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## LOCAL BREVITIES

Masonic regular tonight.  
John Reigle had green corn July 27.  
Masonic picnic next week Thursday.  
Mann estate auction Saturday. See ad.  
Colman Cheney left for the east yesterday.  
Ed Howard is home from Kalamazoo this week.  
Mrs. G. A. McCune of Detroit is visiting Mrs. W. J. Davis.  
Roger Cole arrived home from his western trip yesterday.  
Mrs. Frank Delong was a week end guest at L. O. Graham's.  
Everybody invited to Masonic picnic at Base Line, regardless.  
Lady speaker and special music at Covey Hill church Sunday morning.  
Elizabeth Wade of Oak Park is a guest at the Sullivan cottage this week.  
Dr. and Mrs. Riley drove to Dayton, O. for the week end, returning Monday.  
Will Fox Jewelers be able to pull the feathers from Base Line Sunday? Go and see.  
Mr. and Mrs. Vern Knight spent the week end with relatives at Rensler, Ind.  
The Bible school exhibit and program was much enjoyed by those fortunate enough to attend.  
Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Davis of Marion, Ind. are visiting her brothers, D. A. and S. B. Graves.  
Mrs. Charles Erickson and daughter, Virginia, of Chicago, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. A. Nordstrom.  
About 45 members of the Fairfield family met at Base Line Lake Sunday for their annual reunion.  
Arvin Myers, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Myers and Mabelle attended the Lacota Homecoming last Saturday.  
Marjorie Gilchrist and Faith Winters are at "The Newcombes" in South Haven for the resort season.  
Vern Hudson is on the road for Kidd, Dater & Price this week and Kate Kehane is assisting at the store.  
The midsummer bazaar and bake sale of the Community Aid will be held in Harrelson's sales room August 18.  
Will Langer left Monday for his season with the fairs of the middle west. He plans to be busy for 2 months.  
The new village well is completed pump installed and so another factor of safety is added to our viage equipment.  
Lawrence J. Condon, who has been at the Sullivan cottage, Lake Mill, left Sunday for an extended western trip.  
Our local poultrymen, Warren Goble and Al Wauchek both report pullets laying at the age of 4 months and 9 days. Some babies.  
The Pickle station received the first pickles Monday. These first small pickle checks will be gratefully accepted on News subscriptions.  
Jack Hodgman, who recently underwent an operation, is gaining steadily and his host of friends hope he will be able to return home soon.  
The Ladies Aid of the Community church will meet Wednesday, Aug. 8, with Mrs. Vern Knight. Members will respond to roll call by giving a Bible verse.  
Dr. and Mrs. Foelsch celebrated their seventh wedding anniversary by entertaining four tables at 500. All enjoyed the play and the wonderful anniversary cake as well.  
Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Chapman, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. McDonald of Kalamazoo, Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Oliver of South Bend, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Montague of Allegan, Mr. and Mrs. Haynes Rowley of Otsego were week end guests at the Hartley Lake Mill home. Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Walker, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Barber, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Chronister, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hill and Mr. and Mrs. James Payne of Chicago will be guests there for this week end.

Battle Creek went down to defeat Sunday at Base Line by the decisive score of 12 to 1. People are convinced that Base Line is a real team and are having hard work to find a team in their class.  
Mrs. Mary Bradley's granddaughter and a lady friend came from Niles to visit her and they all went to Allegan for a couple of days visit with another granddaughter and family. Ruth Bradley of Kalamazoo is spending the week with Mrs. Bradley.  
Recent callers and guests of Mrs. C. Post from away: Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Shirley of Paw Paw, Mrs. S. B. Martin and Mrs. Young of Mandan, N. D. and Mr. and Mrs. Ross C. Herman and sons, Bud and Bob of Chicago. A. B. Post of Kalamazoo is staying with her nights while doing some work in this vicinity.  
While Vern Thayer and Dr. Riley were feeding the fishes at Lake Mill last Wednesday their boat overturned and but for their presence of mind both could easily have been drowned. Prompt aid from nearby fishermen rescued them quickly and we are amused at the event but shudder at what might have been.  
The Canning factory is doing some tall hustling these days with cherries late and string beans early the two are coming in together to the disadvantage of all. But they are taking both just the same and have been sending the beans to one of their other factories and doing the cherries here. Today they start to pack the beans here and will send the balance of cherries away. Everything indicates the greatest pack ever at this plant.  
**WAVERLY**  
Mr. and Mrs. Ed Markillie were callers at Geo. Cummins of Paw Paw Sunday afternoon.  
There were 129 at church Sunday and enjoyed a fine musical program by the band.  
Lewis Sage spent a few days in Kalamazoo at the home of his sister last week.  
A. B. Frisbie of Kalamazoo called on his mother at John White's Saturday afternoon.  
Mr. and Mrs. Loren Crapo of Wisconsin attended church here Sunday. They were here to attend the funeral of Mrs. Crapo's father, Jas. Hill in Kalamazoo Friday afternoon. Mr. Hill and family were former residents of Waverly. We extend our sympathy to the family in their bereavement.  
Mrs. Florence Schwieman of Kalamazoo and son, Robert spent last Wednesday at the parental home.  
Mabel and Freddie Brown are visiting at the home of their grandparents, L. G. Brown and family.  
Roy Sage and family entertained Harry Reynolds and family of Lawton the latter part of last week.  
Ted Frisbie and family called on Olivia Sprau at Bronson hospital Sunday and found her doing nicely.  
**Another Serious Accident**  
While Henry Geiger and Edward Bargo were coming from the west on the road west of Jack Hodgman's Monday evening, in the former's coupe. The car turned over throwing them both out and wrecking the car.  
X-rays show Henry's back broken but tests indicate that the spinal cord still functions. While his condition is most grave his many friends are praying that he may recover.  
Ed was badly lacerated requiring many stitches to close the wounds but escaped with no broken bones.  
The road is narrow at the place where the accident occurred and it is believed that turning out for a car behind while traveling too fast caused the car to turn turtle.  
We join with their many friends in hoping that both boys recover completely.  
**Masonic Picnic**  
While the Masons of two counties are sponsoring the picnic at Barbers Bathing Beach next week Thursday they want all to know that their presence will be appreciated; that friends may meet friends and enjoy all the events. Come early, bring dinner and stay late.

## BASE LINE

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Turner of Akron, O. and their daughter, Mrs. Watkins of Litchfield have been vacationing at Base Line lake and at M. Wilmot's.  
Mrs. Doudna visited friends in Battle Creek and Kalamazoo Wednesday and Thursday.  
Harry Jacobs and mother from Pullman and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Jacobs from Chicago were visitors at Wm. Jacobs Sunday.  
Mr. and Mrs. Bob Parker of Kalamazoo spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Claude Enos.  
Mr. and Mrs. Ed Fessenden entertained friends from Kalamazoo at a picnic dinner Sunday at Base Line lake.  
M. Wilmot and family spent Sunday at Diamond Lake.  
H. Merriam attended camp meeting at Grand Junction Sunday.  
Harley Merriam and M. Wilmot and family and their cousins from Litchfield and Akron, O. spent Friday at Benton Harbor.  
Will Pullin and family spent Sunday with Mr. Pullin's father in Vandalia. The latter is quite ill at this writing.  
Mr. and Mrs. Clair Woodruff, Jaunita Hicks and friend and Alma Lee of Kalamazoo called at Lester and Glen Woodruff's Sunday.  
Robert Banks and family and Elmer Forster and family were callers at L. Woodruff's Sunday.  
Employees of the Michigan Central railroad freight division picniced at Base Line Lake Sunday.  
Ann Yahn and little Jeanne Smith who have been visiting their grandmother, Sadie Smith, have returned to their home in Chicago.  
Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Wood and Harold Day attended the Lacota Homecoming Saturday.  
Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Wood, Raymond Day and lady friend visited in Grand Rapids Sunday.

## For County Prosecutor



Born and reared on a farm. Aged 31 years.  
World War Veteran. Enlisted 1917 and served overseas in 17th F. A. 2nd Division. Promoted through ranks to a commission and decorated for valor in battle.  
Six-year student at University of Michigan; literary degree, 1921; law degree, 1923. Practiced law in Detroit and Paw Paw.  
Married Van Buren county girl and resides with family in Paw Paw. Resident taxpayer of Van Buren county since 1923.  
Several years' actual business experience in Paw Paw.  
**PLATFORM**—Courteous, careful, prudent and economical service to the public.  
**LEWIS R. WILLIAMS,**  
Candidate for Republican Nomination.  
Pd Pol Adv.  
**Annual School Report**  
**District No 1, Pine Grove**  
Minutes of the annual school meeting of District No. 1 Pine Grove township, Van Buren county.  
The treasurers report was read and accepted.  
Money raised for school year was \$2495.28.  
Expenditures for the year were \$1997.19.  
District was bonded for \$10,000.00 (ten thousand dollars) to build and equip a new schoolhouse.  
The school board was asked to see Homer Beadle about being set over into School District No. 1 as his children would like to go here to school this coming year.  
Meeting was then adjourned.  
Signed by School Board:  
Clyde Levesee, Director,  
G. A. Schoolcraft, Moderator  
D. V. Chamberlin, Treas.  
Dr. C. A. Wilkinson, Trustee,  
Mrs. Ethel Clark, Trustee.

## KENDALL

Mrs. Howard Eldridge of Gobles and Mrs. Wm. Richards spent Monday in Kalamazoo.  
Mrs. P. Kennedy and Betty Jean spent Friday with friends in Alamo. Charles Clark and family and Ed Hartley and family of Kalamazoo were Sunday afternoon callers at P. Kennedy's.  
Mrs. Maggie Levesee entertained Sunday: Margaret Jewel, Nina and Norma Burnett, Jack, Floral and Gerald Morrison.  
Glenn Wilkinson arrived home from Detroit Friday, bringing Catherine Emmons for a visit. They have recently returned from an auto trip to Washington, D. C., Gettysburg, Arlington and other noted cities.  
Mr. and Mrs. F. Lewis visited at her nephew's, Homer Earl in Plainwell Sunday.  
Henry Waber and family visited his mother, Mrs. Waber Thursday night and listened to the fight.  
Kendall played the Kalamazoo Black Sox at North Lake Sunday and were beaten by the visitors 11 to 9.  
Herbert Root is in Bronson hospital where he underwent an operation Wednesday. It is reported he is coming fine.  
Mrs. Frank Chamberlin left Monday morning for Cedar Rapids, Ia. where she will be the guest of her parents, brothers and sisters for the next few weeks.  
Mrs. Grace Campbell of Fort Wayne, Ind. is visiting her sister-in-law, Mrs. A. Champion for a few weeks.  
Lee Kingsley and family arrived Friday evening from Chicago to visit his sister and Saturday, Mr. and Mrs. H. Waber and Louise came to stay over Sunday. Mr. Kingsley returned to his work early Monday but Mrs. Kingsley and Dorothy remained for the week.  
Mr. and Mrs. D. V. Chamberlin and Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Bachelder and sons, Zard Bachelder and family and nephew, Neal Moorlag visited the Getz farm near Holland Sunday. They ate a picnic lunch at the Allegan County Park on Lake Michigan and report it a beautiful place.  
Fred Cave of Kalamazoo spent Friday here; the guest of Mr. and Mrs. F. Lewis.  
Sunday visitors at Geo. Miller's were: Mr. and Mrs. Leo McGinley of Detroit and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cogswell of Kalamazoo and the Monday visitors were: Mr. and Mrs. Prestage and Mr. and Mrs. Wells of Cleveland, O. who are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Cowan at Bloomingdale and Wm. Rose and mother of Kalamazoo.

## Voters Attention!

I am a candidate on Republican Ticket for Prosecuting Attorney, Van Buren County.  
1.  
34 years of age, life long resident of Michigan.  
2.  
University education; graduated from the school of "life's problems."  
3.  
Served in World War; disabled.  
4.  
I believe in your rights, efficiency, economy, fairness, courtesy.  
VOTE Sept. 4, re-register any time:  
**WILLIAM HOLBROOK,**  
Pd Pol Ad Paw Paw, Mich.  
**For County Treasurer**  
I wish to announce that I will be a candidate for the nomination for County Treasurer on the Republican ticket at the primaries Sept. 4, 1928. Your support will be greatly appreciated.  
**HOMER TURNER,**  
Porter Twp.  
**Card of Thanks**  
I thank my dear friends and neighbors for the many kindnesses shown me in my affliction and bereavement by letters and cards, fruit and flowers, also sisters of the W. R. C. are all lovingly appreciated by me. Sincerely Isabelle Bush.

## WAGERTOWN

Grange Thursday evening, Aug. 2.  
Ladies Aid Wednesday afternoon, Aug. 8 with Mrs. E. V. Wood.  
Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Brant spent Sunday at Geo. Leach's.  
Will Holderman lost a horse Sunday.  
Ida Klapp and daughter spent Monday afternoon with Helen Beeman.  
John Beeman and family spent Sunday in Kalamazoo.  
Mr. and Mrs. Charley Carpenter of Grand Rapids spent Wednesday and Thursday of last week with Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Bell.  
Mr. and Mrs. Pease and family of Bloomingdale spent Friday evening at Geo. Bell's.  
Charley Herring and family of Kalamazoo called Sunday at Geo. Bell's.  
Mrs. I. D. Ayers and son, Leslie visited Sunday in Grand Rapids.

## County Treasurer

I wish to announce that I am a candidate for the nomination upon the Republican ticket for the office of County Treasurer, subject to the will of the voters of Van Buren County, as expressed at the primary election to be held upon September 4th, 1928.  
John W. Swoap,  
Pd Pol Adv. Covert, Mich.

## Rhodes Reunion

The descendants of Orrin and Margaret Rhodes held their 17th annual reunion July 26th at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Finch of Mattawan. 110 partook of the bounteous chicken dinner spread on the tables 'neath the shade trees. A huge cake, with the inscription "Rhodes 1928" had its place on the table; this was furnished by J. B. Rhodes of Kalamazoo, who also gave an after dinner talk on conditions in Panama and Nicaragua, which was very interesting.  
Later the guests were seated on the lawn for a short business meeting. Officers elected were as follows: President, Orrin Rhodes of Kalamazoo; Secretary-Treasurer, Retta Rhodes of Gobles.  
The reunion of 1929 will be held with Mr. and Mrs. Lester Rhodes and Mr. and Mrs. Willard Rhodes of Benton Harbor at the Jean Klock Park of that city.  
A song to the Rhodes family, composed by Mrs. Finch, was sung by Mrs. Areaux.  
A memorial to those who have passed away was read by Lois Areaux. A song by Vivian Rhodes. This was followed by several amusements which the hostess had prepared. Prizes were given the oldest and the youngest and to the one who took the largest number of guests. The meeting was closed by singing "America."  
Guests were present from Benton Harbor, South Haven, Bloomingdale, Gobles, Lawton, Oshtemo and Kalamazoo.  
Ice cream and cake was served and all departed feeling that the word "perfect" could be well used for the day, the dinner and the event.

## Sunny Day Club

Sunny Day club met at the home of Mrs. Ila Walker, Thursday, July 26. On account of the busy season not a very large crowd was in attendance. Some of the lady motorists experienced considerable difficulty in getting there, tire trouble being a small item in comparison to some other troubles.  
However a good meeting was held and an enjoyable time. Effie Lamphere favored us with several cute and witty songs, and with the numerous readings made up a good program.  
Next meeting will be held Wednesday, Aug. 8 and will be with Mrs. Geo. Thompson at Pine Grove.  
**Patronize our advertisers.**

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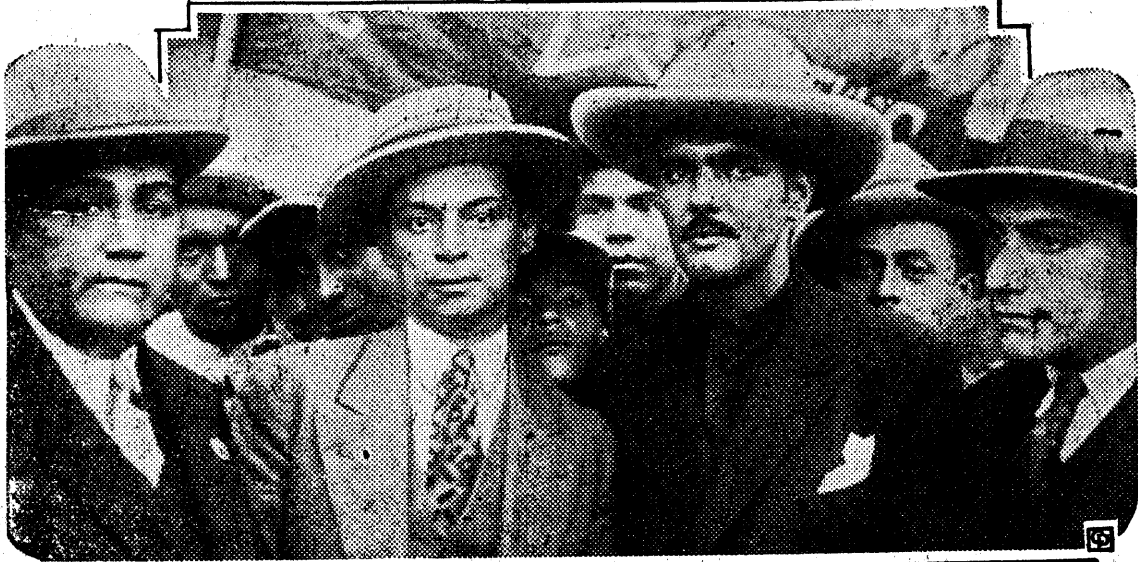
## Business Locals

J. E. Twitchell—Decorating.  
Buy Goodyear tires at Gamboe's.  
Stop that knock with Ethyl gasoline. J. C. Gamboe.  
Veal calves wanted. See or phone Lester Woodruff.  
Indian relics wanted. See Van Ryno.  
Buy Miller tires at Dorgan's filling station.  
We do acetylene welding. J. C. Gamboe.  
FREE BATTERY charging and radio repair work. Luther Howard.  
Ordered fruit trees yet? If not better see me for best quality stock. Albert Hosner.  
Extra nice Fordor sedan for sale. J. C. Gamboe.  
For good taxi service. Call S. W. Hayes.  
If you are planning on an Auction Sale, will be pleased to cry it for you. Rates reasonable. Glenn E. Woodruff, Gobles, R.1.  
Let us grease your car with our new Alemite lubricun. J. C. Gamboe.  
Barrel high test gasoline and barrel naphtha at Dorgan's filling station.  
Poultry Wanted—Will buy live poultry at my farm 3-4 mile south Bloomingdale during July and August. Heavy hens 23c. Frazer Miller.  
Wrecker service anywhere, any time. J. C. Gamboe.  
Have huckleberries to pick on shanes. Ed Messinger.  
Now is the time to have that chimney fixed for next winter also do plastering and cement work. E. L. Randall, Mutual phone, 43F3.  
Genuine Ford 13-plate battery now \$10 and your old battery. J. C. Gamboe.  
Aermotor windmills and service. Warren Goble, farmers phone. tf  
Registered Guernsey bull, 2 year old, for sale. Ed Markillie, Gobles Phone.  
More miles per gal. with Dixie gas. The power to pass that, s Dixie gas.  
One new gas. engine drive, United Supreme washer for quick sale, \$100. Wm. Krohn, Dixie Service Sta.  
Jersey cow, nearly fresh, for sale. Mrs. Geo. White, Gobles.  
10 acre fruit farm for rent. Modern house. Mrs. Geo. White, Gobles.  
My shop will be closed for 10 days starting Sunday, for my vacation. Ed Herrington.  
Apples for sale cheap. E. H. Schwiecker, south of schoolhouse.  
Ripe peaches by Sunday at Gobles Nursery, like Early Crawford, but earlier; also a crop of almonds, Gobles being some of best soil for them north of Ohio river. Salted almonds are a dollar a pound. Tell our Home Nursery to bud you some trees with some they will set.  
**Order for Publication**  
STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Van Buren.  
At a session of said court held at the Probate Office in the Village of Paw Paw in said county on the 27th day of July A. D. 1928.  
Present Hon. Wm. K. Killefer, Judge of Probate.  
In the matter of the estate of Cordelia Covey, incompetent.  
J. Bert Travis, Guardian having filed in said court his final guardianship account and his petition praying for the allowance thereof and for the assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate.  
It is ordered, That the 27th day of August, A. D. 1928 at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for examining and allowing said account and hearing said petition.  
It is further ordered, That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Gobles News, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.  
WM. KILLEFER, Judge of Probate.  
A true copy. Mamie L. Shaefer, Register for Probate.  
**Announcement**  
I am a candidate for sheriff, subject to the Republican primaries Sept. 4. Your vote will be appreciated John Maxwell, Lawton, Michigan.  
Pd Pol Add 5t



# CAMERA NEWS

## Nicaraguan Liberals Present Cause in Mexico



This photo was taken in Mexico City shortly after a large reception, held in honor of the arrival of Socrates Sandino, brother of the Nicaraguan liberal leader, Augusto, by liberal sympathizers. Above, left to right, Dr. Pedro Jose Zepeda, unrecognized envoy to Mexico of the Sandino government; Socrates Candino and Gustavo Machado, one of the leaders of the Mexican "Hands Off Nicaragua" committee. Sandino, coming from New York, met Machado in Vera Cruz. Machado has just come from the Sandino stronghold in Nicaragua.

## Ocean Flyer Gets Screen Test



Ruth Elder, girl flyer, in screen test at Los Angeles, in preparation for a feature picture.

## To "Pump" Way Across Ocean



Virgil Anderson, above, who served as a submarine and airplane mechanic during the World war, claims to have perfected a new method of marine propulsion, whereby an ocean liner can cross the Atlantic in approximately 36 hours. His boat is propelled through the water by pumping. Motive power is transmitted to twin pistons, working in cylindrical pipes which draw in the water and discharge it under high pressure. Nozzles at the end of these pipes can be revolved at will to guide the boat in any desired direction. Above, Anderson is pointing to the nozzles.

## Jimmy Jams



## FENNVILLE IS PEAR SHIPPING CENTER, SAYS U. S. REPORT

Fennville, holds first place as the pear shipping center of Michigan, a distinction it has maintained for several years, the latest compilation of shipping statistics on the 1927 pear crop compiled by R. H. Shoemaker, federal and state market reporter, and just published in bulletin form at Washington, indicates.

Eighty-two cars of pears of the 1927 crop were shipped from Fennville, compared to 72 from Benton Harbor, 63 from Coloma, 63 from St. Joseph and 39 from Derby. The total carlot shipments of pears from the state reached 536, the largest in three years.

Commercial pear raising is largely confined to western Michigan. Only one county in the eastern half of the state made any carlot pear shipments last year, Lenawee loading three cars.

## State Fair to Give \$26,582 Cattle Money

A total of \$26,582 will be offered in the cattle department of the Michigan State Fair, Sept. 2-8, the largest premium list in the history of the fair, according to the management.

Of this amount the Michigan State Fair is contributing \$23,574 in cash and \$990 in trophies, while the various breed associations are giving \$3,008.

There will be 13 separate classes in this department, with the following awards in each class: Beef breeds, class 1, Shorthorns, \$3,177.50; class 2, Polled Shorthorns, \$1,418; class 3, Herefords, \$3,383; class 4, Aberdeen Angus, \$2,710; class 5, commercial cattle, \$870; dual purpose breeds, class 6, milking Shorthorns, \$1,753.75; class 7, Red Polled, cash, \$1,239, and trophy, \$90; dairy breeds, class 8, Holstein-Friesian, \$3,837; class 9, Guernseys, \$2,358 and trophies, \$90; class 10, Jerseys, \$2,358; class 11, Ayrshire, \$7,864; class 12, Brown Swiss, \$1,969; class 13, state institution herds banner to be awarded herd scoring highest number of points in the open classes.

Exhibits in the cattle department will be released Saturday, Sept. 8, at 4 p. m. Entries close Aug. 18 and all cattle must be in place and ready for judging Monday, Sept. 8, at 9 a. m.

Officials of the cattle department will be as follows: W. W. Crapo, Swartz Creek, member in charge, beef breeds; H. W. Wigman, Lansing, member in charge, dairy breeds; Prof. G. A. Branaman, Lansing, superintendent of beef breeds, and Prof. J. G. Hays, Lansing, superintendent of dairy breeds.

An entry fee of \$2 will be charged each exhibitor. Applications for entry blanks should be made to the director of livestock and exhibits, and should be mailed or handed to him in person. None but official blanks should be used.

In addition to catering to the interests of the farmer and his needs, the fair this year will provide an entertainment and educational program unequalled in its history.

The fair opens on Sunday afternoon, Sept. 2, with a sacred concert in the Coliseum by Lieutenant Commander John Philip Sousa and his band of 100 musicians and soloists. He will give a special patriotic program in the evening and twice daily during the duration of the fair will give programs which have made his band famous throughout the world.

Elaborate preparations have been made for out-of-town visitors who will drive to the fair, with the provision of adequate parking space within the grounds.

## Prof. C. W. Bennett Will Leave M. S. C.

Prof. C. W. Bennett, one of the foremost plant pathologists in the United States, will leave the botany department of Michigan State college this year. He has accepted a similar position with the Ohio experimental station at Wooster, O.

In the short time he has been at East Lansing, Prof. Bennett has been active in determining how various diseases of fruits, raspberries in particular, are spread. His studies and findings have greatly assisted the state department of agriculture in its efforts to control the spread of disease of horticultural plants through the nurseries.

Prof. Bennett recently turned his attention to a study of peach yellows and little peach diseases.

## 35 Potato Plantings In Oceana Certified

Thirty-five potato growers of Oceana county have planted certified seed and have applied to the Michigan Crop Improvement Association for certification this year.

This is an acreage of 194 acres with Russet Rural variety, although one grower is trying a field of Irish Cobbler in addition to the others. Most of them have used commercial fertilizers and are required to spray at least five times with Bordeaux mixture.

This has been a direct outgrowth of a series of meetings last year onstrated by H. C. Moore, specialist

## Arrested When He Refused to Allow Inspection of Bees

Ezra Lesser, Dexter township farmer, placed himself in a bad predicament recently when he allowed his temper to get the best of him in refusing officers the right to inspect his bees. As a consequence he is liable to several offenses among which are interfering with an officer pursuing his duty, assault and battery and resisting an officer.

The charge placed against Lesser is one of interfering with an officer. He has been released from the county jail under \$1,000 bond.

When two officers of the state department asked for permission to inspect his bees he emphatically refused. Aid of the sheriff's department was sought but still he was determined to protect his bees against inspection. He attempted to chase the officers from his place with a pitchfork but was subdued after a struggle and placed in jail.

At the jail another fight took place when he offered strenuous objection to being taken to court. He appeared before Justice C. A. Reading with his clothing badly torn from the struggle with officers.

## Farm Price Index Higher Than Year Ago

At 145 the general index of farm prices on June 15 was 15 points above June a year ago, but a decline of 3 points since May 15 this year. The 1900-14 five-year period is used as a base of 100.

Prices of practically all commodities included in the index declined from May 15 to June 15, grains going down 8 points, fruits and vegetables 13 points, meat animals 1 point, dairy products 2 points, poultry products 1 point, and cotton and cottonseed 4 points.

Increased market receipts of hogs, and large storage stocks of pork and lard were important factors in lower hog prices during the period from May 15 to June 15. The corn-hog ratio declined 0.1 points for the month.

Total stocks of old corn are considerably below those of last year and there is a strong feeding demand, but these price strengthening factors have been offset by the good condition and progress of the 1928 corn crop, and the farm price of corn failed to make the usual seasonal advance from May 15 to June 15.

The farm price of lambs made a slight advance, but sheep prices dropped about 3 per cent. Wheat prices declined, due largely to the improvement in condition of the 1928 winter wheat crop since May. Private reports also indicate increased acreage in Canada and Australia, and favorable conditions for a good Canadian spring wheat crop.

Potatoes showed an unusually sharp decline of 19 per cent, accounted for largely by the exceptionally heavy movement of old potatoes and the marked increase in shipments from the first early states which flooded the market the latter half of May and the first two weeks in June. The average farm price of potatoes on June 15 was 56 per cent lower than the farm price a year ago.

## See Light Apple Crop In Ottawa

Winter apples promise less than 25 per cent of a full crop, according to investigations made by Gerrit J. Deur, fruit grower in Holland township. This condition is due largely to the drought last year and fruit spurs didn't develop. Fall apples indicate about a one-half crop.

Prospects for a good peach crop are bright. Some trees are over-loaded, while others promise a fair yield. Plums will be light and sour and sweet cherries indicate a small half crop.

Small fruit will be up to the average. Blackcaps, red raspberries and blackberries look fine.

## 1928 Trout Season Is Satisfactory

Bits of information coming into the fish division of the department of conservation indicate that the present trout fishing season has been generally satisfactory. This condition is believed to have resulted as the result of the department's activities in planting young fish, the closing of the feeder streams and the unusual assistance that nature has seen fit to render.

Mother Nature entered into the picture because she saw fit during the springs of 1925 and 1926 to instigate a few floods. High water is often disastrous to young fish. The water sweeps down in torrents, carrying the smaller fry with it and giving even the stronger fish a battle of existence. During the present season, several streams were visited by high water but it is difficult to estimate the damage, according to Fred A. Westerman, superintendent of hatcheries.

Reports from fishermen who have cast their flies in certain sections of the AuSable River indicate that better fishing has prevailed there this spring than in many seasons past. German browns are being caught there; however, where in the past the brook trout have predominated, the east and north branches yield more brook than browns. The favorable reports have been received from fishermen who have been active anywhere north of Mio, the lower stream not producing the fish in large quantities.

## Poultry

### DOSING POULTRY FAILS TO ERADICATE VERMIN

Many farmers and poultrymen have believed it possible that certain chemicals administered as medicine or mixed with feed or water may protect their animals from external parasites. Ignorant and unscrupulous dealers, particularly in the poultry business, have played on this belief. The prevailing idea is that the material is taken up by the blood and then excreted on the surface. Many believe that the parasites are either poisoned in this way, or else that a condition is induced which makes the fowl displeasing to its parasites and causes them to leave. Vendors of nostrums have sold liquids, tablets and powders for use in this way. The insecticide authorities in the United States Department of Agriculture have issued warnings against these remedies, and in many cases have forced the makers to cease advertising and selling the frauds.

In approximately 50 tests of fakery of the preparations advertised none showed any indication of value against the common external parasites with which the hens were infested. Lice and mites thrived and multiplied as they might have been expected to do if the "medicine" had not been administered. These tests were the basis of the campaign against the fakers.

In addition, the department carried out tests with a considerable number of other chemicals in addition to those revealed by analysis of these "vermin eradicators." Chemicals tested included magnesium sulphate or epsom salt, sodium carbonate, naphthalene, calcium thiosulphate, calcium sulphide, magnesium oxide, sodium sulphate, potassium nitrate, ferric oxide, ferric sulphate, ferrous sulphate, potassium tellurite, potassium telluride, diethyl diselenide, sodium nitrate, tartar emetic, potassium iodide, sulphur flowers, capsicum, gentian, ginger, fenugreek, garlic, camphor, powdered tobacco, quinine, nuxvomica, and others.

In no other case was there conclusive evidence of any benefit from dosage. The ticks, lice, mites, and fleas were not eradicated. Furthermore, there is grave danger in giving certain internal medicaments to healthy fowls, as their vitality may be decreased to such an extent that the parasites find them an easier prey than they would have been had no doses been administered.

The conclusion of the investigators is that "the use of internal medications against external parasites is detrimental to the poultry industry in that it not only involves useless expenditures but allows the parasite to continue their ravages when they might be destroyed by recognized methods."

### PAMPERING TENDS TO WEAKEN TURKS

Pamper the turkey and spoil the bird.

Mrs. Frank Byrne, wife of a Grattan township farmer, near Lowell, and successful turkey raiser, offers this as a rule to follow to "beginners" in the great business of producing big holiday birds.

Besides cooking and caring for a family of 10 children, ranging in age from six months to 22 years, Mrs. Byrne finds time to raise a flock of 50 or 60 turkeys each year and also a few ducks, geese and chickens. Her turkeys last year netted her \$175.

Mrs. Byrne has found that too much pampering spoils a turkey and besides making it lazy, increases its susceptibility to disease. They should be allowed to roam freely, she believes.

Just as soon as her young turkeys are strong enough to follow their mothers, she turns them on range. They virtually feed themselves, ranging through the fields of grain and meadow.

Acting on the theory a contented turkey makes the best layer, Mrs. Byrne never confines her birds. They are permitted to seek their own nests and the children gather the eggs. When making a nest, a hen turkey takes more precautions to hide it than any miser ever took to hide his gold. She seems to know she is being watched, and will walk a long distance in one direction, leading one to think her nest is there, when in reality it may be a mile removed and on the other side of the house.

### DAIRY STERILIZER

Dairy utensils can be sterilized efficiently and at little cost in a galvanized-iron box sterilizer where a steam boiler is not available. This sterilizer consists simply of a box with a tightly fitting lid, which can be made at reasonable cost by any tinsmith. The box is set on a gas or oil stove, or on a concrete, brick, or stone foundation to serve as a fire box. A little water is placed in the box and the utensils put on a slatted rack high enough to hold them out of the water. If enough heat is applied under the box to boil the water, steam will be generated and the temperature within the box will be raised high enough to kill practically all the bacteria.

"I must meet my wife now to do a little shopping," said Mr. Henpeck. "Did you call the cab for me, Miss Stylus?"

"I did," answered his stenog.

"Is it a heated cab?"

"I didn't think to stipulate that. I fear it is not."

"Never mind. It will be when she starts her argument."—Louisville Courier-Journal.



## LAKE PLANE LINE PLANNED

The Detroit and Cleveland Navigation Company and the manufacturers of Dornier All-Metal Flying Boats have completed negotiations for a seaplane service between Chicago, Detroit, Cleveland and Buffalo. The service will be put into operation about July 1, 1929, announces A. A. Schantz, president of the D. and C. company. The type of flying boat to be used is equipped to carry 25 passengers and a crew of four men. It is capable of a speed of 45 miles an hour on water and 135 miles an hour in the air. Without load it weighs 16,000 pounds and has a wing span of 97 feet with an over all length of 84 feet.

Based on an approximate rate of 15 cents per mile per passenger, the fare from Detroit to Cleveland will be about \$15. The time will be slightly less than one hour for this trip. The trip from Buffalo to Cleveland will require an hour and three-quarters. Similar to chairs on a Pullman, the passenger seats on the flying boats will be divided into two compartments. Buffet lunch service will be provided also on each ship, it is said.

## 6,300 Acres Oil Leases Announced in Mason

M. L. Diamond of Gary, Ind., states he has leased 1,800 acres of land in Grant township to the Johnson Oil and Refining company of Chicago, and has leased 4,500 acres in Lake county to the Pure Oil Company. Terms of lease require sinking of test wells within a year, he says.

Logan Oil company has reached a depth of 1,300 feet in its second well in Logan township. Oil was struck in the first well at 1,950 feet, but water was not successfully shut off and the well was continued to a depth of more than 3,300 feet, where gas was struck.

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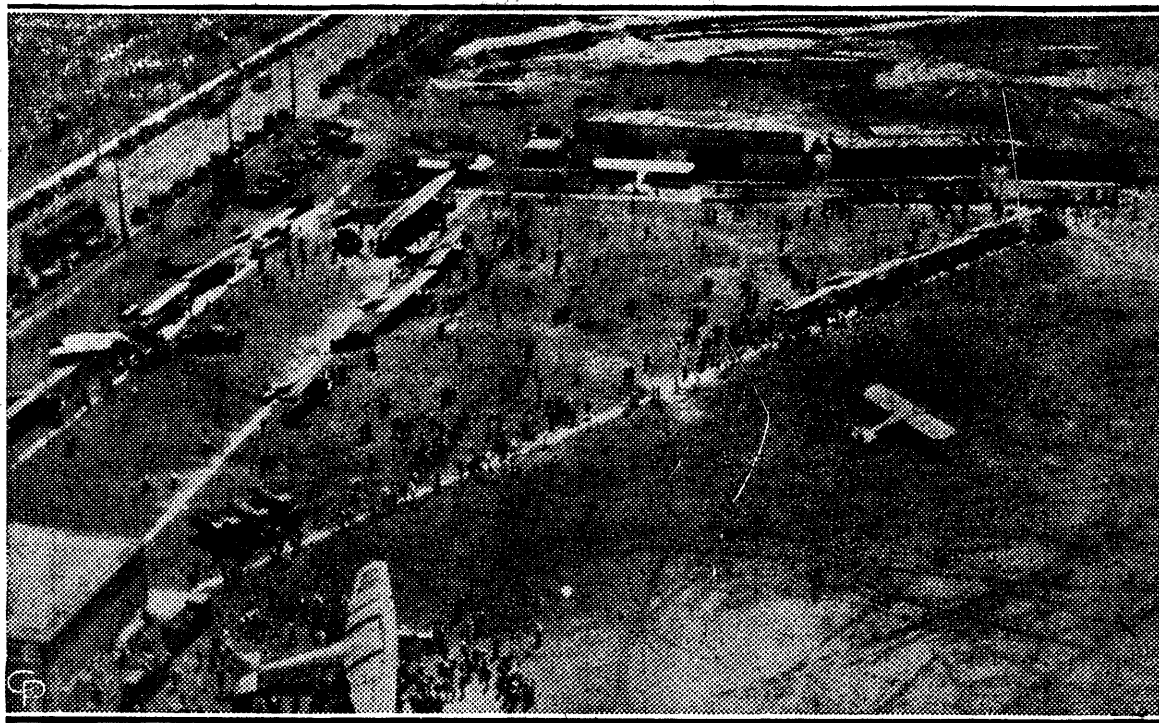
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## National Air Reliability Tour at Half-Way Mark



Some of the planes in the national reliability air tour for commercial airplanes snapped at the half-way mark on the annual flight. They are shown at Mahoney Field, San Diego, Cal., after a flight over the Rocky mountains.

## BIRMINGHAM TO HAVE NEW POST OFFICE

Birmingham is to have a new large  
post office at an early date.

This announcement was made re-  
cently by C. W. Huston, postal in-  
spector of this district who is sta-  
tioned at Ypsilanti.

While a downtown location has  
been decided upon, the exact site is  
not yet made public. The cost of the  
new building could not be ascertained.

"Birmingham is in need of larger  
postal quarters," he said, "and the  
new building should have a floor space  
of 3,200 square feet. This is con-  
siderably more than the present quar-  
ters entail.

Mr. Huston said a great deal more  
information could be made public  
after the bids are received this month  
as a great deal depends upon their  
figures.

There is possibility that the new  
building will only be leased, he said.  
If this is the case, it will be leased  
for at least five or ten years.

The present quarters on Woodward  
avenue have been inadequate for more  
than a year, according to James W.  
Cobb, Birmingham postmaster.

Recently the increase in business  
has made it possible for the Birming-  
ham post office to obtain a first class  
postal rating.

## Belding Companies Merge Interests

The Metal-Glass Products Co., re-  
cently formed, has taken over the  
tank part of the business of the Metal  
Vitrix Co., the assets of the Grand  
Rapids Vitreous Enamel Products Co.,  
as well as the property located at Reed  
and Root streets.

The Metal-Vitrix Co. has been oc-  
cupying the present property jointly  
with the Grand Rapids Vitreous Pro-  
ducts Co. since last November when a  
part of the business was moved here  
from Chicago. It has been under the  
management of I. E. Colvin, who  
moved here in April.

It is felt this merger will add to  
the city's prosperity.

Officials of the company are:  
President, I. E. Colvin; vice presi-  
dent, John F. Bardush; treasurer, C.  
E. Bond.

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**BANISH GRAY  
HAIR EASILY**  
APPLY YOURSELF—NO ONE KNOWS  
**LEA'S HAIR TONIC**  
RESTORES HAIR TO COLOR OF YOUTH  
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## \$50 Reward

\$50 will be paid if R. V. Turner's  
Quick Relief Salve fails to relieve  
croup, head colds, catarrh, sore  
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## 400,000 Attendance Is Forecast for State Fair

The largest attendance in the his-  
tory of the Michigan State Fair is ex-  
pected September 2-8, with prospects  
pointing to nearly 400,000 people  
viewing the 79th annual exhibition.

With this anticipated increase over  
last year, when 256,000 paid admis-  
sion to the grounds, despite the handi-  
cap of two rainy days, facilities for  
entering and leaving the grandstand  
have been enlarged two and one-half  
times, providing easier and more  
rapid access to the stands. The en-  
larged entertainment program this  
year is expected to aid in breaking  
last year's record.

Of great interest to out-of-town vi-  
sitors will be the competition in both  
draft and standard bred horses, where  
total premiums offered will reach  
\$15,250. Entries in this department  
will close promptly Saturday, August  
18, and exhibitors will be released on  
Saturday, September 8.

During the evenings, in conjunction  
with 21 acts of vaudeville, the pageant  
and fireworks spectacle—"A Night In  
Bagdad" will hold the interest of the  
audience. This is the most impressive  
and complete presentation of Oriental  
fantasy that has been shown to date  
in any state fair in the country. A  
procession of hundreds of Bagdad's  
citizens in colorful dress will precede  
the illumination of the city, which is  
shown on a stage 500 feet long. A  
special cast of actors and ballet dan-  
cers will participate in the ceremonies  
accompanying the pageant, which  
ends in a glorious burst of fireworks  
and enormous set pieces, punctuated  
by detonations from electrical bombs.

The growth of the state fair this  
year is reflected by the leasing to date  
of \$56,000 worth of space, compared  
with \$19,000 sold at this time last  
year. Many of the buildings at the  
fair have been re-decorated and their  
lighting and ventilating greatly im-  
proved. The main, machinery, elec-  
trical and dairy buildings will house  
a host of labor-saving devices reduc-  
ing the housewife's daily chores.

## Cadillac May Vote On Water System

The committee chosen by citizens of  
Cadillac to investigate a renewal of  
the Consumers Power Co. franchise  
for furnishing water has recommend-  
ed to the city commission that a  
change be made. It submitted two  
propositions. The water now sup-  
plied in the city mains comes directly  
from Lake Cadillac, although  
screened. The committee recom-  
mended that wells be drilled to a  
depth of 60 feet and that the supply  
be taken from these. The commit-  
tee, however, admitted that most of  
the householders were in favor of the  
present system because the lake water  
is soft and suitable for washing.

The committee, headed by William  
L. Saunders as chairman, and L. J.  
Deming, James Johnston, J. F. Brem-  
er and R. J. Teeter, said the well sys-  
tem would entail an additional ex-  
pense of \$10,000 a year in increased  
water rates. The two propositions  
probably will be submitted to the vot-  
ers of the city soon.

## State Road Program Costs \$4,500,000

This year's construction of the  
State Highway Commission for the  
northern district, which embraces the  
counties in the northern half of the  
lower peninsula, amounts to \$4,500,-  
000, and more than \$1,000,000 is be-  
ing spent for maintenance. A. L.  
Burridge is the division engineer in  
charge of this district.

## MAGUIRE'S HAIR FOOD

Listen—Folks! I don't care how thin or sickly  
your hair is, how fast it is falling out—whether  
you have dry or greasy dandruff, if bald or not  
providing the baldness is not shing—Maguire's  
Hair Food has given other folks a good head of  
hair then why not you?  
\$1.50 per bottle. Enough for six months  
treatment. Send for a bottle now to  
**JOHN J. MAGUIRE**  
12 Milk Street  
Fitchburg, Mass.  
Your Money back if not satisfied.

## HOLLAND ESCAPES SCARLET FEVER FOR THE YEAR

In submitting the annual health re-  
port of the city of Holland, Dr. D. G.  
Cook, local health officer, points out  
that Holland has gained a distinctive  
position in the state by being the first  
city to carry out a general immigra-  
tion campaign against scarlet fever.

A general survey of the state  
shows that Michigan has had more  
than the average number of scarlet  
fever cases during 1927-28. In con-  
trast to this record, Holland reports  
show that there have been no cases  
of scarlet fever among school chil-  
dren during the entire 12 months. No  
other Michigan community has this  
perfect record.

This record is the result of the im-  
munization drive which was initiated  
in the schools last fall. Two thou-  
sand, seven hundred, seventy-three  
children took the so-called Dick test,  
which indicated those who were sus-  
ceptible to scarlet fever. It was found  
that one thousand, four hundred and  
forty-five had to submit to the im-  
munization treatment. The board of  
health, composed of Mayor E. C.  
Brooks, City Attorney Charles Mc-  
Bride, Dr. D. C. Cook, Otto P. Kra-  
mer and Dr. William Westrate, im-  
mediately sponsored the free treat-  
ment of necessary cases.

Along with this record, Holland  
health officials are proud that there  
has been only one case of diphtheria  
among school children in the past four  
years. There have been no smallpox  
cases in the past 10 years. This is  
also the result of immunization spon-  
sored by the board of health.

The local board gives treatments  
against scarlet fever every other year,  
alternating with the treatment against  
diphtheria and smallpox. School chil-  
dren will be given toxin-antitoxin  
against diphtheria and will be vac-  
cinated against smallpox during the  
coming fall.

## Allegan's 76th Fair to Be Held Last Week in August

With only six weeks remaining be-  
fore the seventy-sixth annual Allegan  
county fair, preparations are being  
made for one of the most extensive  
expositions in the history of the Al-  
legan County Agricultural society.

With an increased seating capacity  
of the grandstand, with a record num-  
ber of entries for the race program  
and a fine line of free acts, there is  
every indication this year's fair, the  
last week in August, will be a success.  
Special attention is being paid ex-  
hibits, with special stress on rural  
school displays. This department is  
under the direction of Charles E. Bas-  
sett of Fennville. Each school will  
be given an equal amount of space in  
which to display its handiwork.

Unusual activity has been shown  
also in the other exhibits. A fine  
premium list has been prepared and  
entries are being received from all  
parts of Allegan county.

Secretary Swan Sequist said: "If  
we have favorable weather this will  
be a record fair. This is the first of  
many fairs that I have managed in  
which persons from all parts of the  
county have got their shoulders to the  
wheel to help put it over in a big  
way."

Fred Hale, who with Emmett  
Weaver, has charge of this year's race  
program, reports the \$3,000 in purses  
are attracting entries from all over  
the state and some are being received  
from adjoining states.

Another feature this year will be  
the Baker Furniture Co. band which  
will play each day. Other bands from  
all parts of the county also will pro-  
vide music.

The committee in charge of the Al-  
legan homecoming in connection with  
the fair has announced many inquiries  
are being received from former resi-  
dents.

Chorus Girl—"I'm afraid my rep-  
utation is ruined."  
Her lawyer—"That's fine! Our  
fortunes are made."—Life.

## Seize 50,000 Feet Of Illegal Nets

More than 50,000 feet of illegal  
nets placed by commercial fishermen  
have been lifted from Lake Michigan  
by department of conservation au-  
thorities. This net is valued at eight  
cents per foot, making a total valua-  
tion of \$4,000. Half of the amount  
on hand has been issued for use in  
the taking of obnoxious fish from  
Michigan streams and lakes while the  
remainder is stored at the depart-  
ment's offices. Negotiations are now  
under way for the sale of the surplus  
on hand.

It is believed that most of the illegal  
nets were placed in Michigan waters  
by Wisconsin fishermen who did not  
hold non-resident licenses. Even  
though those who set the nets had held  
licenses, the move was illegal for the  
mesh is smaller than the Michigan law  
specifies. The Wolverine state de-  
mands that commercial nets shall have  
a mesh of not less than 2 1/2 inches  
while the Wisconsin law permits the  
use of 2 1/4 inch meshes. The nets  
were taken 11 miles off the Michigan  
shore. Michigan's rights extend to  
the middle of the lake. There were  
57 individual nets taken, each meas-  
uring better than 9,000 feet in length.  
In the past nets believed to have  
belonged to Wisconsin parties have  
been found placed directly in front  
of nets belonging to Michigan parties.  
In this case, the mesh of the Wiscon-  
sin nets being smaller, utterly pre-  
cludes the possibility of Michigan  
fishermen making any kind of haul. If  
the fish were small enough to pass  
through the smaller meshed nets, then  
they most certainly could make their  
way through the larger meshes of the  
Michigan nets.

No definite accusations can be made  
as to the owners of the nets, but it is  
generally believed that the illegal  
property was owned by Wisconsin parties.

## Builds \$225,000 Substation

Consumers Power Company will  
build a new sub-station, adjoining the  
present foundry power-house at Saginaw  
at the cost of \$225,000, an-  
nounces Russell B. Palmer, district  
manager. The new station will be  
made necessary to provide additional  
electrical service for the recently an-  
nounced development of the Chevrolet  
Motor Company at Saginaw. The  
new sub-station will be twice the size  
of the present Sixth avenue station,  
having a capacity of 12,000 kilo-volt-  
amperes against 6,000 kilo-volt-am-  
peres for the present station. Eventu-  
ally the new construction will provide  
for 30,000 kilo-volt-amperes capacity.

One Vienna steel company can pro-  
duce in a month all the yearly re-  
quirements of the Austrian federal  
railways.

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## FEW BIG FIRES REPORTED IN STATE

To date few forest fires of conse-  
quence have been reported by the  
state conservation department fire  
wardens. Constant vigilance on the  
part of the department's men has  
tended to keep the fires started from  
reaching dangerous proportions. High  
winds and the lack of green growth  
occasioned by late spring have been  
the principal reasons for the fires that  
have required attention.

The most serious fire occurred east  
of Grayling near Lovells. This fire  
destroyed timber to some extent, but  
the other two blazes, one south of  
Lake George and the other in the  
northwest corner of Gladwin county,  
were confined largely to grass.

## Bangor to Have Paper Mill

A committee of the chamber of  
commerce has been working with  
Emil Kellner and others for starting  
a paper mill to manufacture various  
grades of paper from old newspapers  
and other waste paper stock. Mr.  
Kellner is the inventor of a process  
for this work. Officers of the cor-  
poration are: President, Emil Kellner;  
vice presidents, C. J. Stebbins and I.  
L. Wolfe; secretary, Emerson A. Orr;  
treasurer, Arthur Emerson; directors,  
Emil Kellner, C. J. Stebbins, I. L.  
Wolfe, Emerson Orr, Arthur Sherrod,  
F. Wornbrand, A. L. Robbins, J. Web-  
ster and H. P. VanderGiesen.

Financing is in the hands of a large  
New York firm. Buildings will be  
started as soon as the financing is  
completed.

## Cuticura Shaving Stick

Contains the medicinal properties of  
Cuticura. Freely lathering and sanative,  
it promotes skin health and protects the  
newly shaven surface from infection.  
25c. Everywhere



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antidote for pain, but are you careful  
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do you always give a glance to see  
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genuine printed in red? It isn't the  
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drugstore always has Bayer, with the  
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## The Result of Fair Dealings

**10,200 Policies Written and Renewed in  
March and April. Assets Increased  
in April \$57,000**

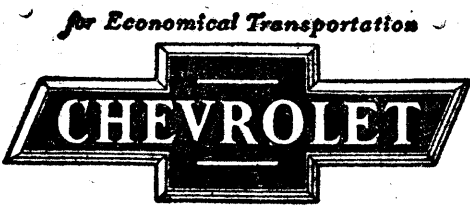
Fair dealing has increased the business year  
after year since 1915. The company has taken the  
lead in state-wide business and given service and  
satisfaction to its members. The size and strength  
of the company can be estimated by the fact that  
it has paid out over \$5,000,000 in claims for auto-  
mobile insurance since 1915 and increased its assets  
since 1922 over \$700,000, an average of \$140,000 per  
year, the total admitted assets being \$929,000 on  
December 31, 1927.

It has the same officers, agents and adjusters  
to give service to its members. No matter in what  
part of Michigan you travel, you will find, by in-  
quiring at any sales agency or garage, the agent of  
the Citizens' Mutual ready to serve you. You are  
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kinds of automobile insurance written at **COST**  
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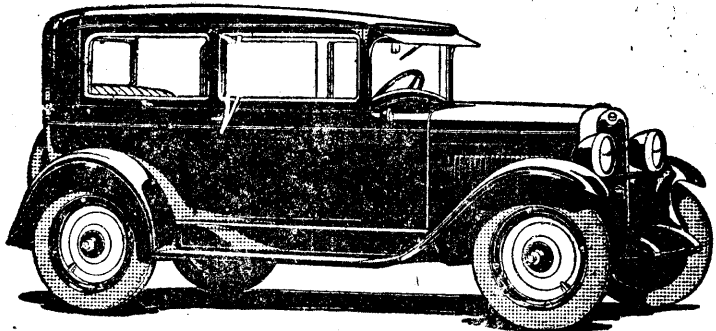
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HOWELL, MICH.





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QUALITY AT LOW COST

## AUCTION OF HOUSEHOLD GOODS

To settle the estate of the late Mrs. Dr. Mann will sell 3 miles southeast of Gobles or 3 miles southwest of Kendall or follow main road south of Pine Grove

Saturday, August 4

Commencing at one o'clock (fast time) the following described property:

12 leather chairs	3 stands	China closet
2 leather arm chairs	2 bookcases	Piano
2 cushioned chairs	Lace curtains	Sideboard
Armed cushion chair	Kitchen cabinet	
3 overstuffed chairs	Carpets and rugs	4 antique bureaus
2 sofas	Base burner	Victrola
2 library tables	Oil stove	2 kitchen tables
Medicine chest	2 kitchen chairs	Morris chair
3 single beds, springs and mattresses	Pier glass	Glass case
3 double beds and springs	Gold leaf antique clock	
3 dressers	Lamps	Dishes
Chiffonier	Leather rocking chair	Cooking utensils
Navajo rug	Wardrobe	
2 writing desks	2 commodes	
Filing cabinet	Office chair	

TERMS: All sums of \$10 and under, cash. Over that amount 6 months time will be given on good bankable notes with interest at 7 per cent. No property to be removed until settled for.

MANN ESTATE

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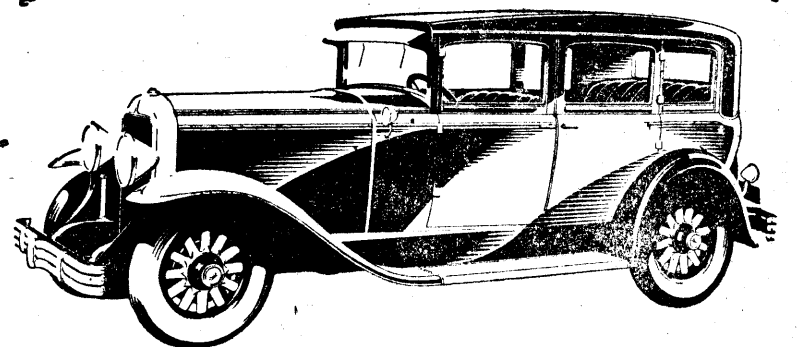
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### REGISTRATION NOTICE FOR GENERAL PRIMARY ELECTION

TUESDAY, Sept. 4, A. D. 1928  
To the qualified electors of the township of Bloomingdale, Precinct No. 2, County of Van Buren, State of Michigan.

Notice is hereby given that in conformity with the "Michigan Election Law", I, the undersigned Township Clerk, will, upon any day, except Sunday and a legal holiday, the day of any regular or special election or primary election, receive for registration the name of any legal voter in said Township not already registered who may Apply To Me Personally for such registration. Provided, however, that I can receive no names for registration during the time intervening between the Second Saturday before any regular, special, or official primary election and the day of such election.

The last day for General Registration does not apply to persons who vote under the Absent Voters Law. (See Registration by Affidavit.)

August 25, 1928—LAST DAY  
For General Registration by personal application for said election.

Notice is further hereby given that I will be at H. W. Taylor store, Gobles,

AUG. 11 AND AUG. 18, 1928

From 8 o'clock a. m. until 8 o'clock p. m. on each said day for the purpose of Reviewing the Registration and Registering such of the qualified electors in said Township as Shall Properly apply therefor.

The name of no person but an Actual Resident of the precinct at the time of registration and entitled under the constitution, if remaining such resident, to vote at the next election, shall be entered in the registration book.

Registration by Affidavit  
Sec. 10—Registering of Electors: Regular Session of 1925—Any absent voter, as defined in this act, whose name is not registered and who shall claim the right to vote by absent voter's ballot at any election or primary election, may at the time of making application for absent voter's ballot, present to the township clerk an affidavit for registration which shall be in substantially the following form:

Affidavit for Registration  
State of Michigan, County of \_\_\_\_\_

being duly sworn, depose and say that I am a citizen and duly qualified elector of \_\_\_\_\_ Precinct of the Township of \_\_\_\_\_ in said County of \_\_\_\_\_ and State of Michigan; that my postoffice address is No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street (or R. F. D. No. \_\_\_\_\_) P. O. \_\_\_\_\_

registered as an elector therein, and that I am voting by absent voter's ballot at the election (or primary election) to be held upon the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 19\_\_\_\_

the application for which ballot accompanies this application; that I make this affidavit for the purpose of procuring my registration as an elector in accordance with the statute; that I make the following statements in compliance with the Michigan Election Law: Age \_\_\_\_\_

Race: \_\_\_\_\_ Birth place \_\_\_\_\_

date of Naturalization \_\_\_\_\_ I further swear or affirm that the answers given to the questions concerning my qualifications as an elector are true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Taken, subscribed and sworn to before me, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ A. D. 192\_\_\_\_

Notary \_\_\_\_\_ My Commission expires \_\_\_\_\_

Note—If this acknowledgment is taken outside of the State, the Certificate of the Court that the person taking the acknowledgment is a

notary must be attached.

Registration of Absentee by Oath Section 9.

If any person whose name is not registered shall offer and claim the right to vote at any election or primary election, and shall under oath state that he or she is a resident of such precinct and has resided in the Township Twenty Days next preceding such election or primary election, designating particularly the place of his or her residence that he or she possesses the other qualifications of an elector under the constitution; and that owing to the sickness or bodily infirmity of himself or herself or some member of his or her family, or owing to his or her absence from the Township on public business or his or her own business, and without intent to avoid or delay his or her registration, he or she was unable to make application for registration on the last day provided by law for the registering of electors preceding such election or primary election, then the name of such person shall be registered, and he or she shall then be permitted to vote at such election or primary election. If such applicant shall in said matter willfully make any false statement, he or she shall be deemed guilty of perjury, and upon conviction, be subject to the pains and penalties thereof.

Provision in Case of Removal to Another Precinct Section 11.

Any registered and qualified voter who has Removed from One Election Precinct of a Township to another election precinct of the same Township shall have the right, on any day previous to election, or primary election day, on application to Township Clerk, to have his or her name transferred from the registration book of the precinct from which he or she has removed to the registration book of the precinct in which he or she then resides. Such elector shall have the right to have such transfer made on any Election, or Primary election day by obtaining from the board of inspectors of such election or primary election of the precinct from which he or she has removed a Certificate of Transfer and presenting the said certificate to the Board of Election Inspectors of the Precinct in which he or she then resides.

ART GROVE, Township Clerk.

By H. W. TAYLOR, Justice.

Dated July 14, A. D. 1928.

Order for Publication

STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Van Buren.

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the Village of Paw Paw in said County, on the 28th day of July A. D. 1928.

Present Hon. Wm. Killifer, Judge of Probate, in the matter of the estate of Cordelia M. Covey, Deceased.

Hugh W. Gobles, son of said deceased, having filed in said Court his petition praying for reasons therein stated that the administration of said estate be granted to L. O. Graham or to some other suitable person:

It is Ordered, That the 27th day of August, A. D. 1928, at two o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

It is Further Ordered, That Public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy hereof for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing in the Gobles News a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

WM. KILLIFER, Judge of Probate.

A true copy. Mamie L. Shaefer, Register of Probate.

County Register of Deeds (First Term)

I am a candidate for the Republican nomination for "Register of Deeds." If elected I guarantee efficient service and a careful and courteous attention to the patrons of the office.

I will want you to feel at home in the office of Register of Deeds.

Ralph G. Thompson, South Haven Mich.

PdPolAdv

### For Register of Deeds

I am a candidate for the office of Register of Deeds of Van Buren County, subject to the Republican primary on September 4, and will greatly appreciate your support. My candidacy is based upon the standard of service I have rendered during the time I have been affiliated with the office.

LENA A. SPAULDING.

PdPolAd-ue



# CHICAGO GIRL AND FLINT BOY GIVEN HONORS

Two Middle-western youths—one a boy, the other a girl—have just distinguished themselves and won national honors for outstanding achievements in connection with comparatively little-known fields of Salvation Army work, of which each is a representative.

The girl—Kathryn Elmquest, 16—a Chicago high school student, has been made a General's Guard and nominated as "the perfect, most all-around and wholesome type of American girl," according to Salvation Army ideals, for her accomplishments and advancements within the Life Saving Guards, a Salvation Army young people's organization, operating very much along similar lines as the Boy and Girl Scout movements.

The silken tassel of the Guard, up to date presented to only six other girls in the entire United States, was bestowed upon Kathryn by Lt.—Commissioner John McMillan, in command of Salvation Army forces throughout the eleven Mid-western states comprising the Central Territory. It gives her the privilege of special attendance upon General Booth during any visit here. Kathryn won the rare award for her skill and efficiency in nine branches of practical accomplishment. Here are just some of the things she had to do to achieve the honor—cook an entire dinner, sew a complete wardrobe, bake a cupboard full of cakes and cookies, render first aid, bathe and take care of a baby less than a year old, show an unbroken record for conduct and politeness, maintain a high average in her studies and be able to play the violin.

As for the boy—Bernard Smith, 17, a member of The Salvation Army Citadel Band at Flint, Michigan—he walked away with first prize in competition with hundreds of other youths gathered from all parts of the United States, and was proclaimed the best boy cornet soloist in the country by judges who included the famous bandmaster, John Philip Sousa, at the National High School Bands contest, held recently at Joliet, Illinois.

Bernard received his musical education in The Salvation Army. He was trained under Ensign William Broughton, now central Territorial staff bandmaster, who formerly had charge of the Flint Citadel unit. He testifies the 40,000 or more Salvation Army musicians in the United States who serve without remuneration of any kind, and include among their numbers some highly-talented players.

## Barry Farmer Finds Deer With Cattle

An unusual visitor met the gaze of Burr Laubaugh, living five miles west of Hastings, when he went to milk recently. A deer was in the barnyard, apparently on friendly terms with the cows and other animals. At least it made no attempt to get away and seems to be perfectly satisfied with its new surroundings.

Where it came from is a mystery as deer long ago left this county. Although an occasional stray deer found its way into the hills of Rutland and Irving townships none has been seen for several years.

## Poems That Live

### A LAMENT

The Night Before His Execution  
My prime of youth is but a frost of  
cares;  
My feast of joy is but a dish of  
pain;  
My crop of corn is but a field of tares;  
And all my good is but vain hope of  
gain  
The day is fled, and yet I saw no sun;  
And now I live, and now my life is  
done!

The spring is past, and yet it is not  
sprung;  
The fruit is dead, and yet the leaves  
be green;  
My youth is gone, and yet I am but  
young;  
I saw the world, and yet I was not  
seen;  
My thread is cut, and yet it is not  
spun;  
And now I live, and now my life is  
done!

I sought my death, and found it in my  
womb;  
I looked for life, and saw it was  
a shade;  
I trod the earth, and knew it was my  
tomb;  
And now I die, and now I am but  
made;  
The glass is full, and now my glass is  
run;  
And now I live, and now my life is  
done!

—Chidiock Tickborne (1558-1586)



## Setsu Adopts Native Coustume



Miss Setsuko Matsudaira, left, daughter of the retiring Japanese envoy to the United States, snapped in the traditional costume of old Japan, with members of her family, on arrival at their home in Tokyo. Setsuko is to wed Prince Chichibu, crown prince of Japan.

## W. S. T. C. BIOLOGY STUDENTS TO VISIT ROCKIES

Under the leadership of Dr. L. A. Kenoyer of Western State Teachers college, department of biology, a biology field trip to the Rocky mountains will be taken by a group of Western State Teachers college students. This is the third annual trip of this type.

The party will leave Western State Saturday, Aug. 4, and will return Monday, Sept. 3. They will make the entire trip by bus and will camp along the route. College credit is given for the trip.

The itinerary includes points in Illinois, Iowa, Nebraska and Colorado. The party will visit several colleges and universities also. Considerable time will be devoted to the study of forest, prairie, plains and desert region en route.

Twenty-three persons already have signed up to take the trip. The list includes the following: Orpha Health, Mendon, O.; Clare H. Bennett, Springfield; Dora Bishop, Benton Harbor; Erma Burbank, Benton Harbor; Otto DeWard, Benton Harbor; Kenneth Gregory, Muskegon; Frieda Huggert, Bellevue; Louise Johnson, Kalamazoo; Leone Kier, Pontiac; Loretta Locher, Kalamazoo; Joseph H. Hiller, Kalamazoo; Dorothy Moore, Grand Rapids; Charles D. Nelson, Grand Rapids; Marvel Newcastle, Plainwell; Gwendolyn Perkins, Grand Rapids; Mrs. Maebelle VanAtta, Grand Rapids; Vera M. Wallis, Kingston; and Edna Whippe, Kalamazoo.

## "Peaches and Cream"



"Peaches and cream" names this boudoir costume, and it is the color motif thereof. Peach colored satin is trimmed with cream lace with a coat of the same lace.

## Two Grand Rapids Library Boys Make 1,500 Mile Trip for \$9 Each

"Hitch hiking" nearly 1,500 miles along Lake Michigan's shores on both Michigan and Wisconsin sides, returning to their home in Grand Rapids via Chicago, South Bend and Kalamazoo was the vacation experience of two Grand Rapids Public library pages, Charles Merryman, 18, and Charles Bromley, 16, who declare the trip was "the best vacation they ever had, all for \$9."

Carrying 32-pound knapsacks with bedding and other supplies, the boys left July 4, going to Grand Haven and then following the shoreline north to the straits. Crossing the straits they went to Sault Ste. Marie and slipped across into Canada. Leaving the northland they traveled through Wisconsin to Milwaukee making a detour to Madison and then to Chicago and home.

"We were pretty lucky all along," the boys said, "sometimes climbing aboard a big truck or rickety old car joggling along at a snail's pace and once we enjoyed the pleasure of spinning along at about 70 per in a luxurious new car. We had no difficulty in getting lifts and the drivers always were genial about it. Our hiking probably never was more than five miles a day."

Sleeping out of doors and cooking their own meals over campfires or eating "snacks" bought at bakery shops and grocery stores en route, the young men managed to keep expenses down to \$9 each for the entire trip.

## HOUSEHOLD HINTS

### MENU HINT

Grapefruit Cocktail  
Tuna Fish au Gratin  
Potato Souffle  
Cocoanut-Pineapple Sponge  
Wafers Coffee

Do you have to stay at home this summer? If so why not have a "wanderlust luncheon?" Most of the ingredients used in the above menu are grown in California, Florida or Hawaii, so one of these places might serve to wander in.

**Tuna Fish au Gratin**—Shred one large can of tuna fish. Melt three tablespoons butter, stir in three tablespoons flour, and, when smooth, gradually add two cups milk. Season with one-half teaspoon salt, one-eighth teaspoon paprika and one-eighth teaspoon pepper, and stir until the sauce is thick and smooth. Add one and one-third cups grated cheese and stir until melted. Combine with the fish, pour into a buttered baking dish, sprinkle a little grated cheese on top and brown for a few minutes in a hot oven.

**Potato Souffle**—To three cups of hot mashed potato add three tablespoons butter. Season with one teaspoon salt and one-fourth teaspoon pepper, and beat until light and fluffy. Fold in the stiffly beaten whites of two eggs. Pile lightly in a buttered baking dish and bake until set and browned on top.

**Cocoanut-Pineapple Sponge**—Soak two tablespoons gelatin in one-half cup cold water. Beat the yolks of two eggs slightly, add one-fourth cup sugar and three cups of syrup drained from canned crushed pineapple. Cook in a double boiler for fifteen minutes, stirring constantly. Pour over the gelatin and stir until gelatin is dissolved. Cool, beating occasionally with an egg beater. When the jelly begins to set fold in the stiffly beaten whites of two eggs, and mold. When you unmold it, sprinkle one cup of moist grated cocoanut on top. Serve cold, with whipped cream.

## D. A. R. LEADER MAKES RETORT TO DR. LITTLE

Mrs. Alfred Brosseau, president general of the Daughters of the American Revolution, has made public at Greenwich, Conn., a letter which she has addressed to President Clarence Cook Little of the University of Michigan. She is replying to some criticisms of the D. A. R. recently voiced by Dr. Little in a public address in Detroit. Mrs. Brosseau and her husband are particularly related to the University of Michigan through certain benefactions which they have planned to carry on into larger development. Mrs. Brosseau's letter to President Little reads as follows:

"Through a newspaper report I learn of a recent public diatribe of yours against the Daughters of the American Revolution, part of the attack being based upon an alleged 'black list.'"

"Your statements are made upon presumption only, as you say, 'If I understand correctly,' and 'It probably contains,' etc., proving conclusively that you do not know what you are talking about."

"Frankly, I would say that the policies of the Daughters of the American Revolution are not any of your concern. You are supposed to be an educator and not a censor of organization methods, other than the particular organization with which you are connected."

"Further, I have reason to believe, from my own knowledge that your position presents obstacles, the overcoming of which might be thought to require a maximum of your time and effort."

"You state that some of the qualities of the Daughters of the American Revolution are un-American. Will you pardon me if I remind you of the fact that in certain quarters during the past two years criticisms along similar lines have been leveled at you?"

"The Daughters of the American Revolution has not attacked you. Why should you go out of your way to needlessly criticize it? As an organization its long record of benefactions to humanity and outstanding work for the education of the less fortunate ones of this land should commend it to one of your attainments."

"Last, but not least, the National Society Daughters of the American Revolution does not issue any such list as you condemn, which fact you might have learned had you shown me the courtesy of an inquiry. That would have been quite logical, considering our mutual interests in the University of Michigan—of which you happen at the moment to be president."

## U. of M. Opens Credit Courses in Detroit

The Extension Division of the University of Michigan is opening an office in Detroit this summer in room 562, Case Technical High School.

The idea back of this action is to get in touch with the numerous groups of Detroiters who are interested in adult education. It is especially desirable also that business concerns of Detroit become familiar with what the University has to offer in the field of extension credit courses. Several of the largest business organizations of the city have already manifested a lively interest in this work. Some have arranged for classes at their plants and offices beginning next September. Inquiry regarding this phase of University extension work is invited.

In addition to the above the office will be glad to give out general information about the University. Prospective students may call for enrollment blanks, information regarding entrance requirements, and so forth.

The office will remain open during July and August.

## Stork Coming Again



Following rumors of a reported reconciliation between Ellin Mackay Berlin, wife of the song writer, Irving Berlin, and her father, Clarence Mackay, telegraph magnate, comes a report of the expected arrival of a second child at the Berlin home in the near future.

## Youth and Life

A Clearing House for Boys and Girls and Their Problems  
By BOYD R. SWEM

### HELP CLOSE AT HAND

"I had a splendid talk with him." "He gave me some new and valuable ideas." "He told me some things that were good for me—not to discourage me, but some things I needed to know."

These are just some typical comments that I have been receiving for the past few days from some young men whom I assisted in securing interviews with prominent people in some vocations in which they were interested.

And here's where I want to suggest to you a very simple, helpful and practical way to get help in solving the question of choosing your life work. If you are interested in anything which other folks are doing, why don't you make it your business to get acquainted with some leader in that particular occupation?

You don't happen to know anybody, you say! What of it? The world will listen to anyone who shows himself to be dead in earnest; and almost anyone in any line of work will take time, without even an introduction, to talk over with you the advantages and disadvantages of his field.

If you can find a friend who knows the person you wish to see, ask him to speak about it for you. If not, sit

right down and write him a letter, stating that you would like to talk over the matter. Ten to one, he will answer, "Come along." And you will be surprised, as a rule, at the helpful suggestions he can give you.

### A Warning

There is need of a little caution on your part. There is no occupation that does not have disadvantages as well as advantages. It is perfectly possible that the man you select may see more of the former than of the latter. Don't be too easily discouraged; many men will feel it is their duty to tell you frankly of the hardships you will meet. You might as well face the facts. But remember that other fields also have their difficulties; and weigh matters carefully.

Often many a wasted year of preparation for a bad choice might have been avoided by such a friendly talk. And often, too, the preparation for a truly wise choice could be improved and hastened.

One of the dangers of our modern complex life is this tendency to neglect to use valuable help that is right next door to us.

If I can be of service to any of you in working out your own case, write me freely, at Creston Station, Grand Rapids.

## LIVING AND LOVING

By MRS. VIRGINIA LEE

### BE SLOW TO ANGER

I suppose the very fact of being in love causes tempers to be tricky. At any rate no one is quite so temperamental as young lovers. They get "spunky" at the least untoward—or what appears as untoward—motion on the part of the loved one.

Tempers are on hair triggers, and the slightest touch sets them off with a bang. Afterwards it all seems so silly, the quarrel, and one wonders why the young folks couldn't have had faith in one another and taken a saner attitude. Don't get cross at the slightest provocation, is my advice to young couples in this touchy state. If the "letter that you look for" doesn't come, consider that your correspondent might be ill, or it might easily be lost, so don't write a "spunky" letter too soon and hurt your lover's feelings.

"Dear Mrs. Lee: I am a girl 19 and very much in love with a young man who is a few months my senior. We were in love two years, then I went to a different state to attend college. I have not seen him for a year and I will not be returning to him until one more year, but, Mrs. Lee, we have corresponded so regularly up until lately. I haven't heard from him for THREE weeks. His last letter was so loving and nice I just cannot understand. I have been so true to him, Mrs. Lee, and I think he has been to me. Would you advise me to write a 'spunky' letter, or a nice letter merely asking for an explanation, or would you advise me

just to wait and not write at all? I just don't know what to do and it worries me constantly because I love him so and have so much faith in him. Please advise me. Bubbles."

I was not able to answer your letter very soon, Bubbles, and hope you have heard from your friend before this and that all is well. Never write a "spunky" letter first. Always take it for granted that the person is ill or something and ask pleasantly what the trouble is. It is time enough to get angry when your nice letter remains unanswered or you find that your friend actually is disloyal, although anger does not help the hurt even then. You have a perfect right to write and ask why the silence.

"Dear Mrs. Lee: About six months ago I met a boy whom I fell in love with and went steady with for two months. Then we split up. Mrs. Lee, to this day I do not know the reason and I still love him. Since then I have gone with a few boys and he has gone with a girl, but I haven't found one boy that I like as well as I did him. He 'busted up' with his girl. Do you think he would consider me? I am going on my vacation soon. Do you think it will be all right if I write to him while I'm gone? Please answer soon, Mrs. Lee. Brown Eyes."

No harm for you to write once, Brown Eyes, and if he doesn't answer you needn't do it again. Possibly he thinks you are angry with him, and would be glad to get word from you.

## The World and All

### ON BEING ORDINARY

You read so much in the papers about extraordinary folk, that sometimes you may wilt a little under the impression that you are just an ordinary person, and in no wise notable.

I hope that this consciousness does not make you sad. There seems to be a certain glamor about being notable and eminent, but there certainly are compensations attached to the state of being ordinary. The ordinary American makes a pretty good living, has family contacts that are steady and comforting, and is endowed with enough brains and enterprise to carry on his own existence without too much friction.

Now, the extraordinary fellow is often just an ordinary man who has had certain "breaks" that put him in a conspicuous place on the ladder. He is quite a mark, and there are many out with their popguns, shooting at him. His ordinary mind is dizzy with the experience, and it's not so easy for him to get a reasonable amount of sleep as it was before he took the climb.

The ordinary man who has been placed by fortune in a conspicuous place is a worried individual. Maybe he struck oil, as an ordinary man sometimes does. Maybe he bought heavily of Radio or some other "good thing" when it was down, and sold out when it was high. Now, these "breaks" do not generally result from the exercise of brains or judgment. And they do impose upon the lucky fellow the responsibility of being quite rich. Often there are other responsibilities. Somebody thinks that because this young man has made a lot of money and looks serious about it, he ought to be made a cabinet member, a senator, or a diplomat. Well, can you imagine the plight of that ordinary man?

Then there is the genuinely extraordinary man, with an extraordinary mind. He probably has a great imagination and a keen sensibility. He is delicately organized, psychologically and spiritually, and probably physically also. This roughly organized world hurts him. He suffers from fears and fancied slights. He thinks people do not like him, or he worries lest he be misunderstood. He is like

a man without any epidermis, trying to work in a flour mill. Everything hurts him, because his environment was made by and for ordinary folk.

Nietzsche was a man of giant intellect, but the world he lived in hurt him so that he fled to a lonely place to escape human contact. Beethoven suffered spiritual torment all his life, because he could find no place in this ordinary world where he could feel at home. Poe was a constant mourner, and Byron's life was tragedy. Lamb and Goldsmith lived in misery because they could not talk the language of their time and place.

Oh, there is much to be thankful for if one is thoroughly ordinary. For this is an ordinary man's world.

## Chevrolet Lets Contracts For \$4,000,000 Plant Units

Contracts were signed this week by officials of the Chevrolet Motor Company for the construction of the second unit of its grey iron foundry at Saginaw, adding more than 120,000 square feet to its floor space and involving the expenditure of \$4,000,000, according to Arnold Lenz, general manager. The unit will consist of a new foundry, core room, cleaning room and cupola building, the doubling of the storage facilities for sand and pig iron, doubling of the pattern shop, construction of a two-story office building, the increasing of the plant restaurant's seating capacity to 1,680, and the doubling of the capacity of the locker room.

Of the expenditure to be made about \$700,000 will be for equipment and the remainder for buildings. The present 3,000 person-payroll of the company is expected to be increased by 2,500 when the new unit is completed. According to Mr. Lenz, the completed plant will be the largest grey iron foundry in the world.

Work on the new unit will be started immediately as the contracts provide. C. O. Bartlett and Snow, of Cleveland, Ohio, vide that the plant shall be ready for production by December 1. The following companies have the contracts: Steel, American Bridge Company; general, Everett Winters Company, of Detroit; and elevators, screening machines, conveyors and other apparatus.





**WEEK OF AUGUST 5**  
General Farm Outlook: The week of August 5 in most parts of Michigan will average warmer than usual for this time of year. Rainfall will be scattered, but we hardly believe it will be very great over most farms in the greater part of the state. We look for some rather sudden extremes and rapid changes in the weather during the period from the 5th to 12th of this month. In scattered sections there will be reports of damage to beans, small grains and potatoes from locally heavy rains and winds. Aside from this, the weather will be favorable to corn and truck.

Weather for the Week: During the very early part of this week in Michigan we look for moderately cool and pleasant weather. This will be the aftermath of the storm period expected to pass over the state during latter part of last week.

Conditions will change Monday or Tuesday with an increase of temperature, thunder storms and rains. However, we believe the middle part of the week will be generally fair.

Another storm activity will appear in the state about Thursday and last over Friday in most sections. The week ends with clearing and falling temperature for a day or two.

The month of June recently passed emphatically proved our forecast of cool and wet weather in Michigan and did much to help our corn prediction. It was poor weather for alfalfa in some sections, but excellent for weeds among the cultivated crops where the soil was too wet to work.

In a certain western lodge recently a vote was being taken on a candidate. The result was announced and the candidate was declared elected, when a brother arose hurriedly.

"I protest!" he said. "I know he isn't elected. Why, I put in enough black balls myself to defeat him."—Mutual Magazine.

## Acid Stomach

"Phillips Milk of Magnesia"  
Better than Soda

Hereafter, instead of soda take a little "Phillips Milk of Magnesia" in water any time for indigestion or sour, acid, gassy stomach, and relief will come instantly.

For fifty years genuine "Phillips Milk of Magnesia" has been prescribed by physicians because it overcomes three times as much acid in the stomach as a saturated solution of bicarbonate of soda, leaving the stomach sweet and free from all gases. It neutralizes acid fermentations in the bowels and gently urges the waste from the system without purging. Besides, it is more pleasant to take than soda. Insist upon a "Phillips." Twenty-five cent and fifty cent bottles any drug store. "Milk of Magnesia" has been the U. S. Registered Trade Mark of The Charles H. Phillips Chemical Co. and its predecessor Charles H. Phillips since 1875.

## Are You Ready



## When your Children Cry for It

Baby has little upsets at times. All your care cannot prevent them. But you can be prepared. Then you can do what any experienced nurse would do—give a few drops of plain Castoria. No sooner done than Baby is soothed; relief is just a matter of moments. Yet you have eased your child without use of a single doubtful drug; Castoria is vegetable. So it's safe to use as often as an infant has any little pain you cannot pat away. And it's always ready for the crueler pangs of colic, or constipation, or diarrhea; effective, too, for older children. Twenty-five million bottles were bought last year.

**Fletcher's CASTORIA**

# APRIL'S LADY

By ARLO BATES

It was fortunate that when the editor of the "Dark Red" magazine first did me the honor to request a story from my pen, I had one ready for him, and one, moreover, with which I was so well satisfied. I had so long vainly desired to be really asked for a contribution, and thus raised from the numerous and indiscriminate company of scribblers who send hopeful manuscripts to the magazines, and in trembling uncertainty await the issue, that it is not strange my bosom swelled with gratified pride, and that I dispatched my copy with so perfect a sense of complacency that I almost seemed to condescend a little in letting the editor have it.

I was fond of that story. I experienced a certain delight in recalling the circumstances under which it was composed, and I felt in it that confidence which an author is sure to have in work which has sprung spontaneously, and, as it were, fullgrown, from his brain. Every literary worker, down to the veriest penny-liner of them all, knows the difference between a tale which makes itself, so to speak, growing unforced into beauty and completeness like a crystal, and a laboriously constructed piece of work, be it contrived ever so ingeniously and cleverly. The fiction I sent to the editor of the "Dark Red" was of the former variety. It had come into my head all of itself, as the children say, while I was traveling between New York and Boston, so complete and so distinct that I scarcely seemed to have more to do with its creation than the later putting upon paper.

The circumstances were these: I had reached the Grand Central Station just in time to catch the morning train; and as the cars swept out into the daylight, I settled myself into a seat with a comfortable and something too self-satisfied feeling. In the first place I was glad to be out of New York—partly because it was hot and dusty there, partly because I am not overfond of Gotham, and partly because sundry pleasant bachelor friends and diverse good times were awaiting me at the Boston end of the journey.

I looked out upon the sunny landscape, over which the splendors of an April day cast a glow of warmth and brightness, smiled at the remembrance of a retort I had made at the Century Club on the previous evening, which seemed to me rather neat, and then with a sort of mental nod of farewell to all the outside world I took up my book and prepared to follow the fortunes of the woe and wicked, but thoroughly charming French heroine with whose adventures I was at that particular time occupying myself. To my vexation, however, I discovered that instead of the second volume I had taken the first, and as I had no especial desire to peruse again the somewhat detailed account of the heroine's youth, her career at school, her first confession and early marriage—all these being preliminary to the impropriety and the interest of the book, which, after the reprehensible manner of French novels, began together—I laid down the volume with a sigh and resigned myself to a ride of unalleviated dullness.

A resource instantly presented itself, however, in the page which the lady in the seat before me was reading. As I glanced up I saw that she was entertaining herself with poetry, and the next moment a familiar line caught my eye:

"If you were April's lady, and I were lord of May."

"Swinburne," I mused, "or a collection of selected poems, perhaps. Wiseacres would say one ought to know what a reader is like by the book she reads; but in the first place that's nonsense, and in the second place I don't know what book she is reading. She has an exquisite ear, and her hair is something bewildering. 'If you were April's lady.' April's lady should be a capricious creature, all smiles and tears, with winning ways and wilful wiles—impulsive and wayward, and thoroughly enchanting. It would not—my thoughts ran on in a professional turn, while my eyes dwelt appreciatively, if somewhat presumptuously, upon the lovely curve of my neighbors' neck—"It would not be a bad notion to write a story of such a maiden and call it 'April's Lady.' Let me see, what should it be like?"

And upon this impulse I felt to pondering, when suddenly, as if by magic, a tale presented itself all complete in my mind. My mental action appeared to me more like that of remembering than of creating, so real and so complete was the pretty history. The self-willed, volatile damsel whose fortunes it concerned seemed one whom I had known, and whom I might meet some day. In my mind she assumed, it is true, an outward semblance similar to that of the lady before me, upon whose back I fixed my regards in an absorbed stare, which should have disturbed her could she look at herself. She did not move, however, and as she did not turn the leaf of her book, I fancied she might have fallen into a reverie as deep as my own. I had not been able fully to see her face, although a lucky turn had given me a glimpse of a profile full of character and beauty, and which made me desire to behold more. I did not, however, trouble myself about the exact details of my heroine's features, since every story-teller has a stock of choice personal charms with which to endow his fictitious children, but continued to gloat over my little romance; and so vividly was the tale of "April's Lady" impressed upon my mind that although some weeks elapsed before I found time to put it upon paper, I had not the slightest difficulty in recalling even its most trifling incidents.

Almost the whole of my journey was taken up in turning the story over in my mind, and when we drew into the Boston station, and my neighbor closed her volume to begin the collection of her numerous feminine possessions, I had half a mind to lean forward and thank her for having given me, although unconsciously, so good a story.

It did seem to me, even after I had

sent my manuscript off and the dreadful moment came when one realizes that it is too late to make changes and consequently thinks of plenty of things he wishes to alter, that "April's Lady" was the best work I had ever done. I had let a month or two pass between its first writing and the final revision, and I was pretty well satisfied that I had produced a really capital story. I fondly hoped Mr. Lane, the editor of the "Dark Red," would be moved by its excellence to give me further orders; and the eagerness with which I one morning tore open an envelope upon which I recognized his handwriting, may be easily enough imagined, at least by members of the literary guild. My impatience gave place to profound astonishment as I read the following note:

Office Dark Red Magazine,  
Boston, Sept. 27.  
My Dear Mr. Gray—Can you drop into my office tomorrow about noon? By some odd coincidence I received a story very similar to your "April's Lady," and bearing the same title, several days earlier, and should like to talk with you about it.  
Very truly yours,  
J. Q. Lane.

I was utterly confounded. I racked my brains to discover who could possibly have stolen my story, and even suspected the small black girl who dusted my rooms, although the sooty little morsel did not know one letter from another. The first draft of the story had lain in my desk for some time, it was true, yet that any literary burglar should have forced an entrance and then contented himself with copying this seemed, upon the whole, scarcely probable. I ransacked my memory for some old tale which I might unconsciously have plagiarized, but I could think of nothing; and, moreover, I reflected that the coincidence of names certainly could not be accounted for in this way, even did I recall the germ of my plot.

I presented myself at the office of the "Dark Red" at the hour appointed with a clear conscience, it is true, but with positively no suggestion whatever to offer in regard to the method by which a copy of my story could have reached the editor in advance of my own manuscript.

Mr. Lane received me with the conventionally cordial manner which is as much a part of editorial duties as is the use of the blue pencil, and with out much delay came to the business of the call.

"There is something very singular about this affair," he said, laying out my manuscript, and beside it another which I could see was written in a running feminine hand. "If the stories were a little more alike, I should be sure one was copied from the other; as it is, it is inconceivable that they have not at least a common origin. Where did you get your idea?"

"Why, so far as I know," I replied in perplexity, "I evolved it from my inner consciousness; but the germ may have been the unconscious recollection of some incident or floating idea. I've tried to discover where I did get the fancy, but without a glimmer of success. Who sent you the other version?"

"A lady of whose integrity I am as sure as I am of yours. That's the odd part of it. Besides, you are both of you too clever to plagiarize, even if you weren't too honest. The mere similarity of theme isn't so strange; that happens often enough; but that the title of the stories should be identical, and that in each the heroine should be named May—"

"Is her heroine named May?" I interrupted in astonishment; "why, then she must have seen my copy; or," I added, a new thought striking me, "she must have got the name in the same way I did. I took the title of the story and the name of the heroine from a line of Swinburne, and—"

"And," interrupted the editor in turn, catching up the manuscript before him, "so did she."

And he showed me, written at the head of the page:

"If you were April's lady, and I were lord of May."

"Well," I remarked, with a not unnatural mingling of philosophy and annoyance, "it is all of a piece with my theory that ideas are in the air and belong, like wild geese, to whoever catches them first; but it is vexatious, when I captured a fancy that particularly pleased me, to find that some woman or other has been smart enough to get salt on its tail-feathers before I did."

Mr. Lane smiled at my desperate air, and at that moment his little office boy, whom I particularly detest because of the catlike stillness and suddenness of his movements, silently produced first himself and then a card.

"Agnes Graham," read Mr. Lane. "Here is your rival to speak for herself. I hope you don't mind seeing her?"

"Oh, by no means," I replied rather ungraciously. "Let us see what she is like, and what she will have to say about this puzzle."

The name was not wholly new to me, I as had seen it signed to various magazine articles, concerning which at this moment I had only the most vague and general idea. I was sitting with my back to the door, and in rising I still kept by face half turned away from the lady who entered, but I saw the reflection of her face in the mirror opposite without any sense of recognition. As she advanced a step or two, however, and half passed me, I knew her. The delicate ear, the fine sweep of the neck, the knot of golden brown hair, were all familiar. It was the lady who had sat before me in the cars from New York on that April day.

that masculine superstition which regards woman's instinct as a sort of supernatural clairvoyance.

My sensations on discovering her identity were not wholly unlike those of a man who inadvertently touches a charged Leyden jar.

"Good heavens!" I exclaimed, "what a psychological conundrum, or whatever you choose to call it. The whole matter is as plain to me now as daylight."

"Well?" Mr. Lane asked, while Miss Graham regarded me with an air which seemed to question whether my insanity were of a dangerous type.

"Pardon me, Miss Graham, if I cross-question you a little," I went on, becoming somewhat excited. "You came from New York on the morning train on Wednesday, the fifteenth—no, the sixteenth of last April, did you not?"

"Yes," she answered, her color again a trifle heightened, but her appearance being rather that of perplexity than of self-consciousness.

"And on the way you read Swinburne till you came to the line, 'If you were April's lady, and I were lord of May,' and it occurred to you what a capital name for a story 'April's Lady' would be?"

"Yes," she repeated; and then, with a yet more puzzled air, she turned to Mr. Lane to ask, "Is this mind-reading?"

"I'm sure I don't know," returned he. "Mr. Gray can best tell what it is."

"And the rest of the way to Boston," I continued, ignoring the interruption, "you were elaborating your story. You took the heroine's name from the same line, and had a pun at the climax about the hero's becoming 'lord of May.'"

"No," Miss Graham retorted, beginning to enter into the spirit of the situation. "I deny the pun, although I acknowledge the rest. The pun I didn't even think of."

"Well, you see, I haven't read your manuscript, but I own I fell so low that I put in the pun myself. At least the old gentleman with a scar on his cheek, who sat in the corner of the car, gave you hints for—"

"The uncle," broke in Miss Graham, with a gleeful laugh at the remembrance of the oddity of the old gentleman's appearance. "But how in the world did you know?"

"Oh, he did me. We evidently had the same mental experience; which proves, I suppose, that we are literary Corsican brothers, or something of the sort."

"But the great question to be settled is," Mr. Lane observed, bringing in, after some further talk, the editorial consideration, "whose story this really is."

"Miss Graham's, by all means," I said instantly. "Hers was first in the field, and if I hadn't impertinently looked over her shoulder, I shouldn't have had any share in it whatever."

Miss Graham laughed, showing a delicious dimple, and Mr. Lane, who evidently had no desire to settle the question under discussion, looked inquiringly at her for a response to my words.

"You are very generous, Mr. Gray," she answered; "but in the first place my story has never been accepted for the 'Dark Red,' and in the second, as the stories really ought to stand on their merits, I shall certainly not venture to put mine into competition with yours, but prefer to pocket my manuscript and retire."

"I fear," was my reply, "that I discover rather a tendency to sarcasm in what you say than any true humility. Of course the first point is one for Mr. Lane to settle."

The editor cleared his throat with some embarrassment, but before he found the words he wanted, Miss Graham spoke again.

"I had not the slightest idea of being sarcastic for, of course, it goes without saying that your story is better than mine; but since you choose to take it in that way, I am willing to leave the whole matter to Mr. Lane. He is at least the only person who has read both manuscripts."

"Really," Mr. Lane said, thus pushed into a corner, "I am extremely sorry to find myself in so trying a situation. There are points in which each story excels, and the best results would undoubtedly be attained by welding them together."

"If that could be done," said Miss Graham, thoughtfully.

"Now, in Mr. Gray's version," he continued, "the heroine is more attractive and real."

"That," I interpolated, trying to cover the awkwardness I felt by a jest, "is the first time in all my literary experience that the character I thought best in a story I'd written has seemed so to the editorial mind."

The dark eyes of my neighbor gave me a bright, brief glance, but whether of sympathy with my statement or of contempt for the feebleness of my attempts at being jocose, I could not determine.

"While Miss Graham," went on the editorial comment, "has decidedly the advantage in her hero."

Miss Graham flushed slightly, but offered no remark in reply to this opinion beyond a smile which seemed one of frank pleasure. We sat in silence a moment, a not unnatural hesitancy preventing my making a proposition which had presented itself to my mind.

"If it will not seem impertinent to Miss Graham," I ventured at length, "I would propose that we really do try the experiment of collaboration on this story. I have never worked with anybody, but I promise to be tractable; and the thing has so odd a beginning that it is a pity to thwart the evident intention of destiny that we shall both have a hand in it."

To this proposition the lady at first returned a decided and even negative; but by persuasions, seconded by those of Mr. Lane, who was partly curious and partly anxious to escape from the necessity of arbitrating in the matter, in the end induced her to alter her decision.

The result of the interview was that when we left the office of the "Dark Red" Miss Graham had my manuscript and I hers, and that an appointment had been made for my calling upon her with a view to an interchange of comments and criticisms.

Upon the appointed evening I presented myself at the home of Miss

Graham, and almost without the usual conventionalities concerning the weather we proceeded to discuss the stories. We began with great outward suavity and courtesy the exchange of compliments, which were so obviously formal and perfunctory that in a moment more we looked into each other's faces and burst into laughter which if hardly polite was at least genuine.

"Come," I said, "now the ice is broken and we can say what we really think; and I must be pardoned for saying that that hero of yours, whom Mr. Lane praised, is the most insufferable cad I've encountered this many a day. He can't be set off against that lovely girl in my story. Why, the truth is, Miss Graham, I meant her to be what I fancied you might be. She's the ideal I built up from seeing you in the cars."

"I must say," Miss Graham retorted with spirit, "that if you meant that pert heroine of yours for me I am anything but complimented."

"It is a pity, then, that you didn't intend your hero for me, and we should have been more than quits."

She blushed so vividly that a sudden light burst upon me.

"Good heavens!" I exclaimed, "he does have my eyes and beard; but you didn't see me. It isn't possible!"

"But it is," interrupted she desperately. "With a mirror in the end of the car directly before me all the way from New York, do you suppose I could help seeing you? I'm sure you kept your eyes on me steadily enough to give me a good excuse."

I whistled rudely; whereat she looked offended, and we went on from one thing to another until we had got up a very respectable quarrel indeed. There is nothing more conducive to a thoroughly good understanding between persons of opposite sex than a genuine quarrel; and having reached the point where there was no alternative but to separate in anger or to apologize, we chose the latter course, and having mutually humbled ourselves, after that got on capitally.

"It is my deliberate conviction," she observed, when we at length got upon a footing sufficiently familiar for jesting, "that this story is really mine, and that you purloined it from me by some mysterious clairvoyance."

"That may be," I admitted. "I once guessed that a man was a bartender by the way he stirred his coffee at the steamer table, and that got me a very pretty reputation as a seer for a day or two; and very likely the truth is that I was all the time a mind-reader without knowing it."

She smiled good-naturedly—more good-naturedly, indeed, than the jest deserved, and from that moment our acquaintance got on famously. The story was far from advancing as rapidly, however. A very brief time sufficed to reduce both versions of "April's Lady" to hopeless confusion, but to build from the fragments a new and improved copy was a labor of much magnitude. Circumstances, moreover, conspired to hinder our work. It was necessary that we verify our impressions of material we had used, and to do this we were obliged to attend the theater together, to read together various poems, and together to hear a good deal of music. A little ingenuity, and a common inclination to prolong these investigations, effected so great a lengthening out that it was several months before we could even pretend to be ready to begin serious work upon the story; and even then we were far from agreeing in a number of important particulars.

"Agnes," I remarked, one February evening, when we were on our way home from a concert to which we had boldly gone without even a pretence that it was in the remotest way connected with our literary project, "I fear we are becoming demoralized, and it seems to me the only hope of our ever completing 'April's Lady' is to put everything else aside for the time being and give our minds to it. I can get my work arranged and you can finish those articles for 'The Quill' by the middle of March. Then, we can be quietly married and go to some nice old-fashioned place—say St. Augustine—for a couple of months and get this magnum opus on paper at last."

"As to being married," returned she sedately, "have you considered that we could not possibly make a living, since we should inevitably be always writing the same things?"

"Why, that is my chief reason," I retorted, "for proposing it. Think how awkward it is going to be if either of us marries somebody else, and then we write the same things. It is a good deal better to have our interests in common if our inventive faculty is to be so."

"There is something in what you say," Agnes assented; "and it would be especially awkward for you, since the invention is in my head."

"Then we will consider it all arranged."

"Oh, no, George; by no means. I couldn't think of it for a minute."

Whether she did think of it for a minute is a point which may be left for the settling of those versed in the

ways of the feminine mind; certain it is that the program was carried out—except in one trifling particular. We were quietly married, we did go to St. Augustine, but as for doing anything with the story, that was quite another thing. We did not finish it then, and we have not finished it yet, and I have ceased to have any very firm confidence that we ever shall finish it; although, whenever arises one of those financial crises which are so painfully frequent in the family of a literary man, and we sit down to consider possible resources, one or the other of us is sure sooner or later to observe:

"And then there is 'April's Lady,' you know."

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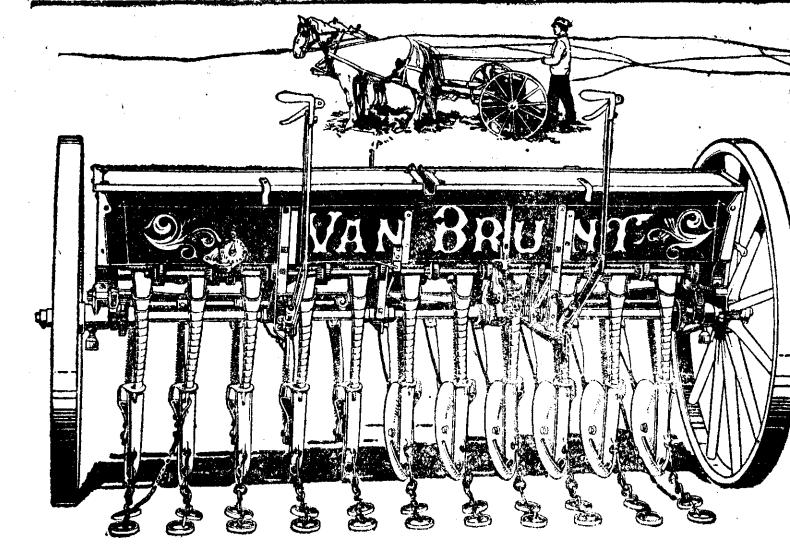
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Old Oats, per bu	80¢	New Potatoes	
Good Old Corn, bu	\$1.25	Sugar	
16 p. c. Dairy Feed, cwt	\$2.20	Semi-solid Buttermilk	
Brans, per cwt	\$1.85	Cod Liver Oil	
Flour Midds, per cwt	\$2.35	Peat Litter for Poultry	
Extra fancy Cracked Corn, per cwt	\$2.40	WE BUY	
Intermediate Scratch, cwt	\$2.75	POULTRY AND EGGS	
Hen size Scratch, per cwt	\$2.60		
100 lbs Salt, per cwt	65¢		
Block Salt	45¢		

Booking orders for New Oats, per bushel, 50c

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Service Station

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Thurs., Fri., Aug. 2-3  
W. C. Fields and Chester Conklin in  
Tillie's Punctured Romance

Saturday, Aug. 4  
Richard Barthelmess in  
The Wheel of Chance  
Serial No. 6, "Mark of the Frog"  
VAUDEVILLE  
MATINEE at 2:30

Sunday, Aug. 5  
Pola Negri in  
The Three Sinners  
VAUDEVILLE

Monday, Tuesday, Aug. 6-7  
Gloria Swanson in  
Sadie Thompson  
COUNTRY STORE MONDAY

Wed., Thurs., Fri., Aug. 8, 9, 10  
Ramon Novarro and Norma Shearer in  
The Student Prince  
Matinee Wednesday at 2:30

## Cash Prices on Roofing in lots of 10 squares or more

### Talc Surfaced Roofing

Certainated, extra quality, per square	
No. 1 light	\$1.40
No. 2, medium	\$1.90
No. 3, heavy	\$2.25
No. 4, extra heavy	\$2.70

Guard, per square

No. 1, light	\$1.35
No. 2, medium	\$1.65
No. 3, heavy	\$2.00

Corporal, per square

No. 1, light	\$1.25
No. 2, medium	\$1.45
No. 3, heavy	\$1.65

### Slate Surfaced Roofing

Certainated, extra quality, square	\$2.30
Certainated, diamond point, square	\$2.75
Major, standard quality	\$2.15

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Certainated, extra quality, per square	
Universal, 16x18	\$3.80
Individual, 9x12	\$6.40
Jumbo Individuals, 12x16	\$8.00
Hexagonal slabs, 11 1-3x36	\$7.00
Jumbo Hexagonal Slabs, 11 1-3x36	\$7.00
4-width shingles, 10x36	\$7.00
4-width shingles, 12x36	\$7.00

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