

ROTARIANS HONOR FARMER FRIENDS

Judge Cramton Spoke to Group on the Supreme Court.

Farmers' days with the Rotary club have proven to be happy occasions when Rotarians have as guests their farmer friends, and Tuesday was no exception. Roads heavy with snow failed to keep farmers home and the gathering was marked with a good attendance.

During the fine dinner served at the Hotel Gordon, song leaders conducted lively singing and G. A. Tindale and G. W. Landon contributed impromptu selections as "take-offs" to their farmer friends.

President W. L. Mann introduced Judge Louis C. Cramton as guest speaker.

Mr. Cramton, in a learned address, spoke on the United States Supreme Court, the highest judicial tribunal in the American republic and the most dignified body of its kind, and whose members are vested with greater power than is delegated to any other court in the world. Judge Cramton gave a description of the room in the national capital where the court holds its sessions, told that its existence was authorized in the Constitution of the United States, and explained its unique power in that it is the only court in history that has ever possessed the right to deny the validity of a national law, when properly brought to its attention.

Mr. Cramton gave interesting facts regarding the personnel of the supreme court and said in order to turn to page 5, please.

Men Entertained by Division No. 4

One of the most delightful events of the winter season was that held Monday evening at the Methodist parsonage when the members of Division No. 4 entertained at a Men's Night function.

Charming George Washington appointments featured the banquet served at seven o'clock. Young ladies wearing George Washington hats and small red, white and blue aprons waited upon the members and their guests to the number of sixty.

Following the banquet, a program was given with Willis Campbell acting as master of ceremonies. Much enjoyment was derived from a debate, "Resolved that Division No. 4 is a menace to the home, health and morale of the community." Audley Kinnaird, Robert McConkey and Kenneth Kelly upheld the affirmative side while Mrs. E. W. Douglas, Mrs. Grant VanWinkle and Mrs. Edward Baker took the negative. The judges, who were Mr. and Mrs. John A. Sandham and Arthur Atwell, decided in a 2 to 1 decision for the negative team.

A one-act play, "Napoleon," was given. The part of Napoleon was taken by Delmar Young; Mrs. Napoleon by Mrs. R. B. McConkey; butler, Ivan Niergarth; photographer, John West; chauffeur, Keith McConkey. A short time was spent in group singing.

Men's night is an annual affair of Division No. 4.

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To the Voters of Elmwood Twp:
I will be a candidate for the office of supervisor at the Republican caucus March 9. Your support will be appreciated. Clayton Hobart.—Advertisement.

Political Announcement.
I wish to announce to the voters of Elkland township that I will be a candidate for the office of supervisor at the township caucus March 12. Your support will be appreciated. Emory O. Lounsbury.—Advertisement 2t.

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.

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COMING AUCTION.

Mrs. Cecil Decker has rented her farm, one mile north and one mile west of Hemans, and will sell horses, mules, cows and farm machinery at auction on Friday, Mar. 8. T. B. Tyrell is the auctioneer and George McIntyre, clerk. Full particulars are printed on page 6.

Because of the illness of John Sehaas, the personal property on the Sehaas farm, 5 miles west and 1 mile north of Cass City, will be sold at auction on Wednesday, Mar. 20. Full particulars regarding this sale will be printed in a later number of the Chronicle.

David Murphy is preparing for an auction sale of personal property at his farm 1 mile east, 5 miles north and 1/2 mile east of Cass City, on Thursday, March 14.

HOUSING DRIVE TO START TODAY

250 Michigan Communities Will Participate in Campaign.

The Michigan Better Housing month campaign, designed to put men now on the relief burden back into private employment and encourage the improvement of thousands of homes and farmsteads, will start today.

Some 250 Michigan communities will organize campaigns to ascertain what repairs or improvements are contemplated and to give possible assistance or information to homeowners who desire to "fix up" a little after long years when depreciation ran riot.

These improvements, which can be financed under Title One of the National Housing Act, consist of more than a thousand different items from installing a new doorbell to painting the house, to landscaping the premises or building a new coal chute. A fence or a silo on the farm, a new store front or a burglar alarm system are included. It all comes under the heading of modernization or fixed improvements.

Anyone with a steady income and a good credit record may apply to a financial institution co-operating with the Federal Housing Administration for a loan from one to five years of from \$100 to \$3,000 and sometimes up to \$5,000 under Title One. Under Title Two, just getting under way, he can get Government-insured mortgage to refinance present property or for new construction.

"As upwards of 250 communities prepare to observe Michigan Better Housing Month, set for March, it turns to page 8, please.

ELECTION SCHEDULE.

Monday, Mar. 4—Spring primary for nomination of circuit judge in Tuscola county. Special election for state representative in Tuscola; also Sanilac county.

Wednesday, Mar. 6 — Township caucus in Grant at 2:00 p. m.

Friday, Mar. 8 — Republican caucus in Evergreen township.

Saturday, Mar. 9—Republican caucus in Elmwood township.

Monday, Mar. 11 — Village election.

Monday, Mar. 11 — Township caucus in Novesta at 2:00 p. m.

Tuesday, Mar. 12—Township caucus in Elkland township at 2:00 p. m.

Monday, April 1 — Bi-ennial state spring election and annual township election.

MAY I REMIND YOU, PLEASE

That next Monday will be held the Special Election for Representative in the State Legislature. As the nominee of the Republican party for this important position, it is my hope that as many will vote as possible, and that I may have your support.

AUDLEY RAWSON.
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Elkland Township Caucus.
A township caucus for Elkland township voters will be held at the town hall in Cass City on Tuesday, March 12, at 2:00 p. m., for the purpose of placing in nomination candidates for the various township offices and conducting such other business as may properly come before it. C. E. Patterson, Township Clerk.—Advertisement 2t.

What Is It?



JOHN REAGH HEADS LOCAL COMMITTEE

Is a Member of the Caro Factory District Committee.

On Friday night, at the high school at Cass City, 80 farmers interested in the growing of sugar beets elected John Reagh, John Marshall and Mike Guewa as members of a local committee of the sugar beet production control association. They represent the territory covered by Levi Bardwell, field man of the Caro factory.

Mr. Reagh, as chairman of the local committee, is a member of the Caro factory district with five others, who hold positions as the heads of local committees.

Farmers' Union Meeting Here Mar. 6

Rev. Fr. Fitzpatrick of Helena will be the speaker at the high school auditorium at Cass City on Wednesday, March 6, to which everyone is invited to attend. The meeting is sponsored by the Farmers' Union of Cass City and will commence at 2:00 p. m. Mr. Fitzpatrick has filled many speaking engagements for the union in Michigan and is said to be an interesting and convincing speaker.

CHANGES INCLUDED IN CORN-HOG CONTRACTS

Less Reduction Asked in Production of Meat and Grain.

Corn-hog contracts to be signed by Michigan farmers this year differ in several essential features from the contracts which were in use last year, according to the administrator for this state.

Last year, the corn contract asked that the farmer reduce his acreage 20 per cent below the base acreage grown by him. This year the reduction required is only 10 per cent. The benefit payments, made to holders of corn contracts will be 35 cents per bushel on the estimated yield of the land out of production instead of the 30 cents per bushel which was paid in 1934.

Signers of Michigan hog contracts are asked to reduce the numbers of hogs grown for market 10 per cent instead of 25 per cent, as was asked last year. The number of litters does not have to be reduced this season if the 10 per cent reduction can be obtained in other ways. Payments for hog reductions are fifteen dollars per head instead of last year's five dollars.

Land owners who quit farming last year and collected benefit payments now will find themselves out of luck because they can not obtain contracts. The benefits of the ag-

FRUTCHEY BEAN CO. HAD \$50,000 FIRE

Saginaw Elevator with Alfalfa Seed and 12 Cars of Beans Burned.

Twelve carloads of beans valued at \$20,000 and alfalfa seed worth \$5,000, were total losses, while a large portion of the elevator of the Frutchey Bean Co., at 404 Congress street, Saginaw, was burned in a fire which was discovered about 8:30 o'clock Tuesday morning. The early estimate of the company's loss was placed at \$50,000.

Bales of wool worth \$10,000 were piled in the storage room located only a short distance from the burning elevator, but were undamaged. An additional \$15,000 worth of alfalfa and clover seed, also in the storage room, escaped damage.

While the fire department carried on with its work, employees of the company were hurriedly moving valuable records out of the office, which was in the front part of the building. In a few minutes they had moved out all equipment, including tables, chairs, adding machines and other fixtures, which they piled in front of the Schust company office building across the street.

The Frutchey Bean Co., with elevators at Cass City, Deford, New Greenleaf, Kingston and several other points in Michigan, has its central office at its Saginaw plant. A chimney leading from a hot-air type furnace is thought to have been responsible for Tuesday morning's fire.

NEWS OF THE NEARBY SECTIONS

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

The Sanilac Red Cross Chapter will hold a meeting in Sandusky court house at 3:00 p. m., March 5. Miss Marie Youngberg, representative from the National Red Cross, plans to be present. The Red Cross roll call and meetings will be discussed.

Sebewaing's newly completed high school auditorium was dedicated Friday evening with Dr. Paul Voelker, state superintendent of public instruction, giving the main address. The completed addition is a PWA project consisting of an auditorium that can be converted into a gymnasium. It has a floor space, 45 by 66 feet, and will accommodate about 700 people when used as an auditorium. The second story consists of class rooms.

The Sanilac board of supervisors in informal meeting Tuesday afternoon authorized its chairman, John Morris, to submit a rural electrification project to the state planning commission as official approval of the project. It is expected that the project will call for ap-

proximately \$2,000,000. Snover Odd Fellows are making plans for the open meeting of the Sanilac County Odd Fellow brotherhood to be held there Wednesday night, March 6.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Spaulding celebrated their 60th wedding anniversary at their home in Caro Sunday when many friends called to extend congratulations. For more than 50 years, Mr. Spaulding was a Caro merchant.

An irrigation project for Huron county to reclaim farm land for from 200 to 400 families is the business to turn to page 8, please.

BAD AXE BOWS TO HILLTOPPERS, 48-15

Reserve Squad Ends Another Undefeated Season with a 19-19 Tie.

The Maroon and Grey basketball teams demonstrated some of their best brand of ball playing Friday night when they completely outshot the Bad Axe cagers to win 48-15. The "B" squad fought the Bad Axe reserves to a 16-16 deadlock and after one overtime period were still tied with the count at 19 all.

Last Friday's contest ended the regular scheduled season for the Maroon and Grey and gave them eight victories to four setbacks as a background for the tournaments. They were beaten twice by Holland Christian and once by Central State Teachers' Freshmen and Caro. Their victories include Bad Axe. Turn to page 8, please.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENT.

To the Voters of Lapeer and Tuscola Counties:

March 4th the people of this circuit will nominate a circuit judge for the full term of six years. The term of the present judge, who was elected to fill a vacancy, expires December 31, 1935, and he will therefore remain in office during the balance of this year. The term of the judge to be elected this spring will not commence until January 1, 1936. The election of a circuit judge for the full term is a particularly important and serious matter and I would respectfully request your careful consideration of the following reasons for my candidacy:

1. My life has been devoted to the study and practice of law. I was thoroughly trained at Harvard Law School and the University of Michigan, and I have engaged in the actual practice of law during the past 15 years.

2. The only public office I have ever held was that of prosecuting attorney of Tuscola county for 4 years. I am therefore not asking the people for more than is fair and just.

3. My age is such that I should be active and in good health for many years, which would make the services of outside judges unnecessary in this circuit.

4. The present judge of this circuit was nominated at the last primary by only a small minority of the people. Of a total of 11,583 votes cast he received but \$422 which is considerably less than one-third. That was the so-called "verdict of the people." Nor did he carry either county. Under those circumstances no one should object to allowing the people this opportunity of choosing their circuit judge by a majority vote.

Judge Cramton's principal argument for re-election is that he was nominated last fall in a fair contest. In 1930, however, Congressman Wolcott was likewise nominated over Mr. Cramton "in a fair contest," yet at the very next election Mr. Cramton again became a candidate and attempted to defeat Congressman Wolcott, although Mr. Cramton had previously held the office for a period of 18 years. At that time Mr. Cramton was unwilling to accept the "verdict of the people," nor did he then apparently believe that "good work deserves endorsement."

I believe that a circuit judge should be well qualified by training, experience and temperament; that he should preside over his court and render decisions fairly and impartially free from bias or prejudice, and that neither politics nor influence should have any place in the administration of justice.

I assure you that I will be very grateful for your support at the primary election March 4th.

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FOUR ARRESTED AS LIQUOR LAW VIOLATORS

Three Are Turned Over to Federal Officers at Bay City.

Judging from activities of last week-end, Sheriff George Jeffrey and Bates Wills, prosecuting attorney of Tuscola county, are cooperating in a campaign to rid the county of liquor law violators.

On the birthday of America's first president, February 22, Sheriff Jeffrey and Deputies Kenneth Erb and Vern Everett visited the premises of John Hergert of Millington township and located one-half keg of moonshine, a still, a 15-gallon container and a barrel of mash. The following day, Sheriff Jeffrey and Deputies Kenneth Erb and William Brady drove over into Elmwood township and found a still, two 15-gallon containers, a barrel of mash and 5 gallons of moonshine at the premises of Norman David. When Deputies Brady and Erb visited John Fgursky of Columbia township on Saturday, Turn to page 5, please



To the Voters of Tuscola County:

I regret that in my campaign for circuit judge it has been impossible for me to see more voters of this county. Not being as well known in Lapeer County, it has been necessary for me to spend much of my time there, and I trust that no one whom I have not called on will feel in the least slighted or offended.

As previously stated in the campaign, I am a candidate because I feel that I am well qualified and because I believe a judge should be a lawyer who has actually devoted his life to the study and practice of law. My sole business since returning from the Army in 1919 has been the practice of law, in which I have been actively engaged during those 15 years.

I have never held any elective public office except prosecuting attorney for 4 years at a salary of \$1,800 per year, or a total of \$7,200. As compared with that, Judge Cramton has held the following public offices: Representative in the state legislature 2 years, 1909-1911, and Congressman from this district 18 years, 1913-1931. As a member of Congress he received an annual salary of \$7,500 for 12 years and \$10,000 a year for 6 years, or a total of \$150,000. Following his defeat by Congressman Wolcott in 1930, he was appointed to a position in the Department of the Interior at a salary of \$25 per day, which was subsequently changed to a straight salary of \$9,000 per year. He held that office until after the election of a Democratic President.

Altogether, Mr. Cramton has held public office for more than 20 years and has received as salary from the tax-payers at least \$160,000. Regardless of the outcome of this election, he will also hold the office of circuit judge for 13 months at a salary of \$6,000 per year, which will add \$6,500 to the above total. In view of those figures, I do not believe it can be fairly said that Judge Cramton is now entitled to an additional term of 6 years of public office. I am equally well qualified for the office and have actually practiced law considerably longer.

I am especially grateful for the generous support and cooperation given me throughout the county, for it demonstrates that I am not the candidate of any section or class but of the whole county. The judgeship is a distinct honor and benefit not only to the man who holds that office but also to the county as well, and in seeking your support at this time I do so with the sincere desire of bringing to Tuscola County all the honor and advantages that attend the office of circuit judge. If nominated and elected I pledge you my best efforts to serve you faithfully and efficiently, always remembering that fairness, honesty and justice should characterize the judgment and action of a circuit judge.

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News Review of Current Events the World Over

New Deal Sighs Relief as Supreme Court O. K.'s Gold Laws—President Urges Congress to Extend NRA Two More Years.

By EDWARD W. PICKARD
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PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT and the New Dealers breathed easier after the United States Supreme court handed down its decision sustaining invalidation of "gold clauses" in private contracts, but not on federal bonds. While it was held that the government must pay off its bonds in gold or its equivalent in devalued currency, another ruling that the Court of Claims had no jurisdiction over such cases means that it would be impossible for holders of federal bonds to collect on their old gold basis. In other words, the holder of a \$1,000 federal bond is entitled to a technical value of \$1,000, but in reality it would be impractical to make any collection of that amount, since the Court of Claims is the only tribunal before which suits against the government may be taken, and other courts may not entertain such suits without a special act of congress.



President Roosevelt

The court also held that those who held gold certificates had no cause of action and could not sue the government. The power of congress to deal with currency was fully upheld.

Briefly the ruling said:
1. Congress has the power to nullify promises to pay in gold contained in the bonds of private corporations.

2. A gold certificate is worth only its face value in present devalued currency. Congressional power over the currency includes the right to establish circumstances under which gold certificates need not be redeemed in gold or its equivalent.

3. Congress has no authority under the Constitution to abrogate the payment-in-gold clause of government bonds, but, as no actual damage has been done, therefore there is no basis for suit for recovery.

The decision was read by Chief Justice Charles Evans Hughes, who voted with Justices Brandeis, Stone, Roberts and Cardozo in the majority. Dissenters were Justices McReynolds, Van Devanter, Sutherland and Butler, the four so-called conservatives.

Not only this country, but the entire world, awaited what the "nine lonely old men" of the Supreme court had to say about the Roosevelt monetary policies. The decision is ranked with the court's decisions in the Dartmouth college case in 1818 which upheld the sanctity of contract, and in the Dred Scott slavery case in 1857 which had much to do with hastening the outbreak of the Civil war.

Satisfaction within the administration was evident at once.

Justice McReynolds was spokesman for the dissenters. He unleashed a scathing attack on the majority views. His voice vibrant, he said:

"The Constitution as we have known it is gone."

"If given effect, the enactments here challenged will bring about confiscation of property rights and repudiation of national obligations."

"Just men regarded spoliation of citizens by their sovereign with abhorrence, but we are asked to affirm that the Constitution has granted power to accomplish both."

"No definite delegation of such a power exists: and we cannot believe the farseeing framers, who labored with hope of establishing justice and securing the blessings of liberty, intended that the expected government should have authority to annihilate its own obligations and destroy the very rights which they were endeavoring to protect."

Notified that Chief Justice Hughes was reading the decision, President Roosevelt went to the cabinet room, where he listened to telephonic reports from an aid. The Chief Executive was prepared to take swift action to protect the credit of the government in case an adverse decision was handed down, but executive orders were unnecessary. The carefully prepared program was not needed.

TWO more years of the NRA, with clarification of policies, more effective enforcement of codes and the granting of "unquestioned power" to the federal government, were urged by the President in a message to congress.

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He said congress must maintain the fundamental principles of the act to establish at least a minimum fair trade practice and labor relations standard, pleading that child labor must stay out and that fixing

of wages and hours was practical and necessary.

Answering recent protests of labor, he said: "The rights of employees freely to organize for the purpose of collective bargaining should be fully protected."

He urged more strict application of anti-trust laws, condemned monopolies and private price fixing, opposed hindrances to fair competition, and proposed further protection of small enterprises against discrimination and oppression.

His suggestions, if adopted, would keep code violators from behind the bars. "The way to enforce laws, codes and regulations relating to industrial practices is not to seek to put people in jail," he said.

Admitting some mistakes, the President was well satisfied that the NRA had done a good job considering its short existence.

"Only carping critics and those who seek political advantage and the right again to indulge in unfair practices or exploitation of labor or consumers deliberately seek to quarrel over the obvious fact that a great code of law, of order and of decent business cannot be created in a day or a year," Mr. Roosevelt declared.

All details of the legislation were left to congress. While this is in progress, the senate finance committee proposes to conduct the Nye-McCarran investigation of the NRA administration and codes. The judiciary subcommittee reported no funds available, but the inquiry, which has the President's approval, will be attempted without money.

MORE than 100 men were reported killed or wounded in a skirmish in the "demilitarized" zone which lies between Manchukuo and China north of Tientsin. The clash was between the recently formed Peace Preservation corps and the Lwanchow militia. The Peace Preservation corps, which has the approval of the Chinese government, was receiving money and arms from the Japanese, it was alleged. The militia is supported by local Chinese interests. While the battle was raging, Wang Ching-wei, premier of the Chinese Nationalist government, and Koki Hirota, Japanese foreign minister, expressed themselves as desirous of peace between the two nations.

FINGERPRINT records of every citizen of the United States, on file in Washington, along with those of John Dillinger, Al Capone, and even John D. Rockefeller, Jr., would go far toward ending kidnappings and serious crimes, says Attorney General Homer S. Cummings. He urged that all Americans obtain free fingerprint cards from the fingerprint department, imprint their marks and send the results to Washington.

VICTOR A. CHRISTGAU, demoted from his position of second ranking officer of the AAA in the recent shake-up which involved several alleged radicals, resigned in protest. Chester C. Davis, administrator, had not accepted the resignation and Secretary of Agriculture Wallace was attempting to persuade Christgau to change his mind.

Wallace hinted that there had been differences between Christgau and A. H. Lauterbach, chief of the AAA dairy section, over the milk policy. A protege of Undersecretary Rexford Guy Tugwell, Christgau was also supposed to have encountered "friction" with other members of the department. This gave rise to new rumors that Brain Truster Tugwell will resign before his influence in the AAA is too severely curtailed by the demotion and ouster of his conferees.

Meanwhile amendments to the Agricultural Adjustment act were declared to conceal dangerous, arbitrary and autocratic powers over farmers, manufacturers and distributors of farm products by the legislative committee of the agricultural industries conference in Washington. The committee cited the provision that the AAA may require that a licensed processor purchase only from those who sign contracts. It charges that the amendments make no provision for the farmer to express himself in the matter of licenses, but contain provisions for price control, markets, production and purchasing. Through indirect restriction of the farmer's market, these provisions are equivalent to a licensing of the farmer, according to the committee. "The entire economic life of communities could be directed from Washington," the committee said.

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BRUNO RICHARD HAUPTMANN escaped the electric chair at least temporarily when a writ of error filed by defense attorneys earned him a stay of execution sentence which was to be carried out at Trenton, N. J., March 18. The Bronx carpenter's life is safe at least until September or October, since a further appeal can be made to the court of pardons if the court of errors and appeals fails to uphold the writ. Lloyd C. Fisher and Frederick A. Pope presented the appeal after a battle with Chief Defense Counsel Edward J. Reilly, who subsequently threatened that either he or Fisher would have to withdraw from the Hauptmann defense. The hearing will probably take place at the next session of the court, which begins May 21.

Part of the dissension among defense attorneys was thought to exist because Reilly never challenged the assumption that the body of the dead baby was that of Lindbergh's son. George H. Foster, former investigator for the defense, declared that the baby could not have been Lindy's because it was four inches taller than Charles A. Lindbergh, Jr.; was in a less identifiable condition than would have been possible in the mild weather following the kidnaping, and was embalmed.

BREAKING the tenth commandment is breaking the law in England. Alexander Frederick Churchill Sim of Cookham Dean, Berkshire, coveted the "perfect" serving maid of his neighbor, Herbert Mercer Stretch, and enticed her away from him. For this the civil court fined Sim \$125. It assessed him another \$1,250 for asserting in a telegram that Stretch borrowed money from the maid, Edith Saville, whose affairs were the talk of John Bull's Island, where perfect serving maids are hard to get and hard to keep. Sim was also forced to pay court costs totaling \$2,000.

ON THE heels of the Supreme court's gold ruling, former President Herbert Hoover demanded re-establishment of the gold standard in the United States as the only way "to restore confidence in our currency."

This could only be done by making the dollar immediately "convertible at the present 50 cents of gold—the modern method of specie payment."

Herbert Hoover

The only living ex-President said that such action would put more of the 12,000,000 unemployed men back to work than any other step. The United States should take the lead in returning to the standard, he said, declaring that, "There is no need to wait for foreign nations before we re-establish the gold standard and restore confidence in our currency. They would be bound to follow some time. They are more afraid of our doing just this than they are of any American 'managed currency.'"

THIRTY-ONE inmates shot and killed a guard in a spectacular break from the Oklahoma state prison at Granite, the only male penal institution administered by a woman warden. Thirteen were captured shortly afterward and a man-hunt is on for the others. The fugitives used two guns which had been smuggled to them, forced a "trusty" turnkey to open up for them, corralled 20 visitors in the visitors' room and, using them for a shield, made their escape. Her prison already the subject of investigation into its moral and managerial standards, the warden, Mrs. G. A. "Mother" Walters, was ordered replaced by a man, Gov. E. W. Marland declaring that a woman "just can't manage" a prison. Defiantly, she refused to clear out until completed investigations had vindicated her.

REALM LEADER HITLER refused to exercise his prerogative of mercy and two Berlin society women were beheaded by the official executioner for divulging military secrets. Another woman and a Polish nobleman were sentenced to life imprisonment at hard work. The execution of the two women was carried out at dawn with such secrecy that it was hours before their exact fate could be learned. The two women went to their death with a calm courage that should be an example for the strongest men, an eye witness reported. The sensational publicity awakened by the execution was expected to induce Hitler to commute the sentences of two men slated to be beheaded in the same manner soon.

STEPS to curb the inroads of Japanese landholders in the rich hemp growing provinces of Davao are being taken by the Philippine government. Strict application of insular laws governing land holding by aliens will be made, according to Eulogio Rodriguez, secretary of agriculture, who schemes a wholesale cancellation of subleases of public lands, which he maintains are illegal. A recent survey, Rodriguez asserts, shows the Japanese control 128,000 acres in the province, and that leases to 64,372 acres are illegally held.

Local Happenings

Mrs. B. F. Moon of Orion spent last week with her sister, Mrs. Alvin Summers, and with her son, Earl Moon.

Tuesday, March 5, Rev. Charles Bayless will attend a Detroit Conference of Methodist Ministers retreat at Flint, conducted by Bishop Biake.

Dr. B. H. Starmann, who was called to Missouri a few weeks ago because of the serious illness of his mother, returned to Cass City Sunday night. His mother is still very ill.

The Upper Thumb Young People's rally which was scheduled for tonight (Friday) has been cancelled because of the basketball tournament at Bad Axe.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Westcott of Pontiac were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Sovey. Mrs. Sovey returned home with them Monday morning for a short visit.

The February meeting of the Art club was held Wednesday afternoon, February 20, at the home of Mrs. Frank Hall on South Seeger street. Mrs. Ben Kirton gave the study on "Michigan Laws." Supper was served by the hostess. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Robert Warner.

Alfred Pollard received word on Monday of the death of his brother-in-law, Edward Baskin, in Detroit. Mr. Baskin passed away Monday morning and services were held in Detroit Tuesday evening and the body taken to Uby for burial on Wednesday. Mrs. Pollard had been in Detroit a few weeks helping to care for Mr. Baskin.

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SUPERVISORS' PROCEEDINGS. SPECIAL SESSION.

Feb. 20, 1935.

A special meeting of the Board of Supervisors of Tuscola County was called by the County Clerk for Wednesday, February 20th, 1935, on petition of the following members: Walter Heckroth, S. A. Noble, John MacAlpine, Robt. MacFarlane, Audley Rawson, Leon S. Ross, E. R. Purdy and Neil H. Burns.

Meeting called to order by Chairman Heckroth.

Clerk Morrison called the roll and the following supervisors responded: Heckroth, Ross, Miller, Barriger, Mathews, Keinath, Rawson, Hutchinson, Brown, McAlpine, Schott, Noble, Purdy, Higgins, Green, Burns, VanWagnen, Kelley, Haines, Blackmore, Colling, Macomber, MacFarlane.

Mr. Allison Stone came before the board and requested that the Village Council be allowed to withdraw their request for County Aid from Horton Money in paving streets around the Court House.

Motion made by Supervisor Purdy and supported by Supervisor Hutchinson that we agree to the withdrawal of the proposition presented at the October session by the Village Council of Caro.

Supervisor Keinath, chairman of committee on hospitalization of indigents, reported that the various hospitals in the county had presented a plan to take the hospitalization for a lump sum of \$7,500. Patients to be distributed so that Cass City, Mayville and Unionville Hospitals would receive \$1,000 each, balance \$3,500 to go to the Caro hospital.

Discussion which followed seemed to indicate that all the hospitals have not agreed to this offer. Motion made by Supervisor Hutchinson and supported by Supervisor Brown that the matter be left with the committee. Motion carried.

Clerk read a communication from the State Highway Commissioner Murray D. VanWagoner criticizing the resolution sent the Governor and State Administrative Board by Tuscola County Board of Supervisors at their January session. Motion made by Supervisor MacFarlane and supported by Supervisor Green that we accept the communication and place same on file. Motion carried.

Motion made by Supervisor Haines and supported by Supervisor VanWagnen that we recess until one-thirty o'clock this afternoon. Motion carried.

Afternoon Session.

Meeting called to order by Chairman Heckroth. Quorum present.

The chairman announced that he had received word from Dr. Haeber, administrator State Emergency Welfare Relief Commission, that the Welfare Commission for this county is John Sandham, Cass City; S. A. Noble, Gilford; and Floyd Turner, Caro.

Dr. Morris of Cass City addressed the board regarding hospitalization of indigents. He was followed by Dr. Barbour of Mayville on the same subject. They requested cancellation of present contract and consideration of a new contract.

Motion made by Supervisor McAlpine and supported by Supervisor Burns that this matter be left with the hospital committee. Motion carried.

Supervisor Miller, chairman of committee on County Officers' Salaries, reported that the committee has had under consideration bills No. 43 and No. 45 held from the January session for OK of former sheriff, James Kirk, and that No. 43 bill of F. E. Findlay for \$100.50 had been OK'ed at \$17.80 by the sheriff and this amount paid, and that No. 45 bill of A. F. Clark, dep. sheriff, for \$279.00 had not been OK'ed by the sheriff therefore the committee recommended that bill No. 45 and the balance on bill No. 43 be disallowed.

Edmund Miller, L. D. Haines, Walter Kelley.

Motion made by Supervisor Hutchinson and supported by Supervisor Green that these bills be disallowed. Motion carried.

Mr. Englehardt, who had installed the heating plant in Court House, came before the board and reported that at the time installation was made it was believed by plumbers that no benefit would be derived by covering copper heating pipes as radiation from copper pipes was negligible, but now they know this idea was not correct.

Motion made by Supervisor Burns and supported by Supervisor Brown that bids or covering the pipes be left with the County Clerk and given to the Building Committee for their approval, same to be accomplished as soon as possible. Motion carried.

Drain Commissioner Black addressed the board regarding planning Government Work Projects, saying these projects could still be submitted.

A resolution from County Road Commissioner was presented as follows:

Resolution
Adopted by Tuscola County Road Commission at a special meeting held on February 20th, 1935.

WHEREAS, The Federal and State Government have agreed to furnish the County of Tuscola certain sums of money for the relief of poor and unemployed in said County, on the condition that Tuscola County meets said sums with an amount equal to that furnished by each said Federal and State Government, and

WHEREAS, The Board of County Road Commissioners have been asked by the Board of Supervisors of Tuscola County to give such aid as they can in the way of relief work during the year 1935, and

WHEREAS, The County Road Commissioners have a number of projects planned on which work can be given to the unemployed of Tuscola county.

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, by this Board of County Road Commissioners of Tuscola County, Michigan, that it desires

to co-operate 100% with the Board of Supervisors in the above matter and to that end the County Road Commissioners will use its best efforts to expend up to \$17,000.00 or more for relief work using unemployed men in said Tuscola County, it being understood and agreed that said work shall be done under the supervision of the Tuscola County Road Commissioners and on projects selected by them.

The adoption of the foregoing resolution was moved by Commissioner J. F. Berry and seconded by Commissioner C. A. Gibbs and carried unanimously, all voting yes.

A. W. ATKINS, Chairman.
F. W. BOWLES, Clerk.

Motion made by Supervisor Keinath and supported by Supervisor Rawson that this resolution be accepted and placed on file. Motion carried.

Supervisor Brown, chairman of committee on resolutions, presented the following:

BE IT RESOLVED, that the County of Tuscola by the Board of Supervisors, agrees to accept the offer of the State Emergency Welfare Relief Commission, and that the County of Tuscola hereby agrees to contribute up to the amount of \$17,500 in work relief and in addition up to but not to exceed \$7,500 in work relief or money or as much less than the total of these amounts as it is necessary for this County to contribute as will be shown when the present welfare audit is completed.

Bruce Brown, Henry VanWagnen, Wm. B. Barriger, Committee.

A ye and nay vote was taken regarding the passing of this resolution with the following result: Whole number of votes cast, 23. Yeas, 23. Carried.

Motion made by Supervisor Kelley and supported by Supervisor VanWagnen that the chairman appoint a planning committee to assist in Public Works Projects. Motion carried.

Chairman Heckroth appointed the following: B. H. McComb, Roscoe J. Black, Bates Willis, Fred Mathews and James Blackmore.

Motion made by Supervisor VanWagnen and supported by Supervisor Burns that we adjourn without date. Motion carried.

WALTER HECKROTH, Chairman.
S. W. MORRISON, Clerk.

Turning Back the Pages

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

Twenty-five Years Ago.

March 5, 1910.
Village President Hays received a letter yesterday noon which stated that Thomas L. Handy, president of the Handy Bros. of Bay City, accompanied by C. S. Ruttle, would be in Cass City this evening and would discuss the proposed Bay City railroad, at the town hall.

Joseph Lenhardt of Gagetown is employed at the harness shop of Frank Bliss.

Lloyd Reagh cut his hand quite badly while operating a buzz saw near Argyle Friday.

David Tyo is grandpa and proud of the honor. A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. David Tyo, Jr., of Detroit Friday.

Fred Schaff left Wednesday for Goepingen, Wurtemberg, Germany, where he will visit his mother and two sisters whom he has not seen since he left the Fatherland 29 years ago. He expects to be gone for six weeks or more.

L. E. Karr sold his residence property on Seeger Street South on Saturday to Scott Brotherton for \$2,200.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Campbell were greatly relieved Wednesday when they received word from their son, Chancey, which stated that he was unharmed by the snow-slides which caused so many deaths and destruction of property in the mining region of Northern Idaho. Chancey resides at Gem and that town was just a mile from the edge of the path of a snow-slide.

Thirty-five Years Ago.

March 2, 1900.
Isaac Walters of Pontiac, accompanied by his brother, Hugh, were in Bad Axe on Friday. "Ike" left for California Saturday where he will engage in business.

William Straube, the superintendent of the electric light plant, arrived here last Saturday.

Henry Burt died very suddenly of paralysis at his home in Wickware Saturday evening.

Myron Hanson, who has been employed in the drug store of C. Reese of Caro for the past year, has accepted a similar position in Vassar. Mr. Hanson passed an examination recently which makes him a full fledged pharmacist.

In the presence of their immediate relatives, Perry E. Wood of this place and Lillie V. Hess of Caro, were married at the home of the bride's parents near Caro on Wednesday. Rev. C. H. Morgan performed the ceremony.

Joyce Fairweather of the first grade and Glenn Benkelman of the second grade did not miss any words in the regular spelling work of last month.

J. H. Striffler sold six horses inside of a week recently. The last two were sold to Scott Brotherton, who will use them on his dray.

A. H. Muck has rented his blacksmith shop to Norman Morrison and John Crocker.

The thermometer registered thirty below last Monday morning.

GAGETOWN

Sports—

February 22, our three teams motored to Bay Port and here are the results. The second team lost by a score of 8-7. Our girls also lost 13-5. The first team boys won 29-5. The game was very exciting. Our boys played a marvelous, quick, slick game. Monday, February 25, Elkton and Gagetown played at Bay Port for the Thumb championship. Gagetown lost by one point. The score, 16-15.

More news next week concerning the outcome of the district tournament. Watch for it and come and see the games.

Senior Class Activities—

Friday, February 22, the senior class put on an interesting Washington Day program.

Tuesday, February 26, the seniors enjoyed a delicious chicken supper at Miss Fern Karr's home and spent a delightful evening.

Elmwood Group Meets—

The Elmwood group of Home Extension Work met at the home of Mrs. Arthur Clara of Gagetown on Thursday for their last lesson of the year. The forenoon, under the leadership of Mrs. Fred Palmer, was spent in reviewing the last lesson and voting for county officers. After a potluck lunch served at noon, the lesson, "Michigan Laws for Women," was taken up by Mrs. Alvin Beach, followed by election of officers. Mrs. John Reagh is the new chairman of this group; Mrs. Elmer Bearss is secretary-treasurer; Mrs. Fred Palmer and Mrs. Lloyd Reagh, project leaders; Mrs. Dell Coon, recreation leader; Mrs. F. S. Hutchinson, publicity officer.

The chairman, Mrs. Lloyd Reagh, called a special meeting to be held Thursday, March 7, at her home beginning at 1:00 p. m. for the members who have missed one or more lessons.

Mrs. Josephine McDonald, Mrs. H. Oehring, Mrs. Theresa Wald and Mrs. Mary Germain were Thursday dinner guests of Mrs. Selah Butler. Jerry Butler spent Sunday in Pontiac.

Miss Bridget Phelan, who spent the past month in Detroit, visiting relatives, returned home Tuesday.

Mrs. Margaret Harrison entertained at bridge Thursday, Mrs. William Walsh, Mrs. Moses Freeman and Mrs. Lawrence McDonald.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Wood and family were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Soules of Tyre.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence McDonald and daughters, Maxine and Angella, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Alex McIntyre of Argyle.

Mr. and Mrs. John Mackay and family were Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. Anna Haldys.

Dr. and Mrs. N. J. Malloy and daughter, Mary Jane and Miss Irene Dupree spent Sunday in Bay City.

Anthony Stone of Detroit spent the week-end with his mother, Mrs. A. S. Romanoski.

Miss Luella Deeg spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Albert Myers of Sebawaing.

Miss Ann Stone, who spent the past three weeks with her mother, Mrs. A. S. Romanoski, returned to Detroit Sunday.

Francis Hunter, who spent the past two months at his home here, returned to Detroit Thursday.

Miss Edith Miller entertained the Bridge Club Wednesday evening. High score went to Mrs. C. P. Hunter. A two-course luncheon was served.

Miss Kathryn McKinnon went to Detroit Thursday for a week's visit with relatives.

Miss Kathryn Hunter of Detroit spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Hunter. She attended the mayor's ball at Lapeer Friday night.

Due to the great snowfall which made roads almost impassable, only one mail bus went through Monday from oPort Huron to Bay City. Gagetown receives six mails daily.

RURAL SCHOOLS

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

Greenwood School.

The eighth grade have started on Unit Six in the Science of Physical Things. They are also starting the United States civil government.

We have learned a new song, "A Spanish Cavalier."

We have a new pupil whose name is Richard Sadler.

We have monitors to see that the entry is put in order. The monitors for this week are Mary Hawley, Lena Hawley, James Burrows, and Clinton Sadler.

The primer class have learned a poem entitled "Washington."

The second and third grades have learned a poem, "The Little Boy's Hatchet Story."

Reporters, Josephine Todis and Elizabeth Luana.

Sand Valley School.

Mrs. Wells, teacher. Elizabeth Windy, reporter. Our attendance for the month was 93.9%.

Those that were neither absent nor tardy this month were Bobby Nowland, Joe Windy, Henry Nowland, Robert Shagena, Steve Windy, Lanse Robinson, Agnes Windy, Kenneth Robinson, Elizabeth Windy, Lila Nowland, and Ralph Robinson.

On George Washington's birthday we all told stories about him. Dorothy Klinkman has been absent part of this week.

The eighth grade have finished their agricultural and civil government books, and are ready for review.

Rescue School.

Teacher, Catherine MacLachlan. Reporter, Roy J. Martin. We have been writing examinations. Several have been absent on account of illness.

Our visitors for this week were Gertrude Putman and Mrs. Dellling. Those having 100 in spelling this week were Eugene and Gladys Longuski, Marie Martin, Audrey Webster, Marguerite Cummins and Lawrence Summers.

Those having A's and B's on their report cards are Grace Ann Clemons, Marguerite Cummins, Elinore, Eugene and Gladys Longuski, Isabel Marie and Roy Martin, Melvin, Martin, Jackie and Madelyn O'Rourke and Clifton Summers.

Those being neither tardy nor absent this month are John and Justus Ashmore, Marguerite Cummins, Wm. Dellling and Billy Putman.

Sharrard School.

Teacher, Agnes E. MacLachlan. Editors, Sarah Cooley and Ruth M. Kirby.

The third and fourth grades are busy composing sentences from words which Miss MacLachlan writes on the board.

We are all working hard for our second semester test.

The seventh grade are finished with their geography outline.

We gave a short program on Washington's birthday.

Ina Pearl and Lloyd Wolfe spent Friday in Bay City.

The school learned the pledge to the flag.

The fifth grade are learning the division of fractions.

Those having 100 in spelling this week are Bernard Wiechert, Robt. Kipfer, Genevieve Miljure, Josephine Zoleski, Eva Kipfer, George Gross, Eileen Wolfe and Rita King.

Those on the honor roll this month are Ina Pearl Wolfe, Bernard and Edward Wiechert, Eva, Marion and Rita King, Frank Gross, Genevieve Miljure, Sarah Cooley, Fred Cooley, Lloyd Wolfe, Ruth Kirby, Albertus Kipfer, Robert Kipfer, Eva Kipfer.

Those neither absent nor tardy for this month are Elmer Andrews, Rita King, Aileen Kirby, Ruth Kirby, Eva Kipfer and Eileen Wolfe.

The seventh grade are studying word analysis for orthography. Elmer's side is ahead in our

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reading contest, having 177 marks. Ruth's side has 172 marks.

Brown School.

We exchanged valentines on the afternoon of Feb. 14. Our guests, Mrs. Goodall, Mrs. Russell and Mrs. Mercer, distributed the valentines. The older children took part in a geography contest. Edna Bayliss and Jake Dasho received perfect scores. The little children competed with each other in finding the

OUR CHILD AND THE SCHOOL
By Dr. ALLEN G. IRELAND
Director, Physical and Health Education
New Jersey State Department of Public Instruction

School Lunch Important

According to a few skeptics, the old fashioned school lunch eaten from a paper bag anywhere in the building or on the grounds is good enough. On that basis a dime novel thriller is good literature and the child is justified in hiding in the attic or the barn to do his reading. As a matter of fact, we don't believe that. Whatever may be our own pleasant memories of the secretly read thrillers of our childhood days, we prefer as parents to have our children like good literature. And we do our best to provide attractive libraries at school and in the community and at least a shelf or a reading nook in our homes.

From food comes the child's growth, energy, and strength. He works, studies, and plays on what he eats. On that score alone his nutrition deserves our closest attention. The school lunch is one of three daily meals and therefore becomes significant, as a source of nourishment. For the child's sake we can't afford to think of it as merely a "stop gap," while the child is away from home. It isn't just a picnic, any more than going to school can be regarded as a party. The school lunch shrieks its importance. It calls for planning. It demands an attractive place, and the food question deserves just as much serious consideration as any part of the child's school life.

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most words in the title, "Saint Valentine's Day." Dorothy Deneen captured the prize.

The children made valentines on Friday afternoon preceding Saint Valentine's Day.

Friday afternoon, February 15, we had a spelling match. Edna Bayliss stood the longest.

We had a potluck dinner at noon on Washington's birthday. Mr. and Mrs. Knoblet, Mr. and Mrs. Goodall and Mr. and Mrs. Mercer joined us.

Jack Kilbourn has been absent from school due to an attack of tonsillitis.

Dale Gingrich, a high school student, visited school on the afternoon of February 15.

Mr. Mercer has repaired some of our broken seats and desks. We also have a new bell rope.

In a recent hygiene test, Cleo Russell, Gatha Mercer, Edna Bayliss and Martha Knoblet each received perfect scores.

Teacher, Jennie Elliott.

BEAULEY.

(Delayed letter).

T. J. Heron purchased a horse last week.

A number from here attended the

reception at the John McCallum home Saturday evening in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Cordic Herriam.

Mrs. Alva MacAlpine spent Friday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Ulysses Parker of West Grant.

Mr. and Mrs. Reginald Walker have moved to the Herbert Dulmage home.

Durward Heron returned to Harrisville Saturday after spending a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Heron.

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

Mrs. Duncan MacAlpine returned home Saturday after spending the week in Detroit with friends.

Wary Father.

Nervous Suitor—"Sir, er—that is, I mean I have been going with your daughter for five years—"

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Hill Top Breezes

The heavy snowfall of Sunday night made it impossible for a majority of the high school students to get through the roads on their way to school.

The grades will be given their report cards this week for the first four weeks of the second semester.

An increase in interest in the biology classes is being shown in their work on microscopic organisms, in which they are using the microscope purchased last summer.

Chemistry classes have been working on the study of atmospheric nitrogen and compounds which it makes.

The second semester is now well under way for the Freshman College with a very small decrease in enrollment.

Due to the heavy snowfall Sunday night, Freshman College students, who planned to make a trip to Deckerville for a return basketball game, were forced to postpone their trip until next week.

GREENLEAF.

Angus McLeod was in Sandusky last week.

William Powell has purchased a Chevrolet car.

Mrs. Kenneth McRae is numbered among the sick.

William G. Miller of Cass City spent Sunday at the Charles Roblin home.

Miss Marie Decker of Detroit spent from Sunday until Tuesday at her home here.

A number of children enjoyed a coasting party on the Ballagh hill Saturday afternoon.

Ray Powell, who has been ill, has recovered sufficiently to be able to attend school.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Dew of Bay City spent Sunday of last week at the Fred Dew home.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Schumaker and little son, Jimmie, of Pigeon were Sunday visitors at the Archie McEachern home.

Hugh McColl is unable to attend to his farm duties on account of an attack of chickenpox.

Mr. and Mrs. William Croft and sons, Horace and Jimmie, were dinner guests at the Esau home on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Stirtion of Rochester, Mich., spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Archie Stirtion.

Mr. and Mrs. Orville Vader and baby of Wilmot were Sunday evening visitors at the George Roblin home.

Mrs. James Wallace and son, Raymond, were callers at the Archie McEachern home on Sunday. Miss Jane Gillies, who has spent some time in this community, returned to the Wallace home with them.

CASS CITY MARKETS.

Table listing market prices for various commodities like wheat, oats, rye, peas, beans, etc., as of February 28, 1935.

Professor—What college in the United States has produced the most presidents? Freshie—The electoral college.

Lights of New York

By L. L. STEVENSON

On Broadway lights gleam so brightly it seems almost as if day is lingering into the night. In Times square there is the tapping of canes, the flash of jewels, the sheen of soft furs, the rustle of silks and the sweetness of perfume.

Every seat is filled. Not until some one leaves may another enter. A study of the expressions gives the impression that a blight has settled over those present.

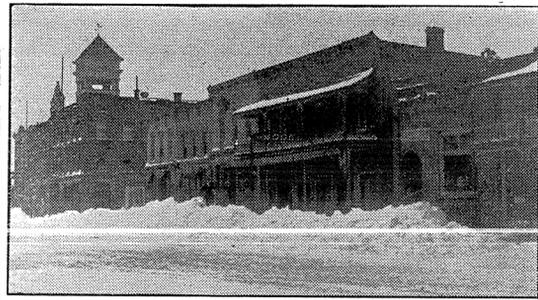
Police men and detectives circulate behind the railing. Among them move the lawyers who practice in night court. They seem to run to a type—rather short, rotund, well-fed, bright-eyed, not too well dressed and fussy in manner.

Monotonous are the stories told. Assaults. Family brawls. Panhandling. Peddling without a license. Disorderly conduct. Obstructing the sidewalk. Causing a crowd to collect.

Here is a Broadway Cinderella story. Joseph Spurn-Callea, because his appearance is swarthy, has led a lurid and varied life of crime on the stage—I remember him particularly as the crooked waiter in "Broadway." But none of his parts were sympathetic.

Steno Mails Dinner, Takes Letters Home

St. Louis—Postmaster Rufus Jackson vouches for this story: The other night a stenographer started home with a package of meat and a pack of letters.



Here is a photograph taken several winters ago after a big snow-storm in Cass City. Main Street showed similar snowbanks after sidewalk-walks were shoveled Monday, February 25, 1935.

Local Happenings

J. A. Sandham spent February 20 with relatives in Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Higgins visited friends in Sebawaing Sunday.

Lewis Pinney of Ann Arbor spent the week-end at his home here.

Rex Hiser of Ellington spent the week-end as the guest of Delbert Reagh.

Harry Bohnsack of Mt. Pleasant spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Bohnsack.

The Happy Dozen enjoyed a pot-luck supper Monday evening at the home of Mrs. Lester Bailey.

The Cass City Music Club will meet at the home of Mrs. H. P. Lee on Monday at 7:00 p. m.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Striffler spent Thursday at the home of their daughter, Mrs. Robert H. Orr, at Pigeon.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Crafts of Detroit visited the former's mother, Mrs. Eunice Crafts, Saturday and Sunday.

The Misses Eleanor McCallum and Elnora Corpron of Mt. Pleasant visited at their homes here over the week-end.

Misses Elizabeth and Lucile Knight of Lansing spent the week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Knight.

Miss Evelyn Schmidt, R. N., of Port Huron visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Schmidt, from Saturday until Tuesday.

Miss Lucile Anthes has been engaged as teacher of the Sand Valley school, east and south of Cass City, for the coming year.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Brown of Chesaning spent Saturday afternoon and Sunday with the former's mother, Mrs. Bertha Brown.

Burton Ottoway and three children of Flint were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Ottoway from Friday until Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. John Lorentzen, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Tesho and daughter, Laura Marie, visited Mr. and Mrs. Steve Tesho at Elkton Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud McNamara and Miss Irene Freiburger were guests at Mrs. McNamara's mother, Mrs. Charles McNamara, at Bay City on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Turner visited the latter's sister, Mrs. Stanley Turner, who is a patient in Caro Community hospital at Caro, on February 20.

The Woman's Missionary Society of the Presbyterian church will have a potluck luncheon in the church dining room on Thursday, March 7, at 1:00 p. m.

The Bethel church family night, which was to have been held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Crawford, has been postponed indefinitely because of road conditions.

R. M. Taylor and son, Howard, spent Sunday in Grand Ledge. Mrs. Taylor, who has spent nearly six weeks with Mr. Taylor's parents, in Grand Ledge, returned home with them.

Mrs. G. A. Tindale, Mrs. H. L. Benkelman and Mrs. Curtis Hunt spent from Thursday until Saturday in Detroit. Mrs. Tindale remained to spend a week with relatives there.

Friends of Laura Marie Tesho, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Tesho, who were listening in on WJR Friday afternoon, February 22, heard her birthday announced by Uncle Neal. A lovely occasion was the surprise birthday party given by Mrs. Donald Lorentzen that day to celebrate the birthday of her niece, Laura Marie.

The Goodwin Euchre club was delightfully entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Reagh on Thursday evening, February 21. Progressive euchre was played at five tables.

Mrs. Roy Brown and son, Grant, spent the week-end in Detroit.

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

Russell Quick of Novesta spent Monday and Tuesday with Donald Kibbourn.

Harry Young and Lester Bailey were business callers in Flint on Thursday.

Mrs. Clem Tyo returned Friday after spending several days with relatives in Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. William Martus, Jr., were guests of friends in Bad Axe Thursday evening.

Miss Gertrude Hale and Miss Vernita Knight spent Saturday afternoon and evening in Saginaw.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Lorentzen spent Sunday with the latter's father, Charles Steinmann, at Peck.

Mr. and Mrs. Grover H. Burke were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Striffler at Caro Thursday evening.

The Ladies' Aid of the Baptist church held a business meeting on Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. G. W. Landon.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Champion and children of St. Louis visited Mr. Champion's father, Samuel Champion, over the week-end.

Mrs. Frank Asher, who with her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Asher and son, Donald O. Caro, have spent the last three weeks in Florida, returned to Cass City Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Bayley entertained at dinner Sunday Mrs. Jane McBurney, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh McBurney and daughter, Mavis, of Cass City and Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Cluff of Caro.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Seed of Pontiac spent the week-end with Mr. Seed's mother, Mrs. G. W. Seed, and with Mrs. Seed's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Shaw, at Caro. Mrs. Seed is spending the week at her parental home.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Landon visited at the home of their son, Delbert Landon, at Grand Rapids from Thursday until Sunday evening. Miss Margaret Landon, who had spent two months in Grand Rapids, returned home with her parents.

Mrs. George McIntyre of Columbiaville spent last week with her daughters, Mrs. E. Hunter and Mrs. E. B. Schwaderer. Her granddaughter, Nancy Schwaderer, returned home with her Friday, remaining until Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Kenney and sons, Jack and Clare, visited in Detroit Sunday. Mr. Kenney and Jack returned home that night, but Mrs. Kenney and Clare left Detroit to spend the week with Mrs. Kenney's sister, Mrs. Jess Snyder, in Toledo, Ohio.

The jury was called Thursday in Tuscola county circuit court to hear the case of Maude Stickle vs. Mary Dudek Januszek in which the action is given as "alienation of affections." The case of the Estate of Carrie Wright Kaven, appealed from probate court, was postponed Wednesday in circuit court until a later date.

Mr. and Mrs. L. I. Wood drove home from Florida, arriving here Wednesday to find Cass City's streets carrying the deepest covering of snow in many years. Near Mason, Michigan, their automobile skidded on a patch of ice and went into a ditch, turning on its side. Outside of a few bruises, no one was injured. The body of the car was damaged.

The Goodwin Euchre club was delightfully entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Reagh on Thursday evening, February 21. Progressive euchre was played at five tables. High score was won by Lloyd Reagh and Mrs. William Martus, Sr., and low score going to Mrs. George Russell and John Dickinson. Mr. and Mrs. John Dickinson and son, Jack, of Bad Axe were guests.

Arthur Little and M. B. Auten were visitors in Detroit Friday.

Mrs. Harriet Dodge left Thursday of last week to visit relatives in Detroit.

Mrs. Edward Kohnke of Chicago spent last week with her brother, James Mulady.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Bigham and sons, Vernon and Basil, spent Saturday night and Sunday with relatives in Pontiac.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Nesho of Detroit visited the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles McCaslin, on Tuesday afternoon and Wednesday.

Donald, little son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert McKay, underwent an operation for removal of tonsils at the Morris hospital on Wednesday, February 20.

Rev. and Mrs. A. A. Weinert of Ann Arbor motored here Monday to celebrate the birthdays of Rev. and Mrs. G. A. Spittler. Mrs. Spittler's anniversary came on Sunday and that of Mr. Spittler on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur VanVliet and children of Decker and Mrs. Stanley Fike visited relatives in Pontiac Sunday. Mrs. Fike's sister, Mrs. E. Supphen, of Pontiac returned with them to spend several days here.

Burt Archart, Sigmund Bobeczuski and the Misses Luella Striffler and Willamena Bobeczuski, all of Detroit, were dinner guests Sunday at the home of Miss Striffler's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Solomon Striffler.

Mr. and Mrs. William Martus, Sr., attended a party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Goslin at Gagetown Thursday evening of this week. The party was given in honor of the birthday of Mrs. Goslin's father, James Phelan.

The following students from Michigan State College at Lansing spent the week-end at their homes here: John Day, Robert Allured, Richard VanWinkle, Russell Hunt, Wesley Charter, Norman Carpenter, Ferris Kercher, Elizabeth Knight, Deloris and Johanna Sandham.

Mrs. Frederick Klump, Mrs. Clyde Fox and Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Haist and little daughter, Ruth Anne, all of Saginaw, were guests at the home of Rev. and Mrs. G. A. Spittler Saturday evening. Saturday was the birthday of Ruth Ann, and the gathering here was in honor of the anniversary of the little miss.

Miss Elizabeth Ann Amiss of Grosse Pointe Park, a student at M. S. C., Lansing, was the guest of the Misses Deloris and Johanna Sandham over the week-end. On Saturday, the Misses Pauline, Deloris and Johanna Sandham and Miss Amiss were entertained at luncheon at the home of Miss Arleen Gallery at Caro.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Allen delightfully entertained the Malfem club, their husbands and a number of friends at their home Friday evening. Forty were present and enjoyed playing progressive euchre. Prizes were won by Mrs. William Martus, James Gulick, Mrs. M. Markle and Thomas Laurie. A potluck lunch was served.

Regardless of the stormy weather Monday evening, thirty-four were present at the home of Mrs. D. A. Krug when Mrs. Krug, assisted by Mrs. James McMahon, entertained the Presbyterian Guild. Members of Mrs. G. H. Burke's Sunday School class of girls were guests. Devotionals were in charge of Mrs. Allured and a general discussion followed the debate, "Resolved that the manner, morals and culture of the modern youth are superior to the youth of twenty-five years ago." A luncheon was served by the hostesses.

Chronicle Liners

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

BRING YOUR EGGS for custom hatching Saturday or Monday of each week. Leave your order now for quality baby chicks at McLellan's. 3-1-tf

MR. FARMER—I am in the market to buy anything you have to sell in the line of livestock. Clifford Secord, Cass City, Mich. Phone 68-F-3. 4-5-tf

SWEET CLOVER seed, large variety, for sale. Warren O'Dell, 5 miles west, 1 north of Cass City. 3-1-1.

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

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

GRIMM ALFALFA seed for sale, 4 miles east of Cass City, one mile north on M-53. Please don't call on Saturday. A. B. Wright. 3-1-

WANTED—A load of straw. J. D. Turner, telephone 56-F-4. 3-1-1

80-ACRE FARM, good land, with brick house, for rent. Two miles south and one east of Cass City. Enquire of Chas. Gardon, 2 miles north of Cass City. 3-1-1p

WE WILL have another car of "Cavalier" coal next week. Let us have that order to be delivered off car. Elkland Roller Mills. 3-1-1.

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

CASH PAID for cream at Kenney's, Cass City.

PHILCO ELECTRIC mantel radio, new a year ago, price \$10. Reason for selling, electricity unavailable on the farm. Ralph Partridge, Route 5. 3-1-1p

EVERGREEN Township Caucus—Notice is hereby given that a Republican caucus will be held at the Evergreen Community Hall on Friday, Mar. 8, 1935, at 2:00 p. m., for the purpose of placing in nomination candidates for the various township offices. By order of Republican Com. 3-1-1

GRANT TOWNSHIP Caucus will be held at town hall on Wednesday, Mar. 6, at 2:00 p. m., to place in nomination township officers and transact any other business which may legally come before it. Gillies Brown, Twp. Clerk. 3-1-1

FOR SALE—Team of horses and span of mares, 6 and 7 years old, weight 2900. 3 1/2 miles west of Gagetown. Jos. Trudeau. 3-1-2p

ROOMS for school students or tourists. Enquire at Independent Farmers' Gas and Oil Station. 3-1-1p.

OLD NEWSPAPERS, 5c a bundle at Chronicle Office.

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FOR SALE—60 ft. 7 inch red rubber drive belt, 25 ft. 7 inch black rubber belting, 16x24 tarpaulin, 8 roll Rosenthal shredder rebuilt, three wheel generator and carburetor for Model A 1928 Ford, rebuilt 16-30 Oil Pull tractor, 75 feet new 3/4 inch wire cable, 8 fifty gal. oil drums. Ralph Partridge, 1 1/4 miles north of cemetery on east side. 3-1-1p

WE ARE very grateful to friends and neighbors for the many expressions of kindness and sympathy extended to us during our recent bereavement. Mrs. Emma Day and Family.

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Judgeship Election

Lapeer and Tuscola Counties Monday, March 4 and Re-elect JUDGE

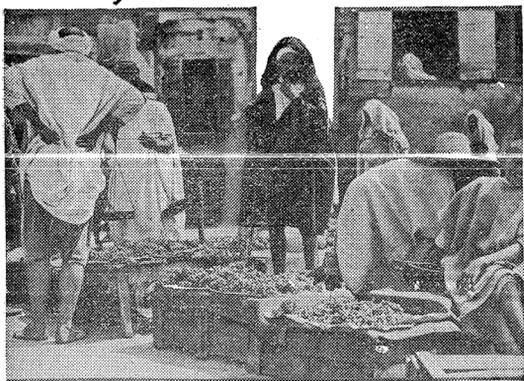
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Tangier and Gibraltar



The Grape Market of Tangier.

Prepared by National Geographic Society, Washington, D. C.—WNU Service.

A FEW cases of bubonic plague, which has seldom appeared in late years west of Suez, recently were found in Tangier, the international settlement on the south side of the Strait of Gibraltar in Africa. Modern medicine has stepped in to thwart this once dread disease, and the entire population must be vaccinated.

Although Tangier has nurtured its old traditions for centuries, modern resort builders have, from time to time, during recent years, brought it forward as a prospective playground for European vacationists. In the shadow of venerable mosques and minarets and keyhole-like Moorish archways, they would build modern hotels, bath houses and casinos that rival the Riviera and vie with Monte Carlo. Tangier is but a few hours' ferry ride from the Rock of Gibraltar. For many centuries it has occupied a reserved seat on the Strait of Gibraltar, in full view of the parade of commerce to and from Mediterranean ports, but today its improved harbor does not permit docking of the larger ocean-going vessels.

From the anchorage, Tangier resembles a white sheet spread from the seashore up the African slopes. The spotless white walls, glistening in the sunlight, suggest that "clean-up, paint-up week" is perpetually observed there and that the city fathers will allow nothing but white paint or whitewash to be used. As one nears the shore, however, dashes of yellow, green and red mark the encroachment of modern buildings.

Once inside the city walls the traveler is bewildered by the maze of lanes which the Tangierians call their streets. So narrow are they that wheeled vehicles have never rumbled over the cobbles and pedestrians are compelled to jump into doorways to avoid being side-swiped or trampled upon by huge, moth-eaten camels and donkeys, whose bulging loads spread nearly from wall to wall.

Coffee Houses and Beggars. In the business section coffee houses offer the principal Tangier recreation. Patrons sit in groups on the floor, playing with odd-marked cards, or lean against the walls sipping a beverage, smoking their pipes, and sometimes singing to the tune of a native orchestra. Next door an unkempt shopkeeper, seemingly more interested in keeping his long-stemmed pipe lighted than in making a sale, presides over a cupboard-like shop displaying pottery, brassware and trinkets.

Beggars are more importunate. They beg for alms and often follow a "prospect" until he yields a coin. Shouts of camel men and street vendors and chatter of pedestrians make a monotonous din, broken occasionally by the weird strains of a "holy" orchestra composed of dervishes who parade about the streets with Moslem banners, begging contributions for the mosque.

Most travelers agree that a visit to the large market, lying just outside of the city wall, is well worth a trip to Tangier. There city folk mingle with the rural folk from the fertile regions in the vicinity. Men, women and children, camels, horses, donkeys, dogs and fowl, all are huddled together in the dust amid piles of oranges, baskets of eggs, casks of olives and improvised stands for nuts, dates, candies, kitchen utensils and homemade shoes. The country women wear broad-brimmed straw hats. The Moslems wear kerchiefs, half covering their faces.

Around the edge of the market place letter writers and fortune tellers ply their professions; black, portly Sudanese negroes in tatters dance to the tune of metal cymbals and disks dangling about their bodies, and the fire-eater and snake-charmer amaze throngs with their clever tricks.

"Dog of a Town," Say Arabs. Once a powerful Phoenician city and later a Carthaginian stronghold, Tangier has been despoiled by many an invading army or bombardment. The Romans, Vandals, Arabs, Portuguese, Spaniards and English each have played a dramatic part in the life of this city.

Tangier is situated not only at the crossroads of the sea, but of the air and land as well. Swift bus lines radiate from it in a network which covers Morocco. There is daily air service to Casablanca and

Spain. A railroad runs to inland Fez and Atlantic ports.

While Tangier has a distinct oriental atmosphere, European contact is bringing it up-to-date. Maybe that is why the Arabs call the city a "dog of a town." Telephones are everywhere; the French have built a modern hospital; the Pasteur institute is the finest in Africa, and there is a European residential district. Tangier's country club has a nine-hole golf course, but ragged little Arab boys, descendants of the corsairs of old, are caddies. Nevertheless, Tangier has not outgrown the East's special taxi—the single passenger donkey—and perhaps never will, for automobiles and busses cannot navigate its narrow streets.

Across the Strait looms the lofty Rock of Gibraltar, the northern pillar of the famed Pillars of Hercules that guarded the western entrance to the Mediterranean. The rock's highest point is more than twice the height of the Washington monument or about 100 feet higher than the world's tallest building. Since the Moors first occupied Gibraltar centuries ago, its face has frequently undergone "treatment." A fortified castle dating back to Moorish occupation still stands in one of its recesses, sharply contrasting with the more modern British ramparts. Tunnels have been bored, paths dynamited and in places its rough "countenance" has been given an application of cement upon which rain water is caught and drained into reservoirs. In natural caves in the rock live the famous Gibraltar monkeys, probably the only monkeys in Europe that were not brought there by men in modern times. The animals are protected by law and are fed by the British army.

Gibraltar City Very British.

Gibraltar, the rock, is known to every school child. Gibraltar, the city at its feet, is known to but few.

Gibraltar city is extremely British if the traveler confines his observations to British soldiers who are everywhere, British "Bobbies" who appear as if they had just emerged from a London police station, British flags that top the masts of municipal and government buildings, and British warships and commercial vessels that outnumber all others anchored in the harbor.

But a glance at its street crowds and its buildings reveals a strange mixture. Most Gibraltar buildings are Spanish in design. Its narrow streets are crowded with busy throngs from many parts of the world. Scotchmen in kilts brush past turbaned Moors from the other side of the Strait; Spaniards from Madrid, Malaga and Cadiz, mingle with sturdy Greeks; ruddy-skinned Hindus and Egyptians jostle Levantine Jews in gaberdiines; and swarthy Senegal negroes rub elbows with Chinese from Canton. And weaving in and out of the human mass are hundreds of foreign seamen from boats that come to Gibraltar for fuel, trade and repairs.

The town begins at the shore of the broad bay and rises 250 feet up the north side of the rock. Long flights of steps lead to the upper portion of the town, making wheeled traffic impossible on many streets. The Mediterranean, or south side of the rock, is almost a sheer cliff. Fishermen have built, however, small villages in the few recesses which are reached by narrow paths.

Between Spain and the British territory is a narrow strip of land called the neutral zone where travelers get the best land view of the rock.

The city took its name from the rock which was called Mount Abyla or Apes hill in ancient times. It was once owned by the Phoenicians and fell, in turn, to the Carthaginians, Romans and Visigoths.

In the eighth century the Moorish chief, Tarik-Ibn-Zeyad, landed on the rock and called it Gibelet-Tarik or Mountain of Tarik of which "Gibraltar" is a corruption.

The Moors had held Gibraltar for six centuries when in 1309 the Spanish seized it, but 24 years later the Moslems regained possession. It became Spanish territory again in 1462. The British have held the rock since 1704 when they defeated a combined Spanish and French fleet. Since the British have had frequent wars over Gibraltar's possession. One Spanish siege lasted four years (1779-1783).

GOVERNMENT NOW ANSWERS QUESTIONS

Information Service Asked by Many for Aid.

Washington.—Established by the national emergency council in March to assist Washington visitors to thread the maze of federal agencies and emergency units, the United States information service now answers questions from far and near. Whereas previously, inquirers resorted to the trial and error method, addressing queries to a particular department, they now have at hand an information "central" in close touch with every department, bureau, commission or other federal agency, says the New York Times.

Directed by Miss Harriet M. Root, a graduate of Wellesley, a dozen expert research workers, all women, answer the queries which come in by personal call, by telephone and by letter. Not infrequently one day's mail will bring in 400 letters—each carrying one or more questions. On a busy day, as many as 200 persons have called at Miss Root's office seeking general information, or assistance in contacting some federal agency.

Cover Wide Range. The queries cover an encyclopedic range. A New Jersey woman, for example, having what she believed to be ambergis in her possession, asked where she could find out whether it was genuine. Her question was referred to the bureau of fisheries. Requests for information on diving rods and buried treasures go to the bureau of mines. A lawyer in New York asked for a list of all federal corporations since the establishment of the United States government—a request that necessitated considerable research. Another letter called for "anything you can find on capital and labor."

In due course, a reply furnished references to government publications on the subject. "Does a bullet from a high-powered rifle actually change its course when entering water? If it does, why? And in what direction?" inquired another correspondent. Here, obviously, was an opportunity for government ballistic experts, to whom the query was forwarded. From a small town came a request for a check on the source of certain statements carried in an article in a local newspaper. And a woman with potatoes to sell sought the help of the service in finding the best market for them.

Many Personal Questions. Personal questions are numerous. The widow of a naval man who was lost when a ship went down in the war wanted guidance in preparing a claim for compensation from the government. Another inquirer sought directions on how to obtain a medal for a child who had saved a playmate from drowning. A father asked how he should go about finding for his son a billet in the merchant marine. And whenever former Secretary of War Newton D. Baker comes to town, the information service invariably receives one or more calls for his Washington address.

Requests for information on federal activities reflect the increased interest in public affairs, particularly in the work of the New Deal agencies. The national emergency council publishes a daily manual, covering changes in the federal set-up, and also charts showing graphically the present federal organization. Both the manual and the charts are in great demand. Universities and schools and faculty members send many requests. A California college plans to use the NEC manual as a textbook; a professor in a midwestern university ordered 300 copies of the chart of the federal government.

Gold Mining Is Active in Alabama and Georgia

Birmingham, Ala.—A modern gold rush in Alabama and Georgia is peopling the hills between Alexander City, Ala., and Dahlonega, Ga., with more amateur and professional gold miners than the two states have seen in years.

The Hog Mountain mine, near Alexander City, has launched an expansion program which will involve annual expenditures of about \$125,000 when completed. With a shaft already down 200 feet, it is producing gold at the rate of \$17,000 a month.

The mine is paying more than \$5,000 monthly in wages to about eighty laborers. Its investment in mining and gold recovering machinery thus far amounts to about \$200,000 and will be greatly increased under the announced expansion program.

TUSCOLA AGAIN TO RECEIVE STATE AID

For the first time in four months the state emergency relief commission agreed Friday to extend aid to Tuscola county. During that time the commission and the Tuscola county board of supervisors have been in disagreement over local relief expenditures.

Beautiful. Ruth—Why did the air corps turn down young Bobby Sanders? Carl—On account of his eyes. Ruth—Why, I think his eyes are lovely.

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.



Heavy Snowstorm Monday Morning

Central Michigan was visited by the season's worst snowstorm on Monday with traffic in numerous communities greatly demoralized. Bay City reported a 15-inch snowfall and 14 inches was reported in Saginaw county.

The side roads were so badly blocked with snow that a small percentage of rural students were able to get to the Cass City school Monday morning and school was dismissed in the middle of the forenoon for the remainder of the day. Most of the rural carriers were unable to travel their entire routes. The bus from Bay City due here about 8:30 a. m. Monday did not reach Cass City until late Tuesday afternoon. This bus brings the greater part of the first class mail here from Detroit, Chicago and other distant points.

Snow-banks on both sides of Main street made parking necessary near the center of the highway and for the first time in many years the snow was loaded and carted away from this spacious thoroughfare. The storm is said to have been the most severe since 1929.

ROTARIANS HONOR FARMER FRIENDS

Concluded from first page. to remove members of that body from every political influence and to render the position more attractive, the constitution provides that the nine justices shall hold their places during life or good behavior and that any member upon reaching the age of seventy years may retire from service, if he has been ten years a justice, and receives thereafter as long as he lives the regular salary of an associate justice.

Greenan Plans Drive Against Slot Machines

Sandusky Republican: "Sheriff James Greenan has inaugurated a campaign against slot machines and other gambling devices following orders from Attorney General Harry S. Toy and Oscar G. Olander, Commissioner of Public Safety, for a state-wide war against gambling. Any form of a gambling device—punch boards, pin tables, baffle boards and poker games—is barred under the new regulations, according to Sheriff Greenan. The law is particularly stringent since it is possible to prosecute both the operator of the devices and the owner, Mr. Greenan warns. "Two slot machines were confiscated Saturday by Undersheriff Ace Campbell. The owners appeared before Sheriff Greenan and Prosecuting Attorney Leonard J. Pateron Monday to make statements."

SOME CHANGES INCLUDED IN CORN-HOG CONTRACTS

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ELKLAND.

(Delayed Letter).

Miss Katherine Baleck of Owendale is assisting at the David Murphy home.

Mr. and Mrs. Clare Frost of Capac spent the week-end at the Claude Root home.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Maharg and daughter, Nora, were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Reader Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Williams and family of Harbor Beach were Sunday visitors at the Clair Profit home.

Mrs. Margaret Crawford of Gageton is spending a few days this week at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Delbert Profit.

Phillip Quinn of Flint was a visitor this week at the home of his son, Leo.

Mr. and Mrs. William Profit and family were dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Muntz.

Eugene Volk of Mt. Pleasant was the week-end guest of Ralph Rawson at his home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Olin Thompson of Owendale and Mr. and Mrs. Alton Thompson and son, Clive, of Cheyenne, Wyoming, were Sunday guests at the J. E. Crawford home.

NOVESTA.

February is doing her stuff; roads are out of sight.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Koppeler of Kingston visited their daughter, Mrs. Arthur Henderson, on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Quick of Cass City were Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Quick.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Ferguson of Snover were dinner guests at the Phebe Ferguson home and visited in the afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Elden Bruce at Fairgrove.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Henderson "week-ended" at Pontiac visiting at the homes of their son, Stuart, and Mr. and Mrs. Park Wagg. They returned home on Monday.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Church of Christ will give their monthly dinner on March 6 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Neil McLarty in Cass City.

AUTO PLATES GOOD TWO WEEKS MORE

Secretary of State Orville E. Atwood announced yesterday that cars equipped with 1934 license plates will be permitted to use the highways until midnight, March 14.

The previous deadline was midnight, February 28.

Indian Name for Porto Rico

The Indian name for Porto Rico, before Columbus, was Boriquen.

Village Election.

Notice is hereby given to the qualified electors of the Village of Cass City, County of Tuscola, State of Michigan, that the next ensuing annual village election will be held at the Council Rooms, within said village on

Monday, March 11, 1935 at which election the following village officers are to be elected, viz: One village president; one village clerk; one village treasurer; one assessor; also three trustees for two years.

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

Dated this 26th day of February, A. D. 1935. C. M. WALLACE, Village Clerk.

4 ARRESTED AS LIQUOR LAW VIOLATORS

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The officers say that John's still was operating. Besides the still, a 15-gallon container, 85 gallons of mash and a small quantity of liquor were seized.

All three men, after their hearing before Justice St. Mary, were

turned over to Federal officers at Bay City.

Reney Langlois, arrested at Ashmore, on whose premises officers say they found a quantity of "homebrew," was scheduled for arraignment in the Tuscola county court the latter part of this week.

The Oryx

The oryx, a type of antelope, is called the gemsbok in South Africa

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Cookies, chocolate covered favors, delicious.....	lb.	19c
Gelatin Dessert, all flavors.....	3 pkgs.	14c
Preserves, pure fruit.....	1-lb. jar	19c
Rinso.....	large pkg.	20c
Soda Crackers.....	2-lb. pkg.	18c
Michigan Sweet Peas.....	2 cans	27c
Michigan Tomatoes, lge. cans.....	2 for	27c
Blue Suds, for your laundry.....	3 for	25c

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(By Rev. F. B. FITZWATER, D. D., Member of Faculty, Moody Bible Institute of Chicago.)
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Lesson for March 3
PETER UNMASKS FALSEHOOD AND HYPOCRISY

LESSON TEXT—Acts 5:1-11; 8:18-24.
GOLDEN TEXT—Wherefore putting away lying, speak every man truth with his neighbor: for we are members one of another. Ephesians 4:25.
PRIMARY TOPIC—Peter's Friend Helps People.
JUNIOR TOPIC—Peter Stands for Truth and Honesty.
INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC—The Sin of Lying.
YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC—Modern Forms of Hypocrisy.

I. Ananias and Sapphira (Acts 5:1-11.)

The new community formed after Pentecost is now for the first time called the Church. Since the Christians have now broken with Judaism the success of the new community depends upon its gaining recognition. The Church is now superseding the Mosaic economy. It was to be God's dwelling place, as hitherto it had been in the Tabernacle and Temple. Their sanctity was now being transferred to the Church. This fact the Church itself must learn as well as the Jewish people who surrounded it.

1. Their sin (vv. 1, 2). It was a hypocritical imitation of the generous act of Barnabas (4:36, 37). Because of the particular distress of the early Church following its open rupture with Judaism, its members for a time had a "community of goods." This was not universal nor permanent. Ananias kept back a part of the proceeds from the sale of his land, while pretending to have brought it all. His wife was a partner in it. They wanted the honor of generosity without paying the price thereof.

2. Their judgment (vv. 3-10). Physical death was visited upon Ananias and Sapphira for their sin. They lied to the Holy Ghost in keeping back a part of the price of their land. They were not obliged to sell their land or, having sold it, to bring any of their money and place it in the common fund. People today are walking in the way of Ananias and Sapphira when they make a profession of Christianity for temporal gain and pleasure. Preaching the sermons of Moody, Spurgeon, etc., without giving credit is another form of this evil. God is passing judgment upon many for their sins of this kind (1 Cor. 11:27-30).

3. The effect (vv. 11-16).
a. Great fear came upon the Church and upon all who heard of these things (v. 11). The Church should be regarded as holy because of its being the very dwelling place of the Most High God. Irreverence is an outstanding sin of this age.

b. Multitudes of men and women were added to the Lord (vv. 14, 15). The fame of Peter was spread far and wide, so that the people were anxious to come under his shadow. The proper recognition of the holiness of the Church, the body of Christ, will bring many to Christ for salvation.

c. Hypocrites did not dare to join (v. 13). The vindication of the holiness of the Church deterred none but hypocrites from joining. No unreligious person and nothing unhallowed has any place in the Church.

II. Simon the Sorcerer (Acts 8: 18-24).

1. His wicked request (vv. 18, 19). When Simon saw that Peter's power to work wonders exceeded his own and that this power was received through the laying on of hands, he offered money for the gift. This act revealed his hypocrisy. He professed faith in Christ and was baptized, and even followed the apostles for a selfish end. Traffic in sacred things is called "Simony," from the name of this sorcerer. Making merchandise of Christianity is committing the same sin. Using the name of Christ for the purpose of gain is to be guilty of this sin.

2. Peter's severe rebuke (vv. 20-22).
a. "Thy money perish with thee." This implies that Peter's judgment was that Simon was unregenerate and that he himself was in the way of perishing.

b. "Thy heart is not right in the sight of God." One whose inner life delights in God could not seek the Spirit's power for selfish reasons.
c. "Repent of thy wickedness and pray to God for forgiveness." While Peter recognized that this man was unsaved, he did not regard him to be beyond hope of salvation, but urged him to turn from his sin and ask for forgiveness.
d. "Thou art in the gall of bitterness and in the bond of iniquity." The one and only thing for this man to do was to repent and sue for forgiveness. Simon requested Peter's prayer to the end that he might escape divine judgment.

Love

Love is the crowning grace of heaven, but faith is the conquering grace upon earth.—Thomas Watson.

Advertise it in the Chronicle.

Church Calendar

Erskine Presbyterian Church—Sunday evening subject, "The Judgment Seat of Christ." Services all next week. Everyone is cordially invited to come. Services commence at 7:45.
Rev. R. J. Devine, speaker.

Presbyterian Church—Paul J. Allured, Minister. Sunday, March 3: Morning worship and church school, 10:30 to 12:30. Worship theme: "The Christian Church." Guild class topic: "God and Physical Health." Adult class: "Peter Unmasks Falsehood and Hypocrisy"—Acts 5:1-6, 8:18-24. Christian Endeavor, 6:00. Joint evening service, 7:30, in this church. Sermon: "Must the Poor Be Always With Us?"—some radical Christian thinking on the present problem of increasing poverty. Missionary meeting Thursday, March 7. Session meeting at the manse, Thursday, 7:30.

Evangelical Church—G. A. Spitzer, Pastor.
"We shall understand truth better tomorrow that we have walked in its light today."
Church school at 10:00. Lesson text: Acts 5:1-6, 8:18-24. Adult topic: "Modern Forms of Hypocrisy." Morning worship at 11:00. Choir music. Sermon theme: "God Measuring the Church."

6:45, Christian Endeavor. Junior topic: "Children of the Bible: Joseph." Leader, Frances Mark. Senior and adult topic: "The Insight of Jesus." Senior leader, Katherine Joos. Adult leader, Mrs. Whitfield. 7:45, evening worship service. Special music. Sermon theme: "Good News."
Junior business meeting at the parsonage Saturday, March 2, at 2:30.
Ladies' Aid will meet with Mrs. H. L. Hunt Wednesday, March 6.

Baptist Church—Preaching Sunday morning at 10:30. Theme, "Christ our Helper." Sunday School at 11:45. Cecil Brown and Mrs. J. Bigelow, superintendents.
Junior B. Y. P. U. at 3:30. Jaunita Wise, president. Senior B. Y. P. U. at 6:30. Stanley McArthur, president. Gospel service at 7:30. Theme, "A Possible Entrance to the Kingdom of God."
Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7:30. Choir rehearsal on Wednesday evening at 8:30. We had a surprise last Sunday morning when Mrs. Glen Folkert came in leading a Junior choir of 17 singers whom she has been training. They did honor to her and themselves as this was the first time they have appeared in white robes. Another choir of Primary singers appeared in the evening, but are not yet in robes. We hope to see them robed soon.

We are having our church night this week Wednesday evening.
We are to have a concert given by the music students of the high school Sunday evening, Mar. 10. The other churches are invited to this service. Not so long after that the Cass City Ladies' Band will be with us. See date later.

Church of the Nazarene—K. A. Hutchinson, Pastor.
Cass City Church—Sunday, Mar. 3, Sunday School at 2:00 p. m.; afternoon worship at 3:00. No evening service.

Tuesday evening, March 5, prayer meeting at 8:00.
Gagetown Church—Sunday, Mar. 3, Sunday School at 10:00 a. m.; morning worship at 11:00. N. Y. P. S. at 7:30 and preaching at 8:00 p. m.
Wednesday, March 6, W. M. S. and prayer meeting combined.
Friday, March 1, the Cass City and Gagetown N. Y. P. S. will have a joint meeting at the parsonage.

Mennonite Church—Revivals are continuing with increased interest and attendance. F. E. Arthur, the evangelist, is bringing very helpful messages with no uncertain sound. His many years' experience in all-around Christian activities has thoroughly qualified him as a soul-winner.

These meetings will continue at least until Sunday evening. Mr. Arthur will leave us after Friday's service; but other speakers will be provided in case meetings are held next week. Announcement will be made Sunday morning as to future plans. Call us—35-F-14 for information.
G. D. Clink, Pastor.

Methodist Episcopal Parish—Charles Bayless, Minister. Sunday, March 3:
Cass City Church—Class meeting, 10:00, John Mark, leader.
Morning worship, 10:30, featuring attendance by families; anthem by choir, Mrs. F. A. Bigelow, director. Sermon, "The Road to

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Certainty." This Sunday the minister begins a series of Lenten sermons intended to inspire and to guide our morning congregation on our way up to Easter. A cordial welcome to all who will worship with us.
Sunday School, 11:30, being Part II of a unified service of worship and study. Orchestra, Men's Bible class, features in closing assembly, Walter Schell, supt., directing.

Epworth League, 6:50, continuing our study of "Friendship Trails" with Elaine Turner in charge.
Joint service, 7:30, with Presbyterian people (there). Mr. Bayless is in Richmond to help open their Lenten preaching mission.
Bethel Church—Sunday School, 11:30, Herbert Maharg, supt.
Church service, 12:30 (noon), with children's story and sermon for all.

Wednesday, the 6th, is the first day of Lent. We will observe it by a special program at our church Family Supper. A planned meal, served at cost—20c and 10c—6:45 p. m. A hymn-sing at the tables; story-circles for children; devotional feature in auditorium, 8:15, for everyone; "The Book Goes Forth," a stereopticon lecture, with Rev. Paul Allured, guest-reader. Open to the public.

WILMOT.

Walter McArthur had the misfortune to lose a cow Monday afternoon.

Mrs. William Rogers was a caller at Saginaw Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Lee Evans of Pontiac visited at the E. V. Evans and Roy Ashcroft homes Sunday. Mrs. Evans is planning on staying for some time.

Miss Phyllis and Eldon Rogers are on the sick list.

Alex Graves is real sick at this writing.

Mrs. Joe Schlung is very low at her home here at this writing.

Miss Marie Kiteley of this place and William Lipporwits of Detroit were united in marriage, at Detroit Wednesday, Feb. 20. They plan to live at Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Polwroth enjoyed the week-end at Detroit, visiting relatives and friends.

Mrs. Emma Keilitz and son of Ellington visited at the Alex McArthur home Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Gestenburger and baby spent Sunday at the Walter McArthur home.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Wenta entertained for chicken dinner Saturday evening, Mike and Miss Mary Wenta and John Beranski of Detroit and Mr. and Mrs. William Rogers of this place.

Floyd Hawkins of Harbor Beach was a caller in town one day last week.

A Lansing concern repaired the Wilmot school furnace Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Graves of Detroit visited over the week-end with Mr. Graves' parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Bell and children of Flint spent the week-end with Mrs. Bell's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mina Clark.

R. B. Clark spent the week-end in Caro with relatives.

Probably, "Business Men Will Compare Notes on the N. R. A." headline. Probably the notes will be those the business men have been receiving from the N. R. A.—Fort Worth Star-Telegram.

Officer—Judge, this man leads a double life. He's a lawyer in the daytime and a burglar at night.

Judge—What's he arrested for?

"I just dropped in to kill time," said the neighborhood bore to Mr. Busiman.

"Well, you can drop right out again," said Busiman, "as we need all the time we've got around here."

Must Not Have Had.

Rip Van Winkle slept for twenty years, but, of course, his neighbors didn't have a radio.—Atlanta Constitution.

Tempus Fugit!

"The clock we won in the raffle runs fine—it actually does an hour in 45 minutes!" — Everybody's Weekly (London).

Doesn't.

Einstein, it is reported, now speaks very good English. Still, putting his theory of relativity into English doesn't make it much easier to understand — Butte (Mont.) Standard.

Cutting.

Being up against it in the liquor business, the State of Pennsylvania cuts the price, while the bootlegger cuts the whiskey—and the competition goes merrily along.—Shreveport Journal.

Announcement

Erskine United Presbyterian Church
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Everyone welcome.
Speaker, R. J. Devine.

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Friday, March 8
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Pair brown mules, 7 and 8 yrs. old	Two-horse cultivator
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Grey mule, 11 yrs. old	McCormick-Deering mowing machine
Brown mule, 12 yrs. old	Side delivery rake
Dark brown mule, 10 yrs. old	McCormick binder
Bay mare, 8 yrs. old, wt. 1250	2 walking plows Sulky plow
Bay horse, wt. 1300	Fordson tractor
Bay mare, wt. 1400	Set of spring tooth harrows
White horse, wt. 1500	Set of spike tooth harrows
Grey horse, wt. 1200	Weeder Potato digger
Black horse, wt. 1300	Cream separator
Brown mare, wt. 1200	Manure spreader Heavy harness
Guernsey cow, 5 yrs. old	Two-wheeled trailer.
Red Durham cow, 7 yrs. old	Number of horse collars
Farm wagon	Quantity of corn fodder
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Terms given on horses and mules; all other property, cash.

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LUMBERMEN OF THE CASS.

How many of those pioneers. I wonder are alive Who used to lumber on the Cass in eighteen sixty-five? Over forty years ago, how fast the time it flies; Since when we saw the teams go by, that hauled the camp supplies.

And what a road from Vassar up to where Cass City stands, Man cut the brush but the leveling up was not of human hands; And then those mudholes in the fall the stoutest heart would awe, One codfish and a Police Gazette was all a team could draw.

We have seen Bill Finsel's team go by, McDermott held the lines, Hubs in the mud, those were the roads we had in olden times; No robin then in the early spring would sing our hearts to cheer. But when Finsel's drive came out the branch, we knew that spring was near.

As time rolled on our river took its place in brightest ranks, More lumbermen sought their fortunes in the pine upon its banks; D'ri Avery and the Miller boys each had their share of fame, And many will refer with pride to Warren Malcolm's name.

Bill Pinkerton and Baldwin and Tolbert had their share, They each have driven upon the Cass, have known its toil and care; Have worked all day out on the logs, and when darkness settled down All tired out they sought a bed upon the cold, wet ground.

At first they'd nought but hemlock brush to keep off rain and snow Then some got tents, this filled the cup of joy here below; But how fast the news it traveled, 'twas scattered far and wide, When Tolbert built the "Wanegan" to float upon the tide.

When the rollways all were broken, the logs went far and wide, But they bore their mark of ownership as they floated on the tide; The Wyandotte mark of the Williams boys was known upon the drive, And the Clover Leaf of Avery, and McGraw's three forty-five.

When the drive out from the branches to the forks came rushing down The boys would stack their "peaveys" to go and paint the town; More whiskey was sold o'er Tennant's bar to those drivers tried and true, Than would take to float the biggest ships that sail the ocean blue.

In seventy-one the fire came, at night its lurid glow Would light the heavens far and wide as it laid the forest low, Then for ten long years the timber dried or rotted in the sun, And then once more the fire came and lumbering here was done.

But where are they—those pioneers—where are they one and all, Who farmed it in the summer time and lumbered in the fall? They opened up the forest wild, let in the light of day.

And now their labor-hardened hands are old and gray, They are moving on to the great beyond and soon will pass away. But they love to sit and tell you of the times they used to pass, When they starved and froze but made a home in the forest on the Cass.

And those men who drove the river, that wild and reckless crew, Are they now beside some mystic stream beyond the starry blue? Are they standing on its border waiting for the drive to pass, While they talk of when they lived on earth and drove upon the Cass?

—Henry Dodge.

Mathews, Dayton; James Greene, Kingston; and W. B. Hicks, Novesta.

Audley Rawson presided as chairman of the county convention and M. P. Freeman served as secretary.

DEATHS

James Day.

Funeral services were held Saturday afternoon from the Bethel Methodist church for James Day, 82, pioneer resident of this vicinity. Rev. Charles Bayless, pastor of Cass City and Bethel churches, officiated and interment was in Elkland cemetery.

James Day was born May 3, 1852, in Guelph, Ontario. On Mar. 1, 1876, he was united in marriage with Miss Harriet Emma Crowe of Orangeville, Ontario.

In the spring of 1881, Mr. and Mrs. Day and two sons, Robert and John, came to Michigan and settled on a farm two miles north of Cass City where they lived for ten years, then moving to the farm five miles north where he passed away on Wednesday, February 20.

He is survived by his wife, three sons and one daughter, Robert, of Flint, John, William and Mrs. Audley Rawson, all of Cass City. He also leaves one half brother, George Gray, of Flint, eighteen grandchildren and twelve great grandchildren.

George Colling.

George Colling, who has lived in the Thumb settlement that bears his name for more than half a century, died at his home in Colling, Tuscola county, Monday evening.

Mr. Colling was born in Lowville, Ont., in 1861 and came to the Thumb of Michigan 51 years ago, making his home here. The small settlement that later sprang up around his farm was named for him. During his residence there, Mr. Colling held numerous public offices.

He is survived by his widow, one son, Ross, at home, and two daughters, Mrs. Mabel King, Unionville, and Mrs. Claude Andrews, Caro, one brother, William, and two other brothers in Ontario.

Funeral services were held Thursday afternoon, with burial services at Caro.

show that a conservative estimate of the new, extra, volume of modernization work being stimulated by the Federal Housing Administration would be that four times as much is being done principally for cash as is being done on insured credit. However, the credit plan is such an important basic tool in the program that I am going to talk about that, rather exclusively.

"What we call 'modernization credit' is important for two reasons," says Mr. Foley. "One is that it makes available immediately to a great many persons who have not the cash, or who do not want to use their savings for these purposes, an opportunity, at low cost and under favorable terms, to build value and liveability and improvement into their properties, many of which have deteriorated greatly in recent years. The other is that it affords a new approach for industry—manufacturers, contractors and material dealers—to go to their prospects with an effective selling argument. Many alert business men have found that after using credit as an approach the property owner preferred to use cash after all.

"Every loan made for modernization may multiply itself in results. There are few things more powerful than the force of a neighbor's example. One man paints his house and the man next door will paint his house. Another man puts on a new roof and the next-door owner puts on a new roof. One wife sees a new bathroom or new equipment installed in the kitchen and she wants as good as her neighbor has. "This is a plan to use private capital. It is not a use of Government funds except insofar as the Government Contract of Insurance guarantees a certain percentage of any credit loss which may be sustained by the financial institutions," Mr. Foley says. "This ought to be very small indeed compared with the amount of business developed. The plan is workable. Even during the adverse winter months it is showing more than seasonable results."

Louis Malone, representing Mr. Foley's department, was in Cass City recently and announced the appointment of the following local committee to serve in this campaign: Frank Reid, George W. West, Audley Rawson, M. B. Auten, Frederick Pinney and H. F. Lenzner.

LOCAL ITEMS

Mrs. Angus McPhail entertained a part of Division No. 4 of the Methodist church at a tea and social time at her home on South Seeger street Friday evening.

Mrs. Charles Wright visited at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Stilson, in Saginaw on Wednesday of last week. Mr. Stilson, who has been quite ill, is improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Clement, daughter, Thelma, and granddaughter, Joan Osmer, all of Port Huron, were Thursday guests at the home of Mr. Clement's brother, Joseph Clement.

Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Ballagh and son, Earl, and daughters, Mary and Mildred, of Rochester were Sunday guests at the Dan McCloyre home. Mrs. Ballagh remained to spend some time in Cass City.

Miss Bernice Clara of Gagetown had charge of the Marie's Beauty Shoppe during the absence of the owner, Mrs. Clifford Secord, who was in Springfield, Illinois, to attend the funeral of her father.

Eleanor MacCallum of Cass City, a sophomore at Central State Teachers' College, played at a violin and piano recital at the college, February 24.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Graham of Vanderbilt spent Monday and Tuesday morning with the latter's sister, Mrs. Clifford Secord. Mr. and Mrs. Graham were on their way home from attending the funeral of Mrs. Graham's father at Springfield, Illinois.

Mrs. H. O. Greenleaf was pleasantly surprised Sunday when several relatives came to spend the day and help her celebrate her birthday. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. Peter Decker, son, Howard, and daughter, Frances, of Peck; Mr. and Mrs. McQueen of Sandusky; Mr. and Mrs. Leverett Barnes and son, Lester, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Barnes, Dwight Barnes and son, Clare, and Mr. and Mrs. Norman Greenleaf.

Chicks Stay Healthy If Houses Are Clean

Rising prices and a more favorable outlook for poultry will undoubtedly lead to an increased demand from Michigan farmers for baby chicks this spring, and buyers are warned by the poultry department at Michigan State College not to jeopardize the success of chick raising by failing to get the brooding quarters ready early.

Early chicks have the best chance to mature sufficiently to be ready to go in the laying house as producing pullets when eggs are the best prices. These chicks are harder to raise because more careful attention must be paid to maintaining brooder temperatures and to the prevention of diseases within the house. This attention should be given, however, and an early start made to obtain the most profits from the future flock.

Brooder houses should be thoroughly cleaned before any chicks are placed in them. Thorough cleaning means considerable hard work and plenty of hot water, but, if any dirt is left in the house, it probably will be a refuge for bacteria which will kill the chicks later. Sprinkling disinfectant in the house does not clean it. The disinfectant will not penetrate the dirt which is present, so the dirt should be removed before the disinfectant is used.

Scrubbing the house with plenty of water and soap is more important than using disinfectant. A coarse broom or brush will save a lot of back bending in the scrubbing process. Use the disinfectant after the house is cleaned and follow the manufacturer's directions.

Early chicks have to stay in the house until good weather comes, but clean range should be ready for them when they go outside. No range should be used upon which poultry has run within the past two years. Several of the kinds of bacteria which cause chick diseases will live in soil for two years. If the ground is contaminated with these bacteria, the chicks will become infected. There is no profit in treating sick chicks. Disease outbreaks should be prevented. Clean houses and ranges will do this.

HOUSING DRIVE TO START TODAY

Concluded from first page. might be well for me to discuss briefly Title One of the National Housing Act now fully effective in Michigan with the Governor's signature of the Michigan enabling act," says Raymond M. Foley, state director for the Michigan-Federal Housing Administration.

"The modernization program which has been inaugurated by the Federal Housing Administration is not essentially a borrowing program. Its purpose is to encourage property owners to modernize and otherwise improve their properties. The figures that have been transmitted to us from the field, in fact,

HOSPITAL NOTES.

Mrs. Sarah Walker of Port Austin is still a patient at the hospital. Miss Flossie Crane of Cass City was admitted Sunday evening and underwent an operation Monday morning.

Mrs. George Stadter of Argyle entered the hospital Tuesday, Feb. 19, for medical treatment. She was able to leave Tuesday of this week.

Mrs. Albert Gallagher and little son were taken to their home, northwest of town, Thursday. Mrs. Ralph Britt of Gagetown was admitted Thursday, Feb. 21, and was operated on Friday. She is still at the hospital.

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DEFORD

The Novesta township caucus announced in the Chronicle last week for March 4 has been changed to Monday, March 11. The hour is 2:00 p. m.

BAD AXE BOWS TO HILLTOPPERS, 48-15

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twice and Marlette, the Alumni, Caro, Harbor Beach, Vassar and Brown City each once. The "B" squad finished the year with seven victories and one tie.

The line-ups: Cass City. Player and Pos. FG FT PF TP Ward, f 6 2 0 14

Table with 5 columns: Name, FG, FT, PF, TP. Rows include Donnelly, Vyse, Hulbert, Stafford, Graham.

Bad Axe.

Table with 5 columns: Name, FG, FT, PF, TP. Rows include Stanton, Carr, Hill, Glass, Jeckel, P. Rogers, Oak.

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Table of grocery items and prices: Tomato Soup, Pioneer Rolled Oats, Dill Pickles, Lifebuoy Soap, Lux Toilet Soap, etc.

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Table of flour prices: AVONDALE FLOUR 2 1/2 lb Sack 79c, MICHIGAN MADE FLOUR 2 1/2 lb Sack 83c

Table of Lenten Specials: REGENT LIGHT MEAT TUNA FISH Can 10c, FINEST PINK SALMON Can 10c, HOT DATED JEWEL COFFEE 3 lb Bag 55c, FRENCH BRAND 23c, COUNTRY CLUB 27c, EATMORE OLEO 2 lbs 27c

Table of household items: Babbitts Cleanser 3 cans 10c, Calumet BAKING POWDER lb. can 20c, Bran Flakes COUNTRY CLUB 1 lb. pkg. 10c, Twinkle Dessert 3 pkgs. 14c, Brown Sugar 5 lbs. 25c, Catsup COUNTRY CLUB large bottle 10c, Plums 2 No. 2 1/2 Cans 23c, Palmolive Soap 3 cakes 14c, Super Suds 3 pkgs. 25c, Spaghetti BEECH-NUT 3 cans 25c

Table of fruit prices: WINESAP APPLES APPLES 6 lbs. 25c, DELICIOUS APPLES lb. 5c, FLORIDA LARGE SIZE GRAPEFRUIT 3 for 10c, Florida Valencia Oranges 5 lbs. 25c, Sunkist Lemons each 1c, Iceberg Lettuce 2 heads 15c, Candy Yams SWEET POTATOES 4 lbs. 25c

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THE WEEK AT LANSING.

Concluded from first page. individuals. An investigation of this phase of the situation is to be launched shortly. The results may be surprising.

The senate insurgents, mentioned in this column a week ago, had their baptism of fire early this week. The first test of their strength since the committee on executive business was reorganized came when the name of Ed. A. Nowack was offered for confirmation as a member of the public trust commission. The final decision was favor of the appointee but the "revolting" senators as a formidable gesture decreed that the appointment should be held-up for a time to allow the gathering of certain pertinent information relative to the subject.

Nowack is the publisher of a Lansing weekly newspaper and is one of the better known figures in things political around Lansing. His selection for the trust commission by the governor came about because of his activity of the past few years in expressing through his editorial columns his dissatisfaction with the manner in which defaulted bond issues have been handled by the state.

From Washington has come a batch of bills bearing the endorsement of Harold L. Ickes, federal emergency administrator, which are designed to greatly enlarge the power of municipalities to issue bonds for public works projects. They would authorize local governing agencies to approve borrowing without limit and without a vote of the people.

The bills have been sent by Gov. Fitzgerald to the legislature for introduction but at present rest in the top drawer of Speaker George Schroeder's desk. The question of constitutionality has been raised and the bills are to be overhauled before they are released. As they now are written there is dragged back before the eyes of Michigan taxpayers the ghost of Gov. Comstock's famous "insurrection bond" issue. Michigan's constitution demands that the people shall be consulted before any promiscuous borrowing of money is indulged in—these bills disregard that mandate.

The question puzzling state officials is that of whether Michigan would be deprived of full participation in the federal public works program in event the legislature fails to enact these measures or the state supreme court refuses to concur in their validity.

Speaker Schroeder has formally entered the criss-cross controversy involving the pending action on proposals to abolish the state crime commission and the legislative council which many members of the House and Senate regard as a mighty valuable adjunct to the legislature. As a retaliatory move, a concerted effort is being made, especially among the democratic members of the House, to abolish the crime commission, the retention of which is most acceptable to the governor.

Name Tuscola Delegates to the State Convention

The Tuscola republican county convention which met at Caro on Feb. 21 elected the following delegates to attend the state convention at Detroit Friday:

Lincoln Hurst, Akron; C. F. Honeywell, Unionville; Ernest Luder and Bates Wills, Caro; Audley Rawson, Cass City; Harry Gildart, Caro; Dr. McCoy, Cass City; Mrs. Margaret Smith, Vassar; William Russell, Akron; Ernie Hass, Mayville; George McIntyre, Deford; Clayton Hobart, Gagetown; L. Kefgen, Cass City and Gilbert Smith, Caro. Dr. McCoy was named chairman.

The alternates are as follows: Ray Babcock, Columbia; Lincoln Horst, Akron; Leon Ross, Almer; Carl W. A. Schultz, Denmark; Mrs. Rhoda Daugherty, R. J. Black, Caro; Mrs. A. J. Knapp, R. D. Keating, Elkland; Ray D. Kriseler, Vassar; Louis Massoll, Gilford; Fred

is "a prime example of unnecessary expense and superfluity." On the other hand, the speaker asserted "the legislative council and its studies put the legislature directly in 'the know' on all questions pertaining to our state government without extra expense. The crime commission and other commissions of its ilk are just extra tax burdens. If we are to adhere to honest economic effort we will begin to cut off these extras and start to use our regularly constituted resources, saving ourselves thousands of dollars in expense each year."

Extension of the mortgage foreclosure and land contract moratorium acts of 1933 have been given approval and sent to the governor for his signature. The measures provide for extending the moratorium until March 1, 1937.

One of the few bills to reach the status of law is that introduced under the joint sponsorship of Reps. Watson and Lingeman which qualifies Michigan banks, building and loan associations, and other financial institutions under the federal housing act. The new law permits thousands of home owners in this state to avail themselves of the advantages of the act. It is estimated that as much as \$40,000,000 will now be accessible for home construction and improvement.

Integral parts of the administration program are now ready for submission to the legislature among which are the governor's proposals for welfare and prison reform, doing away with the prison, welfare and correction commission which would take active charge of all prison and parole matters.

Republican county conventions of the past week served to shunt the attention of the legislators from their work and the coming week will see little more accomplished. The lawmakers are looking forward to the republican state convention in Detroit, March 1, and will be hurrying away from the capitol as soon as the formalities of meeting and adjourning can be dispensed with.

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