

No Trace of Lt. Grant Reagh or His Plane Has Been Found

Mrs. Ira R. Reagh of Branch, Mich., and formerly of Cass City, has recently received a letter from Major General Edward F. Witsell of the Adjutant General's office at Washington, D. C., regarding her son, Second Lieutenant Grant L. Reagh, who has been missing in action since Feb. 25, 1944. The officer writes:

"All available records and reports concerning the absence of your son have been carefully investigated and are deemed to warrant a subsequent review of his case. Information in the hands of the War Department indicates that your son was the pilot of a fighter plane on an escort mission to Vella Lavella Island and return. He was last sighted near Santa Isabel Island apparently in trouble and was seen to bail out. A search was made, but no trace of the pilot or his plane could be found. Santa Isabel Island in the Solomon group was then in Japanese hands and continued so for many months. A careful investigation has failed to reveal any further information regarding the missing pilot or his plane.

"Since no information has been received which would support a presumption of his continued survival the War Department must now terminate your son's absence by a presumptive finding of death. Accordingly, an official finding of death has been recorded. The finding does not establish an actual or probable date of death; however, as required by law, it includes a presumptive date of death for the purpose of termination of pay and allowances, settlement of accounts and payment of death gratuities. In the case of your son this date has been set as 17 December 1945. I regret the necessity for this message but trust that the ending of a long period of uncertainty may give at least some small measure of consolation. An appraisal of the sacrifice made by your son in the service of his country compels in us feelings of humility and respect. May Providence grant a measure of relief from the anguish and anxiety you have experienced during these many months."

Cass City Quintet Defeated Vassar 42-33

In its first conference tilt of the season, Cass City's quintet defeated Vassar 42-33 in a fast but ragged basketball game here Friday night.

Starting fast, the Redhawk team grabbed a 11-7 first quarter lead, then maintained this lead by only one point at half time, 15-16. Vassar was showered by 22 points by the Cass City five in the third period. The Redhawks then coasted through the remainder of the contest with substitutes finishing the game.

High scorers for the night were Burnett of Vassar with 14 points and Kenney of the Maroon and Grey with 11.

Cass City's second team also won 28-15.

On Friday, Jan. 11, Bad Axe makes its initial appearance for an Upper Thumb conference game.

FIVE ROTARIANS ANSWER 64-CENT QUESTIONS

Willis Campbell, serving as master of ceremonies, decided that Dr. H. T. Donahue, Dr. P. A. Schenck, Herman Doerr, Keith McConkey and J. A. Sandham were successful in answering the "64-cent" questions in a "Take it or leave it" contest at the Rotary club luncheon Tuesday. Preceding the contest, Mr. Campbell reviewed the crippled children's activities sponsored in this community the past year by the Rotary club. Edward Corpron is program chairman for January.

District Basketball Tournament Here on March 7, 8 and 9

The Michigan High School Athletic Association Tournament committee has designated Cass high school a basketball tournament center for the ninth consecutive year.

Four teams in Class B and four in Class D will compete here. The Class B teams will be Sandusky, Caro, Cass City and Saginaw St. Joseph. The Class D teams will probably be Akron, Unionville, Gageton and Owendale.

Basketball Game Tonight.
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Mrs. Schell Reviews Book at WSC Meet

Mrs. Walter Schell gave a review of the book, "Now That April's There" by Daisy Neumann at the Jan. 8 meeting of the Woman's Study club at the home of Mrs. A. Kettlewell. Miss Mary Ann Bishop, a high school student, spoke on the coming clothing drive for European relief and Miss Opal McKeegman, divisional chairman of Girl Scouts, gave a helpful talk on Girl Scouts and ways to aid them.

During the business meeting, it was decided to contribute \$5.00 to the infantile paralysis drive and envelopes were distributed to be filled. A collection was taken to be sent to the "Save a Child" project.

Mrs. W. O. Coleman Died at Age of 80

Mrs. Mary L. Coleman, 80, wife of Wm. O. Coleman, and a resident of this community for the past 33 years, died Saturday night in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Mary Lee, north of Cass City, on the Fort farm. Mrs. Coleman was an invalid.

She was born Jan. 27, 1865, in St. Clair county, and Nov. 14, 1880, at Port Huron, she married Mr. Coleman. They marked their 65th wedding anniversary in November last.

She was a member of the Seventh Day Adventist church. Surviving besides her husband are the following children, Clarence A. Coleman of Crosswell, Mrs. C. Lovina Lee, Mrs. Martha Bowman and Sgt. M. F. Coleman, all of Pontiac, Mrs. Verda Donaghy of Sandusky, Ted C. Coleman of Detroit, Myles H. Coleman of Deford, and Mrs. Lee of Cass City. She also leaves 26 grandchildren and 17 great grandchildren; a sister, Mrs. Clara Crocker, of St. Clair; and a brother, A. C. Mallory, of Ewart, Wash.

The remains were taken from the Munro funeral home to the Myles Coleman home near Deford and on Tuesday to the Crosswell Methodist church where services were held at 2:30 p. m. Elder Hunter of Lansing officiated and burial was made in the Crosswell cemetery.

23 from Tuscola Co. Enrolled at U. of M.

Students enrolled at the University of Michigan include 23 from Tuscola county. The names of the Tuscola county students are printed in this article. Following each name is the designation of the department and also the notation if the student is a veteran, and if so, whether discharged from the Army or Navy. The word "Army" or "Navy" alone would indicate that the student is at present a trainee.

Caro—Chas. N. Carson, music; Morna L. Clark, literary; Barbara S. Fox, literary; Geo. W. Gens, graduate, Vet., Navy; Charles E. Goodall, literary, Vet., Navy; Dorothy H. Hollatz, literary; Margaret Hollatz, literary; Frances R. Klein, literary; Shirley A. Richardson, literary; Gilbert L. Smith, literary.

Cass City—Robert N. McLarty, graduate.

Fairgrove—Robt. L. Merrell, music.

Reese—Ottomar N. Roth, literary, Vet., Army.
Vassar—Theodore Androychuk, Army; Francis Ballantine, graduate; Dolores M. Earl, literary; Lewis S. Garner, Jr., law, Vet., Navy; Edgar Kent, engineering, Navy; Nick J. Muhlbach, engineer; Wightman, literary; Arthur M. Willis, business admin., Vet., Army; Lorraine C. Zeeuw, music.

CHURCH OF CHRIST S. S. ELECTED OFFICERS

Officers to serve the Sunday school of the Church of Christ for the coming year have been elected. Millard Ball is the new superintendent; Elden Bruce is the assistant; Dorothy Ball, secretary; Keith Little, treasurer; Mrs. Robt. Warner and Mrs. Thelma Pratt, flower committee; Betty Bruce, pianist.

Teachers for the school are as follows: Bible class, Mrs. E. E. Binder; young people's class, Mrs. Audley Horner; junior boys and girls, Mrs. Mack Little; primary children, Mrs. Claud Peasley.

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Cash Bonus or a Bountiful Paid-up "Insurance Policy"

By Gene Allemen.
A cash bonus or a bountiful paid-up "insurance policy" for life?

That's the veteran issue, in a nutshell, which will be discussed at Lansing this evening (Thursday, Jan. 10) by members of the Michigan Veterans' Advisory Committee, comprising representatives of the American Legion, Veterans of Foreign Wars and other recognized veterans' organizations in Michigan, who will meet with Governor Harry F. Kelly and officials of the Michigan Office of Veterans' Affairs.

Michigan's state treasury has \$51,000,000 tucked away, tagged for use of Michigan veterans.

The war is over, and although only one-third of the Michigan veterans are back home, the question is already a "hot" one, and legislators are beginning to wonder what the answer should be.

Since Michigan veterans are perhaps most concerned and more directly interested than anyone else in how the \$51,000,000 fund should be spent, Governor Kelly has concluded that the veterans' organizations should take the initiative in making a definite recommendation.

It is no official secret at the capitol that Governor Kelly does not look with favor upon the politicians' dream of dividing up \$51,000,000, giving a check to each veteran. Massachusetts did this, handing out \$100 to one and all.

On several occasions the governor has inferred strongly that such action would not be in the best interests of Michigan veterans, since history has shown conclusively that veteran problems do not develop immediately after the conclusion of the war but begin to accumulate later on.

The paid up "insurance policy," covering all present and future needs of Michigan veterans and members of their families, would be possible if the State Legislature, acting upon the recommendation of veteran organizations, set up a trust fund from the \$51,000,000 now on hand.

The interest on the trust fund, so created, would be made available thru to Mich. Mirror, page 7.

W. S. C. S. Installed Officers on Monday

About 60 attended the meeting of the Women's Society of Christian Service, held Monday evening at the Methodist church. Mrs. Jos. Sommers and women of Group No. 1 were in charge of the dinner which was served preceding the meeting.

Officers to serve the organization for the coming year were installed. Mrs. A. H. Kimliard is the president; Mrs. Howard Woolley, vice president; Mrs. Fred Maier, recording secretary; Mrs. John Marshall, Jr., corresponding secretary; and Mrs. Alton Mark, treasurer. Chairman of the afternoon group is Mrs. I. A. Fritz and vice chairman is Mrs. Jos. Dodge. Mrs. Wm. Profit is chairman of the Bethel group.

Other officers and committees Concluded on page 5.

Tuscola's Induction List for January 30

The following are the names of Tuscola county men who will be inducted into the armed forces on Jan. 30:

Roland Bierlein, Reese.
Anthony Miklovich, Gageton.
Alfred Day, Fairgrove.
Raymond Reif, Reese.
Donald Harnack, Kijngston.
Ervin Drager, Unionville.
Robert Phillips, Kingston.
Howard Stockmeyer, Reese.
Ezra Parker, Decker.
Dwain Vollmar, Caro.
Edward Bierlein, Reese.
T. Calvert Reynolds, Caro.
Donald Willman, Reese.
Delbert Wilson, Reese.
Carl Yens, Caro.
Frank Schott, Jr., Mayville.
Robert Cryderman, Millington.
James Carolan, Fairgrove.
Wilbur Norrington, Caro.

The following men have enlisted and the number will count on the county's induction call.

Manley Grioux, Gageton
Jas. Bemis, Cass City
Jack Zellar, Cass City
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Notice.
To working men only. Those famous dry-soft stay-soft Wolverine Shell Horsehide Work Shoes are also made with safety steel toe caps. Preferred by industrial workers all over the country. We can supply you. Prieskorn's, Cass City.—Advertisement.

Service News

Pvt. Dale Gingrich has been honorably discharged from the army and returned home last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Vern Watson received word from their son, Billy J. Watson, that he has been promoted to Private First Class. He is located in Japan.

F. F. 2/c Max Wise of the Seabees, who spent a furlough here after serving for some time in the Pacific, is now in Wesley Memorial hospital in Chicago, Ill.

Arthur S. Cooley, Jr., of Owendale, nephew of Mrs. Fred Maier, who has been home on a 21-day furlough, returned New Years' day to Gowen Field, Boise, Idaho.

Listed among soldiers discharged last week at Camp Atterbury, Ind., is Pfc. Orville C. Healy, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Healy, who has recently returned from the E. T. O.

Maurice Taylor has been discharged at Great Lakes, Ill., after serving four years, 29 months of which were in the Pacific area. Mrs. Taylor was formerly Miss Dorothy Klinkman.

Seaman First Class Archie L. McCallum has arrived in the States from the Pacific area. He is expected home in a few days. Seaman McCallum will be eligible for discharge after Jan. 14.

Pvt. Robert Wilson, who has been on duty with the Marines, has spent a 12-day furlough with his wife at the Jacob Wise home and has now gone to Chicago, Ill., where he expects to be discharged from the Service.

A holiday visitor at the William Walmsley home was Andrew R. Olmsted, A. R. M. 2/c, who is on leave from the Navy. He is Mrs. Walmsley's brother and has been on Iwo Jima and Tinian for the past nine months.

Pvt. Wm. O'Dell arrived here Dec. 30 to spend a furlough with his family after which he will report to an army hospital at Indianapolis, Ind. He expects to be discharged soon. He left the States Sept. 20 for the Philippines and returned to the west coast Dec. 16.

S/Sgt. Wm. H. Guinther, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Guinther, has been discharged from the Marine Corps. He served in the south Pacific for two years. Another son, Cpl. Harold Guinther, who is serving in Japan, expects to return home in the near future.

Capt. Dudley C. Masure, who is home from France on a 45-day furlough, and Mrs. Masure of Onondaga came Thursday of this week to be guests in the Kinnaird home and visit friends here. The Methodists gathered at the church Thursday evening for supper at 7:30 in honor of Capt. and Mrs. Masure.

Bernard E. Larkin, C. M. 3/c, son of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Larkin, is home from Japan on a furlough until Jan. 23. He has been gone for nearly three years. Another son of the Larkins, Lt. Clayton E. Larkin, was home for a few hours New Years' night from Tampa, Florida. This was the first time in three years that the two brothers saw each other.

Capt. and Mrs. Wesley Charter left Jan. 4 after having spent three weeks with Capt. Charter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hermon Charter. Capt. Charter returned to the States Dec. 7 after serving 16 months in India and Burma with the 33rd Fighter Group. They will spend a few days visiting friends and relatives in Chicago and southern Illinois and plan a short trip into Mexico before Capt. Charter reports at San Antonio, Texas, on Jan. 30 for reassignment.

Lawrence Zapfe, second class petty officer, writes his parents here, that after a very rough crossing from Leyte, P. I., they arrived at Pearl Harbor Dec. 21 with fuel practically exhausted. The crew were all much pleased to learn that final orders awaited them there to take the ship in service since Guadalcanal days, back to the States for de-commissioning either at San Diego, Cal., or at some port on the east coast. On Jan. 3 they reached
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Notice.
The following merchants will close at 6:00 o'clock Saturday evenings during the months of January, February and March: L. E. Townsend, H. J. Smith Store, Boag & Caister, Gamble Store, Gross & Maier, N. Bigelow & Sons, Mrs. Ella Vance, Pinney Dry Goods Co., E. A. Corpron, A. & P. Store, Reed & Patterson, Prieskorn's, C. E. Paterson.—Advertisement.

Group Action Enables Farmers to Direct Proposals of Interest

By C. L. Brody
Executive Secretary, Michigan Farm Bureau.

The Farm Bureau roll call campaign for membership planned by farmers of Tuscola county beginning January 22, will provide an opportunity for hundreds of additional farm families to enlist their interest and influence with nearly a million of the best farm people in all sections of the United States.

The new Farm Bureau members added to the memberships now on the rolls of the Tuscola County Farm Bureau will make it one of the strongest and most active County Farm Bureaus in the state.

Through the coming roll call being sponsored by the Tuscola County Farm Bureau, progressive farm families have the means of joining with 40,000 of the best farm people of Michigan.

Through the community, county, state and national Farm Bureaus, Farm Bureau members over the



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nation are participating in all domestic policies having to do with agriculture and the relationship of the farmer to all other groups in the country.

Through the American Farm Bureau Federation our county members also have a part in the determination of international policies and relationships. The Michigan Farm Bureau is voicing the farmers' interests in school, highway, taxation and general policies
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PRESBYTERIAN W. M. S. STARTS NEW STUDY BOOK

Members of the missionary society of the Presbyterian church met with Mrs. Frank Reid for the regular monthly meeting last Thursday afternoon. Mrs. John McGillivray conducted the devotions and roll call was in charge of Mrs. Robt. Milligan.

The group started a new study book, titled "These Moving Times" by Hermann Morse and the lesson from it was presented by Mrs. Chas. Wiley, Mrs. R. A. McNamee and Mrs. Melvin Vender.

At the close of the meeting, the hostess, assisted by Mrs. Floyd Reid and Miss Flossie Crane, served refreshments.

STYLE DOESN'T MATTER

"Naked and ye clothed me"—Matt. 25:26.

From six years of war in Europe and nine years of war in China, "thousands are literally shivering to death" from cold, not to mention the mounting deaths from starvation and disease.

"In Greece alone for example, 1,400 towns were destroyed, one and one-half million Greeks lost all their possessions. One million are suffering from tuberculosis, two and a half million have chronic malaria, countless thousands are suffering from dysentery, anemia and other ailments caused by prolonged malnutrition. There are 50,000 disabled veterans who lost either or both arms and legs, not to mention other casualties," states an official report. Multiply this through the European and Asiatic areas, the Philippines and the Pacific and the suffering and needs add up to stagger the imagination and to pull at the heart strings of sympathy, and climaxing in a Number One New Year's resolution to help until it hurts if need be.

Courage cannot keep people warm when they are hungry on a subsistence level, or a starvation calorie diet, clad in tattered rags, without footwear, and living in a cold cellar or in the ruins of a bombed out house or barn.

You can help some life by sharing spare bedding, clothing and shoes for the Victory Clothing

Coming Auctions

Having decided to quit farming, Jay Hartley will sell cows, farm machinery and other personal property at his farm, 2 miles east of the Elmwood store on Thursday, Jan. 17. Arnold Copeland is the auctioneer and the Cass City State Bank, clerk. His advertisement is on page 7 of this issue.

Emory Lonsbury has decided to reduce his farming activities and will have an auction sale of farm property, 1 1/2 miles west of Cass City on Thursday, Jan. 24. His sale advertisement will appear in the Chronicle next week.

Plans Made for 1946 March of Dimes in Tuscola County

Plans for the 1946 March of Dimes in the fight against infantile paralysis moved forward with the appointment of Mrs. Helen Howell of Caro as chairman for the appeal in Tuscola county.

The local campaign, which opens on Jan. 14 and closes Jan. 31, is part of the nation-wide appeal of the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis for funds to continue the fight against poliomyelitis.

The new chairman has announced the following as her aides and chairmen of committees:

Akron, Mrs. Chas. Stacy.
Caro, Mrs. John Sheridan.
Cass City, Mrs. Grant Patterson and Mrs. Ernest Croft.
Gageton, Mrs. Harry Densmore.

Kingston, Miss Mildred Everett.
Mayville, Mrs. Maurice Everland.
Millington, Mrs. C. W. Ross.
Richville, Mrs. Roy Smith.
Unionville, Mrs. Oscar Roller.
Vassar, Community Fund.
Waurowsville, Miss Helen Higgins.

Fairgrove, Mrs. Sarah Mount.
Fosteria, Mrs. Geo. Tompkins.
Reese, Mrs. Roy Massoll.

As in the past, March of Dimes coin collection boxes will be placed at convenient spots throughout the county, and coin cards will be distributed. In the light of widespread public knowledge of the National Foundation's tremendous achievements in recent epidemic years, Donald Thurber, state director, reports the appeal committee is expecting a greater response this year than ever before.

"Poliomyelitis," he pointed out, "is one of the most expensive diseases known to medicine. Hospitalization for a single patient costs more than \$2,500.00 a year. Some cases require continuing care for several years. Not only must many victims of past epidemics receive continuing care, but each year's outbreaks add new names to the steadily growing list. Few families can meet the cost of extended polio treatment. Through the annual March of Dimes, treatment and care can be assured for all polio victims regardless of age, race, creed or color."

In Cass City, a committee of women from different women's organizations are assisting the two co-chairmen. The committee are Mrs. Leonard Damm, Mrs. Stanley McArthur, Mrs. Dugald Krug, Mrs. Arthur Holmberg, Mrs. Cliff Demo and Mrs. Andrew Cross.

Read the want ads on page 5.

Need of Positive, Clearly Defined U. S. Foreign Policy

Speaking on the subject of "America and the New World" before Community club members on Wednesday evening, Prof. Harold M. Dorr of the University of Michigan, called attention to the many important social, economic and political changes in the world in recent years and to the social unrest that is rife today. He stressed the need of positive, clearly defined policies of the United States in the international field and called attention to the lack of strong leadership in foreign affairs and the need of a centralized foreign affairs department in place of the 17 agencies that are playing the game against one another and making little progress.

"America cannot lead the life of a lone wolf in an undisturbed world," said Mr. Dorr. The speaker was introduced by Dr. H. T. Donahue, program chairman.

"Bill" Benkelman, high school student, in a brief talk, made a strong plea for participation in the Victory Clothing Collection to relieve the needy in foreign lands.

Horace Pinney, new president of the Community club, announced a Father and Son banquet for the club on Lincoln's birthday on Feb. 12.

Preceding the program, a dinner, prepared by the women of the Church of Christ, was served by a group of club members.

D. A. Preston, Retired General Merchant, Died Here Friday

Daniel A. Preston, 81, a resident of the Snover community 25 years and a merchant of Sanilac county for many years, died Friday night in the Hutchinson Convalescent home at Cass City after a long illness.

He was born at Waterloo, Mich., on Mar. 6, 1864, and married Miss Catherine Ferguson in Port Huron Sept. 23, 1908. He taught in rural schools in Tuscola and Sanilac counties before he began farming and operating a general store in Cumber. He conducted a store in Snover from 1917 until August, 1944, when he retired.

Funeral services were held at the Snover Evangelical church on Monday afternoon, conducted by Rev. S. R. Wurtz, the pastor, and Rev. F. H. Orchard, pastor of the Free Methodist church. Burial was made in Novesta cemetery.

Mr. Preston is survived by his widow; one daughter, Mrs. Fred Schneider of Snover; and two grandchildren. A daughter died in infancy.

State Banks Held Elections Tuesday

At a meeting of stockholders of the Pinney State Bank on Tuesday evening, six directors were elected as follows: Frederick H. Pinney, Elizabeth E. Pinney, Ernest Croft, D. W. Benkelman, Dr. P. A. Schenck and H. F. Lenzer. At the board of directors' meeting the same evening, Frederick H. Pinney was elected president; H. F. Lenzer, vice president; Ernest Croft, cashier; Horace Pinney and D. W. Benkelman, assistant cashiers.

Stockholders of the Cass City State Bank re-elected the following directors for the coming year: M. E. Auten, G. A. Tindale, J. A. Sandham, B. F. Benkelman, Sr., A. J. Knapp and C. M. Wallace. Following the stockholders' meeting on Tuesday, the board of directors elected the following officers: President, M. E. Auten; vice president, G. A. Tindale; cashier, C. M. Wallace; assistant cashier, Irene Stafford.

New School Bus Stop Law Now in Effect

The 1945 session of the Legislature enacted a law requiring motorists to stop when overtaking a school bus which has stopped for the purpose of loading or unloading passengers.

1. The law is now in effect.
2. The law does not apply at an intersection where traffic is controlled by an officer or a traffic stop-and-go signal. A vehicle need not be brought to a full stop before passing a school bus, but may proceed past such school bus at a speed not greater than is reasonable and proper, in no event greater than ten miles an hour, and with due caution for the safety of passengers being received or discharged from such school bus.

3. The law does not apply to buses inside incorporated cities or villages.

Church News

Salem Evangelical Church—S. P. Kirn, Minister. Sunday, Jan. 13: Sunday school at 10 a. m. Welcome always, and everyone!
 Morning worship at 11. The pastor will bring a report on the School of Evangelism which he is attending this week. The evening groups will meet at the hour of seven o'clock.
 Choir rehearsal each Friday evening unless otherwise announced.
 Friday, Jan. 11, Tri Sigma class meeting at the parsonage.
 Jan. 18, W. M. S. at the home of Mrs. Ray Silvernail.
 Jan. 20, Pioneer day observance and Mission Band meeting.

Presbyterian Church—Melvin R. Vender, Minister. Sunday, Jan. 13: 10:30 a. m., the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper. Reception of members. Communion meditation.
 10:30 a. m., Nursery, Beginners and Primary departments. 11:30 a. m., the church school for juniors, young people and adults.
 7:30 p. m., the Westminster Youth Fellowship.
 Choir rehearsal, Thursday, at 7:30 p. m.
 Mid-winter meeting of Flint Presbytery at Lapeer, Tuesday, Jan. 15.
 The Women's Guild, Monday, Jan. 21.

Church of the Nazarene—Lorne J. Lee, Minister.
 Church school at 10:30 and morning worship at 11:30. The pastor will present the second in a series of sermons on the "Spiritual Church."
 N. Y. P. S. at 7:15 and evangelistic service at 8:00. "Our Christian Heritage" is the subject announced for this service.
 The W. F. M. S. will meet Tuesday evening, Jan. 15, at 8:00, at the home of Mrs. Caspar Whelan for a prayer and study meeting.
 The mid-week prayer and praise service will be held at the parsonage Wednesday evening at 8:00. We will continue the study of the Gospel of Luke in the fifth chapter.
 The month of January has been designated as a month of prayer throughout the Michigan District.

Church of the Nazarene. We urge our people everywhere to enter into a time of prevailing prayer.
 There will be a Thumb zone missionary rally in the Cass City church Friday, Jan. 18, with services morning and afternoon.
Assembly of God Church—Jos. A. McGiffin, Pastor.
 Sunday school, 10 a. m. Morning worship at 11. Evangelistic service at 8 p. m.
 Cottage prayer meeting every Wednesday at 8 p. m. Radio broadcast second Thursday of each month, WMPC, from 11 to 11:30 a. m.
 We pray for the sick. A warm welcome awaits you.

Mennonite Brethren in Christ Churches—G. C. Guillet, Pastor.
 Mizpah—Sunday school at 10:30 a. m. The morning worship hour at 11:30. The subject will be "Open Windows." There will be no evening service.
 Riverside—The morning worship hour will be at 10. Subject, "Open Windows." The evening service will begin at 7:30 with a song and praise period followed by the evangelistic sermon by Rev. L. E. Mitchell at 8 p. m. This will be the concluding service of the revival campaign.

St. Pancratius Catholic Church—Rev. John J. Bozek, Pastor. Mass is held the first two Sundays of each month at 9:00 a. m., and the last two or three Sundays at 11 a. m. The Holy Sacrifice of the Mass is offered up every morning during the week at 7:50.

St. Michaels Catholic Church—Wilmot. Rev. John J. Bozek, Pastor. Mass is held the first two Sundays of the month at 11 a. m. and the last two or three Sundays of the month at 9 a. m.

The First Baptist Church—Arnold Olsen, Pastor. We preach Christ crucified, burial, resurrection, and coming again.
 Sunday school, 10:00. Morning service, 11:00. Evening service at 8:00.
 B. Y. P. U., Monday evening at 8:00. Midweek service, Wednesday at 8:00.
 A cordial welcome awaits all who come.

The Evergreen Free Methodist Church—Carl Koerner, Pastor.
 Sunday school at 10:30. Preaching at 11:30.

First Methodist Church, Cass City. Rev. Kenneth R. Bisbee, Minister. Jan. 13:
 Morning worship, 10:30. Church school at 11:45 a. m.
 Announcements for the week: Sunday at seven o'clock, the Intermediates will meet at the home of Bob Douglas.
 The Youth Fellowship will meet at the church at 7:30 p. m.
 The church school workers and church board of education will meet at the church at eight o'clock.
 Wednesday: Choir practice at 7:30 p. m.

The Ubyl-Fraser Presbyterian Churches—Robt. L. Morton, Minister.
 Ubyl—10 a. m., Sunday school. 10:45 a. m., worship service. Music by the choir.
 Fraser—10:45 a. m., Sunday school. 11:45 a. m., worship service.

Handy Shelf
 To save time and yourself, put the food shelf in order. Check through the canned goods on hand. Store those you plan to use where you can easily get them. List and purchase needed supplies at regular intervals. Frequent trips to the grocery store for emergency items take time.

REPORT OF CONDITION OF THE PINNEY STATE BANK
 of Cass City, Michigan, at the close of business Dec. 31, 1945, a State banking institution organized and operating under the banking laws of this State and a member of the Federal Reserve System. Published in accordance with a call made by the State Banking Authorities and by the Federal Reserve Bank of this District.

Assets.	
Loans and discounts (including \$118.14 overdrafts)	\$ 337,313.18
United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed	1,045,141.56
Obligations of States and political subdivisions	98,490.00
Other bonds, notes and debentures	59,386.88
Corporate stocks (including \$3,000.00 stock of Federal Reserve bank)	3,000.00
Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve balance, and cash items in process of collection	286,980.42
Bank premises owned \$750.00, furniture and fixtures \$915.00	1,665.00
Other assets	391.10
TOTAL ASSETS	1,832,368.09
Liabilities.	
Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships and corporations	518,203.31
Time deposits of individuals, partnerships and corporations	1,159,082.79
Deposits of United States Government (including postal savings)	3,762.11
Deposits of States and political subdivisions	29,933.73
Other deposits (certified and officers' checks, etc.)	3,162.41
TOTAL DEPOSITS	\$1,714,144.35
TOTAL LIABILITIES (not including subordinated obligations shown below)	1,714,144.35
Capital Accounts.	
Capital*	50,000.00
Surplus	50,000.00
Undivided profits	18,223.74
TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	118,223.74
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	1,832,368.09

*This bank's capital consists of: Common stock with total par value of \$50,000.00.
 I, Ernest Croft, Cashier of the above-named bank, hereby certify that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
 ERNEST CROFT.
 Correct Attest: Frederick H. Pinney, D. W. Benkelman, H. F. Lenzer, Directors.

State of Michigan, County of Tuscola, ss.
 Sworn to and subscribed before me this 8th day of January, 1946.
 C. M. Wallace, Notary Public.
 My commission expires 5-19-46.

REPORT OF CONDITION OF THE CASS CITY STATE BANK
 of Cass City, Michigan, at the close of business Dec. 31, 1945, a State banking institution organized and operating under the banking laws of this State and a member of the Federal Reserve System. Published in accordance with a call made by the State Banking Authorities and by the Federal Reserve Bank of this District.

Assets.	
Loans and discounts (including \$21.47 overdrafts)	\$ 508,156.74
United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed	1,000,633.72
Obligations of States and political subdivisions	81,429.65
Corporate stocks (including \$3,300.00 stock of Federal Reserve bank)	3,300.00
Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve balance, and cash items in process of collection	256,898.76
Bank premises owned \$3,000.00, furniture and fixtures \$1,100.00	4,100.00
TOTAL ASSETS	1,854,568.87
Liabilities.	
Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships and corporations	460,976.55
Time deposits of individuals, partnerships and corporations	1,053,062.12
Deposits of United States Government (including postal savings)	139,382.58
Deposits of States and political subdivisions	75,517.57
Deposits of banks	7,000.00
Other deposits (certified and officers' checks, etc.)	595.84
TOTAL DEPOSITS	\$1,736,534.66
TOTAL LIABILITIES (not including subordinated obligations shown below)	1,736,534.66
Capital Accounts.	
Capital*	40,000.00
Surplus	70,000.00
Undivided profits	8,034.21
TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	118,034.21
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	1,854,568.87

*This bank's capital consists of: Common stock with total par value of \$40,000.00.
 Pledged assets (and securities loaned) (book value)
 (a) U. S. Government obligations, direct and guaranteed, pledged to secure deposits and other liabilities. 220,000.00
 (e) TOTAL 220,000.00
 Secured and preferred liabilities:
 (a) Deposits secured by pledged assets pursuant to requirements of law 189,382.58
 (e) TOTAL 189,382.58
 Deposits of the State of Michigan (Included in Item 16) 50,000.00
 I, C. M. Wallace, Cashier of the above-named bank, hereby certify that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
 C. M. WALLACE.
 Correct—Attest: M. B. Anten, A. J. Knapp, B. F. Benkelman, Directors.

State of Michigan, County of Tuscola, ss.
 Sworn to and subscribed before me this fourth day of January, 1946.
 D. W. Benkelman, Notary Public.
 My commission expires July 17, 1949.

MISS COPLAND BRIDE OF EDWARD ROY HEINTZ, JR.

Lighted tapers in candelabra, white chrysanthemums and palms decorated the altar of the Grace Presbyterian church, Detroit, recently for the marriage of Vera Elizabeth Copland to Edward Roy Heintz. The 6:30 o'clock double ring ceremony was performed by Rev. Robert Murphy.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Copland, 16832 Coyle, Detroit. The bridegroom, who recently returned from 38 months in the Pacific, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Heintz, Sr., 15460 Hene, Detroit.

The bride, who was given away by her father, wore a gown fashioned of white net over white tulle. It featured a round neckline outlined in pearls, a gift of the groom, and had long sleeves forming points over the hands. The fitted bodice was gathered into a full skirt ending in a train. A wreath of pearl-laid flowers held in place her fingertip veil of tulle. She carried an arm bouquet of white chrysanthemums.
 The matron of honor, Mrs. Donald Seeger, and the honor attendant, Violet McGhee, wore blue. Bridesmaids Gwendolyn McDonald and Ruth Bonczak wore pink. Their dresses of brocaded satin were made along similar lines and all wore tiny feather hats corresponding in color to their dresses.

All wore pearls, gifts of the bride. They carried varied bouquets of pink and white chrysanthemums.
 The groom was served as best man by Russell Lane of Flint, a veteran of the Pacific theater. Ushers were Lawrence Copland, Jr., Leonard Wood and James Short.
 A reception for 200 guests was held in the church parlors immediately following the ceremony.

FH Sardine Can
 There is no group of fishes officially bearing the name "sardine." The United States herring, the menhaden and the European pilchard are the small fishes which generally fill sardine cans.

Old City
 The oldest city in Indiana is Vincennes, founded in 1732 by Francois Baptiste Bissot Vincennes on the site of the Piankashaw Miami Indian village Chippecocke. It also was the first capital of Indiana territory.

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Another Reason Why!

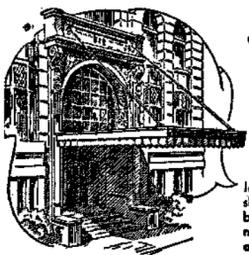
Another reason why the United Dairy Farmers was created instead of supporting some other farm organization already in existence, was the ever pressing need for a militant farm organization. That the other farm organizations are unable to serve their membership in this capacity, is best set forth in the following testimony given in behalf of other farm organizations by Mr. C. B. Smith, Chief Officer of Cooperative Extension Work in Agriculture and Home Economics of the Department of Agriculture of the State of Michigan, before the investigating committee, in which he says:

"All other farm organizations differ in many respects. They are not created to meet any special emergency or to correct any injustice."

The United Dairy Farmers is a militant farmers' organization, standing ready at all times to use every honorable means to correct any injustice to the farmer.

This advertisement is sponsored by Cass City and Detroit Local of

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The Entrance to REAL Hospitality in DETROIT

Hotels of character and comfort with a most unusual downtown location; right in the heart of the business, shopping and theatre district, yet with beautiful parkways on two sides which makes for coolness and quietude. Parking and garage adjacent.

Comfortable Rooms from \$9.50
 SPECIAL SUITES FOR FAMILIES
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BEST HOTEL LOCATION

A Small Drop of Ink in the Want Ads Makes Thousands Think!

Tate's Grocery

Brown Sugar 2 lbs. 13c	White Sugar 5 lbs. 31c
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- STOKELY SAUERKRAUT 2 No. 2 1/2 cans 29c
- BAKED BEANS 3 cans 26c
- PET MILK, tall 4 for 35c
- PRUNES 2 lbs. 29c
- CAMPBELL'S CHICKEN NOODLE SOUP 2 for 29c
- SARDINES, Tomato Sauce, large oval 15c
- CLOTHES PINS 2 doz. for 23c
- FRUIT COCKTAIL, No. 2 1/2 can, Delmonte or Libby's 33c

Standard Peas No. 2 can 4 for 47c	Orange Juice OR BLENDED 46 oz. 43c
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- PINEAPPLE, sliced or crushed, No. 2 can 23c
- CATSUP, Stokely's or Snider's, 14 oz. bottle 19c
- Stokely's or Delmonte PUMPKIN, No. 2 1/2 can, 2 for 29c
- SEA SHELL MACARONI 3 lb. box 27c
- WALNUTS, Diamond Brand per lb. 43c
- QT. JARS OF MUSTARD 2 for 23c
- KELLOGG'S CORN FLAKES, Giant Size 2 for 25c
- CIGARETTES, carton \$1.24
- BLOCK SALT 43c
- DUFF'S HOT MUFFIN MIX or WAFFLE MIX Each 19c
- DELMONTE CORN 2 cans for 29c

Merchandise limited to store stock.



WHAT CAN YOU SPARE THAT HE CAN WEAR?

What YOU Can Do!

1. Get together all the clothing you can spare.
2. Take it to your local collection depot immediately.
3. Volunteer some spare time to your local committee.

The more you do the better you'll feel!

VICTORY CLOTHING COLLECTION for Overseas Relief JAN. 7 to 31 HENRY J. KAISER National Chairman

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THE CASS CITY STATE BANK

Step-Stool Handy
The equipment of every kitchen should include a step-stool so it will be unnecessary to use chairs or boxes for reaching high places. In choosing a step-stool, the housewife should make certain that each step, including the top one, is wide enough to stand upon and that all the steps are roughened or covered with a non-skid material to prevent falls.

Body Posture
Body postures are not trained by movements, but by static positions held frequently. The only way to get good posture is to repeat it until it becomes natural.

Quaint City
The rhythm of modern life is unknown in the picturesque capital city of Ancud on Chiloe island, largest of the bewildering wealth of small islands along the Chilean coast. There is not a paved street in the city, and the population of 3,000 has only three automobiles and three trucks. The island is connected with the Chilean mainland by steamship to Puerto Montt, which furnishes mail service.

Farm Fire Fatalities
Last year, 3,500 members of farm families were burned to death in fires that destroyed \$90,000,000 worth of farm property.

Fertile Soil
Fertile soil is the result of a long, gradual process, a process of building up fertility over a period of many years. When mined year after year by crops which take much from it and return little to it, the soil's fertility cannot be restored quickly. Successful farmers know this, and they manage their soil accordingly, rotating, planting cover crops, and carrying out other practices which will restore it and keep it productive.

Fire Every 90 Seconds
One thousand homes are attacked by fire every day, or at the rate of one every 90 seconds.

WEEKLY NEWS ANALYSIS

G. M. Resists Proposal to Base Wages Upon Profits; Big Three Agreements Set Unity Pattern

Released by Western Newspaper Union.
(EDITOR'S NOTE: When opinions are expressed in these columns, they are those of Western Newspaper Union's news analysts and not necessarily of this newspaper.)

AMERICAN ECONOMY: New Pattern?

Having previously sparred over wage questions, General Motors corporation and the CIO-United Automobile Workers started swinging in earnest in their weeks-old battle, with G. M. declaring congress alone would have to decree its pay on its profit position rather than going rates, and the UAW vowing that it was prepared to fight through the winter for maintenance of wartime take-home earnings.

In explaining the company's position, G. M. Chairman Alfred P. Sloan and Pres. Charles E. Wilson asserted that acceptance of the principle that wages should be predicated upon ability to pay would result in regimentation of industry through the establishment of rates based upon government estimates of future costs, prices, prospective volume of business, investment factors and other expenses.

If the principle of ability to pay as laid down by President Truman's fact-finding board in the G.M.-UAW dispute were to be observed, the company bigwigs said, then a firm might well be penalized for its increased efficiency resulting in higher profits. Declaring that the issue was one of government regimentation threatening free enterprise, Sloan and Wilson said that it was up to the people through their

With presidential appointment of a special fact finding board to study the CIO demands for a \$2 a day pay raise, and instructions to the OPA to consider industry demands for price increases, hopes were held out for avoidance of a threatened steel strike affecting 700,000 workers.

since V-E Day, the Civilian Production administration reported. Until labor-management difficulties are resolved, however, full speed production cannot be achieved, CP Administrator John D. Small declared, since parts shortages caused by work stoppages may close industries remaining in operation.

In an effort to maintain the production rate and prevent the accumulation of vital materials in struck plants, the CPA ordered the suspension of deliveries to such establishments idled for 30 days. During the period, however, struck plants will be allowed to build up a 45-day stock to facilitate output when work is resumed.

Constituting the brightest part of the picture drawn by CPA is the volume production of steel, coal, men's clothing, farm machinery and tires, though output of the latter is expected to be insufficient to meet demands before next fall in face of huge pent-up demand of motorists.

On the other hand, less progress has been made in textiles, appliances and automobiles, where the protracted General Motors strike and work stoppages at supply plants pared production to 54,000 to December 1, far below the year's goal. Off to a slow start anyway, the appliance industry also is threatened by a strike of the CIO electrical workers' demands for a \$2 a day pay raise.

Because of extremely favorable business prospects for the future, and the availability of investment funds partly built up through wartime accumulation, industry and commerce should find a ready capital market in expanding operations, CPA said.

DIPLOMACY: Wait and See

Back from Moscow after his eventful conference with Foreign Ministers Bevin of Britain and Molotov of Russia, Secretary of State Byrnes took up the cudgels in defense of the agreements reached in the Red capital in the interests of a working unity among the Big Three.

In explaining the results of the parley, Byrnes sought particularly to allay concern over the understandings on joint control of Japan and regulation of atomic energy. In both instances, he declared, adequate safeguards were provided to protect American interests while at the same time promoting the principle of international co-operation.

Though strong anxiety developed over the Moscow agreement for the creation of a far eastern commission to formulate Allied policy for Japan, and the additional organization of a council to help work out such policies, assurances of American veto power over unfavorable proposals and General MacArthur's public pronouncement to give the plan a trial led to adoption of a liberal wait-and-see attitude.

Regarding the regulation of atomic energy, Byrnes was careful to point out that any plans laid at Moscow dealt with the broad question of control and not with details of the manufacture of the deadly bomb. Further, Byrnes declared that the two billion dollar secret would not be committed to any commission until adequate safeguards had been guaranteed to provide for effective control.

Exertion of American influence in assuring smaller nations of a square deal in the shaping of the European peace treaty was seen in Byrnes' declaration that this country would not tolerate any brushoff of recommendations for alteration of settlements drawn up by the U. S., Britain, Russia and France. Further support for smaller nations was indicated in Byrnes' announcement of Russia's agreement to accept a U. S. and British proposal to broaden the base of the Romanian and Bulgarian governments and work for the establishment of free institutions in those Balkan countries.

chosen representatives, rather than up to private individuals, to make any decision affecting the future course of national economic policy.

Handily admitting that the UAW was for a new deal, but one based on free enterprise with payment of high wages to assure adequate purchasing power, Walter Reuther, UAW vice president in charge of the G. M. division, declared that neither the union nor the people would be frightened by "hysterical screams of revolution."

Asserting that the UAW's fight directly involved the future national welfare as the first step forward in the achievement of a standard of living 50 per cent better than ever before, Reuther said that the union's struggle for a 30 per cent wage increase was not a selfish movement of the members themselves.

PEARL HARBOR: Commanders' Statements

In statements placed before the congressional committee investigating Pearl Harbor, Rear Adm. Husband Kimmel and Maj. Gen. Walter Short declared that vital information indicating the imminence of Japanese attack on the U. S. was withheld from them at the big Hawaiian base prior to the December 7, 1941, surprise assault.

Quoted in Short's testimony before an army board of inquiry in 1944, Kimmel said that had the information which he said he felt certain Washington possessed of imminent Jap attack upon the U. S. been divulged to both Pearl Harbor commanders, the entire result of the sneak assault might have been changed.

Short expressed a similar opinion, declaring that had the message concerning the Japanese ultimatum and destruction of coding machines been sent directly by General Marshall on the morning of December 7, 1941, he would have had at least two hours in which to prepare for attack.

Regarding the alerting of his command against sabotage following receipt of General Marshall's warning of November 27, 1941, to be on guard, Short said that he took no further step because of instructions not to arouse any excitement upon the island. In communicating with the war department after ordering the alert against sabotage, he received no other instructions, he said.

PRODUCTION: At High Level

With high production in some fields offsetting lower output in others retarded by strikes, industrial activity stands at its highest level

Sign of the Times: Tubes Heat Hot-Dogs

Now it's hot dogs, hamburgers or grilled cheese sandwiches heated by radio waves with electronic tubes used in a machine which is the direct outgrowth of wartime developments in radar.

An electronic canteen outfit which will serve hot dogs, hamburgers or grilled cheese sandwiches at the drop of a dime and the push of a button, the machine resembles the soft drink or cigaret machine but is slightly larger. It plugs into the regular 110-volt outlet, has a decorative front door with mirror; push button selectors for your choice of food; a glass window behind which is the electronic unit and coil so the customer can see his food getting the heat-by radio; and below this a compartment into which the hot dog or sandwich drops.

Winterize Your Home and Save Money on Your Fuel Bill

Engineers' figures reveal that 70% of heat loss is through the attic and 15% is through windows and doors.

What It Costs

The cost of insulating an attic, 22x26, is \$30.63, tax included.

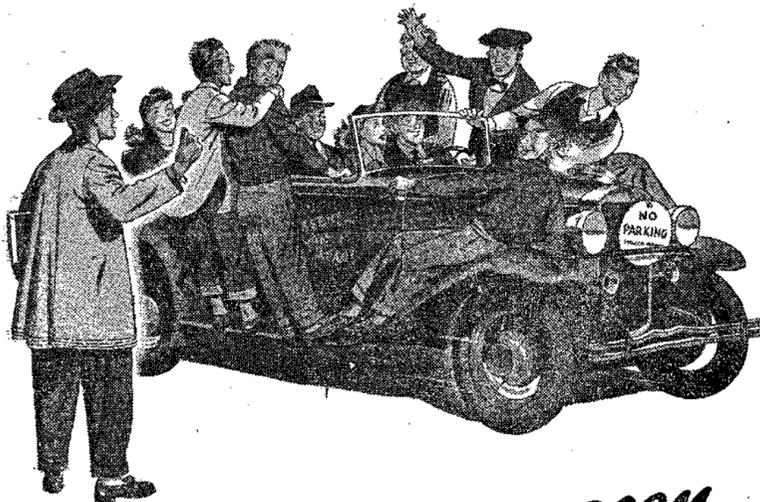
A storm window for opening, 24 in. wide by 55 in. high is \$3.03, tax included.

Just Received a Carload

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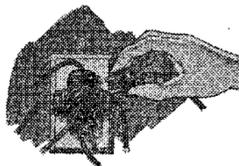
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Lumber Department



THERE ISN'T ALWAYS ROOM FOR ONE MORE—

Of "Leaping Lena" ain't what she used to be. One more bobby-soxer and Lena would give up with a well-earned wheeze and a sigh. Likewise, homes wired for yesterday's electrical needs are inadequate for today's electrical living. Yet many home owners have become accustomed to inadequate wiring—to frequent blown fuses because of an overloaded circuit. Making sure that your home wiring is up to date is your assurance of being able to use the electrical appliances you want in your home when you want to use them—where you want to use them. It means having your home furnishings arranged to suit your taste, with outlets always convenient. It also means that it should accommodate a new frozen-food cabinet, electric range, automatic laundry, electric dishwasher and many other electrical appliances. And, of course, if your plans for tomorrow include a brand-new home, adequate wiring is an "A-1" item to check in plans and specifications.



This is one of a series of advertisements prepared in cooperation with the electrical contractors in your area in the interest of insuring adequate wiring for every home. When you build or remodel, be sure your home is properly wired. For wiring recommendations, call your local Detroit Edison office.



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Our Own TEA ½ lb. 31¢ pkg.	Nectar TEA ½ lb. 33¢ pkg.
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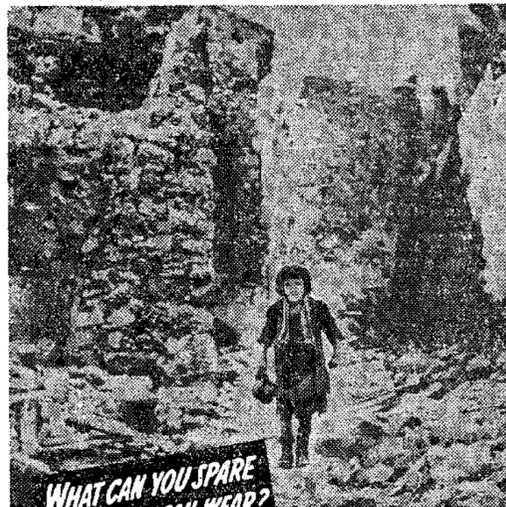
A & P APPLESAUCE	20 oz. can 13¢
GINGHAM GIRL PEACHES	28 oz. can 27¢
BORDO Unsweetened Grapefruit Juice	46 oz. can 31¢
BLACK KNIGHT APRICOTS	29 oz. can 26¢
STOKLEY TOMATO JUICE	18 oz. can 11¢
SUNSWEEP PRUNES	2 lb. bag 32¢
DEELISH Sweet Mixed PICKLES	24 oz. bot. 25¢
CRISP WHEATIES	12 oz. pkg. 15¢
ZION FIG BARS	2 lbs. 42¢

Sweet Juicy Florida ORANGES 8 lb. mesh bag 65¢	Texas Seedless GRAPEFRUIT 10 lb. mesh bag 59¢
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BLAND'S LARD	3 lbs. 57¢
ICEBERG LETTUCE	2 heads 17¢
CALIFORNIA Pascal CELERY 24 size stalk, each	23¢
NEW TEXAS CABBAGE	lb. 7¢
CALIFORNIA NAVEL ORANGES	5 lbs. 59¢
SOUTHERN GROWN TOMATOES	lb. 29¢
EATING APPLES	2 lbs. 27¢
MAINE POTATOES	15 lbs. bulk 64¢
IDAHO BAKERS	10 lbs. bulk 49¢
PUERTO RICAN YAMS	4 lbs. 41¢
WAXED RUTABAGAS	lb. 5¢
SOUTHERN SHALLOTS	2 bunches 23¢

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WHAT CAN YOU SPARE THAT SHE CAN WEAR?

This little girl is free—to fend for herself! Free—to face a multitude of problems. Her problems are the world's problems. Let's face them. For instance, let's face the desperate need for clothing by the victims of Nazi and Jap oppression. Dig into your attics, trunks, and closets today... dig out all the clothing you can spare.

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SHELLANE GAS KELVINATOR REFRIGERATORS
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HAPPY NEW YEAR

10-Year Stay in Reich Predicted

New German Commander Favors Stern Policy Toward Nazis.

FRANKFORT, GERMANY.—Gen. Joseph T. McNarney, newly designated commander of American forces in Europe, predicted that the Allied occupation of Germany would continue for at least 10 years, the United Press reports.

General McNarney recently held his first press conference since his appointment to succeed General Eisenhower. He told the newspaper men that there was likelihood that an occupation would last much longer than 10 years. This would give the Germans time to establish themselves along democratic lines and to perfect a self-supporting economic program, he said.

General McNarney said that he strongly favored the plan for the families of occupation troops to join them as soon as possible, where soldiers are the heads of such families, although he did not want them to come this winter.

No Sympathy for Nazis.

General McNarney's firm reiteration of a strict denazification program for Germany crushed the hopes of thousands of Germans who thought that they might get lesser penalties because they were only so-called "nominal" party members.

The general said that he had no sympathy for Nazis of any sort, whether they were active party members or "whether they joined the party through the necessity of feeding their wives and children." "I have not forgotten who started the war," he said. "The German people must realize that they are responsible, and that their debt has not been paid."

He then repeated General Eisenhower's military government law No. 8, which bans the appointment of Nazis to civil or private supervisory positions.

General McNarney said he had no plans for Gen. George S. Patton, former 3rd army commander who was replaced after criticism of his denazification policy, except to permit him to finish his task with the 15th army, which is compiling a minute study of the military history of World War II.

Unification Big Problem. Discussing the future for Germany, he said he believed the biggest problem would be co-ordination of a common policy under the four-part occupation council for an eventually unified government of Germany.

A "long, hard pull of many years" lies ahead before the European living standard as a whole reaches prewar levels, he said.

General McNarney revealed that President Truman at present was seeking a suitable civilian for governor of Germany, as civilians rather than the military are scheduled to take over the job, probably beginning about June 1.

He said that his policy would be to release officers of long service as soon as possible for their return to the United States. As soon as possible meant, he explained, as soon as competent replacements are available from the United States.

Correspondents, he said, will be allowed full freedom of the press at his headquarters and in the occupation zone. He indicated that he would remove present restrictions that force correspondents to seek all information from specified department appointees instead of talking with officials directly connected with the story involved.

U. S. to Study German Artificial Leg Method

BATTLE CREEK, MICH.—The war department is sending a commission to Germany to study new developments in artificial limbs, it was revealed recently by Secretary of War Patterson.

The commission will evaluate work being done in Germany with a prosthesis which actually is attached to the wearer's muscles. A few German patients may be brought back for further study here, Patterson said.

Visiting at Percy Jones hospital center, Patterson talked with G.I. amputee patients.

Washington Monument Is Again Tops for Visitors

WASHINGTON.—The Lincoln Memorial has lost first place in popularity with visitors to Washington, the National Park service disclosed.

The Washington Monument now occupies the top spot in number of visitors. The Lincoln Memorial, which was first last year, dropped to second place and the Thomas Jefferson Memorial remained in third.

Yank Colonel Says He Has Hitler Napkin Ring

CAMP SHANKS, N. Y.—The 208th field artillery group arrived from Europe to disband. Its commanding officer believed he had Adolf Hitler's personal napkin ring in his pocket.

Col. Eric A. Erickson said he found the silver ring, engraved with the initials "A.H." in German script in a pile of rubbish when his unit went through Hitler's mountain home in Berchtesgaden.



LOCALS

Mrs. Robert Milligan has been ill in her home.

Lyle Hitchcock of Detroit spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Hitchcock.

Mr. and Mrs. Maynard McConkey spent several days last week with relatives in Pontiac.

Mr. and Mrs. Sheldon Peterson of Bad Axe were Sunday guests in the Albert Gallagher home.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul W. Craig of Caro spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Harold Craig here.

I. W. Hall is seriously ill and has been a patient in Pleasant Home hospital since last Friday.

Mrs. B. O. Watkins of Marlette spent from Thursday until Tuesday with her sister, Mrs. Anna Patterson.

Mrs. August Romain and daughter, Mrs. Ansel Lawe, of Caro visited their daughter and sister, Mrs. Lewis McGrath, on Tuesday.

Grant-Elkland Grange members will meet Friday evening, Jan. 11, in the Bird schoolhouse for supper at 7:15. The losers in a recent contest will entertain the winners.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Fleenor welcomed a second son into their family circle when Gary William was born Saturday, Jan. 5. Mother and baby are in Pleasant Home hospital.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Wellington Lapeer, Jan. 3, a seven and a half pound daughter, Mrs. Della Greenleaf is caring for her daughter, Mrs. Lapeer, and the new granddaughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Watts and children of Metamora spent the week end with Mrs. Watts' parents, Mr. and Mrs. John McGrath. Kay Watts, who had spent the week with her grandparents, returned home to Metamora with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Tallman and daughter of Rochester and Mr. and Mrs. Francis VanHorn of Deford were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Chauncey Tallman. Other callers were Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Tallman and two sons of Linden, Mich.

Dinner guests on New Year's day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alex Milligan were Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Milligan, Miss Agnes Milligan, Mr. and Mrs. James Milligan and family, Mr. and Mrs. Grant Brown, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Milligan, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Oatley and Miss Alison Spence.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Breake of Grindstone City were overnight guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Kettlewell Friday, and in company with Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Breake of Hillsdale have left on a trip to California. The men are brothers of Mrs. Kettlewell.

Cpl. and Mrs. Chester Muntz are the proud parents of a second daughter. The young lady has been named Judith Carolyn. Mother and baby are in the Hubbard Memorial hospital in Bad Axe. Cpl. Muntz, who has been home on furlough, will leave Jan. 13 to return to duty on the east coast.

Miss Elaine Brown, who has spent a month at her parental home here, spent the week end in Bay City, the guest of Miss Ruth Herriman. Next Sunday, C. U. Brown, her father, will take Elaine to Detroit where she will return to her training as a cadet nurse at Harper hospital.

Edward Sprague, who has been on duty in the Pacific with the Seabees, is spending a 30-day furlough with his wife in Bay City. Monday afternoon and evening, they were guests in the C. U. Brown home. Other guests of Miss Elaine Brown at dinner were Mrs. Courtney Clara and Miss Ersel Glaspie.

Rev. and Mrs. Geo. D. Bugbee of Beaverton were callers of Mr. and Mrs. John Guinther, Wednesday.

Anson Guinther of Harrisville spent the week end with his father, Ben Guinther, and brother, John Guinther.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Spencer of Greenleaf township, Jan. 7, a daughter in Pleasant Home hospital.

Mrs. Phebe Keegan returned on Thursday of last week from Flint where she spent New Years day with her daughters, Mrs. Earl Wigg and Mrs. Orlin Stenburg.

Leonard Damm and Arlington Hoffman, in company with Roy Damm of Pigeon and Walter Ford of Marlette, spent from Tuesday until Thursday of this week in Lansing, attending an implement dealers' convention.

Rev. S. P. Kirn returned home Wednesday evening from Pontiac where he attended a school of evangelism of the Michigan conference of the Evangelical church. The meetings were in session from Monday to Wednesday.

Mrs. C. D. Striffler, who has been visiting in Detroit for a few weeks, returned home Sunday. Accompanying her to Cass City were Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Striffler and little son, Mrs. Chaperon, Mrs. C. P. Miller, and Stanley Striffler. The Detroit group except Mrs. Miller returned to that city Sunday evening. Mrs. Miller remained to visit for some time with her sister, Mrs. Striffler, here.

Mrs. Stanley Fike was hostess last Thursday afternoon to the Adult Bible class of the Methodist Sunday school in the home of Mrs. Anna Patterson. Fourteen members were present. The program was in charge of Mrs. Walter Schell. At the close of the meeting Mrs. Fike, assisted by Mrs. Nelson Perry, served refreshments. The February gathering will be with Mrs. R. N. McCullough in the home of her daughter, Mrs. John West.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Murphy returned to their home in Troy, N. Y., this week after being guests in the home of Mrs. Edward Pinney for 30 days over the holiday season. They were part of the group of 19 when Mrs. Pinney entertained her children and their families at Christmas dinner. Their son, John Murphy, and his wife, the former Patty Pinney, leave the latter part of this week for Saginaw where they will make their home.

Funeral services were held in the Methodist church in Caro Tuesday afternoon for J. Preston Richardson, 73, who died Friday in his home in Caro following a short illness. Mr. Richardson was a retired Ellington township farmer. Relatives and friends from Cass City who attended the funeral service were Mr. and Mrs. Frank Little, Mrs. Mack Little, Mrs. Arthur Little, D. E. and Clare Turner, Mr. and Mrs. Miles Gerou, Mr. and Mrs. Garfield Leishman, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Beardsley, Mrs. Clara Spaven and Mrs. Watson Spaven.

Eleven high schools were represented at a meeting of superintendents and board of education members of Tuscola county at Caro Monday evening, when speakers included State Representatives Howard Nugent and James Kirk, State Senator Audley Rawson, Russell LaCronier, superintendent of the Bad Axe schools, and B. H. McComb, county school commissioner. Supt. Willis Campbell of Cass City served as chairman. E. L. Schwaderer, board of education member, attended from Cass City. Superintendents and principals of the county are planning a schoolmaster club organization.

The New Calendar

Floyd Foot of Argyle was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. John E. Gruber Monday evening.

While cranking a tractor on Jan. 2, Luke Tuckey had the misfortune to crack a bone in his left wrist.

Mrs. John Beslock of Ann Arbor came Friday to spend a week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Colwell.

Mrs. F. A. Bigelow and Mr. and Mrs. Otis Heath of Bay City were visitors of the Misses Eleanor and Laura Bigelow Sunday.

Mrs. Fred Williams of Sylvan Village, Pontiac, and Mrs. Chas. Sharrard of Birmingham were overnight guests last Thursday of their sister, Miss Mabel Spaetzel.

The Happy Dozen met Monday evening with Mrs. Florence Brown. Mrs. W. J. Hudson was a guest. The group will meet next Monday evening with Mrs. John Bohusack.

Commando "Three Minute" speakers for the Victory Clothing Collection are scheduled for Sunday presentations in the Baptist, Nazarene, Presbyterian and Evangelical churches.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Towle and Pfc. and Mrs. Chas. Blaney and Darlene Vieland of Detroit spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. James MacTavish. Little Darlene remained to spend several weeks while Mrs. Towle visits her son and his family in Arizona.

Elmore Caister, a member of the firm of Boag & Caister, Cass City, passed away Wednesday night at the University hospital at Ann Arbor. Funeral services will be held at the Caister home at the corner of North Seager and Huron streets here Sunday at 1:00 p. m. and at the Shabbona Methodist church at 2:00 p. m.

Mr. and Mrs. Chauncey Tallman went to Rochester on Saturday to see their son, Alvin Tallman, home on a 10-day furlough from Camp Peary, Virginia. Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Tallman and daughter returned home with Mr. and Mrs. Chauncey Tallman and all enjoyed supper together at the home of their daughter and sister, Mrs. Francis VanHorn, of Deford.

Mrs. Della Lauderbach had spent a month at the home of her nephew, Donald Seed, at Rochester and had just returned to the home of her niece, Mrs. Walter Kilpatrick, in Detroit, when she was agreeably surprised by the receipt of 45 birthday greeting cards, most of them from Cass City friends. Mrs. Lauderbach has been suffering of late with rheumatism.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Knapp entertained the following guests at dinner Tuesday evening: Lt. (s. g.) Robert MacKichan of Lansing, Miss Jane MacKichan and Hector McIntyre of Argyle and Mr. and Mrs. Grant Patterson and son, Chuckie, of Cass City. Lt. MacKichan is the son of Charles MacKichan of Lansing and a nephew of Miss Jane MacKichan. He has recently returned from overseas.

Miss Marguerite Carpenter, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Carpenter, of Cass City, has resigned her position as secretary in the office of Norris W. Wilbur, Tuscola county agricultural agent, to become an assistant in the office of R. J. Baldwin, director of extension work at Michigan State college. She takes her new position on Jan. 15. Miss Carpenter has been secretary in the county agent's office at Caro for 12 years.

O. D. HILL, FORMER PROBATE JUDGE, DIED IN CARO SATURDAY

Oscar D. Hill, Tuscola county's probate judge from 1916 to 1924, died at his home in Caro Saturday afternoon following a brief illness. Born in Bridgeport Mar. 2, 1864, Mr. Hill came to Unionville as a child and worked as a wagon maker in his youth. He married the former Miss Amelia E. Kaesemeyer, who died Sept. 7, 1936. He married Mrs. Hazel Turner Rutledge, who survives him, July 24, 1937. He also leaves three children, Roy A. Hill of Lansing, Mrs. Henry Martini of Saginaw, and Mrs. Louis Ogger of Detroit; four grandchildren including three grandsons in World War II.

Mr. Hill is a past master of Northern Star lodge, F. & A. M., of Unionville, a past high priest of Caro chapter, Royal Arch Masons, and past worthy patron of Kedron chapter, O. E. S., of Caro. Funeral services were conducted by Dr. E. Ray Willson at the family residence in Caro Tuesday morning.

Specialized Farm Carries More Risk

Whether to diversify or specialize is a question troubling many Michigan farmers during the early months of reconversion. Wartime farm prices and conditions have caused shifts in farm enterprises, that are in many cases calling for readjustment.

John C. Doneth, extension specialist in farm management at Michigan State college, has something to say both in favor and against specialization. At any rate, he sees every farm as an individual problem with any decision resting upon circumstances surrounding that farm.

With many a farmer the deciding factor may be whether he has the capital to withstand a heavy financial setback. It is generally agreed that financial risks are greater on a specialized farm. For example, a farmer may decide to set aside most of his farming enterprises in favor of poultry. He may do well for several years, then a disease may strike or market condition become unfavorable. Chances are great that a large economic loss will be suffered.

Specialization has advantages on many farms where one enterprise can be carried on at a much wider margin of profit because of favorable conditions, such as nearness of a good market, or peculiar soil or weather. A farmer may live in an area where he can sell dairy or poultry products to a market at some premium. Or, because of certain soil conditions, one crop may bring excess yields as compared to others.

But for most farms, the chances for steadier and perhaps slightly higher returns year after year come from a variety of enterprises. In general farming areas of Michigan, a diversified business, with at least four or five sources of income, provides a financial cushion over a period of years. As a general rule a diversified farm can be managed to preserve more easily soil fertility and spread labor out over a full year.

Read the want ads on page 5.

MRS. COLWELL FRACTURED BONE IN RIGHT ARM

Mrs. Thos. Colwell had the misfortune to fall in her home last Thursday morning and fracture a bone in her right arm just above the wrist. Roy Colwell of Saginaw was called here and spent Thursday night with his parents, returning home on Friday.

Feeding cod liver oil daily, both summer and winter, is recommended for children up to the age of 12 years.

Wednesday's Market at Sandusky Yards

Market Jan. 9, 1946—
 Good beef steers and heifers13.00-15.50
 Fair to good11.00-13.00
 Common10.00 down
 Good beef cows11.00-13.50
 Common 6.00- 8.50
 Fair to good 9.00-10.50
 Stock bulls20.00-75.00
 Good bologna11.00-13.00
 Light butcher 9.00-11.00
 Feeder cattle20.00-70.00
 Deacons 1.00-10.50
 Good veal17.00-18.30
 Fair to good15.00-16.50
 Common kind10.00-14.00
 Hogs, choice 14.60
 Roughs11.00-13.00

Sandusky Livestock Sales Company

Sale every Wednesday at 2:00 p. m.
 W. H. Turnbull Worthy Tait
 Auctioneers

Cemetery Memorials

Largest and Finest Stock Ever in This Territory at Caro, Michigan.

Charles F. Mudge
 Local Representative
 Phone 99F14

A. B. Cumings
 CARO, MICHIGAN
 PHONE 458

G. B. Dupuis

I. G. A. STORE

Specials for Jan. 11 to 17 inc.

KRISPY Crackers One pound	19c
WHEATIES Large package	14c
FAMO Pancake Flour, 5-lb. bag.....	31c
IGA MILK..... 4 cans	34c
IGA Yellow Corn Meal, 5-lb. bag.....	25c
Calumet Baking Powder, 1 lb.....	17c
BIG NINE Vegetable Cocktail, 46-oz. can.....	30c
ROYAL Guest Coffee 2 lbs	51c
SUNNY Morn Coffee 3 lbs.	59c
IGA DELUXE Coffee vacuum pack.....	31c

MUCH MORE PEANUT BUTTER, 16 oz.....	29c
RICE CREOLE DINNER.....	19c
IGA NOODLES, 1 pound.....	19c
MACARONI, 2 pounds.....	17c
BETTY CROCKER SOUP.....	9c
KELLOGG'S CORN FLAKES, large.....	13c
RICE KRISPIES.....	12c
IGA ROLLED OATS, 5 pounds.....	33c
IGA IODIZED SALT, two 2-pound packages	13c
IGA PRUNE JUICE, quart.....	24c
MUCH MORE WHEAT PUFFS, 8 ounces.....	8c
PHILLIP'S CHICKEN SOUP.....	14c
LIBBY'S TOMATO JUICE,46 oz.	25c
SCOTT'S SAUERKRAUT, 1 quart.....	18c
IGA PEAS, No. 2 can.....	11c
IGA W. K. CORN, No. 2 can.....	14c
IGA CUT WAX or Green Beans, No. 2 can.....	16c
BROOKBURN E. J. PEAS, No. 2 can.....	10c
BIG BEN FANCY PEAS, No. 2 can.....	19c
ROYAL GUEST TEA, 1/2 pound.....	39c
IGA GRAPEFRUIT JUICE, 46 ounces.....	30c

SPRY 3 pounds	69c
RINSO large pkg.	23c
Lux Flakes large pkg.	23c

WANT ADS

RATES—Liner of 25 words or less, 25 cents each insertion. Over 25 words, one cent a word for each insertion.
FOR SALE—About 200 trees, elm, ash and maple. Wm. Gilbirds, 13 miles east and 1 1/2 miles north of Cass City. 1-4-4
HAY AND STRAW wanted, loose or baled. Harold Putnam, Cass City, R. 2. Phone 189F15. 1-4-4p
WANT TO BUY a barn, any size, to wreck. Chas. West, 44 W. Moorehouse, Hazel Park, Mich. 1-4-2p
1935 CHEVROLET truck, bathette and baby buggy slightly used, for sale. Clayton O'Dell, 4 miles west, 1 1/2 north, and 1/2 west of Cass City. 1-4-2p
RAGS WANTED—Clean, light-colored cotton rags, suitable for wiping machinery. Chronicle office. 12-14-1
FOR SALE—14 thoroughbred Hereford calves, weaned about a month. Earl Kuntze, 3 1/2 miles north of Uby, on M-19. 1-4-2p
14 TONS OF HAY for sale. Call at Joe Windy farm, 1 mile south, 2 east of Cass City. 1-4-2p

WANTED—Single man by the year. Farm fully mechanized. Best of working conditions. R. K. Knight, 1 1/2 miles north of Marlette. 1-4-2
WANT REFINED ladies to care for child and do light housework. Good wages and conditions to desirable party. Apply in person any week day afternoon. Mrs. Vern Bogart, Cass Tavern, Cass City. 1-11-1p
EVERYONE wants something. Cash in on articles which are no longer valuable to you with a want ad. 12-7-
POULTRY wanted—Drop postal card to Stephen Dodge, Cass City. Will call for any amount at any time. Phone 82. 5-7-1f
WANTED—Old horses and cows for fox feed, \$10.00 for average horse or cow at your farm; large or small accordingly. Phone 8861 or write Michigan Fur Farms, Peck, Mich. 12-14-52p
FOR SALE—Registered Holstein bull calves from excellent foundation stock. We have extended pedigrees for all our dams and sires. E. B. Schwaderer Farms, 3 miles north Caro Standpipe on Colling road. A. B. Quick, Mgr. Phone 9412, Caro. 9-21-1f

WANTED WORK, afternoons and all day Saturday. Lucile McKee, phone 154F6, or call Cass City high school. 1-11-1p
FOR SALE—Organ, chairs, beds, heatrola. Mack's Barn. 1-11-1
FOR SALE—18 ft. trailer house. Vernon Carpenter, 4 miles north, 1 east of Cass City. 1-11-1p
FOR SALE—About a 4-ton stack of hay and 50 shocks of corn. Will sell corn in lots of 25. Average about 2 bushels to a shock. Arthur Knight, 2 miles south, 1 1/2 west of Cass City. 1-11-1p
FOR SALE—Herd of Registered Beef Shorthorns. 10 cows with calves by side and bred back. Dr. R. D. Amos, 2 1/2 miles north, 1/2 west of Bad Axe. 1-11-4p

FOR SALE—Enough pine and mixed lumber to build a 6-room house. John Ross, 1/2 mile south of Owendale. 1-11-2p
FIRST HALF 1946 and Full year 1946 license plates are now on sale at the Cass City Branch Office of the Dept. of State, in the Copeland & Munro's store. 1-11-1
FOR SALE—Jersey cow due now. Bangs tested. John J. Doerr, 5 miles north and 1/2 west of Cass City. 1-11-1p

TAX NOTICE—I will be at the Cass City State Bank on Jan. 19 and the Pinney State Bank on Jan. 26, and alternate between the two banks on Saturdays after these dates. C. J. Striffler, Elkland township treasurer. 1-11-2
FOR SALE—Wood at all times. We deliver. O. H. Holm, 7 miles east and 1/2 north of Cass City. 1-11-1p
FOR SALE—'37 Ford Delux, good tires and good running condition. George Gallaway, 5 east, 1 south, 1/2 east. 4-11-1p
FOR SALE—Four hogs ready to butcher. Clark Sowden, 9 north, 2 east of Cass City. 1-11-1p
FOR SALE—Two young Hereford bulls; one old enough for service. Rinerd Knoblet. 1-11-1p
FOR SALE—A small brooder house in good condition. Could also be used for a roadside stand. Price, \$100. Roy Anthes, at John Wright farm, R. No. 1, Cass City. 1-11-1p
FOR SALE—Barn, 18x28, 2-story, located in Cass City. Fred Buehrley. Phone 142F23. 1-11-1p
I WANT to do general trucking in the Thumb territory. Warren McKee, at Shagena garage, 3 miles east of Cass City. 1-11-2p
FOR SALE—A few rebuilt and re-cased watches. Morris Hochberg, 5 miles east, 1/2 mile south, and 1/2 west of Cass City. 1-11-1p
FOR SALE—About 20 Rock pullets starting to lay, 5 months old. John Clark, Deford. 1-11-1p
OLGA POCAHONTAS, 7 by 3 in. egg coal. Frutcher Bean Co., Cass City. Phone 61R2. 1-11-1f
W. S. C. S. INSTALLED OFFICERS MONDAY

Clearance Household Bluing Regular price, 10c Now 3c Gamble Store Dealer. 1-11-1

Work Shoes and Dress Shoes Mostly large sizes 20% OFF Gamble Store Dealer. 1-11-1

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FOR SALE—Quantity of birch wood, Estate heatrola and cream colored Round Oak range with water front and two tanks. Mrs. Peter Kritzman, Shabbona. 1-4-2p
FOR SALE—No. 1 grade, No. 2 grade, size A, potatoes. No. light; Federally inspected. Bernard Clark, 4 miles east, 1 south. Phone 112F5, Cass City. 12-28-3p
WHEN YOU have livestock for sale, call Reed & Patterson. Telephone 52, 32 or 228. 8-15-1f

WANT TO BUY 1. Typewriter desk or flat business desk, new or used. 2. Cash register, new or used. Bulen Chevrolet Sales Call 185R2; after six, 249R2. 1-4-1f

LIVING ROOM suites steam cleaned, upholstering, refinishing, and furniture repaired. William Hutchison, Kingston, Mich., opposite Kingston High School. 12-7-3p
WANTED—A hundred veal calves every Monday morning. We paid not less than 16 1/2 cents net this week for good calves. No commission. No shrinking. Also buy and ship all other stock every Monday morning. Harry Munger, Caro. Phone 449. Now located across from the Wigwam on M-81. 10-1-1f

NOTICE—We expect a shipment of Speedway Blue Line 1/4 inch and 1/2 inch electric drills about Feb. 1. Designed for farm and garage use at farmers' prices. The 1/2 inch drill at \$27.50 with standard chuck, \$32.50 with Jacob's key chuck, the 1/4 inch at \$9.95. This is a nationally advertised line of drills. West Grant Farm Shop, Ottomar Sting, Gagetown. 1-4-2p
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FOR RENT—A house, 7 miles west and 2 north of Cass City, or 2 miles north of Sunshine church on Jacob's Road. If interested, write to Frank Woecham, 17829 Conant St., Detroit. 12-21-4p

THE TOWNSEND club will serve a supper at the Omar Gaspie home Monday evening, Jan. 14, from 6:30 until all are served. Price, 50 cents. Everyone welcome. 1-11-1
THERE WILL be a dance at the Holbrook Community Hall Friday evening, Jan. 18. Jimmie McEachin's Orchestra. 1-11-1
FOUR ACRES of ground and 8-room house, with basement barn, adjoining the corporation limits of Cass City, for sale at a bargain. If interested call Ewing Real Estate, Cass City. Phone 220. 1-11-1

Attention Chick Buyers We are now booking orders for our famous high quality large type S. C. W. Leghorn Chicks, from special pedigreed male matings with records of 270 to 320 eggs. We are also booking orders for high quality large type Barred Rock chicks from heavy laying strains. 27 years of practical poultry experience has enabled us to supply you the kind of stock that will really surprise you with heavy egg production this coming fall and winter. 95% sexing accuracy is guaranteed and we deliver the chicks right to your door. Day old Leghorn roosters \$2 per 100. Telephone Minden City 89F23. 1-11-1

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Russell A. Langworthy Auctioneer Residence 5 miles south and 3 miles west of Cass City. Now open booking for your auction sales. Terms reasonable. Live stock, realty, merchandise. Address, Deford, Michigan, or call Cass City State Bank. 1-26-1f
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A SUBSCRIBER requesting the address on his Chronicle changed is asked to send us his old as well as his new address. 8-3-

FOR SALE Three hundred 100-lb. bags Menominee Seed Potatoes Federal Inspected Scab proof, blight resisting, eligible to certify one year. From certified Large A Size, clean \$4.60 per 100 lbs. Bernard Clark 4 miles east, 1 mile south of Cass City. Phone 112F5. 1-11-2p

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FARM BARGAINS—5-acre chicken farm, good buildings, \$3,000; 40 acres, modern house, \$4,000; terms; 80 acres near Marlette, \$5,000; terms; 100 acre dairy farm on black top, \$8,500; 200 acre dairy farm, Mayville, \$11,500; terms. See Dan Hobson, Clifford, Mich. 1-11-1p
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SOME GOOD used furnishings: Electrochef electric stove, small electric refrigerator, prewar spring davenport and chair to match, another davenport, dinette table with two chairs to match, radio. Can be seen at my real estate office. Ezra A. Wood, Pigeon, Mich. 1-11-1

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SOME GOOD used furnishings: Electrochef electric stove, small electric refrigerator, prewar spring davenport and chair to match, another davenport, dinette table with two chairs to match, radio. Can be seen at my real estate office. Ezra A. Wood, Pigeon, Mich. 1-11-1

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HITLER: Death Confirmed Uncovered in the suitcase of a Nazi official in the American zone, Adolf Hitler's last personal and political wills drawn up shortly before Russian capture of Berlin substantiated previous British reports of the suicide of the Fuehrer and his newly-wedded wife, Eva Braun, in the reichschancellery bunker and the cremation of their bodies after death. In a brief personal will, Hitler declared that he was marrying before death after having felt through-out his public career that the duties of his position would not permit him to assume the responsibilities of marriage. Down to the last, Hitler blamed international Jewry and its associates for the war, his political will showed. At the same time, he wrote that his persistent proposals for armament reduction among nations and settlement of the Polish question in 1939 through plebiscite, would clear him of responsibility for starting World War II. In reading Hermann Goering and Heinrich Himmler from the party, he accused them of treason in secretly negotiating for peace with the Allies and attempting to establish a new regime. Though he wrote of a Germany in ruins, Hitler declared that Nazism had sown the seeds of an eventual rebirth of the nation. GRAIN: Export Program With railroad traffic still at a high level partly because of continuing military movements, the nation's carriers have been called upon to assume the added responsibility of hauling 225,000,000 bushels of grain to ports within the next six months for shipment to Europe. If weather conditions in the northeast do not result in freight tie-ups similar to last winter, the carriers expect to be able to meet the export program, far in excess of normal. Because of shorter runs, shipments to western and southern ports should be relatively less difficult. By shifting 1,205 cars per day from eastern and southern roads to western lines through Chicago, St. Louis and southern gateways, the carriers were able to maintain a high traffic rate through the latter part of November. Barring labor shortages or rescheduling of military movements, a renewal of the November pace would permit orderly completion of the huge export program. G.I. LOANS: Made Easier Increase of the government guaranty on real estate loans to \$4,000 and broadening of the purposes for which money will be advanced were among the chief features of a measure liberalizing the G.I. bill of rights signed by President Truman after congressional passage. One of about 80 measures approved by Mr. Truman in the waning days of 1945, the G.I. bill also repeals a provision of the original legislation requiring deduction of benefits received from any future bonus, and raises the subsistence allowance for unmarried vets attending school under the act from \$50 to \$85 per month and for married men from \$75 to \$90. In addition to boosting the real estate loan guaranty up to \$4,000, the new bill permits easier lending by basing loans upon a reasonable value of property rather than upon the more complex "normal reasonable value." Period of repayment also has been extended. JAPAN: Explodes Myth Declaring that the ties between the throne and the people always were based upon mutual trust and affection, Emperor Hirohito asserted that they were not founded upon the false conception that the Jap ruler was divine, thus exploding the old myth carefully nurtured to draw blind obedience to his command. At the same time, Hirohito also shattered the Japanese notion of racial superiority and destination to rule the world, stating that a bright future loomed for his country and other peoples if the ways of peace were observed in all relationships. To proceed unswervingly toward the elimination of all of the old abuses that retarded democratic development of Japan, Hirohito reaffirmed the principles of the Meiji charter, set up by his illustrious grandfather, Emperor Matsuhito, during his reign dating from 1868 and calling for a public voice in government, guarantees of justice and promotion of wisdom and knowledge for the national welfare. RURAL PHONES: A new telephone device known as the "carrier system" that offers hope for farms and rural homes that have electric service but are out of reach of telephone lines, is being tried out in Arkansas through the co-operation of the Rural Electrification administration. In the new system, which has been worked out by REA and Bell engineers, speech is transmitted by means of a carrier wave of radio frequency, which travels on the lines along with power supply.

MORRIS HOSPITAL Mrs. Carl Stafford of Uby underwent an appendectomy Monday in the Morris hospital. Other new patients this week are: Milton Sugden and from Shabbona, Mrs. Jack Neville. Patients who left the hospital the past week for their homes are: Elsie Mae Rawson, Millard Knuckles and Mrs. Wm. Zinnecker, all of Cass City; Mrs. Josh Sharrard of Decker, and Mrs. Margaret Levagood to the home of her brother, Richard Bayley. Elsie Tousey of Kingston and Mrs. Harold Parsell of Caro were to be discharged on Thursday. TUSCOLA'S INDUCTION LIST FOR JAN. 30 Concluded from page 1. Frank Erdody, Fairgrove. Richard Farver, Fairgrove. Donald Heinzman, Fairgrove. Lawrence Laver, Fostoria. Steve Urban, Unionville. Paul Smith, Caro. Frederick Smith, Caro. George Ahern, Silverwood. Leslie Smith, Unionville. Morris Hanzek, Akron. The preinduction date when men will receive their physical examinations has been changed to Jan. 28. Balinese Women Balinese women have many rights when they are married. They manage households and family finances, own wardrobes, jewelry, and utensils. Some have their own incomes from work outside the home. Men have title to houses, fields, implements and cattle, but prize victorious fighting roosters next to their children. Cass City Markets January 10, 1946. Buying price—Grain. First figures, price of grain at farm; second figures, price delivered at elevator. Wheat, No. 2, mixed, bu. 1.63 1.65 New oats, bushel .74 .75 Rye, bushel 1.59 1.61 Shelled corn, bu. 1.12 1.14 Barley, cwt. 2.22 2.25 Buckwheat, cwt. 2.47 2.50 Beans. Michigan Navy beans. 6.22 6.25 Cranberries 5.97 6.00 Produce. Butterfat, lb. .49 Eggs, dozen .35

Marlette Livestock Sales Company Market Jan. 7, 1946— Top veals17.50-18.30 Fair to good.....16.00-17.00 Commons10.50-15.00 Deacons1.00-10.00 Best cattle14.00-14.80 Fair to good11.50-18.50 Commons9.50-10.00 Feeder cattle22.50-76.00 Best beef bulls.....12.00-12.70 Medium10.00-11.00 Light bulls8.50-9.50 Stock bulls35.00-37.50 Best beef cows.....12.00-12.60 Fair to good11.00-12.00 Cutters10.00-11.00 Canners4.50-7.50 Dairy cows75.00-145.00 Best lambs13.00-13.60 Commons10.00-11.50 Ewes2.50-6.50 Straight hogs14.70 Light roughs13.95 Heavy roughs12.00-13.50 Sale every Monday at 2 p. m.

CARO LIVESTOCK AUCTION YARDS Market report for Jan. 8, 1946— Best veal16.50-17.40 Fair to good15.50-16.40 Common kind14.00-15.40 Lights14.00 down Deacons2.00-11.00 Best butcher steers16.00-16.90 Fair to good butcher steers14.90-15.70 Common kind12.50-14.00 Good butcher heifers13.20-14.00 Common butcher heifers11.90-12.60 Good butcher cows10.70-11.50 Fair to good9.20-10.40 Cutters8.00-9.00 Canners6.50-7.70 Good butcher bulls11.00-12.00 Common butcher bulls9.80-10.90 Stock bulls25.00-110.00 Feeders25.00-76.00 Hogs14.60 Roughs12.80-13.85

Farmers to Direct Group Action Enables Proposals of Interest

Concluded from page 1. In its contacts with the State Legislature and the depart-

ments of state government. The following are some of the state issues upon which the County and State Farm Bureau have been active the past year:

Establishment of a bi-partisan Agricultural Commission to administer the State Department of Agriculture, protection of 15-mill

amendment; retention of sales tax exemption for farm production supplies; protection of the rights of rural units of government in the distribution of additional state aid from liquor and intangible taxes; mandatory bonding of livestock auctions; retention of the anti-filled milk bill; and amendment to the co-operative section of the corporation law.

Nationally, the American Farm Bureau is originating and supporting policies having to do with farm credit, price ceilings, farm price supports, fertilizer programs, agricultural adjustment, farm labor, federal taxation and government expenditures. Representatives of the American Farm Bureau Federation actively participated in the United Nations Peace Conference at San Francisco, the Pan-American Conference in Mexico City and Venezuela, and just recently in the United Nations Food and Agricultural Conference held in Quebec.

Membership in the Farm Bureau is the means through which the individual farmer can voice his views and influence on the many questions affecting his welfare. Without membership in an aggressive, substantial and well directed organization like the Farm Bureau, the individual farmer has little or no voice in the many policies and relationships which really determine the environment under which his farming operations are carried on. Neither can he make his full contribution to the public and national welfare. A constructive organization of farm people is one of our nation's greatest assets.

Many farmer members of the Tuscola County Farm Bureau are giving their time and effort to increase the Farm Bureau membership in the County, State and American Farm Bureau Federation. Their work and sacrifice for the benefit of all farm homes deserve the active support and enlistment of every farm family in Tuscola county.

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GAGETOWN

Pvt. John F. Schwartz, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Schwartz, returned to Camp Pickett, Va., after spending a furlough over the holidays with his family and friends. He has re-enlisted for 18 months, following his recent discharge from the army.

Miles Kehoe, recently discharged from the army, visited last week with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Freeman and other relatives.

Lt. and Mrs. C. Paul Hunter and son, Richard, left Thursday of last week to visit in Saginaw and Detroit before Lt. Hunter reported for duty Jan. 7 at Cincinnati, O. He recently was awarded the Oak Leaf Cluster.

The Woman's Study club scheduled to meet Monday evening was postponed due to the illness of the president, Mrs. L. G. Cummings, and many other members of the club.

The W. S. C. S. met Thursday afternoon at the parsonage for installation of officers.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Purdy were Tuesday guests of Dr. and Mrs. P. L. Fritz of Pigeon.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Crane of Baltimore, Md., spent last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Seekings. Mr. Crane is with the Coast Guard division.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Carolan of Bay City were Sunday callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy LaFave.

Miss Marion LaFave has been transferred from San Antonio, Texas, to the Great Lakes Training Camp at Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Freeman had Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Purdy as dinner guests Sunday.

Mrs. Ellen Hendershot of Owendale visited Monday with Mr. and Mrs. George Hendershot.

Miss Florence Lehman attended the Willard Wells family reunion in Millington New Year's day.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Kruczyński have a new daughter, born Christmas, in Detroit. They have two other children, John Jr. and Olga.

Mrs. Nora Hughes of Pontiac was called here due to the serious illness of her daughter, Mrs. Elmer Simmons, who is a patient at Pleasant Home hospital. Mrs. Simmons is much improved.

Wesley Downing attended the funeral Tuesday morning of John Downing, 89, who passed away at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Lena Kay, of Gaylord on Friday morning. Interment was made in Detroit.

Vet. Trumble, former resident here, passed away at his home at Indian River Sunday and was brought to the Hunter funeral home here where funeral services were held Wednesday afternoon. Rev. Silas Parker of the Latter Day Saints church, Owendale, conducted the services and interment was made in Gagetown cemetery.

Danger Signal
Pain is probably the greatest and most important protective mechanism with which nature has endowed mankind, according to Hygeia, health magazine of the American Medical Association. There are 44 sites of pain which must be considered when disease is present in one of the structures within the abdominal cavity. However, nature has failed so far as cancer of the stomach or intestinal tract is concerned because these diseases can begin their growth without any pain being present in the early stages.

Salad Base
Prunes and cottage cheese make a salad base that is and was universally liked before it was known that the two form an ideal nutritive combination.

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RESCUE

Wm. Ashmore, Sr., was a business caller in Cass City Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Levi Helwig and children of Cass City were Sunday dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Taylor and also called at the home of Mrs. DeEtte Mellendorf.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Quinn were in Bad Axe Sunday to see the former's father, Edward Quinn, in a Bad Axe hospital.

Lewis Kozan of Cass City spent Friday evening and Saturday at the home of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Ashmore, Sr., returning home Sunday morning.

Mrs. DeEtte Mellendorf returned home Saturday evening after visiting at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Richard Loos, and family in Port Huron since Monday. Her son, Norris E. Mellendorf, and grandson, Kenneth MacAlpine, of Port Huron accompanied her to her home here and returned to Port Huron again Sunday evening.

Roy Martin accompanied Stanley B. Mellendorf to Bad Axe Monday on business.

Miss Catherine Quinn is spending some time at the home of her brother, Francis E. Quinn, and family in Kinde.

Benjamin McAlpine was a business caller in Marlette Monday.

Leslie Doerr left Wednesday for Pontiac where he is employed at the state hospital and also attends school two days a week.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Maharg and son, Larry, spent New Years at the home of Herbert Maharg.

Mr. and Mrs. John Doerr and daughter, Lorelei, took their son and brother, Pfc. Donald Doerr, to Lansing Sunday. He left for Fort McClellan, Ala., after spending his furlough at his home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Ashmore, Jr., and children and Theodore Ashmore of Gagetown spent Sunday evening at their parental home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Maharg are having an oil furnace installed in their home this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Maharg had as New Year's dinner guests Mr. and Mrs. Miles Dodge, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Dodge and children and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Russell

and children of Cass City. Mr. and Mrs. Emil Bannick of Elkton, formerly of Grant township, had all their family home for the holidays for the first time in a number of years. Four sons were discharged from the army recently.

Fred from the South Pacific, Gustave from the Aleutian Islands, Herman from the Philippine Islands, Reinhold from Germany. A son-in-law was also discharged in September.

Cooking Potatoes
Home economists say that freshly harvested Irish potatoes offer more vitamin C than those coming on the markets from winter storage. Serve potatoes any way you wish but cook them with care because this saves vitamin C as well as B vitamins and minerals which this vegetable offers. Do not cook large and small ones together. The small ones will be overcooked.

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A SCOOP FOR YOUR BUDGET!

January Clearance Sale

Our entire stock of FALL AND WINTER RAYON DRESSES now 1/2 price Buy two for the price of one.

Ladies' Winter Coats Now 1/2 price
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Men's Caps reduced 1/4 off
Hunting caps, work caps, etc. Plenty of cold days yet before spring. Stock up now.

Men's Dress Hose
50% Wool, 50% Cotton. Colors, Navy and Brown and Natural. Sizes 10 1/2 - 12, 57c

Values to talk about
One lot of Girls' Sweaters Soiled. Values to \$3.98 now 97c
Girls' Cotton Dresses Sizes 7-14, \$1.85
One lot of Infants' Romper Suits soiled. Values to \$2.29, sizes 2-8, now 57c
One lot of Infants' Sweaters Odds and ends priced for clearance. Now 47c.
Ladies' Cotton Hose Sizes 8 1/2 - 10 1/2, 35c.
25% Wool Blankets Floral design. Full size 72x84, single, \$3.97

Ladies' and Children's Sweaters
Cardigans and Slipovers, several colors to choose from. Our entire stock Now 1/4 Off

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Sizes 8 to 14, 32-44. Now reduced 1/4 in price

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YOU CAN HELP YOURSELF by joining the Farm Bureau, or by continuing your membership. Nearly 1,000,000 families are members in 46 states. More than 38,000 farmers are members in Michigan. Family membership is \$5 per year.

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Elmwood Center

Mrs. Roy Strong, who has been caring for Mrs. Lewis Livingston and baby, has returned to her home in Gagetown.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Evans and family were Saturday evening visitors at the Geo. Dodge home in Cass City.

Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Moore, Jr., and family of Pontiac were weekend visitors at the Steven Moore, Sr., home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Miles Dodge were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Thane.

Mrs. Roy Allen entertained on Sunday in honor of her husband's birthday and the fourth wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Merritt Allen.

Ezra and Sherwell Kelly of De-

troit were callers in our community last week.

Pfc. Paul Silvernail, recently returned from Japan, is enjoying a 30-day furlough at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Steven Moore.

Ambitious Andrew
Andrew Carnegie, when he was 18, worked on three jobs at once during the day, did two other things at night. Although this made it necessary for him to get along with only three hours sleep a night, he admitted 40 years later that he had cheated on time on every one of the positions.

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EVERGREEN

Roy Severance is numbered with the sick.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Kennedy and daughter, Carol, visited relatives at Reese on Sunday.

The Evergreen W. C. T. U. will meet at the home of Mrs. Wm. Lepia on Friday, Jan. 18. There will be an all day work meeting with potluck lunch at noon.

Pvt. Hammon Nichols, who has finished his boot training at Fort McClellan, Ala., is spending a couple of weeks, delay en route, with his family and other relatives here. He will report to Camp Pickett, Va.

Save Tomatoes
When a killing frost is imminent, green tomatoes may be picked and stored for as long as a month.



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to accredited veteran organizations for use in meeting the needs of veterans and their families on almost an indefinite, life-time basis.

For example, the State of Nebraska utilized the interest of its veterans' trust fund, established in 1921, to cover such emergency needs as food, fuel, wearing apparel, medical or surgical aid, care of relief, funeral expenses, care of dependent children, or wives and widows who may be in need of assistance.

Since none of the principal itself was used, the Nebraska fund was successful in meeting annual needs of Nebraska veterans and the 1921 fund, augmented substantially to meet 1945-46 conditions, will be available to do the same for veterans of World War II.

Prevention of fraud was provided in a penalty of a \$500 fine or six months' jail imprisonment for any veteran who "knowingly, by fraudulent representations," might obtain any payment or aid from the veterans' trust fund.

One of the unique benefits of the veterans' trust fund plan is the fact that no Michigan veteran would be forced to request public charity or relief for himself or members of his family.

It is akin to a savings account in the bank which is available for "rainy days." Except that the account, in this case, would be administered by veterans' organizations and not through public welfare agencies. Furthermore, the taxpayers benefit by knowledge that they will not be called upon to pay additional taxes for the public relief of distressed veterans.

Dwight Griswold, governor of Nebraska, reports that the veterans' trust fund is very popular with veterans in Nebraska, and, in fact, was suggested by the Ameri-

can Legion state department in 1921, and hence is non-political.

By giving the veterans' organizations power to handle the sums, according to agreed upon requirements, the state has avoided the burden of a "big paid organization under state auspices." All local work is performed by officers of the veterans' posts in local communities.

Here is an interesting quotation by Governor Griswold: "The State Fund Relief has proven highly satisfactory to the World War veterans themselves. It is their feeling that the man who is able to make his own way doesn't need a cash bonus from his state. They feel that the needy veteran is the one who deserves help, and they know that State Fund Relief will provide that help."

Whether Michigan veterans' organizations will fall into line with the thinking of Governor Kelly and recommend the establishment of a similar trust fund for Michigan veterans is the question before the Michigan Veterans' Advisory Committee tonight (Thursday) at Lansing.

There is every indication that the veterans themselves will favor such a program and will solve the dilemma of politicians, who for the sake of ballot votes, lean toward the idea of distributing \$51,000,000 in 1946 to all Michigan veterans and calling it a day.

After all, 1946 is an election year. But veterans' needs will continue in 1947 and the other years, one by one, for decades to come.

The decision is primarily one for the veterans to make.

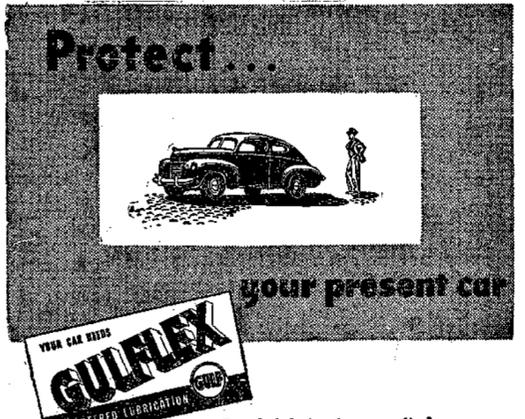
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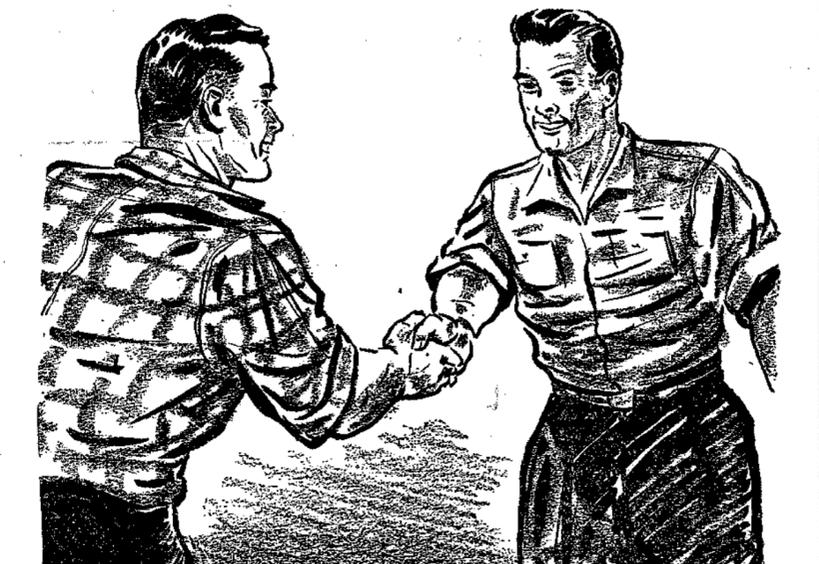
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HOW MUCH CAN YOU DO ALONE?

FARM INCOME—The Farm Bureau acts for nearly 1,000,000 member families in 46 states when Congress, leaders in government, business and labor consider policies affecting prices, wages, taxes, transportation costs, etc.

Congress has approved a national farm program, including parity prices for agriculture. Congress has also approved price support for farm products at not less than 90% of parity for two years after the war. Both programs were advocated by the Farm Bureau.

FARM SUPPLIES—For many years the Farm Bureau has been building new standards of quality performance into its seeds, feeds, fertilizers and other supplies. The goal is to increase farm income through higher production at a lower cost.

Farm Bureau members and patrons of Farm Bureau Services, Inc., own cooperatively a farm supplies service with manufacturing and distribution facilities and inventories worth \$1,600,000. Savings belong to the member patrons! Supplies are available through 300 co-ops and dealers. Farm Bureau offers insurance protection adapted to farmers' needs.

YOU CAN HELP YOURSELF to these services by joining the Farm Bureau, or by continuing your membership. Family membership is \$5 per year.

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Thursday, Jan. 17

SALE STARTS AT ONE O'CLOCK

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- Black cow 7 years old, fresh 8 weeks
 - Red and white cow, 4 years old, with calf by side
 - Black cow 9 years old, fresh 8 weeks
 - Roan heifer 3 years old, due now
 - Guernsey cow 5 years old, calf by side
 - Red heifer 3 years old, due soon
 - Guernsey and Durham heifer 3 years old, milking, pasture bred
 - 2 black heifers, coming 2 years old, due soon
 - Black and white heifer coming 2 years old, due soon
 - Brindle heifer 2 years old, good beef
 - Heifer 9 months old, weight 700 pounds
- SEED AND FEED**
- 15 tons of hay
 - 5 loads of bean straw
 - 500 bushels of good Huron oats
 - Quantity of bean screenings
 - Quantity of wheat screenings
 - 15 bushels of nice potatoes
 - Quantity of Michelite seed beans
 - 35 bushels of hard corn, 2 years old
 - 1 bushel of Hybrid seed corn, husking quality
- FARM MACHINERY**
- Allis-Chalmers combine, No. 60, used one season, with pickup, screens and extra cylinder bar set
 - John Deere model B tractor on rubber, late model
 - Farmall tractor F 20, on steel, in good shape
 - Brillion cultipacker, 9 ft., single drum, nearly new
- OTHER FARM ARTICLES**
- Part of a barn frame
 - Corn sheller
 - McCormick-Deering cream separator, No. 3, electric
 - 6 milk cans
 - Electric brooder stove, 500 chick size
 - Large canvas, 14 1/2 x 20 ft.
 - Hay knife
 - Grain bags
 - Oil barrels
 - Gravel box
 - 2 water tanks
 - Tank heater
 - Chicken feeders and water fountains
 - Horse clippers
 - Root cutter
 - 3rd harness
 - Hand corn planter with fertilizer
 - Set single harness
 - Pig pen, 9x12 ft., moveable
- JEWELRY WAGON**
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- TERMS** All sums of \$10.00 and under, cash; over that amount, 1 to 12 months' time on approved bankable notes.

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FORMER DEPUTY DRAIN COMMISSIONER DIED AT THE HOME OF HIS SON

Hiram B. Kelley, 82, passed away Jan. 1 in Birmingham at the home of his son, Chas. W. Kelley. Funeral services were held in Birmingham Friday night and at Mayville Methodist church Saturday at two o'clock burial was in Novesta cemetery.

Mr. Kelley was a member of the Methodist church and in his younger days held various offices in the church and Sunday school. He also held offices in the townships in which he lived. He was deputy county drain commissioner of Tus-

cola county while the late Wm. Kelley was county drain commissioner.

He was married to Melinda Phelps Apr. 24, 1888, who passed away 21 years ago. To this union were born four children: Roy, who died at the age of eight months, Marilla M. DeLong of Cass City, Ward of Lapeer and Chas. W. of Birmingham.

He is also survived by two sisters, Mrs. Bessie Johnson of Royal Oak and Mrs. Margaret Guensey of Detroit; one brother, Bern Kelley of Saginaw; 13 grandchildren and 11 great grandchildren. One grandson, Elwin DeLong, passed away nine years ago.

Six of his grandsons served in the war and all are home again except Harold Kelley, son of Chas. W., who is still in France.

Those attending the funeral from Cass City were Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Kelley, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Kelley, Mr. and Mrs. Harley Kelley and family, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Charlton, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wagg, Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Evans, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Merchant, Mr. and Mrs. Leland DeLong, Mr. and Mrs. Dan DeLong, Donald DeLong and Nancy DeLong.

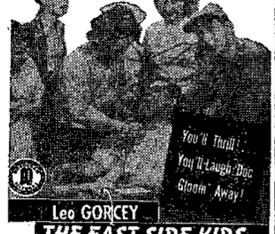
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Mr. and Mrs. John Wentworth of Berkeley are visiting at the William Patch home.

Mr. and Mrs. Getz and two sons of Utica spent Sunday at the Joseph Oleski home.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Patch and son, Billy, spent from Wednesday until Saturday visiting friends and relatives at Flint and Owosso.

Read the want ads on page 5.

THE PLACE TO GO!

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Here Is the 1946 Fertilizer Outlook

The 1946 fertilizer outlook for Michigan farmers is presented by Dr. C. E. Millar, head of the Michigan State college soil science department. This report is the result of a recent conference on the college campus of division managers and field representatives of companies selling fertilizer in Michigan.

1.—The same grades of fertilizer will be recommended and offered for sale this year as in 1945, with the exception that 0-6-18 is removed from the list.

2.—Supplies of superphosphate of regular grades will be somewhat greater than during the past year. Production of the triple superphosphates or 45 percent superphosphate will still be below what is needed. This means that mixed fertilizer grades of higher plant food content cannot be increased to any extent.

3.—Prospects indicate an adequate supply of ammonium nitrate for use on fruits and vegetables. Because of the decrease in steel manufacture, supplies of sulfate of ammonia will be short, and hence, the manufacture of grades containing a high percentage of nitrogen may be restricted.

4.—Although more potash will be mined this year than in 1945, limitations in transportation are preventing it from being moved rapidly to the factories.

Farmers intending to use fertilizer this year are urged by Dr. Millar to place their orders as soon as possible to assure themselves fertilizer when they must have it.

Thinned Honey

You may stretch honey by thinning it with water. Thinned honey is excellent for sweetening fruit and cold drinks. It is well to remember, however, that thinned honey will ferment unless it is kept in the refrigerator.

NOTICE OF HEARING CLAIMS BEFORE COURT.

State of Michigan, the Probate Court for the County of Tuscola. In the matter of the Estate of Sarah J. Caldwell, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given that 2 months from the 11th day of January, A. D. 1946, 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 11th day of March, A. D. 1946, and that said claims will be heard by said court on Saturday, the 16th day of March, A. D. 1946, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated Jan. 8, A. D. 1946. ALMON C. PIERCE, Judge of Probate.

A true copy. Rose Nagy, Probate Register. 1-11-3

ORDER FOR PUBLICATION.

Final Administration Account. 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 4th day of January, A. D. 1946. Present, Hon. Almon C. Pierce, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the Estate of Grace B. Creguer, Deceased. Frederick H. Pinney, having filed in said court his final administration account, and his petition praying for the allowance thereof and for the assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate. It is ordered, that the 28th day of January, A. D. 1946, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office, be and is hereby appointed for examining and allowing said account and hearing said petition.

It is further ordered, that public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Cass City Chronicle, a newspaper printed and circulated in said County. ALMON C. PIERCE, Judge of Probate.

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ORDER FOR PUBLICATION.

Final Administration Account. 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 8th day of January, A. D. 1946. Present, Hon. Almon C. Pierce, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the Estate of Abigail Ada Howell, Deceased. Grant A. Howell, having filed in said court his final administration account, and his petition praying for the allowance thereof and for the assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate. It is ordered, that the 28th day of January, A. D. 1946, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office, be and is hereby appointed for examining and allowing said account and hearing said petition.

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Saving Farm Land by Six-Point Program

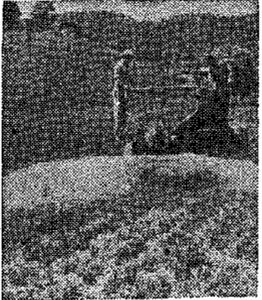
Fertilization Plays Most Important Part

A six-point soil fertility and conservation program for combating the inroads of erosion was described by Paul M. Burson and O. O. Rost, agronomists of the University of Minnesota.

The six steps recommended are: 1.—Drainage and cultivation; 2.—Liming acid soils; 3.—Crop rotation; 4.—Maintaining soil organic matter; 5.—Use of commercial fertilizers; 6.—Erosion control practices.

"Keeping a farm permanently productive necessitates a program of true soil conservation," the agronomists point out. "In recent years, the term 'soil conservation' has been widely used in connection with the physical control of erosion by wind and water. Much emphasis has been placed on this phase of soil conservation through the encouragement of such practices as contouring, strip cropping and terracing.

"Valuable as these practices are they do not correct the basic causes which make soil erosive. Only by proper land use and intelligent management of the soil can economic levels of fertility be safeguarded

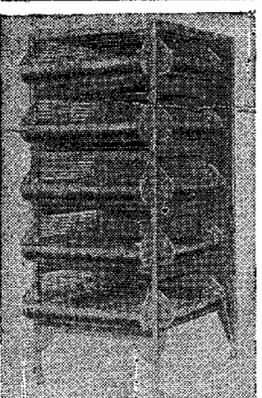


One of six steps recommended, liming acid soils.

and unnecessary wastage from erosion be avoided.

"Many of our soils are producing lower yields than they once did and fertilizer trials show increased responses. Nutrients are removed from the farm most rapidly by cash crops. All livestock and livestock products also remove nutrients, but less rapidly since part is returned in the manure. A soil conservation program must include the use of fertilizers to replace the mineral nutrients sold from the farm."

Improved Machinery Electric Battery



Masonite preswood has been substituted in the silver hen electric baby chick starters by the Macomb Steel Products company, Macomb, Ill. Each insulated heater draws 55 watts, has a big 13 by 24 contact surface for chicks to snuggle against for quick pep when chilled.

Broken Strap Mended



How Straps Are Spliced Together.

To mend a broken strap, cut the ends as shown in the illustration. Put these ends through holes that have been cut in strap. After putting ends together, they can be riveted if desired.

Storing of Soybeans

Storage studies of soybeans show that no improvement in condition was noted from the use of tubes, ducts, perforated sidewalls or roof ventilators. An electrically operated farm has given satisfactory results in good drying weather, reducing soybeans with an initial moisture of 14 to 15 per cent down to 10.5 to 11 (wet basis). About 0.05 kilowatt hours were used for each per cent moisture reduction per bushel. A gasoline motor gave results.

MICHIGAN AND THE OLD NORTHWEST

By Luke Scheer. Edited by Milo M. Quaife.



On June 17, Marquette and Jolliet entered the river at Prairie du Chien.



Jolliet, who led the party, was first to map the entire Lake Michigan shore.



at De Pere, near Green Bay, Wis. Jolliet had gone to Quebec, but Marquette, ill, was held at Green Bay.



He remained at that mission from late September, 1673, to Oct. 25, 1674.

DEFORD

About 40 relatives and friends attended a reception for Mr. and Mrs. Russell Hicks, Tuesday evening at the home of their parents in Deford. Many useful and beautiful gifts were received by the honored couple. Ice cream, cake and coffee were served for refreshments.

Mrs. Newell Hubbard is back in the store again after a siege of illness.

Miss Elsie Towsley underwent an appendectomy at the Morris hospital. She is recovering nicely but has not yet gone to her home. The 4-H club met on Thursday evening in the school building. Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Walk are in charge of the doings.

The Molnar store, under the guidance of Louis Molnar, opened for business on Monday.

Archie McArthur is at home after spending a few days in Pontiac.

Mrs. Norman Martin was quite ill for a few days with pleurisy.

Mrs. Ella Phillips spent last week with her daughter, Mrs. John Schenk, near Snover.

Mrs. Howard Retherford served a dainty luncheon to the W. C. T. U. members who met at her home on Thursday for their meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hegler of Caro were Monday callers at the Howard Retherford home.

Mr. and Mrs. Norris Boyne of Detroit were week-end guests of their children, Mr. and Mrs. Arleon Retherford.

Philip Retherford drove to Saginaw on Friday and his mother, Mrs. Alice Retherford, returned to her home with him.

Mrs. Leslie Drae and Mrs. Kenneth Kelley and daughter, Kathleen, were callers on Wednesday in Saginaw.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Scott of Bad Axe were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Riley.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Kilgore were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Scott Kelley near Mayville.

Weldon Pratt spent Sunday as a guest at the Ben Phetteplace home near Snover.

Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Bruce attended the funeral service of the latter's uncle, Daniel Preston, held on Monday at Snover.

Mrs. Cecil Lester was a visitor on Tuesday of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lester, at Kingston.

Mr. and Mrs. James Myers, who purchased the Sherwood property,

and later moved to Jackson, were in Deford on Saturday and sold the property to Mr. and Mrs. William Lear, recently of Grand Rapids.

Mr. and Mrs. Lear occupied the residence immediately and are now nicely settled. Mr. Lear is section foreman at Cass City. Wm. Zemke was the medium through which the sale was transacted.

Horace Murry is assisting at the Ray Kilbourn gas and oil station.

Kenneth Kelley was away from Wednesday to Saturday on a trucking tour, driving to Chicago and going to southern Indiana for a load to bring back.

R. E. Johnson received a consignment of several combines for the 1946 sales.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Cutting of Saginaw were visitors on Monday of Mrs. John Walk and at the Herman Rock home.

HOLBROOK

Ensign and Mrs. Chas. H. May of Chicago, Mrs. Len Johnson of Caseville and Lewis Johnson of Saginaw called on Mrs. Louise Lewis and Mrs. Edith Jackson on Wednesday. Mrs. Lewis is Mrs. May's great grandmother.

James Hewitt is spending some time in Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Lewis of Bad Axe visited his mother, Mrs. Louise Lewis, on Thursday.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Spencer, a daughter on Monday at Pleasant Home hospital, Cass City.

Mrs. Alma Davis underwent an operation at Bad Axe General hospital Saturday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Streeter and daughter, Lorraine, of Saginaw spent the week end at the Steve Decker home.

Sunday guests at the Charles Bond, Jr., home were Mr. and Mrs. Steve Decker, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Streeter and Lorraine, and Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Jackson and Bobby.

PLEASANT HOME HOSPITAL

Patients in the hospital on Wednesday afternoon were: Clarence Roller of Unionville; Mrs. Jos. Balla and Mrs. Jos. White of Decker; Leonard Hartsell, Harry Duolon and Sam Henkel of Gagetown; Wm. Prime of Akron; Leslie Phillips of Snover; Gerald Gould, Mrs. Robt. McKellar and infant son, Miss Maud Allard, and Mrs. Delbert Esckelson and infant son of Caro; Mrs. Wellington Boyne of Marlette; Mrs. John Po-hold and baby of Kingston; I. W.

Hall, Mrs. Lynn Spencer and baby girl and Mrs. Ray Fleenor and baby boy of Cass City.

Patients discharged the past week were: Ruth Kitchen and John Ball of Cass City; Mrs. Ernest Wells, Carol Jean Middaugh, Nancy Lee Hile, Sam Robinson, Mrs. Julia Gedro, Mrs. Elizabeth Muska, all of Caro; Foster Plane, Wm. McCool, Mrs. Lee Conquest and baby of Kingston; Mrs. Vern Fader and infant son and Mrs. Ernest Spencer and baby of Unionville; J. D. Herdell of Argyle; Mrs. Harvey Pelton and Mrs. Roy Commins of Deford; Mrs. Kenneth Atkins of Imlay City; Mrs. Martha Wright of Sandusky; Mrs. Elmer Simmons of Gagetown; Mrs. Frances Lengenburgh of Detroit.

Service News

Concluded from page 1. San Diego, Lawrence will have a 30-day leave this spring after the ship is de-commissioned, then will be assigned to further duty, which he hopes will be shore duty in the States, as he has been on the Pacific 25 months, 23 of them on the L. S. T. 341, on which he has travelled not less than 40,000 miles, the ship taking troops, fighting equipment and supplies to many places.

In a telephone message from Los Angeles, Cal., to his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Hartt, in Detroit, Robert Ryland informed them that he had been advanced to Boatswain or B-M 3/c C. In a letter to the Chronicle, Mrs. Hartt says: "We were so worried about him for so long but he is now where we will be able to hear from him. They are bringing home troops from the islands. He says he would like to re-enlist. Hearing from our boy was the very nicest Christmas gift we ever had."

RECRUITING OFFICER HERE EACH WEDNESDAY

Cpl. Johnson, Army recruiter, will be at the post office at Cass City every Wednesday from 10:30 to 4:00 for enlistment or reenlistments in the Regular Army.

Cpl. Johnson says that men who enlist or re-enlist have the advantages provided by the G. I. Bill of Rights. Under the educational provisions, the maintenance allowance is \$65.00 per month for single men and \$90.00 for married men. Those serving the three-year enlistment and who qualify will receive four years of schooling with expenses paid up to \$500.00 per year for the materials needed for schooling. Men enlisting or re-enlisting may choose the Mediterranean theater for the overseas assignment besides other areas.

30,000 Acres on a Ship The equivalent of nearly 30,000 acres of grain were carried aboard the "Col. J. M. Schoonmaker" when she set a Great Lakes cargo record this season, reports Ships magazine. She carried 525,000 bushels in a single trip. Based on a yield of 18 bushels to the acre, that represents the total harvest of 29,250 acres—more than 45 square miles—of land.



JOIN THE MARCH OF DIMES The National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis

ANNOUNCEMENT We have secured the local agency for the Hudson Motor Cars We have a demonstrator at our salesroom and invite the public to call and inspect this new car. In our service department, we have secured Dorus (Dutch) Klinkman, who has had several years' experience in local garages previous to two and one-half years in the Army Ordnance Department. We do general repair work on cars, trucks and tractors. Cass City Tractor Sales at Sinclair Service Station, Cass City. Phone 239