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Patronize Our Advertisers and Keep the "GO" in GOBLES

LOCAL BREVITIES

Program for commencement week in this issue.

Don't miss the ball game here Tuesday at 3:30.

Bert Woodhouse is detained at home with rheumatism.

Mrs. Mark Kesler will entertain the Willing Workers May 26.

Roy Andre and family were Sunday guests at Clarence Andre's.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Riemersa were Sunday guests at Vern Knight's.

Will Lamphere has moved to Mrs. Jennie Clement's house on the east side.

Base ball here next Tuesday Bangor vs Gobles, last home game of season

The milling company has a new Chevrolet truck purchased of Estus Leverage.

The Community aid will meet with Mrs. Frank Roberts next Wednesday.

Mrs. Ada Brown of Kalamazoo is caring for Mrs. Ida Green who has been seriously ill.

Mrs. Etta McFellin of Toledo and Florida is visiting Mrs. Pugsley and calling on other friends in town.

Hiram Taylor and Mart Van Strien with their sons, Fay Osmun and son Allen and Ed Doe attended a ball game in Chicago, Sunday.

Work of the manual training department of our school is on display in the News office window today and tomorrow and is well worth your attention.

Next Tuesday the grades of Gobles school will give the cantata "The Childhood of Hiawatha" at the opera house. All who attended the program by the grades last year will not miss this one. See ad.

Mrs. Foelsch entertained several tables at bridge last Thursday evening in honor of Mrs. Stimpson. The latter was invited for dinner and the evening was in the nature of a happy surprise. A very enjoyable time resulted.

Mrs. Marian Sanford entertained at a Sunday dinner, May 15, her sister and nephew and family, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis of Kalamazoo and Mr. and Mrs. Chas. L. Harris and family of Paw Paw. It is hoped that this will be the beginning of many happy family gatherings.

The nation deplores the fate of Charles A. Lindbergh, Jr. and trusts that his young life is not given in vain but that his untimely death will bring about a speedy and complete extermination of this form of crime that the world may be safe for all children and right living grownups as well.

Incidental to the Lindbergh case, we would that the radio and all publications cease publicity to all criminals and publicity seekers in connection with crimes, and that our executive officers convince themselves as to either the criminality or imbecility of the same and put them in their proper place.

As usual the dance at Barber's last Saturday night proved most enjoyable and all present report a wonderful time. This popular amusement place has made many improvements this year for the convenience of their guests and are determined to merit the continuance of the liberal patronage they have earned in years past. Plan to meet your friends at Barber's every Saturday night.

The village council took the advice of the president, governor, senators, representatives and other great men at their meeting last Friday and cut the village tax rate from 14 to 9 mills. Tax payers will appreciate this cut and it is hoped that presents improvements may be maintained without an appreciable deficit at the close of the year, and if they do our hats are off to them for all time.

Commencement

Next Sunday evening at the Community church at eight the Baccalaureate sermon will be given by Rev. Hahn of the Methodist church. Special music by the choir and orchestra.

Class night next Thursday, the program for which follows:

March, Orchestra
Invocation
Salutatory, Blanche Mahieu
Class History, Alice Mae Wiseley
Oration, Paul Oram
Instrumental Trio, Harry F. Veley, Loel F. Otten, Wm. M. Clement

Joker, Stephen D. Green, Jr.
Oration, Dean K. Ray
Poem, Sadie Kennison
Selection, Orchestra
Grumbler, Allen Saye, Horace Sackett

Artist, Elwin Sanford, L. D. Johnson
Prophecy, Irene Shryock, Doris Rhoades
Song, Lester First

Will, Gladys Youderian, Dorothy Babbitt
Giftatory, Jennie White, Barbara Curtiss
Valedictory, Gerald Rendel, William Clement

Presentation of Diplomas
Music, Orchestra
The public are invited to attend both nights.

Base Ball

At last, Gobles high was able to do its best last Friday at Bloomingdale with the results that there was a real game, with Gobles on the top end of a three to nothing score.

Two southpaws and real base ball held both sides scoreless for six innings but in the final seventh Gobles stepped out and batted in three runs, any one of which would have won the game. Bloomingdale got their first man on in their half but he died at third as the last man was retired.

Truly a well earned game which had been no disgrace to lo-e, as both teams took advantage of every opportunity and played fast ball.

The locals go to Covert tomorrow and play the fast Bangor team here next Tuesday. Don't miss this game

Announcement

TO THE VOTERS OF VAN BUREN COUNTY:

At the request of many friends in the county, I wish to announce that I will be a candidate of the Democratic Party for nomination to the office of Sheriff, subject to the Primary Election to be held on the 13th day of September 1932.

Your support will be appreciated.
Charles W. Sutherland.

The Free List

Perhaps because this is known as a free country is the reason that so many things are offered free.

Radio advertisers are keeping the people busy writing for free gifts, and pedlars in our midst are giving things outside their lines to get people to buy their wares, and buyers of them say, "Why don't local merchants do the same?"

Investigation shows that they are. Last week our advertisers offered many free articles and we find most of them are offering free articles with certain purchases all of the time and on the goods offered by some outsiders we are convinced that, if quality is considered, one could buy the same things of the home stores enough cheaper to more than offset the free gifts.

Give your merchants a chance to provide this and save money.

Methodist Church

Charles Hahn, Pastor.
GOBLES
Morning Worship, 10:00
Sunday School, 11:00 o'clock.
Evening worship at 7:30

KENDALL

Sunday School, 9:30,
Morning Worship, 10:30.

KENDALL

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Chamberlin and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Chamberlin motored to Holland Sunday to visit the tulip exhibit.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Batterson and son, Miles of Kalamazoo called on Mrs. Aleda Champion Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. D. V. Chamberlin called on her brother, Louis Harter Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Sweet and children and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Green visited the tulip exhibit at Holland Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Odell of Trowbridge spent Sunday with Mrs. Alice Odell and Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Odell.

Mrs. Blanche Smith has been quite ill the past week. Her sister, Mrs. Bertha Shirley is caring for her.

Mrs. Hazel Bachelder and sons, Bernard and Richard, Mrs. Luella Chamberlin and Mrs. Ruby Becker were Saturday afternoon callers on Mrs. Nina Harter at Allegan.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Waber and children and Mrs. M. K. Waber were callers on friends in Otsego Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Coman spent several days the past week at Brighton, where they were the guests of Mr. Coman's daughter, Mrs. Paul M. Kingsley.

The Kendall school picnic has been postponed on account of so many pupils being ill with the measles. The rug will be drawn on the day of the picnic. Get your ticket now, only 10c

Those pupils of the Kendall school who have had perfect attendance the past year are: Max and Keith Parker and Ruth Clark.

Many from here attended the festival at Paw Paw Monday.

Mrs. May Ray motored to Allegan Sunday afternoon with her daughter, Lillian. While there, Anna Ray and some friends from Coldwater called on them. They were returning from a trip to Holland to see the tulips in bloom.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Halette and children of Holland spent the day Sunday with Mrs. Halette's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Young

Mr. and Mrs. Wm Willsea and some neighbors spent Tuesday and Wednesday in Chicago, the guests of friends.

New cases of measles reported are Ruth Clark, Donna Miner, Alice Jean Odell, Blaine Brown and Margaret and Maurice Mahieu.

Callers at Mrs. Frank Lewis Sunday were Milo Earl and family of Otsego, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cave of Kalamazoo, Mrs. Holmes Mrs. Elizabeth Blanchard, Mrs. Eva Brown and Mrs. Laura Willsea.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Waber and children and Mrs. M. K. Waber motored to Glendale, Hartford, Lawrence, Watervliet, South Haven, Grand Junction, Bloomingdale and Gobles Sunday. They motored up the Dunes highway from Watervliet to South Haven, a very scenic ride.

Council Proceedings

Meeting held on the 13th day of May A. D. 1932

Roll call: Present: Reigle, Machin, Ruell, VanStrien, Randall, Wauchek, Connery.

Motion by Wauchek, supported by Connery, "The tax rate for the Village of Gobles shall be 9 mills. Machin, Ruell, VanStrien, Wauchek, Connery, yea; Randall, no. Carried.

Motion by Ruell, supported by Randall to adjourn. Carried.
C. L. Andre, Village Clerk.

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

The 1932 Village Tax Rate

The 1932 tax rate for the Village of Gobles will be 9 mills, a reduction of more than 35% over the 1931 rate of 14 mills, and a reduction of at least \$2095 in income for the village. This means that no improvements of any sort can be attempted this year and the strictest economies will have to be practiced in all departments to enable us to meet necessary obligations, keep up our streets and our village properties in a fair state of repair.

Among our obligations this year is a payment of \$2000 on our bonded indebtedness and \$550 in interest charges on same. This one item should make it plain to all that we must have the best cooperation of every citizen of this village if this new rate is to prove sufficient to meet 1932 expenses. It means that we must all pay our taxes and water tax promptly, that we must get along with what we now have and do everything possible to keep the expense of running the village of Gobles at a minimum

The rate might have to be raised materially next year, but we feel that present conditions warrant a radical reduction in taxes for 1932.

Common Council of Gobles

May Festival

A most interesting and pleasing event was the May Festival at the Paw Paw high school auditorium Monday afternoon. About 550 children of the rural schools of the county participated. The children's chorus sang the following numbers: "Well May the Keel Row," English Folk Song

"Santa Lucia," Neapolitan Folk Song
"The Wraggle Taggle Gypsies," English Tune.

"Danny Boy," Irish Folk Song
"The Hundred Pipers," Jacobite Song

The Hartford high school orchestra played two selections, after which the children's chorus sang "The Home Road," "All Through the Night," "The Volga Touring Path" and "America the Beautiful."

Harry Hough then gave a few very pleasing remarks, after which 60 children, dressed in Scottish costumes participated in the Highland schottische dance.

WAVERLY

Bernard Blakeman attended an undertakers convention in Flint this week.

Mrs. R. B. Taylor attended the Willing Workers Aid Society at Mrs. Ed Carter's last week Thursday.

Little Bobby Hyames has been visiting his aunt and uncle of Benton Harbor.

Mrs. Eva Simmons entertained the Ladies Aid last Wednesday. Twenty ladies were present.

Mrs. Richardson and son, John of Paw Paw visited at R. D. Hyames Sunday.

Maurice Simmons of Oshtemo spent Sunday at Roy Benwire's.

Mr. and Mrs. George Bishop of Kalamazoo spent the week end at Henry Bishop's.

Marian Herron is recovering from the measles.

Walter Schwieman and family and Fred Schwieman and Lewis Sage of Kalamazoo spent Sunday at R. E. Sage's.

Leon Laws and family of Three Rivers, Mrs. Rippey of Centerville, Don Rippey and family of Detroit visited at John Russell's Sunday.

Mrs. Ed Markillie and Lillian Gault called on Mrs. Lennie Allen Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Dell Marshall and Mr. and Mrs. Cook and baby were callers at Ed Markillie's Sunday.

Ed Elliott and family of Kalamazoo were visitors at Orley Ayers Sunday.

Business Locals

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In Memoriam

In loving memory of my dear Mother, Mrs. Martha Emery, who passed away, May 20, 1931. We will ever miss her willing hands, her pleasing ways, her kindly deeds, her loving heart.

Nellie Sumption

Community Church

Sunday school at 10 a. m.

Morning worship at 11 a. m.

Lillian Mann, pastor

Busy Workers

Busy Workers Club met May 5 with Gladys Camfield, after a good dinner, meeting was called to order each member responded to roll call by memories of "Mother". Next meeting to be with Harriet Clark May 19.

WAGERTOWN

Grange Thursday evening everyone bring something for Grab-bag.

Ray Harper and family spent Wednesday evening at George Leach's.

Charles Eastman called on Russell Saye Thursday evening.

Mrs. Dora Haven of Bloomingdale spent the week end with her daughter Blanch Healy.

Helen Beeman and children called Wednesday evening on Ethel Eastman.

Leonard Goble and family, Mrs. H. B. Brant and Betty Jean spent Sunday at Geo. Leach's.

Marshall Healy spent from Thursday until Saturday with his grandmother Mrs. Haven of Bloomingdale.

Wager school will close Thursday.

BROWN DISTRICT

Claude Story has been sick with Measles.

Miss Dortha Byers, Miss Esther Healy, Miss Mable White, and Miss Leva Camfield were in Paw Paw Monday afternoon to participate in the schottish Folk Dance.

Mr. and Mrs. Steven Kulas and Mr. Harry Kalisiak all of Chicago surprised their parents to spend the week end also to help them celebrate their 27th wedding anniversary. Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Lew Camfield and family spent the day there. Mr. and Mrs. Kalisiak were remembered with several nice gifts.

Miss Margaret Langweller and Mr. Gipperneck of Kalamazoo called at Frank White's Sunday.

Several from this district attended the May Festival at Paw Paw. Perry Jewel is not so well at this time.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Pike of Kalamazoo called at George Pike's Sunday afternoon.

For Sheriff

I wish to announce that I will be a candidate for sheriff of Van Buren county subject to the republican primaries. Your vote will be appreciated. Vern Ferguson

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Eight 8-weeks old pigs for sale at \$2.50 each. Will Ferguson.

Barn for sale cheap. See Will Davis.

Watch for Milling Company's circular soon.

8 pigs for sale. Frank Nash, Kendall.

Home made baked goods for sale daily at Stephenson's market.

Roses, cli. and monthly Am. Beauty, Roses of Sharon, Firebush, Golden Bell, Honeysuckles, Bri. Wreath all closing out at a dime at Nursery. Peach 3 for 10c & 3 for 25 nice Hydrangeas & some Privet yet. Plenty of berries yet.

SHOW DROP IN CONVICTIONS

With non-trout streams open to spearing for certain species of fish the number of violations of spearing laws exceeded all others during March, a report just issued by the conservation department shows.

During the month 105 men were convicted of violating conservation laws. Of this number 8 were convicted of spearing rainbow trout and 9 were convicted of spearing fish through use of a jacklight.

Seven convictions were reported for having trout in possession during the closed season, four for having other protected fish in possession out of season and four were convicted of dynamiting on streams.

The returning spring flight of ducks brought the convictions of eight men for hunting ducks out of season. All of the arrests were made in the vicinity of Lake St. Clair.

Other conservation laws violated during the month for which convictions were obtained were:

Netting fish, 1; headlighting deer, 1; hunting without a license or permit, 9; taking rabbit out of season, 5; illegal possession of pheasants, 7; illegal possession of venison, 4; attempting to snare deer, 3; failing to submit fur purchase and sales reports, 1; hindering the work of an officer, 1; illegal possession of raccoon, 1; non-resident using a resident license, 2; illegal use of ice lines, 4; illegal possession of muskrats, 8; hunting deer out of season, 1; trapping and possessing beaver out of season, 6.

During the month the department confiscated 20 traps, 1 net, 14 fish spears, 7 guns and a quantity of fish and furs.

The 105 violators paid a total in court costs of \$1,035, and \$580.50 in fines. Twenty-seven men were sentenced to serve jail sentences ranging from 5 to 90 days, an aggregate of 880 days.

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Hoover Arriving to Address Governors' Conference



Seen in Richmond, Va., as he arrived to address the governors' conference, President Herbert Hoover (left) poses with (left to right) Gov. John G. Pollard of Virginia, Gov. Chase of Rhode Island and Gov. James Rolph, Jr., of California. In his speech he stressed the need for state as well as federal economies.

WILL OPEN PONDS NEAR WHITE CLOUD

The trout rearing ponds near White Cloud will be opened in a few days and will be supplied with about 325,000 brook trout for feeding until planting time next fall. Ponds are being cleaned and cleared of fish in preparation.

According to Robert H. Fortney of the conservation department the local ponds have been very successful and there has been exceedingly low mortality among the young fish.

Reforestation along White river and on the rearing pond grounds will be started this year. The ponds are located four miles northeast of here on White river.

New Beaver Island Boat at Charlevoix

Capt. James H. Gallagher, who has the Beaver island mail contract, arrived at Charlevoix recently with the passenger steamer Ossian Bedell which will be put on the route.

The boat has been in the Buffalo and Niagara river excursion trade for a number of years. After the lower deck is enclosed it will be well adapted for the island run. It has a length of 110 feet, 28-foot beam and a 12-foot draft and is rated as a 15-mile boat. It will be amply able to take care of seven cars and is allowed 700 passengers.

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G. M. Truck Starts Work On \$2,000,000 Bus Order

Production on an order for Greyhound Management Company approximating \$2,000,000 has begun at General Motors Truck Company, in Pontiac. The buses comprise the regular annual allotment of motor coaches for the Greyhound Company and will be used to replace present coaches. The order, it is understood, is for 200 Model Z-250 Yellow parlor car buses of 33 passenger size. Of this order 100 are to be assigned to operations in territory east of Chicago.

The coaches are being produced at a rate of three a day. The vehicles are to be powered with a six-cylinder, poppet-valve engine having a displacement of 707 cubic inches and with a rating of 175 horsepower.

The design will embody new features for quick removal of the power plant unit in much the same manner as is provided in the Yellow V-type chassis. The seating arrangements call for three inches additional space between seats.

General Motors Truck Company, Pontiac, has started work on 1,500 mail truck bodies. Complete delivery on the entire order is expected within the next four months, according to Paul W. Seiler, president.

Kalamazoo Youth Chooses Ionia Instead or Probation

Because the youth told the judge that he did not think probation would help him and insisted upon being sent to the Ionia Reformatory, Circuit Judge George V. Weimer of Kalamazoo sentenced Kenneth McCormick, 17, to the Ionia prison for a term of from one to 15 years.

McCormick was charged jointly with Robert Sherman, 18, with breaking and entering school buildings. McCormick's mother is dead, his father's whereabouts are unknown and he had been living with an aged grandmother.

Sherman was placed on probation for two years.

Jackson Woman Gets Mystery Money Back

"We are returning this money to you," was the wording of a note conveyed in an envelope received in the mail recently by Mrs. Mettie Webb Spencer of Jackson. Neatly folded in the note was \$30 in currency. Mrs. Spencer is at a loss to know the motive of the sender, inasmuch as she recalls neither the loan nor theft of the money. The note appeared to have been written with an old-style typewriter.

Catch Big Sturgeon In Muskegon River

The first sturgeon taken from the Muskegon river here this season was caught by William Loomis. The fish weighed 70 pounds and was transported to the state fish hatchery at Paris.

It is reported the continued dry weather has not been conducive to good catches, yet some nice rainbow trout have been caught. Recently two weighing 20 pounds each were taken above the Newaygo dam.

Resumes Willys Control

John N. Willys, chairman of the board of the Willys-Overland Company, of Toledo, has resigned as United States ambassador to Poland to devote all his time to company affairs. Mr. Willys and associates will assume control of the company on July 1 when his preferred stock assumes voting power through the passing of four quarterly dividends on this issue. The Willys group has worked out a plan for future operations of the company in association with the C. O. Miniger-G. M. Jones group now in control of the common stock.

PARK RULES ARE ADOPTED BY DEPARTMENT

Congestion in several of southern Michigan's state parks has forced the parks division of the Department of Conservation to limit campers to seven days' visit; and to establish a rule which does not permit renewals of camping privileges in the same parks.

Only seven day camping permits will be permitted in the state parks in Oakland, Livingston, Macomb, St. Clair, Ottawa and Bay counties. In parks in these counties campers are now so numerous and space so limited that the time limit must be shortened to give everyone a chance, it was stated.

The camping time limit in all other parks will be 15 days. In former years campers were permitted to renew their permits at the end of this time so long as their camps were moved to another part of the park. This was done to prevent campers from occupying choice sites for extended periods. Under the new rules campers must move from the park when the time limit expires. Fifteen day permits may be obtained in other parks.

In adopting the State Park Rules and Regulations for 1932, at its April meeting, the Conservation Commission made no changes.

Emphasis will be given during the coming summer season to the enforcement of the rules relative to the injury or destruction of trees, shrubs and wild flowers. This rule forbids anyone from "injuring or destroying any sign, guide post, peeling of bark, carving and chopping trees, cutting branches, driving nails, digging round from roots and the removal of trees, shrubs and plants.

Other state park rules effective in all of the state parks include:

Firearms may not be possessed in a state park.
Throwing of tin cans, papers, bottles, junk or refuse of any kind on the ground or in a lake or stream; or the misuse and abuse of seats, tables and other park equipment is prohibited.

The speed limit for motor vehicles on park roads is 20 miles per hour. In instances when roads approach bathing beaches and other places where crowds gather, the speed is lower.

Farmers are permitted to sell eggs, milk, cream, butter, fruit and vegetables in the parks. All other vending or peddling is prohibited.

Open fires may be built only where proper provisions have been made. Leaving fires while burning is prohibited.

Boys under 17 years of age and girls under 18 years of age may not camp unless properly chaperoned.

All park officers have police authority and are charged with enforcing the park rules.

Under an act adopted by the state legislature in 1931, violation of any of the state park rules is considered as a misdemeanor and may result in a fine of not more than one hundred dollars and costs of prosecution, or imprisonment in the county jail for not more than 90 days, or both fine and imprisonment.

New House Cleaning Racket Is Revealed

Saginaw housewives have been victimized during the past few days by a new unemployment racket, according to reports to the Saginaw police.

A youth has been taking advantage of the housewives who are now busily engaged in spring housecleaning activities. One of the disgruntled Saginaw women reported that a youth came to the house and asked to wash the windows. After being hired, the youth asked for money to go to the store and buy washing powder for the job. When this succeeded, he left, never to return.

Seventh in Registrations, State Is Third in Taxes

There were 25,814,103 motor cars and trucks operated in the United States, last year, according to figures compiled by the Bureau of Public Roads of the United States Department of Agriculture from reports from state agencies. This compares with 26,545,281 motor vehicles registered in 1930, representing a decline of 2.8 per cent. Motor truck registrations dropped from 3,486,019 in 1930 to 3,466,303 in 1931.

Michigan ranked seventh in number of motor vehicles registered in 1931, with a total of 1,230,980. It was surpassed by New York with 2,297,249; California, 2,043,281; Pennsylvania, 1,741,942; Ohio, 1,710,625; Illinois, 1,612,770, and Texas with 1,297,301. Increases in total registration were reported last year from California, Connecticut, Maine, Maryland, Nevada, New Jersey, Oregon, Rhode Island, Virginia, Wyoming and the Detroit of Columbia.

Revenue derived from motor cars in 1931 through licenses, permits and similar sources almost all of which was allocated to the construction and maintenance of highways, totaled \$44,337,654. Of this sum 200,733,786 went to state highways; 70,043,625 to local roads; \$42,574,464 for road bonds; \$19,688,604 for collection of fees and administration, and \$11,549,607 for other purposes.

In volume of receipts collected from licenses, permits and the like, Michigan ranked third among the state of the country. Its total from these sources was \$21,821,290, and was exceeded only by New York with \$41,877,611, and Pennsylvania with \$31,607,172.

Keep Dust On Roads To Create More Jobs

In order to give more men jobs on county highways this summer, application of calcium chloride to allay dust on gravel roads may be abandoned, according to members of the road commission. It is stated that funds for highway purposes are limited, because only a small appropriation was made, and it is believed that this money will be used to give the unemployed a chance to earn money in maintenance rather than devote the money to dustslaying compounds.

Aids Dow Rail Plan

Michigan Public Utilities Commission has approved the plan of the Dow Chemical Company, of Midland, to extend its privately owned railroad line into Bay City, which plan contemplates a crossing of the Pere Marquette right of way. The Pere Marquette is contesting the Dow plan.

At the request of the Interstate Commerce Commission the utilities commission will conduct a hearing May 2, to determine whether public convenience and necessity require the building of the railroad by the Dow interests.

Opportunity Adlets

Pure Maple Syrup \$1.50 per gallon. For 15 gallon order \$1.25 gallon. F. O. B. Clymer, N. Y. Neckers Company, Clymer, N. Y. Box 14.

HERE ARE WARDENS IN TROUT COUNTRY

Trout fishermen frequently have occasion to get in touch with a conservation officer while on a fishing trip, either to report violations, get needed information about camping spots or for various other reasons.

For the convenience of anglers in Grand Rapids and other western Michigan districts here is a list of conservation officers in the trout country most frequented by these fishermen:

Frank Knowles, Scottville, Mason county; Lee McCrimmon, Luther, Lake county; William H. Echlin, Hersey, Osceola county; Bryon Aldrich, Big Rapids, Mecosta county; Don Irish, Greenville, Montcalm county; Charles Stout, Belding, Ionia county; Evers H. Wolf, Grand Rapids, Kent county game warden; Claude Markley, Muskegon, Muskegon county; Roy Buzard, Kent City, Kent county; Charles Whitman, White Cloud, Newaygo county; Elmer Thompson, Hart, Oceana county; Maurice Kuite, Holland, Ottawa county.

Start Rebuilding Holland's Piers

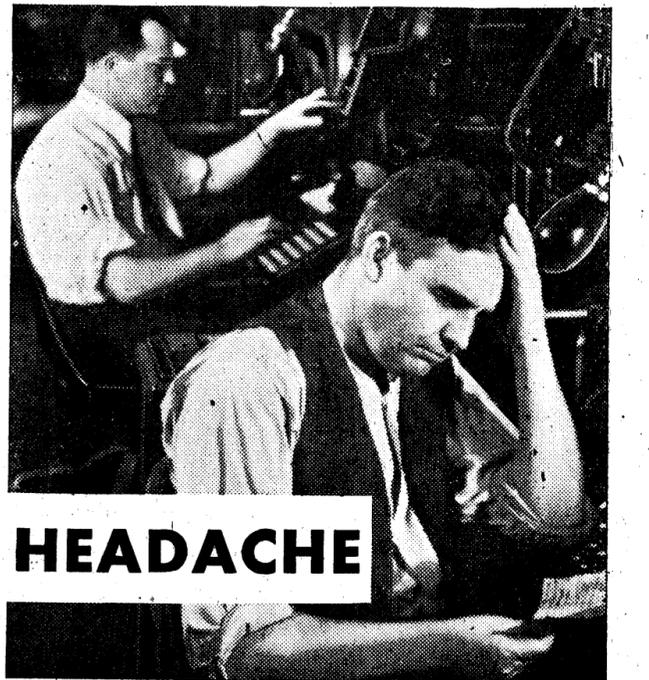
Work has been started on pier building operations at Holland harbor by a government crew directed by Ike Vandenberg of Muskegon. The equipment consists of the tug Muskegon, two scows and two derricks.

Plans call for rebuilding the north breakwater of concrete and about 600 feet of the south pier from the light-house to the lookout, also of concrete. The north pier was rebuilt about two years ago. The work will take about three months.

Water depth in the harbor is about 18 to 20 feet. It is expected some dredging operations will be done by the sandsucker Gen. Meade.

Navigation between Holland and Chicago soon will be opened, although no definite schedules have been announced.

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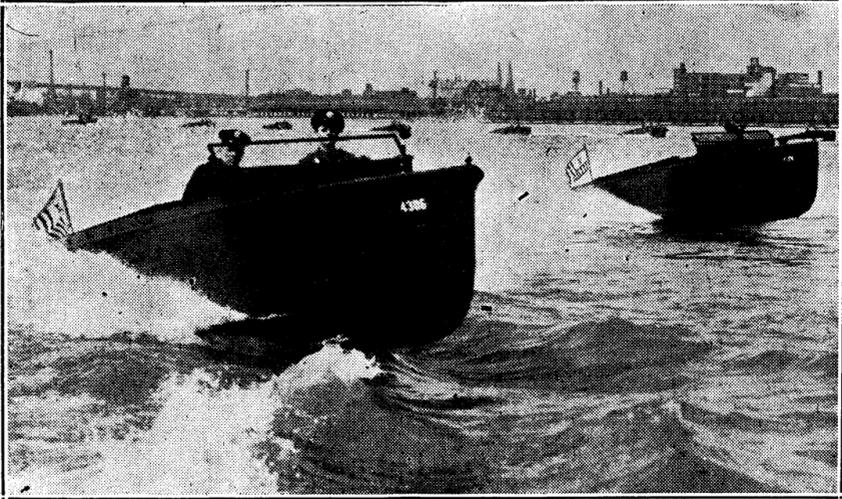
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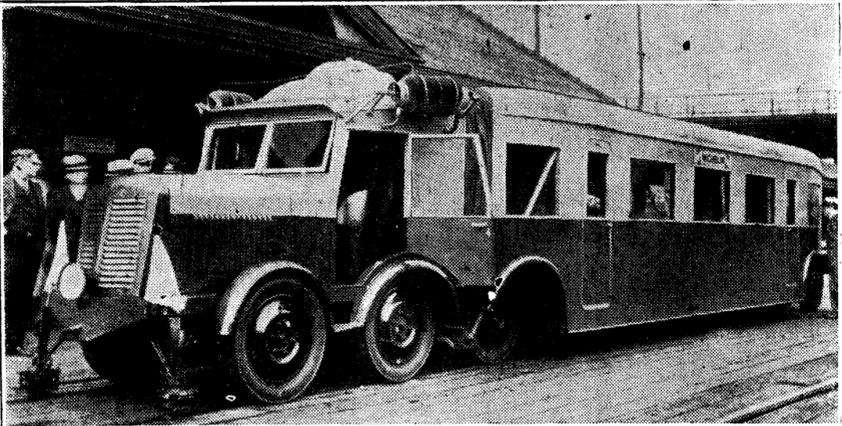
CAMERA NEWS

U. S. Customs Dry Navy Takes to Water in Detroit



Speedboats of the U. S. Customs Border Patrol, operating out of Detroit, Mich., on the waters separating the United States and Canada at that point are pictured as they would look when chasing rum-runners. Thirty speedboats recently took the water for summer duty.

New Gasoline Railway Coach Has Rubber Tires



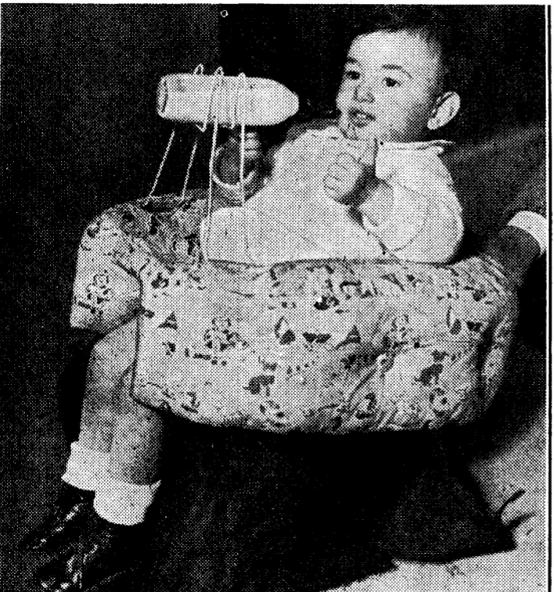
A gasoline powered railway coach, capable of speeds up to 100 miles per hour and equipped with a pneumatic rail tire for easy riding, is pictured in Akron during a recent run through Ohio. It is the first to be manufactured in the United States.

Pretty Girl Becomes Acting Governor



Alice Lee Grosjean, 25, who was secretary to former Governor Huey P. Long of Louisiana and appointed secretary of state by him in 1930, is seen in Baton Rouge when she became governor of Louisiana for ten days, during the absence of Gov. Alvin O. King at the governors' conference. This happened because of the vacancy in the office of lieutenant-governor.

Introducing the Mechanical Nurse



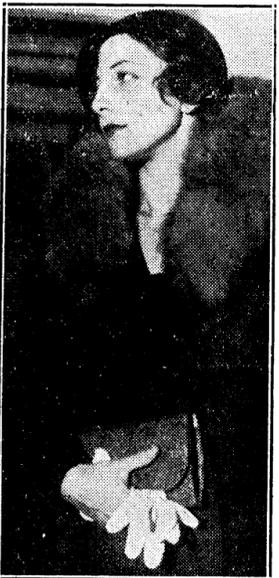
Among the ingenious gadgets and doodads demonstrated at the recent Patent Exposition held in New York was this remarkable device, called the Mechanical Nurse, which automatically feeds baby his bottle. It was invented by B. Krasnick, of Coatesville, Pa.

A New Star



Zita Johann, an actress on the New York legitimate stage, is the latest recruit to the films and is seen in Hollywood upon her arrival to begin her career. No doubt after a conference with press agents Zita's first "official" act was to ignore waiting celebrities and rush to the baggage car for "Iggy," her pet spaniel.

Off to Europe



Mrs. Helen Wills Moody, America's tennis queen, is pictured in New York as she sailed for Europe. Her mission abroad is to regain the French and Wimbledon tennis championships, and to help retain the Wightman Cup for the United States.

POOR POTATOES GROW FROM DISEASED SEED

The selection of high grade seed potatoes and an inexpensive treatment of this disease will control several of the most important of Michigan potato diseases and will aid farmers in this state to produce the grade of table stock which consumers demand and for which they are willing to pay top market prices, according to the farm crops department at Michigan State college.

Potato scab, black scurf and black leg can be controlled by treating seed potatoes with a solution of formaldehyde or corrosive sublimate. Fusarium wilt can be reduced to a minimum by discarding the seed piece cut from the butt end of the potato. Tubers which show brown stains in the flesh should be discarded unless the grower is certain this discoloration is not caused by the wilt or other disease.

Another group of potato diseases can be controlled only by the use of seed from selected stock. Seed stock of this sort is produced by growers who can distinguish plants affected with mosaic or other disease of that type and who remove from their seed plots all diseased plants before they produce tubers which may become mixed with the crop when harvested.

Any grower of potatoes can easily and cheaply treat his seed potatoes with formaldehyde or corrosive sublimate. County agricultural agents will visit any farmer and give detailed directions for this treatment. Special Bulletin No. 125, published by Michigan State College, gives complete information on all potato diseases and control methods. This bulletin will be mailed to anyone who requests it from the Bulletin Clerk at East Lansing.

Insect Pests Give Indications of Unusual Activity This Season

Insect pests threaten serious damage in many parts of the country this season, say entomologists of the U. S. Department of Agriculture. The state of the weather when the insects come out from hibernation, which can not be forecast at this time, may check the development of some species. It can not be counted on to control all of them, however, as conditions which are fatal to some insects are just what others need.

Of the cereal and forage crop insects, grasshoppers are causing the most anxiety, especially in the Great Plains section, which suffered severely from this pest last year. Two hot, dry summers provided ideal conditions for the growth and multiplication of these insects, and a mild winter permitted a high survival of the enormous number of eggs left by the 1931 hoppers.

The Hessian fly and chinch bug, also important cereal crop pests, have been on the increase in many parts of the East Central States, and the corn earworm hibernated farther north than usual, which put it in good position for an early attack on Mississippi Valley corn. The mild winter was easy on the European corn borer, which last year, around the eastern Great Lakes, increased materially, after the setback it received from the drought of 1930.

Will the Mexican bean beetle stay subdued in many sections of the East as it has been the last two sweltering summers, or will it come back to wreak as heavy damage as it inflicted answer this question yet, but the bean on the bean crop in 1929? No one can beetle has a capacity for building up a population quickly, entomologists say, and last winter's mildness has given it a chance.

Cutworms have been abnormally active all through the winter in the South. They might give way to adverse weather conditions but they seem to have a good running start.

Two important fruit pests—the codling moth and the San Jose scale—will probably be abundant this season. Both went into winter quarters in large numbers; both survived the winter well.

The plum curculio, on the other hand, hibernated in small numbers in most places, so the initial population this spring will be small. Given favorable conditions, however, the curculio may multiply rapidly. Like the Mexican bean beetle, this insect needs some moisture for its best growth. Soil baked hard by continued dry weather in the early summer is fatal to the plum curculio during the period of its life cycle that must be spent in the ground.

Owosso Sugar Plant Will Remain Closed

That the Owosso plant of the Michigan Sugar company will not be operated this year was definitely announced by Chamber of Commerce officials who have been working for several months to reopen the plant.

About 12,000 acres of beets had been contracted for. Nine thousand of these will be turned over to the Lansing, Bay City and Alma plants. The W. R. Roach Canning company, which has a large plant at Owosso, has contracted for 8,300 acres of vegetables. It will not operate its Scottville and Edmore plants this year, but will ship its crops here for canning.

Fit Farm Receipts To Fixed Charges

An attempt to make the amount of farm products which are sold each year fit the size of the fixed expenses of the farm is recommended in an agricultural outlook published at Michigan State College.

The fixed charges include taxes, interest on the investment, depreciation on buildings and equipment, and the labor contributed by the owner and members of his family. These expenses occur regardless of the amount of crops and livestock produced, and a certain volume of sales is necessary to meet these costs.

The farmer's profit can be secured only after the fixed charges are paid, and, unless the volume of business more than pays this overhead, there will be no profits.

Ways to increase business volume are adding units of livestock or increasing the production of those owned, increasing the acreage of cash crops or securing greater production per acre, acquiring additional good land through purchase or rental, procuring special markets which will pay better prices, or working for others when the labor can be spared from the farm.

The prospects for all lines of crops and livestock produced in Michigan are outlined in the agricultural outlook which will be sent to anyone who requests Extension Bulletin No. 122 from the bulletin clerk at East Lansing.

Farm Products Lose Price Advance

Prices of farm products lost the advance of one point made in March and also another point when on April 15 the index stood at 59 per cent of the 1910-1914 average as contrasted with 61 per cent on March 15 according to the Bureau of Agricultural Economics, U. S. Department of Agriculture.

The decline of 2 points from March 15 to April 15, says the bureau was general in all commodity groups included in the index except the fruits and vegetables group which actually advanced 5 points during the period, on account of a substantial increase in the prices of apples and citrus and a slight advance in prices of potatoes.

Slight declines recorded in the farm price of corn, wheat, and rye brought the index of grain prices down 1 point. Continued declines in prices of eggs, butter, butterfat and milk caused a drop of 2 points in the dairy and poultry products group, although the farm price of chickens was unchanged.

The farm price of cotton and cottonseed declined somewhat in the period from March 15 to April 15, the index for these commodities on the latter date being reported at 46 per cent of the 1910-1914 average. The index of prices of all meat animals except lambs was reduced to 66 per cent of the pre-war average.

The farm price of corn, after having remained practically the same in March as in February, was 2.5 per cent lower on April 15, the decline being most pronounced in the East and West North Central States. The price remained unchanged from March 15 to April 15 in the South Atlantic States, and advanced slightly in the South Central division.

Prices of hogs on farms declined about 8 per cent between March 15 and April 15, and relatively greater declines in the farm price of hogs than in the price of corn resulted in a decline in the corn-hog ratio from 12.1 on March 15 to 11.4 on April 15. The farm price of lambs on April 15 showed some improvement compared with the March 15 price, but the farm price of wool declined 11 per cent in the month.

Start Hunting Rats If You See Weasel Near Farm Buildings

If weasels appear around farm buildings, they are searching primarily for rats, not poultry, according to Prof. W. Hamilton of Cornell university. Prof. Hamilton declared it is time to start hunting for rats just as soon as the first weasel is found about the buildings. He said weasels were arch enemies of rats.

It is only on rare occasions, he explained, that a weasel will make his home in the poultry house. He said the cause of disappearing chicks is more often due to the presence of rats than to weasels.

Mushroom Plant Is Being Enlarged

The Holland Mushroom farm in the Diekema addition near the west city limits, started about two years ago by Julius Brusse, has outgrown its capacity and the plant is being enlarged by a second unit of 10,000 square feet. Last year the farm produced 75,000 pounds of mushrooms.

Cartons are labeled the "Wooden Shoe" brand. Three crops are produced each year. Eight men are employed during the picking and shipping season and twelve additional men in the preparation of the beds. Three months are required for the starting of a good crop and four months for picking the beds.

POULTRY

CHICK AND EGG SHOW PLANNED AT COLLEGE

Plans have been completed to have the egg show and the chick show scheduled annually at Michigan State College, on the same dates and the combined shows are scheduled for May 17, 18, 19, 20.

Winners at the chick show are the pick of the 40,000,000 chicks which are annually hatched in Michigan and sold to farmers of this and many other states. Zeeland, which might be called the capital of the hatchery world, shipped 15,000,000 chicks last year. There are 66 hatcheries located within 10 miles of Zeeland.

Last year's show drew 73 entries which came from 12 States and one Canadian province. Chicks were shipped to that show from Bozeman, Montana, and arrived in first class condition. One of the requirements for entry in the show is that the birds be shipped, so those in charge of the exhibition can tell whether the birds possess enough vitality to make them good shipping risks.

The chick show provides regular classes for 20 breeds of chickens, turkeys, and ducks and usually the newest type of hatchery stock, pheasants, are included in the exhibits. All chicks will be sold at auction on the last day of the show.

The egg show is held to show both the poultrymen and the visitors to the show what qualities are needed to make a first grade exhibit of eggs. First place winners must be of a quality which would command a premium on the market.

The show will be held in Demonstration Hall and entries may be made by any hatcheryman or poultry raiser.

A MANAGEMENT SCHEDULE FOR CHICKS

A number of feeding, brooding and management schedules have been prepared by various experiment stations and poultrymen to be used in handling baby chicks through the starting ages to maturity. If a method gives satisfactory results it is advisable to continue with the same plan. For beginners and for those who desire to make a change in their methods, however, we are presenting the Purdue recommendations for the mash and scratch grain method of feeding:

First Week

Grains—Four times daily, what the chicks will clean up in 15 minutes.

Mash—None.

Drink—Milk.

Brooding condition—Sand on floor. Temperature 100 degrees at the edge of the hover.

Second to Sixth Week

Grains—Three times daily, what they will clean up in 20 minutes.

Mash—Accustom chicks to mash.

Drink—Milk.

Brooding condition—Get chicks outside in good weather. Start feeding outdoors.

Sixth to Twelfth Week

Grains—Three times daily. Feed whole wheat and coarse cracked corn.

Mash—At all times.

Drink—Milk.

Brooding condition—Put in low roosts at six weeks. Discontinue heat at eight to 12 weeks.

Twelfth Week to Maturity

Grains—Hopper fed or twice daily.

Mash and drink—Mash at all times.

Use laying mash. Water.

Brooding condition—Move to clean soil, watch ventilation.

The same station makes the following recommendations for handling chicks with the all-mash method of feeding:

First Three Weeks

Feed—Mash, no grain.

Drink—Water.

Brooding condition—Temperature 100 degrees at edge of hover. Chicks inside.

Third to Twelfth Week

Feed—Mash, no grain.

Drink—Water.

Brooding condition—Get chicks outside in good weather. Put in low roosts at six weeks. Discontinue heat at eight to 12 weeks.

Twelfth Week to Maturity

Feed—Mash. Light feed of grain at night only.

Drink—Water.

Brooding condition—Move to clean soil. Watch ventilation.

BABY CHICK AND EGG EXPOSITION ARE SET FOR MAY 17-20

The fifth annual Michigan baby chick show and the eight annual Michigan egg show will be held at Michigan State college on the same dates this year. Both expositions are scheduled for May 17 to 20.

Entries in the chick show will be open to any hatchery in the world. The rules provide that only baby chicks, ducklings and turkeys that have been shipped by mail or express may be exhibited. The judge will be G. S. Vickers of Columbus, O., field manager of the Ohio Poultry Improvement association, assisted by J. A. Davison, field manager of the Michigan Poultry Improvement association.

A number of valuable trophies have been offered as the major premiums in the egg show. R. L. Gulliver of Lapeer, formerly an extension specialist in poultry husbandry at Michigan State college and later a field agent for a produce house at Eaton Rapids, will be the judge.

Fond Mother: "Quiet, dear; the sandman is coming."

Modern Child: "Okay, mom; a dollar and I won't tell pop."

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Chancery Sale

In pursuance and by virtue of a decree of the Circuit Court for the County of Van Buren, State of Michigan, in Chancery, made and entered on the 21st day of March A. D. 1932 in a certain cause therein pending, wherein Etta Becker was plaintiff and Dewey Crakes and Muriel Crakes were defendants. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that I shall sell at public auction to the highest bidder, at the north front door of the Court House in the Village of Paw Paw, Van Buren County, Michigan, (that being the place of holding the Circuit Court for said County), on Saturday the second day of July A. D. 1932 at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, the following described property, viz: all those certain pieces or parcels of land situate in the township of Pine Grove, county of Van Buren and State of Michigan, described as follows: the east half of the southeast quarter of section 11 (eleven) and the southwest quarter of the southwest quarter of section 12, all in town one south, range thirteen west, containing 120 acres of land more or less.

Dated May 10, 1932.
CARLETON W. BENTON,
Circuit Court Commissioner,
Van Buren County, Michigan

H. H. ADAMS,
Attorney for plaintiff,
Paw Paw, Michigan

Ocean Traditions

A tradition of the sea of Biblical origin explains the use of the term Jonah, applied to a shipmate who is considered unlucky or a bringer of ill luck. Numerous and strange have been the reasons ascribed by ship companies for electing one of their number to be a hoodoo or a Jonah. Mariners of a century ago believed that no one could so effectually raise a wind as natives of Finland, or Russian Finns, as they were almost reproachfully called. Dana preserves the legend in his "Two Years Before the Mast" in one of the tales of the cook, telling of the loss of one of the crew by drowning; Conrad also, in Wamibo of that sea classic, "The Nigger of the Narcissus."

Early Days of Steamships

The first voyage of the steamship Great Western across the Atlantic lasted from April 8, 1838, to April 23, her average day's run being 215 miles. Altogether she made five double passages in 1838, six in 1839, and before she was disposed of in 1846 crossed and recrossed 74 times. No other ship had a finer record and none attracted more attention. While she was still running on the Atlantic Sir John Rennie referred to her first passage, remarking that "the success of this voyage across the Atlantic having exceeded the most sanguine expectations of its promoters and, indeed, of the world, there seemed no bounds to the extension of steam navigation."

Gold Has "String" Attached

Sooner or later the tourist who is really a tourist, and not merely a tripper, turns up in Johannesburg, the most interesting city in the southern hemisphere, says a traveler, and when he does he wants to learn all about the gold they dig up in such great quantities from the Witwatersrand mines. The mining companies are ready for him, and trips down to the depths of Village Deep, 7,000 feet below the surface, can always be arranged. They will even let you take away as much gold as you like—if you can carry it—but they take the precaution of putting it into half-ton slabs to prevent accidents.

Growth of Fire Engines

When the greater part of London was burned in 1666, fire engines were operated by hand, and water was ejected by means of a giant syringe. A tank and a pump worked by hand were introduced later, but water could be squirted by this device only a short distance. It frequently happened that the engine itself was destroyed by fire. The pumps were gradually improved, and flexible pipes were used, but pumps driven by steam were not invented until the Nineteenth century. Horse-drawn engines were employed until 1903, when the first self-propelled fire engines were built.

Splendid Records Made by Old Clipper Ships

The clipper ships which were constructed for the California trade were built with extreme care, although, as far as possible, everything was sacrificed to speed, for freights were high and prices depended upon the quickness with which goods could be delivered to the Pacific coast.

Clippers costing as high as \$30,000 sometimes paid for themselves on their first voyage. There is the story of one old sea captain who was anxious to carry sail as long as possible and padlocked his gear so that sailors could not take in sail without orders.

The Flying Cloud, which was built in East Boston by Donald McKay, was one of the fastest clippers ever launched. She had a figurehead of an angel on the wing carrying a speaking trumpet. Her mainmast, including the topmast and skysail pole, was 200 feet high; her main yard measured 82 feet and her bowsprit and jib-boom projected 58 feet.

She sailed from New York to San Francisco in 89 days and 21 hours, covering in one day 433 statute miles, 42 miles faster than any steamship had then done in the same time. On this trip some of the crew had to be put in irons, although subsequently released to work the ship, and the first officer was suspended from duty because he disobeyed the captain's orders and cut the rigging. For a number of days the Flying Cloud averaged 13 1/2 knots, and sailed for 5,912 miles at an average of 227 miles a day.

Old Frankfurt

Few cities with the trend of modern progress driving them so hard can have preserved so completely the ancient streets and buildings of their old beginnings as has Frankfurt in Germany. Frankfurt has kept almost intact the Fourteenth-century houses, guild houses, chapels and cloisters much as they were built. Round the cathedral whole blocks of old buildings have been swept away, leaving that fine old structure unencumbered, but the perfect square of the "Romerberg" remains.

AN EXPERIMENT

By JANE OSBORN

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(WNU Service)

"GET the right kind of woman and she can do it as well as a man—"

"Stuff and nonsense! She wouldn't have the head for it. Imagine Miss Kline or Miss Hicks here going out to sell bonds—imagine their selling any!"

"They haven't got the head for it," shouted young Tom Venner. "That's what I'm telling you. Get a woman of the right sort and she could sell bonds with the best salesman we've got—"

The middle-aged Kirk Yates shrieked his answer. "But if you get a woman like that you've got to pay as much."

"Then pay, by gummy, pay," bawled Tom Venner, with several emphatic bangs on his desk. "The point isn't that I want to get a bargain, but I want to get people that will stick. Take Bloden, or Smyth, or Klinger—any of 'em—they sold bonds for awhile and when they got real good at it, they got better jobs, went somewhere else or started out by themselves. My idea is that a woman isn't so ambitious or so daring. Get two or three trained in, and we'll have a staff you can depend on. Get me?"

Mr. Kirk Yates sniffed, indicating thereby that, while he didn't "get" Mr. Venner at all, he was through arguing. "Go ahead," was all he said. "I'm only a partner. I can't stop you from trying an experiment. But don't start out with three or four. Get one and see if it works."

So it was that the employment agent who supplied the bond house of Yates and Venner with stenographers, computer operators and other office workers had a rather unusual position to fill. There was only one applicant on the list at this agency that was considered suitable. This was Jane Hayden. The employment agent sent a sealed note along with her. Tom Venner read it through while Jane Hayden sat waiting at the other side of his desk for an interview.

"She does not seem to have the striking personality you may think necessary for selling bonds. But there is something about her eyes that I should think would take the trick. And she's very intelligent."

Tom Venner had not noticed her eyes as she came in the room, he had merely noticed with a trifle disappointment that she was a young woman of middle size and not commanding appearance, who made no special effect when she came in the room.

Then, as he turned to talk to her, she lifted her eyes, sober, light brown eyes they were, with exquisitely moulded brows. They were eyes that, had he never seen them again, he could not have forgotten—trustful and trust compelling, eyes that made you forget everything else save the personality of the young woman who owned them.

"I think you could sell bonds, or anything else," Tom said, trying not to look at the eyes, lest he be too easily influenced. "The question is whether you are willing to learn enough about bonds to know how to do it."

Jane Hayden said she knew she could learn, as she was used to study, and after an arrangement had been agreed upon—whereby she was to be paid as much for what she did as a man salesman—she was formally taken into the employ of Yates and Venner.

Mr. Yates remarked to Tom that he had certainly picked a pair of good eyes, adding: "But can she sell bonds?"

Tom Venner said, "We'll see."

Jane Hayden soon proved her ability as a saleswoman. She sold bonds and more bonds, and she was always on hand when either Tom Venner or Mr. Yates wanted to see her. She never seemed to have to play golf or eat lunch or go motoring with the people to whom she sold the bonds. By all means she was the best bond "salesman" they had.

"Here's something that I don't suppose you've thought of," said Mr. Yates. "Here we've got a first-rate bond salesman. She has learned the business and she's making money for us and for herself. And not being a man she isn't ambitious. She won't want to start out for herself. That was my idea about getting a woman—"

"Your idea!" cried Tom. "I don't remember that it was your idea."

"I didn't say much," smiled Mr. Yates, "but that morning I asked you to get a girl—that was the idea I had in view. There's no reason now why this Miss Hayden shouldn't remain with us for years."

"No reason but one," said Tom Venner hastily and with color mounting in his already rather ruddy face. "She might marry some one in the business—"

"Well, as I am a married man myself," said Mr. Yates with a conceited smile, "and as Trigger can't get his divorce and as Royden is about a foot shorter than Miss Hayden, and as Ben Short is engaged, I don't see much to worry about."

"What about me?" cried Tom.

"You?" gasped Mr. Yates. "Does the care about you? Well, I'm blessed." Then he laughed.

"She's got wonderful eyes," said Mr. Yates, "but it's bad business for you to take her away from the firm."

Guide to Wealth

Buy when the crowd is selling and sell when the crowd is buying. Watch the way the crowd is going and go the other way if you want to make money.—Southern Agriculturist.

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Will James and family of Cooper and Mr. and Mrs. Geo. James spent Monday evening at L. Woodruff's.

M. Wilmot and family and Paul Cheney of Mason attended the tulip show in Holland Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl James, Mr. and Mrs. Clair Woodruff, Mrs. Alma Lee, Mr. and Mrs. Will Harrison, of Kalamazoo, Robt. Banks and family and Fred Powers of Bloomingdale were Sunday evening visitors at L. Woodruff's.

Elmer Forster and family were Saturday night and Sunday guests at L. Woodruff's.

Otis Norman and family, Mrs. Mildred Alfred and Charles Miner called on Mr. and Mrs. L. Woodruff Sunday morning.

Mrs. Vivian Minnenga and friend of Kalamazoo called at Ray Harper's and Fred Saye's Sunday evening.

Move by the Calendar

When we think of nomads we invariably picture in our minds a people who wander from place to place picking up a living here and there as they go. Yet this is not a correct idea of nomad life as it was lived in Asia. It is true that in many parts of Asia, as well as in many parts of other countries, there are certain small tribes of gypsies and nomads who lead this kind of an existence. But in Asia, for centuries, thousands and thousands of Tartars, Armenians, Kurds and Yezidis have migrated from the lower regions to higher places for the summer. Allago is a great mountainous mass in the western part of Armenia, and the favorite summer resort of these people. Although they live in tents, their life is just as real as their winter life in villages. Babies are born, grandmothers die, gardens are made and sheep and cattle are fattened.

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Mortgage Foreclosure

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the mortgage dated March 24th, 1927, given by Ethelyn Holdeman, as mortgagor, to Joseph Pelong, as mortgagee, covering the land described as:

The Southeast Quarter (SE 1/4) of the Northeast Quarter (NE 1/4) of Section Two (2), Town One (1) South, Range Fourteen (14) West, Van Buren County, Michigan,

which mortgage was recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Van Buren County, on March 25, 1927, in liber 122 of mortgages, page 603, 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 25th day of June, 1932, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day.

The amount claimed to be due on said mortgage, for principal, interest and taxes paid, at the date of this notice, is the sum of Eight Hundred Fifty-five and 20-100 Dollars (\$855.20), besides costs of foreclosure and attorney's fees.

DATED, March 29th, 1932.

JOSEPH PELONG,

Mortgagee.

DAVID ANDERSON,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Business Address, Paw Paw, Michigan

Mortgage Foreclosure

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the mortgage dated October 25, 1926, given by J. A. Harris and Blanche Harris, his wife, as mortgagors, to FIRST STATE BANK, of Gobles, Michigan, a Michigan corporation, mortgagee, covering the land described as:

The south sixty (60) acres of the east half (E 1/2) of the Southeast quarter (SE 1/4) of Section Three (3), Town Two (2) South, Range Fourteen (14) West, Van Buren County, Michigan;

which mortgage was recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Van Buren County, on October 29th, 1926, in liber 122 of Mortgages, page 534, will be foreclosed by a 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 2nd day of July, 1932, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day.

The amount claimed to be due on said mortgage, for principal and interest, at the date of this notice is the sum of \$2,477.11, besides costs of foreclosure and attorney's fees.

FIRST STATE BANK
OF GOBLES, MICHIGAN,
Mortgagee.

DAVID ANDERSON,
Attorney for Mortgagee.

Business Address: Paw Paw, Mich.

DATED, April 5th, 1932.

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



Cool, frosty weather will be the general tendency during the first couple days of the week of May 22nd in most parts of Michigan. Damage to garden truck, fruit trees and berry bushes are more or less certain at this time unless proper precautions are taken to prevent.

About Tuesday temperatures will probably stop their downward trend and there is a probability there will be a slight upward turn. In either case, we are not expecting high temperatures during this week.

During the middle days of this week weather conditions will be rather backward. The skies will be overcast; there will be showers of rain, some wind and with the low temperatures, germinating and growing conditions will be rather poor.

Grains, meadows and pasture should do very well during this week, but we do not believe fruit pollination will go on very rapidly. Warm, dry days are best for the bees to gather honey, at which time they pollinate the various flowers which they visit.

Cool Weather in June

The beginning and end of this week will be generally cool for the season in most parts of Michigan. The weather will continue more or less cool during opening days of next week, but will then show an upward tendency until near the middle of June. From this time until after the 20th of the month there will be another cool spell.

The above mentioned conditions will retard the growth of corn somewhat. In fact, a cool May and June are not synonymous with a good corn harvest and unless the warm weather we are expecting during the latter part of June gets in its work, the Michigan crop of corn will not be good. An example of this condition fell in 1924 when weather was consistently cool during May and first half of June, resulting in late planting and replanting and a consequent poor harvest.

Dinner Stories

The Unique Antique

A little man with eager eyes struck his head through my office door.

"I've got a valuable antique for sale," he said.

"Something totally different, something that hasn't been seen around the city in years. It's cheap, too."

"You can't interest me today, my friend," I said. "I've got a houseful of the stuff."

"This," shouted the enthusiastic stranger, "is an original—an honest-to-goodness, bona fide original."

"Furniture?" I asked.

"No, sir."

"Old bottles?"

"Something much more valuable, something so rare, so old-fashioned that—"

"Cut the sales talk and come to the point. What is it?"

"An ice wagon," he said, "complete with rear platform, rusty scales and a set of harness."—Judge.

No Charge!

Sandy, who owned a theater in Dundee, went to London to get some ideas for advertising.

While walking through the great city, he saw a notice outside a movie to the effect that all persons over eighty years of age would be admitted free.

"Just the thing," he told himself. The following day Sandy returned to his native town and the first thing he did was to put a notice outside his own theater, which read:

"All persons over 80 years of age will be admitted free, if accompanied by their parents."—Answers.

A Parting Shot

He had proposed and the girl had turned him down.

"Ah, well," he sighed dejectedly, "I suppose I'll never marry now."

The girl couldn't help laughing a little, she was so flattered.

"You silly boy!" she said. "Because I've turned you down, that doesn't mean that other girls will do the same."

"Of course it does," he returned with a faint smile. "If you won't have me, who will?"—Answers.

Not Half Stripped

During the hearing of a case, the judge was disturbed by a youth who kept moving about in the rear of the court.

"Young man," he exclaimed, "you are making a good deal of unnecessary noise. What are you doing?"

"I have lost my overcoat and am trying to find it," replied the offender.

"Well," said the judge, "people often lose whole suits here without all that fuss."—Philadelphia Public Ledger.

Bloom Still On

"Eliza," said a friend of the family to the old colored washer-woman, "have you seen Miss Edith's fiancé?"

"No, ma'am," she answered, "it ain't been in the wash yet."—Jack-O-Lantern.

Little Surprise

"Joe has a glass eye."

"Did he tell you that?"

"No; it just came out in the conversation."—The Wampus.

MAD LAUGHTER

A THRILLING MYSTERY STORY + by MILES BURTON

"Best part of a hundredweight, and an antique like that's worth its weight in gold," replied Ben. The joke seemed to appeal to the men, for they laughed heartily.

Dick, listening intently, his ear applied to the hole in the wall, was completely mystified. He remembered Dr. Weatherleigh saying that pigs of lead dating from Roman times had been found in the Mendips, and no doubt one of these was in the British Museum. But why on earth had these men gone to the trouble of copying it? Was the faking of antiques a branch of the Funny Toffs' activities? It was possible, but somehow unlikely. A man who could carry out a coup on the scale of the Hatton Garden robbery would hardly turn his hand to so inconsiderable a trade as this.

Still, whatever had been the motive, the pig was cast and the purpose for which the men had come here apparently accomplished. Dick had found inspiration in Ted's remark, that he was the only one who need wait. From that moment his plan of action was determined. As soon as the other two had gone, he would creep out of his hiding place and fall upon Ted unaware. Every detail was clear in his mind. His eyes, accustomed to the not quite complete darkness of the cellar, would enable him to avoid stumbling as he made his way out. From the door of the main cellar he ought to be able to see how Ted was sitting. If he had his back to him, it would all be simple enough. If not, he would have to take chances of a quick rush. Ted, if he remembered right, was a considerably smaller man than he was. He ought to find no difficulty in tying him up and gagging him.

Once Ted was disposed of, there remained the messenger. He was an unknown factor. The pig weighed the best part of a hundredweight, Ben had said. The messenger would, therefore, be certain to arrive with some sort of vehicle. Dick profoundly hoped that he would be driving it himself. The fewer people he had to tackle, the greater his chance for success. The messenger was obviously unknown to Ted, and it was fair to assume that Ted would be unknown to him. Dick would impersonate Ted, and bring the messenger into the works. As he was bending down to examine the pig, Dick would go for him. By that time he would have possessed himself of Ted's weapon, if he was carrying one. He would tie him up and lay him beside Ted. Then he would command two of the gang, and his information find a means of dealing with the driver if there happened to be one—and drive as fast as he could into Wells.

All sense of his personal danger left Dick at the prospect. With his own hands he would have captured at least two of the gang, and his information would enable the police to round up three more on board the Rosalie. Surely one of these agents was bound, intentionally or otherwise, to reveal some fact which would lead to the discovery of the principal! If so, it would be entirely owing to his own initiative, through the fertility of his own imagination, that the Funny Toff would be captured! He need fear no further sarcasm from Scotland Yard.

Unfortunately, this optimistic scheme seemed destined to delay. Ben and Arthur seemed to be in no hurry to go, and Dick was by no means prepared to attack the three of them. And then suddenly Ted spoke. "Stop the row a minute!" he exclaimed. "I believe I heard a car."

There was a moment's silence. "Yes, I thought so," continued Ted, rapidly. "It's turning at the end of the lane. It'll be the messenger right enough. I'm supposed to be here alone. You two clear out and hide in the little room. I don't know who he is, but it won't do for him to see you. Look sharp!"

Dick braced his nerves to the crisis which he knew had come at last. The little room could be none other than the cell in which he was himself concealed. He heard the two men enter the cellar and approach the iron door. He took up his stand beside it in such a position that he would not be seen immediately when the door opened.

It seemed to him an age before the door creaked on its hinges and the light of a torch shone into the room. Arthur was leading, with Ben close behind him. Dick waited until Arthur was just inside the door, then, putting all his force behind the blow, he swung his fist towards the point of the man's jaw. But, half dazzled by the unaccustomed light of the torch, he missed his aim, and struck the unsuspecting Arthur full on the shoulder. The man uttered a shout of amazement, and reeled heavily against the doorpost, the torch flying from his hands and leaving the cellar in darkness.

CHAPTER XLIV

"What's the matter, mate?" exclaimed Ben. "What did you chuck your torch away for? I can't see."

"Something fell on me and knocked it out of my hand," replied Arthur.

"Light a match, quick! I'm not going in there in the dark. I haven't been in these since—"

He was interrupted by Ted, who put his head through the door of the main cellar. "What the devil are you two chaps making all that row for the sake of getting into the little room and keep quiet. The car will be here any minute."

Arthur backed clear of the doorway, and Dick, with no very clear idea in his mind as to what he should do next, but determined at all costs to avoid being caught like a rat in a trap, rushed out past him. At the same moment Ben struck his match and, seeing him, uttered a roar like a bull. "There's someone in here, Ted!" he shouted. "Hold the door, he can't escape."

Then began a hunt, in which Dick was the rat and the three others the dogs. The men were either not armed or were afraid to use them for fear of hitting one another in the fitful light of the torch, which Arthur had now recovered. It was conducted in a silence broken only by the panting of hunters and hunted, and by shuffling of their feet.

At last Dick's foot slipped, and in a second they were on him. He kept his arms free long enough to strike out with all the desperation that he felt, and he felt his blows go home. But the odds were too great, and, after a titanic struggle, he was hurled to the floor, and his arms securely bound behind him.

"Where did this chap come from?" demanded Ted. "He must have been here all the time. Here, Arthur, show us your light, and let's have a look at him."

Dick felt himself brutally kicked over, until the light of the torch shone in his face. The three men leaned over him and then uttered a simultaneous expression of amazement. Ben was the first to speak. "Blast me if it isn't the bloke what came nosing round the Margate Jetty!" he exclaimed.

"Well, whoever he is, he won't nose any more," replied Ted, in a casual tone which made Dick's blood run cold. "He'll have to wait until I've finished with this messenger chap. Show something in his mouth, one of you, so that he can't call out, and then take him into the little room with you. If he tries to make a noise, knife him."

He hurried out of the cellar, while the other two dragged Dick to his feet and gagged him effectually. Then, half-carried and half-pushed, he was thrust into the cell that had been his hiding place. The two men followed him, shutting the door behind him. Suddenly Dick felt a sharp prick at his throat, and the voice of Ben whispered in his ear: "Feel that? That's the point of my knife. The first sound you make, in it goes to the hit."

Once more Dick heard the sound of the outer gate being opened and closed. But this time a car had evidently been driven into the yard, he could hear the sound of the engine. Then that stopped, and he heard the sounds of footsteps crossing the yard and entering the building. Dick could not distinguish the sounds so plainly as he had before, for he had been forced into the corner away from the aperture. But he could faintly hear Ted's voice, explaining that Professor Cobbold had been unable to keep his appointment. If, however, there was anything he could do—?

A second voice replied to him, a voice that thrilled Dick to the very center of his being. It was clear and penetrating, and every word rang like a clarion call through Dick's brain. "I expect that Professor Cobbold told you that I was coming to fetch the leaden pig which he has found?"

Even Dick's two captors could not restrain a start of astonishment at hearing the tones of a girl. For the voice was Alison's.

"I have it already for you, miss," replied Ted readily. "It's wrapped up in this paper. Perhaps you would like to see it."

There was a rustling of paper, and then Alison's voice again. "Yes, that's just how it was described to me. If you wouldn't mind helping me to put it in the back of the car—"

"Certainly, miss." Then the voices ceased, and Dick heard footsteps going out into the yard. The whirr of a self-starter, the steady beat of the engine, and then the heavy clang of the outer gate.

The men guarding him made no move until Ted returned and opened the iron door. "The Boss is a deep one," he exclaimed. "That girl now—a fair stunner she was. I wonder where she's bound for, and how the Boss means to get hold of the pig! She knows nothing about it, that I'll swear. Now then, what about this bloke you found? Captain Blackwood he called himself, didn't he?"

"He's here safe enough," replied Ben. "Lucky we found him before you were left alone."

"It's not lucky for him," said Ted menacingly. "There's only one thing

to be done, of course. He's tied up all right, I suppose?"

"Trust me for that!" exclaimed Ben. "He's not the first of 'em I've had to deal with."

"What are you going to do with him, Ted?" inquired Arthur in a shaky voice. "Hadn't we better ask the Boss before—?"

He left the remainder of the sentence unfinished, but there was very little doubt of his meaning. Dick lay quite still. Resistance was impossible.

Ted turned to Arthur viciously. "You always were a chicken-hearted skunk!" he said. "I wonder the Boss has put up with you so long. Perhaps you'd like to stop here with him, would you? Ask the Boss first! Why, don't you see, you fool, he's been in here all the time, listening? The Boss would murder me if I let him leave here alive. What do you say, Ben?"

"If you don't do him in, I shall," replied Ben simply. "I'm running no risks."

"Well, that's settled," said Ted. "There's plenty of the stuff left over from what we brought down for that detective chap. I'll let the Boss know, and if he wants the body we can come back later and get it. That second packing case will do, with a little patching up. Now you two fellows had better get off. I shall know where to find you if I want you."

Ben turned to Dick. "I warned you, Captain," he said complacently. "In that pub at Wapping, the first evening we met. Remember? I told you that if you tried to double-cross the Boss you'd long for an easy death. Well, as it happens, you're going to get it. You're luckier than some."

Ben left the place, taking Arthur with him. Dick heard their departing footsteps, and the clanging of the gate behind them. Ted made no remark until he and Dick were left alone. "I wonder how you found your way to this place, Mr. Penhampton," he said quietly. "However, it doesn't matter, since you won't leave it alive. You've been let off twice, but you can't expect to get away with it a third time. You've tempted Providence once too often."

He bent down and inspected Dick's bonds. His hands had been tied together behind his back with a piece of stout cord, and his mouth was securely gagged with a couple of filthy handkerchiefs. Ted seemed satisfied with his inspection, for he left the room without another word. He closed the iron door behind him, and Dick heard the grating of the bolt forced into its socket. Then there was the sound of a key being inserted in the door of the second of the small cellars, the one that was used as a storeroom. Dick heard the man he knew as Ted moving about in there, and then a strange hissing noise, the cause of which he could not place.

CHAPTER XLV

Ted seemed in no great hurry. He left the storeroom, locking the door behind him, and then passed into the outer room. There came a sound of hammering against the partition wall, as though something were being nailed to it. At last Dick heard Ted's footsteps as he left the place, and once more the dull clang of the outer gate. Then silence, and Dick knew that he was left alone to his fate.

What that fate was to be, he did not at first understand. The curious hissing noise continued, faintly heard above the moaning of the wind, which seemed if anything to have increased in intensity. But to this Dick paid no attention, his mind was full of the agony of his helplessness. Not so much on his own account, as on Alison's. For he understood at last the part which the devilish ingenuity of the Funny Toff had allotted to her in the matter.

His first impulse, when he heard her voice, had been to make some struggle, at whatever risk to himself, that would be heard in the outer room. His idea had been that she would be alarmed, that she would be enabled perhaps to make her escape from this sinister spot. But if she had not escaped! Any interference on his part would have led to her sharing his own fate; it would be folly to expect the gang to show consideration for anybody, man or woman, if their plans were threatened. No, it was better to let her leave the place.

The casting of the pig was now clear to him. The stones brought by Ben from Poole had been inserted in the molten metal, and the forged antique now contained the proceeds of the Hatton Garden robbery. That, of course, was why the stones had been brought to the mine. They were now safely hidden.

Even in Dick's present position, the ingenuity of the scheme forced itself upon him. He could piece it together from what he had overheard. Dr. Weatherleigh had been informed of the discovery of an ancient pig of lead in some old workings of the Mendips, by some one purporting to be Professor Cobbold. He had sent Alison to fetch it, in order that he might examine it. But it was never to be allowed to reach him, since an expert of

his standing would recognize it as a forgery at first glance. Somewhere on the road to Lestridge Hall Alison would be stopped and the pig taken from her. But—would she be allowed to continue her journey unharmed? Was not this the development which he had always feared? The Funny Toff had decided to avenge his own interference upon the woman he loved!

At this terrible prospect, Dick's self-control deserted him. He tore madly at the cords which bound him, strove savagely to dislodge the choking gag which filled his mouth. But his efforts were unavailing, and after a few moments of wild-eyed desperation, he staggered against the wall of his cell, and, unable to preserve his balance, rebounded and fell heavily to the floor.

The shock sobered him. If he were to save Alison, to save himself, he must at all costs keep calm and bring the whole power of his mind to bear upon the problem of escape. He lay for a while where he had fallen, striving desperately to think. Bound as he was, there was no means of escape from the cell. If only he would free his hands—

He became aware that a strange lassitude was creeping over him, that he was breathing deeply, almost gasping for breath. It must be the gag which was suffocating him. He tried to take a deep breath, but the effort choked him. A deadly weariness seemed to have overtaken him, numbing his muscles and his brain. The hissing noise rang in his ears, which throbbled dully with it. Then in a sudden access of understanding, he realized the manner of death which had been prepared for him.

In a wild panic he struggled to his feet, and leaned panting against the wall of his cell. Gradually his breath returned, his functions resumed their activities. But, if he were to escape, the fate of Inspector Brooks, he must find a means of escape at once.

He understood now the reason for Ted's visit to the storeroom, and the cause of the hissing noise which had followed it. The steel cylinders which he had seen through the crack in the door were carbon dioxide gas reservoirs, and the cell in which he was imprisoned was a lethal chamber. This accounted for the closely fitting doors, for the stuffing up of the hole in the wall. The hissing was the sound of the gas escaping from the cylinders, through a pipe which led into the cell. Being heavier than air, the gas would settle first on the floor, which accounted for the symptoms he had felt as he lay there. It would rise slowly, until it suffocated him.

This then was how Brooks had met his death, not by the clumsy method of lowering him into the shaft. Something of the terror which had left its traces on his face overcame Dick, as he listened to the hissing which told of the steady rise of the gas. And then he felt a cold draught playing upon him. With a sudden thrill of thankfulness, he realized that one slight chance had been afforded him. The wind, blowing through the damaged roof, sent stray currents of air down into the cell. This might at least dilute the gas, and delay its fatal rise.

The thought was like a tonic to him, and with it came a ray of hope. The hole in the wall was edged with rough bricks. If he could only reach them with his bound hands, he might possibly be able to fray the cord against them. He dashed across the cell, and found that by standing on tiptoe, he could manage to reach its lower edge. Frantically he began to chafe his wrists against the edge of the bricks.

His strained position became an agony, yet he persisted, gasping for breath, the sweat pouring from his forehead and blinding him. Then came a lull in the storm, the clean, fresh air no longer opposed the gas, which was rapidly filling the cell. Once more his breathing became labored, the awful lassitude crept over him, until he could no longer force his muscles to maintain their position. With a groan he sank down upon his heels, but, as he did so, he tore at his bonds with one last convulsive wrench. The cord, frayed by his efforts, cracked and yielded. His hands were free.

For a second he leaned against the wall, exhausted by his efforts, struggling for breath. Then he raised his bleeding wrists and with numbered fingers struggled with the handkerchief which gagged him. This done, he turned to the straw and canvas with which the hole was stuffed. He was working automatically now, struggling feebly against unconsciousness. The straw came away in his hands. Beyond it, on the far side of the wall, a board had been nailed across the opening.

This last blow almost overcame him. He staggered back, only by a superhuman effort saving himself from the fall from which he would never have risen.

Then, in one last access of despair, he hurled himself at the aperture, beating upon the board with his fists. It yielded half an inch or so, and he collapsed against the wall, his head in the opening, drinking in the faint current of air.

A few deep breaths revived him, and once more he battered at the board with his bare hands. At last it yielded and fell with a crash upon the floor of the outer room. A heaven-sent just of air swept into the cell. He was saved.

With the realization that he had escaped the death which had been prepared for him, Dick's mind returned to the danger which threatened Alison. He had no idea how much

time had elapsed since her departure; the outer room into which he looked was almost in darkness. He took out his watch and was just able to read the time. It was quarter past four.

One thing was quite plain, that there was no time to be lost. But, though he had averted the danger of suffocation, he was as far as ever from escaping from his prison. To attempt the door was hopeless, it was fastened with a bolt at least an inch in diameter. The hole in the wall was far too small to allow his body to pass, and there was no means of reaching the roof. He stood for a moment in thought and then an idea struck him. He had a small pen-knife in his pocket, and with this he began to attack the mortar between the bricks surrounding the opening. It was softer than he dared hope, and after a while he succeeded in removing one of the bricks. Three or four more, and he would be able to squeeze through.

It was maddeningly slow work, but in the course of an hour he had contrived to widen the hole enough for him to crawl through into the outer room. Almost exhausted as he was by his recent experiences, the climbing of the gate seemed to him an insuperable obstacle. It was, however, an easier task from inside than from without; the battens to which the planks of the gate were nailed afforded him some sort of foothold. Painfully he clambered up, poised himself on the top, and prepared to descend. Then his bruised and torn hands relaxed their grasp and he fell heavily to the ground outside.

He lay for a few moments, half-stunned, then wearily picked himself up. A faint twilight still covered the moor, across which swept the rear-guard of the gale, angry biting squalls, bringing a stinging sleet with them. He bent his head and staggered forward into the teeth of the wind.

His purpose was clear. He must reach Wells, and there get into touch with Dr. Weatherleigh on the telephone. He would know Alison's plans—the road she proposed to take on her return journey. Then the police could be told to look out for the car, and to take her car to some place of safety—if only, by the time they were warned, it was not too late!

Dick dragged himself on, forcing his will to overcome the utter weariness of his limbs. Suddenly, ahead of him he saw a pair of lights. He stopped and peered anxiously towards them. There were no houses in that direction, he felt sure. Could this be some of the gang, returning to dispose of his body? He left the road and lay down behind some gorse.

The light drew nearer and very soon Dick's ears caught the sound of a horse's hoofs. They drew nearer still, until Dick could make out the outlines of the advancing vehicle. It was the trap in which he had driven from the station the previous night. (To be continued.)

Make Study of Metal Losses

A sidelight on the way in which the science quietly working with complex problems in secluded laboratories, contributes directly to the progress of industry and the preservation of our natural resources, is seen in a report of research in the melting and casting of brass and similar metals, a major industry which has annually lost millions of dollars in metal gases escaping up the chimney, or in the scum of its melting pots, good for nothing but the dump heap.

Copper, zinc and lead, melted together into brass or other alloys, are among the most important of metals, serving in thousands of capacities from automobile parts to bathroom fixtures. All of them, however, are peculiar in that when at the high temperatures needed for melting, they are liable to volatilize off as gas, which escapes up chimney flues, or to combine with the oxygen in the hot gases of the furnace, producing large amounts of scum or dross which finds no end but the dump. From the enormous tonnage of these metals melted each year the industry has had to charge off huge money losses as unavoidable waste.

In the University of Michigan Department of Engineering Research, a study of this problem began in 1928, under Professor C. Upthegrove and A. J. Herzig, research associate. Hundreds of tests were made in furnaces in which accurate records could be kept of temperatures and the kinds of gases present in the furnace. In alloys containing high proportions of zinc, they found that a scum or coating of oxidized metal was valuable, since it prevented the evaporation of the volatile zinc. Copper or lead are less volatile, however, and in these cases it was the dross which accounted for most of the metal shrinkage. Various fluxes, or melting aids, might be used to control these conditions. Temperatures, length of time allowed for heating and the amount of oxidizing gases allowed to make possible large savings on metal losses.

Potent

Customer: "Why do you wear rubber gloves when cutting hair?"

Barber: "For the purpose of keeping our celebrated hair restorer from causing hair to grow on my hands."

He sold a bottle.

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WEST STATERS ON SCHOLARSHIP LIST

Fifty-six students of Western State Teachers college have been honored with places on the high scholarship list. Of this number fifteen made an all-A record.

The high scholarship list includes: Kathleen Anderson, Muskegon; Richard Balden, Plainwell; Vivian Chase, Greenville; Maria Clark, Grand Rapids; Russell Cosper, St. Johns; John Cuber, Bangor; Marion Dennert, Hart; Shirley Denton, Lawrence; John Freh, Grand Haven; Jean Glerum, Ewart; Sadie Glover, Onokama; Beryl Helms, Grand Rapids; Harriet Kaye, Paw Paw; Florence Lowrey, Ionia; Margaret Merrick, Hastings; Theresa Miller, Middleville; Virginia Miller, Grand Rapids; Aileen R. Moore, Eaton Rapids; Elizabeth Morrison, Bangor; Leila Robinson, Petoskey; Elisa Rosendall, Grand Rapids; Anna Schoenherr, Custer; Charles A. Smith, Paw Paw; Sylvia Dorothy Steenman, Grand Rapids; Alice Taylor, Charlotte; Marian Walden, Grand Rapids.

Those who made an all-A record include: Vivian Chase, Greenville; John Cuber, Bangor; Marion Dennert, Hart; Harriet Kaye, Paw Paw; Virginia Miller, Grand Rapids; Leila Robinson, Petoskey; Anna Schoenherr, Custer; Sylvia Dorothy Steenman and Marian Walden, Grand Rapids.

Well Placed Vines, If Properly Chosen, Add Beauty to Yard

There is much beauty in vines properly chosen and well placed. A little thought regarding the purpose for which each vine is planted will enable you to choose the proper one.

Many vines have a particular value in their flowers, such as climbing roses, wisteria and clematis. These are all adaptable to lattices and trellis. Vines with a climbing habit and heavy foliage have their place in screening and completely covering large spaces. The Virginia creeper, Dutchman's pipe, Clematis, bittersweet and honeysuckle, are examples. They make excellent coverings for pergolas.

Sometimes it is fruiting qualities that are desired. The bittersweets, matrimony vines, climbing roses and others have attractive fruits for picking or for winter color and interest.

As important as the choice of vines, is their proper placing. Vines on houses should enhance the architecture and not obliterate it from view. The outside chimney usually seems cold and unattractive, without the companionship of a vine.

Officers Are Named By Zeeland Classes

Class elections for freshmen, sophomores and juniors for next year were held in Zeeland high school recently. These officers are elected in the spring by a regular ballot system; each candidate desiring to represent his class must get 170 per cent of the names of his classmates or his petition in order to have his name placed on the election ballot. The following were elected:

Sophomores—President, Leon Faber; vice president, Everly Wissink; secretary, Winnifred Boone; treasurer, Robert Donia; council members, June Kieft and Laverne Van Kley; editor, Mary Plasman.

Juniors—President, Donald Van Yiere; vice president, Eva VanZorn; secretary, Caroline Vogel; treasurer, Willis Welling; council members, Zelma Hendricks and Paul Wolterink; editor, Clarence Shoemaker.

Seniors—President, Lester DeKoster; vice president, Hugh DePree; secretary, Alberttha Vander Kooi; treasurer, Marvin Heyboer; council members, Minnie Van Eden and Henry Vandenberg; editor, Alta VanderKooi.

The freshmen will elect their officers in September.

Club Boys, Girls To Visit Chicago

Two hundred or more members of western Michigan 4-H clubs will celebrate the close of their year's work June 30 with a one-day trip by train to Chicago via the Pennsylvania and New York Central railroads. A special train will be made up and the youngsters will enjoy greatly reduced round-trip excursion rates.

County agricultural agents in Kent, Ottawa, Muskegon, Montcalm, Newaygo, Allegan and Barry counties now are making arrangements for the party. Owing to the limited accommodations the excursion has been restricted to persons either in 4-H clubs or interested in this work in the seven counties.

The sight-seeing trip in Chicago will include a two-hour visit at the Union stockyards and a leading meat packing plant, an inspection tour of a newspaper office, the World fair building, now under construction, Soldiers' field, parks, museums and other places of interest in the nation's second largest city.

Worth-While Saving

Sandy (to his daughter): "Young McPherson has asked me for your hand, and I have consented." Daughter: "You dear old dad!" Sandy: "So never mind going to the dentist's now to have that tooth pulled—wait until you are married."

Gowns in Black and White



A gown of white faille has ruffles of pale blue introduced between the flaring skirt, open at front. This is worn with a greenish blue velvet jacket of finger tip length. Seen at the Boeuf.

Speaking of Style

By IRENE VAIL

New York—One of the kindnesses the depression has done for us is to simplify our mode of living and therefore, our modes of dress as well. If you decide to "middle aisle" it in cotton instead of heirloom lace this year, more power to you. If the idea has a home-made sound to you, it must be because you have been too preoccupied to notice that the sophisticates have chosen organdie for the swankiest sort of parties, and that cotton laces have had the preference over silk ones. Organdie can be very chic and is not necessarily naive. It may be fashioned over taffeta, or over a starched lace, and a little bird tells me that brides of considerable importance are going to choose it for themselves, and for their maids.

One naturally thinks of leghorn hats in connection with organdie, and they are adding the charm of their wide brims, or their piquant Watteau ones, to the organdie frock. Both types may be trimmed with ribbon, or flowers, or a combination of the two. When there is a belt to the frock, it is ribbon; when there is no belt, the high waistline is accented with flow-

Calls Tuberculosis Childhood Disease

That tuberculosis is one of the most dangerous diseases of childhood is the significant fact brought out by Dr. Henry C. Chadwick in an article appearing in the current issue of Michigan Out-of-Doors, publication of the Michigan Tuberculosis Association. "More children and adolescents die from tuberculosis than from any of the other common diseases of childhood," states Dr. Chadwick in disproving the popular notion that the disease usually develops in adult life. "This is because tuberculosis in the primary form produces no characteristic symptoms by which it can be recognized or even suspected, and the changes in the lung are so slight that a physician cannot detect the disease by the usual method of physical examination."

The only satisfactory means of discovering tuberculosis in children, Dr. Chadwick points out, is through use of

ers, which are made to serve so many decorative purposes just now.

Among the dainty floral accessories particularly appropriate for weddings is the flower muff. This is a diminutive affair, carried high and usually repeating the flowers used for the hat.

Perhaps you are not to be a bride, but queen of the May, or a girl graduate of the type once described as sweet. In any case, you are quite likely to be determined to do your big scene in organdie.

Repeating a print in the hat is a clever little trick bearing the 1932 date line. Hat and scarf bear rather more than a family resemblance to each other this spring. The band around your hat or the bow on it may be reflected in the splashy bow worn just under the chin, or in the scarf which is otherwise arranged, but still close to the neck. There are many attractive pins and clips for holding the scarf in position. The twisted scarf and the braided one are both in high favor. These usually involve either two or three colors. Sometimes the color contrast is worked out by making the opposite ends of the scarf contrast with each other.

the tuberculin skin test followed by X-ray pictures.

Demonstrating the value of these tests in surveys made to date in five Michigan communities, the Michigan Tuberculosis Association has found that between three and four out of each hundred high school students examined have the childhood type tuberculosis. Another one in each hundred is a suspicious case. The adult type tuberculosis has been found in one out of every thousand students.

Interested parents can secure without cost copies of the magazine containing Dr. Chadwick's article by writing to the Michigan Tuberculosis Association, Lansing. As a special item prepared for the April "Early Diagnosis Campaign," free distribution of the magazine is made possible by funds secured in the sale of tuberculosis Christmas seals.

"That fellow's driving his car so carefully that I think he must be a new driver."

"No, he just paid cash for the car."

Longings

By Dorothy E. Sparrow

Just to stand on top of a hill,
And let soft breezes ruffle my hair;
To gaze on a lake so placid and still,
And smell the fragrance of flowers fair;
To see a bird take off in flight,
From a pine tree standing alone and tall;
To watch and be a part of this,
Til night with her mantle covers all.

To gaze at the glowing silver bowl
Of the Moon, and see the cloud-banks roll
Like gusts of smoke across the sky,
So thin and graceful, so far and high.
To watch the stars with their silver beams
Piercing the dark like futile dreams;
Then lulled by the crickets' drowsy song,
On Nature's bosom, sleep sound and long.

Use Friday's Fish For Appetizing Saturday Breakfasts

There is no reason to economize or to hesitate over attractive Friday fish dishes, when any materials that are left over can be utilized to give variety and new zest to Saturday's breakfast. Either fresh, canned or cured fish lends itself well to unusually attractive and satisfying breakfast dishes.

Here is an unusual recipe in which canned fish can be used as well as leftover fresh fish. Make a mush by sitting one cup of corn meal into three and one-half cups of vigorously boiling water to which two teaspoons of salt have been added. Stir constantly to prevent sticking until the meal is well mixed with the water and the mixture begins to thicken, then set in a double boiler and cook for three hours. Add two cups of flaked fish with all skin and bones removed and one-fourth teaspoon of pepper for seasoning.

Turn the mixture into a well buttered loaf pan and set in the ice box overnight. In the morning cut in slices about one-half inch thick, and dip in flour. Fry in hot fat until golden brown in color. Serve very hot with tomato sauce or any good fish sauce.

This recipe, which makes a delicious entree for an informal supper, calls for smoked fish. Soak one-half pound of thinly sliced smoked salmon in water overnight. Drain. Hold a green sweet pepper over your gas flame until the skin is sufficiently blistered to rub off. Wash and cut the fish into long shreds. Meanwhile melt a tablespoon of butter in a frying pan, add two medium sized onions, sliced, and the green pepper. Cook until soft and add one cup of drained canned tomatoes and the salmon. Cook until the salmon separates into small pieces. When you are almost ready to serve pour five slightly beaten eggs into the hot mixture, stir rapidly with a fork and season with salt and pepper. Serve as soon as the eggs are "set."

An excellent luncheon dish can be made from canned or left over salmon or other fish in the form of short cakes. Make a biscuit dough from two cups flour, four teaspoons baking powder, one-half teaspoon salt, two tablespoons butter and one cup of milk. Work lightly with the fingertips and pat on a floured board until one-half inch thick. Cut with a small biscuit cutter and bake for fifteen minutes in a hot oven.

Make a white sauce from two tablespoons melted butter, two tablespoons flour and one pint of hot milk. Stir until the sauce is thick then season with salt and pepper, one tablespoon of chopped parsley and one hard boiled egg mashed fine. A tablespoon of capers may also be added if you like the flavor. Keep the sauce hot.

When the biscuits are done, split them and butter generously. Flake one pound of cold boiled salmon or the contents of a pound can, add to the sauce and allow it to heat through without stirring. Pour the sauce between and over the hot biscuits. Garnish with parsley and paprika.

Menus

Breakfasts
Stewed Prunes in Orange Juice
Smoked Salmon and Scrambled Eggs on Toast
Corn Meal Muffins
Coffee Milk
Stewed Figs
Fried Fish Mush or Finnan Haddie
Fritters with Tomato Sauce
Poached Eggs
Wholewheat-Date Muffins
Hot Chocolate

Coffee connoisseurs, even during times of economic stress, can't stave off an urge to get the best quality on the market. But the best is apt to be the most expensive. Good coffee, however, is a luxury which they need not deny themselves. For, as anyone familiar with the preparation of coffee knows, good coffee is not much more than a matter of strength, and it takes less coffee of the better kind to make a good cup of coffee than of the cheaper varieties.

In Europe, lettuce and endive generally are not served in salad form and as an accompaniment to the main course, as they are over here. The European looks upon these greens as vegetables, and as such, cooks them, pretty much in the same manner as we cook and serve cabbage—and serves it as a part of the main course along with the meat or fish.

Modes and Manners

Question: "So many persons of whom I have never heard before have been presented at court, especially in England, in the past few years, that I have often wondered if this is a privilege anyone may have. If so, will you please tell me how one goes about getting himself presented to royalty at court?"

Answer: Those wishing to be presented at court have to "pull wires" through their Ambassador in the foreign country in order to gain this privilege. It is up to him to decide if one is eligible. However, the matter does not rest with him; he must then communicate with certain authorities with whom the final decision rests. Just what decides one's eligibility is a question of speculation. It may be wealth, or social or political prominence.

You and Your Child

By JANE HERBERT GOWARD

CHILD TRAINING OFTEN PURPOSELESS

When one stops to think how unknowing parenthood finds us and how comprehensively vast a study child training in its many angles is—why it is a wonder that wanted babies are born at all.

But whether parenthood is accidentally brought about or deliberate, after the baby is born he is taken immediately into his parents' hearts and room is made for him in their lives. Whatever mistakes may be made in his upbringing from this point on will be accidental, as the parents' intentions are of the best and their hopes for his welfare in the nature of a personal ambition.

They may blunder along, doing what they think is right for years. Other children to come may be subjected to the same sort of training. And all the while this parent-child relationship from the parents' point of view is known as child training, though his parents may never have stopped in the course of their dealings with him to ask themselves what they are training him for. If he responds as they want him to, then he is well trained, whereas if he opposes their wishes, no matter how selfish, inconsiderate or unjust, why then he is poorly trained. But not because they, his parents, haven't done their share. No, siree; but rather because the child himself did not respond.

Most of the problems of family life grow out of this parental attitude, the parents having failed to make allowances for the child's individuality. They love their children and may make little sacrifices every day. Some mothers give up promising careers. Others are ill as the result of child bearing. They all expect the child to realize what they have sacrificed and done for him and to show his gratitude by pleasing them.

The parent-child relationship precludes harmony when it is so deliberately one-sided. There is but one power and one voice, of which the

child's, to be heard at all, must be an echo. He has no choice but to conform. If he is high-spirited, he cannot, try as he may, as involuntarily the force of his personality asserts itself. Thus he may develop negativism, or he may live a dual life, conforming to all appearances while taking his fate into his own hands when there is no danger of discovery. Some children learn to tell lies, practicing on their parents in order to escape punishment.

Any young child can be taught to conform, if it is made clear to him through punishments and rewards what is expected of him. And as long as he is under the influence of the parent, or parents, responsible for his submissiveness, he behaves. But the minute they leave him alone, with a neighbor or with other children, he proves that he cannot be trusted. He runs wild, doing the reverse in every case to what he has been taught. He is a pest and a nuisance to all the world but his own adoring mother who, poor woman, has a terrible responsibility on her shoulders. All her life she will have to be on hand to dictate and to direct him, for he hasn't an independent leg to stand on.

Under the present system, we may be czars or democratic in dealings with our offspring. Whichever course is followed, parents have no one to answer to, however. If they are conscientious they will want to answer to themselves. But how?

By asking themselves questions, of course. Take the question, "What am I training him (or her) for?" If the answer is, "To be self-reliant," it will occur simultaneously with the question. If prompted repeatedly it should serve as a check up or check on a course of action planned or already taken. It makes it possible for the parent to make few blunders and for the child to get a squarer deal. Children recognize fair play and are quick to respond. The only time children abuse their rights is when they haven't very many. Then they are forced to be opportunists.

Your Handwriting—and What It Tells

By JANET WINTON

Scripts of Brother and Sister Unrelated

"Dear Janet Winton: Would it interest you to analyze the scripts of a sister and brother of degrees of altruistic qualities and fellowship between the two?"

Both scripts show altruistic impulsiveness, but whereas in you this

capacity for placing yourself in the other fellow's shoes, so that another's need becomes personal and the energies directed toward correction are inspired and of a constructive nature.

Lower case "f" in your script takes a unique form as the illustration shows and for unselfish reasons. Indeed this style of "f" is known as altruistic "f" among graphologists. It is

fellowship between the and rights to any

quality is tempered with sophistication, in your sister it exists more for want of resistive force. She is easy-going and not very decisive, though by no means weak in the sense that she is easily won over to unimproving practices. Broadly defined she is an apostle of the obvious. She does not have the same depth and breadth of vision which temperament and experience in your script show you to have.

Her script is round, gulleless and childish. She is trusting and if a given line of action strikes her as being not wrong or not unwise, then it must be right. She is suggestible and easily led. Among other traits, she has a practical turn of mind and is an earnest worker, though wanting in initiative for lack of confidence in her own abilities. Upper loops and other forms above the line show your sister to be extremely optimistic. This has developed a fatalistic attitude toward life. She lives in her imagination and waits for her wishes to be realized.

Your natures and needs are totally different. Excerpts here from both handwritings show this more adequately than words could. The backhand tilt in your script and the restless irregularity of letter size and structure show you to be complex and that your emotional and mental experience is richer. Your altruism therefore is not merely a practical solution to an obvious need. It is mingled with sympathy. You have the

soft and flowing, and a single little twist does the trick. Ordinarily this letter is awkward, but in having adopted the altruistic form of "f" you unconsciously reflect that kindly impulses find self-expression with natural grace.

Triangular "i" markings show a sense of values. You are analytic, and your high mindedness makes you critical of yourself and those you love. You have the capacity for suffering, but I suspect that you suffer most keenly from disappointment. Your point of view is modern and advanced, and apparently you are a man of education. You are tender, soft and impressionable. You are social minded and probably radical in your political ideas.

That you are easily affected by stupidities is shown in tapering "l" bars. That your annoyance often finds expression in biting comment is shown in the downward direction which these crossings take. However, you do not bear resentment. Because allowed expression and because you do not mind words, your pique soon is dispelled.

Your sister is dependable because not subject to the changes of mood which you experience. Sometimes her phlegmatic qualities get on your nerves and you show your annoyance, but generally you appreciate her for what she is and on the whole you are an amicable pair.

W. C. T. U. to Meet At Holland in '33

Fifth district Women's Christian Temperance union selected Holland as their convention city for 1933 at the closing session at Grand Rapids recently.

Henry E. Straight, former state senator from the Ninth district, in an address before the convention said that dry elements in the United States will back Hoover for renomination and election.

Fire Losses Mount

Tabulation of fire company reports, just completed by the Michigan Insurance Department, shows a loss ratio for 1931 of 57.47 per cent, as compared with 55.24 per cent in 1930. It is the worst record since 1926, when the loss ratio was 58.27. Total fire premiums collected amounted to \$20,115,116, as compared with \$22,819,252 in 1930.

"Now, Johnny, what do you think a land flowing with milk and honey would be like?" "Sticky!"

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case, and the shortage of more than 2,000,000 cases on May 1 as com-
pared with a year ago is the greatest in nearly 20 years. The holdings in
the United States are given at 2,980,000 cases on May 1, compare 1 with
5,162,000 on May 1 a year ago, showing a decrease of 2,182,000 cases,
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