

20 PER CENT PAYMENT FROM TRUST FUNDS

Local Banks Announce Over \$79,000 to Apply on Certificates of Participation.

The state banking department has authorized the release of over seventy-nine thousand dollars from the segregated assets of the two banks at Cass City this week. Twenty per cent payments will be made to all holders of certificates of participation.

Both the Cass City State Bank and the Pinney State Bank carry announcements of these payments to certificate holders in this number of the Chronicle. The amount of checks which will be issued by Solomon Striffler, Fred Maier and D. W. Benkelman, trustees of segregated assets of the Pinney State Bank, total \$50,404.95, and payments which will be made from the impounded deposits of the Cass City State Bank by Frank H. Reid, Neil McLarty and M. B. Auten, trustees, total \$28,907.39. This is the first payment on trust funds to be made by banks in this part of Michigan.

Both banks at Cass City, after reorganization, opened with 50% of the deposits available to depositors.

Past Masters in Degree Work

Close to 100 Masons attended the session of Tyler Lodge on Friday evening and witnessed the conferring of the third degree upon Leonard Urquhart. Nineteen of the 21 past masters of the lodge were present and participated in the degree work.

Clark McKenzie of Kalamazoo, a past master of Tyler Lodge, presented a past masters' apron to Warren Wood, who occupied the worshipful master's chair last year. White carnations were presented to past masters of all lodges in attendance. Visiting Masons were from Gagetown and Caro.

A fish supper was served after the degree work and greatly enjoyed. A. H. Higgins presided as chef.

Man Fatally Injured at Sebewaing

William Wissner, seriously injured in a cave-in on a Sebewaing street trench Saturday afternoon, died at Samaritan hospital at Bay City Tuesday morning. The cave-in occurred while Wissner was working in a trench in front of the Sebewaing brewery where a village fire cistern is being installed.

The Week at Lansing

(By FRANK D. BROWN, Special Correspondent.)

The ennui which to date characterizes the 1935 session of the legislature promises to hold that body in its grip for at least another two or three weeks. With few practical problems of state to occupy their attention, members of both houses are engaged in a merry whirl of political gyrations which at times causes one to wonder whether the legislature is really a lawmaking assemblage or merely a public employment bureau.

"Jobs, jobs, jobs!" This is the battle cry of the self-seeking legions that have descended upon Lansing since the first of the year. Their presence sends senators and representatives scurrying from one department head to the other in vain attempts to appease the appetites of their job-hungry constituents. The situation closely resembles that of two years ago when it seemed that every person who ever voted the democratic ticket (and many who didn't) was laboring under the idea that he should be handed one of the lucrative berths on the state payroll. The job complex today is rampant among thousands of Michiganders. It was this problem of apportioning jobs that split the democratic party last fall and it was this same problem which contributed in no small degree toward the political downfall of the last governor. Unless I read the signs wrong, Gov. Fitzgerald is going to find himself spending many anxious hours in ponderance on this identical subject.

A few jobs are being passed out but not nearly fast enough to satisfy the waiting line. It is expected the capitol housecleaning will be Turn to page 3, please.

O'CAMB—SHUSTER.

A quiet and pretty wedding took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas Shuster at 5277 Florida on Feb. 11, 1935, when Miss Dorothy Elvina O'Camb, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lemuel O'Camb of Cass City, became the bride of their son, Walter L. Shuster.

The bride was attired in a beautiful yellow mesh, with small blue veil and accessories and carried a bouquet of yellow tea roses, tied with a blue ribbon. Miss Olga Shuster, sister of the groom, acted as bridesmaid. Brown Hammill was best man.

The groom, who has studied music and directing in New York, is a well-known orchestra leader in Detroit. His famous "Wonder Band" is now under contract at the Grande ballroom.

Their many friends and relatives wish them many years of health, happiness and prosperity.

Mr. and Mrs. Shuster will make their home at 640 Stinson, the Glene Court apartments, Detroit.

EXPECT BETTER DAYS ON MICHIGAN FARMS

More Profitable Business Outlook Is Brighter than for Past Few Years.

Greater demand for farm products, higher prices for those sold, and a more promising prospect for the present year are some of the encouraging features discussed in the 1935 agricultural outlook for Michigan issued by the economics department of Michigan State College.

Improvement in financial conditions probably contributed most heavily to the increasing use of farm produce, even at the higher prices prevailing. Potato growers, dairymen, and producers of canning cherries had the least share in the betterment of Michigan farm conditions. Increased receipts for produce sold was not an undiluted gain, however, as prices for goods bought also increased.

Some of the uncertainties of returns from crops of corn and wheat crops in Michigan are removed for the farmers who hold crop contracts. The acreage which they have planted or will plant this spring is determined and they will receive benefit payments in addition to the sales prices for their grains. Michigan farmers have a favorable market for soft winter wheat.

Malting barleys are apt to bring a premium as the last crop was short. Malsters prefer the six row barleys for their purpose. All feed grains were a short crop last year and all available stocks will be cleaned up before harvest.

The last bean crop was only enough for a year's market supply so there should be little carry over. The short crop was caused by drought conditions, however, and large plantings this year will be followed by low prices unless the weather again limits production of beans. Rising prices for meats may lead to an increased use of beans for human food.

Potato growers now face the old situation of low prices for a large crop. Prospects for the 1935 crop are, of course, dependent upon the acreage planted in the whole country. At present, the growers have asked the government to aid them in placing potato production upon a controlled basis. Any regulations adopted for this crop probably will be placed upon the amount of stock marketed and not upon the number of acres of potatoes grown.

Growers of sugar beets are guaranteed parity prices for this year's crop. This will aid Michigan farmers who have a base acreage for beets. Farmers who have never grown beets will not be able to obtain contracts unless former growers refuse to grow enough beets to make up the Michigan allotment.

The future for dairymen appears a little brighter. Prices for dairy products are now improving and storage stocks of milk products are lower than they were one year ago. Feed prices are very low, however, and only first class cows will be able to return a profit.

Poultrymen who have retained their laying flocks should be in a better position than they were in last year. Storage eggs are fewer than for last year, and the numbers of laying hens has been reduced. Demand for baby chicks will probably be better this spring than it was last year.

Unusually large numbers of beef cattle slaughtered last year have reduced the numbers on farms until it appears that prices for beef will be materially higher than in 1934. Normal feed crops next summer will probably lead to competition in buying feeder cattle, and the prices paid for them may be so high as to make the venture very speculative. Lamb prices probably will be

"I Did It With My Little Hatchet, Uncle"



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higher, but improvement in the woolen mills will have to occur before prices for wool increase. The numbers of sheep on farms was reduced by removal of sheep from drought areas, and there may be unusual competition for feeder lambs next fall if feed is plentiful.

Owners of brood mares apparently still have an opportunity to make a fair profit for raising good colts. There has been no increase in the numbers of horses on farms, although more colts have been raised in the past few years. The decline in the number of old horses has more than offset the greater number of colts.

Export markets for American fruits have remained more constant than for any other class of agricultural products. Production of fruits is increasing, however, and growers of cherries for the canning plants are growing more fruit than the market will consume at a fair price. There appears to be no reason for increasing the acreage of grapes. Bearing vineyards will produce a sufficient crop to supply the present market. Two light crops of peaches in Michigan have left the growers hoping for better production this year.

The prospects for a better market for vegetables appear brighter. Stores of canned vegetables have been reduced as a consequence of short crops following the drought. Canneries may offer contracts at higher prices and for larger acreages than last year.

President Appoints Standing Committees

At the meeting of the Woman's Study Club at the home of Mrs. W. R. Curtis Tuesday afternoon, Mrs. R. A. McNamee, president, announced the following standing committees for the ensuing year:

Program—Mrs. C. W. Price, Mrs. S. G. Benkelman, Mrs. G. A. Spitzer, Mrs. A. J. Knapp, Mrs. Robert Brown, Mrs. L. I. Wood.

Library—Mrs. C. L. Graham, Mrs. E. W. Douglas, Mrs. G. A. Tindale, Mrs. P. J. Allured, Mrs. M. C. McLellan.

Reception—Mrs. M. D. Hart, Mrs. L. Bardwell, Mrs. Robert Conkey, Jr., Mrs. H. Warner, Mrs. Herman Doerr, Mrs. C. P. Bayless.

Ways and Means—Mrs. Audrey Kinnaird, Mrs. E. Baker, Mrs. J. E. Seed, Mrs. Alice Nettleton, Mrs. J. A. Sandham, Mrs. Willis Campbell.

Contact woman—Mrs. E. Baker. Music—Mrs. A. A. Ricker, Mrs. T. Whitfield, Mrs. W. R. Curtis.

The afternoon's program consisted of a paper entitled "The Use of Leisure" by Mrs. E. W. Douglas and Mrs. M. C. McLellan described the "Book Fair" at Hudson's store in Detroit last fall and also gave information in regard to the "Jacket Library" where good current books may be obtained at a low cost.

Mrs. A. J. Knapp will entertain the club at its next meeting on March 5.

Political Announcement.

I will be a candidate for the office of Supervisor of Elmwood township at the coming Republican caucus. Your support will be greatly appreciated. Clare B. Turner.—Advertisement.

Dance, St. Andrew Hall, Sheridan. Tuesday, Feb. 26. McGee orchestra, free lunch and floor show. Admission 25c each.—Adv.

Junior Music Club Organized Here

The Cass City Junior Music club was organized by Lucy G. Lee, president of the Senior Music club of Cass City at the Sherwood Studio Wednesday evening, February 1. This club is sponsored by the Senior Music club and is the first of its kind in Cass City to be federated. Their counselor is Mrs. Helen Jane Whitfield and the subject for study will be "Music Appreciation."

Officers are: President, Glenna Asher; vice president, Mary Jayne Campbell; secretary, Carolyn Auten; treasurer, Jean Kennedy; reporter, Mary Lee Doerr. After the installation of officers, Mrs. E. Hunter assisted in serving tea and cakes.

Gas Thieves Get Jail Sentence

Three young men were discovered stealing gasoline from the Alvin Schultz automobile in Caro Friday night and the sheriff's office was notified. Sheriff George Jeffrey traced the trio and caught them north of Vassar. They were brought before Justice Frank St. Mary Saturday morning and pleaded guilty before that officer. Leon Gamet and Paul Stevens, both 18, were each sentenced to pay \$23.90 fine and costs or spend 65 days in the county jail. The third, a youth of 16, was turned over to the probate court. All three hail from Vassar.

Extension Course for Tuscola Teachers

Teachers of Tuscola county who are interested in extension work are invited to meet in Caro on Saturday, Feb. 23, at 1:00 p. m. Prof. Clarence M. Loessel of the State Normal College at Ypsilanti will organize the work and teachers will choose a course from the following subjects: English, history or science. The subject in which the most interest is shown will be the one used in the extension course.

Vassar High School Senior Is Killed

Verne Adams, 17, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Adams of Tuscola and a senior at Vassar high school, was instantly killed late Tuesday afternoon when the automobile in which he and five companions were returning home, crashed into a snow-covered culvert and turned over. The accident occurred at Palmer's Corners, 10 miles south of Vassar, on M-38. Edwin Swanson, a companion, received a broken arm. The others were uninjured.

Catholic League Met Here Tuesday

The Tuscola County League of Catholic Women held their regular monthly meeting Tuesday afternoon in St. Pancratius church at Cass City.

After a business meeting, a program was given. Miss Genevieve Garey read a paper on "The Origin

of the Candle" and Mrs. Sheldon Peterson a paper on the prayer, "The Hail Mary." Short talks were given by Father E. R. Werm of the Cass City church, Father J. B. Parker of Caro, and Father Frawley of Reese.

A luncheon was served by the Cass City women.

Dairy Barn Burned Near Owendale

Fire on Monday afternoon totally destroyed the large dairy barn and several small sheds housing farm implements on the farm of Dave Coulter, east of Owendale. No live stock was destroyed. Origin of the fire is undetermined. The loss is reported covered by insurance.

The Pigeon fire department was called but arrived too late to be of assistance.

Local Items

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Gallagher are the parents of a baby boy born Friday morning, February 15, at Pleasant Home hospital. He has been named Frederick John.

Rev. Mr. Ogle of Uby and Rev. P. J. Allured attended the funeral of Mrs. Milo Wood, wife of the Presbyterian minister at Vassar on Saturday afternoon. Rev. Mr. Ogle and Rev. Mr. Allured were pallbearers.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Jones of Flint, formerly of Cass City, are spending a month's vacation in Florida. They visited in St. Petersburg for two weeks, then went to Fort Myers, Miami, Daytona Beach, Jacksonville, and other places of interest.

A Bethel church family gathering is scheduled for tonight (Friday) with Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Crawford. Following the Bible study hour, a Washington birthday party is planned with Mr. and Mrs. Audley Rawson as guests of honor. Mr. and Mrs. William Profit are the committee in charge of the party.

Ten acres of marl, 4 to 8 feet deep on the Charles Mudge farm in Section 8, Evergreen, is being excavated and loaded on wagons and trucks at 25c a yard. The marl has an 85% pure lime test and is used in treating farm soil. The project is under government control for one year and gives employment to welfare workers who work eight hours a day at 30 cents an hour. Six men are on the job.

Mrs. A. J. Knapp, Mrs. G. A. Tindale, Mrs. M. D. Hart, Mrs. C. W. Price, Mrs. G. A. Spitzer and Mrs. Raymond McCullough attended two plays, "Grapes Hang High" and "Wanted Money" presented by members of the Bad Axe Woman's club at the home of Mrs. Paul Woodworth in Bad Axe Thursday. The plays were given for the benefit of the public library and was sponsored by the Woman's club. Tea was served in the dining room at the close of the plays.

It's quite a sure guess that any of the players in the basketball game of the high school faculty and the Rotary club group Monday night who are asked to define the word "obstinate" today will shout "donkey" and get a 100% mark. As to stubbornness, two of the animals at the east end of the auditorium were living examples of resoluteness of purpose and fixity, and made their riders stationary

guards practically all the time. But it was lots of fun for the 750 spectators. The faculty group won 24 to 16.

P. S. McGregory and daughter, Mrs. Ethel McCoy and her son, Jimmie, are spending several weeks in Florida. In a card to the Chronicle, Mr. McGregory writes: "We enjoyed the trip down here very much, especially through orange, grapefruit and palm groves. Scenery through Kentucky beyond description. We are comfortably settled in a nice bungalow, well furnished and equipped for house-keeping. Have had as guests the Heller family, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hemerick of Gagetown, Mr. and Mrs. L. I. Wood, and Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Hitchcock, and didn't we enjoy it. We want Chronicle. Our address to all who will write is 2525 7th Ave., Bradenton, Florida.

END SCHEDULE WITH BAD AXE TONIGHT

Locals Draw Bye in First Round of the District Tournament.

The Cass City high school basketball team will complete their season's schedule tonight (Friday) when Bad Axe invades the Maroon and Grey lair. Coach Kelly's boys defeated Bad Axe at the Huron county seat when a late rally of the Blue team fell short of victory. Since then Bad Axe has played her best ball of the season, holding Caro to a two-point victory and defeating the Sanilac county champions, the Sandusky five.

February 28, March 1 and 2 are the dates for the Class "C" tournament this year. Cass City will play at Bad Axe and by virtue of the draw will not see action until Mar. 1 when the Maroon and Grey team will play the winner of the Bad Axe-Harbor Beach tilt. Other games for Thursday night are Sebewaing vs. Unionville and Uby vs. Pigeon. The winners of this bracket meet Friday night. The finals take place Saturday evening.

DAY—McLELLAN.

Robert C. McLellan and Miss Marian I. Day, both of Cass City, were quietly married Saturday evening, February 16, at the Baptist parsonage by Rev. W. R. Curtis. They were attended by Nicholas Danho and Miss Geraldine Gingrich, both of Cass City. The ring ceremony was used.

Corn-Hog Meet at Kingston, Feb. 27

Wednesday, Feb. 27, marks the first meeting of corn and hog producers in the 1935 campaign. It will be held at Kingston high school at 2:00 p. m. for farmers of Kingston, Koylton and Dayton townships.

Those who wish to sign corn-hog reduction contracts on the 1932-1933 basis are invited to attend this meeting. Anyone who wishes to change his contract to a different status and those who do not come under the 1932-33 classification will be called to attend a later meeting.

Advertise it in the Chronicle.

Student Failures in Cass City High School Are Reduced to Minimum

During the past year the teachers of Cass City high school have given careful study to the problem of student failures. It is a policy of this school to give its best aid toward the successful completion of every study attempted by every student who enrolls. Periodical reports of failing students are made to both the principal and the superintendent by each teacher. Failing marks are thus recorded in the hands of at least three instructors following which is a conference with the pupil who has failed. This conference is very often followed by a conference with the parent. The results of this careful study and effort on the part of the teachers and fine cooperation of parents have been most gratifying and the percentage of failures for the first semester of 1934-35 in each of the four classes of the high school is as given below:

Grade	Total No. Classes	Total No. Failures	Per centage
9	382	10	2.61%
10	242	6	2.47%
11	276	24	8.69%
12	209	1	.47%
Total	1109	41	3.6%

With an average of 3.6% of Cass City high school ranks very

UNIONVILLE MAN KILLED IN AUTO CRASH

His Two Companions Received Serious Injuries in Same Accident.

Gerald Springer of Unionville was killed when an automobile in which he and Oscar Matten and John Singer were riding left the highway and struck a tree east of the Wisner town hall at 1:20 a. m. Sunday. Matten and Singer, who are also Unionville residents, were taken to the hospital in that village for treatment. Mr. Matten had his hips fractured and Mr. Singer has a skull fracture and one arm hurt. Both are in serious condition. Mr. Springer had his chest crushed and suffered other injuries.

Matten was thrown 15 feet from the car toward the pavement by the impact and Singer was found on the opposite side of the car, face to the ground. Springer was wedged between the car and the tree.

The three men had attended a dance at the Wisner hotel and were driving to Bay City when the accident occurred. Unable to locate a coroner to investigate the accident, Justice Frank St. Mary of Caro was called to perform that duty.

Martin to Enter Race on Slips

John D. Martin has decided to be a "slip" candidate in the race for state representative in Sanilac county on March 4. Petitions signed by more than 600 farmers asking Mr. Martin, former agricultural agent in Sanilac, to enter the contest were presented to Mr. Martin Tuesday.

Martin stood third highest in a field of 10 candidates at the February 4 special primary. Alpheus P. Decker of Deckerville won the republican nomination and William Bettis of McGregor is the democratic nominee.

Grangers Hear Judge Cramton

Cass City Grange held a very enjoyable meeting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Benkelman, Friday evening, February 15. After the business meeting, a program in charge of the lecturer was given. Miss Veda Bixby, accompanied by Mrs. R. A. McNamee at the piano, sang a collection of old songs. Bert and Leonard Elliott and Maurice Joos presented some vocal and guitar selections and Audley Rawson gave a short talk. Judge Louis Cramton in a very interesting address told about the U. S. Supreme Court. Walter Schell gave a recitation.

A bounteous potluck lunch was served at the close of the program. The March meeting will be held at the Samuel Helwig home.

Dental Work Exchanged for Beans at \$3.00 Cwt.

Dr. P. A. Schenck of Cass City offers \$3.00 a hundred for Michigan pea beans in exchange for all classes of dental work or old accounts. Beans may be delivered to either elevator at Cass City.—Advertisement.

C. C. C. BOYS' WORK COMMITTEE NAMED

Members of the Boys' Work Council of the Cass City Community Club were named at a meeting of the executive committee held at the high school office Tuesday evening, Feb. 19. Frederick Pinney is chairman, and the other members are Arthur Atwell and C. Wayne Price. Plans were presented by Frederick Pinney for character-building activities for older boys and young men. The council was authorized to study local youth needs and to initiate projects for boys of senior high school age and for young men who are beyond high school. The committee of three is to have an advisory relationship to older boys' activities similar to a scout committee's oversight of scout troop programs.

News Review of Current Events the World Over

Breach Widens Between Administration and Labor—Hauptmann Sentenced to Death—Inquiries Into Causes of Macon Disaster Get Under Way.

By EDWARD W. PICKARD
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PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT extended no olive branches toward the American Federation of Labor when he signed the cigarette industry code, which labor leaders had declared was "unsatisfactory." The breach between the administration and labor is daily growing wider.

The code, finally signed after months of argument between the tobacco industry and labor, calls for a forty-hour week and minimum wages from 25 to 40 cents an hour. Labor leaders also objected to the presence of S. Clay Williams, administration board chairman, who they declare is not in sympathy with labor. The President issued a curt statement informing the federation council that Williams' services had been satisfactory and that he had no intention of removing him without cause.

The executive council of the federation, composed of William Green and presidents of the federation of seventeen international unions, states that some present administration labor policies are bringing increased unrest among workers which may reach the danger point of widespread strikes unless corrected.

Thus far, the President seems to have had the best of the argument. Labor leaders, however, are expected to push the fight for a "prevailing wage" clause in work relief legislation, thus endangering the administration program.

INQUIRIES into the causes of the "quiver" which ripped away the two gas cells and caused the giant dirigible "Macon" to plunge into the Pacific have been started. Even the surviving 81 officers and men of the "Sky Queen" are not certain just what caused the catastrophe, although Lieut. Com. H. V. Wiley, survivor of the Akron disaster and master of the Macon, was said to have "some ideas" about it. His findings will be placed before the board of inquiry.

Some hints were made about structural weakness of the \$2,450,000 craft, but naval officers refused to discuss the subject. In Washington President Roosevelt said there would be no immediate move to replace the ship.

Survivors of the crash told a dramatic story of heroism. Cruising along at a speed of 63 knots, the ship twice lowered its elevation to avoid rain squalls. A short jar was felt, the ship began to take a bow-up position, and Commander Wiley received a report that one of the 12 helium gas cells was gone. The Macon then rose rapidly to 4,600 feet, its nose sticking up at a sharp angle and then slowly sank toward the ocean as the crew made frantic efforts to right the lurching craft.

As it hit the ocean the crew slid down ropes or dived into the heavy swells. Men swam through flame where flames had ignited oil and gasoline, others rescued companions whose lifebelts were lost or broken in long leaps into the sea. The sailors watched the ship crumble under the waves and at last disappear. Only two men were lost. Cruisers rushed to the scene and picked up the survivors.

BRUNO HAUPTMANN will die in the electric chair at Trenton, N. J., during the week of March 18, unless attorneys secure a stay of execution by filing an appeal. The prisoner showed no trace of emotion as the jurors announced their verdict and did not break under the strain until after Justice Trenchard had pronounced sentence, and he was returned to the cell. There, his iron will gave way and he sobbed as he sat on his hard iron cot.

The jurors required more than twelve hours to reach their verdict. Two of the women were said to have held out for a recommendation of mercy which would have resulted in a life sentence for the man accused of the murder of the Lindbergh baby, but there was no mention of mercy when the verdict was read.

PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT eked out a close victory in the senate appropriations committee, when the amendment to cut \$2,000,000,000 off the administration's \$4,880,000,000 work relief bill was defeated by the close vote of 12 to 11. Administration forces scored another victory by the adoption of a compromise amendment to the proposal of Senator Pat McCarran for the payment of prevailing wages on all federal projects. Witnesses testified that McCarran's amendment would have increased the cost of putting 3,500,000 men to work by more than \$2,000,000,000 and would have defeated the purpose of the bill.

McCarran did not press his amendment in committee when a substitute was offered, but insisted that he will do so on the senate floor. The fight the American Federation of Labor is making on this point is expected to have considerable influence with a number of senators, who fear the wrath of their labor constituents.

The substitute, proposed by Senator Richard B. Russell, and adopted by a vote of 14 to 9, provides that the President shall establish the prevailing rates of pay whenever an investigation discloses that the federal wages of \$50 a month are affecting adversely the rates on work of a similar nature. The matter is entirely up to the President, however, and he can take any action or withhold any investigation, just as he sees fit, which may mean much or nothing.

Observers foresee a rocky road ahead for the bill. There is certain to be considerable opposition to it in the senate, although administration leaders claim they have enough votes rounded up to insure victory.

PREMIER MUSSOLINI found Emperor Haile Selassie of Ethiopia a man not easily frightened. Il Duce's demand for indemnities for Italian colonialists killed on the borders of Italian Somaliland were politely, but firmly, refused. The Ethiopians, undismayed by the vast preparations Italy has been making, declared they would fight to their last drop of blood to preserve their independence, that they would not apologize or make reparations for what they maintain is merely defense of their own country. This puts Mussolini in an embarrassing position. He must either send an expeditionary force against the Ethiopians, or back down after mobilizing troops, and that would be a bitter pill for the Italian dictator to swallow.

CHANCELLOR HITLER emerged from his hermit-like seclusion with a number of counter-proposals which he offered in reply to the Franco-British proposals. Der Fuehrer, a government spokesman stated, would definitely refuse to join any pact guaranteeing Austria's independence unless "the will of the Austrian people is first consulted" by means of a plebiscite to determine whether that nation desires an "anschluss" (union) with the German reich. Hitler will also follow Poland's stand, and will have nothing to do with the French-sponsored eastern securities agreement "if it is to be based on mutual assistance," although he is willing to join an air pact provided it allows Germany an air force equal to Soviet Russia's. Hitler seems particularly anxious to avoid any agreement which would bind Germany to Russia and perhaps result in aiding Russia in event of war between that country and Japan.

From the tone of Hitler's demands, he evidently did not entirely believe that France and Great Britain were not preparing some trap for him. The Hitler reply demands that Germany must be given absolute equality of armaments before anything else can be discussed, and that Germany will negotiate an air pact if her relations with Soviet Russia are considered, and if England, France, Belgium and Italy agree to consult each other before any action is taken. He also insists that the general question of disarmament is allied with the air pact and must be settled at the same time.

When notified that Der Reichsfuehrer would make reservations, official British sources indicated that Germany must either accept or reject the agreement in its entirety, and stated partial acceptance would not be agreeable to Great Britain. All of which may be true, or it may be just the old horse-trading spirit which seems to break out in the best diplomatic circles.

DISPATCHES from Bolivia, which must be taken with several grains of salt, indicate that the Bolivians are meeting with success in defending Villa Montes, their last important stronghold in the disputed Gran Chaco, and that the scissor-like offensive of General Estigarribia, Paraguayan commander in chief, is seriously menaced. It was reported the Bolivians, struggling desperately to relieve the pressure on Villa Montes, had defeated the Paraguayans in the Nancoranza sector "after three days of bitter fighting." This offensive, it was thought, might force Estigarribia's northern wing to retreat.

FRANCIS BIDDLE and his national labor relations board took a hand in the controversy between the administration and the American Federation of Labor by offering a suggestion that section 7-A of the recovery act "should be clarified." William Green and his fellow leaders of the federation have long contended that the clause, guaranteeing employees rights to bargain collectively, should be enlarged to specify that the majority of employees should have the right to choose the spokesmen for all employees, and that company unions should be barred. The national labor board, which submitted a report of its first six months' work, defended the majority rule at length. As is well known, the administration desires section 7-A continued unchanged in the new NRA law which is in the process of making.

MORE trouble looms for the blue eagle, according to Senators McCarran and Nye, who introduced a resolution for a senatorial investigation of NRA officials, whom they charge with widespread violation of law, corruption and graft. The senators requested that it be referred to the commerce committee of which Senator Copeland is chairman and of which Nye is a member. Administration forces, it is said, will put up a fight to have it steered into the hands of the finance committee, which is packed with old line Democrats, and where it would be permitted an early death. The resolution caused considerable flurry among New Dealers. Although Nye has been a constant foe of NRA, McCarran's attack comes as a surprise to the administration forces.

WHETHER he desires it, President Roosevelt will have to face an early test of his strength against that of bonus payment advocates, if present signs are read correctly. Although bonus leaders have been unable to agree among themselves, they insist the plan be brought up for consideration. Some administration leaders have expressed belief such a step is necessary to prevent a revolt on major administration legislation.

The controversy over possible methods of payment is becoming increasingly bitter. Representative Patman, Texas Democrat, author of a bill to pay the bonus certificates with an issue of new currency, gave out a statement asserting that Commander Frank N. Belgrano of the American Legion wanted to finance payment with a bond issue because the bank of which he is vice president receives \$1,350,000 in interest annually on \$45,000,000 worth of government bonds.

The American Liberty league also issued a statement applauding the President's stand against paying the bonus. The league said the Legion-backed Vinson bill to finance the bonus through the sale of bonds was "the lesser evil," but asked congress to defeat both it and the Patman measure.

Its statement also said immediate payment would encourage a drive for pensions "involving huge additional costs for an indefinite period of years."

GEN. ROBERT E. WOOD, head of a Chicago mail order house, has been appointed chairman of the special business committee to advise the administration in spending the \$4,880,000,000 work relief fund. This act was interpreted as definite assurance the government does not intend to compete with private industry in its make-work program.

NINE old gentlemen of vast dignity, comprising the United States Supreme court, conferred together for five hours Saturday. Then, through Clerk Charles C. Cropley, Chief Justice Hughes announced that there would be no decisions handed down on the following Monday. Nothing was said about the rest of the week, but it was assumed the ruling on the gold clause cases would not be handed down before February 18. It was thought by the well informed that the delay was due to the slowness with which the dissenters were preparing their views.

Meanwhile anxiety over the matter, at least in government circles, was growing less daily. Attorney General Cummings spent two hours with President Roosevelt going over the plans which have been drawn up for immediate action in the event that the decision goes against the government.

STRONG evidence that the government, even in the event of an adverse decision on the gold clauses, will keep the \$35 an ounce price for gold and 50-cent dollar was contained in a statement from Secretary Morgenthau. The treasury chief stated: "The country can go about its business with assurances that we are prepared to manage the external value of the dollar as long as it may be necessary." Mr. Morgenthau disclosed that the 2,000 million dollar stabilization fund would be used if necessary to keep the dollar on an even keel until congress can take remedial action, by passing the new laws which are now being prepared by the treasury.

Hill Top Breezes

Student Failures in Cass City High School Reduced to Minimum. Concluded from first page. of the grade. Through his guidance many students have successfully completed the semester's work who would have failed without the personal aid from advisors and other teachers. The faculty advisors for the high school classes are: Seventh grade, Delmar Youngs. Eighth grade, Alice Lammers. Ninth grade, C. W. Price. Tenth grade, Frances Perrin. Eleventh grade, Ruth Ann Eskine. Twelfth grade, J. Ivan Niergarth.

A very pleasant evening was enjoyed by everyone present at the high school and college Valentine party Friday evening. Music was furnished for dancing by Frances and Delbert Henry and a ping pong game was set up for those who did not wish to dance. The gymnasium was decorated with huge red valentines by the members of the orchestra who supervised the party.

The home economics department has just purchased a new dining table and six chairs to be used in the room between the foods laboratory and the clothing laboratory. The room was intended for a dining room but has never had the table and chairs. The money used for this was raised by class dues and the "hot dog" sale during the football season. This will help the girls in their study of dining room care and arrangement, meal service, and entertaining.

The Boys' and Girls' Glee Clubs are working hard on a program which they are going to present at the Baptist church on March 10.

Some of the shop boys are getting some excellent experience making articles for school use. Alger Freiburger is working on a filing cabinet at present and some of the other boys are making a bulletin board for the main office.

Last Thursday our debating team made a trip to Montrose to debate in the elimination series. A delightful trip was reported in spite of the fact that the debate was lost 2 to 1.

First and Second Grades.

Last Thursday we had our Valentine party along with the kindergarten. Everyone present was remembered by some friends. It was fun guessing who the valentines might be from. Jimmy Wallace, Joan Schwegler, Sally Jackson and Dean Karr came to the party too. We had candy, popcorn and peanuts to eat after all the valentines had been delivered.

The second grade did not want to be selfish and decided that they wanted to remember mother on Valentine day. We all made little bouquets of flowers with jelly beans, toothpicks, and a marshmallow. We tied them with lace doilies that we made and red ribbon. Tucked inside was a little note asking mother to be our valentine.

When we come to school in the morning some of us like to read in the library, while the rest of us enjoy putting puzzles together.

Richard Root is our health inspector this week. It looks as if we're all bound for Health Land.

Seventh Grade.

The seventh grade held a valentine party at the high school on

YOUR CHILD AND THE SCHOOL

By Dr. ALLEN G. IRELAND
Director, Physical and Health Education
New Jersey State Department of Public Instruction

Health Protection

The opening of schools means the congregation of large armies of children into groups. This means that the chances of disease contagion are greatly increased, especially for children entering school for the first time.

To offset the danger, there are the following procedures which every parent and teacher should support. (1) Abolish competitive attendance devices and rewards. (2) Let every parent promise himself to keep his child at home upon the first appearance of any ailment, complaint, sign or symptom. This measure alone would prevent much misery and illness. (3) Endorse immunization as a routine procedure. This includes vaccination against smallpox and toxoid injections to prevent diphtheria. Undoubtedly we shall soon accept similar measures against other communicable diseases. (4) The morning health inspection by the teacher during the first five minutes of the session. (5) Immediate exclusion from school of every child showing any departure from normal. (6) Support the health authorities in asking that all children be given a test to determine the possible presence of tuberculosis. (7) Have a qualified interested physician employed by the board of education.

Thursday evening, Feb. 14. We began at seven o'clock by playing a number of games. Then the program committee took over the party and gave a very lovely program. Everyone received some valentines before lunch was served consisting of kool-ade, jello and wafers. While eating lunch we had an unexpected and very pleasant guest, Coach Kelly. The party ended much too soon and the clean-up committee, consisting of Betty Fort, chairman, Jacqueline Morran, Marjorie Two, Betty Brown, Harriet Rawson and Kathleen McCaslin, saw that everything was put back where it had been found. Reporters, Hazel Corkins and Mary Jayne Campbell.

Language in the Philippines

There are 43 groups of people in the Philippines, each having a language or dialect of its own.

Diamond Crystals

The so-called "blue ground" in which diamond crystals are embedded is located in "pipes" some 1,500 to 2,000 feet below the surface.

As Jokes Are Enjoyed

Psychologists find from experiment that women enjoy more keenly than men the jokes on men, and vice versa.

False Teeth Long Ago

False teeth, the handiwork of Inca "dentists" 1,000 years B. C. are among the exhibits at a dental exhibition in New York.

Spider Collecting Is Hobby

Among the unusual hobbies of well-known Europeans are the training of frogs and toads, weaving neckties and collecting spiders.

Salt Lakes in Tibet

There are salt lakes in Tibet which are remnants of shrinkage of huge fresh-water glacial lakes formed in past ages.

Battle for Light Babies

Babies under five and one-half pounds weight at birth ordinarily have trouble surviving, says one physician.

Ash From Burned Paper

A good grade of paper when burned, leaves 2 per cent of ash.

Depth of Mines

The depth of mines that can be dug is limited to the depth to which men can be supplied with fresh air.

Traffic Lines Found in Pompeii

Original traffic lines have been found in the streets of Pompeii.

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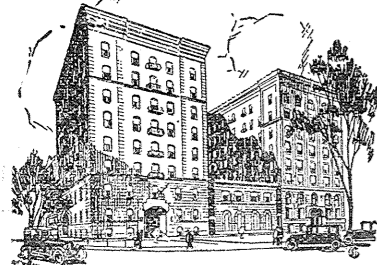
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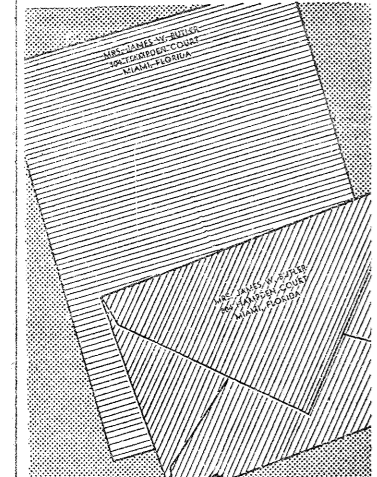


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A CHILD'S LAXATIVE SHOULD BE LIQUID

(Ask any doctor)

For your own comfort, and for your children's safety and future welfare, you should read this:

The bowels cannot be helped to regularity by any laxative that can't be regulated as to dose. That is why doctors use liquid laxatives.

A liquid laxative can always be taken in the right amount. You can gradually reduce the dose. Reduced dosage is the secret of real and safe relief from constipation.

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SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

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

Western Newspaper Union.

Lesson for February 24

PETER HEALS A LAME MAN

LESSON TEXT—Acts 3:1-10; 4:8-12. GOLDEN TEXT—Then Peter said, Silver and gold have I none; but such as I have give I thee: In the name of Jesus Christ of Nazareth rise up and walk.—Acts 3:6.

PRIMARY TOPIC—How Peter Helped a Lame Man.

JUNIOR TOPIC—Peter Carrying on Jesus' Work.

INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC—A Helping Hand.

YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC—Gifts That Are Better Than Money.

In the teaching of this lesson it will be necessary to include all the material in Acts 3:1 to 4:31.

I. Peter Healing the Lame Man (Acts 3:1-10).

1. The place (vv. 1, 2). It was at the gate called Beautiful, which leads from the outer to the inner court of the temple.

2. The man (v. 2). This beggar was infirm from his birth. When he saw Peter and John, he asked alms.

3. The method (vv. 3-5).

a. Gaining the man's attention (v. 4). Peter and John commanded him to look on them, but not because they had any power within themselves.

b. Peter commanded him in the name of Jesus Christ of Nazareth to rise and walk (v. 6). He had been unable to do this all his life, but with the command went the ability to do.

c. Peter took him by the right hand (v. 7). This act was meant to give impetus to his faith, not strength to his ankles.

4. The man's response (v. 8). Strength came into his feet and ankle bones at once. He stood, he walked, he leaped, and praised God.

5. The effect (vv. 9-11). The people were filled with amazement.

a. This helpless beggar had to be carried to the temple gate. Men and women out of Christ are so helpless that they need to be brought where the life of God can be applied to them.

b. Peter, in taking the man by the hand, shows the manner of helping the lost. While ministers and Sunday school teachers of themselves have nothing to give to the lost, they have the dispensing of the gospel of Christ.

II. Peter Witnessing Before the Multitude (3:12-26).

He told them it was faith in Jesus Christ, whom God had glorified and whom they had deliberately betrayed and crucified, that had healed this man. Despite their awful guilt, he appealed to them to repent (v. 19). God would pardon them if they would repent, and refreshing seasons would come to them when God should send back Jesus Christ to the earth to consummate the work of redemption.

III. Peter in Prison for Christ's Sake (4:1-4).

1. The leaders in this persecution (vv. 1, 2). Both priests and Sadducees joined in this wickedness. The priests were intolerant because these new teachers were encroaching upon their functions. The Sadducees joined the priests because they did not believe in the resurrection, which was a vital part of the apostolic teaching.

2. The result (vv. 3, 4). Peter and John were arrested and imprisoned. Though the witnesses were held in bondage by chains, Christ was not bound. The number of believers had greatly increased, so that there were now about five thousand.

IV. Peter Witnessing Before the Sanhedrin (4:5-22).

1. The inquiry (vv. 5-7). They inquired as to by what power and name they had wrought this miracle.

2. Peter's answer (vv. 8-12). With stinging sarcasm he showed them that they were not on trial as evildoers, but for doing good to the helpless and needy man. Since they could not deny the miracle, he boldly declared that it had been done in the name of Christ, and that the only way for them to escape God's judgment was to believe on his name.

3. The impression upon the Sanhedrin (vv. 13-22).

a. They marveled (vv. 1-13). They were made conscious that they were on trial instead of sitting as judges upon Peter and John.

b. They took knowledge that Peter and John had been with Jesus (v. 13).

c. They forbade them to speak in Christ's name (v. 18).

d. Peter and John expressed their determination to obey God rather than man (vv. 19, 20).

e. Their release (v. 21). Seeing that the people were on the side of the apostles they had no way to punish them.

V. The Church at Prayer (vv. 23-31).

They praised God for deliverance and prayed for boldness to speak the Word of God.

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The Week at Lansing

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gradual and not much in evidence, at least, until after the lawmakers have completed their work and gone home. Gov. Fitzgerald is credited with being too "smart" a politician not to appreciate the dangers of embarking on any program of wholesale dismissals at a time when he has sitting in his midst a recalcitrant legislature to which he must look for the success or failure of his efforts to reorganize the state government.

It is the governor's apparent disregard of patronage matters and his procrastination in passing out jobs to the "faithful" that is at the root of an open revolt which flared forth in the upper house this week. Lead by Senators D. Hale Brake of Stanton and Earl W. Munshaw of Grand Rapids, an insurgent bloc of 11 republican senators, aided by several of their democratic colleagues, succeeded in forcing passage of an amendment to the senate rules which increases the membership of the committee on executive business from five to seven, thereby placing the chief executive in the position of having to lend an attentive ear to the patronage demands of the bolting solons.

The committee on executive business is an important one inasmuch as it possesses the power of life or death over all gubernatorial appointments which require senate confirmation. As originally constituted, the administration forces under Senator Gordon Van Eenenam of Muskegon, the governor's floor leader, held complete control of this committee. Now, however with Senators Munshaw and Arthur E. Wood of Detroit having been assigned to the committee by Lieut. Gov. Read, the balance of power shifts to the insurgents.

The results of this insurrection will be interesting to watch. Its effect on legislation cannot be determined this early, but one thing is sure, the administration will have to consult hereafter with this group of 11 republicans before important issues can be decided.

As each day passes it becomes more and more certain that one of the major planks in the governor's program will fail of attainment, viz: that for abolishing the state administrative board. Sentiment against this proposal is constantly growing among republicans and democrats alike.

Senator Leon Case (D), Water-vliet, has introduced a bill which would make the lieutenant governor a member of the board. Passage of this measure is contemplated in event the act creating the board is not repealed. For some time past, there has existed in many quarters a strong belief that the state's second ranking officer should be permitted to the counsel chamber as a means of his securing a strong working knowledge of state affairs; preparation against the day when he might be called upon to assume command.

The belief that the administrative board will not be abolished at the present time is strengthened when cognizance is taken of the political aspects involved. Abolition would preclude the three remaining democratic state officers from exercising a voice in state management. State Treasurer Theo. I. Fry, whom many are of the opinion will be called upon to lead the democratic state ticket in 1936, Highway Commissioner Murray VanWagoner, and Superintendent of Public Instruction Paul F. Voelker are not expected to sit idly by and allow their prerogatives to be curtailed in such a manner. In support of their cause can be found a democratic majority in the House which zealously guards the last vestige of its party's influence in state affairs.

Although this legislature may be no better or no worse than other legislatures in the past as respects its supine handling of the matters before it, nevertheless, nearly two months have passed since the present body began its deliberations and practically nothing has been accomplished to date. Committees are still sitting on important measures refusing for obvious reasons to release them for consideration. In the house there appears to be a deliberate conspiracy afoot to stall the proceedings until after the special elections which will fill the vacancies now existing. Certain republicans feel hopeful that the four representative districts that are to vote next month will return republican majorities and thus shift the majority in the House. In order to regain control, the republicans will have to carry every one of the four districts. Even then, they would be given only the slight margin of one vote in the lower house.

The senate has given the quietus to the resolution proposing a constitutional amendment to permit the governor and a non-partisan commission to appoint the judges of the state. The resolution was defeated 18 to 10 and by a 21 to 4 vote the senators refused to again consider the proposal during this session.

The second bill to be passed so far was sent to the governor for signature last Thursday. This was

the Lingeman-Watson bill to enable state banks to make loans under the federal housing act in the same manner as national banks are now permitted.

An administration plan for remodeling the state highway department and removing it from politics has been submitted in the form of bills. They provide for a seven-man commission, appointed by the governor on a non-partisan basis, and confer on the commission power to place employment on a civil service basis. A highway engineer would be appointed to direct the technical details of the office. In order to avoid a conflict and prevent democratic opposition, the plan would not be put in effect until the expiration of the present term of Murray D. VanWagoner, democratic highway chief.

Under the provisions of a bill now on third reading in the senate driving of an automobile while under the influence of liquor would become a felony and the third such offense would cost the driver the loss of his operator's license for all time.

Bills providing for the abolition of the legislative council and the state crime commission have been given approval in their respective houses, and, in addition, a measure which would make it illegal to use state-owned automobiles for any purpose other than state business.

In connection with this latter bill a resolution has been placed in the senate hopper demanding that all department heads furnish the senate with a detailed statement showing the number of state-owned cars and the cost of maintenance.

Turning Back the Pages

Items from the files of Cass City Newspapers of 1900 and 1910.

Twenty-five Years Ago.

Feb. 25, 1910.

Mrs. John A. Lown died early Tuesday evening at the home of her daughter, Mrs. William Hallock, after a few weeks' illness.

The Shabbona Creamery Co. paid out \$43,331 and to patrons they paid nearly \$12,000 more than last year.

Gagetown's four rural carriers—Messrs. Crawford, Phelan, Wood and Gage—planned a big spread and entertainment for the members of the rural mail carriers' association of Tuscola county on Tuesday, February 22, and the visitors were unanimous in praising their Gagetown brethren for the success of the event.

Conservative estimators say that there were 500 people at William Gaugherty's auction sale in North-east Elkland on Wednesday.

The unveiling of the Henry A. Gifford portrait which was presented to the Eastern Star chapter at Gagetown by Mrs. S. A. Gifford, past worthy matron, at a special meeting Saturday evening was in every respect a very pleasant event.

J. A. Race, son of M. Race of Novesta township, has resigned from his position in the Applegate elevator and expects to go to either Dryden or Pontiac.

Flavius LaForge is filling the position of lineman for the Moore Telephone Company during the illness of G. N. Jackson.

Thirty-five Years Ago.

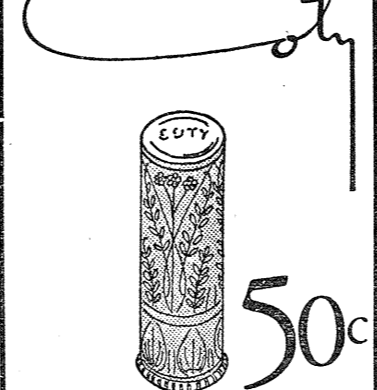
Feb. 23, 1900.

Lafayette Mathews has had his pension increased from \$8 to \$17. James Tennant has been assisting in taking inventory at Laing & Jones' store the past week.

Berkley Patterson returned home from Detroit last week. He expects to assist Dell Schenck in the manufacture of the famous Dell bicycle.

George Matzen of 2 Macks returned on Tuesday from a few days' visit at Crosswell and Detroit. M. D. Monroe is at home again. For several months past he has worked in the Mill's store at Novesta.

Early last Tuesday morning, while most of the citizens of Ubyly were enjoying a peaceful sleep, a disastrous fire started in the fine brick store of D. H. Pierce. The entire building and stock of goods



Coty's 50 cent Lipstick comes in five perfect shades: Extra Light, Light, Bright, Medium and Dark. Not only is it a tremendous lot of Coty's fine, safely indelible lipstick for the money, but it is encased in a perfectly enchanting gold-toned holder. You'd better have one at once.

Send for a sample of Coty Face Powder in the new shade, Rachel Nacree. Coty, New York, Dept. AN.

were consumed. It is estimated that Mr. Pierce's loss amounts to \$15,000.

In Case of Emergency Even the optimist carries a spare tire.

Cherry Trees in Italy The early Roman emperor, Lucullus, is credited with having introduced cherry trees in Italy.

White Is Reflector Flat white paint will reflect more light than any other color.

Crossing the Atlantic The first steamship voyage across the Atlantic took 25 days.

New Zealand's Climate New Zealand possesses an unusually healthy climate.

Control of Sun and Rain The control of sun and rain seems no unusual task to the savage mind.

2,340 Acres for Graves London's burial grounds cover 2,340 acres.

Beheading Outlawed Generally Death by beheading is outlawed by practically all nations.

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REFITTING THE SCHOOL.

The criticism that is often made of the public school system of this country, is that children are not fitted for life, that they get a smattering of intelligence that does not make them more capable in the duties of living or in the exigencies of business.

Truth to tell, we think there is some merit in the criticism. However, educators all over the United States realize the needs of the school system and many of them are working just as hard as they can on the problem. Just because a schoolteacher does not tear up the present system and try something new is not evidence that he or she is smugly complacent, thinking that the system is perfect.

It is a very serious, as well as a large undertaking to reform the school training of millions of children. No untried methods can be gambled upon. The experience of the present must work out the ideal for the future, but it must be done without jeopardizing the welfare of children now securing instruction.

GOOD ADVICE TO ALL CHILDREN.

Up in Oregon the sheriff of one of the major counties has had issued cards for distribution among children. They carry point in any state and it may be recommended that attention of children hereabouts be called to the following copy:

- 1—Don't ever ride with strangers. 2—Always walk on the left hand side of the road, and get clear off the road when you meet an automobile. Give them plenty of room. 3—Don't ever cross a road or highway until you are sure there are no cars coming from either direction. 4—Don't attempt to cross an intersection until you are certain that there is plenty of time. 5—If you see an accident go for help quickly. 6—Keep clear of the wreck. Let grown people give aid to the injured.

While the sheriff is doing this good work in the interest of the smaller citizens, the Oregonian of Portland suggests that he might get out another card directed to adults and that it read:

- 1—Don't ever pick up strangers. 2—Always drive on the right side of the road, and when you meet a pedestrian give him plenty of room. 3—Maintain a look-out for persons crossing the road. 4—Have your car under control when entering an intersection, and recognize the right of pedestrians to cross ahead of you. 5—If you see an accident, offer help. 6—If you cannot be helpful, leave the wreck. Don't block the highway out of curiosity.

With one or two exceptions the points in each apply to the grown-ups as well as the children. It will hurt no one to read what the Oregon sheriff has to say, and what the Oregonian thinks he might add.—Tribune, Oakland, California.

Hill Top Breezes

About one hundred comically dressed freshmen gaily marched up and down the halls last Friday. The girls were dressed to represent little girls with bibs, braided hair, and ribbons while the boys had their hair curled and wore long skirts, aprons and carried market baskets. Mark Gruber and Vernita Linderman were pronounced the "best dressers." Several freshmen made special tongue-twisting announcements to the sophomore classes each hour. Supt. Price, the freshman sponsor, surprised the high school by appearing in costume at the program in the afternoon. As the freshmen complied with all the rules, it is the custom for the sophomores to give them a party.

"Is that a real bloodhound, Mr. Hunter?" "A real bloodhound? I'll say. Here, Rover, bleed for the lady." —Battalion.

"They say Old Skinner the oil millionaire gives hardly a thing to any cause except foreign missions." "Yes, I understand he likes to make his money go as far as possible."

Local Happenings

Andrew Cross of Detroit spent the week-end with his family here.

Mrs. Ruth Frost of Kingston visited at the H. P. Lee home Sunday.

Miss Pauline Sandham of Flint spent the week-end at her home here.

Mrs. Francis Fritz visited relatives in Chicago from Sunday until Tuesday.

Albert Whitfield and Curtis Hunt spent a few days the first of the week in Detroit.

Herman Doerr and Edd Baker were callers in Chicago a few days the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Bigham visited at the home of the former's brother, Roy Bigham, at Sandusky Sunday.

Mrs. C. E. Randall entertained a number of friends at a quilting on Tuesday, Feb. 12. A dinner was served at noon.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Hubbs of Plymouth spent Saturday afternoon and Sunday with Mrs. Hubbs's mother, Mrs. Bertha Wilson.

Mr. and Mrs. Morley Smith of Detroit visited the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Smith, Saturday afternoon and Sunday.

The Misses Marjorie and Dorothy Boyes of Detroit spent Saturday afternoon and Sunday with their mother, Mrs. Harriet Boyes.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Read and two daughters, Maxine and Annabell, spent Sunday with Mrs. Read's mother, Mrs. Walker McCool, at Shabbona.

Dinner guests Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Milligan were Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Randall, son, Homer, and Mr. and Mrs. Michael Markle.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Crafts of Detroit visited the former's mother, Mrs. Eunice Crafts, over the week-end. Mrs. Crafts remained to spend the week and help to care for her mother-in-law, who is very ill.

Mr. and Mrs. William Foss of Harbor Springs, who have been guests of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Douglas for two weeks, left Sunday to visit at the home of their daughter in Jackson.

Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Lee entertained over the week-end their daughter, Miss Leone Lee, and Miss Jean Whiteley, both teachers in the Marshall school. Miss Whiteley's home is in Dowagiac.

Mrs. E. O. Kohlhaas, Mrs. G. E. Cuthbert and Mrs. Wood, all of Detroit spent Sunday at the home of Mrs. C. L. Graham, sister of Mrs. Kohlhaas. Mrs. Graham, who had spent the week in Detroit, returned to Cass City with them.

Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Boat of Oxford and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Harris of Kingston were Sunday guests at the Kleinschmidt home. Mrs. Boat and Mrs. Harris are sisters of the Misses Kleinschmidt and of Charles Kleinschmidt.

Scout Executive, George Landane, of the Bay City Trails met scout masters and executive members of the Thumb district in the high school library Wednesday evening, February 20, when various lines of work were discussed.

Lester Bailey and Janice McMahon were Mt. Pleasant visitors Friday afternoon. Lucile Bailey, Elhorna Corpron and Ralph Rawson returned to Cass City with them to spend the week-end at their homes here. Eugene Volk of Saginaw and Miss Weston of Bad Axe, also students at Central State Teachers' College, Mt. Pleasant, accompanied them. Mr. Volk to be the guest of Ralph Rawson and Miss Weston to spend the week-end at her home in Bad Axe.

Rev. P. J. Allured told Rotarians Tuesday that stamp collecting has been his favorite pastime which he started in boyhood days and then called upon other members of the club to tell their hobbies, past and present. They responded and here are the replies in abbreviated form: M. B. Auten, golf, bridge and coin collection; Frank Reid, baseball and bridge; Frederick Pinney, reading and sports; Dr. I. D. McCoy, bridge; A. J. Knapp, baseball; Willis Campbell, 4-H club work; H. F. Lenzner, reading; Ernest Schwaderer, reading and sports; A. C. Atwell, ping pong and volleyball; G. W. Landon, travel; C. W. Price, fishing and shop work; G. A. Tindale, horseback riding and farming; Earl Douglas, fishing; J. A. Sandham, farming; W. L. Mann, photography and competitive sports. At next Tuesday's luncheon at the Hotel Gordon, each Rotarian will bring a farmer friend as a guest. Judge L. C. Cramton is the speaker.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Ward were Saginaw visitors Monday.

Mrs. Max Johnson has employment in an abstract office in Caro.

Junior Ball of Wickware spent the week-end with his cousin, Kenneth Ball.

Miss Marguerite McKay of Detroit spent several days last week at her home here.

Robert and Gordon McKay spent from Sunday until Tuesday with relatives in Detroit.

Frank Champion of St. Louis has been spending the week with his father, Samuel Champion.

Miss Eunice Schell spent the week-end as the guest of her sister, Miss Esther Schell, at Hillman.

Mrs. E. A. Livingston left Friday for the Albert Gallagher home to care for Mrs. Gallagher and baby son.

Miss Marguerite Countryman spent from Friday until Sunday evening at her home in Grand Blanc.

Priscilla Ball spent Thursday and Friday with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John S. Ball, of Wickware.

Miss Doris and Miss Marian Livingston of Highland Park and Clyde Wilbur of Royal Oak spent the week-end at the E. A. Livingston home.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Lewis of Deford were entertained at the home of the latter's mother, Mrs. Gertrude Ertel, Sunday.

Clayton Hobart and Raymond Rabidue of Gageton, Lloyd Stowell of Sebawing and Wallie Ball spent Monday in Flint.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Fletcher of Detroit visited at the home of Mr. Fletcher's sister, Mrs. H. L. Benkelman, over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Levi Bardwell entertained over the week-end Mrs. E. R. Wilson of Lansing and Mr. Howlett and Miss Helene Bardwell of Mason.

Mrs. Minnie Callan and Mrs. Arnold Callan and children of West Branch visited Cass City friends and relatives Monday afternoon and Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallie Ball and daughter, Marjorie, and Lawrence Ball and Bruce Brown spent Friday, Feb. 15, in Lapeer at the Farm Bureau meeting.

Clare O'Dell, who is attending a chiropractic school at Davenport, Iowa, and Miss Hilda O'Dell, who attends the School of Cosmetology in Saginaw, spent the week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Warren O'Dell.

Barbara Jean Bardwell entertained a number of friends at her home on Third street Thursday afternoon at a Valentine party. Various games were played and a supper was served, the table being very pretty with valentine appointments.

Over one hundred sat down to supper at the Methodist church family gathering Wednesday evening in the church basement, and enjoyed the program that was graded by groups and interested all ages. Similar gatherings are planned for Wednesday evening, March 6, and Wednesday evening, March 27.

C. A. Damon and daughter, Miss Betty, of Fenton were Sunday guests at the home of their daughter and sister, Mrs. Robert Keppen. Mrs. Damon, who has spent the last two weeks with her daughter here, returned to her home in Fenton with them.

Mr. and Mrs. John West entertained at a family dinner in their home on East Main street Sunday in celebration of the birthdays of R. Nelson and Glenn McCullough and Mr. West, all of which occur near that date. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. R. N. McCullough and son, Glenn, and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond McCullough.

A. J. Knapp, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Douglas, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Warner, Rev. C. Bayless, Mrs. Anna Patterson, Mrs. Walter Schell, Miss Winnifred Schell from Cass City attended the annual oyster dinner and meeting of the South Novesta Farmers' club held in the dining room of the Deford Methodist church Friday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Moore, son, Robert, of Fowlerville and Mrs. Myra Edwards of Holly were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Ward. Little Miss Elizabeth Moore, who had spent three months with her aunt and uncle here, returned to her home with her parents Sunday. Mr. Moore's mother, Mrs. William I. Moore, also returned with them to spend a few weeks in Fowlerville and Ypsilanti.

Dr. H. T. Donahue is spending the week in Ann Arbor.

Dorus Klinkman visited friends in Detroit Monday and Tuesday.

A daughter was born Tuesday, February 19, to Mr. and Mrs. John Bird.

The Past Noble Grands' club will meet Friday, March 1, with Mrs. John Caldwell.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Bartle visited at the Roy Wagg home at Wickware Sunday.

Miss Helen Muntz of Elkton was the guest of Mrs. Wesley Webber over the week-end.

Mrs. Mary E. Wagg of Wickware visited at the home of Mrs. Agnes Cooley Sunday night.

Division No. 4 of the Methodist church will hold men's night at the parsonage Monday, February 25.

Arthur Cooley and two children of Owendale visited Mr. Cooley's mother, Mrs. Agnes Cooley, Saturday.

The Bethel Ladies' Aid was entertained at the Methodist parsonage Thursday of this week with the men attending the noon dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Francis and son, Ray, of Kingston spent Monday at the home of Mrs. Omar Glaspie, sister of Mr. Francis.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Colwell, Mrs. Scott and Mr. and Mrs. Claud Karr attended the Wickware Ladies' Aid meeting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ward Law Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Marks, Mrs. Scott Brotherton, Miss Bertha Wood and Miss Mina Anderson were dinner guests of Miss Nora and John Moshier at Deford Tuesday noon.

Mrs. Clifford Secord received word Tuesday of the death of her father, C. P. Hadsell, at Petersburg, Ill. Mr. and Mrs. Secord and son, Billie, and Mrs. Lee Dickenson left Wednesday morning to attend the funeral.

Miss Mary Lou McCoy was a delightful hostess to the members of her Sunday School class and their teacher, Mrs. Bertha Brown, on Wednesday evening at her home on South Seeger street. Games were played and refreshments were served.

Mrs. Bertha Brown, Mrs. Anna McLean, Albert Whitfield, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Urquhart and baby visited at the Fred Emigh home at Hay Creek Sunday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Oakley Phetteplace and son, Oakley Donald, of Ann Arbor were also Sunday guests at the Emigh home.

Members of the Cass City Music Club enjoyed a six o'clock chop suey dinner at the home of Mrs. G. A. Spittler Monday evening, Feb. 11. After the dinner, a business meeting was held. The next meeting of the club will be held at the home of their president, Mrs. H. P. Lee, next Monday evening at seven o'clock.

Angus Duncanson writes from St. Paul, Minn.: "I am out here for a few weeks to see how I like the Minnesota weather in the winter time and do some maneuvers on the ice. It's fine, healthy weather here at present. Expect to be back in Ann Arbor the last of the month. I still like to get the Chronicle for I still have a warm spot in my heart for the folks of Cass City and surrounding country."

Arthur Whittenburg returned to Caro Tuesday afternoon after attending a one-day convention of the county treasurers of Michigan at Lansing. About 60 of the county tax gatherers were present and listened to addresses by Grover Dillman, director of the state welfare department; Mr. Barnes, tax expert of the auditor general's office; Representative Vernon Brown, chairman of the taxation committee of the house of representatives; and Dr. Haver, FERA director of Michigan. At the banquet at the Hotel Olds in the evening, addresses were given by Mr. O'Hara, son of the auditor general, and Senator Moore of Pontiac. A committee of seven county treasurers was appointed to meet with the state tax commission to thresh out tax problems.

Plans have been completed for a preaching mission at the Methodist church in Richmond at which Rev. Charles Bayless of Cass City will be guest speaker. He is to be there Sunday evening, March 3, for the opening of the service and will preach on six nights during the two weeks following. A two weeks' Preaching Mission is to be held at the Methodist church here beginning Sunday, March 17. The guest speaker will be Rev. R. E. Niemann of Flint and for the second week Rev. C. E. Doty of Saginaw. Special services are also being planned for Bethel later in Lent.

Mr. and Mrs. John Jaus of Sandusky were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Joos.

Jackie Douglas left Sunday to spend the week with his aunt, Mrs. Donald Allen, at Leslie.

Cass City Independents will play basketball with the Pigeon Independents here Wednesday, Feb. 27.

Mrs. Harriet Dodge, Mrs. Andrew Bigelow, Mrs. Willis Campbell and Mrs. Robert McConkey, Jr., were Saginaw visitors Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hazen McLachlan of Detroit spent the week-end at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. W. Hall. Mr. Hall, who has been quite ill, is improving in health.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Striffler and daughter, Miss Luella, of Detroit visited Mr. Striffler's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Solomon Striffler, Sunday. Miss Gertrude Striffler, who had spent two weeks in Detroit, returned to her home here with them.

Mrs. Alice Nettleton is confined to her home with a broken bone in one of her limbs just above the ankle. As she and her daughter, Mrs. E. L. Schwaderer, were returning from Mrs. C. Wiley's home Tuesday evening, Mrs. Nettleton fell in front of the Ford garage, resulting in the fracture.

No Wonder. Judge—Why did you pick a fight with this inoffensive man? He's a perfect stranger to you. Culprit—Excuse me judge. All my friends was away on their vacations.

Give Us Time. England's national debt is now 240 years old. That beats us, but time will cure that.—Wichita Eagle.

DEFORD

Nuptials—Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kelley of Pontiac spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Kelley. The Kelley family were extremely surprised when Robert announced that he had been united in marriage three months before to Miss Charlotte Terry, of Pontiac. Congratulations and best wishes were extended and the day enjoyed by all.

Arthur Hartwick, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hartwick, of Deford and Miss Mary Hergenreder of Battle Creek were quietly married at Caro on Saturday. They were attended by Miss Doris Hartwick, sister of the groom, and Ted Hergenreder of Kingston, brother of the bride. Mr. and Mrs. Hartwick will make their home at Flint where Mr. Hartwick is employed.

Funeral Service—After a very brief illness from typhoid fever, Cecil Decker passed away at a Cass City hospital, the immediate cause being hemorrhage. Funeral services were conducted at the Deford M. E. church on Monday afternoon by the Rev. J. James Decker and Rev. Jones of the local church. The remains were laid to rest in Novesta cemetery. Mr. and Mrs. Decker lived at Deford less than a year but acquired many friends who sympathize in their bereavement. Cecil Decker was born at Lupton in 1900. He was united in marriage to Miss Mae McClure who with one daughter, Elaine, survive to mourn his departure.

Elley-McCrea Nuptials—Miss Eliza Elley, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Elley of Deford, and Mr. Howard McCrea, of Almer, only son of Mrs. Rena McCrea, were quietly married at the M. E. parsonage in Caro by the Rev. H. W. Kuhlman on February 14. The young couple will reside in Almer with Mr. McCrea's mother.

Reception for Newly-weds—Mr. and Mrs. John Elley of Deford gave a reception in honor of their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Howard McCrea, Saturday evening, February 16. About one hundred relatives, friends and neighbors were present.

The young couple received many beautiful gifts and the evening was spent with music and dancing. Refreshments which consisted of coffee, sandwiches, salads and cakes, were served to the guests. All left at a late hour wishing the couple many years of happiness and success.

Mrs. Clarence May spent Friday with Mrs. Ernest Hildinger at Caro. William Bentley and Mr. and Mrs. Sam Sherk are still confined to their homes by illness.

A circle of the friends of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Williams met at their home on Monday night for a farewell gathering. Mr. and Mrs. Williams are moving this week to a farm near Mayville.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Collins have rented the farm of Mrs. Geo. Youngs for the coming year.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Sherwood were business callers on Monday at Lapeer.

Floyd Gage of Melvin spent the past week with friends and relatives at Deford.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Baur and

sons, Carl and Kenneth, attended the funeral of Otto Bietzer at Sebawing Sunday.

Mrs. George Huffman and brother, Lewis Groth, of Flint spent the week-end with their mother, Mrs. Wells Spencer. Mr. and Mrs. Harold Spencer and daughter of Pontiac were week-end visitors.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvah Spencer were business callers in Bad Axe on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Colwell of Cass City spent Sunday with their brother and sister, Alva Palmateer and Mrs. Louisa King. Mr. and Mrs. Ray Colwell and children of Saginaw were callers at the Palmateer home.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Koeltzow and children were Sunday visitors of their mother, Mrs. D. Knox Hanna, at Caro.

Mrs. William Kelley and son, Dee, spent Monday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wendall Kelley at Gageton.

Alton Lewis was a business caller at Bay City Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. George McIntyre spent Sunday at Alpena.

Mr. and Mrs. George McIntyre are the owners of a new Oldsmobile coach.

Miss Doris Hartwick is a visitor at Detroit this week.

Mr. and Mrs. George Martin spent Thursday at Vassar where Mrs. Martin attended the W. C. T. U. meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Wilson of Highland Park spent the week-end at the home of Mrs. Eleanor Slickton.

James Smetak of Detroit was a week-end visitor at the Howard Malcolm home.

Miss Julia Nemeth is spending a week at Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence May spent

Chronicle Liners

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

TEAM OF HORSES for sale. Four miles east and 3 south of Cass City. Harry Severance, Phone 35-F-32. 2-22-1

IF YOU HAVE calves, cattle or hogs for sale, phone Grant Patterson, Cass City. 3-16-1f

HORSES FOR SALE—Good matched teams. Single horses and mules. Time given with no extra charge. B. O. Watkins, Horse and Mule Market, Marlette, Mich. Located four blocks north of Hotel. 2-8-3p

FOR SALE—Alfalfa mixed hay and husked corn. I want to buy a few head of thin cattle. Glenn Tuckey, Cass City, Phone 55-F-3. 2-22-1p

WANTED—Milk, bakery, tea, coffee or other route men. Good proposition for right man. Rawleigh, Dept. MCB-64-L, Freeport, Ill. 2-1-4p

FOR SALE—Black mare, 8 years old, with foal, weight 1200 lbs. Mrs. Thomas Gotts. 2-22-1p

FARMERS—Loans through your own association for any agricultural purpose, 5%. Consult us, or application writers, for financing needs for coming season. Prompt service given. Applications written by Millington Farm Bureau Store, Millington, Michigan; County Agricultural Agent's Office, Caro, Mich. Lapeer Production Credit Association. 2-8-4

FOR SALE—Muck for gardens and lawns. Chas. Mudge, 4 1/4 east and 2 south of Cass City. Phone 35-F-23 or 99-F-14. 2-22-1

HIGHEST MARKET price paid for potatoes. Melvin O'Dell. Leave your orders at Alex Henry's store. Phone 82. 10-19-1f

80-ACRE FARM for sale. Enquire of William Ball, Brooker street, Cass City. 2-22-1p

OLIVER typewriter, in good condition for sale for \$15. Corona Portable, very slightly used, for \$20. G. D. Clink. Phone 35-F-14. 2-15-1f

APPLES for sale—Spies, Greenings, Baldwins, Steeles' Red. We buy potatoes. See us before you sell. C. W. Heller. 2-8-1f

CATTLE BOUGHT or shipped. Highest prices for poultry and eggs. Call John Fournier, Gageton. Phone 39. 7-20-1f

"THIS WEEK," a new 4-color Fiction Magazine! America's best authors, illustrators! Free with next Sunday's Detroit News. Order your copy now!

NOVESTA TOWNSHIP Caucus—Notice is hereby given that the Novesta Township caucus will be held at the Novesta Township hall on Monday, March 4, 1935, at 2:00 p. m., for the purpose of placing in nomination candidates for the various township offices and transacting any other business that may properly come before it. Dated this 14th day of February, A. D. 1935. Robert Phillips, Township Clerk. 2-22-2

CARD OF THANKS—We wish to thank our many friends and neighbors for their kind assistance during the recent death of our daughter, Etta Jane Dafeo, and to Rev. Clink and Rev. Gibson for their comforting words and the beautiful flowers. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Dafeo and family.

BUY HY-GRADE CHICKS from blood-tested flocks. Nine breeds to select from. Flocks carefully culled and mated with well selected cockerels. Sanitation method used in incubation to insure you a strong, healthy, sturdy chick which is as equally important as the good quality behind them. A flock of March hatched broiler chicks will help mother out just fine this spring. But don't wait! Order at once to be sure and get your chicks next month. Phone or write for a hatch date. Dr. Salsbury's Poultry Health products on hand. Hy-Grade Chick Hatcheries, Pigeon, Mich. Phone 143. 2-22-1

WANTED—Old horses for fox feed. Must be alive. Send card to Otto Monte, Fairgrove, Mich. 12-8-1f

FOR SALE—Superior grain drill in good condition except wheels, and Ontario drill, second hand. Take your choice. Melvin O'Dell, 3 south, 1 1/2 miles west of Cass City. 2-22-1p

A NEW SHIPMENT of young fine horses. Enquire at John McGrath farm, 3 west, 1 1/2 north of Cass City. 10-19-1f

FARM FOR SALE—Eighty acres, 1 mile east, 1/4 mile south of Shabbona; good land; good buildings; electric lights in house; with stock and tools, hay, grain, and rough feed; three horses, three colts, three cows, six heifers, pigs. All for \$4500.00 The Cass City State Bank. 2-15-3

WANTED TO RENT an 80-acre farm. Ed. Frederick, R2, Deford, Mich. 2-15-3p

FINAL TAX NOTICE—I will be at the Pinney State Bank on Saturday, Feb. 16, and Saturday, Feb. 23, to receive the taxes of Elkland township. John Reagh, Twp. Treas. 2-15-2

FOR SALE—Green wood, poplar or beach and maple, delivered or haul it yourself. G. D. Clink, Phone 35-F-14. 2-15-1f

CASH PAID for cream at Kenney's, Cass City. Price today, 38c.

DOG TAXES must be paid before March 1. I will be at the Pinney State Bank to collect taxes on Saturday, Feb. 16, and Saturday, Feb. 23. John Reagh, Elkland Twp. Treas. 2-15-2

WHY NOT ATTEND Udenominational Bible conference at Masonic Temple, Saginaw, February 24 to March 3rd. Meetings afternoons 3 o'clock; evenings 7:30. Speakers Dr. Houghton, president Moody Bible Institute, and Dr. Steeves, founder Iowa Biblical College. 2-22-1p

Village Registration Notice.
 Registration Notice for Village Election, Monday, March 11, 1935.
 To the Qualified Electors of the Village of Cass City, County of Tuscola, State of Michigan.
 Notice is hereby given that in conformity with the "Michigan Election Law," I, the undersigned Village Clerk, will, upon any day, except Sunday and a legal holiday, the day of any regular or special election or primary election, receive for registration the name of any legal voter in said village not already registered who may apply to me personally for such registration. Provided, however, that I can receive no names for registration during the time intervening between the Second Saturday before any regular, special or official primary election and the day of such election.

The last day for General Registration does not apply to persons who vote under the Absent Voters' Law.
 Notice is hereby further given that I will be at the Cass City State Bank, in Cass City, on

Tuesday, February 19, 1935
 the twentieth day preceding said election, from 9 o'clock a. m. until 4 o'clock p. m. on each said day for the purpose of Reviewing the Registration and Registering such of the qualified electors in said Village as Shall Properly apply therefor.

Saturday, March 2, 1935—Last Day for general registration by personal Application for said election, from 9 o'clock a. m. to 4 o'clock p. m. for General Registration by personal application for said election.

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

Special Election.
 To the Qualified Electors of the Township of Elkland, County of Tuscola, State of Michigan:
 Notice is hereby given, that a Special Election will be held at the town hall within said township on

Monday, Mar. 4, 1935
 for the purpose of electing candidates for the office of Representative in State Legislature (to fill vacancy).

Relative to Opening and Closing of the Polls.
 Election Revision of 1931—No. 410—Chapter VIII.
 Section 1. On the day of any election polls shall be opened at seven o'clock in the forenoon, and shall be continued open until six o'clock in the afternoon and no longer: Provided, that in townships the board of inspectors of election may, in its discretion, adjourn the polls at twelve o'clock noon, for one hour, and that the township board in townships and the legislative body in cities and villages may, by resolution, provide that the polls shall be opened at six o'clock in the forenoon and may also provide that the polls shall be kept open not later than eight o'clock in the evening of the same day. Every qualified elector present and in line at the polls at the hour prescribed for the closing thereof shall be allowed to vote.

The polls of said election will be open at seven o'clock and will remain open until six o'clock p. m. Dated this 16th day of February, A. D. 1935.
 C. E. PATTERSON,
 Clerk of said Township.

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

Monday, March 4, 1935
 for the purpose of nominating candidates for the office of Circuit Judge.
Relative to Opening and Closing of the Polls.
 Election Revision of 1931—No. 410—Chapter VIII.
 Section 1. On the day of any election polls shall be opened at seven o'clock in the forenoon, and shall be continued open until six o'clock in the afternoon and no longer: Provided, that in townships the board of inspectors of election may, in its discretion, adjourn the polls at twelve o'clock noon, for one hour, and that the township board in townships and the legislative body in cities and villages may, by resolution, provide that the polls shall be opened at six o'clock in the forenoon and may also provide that the polls shall be kept open not later than eight o'clock in the evening of the same day. Every qualified elector present and in line at the polls at the hour prescribed for the closing thereof shall be allowed to vote.

The polls of said election will be open at seven o'clock and will remain open until six o'clock p. m. Dated this 16th day of February, A. D. 1935.
 C. E. PATTERSON,
 Clerk of said Township.

Registration Notice.
 For General Primary Election, Monday, March 4, 1935.
 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 Village Clerk, will, upon any day, except Sunday and a legal holiday, the day of any regular or special election or primary election, receive for registration the name of any legal voter in said 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, on **Tuesday, February 12, 1935** 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, Feb. 23, 1935—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,
 2-15-2 Township Clerk.

RURAL SCHOOLS
 Copy for school notes should be sent to the Chronicle on or before Saturday preceding publication day.

Sand Valley School.
 Mrs. Wells, teacher.
 Julia Sanders, reporter.
 Our calendar for this month was colored by Julia Sanders.
 We had a potluck dinner and a valentine box on valentine day. After dinner, we played games. We had a spelling and arithmetic match. Those that visited school on valentine day were Mrs. Robinson, Mrs. Shagena, Elaine Shagena, Mrs. Phillips, Peggy Marie Phillips, Raymond Windy, Mrs. Strickland, Chester Strickland, Violet Nowland and Betty Oldenburg.
 Henry Nowland has begun reading in the first reader.
 We have had a week of perfect attendance.
 Mrs. Wells is reading "Little Women" by Louisa M. Alcott to us. It is very interesting.

Crawford School.
 The sixth and seventh grades have made health alphabets for hygiene.
 The eighth grade has completed the study of the Civil War and are now studying on the Reconstruction Period.
 For language, the fourth grade is learning the poem of "The Arrow and the Song."
 The primary class had a spelling match on Thursday. Helen Warner was the winner.
 The seventh and eighth grades have completed unit six in science and have started work on unit seven.
 We have many interesting pictures of Abraham Lincoln and Geo. Washington on our wall.
 We had a valentine party on Thursday afternoon.
 We are very busy selling seeds in order to earn some money.
 Our visitors for the week were Mrs. Warner, Mrs. Crawford, Greta Hicks and Gerald Pratt.
 Reporters, Kenneth Warner and Gerald Hicks.
 Teacher, Alison Milligan.

Greenwood School.
 We observed Lincoln's birthday by reading stories and poems about him Tuesday afternoon.
 The primer class is learning to tell time.
 The second and third grade language dramatized the story, "Big Brother's Valentine."
 The fifth grade are reading the story entitled "All Baba and the Open Sesame."
 The eighth grade have completed their study of the Michigan Constitution and are now learning the institutions of Michigan.
 We had a valentine party Thursday afternoon. The people had drawn names so everyone received valentines. We had candy and popcorn. Bertha Todis visited our party.
 Reporter, Irene Smith.
 Teacher, Mildred Everett.

Wickware School.
 Teacher, Mable E. Wheeler.
 Reporters, Leola Spencer and Bruce Bartle.
 For history, the seventh and eighth grades are on Unit II in "The Nation under the leadership of Jefferson, Madison and Gallatin."
 The seventh graders are working problems to find the interest for years, months, and days.
 The fourth graders are dividing by eleven and twelve in arithmetic.
 We have celebrated Lincoln's birthday and hope to celebrate Washington's.
 Leonard Bartle and Stuart Nicol colored the February calendar.
 Our visitors last week were Leona and Betty Spencer. We hope they will come again.
 We had our Valentine party Thursday after last recess. We played games and had a cat and dog treasure hunt for Valentine candy. For refreshments, we had ice cream, cookies and candy.
 We were sorry to have Nancy and Billy Watson and Jimmy Jackson absent the day after the party. Was it from too much ice cream?
 Monitor duties for this week are: water and towels, Stuart; windows, Leonard; desks and mail, Naomi; library, Irene and Aileen; boards and erasers, Jimmy.

Wright School.
 Teacher, Hazel Hower.
 Reporter, Russell Striffler.
 Last Thursday we had a valentine party. We even had to hunt for some of our valentines. We

Local Happenings

D. A. Krug was a business caller in Battle Creek Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Erwin Wanner and Miss Fern Cooley were Saginaw visitors Friday.

Mrs. A. J. Knapp visited relatives and friends in Bad Axe Thursday and Friday.

Clark W. McKenzie of Kalamazoo visited Cass City relatives and friends Friday and Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dugald A. Krug visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Prifer in Flint over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Bailey, Miss Lucile Bailey and Janice McMann were entertained Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clare Z. Bailey at Averill.

After spending several days as the guest of Miss Frances Seed, Miss Freda Parker returned to her home at Gagetown Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Landon entertained the Huron County Rural Carriers most delightfully at their home Friday evening. After a potluck supper, a short business meeting was held and a social time enjoyed.

We were treated to cookies and candy. We are making good use of our new thermometer. We have a chart upon which we record the temperature of our room taken three times during the day.

We have finished reading the "Bobbey Twins at Cherry Corners" for morning exercises.
 The eighth grade have made large maps of Elkland township, showing roads, schools, rivers, and many other things of interest. They have also written some essays on Elkland township.
 The little people drew and colored log cabins for Lincoln's birthday.

Barbara Hoagland has finished her Fact and Story Primer and is now reviewing some of the stories.
 Those who were neither absent nor tardy during the past month are Barbara Hoagland, Lyle, Leon and Lawrence Holik, Mae Pickett, Dorothy Muntz, and Helen Joos. Lyle and Lawrence got their five-month certificates.
 Our percent of attendance the past month was 93.1.

Rescue School.
 Teacher, Catherine MacLachlan.
 Reporter, Florence Longuski.
 We had a program for Lincoln's birthday. We also had a Valentine Day party. Everyone received some nice valentines.
 Those having 100 in spelling this week are: Gladys, Florence and Eugene Longuski, Marie Martin, Marguerite Cummins, Lawrence Summers and Lavina Britt.
 Our visitors this week were: Mrs. Clifton Clemons, Lula Ashmore, Harold Cummins, Nelson Fay, Hazel Britt and Wenton Ellis.
 The seventh grade have finished making their hygiene notebooks. Eighth grade finished their agricultural notebooks.

Sharrard School.
 Teacher, Agnes E. MacLachlan.
 Reporters, Frank Gross and Elmer Andrews.
 We had a valentine box Thursday. Everyone received a nice lot of valentines. We also had a geography match Thursday. Edward Wiechert and Eileen Wolfe were captains. Eileen's side was victorious.
 The eighth grade are studying bank accounts for arithmetic.
 In our reading contest, both sides have 145 points.

Miss Georgene VanWinkle was a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Hardy at Midland Sunday.

Miss Blanch Stafford, who teaches in the Saginaw schools, spent the week-end at her home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Bartle have moved from the Ralph Ward house, on North Seeger street, to rooms on the second floor of the Mrs. Agnes Cooley residence on South Seeger street.

Mrs. D. E. Turner, Mr. and Mrs. Clare Turner and son, James, visited relatives and friends in Detroit Wednesday and Thursday of last week.

R. D. Hanby of Ypsilanti spent a few days last week in Cass City. Mrs. Hanby and little son, Donald, who had been the guests of Mrs. Hanby's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Ward, returned home with him.

Russell Cook and Miss Ila White of Detroit came Friday and spent the week-end with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred White. Miss Cora White, who had been the guest of her sister, Mrs. Gast, at Flint, returned to her home here with them.

Ruth Kirby and Sarah Cooley arranged a nice program for Lincoln's birthday.
 Those having 100 in spelling this week are Bernard Wiechert, Robert Kiper, Genevieve Miljure, Edward Wiechert, Elmer Andrews, George Gross, Eileen Wolfe, Sarah Cooley, Frank Fross, and Ruth Kirby.
 Lola Ingalsbe visited our school Thursday afternoon.
 Our teacher is reading us the book, "Roberta's Flying Courage," for morning exercise.
 Several are absent again on account of illness.
 The seventh grade are progressing nicely in orthography.

KINGSTON.
 Mrs. Alex Marshall spent last Tuesday in Flint where she attended a district federation meeting.
 Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Moore attended the funeral of a cousin in Mt. Clemens Monday, Feb. 11, and the funeral of a brother-in-law near Lum on Tuesday.
 Miss Esch, Miss Seidner and Mr. Hill spent last week-end in Lansing.
 Mrs. Vernon Everett and Mrs. Ellwood Eastman were in Caro on Thursday where they received the lesson for home extension class.
 Mr. and Mrs. Otto Boat of Oxford called on Mr. and Mrs. Henry Harris Sunday and they accompanied them to Cass City where they visited their sisters.
 Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Colton and family of Rochester and Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Taylor spent Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Archie Taylor.
 C. N. Hill was leader of the Epworth League service Sunday evening.
 Mr. Youngs of Detroit, Mrs. Sarah Kitley and daughter, Ruby, of Armada spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. James Green.
 Oscar Wenzlaff of Pontiac spent Saturday and Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. Wenzlaff.
 Kingston high school basketball team will play a game with Akron here Friday night, Feb. 22. This will be the last game of the season.
 The annual Father and Son banquet will be served by the members of the M. E. Ladies' Aid in the church dining room Tuesday evening, Feb. 26. The speaker will be from Bay City. Mr. V. J. Whittemore has charge of the program.
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Mr. and Mrs. Marsh Mapley of Detroit spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Hartt.

Skeleton of Mammoth Whale
 The municipal museum in Charleston, S. C., has the skeleton of a 90,000-pound whale captured in the harbor in 1880.

Program Music
 The term "program music" is applied to purely instrumental works which are intended to reproduce by musical tones a series of definite ideas or events.

Fossil Ancestors of Mammoths
 Fossil ancestors of modern elephants, rhinoceroses, hippopotami, crocodiles and pythons have been found in northern India.

Normal Teeth Have Color
 Normal teeth have color and the shades vary according to the individual.

DO YOU REMEMBER?

The Cass City Chronicle has through the years stored away pictures of local people and buildings, some of which date back many years. The Chronicle will reprint some of these from time to time. No names or stories will appear under any picture and it will be left for the readers to think back through the years and search their memories for identification.



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No additional charge is made for any of the facilities in our funeral home—a fact of interest in times like these.

Mortgage Sale.

Whereas Alfred F. Jones and Hattie Jones on December 21, 1906, made a mortgage to Isaac B. Auten, recorded next day in the office of the register of deeds for Tuscola county, Michigan, in liber 118 of mortgages on page 483, and then assigned to Sarah B. Willett and recorded in the office of the register of deeds aforesaid in liber 142 of mortgages on page 242 and later assigned to The Cass City State Bank and recorded in the office of the register of deeds aforesaid in liber 142 of mortgages on page 243.

Pursuant to the covenants there-of the lands described below will be sold at public auction at the front door of the court house in Caro, Michigan, April 16, 1935, at one o'clock in the afternoon, to satisfy the amounts due and the costs of foreclosure provided therein.

Mortgage Sale.

Default having been made in the payment of the principal and interest of a mortgage made December 18, 1930, by Harry Brown and Ila Brown to Frank Benedict and Hattie E. Benedict, and recorded February 7, 1931, in the office of the register of deeds for Tuscola county, Michigan, in liber 162 of mortgages on page 111; the sum of \$92.00 is due at the date of this notice.

Pursuant to the covenants there-of, foreclosure will be made by sale of the lands described below, at public auction at the front door of the court house in the village of Caro, Michigan, March 5, 1935, at one o'clock in the afternoon.

The north half of the northeast quarter of the southeast quarter of Section One, Township Twelve North, Range Eleven East, Kingston Township, Tuscola County, Michigan. December 5, 1934.

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CHAPTER III

THE next day, to all appearances, was like all the other Friday mornings of the year. Sam and Phil got away first of all, leaving a litter of coffee and cold toast on the kitchen table.

She stopped at Muller's on her way downtown and bought a box of fine notepaper. The note itself was written at the library a few minutes later.

At the end of the note she added: "If you can, come and have supper with us very informally—on Sunday."

But at three o'clock she had something else of which to think, for the telephone in the library rang suddenly, and the voice on the other end demanded Miss Lawrence.

It was Van, cheerful and friendly. What time was he to come to supper, and why put it off until Sunday? This was Friday.

"What the heck are you doing tomorrow?" "Tomorrow's my Saturday at the library, until nine o'clock."

Gail could hardly bear the happy beating of her own heart as she hung up the receiver. She thought she would suffocate with sheer felicity.

She went home on winged feet, stopping to pick up Edith, to buy the dotted swiss dress. Gail hesitated long over colors, finally deciding on a deep purple. It would be practical, and that shade was always lovely with the dull gold of the Lawrence hair.

"What sort of a place is it? I've never been there." "Oh, highly respectable!" They went, accordingly, to Old Aunt Mary's, a low wooden shack on the Peninsula highway, with a greasy dance floor in the center, and greasy bare tables all about it.

But the music was good, and the floor good, and the whole scene so novel to Gail that she found it delightful. She and Van talked flirtatiously and with much laughter, as young persons who are just making each other's acquaintance usually do.

"My dear child, there's no more the matter with my lungs than with yours!" "There's—what?" Gail demanded blankly.

"I haven't got con," Van reiterated. "I flunked out of college at Easter, that was all! Or no," he remembered conscientiously, "I did have a heavy chest cold, coughing, all that. That was a part of it, you see? I had to stay home a week at Christmas, and what not—"

In his incorrigibly gay manner he finished the sentence with a shrug. "You're not sick at all!" Gail said, in so disappointed a tone that they laughed outright.

They sat on, watching the dancers. The music droned on, the saxophone whining above the other instruments; the crowd was thinning now, some of the tables were empty.

When the clock struck ten Gail said she must go home. Van made no protest; he seemed tired, too, willing to say good-night.

They were laughing again, driving home in the starlight. But at the Lawrence gate Gail was conscious that somehow their parting was going to be a little stiff and flat.

But she could not save herself. She could not be suddenly flirtatious—amorous. She did not know how. Did he expect her to let him kiss her good-night? Did he ever want to kiss her? She did not know.

"Well, of course—if she'd like it, Phil." "Why shouldn't she like it?" Phil had asked in a level, challenging voice.

"No reason why! Except—hasn't she rather young children?" "Yep. She has three kids." Phil had been refilling his coffee cup.

"I don't think she'd come!" Gail had said, uncomfortable but determined.

"You might try!" Phil's voice had become level, composed. He had returned to his newspaper with no further reference to the subject.

His sisters, in utter consternation, had spoken since of little else. "She's simply mesmerized him, that's all! It's just too horrible!"

"Gail, we couldn't ask her to the house!" "I don't think we could."

They parted on the dubious note, deeply worried, as they had been worried so many, many times before about Sam, Ariel, Phil, in turn, about family finances, social complications.

"Just when I was—sort of—looking forward to Sunday-night suppers," Gail offered in parting, when they came to the Calle.

"Yes, I know!" Edith answered quickly. "What on earth can we do, Edith, if Phil says anything more?" "Well, have her, I suppose!"



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GAGETOWN

Meeting of Woman's Club—
Miss Edith Miller was hostess Monday evening to the Woman's Study Club. Each member responded to roll call by giving the title of "My Favorite Hymn." A reading on "The Wailing Wall" was given by Mrs. Martha Russell and a talk on "Jerusalem Today" by Mrs. Mildred Helmbold. This was followed by two-minute talks on Elijah by Janet Laurie, John by Mrs. Carrie Russell, Abraham by Miss Mildred McDonald. The next meeting will be held March 4 at the home of Mrs. George Munro.

School News—
Friday, Feb. 15, our Gagetown boys played Pinnebog there and won 18 to 7. The second team lost.
Friday, Feb. 22, all three teams will go to Bay Port to play basketball. Let us hope that we will win.
February 28, March 1 and 2 is the district tournament at Bay Port. Thursday night, the first night of the tournament, Gagetown will play Port Austin. If you want to see some interesting games, come to the tournament.

Miss Madeline Rabideau, Miss Marie Weiler and Neil Campbell of Detroit spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. John Weiler.

Miss Geraldine entertained a number of her friends at a Valentine party Wednesday, Feb. 13. During the afternoon bunco was played and at 5:30 refreshments were served.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Densmore and Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Hunter went to Lapeer Friday to attend the agricultural meeting held there. They also visited Misses Mary Ellen and Frances Hunter at the Lapeer hospital. Mr. and Mrs. Richard Karr also attended the meeting.
Arthur O. Wood, mail carrier on route 2, is enjoying a fifteen-day vacation. Arthur Freeman is substitute.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Comment and Mrs. Frank O'Neal of Pontiac spent the week-end at their parental homes here.

Patrick Kehoe, who has been visiting relatives in Pontiac and Detroit the past four weeks, returned Saturday.

Mrs. Jules Goslin and sons, Jack and James, and James J. Phelan spent from Friday until Sunday in Detroit visiting relatives.

Miss Irene Dupree went to Detroit Friday to visit her father, Arthur Dupree. She returned Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Karner and three children of Detroit spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Delphine Goslin.

Mrs. Elizabeth Maurer spent the first of the week in Uby visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Johnston spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Farson in Cass City.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Thiel were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Dunsharm of Pinnebog.

Miss Julia Mackay was a Sunday dinner guest of Miss Luella Deeg.

John Francis of Kingston will spend a few weeks with Mr. and Mrs. Roland Eastman.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bauer and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Burdon, Jr., were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Schnepf of Sebewaing.

Otto Deeg is spending the week in Bay Port, the guest of relatives.

Miss Agatha Seurnyck spent Sunday with Misses Angela and Maxine Trudeau.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Proulx and daughters, Jean and Shirley, spent the first of the week in Detroit visiting relatives.

Francis McNess is in Washington where he is employed on a dairy farm.

Mrs. Margaret McCarthy spent the past week with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Johnston.

Brookfield Ladies' Aid met on Wednesday evening at the home of Mrs. Charles Ross. An oyster supper was served. Proceeds amounted to \$16.50.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Weatherhead spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Richard Cliff at Owendale.

Dr. and Mrs. McCrea have as their guest, his brother, Ivan McCrea.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Freeman, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert LaFave and Mr. and Mrs. William Fournier attended the Farmers' Union meeting at Sheridan Tuesday evening.

RESCUE.

Alfred, Lewis and Herbert Maharg and Ephraim Knight attended a Farm Bureau meeting at Lapeer last Friday. All report a fine time.

Lee and Clifton Clemons were Bad Axe callers Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Mellendorf and sons were Cass City callers on Monday and were also visitors at the Levi Helwig home in Elkland.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Maharg were business callers in Bad Axe Monday afternoon.

The Ladies' Aid will meet this week Thursday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ostrum Summers.
The Grant and Elkland grange

met with Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Maharg last Thursday evening. A good time was enjoyed by all.

A nice crowd attended the Premo Sunday School class meeting at the home of Miss Beatrice Martin last Friday evening.

The class in religion will meet this Wednesday evening at the home of Richard Cliff.

Ralph Britt buzzed another pile of wood Monday.

Miss Helen Britt returned home Sunday after working the past three weeks for Mrs. Levi Helwig of Elkland.

Mr. and Mrs. Cordie Hereim of Pontiac spent Saturday and Sunday with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John MacCallum. A miscellaneous shower was given them on Saturday evening. They received some lovely presents.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Taylor were visitors Saturday at the William Parker and John MacAlpine homes in Bad Axe.

NEW GREENLEAF.

Mrs. Wesley Walden and Alfred Hempton of Pontiac spent Sunday and Monday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Hempton.

Miss Lorna McRae, who has been ill with the flu for ten days, resumed her duties at the Novesta school this week.

Miss Alexandra McRae of Wah-jamega and Miss Evangeline McRae of Sebewaing spent the week-end at their home here.

Charles Vogel and Mrs. Andrew Hempton are slowly improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Willis and daughter, Reta, Mr. and Mrs. J. Vally and Luella Walker of Pinconning were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Walker on Sunday.

Ed. and Miss Joan LaDavis of Detroit are spending a few days with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. LaDavis.

WILMOT.

Sunday guests at the George Kiteley home were Mr. and Mrs. Paul Nickert and small daughter of Mayville, Bill Lippowiths, Marie Kiteley of Detroit and Mrs. Sarah Kiteley of Armada.

Mrs. Ida McArthur and Mrs. Cora Atfield spent Friday at the A. Reamer home near Kingston.

Charles Clark and daughter, Maxine, and Mrs. Simmons enjoyed Sunday at Caro.

Mr. and Mrs. Lou Barrons, after spending some time with their son-in-law, Clarence Miners, have returned to live with their son, Joe Barrons, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Woodruff left Sunday for Pontiac where Mr. Woodruff hopes to get employment.

William Rogers has moved his family from the Sarah Kiteley farm home to Wilmot.

Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Evans and Mr. and Mrs. George Ashcroft enjoyed Friday evening at the Ben Gage home in Deford.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Myrben and daughter and Miss Marion Shoemaker of Pontiac enjoyed the

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week-end at the William Shoemaker home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Lee Evans and Miss Bernice Evans of Pontiac visited over the week-end with their parents.

Elmer Clark of Pontiac enjoyed the week-end at home with his wife and baby.

Bert Press of Flint and his sister, Mrs. Clifford Tallman, of Flushing called on friends in Wilmot Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Little and children of Deford spent Sunday with Mrs. Little's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ferguson.

Miss Della Chapin is spending the week in Mayville with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Steel.

Duncan McArthur and Mrs. Sarah Gillies called on their brother, Alex McArthur, last Wednesday.

R. B. Clark is very ill at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Chapin and children called on Mrs. Chapin's mother, Mrs. Wall, near Mayville.

Explanation.

"Lady," remarked the indigent stranger, when she made reference to the suspicious redness of his nose, "It got that way from keeping to the grindstone too long."
—George Ryan in the Boston Herald.

Time to Retire.

Proud Mother—"Yes, he's a year old now, and he's been walking since he was eight months old."
Bored Visitor—"Really? He must be awfully tired."—Lafayette Lyre.

Thirty Days!

Judge—"What were you doing in that place when it was raided?"
Locksmith—"I was making a bolt for the door."—Wise Cracks.

Do You Know—



That in Nero's time, milady's complexion caused her just as much concern as does the flapper's of today. Poppaea wife of Nero, is said to have invented a mask to guard her complexion from the sun.
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Or Put Salt on His Tail.

Big Game Hunter—"Once while I was having a meal in the jungle a lion came so close to me that I could feel his breath on the back of my neck. What did I do?"
Bored Listener—"Turned your collar up?"—Sidney Bulletin.

The grocer and his wife were discussing the costumes they were to wear at a fancy dress ball. Joan, aged seven, was an interested listener.
"Mother," she said, "can I go as a milkmaid?"
"No, dear, you're too small."
"Well, can I go as a condensed milkmaid?"

The Cass City State Bank

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SALMON, Medium Red	17c
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KIPPED SNACKS	5c
MACKEREL, No. 2 Can	3 for 25c
SHRIMP, No. 1 Can	13c

Prices on Coffee Good Friday and Saturday Only

JEWELL COFFEE, 1 lb. 19c	3 lbs. 55c
FRENCH BRAND, lb.	23c
COUNTRY CLUB, lb.	27c
WAX BEANS, No. 2 Can	3 for 25c
GOLDEN BANTAM CORN	10c
NORTHERN TISSUE	4 rolls 19c
BROWN SUGAR, lb.	5c
CHOCOLATE MALTED MILK	10c
LIFEBUOY SOAP	4 bars 25c

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WINESAP APPLES, 6 lbs.	25c
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LEMONS, Dozen	12c
LETTUCE, Large Head	8c
BANANAS, Now Selling	3 lbs. 17c
GRAPEFRUIT, Now Selling	4 for 15c
CANDY YAMS, lb.	5c
FLORIDA ORANGES, doz.	23c
GREEN BEANS, lb.	10c
ONIONS, Now Selling	4 lbs. 18c
RHUBARB, Per lb.	10c

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