HAPPENINGS OF THE WEEK

Local, Personal and General News Furnished in Condensed Paragraphs for the Convenience of the Busy Reader

Fire insurance. Henry Hanson. adv New stock of rings. W. B. Mur-

Friday. John Pavelock of Turner was in

town Friday. A fine line of electroliers at L. L. Johnson's jewelry store. E. J. Lemerise of Bay City was in

town a few days this week. Insure with the Sun Life of Canada. F. A. Labadie, special agent. adv Gilbert Bemis of Reno was a busi- by his father's illness. ness visitor in the city Wednesday.

can give them except your photo- m. Brown's studio. graph. to \$30.00. Some fine ones. W. B. were at Bay City Monday.

Moeller.

for the winter. Rev. and Mrs. Thos. H. Marsh of ley for a few days.

city Wednesday.

office in Tawas City every day of the L. L. Johnson, jeweler. week. Phone 111-W. Miss Mary Hottois, postmistress at hand made articles such as hand Riley.

Pierson on Saturday. Cameo rings, lavallieres, stick pins Mr. and Mrs. Kennedy, jr. of New

Dr. Dystant of Bay City held the sr., and friends here this week. Wednesday evening.

fore next Wednesday will be finished selection now. W. B. Murray. adv shopping and while the small amount a fine type of the up-to-date Insti-

day morning for a couple of weeks Friday, January 5. See him for denvisit with relatives and friends in tal work. Bay City.

W. Colby.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Niger of Niagara Falls, N. Y., were week end visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs.

L. L. Johnson. Fifty new watches, \$75.00 Howards this paper. down to the Ingersoll. It will pay you to see them. All the new styles

at W. B. Murray's.

main at the home of her parents Tawas City. until after the holidays.

for sale. 'Call or write. Can you think of anything better Bay City on Saturday.

Misses Evelyn and Arminta Bra-

the latter her sister.

Thursday morning via auto to De- top of his shoulder. Dr. Wakeman

The merchants of Tawas City have been busy the past week unpacking holiday goods and decorating their City for the year 1916 is now in my German's right moves around the others who are losing an opportunity windows for Christmas trade. Some hands for collection. I will be at my right of the Allies' left then what is when they fail to take advantage of dence and the cold weather this week days for the purpose of receiving right where the Allies left. But if the has helped the pre-holiday trade considerably.

Removed millinery and a nice line of Christmas novelties from my residence to the building I formerly occupied, commonly known as "The Corner Store," across from the ele- per cord for sawed and \$3.50 for vator: It will pay you to call and chopped. sale there beginning tomorrow and and arrange for contract. continuing for at least two weeks. Mrs. A. W. Colby.

Alex Ross, monuments. East Tawas Sheriff-Elect Thos. H. Hill of Hale

The wonder of the age. Stewart

Peter Pfeiffer. week from Detroit, being called here Progress."

A new stock of lavelliers from \$2.00 Cox, Jas. Baguley and M. Crandall will be a soprano soloist.

Mrs. Katterman of McIvor spent children of Detroit are visiting this by the Handel choir led by Mme. itors and others through the Gypsum Harold Brabant of Buffalo, N. Y., and Monday with her niece, Mrs. Ernest week at the home of their sister-inlaw, Wagner Shank. First part of the company's plant, explaining the mys- two nieces, the Misses Evelyn and Ar-Mrs. A. Heath.

Whittemore, was a guest of Mrs. Ed. bags and small novelties at real small cost. Mrs. A. W. Colby. adv

and brooches. A good selection at York City have been visiting his prices to please. L. L. Johnson. adv parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Kennedy, who take advantage of the Christmas ers of the different places visited as- of the services delivered a very im-

Mr and Mrs. Gus Krumm left Tues- City office on Monday, January 1, and mas is very convenient.

sioner J. A. Campbell for the excellent report of the Farmers' Institutes Alpena papers recently, W. A. Prince, held in this county last week, which vice-president of the Alpena County report appears in another column of Savings Bank, spoke as follows: "The

urday Evening Post, the Ladies' Home thrift that we have yet found. Many Mrs. Ed. Pierson went to Sheridan, makes a Christmas present that lasts Making their weekly deposits, they fall Monday morning where she will re- a year. Frank R. Dease, agent, into a habit of thrift and saving which of last Friday evening, the home of Sketch of Chopin. adv

R. G. Hartingh, Tawas City, garage, daughter, Lucile, Miss Ruth King, Mrs. be found the announcement of this taking part in their December busiauto supplies, all repairs. New and Luke Murray, Mrs. Frank Howe and bank's Christmas Money Clubs for ness meeting and social time in conused cars, bodies, tops and radiators daughter, Pearl, Mr. and Mrs. Jos. 1917. Mr. Prince informs us that junction with their annual election of Sketch of Durand. adv-45 Stepanski, were business visitors at this department is also conducted officers. A fine time was enjoyed by Piano, "Valse," Durand, Mrs. Anker male quartette, violin duet, saxaphone

for Christmas than a nice Diamond The illustrated lecture "Child Life is therefore open to people hereabouts ed for the ensuing year. Ambrola. Hear one at Johnson's of the World," given in the Methodist as well as to people in Alpena. jewelry store. No needles to change, church last Sunday evening is very We are showing some extra nice highly spoken of as of more than METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH patterns in rings this Christmas, both usual merit, especially in a geographsignet and stone set. See them be- ical sense. This was the first of a for purchasing. L. L. Johnson, series of six lectures to be given this

Matt Pfeiffer, son of Mr. and Mrs. bant and Jos. Wood of Flint, who were Peter Pfeiffer, was the victim of a called here Wednesday by the death of painful accident while hunting last and Mrs. W. M. Taylor The first charge, which struck Matt just above a Christmas sermon. named is Mrs. Taylor's mother and the heart and tore a gash six or eight inches long and about two inches Mr. and Mrs. Henry Henke left wide, the charge coming out at the troit. From there they will go to was called and attended to the wound ten an inspiration on the war situa-Chicago, and then to Hot Springs, and brought the boy home. At last tion and it is apparantly so clear (?) Ark., where they expect to spend a reports he was getting along nicely to him that he has given the rest of couple of months and then visit for and no serious consequences are an- us poor dullards his explanation as a time in Milwaukee before returning ticipated unless other complications follows:

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS.

tiful window displays are in evi- home every evening and all day Fri- left of the German's right must be taxes. GEO LANSKI,

> TAG ALDER WANTED. Note the Increased Prices. I will buy tag alder, paying \$4.00

secure some of the many bargains on ". If you have any to offer please call

CHAUTAUQUA PROGRAM. Following is an outline of the Community Chautauqua program, which stitutes were a decided success. Be- his sister, Mrs. Nelson Brabant, on

comes to Tawas City in 1917: Parker Miles on "Tallow Dips."

adv was in the city on business Tuesday. ers, fine company of colored talent. The farmers and their good wives days of age, at the time of his death. Dr. C. V. Crane was at Bay City Don't forget the Presbyterian sup- In the evening Andre Tridon will lec- did all in their power to make it When he was three years old, his per in the Baptist rooms tonight. adv ture on Mexico.

the evening Albert Edward Wigam made them almost impassible.

We make photograph sittings every his band will give a grand concert 200 per cent. Your friends can buy anything you day, rain or shine. 9 a. m. to 4 p. afternoon and evening. One of his Sixteen teachers and young people Thos. Wood, of Sherman, four brothadv famous numbers is "The Cavalry accompanied the workers to Alabas- ers, Thos. H. and John of Sherman, Mesdames N. D. Murchison, Cecil Charge." Appearing with the band ter and entered heartily into discus- Joseph of Flint and Charles of Alaska.

iting Mesdames John and Jas. Bagu- personations. At night their program pany. Dr. A. B. Carson, dentist, is at his line. A big selection at the old prices. bary, author, poet, interpreter of for the senior class. Hats, fancy feathers, wings, and recital, probably on James Whitcomb J. H. White, sr., of Alabaster and E. he rendered to his fellowmen.

CHRISTMAS MONEY CLUBS A ness.

BIG HELP. money clubs formed by many of the sisted in making this a banner insti- pressive sermon. Burial was made quarterly meeting at the M. E. church All the latest new goods in silver, banks throughout the country is in- tute year. cut glass, leather, umbrellas and creasing The plan offers an easy way A word regarding the work of S. C. All photograph sittings made be- jewelry, is coming in fast. Make your of saving the money for Christmas Robinson, the state speaker: He is

Thursday of this week distributed the ses instructive. He will always be uncle. Thos. Wood and Family, A Sun Life endowment or 20 pay sum of \$20,000.00 to the members welcome. Millinery, fancy stationery, confec- policy would make a very appropriate of its club, and the release of this tionery, china and genuine cut glass Christmas present for the whole amount just before Christmas meant good people of Hale, Sherman, Grant, on sale at the corner store. Mrs. A. family. See F. A. Labadie, special a big boom for the Alpena merchants, and Alabaster for the courtesy and

> The Herald is indebted to Commis- about \$350,000.00 to their members. In an interview with one of the Christmas Money Club is one of the A year's subscription to the Sat- greatest methods of encouraging interested.

through the mail, and this advantage all. The following officers were elect- Sketch of Wieniawski....Mrs. Dillon solo and a brass quartette.

Sunday, Dec. 17, 1916.

10:00 a. m.-Morning sermon. 11:15 a. m.—Sunday school, F. F. Taylor, Supt.

6:15 p. m.-Epworth League. 7:00 p. m .- Evening sermon.

The choir will give their annual Henry Wood, returned to their work Sunday near Island lake. He was Christmas music at this service. Sostanding on a log with the butt of los, duets, trios and choruses will be Mrs. Carrie Carrol and Mrs. Delia his gun resting on the log. In some sung with the theme of Christmas Hughes of Wallin, came last week manner the gun slipped and the ham- and the Christ-Child the predominatand will make their home with Mr. mer struck on the log exploding the ing feature. The pastor will preach You are invited.

THE WAR SITUATION TODAY.

A Kansas editor seems to have got-

"The Allies' left is trying to move around the German's right, but the German's right is also moving around young and old. We had a good at-The tax roll of the city of Tawas the Allies' left. Now if the left of the tendance, but there are a great many German right's left is left right where BETTER BE SAFE THAN SORRY. City Treasurer. the Allies' left right was right before the Allies left then the left is left you want to be sure that it is safe, where the right left the right's left. and that there is no danger from ex-Isn't that right? Or is it?"

> The man who procrastinates struggles with ruin. Whoever is right, the persecutor must be wrong.

Be just, and fear not; let all the end thou aims't at be thy country's, Tawas City. thy God's, and truth.

FARMER'S INSTITUTES.

Iosco county, one day Farmers' Inginning in Hale, December 5th, In- last Wednesday morning, after an ill-First day-Mrs. Wilbur Starr Con- stitutes were held at Hale, Sherman, ness of several months, although he cert company, piano, 'cello and flute, Grant, and Alabaster. Picnic dinners died very suddenly. The cause of his with vocal selections, readings, etc. and at some points, suppers also were death was a severe case of neuritis. Lecture in the evening by Robert served. This feature of the work The deceased was born in Lancasterdoes much to create a spirit of cheer shire, England April 1, 1864, and was Second day-Hann's Jubilee Sing- and friendliness.

pleasant for the visitors.

Third day-Mr. and Mrs. Emerson In addition to day sesions, evening in Fall River, Mass. They resided Talking Machines, \$6.50 at W. B. Winters, readings, character sketches, sessions were held, except at Ala- there for two years, then moved to adv songs, piano monologues, etc. In the baster. The reason for not having an Michigan, and located in Iosco county. Mrs. August Hallem of Saginaw is afternoon J. Frank Caveny, cartoon- evening session at Alabaster was the He spent most of his time in this visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. ist and clay modeler, appears. In condition of the roads. Bad weather state with the exception of a few

Bert Stickney returned home last will lecture on "Heredity and Human The general attendance was much along the Pacific coast and was in better than last year; Grant doubled Alaska for two years with his broth-Fourth day-Francesco Pollaria and its attendance, Hale increased its over ers, Joseph and Charles.

sions, singing, etc.

Fifth day-Afternoon prelude and Supt. Tarbell and a number of his home with her father, and Mrs. Nel-Mr. and Mrs. Roswell Heath and full evening program will be given force courteously escorted the vis- son Brabant, of this city, one nephew, program, sacred music; second part, teries of the various machines used minta Brabant of Flint. Andrew Blust went to Bay City Mrs. John Simmons returned to her humorous and entertaing sketches; in manufacturing the many products Wednesday, where he has employment home at Bay City on Friday, after vis- one novelty being Harry Lauder im- placed on the market by the com- Wood always lived is a consolation to

V. Esmond of Hale, who always have The funeral services were held from been stand-bys, were detained by ill- St. Joseph's Catholic church at East

Every year the number of people Bailey of Hale, and all the local teach- Rev. T. W. Albin, who at the close

In conclusion, I wish to thank the Detroit clubs this year released consideration shown us.

EPWORTH LEAGUE. Topic—"The Conditions of An-

swered Prayers." Leader-Mrs. Thos. Davison. A theme in which you will become Paper—Paderewski,.....Mrs. Adams

Bible and mission study classes at In spite of the inclement weather will benefit them all through life." Mrs. Mary Murphy was comfortably Piano, "Valse Opera 64," Chopin and a play, "The Orphan's Christmas Mr. and Mrs. C. H. W. Snyder and In another page of this paper will filled with merry Epworth Leaguers

> President-J. F. Mark. 1st Vice-Pres.-Miss Edna Worden. 2nd Vice-Pres .- Boyd R. Swem. 3rd Vice-Pres.-Miss Muriel Mur-

4th Vice-Pres.-Mrs. J. F. Mark. Secretary-A. W. Colby. Treasurer-Mrs. Ray Smith. Organist-Miss Lulu Murphy.

JUNIOR EPWORTH LEAGUE. Every Thursday afternoon at 3:45

If you are eligible for the League vice-pres., in charge of the work.

C. E. NOTES. Christian Endeavor Sunday evening, 6 p. m., Baptist church. Topic-"Big Jobs Awaiting Us." Leader-Luella Patterson. Everybody welcome.

Mr. Bigelow gave us a splendid talk last Sunday evening and the message that he brought will be helpful to

When you have electric wiring done posed wires. I guarantee all my work and when I finish a job you may be sure that it is well done and that there is no danger.

house or other buildings. E. J. WHITTAKER,

Phone 41, Tawas City, Mich. SHOWS THE GENTLEMAN.

DEATH OF HENRY L. WOOD. Henry L. Wood died at the home of

therefore 52 years, 8 months, and 6

parents came to this country, locating years when he travelled extensively

He is survived by his aged father, two sisters, Miss Alice, who is at

The exemplary life which Mr. the survivors, who have the sympathy will include popular operas and a Hale paid its young people for of this community in their sad af-Hale were business visitors in the If you are going to buy a watch sketch entitled "In the Days of '64," serving dinner, a commendable act fliction. He will be remembered by you cannot afford to overlook our both in costume. Wallace Bruce Ams- and a fine lesson in domestic science his relatives and friends as a man with a kind and loving disposition adv dramatic literature, will give a lecture Some familiar faces were missing: and for the numerous charitable acts

Tawas, Saturday morning at 9 o'clock. Nash of this city. Supt. Ousterhout of Alabaster, J. The requiem high mass was sung by in the Catholic cemetery.

CARD OF THANKS.

for Christmas. Brown's studio, East Dr. W. N. Yeager, the dentist, each week is hardly missed, yet the tute worker-scholarly, refined, brim- thanks to our very kind neighbors and ady will make his next visits to his Tawas lump sum coming just before Christ- ful of good ideas, approvable by old friends for their favors and sympathy and young he won all His daily talks extended to us during the illness and The Alpena County Savings Bank on were instructive; his evening addres- death of our loving son, brother and

· and Family.

MONDAY MUSICAL CLUB. day Musical was held at the home of evening service, 7:00. A union prayer Miss Mary Gardner, Dec. 13, with meeting of the M. E. and Presbyterian Mrs. Arthur Jackson, as leader. The churches will be held in the Methodist following program was given on Polish church on Wednesday evening at 7:30.

Piano, "Minuet," Paderewski the Presbyterian church one week Journal, or the Country Gentleman of the club members are children. the parsonage each Monday evening. Piano, "At Evening," Paderewski eve. The program will consist of dio-

..... Mrs. Sutton school. Among the musical numbers

Piano, "Polish Dance," Wienawski Sketch of Mowskowski....Mrs. Piper | Presbyterian church services next Piano, four hand, "Spanish Dance," Piano, four hand, "Spanish Dance," Mrs. Jackson, Mrs. Dillon M. E. church Thursday evening at 7. Gadowski......Mrs. Anker Piano, "Mazurka," Hofman

TAWAS CITY LODGE NO. 302, F. from the well known compositions of & A. M. ELECTS OFFICERS. Tawas City Lodge No. 302, F. & A. Opening Chorus, "Lo, a King is Given" and are not a member see Mrs. Carr, M., took place at their regular com- Scripture reading and prayer Supt. or Miss Worden, senior League munication Tuesday evening and the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

W. M .- J. Brainard Brown. S. W .- John Preston. J. W .- Jas. E. Ballard. Secretary-John A. Mark. Treasurer-Frank B. Stickney. S. D.-John B. King. J. D .- Burley Wilson. Tyler-J. Atlee Mark.

BAPTIST CHURCH. Services 10 a. m. and 7 p. m. std. Sunday school, 11:15 a. m. A service of song and story be given at 7 p. m.

The story of "His Mother's Serman." is taken from Ian Maclaren's "Beside the Bonnie Brier Bush." The music is by J. H. Meredith. Everybody invited. You will spend a delightful and pro-

Alex Anderson, pastor.

Let me estimate on wiring your BE KIND TO YOUR HORSE AND ALL DUMB CREATURES.

EAST TAWAS DEPARTMENT

Devoted to the General and Personal News of the Week From Our Neighboring City on the East

Miss Ella Boldt was a visitor in Bay City last Saturday.

Bay City on Wednesday of this week. in the intermediate grades. Legacy this, Friday, afternoon.

for Saginaw last Saturday for a short | ing department was on display. visit with relatives and friends.

day evening, (Christmas night). iting in Canada for the past few weeks returned home last Saturday midnight. A baby girl came to make her hôme with Mr. and Mrs. Harry A. Goodale Baldwin Lodge No. 377, I. O. O. F. last Sunday, December 10. Mother of this city which was held at the and child are doing well.

home in AuGres last Wednesday morn- for the ensuing term: ing after a short visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Ash in this

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Good of Elkhart, Indiana, arrived last Monday midnight and will spend the winter at the home of their daughter, Mrs. William Roberts.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hilton ar- joyed an oyster supper. rived from Flint last Tuesday after-

ternoon. She was very much im- coming term: proved and was able to resume her duties in high school this week. She also visited with her aunt during her stay in Bay City. Rev. William Roberts leaves for

Bay City Saturday morning and on Sunday evening will preside at the installation services of Dr. Van Wyck who will be installed that evening as pastor of the First Presbyterian Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Brabant, church of that city. Sunday morning Rev. Roberts will preach at Munger.

M. E. church services next Sunday: Morning service, 10:00; Sunday school, The regular meeting of the Mon- 11:30; Epworth League, 6:00 p. m.; Rev. Samuel Howarth, pastor.

Christmas exercises will be held in Mrs. Jackson from Sunday evening on Christmas Miss Gardner logues and recitations by the primary and junior departments, chorus work Mrs. Prescott Eve," given by fourteen boys and will be vocal solos, a female trio, a

..... Miss Gardner SPECIAL CHRISTMAS SERVICE Sunday: Sunday school, 11:30; Christ-Mowskowsi, Mrs. Jackson, Mrs. Piper ian Endeavor, 6:00 p. m.; evening service, 7:00; union bid-week service at

At the evening service next Sunday a special program of Christmas mu-...... Mrs. Braddock sic will be given, the majority of musical numbers being arrangements a number of famous composers. The The annual election of officers of following is the program to be given: S. S. Supt. and Asst.

> Hymn Congregation Vocal solo Mrs. T. C. Sutton "Hearken to the Message Sweet" Chorus (From "Serenata," Moszkowski) Vocal solo, "The Angels' Song" ...

(From "Angels' Serenade," Braga). "Behold Immanuel," Chorus (From Cavatina," J Raff). Offering (From Traumerei," Schumann).

..... Esther Johnson

Vocal duet Misses Selma Hagstrom, Helen Applin "The Christmas Anthem," Wesley Chorus Hymn Congregation Benediction

EVERYBODY'S NIGHT AT SCHOOL Everybody's night was observed at fitable evening if you come. If you public school building on Wednesday want a seat you had better come early. evening from 8 to 10 and a large number of the parents and friends showed their interest by attending and observing the work in the var- Geo. Stang, Miss Cora LaBerge.

A fine display of handwork, drawings, paintings, etc. interested every-Mrs. Albert Stealy was a visitor in one in the primary grades and also

The W. C. T. U. will hold a social In the upper hall were arranged on meeting at the home of Mrs. William the walls a fine showing of mechanical drawing plates, and in the junior Mrs. Owen Hale and daughter, left high school, the fine work of the sew-

Booths decorated in class colors A Christmas program will be given were in the upper halls where the by the M. E. Sunday school on Mon- high school girls sold candy, etc. In the domestic science room sandwiches Alex McMurray, who has been vis- and coffee were served to the guests.

Baldwin Lodge No. 377, I. O. O. F. At the regular election of officers of Odd Fellow temple last Thursday Mrs. Oren Carpenter left for her evening, the following were elected

N. G.-Jed Harrington. V. G.—George Vaughan, Jr. Rec. Sec'y-Arthur Dillon. Fin. Sec'y-J. W. Applin. Treasurer—A. J. Merschel. Trustee, 3 years-Charles Parker. After the meeting the members all

noon for a visit with Mrs. Hilton's losco Encampment No. 107, I. O.O. F. parents, Mr. and Mrs. Nash. Mrs. Last Tuesday evening the regula: Hilton was formerly Miss Lucinda election of the officers of the Iosco Encampment No. 107, I. O. O. F. was Miss Ida Jenne returned from Mercy held at the Odd Fellow temple. The hospital, Bay City, last Saturday af- following officers were elected for the

repaired to the dining hall and en-

C. P.—C. R. Dease. H. P.—George Flintoff. S. W .- David M. Small. J. W.—George Harmon. Scribe-J. W. Applin. Fin. Scribe-J. Fred Ash.

Treasurer-George Flintoff.

Ladies of the Maccabees. The election of officers of the L. O. T. M., Baldwin Hive No. 144, was held

last Thursday evening and the following were elected for the ensuing term: Past Com.—Anna Marontate. Com.-Clara Hamilton. Lieut. Com.-Frances Bigelow, Jr. R. K.-Mary Miller. F. K.-Margaret Dease. Chap.—Hattie Carpenter. Inst. Officer-Minnie Kennelly. Asst. Inst. Officer-Helen Applin. Sergeant-Hazel Davey.

Pianist-Carrie Parker.

Sentinel-Elizabeth Fisher.

M. at A .- Cora Davey.

Picket-Lucy Fernette.

W. R. C. The following officers were elected at the regular meeting of the W. R. C. on Tuesday afternoon.

Senior Vice-Pres.-Mrs. Jessie Gor-Junior Vice-Pres.-Mrs. Elizabeth

President-Mrs. Laura Hayes.

Sec'y-Mrs. Jennie L. Legacy. Treasurer-Mrs. Louise North. Chap.—Mrs. Kate Jameson. Cond .- Mrs. Jennie Frost. Asst. Cond .- Mrs Emma Wright. Guard-Mrs. Colburn. Inst. Officer-F. E. Hayes. Asst. Inst. Officer-Miss Edna Otis. Press Cor.-Mr. F. E. Hayes. Patriotic Instructor-Mr. William

1st Color Bearer-Mrs. Florence 2nd Color Bearer-Mrs. Rae Alford. 3rd Color Bearer-Mrs. Lavina

4th Color Bearer-Miss Cora Davey. Organist-Mrs. Effie Woizeschke. The following new member's were initiated: Mrs, Joseph LeRoux, Miss Edna Otis and Mrs. Henry Stoore. After the election an appetizing

supper was served. L. C. B. A.

"Round the Manger," Chorus At the regular meeting last Thursday evening, the L. C. B. A. held Address Supt. T. C. Sutton. their election of officers. The following were elected for the coming year: President-Mrs. Felice Benedict. Past pres.—Mrs. Henry Kane. 1st vice-pres.—Mrs. Anna Birney. 2nd vice pres .- Miss Jane Larmer. Finance keeper-Miss Wacie Halli-

> Treasurer-Mrs. E. H. Nye. Recorder-Mrs. Robt. Taylor. Asst. recorder-Miss Julia Nolan. Marshall-Mrs. Jas. LaBerge. Guard-Mrs. Martha Murray. Trustees-Mrs. Henry Kane, Mrs. Organist-Miss Elizabeth Grise.

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LEGISLATURE?

unequivocal:

no move for such a bill. We drew Springs Libera. the amendment. It was our own proposition. It definitely stated that saloons would be outlawed April 30, 1918, and not before. I would consider it fence with a baseball but over his morally wrong and politically a mis- sturdy right shoulder and was evident- of all towns has paid the most liberal take to try to make any change in ly waiting for the others to arrive for tribute to the famous in its street the plan already approved by the the game. Always anxious to but nomenclature. Its roads, evenues

the cards at Lansing by forcing more study which he was wasting in the ton, Longfellow, Chaucer, Shelley, dry legislation than has been asked for have not been heard from since ington, Lincoln, Grant, Lee, and other ham, Livingstone, Gladstone, Evelyn Mr. Hudson spoke. As far as the public is aware they still intend to demand a law prohibiting the importation of alcoholic beverages into this more of these famous persons who had state, not for the purpose of aiding prohibition, but for the purpose of destroying it. They understand quite well that many thousands of men who voted the saloons out of business would not vote for a law prohibiting the importation or use of beers and liquors. The drys themselves admit that in the Prohibition Year Book for 1915:

"The 1915 statistics show a total consumption of liquor practically equal to that of any previous year in our history. The latest available government reports show greater investments of money, and more men employed in the liquor business and allied industries, than any statistics heretofore published. Current political history shows the traffic to be as strongly entrenched in our politics and our national government as it has ever been, and probably stronger than ever before. These facts obtain in spite of the tremendous anti-liquor agitation and the widespread movement against the saloon."

The wets who demand a law against importation simply hope to irritate the Michigan consumer into voting for the saloon again rather than be deprived of beer or liquor. So strong is their habit of dictating to the public that they regard it as almost a personal affront for any man to be permitted to buy beer or liquor except in the specific manner in which they tell him to buy it. Their impertinence approaches humor in condemning as hypocrites everybody who is personally wet and politically dry, while contradictorily extolling as an archangel of intellect everybody who is personally dry and politically wet.

Michigan is not ready to go any further in prohibitory legislation than one step at a time. It will be difficult enough to enforce the modicum of prohibition that has already been adopted, seeing that a majority of the people in the metropolis of the state is against it. Whatever the people of Michigan may decide to do about probition in the future, they will hardly take orders from the deposed poohbahs of the policital bar-rooms.-Detroit Saturday Night.

ISN'T IT AWFUL MABEL?

Things are certainly bad these days. The margin of profit has been so greatly reduced that we don't know just what will happen to many of our great industries.

For instance, there is the drug business. We know how hard it is to get drugs. It's simply fierce and the prices are so high in some cases as to be almost prohibitive. It must be hard on the drug firms.

Parke, Davis and Co., at their meeting on Tuesday could only authorize the payment of regular quarterly dividend of one dollar a share, and an extra dividend of one dollar a share, the two dividends representing the equivalent of 8 per cent and raising the total of the company's dividend distributions to 20 per cent for the current year!

It's fierce, isn't it. The war is certainly creating havoc with the drug business.

Armour and company and Swift and company, the two great meat packing houses are also up against it. Armour and company have only been able to pay a four hundred per cent stock dividend. Swift and company have been obliged to be satisfied with a measly \$25,000,000 cash dividend, and a stock dividend of \$25,-

If things keep on this way we don't

TAWAS HERALD know what will happen. Everything is so hard to get-everything but big JAS. E. BALLARD, Editor and Proprietor fat dividends .- Port Huron Times-

We were recently privileged to attend the obsequies of our old friend According to the Engineering Magaand neighbor, John Barleycorn, whose zine, the salesmen carry small, light death occurred Tuesday, November 7, motion-picture projectors that can be 1916. John was quite a lovable old connected with the lighting circuit fellow and although we set up with the office of the customer. A blank him day and night for -over two wall serves for a screen. Since the had to see him pass out and beyond. CAN BOOZE STILL BOSS THE John would have probably lived to a ripe old age had he not made the help to overcome the instinctive oppo By putting a quietus on the rum- mistake of marrying Miss Home Rule sition that many buyers of machinery ors that the Michigan Anti-Saloon last spring, who in a fit of anger and equipment display toward new ap-League would attempt to obtain legis- struck the old man on the head with paratus and new methods. Such men lation during the coming session to a rolling pin. John had been a long will not listen to the salesman or go give prohibition effect in this state a time resident of Michigan and was to see the new machine in operation. year before the date set in the con- unusually well known and the day but they will look at the motion picstitutional amendment lately adopted, after he died the church bells tolled Superintendent Hudson has strength- and the factory whistles screeched in ened the standing of that organiza- memory of his passing. The old boy tion with everybody who believes in is gone and we hope that those who fair play. Mr. Hudson's statement is assisted so nobly in helping him to pass painlessly away will now see name of the lover of the "Vicar of "The Anti-Saloon League has made that his ashes rest in peace.-Cedar Wakefield" who sought to show his

His Test of Greatness.

He was perched on a broken-down ountless years to come. I tried to im- Chronicle. ress moon him that he should learn ecomplished so much before death vertook them; that they should stand at to him as shining examples of that men may achieve through concientious and consistent effort. I se great men, and exert all his pows to fellow in their footsteps. I was ttle toward me, and speaking in a y of dem guys pitch a curve?"

Old newspapers for sale at this office. lopes.

Many manufacturers of machine that is too heavy or too bulky to h sent for inspection to a prospective customer now give their traveling salesmen sets of motion pictures that show exactly how the machines work. months the end was inevitable and we motion picture is independent of the seasons, the salesmen can show a harvester at work in winter or a seeder or planter in the fall. The films also tures .- Youth's Companion.

A Silent Salesman.

Street of Authors.

It would be interesting to know the offection for this classic tale in man ing the streets which lie about the old parish church of Leyton. For we find here streets named after Goldsmith. Oliver, Thornhill, Wilmott, Burchell, Primrose and Sophia. Probably Bath prove the childish mind, I at once places and rows commemorate the The wets who threatened to gum suggested to him the opportunities for names of Shakespeare, Kipling, Milprofitless time squandered for pleas- Tennyson, Byron, Magaulay, Nelson. re. I told him of Columbus, of Wash- Fielding, Landseer, Rosebery, Chat mmortals, whose names would live for Gordon and Brougham. - London

Legends of Crater Lake.

Indians believe that Crater lake, in the Cascade mountains, one of the most beautiful spots in America, was sted in simple phrases that he study the home of a great spirit whom they called Llao. The blue waters teemed with giant crawfish, his servants Highted to see a spark of interest some of them so large that they could indle in his little black eyes at last. reach great claws to the top of the Say, mister!" he chirped, leaning a cliffs and seize venturesome visitors. Another great spirit chieftain, whom ne of suppressed excitement, "could they called Skell, was supposed to live in the Klamath marsh near by and to have many servants who could take



1916 Daffydils.

It's singular that there are no auumn leaves when autumn leaves. When Adam's sons grew up, was he Able to Cain either one of them? Some clothes have more ginger than others, but not the salt and pepper Matches are made between boxes be-

The button-holes complain that the little round things are always button When the proboscis smells out a se-

cause they have striking personalities.

at will the forms of cagles and ante- cret, it nose enough to keep still about

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A MISTLETOE MAID

By Minna Irving



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KISSED her -yes, I did-beneath The mystic mistletoe When Christmas bells were pealing out Across the drifted snow. She was a maiden sweet to see And just my style to boot, And so upon her ruby lips I placed a swift salute.

FOR she had twined the berried are not fit to eat, so the children have bough On chandelier and wall, And wreathed it all around the door, And draped it in the hall, And pinned it to the picture frames,

And hung it on the latch, And tucked it in her hair, and so I had to toe the scratch.

St. Nicholas And Christmas

THE origin of the idea that presents are presented at Christmas time by St. Nicholas, or Santa Claus, probably originated from the following circumstances: St. Nicholas is said to have been bishop of Myra and to have died in the year 326. He was noted for his fondness for chilfiren, and he became their patron saint, and the young were universally taught to revere him. He is said to have supplied three destitute families with marriage portions by secretly leaving money at their windows, and as this occurred just before Christmas he thus became purveyor of the gifts of the season to all children in Flanders and Holland, who hung up their shoes and stockings in the confidence that Knecht Clobes, as they called him, would put in a prize for good conduct.

Formerly, and still in some parts of Germany, the practice is made of all the parents in a small village sending the presents to some one person, who, in huge buskins, a white robe, a mask and an enormous flax wig, goes from house to house on Christmas eve and, being received with great pomp and reverence by the parents, calls for the children and bestows the intended gifts upon them, after first severely questioning the father and mother as to the character and conduct of the

As this custom became less frequent the custom of children hanging up their stocking was substituted, and, as the purveyor no longer visited the houses, it was necessary to explain by telling the children that he came into the house at night, coming down the chimney and leaving their presents and departing. The custom of decking the houses and churches at Christmas with evergreens is derived from ancient druidical practices.

Old Christmas

- Sayings

After Christmas comes Lent. A light Christmas, a heavy sheaf. Now's now, but Yule's in winter. A white Easter bringeth a green Christn 1s.

A Yul feast may be quit at Pasch (Easter). A black Christmas maketh a fa churchyard.

He hath eaten many a Christmas They keep Christmas all the year.

It smells of Muscadel like an English Christmas. Christmas, long looked for, comes at

St. Andrew, the king, three weeks three days before Christmas

The devil makes his Christmas pie of lawyers' tongues and clerks' fingers.

Christmas comes but once a year, And when it comes it brings good cheer. At Christmas time or a little after,

A crab in the hedge and thanks to the Bounce, buckram, velvet's dear,

Christmas comes but once a year. If Christmas day on a Sunday fall A troublous winter we shall have ax. If Christmas on a Monday be

Then a great winter we shall see. Yule is come, and Yule is gone, And we have feasted well, So Jack must to his flail again

And Jenny to her wheel. A Christmas Eve Legend.

An anecdote related by Mr. Howison in his "Sketches of Upper Canada" is full of comparative interest. He mentions meeting an Indian at midnight, creeping cautiously along in the stillness of a beautiful moonlight Christmas eve. The Indian made signals to him to be silent and when questioned as to his reason replied: "Me watch to see the deer kneel. This is Christmas It was an old belief that sylvan night, and all the deer fall upon their spirits flock to the evergreen and re- knees to the Great Spirit and look up." main unnipped by frost until a milder In some parts of England bees are season, and it was probably on account | popularly said to express their veneraof the good omen attached to the ever: | fion for the nativity by "singing," as green that Christmas trees came into it is called, in their hives at midnight. upon Christmas eve.

The Principal Festival

Christmas in Anglo-Saxon days in England was celebrated as the principal festival of the year, the Anglo-Saxon forefathers delighting in the festivities of the holy month, as they called the month of December. At these times the Anglo-Saxon and afterward the Danish kings of England lived in state and were surrounded with all the great men of their kingdom, who were sumptuously entertained. There was also an outflow of generous hospitality

toward the poor. During the reign of Alfred the Great a law was passed with relation to holidays by virtue of which the twelve days after the Nativity were set apart for the celebration of the Christmas festival. It is said that but for Alfred's strict observance of the "full twelve holy days" he would not have been defeated by the Danes.

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An Eskimo Yule

SEA captain once said that when God was creating the world he threw all waste material aside in a heap, and that was Labrador. God neverintended it to be inhabited, maybe. But it is inhabited, and into that waste of ice clad cliffs and crags Moravian missionaries have penetrated so that amid the desolation of Labrador snow the Christmas festival is celebrated.

As service time draws nigh all, old and young, the men on one side, the women on the other, are waiting in eager expectation. By 4 o'clock it is quite dark, and the bell rings. All come trooping in, clad in the best clothes they can muster. I say all, for not one will be wanting, unless kept at home by serious illness. Even those who are ill, if not too sick, will be brought on sleds and carried into the church, and those who really cannot come weep at home.

For the little children the happiest part of the service comes later, when each child receives a lighted candle symbolizing the light of the world. Each candle stands in a white turnip, which has been saved from the hard won harvest wrung from that inhospitable soil. A hole is cut into the turnip and the candle inserted, so that it serves as a candlestick. In former years, when deer hunting was more deer tallow to the missionaries. who made the candles out of it. Then after the service the children had not only the turnip to eat, but also the rest of the candle which had been brought home unconsumed. But now imported candles are used, and they only the joy of seeing them burn.-Rev. Adolf Stecker, Moravian Missionary in Labrador and Alaska, in New York Evening Sun.



Use Little Santas.

The Christmas house decorations should, of course, include plenty of holly and Christmas greens; but, if possible, small Santas should play a conspicuous part in the scheme. Paper or china or cloth-whatever they are-they should perch over the doors or windows, cling to holly wreaths and hide themselves in the holiday

The dance orders should have small Santas painted or printed or pasted at their head. These orders can be bought decorated in many stores, but any hostess who can use water colors could make them herself, and one who cannot use water colors can use the same sort of little gummed Santas or Santa Claus heads for these Denny. You mind the goat in our alorders that she used for the seals of ley? It's his pitcher." But Denny



the beginning, for every man for whose Carol of Christmas

DAY fades across the winter Santa Claus better than he likes God."

The snow is cold and deep;

Beside the window Christmas eve Our twilight watch we keep. O Chicistmas stars, O Christmas stars, Be fore our earnest eyes

You write the sweetest tale of earth Across the Christmas skies!

The wind drops down, the fields are The air is bushed and clear;

Far music trembles up the hill Unon our listening ear. O Christmas bells, O Christmas bells, Ring silvery and long Unto our little hearts you seem The Christmas angels' song!

Do Your Shopping Early.

Get the present for the cousins, For the aunts and uncles too.

Liok-for pleasant gifts from you. If y ou've got dough you must spend it. Don't postpone the irksome day. Get the ordeal over. End it.

Ye ou can rest in peace serene. You can murmur, "I should worry," As ad enjoy the jumbled scene.

Probate Notice.

Christmas

HE was six if she was a day. She

at a big department store and making

The Woman Who Saw had a like des-

walker who dared to question her.

white beard, holding his big whip, and from his face the small boy did no

Across the room was a creche; also

wonderful and beautiful thing-the

infant Jesus in the manger, the mother

in her blue robes, St. Joseph with his

The children had been perfectly still

for fifteen minutes looking at Santa

Claus when the little girl whispered to

the boy. He squirmed, struggled, but

she was too much for him. She dis-

lodged him from his seat, dragged him

to the creche and with motherly Irish

Reverently she described the holy group, then would incite devotion from

a more human motive. "See the cow,

Denny. You mind the cow we used to

see last summer at the farm when we

went on the fresh air? See the goat,

whined and pulled and pulled to be

The little girl looked up and met the

eyes of the Woman Who Saw. Her sigh

was that given by every woman since

"I'm afraid," she said, "Denny likes

Healing Virtue In Christmas Coins.

In certain parts of Worcestershire

and Staffordshire the idea prevails that

a silver coin from the Christmas morn-

ing offertory is a sovereign remedy for

any ill that human flesh is heir to. Ac-

cordingly any householder who hap-

pens to have an ailing child or other

person in his house hies him to the

clergyman of the parish on Christmas

morning and asks as a favor a sacra-

ment shilling, as the coin is called.

The coin given in exchange has to be

obtained by collecting a dozen pennies

from as many different maidens and

then changing the coppers for a silver

shilling. For this coin the applicant

receives the coveted sacrament shill-

ing, which on being taken home is

hung round the ailing one's neck and

and complete cure of the complaint, no

Provide For Christmas.

Provide for Christmas eve that it do come

To feast thy neighbor good cheer to have

Good bread and drink, a fire in the hail,

Brawn, pudding, souse and good mustard

Beef, mutton, pork and shred pies of the

Pig, veal, goose, capon and turi

them all.

matter what it may be.

soul she holds herself responsible.

-New York Evening Sun.

piety pressed him on his knees.

back again to his idol.

staff, the three kings resplendent.

his sleigh piled with toys.

for the toys.

had a little fat back in a little

black coat, and her wisps of red

hair matched her red tam-o'-

STATE OF MICHIGAN, The Probate Court for the County of Iosco. In the matter of the estate of HIRAM KELLY, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that four months from the 11th day of September A. D. 1916, have been allowed for creditors to present their claims against said deceased to said court for examination and adjustment, and that all creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said court, at the probate office, in the city of Tawas City, in said county, on or before the TWELFTH day of JAN-UARY A. D. 1917, and that said claims will be heard by said court on Friday the twelfth day of January A. D. 1917, at ten o'clock in the fore-

DAVID DAVISON, Judge of Probate.

shanter. In her firm hand she held a struggling boy about a year younger, WANTS, FOR SALE, ETC and they were getting into the elevator

For Sale—300 lb. safe. In good condition. Wm. Klinke, Tawas City,

tination, and when the floor was reached they got out together. Children are Wanted-Wood in exchange for dennot allowed unaccompanied by guardtal work. Dr. A. B. Carson, Tawas ians in most large shops, but such was

her air of responsibility, of decorum, that it would have been a bold floor-For Sale-House and lot. For particulars inquire of A. A. Tawas City, Mich. Nor evidently was it her first visit The boy, still held in leash, ran in front

and made straight for the space devoted to Santa Claus, his reindeer and and Elm Fiberwood Bolts. Inquire United States Gypsum Company, Ala-There was a background of fir and baster, Michigan. cedar and a huge Christmas tree, but Wanted-To purchase 15 or 20 tons

We are in the market for Poplar

the pair sat down before the fascinatof good clover or mixed hay. Inquire ing old fellow in his red robe, his long of Nelson Johnson, Baldwin Township, P. O. address East Tawas.

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Do gour Christmas shopping early. Do it early, mother dear, You've run into every year.

Do your Christmas shopping early. You should not procrastinate Cir you'll mingle with the surly Crowds that do their shopping late.

Oth er relatives by dozens apples and nuts to throw about the hall. That boys and girls may soramble for Sing jolly carols, make the fiddlers play-

Let scrupulous fanatics keep away. He ave the things all packed away. The n when others hurry, scurry,

For oftentimes is seen no arranter knave Than some who do counterfelt most to be -Poor Robin's Almanac, 1664.

Old newspapers for sale at this office. The Tawas Herald \$1.50 per year.

Stammering Self-Cured.

At about fifteen years of youth was suddenly attacked by that absurd inability to start the sentence without stuttering over the beginning; the same difficulty came with certain letters in the middle of the senfence. Determined to get over this, I decided I said it to mysett. This implied a certain deliberation of utterance. If you stammer, stammer in silence and then get off with your remark .- Exchange.

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December 16

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and Caps.

It Is So Easy! Boston it famous for its beans, but

those who "know beans" will tell you that none are so delicious as those beans baketl in the ground according to the manner of guides and lumber nen in the Maine woods. Not long go a man from the Middle West took hunting trip through the Pine Tree tate. He bired a camp, and his sok was a Frenchman long experi need in the art of cooking. The man es delighted with the beans, and ato hem three times a day. When he cat out, he asked the Frenchman if would give him his formula for polding beans, "Sure," said Joe She's jes' so easy as nottin'. If ye for cook de bean in bean hole, a whole bean is goin' been whole w'en ou tak heem out de bean hole, you irs' make de bean hole, and w'er ou get make de bean hole, you tal te whole bean, and put de whole is de bean hole, an' cove' up de whole o de bean hole, and in de mornin' w'c cou tak de whole out de bean hole ye goin' to find de whole of de bean, w'a you cook in de bean hole, is goin' beer whole,"--Youth's Companion.

What the Duke Said.

The Duke of Wellington, of course, never said "Up guards, and at 'em!" at Waterloo, but is it generally known ow near he came to saying it? Sir Herbert Maxwell, in his biography of he duke, points out what is the probable origin of the pleasing legend. Late in the afternoon of that memor- Some day when we are all grown up able June 18 the first and second batalions of the Third Chasseurs were foremost in the attack on Mont-Saint Jean. They had reached a crossroad. unaware that the British troops were | The things inside we'll let 'em in to ying behind the wayside banks, according to orders, to remain prone when under fire but not actually engaged. Then, at the proper moment, Wellington's voice was heard, clear above the storm, "Stand up, guards!" It was Maitland's brigade of guards that thus "stood up," and, with a victorious rush, swept the chasseurs out of the combat.

Prayers in British Parliament. The chaplain who opens the daily sessions of the British house of commons appears always in white silk robes and white kid gloves. He enters bows twice to the house as they proceed to the table. Then, as they stand ogether, the speaker on the right, the chaplain reads the special prayers appointed for the occasion, the members also standing. When he has finished the chaplain retires, walking backward and bowing as he leaves the chamber. As he passes out an attendant calls, "Prayers are over,' and the house proceeds to the transaction of

December 18

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At the Window

THEN Christmas time is pretty near, if we're good girls an' boys,

Our mothers take us up the street an' let us see the toys,

An' we forget that it is cold an' that our clothes is thin

to stand there lookin' in.

If we could only have our wish I guess that we would pray To have some angel come some night an' take that glass

An' it would pay the angel, too, to see the mothers smile

If we could play with all those toys for just a little while.

Some day when we are all grown up an' rich as we can be, If Santa Claus would just bring things like those in there

to me-An' for awhile it seems almost as if

he really had, An' then I 'member that he ain't, Though the sound that she made was an', my, it makes me sad!

an' rich as we can be We're goin' to buy a store like that, an' when kids come to see

help themselves to toys. An', my, we know what that will Killer. This pleasant candy laxative mean to little girls an' boys! in tablet form quickly brightens up. -James J. Montague in New York druggist, 25c. American.

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The Wassail Bowl.

Wassail, or wassail bowl, is regarded as of such antiquity that it is said to have been known to the ancient Britons. For many centuries it has been a favorite beverage during Christmas festivities, although it was calcuthe chamber with the speaker and each | lated to cause biliousness, if it did not have a more immediate disagreeable effect. Such a mixture ought to have been intoxicating. Here is the way creased, and no indications that for

beer; grate a nutmeg and some ginger into it; add four glasses of sherry and five additional pints of beer; stir it well: sweeten it to your taste; let it stand covered up two or three hours, found Ho-Mayde Bread Improver of then put three or four slices of bread, cut thin and toasted brown, into it. and it is fit for use.

The Christmas Dinner

The Christmas dinner of ancient tradition has expanded into an almost impossible meal in the course of centuries through the industry of innumerable writers of various generations, who seem to have, through ignorance or design, attached to this ample meal and its attendant good cheer a host of dishes and beverages and customs flour are used." that really were intended to extend throughout the Christmas season.

It is true that the Christmas dinner Henry VII. certainly has been an imally brought to table the boar's head bread making, which, for the average and placed it before his son, the young woman, is almost a lost art. prince. He made a ceremonial observance of this simple feature. He was preceded, as he passed firmly up to the table, by trumpeters.

Whether Henry VII. was the first to establish the custom cannot now be ascertained. But the custom obtained throughout England in certain quarters ever since. For ages the custom has been followed at Oxford university, and those who have dipped into the pleasant pages of Washington Irving's "Old Christmas," will learn how the ceremony was conducted in the early part of the last century, where. at Bracebridge Hall, where Geoffrey Crayon was the guest, the boar's head was brought in by the butler, supported on either side by a liveried servant bearing a lighted candle. There were the prescribed "strains of minstrelsy."—New York Times.

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Christmas In Oberammergau.

In Oberammergam, Germany, a distinctly religious tone is given to Christmas. The Christ Child is the guardian angel of the time. It is he, they say, who br ings the Christmas tree. He comes (lown from heaven on Christmas eve, holding it in his hands. Two ange is bearing presents fly before him and two behind. He puts the tree on the table, rings a bell and flies av ray. He brings a blessing to the children that have been obedient.

To the children of Oberammergau St. Nicholas is an angel in disguise. He goes about : from house to house in ragged clothe s and with a bag on his back. He g ives a loud knock at the door and as as, "Are the children good?" If the answer is "Yes" he leaves fruits an il candies. If the answer is "No" he leaves a stick.

00000000000 NEWS FROM THE IOSCO COUNTY SCHOOLS.

Mr. C. A. Spalding, assistant state dance craze. manager of boys' and girls' club handicraft work; in the afternoon gen- cakes. eral club projects. He is a pleasing, An' think we're mighty lucky just well informed young man. His dis-

cussions were very helpful. Saturday, Dec. 16, Prof. Cobb, of Teachers and the general public are the skin or clog the pores like mussy

Majority of the class visited Alaroyally entertained.

If principal is good for anything, 25c. it is worth living up to.
Women have fewer vices than men, but they have stronger prejudices. We seldom find persons whom we acknowledge to be possessed of good sense except those who agree with us

Loony Limericks. There was a young lady named Annie, Whose voice was bot cracked and tin-

panny; But she'd sing and she'd play,

Worms Easily Removed. Mother, if your child whines, is fretful and cries out in sleep, he is probably suffering from worms. These parasites drain his vitality and make him more susceptible to serious diseases. Quickly and safely kill and remove the worms from your child's system with Kickapoo Worm

Get Kickapoo Worm Killer at your

AD IMPROVER IS BIG AID IN REDUCING THE COST OF LIVING

Ho-Mayde Makes Deliciously Good Bread From Even Cheaper Grades of Flour.

"With the price of baker's bread inthey used to manufacture it in Oxford: mer prices will prevail for months and Put into a bowl half a pint of Lisbon perhaps years, thousands of women sugar; pour on it one pint of warm are making bread in their own kitchens in an effort to reduce the cost of living," said C. I. Chapin, general manager of the Ho-Mayde Products Co., of Detroit. "And many of these women have

great assistance in making bread because the wholesome product, when dissolved in the yeast, assures absolutely dependable results. "The Bread Improver shortens the

time of bread making and prevents failures. It makes larger, softer and whiter loaves and imparts a nut-like F. H. RICHARDS, East Tawas, Mich. flavor to the bread. "It is not necessary to set bread

over night when Ho-Mayde is used. Bread set in the morning is out of the oven by noon, and by its use an extra loaf is made from the same materials. "Hundreds of housewives have informed me that they have greatly reduced the cost of living by using Ho-Mayde, as they are assured light,

nutritious loaves of excellent bread

even when the cheaper grades of The Ho-Mayde Products Co., which is sending sample packages of the Bread Improver to all women, upon in England since the time of King request, has received testimonial letters from hundreds of housewives, as well as editors of several women's portant feature of the season's fes-tivities. It was this elegant prince Mayde. It is said that Ho-Mayde will who, at his Christmas feast, person- play a prominent part in reviving

A girl with a wart on her chin gets a husband of her own choosing, while her dimpled sister may not fare so

The price of hay has gone up owing to the large quantities of it used in making costumes for the Hula Hula tion for others; they are the testimony

Today, while we have on our cloaks no man liveth to himself. work was with us last Saturday. In of piety, let us not forget to sympathize with the man whose indiges-

Stiff, Sore Muscles Relieved. Cramped muscles or soreness following a cold or case of grippe are eased and relieved by an application Mt. Pleasant will visit the class. of Sloan's Liniment. Does not stain ointments or plasters and penetrates quickly without rubbing. Limber up your muscles after exercise, drive out baster Farmers' Institute, and were the pains and aches of rheumatism, neuralgia, lumbago, strains, sprains and bruises with Sloan's Liniment. Get a bottle today. At all druggists,

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The RICHARDS HARDWARE

East Tawas

"Manners," someone says, "are the minor morals." Say rather they are the outside symptoms of good morals.

to our recognition of the principle that

"I suppose it is privilege of the postmaster to read all the post cards,' said the irritating person. "I suppose it is," said the woman who was sort ing mail. "Maybe I'd do it if anybody was to come along of sufficient importance to arouse any curiosity."

DODGE BROTHERS MOTOR CAR

The dealer's sincere and implicit confidence in this car must have impressed you.

You will find this so wherever you go.

People have found out that repairs are rarely rendered necessary except by accident or abuse.

They know that cars which have been in use for a long period are as good as new if they have been given any sort of care,

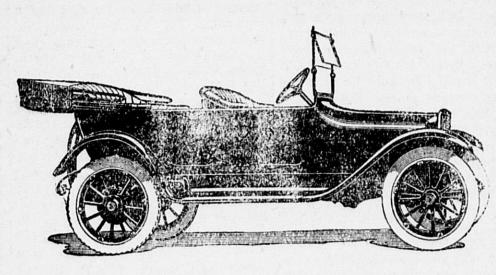
They know, too, that efficiency and economy are common characteristics of Dodge Brothers Motor Car.

Its satisfactory performance under conditions of unusual hardship is now a matter of authentic record.

The gasoline consumption is unusually low, The tire mileage is unusually high

The price of the Touring Car or Roadster, complete, is \$785 (f. o. b. Detroit)

The price of the Winter Touring Car or Roadster complete including regular mohair top is \$950 (f. o, b. Detroit)



HENRY KANE

Tawas City

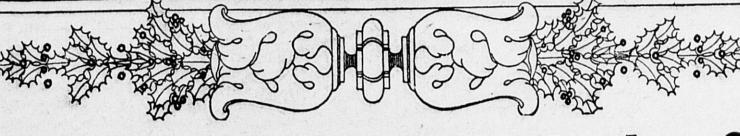
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THE (HRISTMAS STORE







Make Your Selection Early, Save Money, Time and Ambition

Make this store your headquarters for Christmas purchases. Now is the time to look the line over. We want to show you the goods. Do not wait too long, the one who buys first gets the best selection always.

Let us show you our Watches. Elgin, Waltham, Hamilton, Illinois, Etc. Some beautiful Bracelet Watches, the right sizes.

Diamond Rings, Set Rings and Signets. Lavallieres, Gold Beads, Rosaries, Cameo Pendants, Cameo Pins (a good selection), Brooches, Bar Pins, Beauty Pins, Hat Pins (big line), Stick Pins, Tie Clasps, Cuff Links, all prices. Waldemar Coat and Vest Chains, Gold Knives, Cigar Cutters. Beautiful line of White Ivory, and in fact anything you want.

We want to see you and show you our line. Drop in and look it over, it's a pleasure to show you the goods.

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Christmas Goods

and Toys

Christmas gifts and a big assortment of toys for the little

folks. We can surely please both your taste and your

Specials for Saturday | Specials for Monday

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The Square Deal Store

We have a large and varied stock of goods suitable for

send your farm churn to the museum [this winte. Anyway store it away for a while. We need your cream NOW, even if it is a small amount. Prices for butterfat are higher than we have ever seen them before and they are still mounting every week.

> We need YOU YOU need Us

IOSCO CREAMERY CO.

WHITTEMORE, MICH.;

John Jordan was at Tawas City Saturday John McInerney was at Bay City last Monday morning.

business Tuesday. A. B. Schneider was at Bay City on business Tuesday.

on business Wednesday. Paul Pringle of Flint visited with relatives here this week.

City on business Tuesday. Court Beardslee of Burleigh was in man, Clifford Allen.

town Sunday on Grange business. Rev. Eust. Faucher of Omer held Catholic services here last Friday. sing as a Grange delegate from here. parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Abbott. at the home of his parents, Mr. and Dr. McDowell of Turner was cal-

BURLEIGH GOSSIP

week in Prescott. Mrs. Thos. Bellville returned home

from Flint Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Bellen were in Tawas City on business last Thursday. The literary society met at the home of Mrs. Lansbury last Thursday. Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Steihl are the proud parents of a fine baby girl which arrived on Dec. 6th.

Mrs. N. J. Dean returned home Thursday after spending a few days in the Tawases on business.

Stanley Ostrander returned to Flint last week after spending the past few weeks with his parents. The Keystone school will have a

Christmas tree and entertainment on Dec. 21. Everybody welcome The Hottois school will hold their Christmas tree and entertainment on Dec. 20. Everybody is invited.

Mrs. Emma Wendt and Miss Clara Smith of Detroit are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. David Smith,

Mrs. Henry Steihl was called to Bay City one day last week by the illness of her daughter, Mrs. Balle, who was operated on at Mercy hospital on Wednesday of last week

WILBER WARBLINGS.

John Herman spent a few days during the past week at Flint. Dr. Stealy of East Tawas was a professional caller here last Saturday. Tawas City visitors Wednesday. Arthur Leitz of District No. 4 en-

Amy Abbott came home Monday T. H. Wood was at Tawas City on evening from Reno, where she had been visiting relatives for a few days. Annie Phelps came home from Marks Station Friday evening and

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Kimmel are the proud parents of a baby boy which Wednesday to stay till after the holi-Fred Woodman was called to Tawas arrived at their home on December 6.

They have named the young gentle-Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Boomer and Jas. Dafoe, who has been quite ill day son returned to their home at Tawas recently.

A Christmas tree and entertain- Mrs. S. R. Scofield Wednesday. led here Sunday by the illness of ment will be given at the church by Mr. and Mrs. Albert Syze attended evening this week the schools in District No. 1 next the farewell at Whittemore Tuesday Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Hamman and Thursday evening, December 21. night, which was given by the East- again in the employ of Josiah Robindaughter, Lucile, returned Friday Everyone is cordially invited to come ern Star in honor of Mr. and Mrs. from a two weeks visit in Columbus, and help make it a merry Christmas. Chichester. Donald Kirkendall gave him a pleas- given by the Alpha class of the M. the study of telegraphy. ant surprise last Saturday evening. E. church Sunday school last Fri- Mrs. Seth Thompson went to Cinevening was spent with playing games, withstanding the stormy weather. Mrs. Anson Lail is spending the music and dancing. Everyone reports a good time and all wish him many more happy birthdays.

WHITTEMORE.

W. H. Price was at East Tawas

on business Tuesday. Birt Fowler of Tawas City was in the city on business Tuesday. Customers of the Whittemore Elevator will please remember that after January 1st all business will be

strictly cash. The Whittemore elevator shipped a carload of peas to New York Monday. From there they will go to Europe to be used in the relief of the homeless and starving sufferers in Belgium.

To Whittemore friends and customers: Have removed my millinery and a nice line of Christmas novelties from my residence to the building I formerly occupied, commonly known as "the corner store," across from the elevator. It will pay you to call and secure some of the many bargains on sale there beginning tomorrow and continuing at least two weeks. Mrs. A. W. Colby, Tawas City.

Old newspapers for sale at this office. The Tawas Herald \$1.50 per year

Christmas shoppers will find in our store hundreds of suitable gifts for

Mackinaws

Shoes

Handkerchiefs

every member of the family from the youngest to the oldest, at prices to

Mittens

And in fact everything usually carried in a first class department store.

Big Line of Christmas Candies and Nuts

Our prices are always the lowest to be found in this section and you are

assured of getting the greatest possible value out of every dollar spent here.

A. BLUMENAU

Mittens

fit every purse. Following are a few suggestions:

Overcoats

Fur Sets or Pieces

Caps

Gloves

Suits

Hats

WHITTEMORE

HALE AND VICINITY.

Mrs. John Bailey is quite ill at this Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Marsh were ful in Reno. The mission circle met at the

home of Mrs. H. E. Nunn Wednesday tered the high school in Dist. No. 1 afternoon Howard Dafoe and Archie Daley of Flint are spending the week at the day to join his parents.

Mrs. Chas. Ballard is entertining Flint a week ago Monday. her sister, Mrs. Collins, also her Frank Schneider was at Tawas City spent the week end with her parents father, Mr. Bernard, both of Linden. Robert Buck who has been working in Flint for some time came home on official business last Monday.

Rev. Chas. Cliff of Flint came Tuesday to visit his mother-in-law, Mrs. Tawas City were Reno visitors Sun-

City last Saturday after visiting for D. O. Scofield who has been ser- to Flint Monday, where they will C. H. Mark left Monday for Lan- some time at the home of Mrs. B.'s lously ill for some time passed away stay for a time.

ALABASTER DUST.

Talk of the day-"Oscar and his doll, Johnnie." Born, to Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Ousternout, Dec. 4, a baby girl.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Goodrow have moved to their farm on the plains. normal visited the mill and warehouse Christmas.

Mrs. Geo. Morley has been visiting her children, Mary and Geo. jr., at Detroit.

When in Alabaster stop at the new call or phone (??) Some of our boys visited on the

Meadow road Sunday evening. What is the attraction, boys? Mrs. F. Barston and daughter, Amanda, and Miss Violet Ulman were Tawas visitors Saturday.

Irene, the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. LePere, died Tuesday at 9 o'clock, from convulsions. Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Drumm left Wednesday for the AuSable dams,

where he has employment. Mr. and Mrs. E. Manor and son, Geo., left Saturday for Toledo, where they will spend the winter.

Arthur Beck, Wm. Beck and Seffer the winter. Johnson made a business trip to Au

LONG LAKE BREEZES.

Monday.
Otto Bates drove to South Branch State Grange meeting being held there

Saturday. Frank Wolfson was in Hale one day last week.

over Sunday this week. Mr. Motney of South Branch was ness trip here one day last week.

J. D. Pilmore returned to Bay City much enjoyed by all after spending several days here on

erick, made a business trip to Bay der the auspices of the Ladies' Aid City Tuesday.

Louis LaBerge.

visit her parents.

to spend a few days. were Hale visitors Monday.

Sweaters

Slippers

MICHIGAN

Dress Goods

RENO RUMBLINGS

Wedding bells! Wedding bells! Threshing machines are still plenti-Fred Market and family have come back for the winter.

Miss Amy Abbott returned to he home in Wilber Monday. Floyd Murray went to Flint Mon-

Hammie Hutchinson returned to Josiah Robinson was a business visitor on the Hemlock Monday. Deputy Sheriff Chase was in Reno

Mrs. Ernest Crego made a business trip to Whittemore Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. William Allen of

Sherman Johnson moved his family

The Free Methodist revival meetings at the school house continue each Bert Phelps of AuSable is here

son for a few days.

indefinite stay with her parents. Last weeks rain has changed to snow this week, making it necessary to bring stock in from the pastures.

under the Dr.'s care.

Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Johnson and side of parcels. two sons left for Flint Monday morning, where they will make their home the coming year. Lloyd, the young son of Mr. and Mrs. Grant Murray, "Hotel Porcupine." For particulars accompanied them to join his parents be delivered, or rent a box.

HEMLOCK SLIVERS.

Frank and Anna Karziski spent Sunday at Bouchards.

a few days at their shack. Tom Low spent Sunday with his brother, Dave, on the Townline. Chas. Deming is attending th

Miss Helen Scarlett left Saturday for Detroit where she expects to spend Mr. and Mrs. John Alstrom spen

strom of Baldwin, Miss Ida Scofield, senior teacher of the Greenwood school, was called home

Louis LaBerge butchered a fine hog Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Currey went to SLIDING SCALE FOR BEETS Lansing Tuesday as delegates to the

this week. Friday we postponed our box social Claude Vosburg was in Rose City until Friday 15. Everybody welcome.

Come and bring a box. The Hemlock road Farmers' Instilarge crowd being in attendance at J. H. Kohn has completed the Lew- both the afternoon and evening meeting for Hillman, where she expects Brown and Anderson, also the parts taken by the school children were

A very successful bazaar, entertain- grower has ever had. ment and supper was held at the Claude Vosburg and brother, Fred- Orange hall Wednesday evening unof the Baptist church. There was a Mrs. Albert Lauer left Tuesday Readings by Misses Mary and Bermorning for Flint, where she will nice Smith and Hattie Allen. Mr. L. with his entertainment. His unique Mrs. O. Bradford and daughter, work on the blackboard interspersed Mrs. Henry Ballard, also Mr. Vosburg with many pleasantries, was very higher tribuate can be paid to his work than the invitation, "Come again." The ladies desire to thank uary and growers will be paid for the all who helped to make the evening rate over \$6.

so enjoyable and successful. GAME PROTECTION.

game wardens but we are of the Daily News. opinion that there are a lot of poor ones which have in some way slipped in and who are taking the place of a good man.

Now if you ever noticed they all seem to get busy during hunting season and keep going from one hunt- Edward Elgar has made out of "The ing camp to another pretending to be Dream of Gerontius," and many a poet looking for violators. If they would has received more for a brief lyric be on the job as faithfully before season and after we believe it would may have cost him months or years' of materially assist in preserving our

When our deer need protection is during the summer months and after the season closes, but although we all know that our law is violated during these times the work of our wardens does not seem to be very effective. We are of the opinion that the reason is that they are not on the job, as they should be. If they are, and are not able to pick up the game aw violators it is time they hand in their resignation, and give some man a chance who will do things.-Ex.

SOME HOG THAT.

Supervisor A. D. Franklin has raised omy in government quoted the followand sold a hog that weighed 890 lbs. ing conversation between a pay-roll pa-Mr. Franklin quite modestly admits triot and a United States senator: that all the hogs in Moffatt township do not reach this size, and he attributes the abnormal growth of this sion to investigate the reason for the particular porker to the fact that the scarcity of jobs, and you can get a animal was fattened on huckleberries. place on that."-Boston Traveler. -Omer Progress.

CHRISTMAS PARCELS.

Mail early. Wrap securely.

Address plainly.

Patrons are urged to mail their Christmas packages early so as to avoid congesting the mails; to wrap them securely to assure their safe- Ohio on Friday, he returned on Moncarriage. One strand of cord each plainly in order that they may be day cutting wood. promptly delivered. Sender's name must be on all parcels. The upper left hand corner is the proper place. carefully and mark them as such. Owosso and Willie from Bay City. Perishable articles should be marked Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Laidiaw and Wild is very line and Mrs. Sommerfield left.

Never seal a parcel post package, evening. as sealed packages are subject to postage at the letter rate (first class). Christmas seals and stickers should not be placed on the address side of any mail matter, nor used to seal a

parcel post package. It is advisable to insure all parcels. Seth Thompson went to Valparaiso Be sure you know the value of all ar- ployment Ohio, Washington, and other points. A large number of the friends of the bazaar and supper which was last Wednesday, where he will take up ticles to be insured. Insurance rates are very low, namely: Parcels valued and Tuesday with Mrs. Fred Force at liquors, during the year ending Mon-The occasion being his birthday. The day evening was well attended not- cinnati, Ohio, last Wednesday for an \$5.00, 3c fee; \$25.00, 5c fee; \$50.00, 10c fee; \$100.00, 25c fee.

Mail parcels early. They may be Mrs. Melvin Sherman. marked "Do not open until Christ-Little James Daugherty who suffer- mas;" "Merry Christmas;" "Happy ed a broken limb last week is doing New Year;" "With Best Wishes," etc. as well as can be expected, and is are permissable additions to fourth-Walter Misener of Bay City is class (parcel post) mail. Communi- turned to their respective homes. spending a few days visiting his cations prepaid at first class rate may ousin. Cecil Westervelt. He goes to be sent with parcels prepaid at fourth cial and bazaar given by the Ladies' Simon Goupil, Emery Junction 500.00 Fast Tawas this week to visit rela- class rate, provided they are placed Aid at the Orange Hall on Wednesday Alabaster school and Tawas City tives there before returning home for in envelopes securely attached to out-

All general delivery patrons are requested to designate one member of their family to which their mail is to

One and two cent stamps should be bought in advance and kept in each home. Please do not send your children to the post office each day with two cents to buy a stamp. (This applies to adults). Stamp the letters Mr. and Mrs. Paul Bouchard spent and cards at home and save much time for both. This is particularly desired during the holiday season.

Rural patrons will confer a favor Grange meeting at Lansing this week. by not calling unnecessarily each day for their mail at the post office. During the busy season clerks cannot spare the time to wait upon them properly. Sable Saturday and returned Monday. Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Al- Rural patrons are also requested to keep a supply of stamps and envelopes on hand. Do not leave coins in Tuesday by the serious illness of her the mail box during cold weather.

NEXT SEASON.

Announcement came from the Mich-On account of the bad weather last igan Sugar Co. Wednesday of the contract prices that will be paid in the 1917 campaign to the farmers in eastern and central Michigan who tute held at the Grant town hall last grow beets for this company. The in town one day last week.

John LeClair of Hale made a busiThursday was a decided success. A flat minimum rate of \$6 a ton will prevail, but there will be an advance less cottage on the shore of AuSable ings. A good dinner and supper was of \$1 a ton to the farmers for every served by the ladies. The addresses \$1 increase per 100 pounds in the Mrs. Geo. Lauer left Tuesday morn- by Mr. Robinson, the singing by Revs. market price of sugar over \$6. The company has plenty of seed. The contract is the most favorable the

General Manager W. H. Wallace, of the company, gave out the announcement to The News as follows: Louis LaBerge, sr. of East Tawas large attendance and the evening "We are going to write contracts for spent Monday night here with son, was thoroughly enjoyed by all. Songs \$6 minimum and to advance from \$6 were rendered by Rev. Anderson. at the rate of \$1 a ton for each \$1 advance per 100 pounds of sugar. H. Emerson, "The Backward Man," With \$6.50 sugar we would pay \$6.50 Miss Mavis Vosburg left Tuesday who is always a welcome visitor at for the beets. The sugar price is the night for Rose City, where she expects the Hemlock, delighted the audience whosale market price quoted by Willet & Gray of New York. The \$6 rate for beets will be paid in the regmuch appreciated and was a large ular way as now. Then the market factor in the evening's success. No prices we get will be taken for October, November, December and Jan-

> "We have plenty of seed for the next year's campaign." Mr. Wallace said. "Contracts will be in the hands Michigan no doubt has some good of the field men Dec. 15."-Saginaw

> > Small Things. As with music, so with poetry it is the little things that pay. Many an indifferent composer has made more out of a single song or waltz than Sir than he can hope to get for work that labor. Indeed, a volume of verse often makes less for the author than he receives for three or four pieces printed in magazines or newspapers. It is the same with less exalted matters. The inventor of a patent collar stud or boot protector will make more money than the inventor of something that really benefits the human race. The little thing that every one wants is the thing

Taking Care of Him.

reward of starvation.

that pays, whether in trade or art.

Heroic accomplishment has the heroic

One of the local politicians (he insists that he is a statesman) was a guest of honor at a gathering the other From Alger comes the report that night, and while on the subject of econ-"Senator, you promised me a job." "But there are no jobs." "I need a job, senator." "Well, I'll ask for a commis-

LAIDLAWVILLE.

Orville Fahselt came home from Bay City on Saturday.

Miss McLeod and her pupils are preparing a Christmas program. Will Kobs came home from Akron,

Frank Lang with his wood machine

sister, Mrs. Ed. Graham. Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Laidlaw and who is very ill, and who was very low cial in the Orange hall on Wednesday

MEADOW ROAD.

Matilda Blust visited at the home of Mrs. Ed. Youngs Sunday. Monday where she has secured em-

Mina Sherman spent Saturday and Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Dewey Holloway who is working at Whittemore spent Saturday and Sun-

day with his parents. George and Roy Frank who have been employed at Alabaster have re-Several from here attended the soTOWNLINE TOPICS.

Miss Nina Peck spent Sunday D. K. Frappier of Detroit has been

The election of officers of Vine

Grange was held Wednesday evening

visiting friends here this week.

at the hall. The Christmas entertainment of way is not enough. Address them was at the county farm on Wednes- District No. 2, will be held at the school house next Thursday evening, Mesdames W. E. Laidlaw and G. Dec. 21. A fine program has been L. Fahselt spent Thursday with their prepared and a good time is expected. Mrs. M. A. Sommerfield returned Frank Wood and son, Willie, re- Monday from an extended visit with Pack fragile and breakable articles turned home on Monday. Frank from relatives at Detroit and Bay City. At the latter place she visited her mother,

REPORT OF LIQUOR COLLEC-

Treasurer's office, County of Iosco. I, Joseph G. Dimmick, deputy treasirer of the county of Iosco, state of Michigan, do hereby certify that the the following is a full and complete Zoa Hughes went to Bay City last report of the taxes collected at this office, upon the business of selling or keeping for sale or manufacturing Mrs. Martin Long spent Monday spirituous, distilled, brewed or malt

day, Dec. 4th, 1916. JOSEPH G. DIMMICK, Dep. Treas. Iosco County, Mich. Spirituous, Intoxicating or Mixed

Liquors at Retail. Frank Mundy, Oscoda\$ 500.00 Fred Thibault, AuSable 500.00 Samuel Anker, East Tawas .. 500.00 John Henry, East Tawas 500.00 John Corrigan, Tawas City ... 500.00 Fred Force, Tawas City 500.00

.....\$3,500.00

THE

Alpena County Savings Bank **ANNOUNCES ITS**

Christmas Money Club FOR 1917

1c CLASS GOING UP. To Accumulate \$12.75 and Interest You pay 1c the 1st week, 2c the 2nd week, 3c the 3rd week, and

Club Opens Monday, Dec. 18; Closes Saturday, Jan. 6th

so on for fifty weeks and we will mail you a check ten days before next Christmas for \$12.75, with interest at 4 per cent. 1c CLASS GOING DOWN. To Accumulate \$12.75 and Interest Same as 1c Class Going Up except that you begin with 50c the 1st week, 49c the second week and so on, ending with 1c the

2c CLASS GOING UP. To Accumulate \$25.50 and Interest You pay 2c the 1st week, 4c the 2nd week, 6c the 3rd week, and so on for fifty weeks and we will mail you a check ten days before next Christmas for \$25.50, with interest at 4 per cent.

2c CLASS GOING DOWN. To Accumulate \$25.50 and Interest Same as 2c Class Going Up except that you begin with \$1 the 1st week, 98c the second week and so on, ending with 2c the last week.

5c CLASS GOING UP. To Accumulate \$63.75 and Interest You pay 5c the 1st week, 10c the 2nd week, 15c the 3rd week, and so on, and we will mail you a check ten days before next Christmas for \$63.75, with interest at 4 per cent.

5c CLASS GOING DOWN. To Accumulate \$63.75 and Interest Same as 5c Class Going Up except that you begin with \$2.50 the first week, \$2.45 the second week and so on, ending with 5c the last week.

You pay 10c each week and we will mail you a check ten days before next Christmas for \$5.00, with interest at 4 per cent. 25c UNIFORM CLASS. To Accumulate \$12.50 and Interest You pay 25c each week and we will mail you a check ten days

10c UNIFORM CLASS. To Accumulate \$5.00 and Interest

before next Christmas for \$12.50, with interest at 4 per cent. 50c UNIFORM CLASS. To Accumulate \$25.00 and Interest You pay 50c each week and we will mail you a check ten days before next Christmas for \$25.00, with interest at 4 per cent.

\$1 UNIFORM CLASS. To Accumulate \$50.00 and Interest You pay \$1.00 each week and we will mail you a check ten days before next Christmas for \$50.00, with interest at 4 per cent.

\$2 UNIFORM CLASS. To Accumulate \$100.00 and Interest You pay \$2.00 each week and we will mail you a check ten days before next Christmas for \$100.00, with interest at 4 per cent.

Information About the Christmas Money Club

Payments are made weekly, on any day during each week or in advance for as many weeks as you desire.

If you cannot keep up your payments, you may discontinue at any time; and at the time when the club closes you will get a check for all you have paid in, but without interest. Under no circumstances wi parny withdrawals, either

in whole or in part be allowed. What you deposit will be held for you until Dec. 15th, 1917.

You can become a member of more than one class if you desire.

The first payment is due on any day during the week beginning Monday, Dec. 18th. The Club is kept open however for three weeks, or until Jan. 6th, but if you join in the second or third week, you will pay for either two or three weeks at time of joining.

We have recently mailed nearly 1,000 checks to the members of our 1916 Christmas Money Club

The amounts varied from \$12.50 to over \$100.00 to each person and the total of all checks was over

TWENTY THOUSAND DOLLARS

Join the 1917 Club and YOU will get a Christmas Money Club Check next December 15th, 1917

We Pay FOUR Per Cent Interest on Savings.

Alpena County Savings Bank ALPENA, MICHIGAN

Notice to Our Patrons

Please bear this in mind and do not ask us for credit.

Whittemore Elevator Co. Whittemore, Mich.

Beginning January 1st, 1917, all transactions at the Whittemore Elevator will be STRICTLY CASH