

From the State Capital

Information and Gossip Furnished by Special Correspondent at Lansing.

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MANICURE INTERPRISE

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THE PRESIDENT TO EDITORS

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THURSDAY, JUNE 12, 1907

Lake Shore Time Table

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LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Gum will not be knee high by the 14th of July.

Only one week more of school, then a long vacation.

Louis Uphaus has purchased another horse and now has a fine day team.

We have tried for sewers, water works and electric lights, each failed. What next?

Commencement exercises will be on Thursday, the 20th, alumni reunion, Friday, the 21st.

The W. R. C. held a special meeting Tuesday afternoon for the purpose of receiving reports, etc.

Blue girls are beginning to bite and lake fishing will soon be the sport for many of our citizens.

There are 19 members of the senior class, 18 girls and six boys. The class colors are green and white.

Sam Sherwood and Connie Haag have made some repairs in the cement sidewalk around the Union Savings bank building.

Barnum & Bailey's show will be in Adrian Friday and Jackson on Saturday, passing through here early Saturday morning.

Nathaniel Schmid has taken the school census and reports nine more persons of school age in the village than was reported last year.

Last Saturday and Sunday were pleasant days, bright and warm. But a change in temperature came Monday morning and with it a rain.

The dressmakers and every seamstress in town are as busy as can be, making gowns for those who attend commencement and alumni exercises.

The water has at last been turned on at Oak Grove and if there can be enough for all needs, an improved appearance in some lots will soon be noticeable.

The high school picnic at Wampler's lake last Saturday was attended by about 60. Fortunately, the weather was fine and the young folks had a great time.

Dr. M. F. Stein, the Detroit oculist, has an advertisement in another column, announcing his visit here on Friday, the 21st. He will be at Dr. Conklin's office.

We understand that the steam shovel at work at the gravel pit, west of town, is needed in Grand Rapids and that work will be suspended here for a while.

The passenger coaches used on the Jackson branch trains, with the exception of the Jackson and Adrian train, are as fine as those used on the main line.

John Jackson and George Matthews have fitted up a place in the basement of the Dr. Servis block for Fred Freeman and Raynor Haussler to keep their boats.

Rev. Wulfman will preach the baccalaureate sermon to the class of '07 at Emmanuel church, Sunday afternoon. Special music has been provided for the occasion.

People complain of the boys who shoot sparrows, saying that they are careless in the use of their guns. There is an ordinance against the use of firearms in the corporation.

Albert Gumpfer, who was the last one to tackle John Koller's automobile in the hopes of making it run, got the machine in motion last Saturday and sped about town with it.

Children's day exercises at the universalist church Sunday morning were much enjoyed. All the children did well, the music was good and the decorations were beautiful.

Rev. O. D. Rowley, the highway and byway preacher, will deliver his lecture entitled "Fishing," at the Methodist church tonight and at Iron Creek tomorrow night.

Not one of our citizens has yet visited the Jamestown exposition, but we understand that some are talking of going there next fall and some may go during the summer.

The People's bank has made another improvement by adding another window where the dollars of the daddies, checks, drafts, etc., can be taken in or handed out to customers. It will be a time saver.

The mail carriers say that the farmers have been working the roads and the ruts have made them soft in some places. Where gravel has been put on they expect great improvements as soon as it is packed down.

Some of the teachers, after school Tuesday, held what might be called a farewell teachers' meeting in the laboratory. Ice cream, cake etc. were furnished and a silver spoon was placed in Prof. Essary's mouth as a slight memento of the good feeling existing.

Rev. Wulfman had arranged to give a stereopticon lecture or entertainment at Emmanuel church Sunday evening. The house was packed with people and he had the views of scenes in India, etc. but the electrical power did not work satisfactorily and he as well as the audience was greatly disappointed.

Fred Kensler has sprung a genuine surprise on the citizens and readers of the ENTERPRISE this week in advertising, in another column, a genuine closing out sale. He has decided to retire from business and will dispose of his goods to his customers at a discount. Read the advertisement and learn all about it.

Children's day was observed at the Methodist church Sunday morning with the usual interesting program, furnished by the teachers of the Sunday school. It consisted of songs and recitations, drills, etc., by the children and the large congregation was well entertained. The decorations consisted of colored bunting, plants and flowers.

Maccabee Memorial.

Manchester tent Modern Maccabees had a perfect day for their memorial exercises and decoration of Sir Knights' graves at Oak Grove cemetery, Sunday.

The military band led the procession of Sir Knights to the cemetery about 2 o'clock p. m., where a large concourse of people had assembled on the terrace hillside and on the lawn in front of the public vault. A detachment was detailed to decorate the graves, then Sir Knight Hoffer announced the program which consisted of singing by Misses Tillie and Minnie Grossman and Messrs. Carl Wuerthner and Sam Voegding, prayer by Rev. Wulfman, an address by Mr. Grossbaum of Grand Rapids and a short speech by Rev. Deyo of the universalist church. The band also played two or three selections.

Returning to the hall, the Maccabees were served with refreshments.

Plant Must Be Sold.

Next Tuesday, the 18th, is the day the cement plant is to be sold and Receiver Watkins is bound to sell it if he gets anything like a reasonable bid. He has orders from the court to that effect and someone is going to get a good cement plant proposition at a cheap figure.

The fact that the plant is five miles from the main beds is no great hindrance. There are several plants that have to go many miles farther for their marl and clay and they are paying good dividends. Everybody here wants the plant completed and we hope that someone will get hold of it that has that in view.

The matter of taxes ought to be fixed so that whoever has an idea of purchasing the plant may not be frightened away on that account.

At any rate the affairs of the company are going to be closed up and creditors and stockholders may get something out of it.

Successful in Examination.

The largest number of students of this county to take the 8th grade examination were in evidence this year and numbered 220, of which 155 will receive diplomas to enter the 9th grade of any high school. At the examination held here 17 out of the 23 students were boys.

Following is a partial list of successful applicants and their postoffice addresses, routes, etc.:

Manchester—Anns Bragg, Charles Crane 3, Minnie Ernst 3, Bertha Ernst 1, Ruth Feldkamp 3, Amelia Feldkamp, Irving Frye, Gertrude Huber, Clayton Kidd, Dora Lindbergh, Edward Merz, Lillie Schabbe, Bertha Schlicht 5, Carl Schwab, Benjamin Uphaus, Ira Uphaus 5, Olga Wiedman, Lulu Waltz.

Bridgewater—Eugene Ewing, Viola Schoen.

Chelsea—Margaret Gutman, Ida Niehaus 2, Paul Niehaus 5, Eugene Widmayer 1.

Ontonagon—Oto Hoene, Rella Howard, Laurence Walsh, Orel Young.

Saline—Elmer Feldkamp.

Commencement Program.

Baccalaureate sermon, Sunday evening, at Emanuel's church by Rev. Wulfman.

The closing exercises of the school will be held in Arbetter hall, Tuesday, at 2:30 p. m. The program is as follows:

Song, "Summer Hath Come Among Us," High School Chorus.

"Blow Soft Winds," Grammar Room.

"Michigan Playing Fairy," First Primary.

Song, "A Natural Spell," Intermediate.

Recitation, Willis Silkworth.

Motion Song, Ward School.

Castata, "Flowers," Second Primary.

Dance, "Summer Fancies,"

Clarence and Viola Dietle.

Flower Drill, Ward School.

Presentation of certificates of promotion.

Thursday evening the commencement exercises will be held with the following program:

Music, Quartette.

Invocation, Rev. Moon.

Music, Quartette.

Class History, ELBERT LEWIS.

Music, Quartette.

Address, Dr. Thomas Moran.

Music, Quartette.

Presentation of Diplomas.

Dr. C. F. Kapp.

Benediction, Rev. Moon.

Music by Peace Male Quartette.

News of the Week

Gleaned by Our Active Country Correspondents.

IRON CREEK

Children's day at the church Sunday morning.

Lee Conklin went to Detroit Sunday to visit his brother.

Frank Trolis and family spent Sunday at John Trolis's in Sharon.

Mr. & Mrs. Herbert Hunt visited at Ed Hunt's in Tipton, Sunday.

Miss Martha Meyer is spending the week with Miss Emma Ahrens.

Claude Preston of Clark's lake visited at B. F. Mattison's Sunday and Monday.

Ray Johnson visited at Dwight Walters in Bridgewater the latter part of last week.

J. M. Coons of Toronto, Ont., was the guest of Miss Anna Coleman over Sunday.

Mr. & Mrs. Philip Blum of Bridgewater visited Henry Herman and family on Sunday.

Miss Emma Frey and Bernadine Teufel of Grass Lake visited at Christian Frey's over Sunday.

Miss Gladys Mattison closed her school near Clark's lake Friday and returned home Sunday.

Mr. & Mrs. Frank Herman and daughters Alice and Helen visited relatives in Jackson over Sunday.

Mr. & Mrs. Henry Kleinschmidt and daughter Anna of Delhi spent Sunday with August Ahrens and children.

A number of young people from this way attended the opening dance at Wampler's lake last week Wednesday evening.

Rural Mail Carrier Merrick Burch broke the chain on his automobile Monday near the creek and Gusey Gall drove him into town.

Rev. Rowley, who has been traveling in New York and other states, will lecture at the church Friday evening. His subject is "Fishing."

Michael Scully, who has been working at Danvers, Pa., for several years, has been visiting his parents and friends here the past week. He may go to Gary, Ind., to work.

Mr. & Mrs. John Grossman visited friends in Saline and went to Ann Arbor Sunday to visit their son, who has been at the hospital the past four months and who is now able to be about on crutches.

Joe Jackson, teacher of the Nichols school, district No. 3, closed a very successful year of school, Wednesday afternoon, with an ice cream and cake social for his scholars held on the lawn at Robert Wallwood's, at which all present had a very happy time. The school board have been fortunate enough to secure Mr. Jackson's services for the coming year at an increase of salary.

FREEDOM

John Benas, near Pleasant lake, is quite sick.

Aug Kuhl and family of Sharon were guests at Ed Kuhl's on Sunday.

Mrs. Wm. Beckerle and Miss Amanda Roller were Manchester visitors on Thursday.

Mr. & Mrs. Orling went to Chelsea Sunday morning to attend the funeral of Christ Bach.

The Messrs. John Gran, Ben Berke, Herman Niehaus, Ed Benas and Gerb. Esch were in Chelsea Thursday on business.

The young people's society of St. John's church held an interesting meeting Sunday evening. A goodly number of guests were present.

Emmanuel Wiedman and Erwin Cook of Ypsilanti and Miss Florence Boller of Manchester spent Sunday at Emma Drenselhouse's.

Mr. & Mrs. H. Niehaus, Mrs. Herman Tirth of Sharon and Miss Amanda Trinkle of Lima were guests at Louis Geyer's on Sunday afternoon.

The ladies' society of St. John's church held their monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. John Feldkamp. It was resolved to have an ice cream social in July; the time will be announced later.

Mr. & Mrs. J. Wenk, Mr. & Mrs. Louis Geyer, Mr. & Mrs. Herman Niehaus of Freedom and Mr. & Mrs. A. H. Kuhl of Sharon attended the funeral of Mrs. Sieblich at Chelsea on Wednesday.

SHARON

Mrs. Frank Baker and son of Mattison, Ill., came last night to visit her sisters and other friends.

Miss Alice Bower, who has been visiting Mrs. Mulvaney at Marengo, has returned home.

Mrs. Gillett and daughter, Mrs. Walter Ford, of Brooklyn will go to Three Rivers to attend commencement, John Smith, son of Bert Smith and grandson of Frank Smith being a graduate.

Two barns belonging to A. E. Forner, about two miles northeast of the town hall, burned Saturday afternoon. Nobody knows how the fire started. They were partially insured in the Southern Warehouse.

Miss Mary Haarer, Albert Armstrong and George Haarer of Bridgewater, Otto Emma of Lima and Miss Emma Ahrens and Fred Ballmore of Iron Creek spent Sunday with Herman Meyer and family.

The farmers hereabouts are investing some in Bradley and Vrooman Patent. It gives a hundred per cent protection to the building on which it is applied. Sold by Fred G. Houck.

Ice Cream Soda at the City Bakery.

BRIDGEWATER

Mrs. Louise and Viva Allen visited in Ann Arbor over Sunday.

Mrs. Martha Monroe of Saline has been visiting old friends here.

Mrs. Hattie Walker of Toledo has been visiting her aunt, Mrs. James Hogan.

Miss Oulla Steeb of Scio was a guest at Conrad Reule's and John Schwab's over Sunday.

Mr. & Mrs. Clarence Anils came down from Manchester Sunday to visit his parents.

Bert Martin and little family went to Kalamazoo last Thursday to visit relatives a few days.

Bridgewater farmers are getting to the front. Norman Watson has purchased an automobile.

Joe Kramer's men are at work this week at Wm. Every's. They expect to be able to raise their barn frame on Saturday.

Will Allen of Trenton visited his parents last Saturday and his wife, who has been visiting here, returned home with him Sunday.

The Misses Stalb, who have been in Ann Arbor, are now at home and expect to go to "The Millen" at Wolf lake in about two weeks.

Uriah Arnold, who has been suffering from blood poison, is slowly improving. At one time it was feared that he would lose his hand.

Wm. Qadd, Geo. Girbach, Wheelock Brothers and others have been drawing hay to Clinton at prices ranging from \$14 to \$15.50 per ton.

H. R. Palmer was in Sharon on Monday to meet Directors Smith, Dorr and Kress who adjusted the loss of A. E. Forner at \$300. This loss occurred Saturday, the 8th.

Saturday evening, 15 friends of Elbert Warner gave him a pleasant surprise at his home, the occasion being his 20th birthday. Ice cream, etc., were served and all enjoyed the pleasant function.

The June social of the Clinton baptist will be held at the home of Mrs. M. S. Every next Tuesday afternoon, June 18th. It has heretofore been held at the Wampler's or Weir's and Mrs. James Weir says, "We surely hope to see all our old friends and a host of new ones."

Most feeders like to know what gain in weight other feeders have made. One man in Bridgewater fed 25 head for five months, making an average gain per month of 75 pounds. They were shorthorns with a Hereford cross and weighed, when marketed, 1,400 pounds and were sold at home for 51 cents.

Last Friday's Ann Arbor Times says: "Superior Archer G. Crane, the well known potato grower of Bridgewater township, was in the city yesterday on business in the probate court with reference to an insane patient whom the board of auditors claimed to be a township charge. Mr. Crane remarked while here that the session had been so backward that he had not planted the main part of his crop of late potatoes. He expects to do so in a couple of weeks. The early potatoes which he planted for family use are just coming out of the ground."

BRIDGEWATER STATION

Fred Boettner shipped a carload of stock to Buffalo, Saturday.

Mrs. Tom Harris and little boy visited relatives at Trenton a few days.

H. B. Ewing & Son shipped a car of lumber to Detroit last week Wednesday.

Mrs. Chas. Banya and children returned Monday from a visit with her sister at Bellefonte.

F. W. Schoen and family spent Sunday with the former's brother, Rev. A. Schoen, and sister Pauline at Chelsea.

Miss Catherine Rothman was the guest of her friend, Miss Mary Teufel, at Ann Arbor, from Friday until Tuesday.

Mr. & Mrs. C. Schlegel and daughter, Miss Meta, were Sunday guests of Mr. & Mrs. Conrad Boettner at Saline.

Chas. Hillinger has shipped hay during the past week to Norfolk, Va., Townly, N. J., Petersburg and Lynchburg, Va., and Newark, New Jersey.

Mrs. Ed Busel and daughter Georgiana of Detroit spent a few days with her parents, Mr. & Mrs. H. B. Ewing, and brother Harris and family.

Mrs. Jacob Blum and sons Jake and George have moved to Adrian, where they intend to make their future home. We regret to lose them and wish them success in their new home.

Card of Thanks.

We would return our sincere thanks to Rev. Moon, the members of the choir and to all who assisted at the funeral of our sister, Miss Emily Bower, June 7, 1907.

FRED AND MILO ROWE.

Married

PREMAN-SCHUMACHER.—In Chelsea on Wednesday June 12, 1907, by Rev. C. S. Jones of Detroit, Mr. Chauncey Freeman and Miss Bertha Schumacher, both of Chelsea.

Died

WOLFF.—In Sharon on Sunday June 9, 1907, of consumption, Mrs. W. Wolff, aged 74 years.

She leaves a husband, two children, father, mother, two brothers and one sister. The funeral was held on Wednesday.

NORVELL

Romona Niele, who lives at Wampler's lake, has sold his pony.

Don Markey of Toledo is visiting his mother, Mrs. M. Bulman.

Mrs. F. Winfield, who accompanied her daughter to Toledo, has returned home.

George Wampler of Manchester put up a Perkins windmill for A. J. Austin Saturday.

The township board has accepted the liquor bond of Chas. Schriber, the amount being \$6,000.

A. E. Palmer and sons Parker, Homer and Harry came from Owosso Saturday in their new auto.

The church was filled Sunday night at the Children's day exercises. A good program was rendered by the choir and children.

Drs. Kirtland and Reinhold operated on the son of Mr. Bivins, who lives on the Chris Hays farm. He has tubercular disease of the bone in his leg.

Mrs. George Harris gave a birthday surprise to her mother, Mrs. Simon Wheaton, last Saturday. A number of friends were present and all enjoyed the occasion.

The baptist society will meet at Mrs. J. G. Palmer's next week Friday. Last Friday was quite rainy, but a good social time was enjoyed. The society has over \$90 on hand which is to be applied on the pastor's salary if needed. His salary is nearly raised for the year and nearly \$900 subscribed for a parsonage.

GRASS LAKE

Mrs. Flora Gage is at home for a two weeks' vacation.

Children's day exercises at the congregational church Sunday morning were fine.

Mrs. Alice Trevidick has purchased the R. M. Chapman property on East Main street.

Rev. & Mrs. Slaybaugh attended the 66th annual meeting of the Jackson baptist association at Mason, Tuesday and Wednesday.

NORTH SHARON

Mr. & Mrs. C. P. Dorr spent Sunday at Charles Buss' in Manchester.

Miss Julia Gutakunst of Jackson is spending a few days with her cousin, Miss Clara Beutler.

Gordon Huston is in Grass Lake, the guest of his grandmother, Mrs. E. D. Huston Sr.

Mrs. Edward Huston and son Marcus spent a day last week with her mother, Mrs. Delilah Davis, at Grass Lake.

CHELSEA

Tuesday there were 382 votes for and 169 against building a \$90,000 school house. Work will begin soon.

BROOKLYN

Rev. W. E. Simpson of Bay City, who preached at the Episcopal church Sunday, may be invited to become pastor.

There were five members of the senior class, Misses Florence Ladd, Arlene Coulson, Beale Kieber, Levant Mulnix and Leah Henderson.

Dr. E. N. Palmer celebrated his 67th birthday last Saturday in a royal way. His brother, sisters and other relatives, making about 30, from Jackson, Bridgewater, Manchester and other places enjoyed the festive occasion.

The alumni exercises take place at mansions hall Friday. The Chequamegon orchestra will furnish music. The banquet will be held at mansions hall. Judge Robert Smith of Jackson will be toastmaster. Mrs. Herbert R. Watkins and Hon. L. Whitney Watkins are among those who will respond to toasts.

An amusing ball game was pulled off on Tuesday afternoon, the opposing teams being the east side merchants and the west merchants. H. E. Cobb and Hugh Crane composed the battery for the eastiders while John Peterson and Floyd Nichols acted in the same capacity for the westiders. Many of the "boys" had not played ball for 20 years or more and the fun was fast and furious. At the close the score stood 29 to 17 in favor of the eastiders.

To convince a stubborn man that good paint lasts longest show him a house painted five years with Bradley & Vrooman Paint. Guaranteed to satisfy. Sold by Fred G. Houck.

The east and west side school boys had a tussle over a ball game last Thursday and the west side came out ahead in a score of 11 to 5.

Home Market.

BEANS.—Peas beans, hand picked, \$1.25 yellow eyed, \$1.25 per bu.

BUTTER.—Good demand at 15c. Good table butter 16c.

BEEF.—Good demand, \$4.75 @ \$5.25; light and coarse steers, \$4.25 @ \$4.75; fat cows, \$3.00 @ \$4.25; heifers, \$4.00 @ \$4.50; canners, \$1.50 @ \$2.00; calves, good demand, \$3.50 @ \$4.00.

COBBLIN.—Good demand 28c @ 30c per bu.

EGGS.—Week, at 13c a dozen.

HOGS.—Good demand \$5.00 @ \$5.50.

HAY.—No. 1 new Timothy \$13.00; No. 1 mixed, \$10.00 @ \$11; Clover, \$8.50 @ \$9.50; Marsh hay, \$4.50 per ton.

OATS.—Good demand at 41c @ 43c per bushel.

POTATOES.—Good demand 40c per bu.

POULTRY.—Live weight. Hens and chickens, 10 c; ducks, 10c; geese 10c per lb. broilers, 20c.

EYE.—New, good demand, 67c @ 70c per bu.

STRAW.—Rye \$3.90 a ton.

SHEDS.—Steady. Fat clipped weathers, \$5.00 @ \$5.50; ewes, \$4.50 @ \$5.00; yearlings \$5.00 @ \$5.50; lambs, choice clipped \$5.50 @ 7.00; light and common, \$5.25 @ \$5.50.

WHEAT.—No. 2 Red, 86c @ 88c; No. 2 White, 85c @ 86c; Low grade, 70c @ 75c per bu.

WOOL.—Clothing, 22c @ 24c; Delain, 25c; coarse and medium, 26c @ 27c per lb.

Make Your Selection Now

Commencement is near at hand and I have a fine line of

Gold and Silver

Ware in various patterns to select from. My stock of

Watches and Clocks

Was never better and prices are low for the times.

Repairing and Engraving Done Promptly.

H. L. ROOT.



JUNE RECORDS

New Machines and Flower Horns

Haussler

A Genuine Surprise For Manchester!

WILL BE

Kensler's Closing Out Sale

WHICH WILL

Begin on Saturday, June 22,

And continue until every thread of goods is gone

I have been in business here for 36 years and having other business to attend to have decided to retire. After consulting with men who make a business of closing out stocks, I found that they would charge me 10 per cent for their services.

I concluded to give That and More to Customers who want the Goods

Instead of giving it to the agents. My stock is fresh and clean, no old stickers, or shelf worn goods. The prices have advanced on all classes of goods, but

I HAVE NOT MARKED UP MY PRICES

And don't intend to but will sell all

Dry Goods, Boots, Shoes and Crockery

At 10 Per Cent Discount from Old Prices

THIS IS NO SCHEME TO RAISE A LITTLE MONEY

To pay bills, but is a

Genuine Closing Out Sale For Cash

Because I intend to go out of business.

Remember that no Goods will be marked up for the purpose of giving a Discount

When you buy my goods, you get something that is staple, something you can use for every day

Goods that are Up-To-Date and in Style

But at the Discount I offer they will move fast, so if you want them

You Must Be Sure and Come Early

Groceries are not included in this Discount Sale, but they will be sold as before.

Granulated Sugar, 5-1-2 Cents Per Pound

Everything For Cash

Butter and Eggs taken same as Cash

FRED KENSLER

STARCH—It cleanses the face and only 12 ounces make 100 washings. IS SUPERIOR QUALITY.

Illustrated with 1000 eyes, one in Thompson's Eye Water

Manchester Enterprise

By MAT D. BLOSSER

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THURSDAY, JUNE 18, 1907.

Tomorrow will be Flag day.

Manchester masons have been invited to visit Tecumseh lodge Friday evening and witness third degree work.

We thoroughly agree with the Ann Arbor News in the assertion that all children should be taught how to swim.

The vote in Dundee in favor of bonding the town for \$30,000 for street paving was 243 for and only 67 against. That town is in for improvements.

N. Schmid says that the Columbus people who camped in the grove west of his cottage at Sand Lake last August, are arranging to come this season in large numbers. They want to buy land and establish a permanent camp-ground there.

We understand that the case of Mrs. Sarah Priest—Sheldon against her uncle, Charles Miller of Adrian, is to be appealed. Mrs. Sheldon claimed \$6,000 and the court allowed her \$4,000. But Miller doesn't want to pay that much. A. F. & F. M. Freeman are Mrs. Sheldon's attorneys and Sawyer & Son defend Mr. Miller.

Henry A. Horning of Niles, who has been connected with the construction department of the Michigan Central railroad for 11 years, with headquarters in Niles, has been promoted to the position of assistant superintendent of building, with headquarters at Jackson. He is a son of John M. Horning, president of the Union Savings bank of this village.

We wonder if it would not be possible to induce some manufacturer to come here. We are not in favor of giving bonuses, unless it would be a factory site and perhaps a factory building, to be used free of cost as long as the factory remained. We believe that if our citizens would come together and talk the matter over in a business way, something could be accomplished. Why not try?

A subscriber has handed us a clipping from a paper which tells about the business prospects of Holly, a place not much larger than Manchester. They have a business men's association which has landed the cable organ company there which will employ several hundred men. The association will give \$40,000 bonus and erect 40 houses for the workmen. The item also says Holly has a good water power and a \$10,000 electric light and power plant.

Mrs. Will Patterson of Detroit, whose husband was employed by the Lake Shore railway and died from injuries received while at work, was in town Decoration day. She did not sue the company for damages on account of her husband's death and whenever she wished to travel over the company's lines, she has been furnished with free transportation until this trip when she was informed that they could not supply her as the interstate commerce law would not permit them to do so. The U. S. circuit court in Kentucky recently decided an important case affecting passes issued by railroads to individuals, which might be of benefit to Mrs. Patterson if she would look the matter up, as the passes were really given in lieu of money damages. We believe that the company would be willing to do this if they could see their way clear to do so.

MANCHESTER, MICH., June 6, 1907. To the MANCHESTER ENTERPRISE:—Is your paper of today you state that 10 votes would have carried the question of bonding the village of Manchester for \$25,000, which is not true. 104 votes, no 167 votes, yes. If there had been 40 more yes votes it would not have carried. It would have to be 208 votes to tie it, which would be 51 votes short.

It seems that there are some people in this village that are bound to settle a \$25,000 indebtedness on this village which is quite a load for our pleasant village. I know of the time it took \$600 all told, to run this village, road work and all, now it costs over that to light it. We do not know but this would be another Romeo affair. It seems there is a certain class of people that want to intimidate the voters and those that vote no are scorned at by some. But the tax payers would find out what such a tax meant when they paid their taxes. Now is the time to stop such work, not when it is too late. The cost of special elections ought to be considered, not to have an election every few months and throw the burden on the tax payers. And here is another point. Maybe such a tax is not collectable, then comes the litigation part of it. Right crushed among a thousand times will rise again.

PERSONAL ITEMS.

Ralph Freeman of Chelsea visited in town Sunday.

Mr. & Mrs. E. H. Goerner went to Detroit Sunday.

Miss Mabel Spaford has been visiting in Detroit the past week.

I. M. Robison went to Ann Arbor Sunday to visit relatives.

Fred M. Freeman and Fred Schauble Jr. went to Detroit Sunday.

Christian Yocum of South Dakota is visiting his uncle, J. F. Kern.

T. B. Halladay of Norvell was in town Tuesday morning on business.

Mrs. Howard Schofield of Norvell visited Mrs. C. W. Jewett last Saturday.

Dennis Torrey went to Croswell Sunday where his wife is visiting her parents.

Mrs. H. C. Calhoun and son Harry went to Brooklyn Sunday in their auto.

Mr. & Mrs. Fred Bridgel of Tecumseh visited his brother Jacob and family on Sunday.

Harry Austin of Norvell came down Sunday to spend the day at Mat D. Blosser's.

Fred Schrader of Toledo came here Monday to go to work again for Frank Jacquemin.

Mr. & Mrs. Arthur Jaeger went to Dearborn Sunday to see his mother, who is quite sick.

James Kelly and granddaughter, Miss Winnifred Cash, visited in Brooklyn over Sunday.

Charles Schirer will not move to Norvell at present as he is unable to obtain a house.

Dr. Conklin took Mrs. H. L. Rose to Ann Arbor last Thursday for treatment at the hospital.

John Schaffer went to Orono Saturday afternoon to visit friends, returning Monday morning.

Mr. & Mrs. A. C. Freeman went to Chelsea yesterday to attend his brother Chauncey's wedding.

Mrs. Asa Gage of Tecumseh has been a guest of Mrs. Fred Spaford and other friends the past week.

Edward and Charles Moehn of Adrian visited relatives and friends in town Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Anna Unterkircher, who has been working in Jackson since last fall, was at home over Sunday.

Mr. Austin Yocum and Miss Ethel both Farrell went to Chelsea last Friday to visit Mrs. Withersall.

Mr. & Mrs. T. B. Bailey and Mrs. Anna Wright spent Wednesday at "the farm," Wampler's Lake.

Mr. & Mrs. George Meritz of Bridgeport were the guests of Mr. & Mrs. J. F. Kern Sunday evening.

Robert Merithew returned from Alberta, Canada, last night, much pleased with his trip and the country.

Mrs. Etta Hendershot of Tecumseh was a guest for several days at Mrs. Hendershot's and returned home yesterday.

Wm. S. Culver of Jackson was in town a few days ago for the first time in several years and was a guest of Postmaster Bailey.

Miss Jessie Day, who has been trimming in Schaffer & Benson's millinery store, returned to her home in Addison, Saturday.

Mrs. L. P. Klein of Chelsea visited her mother, Mrs. John Haag, and other relatives and friends here from Friday until Monday.

The editor and wife have decided not to go down the St. Lawrence with the Michigan press association, having been down a few years ago.

Henry Oash of Brooklyn was in town last Saturday and accompanied by James Kelly, went to Clinton to attend the funeral of Martha Keuch.

We learn that Mrs. Taylor and Miss Pamela of Goshen, Ind., have rented Ernest Overmire's residence on Washington street and will live there.

We learn that Charles Barless has gone to Idaho to look for sheep. He has visited Boise, the capital, where the famous Haywood trial is in progress.

Albert Palmer and three sons came here Saturday from Orono in their automobile to visit his sister, Mrs. C. W. Jewett, and family at the Freeman house, returning Sunday.

Hon. A. J. Waters and family drove to Norvell Sunday to spend children's day with Mr. & Mrs. T. B. Halladay. The day was also Mr. & Mrs. Waters 12th anniversary.

Our townsmen, Fred Rowe, who has been here with his sister the past three years, expects to return to Duluth, Minn., soon, where his two sons reside, and will make that city his home.

Miss Emma Schaffer of Manchester, who has just finished a successful year of school at Norvell, as teacher, also Miss Nellie Ackerson, have been visiting Miss Lila Coy.—Jackson Patriot, June 5th.

Mrs. Neelbling of Okemos visited her mother, Mrs. Hornig, and sister, Mrs. C. Vogelbacher, and family from Friday until Wednesday, when her sister, Mrs. Walz, of Francisco came over after her.

Bert Armstrong of Corvair, N. Y., was in town yesterday, endeavoring to find the clothes etc. that belonged to his nephew, George Johnson, who was injured at the gravel pit and died at Jackson last Saturday morning. He was unable to find them in the car and went from here to the hospital at Jackson.

Theodore Stalb visited friends in Clinton Sunday.

Mrs. Bert Tebbert of Union City is visiting at Rose Tester's.

Samuel Boyce of Lansing came here to attend Miss Rowe's funeral.

Elmer St. John of Jackson was in town this week on business.

Mrs. Fred Widmayer went to Jackson Tuesday to visit her mother.

Mr. & Mrs. Frank Leeson visited at Bridgewater Station yesterday.

Toney Stalb was in Jackson yesterday and attended the Eagles' banquet.

Miss Alma Schmid has been engaged to teach in the Ann Arbor schools.

Wells Martin is at Duboka, Penn., where he has started a branch barn.

Mr. & Mrs. Louis Bener of Clinton visited his brother Jacob last Sunday.

Mrs. Ed Wint returned yesterday from a week's visit with relatives in Jackson.

Rev. Fr. Heldenreich of Carlton made his friends here a visit yesterday afternoon.

Mrs. George Miller sang at the funeral of Martin Keuch in Clinton last Saturday.

Mrs. Louis Louier and Miss Frances Goodyear went to Jackson Tuesday to do trading.

Mrs. Dr. Tracy, who has been dangerously ill the past week or two, is able to sit up some.

Prof. & Mrs. Esery entertain the board of education and teachers at their home tonight.

Mrs. Clifford Green of Jackson visited her aunt, Mrs. N. Senger, from Friday until Saturday.

Mr. & Mrs. George Nials of the Willow Grove hotel, Wampler's lake, were in town yesterday.

Mrs. Traub and family and John Voegeding went to Sharon Tuesday to attend the funeral of Mrs. Will Wolf.

James Kelly will leave next Friday, the 21st, for his old home in Ireland, sailing from Montreal on the Victorian.

Mr. & Mrs. Myron Pierce and Howard Everett of Sharon and Jay Eyelott of Chelsea attended the funeral of Miss Rowe.

We learn that "Mr. & Mrs. Henry Townsend, who have been with their daughter in Adrian, have returned to Klinger lake.

W. N. Annable of Grand Rapids called upon his cousin, M. Hendershot, yesterday. His father, George Annable, lived here years ago.

Mr. & Mrs. J. A. Goodyear and daughters Frances and Louise and Miss Marce Blosser went to Brooklyn yesterday to attend commencement.

John Hair, engineer of the Lake Shore steam shovel, visited in Addison over Sunday and Wm. Crawford visited his family at Addison, Sunday.

Fred Wolff of Ebersburg, Washington, who came here to see his mother before she died, was called home yesterday on account of the sickness of his daughter.

Charles Johnson of Toledo, brakeman on one of the gravel trains that are hauling gravel from the pit west of town, had one of his legs cut off below the knee and the leg crushed from the hip down in an accident at the pit last Thursday afternoon. He was brought here but unfortunately all our village physicians were engaged or out of town. He was then taken to the hospital in Jackson where he died the following morning. He leaves a widow and six days-old baby. This accident following so closely after that which occurred here a few weeks ago is greatly deplored.

WANTED.—Women to sort rags. M. STOLARSKY.

We guarantee all Hard Pan Shoes. J. WUERTHNER & SONS.

We make Suits to order and guarantee a fit or no sale. J. WUERTHNER & SONS.

WANTED.—At the Freeman house, kitchen and dining room girls. Good wages.

Page and Lyon fence and Carey's roofing on hand. Phone 151 J.

Seed Buckwheat for sale at the Sharon Mills. Sharon phone line eight, 2 long and 2 short.

FOR SALE. A one-horse wagon and surrey. Enquire of M. Hendershot.

I am now ready to deliver ice to private customers. Call at the market and buy your tickets. A. L. KIEBLER.

WANTED.—Experienced girl or woman for general housework, without washing, pleasant room, good wages and advance to right person. Apply in person or by letter or telephone Bell line No. 157 at my expense. Mrs. Wm. B. Hatch, 112 N. Washington St., Ypsilanti.

The Manchester creamery is going to pay, twice a month, 12 cents below Elgin prices for butter fat from all cream separated with any good centrifugal separator and delivered at any station within 40 miles of Manchester. Cans returned free. MANCHESTER CREAMERY CO.

Farmers, Dairyman. We will pay you 22 cents per pound for the butterfat in your cream from any good hand separator until further notice. You are only required to deliver your cream at your nearest station, we pay all charges and wash and return your cans free.

Mr. Henry Luskhardt is our representative for Manchester and vicinity, see him for further particulars. HILLSDALE ELGIN CREAMERY CO., Hillsdale, Mich.

Only one complaint, 14 months handling Crockett Shoes, is a good record.

Mrs. Norton, Chas. Hill's mother, died at Jackson this morning. Her age was 89 years.

We will be at the Gallery from June 17 until the 22. Special prices during this time. G. H. FORD.

Our stone cutter is here again and we are ready for business and want to see all old customers and many new ones at the Manchester marble and granite works. JACQUEMAIN & CO.

Mrs. Fred Tag of Clinton visited her daughter, Mrs. Frank Leeson, last week and over Sunday. Her daughter, Kate Tag, Miss Eva Walker and John Galehouse of Adrian visited there Thursday.

Opening Dance. Willow Grove Hotel, Wampler's lake, Tuesday evening, June 18. Good music. Everybody come and have an enjoyable time. Bill, including dance, supper and care of home, \$1.00. GEO. J. NISLE.

About 250 pioneers of this county met at Ypsilanti yesterday and had a pleasant visit together. The society has \$30.38 in the treasury. Many of the visitors were given an automobile ride about the city.

Robert Merithew returned Wednesday evening from his trip to sunny southern Alberta, Canada. He has gone to work for the Mass Land Co., general agents for the O. W. Kerr Co., Minneapolis, Minn. But before trying to get anyone to go from here to Canada, he wanted to see the country for himself. He is very much pleased with the country and the people. There are great opportunities there for everyone, especially in grain raising, as good wheat lands can be gotten very cheap.

Monuments & Markers. Out by Improved Machinery.

See Geo. Miller About it. Phone 86.

Toledo Portland Cement Plant Sale. Copy Order.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, In the Circuit Court for the County of Washtenaw. In Chancery. In Re Receivership of the Toledo Portland Cement Company. A. F. & F. M. FREEMAN, A. J. WATERS, Solicitors and of Counsel for said Receiver.

The petition of Willis L. Watkins, as Receiver of said Company, asking leave to sell the real and tangible personal property of said company, including its easements, rights of way, buildings, machinery and other things therein mentioned, coming on to be heard and it appearing by affidavit on file that due notice has been given for the hearing of this petition, and after hearing A. F. & F. M. FREEMAN and A. J. WATERS, Solicitors and of Counsel for said Receiver, and upon due consideration of the premises.

It is Ordered, that said Receiver is hereby granted power and authority to sell the real and tangible personal property of said Company, including its easements, rights of way, buildings, machinery, whether attached to the realty or not, as well as its contracts, debts and all of any other rights incident thereto and by said Receiver deemed for the best interest of all concerned and attending at such sale.

That said sale shall be held at the Village of Manchester, in said County and from the front porch of the Freeman House Hotel, by public auction or vendue; to the highest bidder attending at such sale, on the 15th day of May A. D. 1907, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, and such being subject to the order of confirmation by this Court and subject to all lien by way of mortgage or otherwise existing upon said property to be sold as aforesaid.

That a copy of this order shall be published once in each week for five successive weeks in the MANCHESTER ENTERPRISE and the Ann Arbor News, newspapers published in said County, and that a copy hereof shall be mailed to each stockholder of said company, to the President and Treasurer respectively of said Company and to the several directors of said Company so far as said Receiver has knowledge of the same and of their respective post-office addresses on or before ten days from the date of this order.

That a description of the property to be sold under this order, may be found in inventory thereof and public record descriptions referred to and on file in the cause of Orlando L. Torrey and others against The Toledo Portland Cement Company and others in said County.

A. F. & F. M. FREEMAN, A. J. WATERS, Solicitors and of Counsel for said Receiver.

The above sale stands adjourned to May 29th, 1907, at ten o'clock in the forenoon at the place specified in the above notice.

Dated May 15, 1907. WILLIS L. WATKINS, Receiver.

The above sale stands adjourned to August 6th, 1907, at ten o'clock in the forenoon at the place specified in the above notice.

Dated May 29, 1907. WILLIS L. WATKINS, Receiver.

The above sale stands adjourned to September 17th, 1907, at ten o'clock in the forenoon at the place specified in the above notice.

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Lake Shore Time Table

STATIONS	Trains Going South	Trains Going North
Grand Rapids	7:00 11:10 5:25	7:00 11:10 5:25
Adrian	6:05 10:05 4:30	8:10 12:10 5:15
Manitou	6:45 10:45 5:10	8:50 12:50 5:45
Manitou Lake	7:25 11:25 5:50	9:30 1:30 6:15
Adrian	8:10 12:10 6:45	10:15 2:15 7:00
Manitou	8:55 12:55 7:30	10:55 2:55 7:45
Manitou Lake	9:40 1:40 8:15	11:40 3:40 8:30
Grand Rapids	1:00 5:15 10:45	1:15 5:30 11:00

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Corn will not be knee high by the 4th of July.

Only one week more of school, then a long vacation.

Louis Uphaus has purchased another horse and now has a fine gray team.

We have tried for sewers, water works and electric lights, each failed. What next?

Commencement exercises will be on Thursday, the 20th, alumni reunion, Friday, the 21st.

The W. E. O. held a special meeting Tuesday afternoon for the purpose of receiving reports, etc.

Blue gills are beginning to bite and lake fishing will soon be the sport for many of our citizens.

There are 19 members of the senior class, 18 girls and six boys. The class colors are green and white.

Sam Sherwood and Oonnie Haag have made some repairs in the cement sidewalk around the Union Savings bank building.

Barnum & Bailey's show will be in Adrian Friday and Jackson on Saturday, passing through here early Saturday morning.

Nathaniel Schmidt has taken the school census and reports nine more persons of school age in the village than was reported last year.

Last Saturday and Sunday were pleasant days, bright and warm. But a change in temperature came Monday morning and with it a rain.

The dressmakers and every seamstress in town are as busy as can be, making gowns for those who attend commencement and alumni exercises.

The water has at last been turned on at Oak Grove and if there can be enough for all needs, an improved appearance in some lots will soon be noticeable.

The high school picnic at Wampler's lake last Saturday was attended by about 60. Fortunately, the weather was fine and the young folks had a great time.

Dr. M. F. Stein, the Detroit oculist, has an advertisement in another column, announcing his visit here on Friday, the 21st. He will be at Dr. Conklin's office.

We understand that the steam shovel at work at the gravel pit, west of town, is needed in Grand Rapids and that work will be suspended here for awhile.

The passenger coaches used on the Jackson branch trains, with the exception of the Jackson and Adrian train, are as fine as those used on the main line.

John Jackson and George Matthews have fitted up a place in the basement of the Dr. Servis block for Fred Freeman and Raynor Haussler to keep their books.

Rev. Wulfman will preach the baccalaureate sermon to the class of '07 at Emanuel church, Sunday evening. Special music has been provided for the occasion.

People complain of the boys who shoot sparrows, saying that they are careless in the use of their guns. There is an ordinance against the use of firearms in the corporation.

Albert Gumpfer, who was the last one to tackle John Koller's automobile in the hopes of making it run, got the machine in motion last Saturday and sped about town with it.

Children's day exercises at the universalist church Sunday morning were much enjoyed. All the children did well, the music was good and the decorations were beautiful.

Rev. O. D. Rowley, the highway and byway preacher, will deliver his lecture entitled "Fishing," at the Methodist church tonight and at Iron Creek tomorrow night.

Not one of our citizens has yet visited the Jamestown exposition, but we understand that some are talking of going there, next fall and some may go during the summer.

The People's bank has made another improvement by adding another window where the dollars of the daddies, checks, drafts, etc., can be taken in or handed out to customers. It will be a time saver.

The mail carriers say that the farmers have been working the roads and the roads have made them soft in some places. Where gravel has been put on they expect great improvements as soon as it is packed down.

Some of the teachers, after school Tuesday, held what might be called a farewell teachers' meeting in the laboratory. Ice cream, cake etc. were furnished and a city spoon was placed in Prof. Every's mouth as a slight memento of the good feeling existing.

Rev. Wulfman had arranged to give a stereopticon lecture or entertainment at Emanuel church Sunday evening. The house was packed with people and he had the views of scenes in India, etc. but the electrical power did not work satisfactorily and he as well as the audience was greatly disappointed.

Fred Kenejer has sprung a genuine surprise on the citizens and readers of the ENTERPRISE this week in advertising, in another column, a genuine closing out sale. He has decided to retire from business and will dispose of his goods to his customers at a discount. Read the advertisement and learn all about it.

Children's day was observed at the Methodist church Sunday morning with the usual interesting program, furnished by the teachers of the Sunday school. It consisted of songs and recitations, drills, etc., by the children and the large congregation was well entertained. The decorations consisted of colored bunting, plants and flowers.

Maccabee Memorial

Manchester tent Modern Maccabees had a perfect day for their memorial exercises and decoration of Sir Knight's graves at Oak Grove cemetery, Sunday.

The military band led the procession of Sir Knights to the cemetery about 2 o'clock p. m., where a large concourse of people had assembled on the terraced hillside and on the lawn in front of the public vault. A detachment was detailed to decorate the graves, then Sir Knight Hoffer announced the program, which consisted of singing by Misses Tillie and Minnie Grossman and Messrs. Carl Wuerthner and Sam Voegeding, prayer by Rev. Wulfman, an address by Mr. Greenbaum of Grand Rapids and a short speech by Rev. Day of the universalist church. The band also played two or three selections.

Returning to the hall, the Maccabees were served with refreshments.

Plant Must Be Sold

Next Tuesday, the 18th, is the day the cement plant is to be sold and Receiver Watkins is bound to sell it if he gets anything like a reasonable bid. He has orders from the court to that effect and someone is going to get a good cement plant proposition at a cheap figure.

The fact that the plant is 67½ miles from the main beds is no great hindrance. There are several plants that have to go many miles farther for their marl and clay and they are paying good dividends. Everybody here wants the plant completed and we hope that someone will get hold of it that has that in view.

The matter of taxes ought to be fixed so that whoever has an idea of purchasing the plant may not be frightened away on that account.

At any rate the affairs of the company are going to be closed up and creditors and stockholders may get something out of it.

Successful in Examination

The largest number of students of this county to take the 8th grade examination were in evidence this year and numbered 220 of which 155 will receive diplomas to enter the 9th grade of any high school. At the examination held here 17 out of the 29 students were boys. Following is a partial list of successful applicants and their postoffice addresses, routes, etc.:

Manchester—Anna Braun, Charles Crane 3, Minnie Ernst 3, Bertha Ernst 1, Ruth Feldkamp 3, Amelia Feldkamp, Irving Frye, Gertrude Huber, Clayton Kidd, Dora Lindbergh, Edward Mox, Lillie Schable, Bertha Schlicht 5, Carl Schwab, Benjamin Uphaus, Ira Uphaus 5, Olga Wiedman, Lulu Walz.

Bridgewater—Eugene Ewing, Viola Schoen.

Chelsea—Margaret Guinan, Ida Niehaus 2, Paul Niehaus 5, Eugene Widmayer 1.

Oriskany—Otto Hoewes, Bella Howard, Laurence Walsh, Orel Young.

Saline—Elmer Feldkamp.

Commencement Program

Baccalaureate sermon, Sunday evening, at Emanuel's church by Rev. Wulfman.

The closing exercises of the school will be held in Arbelter hall, Tuesday, at 2:30 p. m. The program is as follows:

Song, "Summer Hath Come Among Us," High School Chorus, "Blow, Soft Winds," Grammar Room "Michigan Playing Fairy,"

First Primary Song, "A Natural Spell," Intermediate Recitation, Willie Silkworth, Motion Song, Ward School, Cantata, "Flowers," Second Primary, Deet, "Summer Fancies."

Clarence and Viola Dietle, Ward School, Presentation of certificates of promotion.

Thursday evening the commencement exercises will be held with the following program:

Music, Quartette, Invocation, Rev. Moon, Music, Quartette, Class History, ELBERT LEWIS, Music, Quartette, Address, Dr. Thomas Moran, Music, Quartette, Presentation of Diplomas, Dr. C. F. Kapp, Benediction, Rev. Moon, Music by Pious Male Quartette.

News of the Week

Gleaned by Our Active Country Correspondents.

IRON CREEK

Children's day at the church Sunday morning.

Lee Conklin went to Detroit Sunday to visit his brother.

Frank Trolis and family spent Sunday at John Trolis's in Sharon.

Mr. & Mrs. Herbert Hunt visited at Ed Hunt's in Tipton, Sunday.

Miss Martha Meyer is spending the week with Miss Emma Ahrens.

Claude Preston of Clark's lake visited at B. F. Mattison's Sunday and Monday.

Ray Johnson visited at Dwight Walters in Bridgewater the latter part of last week.

J. M. Coons of Toronto, Ont., was the guest of Miss Anna Coleman over Sunday.

Mr. & Mrs. Philip Blum of Bridgewater visited Henry Herman and family on Sunday.

Miss Emma Frey and Bernadine Tenfel of Grass Lake visited at Christian Frey's over Sunday.

Miss Gladys Mattoon closed her school near Clark's lake Friday, and returned home Sunday.

Mr. & Mrs. Frank Herman and daughter Alice and Helen visited relatives in Jackson over Sunday.

Mr. & Mrs. Henry Kleinschmidt and daughter Anna of Delhi spent Sunday with August Ahrens and children.

A number of young people from this way attended the opening dance at Wampler's lake last week Wednesday evening.

Bural Mail Carrier Merrick Berch broke the chain on his automobile Monday near the creek and Gussey Call drove him into town.

Rev. Rowley, who has been traveling in New York and other states, will lecture at the church Friday evening. His subject is "Fishing."

Michael Scully, who has been working at Donora, Pa. for several years, has been visiting his parents and friends here the past week. He may go to Gary, Ind., to work.

Mr. & Mrs. John Grossman visited friends in Saline and went to Ann Arbor Sunday to visit their son, who has been at the hospital the past four months and who is now able to be about on crutches.

Joe Jackson, teacher of the Nichols school, district No. 3, closed a very successful year of school, Wednesday afternoon, with an ice cream and cake social for his scholars held on the lawn at Robert Wellwood's, at which all present had a very happy time. The school board has been fortunate enough to secure Mr. Jackson's services for the coming year at an increase of salary.

FREEDOM

John Rensu, near Pleasant lake, is quite sick.

Ang Kuhl and family of Sharon were guests at Ed Kuhl's on Sunday.

Mrs. Wm. Benner and Miss Amanda Koller were Manchester visitors on Thursday.

Mr. & Mrs. Ostbrink went to Chelsea Sunday morning to attend the funeral of Christ Bach.

The Messrs. John Gran, Ben Berke, Herman Niehaus, Ed Rusan and Gerh. Bach were in Chelsea Thursday on business.

The young people's society of St. John's church held an interesting meeting Sunday evening. A goodly number of guests were present.

Emanuel Wiedman and Erwin Cook of Ypsilanti and Miss Florence Roller of Manchester spent Sunday at Emma Droselhouse's.

Mr. & Mrs. H. Niehaus, Mrs. Harman Tish of Sharon and Miss Amanda Trinkle of Lima were guests at Louis Geyer's on Sunday afternoon.

The ladies' society of St. John's church held their monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. John Feldkamp. It was resolved to have an ice cream social in July; the time will be announced later.

Mr. & Mrs. J. Wenk, Mr. & Mrs. Louis Geyer, Mr. & Mrs. Herman Niehaus of Freedom and Mr. & Mrs. A. H. Kuhl of Sharon attended the funeral of Mrs. Staebler at Chelsea on Wednesday.

SHARON

Mrs. Frank Baker and son of Mattoon, Ill., came last night to visit her sisters and other friends.

Miss Alice Bower, who has been visiting Mrs. Mulvaney at Marengo, has returned home.

Mrs. Gillett and daughter, Mrs. Walter Ford, of Brooklyn will go to Three Rivers to attend commencement, John Smith, son of Bert Smith and grandson of Frank Smith being a graduate.

Two barns belonging to A. E. Forner, about two miles northeast of the town hall, burned Saturday afternoon. Nobody knows how the fire started. They were partially insured in the Southern Washtenaw.

Miss Mary Haarer, Albert Armbruster and George Haarer of Bridgewater, Otto Bruns of Lima and Miss Emma Ahrens and Fred Bellmore of Iron Creek spent Sunday with Herman Meyers and family.

The farmers hereabouts are investing some in Bentley and Yocomma Paint. It gives a hundred per cent. protection to the building on which it is applied. Sold by Fred G. Houck.

Ice Cream Soda at the City Bakery.

BRIDGEWATER

Mrs. Louise and Viva Allen visited in Ann Arbor over Sunday.

Mrs. Martha Monroe of Saline has been visiting old friends here.

Miss Odella Stueb of Seio was a guest at Conrad Renle's and John Schwab's over Sunday.

Mr. & Mrs. Clarence Anils came down from Manchester Sunday to visit his parents.

Bert Martin and little family went to Kalamazoo last Thursday to visit relatives a few days.

Bridgewater farmers are getting to the front. Norman Watson has purchased an automobile.

Joe Kramer's men are at work this week at Wm. Every's. They expect to be able to raise their barn frame on Saturday.

Will Allen of Trenton visited his parents last Saturday and his wife, who has been visiting here, returned home with him Sunday.

The Misses Staib, who have been in Ann Arbor, are now at home and expect to go to "The Millen" at Wolf lake in about two weeks.

Uriah Arnold, who has been suffering from blood poison, is slowly improving. At one time it was feared that he would lose his hand.

Wm. Gadd, Geo. Girbach, Wheelock Brothers and others have been drawing hay to Clinton at prices ranging from \$14 to \$15.50 per ton.

H. R. Palmer was in Sharon on Monday to meet Director Smith, Dorr and Kress who adjusted the loss of A. E. Forner at \$300. This loss occurred Saturday, the 8th.

Saturday evening, 15 friends of Elbert Warner gave him a pleasant surprise at his home, the occasion being his 20th birthday. Ice cream, etc., were served and all enjoyed the pleasant function.

The June social of the Clinton Baptist will be held at the home of Mrs. M. F. Every next Tuesday afternoon, June 18th. It has heretofore been held at the Watsons or Wells' and Mrs. James Wells says, "We surely hope to see all our old friends and a host of new ones."

Most feeders like to know what gain in weight other feeders have made. One man in Bridgewater fed 26 head for five months, making an average gain per month of 75 pounds. They were shorthorns with a Hereford cross and weighed, when marketed, 1,400 pounds and were sold at home for 6½ cents.

Last Friday's Ann Arbor Times says: "Supervisor Archer G. Crane, the well known potato grower of Bridgewater township, was in the city yesterday on business in the probate court with reference to an insane patient whom the board of auditors claimed to be a township charge. Mr. Crane remarked while here that the season had been so backward that he had not planted the main part of his crop of late potatoes. He expects to do so in a couple of weeks. The early potatoes which he planted for family use are just coming out of the ground."

BRIDGEWATER STATION

Fred Bostner shipped a load of stock to Buffalo, Saturday.

Mrs. Tom Harris and little boy visited relatives at Trenton a few days.

H. B. Ewing & Son shipped a car of lumber to Detroit last week Wednesday.

Mrs. Chas. Bunya and children returned Monday from a visit with her sister at Belleville.

F. W. Schoen and family spent Sunday with the former's brother, Rev. A. Schoen, and sister Pauline at Chelsea.

Miss Catherine Rothfus was the guest of her friend, Miss Mary Tufel, at Ann Arbor, from Friday until Tuesday.

Mr. & Mrs. C. Schlegel and daughter, Miss Meta, were Sunday guests of Mr. & Mrs. Conrad Bostner at Saline.

Chas. Hillinger has shipped hay during the past week to Norfolk, Va., Towary, N. J., Petersburg and Lynchburg, Va., and Newark, New Jersey.

Mrs. Ed. Busel and daughter Georgiana of Detroit spent a few days with her parents, Mr. & Mrs. H. B. Ewing, and brother Harris and family.

Mrs. Jacob Blum and sons Jake and George have moved to Adrian, where they intend to make their future home. We regret to lose them and wish them success in their new home.

Card of Thanks

We would return our sincere thanks to Rev. Moore, the members of the choir and to all who assisted at the funeral of our sister, Miss Emily Rowe, June 7, 1907.

Married

PREEMAN-SCHUMACHER—In Chelsea on Wednesday, June 12, 1907, by Rev. C. B. Jones of Detroit, Mr. Chas. Freeman and Miss Bertha Schumacher, both of Chelsea.

Died

WOLFF—In Sharon on Sunday June 9, 1907, of consumption, Mrs. W. Wolff, aged 24 years.

She leaves a husband, two children, father, mother, two brothers and one sister. The funeral was held on Wednesday.

NORVELL

Romeya Niale, who lives at Wampler's lake, has sold his pony.

Dan Starkey of Toledo is visiting his mother, Mrs. M. Bulman.

Mrs. F. Winfield, who accompanied her daughter to Toledo, has returned home.

George Wurster of Manchester put up a Perkins windmill for A. J. Austin Saturday.

The township board has accepted the liquor bond of Chas. Schriber, the amount being \$6,000.

A. E. Palmer and sons Parker, Homer and Harry came from Owosso Saturday in their new auto.

The church was filled Sunday night at the Children's day exercises. A good program was rendered by the choir and children.

Drs. Kirtland and Reinbolt operated on the son of Mr. Birnie, who lives on the Chris Hays farm. He has tubercular disease of the bone in his leg.

Mrs. George Harris gave a birthday surprise to her mother, Mrs. Simon Wheaton, last Saturday. A number of friends were present and all enjoyed the occasion.

The baptist society will meet at Mrs. J. G. Palmer's next week Friday. Last Friday was quite rainy, but a good social time was enjoyed. The society has over \$90 on hand which is to be applied on the pastor's salary if needed. His salary is nearly raised for the year and nearly \$900 subscribed for a parsonage.

GRASS LAKE

Mrs. Flora Gage is at home for a two weeks' vacation.

Children's day exercises at the congregational church Sunday morning were fine.

Mrs. Alice Trevidick has purchased the R. M. Chapman property on East Main street.

Rev. & Mrs. Shybaugh attended the 68th annual meeting of the Jackson baptist association at Mason, Tuesday and Wednesday.

NORTH SHARON

Mr. & Mrs. G. P. Dorr spent Sunday at Charles Burr's in Manchester.

Miss Julia Gutekunst of Jackson is spending a few days with her cousin, Miss Clara Boutler.

Gordon Huston is in Grass Lake, the guest of his grandmother, Mrs. E. D. Huston Sr.

Mrs. Edward Huston and son Marcus spent a day last week with her mother, Mrs. Delilah Davis, at Grass Lake.

CHELSEA

Tuesday there were 362 votes for and 169 against building a \$30,000 school house. Work will begin soon.

BROOKLYN

Rev. W. E. Simpson of Bay City, who preached at the Episcopal church Sunday, may be invited to become pastor.

There were five members of the senior class, Miss Florence Ladd, Arizona Coulson, Berde Kieber, Levant Mulinix and Leah Henderson.

Dr. E. N. Palmer celebrated his 67th birthday last Saturday in a royal way. His brothers, sisters and other relatives, making about 30, from Jackson, Bridgewater, Manchester and other places enjoyed the festive occasion.

The alumni exercises take place at masonic hall Friday. The Chequamegon orchestra will furnish music. The banquet will be held at masonic hall. Judge Robert Smith of Jackson will be toastmaster. Mrs. Herbert R. Watkins and Hon. L. Whitney Watkins are among those who will respond to toasts.

An amusing ball game was pulled off on Tuesday afternoon, the opposing teams being the east side merchants and the west merchants. H. B. Cobb and Hugh Crane composed the battery for the eastside while John Peterson and Floyd Nichols acted in the same capacity for the westside. Many of the "boys" had not played ball for 20 years or more and the fun was fast and furious. At the close the score stood 23 to 17 in favor of the eastside.

To convince a stubborn man that good paint lasts longest show him a house painted five years with Bradley & Vrooman Paint. Guaranteed to satisfy. Sold by Fred G. Houck.

The east and west side school boys had a tussle over a ball game last Thursday and the west side came out ahead in a score of 11 to 5.

Home Market

BEANS—Peas beans, hand picked, \$1.25; yellow eyed, \$1.35 per bu.

BUTTER—Good demand at 16c. Good table butter 16c.

BEEF—Good demand, \$4.75 @ \$5.25; light and coarse steers, \$4.25 @ 4.75; fat cows, \$3.00 @ 4.25; heifers, \$4.00 @ 4.50; calves, \$1.50 @ \$2.00; calves, good demand, \$5.50 @ \$6.00.

CORN—Good demand 28c @ 30c per bu. EGGS—Weak, at 13c a doz.

HOGS—Good demand \$5.00 @ 5.50. HAY—No. 1 new Timothy \$13.00; No. 1 mixed, \$10.00 @ \$11; Clover, \$8.50 @ \$9.50; Marsh hay, \$4.50 per ton.

OATS—Good demand at 41c @ 43c per bushel.

POTATOES—Good demand 40c per bu. POULTRY—Live weight. Hens and chickens, 10c; ducks, 10c; geese 10c per lb. broilers, 20c.

RYE—New, good demand, 67c @ 70c per bu.

STRAW—Rye \$3.00 a ton. SHEEP—Steady. Fat clipped weathers, \$5.00 @ \$5.50; ewes, \$4.50 @ \$5.00; yearlings, 5.00 @ \$5.50; lambs, choice clipped \$5.50 @ 7.00; light and common, \$5.25 @ \$6.00.

WHEAT—No. 2 Red, 86c @ 88c; No. 2 White, 85c @ 86c; Low grade, 70c @ 75c per bu.

WOOL—Clothing, 22c @ 24c; Delain, 25c; coarse and medium, 20c @ 27c per lb.

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