the office of the register of deeds for Tuscola County on the thirtieth day of September, 1922, in liber 152 of mortgages on pages 30 and 31, later assigned by written assignment to Edwin T. Lumber and recorded in the office of the register of deeds aforesaid in liber 160 of mortgages on page 32 and again assigned by a written assignment to Katherine I. Lumber and recorded in the office of the register of deeds aforesaid in liber 141 of mortgages on page 320, and then re-assigned by written assignment to the Cass City State Bank and recorded in the office of the register of deeds aforesaid in liber 129 of mortgages on page 387; the sum of \$1001.60 due thereon at the date of this notice. Pursuant to the covenants thereof, foreclosure will be made by sale of the premises described below at public auction, at the front door of the court house in the village of Caro, Michigan, March 21, 1933, at one o'clock in the afternoon;

The east one-half of the north-west quarter of Section twenty-two, Town thirteen (13) North Range eleven (11) east. Being in the township of Novesta, Tuscola County, Michigan.

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Order for Publication—Sale or Mortgage of Real Estate.—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 14th day of February, A. D. 1933.

Present: Hon. H. Walter Cooper, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the Estate of David Law.

The Pinney State Bank, by Frederick H. Finney, Trust Officer, having filed in said court his petition, praying for license to sell the interest of said estate in certain real estate therein described,

It is ordered, that the 14th day of March, A. D. 1933, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition, and that all persons interested in said estate appear before said court, at said time and place, to show cause why a license to sell the interest of said estate in said real estate should not be granted;

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.

H. WALTER COOPER, Judge of Probate. 2-17-3

Minta E. Hill, Register of Probate.

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Washington Digest

National Topics Interpreted
by William Bruckart

Washington. As discussions proceed over the question of what to do about the foreign debts, it comes quite apparent that there is a great deal of confusion existing on the subject throughout the country. It seems that many persons are unable to untangle the skein or to get a clear idea of how the influence of the debt question carries on through to individuals.

I was privileged to see a letter received a few days ago by a member of the house of representatives. Because of the earnest desire of the individual who wrote that letter to learn something about the problem, I think he must be typical of a great many other persons throughout the country.

"If I could understand how the debt question affects me," he wrote. "I think I might be interested in all of this argument. As it is, I confess my inability to determine whether I ought to favor or oppose readjustment of the debts."

Let me say at the outset, I believe those who favor scaling down the foreign debts are exaggerating the benefits which they are saying will result, and that those who are unalterably opposed are being a little unfair in some of the statements they make. Proponents of debt reduction by the United States claim there will be a revival of foreign trade, so the farm surplus will be saleable and the products of factories will be marketable again, if the foreign nations owing money to the United States are let off in the payment of some of it. They are claiming that American banking conditions would be improved by debt reduction, because it is well known many of our banks hold foreign government bonds in large amounts. If the debts to the United States government are scaled down, of course, the private holdings of the foreign bonds naturally become worth more because there is a better chance for their payment.

It is undoubtedly true that banking conditions would be eased here and that a great many individuals who have invested some of their savings in foreign bonds would benefit by any debt reduction. The circumstance is this: there is only so much revenue available to any one of the foreign governments, and when part of that government's obligations have been released, the chances are the others will be paid. The same holds true as regards the revival of foreign markets. When their government's debts have been reduced to some extent, manufacturers and other lines of business in that country, recognize the probability of reduction in their taxes and some greater freedom in business dealings. To that extent then those potential purchasers feel able to enter the market and buy the usual amount of goods from America. And, of course, if there is a demand for goods from our farms and our factories, prices rise, employment increases and the whole country profits.

On the other side of the picture, the opponents of debt reduction set forth an insistent cry that "reduction of the foreign debts is simply transferring those debts to the backs of American taxpayers." By that, they mean the United States government, having borrowed the money originally from its own citizens, has to pay them as the bonds become due. The government can get money only by taxation.

Opponents of debt reduction say, too, that there is no assurance of any revival of foreign trade with the United States. They point to the British empire agreement of last year, giving preference to products of their provinces and dominions, and to the trade restrictions now in effect or projected among numerous other nations.

These are the general tenor of the arguments. They vary in different sections of the country, for undoubtedly the products of some parts of the country are ordinarily in greater demand from foreign lands than are others. So it is obvious how many variations may be found.

But the stake is so great that naturally there is being used every influence available. The total of United States debts owed the United States is \$11,786,271,281, an enormous sum of money and an amount constituting more than half of our own government's national debt. In other words if the foreign debts were paid at once, our government could reduce its own national debt to about \$5,500,000,000.

Here are the names of the debtors or nations and the amounts they owe:

Austria	23,752,217
Belgium	406,555,000
Czechoslovakia	165,571,023
Estonia	17,203,743
Finland	8,803,295
France	3,251,547,932
Great Britain	4,429,520,000
Greece	32,120,336
Hungary	1,994,077
Italy	2,007,406,125
Latvia	7,085,454
Lithuania	6,235,612
Poland	215,289,815

Rumania	62,860,560
Yugoslavia	61,625,002
Russia	327,583,071
Armenia	19,617,108

With respect to Russia and Armenia, hope of gaining repayment long since has faded away. There is no Armenia any more, and the Russian Soviet has repudiated all debts made by the czarist and de facto governments preceding the present type of control in Russia.

Publication of the agenda, the things to be talked about, at the international economic and monetary conference, shows that the rest of the world, or its experts, considers the same thing paramount that is fostered as the highest hope in this country. It is the desire for higher prices of commodities. And these prices, it may be added, necessarily revolve around the values of the products of the farm. Thus it is demonstrated again that the farm question is basic.

The conference program, necessarily prepared two or three months in advance of its use in the conference, treats of tariff readjustment, readjustment of international debts, abolition of trade restrictions, the stabilization of currencies on the gold standard to which the United States has adhered so tenaciously, and steps to balance the budgets of whatever governmental units there are.

Of course, the discussion already has been initiated on the question of debt readjustment. It had to start with the United States. Our nation is the creditor of all of them. Every one here with whom I have talked, agrees that the theory is right. The debtors, who are creditors of other nations, must know to what extent they are going to be let off before they feel free to let somebody else off. So it is a circle which can be unlocked only by the United States.

But there is another side. It is on the other side that the trick lies. The question is: Here's where "will the debtor the Trick Lies nations to whom the United States makes concessions carry those concessions on through to the ultimate debtors?" If they do not, the experts here say there is nothing to be gained by making concessions.

To state the problem another way, unless such concessions as are made by the United States are reflected all along the line, the United States will have been just a plain sucker. Uncle Sam again will have been played as the victim in the shell game. There was no pea under either shell when the game began.

From these facts it becomes perfectly obvious why consideration must be given to the program of the international economic and monetary conference alongside of the discussions now going on between the United States and those powers to whom it loaned money during and after the World war. Sponsors of the agenda for the conference decline to admit it, but unbiased views hold that the program for the conference is too complex to be worked out at one series of meetings. The experts take the position, however, that because the problem as a whole is so complex, it cannot be dealt with by pieces. They say that when the pie has been cut, none of the pieces will serve the ends desired if taken singly. That was the attitude of some of the leaders in the Hoover administration; it is, furthermore, the attitude of Mr. Roosevelt and his associates now.

There is reason to believe, therefore, that we are going to see a continuing series of international exchanges in views for quite some time.

It is necessary here to call attention to another factor in the whole situation that has balky horses to loom on the horizon.

The situation that confronted Woodrow Wilson who, as President, sought to gain senate approval of the Treaty of Versailles. The treaty had the League of Nations covenant as its heart. The senate refused to wear the halter. There were a number of senators who became balky horses. They were called the "irreconcilables." Whether their position was wrong or right is of no moment in this article. The fact is that the irreconcilables blocked American adherence to the League of Nations.

Now, there is another group of them. Several senators remain in the senate from that original group. They are restating their views these days, some publicly, others privately. They are insisting that the United States retain its "sovereignty," and remain isolated from the entanglements which they say they foresee in the debt discussions and the international conference. Conservatives and radicals alike agree on one thing: Mr. Roosevelt has a tremendous job ahead of him as he settles himself in the White House.

GAGETOWN.

Early Morning Fire—

Early Monday morning a fire was discovered in the roof of John Fournier's grocery store. Quick action of the fire department prevented what might have been a big loss.

Orange Blossoms—

Mrs. L. T. Hurd received a box of orange blossoms in remembrance from her daughter, Mrs. E. L. Green, of Texas. Mrs. Hurd shared her happiness with her neighbors by giving them a generous bouquet of the fragrant blossoms.

Irish Songs—

Mr. and Mrs. Jules Goslin entertained a party of friends Sunday evening in honor of Jas. J. Phelan, the occasion being his 74th birthday. Old Irish songs were resurrected, and with Mrs. Goslin at the piano, A. Rocheleau with his violin, and the guests using their voices, with Mr. Phelan leading, they happily ended another birthday.

Gleaners Install Officers—

Superior Arbor, A. O. O. G., met Monday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Martus. The following officers were installed: Jas. J. Phelan, chief gleaner; Lena Farson, vice chief gleaner; Tella C. Hunter, secretary-treasurer; May Karr, chaplain; Mr. and Mrs. Roy Allen, conductor and conductress; Leonora Martus, lecturer; William Martus, inner guard; Mose Karr, outer guard. After installation, cards were enjoyed and lunch served. The next meeting will be held March 27 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Kretschmer at Owendale.

Oratorical Contest—

The oratorical and declamatory contests were held Tuesday evening at the P. T. A. gathering. Classes in high school picked members to represent their groups. The seniors and juniors gave orations and the sophomores and freshmen, declamations. First place in orations went to Helen Quinn, who talked on "An Ideal Education." Second to Maxine Grappan, "Radio and Education." Third to Cathryn Hunter, "Communism in America." In the declamations, first to James Secor, "Spartacus to the Gladiators"; second to Helen Fournier, "War of Righteousness"; third to Evelyn Seuryouck, "American Flag." Helen Quinn and James Secor will represent the school at Bad Axe for the contest.

Neil McKinnon left for Detroit Wednesday after spending the past two weeks with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. J. McKinnon.

Mrs. Alfred Bartel and daughter, Marilyn, of Saginaw spent Tuesday visiting relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Freeman were Sunday callers in Caro.

Mr. and Mrs. Jeffery LaClair of Detroit were called here on account of the illness of Mrs. LaClair's sister, Mrs. Ezra Rabideau.

Isaac Montreuil of Detroit visited in town the past week.

Mrs. Dennis Rocheleau is caring for Mrs. Grant Howell, who is very ill at the present writing.

C. P. Hunter and daughter, Pauline, spent a few days the past week in Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Sharrock and Mrs. Sherrock's father, A. Russell, returned here after spending the winter in Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Alphonso Rocheleau and daughter, Catherine, spent Sunday afternoon in Sebawaing.

Mrs. Harry Hool entertained a company of friends Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Jankech entertained a party of friends Monday evening, the occasion being Mr. Jankech's birthday.

Mrs. Walters and Mrs. Mary LaFave of Detroit came Saturday to spend a week with Mrs. Walters' mother, Mrs. Wm. LaFave.

A Democratic caucus will be held Saturday, Mar. 11, at 2:00 p. m. in the town hall.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Wilson and little son, James, of Elkton were callers at the C. P. Hunter home Sunday.

Rev. Edward Ferguson is recovering from a severe attack of pneumonia.

Francis Hunter of Detroit visited at the home of his parents over the week-end.

Mis Helen High of Pontiac visited her mother over the week-end. Harry McCullough of Detroit visited his brother, Rev. Fr. McCullough, the past week.

Mrs. Emil Kaiser spent Saturday in Saginaw shopping. Miss Nina Munro of Owosso spent the week-end at her parental home. Miss Mildred McDonald visited her mother at Mt. Pleasant over the week-end. Miss Irene Dupree spent the week-end in Detroit visiting her father and brother. Misses Leah and Florence McKinnon of Detroit spent the week-end at their parental home here.

DEATHS OF THE WEEK.

John Kirkpatrick.

John Kirkpatrick, resident of this city, died quite suddenly at his home Thursday afternoon, Feb. 23. He had not been in very good health for the past six years and eight days before his death he was stricken with pneumonia of which he died.

Funeral services were held at his home on Sunday afternoon, conducted by Rev. P. J. Allured, pastor of the Presbyterian church, of which Mr. Kirkpatrick was a member. Entombment was in the Elkland cemetery.

Mr. Kirkpatrick was born in Canada 64 years ago but came to Michigan when he was only one year old and has lived in this vicinity since that time. He married Jesse Vance in 1899 and they had one son, Norman, who died six years ago.

Besides his widow, Mrs. Kirkpatrick, he leaves his daughter-in-law, Mrs. Norman Kirkpatrick and two grandchildren, Robert and Buddie of Cass City; two brothers and two sisters, Ernest Kirkpatrick and James Kirkpatrick of Saulte Ste. Marie, Mrs. Neil Vance of Pontiac, and Mrs. Roy Vance of Cass City.

Relatives and friends from out-of-town attending the funeral were Mrs. D. A. Allen of Lapeer, Alex Vance of Clifford, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Vance of Pontiac, and John Vance of Greenleaf.

George Barker.

George Barker passed away Monday, February 27, at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Chas. Henderson, after a two weeks' illness, at the age of nearly eighty-nine years.

He was born in Woodstock, Ont., June 16, 1844, coming to Michigan when a young man. In 1877, he was married to Nancy Smith of Elmwood. They resided in Cass City until 1889, when they moved to Saginaw. They lived there until 1914 and then moved to Evergreen township.

He is survived by four children, Mrs. A. H. Henderson and Mrs. Chas. Henderson of Novesta, Mrs. D. B. Warner of Vancouver, B. C., and one son, Ralph, of Los Angeles, California. His wife preceded him in death July 15, 1930.

Mrs. Elizabeth Kinnaird.

Mrs. Elizabeth Kinnaird, who had been living with her daughter, Minnie, in Muskegon, passed away Thursday, February 23, at her home after having been confined to her bed one week, although she had not been well for a number of years. Her birthday was February 24th when she would have been 79 years old.

She was brought to the Audley Kinnaird home here where the funeral was held Saturday afternoon, conducted by Rev. P. J. Allured, pastor of the Presbyterian church. Entombment was in the Elkland cemetery.

Mrs. Kinnaird leaves three children, Miss Minnie Kinnaird of Muskegon, Lester Kinnaird in California, and Audley Kinnaird of Cass City, besides a sister, Mrs. Minnie Cooper, who is living with her niece, Miss Minnie Kinnaird, in Muskegon.

Thomas Frederick Philp.

Thomas Frederick Philp passed away Wednesday morning Mar. 1, at the home of his sister, Mrs. Jas. Pethers, after an illness of heart trouble from which he has suffered for the past three years. The last five weeks he has been confined to his bed and went through a great deal of suffering.

Mr. Philp was the second son of William and Katherine Philp and was born June 16, 1881, in Bingham township, Huron county. He spent his boyhood days around Verona Mills. On Dec. 3, 1902, he was united in marriage with Katherine Caroline Duncan of Verona township. They farmed for a few years and later moved to South Boardman, Mich., where he was manager of a Gleaner store. In 1925, he moved his family to Flint where he has since made his home.

He leaves three children, Billy of South Boardman, Mrs. Elmer Shumaker and Gordon Philp of Flint, one grandchild, Elmer Burton Shumaker, five brothers and sisters, Mrs. Geo. Golding of Pontiac, Robt. Philp of Detroit, Mrs. Geo. Russell and Mrs. Jas. Pethers of Cass City, and Geo. W. Philp of Mt. Clemens, besides a host of relatives and friends. His wife preceded him in death one year and five days and his mother passed away with a heart attack four weeks ago.

Mr. Philp was a kind and loving husband and father, always cheerful and willing to give a helping hand to his friends and neighbors. He and his family belonged to the Methodist church at Flint. He was a member of the Ancient Order of Gleaners.

Services will be held at the home of James Pethers Friday afternoon at two o'clock, by Rev. Wilson of the Methodist church. The body will be taken to South Boardman. Services will be conducted there on Sunday afternoon. Interment will be made in the South Boardman cemetery where Mrs. Philp was laid to rest.

DEFORD.

Farmers' Club Meet—

The Farmers' Club met on Friday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. D'Arcy. The regular annual oyster dinner was served, in addition to the usual abundance of good things to eat.

The M. E. pastor, W. Jones, gave a very instructive address. This was followed by a spelling match in which all competed, and at which much merriment was manifested. However, the club as a whole, demonstrated marked ability in the art of spelling. Lewis Retherford and Howard Retherford were the opposing captains of the teams as selected. The side of Lewis won in the contest.

The P. T. A. will meet Friday evening, March 10, at the school building. A good attendance is desired as the election of officers for the year will take place in connection with other business of the association.

Mrs. Mary Parks still remains quite ill at her home. Mr. and Mrs. Howard Parks are with her, also her daughter, Myrtle, (Mrs. Nichols), of Caseville.

L. M. Stenger returned on Thursday after spending a few days at Alliance, Ohio. His sister of Alliance returned home with him and expects to remain for a time.

Mrs. King of Rochester, New York, who has been a guest of her brother, Alvey Palmateer, for a few weeks, returned to her home on Saturday. A son of Mrs. King and his wife motored from Rochester on Friday and were guests at the Palmateer home and also at the Thomas Colwell home at Cass City until Saturday, when they returned home, accompanied by Mrs. King.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Colwell of Saginaw and Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Spencer were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Spencer.

A chicken dinner was served on Friday evening at the home of Bruce Malcolm to thirty-two young people. The time was pleasantly spent in games and music until one o'clock.

A number of the young friends of Vern Lewis gave him a surprise at his parental home on Tuesday evening. The occasion was his thirteenth birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Kelley entertained a number of young folks on Thursday evening. All enjoyed an oyster dinner and the evening was pleasantly spent.

Mr. and Mrs. Alva Stewart and son, Dick, of Midland were visitors on Tuesday at the home of their parents, T. L. Stewart, and Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Retherford.

Wm. Kelley, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Kelley and Harley and Robert Kelley spent Tuesday evening at the Baxter home at East Dayton.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Cox of Elmer township are new neighbors, located in the M. E. parsonage building.

Mrs. Roma Porter returned to her home at Brantford, Canada, after spending the past six weeks with her sister, Mrs. C. J. Malcolm.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Osburn and children of Lamotte were Sunday visitors of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Funk.

Jesse Bruce and J. Richter and family spent Sunday at the Bert Walker home at Marlette.

Visitors at the Ben Wentworth home on Sunday were John Wentworth and children of North Branch, Mrs. J. Davis and Francis Appleby.

Thelma and Sylvester Curtis entertained on Sunday Misses Lucille and Stella Wilson, Billie Wilson, Marie Lewis, Nellie McArthur, Clinton Foster, Wilton Pratt, Basil Hartwick and Willard Spencer.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Augustine and sons and Charles Reddick spent the week-end at Pontiac.

Morley Palmateer of Inlay City was a business caller in town Monday.

Mrs. A. Bunker spent the week-end visiting relatives and friends at Detroit.

E. Elwell is confined to his bed by sickness.

Glen Palmateer and family have moved to a farm near Greenleaf.

Origin of Panic.

Although the word, "panic," is now applied to a period of severe financial distress, it originated on the battlefield of Marathon. It will be remembered in that famed encounter, that a mere handful of Greeks put a vast multitude of Persians to flight, and the honor of the victory was all given to the God, Pan who smote the Persians with sudden and unaccountable fright. They lost all sense or reason and this condition of affairs took its name from the god who was supposed to have caused it.

Church

Baptist Church—Preaching Sunday morning at 10:30. Theme, "Who Crucified Christ?" These Lenten sermons we hope will be a help to both pastor and people. Sunday School at 11:45. Cecil Brown, superintendent.

Junior B. Y. P. U. at 3:00. Ella Mae Glaspie, president. Senior B. Y. P. U. at 6:30. Leader, Elizabeth Simmons.

Preaching at 7:30. Subject, "Where a Human Need Touched the Divine Compassion." A subject suggested by one of the young people in the B. Y. P. U. will be used. Prayer and Bible Study Thursday evening at 7:30. Choir rehearsal Thursday evening at 8:30. Sunday morning will be communion for all Christians. William R. Curtis, Pastor.

Church of Christ—March 5: Bible School, 10:30 a. m.

Sermon, 11:30 a. m. Subject: "A Trembling Man." The regular preaching service hereafter will be at 11:30 a. m. on the First Lord's Day of each month. The Ladies' Aid meets on the first Wednesday of each month at noon in the church building.

Evangelical Church—Sunday, March 5: Sunday School at 10 o'clock. Morning worship at 11 o'clock. Rev. C. A. Wilkie will preach the sermon, followed by Holy Communion.

Junior and Senior Christian Endeavor services at 6:45 p. m. The evening service at 7:30. The pastor will speak on "The Most Important Question." A cordial invitation and welcome to all.

Presbyterian Church—Paul J. Allured, Minister. Sunday, March 5: Morning worship, 10:30 to 12:30. Sermon: "An Adequate Creed for a Conquering Church." Adult class lesson: "Jesus Giving Life and Health." Mark 5:21-43. Christian Endeavor, 6:00. "Earning and Spending Money." Leader, Bill Hvatt.

Joint evening service, 7:30, in this church. Another evening with the hymnal. We shall study and sing an appropriate hymn for every phase of a well-rounded Christian life.

Mid-week church night, Thursday, March 2, with Mrs. Tennant. Next week Thursday, March 9, with Mrs. McRae.

First M. E. Church—10:00, Class for prayer, praise and study. 10:30, Public worship. Subject, "The Spirit of Progress." 11:30, Church school. Classes for all ages.

6:30 p. m., Epworth League meeting. Interesting discussions. 7:30, Joint evening worship in the Presbyterian church. 2:30, Friday, March 3, there will

be a service of prayer in this church, all the churches participating. We invite all people to attend.

Bethel Church—Bible School at 11:00 a. m. Worship, 12:00 m. T. S. Bottrell, Pastor.

Decker M. E. Circuit—Shabbona Church—Sunday School at 10:30 a. m. Morning service at 11:30 a. m. Young people's service at 3:00 p. m. Topic, "Bible Doctrine—Regeneration." Leader, Merle Wauw. Prayer service on Thursday at 8:00 p. m.

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

Elmer Church—Evangelistic services at 10:00 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday School at 11:00 a. m. J. H. James, Pastor.

Argyle M. E. Church—James A. Yakes of Detroit will sing at the Argyle Methodist Episcopal church Sunday, March 5. There will also be other musical numbers. The service will begin at 8:00 p. m. The public is invited. Herbert N. Hichens, Pastor.

Mennonite Church—Mizpah—Revival continues until Sunday night. At that time, it will be announced as to whether there will be a further continuance of meetings. There will be a special message to the young people on Friday evening. All are invited to attend this service.

The Riverside church is enjoying the benefit of the recent revival there in increased attendance and interest. The time for preaching is ten o'clock Sunday morning. G. D. Clink, Pastor.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Earl Kendrick Hoster and wife to Louie Nedich and wife, NE 1/4 of NE 1/4, Sec. 32, and SW 1/4 of NW 1/4, Sec. 33, Twp. Vassar, \$1,000 etc.

State Savings Bank, Gageton, to Neil McKinnon and wife, Lot 7, Blk. 1, Helen Gage's annex, Village of Gageton, \$800.00

A. Lawrence Mills et al to Earl R. Steele and wife, pt. S. 80 acres of NE 1/4, Sec. 3, Twp. Fairgrove, \$1,000 etc.

Village Election.

Notice is hereby given to the Qualified Electors of the Village of Cass City, State of Michigan.

That the next ensuing Village Election will be held at the Council Rooms within said Village on Monday, March 13, A. D. 1933 at which election the following Village Officers are to be elected, viz:

1 Village President; 1 Village Clerk; 1 Village Treasurer; also 3 Trustees for 2 years; 1 Assessor.

The polls of said election will open at 7 o'clock a. m., or as soon thereafter as may be, and will remain open until 5 o'clock p. m., Eastern Standard Time, on said day of election.

Dated this 16th day of February, A. D. 1933. C. M. WALLACE, Clerk of said Village.

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2 lbs. 25c

Spaghetti Encore.....	4 tins	25c
Spaghetti Encore.....	3 glasses	25c
Macaroni or Spaghetti 8 oz.....	6 pkgs.	25c
Soda Crackers, fresh baked, 2-lb pkg		15c
Rinso, for whiter clothes, lge., 2 pkgs.		37c
Pet or Carnation Milk Tall.....	can	5c
Del Monte Peas No. 2 size.....	2 cans	25c
Cigarettes Popular Brands.....	pkg.	10c
PAUL JONES, TWENTY GRAND, carton of 10 pkgs. 89c		
Seminole Toilet Tissue.....	4 rolls	25c
Quaker Maid Chili Sauce.....	2 bots.	25c
Mother Ann Codfish.....	lb.	23c
Sunnyfield Family Flour, 24 1/2 lb. bag		49c
Ralston's Cereal.....	pkg.	19c
8 O'Clock Coffee lb. 19c.....	3 lb. bag	55c
Red Circle Coffee.....	lb. tin	21c
Bokar Coffee.....	lb. tin	25c
Grandmother's Bread.....	lb. loaf	4c
"DAILY EGG" Scratch Feed.....	100-lb. bag	99c
"DAILY EGG" Egg Mash.....	100-lb. bag	\$1.45

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