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## Patronize Our Advertisers and Keep the "GO" in GOBLES

### LOCAL BREVITIES

Vote early Monday.  
On the gain and sitting up a little A. Watts.  
Public dance Odd Fellows Hall Friday night.  
Stanley Styles is recovering from a long siege with flu.  
Mr. and Mrs. John Russel are home from Grand Rapids.  
Charles Howard has purchased the Flander's house next to the Cash Supply.  
The Sunny Day club will meet with Mrs. M. O. Morgan next week Thursday.  
Edward Coffinger has resigned his position with the State hospital and is making his home at Bert Coffinger's.  
Mr. and Mrs. Hayes were called to Banfield Monday to attend the funeral of her mother, Mrs. N. W. Weston.  
Mr. and Mrs. Ed Myers and Rev. Hayes were at Ewart last week where the latter assisted his brother in special meetings.  
Those who realize the trials and troubles of one who gets out a newspaper are always ready to forgive the many omissions.  
Mr. and Mrs. Sutton Hayden announce their fifty-ninth wedding anniversary last week. May they make it seventy-five.  
Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Coffinger entertained for Sunday dinner Mr. Warner, Mrs. Effie Enos of Flint, Mr. and Jesse Coffinger and Madge of Kalamazoo.  
Supt. Straton was called to Mayo Bros. hospital last Friday to see his father, who is there for an operation. It is hoped that his father may receive permanent benefits and recover speedily.  
Gobles plays Covert in the tournament at Paw Paw, Friday tomorrow morning, at 10 o'clock. A good crowd from here might help. Gobles has the best chance ever to win a tournament game.  
Mr. David Heckert of Chicago spent Sunday in this vicinity and while here purchased through the agency of A. C. Bassit the Elmer Gregory farm 1 mile South of B-dale on the Glendale road, where he will move his family in the near future.  
Meetings will start at Kendall M. E. Church next Monday evening. Rev. W. D. Hayes of Ewart will assist his brother, Rev. S. W. in these meetings and all interested are invited to attend. They will continue for two weeks.  
Postmaster McElheny is taking on airs by placing a fine metal mail box at the curb in front of the post office, so that one can mail letters without going inside, doing away with the slit by the door which has served for years. Mack sure keeps the office up-to-date.  
Movie and Community night at Clubhouse Friday & Saturday nights. Prize will be given to winner holding lucky number on ticket. Picture is "Win That Girl." Admission 25 cents for adults, 15 cents for High School and 10 cents for children. Community Orchestra to furnish music.  
A. B. Post and son have purchased the stock at the Cash Supply store and will operate the same. We understand they will do tinning and plumbing along with the other lines. Lon has kept away from the old home town longer most of them but we are glad he finally came and brings his family with him.

### Card of Thanks

I take this means of expressing my gratitude to the Covey Hill Sunday school, also to my neighbors and friends for flowers and many kindnesses shown during the illness and at the death of my husband.  
Mrs. Kate Clark

We are ready for your job work. Bring it in today.

### Woman's Fortnightly Club

Thursday, Feb. 28. The Woman's Fortnightly Club met at the home of Mrs. Grace Connery. Four visiting ladies and twenty three members present.  
Mrs. Stimpson presented an invitation from the 20th Century Club of Kalamazoo, inviting the club to meet with them Thursday, March 14. The invitation was accepted and Club ladies will please note that the Fortnightly will meet Wednesday Mar. 13 with Mrs. Vern Knight.  
Following the business meeting the following program was given.  
Leading American Composers, Mrs. McElheny.  
If You Could Hear Yourself Talk, Mrs. Gilchrist.  
Playlet, "Sauce for Goslings".  
Club adjourned to meet Wednesday Mar. 13 with Mrs. Vern Knight.

### Obituary

Albert H. Lillie was born in Kinsman, Trumbull County, Ohio, Sept. 28, 1840 and passed away Feb. 21 1929, at the home of his daughter in Gobles Mich.  
He enlisted in the war of 1862, as a Private in County G, 1st Regiment Michigan Engineers and Mechanics, and served until the close of the war when he was honorably discharged.  
He was united in marriage to Miss Lucy Louise Freer, March 27, 1870, who departed this life June 27, 1923.  
To this union were born, four daughters, Mrs. C. W. Wesler of Gobles, Mrs. L. R. Wilson and Mrs. R. R. Ware of Kalamazoo and Mrs. H. H. Fritz of Detroit who are mourning the loss of a very dear father. Besides these, he leaves a brother, Alfred Lillie and one niece Miss Madge Lillie, of Feunville, four grand children, and six great grandchildren.

### Card of Thanks

We wish to express our sincere thanks and appreciation to all our friends for their thoughtfulness and sympathy extended to us in the loss of our beloved father.  
We also thank the clubs, friends and neighbors for the beautiful flowers. We are grateful to Rev. Hayes for the words and song of comfort.  
Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Wesler and children,  
Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Wilson and son Arthur,  
Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Ware,  
Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Fritz,  
Mr. Alfred Lillie and daughter Madge.

### An Event at North Point

The Ladies of the New Idea Club entertained their husbands at Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Morgan's Friday evening March 1. A banquet was served at 7:30 with oysters for the first course. After doing ample to the ladies efforts in that part of the entertainment they retired to rooms arranged and cards were enjoyed by all until a late hour when they regretfully left for home with one more good time at Morgan's to remember.

### Caucus

A Republican Caucus for the Township of Pine Grove will be held at the Town Hall in Kendall, Saturday, March 9, 1929 at 2:00 o'clock p. m. for the nomination of township officers and the transaction of such other business as may properly come before it.  
By order of committee.  
Dated February 28, 1929.

### Caucus

A Republican Caucus for the Township of Bloomingdale will be held in Town Hall, in Bloomingdale Village, Friday, March 8, 1929 at 2 o'clock p. m.

We are ready for your job work. Bring it in today.

### For Supervisor

Pine Grove township has always elected a good man for supervisor and kept him as long as he would take the job. Those who know, realize how this saves the township in many ways. William J. Richards is still with us and we predict he will be the choice of the Republican caucus again Saturday.  
Pd Pol Ad One who knows

### For Township Treasurer

David Gilbert has proved a good township treasurer and as such is entitled to a second term and we believe he should be the unanimous choice of the Republican caucus at Kendall Saturday. Pd. Pol. Ad.

### For Justice of the Peace

Thenorth side of Pine Grove township is entitled to and should have a Justice.  
Merrick Morgan is well qualified for the office in every way and entitled to the support of all republicans at the caucus Saturday. A vote for him will be greatly appreciated.  
Pd. Pol. Ad A Voter

### Republican Township Caucus

Town Hall in Bloomingdale, Friday afternoon, March 8, at 2 o'clock.  
I am a candidate for Supervisor and will appreciate your support.  
Yours truly,  
Pd Pol Ad E. W. Whalin

### WAGERTOWN

Ladies Aid Wednesday, March 13 at Grange hall. Dinner at noon.  
Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hodgman announce the marriage of their daughter, Leora to Vern Clark, March 2.  
Mr. and Mrs. Jake Mahieu and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Skillman.  
Mable Sackett of Kalamazoo spent Sunday with her uncle, Arch Holmes and family.  
Rolla Eastman and family spent Sunday at George Leach's.  
Ralph Holmes had the misfortune to break his arm while cranking a car Sunday.  
Mr. and Mrs. Lester Woodruff spent the week end with their daughter, Mrs. Shirley Banks.  
Arthur Healy and family spent Sunday at John Beeman's.  
Frank Holmes of Kalamazoo spent the week end at Arch Holmes'.  
Cecil and Milton Hodgman spent Sunday evening with Chas. Eastman.  
Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Leach of Flushing are spending a few days with his brother, George Leach

George Leach, Ethel, Charley and Bernith Eastman spent Wednesday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Jacobs.  
David Burk and family spent Sunday at Augusta.  
Mr. and Mrs. Noah Smith visited Sunday in Kalamazoo.  
Mrs. Bell spent Sunday evening with Mrs. Beeman.  
Mr. and Mrs. Wood attended the Pomona Grange at Kibbie where they received the fifth degree.  
Charley Klapp and family spent Sunday of last week at John Beeman's.  
Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Wood and Harold Day spent Sunday of last week with Mr. and Mrs. Orrin Rhoades in Kalamazoo.  
Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Healy were in Kalamazoo Tuesday of last week.  
Mrs. Geo. Bell spent a few days in Kalamazoo last week.  
Mrs. Pearl Skillman, Mrs. Blanch Hodgman and daughter, Leora spent Tuesday with Mrs. Irving Goodrich.  
Mr. and Mrs. Lester Woodruff spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Jacobs.

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Church Notices, half price.  
ALL Poetry 5c per line, in advance.  
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Cards of thanks, obituaries and resolutions are to be paid for in advance.  
Obituaries, 25 lines free; all over 25 lines 1/4 cents per line will be charged.  
Cards of Thanks, 50 cents.

### KENDALL

Mrs. Maggie Lerversee is confined to her home with a gathering in her ear.  
Herbert L. Root suffered a slight stroke a short time ago. He is about the house again.  
Wilbur Story and sons are driving a new Ford sedan. Frank Way is also reported a sedan owner.  
Wayne Sweet and family have moved from Grand Rapids to the farm he recently purchased of Zard Bachelder.  
Royal Kellar entertained Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Leon Scott and children of Trowbridge and Mrs. Elsie Sweet.  
Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Yerden and children visited his parents in Trowbridge over the week end.  
Arlee Miner is in Kalamazoo where she is working for her sister, Mrs. Neal DeSmit.  
Mrs. Jennie Wilkinson attended "The Singing Fool" at Kalamazoo the last of the week.  
Lillian Ray was home from W. S. T. C. Kalamazoo for the week end.  
Mrs. Norrine Spencer was hostess at a shower given Saturday in honor of Mrs. Charles Adams of Bloomingdale, formerly Doris Shirley. A pleasant time was enjoyed and the gifts were numerous.  
Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Chamberlin and little Kenneth of Grand Ledge were over the week end visitors here.  
James Heffernon and daughter, Winifred spent Saturday in Kalamazoo.  
Mrs. Anna Brundage is at her home, confined there with flu.  
Dean Ray has tonsillitis.  
Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Myers of Kalamazoo called on his brother, Raymond Sunday on their way to Bloomingdale.  
Mrs. Hilda Carnes and children of Kalamazoo visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hofacker Sunday.  
Word has been received of the serious illness of Mrs. Henry Young at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Cora McAlpine at Michigan City. She was threatened with pneumonia.

### For Township Treasurer

I wish to announce that I will be a candidate for the office of township treasurer in Waverly at the Republican caucus. 2t  
Pd Pol Ad Clifford Blakeman.

### 33rd Wedding Anniversary

Sunday being the 33rd Wedding Anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. George Pike Just to remind them of the occasion at about 10:00 o'clock guests began coming with well filled baskets.  
At noon they all partook of the most gorgeous dinner at which nothing was lacking. The afternoon was spent in visiting and a good general time.  
Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Alvie Pike and family, Bert Pike, Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Pike, Mr. and Mrs. Art Brown all of Mattawan, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Pike of Kalamazoo, and Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Garlock and family of Lawton.  
Late in the afternoon the guests departed for their many homes leaving with Mr. and Mrs. Pike many beautiful and useful gifts and wishing them many more years of happiness.

If your subscription to The News has expired, please call at once and settle.

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### Business Locals

Veal calves wanted. See or phone Lester Woodruff.  
Indian relics wanted. See Van Ryno.  
Buy Miller tires at Dorgan's filling station.  
Hunting licenses at News office.  
J. E. Twitchell - Decorating.  
Lost---Tire chain on Bloomingdale road. Please return to News office.  
Baled hay, mixed and timothy, for sale. I. E. Stockwell  
Goble's Barred Rock Chicks, exclusively from our own flock. 12yrs careful culling has developed a well marked, high producing strain. A 62 per cent hatch Jan. 28, shows the vigor of parent stock: Not to be compared with the cheap chicks being advertised. Every possible precaution taken to prevent losses from exposure in delivery. Order yours early. Warren W. Goble, phone

### BROWN DISTRICT

Mrs. Lewie Camfield spent Wednesday with Mrs. Loren Camfield.  
Loren Camfield and family visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Newton Rippey in Bloomingdale Sunday.  
Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Davis of South Haven called at Geo. Pike's Monday.  
Mrs. Lee Pullman was in Allegan Monday.  
Mr. and Mrs. Dell Camfield called at F. E. Camfield's Sunday.  
Mr. and Mrs. Morris Thorpe of Allegan visited at Lee Pullman's Sunday.  
Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Torrey visited at Geo. Pike's Monday.  
Mr. and Mrs. Lewie Camfield visited Sunday at the former's grand parents.  
Mr. and Mrs. Russell Sackett and Mrs. Iva Shepherd visited at Andy Sackett's Sunday.  
(Too late for last week)  
Mr. and Mrs. Paul Thayer of Kalamazoo visited at John Thayer's Sunday.  
Mr. and Mrs. Carl Olivet and Shered Holdeman of Kalamazoo called at Leo Pullman's Sunday.  
Leva May Camfield spent Sunday with Loraine Neeson in Gobles  
Mrs. Mary Sackett spent the week end in Kalamazoo.  
Sunday visitors at W. Leonard's were: Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Lacos and Mrs. Mary Pelong of Gobles and Mary LaCoss of Kalamazoo.  
Mr. and Mrs. Lewie Camfield are spending a few days at F. E. Camfield's.  
Geo. Pike called at Wm. Leonard's one day last week.  
Greta Sackett has started to school at Parsons Business College.

### WAVERLY

A. B. Frisbie of Kalamazoo visited his mother at A. C. Blakeman's last Sunday.  
Bert McCarty and family, who have been staying at J. A. White's for some time returned to their home in Glenn Sunday.  
Roy Sage and family visited at Ed Beach's of Lawton Sunday afternoon.  
Mr. and Mrs. Jess Coffinger of Kalamazoo spent last Saturday night at R. E. Sage's.  
Mrs. R. E. Sage and son, Lewis spent Sunday in Kalamazoo with Walter Schwieman and family.  
Mrs. Arthur Herron and granddaughter, Marian spent Sunday in Kalamazoo with Mr. and Mrs. Glen Herron.  
Mr. and Mrs. John Russell, who have been in Grand Rapids for the winter, have returned to their farm home here.

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Copies for advertising must reach this office not later than Tuesday noon. All that comes in later will be laid one side until the issue of the following week.  
Copies of the paper, 5c each. Copies of the paper are not included in obituaries or cards of thanks.  
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FREE BATTERY charging and radio repair work. Luther Howard.  
Ordered fruit trees yet? If not better see me for best quality stock. Albert Hosner.  
O. I. C. stock hog for service Lester Clark.  
Albert Keller will install a saw mill at Clement yards in the spring. Bring your logs any time.  
If you are planning on an Auction Sale, will be pleased to cry it for you. Rates reasonable. Glenn E. Woodruff, Gobles, R. I. tf  
Buy Firestone tires at L & C.  
Modern Woodman dance at Kendall every Saturday night.  
3 lots in Gobles, north of Community church for sale. Bert Coffinger. tf  
HEAR THE NEW MAJESTIC AT HOWARD'S.  
7-room house in Gobles for sale. Inquire at News office.  
Leave your orders at Ruell's grocery for floral designs, cut flowers and potted plants. Prompt service.  
1926 Ford truck for sale at J. C. Gamboe's.  
Ford sedan cheap. J. C. Gamboe.  
We are ready to do your spring papering. Over 800 samples to select from. See us for painting. Good Guaranteed paint \$2.15 per gallon. Best pure linseed oil paint \$2.80. None better. Frank Roberts, phone.  
Poultry and veal wanted. See or phone Perry Saughton. 5t  
5 English white leghorn roosters for sale. Clarence Lee, R 2, Gobles.  
I am prepared to do all kinds of well work on short notice. 35 years experience. Give me a call at Bob Curtis hardware store or drop card to Will Herman, Gobles, Mich. tf  
Several good horses, ages 4 to 8 yrs. Weight from 1200 up, well broke, and all guaranteed as represented, must be sold. George Sage. 4t  
Wanted for Cash. One to 20 Acre improved or not improved in Gobles or near village limits on Kalamazoo-South Haven Road or M-40. Price must be right. State price in first letter. L. B. Wooster, 6212 Greenwood Ave., Chicago, Ill.  
Four fresh grade Guernsey cows for sale, also a horse. See or phone C. H. Peper, Bloomingdale  
House and lot in Gobles for sale, See or phone Bert Coffinger  
Ready to do your painting, inside or outside, at right prices. See Allie Nash  
A fine bunch of heifers due to freshen soon for sale. R. M. Curfuss & Co.  
Three gasoline lamps, wiring and tank, Coleman system, in good condition, for sale. Mrs. Phil Bush.  
Found Small purse with a little change and car key. Owner may get same at News office by paying for this notice.  
Apples at potato prices, 18 cents 2 1-2 to 4 feet, at Gobles Nursery.  
Counter and 2 show cases for sale at R. M. Curtis & Co.  
Wanted---Party to trim a 5-acre vineyard. Will pay well for a good job. Inquire at News office.  
\$1,000 all electric pop corn popper for sale. Big sacrifice for immediate cash sale. See or write G. I. Thorne, Allegan, Mich.

# CAMERA NEWS

## First Spring Training Gets Under Way on Coast



Baseball's 1929 season gets under way. The first training camp in the country this year was established at Wrigley Field, Los Angeles, where the Los Angeles "Angels," of the Pacific Coast league, are in spring training. Photo shows moundsmen warming up to loosen arm muscles for a hard season ahead.

## In Oklahoma's Official Family



Oklahoma's official family has a new and pretty member in Mrs. Steve Hallaway, bride of the brother of W. J. Hallaway, acting governor. Since the wedding Hallaway has been continuing his studies in the law school of the University of Oklahoma at Norman. Mrs. Hallaway is a graduate of the institution.

## Trapshooting Co-ed Does Well



Jane Mustion, co-ed of the University of Kansas, who holds the Missouri state trapshooting title for women, managed to finish "in the money" during the annual international trapshooting tournament at Kansas City, Mo.

## Jinxed Sprinter



Although he has finished first in 17 straight cross-country races for Grove City college, Grove City, Pa., James W. Evans, of Erie, Pa., never has been on a winning team. In 17 races he has been hard pressed but once. During his entire career Evans has been first in 28 out of 29 starts.

## Blames the Stars



Blame for the turmoil of Oklahoma politics which has resulted in the placing of impeachment charges against Henry S. Johnston, suspended governor, is placed on the stars by J. Howell Lewis, above, astronomy student of Oklahoma City, who has declared the governor often consulted with him.

## Jimmy Jams



## HIGHER HOG PRICES FORECAST FOR 1929

Prospects of another favorable year for livestock producers are reported by the United States bureau of agricultural economics.

The 1929 market supply of hogs is expected to be considerably smaller than that of 1928, the bureau says. Some improvement in the foreign demand for American pork products is indicated and no material change in domestic demand is anticipated. Hog prices during 1929 are expected to average considerably higher than in 1928.

The immediate outlook for cattle, according to the bureau, continues favorable with prices about at the peak of the cycle. Further reduction in market supplies in 1929 is indicated, but the decrease probably will not be as much as that of 1928. Supplies of grain finished cattle the first half of 1929 are expected to equal or exceed those in the first half of last year. Any increase in such cattle, however, is likely to be offset by decreased supplies of other kinds of slaughter cattle.

Supplies of lambs for marketing the first half of 1929 are slightly larger than during last year and indications are that a larger proportion of western fed lambs will be marketed after March 1 than last year. Sheep numbers continued to increase during 1928 and the lamb crop this year may show some increase above last year's crop.

Wool production in this country and in important foreign producing countries during 1929 is expected to be about 6 per cent larger than for the preceding season, and stocks in primary markets have been increased. Last season's slightly reduced supplies and active foreign demand this season have strengthened prices for lower grade wools. This season's larger world wool supplies and the declining tendency in foreign prices have not been reflected by a decline of prices in wool in the United States.

In the past, says the bureau, price situations like that which prevails now in the cattle industry have been followed by increased production and reduced prices. Therefore the bureau advises against new producers entering the industry, but those already in may profit by moderate expansion during the next two or three years even though prices go somewhat lower than at present.

## Decrease Is Expected In Potato Acreage

Unless farmers have changed their natures recently they will plant a much reduced acreage of potatoes next spring, according to a prediction made by Dr. C. C. Stine, Bureau of Economics, Washington, D. C.

Statistical studies, made by the bureau, of potato prices and the number of acres planted during previous years indicate that two years of unattractive prices reduce the next year's planting materially.

The same figures show that a price of \$1.60 per bushel for potatoes increases the next planting 10 per cent and a price of \$1.80 increases the acres planted by 30 per cent.

Dr. Stine says that, although the weather plays an important part in determining the size of the potato crop, the greatest factor in producing a surplus is the increased planting which follow periods of high prices.

The 1924 crop of 425,000,000 bushels of potatoes grown in the U. S. brought \$270,000,000 less than the 323,000,000 bushels which were produced during the next year. In addition to the money lost on the difference in sales price, the large crop cost a great deal more to grow than the smaller one.

The branch of the United States Department of Agriculture which Dr. Stine represents furnishes crop and market reports, advanced reports on intentions to plant, and a great deal of other valuable economic information for farmers, who can obtain it by writing to the department.

## Traverse Would Have Two-Day Cherry Festival

Tentative plans to make the cherry festival, the Traverse region's annual midsummer fete to celebrate its \$2,000,000 cherry crop, a two-day affair this year instead of one as in the past were sprouted Saturday by Chairman Jay Smith in an address before the Traverse Travelers.

Smith believed that although the festival would require larger financial support, this added expense would be more than offset by the greater advertising value involved. The Travelers immediately appointed a committee to assist Smith in whatever plans he has and ordered the committee to report at a luncheon meeting next Saturday.

The Travelers will carry announcement of the festival on their cars and will aid in distributing other advertising matter.

A proposal by Chairman Smith to enter a Traverse City float in the blossom festival at Benton Harbor and St. Joseph next May met with approval of the Travelers.

## Right

Teacher: "In what battle did General Wolfe, when hearing of victory, cry 'I die happy'?"  
Johnny: "I think it was his last battle."

## Rabbit Farming Is Gaining in Michigan

Michigan farmers, especially poultrymen, are manifesting more interest in rabbit farming than ever before, breeders and fanciers at the state rabbit show reported. This interest was attributed to the growing appreciation of the consumptive demand for tame rabbit to take the place of the Michigan wild rabbit.

The state legislature passed a law four years ago prohibiting hunters from selling Michigan wild rabbits. It was purely a conservation measure, but it has done much to stimulate interest in the production of tame rabbits.

Domestic rabbit meat is being eaten in Chicago at the rate of \$50,000 worth a year. Los Angeles, Calif., in the heart of the great domestic rabbit belt of the United States, consumes more than \$1,000,000 worth of rabbit meat annually.

New York City is taking \$500,000 worth of this fancy meat, according to members of the American Rabbit and Cavy Breeders' association.

The rabbits are shipped in here from 10 states. There are more than 3,000 breeders in Illinois, 6,000 in Wisconsin, 1,000 in Missouri, and around 1,000 in Michigan. The rabbits are raised for fur, meat and breeding stock. About one-eighth of the animals are eligible for registration among the aristocrats and the rest are used for meat, rabbit experts say.

There is a great guessing game going on in Chicago homes where domestic rabbit meat is being served for the first time. Some say it tastes like frog legs, others think it is the young turkey and some put it in the capon or tender chicken class. Still others are satisfied to say "It's just different."

In many cities these rabbits are being chiefly consumed in clubs, hotels and other public dining places, but in Chicago, where retail stores handle them, they are being bought and served in the home.

Growers get an average of about 20 cents a pound. One-half is lost in dressing, making the rabbits cost the packers about 40 cents a pound.

## Growth of Fish Slow, Says Conservation Dept.

It requires four years to produce one pound of trout. These figures have been arrived at by experts in the fish division of the Department of Conservation who are giving their best efforts to keep the supply of fish in Michigan at the point where it will equal the demand. The next time you sit down to a dinner with five pounds of trout as the principal item on the menu, try to realize that it took Mother Nature twenty years to provide the delicacy.

While the growth of fish varies greatly as to species and natural conditions imposed by nature during their growth, it is estimated that the average fish may be legally taken after two years of growth. Water temperature and the vigor of the individual are the two principal factors that determine the growth of a fish. For instance, one trout may be treated to ideal conditions and grow so rapidly that he will be ready for the pan in 18 months while another may meet with reverses and not attain legal length until he is three years of age.

If you spit on your hook and pull out an 18-inch bass, you may safely guess that the old boy is seven years of age. Again, a blue gill that measures 9½ inches is probably from four to five years old. As a general thing, the blue gill requires three years before he is considered eligible for the hook by the law. Experts who have handled fish and watched their growth for the Department of Conservation in Ohio maintain that fish grow from 1-25 to 1-50 of an inch per day. There is a wide degree of variation even in these figures.

## Terminal Livestock Associations Increasing

The first permanent terminal livestock association was organized about ten years ago. Today there are 25 of these agencies operating on 19 central markets, approximately 11,000,000 head of livestock valued at several hundred million dollars are handled by these terminal commission agencies. Numerous problems have arisen in connection with the administration of these large co-operative organizations, and one of the most pressing is to provide facilities to take care of the always increasing business. In order to do this, it is necessary to be constantly training men of the organization in the co-operative method of doing business. This takes time and money, but is the only way to insure giving the best possible service to stockmen. An association should be supplied with enough help to properly handle the business and to maintain the personal relationship with the shippers that grows out of and is a part of the commission business. Another problem facing the terminal associations is to get out more educational information to members and shippers. If an association does not inform its members, there are usually plenty of people ready to undertake the job! What members know about their association, where they get their information, and the reliability of this information, should all be a matter of concern to the association.

He: Let's do our tomorrow morning quarreling this evening.

## Poultry

### PLANNING THE YEAR'S WORK

There is no better time to plan your poultry activities than now. Start now, keep going in the right manner, and finish up in the right way, if you want maximum success from your poultry. Don't overlook the scientific side of the business. You must have a knowledge of the scientific principles related to the many problems of feeding, breeding and management, and most important of all, apply them.

Here are four guideposts to successful poultry farming. With the proper management in each of these departments, you can put your business on a better paying basis.

### Housing

Whatever type of poultry house you may have, be sure there is sufficient room for every bird in your flock. Crowding your hens in an under-sized house will materially retard egg production. An ideal poultry house is one that meets the following specifications: It must be dry, airy, bright, convenient, simple, durable, and must permit plenty of sunlight and be free from all drafts.

### Feeding

Health is the most desirable characteristic of any flock. The health of your birds depends upon nutrition or proper feeding. For maximum health, and thus for consistently high production, the ration must contain all the essentials for the complete development of every function and process of the bird—proteins, fats, minerals and water.

### Breeding

On this problem of renewing your flock rests your success or failure with poultry. It is most complex, but on the other hand it is the poultryman's opportunity to make more money from his flock. Exercise judgment and care in picking your breeders—use purebred, healthy stock, birds that are fully developed and have made a good record as egg producers. Make sure the breeders have the characteristics that you want to see in the chicks. Finally, use eggs that are perfect and uniform as to size, shape and color, with good, firm, smooth shells.

### Culling

A hen must lay close to six dozen eggs before she pays for her feed. The hen that is capable of exceeding this mark is the kind that pays. Any hen that falls short of the six dozen mark should be disposed of and the sooner the better. Culling is an all year around job—not just one grand clean-up. Eliminate the weaklings, low egg producers, early molters, and use your cockerels to best advantage. Sell the culled birds if they are healthy and are in fair or good flesh. By so doing, they are at once turned into money.

The wise poultry raiser does not expect a high egg yield without furnishing his flock with egg producing material. A balanced ration and water alone are not enough. You must also supply the shell building material needed to complete the eggs manufactured by the hens from the ingredients contained in the balanced ration.

### IMPORTANT POINTS IN BROODER HOUSE CONSTRUCTION

We frequently receive inquiries from our readers in regard to brooder house construction. It would be impossible for us to tell anyone the exact type of brooder house that would be best suited to his or her needs without first going over their poultry plant and their breeding pens with them. There are a few points, however, which should be considered by everyone who plans on building a brooder house, regardless of the size of his poultry flock or the type of birds which he is raising.

The first of these points to be considered is the adequate lighting facilities for the house. All brooder houses should be so built that the direct sunlight, or sunlight through artificial glass, will reach the young chicks most of the day. A well lighted brooder house prevents crowding and encourages the chicks to eat more of the starting mash in the feed hoppers.

The house should also be free from drafts. This is important at all times, but is especially important during the early weeks of chick brooding. Drafts cause chilling and weaken the chicks in general so that they are more susceptible to baby chick diseases.

The house should also be provided with skids so that it may be moved easily from one place to another during the brooding season and between the seasons. In moving the house, a great deal of strain is placed upon the different frame members and because of this, special attention should be given to making the house as strong as possible.

Doors and windows should be arranged in such a manner that the equipment can be easily reached. The feed troughs and watering vessels should be arranged so that they can be easily filled and just as easily removed for the frequent cleanings which they should receive.

Feed and other materials should not be housed in the brooder house. The brooder house is solely for the purpose of raising chicks and it should be kept for that purpose and not for storage purposes. By keeping the house free from feeds and other materials which might clutter the house, it would be much easier to keep it clean and to provide the proper sanitary precautions which are necessary to prevent the appearance of disease in the baby chick flock.

## STATE POLICE GIVEN NEW BARRACKS

The new headquarters barracks of the East Lansing post of the Michigan state police has been named "Mapes Hall," in honor of the memory of Corporal Samuel Mapes, who was killed when he refused the bribe of a rum runner near Sturgis, May 1, 1927. The new building is one of the most modern state police homes in the United States. The structure is three stories, of brick, fireproof construction, and includes quarters for members of the East Lansing detachment, class rooms for the recruits' school conducted each spring, offices, kitchen, hall and a pistol range in the basement.

## \$100,000 Check Crosses Continent in 16 Minutes

It took sixteen minutes the other day for the sum of \$100,000 to travel the distance of 3,412 miles. The transaction took place by tele-photograph when Cecil B. DeMille, motion picture producer, transferred a check for \$100,000, which he had on deposit at the Bank of America in New York City, to the Bank of Italy National Trust and Savings Association at Los Angeles. In just eight minutes from the time that the check was photographed in Los Angeles and put on the wire, it was received in New York. Eight minutes later after the signature had been identified, the Bank of Italy received a telegram to pay Mr. DeMille the \$100,000. Thus by the tele-photograph service, it can be said that money literally does fly.

### So This Is Why

Visitor: "I often wondered why the English were such tea drinkers."  
Friend: "Yes?"  
Visitor: "Yep. But I know now. I had some of their coffee!"

## Are You Ready

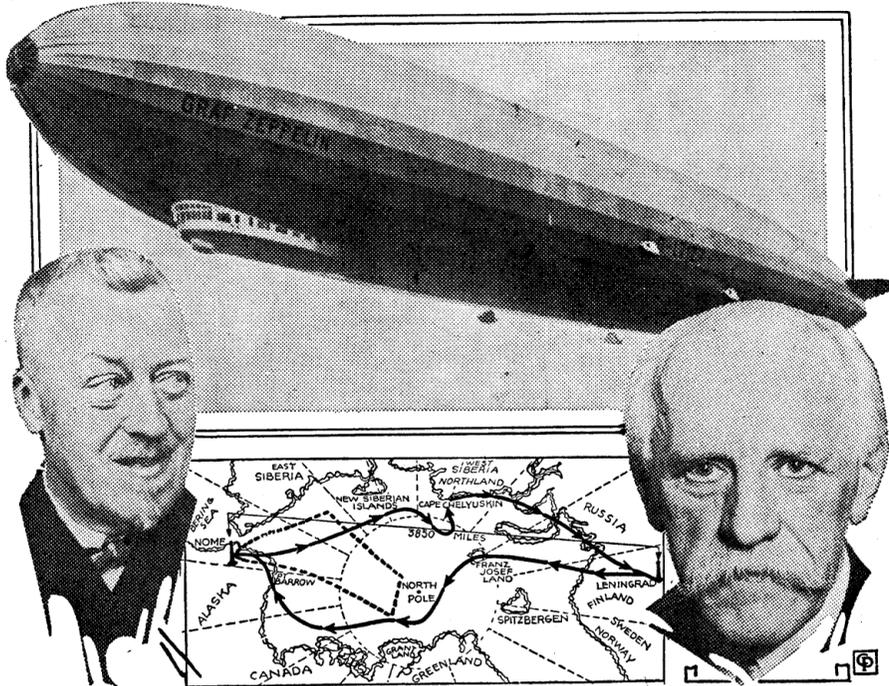


## When your Children Cry for It

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—what most physicians would tell you to 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 a 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.

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## Proposed Course of Graf Zeppelin's Polar Flight



Plans for the proposed flight of the Graf Zeppelin from Leningrad to Nome, Alaska, a distance of some 6,200 kilometers, are rapidly shaping themselves as Dr. Fridtjof Nansen, head of the expedition, continues on his lecture tour of the United States, designed to stir up interest in the project. Above, a closeup of the giant ship, and below, Dr. Hugo Eckener, its commander, who probably will be technical leader of the airship, map of the flight, and, right, a recent portrait of Dr. Nansen. The map shows the probable course which the ship will fly, and dotted line indicates explorations which probably will be made from the base at Nome.

## MARQUETTE TO GET SIX STORY HOTEL

Officers and directors of the Kaw-bawgam Hotel company have entered into a contract with the H. L. Stephens Company of Chicago and New York for the design and erection of a six-story hotel in Marquette. The location will be on the foundation completed several years ago on the east side of Front street between Ridge and Bluff.

The hotel will contain, on the first floor, spacious public rooms, including lobby, two dining rooms which may be used separately or thrown together as the occasion may demand and a coffee shop. Guest rooms will number 107. Of these 66 will be equipped with baths or showers, all of the remainder with hot and cold water and other conveniences.

The leases will be Roberts-Degelman, a Michigan corporation organized two years ago for the purpose of operating the new Ojibway hotel at Sault Ste. Marie. The Roberts-Degelman interests are the operators of 16 hotels in the middle west.

Work on the building will start as early in the spring as conditions permit, probably not later than April 1. It will be ready for occupancy by Jan. 1, 1930.

## Big Rapids Starts "Do It Now" Drive

A "Do It Now" campaign, sponsored by the Big Rapids Pioneer and civic and social leaders of Big Rapids, is about to be started here. The idea is to get people to start spring house-cleaning and redecoration and car overhauling now when carpenters and garage men are not very busy. Sponsors of the campaign advise "Do It Now" as a saving of time and money.

### CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING

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## Detroit to Have Merchandising Meet

The Third Better Merchandising Conference and Exposition, which is to be held March 13-15 in the Masonic Temple, Detroit, promises to surpass, both in attendance and in the value of the exhibits, either of the two that have preceded this year's affair.

It will afford all retailers who attend many valuable ideas to take back and make use of in their own business. Widespread interest is reported throughout Michigan and northern Ohio in this year's program.

C. L. Glasgow of Nashville, Michigan, president of the Better Merchandising Association, will preside at the general sessions each day. Every speaker has been selected for his knowledge of the subject assigned him and every address will be full of practical suggestions that cannot help being of very practical benefit to all retail merchants.

Chambers of Commerce through Michigan are co-operating even more wholeheartedly than last year, and many merchants in Michigan have offered their active co-operation to the attendance committee.

The feature speaker at the annual banquet, to be held in the Crystal ballroom of the Masonic Temple, will be Alvin E. Dodd, managing director of the Wholesale Dry Goods Institute, New York.

The importance of the group meetings on Thursday afternoon, March 14, is stressed, as bringing retailers in every branch of distribution—drugs, dry goods, bakeries, hardware, groceries, clothiers, furniture, plumbing and heating—together in their round-table discussion; there are three speakers at each of these sessions.

The exposition will occupy two complete halls immediately contiguous to the main sessions hall in the temple. There will be 101 booths of exhibits, including a complete model grocery store fully stocked. Here you will see properly displayed hardware, plumbing and heating supplies, electrical supplies, drugs, adding machines, sealers, show cases of the latest and most practical models and a separate section devoted to dry goods, furniture, floor coverings, piece goods, caps, neckwear, hosiery and practically everything sold over the counters of the department, dry goods and general retail store.

Window trimming by experts will be another daily feature, which last year proved most interesting to those attending.

## Resort Properties Are Given Attention

With work on the major project progressing satisfactorily all down the line, the pollution division of the department of conservator has set out to correct and prevent contamination of bodies of water at and adjacent to resort properties.

Questionnaires are being sent out to all the department's field men who will make reports for their territory.

It is the department's plan to rectify any unsatisfactory conditions that may exist at the present time as well as to take steps to protect water that has not been polluted, thus conserving what is already in hand.

## Legionnaires of Four Counties Meet April 5

Patterson Dawson post, American Legion will be host to officers of the various legion posts in the eighth district, composed of Shiawassee, Clinton, Saginaw and Gratiot counties, April 5, the twelfth anniversary of America's entrance into the World war.

## HISTORIC FARM NEAR LANSING SOLD

Bert Hayes of Lansing has purchased a farm recently owned by Dan Denesuk, located five miles northeast of Lansing in Jasper township. This is the remaining 105 acres of the land that Bense Bailey settled on 66 years ago when he moved his family here from Morenci. His experiences were those of many other pioneer settlers. Here he lived with his wife and family amid the howling wolves and crying of panthers and with prowling Indians for neighbors. He entered on the task of clearing 600 acres of land. Although he had many trials and difficulties to overcome he experienced some of the joys and pleasures of those pioneer days. Some of the fine farms in Jasper township are a part of the land originally cleared by Mr. Bailey who lived his life and reared his family in the old homestead. Mr. Bailey, familiarly called "Uncle Bense," lived to the ripe old age of 99 years and passed away on the old farm he loved so well. This is one of the best known farms in this section of the country.

## Invention of Lake City Man Boon to Road Dept.

The side swiper, an invention of James Sanborn of Lake City, for cutting down huge snow banks on the roadsides, has been adopted by the state highway department, according to J. F. Sharpsteen, district maintenance engineer.

The device is swung from the side of a truck, looks like a mold board used in road graders and slices off the tops of the high banks with ease. When the top is cut down to a reasonable height the truck with a push plow easily can roll the bank out, throwing up fresh banks eight or ten feet further out which in turn can be cut off and rolled back again. This invention will solve the difficulty the department has had in widening the plowed highways, said Mr. Sharpsteen, and will in ordinary drifts work better than a rotary plow.

Mr. Sanborn, who is an employe of the state highway department, came upon the idea from a dream he had after a hard day's struggle with the huge drifts. He set to work making a device such as he had dreamed of and it proved a success at once. Officials of the state highway department saw a demonstration and ordered another made.

Mr. Sharpsteen now is bringing road men from all over the state to view the results of Sanborn's dream.

## Leases Pt. Huron Store

Sears, Roebuck & Co. will open a branch retail store in Port Huron during the coming year, announces R. E. Wood, president of the company. A long term lease has been taken on the Military street building of the Boyce Hardware company, which will be remodeled for occupancy by the Chicago firm. The Boyce company will retire from the merchandising business in Port Huron after many years of service. The building will be turned over to Sears-Roebuck on June 1.

## Officer, Do Your Duty

Policeman: "Judge, this man is arrested for gambling and being drunk."  
Drunk: "Your Honor, 'Man's inhumanity to man makes countless thousands mourn.' I'm not as debased as Swift, as profligate as Byron, as dissipated as Poe, or as debauched as—"  
Judge: "That will do. Thirty days; and officer, take a list of those names and run them in; they're as bad as he is."

## State Has 37 Recognized Landing Fields

A report issued recently by the aeronautics branch of the Department of Commerce recognizes the existence of 37 fields in Michigan, including 16 municipal, nine each commercial and auxiliary, the U. S. Army airport at Selfridge field, the army field at Camp Custer and the Department of Commerce airways intermediate field at Monroe. Four airports are recognized in Detroit, including the Municipal Airport, the Ford Airport at Dearborn, the auxiliary field at the State Fair Grounds and an unnamed commercial airport.

The report lists the following municipal fields: Albion, Battle Creek, Detroit, Gaylord, Grand Rapids, the Sparks and the Reynolds fields at Jackson, Kalamazoo, Lansing, Marysville, Menominee, Muskegon, Niles, Pontiac, Saginaw and Ypsilanti. Auxiliary fields were listed at Adrian, Bad Axe, Bay City, Cadillac, Detroit Fair Grounds, Grand Rapids Fair Grounds, Grayling, Munising and Standish Fair Grounds, with commercial fields at Anchor Bay beach, Benton Harbor, Charlevoix, Ford Airport, Dearborn, Detroit, Grand Rapids, Iron Mountain, Stinson-Northville field, Northville.

Michigan is ninth in the list of states as ranked by the number of recognized airports in each. Forty-eight additional airports are proposed in Michigan, the report added, including one at Detroit.

## First Year Shows Hotel Satisfied

The Ojibway hotel in Sault Ste. Marie has rounded out its first year of successful operation by the Arthur L. Roberts Hotel company and Leon Deglmann, manager.

The Ojibway has fully justified the hopes of its founders, who are all Sault Ste. Marie people. Bonds are being retired ahead of time, and the Murray Hill hotel building has been acquired by allied interests and will be operated hereafter in connection with the Ojibway and the Park annex. The Park and the Murray Hill will be opened in the summer season only, while the Ojibway continues on a year around basis.

Robert Craib, well known former chef at the Park and the Murray Hill is now officiating at the Ojibway.

## Fremont Citizens Learn About Birds

Fremont gives indications of becoming a bird paradise, especially in the winter. The citizens have taken special pride this winter in feeding the birds and many varieties are common sights along the streets of the city. Many yards have been feeding places where numerous birds of brilliant colors gather. The bright and saucy bluejays feed with the brilliant cardinals, with the nuthatches, hairy and downy woodpeckers, peewees, rusty winged blackbird, evening grosbeaks and other birds that are making this community their homes this winter. More birds than usual seem to have located here this year, probably due to the fact many citizens are feeding their feathered friends. Suet is tied on trees, nuts put in boxes and grain placed in spots where the snow has been swept clean.

Both children and parents have learned considerable about the birds this winter.

### Bird

"Hello!" said the Chestnut to the Robin. "What are you?"  
"I'm a little bird," said the Robin.  
"What are you?"  
"I'm a little burred, too," said the Chestnut.

## MINE BLAST TO SET RECORD

The Pickands Mather Co. is planning to break all open-pit blasting records in May when the largest blast in the history of mining will be set off at the company's Vounteer mine at Palmer in the upper peninsula. Drilling has been going on for some time in preparation for the blast, which will be made in two shots.

According to Merrill W. Frone, district manager for the company, about 70 tons of explosives will be used in the blast which is expected to loosen about 400,000 tons of ore. A smaller blast, which is being planned for about the same time as the big affair, is expected to move about 100 tons. Both operations will be made before the opening of the lake shipping season.

Shipments from this property last year totaled 410,000 tons and were the result of two heavy blasts. The previous year the company made its first experiment with the gigantic blast and it worked successfully. The double shot which will be fired this spring is expected to loosen ground enough to keep the company operating throughout the entire summer.

Although the Vounteer mine has been in operation only three years it already has shipped more than 1,000,000 tons of silicious ores.

## Plans Erection of Engineering Building

Cadillac Motor Car company is planning the erection of a four story engineering building in Detroit. Plans for the building, which will be located on Clark avenue, will mature in March.



## DR. CALDWELL'S THREE RULES

Dr. Caldwell watched the results of constipation for 47 years, and believed that no matter how careful people are of their health, diet and exercise, constipation will occur from time to time. Of next importance, then, is how to treat it when it comes. Dr. Caldwell always was in favor of getting as close to nature as possible, hence his remedy for constipation is a mild vegetable compound. It can not harm the most delicate system and is not habit forming.

The Doctor never did approve of drastic physics and purges. He did not believe they were good for human beings to put into their system. Use Syrup Pepsin for yourself and members of the family in constipation, biliousness, sour and crampy stomach, bad breath, no appetite, headaches, and to break up fevers and colds. Get a bottle today, at any drugstore and observe these three rules of health: Keep the head cool, the feet warm, the bowels open. For a free trial bottle, just write "Syrup Pepsin," Dept. BB, Monticello, Illinois.

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# AUCTION

At my farm 6 1/2 miles northwest of Kalamazoo, 3 1/2 miles southeast of Alamo on Ravine road. Farm known as Witch Middle Bush Farm.

## Tuesday, March 12, 1929

Commencing at 12:30 o'clock sharp, the following described property:

### 3 Horses

Black mare, 10 yrs old, weight 1400  
 Sorrell mare, 10 yrs old, wt 1400  
 Bay mare, 9 yrs old, wt 1100

### 4 Cows

Cow, Jersey-Durham, 5 yrs old, fresh 3 months  
 Jersey-Guernsey cow, 4 yrs old, fresh March 28  
 Holstein cow, 6 yrs old, fresh 4 months  
 2-yr-old heifer, Holstein-Durham, fresh by day of sale

### 2 Hogs

2 Poland China brood sows, full bloods  
 Poland China stock hog, full blood

### Produce

Quantity of hay  
 25 bus oats

### Implements

Wagons	Low farm wagon
Binder	Mowing machine
Hay loader	Hay rake
2-horse walking cultivator	
Two 1-horse cultivators	Walking plow, nearly new
2-horse corn planter	Side hill plow
Hay tedder	Pair sleighs
New wagon box	Hay rack
3-section harrow	Spike tooth harrow
Deering manure spreader	Cutter
Forks	Shovels
Rakes	Corn planters
Other articles too numerous to mention	Potato planters

### Harness

Good double work harness  
 1 horse harness

Positively everything must be sold

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

# BERT I. TAFT, Prop.

J. R. VanVoorhees, Auct.

Harry Ekema, Clerk

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*Mark every grave*

### Village Election

Notice is hereby given to the Qualified Electors of the Village of Gobles, State of Michigan that the next ensuing Annual Village Election will be held at Village Hall within said Village on

**Monday, March 11, A. D. 1929**

At which election the following village officers are to be elected, viz:

1 Village President; 1 Village Clerk; 1 Village Treasurer; also 3 Trustees for 2 years; 1 Assessor.

Sec. 1. On the day of any election the polls shall be opened at seven o'clock in the forenoon, or as soon thereafter as may be, and shall be continued open until five o'clock in the afternoon and no longer. Provided, that in townships the board of inspectors of election may, in its discretion, adjourn the polls at twelve o'clock noon, for one hour, and that the township board in townships and the legislative body in cities and villages may, by resolution adopted fifteen days prior to the election and published with the notice of election, provide that the polls shall be opened at six o'clock in the forenoon and may also provide that the polls shall be kept open not later than eight o'clock in the evening of the same day.

The polls of said election will be open at 7 o'clock a. m. and remain open until 5 o'clock p. m. of said day of election, unless the board of election inspectors shall, in their discretion, adjourn the polls at 12 o'clock, noon, for one hour.

Dated this 1st day of February, A. D. 1929.

R. E. ALLEN,  
 Clerk of said Village.

### Community Church

Sunday school at 10 a. m.  
 Morning service at 11 a. m.  
 Young Peoples Meeting 5:30 p. m.  
 We welcome any who desire to worship with us.

Rev. Mark Penoyer

### Methodist Church

Sunday School, 10:00 o'clock.  
 Morning Worship, 11:00  
 Epworth League 6:00  
 Evening Services, 7:00  
 All services on central time.  
 A welcome to all.

Rev. S. W. Hayes.

### Notice

I am writing contracts for beans for the Gobles plant. Get your contract early. See me or call at my home. J. R. VanVoorhees.

We are ready for your job work. Bring it in today.

# AUCTION

As I have quit farming will sell at the Win Leverage farm, 1 mile south and 1/2 mile west of Kendall

## THURSDAY, MARCH 14, 1929

Commencing at 12:30 o'clock sharp, the following described property:

### 2 Horses

1 gray gelding, 9 yrs old, weight 1450  
1 gray mare, 10 yrs old, weight 1450

### 5 Cows

Holstein cow, 7 yrs old, bred Jan 17  
Holstein cow, 7 yrs old, giving milk  
Durham-Jersey, 9 yrs old, giving milk  
Durham-Jersey, 7 yrs old, fresh 5 weeks  
Jersey heifer, 14 months old  
These cows are giving a nice flow of milk

### Chickens

35 Plymouth Rock hens 3 Plymouth Rock cockerels  
Six nice white ducks

### Implements

Stoughton wagon McCormick mower  
Set gravel dump boards John Deere riding plow  
Hay rake Set sleighs with bunks  
43 Oliver walking plow  
Ser double harness, used 2 years, in good shape  
Land roller Oliver walking 2-horse cultivator  
Deere walking 2-horse cultivator Grain drill  
17-tooth spring lever drag 2-section spike drag  
Single cultivators Milwaukee binder, 7-foot cut  
Forks Shovels Scoops Log chains  
Other articles too numerous to mention

### Produce

About 10 tons alfalfa hay in barn  
125 shocks corn in field Quantity of corn in crib

Nothing reserved, all must be sold

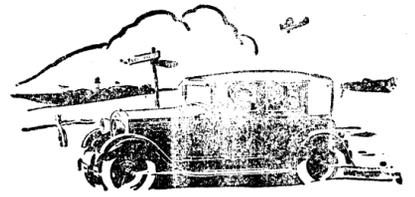
**Terms:** All sums of \$10 and under, cash. Over that amount six months will be given on good bankable notes with interest at 7 per cent. No property to be removed until settled for.

## CECIL LEVERSEE, Prop.

J. R. VanVoorhees, Auct.

L. O. Graham, Clerk

Tires for the new Ford  
are specially made  
to give long wear



WHEN the new Ford was designed, it was immediately apparent that a new tire would have to be made to match the car's performance. It was distinctly a new problem, for here was a car with quicker acceleration, greater speed and more braking efficiency than any car of similar size or weight.

So that every Ford owner might be assured of maximum tire mileage at the lowest cost, the Ford Motor Company devoted many months to research and experiment in conjunction with the leading tire manufacturers.

As a result, certain definite specifications were developed for tires for the new Ford. These specify cords of certain strength and texture, a large volume of tread and side-wall rubber, sturdy non-skid design, and reinforced plies for protection against bruise breaks—all the strong features of construction formerly considered for only the largest tires.

Great care also was taken to secure the best riding qualities in connection with the transverse springs and the Houdaille shock absorbers.

Though the Ford tires are designated as 30 x 4.50, they have the resiliency and air space of much larger tires because of the drop center rim of the steel-spoke wheels.

For best results, the tires on the new Ford should be kept inflated to an air pressure of 35 pounds and checked regularly to insure this pressure all the time. This is important. Low inflation breaks down the side-walls of a tire. By causing overheating, it also destroys the rubber that acts as an insulation, with consequent separation of the cord.

At the end of each 5000 miles, when you have the front wheels packed with grease, it is a good plan to have the wheel alignment checked. This will prevent premature wear.

When punctures come, as they will with any tire, you will find the Ford dealer particularly well-equipped to make repairs quickly and at small cost. See him, too, for replacements. Then you will be sure of getting tires built specially for the Ford car according to definite Ford specifications.

## FORD MOTOR COMPANY

### Mortgage Sale

Whereas default has been made in the payment of the money secured by a mortgage dated July 22, 1927, executed by Phillip Di Gastano and Carmella Di Gaetano, husband and wife, of Gary, Lake County, Indiana, to Harrigan-Prihoda Realty Company, Inc. Trustee, John Tektak, successor in Trust, which mortgage was recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for Van Buren County, on July 28, 1927, in Liber 131 of Mortgages at page 258

And Whereas, default has been made in the payment of certain installment due July 22, 1928 in the sum of \$735.00 and interest on the whole amount in the sum of \$260.15, and thereupon the mortgagee has elected to declare the whole debt secured thereby to be now due and payable.

Whereas the amount claimed to be due on said mortgage at the day of this notice is the sum of \$2939.45 as principal and interest, plus a statutory attorney fee and such other sums or sum as the mortgagee may be obliged to pay for costs of this proceeding and taxes; and no suit or proceeding at law having been instituted to recover the debt now remaining secured by said mortgages and notes running therewith or any part thereof whereby the power of sale contained in said mortgage has become operative

Now, therefore, notice is hereby given that by virtue of said power of sale contained in said mortgage and in pursuance of the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises therein described, at public auction to the highest bidder at the north front door of the court house in the Village of Paw Paw, in said County of Van Buren, that being the place for holding the circuit court therein, on Saturday the first day of June, A. D. 1928 at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, which said premises are described in said mortgage as follows to-wit:

The West one-half (1-2) of the Southeast one-fourth (1-4) of Section 18, Town 1, South, Range 14 West, containing eighty (80) acres more or less, situate in Bloomington Township, Van Buren County, Michigan.

Dated February 28th, 1929.  
HARRIGAN-PRIHODA REALTY CO., INC.  
Robert H. Cavanaugh, Attorney for Mortgagee.  
Business Address: 1st Nat'l Bank Bldg. Paw Paw, Michigan.

If your subscription to The News has expired, please call at once and settle.  
We are ready for your job work. Bring it in today.

### Registration Notice for Biennial Spring Election, Monday April 1, A. D. 1929

To the Qualified Electors of the Township of Pine Grove, precincts No. 1 and 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 voter's law.

MARCH 23, 1929, LAST DAY for General Registration for this election. Notice is hereby given that I will be at Post Office, Kendall, March 9, and at FAY OSMAN'S Shop, Gobles, March 16 from 8 o'clock a. m. until five 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 thereto.  
Dated March 2, A. D. 1929.  
H. G. KNOWLES, Township Clerk.

### Mortgage Foreclosure

Notice is hereby given that the mortgage dated February 26, 1927, given by Harriet E. Dahlman as mortgagor to the First State Bank of Gobles, Michigan, a Michigan Corporation as mortgagee, covering the land described as

The East Half (1-2) of the Northeast Quarter (1-4) of Section Fourteen (14), Town One (1) South, Range Thirteen (13) West, Van Buren County, Michigan,

which Mortgage was recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Van Buren County on February 28, 1927, in Liber 122 of Mortgages, on page 586, will be foreclosed by sale of said premises at the North Front Door of the Court House in the Village of Paw Paw, Michigan (that being the place of holding the Circuit Court in said county), said sale to be held on the thirtieth day of March, 1929, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day.

The amount claimed to be due on said mortgage at the date of this notice, is the sum of \$1128.33 besides costs of foreclosure and attorney fees.

Dated December 30, 1928.  
THE FIRST STATE BANK OF GOBLES, Mortgagee.

David Anderson, Attorney for Mortgagee.  
Business Address: Paw Paw, Michigan.

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J. BERT TRAVIS

### Annual Statement For Village of Gobles

for year ending Feb. 1, 1929.

#### RECEIPTS

General tax.....\$6010.24  
Water tax and collections.....1111.15  
June 23, 1928, First State Bank, note.....650.00  
Aug 27, show license.....12.00  
Special paving tax.....586.65  
Reed from county towns, returned taxes.....33.19

Total receipts.....\$8419.23

Total disbursements.....\$7418.17

Cash on hand March 1, 1929.....\$1004.06

#### EXPENDITURES

June 23 R H Kersy, \$5 per cent contract on well.....\$ 642.85  
24 Gobles News, printing.....10.30  
30 Otis Lohrberg, a assessment and tax roll.....65.04  
30 Otis Lohrberg grading streets.....5.00  
July 2 R M Curtiss & Co. indse.....2.50  
9 First State Bank, note and int.....851.00  
9 First State Bank, int on bonds.....118.75  
13 T A Smith, blue prints for Exchange street.....15.00  
13 Mich Gas, electric lights.....57.75  
18 J H Shults, election supplies.....7.50  
18 Ray M Winters, postage.....1.50  
18 Henry J Dotterweich, compensation insurance.....33.00  
18 P E Cooley salary.....80.00  
18 Standard Oil Co. oil.....30.92  
18 Gobles News, printing.....5.90  
20 Gobles Milling Co. coal.....19.25  
31 E J Merfield & Co. pump.....1200.00

Aug 2, First State Bank, paying bond coupons.....50.00

7, R H Hersy, balance on well and sereen.....137.50  
7, J R Baker, installing pump.....300.75  
8, P E Cooley, salary.....80.00  
8 Gobles News, printing.....4.50  
8 R M Curtiss, materials.....16.85  
8 Standard Oil Co. fuel.....27.90  
J C Ganboe Inc, scraping streets.....20.00  
8 Gobles Milling Co, scraping street.....9.99  
8 Mich Gas & Electric Co lights.....57.75

27 First State Bank paying bond coupons.....75.00  
31 club Day labor.....8.93  
31 Albert Allen labor.....3.15  
Sept 4 Ray M Winters half year salary.....37.50  
4 Mich Gas & Electric Co, lights.....57.75  
Standard Oil Co oil.....6.20  
4 P E Cooley salary.....80.00  
4 Grant Brown, freight and dray.....9.96  
5 P E Cooley salary.....80.00  
5 R E Allen postage.....1.00  
5 Gobles News printing.....11.80

5 First National Bank Kalamazoo interest on paying bond.....12.50  
5 H Taylor 2 brooms.....2.30  
5 Mich Gas & Electric Co lights.....57.75  
5 R J Cavanaugh reimbursement on lease from John Maso.....106.01  
5 R M Curtiss Co, supplies.....18.37  
5 Geo Austin labor on pump house.....12.75  
5 Frank Veley labor.....3.00  
5 Mich Gas and Electric Co, pump-pumping plant.....83.76  
5 R Dorgan gasoline.....8.18  
9 First State Bank, paying bond coupons.....12.50  
11 Mich Trust Co, interest on water bonds.....150.60  
16 Gobleville Milling Co sewer pipe for Exchange st.....446.15  
22 Mich Gas and Electric Co, power for pump.....65.89

Nov 1 Otis Lohrberg, storm sewer on Exchange street.....74.50  
13 Arthur Schram, moving dirt.....2.75  
13 Mich Gas and Electric Co lights.....57.75  
13 Mich Gas and Electric Co, power for pump.....32.61  
13 Standard Oil Co, oil.....45.05  
13 Frank Gorden, labor.....6.40  
30 Lewis Peters, paying bond No 2.....250.00  
Dec 5 Loren Canfield grading streets.....17.50  
5 R E Allen postage.....1.00  
5 P E Cooley 2 mos salary and express.....100.75  
5 Gobles News, printing and fire insurance.....41.50  
5 Richards Mfg Co, supplies.....23.43  
5 T A Smith, specifications and inspection.....45.00  
5 Gobleville Milling Co, supplies.....41.50

5 Gobles Marble and Granite Wks cut tile.....3.00  
5 C Leverage labor on streets.....8.00  
5 Mich Gas Electric Co, lights.....57.75  
10 First State Bank, bond coupon.....12.50  
13 Mich Gas Electric Co, power for pump.....25.56  
Jan 5, 1929 First State bank, paying bond coupons.....175.00  
12 Michigan Gas and Electric Co, lights.....57.75  
12 Michigan Gas and Electric Co, power for pump.....25.08  
12 First State bank, paying bond coupons.....37.50  
Feb 7 Otto Groves, watching creamery fire and drying hose.....9.00  
7 Byron Lohrberg, watching creamery fire and drying hose.....9.00  
7 J H Shults Co, election supplies.....5.32  
7 R E Allen, postage.....4.91  
7 P E Cooley 2 mos salary.....160.00  
7 J L Clement and Sons, lumber for pump house.....43.75  
7 J L Clement and Sons, moving bond stand.....1.00  
7 First State Bank 2 yr box rent.....4.91  
7 R M Curtiss Co, supplies.....17.83  
7 Gobles News, printing.....3.69  
7 Mich Gas Electric Co, lights.....57.75  
7 Mich Gas and Electric Co, power for pump.....34.44  
7 Otto Groves filling cistern.....6.50  
11 First State Bank, paying bond coupons.....25.00

Total expenditures.....\$7418.17  
G. O. SMITH, Village Treasurer

### REGISTRATION NOTICE FOR Biennial Spring Election and Annual Township Election April 1, 1929

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.)

March 23, 1929, 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,

March 9 and March 16, 1929

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 thereto.

ART GROVE, Township Clerk  
By H. W. TAYLOR, Justice.

**Unkind Explanation**  
The old songs are best because nobody sings them any more.—El Paso Times.

**"Honest" Policy Best**  
Honesty is the best policy, especially when you wish to borrow something on your policy.—Boston Transcript.

## ART AUTHORITY TO BE U SPEAKER

Henry T. Bailey, director of the Cleveland School of Art and a leading art authority of the country, will be the speaker at the annual convocation given by the University of Michigan members of the Michigan School Masters' club. The convocation will be held in Hill auditorium on April 26, as a feature of the club convention.

Bailey will speak on the subject, "The Importance of the Arts in Education." He will also address the arts section of the club and university students interested in the subject, speaking on the topic, "The Value of the Talented."

The annual convocation has become an increasing popular gathering and has brought to Ann Arbor a number of outstanding speakers, among them Professor Bliss Perry, Dean Gordon Jennings Laing, of Chicago, and Ambassador Matsudaira, of Japan.

### Olivet Women Give \$1,500 Toward Parsonage

The Ladies Benevolent society of Olivet Congregational church has voted to give \$1,500 toward a new parsonage, which is expected to be built this year.

The matter of building a parsonage came before the church at the annual meeting a year ago and a committee was named to consider plans and obtain estimates. With the burning of the Kappa Sigma Alpha fraternity house, formerly the parsonage, which was purchased by the fraternity from the church, plans for building a parsonage were deferred until the finances of the fraternity were readjusted. The committee consists of Dr. P. H. Quick, F. C. Storr and Mrs. John Lignian of the Ladies Benevolent society.

### Benton Harbor Man Heads School Group

Charles A. Semler, principal of the Benton Harbor high school, was elected president of the Southwestern Michigan High School Principals association which was held at Western State Teachers college in connection with the first annual educational round table. Ralph S. Van Hoesen, principal of the Dowagiac high school, was elected secretary. At the meeting of the education round table the principal address was given by Dr. Charles H. Judd, of the University of Chicago.

### C. S. T. C. to Have County Normal Day

The eleventh annual county normal day will be held at Central State Teachers college Thursday and Friday, May 2 and 3.

The attendance last year was the largest in the history of the occasion. Twenty-eight normals accepted the invitation and a total of 658 guests were present.

Among the many events planned for the program are addresses by Dr. E. C. Rowe, head of the department of psychology and education, and by Miss Jessie McLean of the same department. There will be a complimentary banquet at 5:30 Friday afternoon. Visitors also will be entertained with a one-act play to be presented by the class in dramatic reading.

### Ferris Debate Schedule Arranged

The Ferris institute debate schedule is taking shape.

There is to be no home debate until March 15, when Grand Rapids Junior college comes to Big Rapids.

Last year Ferris lost only one debate, that to Highland Park Junior. The schedule includes: Feb. 27, Grand Rapids Junior there; March 1, Bay City Junior there; March 15, Grand Rapids Junior here.

Coach Roy S. Newton says arrangements are being made for a southern trip starting the first of April. The team plans to debate Findlay college, Findlay, O., and Asbury college at Willmore, Ky. Ferris also is to debate Battle Creek college, Flint Junior, Calvin college and Port Huron Junior, but dates have not been set.

### Poems That Live

#### CHLORIS IN THE SNOW

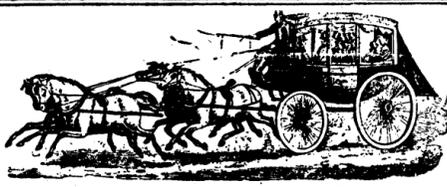
I saw fair Chloris walk alone,  
When feathered rain came swiftly down,  
As Jove descending from his Tower  
To court her in a silver shower;  
The wanton snow flew to her breast,  
Like pretty birds into their nest.  
But, overcome with whiteness there,  
For grief it thowed into a tear:  
Then falling on her garment's hem,  
To deck her, froze into a gem.  
—Unknown.



## Poster Is Part of Exhibit Portraying Development of Transportation in Michigan

### Good Intent Line OF COACHES.

Tri-Weekly



KALAMAZOO, BATTLE CREEK & GRAND RAPIDS

The PROPRIETOR has recently stocked this Route with GOOD HORSES, new Coaches and careful and experienced drivers. No pains will be spared to make this a COMFORTABLE and AGREABLE route to travelers.

This is the nearest and BEST route, and over the best roads to

Hastings, Flat River, Saranac, and Ionia.

LEAVES Battle Creek and Kalamazoo, Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday mornings, on the arrival of the M. C. R. R. Cars from the East and West. From Battle Creek, this line passes through Ross Centre, Yorkville, Gull Prairie, and there connects with the Stages from Kalamazoo for Prairieville, Orangeville, Yankee Springs and Middleville, connecting there with Stages for Grand Rapids, which pass through Caledonia, Whitneyville and Cascade.

LEAVES GRAND RAPIDS

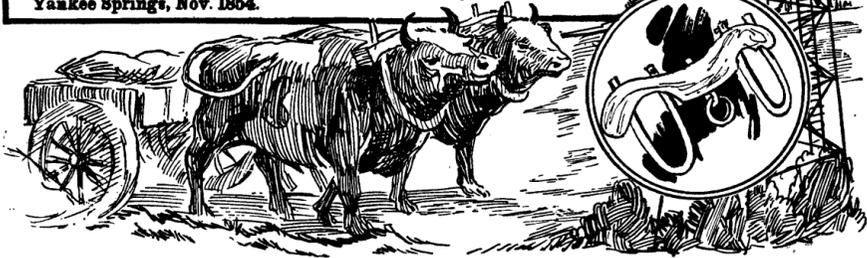
for Middleville, there connecting with Battle Creek and Kalamazoo Line, passing through the above named places, on Monday, Wednesday and Friday mornings, arriving at Battle Creek and Kalamazoo in time to take the Cars for the East or West, and also in time for Humphrey & Co.'s line of stages for the Southern Railroad.

Stages Leave & Take Passengers at all Public Houses!

Conveyances may be had at all of the principle places on the Route, to any part of the country.

C. W. LEWIS, Proprietor.

Yankee Springs, Nov. 1854.



"There is nothing new under the sun," is a statement so old and so true that it has become almost a proverb. "Good will" in 1929 is borne on broad-winged tri-motored airplanes; in 1854, according to this old poster advertisement, the "Good Intent" coaches covered a route that is duplicated in part today by the mail carrying planes of the Thompson Aeronautical Company. This relic, along with ox-yokes and other mementos of early methods of travel, is a part of the exhibit portraying the development of transportation in Michigan, in the recently started historical museum at Western State Teachers College, Kalamazoo. The poster was presented to the museum by C. W. Spalding, Kalamazoo.

## DRAMA REPEATS IN THE HISTORY OF TRANSPORTATION

"Here they come!"

A small group of boys with the dogs with which they had been playing in front of the old Kalamazoo House started on a run toward the hill upon which some men were wildly waving their hats at something hidden from view in the valley behind.

Elderly folk, more leisurely, but with the same eager anticipation written on their faces, arose from hickory chairs on the wide verandah or left the door posts and sidewalks upon which they were leaning, and started down the road toward the excited men from which the announcing shouts had come.

Kalamazoo's entire population of 150 had turned out to see the greatest event in the life of the seven-year-old village,—the first stage coach was coming.

### Girl's Ensemble



Even the 12-year-old now has her ensemble. A linen suit is pictured. The coat is maize colored, with white lapels, cuffs and pocket flaps. Frock is white linen trimmed with yellow.

This was in the spring of 1836. To accommodate the volume of travel due to land sales in that year the firm of Thompson & Wadsworth, mail contractors, put on a line of coaches between Marshall and Kalamazoo.

Dr. Foster Pratt, a Civil war surgeon, and Kalamazoo postmaster 30 years later, describes the arrival of the coach: "The road across the river flat was bad and the progress of the coach slow. The anxiously waiting throng shifted uneasily about, but all eyes were intently turned down Main street. At last the flat and the river were passed, and as the four horse coach came swinging around the lower bend in Main street, the coachman put his tin horn to his lips and blew one of those long, melodious blasts by which only the approach of the stage coach can ever be properly heralded. Amid a chorus of laughter, shouts, and cheers, the first coach rattled up to the doors of the post office."

From now on residents of Kalamazoo were to receive mail regularly, and soon, daily. Beginning May, 1830, the Post Office Department sent mail westward from Detroit only once a week. It came by coach or wagon at first, to Jackson and thence to Marshall, Battle Creek, Gull Prairie, Schoolcraft and White Pigeon on horseback or on foot, as often happened in spring and fall when roads were bad and the streams high.

Outside the difficulties in getting over the trails, the work of the mail carrier was light. A vest pocket or a hat crown was sufficient for a mail pouch. Money was scarce and postage was twenty-five cents for a letter. It was not until 1850 that the postage rate was reduced to three cents for all distances under 3,000 miles, if prepaid, or five cents, if paid upon delivery.

The man who first brought mail through the wilderness of Western Michigan was named Darling. His home was at Marengo, east of Marshall.

In the 'forties Kalamazoo was the terminus of five important mail routes which distributed mail over a territory of not less than 10,000 square miles. These routes went to White Pigeon, Grand Rapids, Allegan, St. Joseph, and Battle Creek.

A decade later C. W. Lewis, nicknamed "Yankee" Lewis, was operating the stage coach, the route of which is described in the accompanying poster of the "Good Intent Line" of coaches from Battle Creek to Grand Rapids through Hastings and Yankee Springs, and to Kalamazoo by the present route of U. S. No. 12.

Mr. Lewis owned one of the most famous hostleries of early days, located at Yankee Springs. Here 100 stage coach and other travelers could be accommodated at a time. Sixty teams were often stabled there between sunset and sunrise. The cuisine was renowned; the guests most loudly praised the venison and honey served.

Venison was purchased in those days from the Indians, who charged twenty-five cents for a hind quarter; honey was secured at the price of the labor of felling a bee tree.

In 1832 Detroit hotels advertised four stage coach lines in Michigan: the Sandusky line, passing through Monroe and Maumee; the St. Joseph line, passing through Ypsi, Saline, Clinton, Jonesville, White Pigeon, Mottville and Niles—"a branch of this line leaves Ypsi for Ann Arbor, Jacksonburg, and Calhoun," says the old time schedule,—the Ann Arbor line, passing through Pekin, Plymouth and Panama; the Pontiac line, going to Rochester, Stony Creek and Romeo. "Extra carriages will be furnished at all times for any part of the country," concludes the old timetable.

The drama enacted upon the arrival of the first stage coach in Kalamazoo was repeated ten years later, Feb. 2, 1846, when the first Michigan Central railroad train came into the city. The steam whistle aroused the startling echoes of the lonely river valley from a Sabbath nap. The churches suddenly lost their congregations, and every person was at the depot.

History repeats. In July, 1928, 92 years after the first stage brought the mail, thousands of persons gathered at the Lindbergh airport at Kalamazoo to watch the broad winged planes of the Thompson Aeronautical Company burr away to specks in the distance with pouches of mail for Detroit, Chicago, Muskegon, South Bend, Grand Rapids, Battle Creek, Jackson, Ann Arbor, Lansing, Flint, and Pontiac—and most of the pilots could look down upon the terrain where the stage coaches of "Yankee" Lewis, Thompson & Wadsworth, and Davis, Humphrey & Co. ploughed through the rutted, muddy roads nearly a century ago.

Though, according to the adage, "Time and tide wait for no man," man has done some things to catch up with time during the last century. In 1837 the four horse stages that traveled the territorial road from Detroit to Chicago required four and one-half days to make the trip. It takes the Thompson Aeronautical Company four hours, if you count in time for stops!

### HOUSEHOLD HINTS

#### MENU HINT

Creamed Mushroom Soup  
Jellied Chicken and Asparagus  
Hot Rolls Butter Jam  
Meringue Rings Filled with Ice Cream  
Mints Salted Nuts Hard Candy  
Coffee

This is a very special guest luncheon menu. It should serve eight. You will need two dozen rolls, but you had better order or make two and one-half dozen for eight people. If you do not have a quart of chicken stock from the chicken you cook, add can-

## The World and All

By CHARLES B. DRISCOLL

### COMPETING WITH THE AUTOMOBILE

The automobile has taken precedence over other vehicles. The very keen competition in the field of automobile manufacturing has resulted in the production of handsome and useful motor vehicles at astounding low prices.

Every year the cars are more beautiful and more useful. They run silently. They are visions of lovely mechanism. They are works of modern art in their designing and coloring. They are marvels of convenience. The engines are more and more efficient.

Roads are being built wider and smoother and more durable, and permanent road construction is only just beginning.

The automobile is coming into its own. This is its greatest year, and next year will be even a greater automobile year.

The railroads, just now coming out of a period of slothful despondency that had its beginning when the railroads broke down utterly under the strain of war transportation, are taking notice of the triumphant competitor that runs on rubber tires.

Electrification must be the first answer of the railroads to the automobile.

Already the New York Central has announced its intention to electrify its lines between New York City and

Buffalo. This improvement will take years of work, and fabulous sums of money. The Pennsylvania will electrify its lines between New York and Philadelphia.

For many years all passenger lines entering New York city has been electrified within the city, and for some miles without.

Electric power is much smoother than steam, and makes for the comfort of passengers. Especially, it eliminates the noise and dirt of the steam locomotive.

Many Americans can be tempted back into the railway cars if they can be assured a fast ride in comfort without cinders to fill up their eyes and soot to choke their pores.

In Europe some serious effort already has been made to lure travelers away from the automobile and into the railway car.

The fastest trains in the world now run between Paris and Calais.

From Bordeaux to the Spanish frontier the lines have been electrified, and the trains are marvelous creations for passenger comfort. The cars are divided into ten compartments each, with plenty of room and much luxury for each passenger.

The artist who decorated the great steamship Ile de France has decorated these passenger cars. The French are doing their utmost to make their railroads attractive, for they know that passengers do not have to ride on them.

## How to Achieve Beauty

By MME. HELENA RUBINSTEIN

By MADAME RUBINSTEIN

These beauty aids are free—water, sunlight and air. Somehow people are wont to take them too much for granted, and, consequently, to neglect them. Yet they are most important beauty aids and come within the reach of everybody everywhere.

First is water, inside and out. Cleanliness, we have been told, is next to godliness. I should like to say, also, that it is next to beauty. Health thrives in cleanliness, and beauty cannot possibly exist without it. Does this seem trite to you—this emphasis of such self-evident facts? Then learn that few people are as clean as they should be, even those who bathe often, and scrub their hands and faces until the skin is dry and chapped. What matters most is the manner of cleansing, not the time and energy consumed in effort.

The cleanliness that most people ignore is the proper kind of inner cleansing. People should drink water, lots of it, to clean their bodies inside as well as out, of the poisons that come from fatigue and lack of exercise and overeating, with improper elimination of waste products. Eight glasses of water a day, two before breakfast, are good. Ten are better. Twelve are splendid. And if you feel that you need more, go right ahead and drink. It's good for you. It will keep your eyes bright and your skin clear and your kidneys and stomach and intestines in good working order.

Then water outside. This means baths, baths of all kinds. There are so many different kinds, but in general there are two distinct types, the sedative and the stimulating baths. Sedative baths are warm, cleansing baths. They may be taken morning, noon or night, but are best taken at night because they induce rest. A

good water softener and a mild soap and soft towels are the accessories of the warm bath.

The stimulating bath is either hot or cold. A hot, quick bath, taken at night when the body is not too tired, is splendid both for the nerves and for the circulation. A quick cold bath, shower or plunge, in the morning will wake up the sleepy system and send the blood tumbling around the body in a healthy, happy way. Followed by a brisk rub with a sturdy turkish towel, the cold morning bath is one of beauty's finest inspirations.

Now sunshine. Fortunately, it is not hard to induce people to indulge in sunshine. Most of them like it. Only sometimes they forget, when they are busy at their offices or playing in their comfortable, pleasantly-heated homes, that they need more and more sunshine than they can ever get. If people could be outdoors all their waking hours it would not be too much, provided that they protected themselves against unwise burning from the too-hot sun rays. If you take plenty of sunlight with your play and with your work, walk in it, ride in it, bask in it, you will get a healthy body, and very pleasantly, too.

And as for air! Do I have to say "breathe deeply?" And remind you to sleep with windows wide open and to walk in the air and exercise out of doors when ever you can? You know these things as well as I. But let me say that air is necessary to beauty. Because it is necessary to health. For man, you remember, can live several weeks without food, several days without water, but only a few minutes without air. Does that show its importance? Then get lots of it, for the sake of your health and good looks.

### Star Gazing

A joyous bit of news for all moviegoers is this:

Gilbert and Sullivan are being brought to the screen. Two works by this immortal pair have been obtained for pictures. And the talkies are to be thanked.

The two stage gems are "The Mikado" and "H. M. S. Pinafore." Pathe will make the movies in New York.

No cast has been selected as yet. "The Mikado" first burst in beauty upon the American stage in 1865. "H. M. S. Pinafore" followed in 1879. Both have been very popular ever since.

It is a hope that these two will be followed by "Iolanthe," "The Pirates of Penzance" and other works of Sir William Gilbert and Sir Arthur Sullivan.

Hollywood is aligned against the English musical stage in what might be called the Battle of Beef.

When C. B. Cochran, British musical show man, ordered his chorines to fill out because "slim lines are passe, billowy curves are the thing" Hollywood became indignant. Directors, actresses and movie chorus girls boo the idea.

"Mr. Cochran must be terribly antiquated," quoth Marceline Day. "Fat," chirped Dorothy Arzner,

ned soup to make up the amount. The meringue rings must be purchased.

### Today's Recipes

Cream of Mushroom Soup—Canned mushrooms are handy to use, but, of course, the choice rests with the



Proving that producers are not afraid the talkie threatens popularity of European stars, Maurice Chevalier, above, has just been signed to a contract.

girl director, "has lost more girls to the chorus than marriage."

"Heavyweight chorines went out with the war," said Nancy Carroll. "Tosh," was Shirley O'Hara's contribution.

So there! Mr. Cochran. Now will you be good!

cook. Put two tablespoons of butter in a saucepan, add two tablespoons flour, mix smooth and gradually add one quart of rich milk. When it is boiling and smooth, add the mushrooms cut in small pieces. Season with salt and pepper. Add a teaspoon of whipped cream to each plate when serving.



WEEK OF MARCH 10

A marked storm center is expected to be over most parts of Michigan during the opening days of the week beginning March 10th.

Precipitation will be moderately heavy and in some counties there will be blizzards and perhaps some snow blockades.

About Tuesday or Wednesday the skies will be clearing. With this change temperatures will be falling.

We look for fair and cold weather all through the central part of this week which will not be modified before Thursday or Friday.

The closing days of the week will find warmer weather again. During Friday and Saturday there will be storms of rain or snow in many parts of Michigan.

Some clearing weather and change to colder may be expected about Saturday of this week or beginning of next, but the change will be short for reaction to storminess is to be expected not later than Monday.

Best Time This Week

For Greenhouse and Hothouse Planting: March 10, 11, 14 and 15, between 5:30 and 6:30; 7:40 to 9 a. m., and 11:15 a. m. to 1:15 p. m.

For Fishing: March 10 and 11. For Baking: March 12 and 13.

Old Dogs Can Be Taught New Tricks

Extension work of the colleges and universities in the rural districts has helped immeasurably in aiding the farmers to grow better products.

"Very few feel satisfied that they know all they need to know," reads this editorial. "Rural people feel the need of getting more education and they welcome every opportunity to acquire more useful facts that will enable them to live better and farm more profitably."

Cuticura

The Sanative, Antiseptic Healing Serum. Unexcelled for fifty years. Soap • Ointment • Talcum • Shaving Stick. 25c. each at all Druggists.

FITS

Do you wish to get rid of those attacks? Then go to your druggist and get a bottle of the Towns Epilepsy Treatment. This remedy has been in use for 55 years.



A Sour Stomach

In the same time it takes a dose of soda to bring a little temporary relief of gas and sour stomach, Phillips Milk of Magnesia has acidity completely checked, and the digestive organs all tranquilized.

This pleasant preparation is just as good for children, too. Use it whenever coated tongue or fetid breath signals need of a sweetener. Physicians will tell you that every spoonful of Phillips Milk of Magnesia neutralizes many times its volume in acid.

PHILLIPS Milk of Magnesia

JACK and JILL

By CLIFFORD WEBB

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CHAPTER XXI

His glance roved around the big, comfortable living room. It certainly would be terrible lonesome when the old place resounded no longer to the happy voices and laughter of children.

"I don't understand," he went on. "There's every comfort here, electricity, two bathrooms, hot and cold running water, hot water heat and everything. I just can't understand why he persists in living in a flat!"

Father Ryan smiled indulgently. "Yes you can, Peter," he said. "You understand perfectly well. You know, and I know; it is what many persons call 'pride.' As an actual truth it's an inhibitive enlargement

woman opposite him, and nodded, smiling. He was feeling happy, at peace with all the world.

"A Linden it'll be, if you want it, Jill," he told her, expansively.

Then he added with a fine gesture: "An' you gotta get a nurse girl, too, for th' children, m' dear. An' a maid," he went on with growing generosity. "Nix, nix," he continued quickly, "don't start tellin' me how much it's gonna cost. I know. But you're entitled to a rest from drudgery, an' I'm gonna see that you get it. That's that!"

And so, to use the parlance of the race track, "the bet went as it was laid—straight across the board."



The flapperiest flapper from New York's upper Broadway would have been a flap or two behind Mike.

of the spleen possessed by individuals who are otherwise quite normal. It has come to be almost an obsession with Jack Stuart."

"I guess you're right, Father," agreed Peter with a sigh. "It's Jack's greatest fault, and one that makes him very difficult to get along with under certain conditions. But those conditions don't exist now, since he's gone and got rich!"

"At th' rate he's starting in to live, he won't be so rich in a year or two from now," observed the priest, a bit grimly. "But I'm surprised," he went on, "that Jill favors this Denison idea after all th' hard times they've been through."

"Oh, Jill is crazier than he is on th' subject!" declared Peter, a note of disgust in his tones. "I can't make her out at all th' last few days!"

"For that matter," said Father Pat, thoughtfully, "I doubt very much whether one of th' three, Jill, Jack or Tony, is sane enough at th' present moment to tell just what it's all about. 'Too much good fortune,' according to an old proverb, 'sometimes is bad fortune.'"

The good dominie's accuracy in describing a condition engaging the personalities of Jill, Jack and Tony at the moment, might have surprised even Father Pat, could he have seen and heard the trio just then.

The trio was giving a party to its members. The party took the form of a late luncheon, a la carte, in the Prince Sing Tu Fong restaurant, the costliest, most luxurious eating place in Elliston. The Stuart-Justin trio was "putting on dawg" in celebration of its entry into the ranks of the money-mad!

Important events of the day had begun early with the signing of the lease for twelve months for Apartment 46 on the fourth floor of the New Denison. Then followed the buying of furniture, rugs, tapestries, etc. "I'm goin' t' Pittsburgh t'morrow," announced Tony, feelingly surmellow after his third cocktail surreptitiously served as tea at one dollar a shot. "I want to buy a B-roadster and there's no agency here. It's th' cat's eyebrows, that car is!"

"And O, what a long tail that cat has got that wags th' price tag," hummed Jack, who wasn't feeling any ways downhearted himself after a couple of snifters.

"What sort of car we gonna have, Snooky Ookins?" queried the lady of the revised complex, wondering if she dare try one of those "fancy" drinks and then deciding against it—a decision, incidentally, that Jill Stuart never revoked. Why not, she continued, eying, thoughtfully, the rather too exuberant pair, husband and brother, "why not buy a Linden sedan? It's really th' most aristocratic car, for th' price, on th' market."

Jack Stuart look appraisingly at the still trim, svelte figure of the

that was to go down in history in the annals of the town's "scrump-tuous" affairs. It was the party that marked the beginning of one continuous social whirl for the Stuarts and for Tony Justin.

And always among the guests at these giddy gayeties was to be found that most volatile and versatile young enigma, Mary 'Liz-beth Katharine J'net Sweeney, popularly known as "Mike."

The flapperiest flapper from New York's upper Broadway would have been a flap or two behind Mike had a contest been held in Elliston. For Mike, it was said, received her fashion news by private radio broadcast by an exclusive concern with hourly cables from Paris and London!

But there were times when Jill ran neck and neck with Mike for place in the popularity handicap. Her dancing qualifications constituted a heavy asset. A large number of the young men about town were always eager to secure Jill as a partner. And with a nurse girl to care for the children and a maid to do the housework, her time was virtually her own. She seemed to be imbued with a determination to make up for the time lost since her marriage.

"It's really getting to be positively scandalous!" avowed Miss Amity Smythe, fourth year debutante, to a circle of quasi-intimates gathered around the soda fountain counter in the Central drug store one August afternoon, "the way Jill Stuart flirts and carries on since her husband and brother made that lucky strike!"

"Her brother Tony ith th' clath-ith boy in thith town!" asserted Billie Browne, a pretty blonde with a protruding lip and a high-arched instep.

"The way he drives that new roadster he calls 'Moonface' he's the craziest bug in thith town!" tossed in "Slinky" Owens, famous lounge lizzard and hanger-on around hotels and cafes, mocking the lisp slightly.

"There ith plenty of them who call him a 'crathy bug' who'd be a lot crathier than he ith if they had ith bankroll and thenth enough!" snapped back the pretty blonde, with the lisp and slim ankle.

The almost unanimous giggle that followed this vocal slap in the face was loud enough to penetrate even the rhinoceros hide of "Slinky's" notorious ego, than which nothing less puncturable could be imagined.

"Hun'n!" sneered the lizzard. Then he backed around and "oozled" out, muttering something about a "caty dame with a snake's long tongue!"

CHAPTER XXII

"How Slinky does love our Billie!" piped up red-headed Ann McGuffey, society editor, ad-getter and general all-round go-getter on the attenuated staff of The News-Buzzer, Elliston's daily newspaper.

"At that he was more than half right about Jill Stuart's brother and his new roadster," said Amity Smythe, evidently determined upon sinking her harpoon into Jill's reputation in some manner, even if she had to do it through the brother.

"Why, Amity, what's th' idea?" queried Ann McGuffey, hitting out straight from the shoulder, as always. "What's your grouch against Jill Stuart? She's always seemed to me like a pretty good scout."

"I've no grouch against her!" declared Miss Smythe, in quick denial, her sallow face paling with anger. "I only said what everybody's saying about her!"

"You're the only one I've heard say she'd done anything scandalous," said Ann, bending a hard, blue eye on the misnamed Amity person. "Because she's the best dancer in town, and men like to dance with her, is no reason for saying her actions are scandalous."

"For that matter," went on the pugnacious Ann, ever on the alert to defend an absent friend, "her husband seems willing enough to let her dance with others. Probably he thinks 'what is sauce for the goose is raspberry pie for the gander!'"

"The 'sauce' was too many dances with the Sweeney to suit the goose last Thursday night at the Layton party!" tittered the unpeaceful Amity, with a sarcasm thick with envy. Ann McGuffey gazed thoughtfully at the young woman with the misleading denominator.

"How was that, Sweet Amity?" she asked curiously. "Spread the details a little. I wasn't at the Layton party. What happened?"

"Oh, nothin' very much, only th' goose, Jill Stuart, musta taken exception to her 'gander' dancin' too much with Irish Mike, for she let herself be coaxed into doing the Black Bottom. Her husband was fox-trotting with the Sweeney when he caught sight of Jill making a fool of herself. Everybody could see he was mad, although he didn't say anything—at least, not then. He just led her out on the porch and—they must have gone home!"

"Well," summarized Ann McGuffey, boring the other with a gimlet eye, "I don't see anything in all that. You must have been wearing your magnifying glasses that night, Amity. You probably saw things no one else saw. Now, if it had been—but it wasn't; it was poor Jill and so, of course, what she did was scandalous! Bah! You hypocrites make me sick! Always so quick to see evil where none exists, so ready to pick flaws in others!"

It was just by chance that the next afternoon should witness a meeting in the Central drug store of Amity Smythe and—the little blonde flapper, Billie Browne, she of the toothsome lisp and exquisite curves. Said Billie Browne to Amity Smythe, in an excited stage whisper:

"Look—quick! There ith Mith Thweaney buyin' thigarette—here! And theyee! Jack Thetuart, too!"

O-o-oh! And l-o-o-kie—Ann McGuffey!"

It was even so. From out of the four corners of the Everywhere the long arm of Coincidence had once again stretched forth to bring about a situation. It needed only the one more personage. But it was not to be. Instead of Jill's slim, svelte figure of graceful shapeliness, the large doorway was suddenly darkened by the magnificent bulk of Father Pat.

But only for an instant. The next moment he was the great pivot around which the little pivots, Amity, Billie, Jack, Mike and Ann all revolved.

"My dear children," said Father Pat, and he held up two fingers, one the Finger of Caution, and the other, Restraint. "Remember what the wise Mrs. Solomon said to her eldest daughter: 'Be not overzealous, Mary Jane,' she said. 'It is true that the early bird may cop the silly worm but the eagle isn't out to catch flies!'"

Just as he intended it to do, the ridiculous parody on the ancient and honorable proverb provoked a burst of laughter. If some of the mirth was a trifle forced, it made no difference to the ultimate workings-out of Father Pat's purpose. This was to put everyone on a footing of good-natured comradeship—to inject into the situation a bit of the salt of life—humor. He placed a hand on the shoulder of the nearest one of his "children." This happened to be Jack Stuart.

Father Ryan never overlooked a peg on which to hang a precept, nor an opportunity to drive home a moral. He was the preacher perennial. In the midst of his work he was ever playing at preaching, as in the midst of his play he was always working at it. And yet he never seemed to preach, so rare was the personality of him as a man.

"I have been made the custodian of an amazingly splendid secret!" he announced, with a benevolent placidity that seemed to settle over and envelope him like a veil. "An amazingly splendid secret," he repeated, as if it were a delicious morsel on the tongue. "I had not intended letting my cat out of the bag until tomorrow, Sunday. But Circumstances, over which, and so forth, enables me to reveal it here and now. It is this:

"Mr. Patrick Sweeney, our beloved brother and esteemed fellow townsman, has endowed the hospital with the munificent sum of \$50,000, to be used in the surgical ward for the free treatment of crippled children. In celebration of this bequest, Mr. Sweeney plans to give a picnic one week from today, on the bank of the river near his home. All members of the church, and others of his friends, are to be invited. In th' evening there will be dancing on the lawn. And now I ask you—did I say something, children?"

"You said a mouthful, Father Pat!" vernacularly answered Ann McGuffey, who feared neither God, man nor the devil, not to mention a mere ordinary monk.

But this monk had a happy, ingrowing sense of humor that even the outspoken crudities of Ann McGuffey couldn't lessen, a faculty that enabled him to understand the impulse that impelled her somewhat irreverent reply to his question. It would seem, in fact, as if the question had been worded with a view to drawing just about such an answer, considering that both priest and girl were Irish.

"In that event, then," observed Father Pat, his beaming smile spreading in a sort of reflected effulgence over the small assemblage, "everybody here must have got an earful!"

"And maybe if we wait a thpell, Father," piped up the insouciant Billie Browne, with her brand of naivette, "Jack Thetuart's bootlegger'll come along an' everybody c'n get a thnootful!"

Poor Billie. Her "smart crack" fell as flat as the proverbial pancake. The subject of her very much forced bit of witticism glanced sharply at the little blonde. He would have to have a quiet talk with Billie on the side, he told himself, and "put a flea in her ear."

His attention, however, was very suddenly diverted from Billie by the none-too-musical voice of "Sweet" Amity Smythe.

"Dame Rumor says Jack and Tony's bootlegger is a Pittsburgh millionaire with a flair for buyin' ore stocks!" cackled Amity, quick to grab this chance for heaving her harpoon.

Jack Stuart experienced a jolt to his sense of perfect contentment. Could any information regarding the

removal and sale of the "cold fire" ore have leaked out? What could the Smythe woman mean by her allusion to "ore stocks" and a "Pittsburgh millionaire?"

He knew that Jill and Amity Smythe were not on visiting terms. Hence if the woman possessed any actual knowledge of matters at which her remark hinted, she was likely to try and cause them trouble.

These thoughts flashed through his mind with almost instantaneous rapidity. She had scarcely finished speaking when he shot back an answer.

"Dame Rumor always talks with a long and crooked tongue, Miss Smythe!" he said, in a cold, polite tone. "For that matter," he went on swiftly, "neither Jack nor Tony have any bootlegger in Pittsburgh, or elsewhere. So th' next time you hear Dame Rumor repeating that stuff, Miss Smythe, just tell her for me that she's a liar!"

"Why, Jack, I'm thurprithred at you!" chirped the unsusceptible Billie Browne from her perch on a revolving stool, her silk-clad knees displayed in shimmering hosiery ending in a roll. "Would you tell a perfect lady thyeeth a liar?"

Up spoke the reportorial staff of The News-Buzzer, Ann McGuffey. "If Jack calls her a falsifying, no-good old busybody he's speakin' nothing but the truth. Dame Rumor—they say—has wrecked more homes, started more divorcees, and broken more hearts than all the other forces combined! You're a good kid, Billie—when you keep still—and I like you, but lay off Dame Rumor. Don't listen to her, and above all, don't quote her! Am I not right, Father Pat?"

"Absolutely right, my daughter!" replied the priest, with marked emphasis. "Dame Rumor—gossip—is a pernicious, poisonous weed in the fertile garden of human association; a weed that multiplies by its own seeding, like the pestiferous Canadian thistle!"

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