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BY A. A. P. M'DOWELL

We greet you with welcome news at the beginning of 1904. Our prices on all grades of

Building Materials

have

Taken a Drop.

We have been able to place our orders for stock at a lower price and will give you the benefit. All orders for Doors and Windows and Frames and Interior Finish given before March 1st will be booked at the reduced prices.

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Do not neglect your Horse's Cough; Heaves are easily contracted, but try

"Our Own Cure."

It has been tested by the best horse-men, and we FULLY GUARANTEE it.

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In Lumber for building a house, barn or granary?

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- ARE YOU looking for the best Lumber?
- ARE YOU looking for just right prices?
- ARE YOU going to get an estimate from us before buying?

If you're "AT SEA" as to where you can get the best Lumber Bargains, just anchor to our hitching post for a few minutes while we tell you about our prices. Our facilities for handling a large stock are unequalled in The Thumb. We are thereby enabled to give our customers the best goods, in the best possible condition, at low prices.

A large stock of Saginaw Domestic Lump and Soranton Anthracite Coal constantly on hand.

Look us over, get acquainted. It may do you good.

CASS CITY LUMBER AND COAL CO., Ltd.

SNOW BLOCKED.

No Trains Reach Cass City Since Saturday.

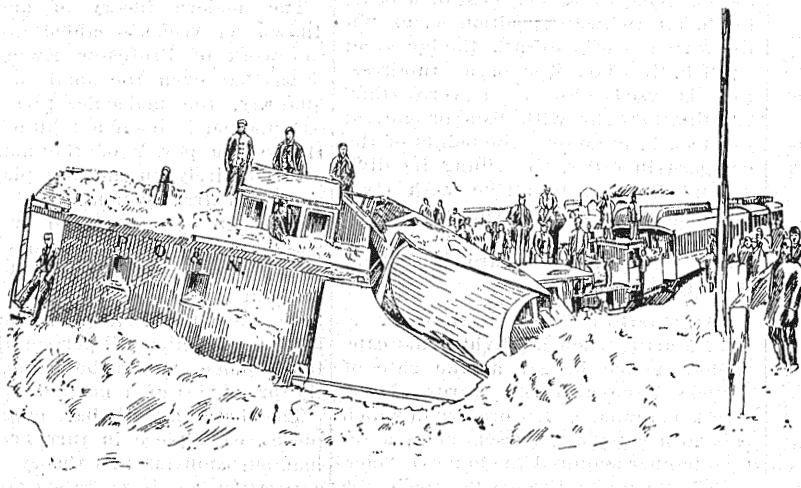
BUSINESS INTERFERED WITH.

Mails Now Coming By Way of Caro, No Daily Papers Since Saturday.

NO FREIGHT LIKELY THIS WEEK.

For several weeks the railroads have had difficulty in keeping their tracks clear and trains have been very irregular, but the storm of Saturday made matters even worse and things are now practically at a standstill. The afternoon train south on Saturday succeeded in getting through to Pontiac about on time, but the evening train north became stalled between North Branch and Clifford and all efforts to get through the huge snow banks proved unavailing. The only course seemed to be to shovel through and the banks being anywhere from four

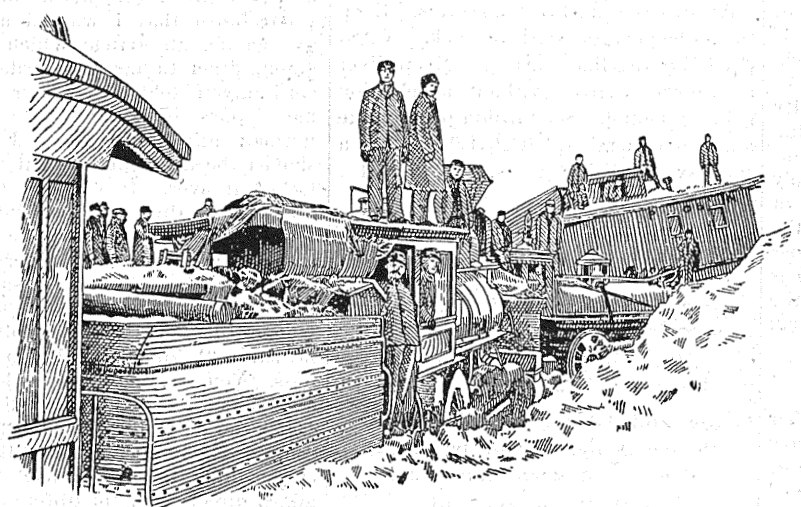
came and we are beginning to wonder what is going on in other parts of the world. Our "ready-prints" are tied up somewhere between here and Detroit and we are giving our readers the best we can under the circumstances, hoping that by time for the next issue matters may be straightened out and the ENTERPRISE appear in its usual size and style. We are sure that our readers will make allowance for the change this time. The P. O. & N. R. R. is not the only one by any means to become



Wreck of Feb. 1895.—View No. 1.
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to ten feet deep and the snow frozen solidly in, this is an exceedingly slow process. Extra men were called out and have been kept at work most of the time since along the line. The Saturday evening train succeeded in reaching Kingston last evening about four o'clock and is now wrestling with the snow in the cut between that point and Wilmet, the cut there being about a mile long. It is hoped the train will reach here sometime to day. A "double header" was started out from Pontiac on Monday, with Supt. Sanford aboard, and they succeeded in reaching Oxford in time for dinner yesterday. They then attempted to return to Pontiac and became stalled somewhere near Eames. It is impossible to tell when we will get either express or freight at this point and already grocers are getting short on supplies. The cancelling of trains has also seriously affected the coal supply, and

stalled in the snow. The shore-line division of the P. M. running between Port Huron and Port Austin, a'so the branch line running to Harbor Beach, and the line running from Carsonville to Sanilac Centre, have had just as bad a time. The snow plows in use in this part of the state have been totally inadequate to cope with the deep frozen banks of snow, and the better style of plows used by the thorough lines have been too busy keeping their own sections clear to help out anywhere else. A walk down the track from the Main street crossing here to the cut of the gravel pit, south of town, would enable anyone to understand something of the difficulty the trains have to encounter and the patience necessary on the part of the train crews and their assistants. At the gravel pit the cut which is nearly ten feet deep was filed completely and the snow seemed to be frozen clear to the bot-



Wreck of Feb. 1895.—View No. 2.
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tom. This is the point where in the early part of February, 1895, two engines and a snow plow were wrecked. The present blockade has created some discussion as to the position in which that wreck left the snow plow and engines, and to satisfy the contestants we reproduce the cuts used in the ENTERPRISE at that time. We also quote briefly the description of the disaster, as illustrated by the first picture, taken from the southeast of the wreck:

"Neither the Caro stage or the rural mail carriers ventured to make their trips on Monday, but on Tuesday all started out and succeeded in making their trips, so that mail was received here from Caro Tuesday evening. Yesterday arrangements were effected by Postmaster Wickware to have the delayed mail at Clifford brought around by way of P. M. R. R. to Vassar, M. C. R. R. from there to Caro, and so to this point by stage. The letter pouches were so sent, but no papers

"As the plow entered the cut, all went well for a short distance when the hardened mass of snow proved even too much for what would seem to be an irresistible force, and the nose of the plow 'bit the dust' on the east side of the rails. Quicker than it can be told the rear end of the plow was thrown high and dry on the opposite side, so that it lay directly across the track as shown in the upper cut."

Hicks' Almanacs at this office.

THE CANNING INDUSTRY.

Interest Aroused at Cass City.

Prospects Good for a Plant Here.

The question as to whether we shall have a canning factory at Cass City, or not, is taking the attention of many of our citizens in town and country just now. The matter is being discussed quite freely and information gathered from various sources, and the general feeling appears to favor the project. A meeting was held at the Council Rooms on Tuesday afternoon to further consider the matter and to learn what had been done by the committee appointed to investigate. Secretary Ale reported that the committee had met and appointed committees as follows: On sale of stock—A. H. Ale, A. A. McKenzie, John Marshall, P. A. Koepfgen, I. K. Reid, J. H. Striffler, H. L. McDermott and Jas. Walters. On securing acreage—W. J. Campbell, Solomon Striffler, O. K. Jones, C. D. Striffler, Otto Klinkman, H. H. Wilson, Travis Schenck, A. E. Boulton, Neil McLarty, John Paul, M. L. Gulick, S. Bardwell, Wm. Little, E. L. Bruce, Adelbert Hendrick and Jas. M. Allen.

After considerable informal discussion, it was decided to ask the committee on sale of stock to proceed with a canvass, there seeming to be little doubt as to securing sufficient acreage. The proposition before the people is to organize a co-operative company with a capital of \$15,000, for the purpose of installing a plant at an estimated cost of \$10,000, to can and place on the market green corn, peas, string beans, pumpkin, tomatoes, small beans, fruits of all kinds, baked beans, etc.

It has been learned that the factory installed at Brown City and equipped for canning tomatoes only has not been a success for the reason that the past two seasons have been poor for tomatoes and they could not get the fruit. The Marlette and Yale factories have also met the same difficulty on tomatoes and have decided to discontinue hauling them. This raises the question as to whether it is advisable to attempt their culture here. It is well known that the last two seasons have been unusually adverse to the proper ripening of tomatoes and these are the only seasons the factories mentioned have tried the crop. It is also a fact that for several previous seasons tomatoes did remarkably well here, with possibly one exception when they were affected with the rot, but this can be readily overcome by spraying. We feel inclined to think that a careful investigation will prove that tomatoes can be successfully and profitably grown here.

A company organized here would very naturally benefit by the experiences of the factories which have already been in operation. First we have learned that the ordinary "promoter" is the right kind of an individual to let alone, and that there are practical men, with money to invest who stand ready to assist in establishing a good plant in a proper location. It would appear that a number of factories recently established in this state have had difficulty through not having sufficient capital, while in one or two other cases the other extreme has been touched of putting in too expensive a plant, so that a happy medium would appear the desirable course and the one which we believe will be followed should the project be carried forward here.

Corn, peas and tomatoes would require the largest acreage. For corn the grower usually receives from \$5.50 to \$6 per ton for the ears in husk, while the stocks make valuable feed for live stock, and the yield will average three and one-half tons to the acre. Peas will pay about \$40 to \$45 per acre, and tomatoes pay well at 25c per bushel if they can be brought to market properly. String beans will yield well and bring from one to three cent per pound, according to the size at which they are picked. The canning of young garden beans is a comparatively new venture in the canning industry, and canners are paying from \$12 to \$14 per ton for them. Pumpkins bring from \$3 to \$4 per ton. There is some demand for kraut and a limited acreage of cabbage could be utilized. A factory established here would furnish a market for all kinds of fruit, provided there was a sufficient quantity of any one kind obtainable to warrant handling.

This section must to a great extent depend upon the product of the soil for its maintenance and we must necessarily have the industries which

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On Footwear Underwear.

Ladies' \$3.50 Shoes will go at \$2.50	LADIES'.
" 3.00 " " " 2.25	14 prs. wool pants, regular
" 2.75 " " " 2.00	\$1.00, now
" 2.50 " " " 1.98	50 cent fleeced goods, now
" 2.25 " " " 1.75	25 cent fleeced goods, now
" 2.00 " " " 1.60	\$1.00 union suits, now
" 1.75 " " " 1.35	1.50 union suits, now
" 1.50 " " " 1.15	2.00 union suits, now
" 1.25 " " " .98	MEN'S.
Men's 4.00 " " " 3.00	Men's 25 cent underwear, now
" 3.50 " " " 2.75	BOYS' and GIRLS'.
" 3.00 " " " 2.40	35 cent underwear now
" 2.50 " " " 1.98	25 cent underwear now
" 2.00 " " " 1.58	20 cent underwear now
" 1.75 " " " 1.35	15 cent underwear now
" 1.50 " " " 1.15	10 cent underwear now
" 1.25 " " " .98	
Boys' 2.00 " " " 1.60	
" 1.75 " " " 1.30	
" 1.50 " " " 1.15	
" 1.25 " " " .98	
Misses' and Children's 1.75 " " " 1.35	
" 1.50 " " " 1.15	
" 1.25 " " " .98	
" 1.00 " " " .80	
" .80 " " " .65	
" .50 " " " .40	

By the above you will see we offer anything in our whole stock, including all leather and felt shoes. And besides the above we have many odd pairs at much lower values.

Buy Your Spring Shoes Now.

Fascinators.

Regular 50c, now 40c
Regular 35c, now 25c
Regular 25c, now 20c

Table Damask.

Regular 50 cent red, now 40c
Regular 35 cent red, now 25c

Men's Covert Coats and Jackets.

Regular \$3.00 Coats now \$2.25
Regular \$2.00 Coats now \$1.60

Blankets.

Reg. 10-4 60c Blankets now 50c
Reg. 11-4 \$1.00 Blankets, 75c
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We are agents for the celebrated "BEN HUR" Flour. TRY IT. We have a full line of Staple Groceries, and we think "on the whole" we can save you some money.

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All The Good Qualities

That can be put into fault less tailoring will find their way into your Suit or Overcoat, or anything you order here.

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W. H. RUHL.

will care for such product. It therefore follows that we as citizens of the village and surrounding country must face this matter from a business standpoint and determine to act in accordance with our convictions as to what will bring the greatest good to the greatest number and at the same time yield a reasonable return for any investment we may see fit to make.

If we believe in a canning factory and want to see one established, now is the time to act and to do everything in our power to help the project forward to success.

The farmers will derive the most benefit from the concern and can do the most to make it a success. If he becomes a stockholder as well as a grower, he will reap extra profits. The committee on the sale of stock is now at work and will be pleased to explain matters to anyone interested.

THE EXCHANGE BANK

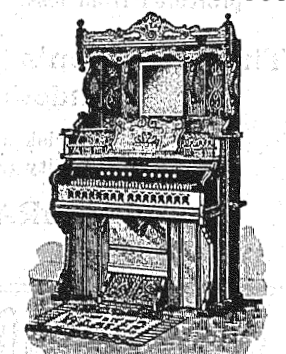
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Advertisements.

All changes of advertisements must be sent to this office no later than Wednesday noon of each week, else they will not be inserted in that week's issue. Reasonable rates are charged for display advertisements. Local notices in our paid local columns are five cents per line for first insertion. Notices of festivals, lectures, concerts and all entertainments of a money-making character are 25 cents a line. Resolutions of respect are charged for at the rate of one dollar for each insertion. Cards of thanks are twenty-five cents for each insertion.

The wide circulation of the ENTERPRISE in the counties of Tuscola, Huron and Sanilac, makes it a valuable advertising medium.

A. A. McDowell,
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PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON. Office and residence over Anten's Bank, Cass City. Office hours—11 a. m. to 3 p. m., 7 to 9 p. m. These hours will be observed as far as possible. Can also be found in office at other times unless engaged in outside calls.

Dr. A. N. Treadgold,

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Physician and Surgeon, Shabbona, Mich. Special attention to surgery. 6-12-02.

Dr. John R. Foote

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I. FRITZ, DENTIST. Office over Fritz drug store. Assisted by P. L. Fritz, D. D. S., graduate of University of Michigan.

P. A. SCHENCK, D. D. S.

DENTIST—graduate of University of Michigan. Office in new Fritz block, Cass City, Mich. 12-31-01.

Societies.

I. O. F.

COURT ELKLAND, No. 526, I. O. F., meets on 1st and fourth Tuesdays of each month in the hall in the Campbell block, at 7:30 p. m. Visiting brethren are cordially invited. JAS. M. ALLEN, C. R. A. A. P. McDowell Sec. Sec. 8-11-07

I. O. O. F.

CASS CITY LODGE, No. 233, meets every Wednesday evening at 7:30. Visiting brethren cordially invited. A. D. GILLIES, N. G. A. D. GILLIES, Sec. 8-11-07

K. O. T. M.

CASS CITY TEXT, No. 74, meets the first and third Friday evenings of each month, at 7:30. Visiting Sir Knights cordially invited. A. D. GILLIES, Sec. 8-11-07

Elkland Arbor, No. 31, A. O. G. O. meets the second and fourth Thursdays of each month, in Forester Hall. Visiting companions always welcome. A. E. BOULTON, C. G. JAS. REAGH, Sec. Treas. 1-29-03.

Church Directory.

BAPTIST—Preaching services at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. on Sunday. Sunday school at 12 m. Junior League at 3:30 p. m. Epworth League at 6:30 p. m. Prayer-meeting at 7:30 on Thursday evening. Rev. E. W. WATKIN, Pastor.

WANGELICAL—Services begin with Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Preaching services at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. P. L. Fritz, Sec. 8-11-07.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL—Preaching services at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday. Class meetings follow morning service. Sunday school at 12 m. Junior League at 3:30 p. m. Epworth League at 6:30 p. m. Prayer-meeting at 7:30 on Thursday evening. Rev. M. W. GIFFORD, Pastor.

PRESBYTERIAN—Sunday preaching services, 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday school at 12 m. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6:30 p. m. Prayer meeting on Thursday evening at 7:30. Rev. S. P. JACKSON, Pastor.

Hospitality at Small Expense.

Entertainment—that is, pleasure to your guests—does not depend on the money you spend, but on your own knowledge of how to receive and tend hospitality. Christine Terhune Herrick tells you all about it. Postpaid, 50 cents. E. J. CLADE, Publisher, 125 Fifth Ave., 12-10-20 New York.

Insure

Your Live Stock and thus be protected from loss.

The Stockmen's Indemnity Co.

will carry your risk at small cost. See their Cass City agent,

D. R. GRAHAM,

12-10-13

CHICKEN CHOLERA.

Chicken Cholera can positively be cured. The most severe tests have proven this without a doubt. Hundreds speak in positive expression as to their delightful results in using Star Poultry Powder. Even when they are so far gone they cannot eat, nine out of ten can be cured by moistening the food and sprinkling it thickly with Star Poultry Powder. It feeds it to them. Your poultry will not have cholera if you feed it, and besides the increase in amount of eggs will doubly pay for the powder. You can force production of eggs as you can work from a well cared for horse. See that your poultry is healthy and fitted for their task by feeding Star Poultry Powder. It pays for itself. All you have to do is feed it. Put up in two sizes, 25c and \$1 pack ages. You save 30c by buying the large package.

RUTS

The walking sick, what a crowd of them there are: Persons who are thin and weak but not sick enough to go to bed.

"Chronic cases" that's what the doctors call them, which in common English means—long sickness.

To stop the continued loss of flesh they need Scott's Emulsion. For the feeling of weakness they need Scott's Emulsion.

It makes new flesh and gives new life to the weak system.

Scott's Emulsion gets thin and weak persons out of the rut. It makes new, rich blood, strengthens the nerves and gives appetite for ordinary food.

Scott's Emulsion can be taken as long as sickness lasts and do good all the time.

There's new strength and flesh in every dose.



We will be glad to send you a few doses free.

Be sure that this picture in the form of a label is on the wrapper of every bottle of Emulsion you buy.

SCOTT & BOWNE, Chemists, 409 Pearl St., N. Y. 50c. and \$1; all druggists.

Karr's Corners.

C. A. Wilber was a caller at Geo. Karr's Monday.

Mrs. M. C. Tanner is slowly improving from a tumor under her arm.

The Misses Hattie and Lilah Tanner were visitors at Ephraim Knight's Sunday.

Mrs. P. Toohy and Mrs. R. S. Brown were visitors at O'Brien's Thursday.

Fred Harrison was suddenly called away on account of the death of his father-in-law.

Wilson Harrison has a tailor shop established in Gagetown in the building which was the postoffice.

Rev. Perry, a Gospel Worker minister, is residing at Jno. W. Muma's at present. He will soon move in Wm McCauley's old house.

Wonderful Nerve.

Is displayed by many a man enduring pains of accidental Cuts, Wounds, Bruises, Burns, Scalds, Sore feet or stiff joints. But there's no need for it. Bucklen's Arnica Salve will kill the pain and cure the trouble. It is the best Salve on earth for Piles, too. 25c. all Druggists, Cass City, F. A. Francis, Kingston.

Beauley.

Last week's correspondence

Geo. Parr is on the sick list. Mrs. Annie Bounce, of Pt. Huron, is with Miss Maria McDonald and other acquaintances here.

The box social in the church last Friday night by the Epworth League was a grand success, making \$14.30.

Our minister, Rev. Beeden, assisted by Rev. McGee, of Gagetown, is holding special services here at present.

How is your mail service, Brother of Rescue? Is it a day ahead of the Beauleytes now or are you thankful to get it any time?

The Gleaners of this place are going to have a big time one week from next Tuesday. Let all the members take notice and be on hand.

Alexander McMullin, for some time living in this neighborhood, died at the home of George Blakley Monday morning. Funeral on Thursday 10 a. m., to be buried by the Gleaners.

To Cure a Cold in One Day

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c.

A Card.

We, the undersigned, do hereby agree to refund the money on a 50-cent bottle of Greene's Warranted Syrup of Tar if it fails to cure your cough or cold. We also guarantee a 25-cent bottle to prove satisfactory or money refunded.

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Cut this out! This is on every bottle. A printed guarantee with every bottle is proof of its merits and has made Pine Root Cough Syrup famous. It cures Baby's or Grandpa's Cough, Bronchitis, Trouble, Obstructive Consumption, Croup, Asthma, Whooping Cough, La Grippe, Catarrhal Coughs, Etc. Thousands testify to its healing power. Bottles 25c and 50c. Sold everywhere. T. F. HOLDEN, mfr., Lima City, Mich.

Ellington

Bert King, who has been up north for some time, has returned home.

Ben Way was kicked in the head by one of his horses one day last week.

John Whaley lost one of his work horses a few days ago and bought one of Frank Elwell to replace it.

Our teacher in District No. 1, Ellington, gave a sleighride to his scholars, to Caro, last Saturday and had a pleasant time.

Last week Monday Darius Gould discovered a fire had started in his store, but he put it out before any serious damage was done.

Lon Dreher, who is working in the Columbia swamp, while at work one day last week happened to strike one of his feet with an axe and out a bad gash in it. He is doing as well as can be expected.

East Grant

George Shiers lost a valuable heifer one day this week.

Mable Allan visited her cousin, Mrs. Archie McAlpin, last week.

Mrs. Dugal McIntosh is visiting her sisters in Detroit at present.

Alex McMullen died of tuberculosis last week. He was buried in the Williamson cemetery.

Duncan McAlpin is getting material on the ground for a new barn. He expects to build this coming summer.

It is reported that Rev. R. B. Smith, of Uoly, who preaches at Greenleaf, expects to leave Greenleaf and Uoly soon.

We understand Miss Ethel Gould who was killed in the street car accident in Detroit, was a niece of Mrs. Harmon Blount, of this township.

Mrs. John McIntosh, of Sheridan died at the ripe old age of seventy-three years. She has been a patient sufferer from asthma for some time.

Port Allan was kicked by one of his horses, on the leg, last Monday night but having a lantern in his hand he escaped having his leg broken, the lantern being broken.

Domestic Troubles.

It is exceptional to find a family where there are no domestic ruptures occasionally, but these can be lessened by having Dr. King's New Life Pills around. Much trouble they save by their great work in Stomach and Liver troubles. They not only relieve you, but cure. 25c. at all Drug Stores, Cass City; F. A. Francis, Kingston.

Knapp and Watson sell guns, boats, tents, bicycles, rifle shells, etc. Caro, Box 575. Telephone No. 76.

"Sunday Folks."

When Dr. John Cairns went from Scotland to Ireland for rest and travel in 1864 he was at once delighted by discovering from the guides who showed him about that most of the landed gentry were "Sunday folks."

"That's a fine castle," he would say, pointing to a big house set like a crown on some rocky hill.

"Yes, sir," said his guide. "Tis Sir John O'Connor's," or "Tis Sir Rory O'More's." He always added, "He's a Sunday man."

At last Dr. Cairns grew curious. "What is a Sunday man?" he asked. "Well, sir, it do be a man that has so many writs out ag'in him for debt that he stays shut up tight in his house all the week and only comes out on Sunday, when the law protects him."

Dr. Cairns' opinion of the landed gentry underwent a change.

Hindoo Witchcraft.

All Hindoos believe in witchcraft, and, in strange contrast to the old believers in witchery, they believe that young and pretty maidens are the chief actors in such uncanny mummery. If crops are blighted or if a general sickness prevails they write the names of all the young women of the vicinity on separate tree branches and then immerse the stems of the twigs for four hours and a half in a solution of holy water and aromatic herbs. If one or more of the twigs wither during the specified time the young woman whose name or names are attached thereto is immediately put to death. Thus the influence of the witch is counteracted, the crops saved and health restored.

How Heavy a Brick May Be. Some years ago one man bet another that he could not move an ordinary brick tied to the end of a cord two or three miles long. A straight and level road just outside Chichester, N. Y., was selected for the trial. The brick was not moved, and the man lost his bet for a large amount. It was stated by some one present that the brick, although weighing only seven pounds, would from a distance of two or three miles represent a dead weight of nearly a ton.

His Test of Greatness.

"Ah," she sighed, "the great men are all dead."

"But the beautiful women are not," he answered.

Then she looked soulfully up into his eyes and told him she had said it just to be contrary and not because she thought it for a moment.—Household Ledger.

POULTRY.

Thousands die every year from vermin. It is impossible for poultry or stock to do well in the condition. STAR LOUSE KILLER is a sure killer to all vermin on poultry, cattle, horses, etc. One pound costs 25 cents. Don't neglect this.

Foley's Kidney Cure makes kidneys and bladder right.

A Forgiving Spirit.

In his reminiscences General Gordon tells a characteristic anecdote of an eccentric southern divine, the Rev. Robert J. Breckinridge, who was one of the most eloquent and fervid not to say bitter advocates of the Union cause. His trenchant pen and lashing tongue spared neither blood relatives nor ministers nor members of the church, not even those of the same faith with himself, provided he regarded them as untrue to the Union. On his deathbed his family and some of his church members were gathered around him. They were most anxious that he should be reconciled to all men and especially to a southern sympathizer of his own church, Dr. Stuart Robinson of Kentucky, before he died, and they asked him, "Brother Breckinridge, have you forgiven all your enemies?" "Oh, yes; certainly I have." "Well, Brother Breckinridge, have you forgiven our brother, Dr. Stuart Robinson?" "Certainly I have. Didn't I just tell you that I had forgiven all my enemies?" "But, Brother Breckinridge, when you meet Brother Stuart Robinson in heaven do you feel that you can greet him as all the redeemed ought to greet one another?" "Don't bother me with such questions, Stuart Robinson will never get there!"

Box and Its Meanings.

The word "box" has a great many different meanings. Here are some of its uses as a noun substantive: First, a case of any size or material, akin to pyx, from pyxis, the box tree; second, the driver's seat on a carriage, which often has a lid covering a receptacle for small parcels; third, a present, especially a gift at Christmas time; fourth, inclosed seats in a theater or in a court of justice; fifth, a box drain; sixth, a snug private house, as a shooting box; seventh, a cylindrical hollow iron in wheels, in which the axle runs; eighth, a trough for cutting miters in carpentry; ninth, the space between the backboard and sternpost of a boat; tenth, an awkward position—e. g., "in the wrong box"; eleventh, the box tree; twelfth, the box iron of a laundress. Box is used also as a verb (thirteenth), to fight with fists or gloves; fourteenth, to go over the points of the compass in order, describing its divisions; fifteenth, to strike with open hand upon the ear; sixteenth, to cause a vessel to turn on her keel, to box haul. Other uses also are consequent upon these.

St. Martin and the Dictator.

St. Martin when he divided his cape with a naked beggar at the gate of Amiens gave also two words to the English language. The oratory in which this torn cape was preserved as a sacred banner acquired the name of "chapel" (from the French "chape"), and the custodian being termed "chaplain," and thus our English words "chapel" and "chaplain" are derived.—Westminster Gazette.

Her Conclusion.

"Do you think your father has any idea that I have serious intentions concerning you?"

"I heard him telling mother the other day that he didn't think it would cost any more to have you at the table regularly than it does for me to feed you from the pantry shelves every night."—Chicago Record-Herald.

Faithful to the Law.

"Why did you let him get away from you?" thundered the chief.

"He—er—took a mean advantage of me," replied the green detective. "He ran across the grass in the park, and—"

"Well,"

"Well, there was a sign there, 'Keep Off the Grass.'"—Philadelphia Press.

Erskine's Retort.

Erskine, appointed lord chancellor, was offered at a low price the official robes of the retiring lord, but said: "No. It should not be said that I had adopted the abandoned habits of my predecessor."

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"I stuck to my engine, although every joint ached and every nerve was racked with pain," writes C. W. Bellamy, a locomotive fireman, of Burlington, Iowa. "I was weak and pale, without any appetite and all run down. As I was about to give up, I got a bottle of Electric Bitters, and after taking it, I felt as well as I ever did in my life." Weak, sickly, run down people always gain new life, strength and vigor from their use. Try them! Satisfaction guaranteed by all Drug Stores, Cass City; F. A. Francis, Kingston. Price 50 cents.

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Magnets and Magnetism.

The modern theory of magnetism, known as Weber's, aided greatly by the work of Professor Ewing, maintains that even the smallest physical quantity, the molecule, present in a bar magnet is itself a minute magnet. Hence the power of the magnet depends entirely, in the first place, upon molecular arrangement.

This can be easily seen by filling a glass tube with steel filings, loosely packed. At first these are all in disorder, but if a magnet is drawn over the tube they begin to turn themselves into one direction till perfect alignment takes place, when the tube acquires the properties of a magnet.

The breaking of bar magnet into pieces, each piece in turn becoming a magnet, confirms this theory. So does saturation, as it is called, when the molecules are arranged and no further effect takes place. The theory of magnetic keepers closing the lines of force, thus preserving and not dissipating the power, is also in accordance with this. The primary source of magnetic power is still unknown.

His Slippers.

A preacher admonished the men in his congregation not to let their desire for "slippers" keep them from church on Sunday morning. A young man went home and inquired for his "slippers." His slippers have been known by that name ever since.—Boston Christian Register.

Not What She Meant.

Physician (to patient's wife)—Why did you delay sending for me until your husband was unconscious?

Wife—Well, doctor, as long as he retained his senses he wouldn't let us send for you.

You have a good many faults of your own. Why are you so hard on the faults of others?

The Only Difference.

The waiter was a colored man and was anxious to please. After looking over the bill of fare at the lunch hour I concluded that I wanted a slice of ox tongue, an article which I found among other things to be ordered. Accordingly I told the waiter to bring me a piece of tongue. He returned without any unnecessary delay and shoved the dish out in front of me. I looked it over. It was not tongue at all. The waiter was laughing around the back of my chair, for he knew an explanation would be in order in a few minutes. "Say, old man," I said to him directly, "this is not ox tongue at all." He smiled. Picking up the bill of fare, he said: "I know it ain't ox tongue, boss. You see, the steward done made a mistake. It ought to be ox tail. But the only difference." "The only difference," I repeated, and the humor of the thing dawned on me. "Well," I added directly, "if the difference should be any greater I'll be darned if you wouldn't have to get off the ox." The waiter caught the humor of the situation and snickered his way back to the kitchen.—Galveston News.

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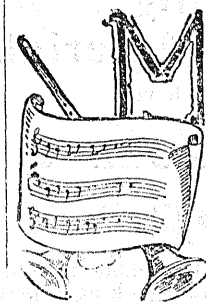
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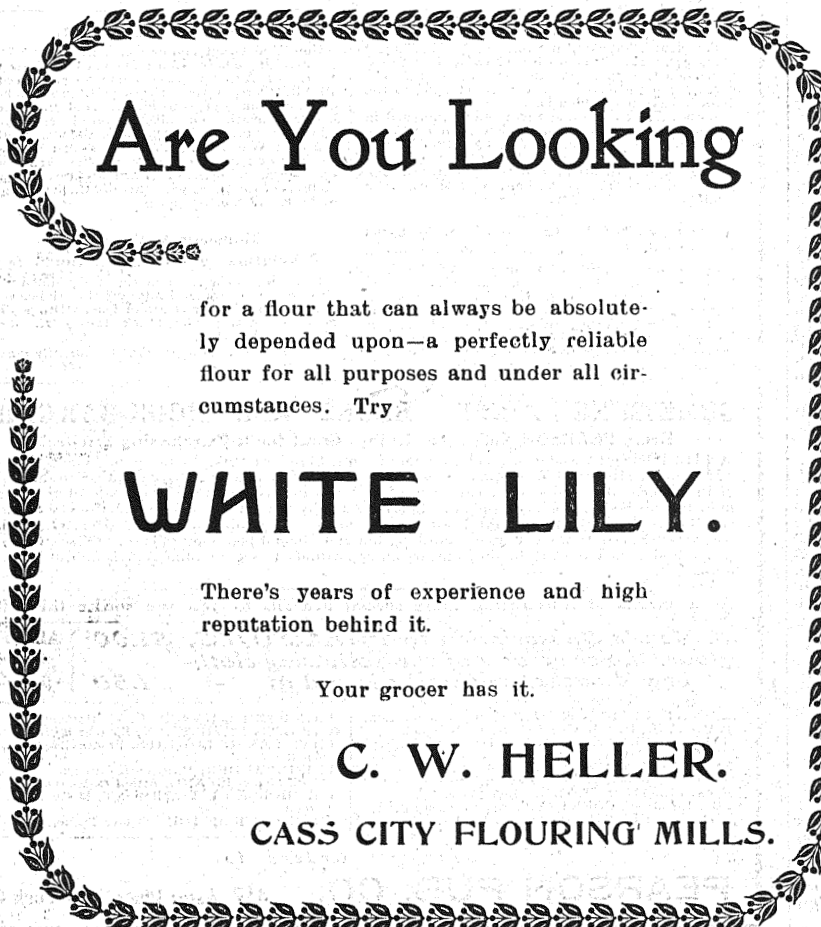
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Local Happenings.

County Clerk, N. Hamilton, is in town to-day.

W. F. Ehlers, of Shabbona, was in town yesterday.

Miss Mary Zinnecker has recovered from a week's illness.

Fred Slocum has been re-nominated as postmaster at Caro.

Miss Pearl Gooden is suffering from an attack of scarlet fever.

McCallum & Co. now have six bean pickers at their warehouses.

Jas. Dunham, of Vassar, is spending a few days with friends here.

Miss Mary Flint returned from Kalamazoo last week and is quite ill.

Clyde Lutz is employed at H. L. Hunt's grocery and crockery store.

L. W. Vorhes, of Deford, was among business transactors here yesterday.

Elder R. B. Brown, of Yale, has been spending a part of the week in town.

Miss Patience Kitchin, of Evergreen, spent a part of the week with friends in town.

Born, on Friday morning last, to Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Outwater, a daughter.

Miss Bertha Maier has been suffering from an attack of quinsy, but is now convalescing.

R. Fred Gallagher is reported as improving nicely and is able to be up a part of the time.

The sacrament of the Lord's Supper was administered at the M. E. Church last Sunday morning.

Harry Young, of the Cass City Meat Market, has been visiting friends at Detroit and Tillsburg, Ont.

The tea served by the Presbyterian ladies, in the Hitchcock building, last evening was very well patronized.

Miss Emma Leznar gave a dinner party yesterday to a company of High School girls and a few other young friends.

A subscription has been taken in town this week to assist John Kitchin, of Evergreen, who recently lost his residence by fire.

The Junior League has collected and hold ready for shipment, a large case of canned fruit, for the Deaconess Home at Detroit.

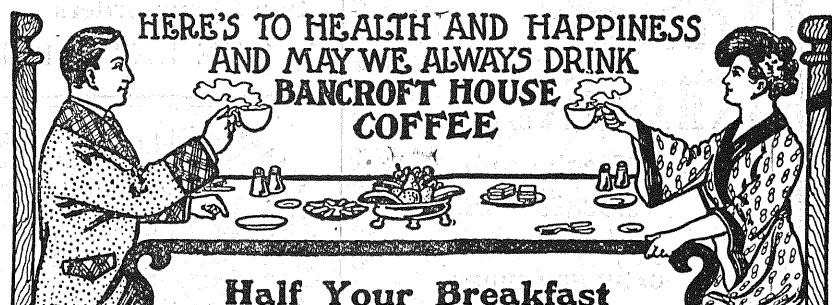
Mrs. Anna Crandall, northeast of town, is again seriously ill. Her daughter, Mrs. N. Currie, arrived last week from Ontario.

Mrs. Dora Fritz will lead the Epworth League service next Sunday evening. The topic will be "Christian Stewardship." All welcome.

NOTICE—Those owing me an account are requested to call as soon as possible and arrange the same.

Mrs. M. J. McGILVERAY.

A special meeting of Cass City Camp, Modern Woodmen of America, will be held at Forester Hall to-morrow evening, when the installation of officers will take place.



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The five o'clock dinner given by the gentlemen of the M. E. Church in the basement of that edifice, last Friday evening, proved a very successful affair, considering the cold and stormy weather which prevailed at that time. Provisions were abundant and the gentlemen had everything in apple pie order, but found themselves somewhat handicapped for want of help in serving. However, their patrons exercised ample patience and in time everyone was served and served well. At the conclusion of the dinner, a program was given in the main audience room of the church, when brief addresses were made by Rev. R. Weaver, of the Baptist Church, Rev. S. P. Jackson, of the Presbyterian Church and the pastor.

Owing to the abundance of provision a ten cent supper was announced for Saturday evening, which was also liberally patronized. The gross receipts amounted to something over \$45.

Important Suit to Farmers

Sanlax Republic

Nearly two days of the circuit court's time was taken up last week in determining the assumpsit case between Eber Harnden vs. William Hunter, which was begun in justice court in this village last summer. The outcome of this legal battle, arising from such a nature as it did, has been interestingly watched and waited for by hundreds of farmers. It appears that Mr. Harnden purchased a growing crop of hay from Mr. Hunter and paid him \$10 down to secure it, the balance to be paid when it was delivered. At the time the hay was harvested Mr. Hunter was offered considerable more per ton from another party and accepted it. Mr. Harnden brought suit to recover, and was beaten in the justice court. He appealed it to the circuit court and last Friday a verdict was rendered allowing him \$57.75. Altogether it cost Mr. Hunter nearly \$300.00.

R. F. D. Hints.

The Department looks to the patrons of the rural free delivery service, who are receiving the benefits of the service, to use their utmost personal endeavors, and also to exert their influence with the road supervisors, or with those officials who are responsible for the condition of the highways; to the end that the roads traveled by rural carriers may be always kept open and in such passable shape that the service can be regularly and punctually performed.

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"That's nothing. Have you ever followed a bride around for two weeks before her wedding?"—Life.

At the Opera.

"Why do you insist on sitting near the bass drum and cymbals at a grand opera performance?"
"I don't mind telling you as an old friend," answered Mr. Cumrox. "It's the only way I can make sure of not disgracing mother and the girls by staying asleep through the entire performance."—Washington Star.

Freedom.

We talk largely of freedom, and yet the widest freedom we may enjoy in this world is not a whit greater proportionately than that enjoyed by a white rabbit in a wire fenced city lot back yard.—New Orleans Times-Democrat.

The Kiss.

An American humorist once said that "the only way to define a kiss is to take one." Oliver Wendell Holmes called a kiss the twenty-seventh letter of the alphabet—"the love labial which it takes two to speak plainly."

Their Crafty Way.

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Colonel Carr was traveling in New Mexico once, when he ran into a party consisting of Senator Tabor and his friends. It was only a few months after Tabor had "struck it rich." Prior to that event he had possessed scarcely enough to buy a postage stamp, but he was making up for lost time. Carr had lost his watch key and began inquiring for one. Mr. Tabor thought this a great joke. "The idea of a man wanting a watch key in the nineteenth century!" he said. After chuckling over it for some time he turned to Carr and asked an explanation. "I want to understand it—a watch key! And a man as up to date as you?"

"Well, the fact is," responded the colonel, "I had enough money to buy a watch before stem winders came into fashion."

An Intelligent Bird.

A species of woodpecker inhabits the driest parts of Mexico, where during the droughts it must die of starvation unless it made a store. To prevent this it selects the hollow stem of a species of alce, the bore of which is just large enough to hold a nut. The woodpecker drills holes at intervals in the stem and fills it from bottom to top with the nuts, the separate holes being apparently made for convenience of access to the column of nuts within. The intelligence which not only constructs a special storehouse, but teaches the woodpecker to lay by only the nuts, which will keep, and not the insects, which would decay, is perhaps the highest form of bird reasoning which has yet been observed.

Buying a Wife.

In Uganda a man can buy a handsome wife for four bulls, a box of cartridges and six needles, and if he has the luck to go a-wooing when woman happens to be a drug on the market he can buy a suitable damsel for a pair of shoes. A Kafir girl is worth, according to the rank of her family, from four to ten cows, and in Tartary no father will surrender his daughter unless he gets a good quantity of butter in return, and in certain parts of India no girl can marry unless her father has been pacified by a present of rice and a few rupees.

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Foreman (explaining the accident to the owner of the building)—Barney was working on the roof, sir, and he slipped and fell the whole four stories, bringing the cornice down with him, sir, and breaking both his legs and half his ribs.

Owner—Oh, well, never mind! I intended that cornice to come down in any case.

Charity Begins at Home.

Wealthy Merchant (at an evening party)—Gentlemen, we will not allow this festive occasion to pass away without remembering the poor. In one of my houses there lives a poor clerk whom I shall have to evict tomorrow unless he can pay his arrears of rent by then. Fritz, hand a plate around.—Dorfbartier.

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Hogs, dressed, per cwt.	5 00
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Sheep, live weight, per cwt.	2 00
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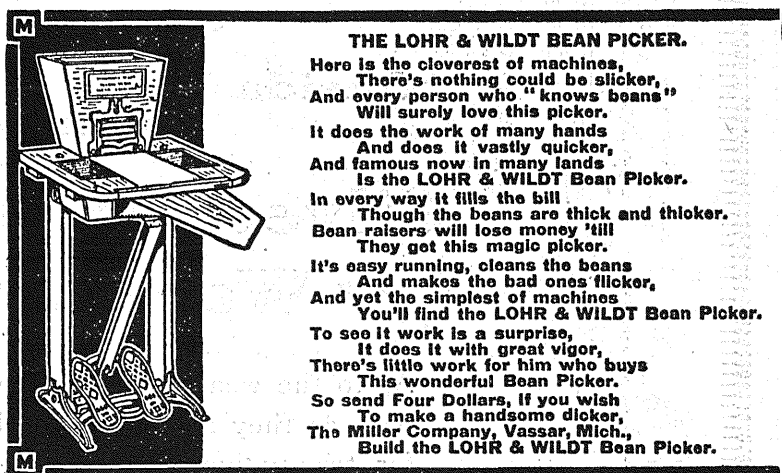
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