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## NEWCOMERSTOWN FOUNDRY NOTES

The Dust Arrestor has arrived and ready to be installed, which will take care of the dust that is now being blown out of the pipe in the cleaning sheds. This has been quite disagreeable for the workmen in this department and everyone will welcome the day when it is installed and working. The construction gang will apply themselves to this task just as quickly as they can be spared from the work they are now doing in the radiator foundry.

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Some more windows have been placed in the west side of the radiator machine shop to give better ventilation to that department. The construction gang did the work and of course it was done in record time.

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Since it has been almost impossible to get cars to ship our washed gravel, Newcomerstown is getting the benefit of it by having same hauled on the streets at a very nominal cost. While this works a hardship on the company, it is a splendid chance for the town to get the streets in first-class condition for travel, of the very best material that can be found for road purposes.

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As the work progresses in the radiator foundry installing the necessary appliances to make radiation the new way, everyone becomes more interested in the new system and all the boys feel that it is going to work out to their advantage and they naturally are anxious to get it started. Have patience, boys, it is being pushed with all possible speed and will come up to your expectations when completed.

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Chester Best of the Gasteam has been placed on time-study work and will prepare himself to take a very active part in figuring production bonus. This is a step in the right direction Chester, and here's hoping that you will make good in your new position.

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Wm. Eagon and Wm. Huston are assembling radiators in the Gasteam department. It takes the "Bills" to make things fly.

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Mr. R. W. Tempest has been engineering a gang of men placing new steel supports in the center of the pipe shop building. The work has to be done at night so as to not interfere with the day work of making pipe, and is coming along very rapidly.

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Geo. Adams needs some good men in the cleaning sheds and if any of you have friends that want good, steady employment there, communicate with the Employment Department and we will place them.

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### BORN

A baby girl came to gladden the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Leighner Aug. 13th, and yet some people think this is an unlucky day. Ralph is stepping mighty high these days and he has a right to. Mother and daughter doing fine.

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W. C. Clow, general manager, received a telegram Saturday, Aug. 21st, from Dr. Roy R. Mason at Warren, Ohio, which said "It's a boy." Congratulations to Dr. and Mrs. Mason on the arrival of a son.



### Alvie Milroy Shurtz

Mr. Alvie Milroy Shurtz was born in Newcomerstown, Ohio, December 1, 1876, and received his early education in the public schools. He came into the employ of this Company in 1895, and with the exception of nine months' service in the Spanish-American War, has been constantly in their employ. He started in at the bottom, as a boy, and by hard work and a close application to the art of pipe making he earned his promotion to Pipe Shop Foreman. In the Spring of 1910 he was transferred to the Coshocton shop and there remained until December 1912, as foreman of that shop, when he was returned to this plant in his present capacity. Mr. Shurtz is the father of nine living children, three daughters married and six single children living at home. "Mell" has been one of President W. E. Clow's hunting party several times, in the North Woods, hunting deer, and has always been lucky enough to get his full quota. When it comes to making pipe, they all have to take off their hats to him, for we believe that he is as well versed in that art as any man in this country today.

## American Legion Week

The week of Sept. 6th to 11th inclusive is to be a gala week in the town, the American Legion is staging a week of pleasure for the town and surrounding community. The boys deserve the best of patronage in return for the services they gave during the World War, and we have no doubt, weather permitting, that they will be very nicely taken care of financially. The employees and their families are entitled to enjoy themselves most heartily and as a week of this kind calls for the extra expenditure of money, from the baby to the heads of the family, we must realize that it is up to us to

make full time in order to meet this extra expense. The Company needs our services and we all need the money so we must make a special effort to work each day, and then in the evening we will have plenty of time to get our amusement and to spend all the money we ought to spend for this occasion.

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Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Marling took a motor trip from Aug. 15th to the 25th, visiting relatives and friends in and around Kimbolton. This is the first vacation Elmer has had in 16 years and he certainly enjoyed himself.

## THE COSHOCTON FOUNDRY NOTES

George Nelson of the pipe foundry construction gang has been made foreman of the pipe foundry cleaning shed. George has been a steady and conscientious worker ever since he came to the Clow organization about one year ago, and no one doubts but what he will make good on his new work and will keep things humming in the pipe foundry cleaning shed.

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When Mr. J. A. Byers was transferred to the Chicago office in July, Draftsman E. D. Patterson was made assistant superintendent to fill the vacancy made by Mr. Byers. Mr. Patterson has been chief draftsman for several years for the company and is thoroughly familiar with foundry work, and a better man for assistant superintendent we do not believe could be found. His many friends around the foundry are pleased over "Pat's" promotion and will be found ready to co-operate with him in every way they can.

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Mr. W. J. O'Day from the Chicago office was a recent visitor at the Ohio foundries. We are always glad to have Mr. O'Day visit us.

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To fill the vacancy in the drafting department, made by Mr. Patterson becoming assistant superintendent, Mr. Edward V. Rohr has been transferred from Newcomerstown, and has assumed the duties of chief draftsman. All who know him know that he will make good on his new work, and especially do those in the Coshocton office believe he will make good, for one of the first things Edward did was to have a house cleaning of one particular corner in the drafting room, which deed alone puts him in good with the rest of the office force.

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The day fire department composed of the industrial department, has been given some practice drills under Chief Grant and they work like "old timers" showing remarkable speed in getting to the designated fire. The fire signals are given as follows: 1 short blast of the whistle in connection with the siren, new flask storage; 2 short blasts, pattern shop; 3 short blasts, molding floor; 1 long blast, pipe foundry; 2 long blasts, tar pits; 1 short and 1 long, power house.

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John Beauregard from the Newcomerstown foundry was at the Coshocton plant several days at the starting of the pipe pits, assisting in the perfection of the socket making. John is one of the Clow employees who has been with the company "since the memory of man runneth to the contrary," and it goes without saying he has "made good" and knows how to make sockets.

### WEDDINGS

Congratulations are being showered upon Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Stiner, whose marriage was an event of Aug. 14th. Mr. Stiner has been employed by the company for the past several months, while Mrs. Stiner (Bertha Kefer) of Warsaw, has been employed in the local telephone office for some time. Their many friends are wishing them much happiness.

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Molder Pete Stephen says the new sand flinging machine should be named the sand singing machine.

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EDITORIAL STAFF

Newcomerstown—Ass't Manager F. W. Schwab, Robt. W. Tempest, Harry Tyler, Oscar Sheets, O. C. Moore.

Coshocton—Guy P. Clow, E. D. Patterson, Laura Cooper, Paul McNary, Gus Kratz.

You have, no doubt, heard young men say that they did not have the chance their fathers' had to get ahead in this world. The young man who expresses himself in this manner has not stopped to find out if his statement is correct or not, and the chances are that he is looking for something to come his way without any effort on his part, and because it hasn't come, he comes to the above conclusion. Just so long as this young man lives with the above idea in his mind, he will never meet with success. He must first wake up to the fact that opportunities are ever present and that he must put himself in mental condition to receive them; opportunity does not hunt the man, the man must hunt opportunity. The really most difficult thing for the young man starting out in this world is to find employment that he really likes; some men are strong enough to make good at whatever comes their way, but most of us must really and truly like to do things we do daily to get the best out of them. If you don't happen to be given what you would really like to do, stay with it and do it to the best of your ability, until you can find some opening in the line of work that you would like, and as early as possible make up your mind just what you want to do in this world—and then go to it with all your might. The greatest trouble with most young men is that they will not really be serious about the future and stumble through life with a don't-care feeling, taking what is handed to them and ever complaining of what they get. Don't let any thing be handed to you, make up your mind to do a certain thing and then do it. That is what men have done before you that have made good and the same thing must be done by you if you are going to be one of them.

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**SAFETY FIRST**

We have noticed recently that several industries, railroads and cities have conducted a Safety Week, trying to induce workmen to have less accidents during that particular week. This practice is fine and no doubt shows the people that accident is caused very largely by carelessness. Instead of our having a no-accident-week let's all get busy and see if we can't keep from having any serious accidents any week. Considering our work as a whole, we do get off lucky without having many serious accidents which shows our men are on the job all the time and doing all they can to keep from getting hurt. We want the word SAFETY so imbedded in the minds of all our people that every action will be given a fore-thought about how to do it with safety to yourself and others.

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James T. Lewis of the Electrical Department advises us that he is agent for all kinds of fruit and shade trees and shrubbery, and will be pleased to have your orders for same.

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Wilbur Miskimen has been off duty a few days suffering from an infected hand caused by a slight scratch.

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Wm. Starns and wife are enjoying a visit back to the old home at Anniston, Ala.

Your Teeth

First Stage of the Decay of Teeth

By Rea Proctor McGee, M. D.,  
D. D. S.

If your knife and fork, spoon, plate, cup and saucer were left from one meal to another without thorough washing, you would change your boarding house.

But why be so particular about outside matters unless you thoroughly cleanse your own mouth after each meal?

When food is allowed to pack between and around the teeth caries, or decay as it is commonly called, gets a good start. The packed food decomposes and ferments, this makes the bacteria happy so they all move in.

As the bacteria gets settled upon the enameled surface of the teeth, they cover themselves with a coating called a gelatinous plaque. Under this protective covering the bacteria grow unless they are removed by thorough cleansing.

Decay of the teeth, caries, is a disease just the same as tuberculosis or measles is a disease. In this disease the hardest tissue in the body is attacked.

The bacteria of decay are really tiny plants. They live and die as other plants do and when they die, they decompose and ferment, forming an acid. This acid, in its fresh state, will dissolve the enamel of the tooth a very little at a time at first, but the further in the bacteria they get, the more rapidly they work.

The enamel of the teeth is not sensitive. It is composed entirely of the salts of lime, shaped into microscopic rods that are bound together by a natural cement. The rods all point toward the center, like the bricks in an arch. Enamel is the armor plate of a tooth; when the decay gets through the armor it reaches the ends of the tiny fibres from the nerve that radiate through the body of the tooth.

It is here that you get that first sharp pain that tells there is trouble ahead, trouble that only one person can stop. Don't delay. Your teeth are too valuable.

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Ray Loos, day craneman of the flange machine shop had a particle of foreign matter in his eye and while medical attention was given same it kept getting worse. He then went to consult Dr. Neldon of Coshocton. The eye became infected and it was necessary to remove same. Examination showed a small piece of steel had become imbedded in the eye ball and that it had caused the infection.

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Ralph Wise has been transferred to day craneman of the flange machine shop to fill the vacancy occasioned by the accident to Ray Loos.

WOMAN'S CORNER

BERRY MUFFINS

Two cups flour, four teaspoons baking powder, 1/2 teaspoon salt, 1/4 cup sugar, 1 1/4 cup milk, 1/4 cup shortening, 1 cup berries. Sift flour, baking powder, salt and sugar together. Add milk; mix well. Add melted shortening and berries which have been dredged with flour. Bake in greased muffin tins in moderate oven 20 to 25 minutes. Serve hot with slightly thickened berry juice.

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BEEF RELISH

One quart cooked diced beets, 1 quart finely chopped cabbage (raw), 1 cup vinegar, 1/2 cup sugar, 1 teaspoonful salt, 1/2 cup horseradish, 1/4 teaspoon cayenne pepper. Mix well together, cover with vinegar and seal.

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SCALLOPED CORN

Into a buttered baking dish lay a layer of corn and a layer of cracker crumbs. Season with a little bit of pepper, salt, sugar and butter. Alternate the layers in this way and pour over all a cup of sweet milk and bake in a moderate oven for thirty minutes.

POINSETTA SALAD

Divide a ripe tomato into six parts allowing the parts to hold together at one point. Fill the center with chopped cabbage and celery. Cover with mayonnaise.

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BROWN BETTY

Into a buttered baking dish lay a layer of sliced apples, a layer of bread crumbs, alternating until dish is nearly filled. Over this place 1/2 cup brown sugar and some melted butter over top of this. Pour over all a cup of sweet milk and bake for one hour in a moderate oven. Serve hot with a sauce made by taking one pint of water, 1/2 cup sugar, 2 tablespoons of flour, 1 teaspoon vinegar. Have boiling water. Mix sugar and flour to paste with a little cold water, and stir into water until thickened, then add 1 teaspoon of vinegar and a little nutmeg.

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WHY HE CAME HOME

She wrote: "Dear Joe: Come home. Forgive and forget. I've destroyed the book of wartime recipes."

WEDDINGS

On Saturday morning, July 31st, Miss Grace Crouch, daughter of Wm. Crouch, and Mr. Edson L. Stewart were united in marriage at New Philadelphia, Ohio. They immediately returned and started house-keeping in their new home recently purchased from Mr. and Mrs. John Keist, corner Main and Goodrich Sts., which had been completely furnished in anticipation of the coming event. These young folks are too well and favorably known to need any introduction into the Clow family. Edson is yard foreman of the shipping department and a most dependable second baseman of the Clow base ball team. He has been in our employ more than three years, counting the time he served the government in over-seas duty during the recent World War. Congratulations and best wishes for a long and prosperous life.

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Mr. Russell Lyons and Miss Lillian Mapes of Coshocton were married at the home of the bride Sunday, Aug. 1st by Rev. I. M. McVey of the M. P. church. Russell is now running the bit planer in the flange machine shop, planing the flasks for the Coshocton shop, and is a very good, dependable workman. They will make their home in this town and we are very glad to welcome them into the Clow family. Congratulations and best wishes for a life of happiness and prosperity.

WILFORD STITTS

Wilford Stitts died at his home on Goodrich St. Thursday morning, Aug. 5th, and was laid to rest in the village cemetery the following Sunday, services being conducted at the residence. He was born here Dec. 23, 1847 and followed stone masonry the major part of his life. He was employed by the Company for many years at different times, but after 1913 he did not leave our employ. On account of physical disabilities, he was retired on a pension more than a year ago, in consideration of the years of faithful service. Mr. Stitts was a faithful and conscientious workman and was liked by all who knew him. His immediate family, left to mourn his loss, is the wife, daughter Mrs. Mercer and grandson Donald Mercer. Mrs. Stitts, as his beneficiary, was given a check for \$900.00, the total of his life insurance which the company carries on its employees.

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Vice President Kent S. Clow was with us Monday, Aug. 9th.

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Mr. Walter O'Day was at the foundry Aug. 11th and 12th, and was a welcomed guest at the foreman's club on the night of the 11th.

Picture Edition

We are sorry that the fathers and mothers of the young children did not consider seriously enough the proposal to have the present issue of the "News" contain the pictures of the youngsters. We received some fine pictures but not nearly enough to really represent the many youngsters of the men on our employ and we have decided to hold the matter open and to postpone the picture issue to the October issue. We know that you and your children will be proud of the way their pictures will appear and we appeal to you, from a sense of justice to your youngsters to have their pictures taken and delivered to the employment office not later than September 10th. Now please don't just give this a passing thought and forget about it, but get busy and have their picture taken. DO IT NOW!

TEAM BATTING, INCLUDING GAME NO. 19, AUG. 22, 1920

Player	G	AB	R	H	SB	SH	2B	3B	HR	BB	SO	AVG.
Crater	1	4	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	.500
Welsch	18	67	20	25	3	2	4	4	0	4	5	.373
Lyons	18	70	13	26	1	2	6	1	0	4	12	.372
Trees	14	54	10	19	2	0	4	1	0	3	9	.352
Latham	15	48	13	13	4	1	5	1	1	13	13	.271
Norman	18	65	10	17	1	1	7	1	0	1	8	.262
Underhill	16	58	9	15	5	1	3	0	0	3	7	.259
Leighninger	17	63	16	15	5	2	2	0	0	7	11	.245
Lamneck	10	34	5	8	12	0	1	0	0	6	3	.235
Stewart	16	60	15	13	7	5	2	0	0	6	10	.217
Sheets	15	49	3	9	2	1	1	0	0	3	8	.184

FIELDING

	G	O	A	E	AVG.
Lamneck	10	6	0	0	1,000
Crater	1	0	1	0	1,000
Underhill	16	105	3	5	.956
Latham	15	128	23	7	.955
Trees	14	80	3	4	.954
Stewart	16	53	42	5	.950
Norman	18	28	6	2	.945
Welsch	18	8	66	7	.914
Lyons	18	22	1	3	.885
Sheets	15	23	14	5	.881
Leighninger	17	32	30	10	.861

## Personals and Breezy Pick-Ups

Mr. E. V. Dailey, of the Chicago office, who has charge of the Gasteam radiator department, has been at the foundry several days during August stimulating production and shipments of Gasteam radiation.

Superintendent J. W. Mugford and family have returned from a delightful trip into Canada.

Julius Richards and family have returned from quite a nice vacation trip to Cleveland and other points. Alphas Rogers of the store room took care of Julius' job during his absence.

Al. Hammersley of the loading gang has been off duty several days on account of sickness.

Chas. Harbolt of the loading gang enjoyed a family reunion Wednesday, Aug. 18th.

Chas. Murphy, core maker, had a very pleasant visit with his folks at Louisville, Ky., for a few days.

Alex Winston has been visiting his mother, who lives near Nashville, Tenn.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Sheets and son Donald and Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Gardner have been enjoying a motor trip vacation to Ft. Wayne, Ind.

Isaac Potter, night craneman, has purchased a nice home on Church St., and expects to occupy same about Oct. 1st.

R. W. Lyons, pipe shop craneman, has purchased a modern home on Bridge St., next to the Jack Crater home and will occupy same about the first of the month.

John Martin, formerly of the radiator cupola gang, has returned to our employ and is working in the pipe foundry cupola gang. John is a good workman and we are always glad to get good workmen back.

Elmer Schwarm of the cupola iron gang, after a few days at the coal mines, has returned to his former job—we are glad to have Elmer back with us.

Have you heard about Blacksmith "Lew" Merrell going blackberry picking? If you have not, ask Bill Womer. Lew says some things may have "kick" but he knows others have a "whallop."

Pipe Foundry Flask Clamper C. L. Maxwell wants to buy a good alarm clock so he will be sure to beat the early birds up.

Cashier C. O. Randles goes fishing, and after fattening a lot of chiggers and mosquitoes and sleeping in a pool of water, could only catch a bad cold.

We have often heard of people seeing strange things, yet the queerest thing we have heard of being seen is Blacksmith Jack Merrell seeing yellow blackberries. Jack says he knows where some are, but confess, Jack, hadn't you been too friendly with the juice from too many black blackberries?

Machine Shop Foreman Frank Gosser and family recently spent a week-end in Cleveland, O.

Mrs. Frank Begley and children, wife and children of the popular electrical foreman, are visiting in Brooklyn, N. Y. Frank says he does not like it one bit being a bachelor, but after seeing Frank frequently on the street at night in his "best" we think of that old saying "When the cat is away the mice will play."

Assistant Cashier R. T. Salvage and family spent their vacation at Lake Brady, Ohio, and made a tour of places of interest through some of the eastern states.

Mrs. Helpingstein, the wife of Bert Helpingstein of the industrial department, underwent a major operation at the City Hospital recently. We are glad to announce she is getting along nicely and will soon have recovered.

Pattern Maker Joe Henderson finds his fingers are too long and is clipping the ends off one at a time, either with a saw or a jointer. However, he does not cut them off so short that he has to lose any time from work.

Time study man, W. H. Glass, has been working at the Newcomerstown foundry a couple of weeks helping in rating the work in the machine shop.

Blacksmith Bill Womer says he is closely guarding a large grape vineyard until the grapes get ripe. Of course we all know you want to eat the grapes Bill.

Molding Floor Clerk Gus Kratz has a new deck of picture cards which he is very fond of looking at every spare moment he has.

Socket Maker Charles Booth decided he prefers the bugle call to making sockets, and has enlisted in the U. S. Army.

Shipping Clerk Roy Biggs recently attended for one evening the national convention in Newark, Ohio, of the "Frat" of which he is a member.

Pipe Foundry Foreman C. B. Mugford and Mr. Charles Aland were recent visitors to Birmingham, Alabama, on company business.

Electrical Foreman Frank Begley joined his family in Brooklyn, N. Y., on a visit to his old home.

Have you seen pipe makers Harry English and Charles Holder in their new shoes? The shoes are the product of the pattern shop and were made by Harvey Decker. The shoes are giving such good satisfaction that Harvey says he is thinking of starting a wooden shoe factory and help reduce the old H. C. L.

Machinist Wm. Laird says he likes good chewing tobacco, but not "Old Field" which grows in Kentucky, cause it makes him turn white in the face after taking a chew.

### THE MAN WHO DELIVERS THE GOODS

There's a man in the world who is never turned down  
wherever he chances to stray;  
He gets the glad hand in the populous towns, or out  
where the farmers make hay;  
He's greeted with pleasure on deserts of sand, and deep  
in the aisles of the woods;  
Wherever he goes there's the welcoming hand—he's  
THE MAN WHO DELIVERS THE GOODS.

The failures of life sit around and complain; the gods  
haven't treated them white;  
They've lost their umbrellas whenever there's rain, and  
they haven't their lanterns at night;  
Men tire of failures who fill with their sighs the air of  
their own neighborhoods;  
There's the man who is greeted with love-lighted eyes—  
he's  
THE MAN WHO DELIVERS THE GOODS.

One fellow is lazy, and watches the clock and waits for  
the whistle to blow;  
One has a hammer with which he will knock, and one  
tells the story of woe;  
And one, if requested to travel a mile, will measure the  
perches and roods;  
But one does his stunt with a whistle or smile—he's  
THE MAN WHO DELIVERS THE GOODS.  
One man is afraid he'll labor too hard—the world  
isn't yearning for such;  
And one man is ever alert, on his guard, lest he puts  
in a minute too much;  
And one has a grouch or a temper that's bad, and one  
is a creature of moods,  
So it's hey for the joyous and rollicking lad—for  
THE MAN WHO DELIVERS THE GOODS.

### SAVINGS ACCOUNTS ARE INDISPENSABLE IN DEVELOPING STEADY HABITS

When a young man starts the systematic habit of saving, there is little danger of his traveling the wrong path. Statistics prove that the men who are at the top today are the young men of years ago who had a vision of getting ahead. There is no use waiting until you feel your health giving way, or until old age is almost upon you, before realizing that it takes the habits of thrift and saving to keep you from being a dependent. Most young men pass through a stage in life when they find it hard to remain in one place. Some excuse themselves by saying the trait was inherited. We know from experience that people are not going to build houses for rental purposes. Whether some of us believe very thoroughly in "own your home" policy or not the scarcity of available homes to rent is going to increase to such an extent that it will become almost imperative for every family to own their home. After all, that is the more respectable way to live in any community. Encourage your son to look forward to the future by starting a savings account. With wages higher than ever before, there is no better time to start.

JAS. B. CLOW & SONS PAY 5 PER CENT ON DEPOSITS

—See Employment Manager.

While many of us have a hobby of some kind or other, at which we work during our spare moments, how many of the men around the foundry know that there are a few men around the foundry have hobbies or "side lines" that are really worth while. Molder Phil Crater is a partner in a wheat fan that is proving one of the best wheat cleaners on the market. After having seen many wheat fans work and how hard it is to get the chaff, cockel, grass and weed seed out of wheat, we believe the machine Phil has does the work better than any we have ever seen. While Phil does not know we are writing this, or even ever thought of doing so, we believe if any who have a farmer friend who has wheat to be cleaned, you would do the friend a good act by having his call and see Maxwell & Crater's machine.

While the baseball team is still having some tough luck in winning ball games, the team is playing much better ball than at the first of the season. The last few games played were so close that the opposing team knew they were playing a sure enough ball team. The game at Tyndal went into extra innings and was won in luck by Tyndal 7 to 6. The game played with the Hunt-Crawford-Beach team was lost 6 to 5 in the last half of the seventh inning. If the team continues playing the same class of ball as they have been playing of late, they will stand to lose but few more games.

Robert Hosfelt and J. P. Hosfelt were present at the 10th annual reunion of the Walker family, which was held at the latter's home on South Lawn Ave. on Saturday, Aug. 14th. Over one hundred guests were present and an enjoyable time was reported.

I. D. Stickle, of the planning office, spent his vacation on his farm near Tyndal. The news comes to the foundry that "Stick" spent most of his time picking blackberries and did not sell or can any of them.

Time-Study man, W. H. Glass, is a raiser of pure-bred white leghorn chickens. This is one of the best breeds of egg-producing chickens known, and if any who raise chickens for profit and have not a profitable breed, you would do well to have a talk with Walter, for he is handling a breed that is proving profitable.

Sam's girl is wild and swift,  
My girl is slow.  
Sam's girl wears naught but silk,  
Mine wears calico.  
Sam's girl is bad and beautiful,  
My girl is sweet and good.  
Do you think I'd trade my girl for Sam's?  
Well, you would, too.

### YOUR BAREFOOT BOY

Blessings on thee, little man.  
Barefoot boy, with cheek of tan!  
With thy turned-up pantaloons,  
And thy merry whistled tunes;  
With thy red lip, redder still  
Kissed by strawberries on the hill;  
With the sunshine on thy face,  
Through thy torn brim's jaunty  
grace;  
From my heart I give thee joy,—  
I was one a barefoot boy!  
Prince thou art,—the grown-up  
man  
Only is republican.  
Let the million-dollared ride!  
Barefoot, trudging at his side,  
Thou hast more than he can buy  
In the reach of ear and eye,—  
Outward sunshine, inward joy;  
Blessings on thee, barefoot boy!

—John Greenleaf Whittier

I eat syrup with my peas;  
I have did it all my life,  
Not because I like it,  
But it keeps them on my knife.  
—Donald Sheets.

