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## ONE HUNDRED YEARS OLD

### Inspiring Jubilee Services at the Evangelical Church Sunday.

Sunday the Evangelical society celebrated the centennial anniversary of their church, which was organized in the year 1800 by Jacob Albright. The services consisted in an appropriate address given in the morning by the pastor and by Children's Day exercises in the evening.

The church was nicely decorated. Two large flags hung above the rostrum and flowers of every form and hue were in abundance. These were nicely arranged and with the flags as a background made a beautiful decoration.

Rev. Klump, in speaking of the great lines of progress which had taken place in the church, gave some interesting statistics. The association was organized with 20 members in 1800, and since that time had increased to 150,000 members. The first conference was organized in 1807 with five itinerant ministers. At present there are 25 conferences with 1,000 itinerant and about 500 local preachers. The first Sunday school was organized in 1835 and at present there are 170,000 scholars.

The most important institution of the church is the Publishing House which is located at Cleveland. The first building was 20x26 feet in size while the present building occupies an entire square, five stories high. The entire plant is valued at \$600,000. During the past fifty years the publishing house realized a net profit of about \$4,000,000 and paid in dividends to the annual conferences for benevolent purposes about \$500,000. There are fifteen different publications with a combined circulation of 220,000 annually.

The church has educational institutions as follows: Northwestern College, Naperville, Ill.; Schuykill Seminary, Fredricksburg, Pa.; Union Biblical Institute, Naperville, Ill.; the Preachers Seminary, Reutlingen, Germany; The Evangelical Training School, Tokio, Japan.

In 1839, the General Missionary Society was organized which employs about 500 missionaries. During the sixty years of its existence, it has collected and distributed about \$3,500,000 for missionary purposes. The latest organization in the church is the Young Peoples' Alliance which was begun in 1896, and now numbers about 20,000 members.

Sunday evening a large congregation listened to the rendition of the Children's Day program. Each number was well rendered and the program well prepared.

## WHERE THEY CELEBRATED

Quietness prevailed in Cass City's streets on the Fourth. A goodly number of its citizens celebrated in the neighboring towns or spent the day in small picnic parties. A delegation celebrated at Pinney's Summer Resort, while another picniced at the river east of town. Several attended the celebrations held at Gageton, Elkton, Argyle and Novesta. By far the largest crowd went to Caro, the ball game proving to be a good drawing attraction. Everyone reports a good time and were well satisfied with the attractions except the result of the ball game which was in favor of Cass City's opponents. No doubt many were disappointed in the home team being obliged to play the best men in Caro and Lapeer instead of the Caro high school nine. Had the Cass City boys "loaded up" as the Caro team did, the result would have been far different. Nevertheless the boys put up a good game, the score being 9 to 13.

## ROAD WORK

These are the days when the pathmaster is apt to tap you on the shoulder and warn you to work out your poll and highway tax. Don't complain if he does. Don't think the time wasted. The better the roads the easier your team will draw, farm produce to market, and the more comfort you will take in riding over them. The better the roads the more your teams can draw at a load and less trips will be needed to market your crop. Besides the farm itself is more valuable for good roads. The value of a farm is not wholly dependent on soil and

crop producing power. A farm along a good pike and near a railroad is worth far more than one twenty miles away from these advantages. In working out your road tax this year bear in mind that you are working for yourself. Do a good, full day's work and do the work well. Don't try to kill time and have no other interest in the work than this.—Orion Review.

## CLEAN OUT THE RYE

### A Word of Caution to Michigan Wheat Growers.

During the past two or three years there has been considerable trouble in this state caused by rye getting mixed in the wheat. A large quantity of wheat that would otherwise be of fine quality is utterly ruined for milling purposes by the rye that is mixed through the grain, and many a dollar is lost to farmers that might easily and readily be saved by the exercise of a little care during the next thirty days, to cut the clusters of rye out of the wheat fields.

Michigan millers require the best grade of perfectly clean wheat in order to produce flour of as fine a quality as they have been making the past two years or more. Michigan first grade flours are justly celebrated in the most discriminating markets both at home and in foreign countries. This reputation cannot be maintained except by the use of first class grain. Wheat mixed with rye brings only a low price in any market. It is a well known fact that the growing of rye deteriorates the quality of wheat, creating a mongrel or hybrid variety. To improve the grades and varieties of wheat it must be kept absolutely pure and free from rye. Farmers cannot spend a little time to better advantage than to go through the wheat fields and cut the rye out clean.—Ex.

## S. S. CONTENTION

Enthusiastic sessions are reported at the interdenominational annual convention of the Sunday schools of Tuscola county which was held at Caro Monday. Three sessions were held and they constituted one of the most successful conventions ever held in the county. The papers presented by the different parties on the program were instructive and interesting. Able discussions followed each by which those in attendance derived much benefit. Alfred Day of Detroit, who is field superintendent and one of the best Sunday school workers, was present and deserves much credit for the success of the convention.

Those who were in attendance from Cass City were Rev. Torbet and family, Mr. and Mrs. O. K. James, Mesdames Weydemeyer, Laing and Knapp, and the Misses Maggie and Bessie Miller, Belle, Alice and Ida Ross, and Hattie Deming.

## CLUBBING LIST

For a short time we will quote the prices here given for subscriptions received for the papers named below when they are taken with the CHRONICLE. These prices are strictly cash in advance. Send all subscriptions to the CHRONICLE office.

Here is the list:

Detroit Free Press, daily.....	\$5.00
Twice-a-week Free Press.....	1.30
Twice-a-week Free Press and Year Book for 1900.....	1.45
Detroit Journal, daily.....	4.50
Detroit Journal, semi-weekly.....	1.35
Thrice-a-week (N. Y.) World....	1.30

## CARD OF THANKS

To the officers and members of Shalbona Tent 399 K. O. T. M.—I wish to convey you my thanks for the sympathy and kindness shown to me by the members in my late bereavement in the loss of my husband, and through your order to the great officers for the prompt and business like manner in which they have settled my claim in the policy held by my husband in your society, and I trust your order may ever meet with the generous and continued support it merits. I remain, Yours truly,

Mrs. ELLA SPIERS.

Use Heller's White Lily, Heller's Best and Success Spring Wheat flours.

5-25-tf

## BLISS NAMED FOR GOVERNOR

### Convention Completes Its Work by Nominating a Good Ticket.

For Governor—  
AARON T. BLISS of Saginaw.  
For Lieutenant Governor—  
O. W. ROBINSON of Houghton.  
For Secretary of State—  
FRED M. WARNER of Oakland.  
For State Treasurer—  
DANIEL MCCOY of Kent.  
For Auditor General—  
PERRY F. POWERS of Wexford.  
For Commissioner of the State Land Office—  
E. A. WILDEY of Van Buren.  
For Attorney General—  
HORACE M. OREN of Chippewa.  
For Superintendent of Public Instruction—  
DELOS FAUL of Calhoun.  
For Member of the State Board of Education—  
JAMES H. THOMPSON of Osceola.

One of the most hotly contested campaigns for the nomination of governor on the Republican ticket was witnessed at Grand Rapids last week at the Republican convention. Col. Aaron T. Bliss of Saginaw was finally nominated at the nineteenth ballot when he received 595 votes out of a total of 841.



COL. A. T. BLISS.

Col. Aaron T. Bliss was born in Smithfield, Madison county, New York, May 22, 1837. During the summer he worked on the farm and in the winter he attended the district school. When 17 years of age he entered the employment of Burhans & Bliss with whom he worked as a clerk in their mercantile business. He continued with the firm until in the fall of 1861 when he enlisted as a private. He was a prisoner at Andersonville and Charleston for six months and was mustered out at the end of four and a half years of service. He then held the rank of captain, having been gradually promoted. After the war, Col. Bliss went to Saginaw where he engaged in the lumbering business as a jobber.

Besides having represented his district in Congress, Col. Bliss has served a term as state senator. At the Grand Army encampment in Greenville in 1897, he was unanimously elected commander for Michigan. He is president and a director of the Citizen's National Bank of Saginaw and has held various positions of trust.

Salesmen wanted—Active, reliable man to act as salesmen in this section for large corporation; small honesty bond required. Liberal contract to right man. Address G. W. Pruic, The Singer Mfg. Co., 507 Genesee St., Saginaw, Mich. 7-6-2\*

Lost—On Decoration Day in Cass City, a burr of wagon axle. Also a logging chain between Rescue and Cass City about a week after. Finder will be suitably rewarded by leaving the same at this office. 7-6-1\*

## NOTICE

Having disposed of my Millinery business, will kindly ask all those indebted to me on book account or otherwise, to please call and settle not later than July 20.

Mrs. H. S. WICKWARE.

Because of lack of room, we are going out of the bicycle business and have several wheels to close out at greatly reduced prices.

6-25-tf LAING & JAMES.

## Tri-County Happenings.

### General information concerning Huron, Sanilac and Tuscola Counties.

The Huron Tribune has discontinued its mid-week edition and will appear only as a weekly hereafter.

A new fountain costing \$100 is to adorn the village park at Harbor Beach. Public spirited citizens made the purchase.

The state board of the Congregational denomination met at Carsonville Saturday and ordained Rev. J. B. Stanton.

Arrangements to water both man and beast are being made at Marlette. A couple of new iron and stone watering troughs having been put in recently.

Louis Wever of Marlette captured a bird last week which measured six feet across the wings and was five feet from end of bill to end of feet. It is of the crane variety.

The fifth session of the Mayville Assembly opened on Sunday. Good attendance and a good programme are reported. The session closes Sunday when a feast of good things is promised.

Forestville met with a misfortune last week in the loss of the grain elevator located at that place and owned by A. Riedel & Son. Fire was the cause. The loss is estimated at \$2,500 with little insurance. It is yet to be decided whether the firm will rebuild or not.

By re-rating of postoffices of Michigan substantial increase in salaries are allowed a large number of postmasters. Marlette is among the list to have an extra \$100 per year, the salary now being \$1,400. Caro, Flint, Harbor Beach, Inlay City, Vassar and Yale are also in the \$100 raise. Crosswell gets \$200 additional, while Clio has another \$300.

James McCash of Harbor Beach took a sturgeon from his pond net Tuesday morning which was located about three miles up the shore in about 20 feet of water. This is the first sturgeon caught at that port this season and very few have been caught for several years, although they were quite common before the building of the government breakwater. The one which Mr. McCash caught is about six feet long and weighs near 80 pounds.

County Clerk Gifford has issued the following marriage licenses since those last published in this paper:

Frederick H. Holmes, Marine City.....	31
Una E. Howell, Caro.....	25
Oel S. Misick, Chicago.....	31
Grayce K. Whistler, Chicago.....	27
Chas. Wilcox, Arbel.....	21
Laura Pease, Vassar.....	18
Bervie Bradshaw, Elkland.....	26
Emma Lang, Greenleaf.....	16
Henry E. Randall, Vassar.....	13
Clara Viola Henderson.....	23
Floyd Ackerman, Vassar.....	21
Lena George, Vassar.....	19

A special to the Detroit Free Press dated at Brown City June 28 says: "A burglary was committed here some time last night. The postoffice was entered and an attempt made to blow open the safe with dynamite. The burglars did not succeed, but did considerable damage to the safe. The hammer to break the knob off was obtained by breaking into Wm. Davison's blacksmith shop, the switch light of the Flint & Pere Marquette railway being used as a lantern. Mr. Geo. W. Datoe, postmaster, had just purchased the Delong opera house brick block and fitted up one of the most spacious and best equipped postoffices in the state."

Epitaphs in a Tyrolean Churchyard. A German traveler has discovered some quaint epitaphs in a Tyrolean cemetery.

On a tombstone in the valley of Tux was this inscription, "In pious remembrance of the honest widow Anna Kriedl, 40 years long." A miller is thus remembered, "In Christian memory of —, who departed this life without human assistance."

A farmer, whose initials only are given and appears to have been the author of his own epitaph has this memorial: "Here rests in God F. K. He lived 26 years as man and 37 years as husband."

On the tomb of a man who fell from

The fat men of Caro have challenged the Vassar heavyweights for a game of base ball. The challenge has been accepted and the game will be played at Caro in the near future.

J. L. Cook, the blind man from Inlay City, who has visited the towns in the Thumb with his show during the several years past, has started a broom factory at North Branch.

The Chicago Tribune says that as a result of the celebration of Independence Day with fire arms, toy cannon, giant crackers, and other forms of explosives, 80 persons were killed and 1,325 injured, according to reports received from 125 cities.

A large barn on the farm of Adam Henika near Minden was destroyed by fire last week. The building was valued at \$800 and contained about \$300 worth of nearly new machinery, all of which is a total loss to the owner as no insurance was carried. The cause of the fire is not known, but it is thought to be of incendiary origin.

At Mayville on the Fourth, a young son of F. McInnis had his hand disabled by a shot from a toy pistol and another lad by the name of Holdsworth attempted to pick up a giant firecracker which was a little slow in going off, when the thing exploded, injuring his eye. The doctors think he will not lose the use of the member.

Trlby, a dark complexioned specimen of the feline family belonging to one of Crosswell's young ladies, met with a fatal accident the other day and died, as was supposed. The cat being a great family pet, was accorded a decent burial in a grave of flowers in a nook of the garden. Pussy was almost forgotten until one morning she was discovered sitting on the step as happy and contented as though nothing had happened. Developments later revealed the fact that the young lady had buried some one else's cat.—Jeffersonian.

Jesse Ward, a young lad of Caro, was nearly killed on the morning of the Fourth while firing off giant firecrackers. Several boys were together and they lighted the firecracker, throwing it away as usual. Apparently the cracker went out and young Ward went out to pick it up. He was just bending over it when it exploded and the lad received the full force of the explosion. One of the eyes was torn completely from the socket and one side of the face torn away. The lad is in a critical condition and the physician considers recovery impossible.

The following is the list of marriage licenses granted in Huron county recently.

Arehie A. Cole, Colfax.....	25
Susan J. Collins, Colfax.....	20
John Holmke, Wisner.....	31
Lena Ninitz, Brookfield.....	27
Conrad Schaitberger, Saginaw.....	26
Lucinda Etzler, Hume.....	26
Wm. Day, Huron.....	32
Mary McDonald, Huron.....	32
Herbert J. Davis, Sebawaing.....	25
Myrtle Meacham.....	16
C. A. Allen, Loomis.....	23
Edna A. Kidd, Chair.....	22
Chas. E. Warren, Bancroft.....	23
Elizabeth Deegan, Grindstone City.....	27
Samuel Rourke, Chicago.....	30
Emily Owensworth, Pinnebog.....	31
John T. Sargeant, Cleveland.....	23
Alva Ruth Cole, Bad Axe.....	21
Frederick Facer, Port Hope.....	23
Maud Hunter, Port Hope.....	19
John Holtwick, Sherman.....	26
Mary Beshier, Sherman.....	26

a roof and was killed are these words, "Here fell Jacob Hosenknopf from the roof into eternity."

This wail of a desolate husband caps the climax. "Tears cannot bring thee back to life, therefore I weep."

A Good Excuse.

"You wish to be relieved from jury duty, but you haven't given a good reason," said the judge.

"It's public spirit," said the unwilling jurymen, "on the score of economy; I have dyspepsia, your honor, and I never agree with anybody. If I go on this jury, there'll be a disagreement, and the court will have to go to the expense of a new trial."

"Excused," said the judge.—Tit-Bits.



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For President—  
WILLIAM MCKINLEY of Ohio.  
For Vice President—  
THEODORE ROOSEVELT of New York.  
For Congressman of the 8th Congressional district, Michigan—  
JOSEPH W. FORDNEY of Saginaw.

For Governor—  
AARON T. BLISS of Saginaw.  
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## FAMINE STRICKEN INDIA.

Though the position today is worse than during the worst period of 1897, it is said that the India famine is not yet at its height. The desolated district includes 450,000 square miles which was greater than the area of France and Germany combined. Of the 90,000,000 people inhabiting the drought-covered country, over 60,000,000 are suffering for food; between 20,000,000 and 25,000,000 are in extreme destitution; and probably 10,000,000 are in danger of perishing. It is almost impossible to convey by means of mere figures any adequate idea of the overwhelming catastrophe visited upon that parched country where even the fierce animals forget their hatreds and lie down to die together.

It is good to know that towards this vast suffering multitude is extended in practical helpfulness the blessing of universal sympathy and brotherly love. Not only has the British Government answered the great cry of distress, but the whole civilized world is lending a hand to relieve the sufferers of the famine. Although much has been contributed and this been carefully and systematically distributed among the sufferers, millions must perish. The pittance of three cents a day is all that is necessary to keep one of those human beings alive. Ten cents a day will provide food for a starving family, and two dollars will save a life until next harvest time.

One of the efficient and reliable channels of relief is the Committee of One Hundred on India Famine Relief, which was formed in New York a short time ago. In response to requests from all over the country that it place itself at the service of all who might desire its facilities, it announces that its literature, its direct and constant communication with India, and the treasurer's office of Brown Bros. & Co., 59 Wall St., are freely at the command of anyone. From a letter sent out by this Committee to the United States, we learn that the express companies have consented to send contributions from their various branch offices free of charge; that the banks of New York have united in offering themselves as agencies for the receipt of contributions and that the telegraph companies have agreed to transmit the Committee's official and business messages free of charge.

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Uncle Sam has taken up the new war burden. Not because he wanted to, but because there was nothing else for him to do. Americans and American commerce in China had to be protected, and as for the time the interests of all foreigners are the same, the burden of war will be shared with the other civilized nations. Besides the U. S. naval forces, a brigade of regular troops will be sent from the Philippines to China. A portion of the brigade will be on Chinese soil before this

is in print. Gen. Chaffee, who will command the U. S. forces in China, like all the other officers who have risen from the ranks, has a fighting record. He sailed from San Francisco on the transport Grant July 1 and with him goes the 6th cavalry regiment. Under the most favorable conditions it will require about four weeks for him to get to Taku, at which port he will land. It is possible, of course, that peace may be restored before then, but the War Department is taking no chances at that. Supplies, including winter clothing for the troops, for a campaign of months, are being forwarded as rapidly as possible, mostly from Manila.

## WICKWARE

More dry weather.  
Mr. and Mrs. Dick Hartwick visited at Dave Hartwick's Sunday.

Miss Belle Burt is visiting Miss Nellie Ward in Charleston.

Wesley Rowley, who is working in Lapeer, spent Sunday with his family.

Miss Nellie Ward of Charleston visited at Mrs. H. B. Burt's the first of last week.

A number from here attended the Sunday school rally near Argyle Wednesday of last week. Everyone reported a good time, although some got a ducking.

Friday evening quite a crowd assembled at Mark Cridland's where the strawberry social was held. Everyone enjoyed the ice cream and strawberries notwithstanding the weather was cold.

## A Trick That Won.

A few weeks ago a pretty little Parisian actress was appearing at a theater in Geneva. On the last night of the play a tall, well dressed man sent in his card and asked permission to thank her personally for the pleasure that her performances had given to him. He entertained her at supper and asked permission to see her off at the station on the following day. He arrived with his groom, who was carrying a tremendous bouquet of flowers.

He told her that he had telegraphed to his brother, who was in Paris and who had influence both with the press and the theatrical managers and that he would meet her on her arrival in Paris. To the astonishment of the actress all this turned out to be true, and she found a magnificent carriage at the station. A fine dinner followed. The girl was dumb with astonishment. Her host told her that it was all for the sake of his brother, whom he loved dearly, and he spoke pathetically of the beautiful bouquet that she carried and which was made up of flowers culled in the garden of the old homestead. She offered him the bouquet instantly, and he accepted it with a thousand thanks.

Now she has found out why she was treated so well. She had been the means of smuggling watch springs to the value of \$10,000 into Paris.

## His New Stove.

Old H. Drew, who lives in a village not 40 miles away, came into town last week on the sly to buy a birthday gift for his wife. He cast about vigorously and struggled in a valiant way through the crowds, finally being washed ashore in the doorway of a hardware establishment. Despairing of fighting his way any farther, he made up his mind to make his purchase right there. Martha wanted a new stove, anyway. So he allowed himself to be taken in hand by an energetic salesman and had soon purchased for \$21 an article that was guaranteed to cook anything and everything all at one time. He had it expressed out to the village and by cunning strategy succeeded in getting it set up in the kitchen the next morning without Martha's knowledge. When she saw it, she hugged him and beamed all over with delight. Then he went out and killed a young sucking pig and two chickens and prepared for a royal spread.

Suddenly a blank look passed over the old man's face.

"Why, what's the matter, Drew?" exclaimed his wife.

"Look it here!" he cried. "Here I've been and bought a darn gas stove for \$21, and there ain't no gas for nine miles."—Chicago Times-Herald.

## How to Make Tomato Pickles.

Pare one peck, not scald, of solid, ripe tomatoes of medium size—nice, round ones, not larger than an apple. Put them in brine strong enough to bear an egg for 24 hours. Rinse in cold water. Mix one-half tablespoonful of red pepper, two tablespoonfuls of black pepper rounded full, two tablespoonfuls of allspice rounded full, two tablespoonfuls of cloves rounded full, four tablespoonfuls of mustard rounded full in a bowl together. Put a layer of tomatoes in the jar and sprinkle over with spice mixture and large handful of dark brown sugar, and so on till filled. Cover with cold vinegar and slice horse radish over the top. Cover close. This makes one gallon of pickle and will keep till June or later when made in the fall.

# CONDENSED ITEMS.

## NEWS OF INTEREST CAUGHT FROM THE WIRES.

Short Paragraphs of Some of the Events of the Past Few Days—Crimes, Casualties, and Matters of General Interest Given in Condensed Form.

Tuesday, June 26.

Griscom has renewed his demand on the porte for a settlement of the United States indemnity claim.

Ezra J. Warner, of Chicago, has added \$20,000 to his previous gift of \$50,000 to Middlebury college, of Middlebury, Vt.

One hundred and twenty-five Cuban teachers have sailed for Boston to attend the Harvard summer school.

Wednesday, June 27.

The fourth congress of the Association of Chambers of Commerce of the United Kingdom is in session at London.

Lady Henry Somerset and all the other officers were re-elected by the World's W. C. T. U. congress at Edinburgh.

The forty-fourth general session of the American Association for the Advancement of Science is in session at New York.

Professor James H. Norton, principal of the Lake View (Chicago) high school, died at Southampton, England, yesterday.

The French chamber of deputies has voted 27,000,000 francs for fortifications.

Charges of conspiracy against officials of the American Ice company were dismissed by a New York grand jury.

The young Duke of Westminster, it is said, will marry Miss Shelagh West, daughter of Colonel Cornwallis West.

Thursday, June 28.

Insects are attacking the foliage in Chicago parks.

War in China has made a rise in the price of rice.

Oporto has had one fatal case of bubonic plague.

Michael J. Sampson, a former Chicago city employe who was extradited from Ireland, has been found guilty of forging a warrant, and has been sentenced to an indefinite term in the penitentiary.

Louis Pollock was shot in the right hip and badly injured by burglars, whom he surprised trying to gain entrance to his room at Chicago.

Ex-Governor Taylor, of Kentucky, and his wife have reached Indianapolis.

Yale has made Secretary Root an honorary LL. D., and President Eaton, of Beloit college, a D. D.

Chicago pickpockets stole \$55,000 worth of negotiable bonds from Harry K. Duffield on a Cottage Grove avenue cable car.

Friday, June 29.

John McKinley, who said he was President McKinley's brother, was fined in London for disturbing the peace.

Cigarette sellers at Chicago must pay 100 license fee.

Crow Indians will work on the new Burlington extension running through their reservation in Montana and Wyoming. First instance of Indians working.

The veterans of the G. A. R. who attend the national encampment at Chicago have been given permission to camp in Lincoln park.

The Prince of Wales opened London's new electric underground railway from Mansion House to Shepherd's Bush.

New York city experienced a storm that included cyclonic winds, lightning and a cloud-burst. Much property was damaged.

Several military prisoners at Fort Snelling, Minn., made a break for liberty and one escaped recapture.

Saturday June 30.

Mrs. Lillian Bauer, three months a Chicago widow, is to marry Thomas Sharkey, pugilist.

The Chicago Board of Trade has expelled Charles R. and Albert O. McLain for bucket-shopping.

Helen Gould was in Chicago yesterday for a while, en route from Three Oaks, Mich., to Minneapolis.

S. B. Dole has been formally installed as governor of the territory of Hawaii.

Chicago consumed more water in the month of May than ever before in its history, the amount being 9,572,931,337 gallons.

America's silk exhibit at Paris is to be awarded the gold medal over all competitors.

Charles Krickaka, of Philadelphia, inhaled smoke from another man's cigarette, broke a blood vessel by coughing and died.

Monday, July 2.

The fifteenth annual students' conference, founded by Dwight L. Moody, is in session at Northfield, Mass.

Archbishop Ireland, who will deliver the oration at the unveiling of the Lafayette statue, has arrived in Paris.

Frost is reported in North Dakota and additional damage is done to wheat.

The Ohio supreme court has adjourned until Sept. 15 without deciding the trust cases.

Stewart Roselle of Laporte, Ind., is dead as the result of prostration by the heat.

A Concord, N. H., judge has decided that soda water is one of the necessities of life and may be sold on Sunday.

John Moberly, aged 92, is dead at the home of his son David Moberly, six miles north of Maryville, Mo. He took strychnine.

# Greenleaf

Items of interest concerning Greenleaf and vicinity.

Miss Bessie Dew is home from Detroit.

Mr. Winfield Coon was the guest of Miss Lucy Dew Sunday.

Misses Lucile Robin and Sarah Gillies drove to Ubyly Wednesday.

Miss Marie Spaulding of Ubyly spent Sunday in this vicinity, the guest of Miss Sarah Gillies.

Mrs. M. M. Morgan of Bad Axe was the guest of her mother, Mrs. John Sinclair, last week.

Mrs. Walter Myron of Port Huron is the guest of her mother, Mrs. A. Livingstone, for a few weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Smith of Milan are visiting their daughters, Mrs. Edwin Webster and Mrs. Charlie Rogers, this week.

Since a certain young lady left town our moral young man has not attended church, but goes and plays base ball on Sunday.

A number of boys from around Karr's Corners passed through town Sunday on their way to Sheridan to play base ball.

Norman McLeod and Miss Elsie Campbell attended the ice cream social at Johnson's Friday evening and reported a good time.

There will be service here in the Frasher church next Sunday evening at seven o'clock. It will be under the auspices of the L. O. O. L. The subject for the evening will be "True Christian Liberty." All are cordially welcome.

## The Professor's Foresight.

Professor Frederick von Martens, who holds the chair of international law in the St. Petersburg university and is a frequent representative of the czar in legal councils of moment, is not a Russian citizen, nor even a Russian subject, but a philosophic German. He is a notable linguist and author, and at the Venezuela arbitration conference in Paris, where he read the decision of the commission, he had a pleasant fashion of addressing each delegate in his own language. One of the English jurists wondered how the professor was able to keep up his knowledge of so many modern tongues. The professor replied: "It is self defense. You see, in case I lose my chair I wish to be prepared for any offer you foreigners may make."—Saturday Evening Post.

## Safety In Battle.

Every soldier believes that the only safe place under fire is the recent scene of some cannonade escapade. When defending a fort or camp, the wounded are generally placed in the breaches, as the enemy is not likely to waste powder and shot on points which have already been cleared of all barricade. The same holds true of naval engagements. Sailors much prefer to sit in some yawning gap still hot and smoking from the effect of a splintering cannon ball than behind the stoutest bulwark.

## Progress.

An Egyptian paper announces that "first class, up to date, modern dining cars" are to be run this season between

# Elmwood

What is Said of Elmwood People

I. Waidly has a new wind mill.

Fred Parker called on his brother Matt Sunday.

R. Webster and wife were in Cass City Saturday.

John Spittler and wife visited at Dan Smithson's Sunday.

Hew Shay called at W. A. Lockwood's Sunday afternoon.

Mabel King visited at Mrs. W. A. Lockwood's last Thursday.

Clyde, Mabel and Clinton King visited at W. A. Lockwood's Sunday.

Will Webster and Wilson Spavin wheeled to Cass City Thursday night.

Mrs. Jos. Belknap and Jennie Culver were in Cass City last week Tuesday.

Mrs. W. A. Lockwood and daughter were in Cass City on Tuesday of last week.

Mark Hunkins, Arthur Hargraves and Hew Shay drove over to Gagetown Sunday evening.

Charley Hargraves took his departure for Colorado on Tuesday of last week. He has a job with a beet sugar company.

Mrs. McBride, who has been visiting with her sister, Mrs. John Spittler, and other friends, returned to her home in Canada on Tuesday of last week.

On Wednesday of last week, Jas. Campbell of Ellington was united in

Cairo and Luxor and that "an American dentist has started in business at Assouan, which is on the edge of the Sudan." A "palace hotel" at Khartoum for the special accommodation of tourists will also be completed and opened for business in about three months.

Malaga usually has about 16 rainy days a year and at least 200 days when there is not a cloud in the blue sky.

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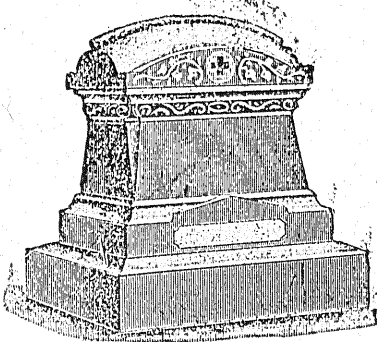
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Prices that defy competition.

All Work Guaranteed.

Wm. Furgeson, Proprietor.

Leach's Bldg. Back of School's

Wilmot

News of the People of Wilmot.

Haying has commenced. Do your road work and do it well. Mrs. Pierce is home for a few days. J. A. and E. J. Teskey were in Gilford this week.

Mrs. Frank Hartt and daughter Alys were at Cass City last week. Mr. Nichols from near Toronto, Ont., is visiting his sister, Mrs. Wm. Kean.

Ben Graves has shut down his saw mill and will start his shingle mill next week.

Thos. Kean came home last week from Manitoba on account of the illness of his mother.

Rev. Frye announces that hereafter the M. E. service will be held every Sunday at 2:30 p. m.

Rev. Bartlett will preach on Sunday evening hereafter. It will be refreshing to have regular hours for church service.

Ella Teskey closed her school in Guilford last Friday and is home for the summer. She has engaged to teach the same school next year.

The Blue Liners still cherish the idea that they can play ball. They went to Caro last Saturday to purchase suits. We understand that another match game is in store for the near future.

Free Methodist campmeeting began in the grove on the bank of the creek on Saturday evening and closed on the evening of July 4th. Three converts were baptized Sunday afternoon. Chairman Calkins was in charge and the meeting was well attended throughout.

On Wednesday evening, June 27th, Miss Maud McCallum and John J. Hartt were united in marriage at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. M. A. McCallum. Rev. Bartlett performed the ceremony. E. J. Teskey appeared as best man and Miss Edna Gedrich acted as bridesmaid. The bride was very prettily attired in white and pale green. The groom wore the conventional black. A large company of relatives and friends were present. The wedding march began at 7:00 p. m. After the ceremony was performed and congratulations offered, the merry company sat down to the wedding feast. Bridal roses

were everywhere in profusion. The happy pair are among our very best young people and a host of friends wish them a pleasant voyage on the sea of life and a safe anchorage in the haven of prosperity.

K. O. T. M.

Wilmot Tent, No. 538. Meets on the first and third Tuesday evening of each month at 7:30.

ELMER KEENE, Com.

L. O. T. M.

Wilmot Hive, No. 238. Meets on alternate Fridays at 2:00 p. m.

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Don't go by us in this line. You can save money at

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Freiburg

Items that will be of interest to our readers in Freiburg

Cool nights. Haying has commenced. Our burg did not celebrate. Orval Meredith is home again from Onaway.

Dugald Graham of Vassar was in town the fore part of the week.

Joseph Gruber has moved to his farm, one and one-half miles north.

Dustau Herriman, A. C. Graham's foreman, celebrated at Minden on the 4th.

A. C. Graham attended the Sunday school rally in the southern part of the county on the 4th.

John S. Franzel wears a long, loud smile and steps at considerable elevation. Its a girl at home and John's treat.

Mrs. Kenyon and daughter Hallie, whose home is in Wisconsin, are visiting the former's mother, Grandma McRae.

John K. Brown of Hancock has been visiting in this vicinity for a few days accompanied by Mesdames Brown, Lea and Russell.

Most of our people attended the Sunday school rally at Argyle June 27 and nearly everybody had a good time as it was no dry affair.

Miss Bell Burt of Wickware and Miss Nellie Ward wheeled over to the latter's home at Charleston on Saturday evening, returning on Monday morning, a distance of about 40 miles.

The funeral of little Floyd, the two year old child of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ward, was largely attended on Tuesday morning, which was held in the grove in front of their home. Rev. Cridland spoke appropriately from the word of David, "He cannot come to me, but I may go to him." The little white casket could not hold the many beautiful wreaths and bouquets of flowers which were brought by sympathizing friends. The casket was also trimmed on the inside around the little form with roses and the grave lined with white and trimmed with rose buds, a very fitting tribute to the little one whom the reaper claimed, as he was blossoming into life. Deep

sympathy is expressed by the entire community for Mr. and Mrs. Ward and little Melvin in their loss.

How to Bake Turnips.

Cut in slices four white turnips after peeling them. Put them in a stewpan and cover with boiling water. Boil until tender. Add salt. Make a white sauce with two tablespoonfuls of butter and two tablespoonfuls of flour. Stir till smooth. Add 1/4 cupful of milk. Stir until boiling and thickened. Add salt and pepper. Put a layer of the drained turnip, then a layer of sauce. Continue with turnip and sauce until all are used. Spread buttered crumbs over the top. Brown in the oven.

How to Make Strawberry Sauce.

Strawberry sauce is excellent served with hot puddings. Beat together one-half cupful of butter and one cupful of sugar until they are very white and light. Add the whipped white of one egg and a cupful of strawberries mashed to a pulp.

A. C. Graham's General Store and Farmer's Exchange

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Summer Dry Goods, Notions, Hosiery, Hats, Overalls and Shirts

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Our new 40c Tea is a great favorite

Please bear in mind that we carry Harvest tools, Machine Oils, House and Floor Paint, Brushes, Binder Twine, Barrel Salt, Plows and Plow Repairs, Bicycles, Sewing Machines, Domestic Drugs and Medicines and everything in an up-to-date general store. Butter, fresh packed; 14c this week. Eggs 10c. Cash paid when desired.

A. C. Graham, Freiburg.

Argyle

Items of Interest Picked Up by Our Correspondent

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Argyle, Michigan.

JOHN McPHAIL;

Furniture and Undertaking;

Argyle, Mich.

HELLO!

We have just received another shipment of Misses' and Children's

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When in town please buy a pound and be convinced of its rare purity and flavor.

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Just Received

another shipment of

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PULLEY BELTS.

W. J. SEFTON, Argyle.



A WORD TO THE WISE

Those who are wise take advantage of the unusual bargains that we are offering in our line of

Double and Single Harness, Sweat Pads, Collars, Whips, Etc.

J. H. STEVENSON Argyle

Bargains

Large assortment of Wrappers and full line of Dress Goods and Straw Hats at low prices.

Mrs. J. W. Ambrey Argyle

Dan McNaughton went to Carsonville on Saturday.

Mrs. Geo. Rose is on a visit to her old home in Canada.

Alex. Clapsaddle of Mooretown was in the village on Saturday.

Insurance Agent Bishop of Decker-ville was in town Friday night.

Mary Zimlicker of Cass City is visiting her sister, Mrs. W. D. Striffler.

Sunday school and preaching services in Walker's grove on Sunday.

Mr. McAllister of Brown City was the guest of his aunt, Mrs. McPhail, last week.

The Maccabees are building a large addition to their hall. Geo. Stevenson is the push.

Mrs. A. McLachlin and daughter Mamie returned Monday from a visit to her parents in Crosswell.

Ed and Alice Rose have been very sick for the past week but are both better at the present time.

Fred Bornkie is painting and decorating the inside of Striffler Bros.' store. Mr. Bornkie is an expert at his work.

Sandy McBride returned Friday from the Republican state convention at Grand Rapids. Sandy reports a grand time.

J. W. Sefton now thinks he is as patriotic as anyone in town—he has just purchased a large U. S. flag. Dr. McNaughton, ditto.

Angus McBride completed the U. S. census on Thursday. The population of Argyle is 1,108 and the number of farms 198—an increase in the population of about 200.

Fr. Burke of Palms celebrated mass in the Austin church on Sunday and at Argyle Monday morning. Fr. Burke expects to leave soon for an extended tour of the Pacific coast.

The third annual rally and basket picnic of the Northwest Sanilac Sunday School Association which was held in Walker's grove June 27 was one of the most successful ever held in the county. With the exception of a light shower in the afternoon, the day was a superb one, being of that general degree of warmth that makes rambling and rest among the sylvan shades a pleasure in itself. The attendance was not as large as was expected, the crowd being estimated at from 2,500 to 3,000. The arrangements of the grove were complete in every particular except a place for the ladies to put their hats while it rained. The Sanilac Center Band furnished some excellent music and was highly applauded. County politics was represented by H. O. Babcock, Mark Willis, T. E. Dawson, Jas. Summons, C. Beers and Wm. Epplett.

Exasperating. "Gee whizz, how my wife does aggravate me!"

"You surprise me. Surely she doesn't henpeck you?"

"No. It's her awful meekness. Whenever we have an argument and I'm in the right, she always sighs and says, 'Oh, very well, dear, have it your own way!'"—Philadelphia Press.

Inconsistent. "You keep me waiting so long!" complained the customer.

"Madam," said the worried grocer, who was economizing in his business by employing only one clerk, "ain't you the woman that was in here yesterday hickin' about short weights?"—Chicago Tribune.

M. E. CHURCH

Preaching services on alternate Sundays at 11:00 a. m. Sunday school at 10:00 a. m. Epworth League at 8:00 p. m. Prayer meeting on Thursday evening at 8:00.

Rev. WM. CRIDLAND, Pastor.

R. C. CHURCH

Servies every other week. Sunday school every Sunday at 11:00 a. m.

FR. BURKE, Pastor.

A. O. O. G.

Green Arbor, No. 142. Meet at Vatter's hall the first and third Thursday of each month at 8 p. m.

JAS. E. STARR, DONALD HENRY, C. G. Sec., Treas.

K. O. T. M.

Argyle Tent, No. 562. Meet at their hall on 2nd and 4th Thursday of each month.

Geo. R. STEVENSON, Com. Wm. H. MATTHEWS, R. K. S. W. STRIFFLER, P. K.

L. O. T. M.

Argyle Hive, No. 137. Meets at K. O. T. M. hall the 1st and 3rd Thursday of each month at 1:30 p. m.

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To convince the farmers of this we will enumerate some of our goods and prices. We sell the

**Champion, Milwaukee and Osborn Binders and Mowers; Best Hay Rakes on earth—<sup>the largest stock and variety to choose from</sup>—Hand Dumps, \$12, Self Dumps from \$16 to \$25; American Cultivator, <sup>which has no equal</sup>; Syracuse, Osborne and Buffalo Pitts Springtooth Harrows; 10 different make of Plows; Empire, Superior and Buckeye Grain Drills <sup>with or without Phosphate attachment</sup>; American Woven Wire Fence; Page Woven Wire Fence; Sections for all kinds of machines used in the State.**

Our Buggy department is full to its utmost capacity. we keep the celebrated Studebaker and Harrison wagons in stock; also agents for the Nicholas & Sheppard Co., Westing House and Buffalo Pitts Engines and Separators; Buffalo Pitts and Westing House Bean Threshers.

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Insect Powder**

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### Cass City Chroniclings

W. Fallis visited in Caro on Sunday. Claud Montague of Caro is in town today.

Mrs. W. Fallis is making a short visit in Caro.

J. H. Stevenson of Argyle was in town Monday.

John McPhail of Argyle did business in town Saturday.

Mrs. A. G. Houghton visited in Wilmet on Wednesday.

Ed and Grace Striffler, of Argyle, visited in town Friday.

Will and George Moore of Caro were callers in town Saturday.

Mrs. Jas Dilman has returned from a two week's visit in Bay City.

Will Dowe and Miss Murphy of Caro were callers in town yesterday.

Miss Jane McLenzie, of Pigeon, visited with friends here this week.

Miss Mary Zinnecker returned Tuesday from a week's visit at Argyle.

Harry Young returned Thursday evening from a week's visit in Detroit.

Miss Maggie Zinnecker is the guest of her sister, Mrs. W. D. Striffler, of Argyle.

Messrs. Nique and Keyworth, of Shabbona, transacted business in town Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. McLeish spent Sunday with the latter's parents at Bay Port.

Miss Matie Higgins left Monday for Morencia where she will spend her vacation.

A. A. Ewing, of Cumber, was a pleasant caller at the CHRONICLE office Saturday.

Rev. A. Torbet will preach in the Brookfield Presbyterian church next Sunday at 3 o'clock.

John Schwaderer returned Wednesday evening from his trip in Pennsylvania and Canada.

Mrs. Hancock and children of Detroit are the guests of the former's sister, Mrs. E. McKim.

Burt Hunt, of Detroit, came to his parental home last evening and will spend a few week's vacation here.

Alfred Bader, formerly a Cass City lad, but now of Cincinnati, is the guest of J. D. Brooker and family.

Mrs. C. W. Heller gave a party in honor of Miss Marie Heller, of Kingston, on Monday afternoon of last week.

The John Striffler house on Houghton St. has received a new coat of paint which improves its looks wonderfully.

Mrs. T. H. Fritz and daughter Lucy and niece, Leola Fritz, were the guests of Mrs. L. M. Holmes of Caro a few days last week.

Percy Bertrand left for Sebawaing on Sunday to attend the funeral of his brother's child which was held at that place Tuesday.

While celebrating Wednesday, a toy cannon exploded in the hands of Stanley Graham, singeing his eye winkers and blistering his cheek and wrist. Stanley is on deck, however, and ready to sell you the Detroit Journal as usual.

Miss Isabelle McArthur, who has been teaching school in Vassar, and her sister, Miss Jennie, of Libertyville, Ill., and Miss Martha of Pontiac, are spending their vacations at their parental home west of town.

Miss Winifred McClinton, who has been teaching at Holland, Mich., and Miss Claudine McClinton, who has been visiting with her brother, Dr. N. F. McClinton, at Alma, Mich., are the guests of their sister, Mrs. P. D. Post, this week.—BAD AXE DEMOCRAT.

While John McCallum was having some repairing done last Friday to a harness which had been broken in a runaway a few days previous, his horses started from in front of Fallis' harness shop and enjoyed a fast gut down Seegar St. After a half mile run they stopped near Heller's farm south of town. A few breaks in the harness are reported as the damage done.

Invitations were sent out last week for the recipients and their friends to attend a class recital to be given by Mrs. Allen's class at the opera house last Friday evening. A large number gathered at the appointed hour and listened to the well arranged program, the rendition of which was excellent throughout. Each number was appreciated by the audience and deserved the applause which was given.

Heller's White Lily, Heller's Best and Success Spring Wheat flours are first class. Try them. 5-25-tf.

### HOLBROOK

Miss Dolly MacTavish rides a new wheel.

Miss Mary Hodson is spending a week at her home.

Quite a number have begun haying in this vicinity.

Mrs. J. McQueen was a caller at Shabbona Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Davis are attending a meeting at Wilmet.

Mr. Defoe of Brown City called on friends here last week.

Walter Cornfoot drives a new buggy which he purchased at Pigeon.

Mr. and Mrs. McPhail and daughter visited at Jos. Bonds last Sunday.

The new school house, which is being built two miles south of here, is progressing rapidly.

Mrs. John Riddle of Novesta visited with Mr. Davis last Wednesday and also attended the Rally.

A large number from this place attended the Sunday School Rally which was held at Argyle and had an enjoyable time.

### CUMBER

John McKichen spent Sunday with his mother.

Haying is quite well advanced and is a good crop.

Eva and Jessie Laing of Gagetown were the guests of Miss May McKichen last week.

Quite a number from Cumber attended church at Wickware last Sunday evening.

The smiling face of Tom Grace astride a new bike was seen in town the fore part of the week.

The Sunday school rally was a success, but not as many scholars in the line of march as a year ago.

Miss Sadie Brown, who has been residing in Pontiac for the past few months, returned Tuesday to spend her vacation.

George Ensley, living a half mile west of here, has sold his farm to George Corrin and Mr. Miller, our merchant. Consideration, \$2,000.

Mr. McDermott of North Burns called on Geo. Robinson on Monday looking after the farm that formerly belonged to the M. P. church in this place.

Our merchant claims that some party or parties stole his horse out of the enclosure last Friday night and rode east. The horse was found next morning one mile east of here in C. Ward's field.

### NOTICE

The annual meeting of school district No. 5, of the township of Elkland for the election of school district officers and for the transaction of such other business as may lawfully come before it, will be held at the Town Hall on Monday, the 9th day of July, 1900 at 8 o'clock p. m. Dated this 28th day of June, 1900.

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STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Tuscola ss. At a session of the Probate Court for said County held at the Probate office in the Village of Caro, on the 28th day of June, in the year one thousand nine hundred, present, John C. Laing, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of William W. Wallace, deceased. John Marshall and Solomon Striffler, the executors of the last will and testament of said deceased, represent to this court that they are now prepared to render special account of their administration of said estate. It is ordered, that the 23rd day of July next at one o'clock in the afternoon at said Probate Court be assigned for examining and allowing said account. And it is further ordered that a copy of this order be published in the Tri-County Chronicle, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county, three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing. JOHN C. LAING, Judge of Probate. [A true copy.]

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## Novesta and Deford

### DEFORD.

Mrs. Theron Spencer is able to be out again.

A. L. Bruce did business at Cass City Monday.

A number from here are going to Sarnia, July 12th.

Rev. D. B. Millar and wife smiled on friends here Monday.

J. R. Lewis and niece Ella spent Sunday at North Branch.

Mrs. Elmer Lewis spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. Wm. Cooper.

Geo. Pratt had the misfortune to lose one of his horses Sunday night.

James and May Bruce left for Detroit Tuesday where they will spend a few days.

Mr. Gorving and family of Unionville visited at Geo. McCallum's over Sunday.

Mrs. Peter Doughter returned Saturday from a few days visit with her mother at Clarkston.

**How to Make Cornmeal Rolls.**  
Sift two cups of flour, two cups of white cornmeal, two teaspoonfuls of baking powder, one teaspoonful of salt and one tablespoonful of sugar. Work in a tablespoonful of butter and mix to a dough with one and a half cups of sweet milk. Flour the board, turn out the dough, give it one or two turns to complete the smoothness. Divide into pieces the size of an egg, again divide these into halves, which roll out under the hand until they are in the form of tiny cylinders. Lay on a greased baking tin so they do not touch each other, wash with milk and bake in a quick oven 10 or 15 minutes.

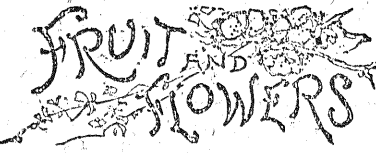
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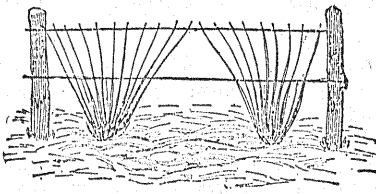


### RED RASPBERRIES.

Managed So That a Patch Is a Thing of Beauty and a Joy.

Not nearly as many red raspberries are grown by farmers (or villagers either) as would be were it not that they all throw up innumerable sprouts and if not watched become a thicker unpleasant to look at and unprofitable for berries, besides being a harbor for weeds and vermin. If the planter would begin at the start and treat all sprouts as weeds and hoe them off as ruthlessly as he does weeds in cucumbers or cabbage, there would be no clutter, and there would be a wonderful difference in the size and quality of the fruit.

In my boyhood I knew an English gardener who cultivated the Antwerp varieties, and he cut the suckers down in the earth four or five inches with an asparagus knife (that being the way of cutting asparagus in those days). Every few days the plantation was inspected, and very few needless sprouts ever got more than high enough to be seen through the breaking earth before they were cut off. This promptness prevented the forming of a new root center or nucleus, diverting the sap from the central plant, as would occur if the sucker was allowed to grow for a few weeks, as is generally done.



### STAKING RED RASPBERRIES.

The Englishman referred to trellised his canes after the fashion of the drawing given. Stakes three feet high were driven every few feet and wool twine stretched at the top and half way down (wire was costly in those days). He tied each cane to each string with bits of bass bark, such as is used in budding, spreading each hill in fan shape. Each cane thus had all the light and air possible and did not fall into the dirt when loaded with fruit.

If I were to make such a trellis, I would set stakes 12 feet apart and use wire about the size of that used in baling hay. For attaching canes I would get the small wire, such as is used in attaching nursery labels. Have it cut to a length of four inches, and bending a handful into the form of hairpins, the tying could be done in a jiffy by bringing the cane to the wire, slipping on a hairpin so as to embrace both and giving it a couple of twists. By this method any fruit garden could have a red raspberry patch that would be "a thing of beauty and a joy" instead of a cluttered thicket, says an Ohio Farmer correspondent.

### In the Orchard.

According to S. D. Willard, close planting for fruit trees is desirable and will bring the largest yield while trees are young. Then, as the trees touch each other, thin out to greater width. He plants apples 15 by 15 feet, and as soon as large enough to touch each other takes out every other tree, leaving them 30 by 30. Keep a healthy foliage on all trees as near winter as possible by spraying, as it is impossible to have a successful crop of perfect fruit unless we take care of the foliage. Use very little nitrogen to fruit trees; use more potash and phosphoric acid. Thin apples. The man who expects to make any money from apples in the future will have to thin, say, to six inches apart.

### A General Favorite.

There are few if any more usefully beautiful or sweeter scented roses than La France. It thrives well either on the brier or as a standard plant. It also grows and flowers well and freely when grown in a pot on its own roots. When grown as a standard, it must not be severely pruned. Merely thinning out the old wood is all that is necessary. This rose gives two full crops of its beautiful, large rose pink flowers each season. As soon as the first crop is over the dead flowers should be cut off and the roots well watered. There is no other rose of the same color that more generally pleases for room decoration than this.

### How to Clean Chamomile Gloves.

To clean chamomile gloves make a strong suds with white castile soap, and to two quarts of the suds add two teaspoonfuls of borax that has been previously dissolved in hot water. Let the suds get cold. Put the gloves on the hands and wash them carefully, as if washing the hands. Rinse in clear water, remove gently and put into a shady place to dry. When they have nearly dried, pull them into shape. Rub them between the hands when they are dry to soften them.

### How to Wash Coffee Cups.

If the cups are rinsed in cold water before being washed in soapy water, they will not become stained. The hot soap suds act as a mordant on the tannin of the tea or coffee and so fix the stain on the china.

### REJUVENATING BOOKS.

**How to Restore Gloss to Bindings. Removing Ink and Grease.**

One cardinal rule to keep in mind is never to try experiments with valuable works. Try new methods of restoration on comparatively worthless books.

For book bindings which have lost their gloss a preparation is made, as follows: Take powdered gum copal, add to it oil of rosemary sufficient to form a solution. Pour off the superfluous liquid and mix the remainder with sufficient alcohol to dissolve it well. In making take only enough oil to cover the copal and of alcohol about eight parts to the whole.

A fresh ink spot can be easily removed from a printed page by rubbing it with a finely pulverized mixture of saltpeter, sulphur, alum and powdered pumice. If the spot is an old one, moisten it first with a little water.

Treat an iron and hold it as near as possible to a grease spot without discoloring the paper, when the grease or wax will disappear. Upon any traces that are left put on powdered calcined magnesia for a time. Bone well calcined and powdered is an excellent absorbent of grease, also plaster of paris.

For extracting spots of a resinous nature use cologne, turpentine or benzine.

A beautifully bound book and quite new had oil from a lamp spilled over it. The culprit called for quicklime, but there was none to be had. So he got some bones, which he quickly calcined and pulverized and applied. The next morning there was no trace of oil, but only an odor, which soon vanished.

When a book is dogeared or its leaves have been turned, if the paper is not too stiff there is a chance of restoring them. Dampen the leaves one by one with water in which a little gum tragacanth has been dissolved. This is not so much an adhesive as a stiffener and is used as such for laces. Then flatten the leaves, putting a piece of smooth white paper between every leaf.

If there is any trace of dampness in a library or books begin to show mold, place a pan of quicklime near the shelves. This is better than a stove to dry the air. When slacked, it must be thrown away and a new lot procured.

### Cheese in Swiss Families.

The social rank of a family in Switzerland is estimated by the age of its cheese, and the greater the respect due to or the affection for a guest the older is the cheese set before him. There are in each pantry at least as many cheeses as there are boys and girls in the family, for at the birth of every child a cheese is made.

It is first cut into on his or her wedding day, on which festive occasion all the guests partake of a piece of the groom's and the bride's cheese in order to secure for them all earthly thrift and happiness. The rest is served as a token of friendly souvenir and heartfelt mourning after the tomb has closed over his or her earthly career.

Moreover, when a Swiss youth falls in love and wishes to pay court to the girl of his heart he goes to her father and asks permission to share the family dinner next Sunday. This is always granted if he is respectable, for it would be considered a deadly insult to refuse. The anxious question in his mind is, "Will papa bring out the cheese?"

Papa does not usually hurry to relieve his fears, having the family dignity in mind and wishing to proceed with due deliberation. If he is indeed satisfied with the suitor, he at length rises from his seat, goes solemnly to the cupboard, takes down the oldest piece of cheese, splits it and hands a piece to the youth and one to the maiden, and from the moment they have tasted it they are betrothed.

### Both Had Been Out.

"The revenue cutters of the United States, as you may know," said an officer of one of them who likes his little joke, "confine their services, which are really invaluable to the government, to the coast, and it is a rare thing indeed for any one of them except those of the Bering sea patrol to venture any distance out to sea. Nor is this rule an unsatisfactory one, for, say what you please about it, sea service is not as pleasant as the novelists and other romancers would have you believe.

"But I am getting off of my story, which applies to the cutter Grant when she was doing duty in New York bay and vicinity. Something had happened to call her down the shore somewhere, and she left the bay one afternoon, and early the next morning, while she was bowling along at about seven knots an hour, she hailed a big four masted."

"What ship is that?" came the cry from the Grant.

"The Royal Bengal Tiger, 243 days out from Calcutta," came the reply. "What ship is that?"

"Revenue cutter Grant," was the plaintive answer, "and we've been out all night."—Washington Star.

### Efficient Cavalrymen.

"Speaking of cavalry," said a veteran officer, "probably the hardest and most effective cavalry forces the world ever saw were some of the Confederate squadrons in the civil war. Why, Forrest's troops harassing Sherman to the sea used up horses at the rate of 11 per man in a twelvemonth."—Indianapolis News.

### Quick Arrow Shooting.

The Maya Indians have acquired extraordinary dexterity with the bow and arrow, which, with the spear, is their only weapon, though the boys before they are strong enough to draw the bow often use a sling made from a strip of rawhide, with which they kill squirrels and small birds. The bows are about five feet long, made of a thin, tough strip of cuhoop palm, well seasoned. The arrows are usually carried in a tiger skin quiver and can be used with marvelous rapidity, as the following incident will show:

A chief of the Lacandones of my acquaintance named Canek had been on bad terms with his father-in-law for some time. One morning while hunting in the bush he espied the old man in an anana tree gathering the apples. He at once fired an arrow at the man, striking him through the chest and while the body was falling placed another arrow in the neck. Fortunately for himself he managed to reach the nearest Spanish settlement before any of the murdered man's relatives could overtake him.—Chambers' Journal.

### He Knows Her.

She was a Washington woman well acquainted in diplomatic circles. Talking about Washington people one day, some one asked her:

"Do you know Senator Blank?"  
"Do I know Senator Blank?" she repeated. "Yes, I do know him, and he knows me. He will never forget me. I've trumped his ace when we were partners at whist."—New York Times.

### How to Make Cream Sandwiches.

Take half a pint of good cream, three teaspoonfuls of salmon or shrimp paste, half a teaspoonful of chopped parsley, salt and pepper and thin slices of brown bread. Whisk the cream till quite stiff. Stir the fish paste in lightly, add the parsley and season well. Spread this mixture on the slices of unbuttered bread and stamp out in neat little rounds. A dust of red cayenne pepper improves the appearance of these. Serve on a lace paper.

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## The Ring of the Matterhorn

By John J. a'Becket

Some love stories are insipid because they lack action. This is one that is full of life and novelty. The heroine, a Vassar College graduate, displays pluck, perseverance and skill by climbing the Matterhorn, one of the highest peaks of the Alps. She does it on a wager of \$100,000. She wins, not only the wager but a handsome husband, and upsets a clever plan to compel her to marry a worthless count.

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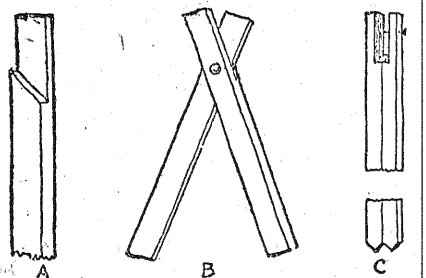
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### LAND MEASURING.

A Device Easy to Make and Simple to Use—A Measuring Wheel.

Every up to date farmer should know the contents in area of each field on his farm, but he often has no idea of the length and breadth of a field and none of the number of acres in it except what the surveying attachment on his grain drill makes, says a Rural New Yorker writer who tells about a number of land measuring devices, among



### WALKING MEASURING DEVICE.

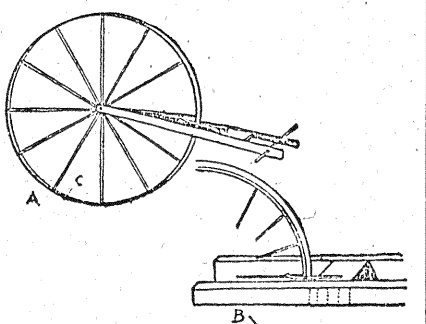
them the following: The device which I most frequently use in land measuring is shown in the first cut. It requires two pieces of light pine about 1 1/2 by 2 inches and seven feet long. Lay them down on an even surface in a position corresponding to the form of the letter V, with the spread ends just 8 feet 3 inches apart. Now mark with a pencil at the ends where they come together and, referring to these marks, make a bevel, or so called miter, in each, as shown by A. Fit the pieces together again and make a small hole in both, through which place a bolt to hold the pieces in the position shown by B. For convenience use a long threaded bolt with a thumb nut. This completes the measure.

Its use is very simple. The operator steps or swings it along, two steps making, when the pieces are set correct distances apart, 10 1/2 feet, or one rod, bearing in mind that the first step made when starting at corner of field is equal to two steps, or a rod, as the measure, when set up with one point at edge of field and the other 8 1/4 feet from the edge, has already made the first step, and therefore when the operator swings it round the first time he causes it to make the second step. If desired, the measure can be made of pieces about five feet long and with the points 5 1/2 feet apart. Then three steps are necessary to make a rod. When finished using the measure, loosen the thumb nut of bolt and swing

the uprights together, as shown by C, when it will occupy a small space for transporting from place to place or storing away. If well made and painted, it will present a neat appearance and last a lifetime.

The measuring wheel shown in the second cut requires a little longer to make, but it is the most rapid when in use. Selecting an old wooden hub from the wheel of a toy wagon, fill it with light spokes about 3 1/2 inches long, according to size of hub, so as to make a wheel 5 1/2 feet in diameter. Put on a tire of light hoop iron, fastening it with a small nail to each spoke. Hang the wheel, with a pin or bolt for axle, between two light strips three-quarters by two inches and four feet long. Between the strips, close to rim of wheel, place a block to nail strips to and hold firm, and at the end of frame put a cross-piece or handle to hold by. The wheel has a circumference of 16 1/2 feet, and each revolution makes one rod. Color one spoke to count by; or, better still, put a nail or small peg in the spoke, and on the block in the frame fasten a thin wooden or steel strip to catch the nail or peg at each revolution and make a sharp clicking sound, as illustrated in diagram B.

To use the measure, start at the edge of the field and push the wheel along, counting the clicks, each click indicat-



### WHEELING MEASURING DEVICE.

ing that the wheel has made a revolution and, if the dimensions are correctly kept when constructing it, has covered 16 1/2 feet of ground and made a rod. When starting, have the nail or peg in the spoke of the wheel just on top of the click, and the spoke C in the diagram A just at the edge of the field or directly at the point from which it is desired to measure; then the first click made when the measure is pushed along means just one rod.

### How to Barbecue Ham.

Cut large slices of cold boiled ham and fry them in their own fat. Prepare a sauce to pour over them by adding one tablespoonful each of vinegar, sugar and made mustard, and a little pepper to the fat left in the pan. Lay the slices of ham in a hot platter, add the sauce and serve at once.



# SPIDER'S CHAPS.

By WOLCOTT LE CLERK BEARD.

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[CONTINUED.]

A few moments later I became conscious that I was being rapidly dragged over the ground. Then I opened my eyes and saw that Spider's face was directly above my own; saw that, though his horse was galloping, he did not pass me. I could feel that his left hand was fast on my collar. His right arm was hooked around the horn of his saddle, and I noticed that the pistol he held in the same hand was much fouled from recent use. I concluded that Spider was dragging me behind his horse. Why he was dragging me or where I neither knew nor cared. Everything became black again.

When I again became conscious that I was alive, my view was bounded by four walls of whitewashed adobe and a ceiling of boards, also whitewashed. I was not at all surprised at the fact that I was lying in a bed—a real bed—with sheets, such as I had not seen for months, or that a dark eyed Mexican woman, dressed as a sister of charity, sat by that bed. What did trouble me was the fact that I was weak and utterly helpless. I could not understand it at all and tried to ask the sister. I failed in the attempt, but she saw me try and said in Spanish that I was to keep quiet. Then I tried to think it all out and failed in that too. On consideration I became very indignant with the sister and contemplated saying something quite severe, but I forgot what I wanted to say and went to sleep instead.

When I awoke, a man was bending over me—a man dressed as a priest, but



Spider appeared in the doorway.

who was evidently a physician as well. He wished to feel my pulse. I declined. The sense of weakness was largely gone now. I wanted to see the foreman and I wanted to get up.

"You have been wounded," said the man in Spanish. "You cannot get up and it is not well that you should talk. Let me feel your pulse."

"Send for the foreman and then I will," I repeated unreasonably. The priest hesitated.

"Send for the foreman, padre, and then you can do as you like!" I cried again.

"He is becoming excited. Fetch the man he wants, but only for a moment," said the priest at last. The sister vanished and in a moment returned with the foreman at her heels.

"I know what you want say, but you musn't say it," said he, seating himself beside my bed. "You've been here three weeks. This is the convent of Los Angeles—the angels—that's one of 'em what's nursin you now. The cattle's all right—sold and shipped, every last one. Some er them, they've is in jail; the trial comes off 'er Tuesday. They'll—"

"Where are the ones that aren't in jail?" I managed to ask weakly.

"Don't talk—I'll do all that. The ones that ain't in jail? Well, they're—well, just about where you saw 'em last, I reckon. They broke an ran just after you went down. Spider, he went in an drug you out. He didn't get hurt, but a ball went through his chaps an burned the skin of his leg. They'll be mighty glad to hear how nice you're comin on, the boys will, specially Spider an the Bally Gurl. The Bally Gurl's been makin' quail broth every day, hopin you might eat some, an Spider's been a-fightin with him 'cause he don't make enough. He's gone after more quail now, Spider has. He's a good boy, an he's done good work an learned a heap sence we took him on. I tole him that maybe you'd give him a man's pay now, an I said that if he behaved himself you might let him have a little herd of his own, when he can get the cattle an let 'em run with ours."

"I'll start the brand myself," I said. "I want to see Spider." As though in answer to my wish Spider appeared in the doorway. In one hand he held a shotgun several sizes larger than he was, in the other a string of quail. He saw that I was awake, and started to go away, but the padre looked at me, and must have decided that the interview was doing me no harm, for he smiled kindly at Spider and beckoned him in. Laying down his gun and string of game, Spider advanced cautiously.

"Say, I'm sure glad you're a-gettin well," he said softly, taking one of my

hands as it lay by my side. "All the boys is. They said if you didn't they'd break open the jail an hang every rustler they foun'. I mus' go, now, but me an the Bally Gurl we'll keep you fed up as well as we can. An, say, I'm awful glad!" He gently laid down my hand and vanished. The foreman had already gone.

"That is well over," said the padre. "Now you must sleep again." And so I did.

THE END.

## THE SUNDAY SCHOOL.

LESSON II, THIRD QUARTER, INTERNATIONAL SERIES, JULY 8.

Text of the Lesson, John vi, 22-40. Memory Verses, 35-37—Golden Text, John vi, 35—Commentary Prepared by the Rev. D. M. Stearns.

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22-24. "When the people therefore saw that Jesus was not there, neither His disciples, they also took shipping and came to Capernaum, seeking for Jesus." This was on the day following the feeding of the 5,000. The people had seen the disciples go away in the boat and that Jesus had not gone with them, so probably expected in the morning to find Him, and, not finding Him, concluded that He must have crossed in some other boat, so they also cross the sea seeking Him.

25, 26. "Verily, verily, I say unto you, ye seek Me not because ye saw the miracles, but because ye did eat of the loaves and were filled." In verse 2 we read that a great multitude followed Him because they saw His miracles which He did on them that were diseased. So that people have many reasons for seeking Him, and perhaps the majority seek Him not for His own sake, and the glory of His kingdom, but for some present blessing—health of body, success in work or perhaps to escape the wrath to come. What a precious truth it is; that, "this Man receiveth sinners," and how glad multitudes have been made by His own words, "Him that cometh unto Me I will in no wise cast out!" (Luke xv, 2; John vi, 37.)

27. He tells them that there is something better than bread for the body, that there is such a thing as everlasting life, and something to nourish it, and that He, the Son of Man, gives it freely, and that He is anointed by God the Father so to do. The meat which endureth is Himself (verses 53-56), and, receiving Him, we are made sure of all else that we need (John i, 12; Rom. viii, 32).

28, 29. "This is the work of God, that ye believe on Him whom He hath sent." This was His reply to the question, "What shall we do that we might work the works of God?" There is something that must precede working God's works, and that is to receive into our hearts God Himself by receiving His Son Jesus Christ, for only God in us can work the works of God (Phil. ii, 13).

30, 31. They had just seen Him feed 5,000 with five loaves, and now they say, "Shew us a sign that we may believe Thee, for God gave our fathers manna in the desert, bread from heaven to eat. Though it is plainly written that God gave them the manna (Neh. ix, 15; Ps. lxxviii, 24, 25), possibly the meant that Moses gave them the manna and were trying to make out that Moses was greater than this Man.

32, 33. "Verily, verily, I say unto you, Moses gave you not that bread from heaven; but my Father giveth you the true bread from heaven." Then He added that He Himself is the Bread of God, who came down from heaven to give life unto the world. He repeats again and again that He is the Bread of Life or Living Bread (verses 35, 48, 51). His coming down from heaven includes all the humiliation of the 34 years of His sojourn here, with all the agony of Gethsemane and Calvary. Bread corn is bruised, and it pleased the Lord to bruise Him (Isa. xlviii, 28; llii, 10). The corn of wheat must fall into the ground and die (John xii, 24), and He died that He might be to us the Bread of Life and through us bear fruit. He died for us and rose again that we might live through Him.

34, 35. They ask for this bread as the woman asked for the living water (iv, 15), not knowing what they said. He replied: "I am the Bread of Life. He that cometh to Me shall never hunger, and he that believeth on Me shall never thirst." The phrase "hunger and thirst" may be said to embrace all individual needs and unsatisfied desires of man in all their variety. See Isa. xlix, 10; Rev. vii, 16. Jesus Himself satisfies all. No one else or nothing else can. As we receive for our individual need bread for the body and it becomes a part of our blood, the life of the body (Lev. xvii, 11), so we must individually receive the Lord Jesus as life for our souls.

36. "Ye also have seen Me and believe not." I do not know any better definition of believing than that found in chapter i, 12. No amount of knowledge of Christ can save us apart from receiving Him, just as no amount of food or knowledge of how it is prepared can benefit us unless we eat the food. If one asks "How do I receive Him?" I should say, "In the same way that you receive any gift." Scripture teaches us that we are all sinners, all unrighteous and that the unrighteous cannot enter the kingdom (Rom. iii, 19, 23; I Cor. vi, 9), but that God offers us freely the righteousness which He requires and has provided in Christ.

37. The Father has given to the Son a company of people who are to reign with Him in His kingdom and be a blessing to all the world, a people for His name gathered from all nations (Acts xv, 14; Rev. v, 9, 10). It is our business to give the good news of redemption by the blood of Jesus to every creature believing that all who will accept Him may do so (John iii, 16) and that of all who come not one shall be cast out. The last part of this verse is for all who hear the good news, that no one may think that he will not be accepted, for God is not willing

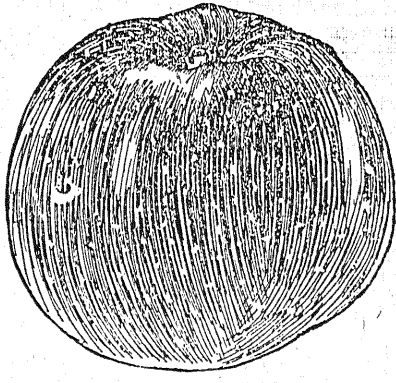
that any should perish (I Pet. iii, 9). The first part is an inside truth, for the comfort of those who have come, to assure them that, having been given by the Father to the Son, they can never perish (John x, 28, 29; xvii, 12).

38-40. The life of Jesus was the will of God; it was His meat (chapter iv, 34; v, 30; see also Math. xi, 25, 26). He never pleased Himself, but did always those things that pleased the Father (Rom. xv, 3; John viii, 29). Part of the Father's will is here said to be that every one receiving Jesus may have everlasting life and never be lost. Another part of that will is that all such shall be raised up at the last day (verses 39, 40, 44, 54), for no one has full salvation for the body as well as the soul until the second coming of Christ, when all that are His shall have bodies like His risen and glorified body (Phil. iii, 20, 21; I John iii, 1, 2; I Cor. xv, 23). Some would ask, "How can we eat His flesh and drink His blood?" By comparing verses 47 and 53 the answer is found. Eating His flesh and drinking His blood give eternal life, and believing on Him gives eternal life, so that the one must be equal to the other, and when we truly receive Him we are said to eat His flesh and drink His blood.

## THE BISMARCK APPLE.

Fruit a Handsome Giant—Tree a Heavy and Sure Cropper.

"Among recent novelties that have surely come to stay is this new handsome apple, and whatever may be its deficiencies in the matter of flavor—and some people can hardly find terms of sufficient strength for their feelings—it has attained a position that impels



APPLE BISMARCK.

notice. After all, quality and flavor are not everything in an apple. But there is much confliction of opinion in regard to Bismarck, lavish praise and condemnation being about equal.

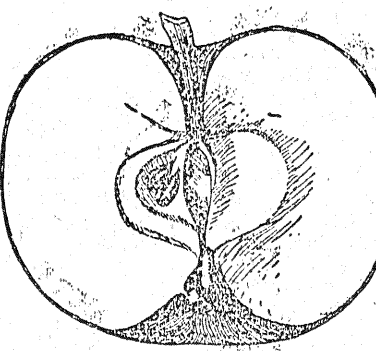
"Its quality certainly does not commend it very highly as a dessert apple, but a strong point in its favor is its early bearing, and this point may develop to be one of considerable importance. According to reports from England, Bismarck apple is a very profitable one for the London market, and it may therefore be worthy of attention by some of our fruit growers who raise for export." So says American Gardening and quotes the following from an English exchange:

"From the prices realized for it in the public markets it deserves all that can be written in its favor. We have often urged upon growers the necessity of going in for large, fine colored apples; such as the one under notice. It is not only very large, but it carries a beautiful color and when put up in an effective manner commands a ready sale and in quantity. It is a late variety—that improves it, in our opinion. When a late high grade apple like this can be obtained, it should be planted freely, for the demand and prices which prevail when supplies are obtainable prove this clearly.

"Bismarck is large in every respect. It is a veritable giant fruit in size, and its cropping properties are gigantic. It is, in fact, one of the heaviest fruiting late apples we have, and as such, all other points considered, it may safely be termed one of the finest apples in cultivation. The tree is a healthy and strong grower. For market purposes it is well suited, and if carefully grown the fruit put up in one and two layer boxes—preferably the former—will command a free sale at good prices. Sold thus it insures a demand from a well to do class of retail fruiterers."

To those who are interested in growing fruits in pots under glass the illustration presented by American Gardening will appeal strongly as showing the possibilities of the Bismarck. This fruit weighed full 14 ounces. The well known private gardener, by whom it was grown said in regard to this variety of apple:

"The tree has a tendency to compactness in habit and therefore can



APPLE BISMARCK.

be kept in shape with but little trouble. Should the apple respond to orchard cultivation as it does to cultivation under glass it is worthy of attention, although I do not consider it a first class fruit. Still its handsome appearance will more than counterbalance any weakness in quality. The fruit should be kept a considerable time before being used for dessert. It is one of the best croppers I know and produces fruits of a uniformly large size."

## Shabbona A Week's History of the People of Shabbona

A dance at Hall's Monday night! Miss Florence Bonney is home from Cass City.

Mr. Wilcox of Deford was in town Thursday.

Mary Atkins came home from Flint Wednesday.

Mrs. Chas. Parrot went north Tuesday morning.

There was a barn raising at Henry Leslie's Friday.

Messrs. Nique and Keyworth were at Cass City Monday.

Emory Meredith, who is working at Cumber, Sundayed at home.

A dance and strawberry festival was given at the hall Friday night.

Adolph Ayslender is having his house painted by Wm. Raymond.

G. H. Slocum, Supreme Secretary of the Cleaners, was in town Thursday night.

Sheriff Stone was here a part of last week looking after hay that he had stored in J. D. Allen's barn.

Clayton Crawford of Novesta, while here Wednesday, had the misfortune to have his bicycle tire explode. A new one was purchased and he returned home safely.

The wind storm of Friday blew Jas. Peterbaugh's barn flat to the ground. He was preparing to place a stone wall under it and was to commence haying soon. An entire new barn must be built.

Sol Curtis will build the new school house in district No. 6 for the sum of \$600. School district No. 7 has its school house up. That district has been making fair progress, but is behind this one.

A short time ago the Novesta scribe told of a woman somewhere near packing her telescope, taking her babe and bidding adieu to her husband. Well she did all of that, but returned, and now we hear that she has again departed and asks for her share of the property.

In the twenty-two marriage licenses given in last week's Chronicle, the average age of the men was 32 and of the women 28. Nearly bachelors and old maids. The first step in folly is to fall in love and the second to get married. When people can shun folly until the foregoing ages they certainly deserve credit.

School district No. 1 held a picnic in George Jones' woods Friday. A fine program, was rendered and an enjoyable time was had by all. Miss Ella Leepia, the teacher, has ended a very successful term of school and has proven her ability as a teacher, especially in the lower grades. Let it be remembered that this picnic will be the last one held by present district No. 1. The people who hustled district dividing last winter felt rather sorry the day of the picnic and wished the district had been left alone.

The nomination of Col. A. T. Bliss of Saginaw for governor satisfies the Shabbona people in every respect. No man in the world would be gubernatorial field hits the people so pleasantly as Mr. Bliss. His soldier life pleases the G. A. R.; his business qualities strike business men; his unostentatious suits the workmen; his honesty captures all. His majority next November will be high in the thousands for he will receive the votes of not only all the Republicans but many Democrats

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Shabbona Tent, No. 399, meets the first and third Wednesday evening of each month. Visiting Sir. Knights cordially invited.

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9:30	15:55	8:35	Cole	7:37	10:15	3:20	
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11:25	16:10	9:12	Leonard	6:45	9:46	2:20	
11:52	16:30	9:32	Dryden	6:30	9:32	2:00	
12:30	16:40	9:44	Imlay City	6:28	9:19	1:50	
12:58	16:50	9:56	Lump*	6:40	9:07	1:55	
1:17	17:00	10:03	Cluses Mills*	6:28	8:59	1:40	
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2:57	17:38	10:30	Clifford	6:06	8:30	1:20	
3:25	17:54	10:50	Kinston	6:00	8:15	1:05	
3:40	18:04	10:59	Wilcox*	5:24	8:06	1:00	
4:14	18:12	11:07	Deford*	4:14	7:59	9:15	
5:15	18:28	11:25	Cass City	4:00	7:47	8:55	
5:45	18:41	11:39	Gagetown	3:40	7:22	7:55	
6:05	18:52	11:55	Owenduff*	3:30	7:20	7:35	
6:15	18:56	12:00	Linkville	3:20	7:17	7:25	
6:35	19:10	12:15	Pigeon	3:05	7:00	7:00	
6:40	19:12	12:18	Berna*	3:00	6:58	6:40	
7:10	19:25	12:35	Cassville	2:45	6:45	6:15	
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## NEWS OF THE STATE.

### ITEMS OF SPECIAL INTEREST TO MICHIGAN PEOPLE.

#### A Good Report of Happenings Throughout Our Great State Received by Telegraph—Crimes, Casualties and Other Matters of General Interest.

Grand Rapids, June 29.—After taking ten decisive ballots for the governorship, hunger compelled the supperless delegates to the Republican state convention to adjourn to 10 o'clock Wednesday night. At this time Dexter M. Ferry of Detroit was in the lead with 290 votes, while 421 were required to nominate. Colonel A. T. Bliss of Saginaw was ten votes behind Mr. Ferry, while Justus S. Stearns of Ludington had 206. The other votes were scattered among Chase S. Osborn of the upper peninsula, James O'Donnell of Jackson and Milo D. Campbell of Coldwater.

Grand Rapids, Mich., June 29.—For governor, Colonel Aaron T. Bliss, of Saginaw; lieutenant governor, O. W. Robinson, of Houghton; secretary of state, Fred M. Warner, of Farmington; state treasurer, Daniel McCoy, of Grand Rapids; auditor general, Perry F. Powers, of Cadillac; attorney general, H. M. Oren, of Sault Ste. Marie; state land commissioner, Edward Wildley, of Paw Paw; superintendent of public instruction, Delos Fall, of Albion; member of state board of education, James H. Thompson, of Oscoda.

The Republican state convention wound up its work at dusk last evening, after almost continuous sessions since 10 a. m., by placing the above ticket in nomination. When the gavel fell upon the closing scene, not over one-fourth of the delegates remained in their seats, while the nominations were being made the platform was read and adopted. The contest over the governorship was a hot one. There had been ten ballots taken before adjournment Wednesday night, and when the convention opened yesterday the balloting was resumed.

Seven more ballots were taken before the noon recess and when the results had been recorded, one man acknowledged that he was beaten. He was Dexter M. Ferry, of Detroit. The first ballot yesterday stood: Ferry, 283; Bliss, 279; Stearns, 202; Osborn, 35; O'Donnell, 28, and Campbell, 13. The succeeding ones showed steady losses for Ferry and equally steady gains for Bliss, the seventeenth count being Ferry, 249; Bliss 290; Stearns, 191; O'Donnell, 63; Osborn, 26; Campbell, 13.

After the noon recess Ferry's friends attempted to stampede the convention to O'Donnell, but it failed at first and they decided to stick to Ferry, which they did to the last. On the eighteenth ballot Bliss had 329 votes and on the next ballot was nominated. It was little trouble making the other nominations when the governorship was out of the way.

Colonel Bliss has been a candidate for governor at every convention since 1892. He came within 51 votes of Pingree's total upon the deciding ballot in 1896. He rose from private to colonel in the civil war.

The platform indorses the McKinley administration and policies, all and singular; all the legislation of congress, especially that on finances, and the ticket and platform of the Philadelphia convention. Combines to limit production or control prices are disapproved of and legislation to control them is advocated. Sympathy is expressed for the Boers, but the administration's action in that matter is indorsed. In state matters "equal taxation" is advocated; also the repeal of all special railway charters; corruption of state officials is condemned and the demand made that the guilty shall be punished.

#### BULLETIN FOR THE FARMER.

Low Temperature Retards the Corn—Other Crops Are Benefitted.

Lansing, Mich., June 28.—The weekly crop bulletin says: "The continued low temperature, and especially the cool nights, have greatly retarded the growth of corn; otherwise the weather conditions of the past week have been very beneficial to all vegetation. Light rains have occurred and relieved the droughty condition of the upper peninsula and the northern counties; in the southern counties showers have slightly interfered with haying and cultivation. Corn has generally made a good stand and continues to look healthy, although its growth is very slow. Oats are in fine condition and heading in southern counties.

Rye, barley and early planted beans have made good progress and look promising; late planted beans have germinated poorly on account of the cool, dry weather of the early part of the week. Sugar beets are generally thinned, well cultivated and in a very promising condition. Both early and late potatoes are doing well. Wheat continues to deteriorate and is crinkling and falling badly on account of the Hessian fly. Haying is general in the southern and central counties; old meadows as a rule are heavy and yielding finely. Apples have fallen considerably.

#### GREAT DAY FOR THREE OAKS

Town Entertains Ten Times Its Own Population.

Three Oaks, Mich., June 29.—A city that could entertain ten times its own population on any public occasion would be a remarkable metropolis. Is the wonder any less then with a village in which every citizen entertains ten guests, and that without conflict or accident—this is precisely what Three Oaks, Mich., has done. This is the sequel of the announcements which have been heralded far and wide of the proposed unveiling of the celebrated Devey cannon. This cannon was donated by Admiral Dewey to the National Monument committee to be con-

tributed to the town or village contributing the most to the memorial in proportion to population. Three Oaks entered the contest, won out, and yesterday formally unveiled and dedicated the pre-eminent trophy of the Spanish-American war to which is attached the personality of Admiral Dewey.

Speeches were made by Mayor Warren; Dr. W. E. Barton, of Chicago, and General Alger; and the exercises, which were prefaced by a procession, were attended by a number of distinguished people, the most notable of whom was Miss Helen Gould, whose name—frequently mentioned in the speeches and always eulogistically—was the signal for loud and hearty applause. Miss Gould touched the button that unveiled the gun. Later she held a reception and shook hands with a large number of people.

#### NOVEL SUIT OF AN EX-CONVICT.

He Wants Wages for His Labor White Illegally in Prison.

Jackson, Mich., June 29.—A case of unusual interest was tried in the circuit court here. Frank J. Thompson was sent to the state prison from Newaygo county, on a sentence of three years and six months for receiving \$1 of stolen money. After serving two years and a half he instituted habeas corpus proceedings in the circuit court last October and was released, the limit of punishment for the offense allowed by statute being ninety days in jail.

While in the prison Thompson was employed in the Bronk-Bullington shirt factory, being one of the 300 convicts employed by them under contract with the state. He brought suit against the Bronk-Bullington shirt company for wages earned while so employed. The case was tried Tuesday, W. D. Fuller, of Grand Rapids, appearing for Thompson, and Wilson & Cobb, of this city, for the shirt company. Judge Peck has taken the case under advisement.

#### CIVILIZATION AT DETROIT.

Two Young Girls Settle a Quarrel in a Tom Sharky.

Detroit, June 30.—Mary McCaffrey, 14 years of age, and Elizabeth Tierney, aged 15 years, who had been intimate friends, quarreled and decided to settle their difficulty in a pugilistic manner. They met at Elywood avenue and Antietam street at midnight. About twenty-five young men formed a ring around them and the two girls started at each other, while the boys urged them on.

Patrolman David Ross came along in citizen's clothes and started to separate the fair fighters. The crowd rebelled at the interference and attacked the officer, one of the young men using a revolver. The officer was pounded about the head and body and badly hurt. Two of the toughs, however, and the girls were locked up. The girls will probably be sent to the reform school.

#### Lightning Does Much Damage.

Traverse City, Mich., June 29.—Lightning did considerable damage in this vicinity Tuesday night. H. E. Gidley's farm house near Yuba was struck by a bolt and burned. The family barely escaped. The barn of William Helmforth, near Bingham, in Leelanaw county, was struck and damaged. Three horses in a field on the Hallett farm, near Yuba, were killed. The house of Mr. Gee, near Elk Lake, was struck and Mrs. Gee injured. The end was knocked off a barn belonging to Lowell Sours, in Whitewater township. Will T. Totton, of Blair, was struck by a falling limb and died in a short time.

#### Programme at Three Oaks Today.

Three Oaks, Mich., June 28.—The official programme for the unveiling of the Dewey cannon, which is to take place today in the presence of Miss Helen Gould and General Russell A. Alger, is as follows: Band; chorus, "Battle Hymn;" prayer, Dr. Martin; greeting, E. K. Warren; chorus, "Columbia;" welcome, General R. A. Alger; chorus, "To Thee, O Country;" address, W. E. Barton; unveiling, Miss Gould; chorus; "America;" benediction, Dr. Martin.

#### Three Drowned—Fug Foundered.

Port Huron, Mich., July 2.—The tug Marion Teller foundered Friday in Lake St. Clair. The following members of her crew are missing and are believed to have been drowned: A. L. Holmes, chief engineer, Ambersburg; John Kirk, cook, Ambersburg; George Malson, fireman, Detroit. The saved are Captain Cornhall and son Ray, of Detroit. The tug was caught in a gale and sprung a leak.

#### Scalped in a Wheel Accident.

Detroit, July 2.—Alexander Griffin, of 164 Twelfth street, was terribly injured while riding his wheel down the Griswold street hill. Griffin's wheel was running beyond his control when a heavy truck crossed the street at Woodbridge street. Griffin was dashed head first against the iron tire of one of the wheels and his scalp ripped open and turned down over his forehead.

#### Accepts the Chair of Latin.

Olivet, Mich., July 2.—Professor George V. Edwards, A. B. Ph. D., has accepted the chair of Latin in Olivet college. He is a graduate of Hamilton, took his doctor's degrees from Johns Hopkins, and has studied in Munich and Rome. The trustees announce that a considerable amount has already been raised on a second \$100,000 endowment.

#### Died of His Own Carelessness.

Ironwood, Mich., June 28.—Thomas Pollard, aged 15, a schoolboy, was instantly killed in the Carry mine early yesterday. The accident was due to his own carelessness. While the men were lurching he climbed upon the timber over the shaft to rest. He fell asleep, and rolling over, fell down the shaft, breaking his neck.

## Kilmanagh and Hows of the People of Sebwaing.

SEBWAING  
 Rev. G. J. Kim preached in Linkville Sunday.

Miss Easterly of Jackson is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Shuerer.

W. Shuerer of Jackson is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Shuerer.

Olin Pengra was at Grand Rapids last week attending the state convention.

Mrs. D. Kearcher entertained the children of the Junior Alliance Friday evening at her home.

There was a grand opening of the new creamery and a general good time here July 3. The new butter factory was formally opened.

Herbert J. Davis and Miss Mertle Meacham were united in marriage at the home of the bride Monday evening. Congratulations.

The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. F. Bertrand died Saturday night. The funeral was held Tuesday at 2:30 p. m. Services were conducted by Rev. A. A. Shuerer.

#### KILMANAGH.

Born, June 29, to Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Brown, a son.

A. A. Woldt is putting an addition to his house which adds much to the appearance of the place.

The Shebeon bridge is not completed yet. During these busy times it seems hard to secure the necessary help. Such a matter should be looked after by those taking the job as it makes it very inconvenient for some of the people.

Last Wednesday we had a nice exhibition in the hall. On Thursday some strangers came to town desiring the hall for that evening. After watching matters a little our hotel-keeper turned them out. We understand that they, or some of them at least, slept in the hall. They left next morning about 4 o'clock and took small things with them. Paul Woldt missed his neckyoke, so followed and caught them before they boarded the train. The neckyoke was afterwards located in Bad Axe.

Children's Day exercises were held in the Evangelical church last Sunday evening. Shortly before 8 p. m. the program was taken up. Rev. Shuerer led the congregation in prayer, after which C. F. Hey gave a short welcome address. This was followed by singing and recitations. Then Rev. Shuerer gave an appropriate address previous to taking up the collection which amounted to \$6.00. The Y. P. A. orchestra then rendered some selections.

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## Additional Chroniclings.

Miss Minnie Atwell is visiting friends in Caro.

Miss Lulu Anderson of Ispheuing is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Dr. Wickware.

Herb Frutchey is the delegate from Elkland to attend the Democratic state convention which convenes at Detroit, July 25.

Elias McKim returned Friday from Pennsylvania where he has been travelling in the interests of his grain, hay and stock rack.

Morley Wickware has accepted a position in the bank of P. C. Purdy & Son at Gagetown. He leaves for that place Monday.

The Eastern Michigan Poultry Society will hold their third annual exhibition in Cass City during the month of December.

Mrs. McCullough from near Owendale was killed in a runaway Monday evening. The funeral was held yesterday at the Brookfield Presbyterian church, Rev. A. Torbet officiating. Mrs. McCullough was a sister of Mrs. David Ross of this place.

Last Friday evening while passing the National Marble Works a number of our townsmen, attracted by the unusual noise and bustle which was going on there, stopped to learn the cause and enquired if Hill & Parent were going out of business; but when told that they were getting a large number of monuments ready to ship they were satisfied that Hill & Parent were here to stay.

A duck which had laid several dozen eggs during the season complained that while her working record was better than the hens's the latter had books and poems written in her honor while no one had a word of praise for the duck. A wise old rooster standing by said, "You lay an egg and waddle off without saying a word while that sister of mine never lays one without letting everybody in the neighborhood know it. If you want to cut any ice here you must advertise."—Ex.

While Edward Belmar of Caro was watering his horse near T. H. Hunt's store yesterday, the animal became frightened and started to run away. Mr. Belmar tried to stop him by hanging onto the harness, but did not succeed, and was thrown to the ground, bruising himself quite badly. The horse continued past the grist mill and was thrown to the ground by running into a wire fence. Leaving the buggy and harness there, he ran into McCall's ten cent barn where he was captured. The buggy and harness were broken in several places.

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With a piece of clean flannel dipped in warm water and then squeezed nearly dry take up as much whitening of the best quality as will adhere. Apply this, rubbing the paint work moderately, and afterward wash the surface with clean water and rub it dry with a chamois leather. This method is better than the use of soap. It requires but half the time and labor and leaves the surface clean and as good as new.

Another way is to dissolve half an ounce of glue and a bit of soft soap the size of a walnut in about three pints of warm water and with a well worn whitewash brush well scrub the work, but not sufficiently to take off the paint, and rinse with plenty of cold clean water, using a wash leather. Let it dry itself. Work done in this manner will often look equal to new.

Again, first take off all the dust with a soft brush and pair of bellows. Scour with a mixture of soft soap and fuller's earth and use lukewarm water. If there are any spots which are extra dirty, remove these by rubbing with a sponge dipped in soap and water. Commence the scouring at the top of the door or wainscot and proceed downward and dry with a soft linen cloth. When cleaning paint, it is always better to employ two persons, one to scour and the other to rub dry.

Still another. The best and easiest way to clean old paintwork, either varnished or even the most delicate paint, is to use a soft flannel dipped in paraffin oil. Rub on all dirty finger marks or even all over doors and wainscoting. Then rinse with clean cold water, and you will be delighted with the result. Can also be used for cleaning furniture with the best results.

**How to Store Fur Rugs.**  
 After having these thoroughly beaten, seen that they are quite free from moth; then, place in a box lined thickly with newspapers. Wrap cloths out in paraffin till nearly dry, place these between sheets of brown paper and put between the folds. At the top and bottom of the box put cloths soaked in

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Cass City, Mich., July 6, 1900

Wheat, No. 1 white.....	76
Wheat, No. 2 red.....	76
Rye, No. 2.....	50
White oats, No. 2.....	35
Hand picked beans.....	1 75
Screened beans.....	1 50
Peas.....	40 50
Hay, No. 1 Timothy pressed.....	8 60
Hay, No. 2 pressed.....	8 00
Eggs per doz.....	10
Butter.....	10
Live hogs, per cwt.....	45 4 50
Beef, live weight.....	2 50 3 75
Sheep, live weight, per lb.....	3 6
Dressed Veal.....	8
Dressed Hogs.....	6 1/2
Dressed Beef.....	5 00
Chicken.....	5
Ducks.....	7
Geese.....	7
Turkey.....	8
Hides, green.....	6 7

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Spring patent.....	2 40
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Bolted meal, per cwt.....	1 75
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Meal.....	1 00
Bran.....	80
Middlings.....	90
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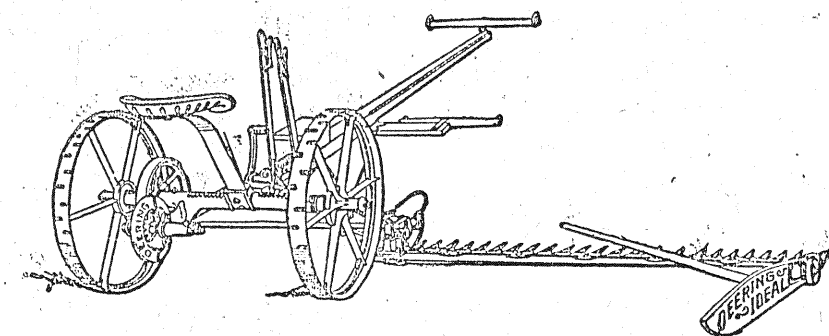
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