

Sewage System in Cass City to Be Completed by Sept. 1

Nearly Eight Miles of Sewer Lines, Imhoff Disposal Tank and Filtering Unit Are in WPA Project

Cutting the WPA force from 30 to 20 men will delay the completion of the sewage system in Cass City about 15 days, says C. U. Brown, village street commissioner, who is supervising the project. If the present force of workmen is maintained, he anticipates that finishing touches on the project will be completed by September 1.

The project was approved by WPA officials on October 23, 1936, and the system started with the help of the federal government on November 9, 1936, and now nearly completed, gives Cass City nearly eight miles of sewer lines, an Imhoff disposal plant at the river, a mile south of the village, and a filtering unit near the factory of the Nestle's Milk Products, Inc., all at a cost of approximately \$75,000. Of this amount, federal funds supply about two-thirds of the amount and the village is paying the remainder. A bond issue approved by village voters at a special election on May 10, 1937, provided \$14,000 for the project.

This sewage system, designed to meet the requirements of 1,700 people in addition to the public schools and the Nestle's milk plant, performs its functions with a minimum amount of care. From 10 to 12 man hours a week is all the time that is devoted to the system at present. No pumping is required for the general system as the lines are gravity fed.

Eighty-five connections have been made thus far to the sewage lines. These include the public schools and the condensary plant of the Nestle's Milk Products, Inc.

There are 6,950 feet of 15-inch sewer crock laid at a depth of 16 feet or less from the south Main Street alley down Brooker Street and along the railroad to the outfall at the river, a little more than a mile south of the village. There are 1,580 feet of 12-inch crock from the corner of Main and Brooker Streets to the factory of the Nestle's Milk Products, Inc., 2,196 feet of 10-inch crock in the alley north of Main Street, 3,334 feet of the same size crock in the alley south of Main Street east from Brooker to Sherman Street, and

SERVE-SELF GROCERY.

The serve-self grocery system reached Cass City when Z. B. Chase introduced that new department in shopping in his business place on North Seeger Street. Two hundred square feet have been added to this grocery to introduce this new system.

TUSCOLA SUPERVISORS AND COUNTY OFFICERS PICNIC

Township supervisors and county officers of Tuscola will hold their annual picnic in the new Vanderbilt County Park, a half mile north of Quanicassie, in Wisner Township, on Tuesday, August 15. The day's program is in process of preparation.

Barber Bailey, by Boarding Wrong Busses, Rode All Forenoon in California for Six Cents

After a month's vacation spent on a trip to California as guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Blades of Glendale, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Bailey returned home Saturday afternoon. Many places of interest were visited. At Gary, Indiana, they visited Mrs. Bailey's sister, Mrs. Anna Thiel, and were honor guests at a dinner when the entire Thiel family were present.

They were callers at the Hersey Young home in Fort Morgan, Colorado, and were taken by Mr. Young to see his sons, Paul, who as well as his wife, is an instructor at the Fort Morgan Airport; Hersey, Jr., a lifeguard at the city swimming pool, and Harold, who works with his father in the Young Elevator at Fort Morgan.

At Colorado Springs, Colorado, by twisting and turning in gentle curves and loops and double bow-knots, the world's most marvelous motor trip was taken up Pike's Peak. This peak, 14,109 feet high, is the highest mountain on the American continent to be reached by railroad. At Colorado Springs, they also visited the Cave of the Winds and Garden of the Gods. Scintillating crystals of onyx calcite and flowering alabaster are nature's work in the cavern of mys-

SPEAKER TELLS OF ROYAL ROAD TO LIBERTY

"There is a Royal Road to Liberty" was the subject of the talk given before the Rotary Club here Tuesday noon by Rev. H. G. Bushong, the new minister of the Cass City Methodist Church. "If you don't want a dictator over you, rule yourself," he said. "Be able to think things up yourself; let's not have someone else tell us what to do."

One factor important today, according to Mr. Bushong, is the men boys know mean much in influencing the lives of youth.

Arthur Hesburn, program chairman, introduced the speaker. Frank Reid served as song leader.

Three Automobile Fatalities in July in Tuscola County

Nola Lester, 21, Injured July 23 Died on Sunday Night in Flint Hospital.

The death of Nola Lester, 21, of Millington in the Hurley Hospital in Flint on Sunday night brought the automobile fatalities of Tuscola County to a total of three for the month of July and made the seventh death in the county in 1939 due to auto accidents. In a like period last year, the total reached 18, the records in the office of Sheriff George Jeffrey disclose.

Nola Lester, while riding in a car owned by William Aymer of Millington, was injured when that automobile and a car driven by George A. Dudney were in collision one mile south and 1/2 mile west of Millington on July 23.

Paving Started on Wednesday on M-81

E. B. Schwaderer, Cass City contractor, started paving Wednesday morning on the five mile stretch of highway west of Cass City on M-81 which will be hard-surfaced. The pavement is 22 feet in width. Approximately a quarter mile 11 feet wide of cement was laid on Wednesday.

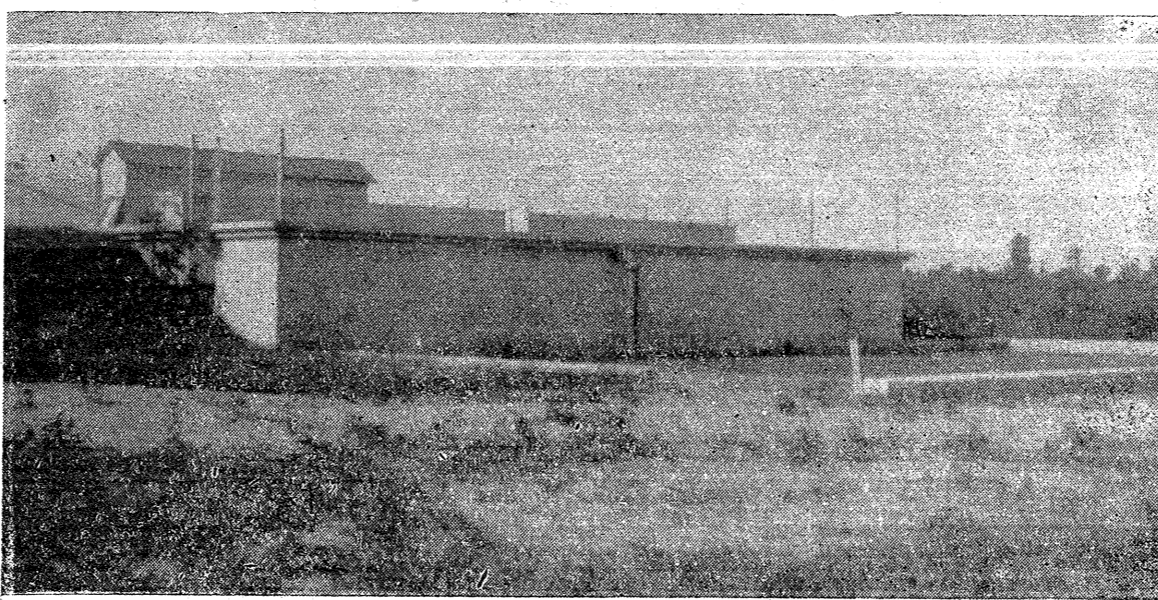
Kerbyson to Sell Restaurant Here

After 15 years of continuous work as a restauranter in Cass City, Raymond Kerbyson has arranged to sell his lunch room on West Main Street to John Muntz of Bad Axe.

Asked regarding his future activities, Mr. Kerbyson said he had decided to take a vacation. "For the past eight years, I have had but one night off," he declared.

Mr. Muntz has conducted lunch rooms in both Elkton and Bad Axe.

Advertise it in the Chronicle.



IMHOFF DISPOSAL PLANT OF NEW SEWAGE SYSTEM AT CASS CITY

Mrs. A. T. Hiser Is Now an Octogenarian

Mrs. A. T. Hiser was 80 years old this week and to celebrate the event a group of 49 came to the Hiser farm, a half mile northeast of Elmwood Corners, on M-81, on July 31. In the company were all the children of Mr. and Mrs. Hiser, most of the grandchildren and several of the great grandchildren. A potluck dinner was served and the birthday cake was presented to the happy couple by Miss Mary Day.

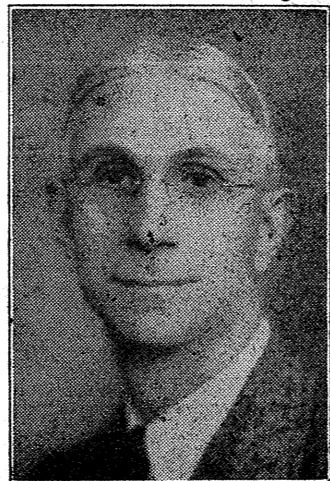
"The grandchildren picked blackberries enough so the next day I canned nine quarts," Mrs. Hiser told the Chronicle. "Wasn't that fine?"

Attends National Convention for the Eleventh Year

Guy W. Landon Will Represent Michigan Carriers at Oregon Meeting.

Cass City rural mail carriers must receive the urge to travel after their daily treks with the mail. Burt Elliott just returned from a ten days' trip to Massachusetts, and a week later Mr. and Mrs. Guy Landon plan to start on a month's trip to the West.

The main reason for the Landon excursion, however, is to attend the National Mail Carriers' Association convention at Portland, Oregon. Mr. Landon was chosen as one of the fourteen Michigan delegates at



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the state convention at Saginaw last week.

This is not the first time such an honor has come to Mr. Landon. This year marks the eleventh consecutive time he has been a delegate. Turn to page 8, please.

Naturalization Examiner in Tuscola County on August 10

S. Freed of Detroit, examiner in the Immigration and Naturalization Service, will be in the office of County Clerk Clare W. Horning in the courthouse at Caro on Thursday, August 10, when he will answer, after 11:00 a. m., any inquiries relative to naturalization. Persons seeking information on this subject may see him at that time.

Approximately 23 applicants have been called to file their petitions on August 10 between the hours of 9:00 a. m. and 5:00 p. m.

Temporary Wigwam

located at entrance of Caro Golf Club will be opened Saturday, August 5. Only light lunches and soft drinks until approval of new location. Come out and get acquainted with new place and enjoy dancing to the latest records on the symphonola.—Advertisement.

Young Stabber, on Probation, Told to Leave State

Judge Warns Rodriguez Not to Return to Tuscola County.

Quite unusual were the terms of the sentence pronounced on Richard Rodriguez when he appeared in the Tuscola County Circuit Court Monday. Judge Louis Cramton, in placing him on probation for three years, told him to leave the state during that period and not to return to Tuscola County. He was required to pay \$25 as costs of court proceedings.

Rodriguez, who is 19 years old, wielded the knife which put Frank Perez, 27, in the Unionville Hospital on July 18. Rodriguez admitted whipping out his jackknife, but told officers that Perez had struck him first in a drunken brawl. Both men were employed in the sugar beet fields near Ashmore. Rodriguez pleaded guilty in circuit court on July 24 to the charge of assault with knife without intent to do great bodily harm less than the crime of murder, and was then remanded to the custody of the sheriff to await sentence.

In the contested divorce hearing of Julia Bartha vs. Joseph F. Bartha, a decree was granted and the cross bill denied.

A divorce was granted Mary Balla from George Balla.

A similar decree was granted in the case of Nyda Lincoln vs. Charles Lincoln and the plaintiff was given the right to use her. Turn to page 5, please.

START WESTERN TRIP.

Mr. and Mrs. Audley Kinnaird and Mr. and Mrs. J. Ivan Niergarth left Tuesday morning on a motor trip to Muskegon, Milwaukee, the Black Hills, Yellowstone National Park, Salt Lake City and Denver.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Wesley Dunn are staying in the Niergarth home during the absence of the owners.

Tuscola Holstein Breeders Plan Field Day on August 9

Members of the Tuscola County Holstein Breeders' Association will hold a field day at the fair grounds at Caro on Wednesday, August 9. An exhibition of the best Holstein cattle in the county will be classified by Herb Miller of Ionia, secretary of the Michigan Holstein-Friesian Association. Judging contests for adults, and 4-H and FFA boys and girls will be held at 10:00 a. m. Following the picnic dinner at noon, the classification of cattle will be made.

Ernie Clark, national field man of the Holstein-Friesian Association, and A. C. Baltzer, dairy extension specialist at Michigan State College, will attend. George Foster of Postoria is president of the county association.

Ribbons will be awarded for prizes.

Village Taxes.

August 10 is the last date on which village taxes may be paid without a collection penalty fee. A. N. Bigelow, Village Treasurer.—Advertisement 2t.

50% Off on Shoes.

Mother, father, sister, brother—Fine quality shoes you've wanted a half off. Genuine values. Prieskorn's.—Adv.

Friday-Saturday Specials!

All \$4.95 ad \$6.50 dresses going Friday and Saturday for \$2.79. Prieskorn's.—Advertisement.

Good Perch Fishing in Saginaw Bay

Perch fishing in Saginaw Bay features the report of fishing conditions in the Thumb district, according to E. E. Tucker, district supervisor.

Fishing parties being conducted by commercial fishermen off the Tuscola County shore are catching their limit of 10 to 12 inch lake perch. The county also showed good fishing for all species in its inland lakes.

To serve the convenience of Saginaw Bay fishermen and tourists, a new lake shore county park has been developed by Tuscola County authorities. It is located at Fish Point, on the bay opposite Sebewaing.

Here and There Around the Thumb

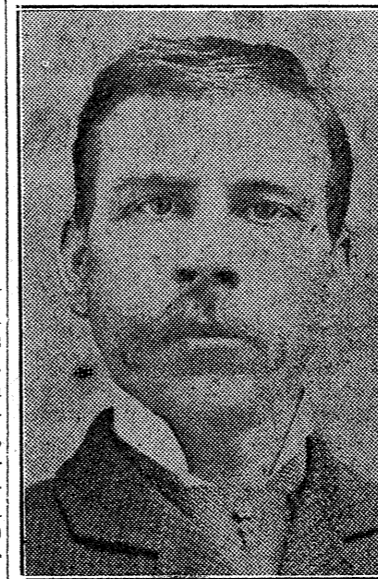
Items Gathered from the Chronicle Exchanges and from Other Sources.

The Pigeon school board has purchased two busses to transport pupils from the Mud Creek and Hayes districts to the Pigeon schools. Frank Thiel and John Grimes have been engaged by the board as drivers.

What Edward Brehm, of the Brehm Oil Co., of Mt. Pleasant believes is a "really good well," has been developed on the Sanford Black farm, Wisner Township, Tuscola County. During baling out of the well Monday afternoon, heavy gas pressure forced the oil up around the cable to the baler, and when a safety valve leading to the

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Guess This One? Taken When We Were Young



Charles Evens was recognized by seven of the eight who registered their opinions with the Chronicle regarding last week's picture in this column. They included Mr. and Mrs. Albert Gallagher, Mrs. Charles Randall, William Flint, Clayton Root, Mrs. Glenn Guilds and Mrs. James Nickerson. Ray Nutt thought it was Charles I. Cooke.

The picture of Mr. Evens was taken 35 years ago.

The picture this week is that of a well known farmer in the community. What's your guess?

Office Closed Thursday Afternoons. Dr. P. A. Schenck's dental office will be closed on Thursday afternoons during the summer months. Advertisement.

Mid-Summer Suit Sale.

All sizes of men's suits in greys, light greys, blues and greens, regular \$19.95, selling at \$14.88. Prieskorn's.—Advertisement.

Heckroth Appointed to State Committee

Walter Heckroth of Unionville has received notice of his appointment as a member of the Michigan State Farm Security Advisory Committee for a three-year period. Until recently, Mr. Heckroth was a member of the Tuscola County Farm Security Advisory Committee. He is the supervisor of sales tax collections in Tuscola County.

NEW HOME ECONOMICS TEACHER IS MISS BAILEY

Miss Verna Bailey of St. Louis, Michigan, will teach home economics in the Cass City High School next year. She succeeds Miss Elsie Titsworth, who presented her resignation to Supt. J. I. Niergarth, a few weeks ago.

Miss Bailey taught in the North Branch High School last year.

Farmer Ended Life Wednesday

Funeral of Frank Hickie Will Be Held Today (Friday) at His Farm Home.

From Deford Correspondent.

Frank Hickie, 62, prominent Kingston Township farmer, died at Pleasant Home Hospital in Cass City at 11:00 a. m. Wednesday from a wound, self-inflicted it is reported, by a 22-caliber rifle early that morning. The bullet entered the center of the forehead and glanced out through a temple.

Mrs. Hickie found her husband wounded in the hay mow between 4:00 and 5:00 a. m. She thought he had arisen early to pick string beans in the cool of the day as had been his custom, and failing to see him in the field, she continued the search until she discovered him in the barn.

The remains were taken to the Karr Funeral Home in Kingston Wednesday. The funeral service will be held at the family home five miles southeast of Deford to day (Friday). Mr. Hickie had resided on this farm 22 years.

Mr. Hickie is survived by his widow, the former Grace Lockwood, of Wilmot, whom he married in 1906; five sons and a daughter, Wilbur, Robert, Carl, Lloyd and Marshall Hickie, and Mrs. Mabel Yax, all at home; two sisters, Mrs. Jennie Hammond of Wilmot and Mrs. Mae Toban of Seattle, Washington; and one brother, Harry, of Lupton.

Mr. Hickie was a moderator in the Leek School District for six years, served his township as justice of the peace for nine years, and held the office of road overseer for six years.

His father, James Burns Hickie, a member of the 12th New York Heavy Artillery, was under fire in 13 general engagements in the Civil War but was never wounded.

BIRMINGHAM FIRM LOW BIDDER ON OWENDALE ROAD

Taylor Bros. & Co. of Birmingham submitted the low bid on the construction of 1,748 miles of bituminous retread on 21-foot macadam on the county road west of Owendale. Their bid was \$25,878.

Relief Problem Is An Example of How State Aid to Local Governments Has Mounted

Lansing—The "home rule" policy of the late Governor Frank Fitzgerald, which the legislature followed in enactment of the new welfare act, is now coming home to roost.

Counties "must take up the slack" in cost of relief, it is announced by Walter F. Gries, chairman of the state social welfare commission.

With the state "broke" (at least \$30,000,000 in the red) and with a reduced state appropriation available for the present fiscal year, the state commission allocated \$650,350 to counties for August relief. Counties had requested a total of \$1,207,672. Wayne County alone wanted \$489,000.

Under terms of the new act, counties are given final authority over relief expenditures. When state funds are exhausted, responsibility for maintenance of welfare—according to the new act—falls back on home governments. Are all counties doing as much as they can for relief of unemployed? The commissioners think not. Jackson County, for instance, expended \$440,000 for a new courthouse in 1938 when it contributed only \$9,000 for relief while the state was giving it \$553,000.

Officials of the same counties, however, think otherwise. Quoting

Tuscola County Allocation Board Sets the Tax Rate

Seven Townships Will Assess No Township Taxes This Year.

The tax allocation board of Tuscola County, in a recent meeting, made their final determinations regarding the tax rates in the township and school districts of the county.

The county tax rate is 5 1/2 mills and that of the townships ranges from 1/2 to two mills. Seven townships will assess no township taxes this year.

School district taxes range from one to 8 1/2 mills. School District No. 2 in Tuscola Township, where no school is maintained, is the only district without a school tax.

B. H. McComb, Arthur M. Willets, Clare W. Horning, John A. Sandham, Edwin Eckfeld and Edmund Miller are members of the county tax allocation board.

The following is the tax rate set in the 23 townships and the school districts of the county:

Akron—Township, .0065 mills. School Dist. No. 1, 3 mills; No. 2, 2; No. 3, 3; No. 4, 4; No. 5, 4; No. 6, 4; No. 7, 4; No. 8, 4; No. 9, 4; No. 10, 4; No. 11, 4; No. 12, 4; No. 13, 4; No. 14, 4; No. 15, 4; No. 16, 5.

Almer—Township, no tax. School Dist. No. 1, 4; No. 2, 4; No. 3, 4; No. 4, 4; No. 5, 4; No. 6, 4; No. 7, 4.

Arbela—Township, 3 mills. School Dist. No. 1, 3; No. 2, 4; No. 3, 4; No. 4, 4; No. 5, 4; No. 6, 4; No. 7, 3.

Columbia—Township, 1/2 mill.

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Tuscola County Bean Growers to Meet on August 11

Bean growers will meet in the courthouse at Caro on Friday, August 11, 1939, at 8:00 p. m. Carl Keinath, chairman of the Tuscola County Bean Growers' Association, called this meeting of bean growers to elect officers for the Tuscola County Bean Growers' Association and also delegates to represent Tuscola County on the State Bean Board for the coming year.

The Tuscola Bean Growers' Association was very active in securing enactment of the new farm storage law. This law prevents warehousemen from selling these farm products stored with them and requires the issuance of regular storage receipts and also protects farmers against loss from these stored farm products becoming assets of warehousemen in bankruptcy or other court actions.

The Federal Surplus Commodity Corporation has purchased and contracted to purchase 1,128 carloads (564,000 bags) of Michigan pea beans since last November, for distribution to persons on relief.

The Bean Growers' Association was largely responsible for this purchase of Michigan beans by the F. S. C. C.

The other officers of the Tuscola County association are Oscar Uhl of Unionville, vice president; Carl C. Smith of Colwood, secretary-treasurer; and they also represent Tuscola County on the state board.

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G. R. Harris, Wayne County welfare superintendent: "Counties are limited by the 15-mill amendment and some of them can't raise enough taxes altogether to meet their relief costs."

The relief problem into which home rule was injected by the 1939 legislature is but an example of how state aid to local governments has mounted in the past few years.

Back in 1933 the total of revenues collected by the state and turned over to counties, townships, cities and school districts did not exceed \$40,000,000 a year. Within six years the state's tax load in behalf of local governments only has grown approximately \$65,000,000, for a grand total of more than \$100,000,000 or half of all the money that the state collects.

The schools obtained more than \$25,000,000 more each year. County and township relief commissions last year absorbed nearly \$40,000,000.

County road funds received \$30,000,000 from the state treasury.

And so the story goes. What is the answer? Will "home rule," which taxpayers talk about so fondly, stop the apparently ever-increasing trend toward more spending of money for governmental

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CASS CITY CHRONICLE

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NEEDED: A BUMP ON THE NOSE.

A successful businessman who is also a university trustee, widely read, cultured, thoughtful, and a good judge of human nature, was discussing a certain young man.

An increasing number of people, including some educators who have their feet squarely on the ground, believe that the case of this young man is far too typical today.

Employment officials assembling not long ago at a regional gathering of personnel associations brought out the fact that a principal reason why jobs often are not given to youngsters just out of college is because their attitude toward employment is such a curious one.

Probably some of the fault lies with the home, and urban living. Cash allowances are given to city children, many of whom never do a lick of work to earn the money.

The "gimme" attitude is the negation of the service ideal. True education, whether in home or in school, insists that a primary quality of adulthood is ability to take care of oneself; which means to give, more than it means to get.

Clipped Comment

Grandma's Bathing Costume. There are bathing beauties at Caseville, and there are some who should wear the bathing suits used by their grandmothers.—Pigeon Progress.

Politics in Sanilac. Now that the summer is half gone the political pot for 1940 is beginning to boil in Sanilac County.

Joseph Dawe will be a candidate for county clerk to succeed himself. A. P. Decker may be in the field for the same office.

Lockwood of Marlette will be the opposition.

Sam Pangborn is being urged by some of his farmer friends to be a candidate for the state senate against L. J. Paterson. The same is said to be true of John Danaghy.

The One Way of Salvation. A good many people who ought to know better are sneering publicly in a superior way at Governor Dickinson's efforts to draw attention to the religious and moral deterioration and dangers of the time.

Those among them who have sense would probably stop what they are doing if they would study the crime records and give a second thought to prevalent political putridity.

Thoughtless people, self-indulgent people, professionally clever people and so-called "sophisticates" have been given to easy jeers at God and goodness since the dawn of history.

It was so in the Twin Cities of the Plain; it has been so in every land that has traveled the road to ruin.

Those with adult minds who have the wit to understand what has been happening to civilization in the last decade, and more particularly in the last half dozen years, and who have been watching the dizzy spin away from reason, sanity, soundness and decency, take a different attitude.

It may be touch-and-go whether the world is to escape a new dark age period.

There is only one certain way of avoiding the disaster, and that is through a recovery of respect for, and touch with matters spiritual.

Loss of these things by millions upon millions of people is fast bringing on a depression of our ethics to the level of the ethics of the worshippers of Baal and Ashtoreth.

We are forgetting the God of Our Fathers, and are throwing away His ordinances; and we are paying a natural penalty for that foolishness in the form of a deadly reversion to greed, grossness and earthiness.

And when such men as Governor Dickinson and those who are fighting for moral rearmament try to recall us to realities, and awaken us to our danger and need, the least we can do is listen seriously; and whether or not we like the precise methods or modes of expression of those who exhort, good sense should lead us to acknowledge that there is a reason for their warnings, and a call to join in a good cause.

Herbert Hoover restated an old truth in crisp phrase when he said: "Nations can stand the pinch of economic ills but they cannot withstand the loss of moral fiber."

For when moral fiber is gone, nothing worth-while is left. Nothing remains to fight with.

And the deterioration of moral fiber in America, and almost everywhere else, is the greatest threat man faces today.

There must be a revival of spiritual consciousness, or ordinary social decency, and of everyday honesty in human relations, political, industrial, economic and personal; or all the progress we boast of, all our knowledge, all our great inventions, will combine shortly to take us into a hell worse than any the race has ever experienced.—Detroit Free Press.

Epilepsy Found Most Prevalent In Sub-Normal

By DR. JAMES W. BARTON

IT WAS thought for many years that epilepsy caused feeble-mindedness notwithstanding the fact that many brilliant individuals were or had been subject to epileptic attacks.

It is also a fact that among those of poor intellect (those below normal mentally) there is a greater proportion of epileptics.

What about epileptics who are normal mentally? Are they likely to gradually lose some of this mentality and become subnormal?



Dr. Barton

A most interesting study of epilepsy and mentality is recorded in the American Journal of Orthopsychiatry by three Boston research workers—Dr. Merrill Moore, C. R. Atwell and A. Louise Collins.

They are believed to be a fair cross section of the epileptic portion of the community.

The tests included speed and accuracy with which simple sums were done or questions answered, memory, mental speed, speech, reasoning, judgment, comprehension or understanding, and others.

What did these research workers find after an examination of 229 cases during a period of 20 years?

In cases where the intelligence was below normal, this below normal condition was not due to the epilepsy but because the patients were mentally below normal anyway and happened to have epilepsy also.

They found also that the individual below normal mentally is more likely to develop epilepsy than one who is normal.

Another interesting finding was that the length of time the patient had been afflicted with epilepsy did not seem to make much difference in the effects of the epilepsy on his mental power.

Exercise Needed For Healthy Heart. Some years ago whilst visiting Montreal I noticed a man climbing a number of steps up the side of the mountain, then resting for a while and again climbing a few steps and resting.

On inquiring he told me that he had had a nervous and physical breakdown which had affected his heart.

After resting for a couple of weeks after he was apparently well, his physician had advised this climb, which he took at a definite number of steps per minute.

He was increasing the number of steps between rests each week and was again examined each week by his physician.

Most of us have been thinking too much of the rest that the tired or failing heart needs and forgetting that every muscle of the body needs work or exercise to develop it and keep it in good condition.

Of course the needed rest to build up or restore the "reserve power" must first be taken, but thereafter regular and graded exercise strengthens the heart.

Dr. Ernest P. Boas in Hygeia states: "Well-Tolerated Activity."

"It is a matter of common knowledge that physical training enables a normal individual to undergo severe bodily exertion with greater ease and efficiency.

While there is no thought of making a trained athlete out of a patient with heart disease, a certain amount of well-tolerated activity—exercise—will make the circulatory apparatus (heart and blood vessels) a more efficient machine, will spare the heart a certain amount of work (because the training will make the work easier) and promote a general sense of well being.

It will also help to prevent obesity (overweight) which so often follows an inactive life and adds to the heart's burden.

Now this doesn't mean that hard or prolonged exercise should be taken which would use up the heart reserve and perhaps require rest in bed again.

CHURCHES

Nazarene Church—Minister, Rev. Ralph Smith. Sunday, August 6: 10:00, Sunday School. 11:00, morning service with sermon by Rev. Ralph Smith.

Cass City Methodist Church—Henry G. Bushong, Pastor. Sunday, August 6: 10:00, morning service with sermon by the Rev. H. G. Bushong on the topic, "My Way vs. God's Way."

Baptist Church, Cass City—L. A. Kennedy, Minister. Lord's Day, August 6: 10:00 a. m., Bible School. 11:00, morning worship. The pastor will preach the Word.

Evangelical Church—R. N. Holsapple, Minister. Sunday, August 6: 10:00, morning service with sermon by the pastor.

Erskine Church, eight miles north of the junction of M-81 and M-58. Lord's Day, August 6: 9:00 a. m., church service. Message by the pastor.

Presbyterian Church—Watch for item in Chronicle regarding annual Sunday School picnic.

Novesta Baptist Church—Frank H. Collins, Pastor. There will be no church services on Sunday, July 30, and Sunday, August 6, as the pastor will be attending the Blessed Hope Bible Conference.

McHenry-Fournier Marriage—Rev. Fr. McCullough officiated at the marriage ceremony at seven o'clock Saturday morning, July 29, which united Miss Virginia Theresa McHenry, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Claude McHenry, and Roland E. Fournier, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Fournier.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Young of Dresden, Canada, are spending the week with Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Young.

The Gagetown Grange held its annual picnic at Caseville Thursday evening. A potluck dinner was served at seven o'clock.

Mrs. Frank Mosher and two children went to Detroit Sunday for a week's visit with Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Mosher.

Miss Helen Fournier went to Ann Arbor Sunday to visit her sister, Mrs. Marie Thomas. Shirley Thomas, who has been spending vacation days with Mr. and Mrs. John Fournier, returned home with her.

Mr. and Mrs. James Chisholm spent Saturday in Brown City with Mr. and Mrs. Donald Chisholm.

Mrs. Gertrude Heenan of Pontiac and Mrs. Helen McLeod of Detroit were week-end guests of their father, James Phelan.

Miss Dorothy McHenry left on Sunday for Detroit where she will take a course in cosmetology at the Delmar School of Cosmetology.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Karner of Detroit were Saturday guests of Mrs. Delphine Goslin. Mrs. Goslin will visit at the Karner and Neddeau homes in Detroit this week.

Mrs. Hattie Glougie and daughter, Margaret, are spending the week in Pontiac, guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Glougie and Miss Muriel Theack.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Armitage, Mrs. Josephine McDonald and Miss R. Mall spent Sunday in Saginaw with Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Bartels.

Mrs. Anna High and daughter, Helen, returned from Pontiac on Monday where they visited the week with Mrs. Josephine Krug.

Mr. and Mrs. William Montague, Irwin Montague, Mrs. James Dougherty and A. J. Craig of Caro were Sunday guests of Mrs. Marcella Toohey.

Dr. and Mrs. Denton Fox spent from Saturday until Tuesday in Potosky visiting relatives.

Miss Edith Miller spent Sunday in Marlette with Miss Margaret Burleigh.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Wilson returned Friday from a two weeks' trip to New York City and Brooklyn.

Miss Lura DeWitt and Miss Dora Krapf of Cass City were Sunday visitors of Mrs. J. L. Purdy.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Leach and family were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Watson Spaven Sunday.

Miss Arlene Reed spent Sunday with her parents in Cass City.

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Wilson were callers at the Frank Southworth home Sunday.

The Feagan reunion was held at Bay Park Sunday. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Earl Feagan and family of Deford, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Feagan of Port Huron, Mr. and Mrs. William Feagan and family, Charles Feagan, Mr. and Mrs. John Dossor of Akron, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Dossor of Midland, Jim Dossor of Akron and Mr. and Mrs. Edward Feagan of Lansing.

Officers who were elected for the coming year are as follows: Charles Feagan, honorary president; Edward Feagan, president; Mrs. Robert Dossor, secretary-treasurer.

The next reunion will be held in Lansing, Michigan.

Springs Long Forgotten. In the year 125 B. C. the Romans established a thermal station at Aixles-Bains, France.

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Ralph Hitz has established a world-wide reputation as a manager of fine hotels and has made a vast army of friends by the hospitality and courtesy shown to his guests.

Important Tax Notice! The third one-tenth installment on 1933-1934-1935 taxes, and the fifth one-tenth installment on 1932 and prior years taxes MUST BE PAID BEFORE SEPT. 1, 1939 TO AVOID EXTRA CHARGES.

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WEEKLY NEWS ANALYSIS BY JOSEPH W. LaBINE

U. S. Rupture of Japan Treaty Seen as Isolationist Decision In Wake of British Surrender

(EDITOR'S NOTE—When opinions are expressed in these columns, they are those of the news analyst and not necessarily of this newspaper.)

INTERNATIONAL: Focus on Japan

The word "defeat" laid heavily on Neville Chamberlain's brow. In Tokyo, his British Ambassador Sir Robert Leslie Craigie had signed peace terms with Japan in which Mr. Chamberlain's government promised not to obstruct the Japanese army in its war with China.



AMBASSADOR HORINOUCHEI More bad news is coming.

commerce, which protested vehemently, Mr. Chamberlain gave an explanation something like this:

The U. S. was to blame, since she refused to raise a finger to protect occidental influence in China against Jap aggression. But by granting Japan rights in China, Britain satisfied Tokyo's grievances against western democracies and thus "detached" her from the threatening Rome-Berlin axis.

But were they? Critics warned Mr. Chamberlain that U. S. isolation might result from this unprecedented surrender. That very thing looked possible a few days later when Cordell Hull flatly terminated the 28-year "treaty of general commerce and friendship" with Japan.

As for Britain, there was growing opinion in Washington that Neville Chamberlain is to be trusted no more than Japan. Having sold British interests in China down the river, having violated both the nine-power and Kellogg pact, he probably "wined at the next news: Japan got an inch and took a mile, announcing all foreign shipping would be banned from Canton.

POLITICS: Rift

Interesting to Republican politicians was the announcement that Ohio's Gov. John W. Bricker would seek another term, and not run for the G. O. P. presidential nomination. This left convention delegates from Mr. Bricker's state a clear

COTTON

IN NEW YORK: Since Britain agreed in her Anglo-American barter plan to take additional cotton for whatever subsidy was established, the 1 1/2 cents per pound rate recently announced will give her roughly 100,000 additional bales, or a total of 700,000 bales.

IN WASHINGTON: The U. S. and Japan agreed to extend for one year their Philippine islands cotton pact, under which Jap exporters of cotton piece goods agree to limit the annual Philippine importation of Japanese cotton piece goods to 45,000,000 square meters.

IN MEMPHIS: Pres. Oscar Johnston of the National Cotton council planned a conference with Secretary of Agriculture Henry A. Wallace to improve consumption and price of cottonseed, thus averting "threatened disaster."

field to plump for Ohio's Sen. Robert A. Taft, who simultaneously notified his supporters to start digging up Taft-pledged delegates.

But Democratic politicians had even more interesting—if more puzzling—news about 1940. Off to Europe (on the same boat with G. O. P. Chairman John D. M. Hamilton) sailed Postmaster General James A. Farley after a mystifying conference at Hyde Park with President Roosevelt. Only after-conference word to reporters was Mr. Roosevelt's remark that such talks had been going on for years, and were "fairly effective."

But everyone knew the subject of 1940's presidential election had been broached, most observers thought Jim Farley had pressed his boss for an announcement regarding his third-term candidacy, and a few thought there was a definite rift between the two men which will not break into headlines until October or later.

Reasons: Mr. Farley is a potential candidate who cannot risk an announcement until after the President himself speaks. Otherwise he would lose much New Deal support. Even so, bad blood began simmering during the Supreme court fight, boiled during last year's "purge" and boiled even harder when Farley's enemy, Paul McNutt, got a fat administrative job. Good Democrats are wondering if these rifts will ever be healed.

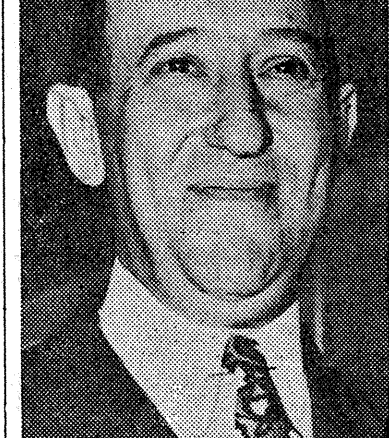
ENGLAND: Irish Wit

Commuters at London's King's Cross and Victoria stations shuddered as bombs exploded. Forty were hurt, one killed. At Liverpool the Mount Pleasant post office and a wooden bridge were blown up. Wreckage blocked the Liverpool-Leeds canal and parliament shivered when someone discovered its historic building might be blown up next. Next morning commons hastily passed and sent to the house of lords a bill to give police special powers. Immediately 15,000 hobbies went to work looking for the phantom Irish republican army responsible for this mess. Reason: They want Britain to evacuate soldiers and officials from northern Ireland.

MEDICINE: Victory

Last summer Trust Buster Thurman Arnold obtained indictments against the American Medical Association, three other lesser medical groups and 21 physicians on the ground that they had conspired to restrain trade under the Sherman anti-trust act. Specific case: Group Health Association, Inc., a low-cost medical group formed by government employees in Washington, charged that certain hospitals and doctors refused to accept patients referred to them by the association's doctors.

Best guesses last summer held the indictments were a force on A. M. A.'s head to weapon modification



A. M. A.'S FISHBEIN No program, no need of it.

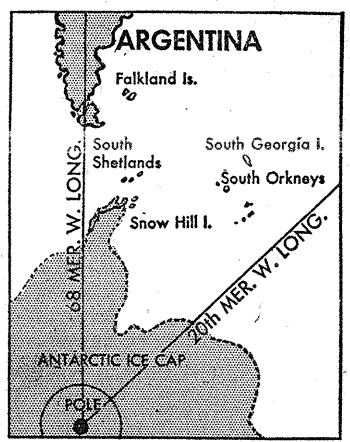
of its Gibraltar-like stand against socialized medicine. A few weeks later A. M. A.'s board of governors actually did modify this stand and observers thought the case would be dropped.

Late July found A. M. A. scoring a victory. At Washington's District of Columbia federal court, Justice James M. Proctor dismissed the proceedings on ground that the practice of medicine is a profession, not a trade, therefore does not fall under the Sherman act.

While Wendell Berge, Mr. Arnold's assistant, told reporters that a government appeal "seems to me a foregone conclusion," A. M. A.'s Journal editor smiled over his victory at headquarters in Chicago. Said he, expansively: The A. M. A.'s principles and policies neither forbid nor ever have contemplated "any opposition to a well-considered expanded program of medical service, when the need can be established." Thus far, evidently, A. M. A. thinks the U. S. has found neither a fit program nor sufficient need for it.

PUZZLERS

Do you know your news? Answer all five and your mark is 100; four, 80; three, 60; two, 40; one, 20; none, 0!

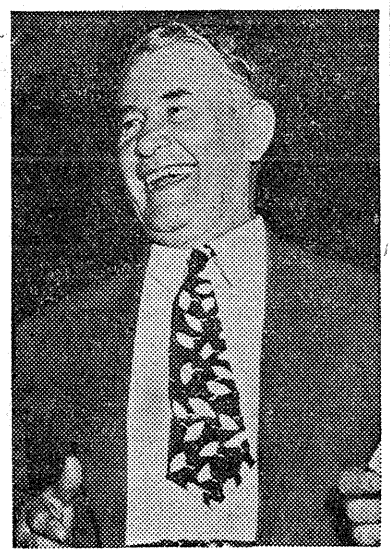


- 1. Why is south polar area between twentieth and sixty-eighth meridian (shown on map) now in the news?
2. True or False: The Rev. Gerould Goldner, Ohio prisoner kidnaped by Arabs, was released after kissing each of his captors on both cheeks.
3. Choice: An unprecedented drought recently hit the (northwest) (southeast) (southwest) (northeast) section of the U. S.
4. What nationally important event is scheduled to happen August 15 in St. Joseph and Marshall counties, Ind.?
5. What "boner" did E. S. Hudson, British secretary for overseas trade, pull during his recent talk with Germany's Helmut Wohltat?
(Answers at bottom of column.)

CONGRESS: 'Splending'

By the time it reached the senate floor, President Roosevelt's \$2,490,000 spend-lend bill had become a personal headache to Majority Leader Alben W. Barkley, a scorn-center of scoffing Republicans (who called it "splending") and a catch-all reservoir into which were dumped such irrelevant riders as that of Montana's Democratic Sen. James E. Murray, who sought to restore old prevailing WPA wages.

By cautious elimination, Leader Barkley was removing every possible obstacle to passage by the time-honored method of modification. By this time it was a matter of face-saving, for any sort of a bill at all would be better than utter defeat. Major modification was elimination of the toll provision on the projected \$500,000,000 road-building program. Then Leader Barkley held his breath while the senate downed an amendment to eliminate \$350,000,000 in public works loans and substitute the old PWA setup. By an even closer margin, 40 to 38, the road-building program was saved.



SENATOR BARKLEY He took plenty of scorn.

Mr. Barkley also took scorn from Michigan's Sen. Arthur Vandenberg ("Another tug at boot-strap lifting" from Virginia's Harry Byrd ("The whole scheme is devised to evade the debt limit") and from Georgia's Walter F. George ("A palpable fraud on its face"). Besides the public debt issue, opposition centered around the impossibility of hiking bonded indebtedness in already hard-pressed states and cities. Moreover, spend-lend philosophy failed in last year's election. But with adjournment hanging on the measure, Leader Barkley stuck to his guns and awaited the propitious moment for a vote.

Also in congress: Passed by the senate, the general transportation bill of Montana's Sen. Burton K. Wheeler was shelved for this session because the house made so many changes that immediate compromise was impossible. Nomination of Francis B. Sayre, undersecretary of state, as high commissioner to the Philippines was received from the White House. Middle-west congressmen sought discussions with Secretary of Agriculture Henry Wallace on a proposal to barter lard to Germany in exchange for products now on the U. S. tariff free list.

One of the unusual features of the Patterson reunion held in Port Glasco, Ontario, on Lake Erie on Saturday was the large number attending. Two hundred and fifty-seven signed the register. Note was taken of the man and woman traveling farthest to attend the reunion. A man from New York and a woman from Saskatchewan received that distinction. John McLarty, Mr. and Mrs. Neil McLarty and son, Neil, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Guy Landon and D. H. McColl attended from Cass City.

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LOCALS

Mrs. Carl VanTine and son, George, of Caro visited Cass City relatives on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Ottaway left on Monday on a week's trip to Traverse City and other Northern Michigan points.

Mr. and Mrs. James Proctor of Flint were at the Audley Kinnaird and the R. S. Proctor homes on Thursday and Friday.

Mrs. C. W. Clark of Pontiac and Miss Mary Striffler of Plymouth were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Striffler.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Landon attended the State Mail Carriers' convention at Saginaw Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday of last week.

Mrs. A. D. Gillies is still confined to her bed after a heart attack last week according to latest reports. Miss Mary Dobson is staying with her.

Scotch friends, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lonie, of Keego Harbor, were guests at the Walter Anthes home from Thursday until Saturday.

Gordon Pinney returned with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Grant Pinney, to Lenox on Sunday. He had spent the week at the Mrs. Edward Pinney home here.

Frank Dunn of Troy, New York, was in Cass City at the Wesley Dunn home Monday evening. He spent from Monday until Wednesday visiting in Ubyly.

Mr. and Mrs. Don MacLachlan and Mrs. Sarah MacLachlan visited at the L. M. Cameron home in Sarnia on Sunday. Mr. MacLachlan's mother remained to spend a few weeks there.

Mrs. Robert Fry and two daughters of San Luis Obispo, California, who have been visiting with Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Striffler, are spending this week with Mrs. Fry's two sisters in Elkton and Pigeon.

Six visitors called at the Charles Robinson home Wednesday. They were the Misses Nellie and Ione Scripture of Minneapolis, Minn., Mrs. Carrie Purvis of Davison, and Mrs. Carl Robinson and two children of Flint.

Mrs. Harriett Boyes, Miss Marjorie Boyes and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Dunn, all of Detroit, visited at the John Dillman home and at Caseville on Sunday. Miss Mary Kastraba came with them from Detroit and stayed at the Audley Kinnaird home. The group returned on Monday.

On August 21, Miss Patricia Pinney commences a six months' internship at Greensville, Pa. She finished her study course as a laboratory technician at St. Louis, Missouri, and is spending a three weeks' vacation with her mother, Mrs. Edward Pinney, in Cass City. Miss Laura Bigelow and Mrs. Pinney met her in Detroit on Friday.

Mrs. M. L. Moore and Irene Silvernall returned Saturday from a week's visit at the William Winey cottage at Eagle Lake near Kalamazoo. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ramsey of Shepherdsview brought them back to Cass City and remained at the Moore home for a few days. On Monday, Mrs. McKinley and Mrs. Barber of Detroit came to visit Mrs. Moore for a few days also.

H. J. Jackson of Detroit was a week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. Ashton Tindale. The Tindales, their guest, and Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Hunt and children spent the week-end at Oak Bluff at the Hunt cottage where Mr. and Mrs. Wain Jackson of Detroit are spending a two weeks' vacation. While Mr. and Mrs. Jackson are in Caseville, their daughter, Nancy, is staying in Cass City with her grandparents, the Tindales.

On Sunday, Walter Anthes, Harold Anthes, the Misses Lucile and Alice Anthes, and Theron Bush of Unionville went to Pontiac to visit at the John Race home. Miss Lucile Anthes remained there to spend a week. On the return trip to Cass City Sunday evening the rest of the group was accompanied by Miss Betty Race, who is planning to visit at the Anthes home and then go with her cousin, Alice, to the Evangelical summer assembly at Bay Shore Park near Sebewaing.

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SHABBONA.

Crops Exceptionally Good—

Farm crops in this community are exceptionally good and farmers are anticipating a big harvest. Bruce Kritzman, who resides two miles west of here, on M-53, threshed 760 bushels of wheat last week of a very good quality.

W. W. Auslander of Detroit spent the week-end at the home of his brother, Paul Auslander.

Mrs. Bessie McQueen entertained the Union Aid at her home here Thursday at dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. James Colbert entertained Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Hygimow and daughter, Marcella, of Owosso at dinner Sunday.

The Arnold reunion was held at Forester Saturday, July 29, with 135 attending. It will be held at the same place next year.

Mr. and Mrs. Phil Allan of Port Huron spent Saturday night and Sunday at the Nelson Hyatt home.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam McGowan and family and Miss Thelma Petteplace of Detroit visited the week-end at the home of Miss Petteplace's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Petteplace.

Mrs. J. E. Lambe and daughter, Gwendolyn, of Saginaw were visitors at the James Colbert home Saturday night. Mrs. H. C. Davis returned to spend the week with her sister, Mrs. Lambe, at Saginaw.

Miss Carolyn Hyatt, who spent the past week at her home here, returned to Port Huron Sunday where she is employed. Milton Hyatt also left Sunday for Port Huron where he will spend a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Arnold and Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Cook attended a birthday party on Leslie Phillip Monday night.

Miss Clara Severance, who has spent most of the summer assisting her brother, Louis Severance, of Akron, as clerk and bookkeeper in his store, returned home Saturday.

Nelson Hyatt spent several days last week on a business trip in Northern Michigan, returning home Saturday night.

The Misses Clara Severance and Elsie Pringle left Monday for Flint where they will take a course at the Michigan College of Beauty Culture.

Mr. and Mrs. William Lewis of Greenleaf and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Merscher of Detroit were Sunday afternoon visitors of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Neville.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Kritzman and daughter, Marian, visited Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Furness Saturday night and Sunday. Lorraine Jean Furness, who spent the past week at the Kritzman home, returned to her home with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Karr entertained at dinner on Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. William Simmons and Mr. and Mrs. Amasa Anthes of Gagetown.

NOVESTA.

The F. W. B. Ladies' Aid of Novesta will meet Tuesday, August 8, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Colwell in Cass City. A potluck dinner will be served.

Mrs. Emily Warner and Mrs. Mable Burgen returned home on Friday after spending the past three weeks in Avoca.

Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Henderson and son, Donald, of Pontiac visited Friday and Saturday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Henderson. Velma Pratt returned to Pontiac with Mr. and Mrs. Henderson on Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. John Pringle and son, Grant, Mrs. Lemon, Mrs. Alvirra Ball and Mrs. Abbie Curtis enjoyed a lovely birthday dinner Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clark Zinnecker. Mrs. Pringle and Mrs. Lemon, whose birthdays were near that date, were the honor guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Henderson visited Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George McArthur.

Omar MacNutt of Pontiac was a caller at the A. H. Henderson home on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Vaughn Jones and family of Argyle visited Sunday at the home of Mrs. S. A. Baxter.

A group from the Gilmore Church of Christ at Farwell visited the Novesta Church of Christ on Sunday. Rev. Mr. Pennuick of Farwell was the guest speaker.

Word was received of the arrival of a baby boy, July 20, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Forest Tyo of Detroit. He will answer to the name of Tommie Lee.

Mrs. Charlotte Harper and Mrs. Downing returned to their homes in Ontario Saturday. The ladies attended the funeral of their brother, S. A. Baxter, last week.

Amy Deneen visited Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Binder.

A large delegation from the Novesta Church of Christ expect to attend services at Rock Lake next Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Rohrbacher of Pontiac returned home Saturday after spending a few days with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Henderson and Mrs. Alvirra Ball of Detroit and Mrs. Abbie Curtis of Armada visited Thursday at the home of Mr.

and Mrs. John Pringle. Mrs. Ball and Mrs. Curtis remained here for a few weeks' visit with friends and relatives.

A series of tent meetings will be held at Novesta F. W. B. Church yard beginning August 20 and lasting for two weeks. Rev. Ralph Didier of Saginaw and Flint will conduct the meetings.

Mrs. Neil Black and daughter, Janet, of Detroit are spending the week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Archie Hicks.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Allen and family returned to their home in East Lansing on July 26 after a vacation spent with Mrs. Allen's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Stoner, and with Mrs. E. P. Smith. Mrs. Stoner went with the Allens to East Lansing and Mrs. Smith went to Vassar for a visit. The two ladies

returned to their home here Saturday night.

Misses Leota and Pearl Cunningham of Saginaw came Saturday to spend a week at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cunningham. Other Saturday visitors at the Cunningham home were Mr. and Mrs. R. Bruce, Mrs. Patton and Elmer Bruce, all of Cass City.

Flat-Cut Mahogany A mahogany veneer which shows a striped edge with a shell or swirl figure in the center is produced by cutting a board from the log, no part of which crosses the center of the tree. This is called plain or flat-cut mahogany.

Icelanders in Greenland Icelanders settled in Greenland in the Tenth century.

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FARM TOPICS

BIRTH RATE DROP HURTS MILK PRICE

Need Seen for Increased Use by Adults.

By LELAND SPENCER

The decline in the number of young children is one reason for the reduced use of milk the past few years, according to the New York state college of agriculture.

The declining birth rate calls for special efforts by the milk industry to push the general use of milk as a drink by adults, and especially to break down the tendency of adolescents to switch from milk to other drinks.

Efforts should also be continued to find ways to get fluid milk at less cost to families of low incomes. This is the surest way to ward off the substitution of other forms of milk for fresh milk.

As for dealers' "spreads" on retail milk in nine important markets of the United States, the spreads were reduced during the depression, but are now larger than ever.

The inability of milk dealers to reduce their spread on retail milk is the main reason for the less friendly public attitude toward them the past few years. Those acquainted with the situation, however, know that the chief obstacle to reducing the spread is high wages and the difficulty of using less labor, especially for retail delivery.

As to the outlook for the milk industry during the next two years, the Cornell milk marketing specialists say much depends on the trend of commodity prices.

Green Vegetables Needed For Well-Balanced Diet

Even before the searchlight of food research was turned on leafy green vegetables their value in human nutrition was pretty generally appreciated.

Today they have an important place on the list of "protective foods"—a way nutritionists have of designating foods with a very high dietetic rating.

Leafy green vegetables merit a place on this list chiefly because they are rich in both iron and vitamin A. Many of them are also very rich sources of calcium. These three nutrients, according to a recent nation-wide survey, are food essentials in which American diets are often low.

Green leaves are also excellent sources of vitamin G. Thrown in for good measure are considerable amounts of vitamin C and Vitamin B1. Leafy vegetables, in addition, contribute bulk or roughage, some of which is usually desirable in the diets of persons in normal health.

Aerial Photos Offer Accurate Farm Record

With the advent of the Agricultural Adjustment act, and the need for accurate field measurement to check compliance with the soil conservation program, aerial photography came into its own as a cheap, quick, indisputable method of land mapping.

Accurate field measurement is important under the AAA because conservation payments are made at a specified rate per acre of land planted. Prior to the use of air photography, a number of methods, ranging from the old measuring wheel to surveying, were used.

Cost of checking performance from the air is about one-third less than the earlier methods of land measurement. Air photography costs about four cents per acre as compared with six cents per acre under older measuring methods. The cost is included as part of the administrative expense deducted from payments to farmers.

Farm Facts

Mushrooms have been cultivated commercially in the United States for less than a half century.

The importance of live stock in Ohio agriculture is shown by the figures for farm income in 1938. Sales of all farm crops brought \$63,881,000 but the sales of live stock and live stock products totaled \$218,685,000.

Success of artificial insemination in breeding of dairy cattle, tried for the past three months in six southern-tier counties, has led officials of New York state college of agriculture to sanction the method for use by dairymen throughout the state.

Farmers now pay approximately \$1,500,000 annually for power and power machinery but before the World war they sold power in the form of work animals for several hundred million dollars annually.

One cord of barnyard manure or other well-rotted organic material per 5,000 square feet of garden is recommended as the first fertilizer to apply to the garden. This may be supplemented with superphosphate or with a balance fertilizer as needed.

Local Happenings

Arthur Atwell was a business caller in Fostoria on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Tallmadge of Sandusky spent Monday with relatives here.

Mrs. M. M. Moore spent the week-end in Detroit visiting her son, Garrison Moore.

Miss Janice McMahon spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. Richard VanWinkle in Wayne.

Mrs. William Cooper is entertaining her niece, Charlotte Klinkman, in Flint for two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. John Gray were dinner guests at the Almon Blashall home at Snover Sunday.

On Saturday and Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Vern Bogart and Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Striffler were at Tawas Lake.

Miss Ruth Schenck left Wednesday to be the guest of Mrs. Carlton Palmer in Caro for the remainder of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Truman Phelps and daughter, Mildred, of Mayville were callers at the John Gray farm home Sunday evening.

Miss Christina Graham and Miss Sharlie VanWinkle were week-end guests of Sharlie's sister, Mrs. Carlton Palmer, in Caro.

Mrs. Margaret Houghton entertained her daughter, Mrs. Etta Rowley, and her granddaughter, Miss Myrl Rowley, of Lansing over the week-end.

After a six weeks' visit with her daughter, Mrs. H. Lee Pockington, and family in Algonac, Mrs. C. O. Lenzner will return to her home the first of next week.

The Conrad Willy home enjoyed the visit of a daughter and her family this week-end. They were Mr. and Mrs. Steve Orto and daughter, Sandra Jane, from Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Eisenhour and daughter, Judy, expect to go to Pontiac this week-end. They will be guests at the home of Mrs. Eisenhour's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Leddick.

Helene Creuger entertained Norma Wallis of Chicago, Illinois, at dinner Friday night. Norma is spending several months this summer with her grandparents, Dr. and Mrs. R. N. Holsaple.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Nique of Decker have their trailer house at the Sanilac County Park on Lake Huron and frequently spend a few days there. Mr. and Mrs. George Dillman and little son spent Sunday with them there.

Mrs. Arthur Little and children, Bruce, Dale and Lois, spent Thursday with Mrs. Little's mother, Mrs. Anna Milner, at Almer. On Thursday they planned to attend the Milner-Ogram reunion at Wagona Beach at Bay City.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Copeland and family of Detroit spent the week-end at the Sim Bardwell home. Mrs. Edith Bardwell and daughter, Barbara Jean, returned to Cass City with them after spending several weeks in Detroit.

Dr. and Mrs. J. A. McLaren and daughter, Doris, of Almont were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Atwell. On Sunday they also entertained Mr. and Mrs. Myron Fancher, C. M. Malsbury and Mrs. Richard Fancher, all of Imlay City, at dinner.

"Just north," was all Mrs. Geo. Bartle could tell of the trip she and her husband were planning. "We don't know exactly where we are going, but it is in Northern Michigan." Mr. and Mrs. Bartle left Friday morning and expected to be gone a week.

The Misses Leota and Pearl Cunningham visited Sunday at the Rolland Bruce home. They live in Saginaw. An aunt of Mrs. Bruce, Mrs. Rhoda Patton, returned last week to make her home with Mr. and Mrs. Rolland Bruce. She had spent about five weeks caring for her sister, Mrs. Della Searles, at Pontiac. On Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce, Mrs. Patton and E. R. Bruce were dinner guests at the Charles Cunningham home in Novesta.

Ontario, Flint and Detroit are included in vacation plans for the Chester Graham family this week. Mr. and Mrs. Graham and daughter, Christina, planned to leave on Wednesday for Ontario to visit relatives. The end of the week they expected to go to Flint to see the Motor Festival and to pay tribute to the queen of the festival who is a personal friend of their daughter, Miss Millicent Graham. Monday will see them in Detroit putting the finishing touches on their vacation.

Sunday guests at the Charles Doerr home in Grant were Mr. and Mrs. John Vasil and family and Erick Kohntopp of Toledo, Ohio; Mrs. Fred Johnson and daughter, Florence, of Detroit; Harold Jones and Miss Marjorie Doerr of Flint; Albert Doerr and Mrs. Thompson Shannon of Saginaw; and Mrs. Shannon's guest, Mrs. Atchinson, of Louisiana; and Mr. and Mrs. Luke Tuckey and family of Cass City. Bill Vasil and Erick Kohntopp came Saturday and returned to their home in Toledo, Ohio, Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Vasil, George, Jimmy and Irene, who had been visiting for the past week at the Doerr home.

Mrs. W. M. Howe entertained her friend, Miss Bernice Whipple, of Oxford Sunday.

Dorothy and Gladys Dickinson returned Sunday after visiting two weeks in Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Harley Keating of Detroit were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Keating.

Miss Rose Herrington spent the week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Silas Parker of Owendale.

Mrs. Clarence Ashmore and son, Richard, of Owendale called on Miss Rose Herrington Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Gemmill and son, Donald, of Canboro called on Mrs. Etta Jarvis Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Frost left last week to spend some time with Mr. Frost's sister, Miss Mary Frost, in Armada.

The Misses Ann, Helen and Mildred Keenoy of Lansing spent from Sunday until Tuesday at the home of their uncle, Thomas Keenoy.

Mrs. Etta Jarvis visited at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Clayton Gemmill, of Canboro last week, returning home Saturday evening.

Little Jean O'Rourke visited her grandparents last week-end, returning home with her mother, Mrs. Floyd O'Rourke, on Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Walmsley are now at home in Sandusky. They moved from Cass City last Wednesday. Mr. Walmsley has a position in a restaurant there.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Parker and daughter, Betty, and son, Junior, and Orville Kivell, all of Elkton, called on Mrs. Etta Jarvis Sunday. Mr. Parker is an uncle of Mrs. Jarvis.

Jerry Parker of Owendale and Miss Rose Herrington called on Mrs. William Ashmore, Sr., of Gageton Sunday evening. Mrs. Ashmore is confined to her bed with sickness.

Mr. and Mrs. Omar Glaspie, son, Grant, and daughters, Ellamae and Ersel, and Louis Nemeth of Deford spent Sunday with friends in Flint. Ellamae and Ersel remained there to spend a week.

Mr. and Mrs. George Glaspie and son, Jimmie, of Bad Axe spent Saturday night and Sunday in Cass City. Mr. Glaspie's brother, Grant, who had spent a week in Bad Axe, returned home with them.

Frank Bliss left Tuesday evening for Port Huron to spend a few days' vacation with his daughter, Miss Doris Bliss, in that city. John Arritage of Gageton is in charge of Mr. Bliss' shoe shop during the latter's absence.

Miss Catherine McTavish went to Caseville on Tuesday to join the Slaughterbeck family who are camping at the state park. On Saturday, the group intends to go to Interlochen for another week of vacation before returning to their home in Detroit.

Mrs. Aline M. Ballard of Chicago, a well known writer for the radio, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Henry Smith, of this place, has started a new program entitled, "The Trouble with Marriage." This serial can be heard locally over WBCM every morning at 9:45.

A full moon and a campfire lighted about 35 happy faces at the county park at Caseville Tuesday evening when the Christian Endeavor League and the Missionary Circle of the Evangelical Church held a joint wiener roast. Swimming, hot dogs and campfire singing were features of the evening.

Dr. R. N. Holsaple was surprised to see a former Anti-Saloon League associate in his congregation at the Evangelical Church Sunday morning. Mr. and Mrs. Lee C. McManus of Detroit visited with the Holsaples at dinner and during the afternoon. Mr. McManus is now the assistant prosecuting attorney for Wayne County.

If you went to Cass City High School during 1913-14, perhaps you had a mathematics class from Miss Florence Field. She called on friends in Cass City on Friday, and conversation about high school days then took place in the I. A. Fritz and C. U. Brown homes and other places where Miss Field visited. She is now teaching in Jackson.

On Friday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Joos and son, Richard, Miss Laura Jaus, Miss Catherine MacTavish, Mrs. Alice McElderry and John Sovey went to Bay Shore Park near Sebawaing. There they joined Mr. and Mrs. Warren Westcott of Pontiac and Mrs. John Sovey, who spent the week attending the Bible conference. After a pot-luck supper and attending the evening service, the Cass City group returned home bringing Mrs. Sovey with them.

Wilmot Moore of San Jose, California, and his bride, the former Mrs. Sara Proseus, of the same city, are guests of Mr. Moore's brother, Arthur Moore, and other relatives in this vicinity. Mr. and Mrs. Moore were married on Saturday, July 22, and this visit to the East constitutes their honeymoon trip. Mr. Moore formerly lived in this community and attended the local high school. He is now an executive of the Merchants' Association in San Jose.

James Brian and son, Claude, of Hartland spent the week-end at the home of Mr. Brian's brother, Alex Brian.

Milo Vance and Don Hunter left Monday for Cleveland, Ohio, where they expected to remain a few days on business.

Miss Sally Jackson is a guest of Miss Jean Kelly at Walters Lake near Clarkston. She left Saturday and plans to stay about two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. James Proctor of Flint were visitors of Mr. Proctor's father, R. S. Proctor, and sister, Mrs. A. H. Kinnaird, over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Jackson left Monday night for Detroit. They planned to spend about ten days in vacation with no definite locations decided upon.

After spending two weeks visiting their uncle, Ivan Zapfe, in Flint, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Zapfe, Marie and Donna, returned to Cass City on Saturday.

Miss Mae Beckman of Bad Axe and her sister, Mrs. Asher Richards, and daughters, Mary and Thelma, of Wyandotte were visitors at the R. S. Proctor home on Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Floyd Churchill of Watrousville and Mrs. Joseph Allen of Caro were visitors at the Arthur Little home on Monday afternoon. Mrs. Churchill is a cousin and Mrs. Allen an aunt of Mrs. Little.

Mr. and Mrs. John Sandham spent Sunday at the Bible Conference at Bay Shore Park near Sebawaing. They also visited with Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Muellerweiss and Mrs. George Mast in Sebawaing.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Green of Bad Axe were at the John Sandham home last week. Mrs. Green remained all week with her parents and Mr. Green divided his time between Cass City and Bad Axe.

Miss Alice Little, who has been vacationing with her uncle, R. S. Proctor, and cousin, Mrs. A. H. Kinnaird, left for Detroit Monday where she will visit other relatives before going west to teach school in Tacoma, Washington.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Duke of Dearborn spent Wednesday at the home of Mrs. Bay Crane and with other friends. Mr. Duke was formerly science teacher in the Cass City High School. He and Mrs. Duke left here eleven years ago.

The C. J. Striffler flower gardens have contributed many bouquets to the sick, to church and to friends. This week the Chronicle is among the favored ones and the beautiful cluster of gladioli on the office counter comes from Mr. and Mrs. Striffler.

The Price twins, Kenneth and Katherine, and their mother, Mrs. Charles Price, started Tuesday for a two weeks' vacation trip. They planned to stop in Toledo and then continue East with an aunt as another passenger. The New York World's Fair was included on their itinerary.

Mrs. G. J. Ranck came from Ypsilanti to spend the week-end with her husband in the Bailey home. Her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Bailey, returned from their western trip on Saturday. Mr. Ranck will continue to work at the Bailey & Graham barber shop during Mr. Graham's vacation this week.

Delbert Henry started to live the dual role of student and bank employe in Detroit on Wednesday. He is continuing his studies at the Detroit Business Institute where he went to school several years ago and also commencing work in the Manufacturers' National Bank there.

When Sam Bigelow opened the hardware store on Tuesday morning, an early customer was ready for business. Ready for the business of accepting a bright red wagon for an eleventh birthday present, that is. The boy in the bright red wagon after Tuesday was Tommy Jackson, grandson of Mr. Bigelow.

"What a mature voice for a child!" "How lovely she sang!" "She must have had fine training!" Such were the comments after the solos Miss Loeva Fell of Burlington, Wisconsin, sang in the Methodist and Presbyterian Churches on Sunday morning. This little girl is completing the second week of her four-week visit with her aunt, Mrs. Howard Woolley.

Mrs. Fred Fisher of Akron spent a few days this week with Mrs. George Seed and Mrs. Della Lauderbach to be near her husband who is very sick in Pleasant Home Hospital. On Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Fisher and daughter, Mrs. Don Fox, of Akron and Chris Fisher and Mrs. Carl Wilcox of Columbia spent the day at the Seed home and called on Mr. Fisher at the hospital. Mr. Fisher is a brother of Mrs. Seed and Mrs. Lauderbach and is 82 years of age.

Miss Dorothy Holcomb entertained Ed Hertel of East Lansing as a week-end guest, and her neighbor across the street, Miss Martha McCoy, had Bill Miller of Detroit as a week-end guest. All four were part of the house party of which the Misses Martha and Mary Lou McCoy were hostesses at the Campbell and McCoy cottages at Oak Bluff over Sunday. Others in the group were Miss Betty Pinyney, Mrs. Ethel McCoy, Mrs. Mary Holcomb, Jerry Mason of Bad Axe and Don Kilbourn of Cass City.

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CONNELL-WOODWARD.

Miss Pauline Connell, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Connell, of Cass City, became the bride of Charles Woodward, also of Cass City, on Wednesday, July 26. The marriage was performed at Bowling Green, Ohio. They were attended by Walter Lippe and Miss Betty Oldenburg.

The bride wore a gown of pink lace and the bridesmaid was attired in aqua net.

The wedding supper at the home of the bride's parents on Saturday was attended by relatives and friends from Detroit and Cass City.

A reception honoring the newlyweds was held the same evening. They received many gifts.

Mr. Woodward is employed on the William McKenzie farm, north-east of Cass City.

Other Names for Chicory
Chicory has other common names as for instance, Succory, Blue Sailors, Chicory Blue, Coffee Weed, and Bachelor's Buttons. The flower heads are bright blue in color and about two inches across composed entirely of strap-shaped flowers. This plant grows from one to three feet high, the stem being stiff and much branched.

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- 1—Pioneer Pineapple (crushed) 8 oz.
- 1—Campfire 1-lb. Marshmallow
- 1—5 oz. Maraschino Cherries

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- Del Monte Grapefruit Juice.....2 18-oz. cans 17c
- Spam.....per can 29c
- Swift's Pork and Beans.....3 cans 23c
- Quaker Ketchup.....2 lge. btls. 29c
- Salmon, medium red.....per can 19c
- Excell Crackers.....2 lb. pkg. 13c
- Huskies.....per pkg. 10c
- Lifebuoy Soap.....3 bars 17c

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

CHASE HAS secured the exclusive sale on cookies in one pound moisture proof, transparent bags. They are delicious and are priced right, only 10c, or 3 pounds for 25c. 8-4-1

EARLY COBBLER potatoes for sale at the market price. Dug the day you get them. If you don't see me, call 150-F12. Clarence Quick. 7-28-2p

FOR SALE—If you want a nice big house fern, here is your chance. Come and see it. J. E. Bukowski, 1/2 mile east of Uby. 8-4-1p.

EVERY MONDAY I haul farmers' livestock to Marlette stockyards. I also do local trucking. Ben McAlpine, R1, Gagetown. Seven north, 1/4 east of Cass City. 6-17-4f.

RED COW strayed to my pasture. Owner may have same by proving property and paying for this notice. Ralph Youngs. 8-4

SHEDD'S OLEO, 3 for 25c; that pure lard, 3 for 21c at Chase's, of course. 8-4-1

FURNISHED ROOMS for rent. Mrs. W. I. Moore, Seeger Street. 7-21-4f.

FOUR-ROOM house, semi-modern, with lot and garage in good location in Flint, renting for \$20 a month, to exchange for 40-acre farm near Cass City. Inquire of Benjamin Guinther, Cass City. 8-4-1p.

TRY KENNEY'S for some of your groceries, good staple goods and priced right. Kenney's Grocery and Creamery. 10-7-7f

F. W. B. LADIES' Aid of Novesta will meet Tuesday, August 8, with Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Colwell for potluck dinner. Everyone welcome. 8-4-1

HAVING TAKEN over the Second Bros' business, we are in the market to buy all kinds of live stock. Robert and Jim Milligan. Phone 93-F41. 5-28-

YOU CAN GET your Silk Finish and Grosse Pointe Flour at Chase's Store, along with that free glassware. 8-4-1

FOR RENT—Trailer house for your vacation trip. Inquire of Chauncey Tallman, 8 miles south, 1/2 mile east of Cass City. 8-4-2p

FARMERS Attention—New shipment of draft horses and saddle horses will arrive every two weeks. Twenty-five on hand. Two Shetland ponies; two spans mules; 15 cows, Jerseys and Guernseys; two Holsteins. Terms. McCahey Horse Market, 5660 Williams Lake Road, Pontiac, or 1 mile south, 3/4 mile west of Waterford. 7-14-7f

CHASE HAS received a new shipment of that beautiful glassware. It's free. Come and get yours. 8-4-1.

WANTED—150 old horses for fox feed. Must be alive. Otto Monte, Fairgrove. Caro phone 954-R-5. 11-8-7f.

SOME YEARLING White Leghorn hens for sale. Sell cheap if taken at once, to make room for young pullets. Geo. Copeland, 1 south, 1/2 east of Wickware. 8-4-1p

FOR SALE—Purebred Holstein bull, 18 months old. Clifford Martin, 2 miles west of Cass City. Phone 93-F22. 8-4-1p

HAT SPECIAL—All of our ladies' colored summer hats are closing out from 49c to 89c. Ella Vance's Variety Store. 8-4-1p

ARE YOUR children's eyes ready for school? It's a wise idea to have every child's eyes tested before school begins. For your child's sake be sure he has glasses if he needs them—or that his present glasses are right. A. H. Higgins, Optometrist. 7-28-

DID YOU SEE that beautiful glassware at your neighbors? She got it at Chase's. It's free. Come in and get yours. 8-4-1

REGISTERED Jersey bull, 11 months old, for sale. Bred for high production and breed type. Come and see his sire and dam. Ivan Tracy, 3/4 mile west of Shabbona. 7-21-7f

YOUNG AMERICA surveyed by Stanley High. A decade ago, the depression stopped a young generation in its tracks. Now, ten years later, where does youth stand? This week, the magazine published with the Sunday Detroit News asked Stanley High, famous for his brilliant articles on American conditions, to find out. He spent months covering the country, talking with leaders who work with youth, talking with young men themselves—discovering what they are doing, thinking, hoping—analyzing their new opportunities for happiness and success. Be sure to read this series of three articles. The first will appear in Sunday's Detroit News. 8-4-1

REGISTERED Berkshire sow with 7 six-week-old pigs for sale. Robert Hoadley, 1 mile south of New Greenleaf. 7-28-2p

ONE THOUSAND pound two-beam platform scales for sale for \$10. M. E. Kenney, Cass City. 8-4-1

CHASE HAS enlarged his store and has adopted the serve-yourself system. Come in and take a basket and go shopping. Try it and see how you like the system. 8-4-1.

PUREBRED Red Duroc boar for service. Charles Vogel, 5 east, 2 1/2 north of Cass City. 7-28-2p

WHEN YOU have live stock for sale, call Reed & Patterson. Telephone 52, 32 or 228. 4-21-7f

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

FOR SALE—1931 Buick 67 sedan, running order. Cheap for cash. C. E. Larkin, second house west of Ford Garage. 8-4-1p

FOR SALE—Geese feathers. Ready made pillows or feathers in bulk. Mrs. Etta Jarvis, one block north of Roller Mills, House No. 6593, Cass City. 8-4-1p

DRIVE BELTS—4 ply to 7 inches wide and oil steves for sale. G. L. Hitchcock. 8-4-2

I WANT TO HIRE a single man by the month for general farm work for the rest of the season. Must be a good teamster and able to milk. Apply at the farm 3 miles south, 1 mile west, 3/4 mile south of Cass City. Clarence Quick. 8-4-1p.

OLD NEWSPAPERS, 5 cents a bundle, at the Chronicle Office. 7-14-

DAY-OLD CALVES wanted. Have little pigs for sale and work horse for sale or trade. Phone 15. Elkland Roller Mills. 8-4-2

SIX COWS and heifers for sale. Good ones. Take your choice. Horse for sale or trade for cattle. Day-old calves wanted. Phone 15. Elkland Roller Mills. 8-4-2

NEW POTATOES for sale. Market price. Walter Anthes, 2 miles south, 1 1/4 east of Cass City. Phone 138-F23. 8-4-1

SHEEP TO LET on shares. Bean puller and grain binder for sale. J. S. Parrott, Cass City. 8-4-1p

NEW POTATOES for sale at 80 cents a bushel. Myles Coleman, 7 south, 2 east of Cass City. 8-4-1p.

FOR SALE—Potatoes at 75c per bushel. Ora Blakely, 1 mile east, 3 north, 2 1/2 east of Cass City. 8-4-2p.

DISH SALE—Cups, 6 for 25c; plates, 8c each; 32-piece set, \$2.45 and up. Cass City Furniture Store. 8-4-1

1 1/2 TON Chevrolet truck for sale or trade for cattle or horse. M. E. Kenney. 8-4-1

FOR SALE—17 pigs, \$2.00 and up; 5-year-old Guernsey cow, \$45.00; also good trailer house, \$78.00. Want to buy a straw stack. Alex Sharko, 5 south, 5 west of Cass City. 8-4-1p

FOR SALE or trade for anything that I can use, a gasoline engine, 2 1/2 horsepower, in good running order; also a small feed grinder, six inch burr. C. E. Hartsell. Phone 102-F22. 8-4-1

I AM VERY grateful to relatives and friends for flowers and other expressions of kindness and sympathy during my illness. Mrs. M. E. Kenney.

CARD OF THANKS—I wish to thank Dr. Donahue, Dr. McCoy and nurses for their kind care during my illness at the Pleasant Home Hospital, and friends and neighbors for fruit and flowers, also Cass City Grange, Presbyterian Church and Mr. Douglas. Mrs. Clifford Martin.

CASS CITY MARKETS.

August 3, 1939.	
Buying price—	
Wheat, No. 2, mixed, bushel.....	\$0.57
Oats, bushel.....	.24
Rye, bushel.....	.24
Six-row Barley, cwt.....	.37
Buckwheat, cwt.....	.72
Shelled Corn, bushel.....	.43
Beans.	
Michigan Navy Beans, cwt.....	2.00
Light Cranberries, cwt.....	2.50
Dark Cranberries, cwt.....	2.00
Light Red Kidney Beans, cwt.....	2.75
Dark Red Kidney Beans, cwt.....	3.00
Produce.	
Butterfat, pound.....	.24
Butter, pound.....	.24
Eggs, dozen.....	.17
Live Stock.	
Cattle, pound.....	.04 .07
Hogs, pound.....	.06
Calves, pound.....	.09
Poultry.	
Hens, pound.....	.10 .13
Springers, pound.....	.11 .14 .16
Mapped Lake Not There	
For more than 200 years a Lake Parima was shown in Guiana on British maps and then its existence was disproved.	

TUSCOLA TAX ALLOCATION BOARD SETS TAX RATES

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School Dist. No. 1, 1 1/2; No. 2, 1 1/2; No. 3, 1; No. 4, 1 1/2; No. 5, 1 1/2; No. 6, 1; No. 7, 1; No. 8, 1 1/2.

Denmark—Township, no tax. School Dist. No. 3, 1; No. 4, 1 1/2; No. 5, 2; No. 6, 3; No. 7, 8.

Elkland—Township, 1 mill. School Dist. No. 1, 1; No. 2, 4; No. 3, 4; No. 4, 5; No. 5, 4; No. 6, 1; No. 7, 6.

Ellington—Township, 1 mill. School Dist. No. 1, 5; No. 2, 1; No. 3, 1; No. 4, 5; No. 5, 1; No. 6, 1; No. 7, 4.

Elmwood—Township, no tax. School Dist. No. 1, 1; No. 2, 1; No. 3, 1; No. 4, 1; No. 5, 1; No. 6, 1; No. 7, 1; No. 8, 1; No. 9, 1.

Fairgrove—Township, 1 mill. School Dist. No. 1, 2; No. 2, 1; No. 3, 2; No. 4, 3; No. 5, 2; No. 6, 1; No. 7, 1; No. 8, 1; No. 9, 1.

Freemont—Township, 1/2 mill. School Dist. No. 1, 1; No. 2, 1; No. 3, 1; No. 4, 1; No. 5, 1; No. 6, 1; No. 7, 1; No. 8, 1; No. 9, 1.

Gilford—Township, 2 mills. School Dist. No. 1, 2; No. 2, 1; No. 3, 1; No. 4, 1; No. 5, 1; No. 6, 1; No. 7, 1; No. 8, 1; No. 9, 1.

Indianfields—Township, 2 mills. School Dist. No. 1, 1; No. 2, 1; No. 3, 1; No. 4, 1; No. 5, 1; No. 6, 1; No. 7, 1; No. 8, 1; No. 9, 1.

Junata—Township, no tax. School Dist. No. 1, 1; No. 2, 1; No. 3, 1; No. 4, 1; No. 5, 1; No. 6, 1; No. 7, 1; No. 8, 1; No. 9, 1.

Kingston—Township, 1/2 mill. School Dist. No. 1, 1; No. 2, 1; No. 3, 1; No. 4, 1; No. 5, 1; No. 6, 1; No. 7, 1; No. 8, 1; No. 9, 1.

Koylton—Township, 1 mill. School Dist. No. 1, 1; No. 2, 1; No. 3, 1; No. 4, 1; No. 5, 1; No. 6, 1; No. 7, 1; No. 8, 1; No. 9, 1.

Millington—Township, 2 mills. School Dist. No. 1, 1; No. 2, 1; No. 3, 1; No. 4, 1; No. 5, 1; No. 6, 1; No. 7, 1; No. 8, 1; No. 9, 1.

Novesta—Township, 1 mill. School Dist. No. 1, 1; No. 2, 1; No. 3, 1; No. 4, 1; No. 5, 1; No. 6, 1; No. 7, 1; No. 8, 1; No. 9, 1.

Tuscola—Township, 1 mill. School Dist. No. 1, 1; No. 2, 1; No. 3, 1; No. 4, 1; No. 5, 1; No. 6, 1; No. 7, 1; No. 8, 1; No. 9, 1.

Vassar—Township, 1 mill. School Dist. No. 1, 1; No. 2, 1; No. 3, 1; No. 4, 1; No. 5, 1; No. 6, 1; No. 7, 1; No. 8, 1; No. 9, 1.

Watertown—Township, 1 mill. School Dist. No. 1, 1; No. 2, 1; No. 3, 1; No. 4, 1; No. 5, 1; No. 6, 1; No. 7, 1; No. 8, 1; No. 9, 1.

Wells—Township, no tax. School Dist. No. 1, 1; No. 2, 1; No. 3, 1; No. 4, 1; No. 5, 1; No. 6, 1; No. 7, 1; No. 8, 1; No. 9, 1.

Wisner—Township, no tax. School Dist. No. 1, 1; No. 2, 1; No. 3, 1; No. 4, 1; No. 5, 1; No. 6, 1; No. 7, 1; No. 8, 1; No. 9, 1.

Oak Bluff Breezes.

The shuffleboard court was officially opened over the week-end. Much interest was shown and apparently the game has taken a firm hold on the members and guests.

Larry Hutchinson is the owner of a new outboard boat. Whenever you need a mess of bass or perch, get in your order early.

Mrs. Harriett Boyes and daughters of Detroit are spending their vacation in the Higgins cottage.

Mrs. Ethel McCoy and Mrs. Mary Holcomb have been chaperoning a group of Cass City's "Young America" for several days.

The Earl Wilsons entertained for their Lansing guests, Mr. and Mrs. Stall, at a Bohemian dinner Saturday evening. Several of the Bluff regulars were included. Cards were played during the evening.

Dr. and Mrs. M. M. Wickware are expected this week for a month's stay at Utopia. Doctor will probably make another attempt to regain the "rhum" belt which he was compelled to leave at the Bluff over the winter.

Charles Ballard and family of Flint were week-end visitors and will return for two weeks later this month.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Augustus of Ypsilanti spent part of last week with the Knapps and drove on up to Pointe aux Barques before returning home.

Clark Knapp made a brief call Sunday on his way to the local telephone office to straighten out a few "short circuits" and deliver a few delayed messages.

Mrs. Ketchum is gaining slowly and was able to be outside unaided over Sunday. We hope she will soon be back to normal.

ELKLAND.

Mr. and Mrs. Angus McLachlan of Cass City are spending some time at the McLachlan farm home.

John Ross has greatly improved the appearance of his barn with a fresh coat of red paint with white trim.

Crops in this vicinity look exceptionally well this year and farmers should have a good yield of grain. Sugar beets, corn and beans are needing rain badly.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Withey and baby son, Fred Withey and Miss Geneva Gruber spent the week-end in Pontiac.

Advertise it in the Chronicle.

HERE AND THERE AROUND THE THUMB

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pit was opened, the gas and oil shot out with the sound of escaping steam. Sunday a master valve was installed which has the well under control. The flow is estimated at from 250 to 300 barrels a day. A 500-barrel storage tank was erected Sunday afternoon after the oil had overflowed a 110-gallon tank.

Thomas R. McAllister, Bad Axe attorney, was re-elected president of the Michigan County Prosecuting Attorneys' Association at their annual meeting at Mackinac Island, and Albert W. Dimmers, Hillsdale, and John D. Voelker, Marquette, were named first and second vice presidents, respectively. Willard McIntyre, assistant attorney general, was re-elected secretary-treasurer.

Michigan postmasters nominated by President Roosevelt recently included: Akron, O. K. Hess; Bay Port, Bernie McLeish; Fairgrove, George B. McIntyre; Elkton, Joseph E. Roberts; Kingston, Leo G. Burns.

Gary Arnott, four-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. James Arnott, of Owendale, was rushed to the Saginaw General Hospital on Thursday afternoon, for a delicate operation to remove a washer lodged in his throat. Gary accidentally swallowed the washer while playing at his home. Dr. Douglas MacRae of Gagetown was called and decided to take the boy to Saginaw where the operation was performed.

No more sewer extensions can be built in Sandusky if the instructions of the State Department of Health are not followed, according to a letter received recently by Mayor Ralph A. Ulbright from that department. The letter states that they regret the necessity of returning the plans for sewers unapproved, for they do not feel that the State Department of Health can properly approve a plan for sewer extensions at Sandusky until some provision is made for the proper treatment of the sewage before it is discharged into the final receiving body of water.

Carson M. Leach of Millington has been notified by Ernest L. Anthony, dean of agriculture, that he has been awarded the \$140.00 scholarship in Michigan State College offered by Sears Roebuck Co.

MARRIAGES IN TUSCOLA.

Frederick Markert, 20, Unionville; Shirley Hornbacher, 16, Unionville; married at Unionville on July 23 by Rev. A. W. Wilkening.

Albert Shaffer, 24, Richville; Loraine Gugel, 18, Richville; married at Reese by Justice Fred M. Schultz on July 29.

Laverne L. Curry, 25, Otter Lake; Catherine Palmer, 29, Millington; married at Millington on July 29 by Rev. Hollis F. Hayes.

Willie Torres, 19, Gagetown; Lupe Rodriguez, 16, Gagetown; married at Caro on July 29 by Justice Frank St. Mary.

Norman E. Butler, 26, Grayling; Norma Luder, 24, Caro; married at Caro on July 26 by Rev. LeRoy Polmanteer.

French Woman Planning To Drive Across Africa

PARIS.—The only woman ever officially admitted into the French Mamelon Camel corps, Pierette Bidoux, is the first person to sign up for an automobile expedition from Algeria to the Cape. The expedition is being prepared by the Touring Club of France to demonstrate the compactness of Franco-British imperial land routes across Africa.

Pierette Bidoux was officially commissioned by the ministry of colonies to drive a scientific expedition across the Sahara two years ago. She had her first experiences in desert driving when she visited her fiancé, a lieutenant in a south Sahara outpost. She drove three weeks across the sands in an old limousine.

Thieves Butcher Pigs LISBON, OHIO.—Thieves stole two pigs and butchered them in his barn at Leetonia, near here, Anthony Ferry told Sheriff Harry L. Gosney. They also took several chickens but did not wait to dress them.

No False Teeth at 90; Eyesight Also Good

THAMESVILLE, ONT.—William Strevell of Dresden is 90 years old and estimates he will live to be "at least 110." He has all his own teeth, reads without aid of glasses and is unusually active. A heavy smoker, he says stories about smoking shortening life "are the bunk." The way to achieve the age he has set for himself, Strevell says, is to "keep active and interested and do a good day's work every day."

Style Soon Changed

When American women began traveling alone on railroad trains in the 1870s, many carried a closely bundled "artificial baby," or large crying doll, recalls a writer in Collier's Weekly, so they would appear to be mothers and have no trouble in securing seats and discouraging the attentions of lonely gentlemen.

U. S. Leads in High Rate of Marriage

Facts Are Brought Out in International Survey.

SAN FRANCISCO.—The United States is the most "marrying" nation in the world according to an international survey just completed here.

Without legislative promotion, premiums, subsidies and other means employed by some European countries to encourage marriage and raise birth rates, the marriage rate in the United States for a number of years has been a little in excess of 10 per 1,000 of population, the survey shows.

In the meantime, Germany's marriage rate has shrunk from 11.1 per 1,000 of population in 1934 to 9.1 in 1937. The Austrian rate is 6.5 per 1,000 and the Czechoslovakian rate, before the country's dismemberment, was 8.3.

In Italy, where a bachelor's tax is imposed to spur marriage, and baby bonuses to encourage it, its former marriage rate of 6.7 in 1935 has increased to 8.6. Other governmental measures to increase the birth rate, however, have not been so successful. In fact, the birth rate is steadily decreasing. From a peak rate of 29.7 in the 1921-25 period it dropped to 22.7 in 1937.

In the two great democracies of Europe, England and France, the marriage rate in the former is 8.6 per 1,000, an increase in recent years, while that of France shows a decline to 6.6 per cent. The latter is regarded to be due largely to unfavorably economic conditions.

The United States still maintains a relatively high birth rate, being 17.9 in 1938, compared to a rate of 22.5 during the 1921-25 period.

While all other countries show a decline in birth rate since the 1921-25 period, the United States is still exceeded by Japan with a birth rate of about 20 per 1,000, Germany 18.8, and Italy 22.4.

Austria and the now dismembered Czechoslovakia showed the lowest rates, slightly above 13 per 1,000 of population.

Scientist Declares Bats Actually Dodge Gunfire

CLEVELAND, OHIO.—Why shooting bats at night is almost impossible, why deer are increasing in numbers in Ohio, and why mammals thrive and perish in cycles are questions studied and explained by scientists at the Cleveland Museum of Natural History, which houses the world's largest collection of mammals.

"Shooting bats at night is one of the most difficult things on earth to do," said B. P. Bole Jr., mammalogist at the museum. "The bat flies in a circle and chases the wadding fired from the shotgun. This precedes the bullet and since the bats are exceedingly fast, they actually dodge the bullet by diving for the wadding."

The deer, he said, is becoming more and more plentiful and some day may become "really common."

It has been determined that mouse epidemics which wipe out almost completely the mouse populations occur every three or four years.

"These are called mammal cycles," the scientist said. "You might consider them similar to sun spot cycles or business cycles. We are trying to trace a relationship between these and human illness."

Court Rules the Home Is Where Husband Lives

CHICAGO.—Federal Judge John P. Barnes ruled that a woman's home is with her husband.

The ruling was made in the case of Ruby Atwood Boyd, who a month before her marriage to Stewart Boyd on February 1 filed suit against Boyd asking \$50,000 damages as a result of injuries suffered in an automobile accident near Saugatuck, Mich., in October, 1938.

Mrs. Boyd's attorneys had asked transfer of the case to Federal court because Boyd's home was in Holland, Mich., and his wife's home, at the time the suit was filed, was in Chicago. Judge Barnes ruled that a wife lives where her husband lives and remanded the case to the Michigan Superior court.

Every Member of College Fraternity Gets Office

DALLAS, TEXAS.—If the Dallas alumni chapter of Theta Sigma Phi hadn't had \$6 in the bank, it probably wouldn't have been in such a hurry to elect officers. But the alumni learned the only way they could draw the money out was to elect a treasurer to sign the check. When the election was over, all the members except two held some kind of office. So they named those two members of the advisory committee.

'Meanest Man' Throws Acid in Minnow Pond

MODESTO, CALIF.—Everett Fisher, of Hughson, who gains a livelihood by raising minnows for bait, has nominated a candidate for the "meanest man" title. Someone, according to a complaint Fisher made to the sheriff's office, threw acid into his fish pond, killing his entire stock of minnows.

Household Hints

By BETTY WELLS

"SOME day when the children aren't so demanding of my time," writes Mrs. H. S., "I'm going to take a course in interior decorating—that's how much I like it. I read everything I can, but so far I don't seem to be able to create a really beautiful room by myself. So I come to you for help.

"The bedroom I'm now working on is north exposure and rather dreary. It's for my daughters who are almost young ladies. So I've chosen an exquisite wall paper with white fans on a soft pink ground. It's expensive, so I'm just using it on the longest wall—the other walls and the woodwork will be in pale shell pink, and I'd planned a wall-to-wall carpet in an ivory tone broadloom.

"The bed was a good maple one originally but when the children were in their babyhood they scratched it unmercifully so, rather

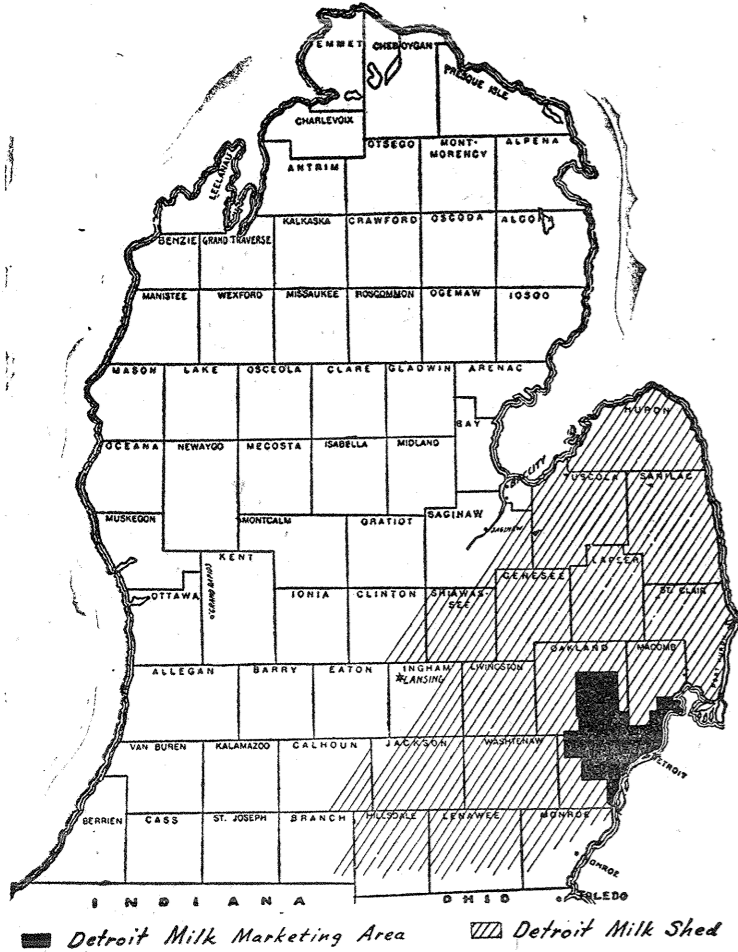


"I had my husband remodel the bed."

than discard it, I had my husband cut the posts off the top and take the footboard off entirely then he screwed on a shaped plywood headboard and I've upholstered it in white quilted chintz and made a matching spread. This bed will have a canopy draped

MILK FLOWS FROM 21 COUNTIES INTO GREATER DETROIT AREA

Solid black portion of map shows the Detroit Milk Marketing Area, as recently established by the Michigan Milk Marketing Board. Hatched area shows territory, which combined with that in black portion of map, that furnishes milk for the Detroit Area. Minimum prices to be paid producers for milk in solid black area is under consideration by the board, according to Chairman Elmer A. Beamer.



The Good Old Days

Items from the Chronicle in 1904 and 1914

Twenty-five Years Ago.

August 7, 1914.
Next week Friday the Cass City Chautauqua will be under way. It will continue until the Tuesday night following. Stores close during the Chautauqua hours on Friday, Monday and Tuesday.
Huron County has plenty of candidates who are after county nominations at the primaries. There are four tickets in the field—Republican, Progressive, Democrat, and Prohibition.
Claud Wheeler, one of Novesta Township's industrious young men, is employed at the Exchange Bank here.
Oak Bluff resorters are spreading the report that Cass City will witness another high dive attraction during Chautauqua week. They say that A. H. Higgins is practicing a "Mollie, the highdiver," act and is progressing nicely. Sunday's exhibition at Oak Bluff from the dock into 18 inches of water was

hugely enjoyed by those who were outside the radius of the splash, but it was hard on Ab's Sunday suit.

Thirty-five Years Ago

August 5, 1904.
Woodbridge N. Ferris of Big Rapids was nominated for governor at the Democratic convention at Grand Rapids Wednesday.
A. H. Muck disposed of his dray business to Charles Young, who has just returned from Alpena.
I. B. Auten expects to return home next week from an extended trip in Europe.
Stanley Waldon, who lives east of town, and who has been employed in Detroit for some time, has decided to locate in Western Canada and left here Monday morning for Calgary, Alberta.
Ernest Perkins left Friday for Newberry where he has secured employment in the Upper Peninsula Hospital.

COLWOOD.

Rev. and Mrs. H. Roland and family left Sunday evening to visit relatives at Detroit. Mrs. Alma Smith accompanied them and will spend some time with her daughters.
Mr. and Mrs. Clayton McKellar of Marine City spent Sunday at the Thomas Smith home. Gerald McKellar, who has visited here for three weeks, returned with his parents, also Kathleen and Leslie Smith, who will visit for a week in Marine City.
Mr. and Mrs. Roy Vader spent Sunday at Roseville.
Carmen Root of near Cass City spent the week-end with Leslie Smith.
Mrs. Mary Smith and granddaughter, Jean Muck, left Tuesday for Detroit where they will visit at the Crowley home.

Mr. and Mrs. Elden Vader, Genevieve and Alvin Guild, Stilson Hall, Mr. and Mrs. H. McKellar were callers at the Thomas Smith home Sunday.

RESCUE.

The Ladies' Aid met at the church this week Thursday for dinner and to quilt.
Rev. Cedric Harger of Elkton was calling on friends in this vicinity Saturday.
Mrs. William Ashmore was taken sick on Saturday and is still seriously ill at this writing.
Mr. and Mrs. Elgin Rasmussen and sons of Oliver were Sunday guests at the Ostrum Summers home.
Mr. and Mrs. Levi Helwig and children of Cass City were calling on friends here Sunday afternoon.

TRUTH about ADVERTISING

By CHARLES B. ROTH

'HERE COMES THE QUEEN'
I WAS talking in his office with a man who is head of a large store. I was complimenting him upon the extraordinary courtesy and service a woman told me she always received in that store.
"My friend says that your salespeople treat her as though she were the queen," I explained.
"Come with me," the executive said, and left his chair, and started downstairs. "I want to show you something."
I followed.
He took me behind the counters. He pointed out neatly printed white cards pasted up at close intervals throughout the store, where the clerks couldn't help seeing.
I read what they said.
"HERE COMES THE QUEEN!"
"It's our slogan," the executive explained. "Yes, it's more than a slogan. It's our watchword, our business policy, to treat every woman who enters the store as though she were the queen."
Charles Roth

'HERE COMES THE QUEEN'
I happen to know that this policy has paid handsome dividends to the store. As I think it over, however, only in form and expression is that policy different from that of every other organization which advertises for your trade. All have to treat you as though you were the queen—or the king.
Anyone who has been buying much in the stores will tell you that the treatment received from clerks is vastly different from what it was years ago. They are more considerate. They are better informed.
The reason for this change is that they have the ideal which advertising has created in their minds, and to this ideal they must conform.
All over the country, in every newspaper, advertisers are vying with one another in telling the story of their products and in improving their products to make them more acceptable.
Their desire is to produce something fit for the queen—or the king—and their advertising sets up a standard to which they must strive.
In the process you get the best products and service it is possible to provide.
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Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Kozan and son of Bad Axe spent the week-end at Mrs. Kozan's parental home. Mrs. Kozan remained to help care for her mother, Mrs. William Ashmore, Sr., who is very ill.
Mr. and Mrs. Russell Benson and children of Detroit visited over the week-end at the Oscar Webber home. Mrs. Webber, who has been very ill, returned to Detroit with them on Sunday afternoon.
Mr. and Mrs. William Ashmore, Jr., and children and Mr. and Mrs. John Davison spent Sunday at the Edward Patten home near Deford.
Dr. MacRae of Gagetown was a caller recently at the Ray Webster home.
Dr. F. L. Morris of Cass City was called to the John MacCallum home last Monday to see Mr. MacCallum, who was seriously ill but is better now.
The Misses Betty and Bertha Herrington of Cass City are spending sometime with their aunt and

Use of Higley Tokens
Some of the most unusual tokens to be made and passed as money by our colonial ancestors were those of John Higley of Granby, Conn., relates an official of the Detroit Coin club. Higley used to frequent a neighboring public house and was much inconvenienced by the shortage of small change. Being a blacksmith and a man of action, he decided to do something about it and began striking copper threepences in 1737. Higley tokens are noted for their crude workmanship and quaint legends such as "I Am Good Copper" and "Value Me As You Please."

Easternmost City in U. S.
The easternmost city in the United States is Eastport, Maine.

ANNUAL STATISTICAL AND FINANCIAL REPORT
for the school year ended June 30, 1939. District No. 5, Township of Elkland, County of Tuscola.

Detail of Taxes	Operating Levy		Debt Retire.
	General	Operating	
Current Tax:			
a. Rate in mills (Oct., 1938).....	4		\$ 12.77
b. Amount of tax levied.....	\$3,760.10		12,000.00
c. Amount collected to June 30, 1939.....	3,640.40		11,617.83
e. Current tax uncollected June 30, 1939.....	119.70		882.17
f. Amount collected during year.....	210.64		739.67

FINANCIAL REPORT
Receipts and Disbursements

General Fund—(All Districts)—(Cash Balance June 30, 1938)	
Operating Funds:	
General.....	\$10,889.58
TOTAL AMOUNT ON HAND JUNE 30, 1938.....	\$10,889.58

Revenue Receipts

General Property Tax Receipts:	
Current operating tax collections.....	3,640.40
Delinquent tax collections.....	210.64
Primary money.....	6,873.12
State Aid (Act 236, P. A. 1933, as amended):	
Primary Supplement.....	4,375.89
Equalization.....	8,732.05
Tuition received from state.....	10,283.53
Other State and Federal Aid:	
Smith-Hughes and George Dean Funds.....	2,331.71
Library (penal fines).....	95.04
Tuition received from other sources for 1938-39 school year.....	1,784.50
Money received from closed banks.....	265.70
Other revenue receipts.....	109.84
TOTAL REVENUE RECEIPTS.....	\$38,702.42

Non-Revenue Receipts

Received from general property taxes voted for use in Debt Retirement and Building and Site Funds.....	\$11,617.83
All other non-revenue receipts—Delinquent tax.....	739.67
Total non-revenue receipts.....	\$12,357.50
Grand Total of Receipts.....	\$51,059.92

Budget Expenditures

General Control:	
Salaries of board of education members.....	\$ 200.00
Supplies of board of education.....	71.41
Salaries of Superintendent and assistants (No. 2).....	3,470.00
Supplies of Superintendent's office.....	254.47
Total general control expenditures.....	\$ 3,995.88
Instruction:	
Salary of supervising principals.....	\$ 2,970.00
Supplies of principals' offices.....	84.40
Teachers' salaries: (a) men (No. 6).....	9,650.00
Teachers' salaries: (b) women (No. 13).....	15,552.50
Teaching supplies.....	639.67
Books, supplementary readers, desk copies, free textbooks.....	265.70
School library—books and expense.....	17.87
Miscellaneous instruction expense.....	228.40
Total instruction expenditures.....	\$29,408.54
Auxiliary and Coordinate Activities:	
Transportation of pupils.....	\$ 15.00
Health Service.....	3.80
Total auxiliary and coordinate expenditures.....	\$ 18.80
Operation of School Plant:	
Wages of janitor and other employees (No. 2).....	\$ 2,100.00
Fuel, janitor supplies, electricity, gas, water.....	1,955.77
Other operation expense—Telephone.....	70.84
Other operation expense—Freight.....	57.81
Total operation expenditures.....	\$ 4,184.42
Fixed Charges:	
Insurance.....	\$ 191.87
Total fixed charge expenditures.....	\$ 191.87
Maintenance (Repairs and replacements):	
Repairs on buildings and grounds.....	\$ 490.02
Repairs on equipment (Transportation, Heating, Lighting, Ventilating, Water Service).....	115.13
Other miscellaneous repairs and replacements—Clothes, Furniture and Typewriters.....	93.46
Total maintenance expenditures.....	\$ 698.61
TOTAL OPERATING EXPENDITURES.....	\$38,498.12
Capital Outlay (Additions to property paid from general fund):	
Improvement to buildings.....	\$ 15.75
New furniture and instructional equipment, not replacement.....	324.64
Total capital outlay expenditures.....	\$ 340.39
TOTAL BUDGET EXPENDITURES.....	\$38,838.51
Total budget disbursements.....	\$38,838.51
Non-budget disbursements:	
For transfer of tax money voted for use in Debt Retirement and Building and Site Funds.....	\$12,557.50
Total non-budget disbursements.....	\$12,557.50
GRAND TOTAL OF CASH EXPENDITURES.....	\$51,396.01

Cash Balance (June 30, 1939)

Operating Funds:	
General.....	\$10,553.49
Total amount on hand.....	\$10,553.49
TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS INCLUDING BALANCE.....	\$61,949.50

Minutes of Annual Meeting.

Meeting called to order by President Sandham. Minutes of 1938 meeting read by secretary and approved. Treasurer's report read by Treasurer Auten. Moved by F. L. Morris, seconded by Arthur Jones, that the treasurer's report be accepted as read. Carried.
Estimated budget for coming year read by Auten. Moved by Alex Tyo, seconded by F. L. Morris, that John Cathcart and John McLarty act as tellers. Carried. Sworn in by Justice Miller. E. B. Schwaderer nominated M. B. Auten as trustee for three years.
Moved by Morris, seconded by Tyo, that the rules be suspended and the secretary be instructed to cast the unanimous ballot for M. B. Auten as trustee. Carried.
Moved by Tyo, seconded by A. Kettlewell, that the rules be suspended and the secretary be instructed to cast the unanimous ballot for F. L. Morris as trustee. Carried.
Remarks on the situation regarding new busses and bus routes were made by Supt. Niergarth.
Motion by Morris, seconded by A. Jones, for adjournment. Carried.
F. E. HUTCHINSON, Secretary.

Notice to Stockholders of The Farm Produce Company

The annual meeting of the stockholders of The Farm Produce Company will be held at the Town Hall in Cass City, Michigan, on Tuesday, August 8, 1939, at 2:30 p. m., for the election of directors and transacting any other business coming before the meeting. Don't forget Tuesday, August 8.

N. A. Perry, Secretary.

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Tennessee's State Song
The state song of Tennessee, "My Homeland, Tennessee," by George Fort Milton, was adopted April 10, 1928.

Who Said Women Couldn't Invent Things?

An article telling how one woman who didn't like to see her husband's fingers drip, created a doughnut dunker, and describing other odd feminine inventions, including non-escape soap and the air conditioned pie plate, is a feature in The American Weekly, the great weekly magazine, with the August 6 issue of The Detroit Sunday Times.—Advertisement.

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

In the matter of the Estate of Kittie Englehart, Deceased.
Notice is hereby given that four months from the 18th day of July, A. D. 1939, have been allowed for creditors to present their claims against said deceased to said court for examination and adjustment, and that all creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said court, at the probate office, in the Village of Caro, in said county, on or before the 20th day of November, A. D. 1939, and that said claims will be heard by said court on Monday, the 20th day of November, A. D. 1939, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.
Dated July 18, A. D. 1939.
H. WALTER COOPER, Judge of Probate. 7-21-3

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

In the matter of the Estate of Maud Ann Smith, Deceased.
Notice is hereby given that four months from the 18th day of July, A. D. 1939, have been allowed for creditors to present their claims against said deceased to said court for examination and adjustment, and that all creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said court, at the probate office, in the Village of Caro, in said county, on or before the 20th day of November, A. D. 1939, and that said claims will be heard by said court on Monday, the 20th day of November, A. D. 1939, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.
Dated July 18, A. D. 1939.
H. WALTER COOPER, Judge of Probate. 7-21-3

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

At a session of said court, held at the Probate Office in the Village of Caro, in said county, on the 21st day of July, A. D. 1939.
Present: Hon. H. Walter Cooper, Judge of Probate.
In the matter of the Estate of William E. O'Dell, Deceased.

Catherine O'Dell, having filed in said court her petition praying that the administration of said estate be granted to herself, or to some other suitable person, it is ordered that on the 21st day of August, A. D. 1939, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, he and his hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

It is further ordered, that public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, once each week for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Cass City Chronicle, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.
H. WALTER COOPER, Judge of Probate. 7-28-3
Almon C. Pierce, Register of Probate.

Notice by County Drain Commissioner of Meeting of Board of Determination—State of Michigan, the office of the Drain Commissioner of the County of Tuscola.

In the matter of the Center B. Drain
Notice is hereby given that on the 20th day of April, 1939, a petition was filed with the undersigned County Drain Commissioner for the County of Tuscola, praying for the deepening, widening, straightening, cleaning out and extending of Center B. Drain.

That upon the 20th day of July, 1939, the undersigned filed with the Honorable H. Walter Cooper, Judge of Probate, a petition asking for the appointment of a Board of Determination.
That said Judge of Probate having appointed William Barringer, Fred Hutchinson and Walter Kelly as such Board of Determination.

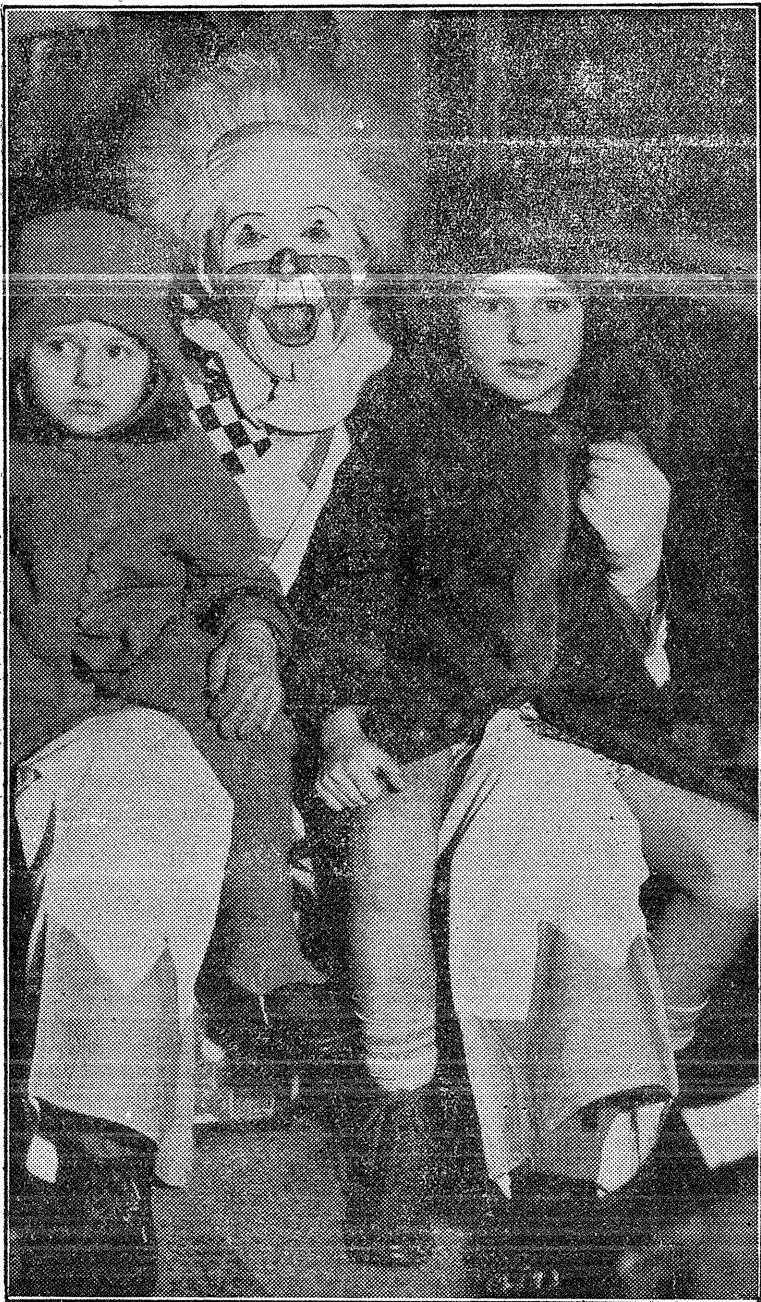
Now, therefore, said Board will meet at NW corner of Section 16, Elkland Township, on the 10th day of August, 1939, at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon of said day to determine the necessity of Center B. Drain.

Therefore, all persons, municipalities and highway officials interested in the proposed drain improvement are requested to be present if they so desire.
Dated at Caro, Michigan, this 20th day of July, A. D. 1939.
JAMES OSBURN,
County Drain Commissioner of the County of Tuscola. 7-28-3

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WHITEY HARRIS

Whitey Harris, who is conceded to be one of the most likable and versatile clowns in all show business, will be on hand to spread merriment at the Tuscola County Fair. Harris is a great favorite with the little folks and they seem never to get enough of his fun-making. He is witty, original and a fast thinker. There are seldom any lulls in the program when Whitey's around. He always thinks of something to do to fill in a wait and inspire laughs.

Whitey is so well liked, and so versatile, that he was especially engaged to appear at the New York World's Fair. As soon as his season of fairs is over he will return to the big Flushing show to continue his art of making folks laugh.

EXAMPLE OF HOW STATE AID HAS MOUNTED

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public services? Here is a neat question. The property owner and consumer, who together constitute Mr. Taxpayer, must provide the answer. After all, he is the fellow who foots the bill.

Vulnerable G. O. P. Spots?

Conferences between Murray D. Van Wagoner and Frank Murphy at Washington over 1940 politics are said to have elicited a comment by the former governor that the Michigan Republican administration has two vulnerable spots in its armor at present:

1. Revision of civil service by the legislature. Murphy's belief is that civil service is now largely a figure of speech, instead of safeguard for good government. Kenneth C. Pennabaker, whom Governor Dickinson appointed to succeed Brownrigg as civil service director, apparently shares Murphy's ideas, for he recently declared that the administrative board's action in refusing an additional \$101,500 had assured that the law "from now on, is a gesture." And he added: "We might as well close shop."

Facts are that civil service costs money. The department spent \$250,000 last year; the legislature cut its request for \$300,000 down to \$75,000. Of this amount, \$15,000 goes for salaries of the five civil service commissioners.

2. Non-partisan public health department. On August 1, Dr. H. A. Moyer, personal physician for Governor Dickinson, succeeded Dr. Don W. Gudakunst as health commissioner. Dr. Gudakunst, who a Republican, was appointed by Murphy on recommendation of the American Public Health Association.

A report just released by the association, after an 11-month survey of Michigan's health facilities, recommends a non-partisan appointment of the commissioner by the state council of health. A sentence says: "The fact that the commissioner of health is appointed directly by the governor and may be removed by the succeeding administration, without any consideration other than that there has been a political change, makes for a lack of efficiency and results in a periodic lowering of the morale of the entire personnel."

Dickinson's Crusade
City slickers can laugh all they want to about Governor Dickinson's crusade against "high life," but a lot of folks respect him for it just the same.
Governor Earl Long, brother of famed Huey, has decided that a governor should set an example. Hence the Louisiana governor's mansion no longer will serve liquors of any kind.

We inquired of an upstate newspaper editor about how people there had reacted to Dickinson's drive on sin. He said: "It has been popular with most people. I would judge he has made votes."
Of course, the governor's attitude on drinking and gambling and immorality in general is very much a personal matter. It is not a political issue. James Thomson, state Republican chairman, has made that clear.

The governor's famous expression, "pipeline to God," elicited this explanation the other day: "It's simple—you have electric and gas lines passing your houses, bearing comforts you can only get by making a connection. There is not a place on God's earth without one of these spiritual lines. It's near you and it's up to you to make the connection."

Medics to Serve
Apropos to the home rule situation in which the welfare problem finds itself is that resulting from the current curtailment of state aid or care of crippled and afflicted children.
The legislature, economy-bent, limited such state aid to \$800,000 for the entire state. This sum was only \$100,000 more than the 1938 quota for Wayne County alone. If any county feels that the state aid quota is insufficient, it may supplement the amount.

When the cut was applied, criticism was voiced that the administration was neglecting the welfare of children. The Detroit Medical Journal, a publication of the Wayne County Medical Society, took a middle-road position to the effect that doctors could not afford to quarrel with the legislature in the latter's effort for economy. This

stand was applauded widely by the press.

The Michigan Medical Society has taken a fairly liberal attitude on the subject of public health. Physicians and hospitals say they will willingly do their part not to deny any medical aid to anyone in an emergency. Furthermore, the society took the leadership this year to pioneer a new field of group health insurance. Incorporation papers have been filed, and the program will get under way shortly after September 18 when the society holds its annual meeting.
No other state has a comparable health insurance program.

More Liquor Stores

Whereas the late Governor Fitzgerald advocated that the state get out of the liquor business entirely, the opposite is about due to take place.

Additional liquor retail stores are to be opened soon by the state liquor commission in the hope of increasing the state's revenue to the treasury, the latter being sorely in need of money. Studies have disclosed that private retailers netted substantial profits from liquor sales, and the state commissioner believes this profit could well be utilized at Lansing.

Michigan, one of 16 states with state stores, enjoyed a net revenue profit last year of \$19,210,827. Of this license fees produced nearly \$3,000,000; state liquor taxes, \$4,300,000; miscellany income, \$330,000, and the balance in retail sales profit.

Gross receipts were \$45,000,000. Administrative and collection costs plus cost of goods and selling cost, amounted to \$25,800,000. Michigan's "take" out of the liquor business thus was more than \$19,000,000. Nationally, the net revenue of state and local governments from alcoholic beverages reached a staggering total of \$318,000,000.

RODE ALL MORNING IN CALIFORNIA FOR SIX CENTS

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trip down an elevator a distance to equal a forty-four story building.

Father Flanagan's Boys' Home at Boys Town, Nebraska, was visited. Boys Town is a haven where unfortunate boys of all races, colors and creeds are saved for God and the country. It is an incorporated village governed successfully by a boy mayor and six boy commissioners elected by the boy citizens of this unique town. Over 200 boys are under Father Flanagan's care at the present time.

The Mormon Tabernacle at Salt Lake City, Utah, was another place of interest visited where an organ recital was heard. The tabernacle has a seating capacity of 8,000 and a pin dropped on the altar can be heard throughout the building.

Mr. and Mrs. Bailey and Mr. and Mrs. Blades were guests of Miss Esther Rendent at San Francisco for a few days and while there enjoyed a dinner at the famous Fish Grotto on Fisherman's Wharf, saw how crabs were brought in, cooked and prepared for food. The party took a trip to the Top of the Mark, which is the 18th floor of the Mark Hopkins Hotel, and from there saw San Francisco and surrounding places, among them the Federal Prison at Alcatraz Island, Treasure Island, as well as the two wonderful bridges, the San Francisco-Oakland Bridge and the Golden Gate Bridge.

Treasure Island, site of the Golden Gate Exposition, is the largest artificial island in the world. If one sees the fair at all, it should be seen at night for then Treasure Island bursts into a fairy world of lights. An official palette, comprising nineteen colors plus gold, was drawn from the Pacific Shores for the color scheme of the fair. In the inner courts walls are tinted and flowers planted in definite harmony, enhanced at night by the colored lighting.

One has not seen the exposition if he has not seen "Cavalcade of the Golden West." It presents on the world's largest stage, the story of the West. Three hundred actors portray two thousand characters in twenty-four breath-taking scenes, each act a milepost of 400 years of history of the West. Over 200 head of livestock—horses, mules, cattle and oxen—are in the show. Two full sized railroad trains run onto the stage under their own power and are on the stage at the same time. The rainbow water screen is a magic curtain, rising more than thirty feet between scenes.

Leaving San Francisco by way of the Oakland Bridge the beauties of the Yosemite were seen.

Marked with reverence, dignity and spiritual beauty was the visit to Forest Lawn Memorial Park, Glendale, when the Baileys were lucky enough to be members of a party of six to have tickets to the Great Rose Window, "The Last Supper" in Memorial Court of Honor in Forest Lawn and hear a talk on "The Last Supper." Two nationally famous and quaintly beautiful little old-world churches, the Wee Kirk o' the Heather and the Little Church of the Flower, stand in Forest Lawn. Nestling in the side of a hill, amid green sweeping slopes purpled with Scotch heather, is the Wee Kirk o' the Heather. In the forecourt of the kirk is The Wishing Chair. It was built of stones which once were in the original Annie Laurie Scottish Kirk in Glencairn. Tradition tells

that good fortune will smile forever upon the bride and groom who sit in the chair on their wedding day and repeat the verse upon the tablet. The ivy-covered Little Church of the Flower, with its gabled roof, is typical of the village churches of Old England. Soft organ music is heard constantly throughout the grounds and buildings of Forest Lawn.

Many other places of interest were visited in and near Glendale, Los Angeles and Hollywood.

There was also fun-making times in California. Baseball, horseplay and film celebrities mixed on July 15, when about 30,000 spectators were kept shouting and laughing at Wrigley Field, Los Angeles, when the annual benefit ball game between Leading Men and Comedians was played. The fun-makers won by a score of 10 to 6 with the aid of exploding bats, chalk balls and scooter transportation around the bases.

As guest of honor, Shirley Temple headed the parade of bands and stars that preceded the game. She rode in an open car with Jean Hersholt and was followed by six spectacular march sections.

While away, Mr. and Mrs. Bailey visited or were visited by a number of former Cass City people all of whom sent best wishes to their Cass City friends. They were: James Whale of Colorado Springs; Mrs. Barbara McDermott of Alhambra, California; Wesley Fallis, B. Yoder, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Martin, James Stirtor, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Mudge, all of Los Angeles.

A number of amusing incidents occurred during their visit and they are still wondering whether the Californians were making fun of their Michigan guests. One morning, Mr. Bailey in trying to return home from town in a bus rode all forenoon for six cents. Each time he found he was on a wrong bus, he was given a transfer. He was about to board another bus at 1:30 p. m. when he was rescued by Mr. Blades. Again the Baileys decided to go wading in the Pacific Ocean and to the amusement of many spectators got more than their feet wet.

Northwest Elmwood
Expects 2,000 Barley Crop—
Roy LaFave began combining during the past week. He expects 2,000 bushels of certified barley which he sells for seed.

Gagetown defeated Bach Sunday, 4-2, in a very fine ball game. Al Good, Gagetown pitcher, allowed six hits, while Ed Schnepf, Bach hurler, gave up but three hits, two by Walter Finkbeiner and the other by Charlie Finkbeiner.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Fern and Miss Bonnie Duffy of Toledo, Ohio, spent Sunday at the home of Mr.

and Mrs. Joseph Grappan. Betty Fern returned home with them.

Miss Marjorie LaFave will teach the Brookfield No. 6 School this coming term.
Born to Mr. and Mrs. George Goake Sunday, July 30, a baby boy

weighing 8½ pounds.
Francis Freeman and Muri LaFave spent the week-end in Detroit and Pontiac.

Ticks Ignored Donkeys
According to Aristotle, ticks would not attach themselves to donkeys.

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DEATHS

Mrs. Russell Curry. Mrs. Russell Curry (nee Kathryn MacTavish Durkee) passed away at the Pleasant Home Hospital, Cass City, July 26.

DEFORD

Marvin Hill and Bill Chisold of Hazel Park were guests during the week at the Louis Locke home.

Territory Reclaimed by France Dubbed 'Hell Hole of Creation'

Prepared by National Geographic Society, Washington, D. C.—WNU Service. As northern Africa recently echoed the tramp of mobilizing men, French troops made headlines by marching again into a strip of land on the northeast coast of the Dark Continent which had been under French ownership before.



The area into which the French are reported to have moved has an important strategic location. It commands the southern outlet of the Red sea at the narrow strait of Bab el Mandeb between Arabia and Africa.

Through the bottleneck of Bab el Mandeb sail the ships of four empires, Great Britain, France, The Netherlands and Italy. This strait is the third geographic key, following Gibraltar and the Suez canal.

Its barren, sandy shores merge, toward the interior, into dry, rocky plateau land with little vegetation. Waterless, except in time of rare rainy-season floods, river beds are usually little more than deep desert ditches.

Not a Pleasant Place. Its barren, sandy shores merge, toward the interior, into dry, rocky plateau land with little vegetation.

Minorca, Spanish Stronghold Important to World Traders

Prepared by National Geographic Society, Washington, D. C.—WNU Service. The surrender of Minorca gave the Franco-Spain control of the last Loyalist-held island of the Balearics group, off the eastern coast of Spain.

Minorca is the second largest of 15 islands in the Balearics. In an area of less than 300 square miles, it holds—in normal times—some 45,000 inhabitants.

Strategic stepping stones between Europe and North Africa, the Balearics lie in the path of two imperial sea lanes. Minorca, easternmost of the islands, is a geographic halfway mark between France and her North African possessions.

Important in History. To its position on the crossroads of the Mediterranean, Minorca owes an early place in international history. Two centuries before Christ, Mago, brother of the famous Carthaginian general, Hannibal, founded the island's capital of Portus Magonis, now Mahon.

In the war against Rome, the Carthaginians made good use of the Minorcans' special talent for slings warfare. Eventually, however, the Romans took over the island.

Conquered by James I of Aragon in the Thirteenth century, the island was seized by the English five centuries later. In the struggles that followed, Minorca changed hands five more times.

Modern Minorca shows the effect of its varied occupations. English, Spanish, and Arab types persist, despite the general race mixture.

On the other hand, Ciudadela, former Moorish and Spanish capital on the west coast, is an old Spanish town.

Even the prehistoric past is architecturally represented in Minorca. Mysterious monuments of the earliest inhabitants are the numerous cave dwellings that honeycomb the mountains and the queer-shaped

The small area in black shows territory reoccupied by France after it had been ceded to Italy under the treaty of 1935, in order to strengthen the defenses of Asab. The area covers only about 300 square miles but is of great value for control of the Bab el Mandeb strait.

sunstroke is a constant menace. One explorer traveling over a route not far away named the entire region "Hell Hole of Creation."

In this northern section of French Somaliland, the inhabitants are largely Dankali, sometimes called "Black Semites," because of their intermingled Arab and Ethiopian blood.

They earn a precarious living as nomadic herdsmen in the uplands and as fishermen along the shores. Pearl diving is also an important coastal occupation.

Fish are plentiful there and are the chief food for many of the natives, supplemented only by rice, dates, and coffee. In the bush, men add to a scanty food supply goats' milk, and an occasional gazelle brought down by expert marksmanship with sling or dart.

stone structures scattered about the island. In different forms, the latter are known as talayots, taulas, and naus, variously supposed by students to have served as ancient defense towers, as religious and burial chambers, or as practical storage rooms for grain and fodder and shelter for domestic animals.

Of special interest to Americans is the fact that this little island in the Mediterranean is the ancestral home of Admiral David Farragut of Civil War fame. The father of the admiral, George Farragut, was born in Minorca of the ancient Spanish house of Ferragut, as it is spelled there.

Hollywood Hoax Finally Exposed; Just a Balloon!

HOLLYWOOD.—The next time a close-up of a snarling movie monster brings Junior yelling out of his seat next to yours at the theater, push him back and assure him it's only a big balloon.

And when the kid brother comes home praising the golden tresses of the screen Loreleis in "Footlight Parade," retort: "Aw, rubber."

For again you'll be right. H. H. Knudsen, Hollywood official of the B. F. Goodrich company and a seasoned expert on motion picture uses of rubber, reveals that almost anything seen in the movies may be rubber.

For example, most movie monsters are made of rubber. The toothy crocodile in the Tarzan series was 40 gallons of solidified rubber latex with seven electric motors in his innards to make his jaws gape and his tail lash.

The majority of the horses in "The Charge of the Light Brigade" were only rubber equines mounted on tracks and controlled in battle through ingenious mechanical devices, Knudsen reveals.

Small statues which are bounced off the heads of movie husbands by embattled spouses are made from rubber, as are the guns and knives in G-Man pictures.

Rubber has its prosaic uses in the movies, too. Witness the rubberized underwear supplied by Knudsen to the Alaska-bound "Call of the North" company to ward off colds and give protection against low temperatures and cold waters.

Balloon Soundings Aid Weather Study

Use Radio in Experiments At Harvard University.

CAMBRIDGE, MASS.—Radio balloon soundings of the atmosphere were the chief activity of the Harvard weather station during the last year, according to Director Charles F. Brooks of the Blue Hill observatory, at Harvard university.

Harvard's pioneer experimentation with automatic radio meteorograph balloons, for upper air soundings, after three years has resulted in widespread use of such instruments for regular weather observations.

"Our aim to find an easier, more certain and less expensive way to sound the atmosphere has been accomplished, and much sooner than we expected, when in 1935 we designed and used the first American radio-meteorograph," Brooks said.

The United States weather bureau has converted 6 of its 12 airplane stations to radio-meteorographs, or radiosondes as they now are called, and it hopes to change the other six next summer and add 13 more if congress supplies the necessary money, he said.

The army and navy have converted four stations. China has bought many Harvard radio-meteorographs; and Japan, England, India and Germany are experimenting with the Harvard instrument.

French Meat Production May Eliminate Imports

PARIS.—France's own meat production, coupled with that of her colonies, is developing so rapidly that imports soon will be eliminated and there will be a French surplus available for export, according to an analysis of the market published by "Journée Industrielle."

Imports of Argentine frozen meat and other foreign products have decreased rapidly in recent years, almost to the point of disappearance, this paper points out, while the production of France's North African colonies has risen to the extent that it represents one-fifth of the nation's consumption.

Actual imports of mutton, for example, fell from 20 per cent of the total consumption in 1931 to 4 per cent in 1938. "Frozen meat from South America," "Journée Industrielle" adds, "which held an important place in the market is today disappearing, and being supplanted by Moroccan and Tunisian mutton, the shipment of which, non-existent six years ago, has developed considerably."

2,327,000 Domestic Are Employed in U. S. Homes

WASHINGTON.—Domestic servants employed in private homes in the United States number 2,327,000, according to an estimate made by Rae L. Needleman of the social security board's bureau of research and statistics. Though women dominate the domestic service picture, outnumbering men better than 10 to 1, they only contribute 23 per cent of all workers gainfully employed in the United States, and only 28 per cent of applicants for social security account numbers.

General housekeepers, or "maids of all work" constitute more than half of all domestics employed in private homes. They are estimated to number 1,240,088. Other classifications include: Cooks, 273,594; housekeepers and stewards, 195,808; laundresses and laundresses, 357,525; untrained nurses, 153,443; chauffeurs, 94,270, and waiters, 12,131.

House Roof Is Leaky So Kentuckian Moves to Cave

DAWSON SPRINGS, KY.—Because his house roof leaked, James Dawson Fox, 78, moved out of his belongings and set up his home in a cave near here.

The cave he chose in this hilly, sandstone country, which is filled with various-sized caverns, was one that is 40 feet long, 20 feet deep and has a 16-foot ceiling.

He set up his stove, his bed, his lamp and other belongings and was comfortable until it rained. Then he decided he'd have to board up the one open side of the cave. That cut off light but kept the cave dark and warm.

For running water, Fox utilizes a cold, bubbling spring less than 20 feet away from his door. For a bathtub he plunges into the Trade-water river.

'Collegiate Kiss' Ace Gets 40 in 5 Minutes

SAN FRANCISCO.—A new champion was proclaimed in the collegiate kiss derby. At San Francisco State college, Marshall Blue braved face slapping and, in five minutes kissed 40 coeds.

Lone Bandit Held Up Vassar Gas Station on Monday Night

Officers are hunting for the armed bandit who Monday night held up the attendant at the New Era gas station on M-24 near the west village limits of Vassar and escaped with \$58 in cash.

According to George Garring, the attendant, the bandit, driving a blue Dodge coupe, with license SW-1652, drove into the station about 11:20 p. m., and producing a gun forced him to turn over the day's receipts. Garring described the bandit as being about five feet nine inches tall and having light hair. He was wearing overalls and a light deerkin jacket. He drove south on M-24 after the holdup.

State police said after a check on the license number that the plates had been reported stolen from Flint.

Lamas Render Service The lamas in the Choni monastery in Tibet are sometimes called upon to give spiritual solace to a sick man through reading the 108 large volumes of the Kandjur, the Tibetan classics. If the gentleman can pay \$200 and wants quick results, the biggest hall is opened and 500 lamas, chanting together, complete the work in a day.

Temple Caro

Thurs.-Fri. Augst 3-4 Robert Young and Florence Rice in "Miracles for Sale" GIANT "CASH NITES" Thursday and Friday \$375.00 FREE! Attend either Thursday or Friday. Doors open 6:30.

CASS THEATRE—CASS CITY Always Cool and Comfortable Enjoy the Cream of New Pictures

Fri.-Sat. Aug. 4-5 TWIN BILL HIT! See the Federal Men in Action! "Code of the Secret Service" with an all star cast and you'll laugh 'til your sides ache at the Higgins Family in "My Wife's Relatives"

"Indianapolis Speedway" starring Pat O'Brien, John Payne and Ann Sheridan Tues.-Wed.-Thur. Aug. 8-9-10 MID-WEEK SPECIAL! The newest, finest, funniest, and best of the Hardy Family series to date!

AMAZINGLY MODERN! Strand

Caro, Mich. Thumb's Wonder Theatre GALA OPENING Wednesday, Aug. 9 600 Air-Cushion Seats! High Intensity Projection. New R. C. A. "Magic Voice" Sound. Mechanically Air Conditioned. Mammoth Sound Screen.

SEWAGE SYSTEM IN CASS CITY TO BE COMPLETED BY SEPTEMBER 1

Concluded from first page. then south one-half block to Pine Street, thence east on Pine to Woodland Avenue. Another stretch of 10-inch crock, 462 feet in length, is laid at the west end of Church Street. Six and eight-inch crock, mostly the latter size, stretch along other streets for a distance of 26,966 feet.

Milk waste is the most difficult matter to handle in a sewage system, but this problem has been solved by the installation of a filtering unit at the Nestle's factory. Here water containing milk waste is pumped to a filter which contains a large circular bed of stones seven feet in depth. Traveling through this filter of stones eliminates the trouble-making particles, and the water thus purified is sent into the sewer mains.

The Imhoff disposal tank erected next to the river, a mile south of the village at a cost of approximately \$10,000, differs from a septic tank in that there is a separation of the flowing sewage from the decomposing sludge. The Imhoff tank is built in two stories consisting of two chambers connected by a long, narrow slot. The bottom of the upper compartment consists of two steeply sloping sides which do not meet but are left apart about eight inches to form the slot. The upper part is called the flowing through chamber, or sedimentation chamber, and the lower one the digestion or sludge compartment.

BEAULEY.

Mrs. Charles Hill of Flint is spending two weeks with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hill.

Mrs. Arthur Moore had the misfortune last week to break one of her toes which has caused her much inconvenience.

Mrs. Donald Lester and little son, Gary, of Gladwin are spending a couple of weeks with Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Moore.

The pastor, Rev. Cedric Harger, and family are enjoying a two weeks' vacation. There will be services at the usual hour each Sunday during his absence.

Miss Millicent McCarter of Pontiac is a guest at the George Wallace home for two weeks.

ATTENDS NATIONAL CONVENTION FOR ELEVENTH YEAR

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First Gold Columbus Found

One of the places in Rome which interests American visitors is the Church of Santa Maria Maggiore whose gilded ceiling designed by Sangallo is covered with the first gold which Columbus brought from the New World.

Discovered Paraffin

The paraffin industry owes its origin to Dr. James Young, who in 1850 applied for his patent "to obtain... paraffin from bituminous shales by slow distillation."