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A Very Happy New Year to All Chronicle Readers

WORLD AFFAIRS ARE MORE CRITICAL THAN THEY WERE YEAR AGO

Frederick J. Libby Gave His Annual Peace-Message at Mass Meeting at M. E. Church on Sunday Evening.

PEOPLE'S TASK IS TO PREVENT ECONOMIC WAR

The auditorium of the M. E. church was well filled at the mass meeting held Sunday evening when Frederick J. Libby of Washington, D. C., was the guest speaker. The gathering was sponsored by the adult education department of the Christian Citizenship League.

Mr. Libby is executive secretary of the National Council for the Prevention of War, and in opening his address, said that Cass City was ahead of most villages in this country in its knowledge of international affairs. These affairs are more critical than a year ago.

The billion dollars which will be spent on the army and navy this year are not for national defense, he said, but to enable our government, if it wants to, to engage in a foreign war.

Our country is situated more favorably than any other great country—3,000 miles from Europe, 5,000 miles from Asia, and with small nations on the north and south. Our shores cannot be invaded except with the aid of a large navy. England and Japan, besides this country, are the possessors of large navies. England's policy is peace at any price with the United States. Japan has made enemies of China and Russia and is busy on her side of the Pacific and has no idea of travelling 5,000 miles to attack the United States. This country must go to Europe or Asia to have a war.

Japan's plan to abolish large vessels in the world's navies as advocated at the London conference, leaving nothing but small vessels for coast defense, would go a long way to eliminate the possibility of war with this country, but the United States demands big ships, according to Mr. Libby. When a nation gets ready for war, they usually find one, said the speaker, citing Italy as a recent example.

Mr. Libby explained that economic pressure through sanctions as applied by the League of Nations to Italy is still in its early stages. This country is an outsider and will stay outside and watch results. He said the United States were drawn into the World War by our desire to make money by selling goods at high prices and many large business firms made huge sums and did not lose them.

"The United States is building a most powerful navy in the world to fight Japan over our interests in China," said Mr. Libby. "Our investments in China are 130 millions of dollars and a war with Japan would cost 40 billions in money, not counting the loss of life. This

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Mrs. Graham, Resident of Cass City Over Half Century

Mrs. Duncan R. Graham, a resident of Cass City for many years, passed away Friday in her home on Houghton street.

Born in the Highlands of Scotland, Feb. 7, 1853, Christina Campbell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Campbell, came with her parents to Ontario when eleven years of age. In 1873, the family moved to Detroit where she lived until May, 1880, when she was united in marriage with Duncan R. Graham and they came to make their home in Cass City. Mr. Graham died on May 23, 1928.

Mrs. Graham was the mother of four sons, three of them having seen active service in foreign lands. John and Alex served their country during the Spanish-American war and Stanley was a member of the Polar Bear regiment in the World War. Mrs. Graham has one other son, Chester.

She has been ill for some time and passed away Friday morning.

Funeral services were held Sunday afternoon in the Baptist church where she was a member and has always been an active worker in all departments of the church and Sunday School. Rev. W. R. Curtis

officiated and burial was in Elkland cemetery.

She is survived by four sons, John, Minnesota; Alex, Detroit; Stanley and Chester of Cass City. She also leaves one sister, Mrs. Sarah McPherson, of Detroit.

EDISON CO. PLANS EXTENSIONS IN THUMB

The Edison Company, in preparing its annual budget, plans to include large sums for its Lake Huron division, the name given to the territory taken over from the Michigan Electric Power Company, comprising Huron, Tuscola, and Sanilac counties and part of Lapeer county.

Among the principal improvements is the development of rural electric service more intensively than the former management was able to undertake.

LOCAL SURGEON WEDS DETROIT TEACHER

Dr. and Mrs. H. T. Donahue Sail for Bermuda on Wedding Trip.

Dr. Harold Theron Donahue of Cass City, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Donahue of Caro, was united in marriage with Alice Shirley Fromm, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Edgar Fromm, at four o'clock on Saturday, Dec. 21, at the beautiful home of the bride's parents in Sherwood Forest, Detroit. The couple chose to have a simple wedding with only the families and a few friends to witness the ceremony. The Rev. Frederick B. Fischer, formerly of Ann Arbor, and now pastor of the Central Methodist church of Detroit, officiated.

They spoke their vows before an improvised altar arranged in the bay window of the living room, where palms, standards of white chrysanthemums and white tapers in cathedral candelabra formed the background.

The bride was given in marriage by her father. She wore a Molyneux model of white quilted crepe made with a short train. The jacket of the gown had large sleeves and flared at the waist into a short peplum. The detail of the tiny buttons down the front of the jacket was repeated in a simple head-dress made of white velvet. She carried a shower bouquet of gardenias and lilies of the valley.

Beatrice Ann Fromm, the bride's sister, was her only attendant. She wore a gown of rust colored moire and carried yellow roses. Jack Donahue assisted his brother as best man.

Mrs. Fromm received her guests in a gown of hunter's green velvet trimmed with white metal cloth. Her corsage was of orchids. The groom's mother wore brown lace and a corsage of gardenias.

A reception for the guests followed the ceremony. The bride's table was centered with the wedding cake and on either end were bowls of pink and white roses and white candles in silver candelabra.

Dr. and Mrs. Donahue left by motor for New York City and will sail for Bermuda on their wedding trip. For going away, the bride wore a dress of wine crystal velvet topped by a seal coat. With this, she wore black accessories. They expect to return from their trip about Jan. 5.

Dr. Donahue graduated from the University of Michigan in June of 1932. After a year of surgery internship in St. Mary's hospital in Detroit, he came to Cass City in July of 1933, to practice his profession. His bride has taught in the public schools of Ann Arbor and Detroit.

Miss Helwig Is Bride of William Withey

A quiet wedding was solemnized on Wednesday, Dec. 25, when Miss Marion A. Helwig of Cass City was united in marriage to William D. Withey of Detroit, son of Mrs. Fred Withey of Cass City. The wedding took place at the home of Mr. Withey's grandmother, Mrs. Agnes Bidleman, in Pontiac.

They will make their home in Detroit where the groom is employed by the Briggs Body Company.

MARRIAGE LICENSE.

Raymond Turner, 23, Akron; Elsie Rohr, 24, Akron.

SANTA CLAUS WAS A BUSY MAN IN THIS COMMUNITY LATELY

Arrived Here on Christmas Eve with 500 Sacks of Candy for Children Who Greeted Him with Shouts of Joy.

BASKETS OF FOOD AND CLOTHING FOR FAMILIES

Santa Claus arrived on schedule time on Christmas Eve as he had promised to do in his "Santagram" published in the Chronicle last week. Five hundred sacks of candy and nuts were in his sleigh and happy children received his gifts with great glee and shouts of rejoicing.

In addition to these gifts to the children on Tuesday evening, 12 families in the community were assured a happy Christmas by baskets of provisions, clothing and footwear.

Dougald Krag, one of the members of the committee composed of several Community Club and Rotary Club representatives, who had the Christmas gifts and street holiday decoration in charge, read a report at the Rotary Club luncheon Tuesday. Sixty-four dollars came from contributions of business men, \$10 from the Community Club, and \$65 were taken from the balance left in the home-coming fund last summer. Mr. Krag and members of his committee were given a rising vote of thanks by the Rotary Club for their excellent handling of the proposition.

There is still a balance of approximately \$50 in the home-coming fund, Mr. Krag, the treasurer, says.

Rotarians were not forgotten by Santa Claus. In an early trip to Cass City Tuesday noon, he passed cigars and candy bars to club members at the midday session.

Manager Schuckert invited Rotary Club members to inspect his new Cass theater, following their luncheon next Tuesday noon.

Flood Control Proposal Rejected

A communication from the War Department division engineer of the Great Lakes Division, Cleveland, in connection with the hearing held at Sebawaing a few months ago with relation to the matter of flood control in the Sebawaing River, says, "that the report thereon, authorized by Act of Congress approved June 11, 1935, has been made and is unfavorable in that a survey is not recommended. The principal grounds upon which the adverse conclusion is based are that, inasmuch as the future participation by the Federal Government in any remedial measures appears to be unjustifiable, there are not sufficient reasons to warrant the United States making a detailed survey at this time."

The communication further says that there remains the privilege of an appeal from this conclusion to the Board of Engineers for Rivers and Harbors, Washington, D. C., and that the appeal must be made within four weeks from December 10.

The matter is being taken under advisement by the Sebawaing Chamber of Commerce and the Village Council. If it is decided to make such appeal, it will be made and filed with the Board of Engineers within the time limit specified.

In any event, the matter will not be allowed to die. One of the Department engineers who was here recently made the statement that if elimination could be made of the two bottle-necks caused by the railroad bridge and Center Street bridge, the Government might interest itself in the project. This matter will be gone into thoroughly, and if a way can be found to correct the two hazards, the Government will again be appealed to for aid providing nothing comes of the appeal if and when it is made.

The engineers expressed no interest in the drain cut-off proposal advanced by local people, claiming that it would not correct the flood evil.—Sebawaing Blade.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Gowan and daughter, Nancy, of Detroit and Keith Gowan of Caro were Christmas guests of Mr. and Mrs. Burt Gowan.

Advertise it in the Chronicle.

Gran'pa Invites Some of the Boys In



SET THE CALENDAR FOR FARMERS' WEEK

Annual Vacation Time for Thousands of Michigan Farmers.

The twenty-first annual Farmers' Week at Michigan State College will cause thousands of Michigan farmers and members of their families to mark their calendars for their vacation at East Lansing from Feb. 3 to 7.

The week is always selected by many farm organizations as the date for their annual meetings, when they decide policies for the next year, review past accomplishments, and elect officers for their group. Some of the groups are concerned with livestock or farm crops but an increasing number of associations are interested primarily in the welfare of the folks on the farm and in ways to make farm life more enjoyable.

Homemakers will have a complete program to which they can devote their time or they can attend any of the sectional meetings. The general meetings at which noted speakers will give talks will be held afternoons and evenings. Entertainment programs will be given on two evenings of the week.

The usual grain, potato, and livestock shows will be held, and the horse pulling contest is going to be the best ever, according to the committee in charge of this event. Michigan exhibitors of farm products had some wonderful exhibits on the fair circuit last fall and some of these will be shown at East Lansing. The shows during Farmers' Week, however, have always been conducted to interest new men and no grower should withhold exhibits because he thinks the older exhibitors have too much experience in the game.

Crops, livestock, farm management, soils, and other sectional meetings will be held before noon each day and will adjourn so that everyone can attend the general meetings. Banquets and luncheons are scheduled nearly every day, and some days a number occur simultaneously.

Pretty Wedding at Warner Home

A very pretty wedding was solemnized on Sunday afternoon, December 22, at three o'clock, when Miss Waunetta M. Warner, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Warner of Cass City, became the bride of Dorus Remington, son of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Remington of Colling. Rev. Libby Supernois, aunt of the groom, performed the ceremony at the home of the bride's parents. The nuptials were read by candlelight at the end of the living room under a large white bell, which centered an arch of evergreens with poinsettia creeping through and a Christmas background. Everywhere were lighted red tapers with bows of white. Only immediate relatives were present.

The bride was lovely in a gown of white satin with long veil and carried a shower bouquet of Johanna Hill roses. Mrs. Cecil Schrieber of Pontiac, cousin of the bride, was her only attendant and she wore a frock of wine colored crepe and carried white rosebuds. Newell Remington attended his brother as best man.

The wedding march was played

by Mrs. Marvin Boney of Pontiac, also a cousin of the bride.

Following the ceremony a wedding dinner was served.

Mrs. Remington is a graduate of the Cass City high school, having graduated with the class of 1933. She has been employed in Pontiac for some time.

Mr. Remington is a graduate of Caro high school and attended Michigan State College at East Lansing.

They will make their home in Flint where the groom is employed at the Fisher Body plant.

Farms Average Over \$1,000 from Milk Sales in 1935

Little do we realize the tremendously important place played by dairy products in the farmers' annual income and its importance as a human food. In the Detroit market, according to the Michigan Milk Producers' Association, Michigan's largest farmers' cooperative marketing association, records show that the nearly 13,000 members producing milk for the Detroit market received on an average a little more than \$1,000 income per farm from their herds this past year.

The income on the same number of cow varies greatly among different producers. According to records of producers, cow income varies from \$50.00 to \$170.00 per cow. There are many factors involved; producers, themselves, have considerable over-production and many farmers regularly eliminate the poorer producing cows.

Milk and its by-products is one of the farm commodities that is used almost exclusively for human consumption. According to the United States Department of Agriculture figures, the uses of all dairy products has been divided as follows: Creamery butter, 34%; fluid milk for cities and villages, 30%; fluid milk on farms, 12%; farm butter, 11%; cheese, 5%; evaporated, condensed, powdered milk, 4%; ice cream, 2%; other uses, 2%.

According to nutritional specialists, the food dollar should be so divided that 40c of each dollar should be used for dairy products to maintain the best health standards.

MOTOR LICENSE TIME IS MOVED AHEAD

The usual extension of one month of the deadline for the purchase of 1936 automobile license plates has been granted by Orville E. Atwood, secretary of state. The order specifies that new plates must be purchased by midnight Friday, Jan. 31, if cars are to be driven.

Other states will be notified of Atwood's decision and will be requested to be guided by it, so far as Michigan plates are concerned. Motorists contemplating driving out of Michigan any time after January 1, however, are cautioned that inconvenience may result if they carry 1935 plates; in many states January 1 is the absolute deadline each year.

Surprised on 21st Wedding Anniversary

Rev. and Mrs. E. R. Willson were pleasantly surprised on their return from the Sutton church Christmas program Monday evening to find a large crowd of friends and neighbors at their home to help celebrate their twenty-first wedding anniversary.

sary. Rev. R. Terwilliger presented them, in behalf of those present, with a beautiful table lamp and a purse of money. A delicious pot-luck supper was served, and many returns of the day and of the Christmas season were extended from one to another.

WILL PAY 10% DIVIDEND

The Tuscola Sugar Beet Growers, Inc., will pay a 10% dividend to patrons who paid their fertilizer purchases in cash. Checks will be sent out about Jan. 1, says Emory Lounsbury of Cass City, treasurer of the organization. Henry Lane of Fairgrove is the president.

BEAN THIEVES ARE SENT TO PRISON

Three Detroiters Get \$7.64, but Draw Terms of Six Months Each.

As the result of the theft of four bags of beans from the sale of which they realized \$7.64, three Detroit men, Wm. Hahn, 24; Raymond Hahn, 20; and Norman Hahn, 18, each received a sentence of six months in the Michigan Reformatory at Ionia, from Judge L. C. Cramton, in the Tuscola circuit court on Monday.

The three left Detroit on Thursday, Dec. 19, came to Flint and slept in a car on the Dort highway until Friday morning, when they drove to the Scheifer farm, west of Millington, where Norman Hahn had previously been employed. Here they took four bags of beans from the barn to the Michigan Bean Co.'s elevator at Millington and sold them for \$7.64.

At Millington, they excited suspicion and Deputy Sheriff John Gleason followed them back to the Scheifer farm where he placed them under arrest as vagrants. A search of their car revealed a sales memorandum of the beans transaction and they were brought to the county jail at Caro. Here they signed confessions before Sheriff George Jeffrey giving information regarding the theft.

Monday, in circuit court, they pleaded guilty and received their sentences and Tuesday they were taken by the sheriff's department to Ionia to commence their prison terms of six months each.

Milton Huffman of Lapeer pleaded guilty on Nov. 13 to the charge of unlawfully driving away a motor vehicle and was brought into the circuit court for sentence on Monday. Judge Cramton placed him on probation for three years and ordered him to pay costs of \$25 to the county.

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Third Payment on Segregated Assets

Frank H. Reid, Neil McLarty, and M. B. Auten, trustees of segregated assets of the Cass City State Bank, are announcing in an advertisement in the Chronicle today that 20 percent payments are being made to all holders of certificates of participation. The amount of these payments will total \$28,424.05.

This is the third payment on trust funds to be made by this bank since its opening after reorganization on March 12, 1934, when 50 percent of the deposits was available to depositors.

Farm Record Book Free on Request

January and February are the months when farm operators customarily think of completing their farm inventory and starting a new record for the coming year.

The farmer in conducting his business derives his income from his capital investments, labor and management. To have a full understanding of how various activities on the farm are progressing financially, he must keep some sort of a farm record. Books prepared for this purpose can be obtained from many sources including the county agricultural agent's office at Caro. At that office two books are available, one prepared and sponsored by Michigan State College and the other by the Agricultural Adjustment Administration at Washington. One of the latter will be mailed free of charge to anyone sending his request to the county agent.

BASIL O'DELL FOUND DEAD BY BROTHER AT NEW GREENLEAF

Caught by Belt in Stopping Gas Engine at Elevator of the Frutchey Bean Company on Thursday, Dec. 19.

LIGHTNING KILLED HIS BROTHER 3 YEARS AGO

Basil O'Dell, 18, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse O'Dell of Elmwood township, was found dead in the engine room of the Frutchey Bean Company at New Greenleaf, at noon on Thursday, Dec. 19, by his brother, Harvey.

Basil O'Dell had gone to the engine room to stop the gas engine when it had been decided not to run the elevator machinery during the noon hour. In order to stop the engine, it is necessary to throw out the clutch and cut off the fuel. The engine runs a short time after the fuel is cut off. While no one knows just what happened, as the young man was alone at the time of the accident, it is probable that he was caught in the engine belt. The body was badly bruised and mangled when discovered by his brother, also an employee at the elevator plant. Basil O'Dell had been employed there about two months.

Funeral services were conducted at the home of the young man's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse O'Dell, in Elmwood township, on Saturday afternoon, by the Rev. Mr. Mellich of Lapeer. Burial was in the Elmwood cemetery.

Basil O'Dell was born in Wisner township, Tuscola county, on Jan. 10, 1917, and the major part of his life has been spent in this county. For the past ten years, he has lived in Elmwood township. He was a member of the Junior Grange.

Three years ago in June, while working in a field, Basil's brother, Donald O'Dell, 22, was killed by lightning. Basil, who was with his brother, was stunned by the stroke and was unconscious for several hours.

Basil O'Dell leaves his parents; seven brothers, Reader O'Dell of Mikado, Mich., John of Gateway, Mont., Arthur of Flint, Harvey of New Greenleaf, and Mark, Quinton and Mack, at home, and two sisters, Mrs. Robert Hord of Detroit and Dorothy O'Dell, at home.

Michigan First in Beans and Cherries


A final survey of the 1935 crop season shows that the total farm value of the principal field and fruit crops produced in Michigan this year was \$124,985,000 or about two per cent less than the figure of \$127,668,000 for 1934. According to the report just released by Jas. F. Thomson, Commissioner of agriculture, and Verne H. Church, U. S. Agricultural Statistician, Michigan farmers harvested a total crop acreage three per cent larger than last year with yields per acre about 20 per cent above the ten-year average. This increase in volume of production was offset by lower prices on most crops, although most of the reduction in total valuation this year compared with last was caused by the decline in hay prices.

The situation from a cash income standpoint is, therefore, more favorable. Preliminary figures indicate that the cash farm income for the total 1935 crop production in Michigan will probably be in the neighborhood of \$69,700,000, about 12 per cent more than the \$61,510,000 for 1934. Total cash farm income from both crops and livestock is expected to amount to approximately \$169,000,000 as against \$149,292,000 in 1934 and \$133,784,000 in 1933.

Compared with other states, Michigan ranked first in the production of field beans and cherries in 1935, third in production of potatoes, sugar beets, and grapes, fifth in the production of alfalfa hay and peaches, and sixth in the production of rye, red and alsike clover seed, and pears.

DIVORCE DECREES GRANTED.

In the divorce case of Helen Dennis vs. Gordon Dennis, a decree was granted, custody of the children was given to the mother, and alimony was fixed at \$5 a week. The case was heard in the Tuscola circuit court on Monday.



We could spend a week and use a ream of paper and never be able to write anything finer or better than to say we wish you

A HAPPY NEW YEAR!

Kennedy's Grocery and Creamery

Cass City



Until now we've never kept a New Year's resolution. But here's one we WILL remember: No needless frowning, worrying, or weeping in '36. And here's hoping YOU'LL be just as cheerful, in a long year of happiness and good cheer.

N. Bigelow & Sons



May we extend—

... to you season's greetings, and a whole-hearted wish for 12 months of happiness and good cheer? May all good things come your way, regardless of how the past year has dealt with you. This greeting comes to you from all those connected with

THE GREAT ATLANTIC & PACIFIC TEA CO.



We welcome this time because it gives us a chance of telling you how much we have appreciated your patronage, and we sincerely hope you will allow us the privilege of continuing to serve you.

Ricker & Krahling



Doerr's Restaurant

Turning Back the Pages

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

Thirty-five Years Ago.
Dec. 28, 1900.

William and Chris Schwaderer returned from their western trip last Saturday. They went as far west as Seattle and Victoria.

The nightwatch is on the lookout for all teams standing too long on the streets during the winter nights. Tuesday evening he sent a rig from Novesta home.

The Christmas festival at the Evangelical church was heartily enjoyed by all present. The program included songs and recitations which were nicely rendered by the following Sunday School scholars: Bertha Benkelman, Paul Bien, Mabel Ahr, Laura Maier, Fred Nolte, Susie Race, Willie Bien, Elsie Buehry, Amanda Muck, Lizzie Nolte, Kate Schwegler, Fred Buehry, Mary Buehry, Stanley Bien, Cora Helwig, Joe Benkelman, Fred Maier, Ed Mark, Enid Brown, Dan Ahr, Alice Striffler, Philip Muck, Maggie and Laura Striffler, George Klump, Alma Striffler, Clara Lenzner, Emma Muck and Lydia Klump.

George Kolb of St. Johns has purchased the S. Benkelman farm east and north of town and will move his family there in the near future.

A union watch night service will be held at the M. E. church on Dec. 31, 1900, to watch the 19th century out and the 20th century in. The following will participate in the program: Rev. C. H. Morgan, Rev. A. Torbet, Rev. E. Rushbrook, Rev. F. Klump, Fred A. Bigelow, Mrs. A. J. Knapp, Laura Klump and Bertha McKenzie.

Twenty-five Years Ago.
Dec. 30, 1910.

Members of the Mickle family gathered at the home of Hart Mickle Sunday to celebrate the 50th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Mickle of Novesta township.

Thursday evening, Dec. 22, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Schenck of Sault Ste. Marie, Frank McCauley of Cass City and Miss Catherine Thompson of Moose Jaw, Sask., were united in wedlock.

Announcements have been received of the marriage of Charles Henry Schenck and Miss Marion Bishop in Milwaukee on Dec. 21.

Miss Mabel Fay of Beaufort and Floyd McComb of Greenleaf were united in marriage at the Evangelical parsonage Wednesday afternoon by Rev. J. A. Schweitzer.

The M. E. Sunday School has elected the following officers for 1911: Supt., I. A. Fritz; ass't. supt., E. W. Jones; Supt. of home dept., E. W. Keating; sec., Paul Fritz; treas., Vern Schenck; librarian, Bertha Wood; organist, Carola Fritz; chorister, Mrs. Dora Fritz; teachers, T. W. Stitt, Mrs. William Withey, Mrs. W. B. Weaver, H. M. Willis, H. R. Wager, F. A. Bigelow, Chas. Young, A. S. Williams, E. W. Jones, Mrs. N. McLaren, Miss Bryant, Miss Ethel Gallagher, Mrs. Andrew Schmidt and Mrs. Dora Fritz.

The following students are spending their vacations at their homes here: Earl McKim, Adah Caldwell and Cecil Krapf of Ann Arbor; Lewis McGeorge of Lake Forest, Ill.; Burt Mead of Lansing; Clifford Edgerton of Alma; Lucile Schenck of Albion; Ernest Schwaderer and Glen Benkelman of Lafayette, Ind.

RESCUE.

A Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year to one and all.

Mrs. Lee Clemons visited Saturday in Flint.

Mrs. Sherman of Ann Arbor is spending the winter with her daughter, Mrs. Ostrum Summers.

Kenneth Maharg of Mt. Pleasant is spending the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Maharg.

A large crowd attended the Christmas program and tree at the Heron school house last Thursday evening.

Mrs. DeEtte J. Mellendorf and sons were in Bad Axe last Tuesday and dinner guests at the John MacAlpine home.

Max Webster is working at LaBelle's garage in Bad Axe.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Putman and daughter, Gertrude, were callers in Bay City one day last week.

A nice crowd attended the Ladies' Aid at the George Hartsell home last Thursday and will meet on Thursday, Jan. 2, at the Arthur Ellicott home.

Miss Frieda Parker of Ypsilanti is spending her vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ulysses G. Parker.

Miss Lula Ashmore is spending some time with her brother, Samuel Ashmore, and wife near Elkton.

RURAL SCHOOLS

Rescue School.

Teacher, Catherine MacLachlan. Reporter, Fredrick Britt.

We had our Christmas program on Tuesday, Dec. 24.

Euleta, Wilma and Elda Hartsell are new pupils in our school. We

hope Roland and Orville will soon be able to start.

Those winning in the spelling contest were: Eugene Longuski, first prize; Marguerite Cummins, second prize in the higher grades; and Madelyn O'Rourke, first prize; and Elinore Longuski, second prize, in the lower grades.

Our visitors this week were: Audrey Webster, William Hartsell, Gertrude Putman and Morris and Perry Mellendorf.

Those who received "A's" and "B's" on their report cards this month were: John Ashmore, Marguerite Cummins, Edna Ellis, Eugene Longuski, Gladys Longuski, Isabel and Marie Martin, Madelyn O'Rourke, Jackie O'Rourke, Lawrence Summers.

Those being neither tardy nor absent during the month are: John, Justus and Theodore Ashmore, Harold Cummins, Marguerite Cummins, Edna and Grace Ellis, Sylvia Fay, Gladys Longuski, Alton and Clifton Summers.

Obituary

John Walmsley.

Funeral services were held Monday afternoon in the Baptist church for John Walmsley, who passed away Friday at his home here. Rev. W. R. Curtis officiated and burial was in Elkland cemetery.

John Walmsley was born Dec. 23, 1872, in Cass City and has lived here all of his life. He has been ill for some time.

He is survived by his widow and seven children, Andrew Walmsley, Caro; William and Mrs. Charlotte Crandell of Frederic, Mich.; Mrs. Martha Clark of Pontiac; Charles, James and Mary Isabelle at home, and three sisters, Mrs. A. D. Gillies and Mrs. Samuel Bigelow, both of Cass City, and Mrs. Belle Giles, Maplewood, N. J.

Funeral services Monday were held on Mr. Walmsley's 63rd birthday.

Donald Livingston.

Donald Livingston, former resident of Greenleaf township, died Thursday afternoon at Sandusky, where he made his home with George Richards, deputy sheriff.

Funeral services were held Sunday afternoon from the McPhail funeral home. Rev. P. J. Allured, pastor of the local Presbyterian church, officiated and burial was in Elkland cemetery.

Donald Livingston was born April 29, 1869, in Ontario and when a boy came to Greenleaf township where he resided until about two years ago, when he went to Sandusky.


He is survived by three brothers and two sisters, Dr. G. M. Livingston and Mrs. Albert Myron of Highland Park; Archie Livingston of Greenleaf; Hector Livingston of Roscommon and Mrs. F. J. Stocking of Detroit.

Mrs. Mary Southworth.

Mrs. Mary Southworth passed away at the home of her son, Bert, near Ellington on Wednesday, Dec. 11, at the age of 94 years. Funeral services were held on Friday at the Sutton church. Rev. Mr. Clark of the M. P. church of Caro officiated. Burial was in the Ellington cemetery beside her husband, a Civil War veteran, who passed away 25 years ago.

Mrs. Southworth is survived by two sons, Bert of Ellington and Melvin of Cass City; two daughters, Mrs. Will Wolverson of Flint and Mrs. Nell Guilds of Pontiac. An aged sister living at Elmira, N. Y., was unable to attend the funeral.

Do You Know—



That on July 25, 1909, Louis Bleriot of France flew across the English channel (from Calais to Dover) a distance of 21 miles in 37 minutes? At that time this was the longest flight ever made and was considered a very remarkable feat.

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Food Value of Avocado

The edible portion of an avocado contains 2.1 per cent protein, 20.1 per cent fat, 7.4 per cent carbohydrate, and 993 calories per pound.

Announcement!

NO PLEASURE we may have as the old year ends will be as great as that of wishing all of you a Happy, Prosperous, Healthful 1936.

The demand for fine funeral service is universal. Here anyone may have that kind of service at moderate prices.

EARL DOUGLAS FUNERAL HOME

Ambulance Service

PHONE 188 F-3




Whatever the New Year may bring we face it unafraid. For the friendships of the many whom we have served in the past give us courage and hope for the future. For your kindness may we take this opportunity to express our sincere appreciation, and to extend all the greetings of the season.

McLELLAN'S

Cass City Cream—Eggs—Poultry

The Tide Has Turned

The tide of business which has been running so low during the past few years seems to have turned again toward the coast of Prosperity. The tide of our good wishes for our friends and patrons never runs low and never turns from a full flow of good will!



We enter the New Year with the determination to excell our past efforts to please you and co-operate with you every hour of every day during the coming year.


May 1936 bring you all of the good things you've been wishing for and may this holiday season be the best you've ever spent.

Cass City State Bank

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Improved Uniform International SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

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Lesson for December 29

REVIEW: SIGNIFICANCE OF THE EXILE AND THE RESTORATION

GOLDEN TEXT—The mercy of the Lord is from everlasting to everlasting upon them that fear him, and his righteousness unto children's children.—Psalm 103:17.

PRIMARY TOPIC—How God Restored His People.

JUNIOR TOPIC—How God Restored His People.

INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC—Learning From Great Men.

YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC—God's Providence in History.

The method of review must be determined by the teacher. The grade of the class, the aptitude of the scholars, and the genius of the teacher are features to be considered. For senior and adult classes, the following suggestions are made:

I. Study the Lessons of the Quarter as illustrating the Philosophy of History in God's Dealings With His People in Their Captivity and Restoration.

Assignment of topics should be made at least one week in advance. Only adult classes could be expected to use this method. The following subjects might be assigned:

Why God permitted Israel to go into exile.

What cure the exile effected for Israel.

What changed views of life resulted from the exile.

The bearing of the exile upon prophecy.

The relationship of divine chastening to divine love.

II. Character Study.

Assign the outstanding heroes of the quarter's lessons to members of the class to have them report. This assignment should be made at least one week in advance. Some of the outstanding characters for consideration are Isaiah, Jeremiah, Ezekiel, Daniel, Nehemiah, Ezra, Zerubbabel, and Malachi.

III. Summary of Contents.

This is a method readily usable at all times, and it can be adopted to most of the grades. The following suggestions are made for the carrying out of this method:

Lesson 1. The prophecy of Isaiah is the grand center of the Old Testament. It pictures the Servant of Jehovah, with great wisdom, gloriously executing the divine purpose of redemption, at the cost of great suffering.

Lesson 2. Before he was born, Jeremiah was ordained by God as a prophet to the nations. He so really took to heart the doom which awaited his people that he wept sorely.

Lesson 3. Jeremiah stood in the gate of the temple in order that the multitudes might hear him. He told the people that God required them to amend their ways, solemnly warning them of impending judgments.

Lesson 4. While Belshazzar and his lords were engaged in drunken revelry, the mysterious hand recorded the divine judgment. There is a coming day of judgment.

Lesson 5. Because of Judah's apostasy, God permitted the Babylonians to destroy Jerusalem and take the Jews into captivity.

Lesson 6. Ezekiel sets forth personal responsibility. On his part, it was to hear God's word and to sound forth the warning. The people's responsibility was to hear and obey.

Lesson 7. Though Israel went into captivity as a chastisement, in due time the Lord restored them. In due time God will make good his covenant agreement with the Jews.

Lesson 8. God used these prophets to stir up the people to build God's house.

Lesson 9. Ezra was commissioned to lead the people to forsake their sins and return to God.

Lesson 10. On hearing of the distress of his brethren in Jerusalem, Nehemiah took the matter to the Lord in prayer. The Lord gave him favor with the king, permitting him to go back to build the walls of Jerusalem, bearing credentials of authority from the king.

Lesson 11. The method used in bringing the people back to God was the reading of the Word of God to them. Because the Word was made plain to the people, they repented of their sins.

Lesson 12. Malachi, as an aid to Nehemiah in effecting reforms, pointed out the sins of the people. He set forth a day of judgment when righteous retribution would be meted out to the wicked, and rewards given to the faithful.

A Crisis

Let this thought, then, be lodged deeply in every youthful mind, that now is the crisis of life—that every hour of time, every habit of thought, feeling, or action, the book or paper you read, the words you hear, the companions you associate with, the purposes you cherish, each makes its indelible mark, and all combine and work together in forming you for future honor, usefulness and happiness, or for shame, misery, and death.—Collyer.

Church News

Ellington Church of the Nazarene—W. S. Hubbard, Pastor.

Sunday Bible School at 10:30 a. m. Morning worship at 11:30. N. Y. P. S. at 7:15. Howard Wells, leader. Evangelistic service at 8:00 p. m. Sermon, "The Necessity of a Clean Heart." Rev. and Mrs. Hubbard will sing "O Make Me Clean," by Rev. George Bennard.

Methodist Episcopal Parish — Charles Bayless, Minister. Sunday, Dec. 29:

Cass City Church—Class meeting, 10:00, John Mark, leader.

Morning worship, 10:30, with vested choir. Children's story and sermon, "New Years for Old."

Sunday School, 11:45, Walter Schell, supt. Lesson quarterlies for the first part of 1936 distributed. Begin "right" by getting yours personally next Sunday, Dec. 29.

Bethel Church—Sunday School, 11:00, Herbert Maharg, supt. A friendly, helpful fellowship in Christian education. Come!

Morning worship, 12:00 (noon), with choir, children's story, and sermon.

Monday, Dec. 30—A snow frolic for young people, weather permitting. An evening beginning out-of-doors, and finishing at the church for "thaw out," games, and eats. Details Sunday.

Thursday, Jan. 2—Midweek service for prayer and Bible study with one of our "shut-ins." Place announced Sunday.

Evangelical Church—G. A. Spitzer, Minister.

Church school, 10:00 a. m. Adult topic, "God's Providence in History." Senior topic, "Caring for the Orphans and the Aged."

Morning worship service at 11:00. Communion service conducted by Rev. C. A. Wilkie of Bay City. Choir anthem.

Christian Endeavor service at 6:45. Senior topic, "My Hopes for the New Year." Leader, Miss Mildred Schweger.

Evening worship service at 7:45. The sermon theme will be "Discipleship." Special music.

Prayer service Thursday night at 7:45 p. m.

Presbyterian Church—Paul J. Alured, Minister. Sunday, Dec. 29:

Morning worship and church school, 10:30 to 12:30. Sermon: "Pressing Onward Toward the Goal." (Philippians 3:12-14).

Guild class: Study XIII. "Christmas Through the Year." Adult class: "Significance of the Exile and Restoration." (Psalm 126.)

Christian Endeavor, 6:00.

Joint evening service, 7:45, in this church. A song and devotional service will be followed with a presentation by Mr. Bayless of the religious truths of the drama, "The Servant in the House."

Midweek church conference, Thursday, Jan. 2.

Next Sunday, Jan. 5, communion service.

Mennonite Church — Sunday morning at 10:00, preaching in the Riverside church. 11:00 a. m., Sunday school.

10:30 a. m., preaching in the Mizpah church by John Tuckey.

Prayer meeting Wednesday evening.

Evening service in the Riverside church. Preaching by John Tuckey. Singing school Monday evening in the Mizpah church.

B. Douglass, Pastor.

Six Cylinder Sentences

By DR. JOHN W. HOLLAND

Contentment is the mind's shock absorber.

It is usually safe to avoid the man who boasts of his righteousness.

When a man's religion is laid aside with his Sunday clothes, his week-day conduct is usually ragged.

Legal honor is sometimes but a narrow line running midway between honesty and dishonesty.

I have never read an argument against God powerful enough to make me disbelieve in my mother's God.

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Local Happenings

Miss Beryl Koepfgen of Midland is spending two weeks at her home here.

Bud McNamara visited his mother, Mrs. Alma McNamara, at Midland Wednesday.

Miss Mary Dailey left last week for Detroit where she expects to remain for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles D. Striffler left Monday to spend a few days with relatives in Detroit.

Miss Beatrice McClorey, who is employed at Rochester, is spending the week at her home here.

Miss Virginia Day of North Muskegon came Saturday to spend the holidays with her mother, Mrs. Zora Day.

Mrs. Walter Markin and daughter, Marilyn, of Detroit visited the former's mother, Mrs. George Kolb, Sunday.

Mrs. Geo. Kastruba and daughter of Detroit visited the former's sister, Mrs. Wallie Ball, a few days last week.

Miss Esther Dillman of Ann Arbor came Monday evening to spend Christmas and a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Dillman.

Mrs. John Kenney, who has been visiting at the home of her daughter in Detroit, came Friday and will remain some time with her son, Mr. E. Kenney.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Kosanke of Detroit visited the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kosanke, Saturday afternoon and Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Kosanke returned to Detroit with them to spend the winter with their son.

Dr. Colin C. McRae of San Francisco, California, who was called to Cass City last week by the death of his mother, Mrs. Christopher McRae, made the trip from San Francisco to Detroit by airplane. Dr. McRae remained to spend Christmas in Cass City.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Stafford of Caro were entertained Sunday at the home of the former's father, W. O. Stafford.

Miss Thelma Hunt of Ionia, Miss Catherine Hunt of West Branch and Russell Hunt of Ypsilanti are spending the holidays at their home here.

Miss Leone Lee of Marshall is at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Lee, for the Christmas vacation. Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Van of Detroit also spent Christmas at the Lee home.

John Rainey of McFall, Missouri, came Saturday to visit his daughter, Mrs. Glenn Folkert. Miss Marjorie Rainey of Traverse City also spent Christmas with her sister, Mrs. Folkert.

The Malfem club were entertained at the home of Mrs. Charles Donnelly Friday afternoon. A social time was enjoyed and each guest received a gift from the beautiful tree. Refreshments were served.

Mrs. Sam Vyse was elected president of the Art club Friday afternoon when the club met at the Vyse home. Other officers elected are: Mrs. I. W. Hall, vice president; Mrs. Ben Kirton, secretary-treasurer; Mrs. Edward Golding and Mrs. Henry Tate, flower committee. Plans were made for distributing Christmas baskets. A delightful supper was served by the hostess.

The Woman's Missionary Society of the Baptist church met Thursday afternoon, Dec. 19, at the home of Mrs. Harold Reed. The program was in charge of Mrs. Frank Burgess. The following officers were elected for the coming year: President, Mrs. Stanley McArthur; first vice president, Mrs. Joe Clement; second vice president, Mrs. Leo Ware; secretary, Mrs. Harold Reed; treasurer, Mrs. Frank Hall; chairman of program committee, Mrs. Harry Young.



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would the joys of mankind be increased? Probably not . . . for anticipation is everything in life to those of us on earth. What will happen tomorrow . . . next week . . . next month? These are the questions we unconsciously ask ourselves every minute of our lives. Now that the New Year is upon us, we wonder anxiously what 1936 will bring. No one can say; but we can all hope and work to make it happy. We take this opportunity to extend sincere hopes for your happiness in the coming year, and to assure you that we will do all in our power to cooperate with you to make 1936 the best and happiest year ever. So here's a "Happy New Year" to the people of this community.

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Stanley Asher, Manager

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BEAULEY.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Dulmage were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Alton Young for Christmas day.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Hartsell, Mr. and Mrs. Alva MacAlpine and T. H. Wallace ate Christmas dinner with W. O. Stafford and family at Cass City.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Moore and family and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Ellicott and family were Christmas guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Hartsell of Kingston.

Mrs. Eva Moore had as Christmas guests George Charter and Mr. and Mrs. Herman Charter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Haskett Blair and daughters and Mrs. Jane Martin and Miss Beatrice Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. William McClish, Shirley Hill and George Hill of Owosso were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hill Sunday. George will spend his vacation with his parents. He is a student at Central High, Flint.

Mrs. W. J. Moore left for Lansing where she will spend the holidays with relatives.

Delayed News.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Heron entertained in honor of their niece and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Alton Young, at a miscellaneous shower Thursday evening, Dec. 12. A delightful evening was spent.

The W. H. M. S. of Grant church were entertained by the Cass City Auxiliary at the home of Mrs. I. A. Fritz at their December meeting and had a very delightful time. A splendid program was given.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Dulmage received word that their niece, Miss Elizabeth Dulmage, passed away Wednesday. She had been in invalid for years. Her brother, Robert, was killed two months ago in an auto accident. They are children of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Dulmage of Saginaw. Sympathy is extended to the bereaved family. Mr. Dulmage was a former Grant boy.

Northwest Elmwood.

Jake Geese is able to be up and around a little after his long illness of pneumonia.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Knoble of Avoca were Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Blondell.

Mr. and Mrs. Harlan Hobart and son, Bennie, were visitors at the Roy Lafave home Sunday evening.

Miss Elizabeth Freeman entertained the Girls' Club Monday evening at her home.

Christmas Guests.

Clayton Hobart left the early part of last week for Portsmouth, Ohio. From there, he and his daughter, Elaine, are motoring to Washington, D. C., to spend Christmas with his son, Harold Hobart.

Miss Selma Koch of Caro is home for the holidays.

Christmas guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Freeman were Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Freeman and Miss Marie Klein of Gagetown, Mr. and Mrs. Willard Cornell of Grayling, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Comment and Lawrence Freeman of Pontiac.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Carolan and family of Bay City were Christmas guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harlan Hobart.

Christmas guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Grappan were Mrs. Myrtle Teller and children, Lloyd and Carol.

Guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Lafave were Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Carolan and family; Mrs. Anna Lafave, Mrs. Mary Carolan, and Miss Evelyn Sias.

CASS CITY MARKETS.

Dec. 26, 1935.

Buying price—	
Wheat, No. 2, mixed, bushel....	.84
Oats, bushel.....	.24
Rye, bushel.....	.47
Beans, cwt.....	1.80
Light Red Kidney Beans, cwt.	3.75
Dark Red Kidney Beans, cwt.	4.50
Spartan Barley, cwt.....	.90
Six-row barley, cwt.....	1.25
Buckwheat, cwt.....	.80
Peas, cwt.....	1.50
Butterfat, pound.....	.35
Butter, pound.....	.30
Eggs, dozen.....	.28
Cattle pound.....	.04
Calves, pound.....	.10
Hogs, pound.....	.09
Broilers, pound.....	.12
Hens, pound.....	.18
White Ducks, 4 1/2 pounds.....	.19
Colored Ducks, pound.....	.13
Turkeys, pound.....	.22
Geese, pound.....	.14

LOCALS

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Townsend were visitors in Inlay City Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Duane Geister and children of Decker were guests at the John Whale home Thursday.

Miss Nellie Armitage is spending two weeks with her sister at Caseville.

George Ball of Wickware spent from Wednesday until Sunday with his nephew, Wallie Ball.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Martin of Deford spent Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Levi Bardwell.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Benkelman and two sons were guests of Detroit relatives Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Donahue expect to leave in two weeks to spend the winter in Florida.

Mrs. M. M. Moore left Monday morning to spend Christmas with her son, Garrison Moore, and other relatives in Detroit.

Arthur Whale and Malcolm Whale, both of Detroit, visited the former's mother, Mrs. Isabelle Whale, Wednesday, Dec. 18.

Miss Mary Molnar of Wyandotte is spending some time with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Molnar.

Donald Caister, who is attending Asbury College, Wilmore, Ky., is spending the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Caister.

Miss Freda Parker of Gagetown, a student at Cleary Business College at Ypsilanti, spent from Friday until Sunday here as the guest of Miss Frances Seed.

F. A. Bliss spent from Tuesday until Thursday with his daughter, Miss Doris Bliss, in Port Huron. Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Dunn of Concord were also guests of Miss Bliss.

Mrs. Lemuel O'Camp returned Tuesday from a week's visit with her daughter, Mrs. Walter Shuster, and with her brother, Charles Darling, in Detroit.

Lucile and Linda Mae Thiel of Midland came Sunday evening and spent a few days with their father, Henry Thiel, and sister, Mrs. Owen Zapfe.

Mrs. Seth Spencer, who has been caring for her mother, Mrs. Charles Krainer, who has been ill at her home in Detroit, returned to Cass City last week leaving her mother some better.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Patchell and daughter, Barbara, of Detroit visited Cass City relatives Thursday and Friday. Mrs. Andrew Schwieger and daughter, Joan, who had spent a few days in Detroit, returned to Cass City with them.

Mrs. Jack Ryland spent Monday and Tuesday in Cleveland. Mr. Ryland, an engineer on the boat, Lafayette Brown, returned home with her to spend the winter here. Maxine, Lucile and Richard Morgan of Wayne returned to Cass City with them and spent Christmas with their aunt, Mrs. M. D. Hart.

A Christmas candlelight vesper was arranged and conducted by Miss Lena Joos for members of the Evangelical Christian Endeavor League on Sunday evening. Two Christmas stories were presented—the Bible story and Dickens' "Christmas Carol." The service also included special Christmas music.

A unique attraction of Carol Heller's party, honoring her twelfth birthday Saturday afternoon, was a beautifully decorated cake made by Mrs. Heller with the names of the twenty girls present inscribed on it in pink frosting. Games were arranged by the hostess, and a delicious supper was served at small tables. Many gifts were placed under the lighted Christmas tree for Carol.

Dr. G. M. Livingston and Mrs. Albert Myron, both of Highland Park, spent Sunday and Monday morning as guests of their cousin, Mrs. G. W. Landon, and attended the funeral of their brother, Donald Livingston. Other guests Sunday at the Landon home were Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Rich of Decker and Archie Livingston of Greenleaf.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Urquhart of Cass City and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Emigh and daughter, Lois, of Hay Creek were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Oakley Phetteplace in Ann Arbor from Tuesday until Thursday. Albert Whitfield and Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Urquhart and baby also spent Christmas at the Phetteplace home in Ann Arbor.

Mrs. Stanley Warner of Cass City and Mrs. David Orr of Caro spent Tuesday, Dec. 17, in Pontiac where they attended a miscellaneous shower in honor of their daughter and sister, Miss Wametta Warner, given at the home of Mrs. Marvin Boney, cousin of Miss Warner.

Officers and deputies at the court house are not always seriously minded even though their work is of that nature, and when they "throw a party," there's plenty of fun. Monday, after the five o'clock closing hour, a Christmas party furnished the occasion of an exchange of joke gifts and the serving of popcorn, candy, and peanuts. County Clerk Morrison presented a strong man juggling act that would set back a Barnum & Bailey act of that class in the mediocre column.

Owen Zapfe of Flint visited his family here Tuesday night and Wednesday.

Miss Janet Allured of Coleman is spending the week with her parents, Rev. and Mrs. P. J. Allured.

Mrs. Luella Mann spent Christmas with her daughter, Mrs. Austin McCallister, at Detroit and will spend New Year's with friends in Rochester.

CHRISTMAS GUESTS

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Smith spent Christmas with their son, Morley Smith, in Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Seth Spencer and son, Billie, spent Christmas with relatives in Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Bohnsack entertained at Christmas dinner Mr. and Mrs. George Bohnsack of Caro and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bohnsack of Mt. Pleasant.

Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Walker and son, Harold, of Argyle spent Christmas with Mrs. Walker's sister, Mrs. James McMahon.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Kelly spent Christmas Eve with relatives in Saginaw and Christmas day with relatives in Royal Oak.

Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Benkelman and William Akerman were Christmas dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Benkelman.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Jackson and children were guests of Mr. Jackson's sister, Miss Gladys Jackson, in Detroit for Christmas.

Guests at the home of Mrs. Agnes Cooley for Christmas were Fanny Maier and sons, Edward and Fred, and daughter, Miss Laura Maier.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Allen of Leslie came Tuesday evening to spend Christmas at the home of Mrs. Allen's sister, Mrs. E. W. Douglas.

Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Krug were entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Archie McLachlin at Greenleaf for Christmas.

Mrs. S. H. Brown spent Christmas with her daughter, Mrs. Theo Hendrick, at Cedar Run.

Dr. and Mrs. F. D. McIntyre and son, Donald, of Detroit spent Christmas with Mrs. McIntyre's father, P. S. McGregory, and sister, Mrs. Ethel McCoy.

Mr. and Mrs. Erwin Wanner and daughters, Mary Lou and Phyllis, were Christmas guests at the home of Mr. Wanner's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Wanner.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Henry and son, Delbert, left Tuesday evening to spend Christmas with relatives in Detroit. They returned home Thursday morning.

Christmas guests at the John Dillman home were Mrs. I. K. Reid, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Allen and son, Merritt, of Cass City, and Miss Esther Dillman of Ann Arbor.

Mr. and Mrs. Manford Kirton and children, Mrs. Thessa Sharrard and Charles Walker, all of Argyle, and Mrs. Jessie Gotts and children were Christmas guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Kirton.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Anthes entertained on Christmas, Mr. and Mrs. John Race and three daughters of Pontiac, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Paul, and Mr. and Mrs. John Sovey.

Christmas guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Lorentzen near Deford were Mrs. John Lorentzen, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Teshe and children and Mr. and Mrs. Donald Lorentzen of Hemans.

Guests entertained at the E. W. Kercher home for Christmas were Mr. and Mrs. Roy Graham and son, Ferris, of Caro, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Ham Joos and family and Miss Eva Sovey.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Read entertained Christmas dinner Mr. and Mrs. Leo McLean of Shabbona, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Bigham and sons, Vernon and Basil, of Cass City on Christmas day.

Mr. and Mrs. John Whale entertained on Christmas day, Mrs. Isabelle Whale of Cass City, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Clark, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Chase and son, Melvin, and granddaughter, Melvina Chase, of Deford.

Those who enjoyed Christmas with Mrs. Violet Bearss were Miss Blossie Crane of Fairgrove, Mrs. Fay Crane and daughters, Miss Katherine and Miss Florence, Mr. and Mrs. Will McBurney, Mr. and Mrs. Lora Brown, Mr. and Mrs. James Crane and two sons, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Crane.

Christmas guests at the Cloud Karr home were Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Karr and daughter, Wanda, of Gagetown, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Karr and daughter, Miss Ruth, of Cass City, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Thane and children of Fairgrove, Richard, Melvin and Miss Blanch McLean, Mrs. Clara Vaden and family of Argyle.

Rev. and Mrs. G. A. Spitler were entertained Christmas day in the home of Mrs. Spitler's sister, Mrs. Keith Morris, at Rose Island. Other guests at the Morris home were the following: Mrs. F. J. Klump, Mrs. C. E. Fox, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Haist and daughter, Ruth Ann, all of Saginaw; Frederick Magel, Ann Arbor; Mr. and Mrs. Geo. E. Klump and son, Robert, East Tawas; Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Wein, Midland; Mr. and Mrs. Herman Millerwise and sons, Gerald and Robert, Sebewaing.

Dan Bolla of Detroit spent Christmas with his mother in Cass City.

H. B. Parker spent Christmas with his son, James Parker, at Unionville.

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. McLellan spent Christmas with relatives in Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. George Bergen and son, Clare, of Detroit were guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Dickinson Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Brian and daughter, Miss Mabel, spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Crandall at Caro.

Miss Gertrude Striffler, who has been employed at Muskegon, has returned to her home here.

Miss Esther Schell of Constantine is spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Schell.

Miss Wilma Edwards of Ypsilanti is spending the holidays with her mother, Mrs. William Edwards, and sister, Miss Mary Edwards.

Dudley Martin and Carl Krapp of Fairview came Monday to spend the week with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Martin.

Miss Margaret Patterson of Otter Lake visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Berkeley Patterson, on Wednesday night and Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Townsend entertained Wednesday, Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Proctor, Mr. and Mrs. Audley Kinnaird, Miss Mina Anderson and Miss Bertha Wood.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Secord entertained for Christmas the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Secord, of Flint; Mr. and Mrs. Truman Hadsell and three children and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Webber of Detroit.

Mrs. Edward Pinney entertained Wednesday, Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Pinney and daughter, Annette, of Cass City, Mr. and Mrs. Grant Pinney and son, Gordon, of Richmond, Lewis and Horace Pinney of Ann Arbor.

At the Owen Darling home at Decker guests for Christmas were Mrs. Archie Mark, Miss Martha Striffler, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Mark and family, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Buehly and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Schwieger and family, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Krahling.

GAGETOWN

Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Kehoe went to Pontiac Sunday to spend over Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Frank McNeil.

John Lehman left Wednesday for California and Oregon where he will spend the rest of the winter.

Mrs. Alphonso Rocheleau and Mrs. A. L. Secoir spent Thursday in Saginaw visiting Mr. and Mrs. Clem Lenhard.

Leslie C. Purdy, who spent the past month at Sandpoint, Idaho, arrived home Sunday.

Miss Margaret Wald of Saginaw spent Saturday and Sunday with relatives here. Mrs. Jerome Rocheleau and daughter, Marilyn, accompanied her to Saginaw for a few days' visit with Mr. and Mrs. Martin Freeman.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Cornell of Grayling are spending the holidays with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Freeman.

Miss Nora Curtin went to Elkton Monday to be a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Laughlin over Christmas.

A. L. Secoir, from the CCC camp at Johannesburg, and LeRoy Rocheleau, from the camp at Rapid River, are spending the holidays with their families here.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Bartels and family of Saginaw and Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Spach of Port Huron were Wednesday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Oehring.

Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Mosack entertained at Christmas dinner Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Mosack of Detroit and Mr. and Mrs. Clein Mosack.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Jaynes and family were Wednesday guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Hunter of Fairgrove.

Dr. and Mrs. L. D. MacRae and Jean Dafeo spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hardies at Hawks. They returned Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Crawford and Christine were Christmas dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Nash of Port Austin.

Howard Loomis spent Christmas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Loomis, at Lansing.

Misses Muriel Theeck and Margaret Brennan went to Detroit Tuesday to spend the holidays with their parents.

Misses Maybelle Clara and Helen High of Pontiac came Saturday to spend the holiday vacation at their parental homes here.

Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Hunter entertained at Christmas dinner Misses Pauline and Cathryn Hunter and Francis Hunter of Detroit, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Oehring and Miss Mary Wald.

Christmas dinner guests of Mrs. Josephine McDonald were Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hall and Dorothy of Inlay City, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Ritter and Billy and Mrs. Harriett McDonald, Robert, Richard, and James of Cass City.

Guatemala City

Guatemala City is the most urban of all Central American capitals—a city of modern buildings set among evergreens and feathery palms with a temperature of perpetual spring.

State of Michigan, Circuit Court for the County of Tuscola, in Chancery.

Claud L. Wood, Plaintiff, vs. Julian Ferry, Leah Wooliver, Adam Wooliver, James Clothier and Mary Clothier, and their unknown heirs, devisees, legatees and assigns, Defendants.

At a session of said court held in the court house in the Village of Caro on the 20th day of December, 1935.

Present, Hon. Louis C. Cramton, Circuit Judge.

In this cause, upon filing the Bill of Complaint herein, it appearing to the satisfaction of this court that Julian Ferry, Leah Wooliver, Adam Wooliver, James Clothier and Mary Clothier, and their unknown heirs, devisees, legatees and assigns, are necessary and proper parties to the above entitled cause, and it further appearing to the court that said defendants are dead or their residence unknown and cannot be personally served with process.

On motion of George W. DesJardins, attorney for the Plaintiff, it is ordered that the appearance of said defendants, their unknown heirs, devisees, legatees and assigns, be entered in this cause within three months from the date of this order, and that in the case of their appearance or the appearance of any of them, they respectively cause their answers to the bill of complaint to this cause to be filed and a copy thereof to be served upon the attorney for the plaintiff within fifteen days after service upon them, or such of them as shall appear respectively, or their respective attorneys with a copy of said bill and the notice of this order, and that in default of their appearance or after appearing in

default in their answering as herein provided, the said bill be taken as confessed by them, the said defendants, their unknown heirs, devisees, legatees and assigns. It is further ordered, that within forty days from the date of this order that the said plaintiff cause a copy of this order to be published in the Cass City Chronicle, a newspaper printed, published and circulated in the Village of Cass City and County of Tuscola, and that such publication be continued there-in once each week for at least six successive weeks, or that they cause a copy of this order to be personally served upon each of said defendants, their unknown heirs, devisees, legatees and assigns, at least forty days before the time above prescribed for their appearance.

LOUIS C. CRAMTON, Circuit Judge.
(Countersigned)
S. W. Morrison, Clerk.

To the within defendants: Notice is hereby given that this suit is brought to quiet the title to the following described parcels of land, situated in the Township of Koylton, Tuscola County, Michigan, described as follows, to-wit: The North one-half of the Northeast quarter, the North 19 acres of the Southwest quarter of the Northeast quarter, and the North 19 acres of the Southeast quarter of the Northeast quarter (being the North 118 acres), all in Section 35, Town 11 North, Range 11 East.

GEO. W. DESJARDINS, Attorney for Plaintiff.
Business Address: Lapeer, Michigan. 12-27-78

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Crush-Resistant Velvet Good News

By **CHERIE NICHOLAS**



IN VIEWING the current fashion picture it appears as if velvet is about to "run away with the mode." Not that velvet is news to any of us, for women who keep pace with fashion have become so thoroughly and enthusiastically velvet-conscious by this time, they go about town, they dine, they dance, they even sleep in velvet.

However, comes some news that is news, exciting news, news that is joy-radiating. It's crush-resistant velvet, with the emphasis on crush-resistant. In the way of good news, what could be better?

Now, please do not jump at the conclusion that the new crush-resistant velvet is absolutely non-crushable. No such claim is made by members of the Velvet Guild who are sponsoring it, but they do say that its resistance far exceeds any endeavor in that direction up to date, thus bespeaking a greater, more dependable serviceability for this new type of velvet. Anyway it's a comfortable thought to know that there's velvet to be had that is definitely more resistant to crushing than any velvet heretofore known.

Speaking of the overwhelming predominance of velvet in the present mode, some style leaders go so far as to declare that this is the most important season from a fashion angle that velvet has ever known. From accessories of all kinds through the entire gamut of clothes goes velvet on the fall and winter program.

For daytime wear the vogue for velvet suits and coats, fur-trimmed or otherwise, is established. For afternoon, for formal and informal evening wear there are luxurious, beautiful novelties as well as superb plain weaves in velvet. The heavy classic Lyon velvet is an excellent medium for gowns of pomp also.

Besides the well-woven yarn-dyed costume velvets, interesting variations have been devised with mixtures of metal and cellophane threads which answer the call for glitter this season. Crinkled velvets which look as if shirred are also much in evidence. Then, too, delicately woven transparent velvets hold their own. This type shirs and pleats beautifully.

A smart new note is the use of velvet with tweeds and woolsens. Tweed skirts with velvet blouse, tweeds with velvet belts, collars, cuffs and scarfs. Tweed coats detailed with velvet are all featured fashions, as are also the new gilets, waistcoats and complete cape linings of velvet as used with colorful woolsens and tweeds.

The costumes of the trio of fashionables here pictured are made of the new crush-resistant velvet. A slight touch of the military is expressed in the red tape and buttons of the black velvet street dress centered in the illustration. It is topped with a self-velvet soldiers' hat with gold cord.

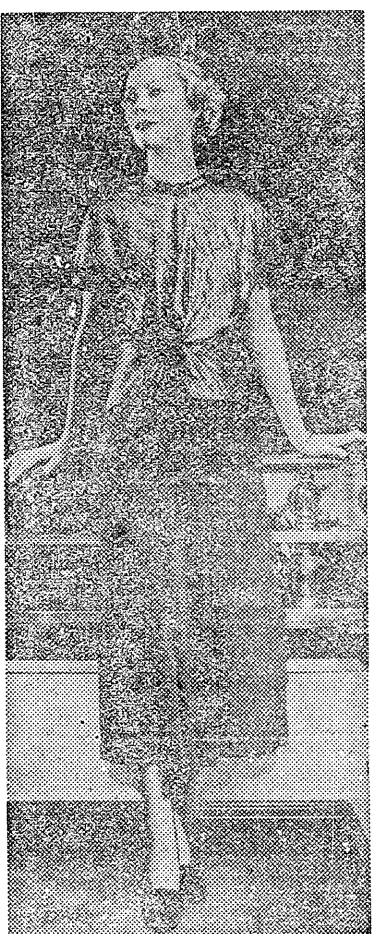
To the right in the group is a black velvet dinner dress with full three-quarter sleeves of silver and multi-color embroidery in a Chinese design. The evening hat has a net crown and a velvet visor.

Cross fox lavishly trims a smart suit of crush-resistant velvet as shown to the left. The jacket is belted and the skirt is the new cock-tail length. The blouse is gun-metal lame. Velvet gloves, bag and beret complete the costume.

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IN HIGH STYLE

By **CHERIE NICHOLAS**



In this charming two-piece afternoon dress we see fashion at its smartest. Antique gold is the color of the silk lame overblouse. One of the gestures of fashion this season is to make up rich materials as simply as possible so as to throw the emphasis on the elegance of the fabric. The skirt is of plum color silk crepe.

ELLINGTON AND NOVESTA.

Mrs. Robert Neiman and son spent from Monday until Thursday at the Clair Tuckey home.

Mr. and Mrs. Clair Tuckey and family spent Christmas day at the J. D. Tuckey home in Cass City.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Wanner were Sunday callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Mark of Cass City.

Mr. and Mrs. John Tuckey, who are attending college at Fort Wayne, Ind., came Saturday morning to spend the holidays with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Erwin Wanner and daughters of Cass City spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Allen Wanner.

Mr. and Mrs. William Parrott and family enjoyed Christmas with their parents and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. McCulloch, at Beaverton.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Parrott had as Sunday visitors, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Talmadge and daughter, Helen, of Sandusky and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Parrott and family of Bad Axe.

Mrs. Emma Goodall entertained for supper Sunday evening, Herbert, George and Gene Croll of McGinn, Mich., and Mrs. Christina Goodall and daughter, Miss Lucille, of Cass City.

William Parrott motored to Detroit on Saturday where he met his son, Maurice Parrott, who is a student at Wheaton College at Wheaton, Ill. He will spend the holidays with his parents.

Mrs. Leo Hall, Mrs. John Elley and Mrs. Andrew McAlpine of Owendale and George Stock of Caro were called to the bedside of their father, George Stock, at Greenleaf this week. He is seriously ill and not expected to recover.

Mrs. Emma Goodall entertained on Christmas day, Mrs. Christina Goodall, Lucille, Alfred and Walter Goodall, Mr. and Mrs. John Goodall and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Golding and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Goodall and son and Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Brown and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Clair Tuckey entertained for dinner Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Tuckey, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Tuckey and family, Mr. and Mrs. Luke Tuckey and children, Miss Gladys Tuckey and Harold Tuckey of Cass City, Mr. and Mrs. John Tuckey of Fort Wayne, Ind., Mr. and Mrs. Robert Neiman and son and Miss Loretta Hendrick of Cedar Run.

NOVESTA.

Happy New Year to all.

The Christmas programs at the Church of Christ on Sunday night and Ferguson school on Monday night went over good with full houses.

Johnnie Juhaz went to Detroit on Tuesday to bring Michael Leonard to spend Christmas at his farm home here.

Mrs. E. P. Smith and Mrs. Carl Stoner went to Detroit on Tuesday to spend Christmas day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Smith. They expect to return home on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Churchill and son, Clark, were Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Henderson.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Novesta Church of Christ will hold their monthly potluck dinner at the Center Line church on Thursday, Jan. 2, at noon. Everybody welcome.

The Redstart

The male Redstart is white low on the abdomen. The upper parts are black, with orange patches on each side of the breast, and near the center of each wing. The outer tail feathers are also orange, tipped with black. The orange of the breast is more fiery red in tone. The female is grayish, green-brown instead of black, and she is yellow where the male is orange.

PARIS HATS SHAPED LIKE BASE OF IRON

High hats for sports, but flat for dress.

The latest and flattest hat shown in Paris is shaped exactly like the base of a large flatiron, with the felt doubled and squared to make an inch-thick plank. It is worn well forward on the head, over a black bandeau, and has two hat-pins, one red and one black, as trim.

Nearly all of the newest hats have a forward plunge. Velvet toques are draped so that one part falls over the forehead and the other is cut in a narrow, rounded back line to keep the hat on the head.

Fur hats, or those fur-trimmed, also dip forward.

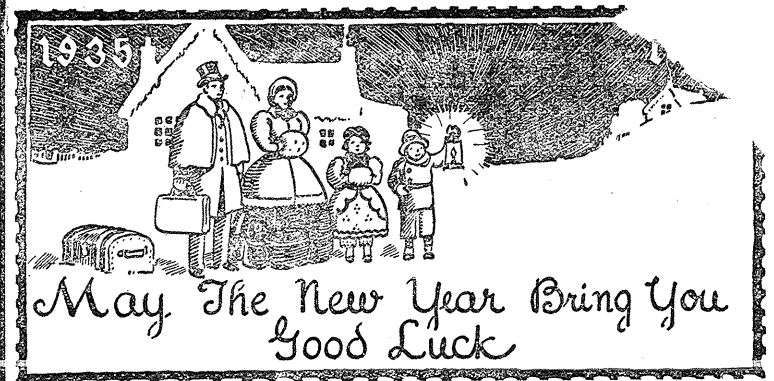
Off-the-Face Tendency in Hats Is Stronger Than Ever

There is a sudden and definite backward movement in the early fall hats. The off-the-face tendency is stronger than ever, and the new hats seem to have added height as well, conveying the idea of a sort of combination halo and bonnet.

The combination of felt and velvet promises to be smart for fall, as will the combination of velvet and grosgrain. The new halo hats consist of a tight-fitting little skull cap, usually of velvet, with an up-turned felt brim which is wider in front than in back.

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was insulting you. I'll not do it again."

He got to his feet and turned to find her eyes upon him, widening for a moment with reflective indifference, then closing as though she was shutting him out of her consciousness, shutting herself in with her own resignation and defeat.

On an evening in February, Paula had come down from the big house and sat beside the table munching an apple.

Sophronia pushed her glasses back into place on the bridge of her nose and shook her head.

"There's no use in gettin' yourself worked up into a state over Corinne," she said to Paula. "If you ask me—all that woman needs is exercise. If she'd do a bit of her own housework, it'd be better for her."

"I don't know," Paula ventured. "She doesn't seem right. She took one of them headaches again today. Sometimes she scares me. She stares at the walls and says the wind is drivin' her crazy."

"I think I'll go up and stay with Corinne for a while," Silver said. "That's better," old Roderick said. "It's the first time anybody here has been in Roddy's house in almost a week."

"I think I'll go along with you," Paula said hesitatingly.

"Let's go, then," Silver said.

Corinne was huddled up in bed weeping stormily.

"Corinne!" Silver said sharply. "You ought to be ashamed of yourself!"

Corinne stared at her with wild eyes. "Who sent you here?" she demanded petulantly. "I suppose the whole Willard family has been having a convulsion!"

"Stop it!" Silver broke in. "No one sent me—and you're acting like a child."

Corinne began to weep in earnest. "I—I might have known—you'd say that. This place is driving me mad! The wind—and the cold—and being alone—"

"You don't have to be alone," Silver protested. "Why didn't you come down with Paula tonight and—"

"Because they all hate me! I know it. They hate me because I'm not a farm lout—like the rest of them. Roddy hates me—and loves to see me suffer! He's tickled to death because Jason has humiliated me. Paula for a sister-in-law—oh!"

Silver took her by the shoulder. "I'm not going to sit here and listen to that nonsense," she said severely. "You've got to get yourself out of this mood. Turn over here! Is your head aching?"

"It has been bursting—all day!"

Silver ran her fingers gently over Corinne's shoulders. "I used to do this for my father when he had a headache," she said quietly, and began pressing her finger tips into the tendons and muscles that were knotted at the back of Corinne's neck.

Corinne turned over on her face and moaned. But Silver continued to ply her fingers until Corinne began to relax at last, and her muffled wailing ceased.

"That's better," Silver said.

"O-oh—that hurts!"

Silver worked more gently. "You ought to get out and see what the world is like around you. I'll tell you—take a walk with me early tomorrow morning, over to the Flathe place and back. You have no idea how good it makes you feel."

A sort of docility had crept over Corinne. "I'll do anything," she murmured, "just to get away from the grayness of this hill."

For some time there was silence between them, until Silver began to wonder if Corinne had fallen asleep. Presently, however, Corinne spoke up unexpectedly.

"Why didn't you marry Gerald Lucas, Silver, when you had the chance?"

"I should have been the most unhappy creature in the world," Silver replied.

"Why?"

"Because—I've seen enough of that life to know," Silver said.

Corinne lay still and did not speak. Fear filled Silver's heart as she fixed her eyes upon Corinne and wondered, with something like despair, what was passing in the mind of this girl who was Roddy Willard's wife. Once or twice she felt that she must say something to warn her against Gerald Lucas and the bright disaster that awaited any woman who gave him her love. But the words would not come. At last, with an inner trembling, she got up and spoke softly.

"I hope you feel better."

Corinne turned over and yawned. "Lots better. Thanks so much, Silver."

Silver patted the coverlet on Corinne's shoulder. "Try to sleep now. And I'll come up in the morning, right after breakfast, to take you on our hike."

"Perhaps it would be better to postpone it till the afternoon—or maybe another day," Corinne suggested. "I'm expecting a telephone call tomorrow."

Silver regarded her for a moment in silence. "Well, go to sleep now, anyhow," she said, and stole quietly out of the room.

Alone again under the cold starlight, Silver found that her ministering to Roddy's wife had had a profound effect upon herself. All that lawless feeling for Roddy that had battled within her for weeks retreated now before a burning pity for Corinne and a feverish resolve

to do everything in her power to save Roddy's wife from herself and her false sense of values.

CHAPTER IX

IN MARCH, after a prolonged spell of bitter cold and very little snow, a sudden thaw set in. The back of the winter, as Sophronia said, was broken.

But everywhere the talk was of the gloomy outlook for the farmer. "A man doesn't know whether to pray for rain or drought. If there's a bumper crop, prices will go still lower—and if you don't plant at all, you get nothing."

Roddy reflected. What if he had to sell his last year's grain at practically no profit to himself! He was no worse off than countless farmers whose obligations were staggering compared with his own. He could still give Corinne enough money to buy herself some spring clothes, though she probably would never know how much it meant to him. Well, perhaps things would be better now that spring was here.

For that matter, things were better. Corinne had been more like her old self during the past weeks. He was well aware that Silver Grenoble had had much to do with the change in Corinne's state of mind. He had seen very little of Silver, but she and Corinne had become very friendly.

He slowed down as he saw a horse and rider. It was Silver Grenoble.

"Where do you think you're going, all by yourself?" he laughed.

"If you really must know," she replied, "I'm going down to get some dogweed near the lake."

"Why don't you come up to the house some evening when I'm around? Gosh, I haven't seen anything of you since Christmas!"

"I've been busy," Silver retorted simply.

Roddy smiled. "Busy giving lessons in good cheer to my adorable wife, eh? Well, you've made a good job of it."

The sudden flags of color flew in Silver's cheeks, and Roddy suffered an acute pang of dismay.

"Run along and get your dogweed, then," he said hurriedly, and started his car.

As he continued on his way, Roddy found that he could not dismiss from his mind that swift, baffling blush his sally had won from her. Her face had had the delicate, flushed courage of a spring flower.

She was not of the land in the same sense that Paula Gobel was. Paula was like a field of ripe wheat. But Silver Grenoble had an earthy quality all her own; she was like young grass in a pale spring sun, or sheet lightning in a summer dusk, or the shadow of a bird's wing over water. Roddy was glad that he could regard her so disinterestedly now, for her own fine values.

In a dappled enclosure of birches where new leaves were like a sunny green rain, Corinne Willard leaned against a tree. Gerald Lucas was looking down at her with a contemplative, a masterful smile, that thrilled and frightened her, and made her feel at the same time triumphant.

"Haven't we been playing tag long enough, darling?" he asked softly. "Why don't you admit that I love you?"

Corinne laughed throatily. "What a sweet new way you have of putting it, Jerry," she said, and lifting her hand she ran her fingers through his hair.

Beyond her shoulders, at the top of a grassy crest where the trees opened, Gerald saw Silver Grenoble seated on her horse and staring at them with wide eyes.

CHAPTER X

PREPARATIONS for the wedding of Paula and Jason stressed rather than relieved Silver's sense of loneliness. Here were two, at least, who were going forward with their lives unaware of the defeat and helplessness that were stalking about them.

After supper on the evening before the wedding day, Roddy and Jason were at work in the sitting room of the stone house on a wooden lattice which when decked with chokeberry and plum blossoms, would form a bower about the bride and groom for the ceremony.

Paula was watching the progress of Roddy's and Jason's work when Corinne entered in her green tweed riding habit.

"You're back early," Roddy said. "Didn't the Richters give you a nice dinner party?"

She seated herself. "Oh, it was all right. They had a lot of dull people up from town—rather tiresome."

Corinne pulled off her gauntlets. "I'm going to miss Paula terribly," she said, and made a sweet, dejected little moue at the big German girl, who was still standing with her hands pressed nervously against the back of a chair.

A few moments later Roddy and Corinne left for the big house. As soon as they were outside Corinne took his arm and drew herself close to him.

"I want you to do something for me, darling," she said in her sweetest manner. "I simply can't be at the wedding tomorrow. And I want you to explain it to the family. I know it sounds terrible to you, darling," she went on. "But Evelyn Richter told me tonight that Harrison's are having a big sale tomorrow in the city—just for one day. It's an awfully exclusive shop, you know, and I'll be saving money if I take advantage of the sale. I can stay over night at the Lombards' and it won't mean any extra expense."

"I'll cost you six dollars in gas to go there and back in the car—and more if you take the bus," Roddy said.

"Evelyn is going down first thing in the morning and she has promised to call for me and bring me back."

"But, Lord! How am I going to explain it to the folks? Paula will feel hurt no matter what I say to—"

"I'll speak to Paula tonight. I might fib a little if necessary, and tell her I have to go to mother."

"Why not tell her the truth—if you have to tell her anything?"

"After all, Roddy, there's no need of hurting the girl's feelings any more than necessary."

"It seems to me you aren't giving much consideration to her feelings as it is."

Corinne drew away from him. "I have done far more for her than lots of women would for their maids. You seem to forget that I've suffered no end of embarrassment ever since I knew that Jason was going to marry her. Having a maid working for you every day—and knowing that she is going to marry one of the family—I've never said anything about it, but—"

"What's wrong with it?" Roddy demanded.

Corinne shrugged her shoulders. "Well—I don't expect you to see it from my point of view, of course. After all, it's none of my business. What I think—or feel—doesn't seem to matter much anyhow."

Anger flamed suddenly within Roddy. He checked the retort that sprang to his lips. They had arrived before the door of the big house. He turned away abruptly and started for the barnyard.

"Aren't you coming in?" Corinne asked in surprise.

"I have some work to do first," he told her.

She paused with her hand on the door. "But—what shall I do about tomorrow? Evelyn is coming immediately after breakfast."

"Do whatever you like about it," he said. "I don't give a d—n!"

In the afternoon of the next day, Jason and Paula departed. It had been a fine wedding. Sophronia thought with a swelling heart, as fine as any farmer could afford these days.

Under the big oak a number of the farm boys had seated themselves and were tuning up on guitar, accordion, harmonica and violin. Presently a lively melody was lilting upward through the rugged branches of the trees.

"Come on, Phonie!" old Roderick called, his eyes wistfully following Silver and the older Michener boy as they exhibited an intricate and amusing fox-trot step.

"Oh, go on with you!" Phonie expostulated, blushing, and was forthwith swept into Roderick's old-fashioned and courtly embrace.

Twice, three times around the circle of the great oak's shade they waltzed, old Roderick adapting his knowledge of dance figures resolutely and gallantly to the outlandish new tempo amidst cheers and clapping of hands. At last, breathless and bridling rosiely as a girl, Sophronia stopped in front of the door. Old Roderick bowed low over her hand, and the applause and laughter whirled about them.

"Go on with you, silly!" Sophronia said, and gave Roderick a little push. "I'm thinkin' the cider pitchers need fillin'!"

In the kitchen she found Roddy alone.

"Why don't you go out and join in the fun?" she asked.

"I guess I'm not in the mood," he replied.

Phonie gave him a sharp glance. "Small wonder!" she remarked. "When do you expect Corinne back?"

"Tomorrow night," Roddy said, without looking around.

"Well—I don't understand what got into her to go off—"

"I'd rather not talk about it," Roddy interrupted.

"No—I suppose the least said about it the better," Phonie agreed. "I don't know what to think about it, but I wouldn't go moonin' about the house for anyone. I never did—and I never would. Why don't you get out and dance with the rest of them? No one will ever thank you for bein' a soft-hearted fool over any woman, even if she is your wife."

Roddy began impatiently rolling a cigarette. "A devil of a lot you know about it!" he exploded.

Phonie looked at him in surprise. "I know you've never talked like that to me in your life before," she said.

Roddy got to his feet and put an arm about her. "I don't mean it like that, ma," he said affectionately. "You know I don't. But there's more to this than I want to talk about. Now that Paula's gone I don't know how we're going to get along up at the house. I can't afford another girl, and Corinne doesn't know a darn thing about housework. Even if she did—she isn't strong enough to do it."

"Have you told Corinne about that?" Sophronia asked.

"Yes," he said darkly, "I told her."

"Well, there's no use borrowin' trouble. Corinne will swing into it when she knows she has to, like anyone else. I'll come up now and then to help her get started—and Silver will be glad to give a hand when it's needed. I don't know how I'd do without that girl."

Corinne did not return on the following afternoon. She telephoned Roddy to explain that she had not completed her shopping and that rather than drive home after dark, Evelyn Richter preferred to stay in town for the night. She herself would stay with the Lombards. And was the wedding a lot of fun, and how was he feeling? Roddy, listening to her tumbling, sweetly inflected questions, and giving his monosyllabic replies, stared at the wall beside the telephone.

Even after he had hung up the receiver, he continued to stare at the same spot on the wall. There had been something in Corinne's voice—an over-emphasis of apology, of solicitude.

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"No—I suppose the least said about it the better," Phonie agreed. "I don't know what to think about it, but I wouldn't go moonin' about the house for anyone. I never did—and I never would. Why don't you get out and dance with the rest of them? No one will ever thank you for bein' a soft-hearted fool over any woman, even if she is your wife."

Roddy began impatiently rolling a cigarette. "A devil of a lot you know about it!" he exploded.

Phonie looked at him in surprise. "I know you've never talked like that to me in your life before," she said.

Roddy got to his feet and put an arm about her. "I don't mean it like that, ma," he said affectionately. "You know I don't. But there's more to this than I want to talk about. Now that Paula's gone I don't know how we're going to get along up at the house. I can't afford another girl, and Corinne doesn't know a darn thing about housework. Even if she did—she isn't strong enough to do it."

"Have you told Corinne about that?" Sophronia asked.

"Yes," he said darkly, "I told her."

"Well, there's no use borrowin' trouble. Corinne will swing into it when she knows she has to, like anyone else. I'll come up now and then to help her get started—and Silver will be glad to give a hand when it's needed. I don't know how I'd do without that girl."

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Hurricane Wind Record

Porto Rico's hurricane of 1928 established a velocity of wind record of almost 200 miles per hour.

GREETINGS 1936

KNECHTEL'S CREAMERY

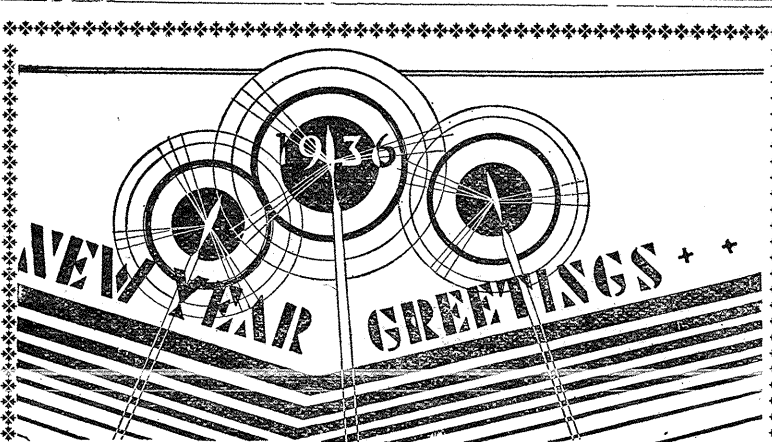
Highest market prices for cream and eggs.

Wishing You Health and Happiness

Another opportunity to enjoy our task of serving you in a friendly, helpful way. May the New Year bring every good wish for your well being that is in our hearts.

S., T. & H. OIL CO.

"The Power to Pass That's Dixie Gas"



Words are but poor things to express our appreciation of your many favors during the year just past. May we show how grateful we are by being of greater service to you during 1936.

A. B. C. Sales and Service

ROBERT AGAR, JR., Prop.

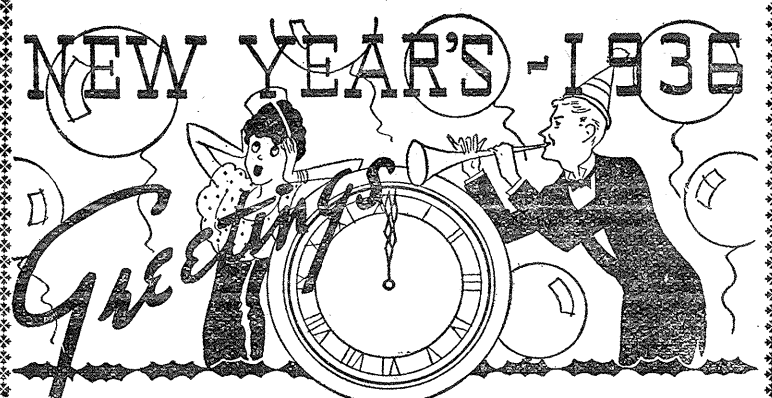


Spare the Postman—

You don't have to dig through a sack of mail to find our greeting—here it is—Happy New Year!

We don't keep the best we sell it.

Alex Henry



Happy New Year!

Sure it's happy! We're happy because of a lot of things—chiefly because we've had the opportunity to be of service to you and to this community.

JOHN C. NEEB



Only a night from old to new;

Only a sleep from night to morn;

The new is but the old come true;

Each sunrise sees a new year born.

And may each sunrise in 1936 bring with it new vigor, new hopes and new happiness.

—Helen Hunt Jackson

Barkley Motor Sales

CASS CITY

Going to a Party Next Week?

Let us clean your clothes. Quick service with satisfactory workmanship.

Robinson's Laundry and Dry Cleaning
Cass City

Advertise it in the Chronicle.

Honey Can Be Used to Make Fine Foods

Michigan honey can be used in baked goods, candy, canned goods, salads, desserts, and drinks to replace part or all of the sugar, especially called for in the recipes,

according to the home economic department at Michigan State College.

A delicious candy can be made entirely from farm products. Cut pieces of apple and simmer them in honey until the pieces are clear, then remove and roll in chopped nuts. The pieces also can be rolled

in coconut or can be coated with chocolate.

Honey bittersweet is more difficult to make but rewards the patience of those who master it. Place a section of comb honey in the refrigerator for 24 hours, then cut into pieces three-fourths inch long and three-eighths inch wide. Place the pieces on waxed paper on trays and chill for 30 minutes. Prepare chocolate for dipping and keep it over water at a temperature of not over 120 degrees. Dip the pieces of honey and drop a nut meat on each piece. The children will save any pieces which are not coated thickly enough to keep the honey from dripping.

Honey is about one-fifth water so the amount of water called for by the recipe should be reduced by one-fifth for every cupful of honey used to replace sugar. Each tablespoonful of honey supplies from 65 to 100 calories. It is easily digested, slightly laxative, and contains a small amount of minerals.

Extension Bulletin No. 150 contains many recipes for the use of honey. This will be sent to anyone requesting it from the Bulletin Clerk of East Lansing.



Season's Compliments—

We wish you Unparalleled Luck and Increasing Happiness in each day of the new year.

New Year Greeting Cards 15c to 39c now on display.

BURKE'S DRUG STORE



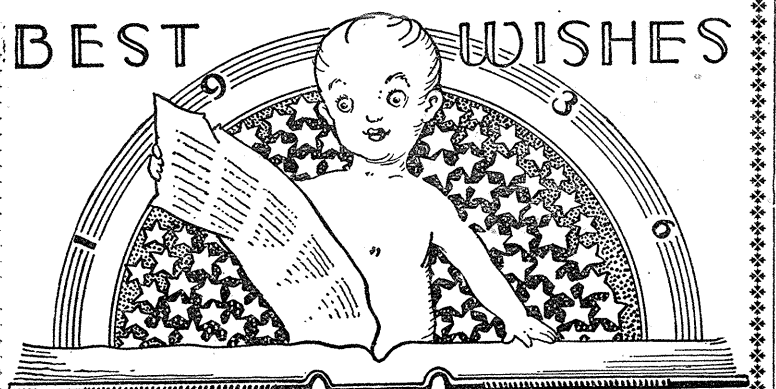
Our entire personnel joins in wishing you all good things in 1936.

G. & C. Folkert



A Friendly Wish—that you and yours will enjoy a 1936 of more happiness, more prosperity and more success than you have ever known even in the best years that have gone before.

MAIER'S STUDIO



With the new year approaching, we extend to our customers and friends the wish that the future will bring in abundance all things that go with Health, Happiness and Prosperity.

Elkland Roller Mills



We are proud of the confidence you have shown by your continued patronage. And in return we want to pledge ourselves to better service and higher values during the year.

D. A. KRUG

Cass City

THROUGH A Woman's Eyes

By JEAN NEWTON

"IT DOESN'T MATTER"

"IT DOESN'T matter!" said a very charming woman in a very trying situation which involved a tremendous disappointment to her.

The people responsible for her disappointment were waiting in embarrassment to see how she would take it. The atmosphere was surcharged with uneasiness and gloom.

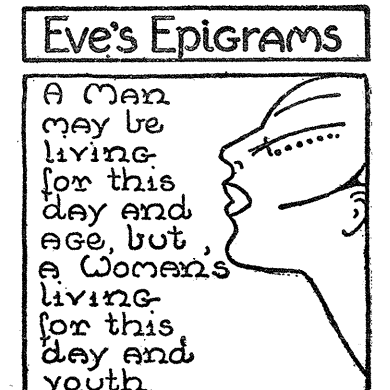
But, like a magic wand were those words, "It doesn't matter." They raised the pall of gloom, everybody breathed easier, a great deal of unpleasantness that might have been was avoided.

The point is that, as this woman said, "It doesn't matter," it was more than a gesture. The others were convinced that it didn't matter, and were so much happier about something which at that point couldn't be helped. And perhaps her saying so convinced the woman herself that it did not matter, for she seemed far too contented and cheerful for a disappointed person.

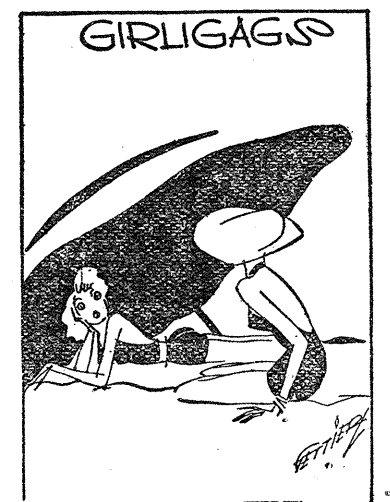
What a gift that, being able to say convincingly, "It doesn't matter," even being able to believe when things turn out differently than we had expected, hoped, desired, that "It doesn't matter!"

If there should be one panacea to create smooth sailing in this world of struggle it would be that. There is so much telling of how much the things matter which have not turned out to suit us. And to no end but some one's pain. For there will always be mistakes, shortcomings, insufficiency on the part of some one—things that cannot be helped, once they have happened; they are things which can be dwelt upon until their significance in harm and unhappiness is many times multiplied, or they can be minimized and forgotten, and so produce the least possible chagrin and pain, as in the case of the woman who was able to say convincingly, "It doesn't matter."

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Proteins Needed
Neither plants nor animals can live on carbohydrates alone. All but a few of the simplest organisms need foods that include nitrogen in their composition—the so-called proteins. There is an unlimited supply of nitrogen in the atmosphere. It comprises four-fifths of the air we breathe.



"A good season at the seashore," says ironic Irene, "and you begin to wonder which rises the oftener, the tide or the prices."

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Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the conditions of a mortgage dated December nineteenth, nineteen hundred twenty-seven, made by William Asmus and Anna Asmus, his wife, of Columbia township, Tuscola county, Michigan, as mortgagors, to Farmers & Merchants State Bank of Sebewing, Michigan, mortgagee, and recorded in the office of the register of deeds for Tuscola county, Michigan, on December twenty-first, nineteen hundred twenty-seven, in liber seventy-six of mortgages on pages three hundred twelve and three hundred thirteen, which mortgage was assigned to Ernest A. Oeschger by an instrument dated April second, nineteen hundred twenty-nine, and recorded in said register's office on July nineteenth, nineteen hundred thirty-four, in liber one hundred sixty of mortgages on page seventy-three, and assigned to Charles B. Morden by an instrument dated July eighteenth, nineteen hundred thirty-four, and recorded in said register's office on July nineteenth, nineteen hundred thirty-four, in liber one hundred sixty-four of mortgages on page two hundred ninety-two, and thereafter assigned to Joseph N. Rankin and Edith Rankin, his wife, by an instrument dated November twenty-seventh, nineteen hundred thirty-four, and recorded in said register's office on September thirtieth, nineteen hundred thirty-five, in liber one hundred forty-two of mortgages, on page three hundred eighty-four, upon which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date of this notice principal and interest to the amount of twenty-three hundred thirty-seven dollars, and no suit or proceeding at law having been instituted to recover said debt or any part thereof, therefore notice is hereby given that, pursuant to the power of sale therein contained, said mortgage will be foreclosed by the sale of the premises described in said mortgage at public vendue to the highest bidder at the front door of the court house in the village of Caro, Michigan, on Friday, January tenth, nineteen hundred thirty-six, at two o'clock in the afternoon, to satisfy said amount, with six per cent annual interest, and foreclosure costs, including the statutory attorney fee. Said premises, situated in Columbia township, Tuscola county, Michigan, are described in said mortgage as follows: The northeast quarter of the northeast quarter of section thirteenth, township fourteen north, range nine east.

Dated October 10th, 1935.
JOSEPH N. RANKIN
and EDITH RANKIN,
Assignees and Holders of Mortgage.
Alfred H. Sauer, Attorney for Assignees. Business Address: Bad Axe, Michigan. 10-11-13

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Notice is hereby given that a mortgage dated the 1st day of December, A. D. 1930, was executed by Mary Phillips Gillies, a widow, of the Pinney State Bank of Cass City, Michigan, and recorded in the Register of Deeds' office for Tuscola County and State of Michigan, in liber 162 of Mortgages on page 103 on the 2nd day of December, A. D. 1930, and that said mortgage was duly assigned by the Pinney State Bank of Cass City, Michigan, to the trustees of segregated assets of the Pinney State Bank, Cass City, Michigan, by a written assignment dated the 11th day of October, A. D. 1935, and recorded in the Register of Deeds' office of said Tuscola County in liber 160 of Mortgages on page 81.

That default has been made in the conditions of said mortgage and in the payment of interest due thereon whereby the whole sum secured by said mortgage has become due, and is hereby declared to be due, according to the terms of said mortgage, and there is claimed to be due on said mortgage at the date of this notice the sum of \$472.60.

That under the power of sale in said mortgage contained, said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises at public vendue, to the highest bidder on Wednesday, the 12th day of February, A. D. 1936, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, eastern standard time, at the front door of the courthouse in the Village of Caro, in said Tuscola County, and that the said premises are described in said mortgage substantially as follows: the lands, premises and property situated in the Township of Novesta, County of Tuscola, and State of Michigan and described as follows, to-wit: "The Northwest Quarter (NW 1/4) of Section Twenty-nine (29) of Township Thirteen (13) North, Range Eleven (11) East, containing 40 acres, more or less."

and will be sold as aforesaid to satisfy the amount due on said mortgage with interest that may accrue thereon after this date and the costs of foreclosure.

Dated: November 12, A. D. 1935.
Trustees of Segregated Assets of the Pinney State Bank, Cass City, Michigan.
James K. Brooker, 506 Phoenix Building, Bay City, Michigan, Attorney for Assignee. 11-15-13

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Notice is hereby given that a mortgage dated the 12th day of February, A. D. 1927, was executed by Heinrich Zollner and Katarina Zollner, his wife, to the Pinney State Bank of Cass City, Michigan, and recorded in the Register of Deeds' office for Tuscola County and State of Michigan, in liber 158 of Mortgages on page 633 on the 15th day of February, A. D. 1927, and that said mortgage was duly assigned by the Pinney State Bank of Cass City, Michigan, to the Trustees of Segregated Assets of the Pinney State Bank of Cass City, Michigan, by a written assignment dated the 4th day of November, A. D. 1935, and recorded in the Register of Deeds' office of said Tuscola County in liber 160 of Mortgages on page 82.

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the conditions of said mortgage and in the payment of interest and taxes due thereon whereby the whole sum secured by said mortgage has become due and is hereby declared to be due, according to the terms of said mortgage, and there is claimed to be due on said mortgage at the date of this notice the sum of \$1076.01.

That under the power of sale in said mortgage contained, said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, at public vendue, to the highest bidder on Wednesday, the 12th day of February, A. D. 1936, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, eastern standard time, at the front door of the courthouse in the Village of Caro, in said Tuscola County, and that the said premises are described in said mortgage substantially as follows: the lands, premises and property situated in the Township of Novesta, County of Tuscola and State of Michigan and described as follows, to-wit:

"The Southeast Quarter (SE 1/4) of the Northwest Quarter (NW 1/4) of Section Twenty-three (23) and a strip of land one rod wide off the West side of the Northeast Quarter (NE 1/4) of the Northwest Quarter (NW 1/4) of Section Twenty-three (23). Also the Northwest Quarter (NW 1/4) of the Southwest Quarter (SW 1/4) of Section Twenty-three (23), all being in Township Thirteen (13) North of Range Eleven (11) East, containing in all 81 acres, more or less."

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

At session of said court, held at the Probate Office in the Village of Caro in said county, on the 5th day of December, A. D. 1935.

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

In the matter of the Estate of Thomas C. Henderson, Deceased.

Neil H. Burns, having filed in said court his final administration account, and his petition praying for the allowance thereof and for the assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate to the persons entitled thereto.

It is ordered, that the 6th day of January, A. D. 1936, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office, be and is hereby appointed for examining and allowing said account and hearing said petition; It is further ordered, that public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Cass City Chronicle, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

WALTER COOPER, Judge of Probate.
A true copy.
Almon C. Pierce, Register of Probate. 12-13-35

Directory.

B. H. STARMANN, M. D.
Physician and Surgeon.
Office hours, 10:00 to 12:00 a. m.
2:00 to 5:00 and 7:00 to 8:00 p. m.
Telephone 189-F-2.

I. D. MCGGY, M. D.
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Phone, Office 96; Residence 47.

MORRIS HOSPITAL.
F. L. MORRIS, M. D.
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We solicit your patronage when a need of work.

E. W. DOUGLAS.
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Rid Yourself of Kidney Poisons

DO you suffer burning, scanty or too frequent urination; backache, headache, dizziness, loss of energy, leg pains, swellings and puffiness under the eyes? Are you tired, nervous—feel all unstrung and don't know what is wrong?

Then give some thought to your kidneys. Be sure they function properly for functional kidney disorder permits excess waste to stay in the blood, and to poison and upset the whole system.

Use Doan's Pills. Doan's are for the kidneys only. They are recommended the world over. You can get the genuine, time-tested Doan's at any drug store.

DOAN'S PILLS



Optimistic!

That's how we feel about the outlook for 1936. We believe there's much happiness and increased prosperity in store for all of us. That's why we can make our greeting so sincere.

Wood's Drug Store

The Rexall Store



The New Year will mean much to all of us—new objectives, higher standards of achievement—better service. We promise our constant effort to serve you even better in the coming year.

Cass City Furniture Store

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Kettlewell



Success in 1936—
and a world of happiness to go with your success. May each month bring better things for you and yours.

Young & Maier



As we move into a new year we want to express our gratification over the cordial relations that have existed between us, and to express our desire that they may continue and increase during the year to come.

Heller's Bakery



We know 1936 is going to be better so we'll add our good wishes that you will receive a full share of the new year's goodness.

Farm Produce Company

Lumber Department

Gordon Bliss Likes California

Gordon Bliss, who recently motored to California with a boy friend, writes his sister, Miss Doris Bliss, that he is favorably impressed with California. The following paragraphs are taken from the letter:

Ahmed Apts. Room 302
5616 Lexington Ave.
Hollywood, California
Nov. 26, 1935.

Dear Doris:

Well at last I'm in California—and living in Hollywood at that. I hardly know where to begin, but I guess I won't go into detail about the trip itself because I could never describe fully or explain to what extent I was impressed.

We came by the very southern route through South Bend, Ind., Decatur and Springfield, Ill., Kansas City, Tulsa, Oklahoma City, Okla., Amarillo, Texas, Santa Rosa and Albuquerque, New Mexico, Prescott and Wickenburg, Arizona, and entered California at Blythe. The trip was quite monotonous until we started into the mountains and there each turn and new view would almost take your breath away. One will never imagine their vastness or beauty without seeing them. The road—the edge unprotected in most places—circled and twisted along cliffs having sheer drops of thousands of feet. Many of the highest peaks were covered with snow and stuck up through the clouds. We had a flat tire in the middle of the Arizona desert where it was extremely hot and dry, but were fortunate enough to be right at one of those mid-desert gas stations, so we had some shade. This was the only trouble we had on the entire trip.

The climate here is wonderful. I can perhaps best describe my impression of it by saying that it makes me think of an endless garden. Even the air is fragrant from

flowers of all kinds. The streets in Los Angeles, Pasadena and Hollywood are lined with tall palms and other tropical trees. The lawns are green and have many late summer flower beds. In fact, on both sides of the walk coming up to the place I am living, are palm trees. The street itself is lined with them. The building is the Spanish type as are most all the places in the residential districts, and located at the foot of a mountain. Up on the side of this mountain is the word "Hollywoodland" in giant electrically lighted letters. It was from the top of one of these letters that a movie actor jumped, committing suicide a few years ago. Do you remember reading about it? We can look up from our front window and see it plainly.

It is now 8:30 p. m. I've just gotten back riding around town with Rosie. I'm more impressed than ever. We went around to all the studios this afternoon—just drove around them, but they sure are some sight. Many of them had out-door sets that we could see above the studio walls from the outside. We also saw Will Rogers' old dressing room, and the gates where all the stars go in to work. I called McDermott this afternoon, he's still working at Warner Bros. studio. He is going to call me tomorrow noon to let me know when I can see him. I'll call Murphy tomorrow sometime. We drove by the Brown Derby tonight, also the Cocoanut Grove and Ambassador hotel. The Grove is sure a swanky place, and is not far from where I live. Also drove by Grauman's Chinese Theatre a couple of times.

WORLD AFFAIRS ARE MORE CRITICAL THAN THEY WERE YEAR AGO

Concluded from first page. kind of an economic war must be prevented and that is our task. Three things are necessary: Support the neutrality bill, kill the

military disaffection bill in Congress, and keep down big military profits."

The Methodist choir sang "Cantique De Noel" by Adolphe Adam, as an anthem, and a group of Christmas carols was presented by Daniel Kroll, violinist; Otis Heath, cellist; and Mrs. Otis Heath, pianist.

Mr. Libby has been delivering peace messages at Cass City every holiday season for the past fourteen years.

Speaks before Rotary Club.

Mr. Libby was guest speaker at the Rotary Club luncheon at the Gordon Tavern Tuesday noon.

In this address, he emphasized the importance of citizens supporting the mandatory neutrality legislation, and opposing, through public opinion, the military disaffection bill before Congress and increased expenditures for army and navy.

Mandatory embargo as to parties to an armed conflict expires in February and the National Council for Prevention of War is working to influence Congress to continue this legislation. The council is in emphatic opposition to the proposed military disaffection bill as curbing the right to criticize our military and naval policy and an intolerable interference with free speech and free press. The society makes an emphatic protest against the steadily mounting and ominous increases in expenditures for our army and navy as conducive to war and not to peace.

Women Should Know Relation of Prices

Farm women and urban homemakers have a mutual interest in food prices and in their relation to other costs of living, according to the home economics department at Michigan State College.

The fact that bacon costs now are much higher than they were one year ago causes many buyers to forget that present bacon prices are lower than they were in 1920 or in 1926. The fact is often forgotten that more people can now buy bacon at the higher price than could buy it last year at the low price. The price of food is of little importance to people who have no money to buy anything.

Farmers and the working people of the cities have common interests and neither can have prosperity without the other enjoying a share of it. The farmer's wife who shares in the receipts of higher prices for hogs also shares in the increased buying of things which the city woman's husband manufactures.

Retail sales in towns of less than 2,500 population and from mail order houses dropped from \$9,200,000,000 in 1929 to \$3,900,000,000 in 1932. Economic levels were at low ebb on the farm and in the towns in 1932 and the fact that farm prices were at ruinous levels did not help the urban dweller. The sales figures show that townspeople as well as farmers quit buying manufactured goods.

Housekeepers in the city should remember that the farmers' wives who obtain more spending money from better prices for farm produce also buy many kinds of manufactured articles which are higher in price than they were in 1932. Buyers' strikes against meats are no more logical than similar strikes against manufactured goods.

Student Has Chance to Select His Goal

Students who enroll in the agricultural engineering short course at Michigan State College from Jan. 6 to March 6 will have a free hand in choosing the subjects in which they want training.

Courses offered will include information about all kinds of electrical engineering problems on the farm from the installation and use of electrical equipment to splicing rope for the hay fork. All types of engines and tractors will be available for laboratory work both for teaching methods of operation and for explanation of adjustments to make the operation as economical as possible.

Planning and laying drainage systems for the farm and for the

disposal of household wastes can be selected as subjects by those students who are especially interested in such problems. The use of explosives in drainage and clearing operations will be included in this section of study.

Practical training in woodshop and forge work will be given to all students in addition to the training in the subjects selected by themselves. Students are not limited in the amount of work they can complete by any rigid limits to the courses. Those who are more than ordinarily ambitious will be able to put in as much time and get as much training as they want.

Other short courses which will be offered in the period between Jan. 6 and March 6 are general agriculture, dairy production, dairy manufacturing, poultry, home economics, floriculture, golf course management, and fruit production. Information about any of the courses can be obtained from the Short Course Director at East Lansing.

JUSTICE COURT.

Ray Smith was arrested on the charge of driving a motor vehicle while intoxicated on M-81, west of Caro. On Dec. 17, he was given his choice of paying a \$50 fine and costs of \$11.30, or spending 60 days in jail, by Justice Atwood. He paid the cash.

Justice Frank St. Mary assessed fine and costs of \$100 to Kasimir Scerpski of Gagetown on a liquor law violation charge.

BEAN THIEVES ARE SENT TO REFORMATORY

Concluded from first page. Chas. Brown, charged with removing from the state an automobile which was mortgaged, pleaded guilty Monday and was remanded to the custody of the sheriff to await sentence.

Court will convene again on Jan 6, 1936.

HOSPITAL NOTES.

Orville Karr of Gagetown was admitted Dec. 10 for medical care. He was discharged Dec. 12.

Mrs. James Parsons of Caro was taken to her daughter's home, Mrs. Cliff Champion, to convalesce.

Mrs. Peter Heronemus of Snover was discharged Dec. 15.

Mrs. Stanley Sharrard of Cass City was admitted Dec. 14. She submitted to an operation the same day and was discharged Dec. 23.

Mrs. Amasa Anthes of Gagetown was admitted Dec. 11 and operated the same morning. She was discharged Dec. 24.

Dr. C. N. Race of Caro was admitted Dec. 18 for surgery. He was discharged Dec. 22.

A Holding Company

A government official defined the holding company as follows: "The holding company may be defined as any company which, by virtue of its ownership of securities, is in a position to control or substantially influence the management of one or more other companies; that is, a holding company is different from a mere investment company. An investment company buys securities as an investor would do and without any purpose of determining the policy of the management. But when a company by virtue of its ownership of securities is in a position to control or substantially influence the management of another company it is properly classified as a holding company."

Air Is Very Light
All substances have weight, but air is very light. A column an inch square extending from sea level upward as far as the atmosphere goes weighs about 15 pounds. This is known as atmosphere pressure.

Wore Plumes on Left Side
In olden days, when men wore plumes in their hats, the plumes were always on the left so that they should not interfere with the free movement of the sword arm. The custom still persists.

Derivation of Word "Puny"
The word "puny" is a phonetic spelling of the old French "puisne," which entered the English language in legal phraseology. "Puisne" meant junior, lower in rank. "Puny" has acquired the meaning of small in strength or size, weak, feeble.

Took Oath on Death Bed
William Goebel took the oath of office as governor of Kentucky while on his death bed from an assassin's bullet in 1900.

Habits of Wasp
An American species of wasp builds its clay cells in the shape of little barrels which it hides under prostrate trees.

"Felo de Se"
In criminal law *felo de se* is the technical description of a self-murderer or suicide. As defined by Blackstone, "A *felo de se*, therefore, is he that deliberately puts an end to his own existence, or commits any unlawful act the consequence of which is his own death."



GREETINGS OF THE SEASON

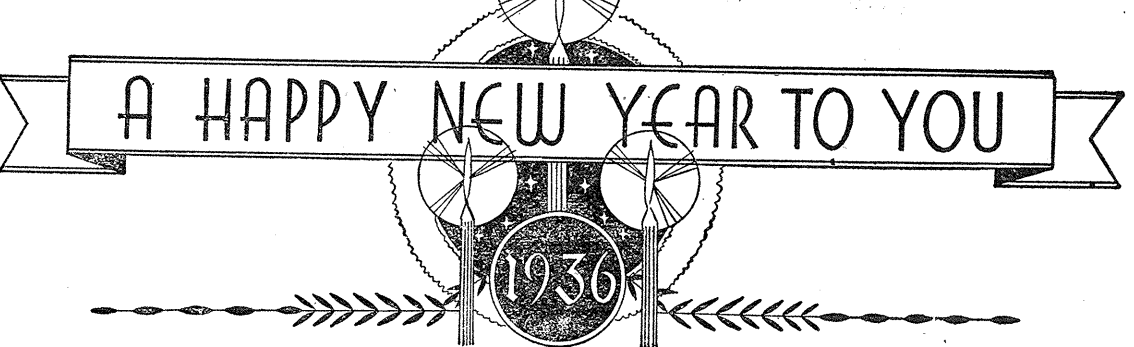
To our customers past, present and future.

Ralph Partridge
CUSTOM THRESHING

The Cass City State Bank

is now authorized to release a third 20% of the impounded deposits to holders of certificates of participation. It will be necessary to present the certificates at the bank for endorsement of amount paid.

FRANK H. REID
NEIL McLARTY
M. B. AUTEN
Trustees.



From the Folks at the Chronicle Office



IT PAYS TO KEEP THIS RESOLUTION

DIARY
DECEMBER 31, 1935
I will save money next year—I will...and I'm going to start right this minute and buy all my New Year's beverages at Kroger's...and I'm going to keep on shopping at Kroger's

Honey Milk BREAD	1 1/2 lb. loaf	11c
Fresh Rye BREAD	1 1/2 lb. loaf	10c
Country Club MILK	1 gal. can	6c
Bulk PRETZELS	1 lb.	19c
Pink SALMON	1 can	10c

KROGER BEVERAGES CUT PARTY COSTS IN HALF! The Sparkle Lasts!

COUNTRY CLUB TOMATO JUICE	3 tall cans	25c
KRAFT'S CHEESE	2 1/2 lb. pkg.	29c
QUEEN OLIVES	10 oz. jar	25c
PENN RAD MOTOR OIL	2 gal. can	95c
Plus Tax		
N. B. C. Premium Flakes, package		19c
Won Up Grapefruit Juice, No. 2 can		10c
Embassy Mustard, 16 ounce jar		10c
Maraschino Cherries, 5 ounce jar		10c
Oranges 100 size, dozen		49c
Oranges 176 size, dozen		35c
Armour's Corned Beef, can		19c
Our Mothers Cocoa, 2 lb. can		19c
All Flavors Jello	3 pkgs.	19c
French Brand Coffee, lb.		21c

BEVERAGES

Rocky River, Sparkling Water, Lime Rickey, Lemon Soda, Root Beer, Orange Soda

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HAPPY NEW YEAR

Once again we extend to our fellow citizens of this community all that is good during the new year to be ushered in and which is labeled ... 1936!

May the year bring to all of us comfort, pleasure and contentment. We thank you sincerely for your patronage through the passing year. We greet you with hopes for much prosperity for you during the months to come.

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