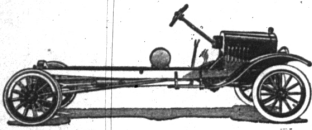


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IRVING S. COBB'S name is a household word wherever the English language is spoken. He is generally recognized in the newspaper and magazine world as the ablest reporter, and the cleverest special writer, in America today. His appearance on the Yucatan at this time is especially noteworthy, inasmuch as he has recently returned from the trip to the Western Front, where he has been reporting the events in the great World War for the Saturday Evening Post.

Mr. Cobb's first visit to the war zone, immediately after the breaking out of hostilities, which he reported for the Post, established his claim as a war reporter. His articles were later incorporated in a volume, "Paths of Glory" (Doran), which has gone into several editions.

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We are happy to announce the lifting of the ban, and with that the resumption of services on the coming Sabbath at the following hours:

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ALL OVER

Louis King, of Troy, is painting his new silo.
School again opened at the Log Cabin Monday.
For safety the Leonard School is closed for a while.
The little son in the Vincent family, in Troy has the Flu.
Let the Big-Beverites prepare for building a large new schoolhouse soon.
The influenza is in the John Blacker family upon the Hendrie farm in Bloomfield.
Mrs. Charles Spense is the housekeeper at the Log Cabin School Hospital at Council Corners.
The mother of Mrs. A. G. Gibbs is up in her nineties, and well cared for by her beloved daughter.
Big Beaver has one family with the Spanish Flu, who are interned at the Council Corner's hospital.
Christ Grato, of Troy, being on the sick list. Likewise, Mrs. Fred Grato, of Troy. Later—With good care the sick are improving.

Lawrence Lowery of Troy, has given money rent for 40 acres of land high by him off from the Fred W. Heide farm on the 17-mile road.
Ed Landau, of Royal Oak township, will have his work done this week by finishing his 160-rod contract to the Council Corners ditch.
Mrs. Wm. Hill at the Red Run, in Royal Oak Township, died with heart trouble last week and her funeral was held from the house last Saturday.
John Vokes, of Troy, is so as to be around on his sprained ankle by means of crutches, caused some time ago by falling off the wagon while filling a silo.

Carl Renshaw, of Coldrain recently broke down with a load of potatoes near James Renshaw's, whose wagon he borrowed and continued on his way to Detroit.

Harold Haggan has moved from the tenant house upon the Arthur King farm in Troy, to the Ernest Sweet farm as tenancy and help by the month for a year.

Frank Tessel, of Detroit, has arranged a purchase of 20 acres of land of Thomas Cole of Troy, uncle to his wife, and is now busy building a house thereon to live in.

Mrs. Anna Bickman, of Half Way, in Macomb County, Mich., recently died of pneumonia at her Father Spensa's home in Detroit. She was a sister of Charles Spense at Council Corners.

Thebe Converse, of Birmingham, was taken by Fred Parks to Harper Hospital, Detroit, to enlighten himself upon his ailments, which are very sore and serious. Mrs. Converse is in very poor health.

A party left on the 7th inst.—C. R. Vincent, Royal Oak; F. L. Vincent, Birmingham; J. W. Vincent, Utica, and Robert C. Vincent, of Mt. Clemens, all brothers—for a deer hunting trip, around Ozark in the U. P. of Michigan.

A lady in Troy differs from sister neighbors around her by keeping a closed door to the house traveling and mercantile bargain friend, on account of the fear of taking the influenza from him Oh how foolish, and where is common sense to thus provoke your friend to disgust with you?

Fred Moore recently left his brother-in-law's, Part Hoard's, for near Linden, Mich., where his farm is rented, for a while, to overtake his business, and then he will go to meet his wife in his daughter's home at Bridgewater, Pa. That is where Mrs. Moore went, instead of Bridgeport, Conn., as staged some time ago.

George King, of Coldrain was on his way to Detroit one day recently with auto and single wagon trailer loaded with potatoes, when, about 6 o'clock in the morning Mr R. F. Stubbard, contractor and builder at Royal Oak, with his auto ran into the rear of King's auto, smashing it so he had to take the potatoes off the wagon and carry them to the market for Mr. King.

Men's single pieces of heavy double-fleeced underwear, ribbed or flat stitch, price now \$1.50 to \$2.00 a piece. All cotton and union suits of the same weight are \$2.50 to \$3.50 a piece, and part wool union suits are \$4.50 to \$5.50 underwear, single pieces, vests and pants are \$1.25 to \$2.00 a piece, and ladies' heavy fleeced cotton union suits are \$2.50 to \$3.00, with an uncertainty of getting or finding what you want, at any price.—See Codnor.

Another piece of unrationality is some in the district who want the brick schoolhouse at Coldrain torn down and a new one built up-to-date. This schoolhouse is as good as serviceable. It is located as an schoolhouse between Coldrain and Pontiac. This school has a fine experienced lady teacher, who keeps everything up in good and tasty order, and is attending well to the education of the scholars. Verily, I say, and very fine and leave well enough alone, without disturbing it or it will be an expense without just recompense for the cost.

TROY

Hazel Boise, Troy teacher, was home sick in bed the past week.
Relatives from Detroit at the Phelps' home to see the new baby.
Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Bellis leave for Cleveland last of the week.
Mrs. Harry Brisiobis, of Waldron Place, will have an auction.
Corporal Eugene Burrows is on the high seas, headed for Siberia.
Pearl Burrows returned to Toledo first of the week—Schools re-open.
The Embroidery Club met with Mrs. Bert Smiley, at Oxford, Wednesday.
Albert Wier and family have all moved from the Charles Leonard farm.
Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Bellis were dinner guests at Mrs. Glenn Hadden's Sunday.

Mrs. Lesley G. Phelps and infant daughter Jennett, are doing very nicely at this date.
C. Sullivan, of Almont has been at F. M. Churchill's, doing a lot of cement work the past week.

The influenza sick in this village are up and out all but the two Mrs. Bishops and little girl.

Miss Julia Lytle not very well of late. She is staying with a cousin, Mrs. Brinker, of Detroit.

The Red Cross Workers of Troy Village Auxiliary will meet with Mrs. O. Phillips for a few times.
The big house on the corner opposite the store is for rent or sale. Enquire of O. Phillips at Ford Garage, Troy Corners.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Churchill and Mr. and Mrs. O. Phillips were dinner guests Saturday at the Bridge home, in honor of Mr. Edward-Briggs's birthday.

Full of Cold— and the Grip.
Many will be pleased to read how Louis Newman, 506 Northrand Street, Charleston, West Virginia, was restored to health. He writes: "I was down sick and nothing would do me any good. I was full of cold. Had the grip until I got two 50c bottles of Foley's Honey and Tar. It is the best remedy for grip and colds I ever used." Sold everywhere.—Adv.

Southfieldburg

Emmie Parks was been sick the past week.

Mrs. Louis Shovan has been on the sick list.

Mrs. T. B. Miller and son Leon spent last Saturday in Detroit.

Mrs. Oscar Miller will entertain the Needlecraft next Wednesday.

Howard Spicer, of Franklin, lost a finger while helping push a Ford up hill.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Heth visited the latter's sister at Cass City last week.

Onal Russell is staying with Mrs. Sinclair Chissus, of Royal Oak, for a while.

Mrs. Sinclair Chissus has been very ill with blood poisoning, resulting from the Flu.

A good crowd was in attendance at the Willing Workers, held at the home of Mrs. Oscar Miller last week.

Ralph Powers, who is training at the Great Lakes Training Station, spent last Thursday with his aunt, Mrs. E. A. Smith.

Lynna Everett, who is training as a mechanic at the M. A. C. Training school, spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Orion Everett.

Arthur Baynes and Sam Bingham left here last Monday for a camp in South Carolina to learn how to lick the Kaiser, but when they reached Birmingham they received word that their Southfield boys had helped him the job so well that it would be no use for them to go.

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The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one drug that cures and that has been able to cure in all its stages and that is Catarrh. Catarrh being greatly minimized by constitutional conditions require constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Medicine is taken internally and acts upon the mucous surfaces of the System thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and restoring the vitality of the work. The proprietors have so much faith in the curative powers of Hall's Catarrh Medicine that they offer One Hundred Dollars to any person who can cure a case of Catarrh. Send for list of testimonials to address F. J. CHILDREN & CO., Toledo Ohio. Sold by all Druggists.

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