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## HAPPENINGS OF THE WEEK

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

Auto livery, phone 75-F3.  
 Fire insurance, Fred Swartz, adv  
 Edna Gates of Bay City was home Sunday.  
 Christmas goods at Buckle's hardware, adv  
 Mrs. N. D. Murchison went to Pine River Monday.  
 Leona Hosbach arrived home from Saginaw Sunday.  
 Kathryn Sands of Oscoda spent Sunday at home.  
 Automobile curtains repaired at Harting's garage, adv  
 Mrs. A. Dixon of Bay City is visiting at the home of E. Chase.  
 Born, to Rev. and Mrs. Henning, on Saturday, Nov. 24, a baby girl.  
 Collin Sawyer of Flint spent Thanksgiving at his home here.  
 Born, to Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Davis, on Sunday, Nov. 25, a son.  
 Ervin Stark went to Bay City Monday, where he has secured employment.  
 William Hill of Alma is the guest of his brother, Sheriff Thos. Hill this week.  
 Rev. C. J. White of Long Lake was a business visitor in the city Wednesday.  
 There will be a box social at the Vine Grange hall on Friday evening, December 7, adv-pd  
 Beulah Shaw of Battle Creek visited her grandfather George Shaw, Saturday and Sunday.  
 Mrs. Henry Kane returned from Rose City Saturday after visiting for a few days at that place.  
 Mrs. George Fredricks returned to Battle Creek Monday after visiting Miss Clara Shaw a few days.  
 Mrs. Jos. Stepanski went to Detroit Friday, where she will be the guest of relatives for a few days.  
 Temple Harris returned to Flint Sunday after visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Harris, for a few days.  
 The Brown photograph studio of East Tawas will now be open every day and will make sittings from 10 to 4 each day, adv  
 Have your Christmas photographs made now. This will give us time to give you first class work. The Brown studio, adv  
 Your friend can buy anything except your photograph. We have the latest in mounts and folders. The Brown studio, adv  
 A number of the Masonic fraternity from Tawas City and East Tawas attended a school of instruction at Oscoda Tuesday night.  
 J. E. Anderson and O. M. Easton, federal revenue collectors for the Detroit district, were in the city on official business Wednesday.  
 Mrs. Michael Kaltz and daughter, Minnie, have returned to their home in Windsor, Canada, after a few days visit with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kane.  
 Married, at the M. E. church in this city on Friday, Nov. 23, by Rev. Harry Howard, Miss Louise Keech and Lester Cripps, both of Foote Site.  
 The Rose City Review has again changed hands, Percy N. Thornton having sold out his interests to Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Fleming, who for the past few months have been publishing the Prescott News.  
 The regular bi-weekly meeting of the Twentieth Century Club which was to be held on Saturday, Dec. 1, has been postponed until Saturday, Dec. 8, and will be held at the home of Mrs. Conant on that date.  
 The D. & M. Ry. will put a new time card in effect next Sunday, Dec. 2. Train 3, which now leaves Bay City at 12:45 p. m. will leave at 1:30 under the new schedule, the change being made to allow for connections with the M. C. train arriving at Bay City at 1:15 from Detroit.  
 It is now mandatory that all elevators shall buy and ship beans by the hundred weight. All carloads of beans must be loaded to maximum weight of car, which now means that a carload of beans cannot be shipped with less than 1000 bushels, where before a 667 bushel carload could be shipped.  
 The board of supervisors of Arenac county have voted to divide the township of Whitney and organize a new township to be known as Sims township. The first election will be held next April at the time of holding the annual township elections. The name given the township is in honor of E. F. Sims, who owns a large tract of tract of land there.—Michigan Roads.

Fire insurance, Fred Swartz, adv  
 Tire chains at Harting's garage.  
 Auto accessories at Buckle's hardware, adv  
 Anna Sands of Onaway spent Sunday at home.  
 Elmer Musolf of Detroit arrived home Tuesday.  
 R. G. Harting was at Oscoda on business Tuesday.  
 Fisk tires and tubes at Buckle's hardware, adv  
 Today is the last day of the deer hunting season.  
 Fine chinaware, 10c to 50c at Buckle's hardware, adv  
 R. H. Johnson of Hale was a business visitor in the city Monday.  
 G. N. Shattuck of Hale was a business visitor in the city Thursday.  
 Edward F. Whittaker of Midland visited friends here over Sunday.  
 The United States congress will meet in regular session next Monday.  
 N. C. Harting and Judge Albert Widdis, were at Harrisville Tuesday, holding court.  
 Rev. Alex Anderson arrived Wednesday from Munising to spend Thanksgiving with his family here.  
 Miss Grason Bruce left Wednesday evening for a few days visit with her parents in Burleigh township.  
 Earl St. Martin came up from Camp Custer and spent Thanksgiving at his home on the Hemlock road.  
 Arthur Steinhurst went to Standish Thursday to eat Thanksgiving dinner with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Steinhurst.  
 Miss Grace Birney went to Bay City Wednesday, where she will be the guest of her sister, Mrs. Geo. Otto, for a few days.  
 Mr. and Mrs. E. Malenfant and family of Oscoda visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Hosbach Sunday and Monday.  
 Mrs. Harvey McMurray and two little daughters, of Bay City, are spending a few days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Johnson.  
 There were 7,179 births and 3,540 deaths in the state of Michigan during the month of October, according to the reports made to the department of state.  
 Dr. W. N. Yeager will make his next visits to his Tawas City office on Monday, December 3 and Friday, December 7. See him if in need of dental work, adv  
 A subscription to the Woman's Home Companion or the American Magazine, would make an appropriate Christmas present. You can get them at special reduced prices at the Herald office.  
 The washout on the D. & M. Ry. last week seriously interfered with the operation of trains, no train being able to get into Bay City until Saturday evening. About six miles of track near Linwood was washed out.  
 Judd Thayer died at his home in South Branch Monday morning after a few weeks illness with cancer of the liver. The funeral services were held on Thursday afternoon at the home, Rev. C. J. White of Long Lake officiating.  
 A letter received last week by Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Friedman from their son, Isadore, stated that he is now with the American Expeditionary forces in France. His address is 52nd Aero Squadron, American Expeditionary Forces, care Postmaster New York City.  
 Frank Long and Mrs. Fred Force went to Bay City Wednesday and on their return were accompanied by their father, Barney Long, who has been a patient at Mercy hospital for several weeks with a broken leg. He is improving nicely and is now able to get around a little with the aid of crutches.  
**METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH**  
 Sunday, December 2, 1917.  
 10:00 a. m.—Morning worship, sermon—"Justification."  
 11:15 a. m.—Sunday school. An interesting lesson for everyone. F. F. Taylor, Supt.  
 6:15 p. m.—Epworth League. Subject, "Partnership of the Heart and Lips; leader—Miss Eleanor Carr. Everybody cordially invited.  
 7:00—Evening service. Good music. Sermon, "The Poisoned Spring."  
 Plan to attend the "church with a thousand welcomes."  
 Harry Howard, pastor.

## ALL MUST RE-REGISTER.

New Regulations Divide Drafted Men Into Five Classes. All Former Exemptions Cancelled.

Washington, Nov. 17.—New regulations under which the remaining available of the nine million men registered for military duty will be drafted for service with the colors were announced today by Provost Marshal General Crowder. The new regulations are coincident with the division of eligibles into five classes and the circulation of the official questionnaires which have been discussed in previous announcements.  
 The new regulations as has been announced before, repeal all previous regulations, cancel all exemptions and discharges granted under the old system and restore every registered man to his original status. He will hereafter be required to undergo all examinations anew and present his claims for exemption again.  
 As the new classifications make more liberal provisions for leaving men with dependents in the classes to be called just, it is practically certain that every man who had a legitimate exemption on the ground of dependency under the old regulations will get the same under the new ones.  
 Where registrants are away from home districts or in other circumstances application to the local board for a questionnaire is all that is required.

## ANSCHUTZ-McCARDELL

At the Emmanuel Lutheran church in this city, at three o'clock p. m. on Thanksgiving day, Nov. 29, occurred the marriage of Miss Irma Anschutz, daughter of Ernest Anschutz, to Mr. George McCarell, son of Mrs. Joseph Watts, Rev. Henning, pastor of the church, officiated.  
 The bride was attired in a gown of white silk covered with georgette crepe and carried a shower bouquet of white bridal roses. She was attended by Misses Mina and Stella McCarell, sisters of the groom, who wore dresses of pink crepe de chene and carried bouquets of pink and white roses. The groom was attended by Theodore and Arthur Anschutz, brothers of the bride, as groomsmen.  
 After the ceremony a three course wedding dinner and reception were given at the home of the bride's father for the relatives and immediate friends. The house was decorated in the bride's colors, pink and white, with white wedding bells.  
 The young couple are both well and favorably known, the bride being one of Iosco county's successful school teachers, a graduate of the Iosco county normal school, and the groom a sterling young farmer. They have a host of friends who wish for them a long and happy married life.

## RED CROSS CONFERENCE

Detroit, Nov. 26th—More than 500 Red Cross workers of the lower peninsula of Michigan will meet in Detroit, Monday and Tuesday, December 3 and 4, for a conference on plans for war-relief work and to receive the messages from national headquarters which will be brought by Henry P. Davison, chairman of the war relief council, and Harvey D. Gibson, general manager of the American National Red Cross. The upper peninsula conference will be held at Marquette on December 6 and 7.  
 The Detroit meetings will be held in the roof garden of the Hotel Tuller, with morning and afternoon general sessions each day and bureau meetings in the evening.  
 Acceptances have been received from a large number of individuals and state headquarters officials expect that each one of the 68 county chapters will send its full quota of four officers, five committee heads and the director of publicity.  
 Governor Albert E. Sleeper has agreed to deliver an address at one session of the conference and other state Red Cross officials will speak.

## POMONA GRANGE MEETING

There will be a Pomona Grange meeting with Hale Grange Dec. 5, 1917, 10 a. m. Bring your lunch baskets. Election of officers. All members are requested to be present. Election of delegates to State Grange. E. B. FOLLET, Sec.

## HORSES WANTED

5 to 10 years old, weight 1050 to 1600 pounds. Bring your horses to Prescott's barn, Thursday, Dec. 6th. S. L. Good Horse Co.  
 Old newspapers for sale at this office, 5c per bundle.

## RELEASED FROM LONG SUFFERING

Frank B. Stickney, After Year's Illness, Passed Away Tuesday Morning, Nov. 27.

On Tuesday of this week the flag on the court house was placed at half mast in honor of Frank B. Stickney, county register of deeds, who passed away at his home in this city at eight o'clock that morning after an illness of over a year with cancer. Mr. Stickney's death was not unexpected for all hopes of his recovery had been given up some months ago. He, himself realized that the end was only a matter of time and patiently awaited the time when death should put an end to his long suffering.  
 Mr. Stickney was an exemplary citizen and was probably one of the best liked men in Iosco county. Of a quiet and retiring disposition, he was nevertheless a man of strong convictions and unflinching in the pursuance of his duty as he saw it. He was a kind and loving husband and father, a true and loyal friend, and a man whose death is a distinct loss to the community in which he lived.  
 Mr. Stickney was a lifelong republican and was three times honored by his party with the office of register of deeds, which office he held at the time of his death.  
 Mr. Stickney was a tinsmith by trade, having been employed for many years in the hardware department of James Hamilton's store. When Mr. Hamilton sold his hardware stock to C. H. Prescott & Sons Mr. Stickney entered their employ, where he remained until, in company with Thos. E. Garber, he established a grocery and hardware store under the firm name of Garber & Stickney in the building now occupied by W. J. Robinson. Mr. Garber sold his interest to Mr. Robinson and the firm name became Stickney & Robinson. This partnership lasted for some years and after its dissolution Mr. Stickney established a hardware business in the Larkin building, which business he sold to H. W. Buckle shortly before he was elected register of deeds. He was always prominently identified with the business life of the community and always ready to do his share toward its advancement.

Frank B. Stickney, son of Henry and Mary (Lincoln) Stickney, was born at Saginaw, Mich., Aug. 16, 1863. He came to Tawas City with his parents in 1864 and has since been a resident of the community with the exception of six months which he spent at Council Bluffs, Iowa.  
 On December 25, 1890 he was united in marriage to Miss Mayne McRae. To this union two children were born, Edward H. and Florence. Mrs. Stickney died Dec. 5, 1899.  
 On Nov. 20, 1905 he was united in marriage to Miss Lida Patterson, and one daughter, Margaret, was born to them. Besides the bereaved wife and three children there are left to mourn his demise two sisters, Mrs. Elizabeth Duquette of Council Bluffs, Iowa and Mrs. Rose Anker of East Tawas; one brother, Henry Stickney of East Tawas; one half brother, John Brabon of Newberry, Mich.; and one half sister, Mrs. Nellie Robinson of this city.  
 Mr. Stickney was a member of Tawas City Lodge No. 302 F. & A. M. and of the East Tawas Odd Fellows lodge. The funeral services will be held at the residence this (Friday) afternoon at 1:30 o'clock under the auspices of the Masons, Rev. Alex Anderson of Munising preaching the sermon. The remains will be laid to rest in the Tawas City cemetery.

## COMBINATION FOOD SALES PROHIBITED

Lansing, Mich., Nov. 20.—Federal Food Commissioner Hoover has notified State Commissioner Prescott that hereafter combination food sales except in a few instances, will be prohibited.  
 "The sale of one or more food commodities upon condition that the purchaser shall buy one or more other food commodities from the seller is regarded as a combination sale," says Hoover. "Combination sales frequently result in the sale of more foodstuffs than the purchaser would ordinarily buy and are therefore determined to be wasteful. Pending further notice, dealers may sell in combination with cornmeal at the rate of one pound of sugar with two of cornmeal. No other combination will be permitted nor will any other ratio be allowed. Dealers shall not sell either sugar or cornmeal at a greater profit than he has normally enjoyed. The dealer is not required to make combination sales of sugar and cornmeal, but may do so at his discretion."

## WARNING.

Hoover Warns That Crooks Are Trying to Delude Public Into Giving Up Food to Them.

A Washington dispatch says—"Crooks, thieves and confidence operators" are the terms applied by Food Administrator Hoover to persons who are attempting to commandeer foodstuffs from householders of the country under the guise of government authority.  
 Complaints that foodstuffs have been collected from housewives in this manner have been reaching the food administration and denials have been made that anyone is authorized to collect food. The offenders ask chiefly for canned goods and preserves, maintaining that the collection has been ordered by the government for support of the army.  
 "I wish to say emphatically that no department of the government has or ever will make such demands on householders, and that all such people are petty frauds and should be held for the police," Mr. Hoover said.

## DEATH OF MRS. A. E. BIGELOW

Mrs. A. E. Bigelow, another of Tawas City's old residents, died at her home in this city on Wednesday, Nov. 28, aged 55 years. She had been confined to her bed for only three or four days previous to her death, though she had been ailing for the past three years with heart trouble.  
 Deceased had spent all her married life in this city and it was here that she raised her family of four boys and one girl to be worthy citizens of the community and a credit to the mother who bore them. She was of a somewhat retiring nature but had a host of friends who sincerely mourn her death. She was a member of the Presbyterian church, a consistent Christian, a faithful and loving wife and mother, and a true friend.  
 Frances Beemer was born in Canada Feb. 20, 1862. At the age of 18 she came to Michigan with her parents and in 1881 she was united in marriage to A. E. Bigelow. To this union five children were born, all of whom with the bereaved husband survive her. They are: George, Charles, Allie and Hosea, and Mrs. Josie Johnson of Mt. Pleasant. There are also five sisters, Mrs. Henry Misener and Mrs. C. L. Bonney of East Tawas, Mrs. J. Misener and Mrs. P. Boomer of Bay City, Mrs. F. Jones of Canada, and two brothers, Oren Beemer of Algonac, Mich., and Marshall Beemer of Altoona, Mich. There are also eight grandchildren.  
 The funeral services will be held at the Tawas City Presbyterian church Saturday afternoon, Rev. Wm. Roberts of Ithaca officiating.  
 The sympathy of the entire community goes out to the bereaved family in their irreparable loss.

## DOCUMENT STAMPS IN EFFECT DECEMBER 1

The documentary war stamps will go into effect December 1, after which time stamps will be required on stocks, bonds, mortgages, notes, time checks, deeds, proxies, etc., also on playing cards and parcel post packages on which the postage is 25 cents or more. The postoffices will handle the documentary stamps particularly for the parcel post.  
 The reports on the first collections of war taxes by the theaters, railroads, express companies, telephone and telegraph companies are to be made between December 1 and 15. Accompanying the reports are to be the checks covering the amount of the taxes.

## HOW SUBMARINES GET THEIR NAMES

Everyone knows what submarines are, and what an important factor they have become in modern naval warfare. Their nomenclature is rather interesting. In the United States navy the first of these craft were named for various kinds of fish and reptiles, and there was such odd cognomens as "Adder," "Moccasin," "Pike," "Sturgeon," "Shark," "Carp," "Haddock," etc., on the naval lists.  
 Before the list of piscatorial names ran out the system was changed and designations of the A-1, A-2, B-1, B-2, etc., down to the more recent submarines authorized in 1915, known as the O class. In general, the numbers applied correspond to the particular lot in which they were constructed, and the letters closely follow the number of years since they were first built.  
 In Germany they are all known as U-boats, the U being the first letter of Unterseeboot, meaning submarine.

## EAST TAWAS DEPARTMENT

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

Allen Ash of Detroit is visiting this week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Ash.  
 Will Carter left for Detroit last Friday morning, where he will reside with his sister until Christmas time.  
 Charles Randall came from Royal Oak last Friday for a weeks visit with his sister, Mrs. Charles Parker.  
 Mrs. Sarah Warren, Mrs. Hattie Grant and son, Wallace, are spending Thanksgiving with relatives at Bay City.  
 Born to Mr. and Mrs. Will Sedgman last Friday afternoon, a baby boy. The little one was named Mark Henry.  
 C. W. Luce and H. E. Anker are spending Thanksgiving with Mr. Luce's daughter, Mrs. John Swanson, at Jackson.  
 Elmer Kunze came from Battle Creek on a furlough to spend Thanksgiving with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Kunze.  
 The Presbyterian Ladies' Aid will hold a social meeting at the home of Mrs. John Goodall next Friday afternoon, Dec. 7.  
 Miss Hazel Boomer left last Wednesday morning for Flint, where she will spend Thanksgiving and the week end with her sister.  
 Mrs. Oscar Whitman arrived from Flint last Wednesday night called here on account of the illness of her mother, Mrs. Kate Jameson.  
 Rev. William Roberts of the Ithaca Presbyterian church is expected here the latter part of the week to conduct the funeral service of Mrs. A. E. Bigelow.  
 Robert Helman returned to his home at St. Johns last Wednesday morning after nearly a weeks visit at the home of his friends, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Parker.  
 The play entitled, "The Deacon Entangled," Presbyterian benefit, will be given in the opera house on the evening of December 18. Look for bills and further announcements. adv

## MRS. BRADDOCK ENTERTAINS MONDAY MUSICAL CLUB

Last Monday afternoon the Monday Musical club met at the home of Mrs. Louis Braddock of Tawas City. Mrs. G. A. Prescott, jr., was the leader for the day and an interesting program was given. The topic was, "War and its Effect on Music." Following is the program given by members of the club:  
 Paper, "War and its effect on music".....Mrs. Prescott  
 "Star Spangled Banner".....The Club  
 Vocal solo, "Hail Columbia".....  
 "The Marsellaise".....Mrs. Helen Applin  
 Pianologue, "The Sword of Bunker Hill".....Mrs. McKean  
 Accompanist, Mrs. A. G. Jackson  
 Paper, "War Songs of the Countries".....Mrs. L. Braddock  
 "The Marsellaise".....The Club  
 Vocal duet, "Tenting on the Old Camp Ground".....  
 Mrs. W. M. Piper, Mrs. W. Murray  
 Current events, "War and its effect on music".....The Club  
 "Patriotic Medley," piano solo.....Mrs. Prescott  
 Paper, "Music and Patriotism".....  
 Vocal solo, "Michigan My Michigan".....Mrs. Fred Adams  
 "America".....The Club  
 The next meeting of the club will be held at the home of Miss Mary Gardner on the evening of Dec. 10th, leader, Miss Helen Applin. This will be an open meeting for the Red Cross benefit and a silver collection will be taken.

## BIBLE CLASS BANQUET AT M. E. CHURCH.

A large men's Bible class has been organized at the M. E. Sunday school and on Monday evening a banquet will be served in the church parlors for the members of this class and their wives. About a hundred persons are expected to be present at this banquet.

## TAX ON CATS NOW ASKED FOR

The city federation of women's clubs at Saginaw has petitioned the council of that city to enact an ordinance providing a license of 25 cents for male cats and \$1 for female, the unlicensed animals to be impounded and destroyed.  
 The war is offered as the great motive. Birds kill and eat bugs which destroy grains, etc. Cats kill birds, permitting the bugs to hold unlicensed sway and amid the growing crops. Therefore, the cats must die to permit the birds to save the grain which furnishes mortals their subsistence.  
 It is the purpose of the promoters of the plan to have the cats not licensed destroyed by officers of the Humane society, thus averting suffering to the animals through the efforts of small boys or others to kill or torture them.

## THE BIRTHPLACE OF TWO PRESIDENTS.

Philadelphia, Nov. 27.—Christopher Brown walked into the local recruiting station of the United States Marine Corps today, and after announcing the fact that he was from Brintree, said he wanted to enlist.  
 "The idea of enlisting is a good one," said the recruiting sergeant, but what is Brintree—a breakfast food or an educational institution?  
 "It is a town in Massachusetts—the only town in the United States that ever produced two presidents," proudly replied Brown. "John Adams was born there and so was John Quincy Adams. John Hancock was born there too, as was Colonel Charles G. Long, chief of staff of the Marine Corps. If you take me into the Marine Corps I may be running the thing in a year or two."  
 But Christopher Brown had flat feet and so can't be a U. S. Marine, although he finds comfort in the thought that he may some day be president.

## MAIL FOR SOLDIERS

The war department gives the following as the proper way to address mail to soldiers in camps or cantonments:  
 (1) The name of the person.  
 (2) The name of the company and regiment if organized.  
 (3) The name of the camp or cantonment.  
 (4) The name of the state.  
 No further details necessary.

## RED CROSS BENEFIT

On Monday evening, Dec. 10, the members of the Monday Musical club will give a patriotic musical for the benefit of the Red Cross society at the home of Miss Mary Gardner. A silver collection will be taken.

## BE KIND TO YOUR HORSE AND ALL DUMB CREATURES. IT SHOWS THE GENTLEMAN.



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## THE BUSINESS MAN'S "BIT."

As war is a great leveler, so it is a great elevator and purifier. Out of war's fiery crucible comes the finest product of humanity—brave, unselfish devotion to our country and a high-born spirit of self-sacrifice on the altar of universal liberty. As war has taught us to regard with more appreciation the glorious institutions of our country—threatened as they are by the bloody struggle in which the world is engaged, it has in compensation taught us the saving grace of patriotism and self-denial. "There is no sorrow, grief or care without some compensating grace."

The business men of the United States, as well as those of England, Canada, France and all the countries engaged in the war, by their capacity for organization and efficient leadership are a mighty aid to the government.

Much more has been asked of the business interests than in past military struggles. The war is costing many millions of dollars each day and the share of the United States will approximate \$12,500,000,000 during the next twelve months—a sum so stupendous that it is almost beyond our mental grasp. Taxes are exceedingly high and will continue to mount unless peace comes soon of which there are faint but hopeful signs, as the financial burdens of the enemy increase and his military power diminishes. Taxes never are popular, but they must be borne cheerfully for the good of all of us. Prices of fuel and food, as well as other commodities are being fixed by the government in response to the exigencies of the time, and here also there is need for reviewing the situation with patriotic cheerfulness.

Unlimited funds for the army and navy and auxiliary marine and for a mighty fleet of aeroplanes are the greatest insurance against disaster and hardship for our troops and sailors. Unlimited funds are needed for the dependents at home, and these funds best can be raised by bond issues and well organized subscriptions such as have been so successful in Canada and England.

Production of war materials must be maintained and I have no doubt that the national administration recognizes the importance of stimulating rather than retarding great industrial, commercial and transportation forces of the nation.—Samuel M. Hastings in American Industries for November.

## AS TO TROUBLING TROUBLE

Worry has been called "Americanitis." But this is a slander. No country is immune from the disease. Neither is any class of society. Rich and poor, learned and ignorant, capitalist and labor—all are subject to its ravages. Work rarely kills, but worry, sooner or later, brings down its victim. A man can least afford to worry when he does worry, because just at such a time he needs the force of every faculty to bring him to his normal condition.

What is worry anyway? It is just a host of restless imps of fear, which

taken singly, could be conquered with hardly an effort. It is their multiplicity, their persistency, that discourage.

How may worry be cured? First, by realizing the utter uselessness of worry. A dozen eternities spent in worry will not change a single fact. It is only by hard, faithful work that such things are accomplished, and no man can work well, with a clear head and steady hand, if he will persist in worrying.

Second, by taking a larger view of life. Most of us imagine that the world is comprehended within our own limited horizon. This is not quite true. There are really some good people and some good things beyond the line of our vision.

Third, by not "crossing bridges" until we come to them. As a matter of fact, nine-tenths of our fears are never realized.

Fourth, not only by remembering that tomorrow has not yet arrived, but that yesterday is already passed.

Fifth, by constantly recalling that this world has not gone to the demerit bow-wows. It may at times seem as though it had, but the presence of so many strong, good people in it, and the constant progress that we are making disproves it.

## THRIFT STAMPS

On December 3, the government will begin a war certificate sale campaign. These obligations will be evidenced by stamps of two denominations, a war-saving stamp costing from \$4.12 to \$4.23, according to the month purchased, and a thrift stamp, costing 25 cents. A purchaser of a war-saving stamp will receive a war certificate containing space for twenty such stamps. If he fills the certificate at the December price for the stamps the filled certificate will have cost \$82.40 and will be worth \$100 at the end of five years. If he does not fill the certificate he will, nevertheless, receive approximately 4 per cent compound interest on each war savings stamp for each of which, purchased at from \$4.12 to \$4.23, the government will pay \$5 at the end of five years. The difference in the purchase price of the stamps and \$5 at the time during 1918 represents the interest the government will pay the holder.

The thrift stamps costing 25 cents will not bear interest, but the purchaser will receive a card which, when filled with the stamps at a cost of \$4, can be exchanged for a war-savings stamp bearing 4 per cent interest by turning the card in at the postoffice or other sale agency and paying the difference between \$4 and the current cost of a war-savings stamp.

The entire wealth and securities of all the people of the United States stand behind the war certificates as they stand behind government bonds. In several ways the war stamps are a better investment than the bonds. They mature earlier, they pay 4 per cent interest compounded quarterly. If the investor needs the money he can get it at any time by surrendering his certificate to the government, when he will receive the price of the certificate with interest at about 3 per cent. So good an investment are they that the government forbids the purchase of more than \$100 worth at a time or the holding of more than \$1,000 worth in order to prevent the liquidation of Liberty bonds and other securities into the certificates. The stamps are intended to take care of small investors and to provide a profitable outlet for small savings.

## THE KAISER'S PRAYER.

Mein Gott, will you be mein partner? You don't know who I am? I am the German's Kaiser, The Emperor, Will-i-yam.

You know I whipped them Belgians, Und mit bullets filled Russians full, Und I'll whip France and Italy, Und blow up Johnny Bull.

Now all dem oder nations I don't give a damn, If you'll just be mein partner, Und whip that Uncle Sam.

You know I got dem submarines, All Europe knows dat vell; But dot Edison got a patent, Vot blows dem all to hell.

Now Gott, if you will do this, Den you and I will always love, Und I'll be Emperor of all the earth, Und you'll be Emperor above.

But Gott, if you refuse me this, Tomorrow night at 'leven, I'll call mein Zeppelins out, Und declare war on heaven.

I wouldn't ask this of you, But it can plainly be seen, Dot when Edison push dot button, I got no submarine.

Amen.

—Chetopa, Kansas, Clipper.

## M. A. C. TO OPEN TRAINING SCHOOL IN PRODUCTION

East Lansing, Mich., Nov. 20.—What will virtually be a training school to show young men in the rural communities of the state how to put their best foot forward in the coming summer's campaign for record production of crops and farm products will be opened by the Michigan Agricultural college on January 7, in connection with the annual winter short courses.

These short courses which are a regular part of the college's educational work, deal usually only with the normal conduct of farm affairs, but they will be supplemented this winter with instruction in methods for most efficiently increasing production and cooperating with the food administration.

The courses, which will take up general agricultural practice, dairying, horticulture, crops and soils, and poultry, will run eight weeks, until March 1, so that country boys particularly will be able to attend without handicapping operations on the home farm. The instruction in each of these subjects, to any one of which the students may devote their whole time, will cover the most essential points in modern agricultural practice.

Individuals seeking more detailed information are advised that they can secure it by writing to the director of short courses in East Lansing.

## WAR RISK INSURANCE LAW.

Under the terms of the war risk insurance law, which will soon be put into effect by the Federal government, the soldier or sailor must make an allotment of at least one-half of his pay to his dependents, which in no case shall be less than \$15 per month, in order to participate in the benefits of the law.

All dependents are divided into two classes, A—which includes wife and children; and B—all other relatives which may be dependent upon the applicant.

The government allowances are as follows, it being specified that in no case shall the total allowance exceed \$50 per month:

Wife, no children, \$15 per month;  
Wife and one child, \$25;  
Wife and two children, \$32.50, with \$5 for each additional child;  
No wife, but one child, \$5;  
No wife but two children, \$12.50;  
No wife but three children, \$20.00;  
No wife but four children, \$30 per month, with \$5 for each additional child.

Class B:  
One parent, \$10;  
Two parents, \$20;  
Each grandchild, brother, sister and additional parent, \$5.

Paid for Death of Soldier:  
Widow, \$25;  
Widow and one child, \$35;  
Widow and two children, \$47.50, with \$5 for each of two additional children;

No widow, one child, \$20;  
No widow, two children, \$30;  
No widow, three children, \$40, with \$5 additional for each child up to two.

These allowances are for life or during the minority of the children; A widowed mother will receive \$20, but the total allowance will not be more than \$75 for family and mother.

Paid for Disability:  
Where the disabled person has neither wife nor child, \$30;  
Wife but no children, \$45;  
Wife and one child, \$55;  
Wife and two children, \$65;  
Wife and three children, \$75;  
No wife but one child, \$40;  
\$10 additional for each child up to two;

\$10 additional for widowed mother; \$20 additional for nurse where circumstances require one;

For a person totally blind, helpless or permanently bedridden, \$100 per month, with no additional allowance for nurse.

## A FAIR QUESTION

Are wood choppers hew-men?

## A LETTER FROM GIFFORD PINCHOT

Milford, Pike Co., Pa., Nov. 12.

Mr. J. E. Ballard, Editor the Herald, Tawas City, Mich.

Dear Mr. Ballard:

The great war in which our nation is engaged will be won not alone by food and men, but by mechanical power as well. Without mechanical power we could not make or move the weapons with which we fight—guns, ammunition, ships, and supplies. Our national resources of power, whether from coal, oil, or waterpower, are National war necessities. We need them to win the war.

In this gigantic struggle all security requires us to use all these great resources, and to use them wisely and well. The people of the United States own some fifty million undeveloped water horsepower, or about enough to run every train, trolley, factory, mill, mine and electric power plant we have.

For ten years the friends of Conservation have urged the development of public waterpowers in the public interest. But development has been held back by a little group of water power magnates and their friends in Congress who have blocked all legislation which would not give them these valuable properties forever and for nothing.

Today, when the nation needs all its resources, the same men who have been blocking reasonable waterpower legislation own and are holding millions of water horsepower undeveloped and out of use while clamoring for more.

The time has come when such obstruction threatens the nation's safety and success. We need the development of these powers in war even more than in peace. At the coming session of Congress sound waterpower legislation should be enacted as a war measure, based upon principles for all sides. These principles I believe to be briefly as follows:

1. The thing to do with waterpower is to develop it. Whatever retards or restricts the development of public waterpowers on terms fair to the public is against public policy and hostile to the general welfare.

2. Waterpower belongs to the people. The sites where it is produced should always be held in public hands, for only so can effective control in the general interest be secured.

Where public development is not desired, the right to use waterpower sites should be leased for periods long enough to permit sound, attractive and profitable investment, but never longer than fifty years. At the end of each lease all rights should return to the people who gave them.

4. In order to protect the consumer against extortion, rates and service should be regulated by Federal authority when state or local authorities fail to do so.

5. Reasonably prompt and complete development and continuous operation, subject to market conditions, should be required. Already millions of water horsepower are held out of use to further monopoly by private corporations.

6. Corporations or individuals who make money out of rights granted by the people should share their profits with the people.

7. The public has a right to complete information about every business based on the use of public property.

These are the principles for which the friends of conservation have been contending. Many waterpower men believe them to be fair and sound. They will, I hope, commend themselves to you as wise and reasonable. I am writing to ask your support for immediate legislation, based upon them, when Congress meets.

This is no time to give away public assets necessary for the welfare of our people both in the war and after the war; and we should no longer tolerate the selfishness of private interests which take the dog-in-the-manger position that they must have these waterpowers on their own terms, or no one shall use them at all.

As the President has said: "The supreme test of the nation has come. We must all speak, act, and serve together."

Sincerely yours,

GIFFORD PINCHOT.

## LET US REMEMBER

That the food animals of the allies have decreased by 33,000,000 head since the war began.

At the same time needs of their soldiers have steadily increased.

The allied armies and our own soldiers must have meat.

If we will save one ounce of meat per person a day, we can solve the problem.

Observe meatless day on Tuesday and use less meat on other days. This means a sacrifice but it will be a small one for those who stay at home.

We must not forget that our soldiers are offering their lives if that becomes necessary to win the war.

Let us make another record in this important effort—the conservation of food.

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Operations were rare. Nobody swatted the fly. Nobody had seen a silo. Nobody sprayed orchards. Cantaloupes were muskmelons. Most young men had "livery bills."

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Jules Verne was the only convert to the submarine. Publishing a newspaper was not a business but a pastime.

You stuck tubes in your ears to hear the phonograph and it cost a nickel.

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Don't worry if your son is drafted. Fifteen men out of every sixteen in the Allied armies have been safe through three years of fighting.

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The waste of gas in burning hard coal is shown by opening the magazine cover of an ordinary base burner, when the oxygen supplied fills the entire stove with flaming gas. Cole's Hot Blast stove burns this gas in hard coal which, in ordinary stoves, escapes, on account of their leaky construction, causing great waste and endangering health and life when it escapes into the rooms.

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## Cole's Original Hot Blast

The combustion chamber and the magazine are combined in this stove and the combustion is perfect. The stove is filled to the top of the inside cast iron lining. This large body of hard coal is burned under perfect control by means of the absolutely air-tight construction of the stove giving perfect control over the drafts. The coal is kept at a slow, economical cherry red combustion and as the heat is in direct contact with every square inch of the sensitive steel radiating surface, all the heat is radiated into the room where it is wanted and not blanketed in and sent up the chimney. Hard coal at Cherry Red Combustion burns 48 hours, while at white heat it is consumed in from 2 to 5 hours.

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**YOUR "BIT" AND FOOD CONSERVATION.**

Five years ago the world at large had no idea that it would be involved in such a terrific struggle as is now going on. Two years, yes one year ago, this nation did not think it worth while to consider the possibility of being drawn into the struggle.

Years ago Lord Roberts warned the English people that Germany was preparing to go to war, but his warning passed unheeded. Time has proved that warning to be well founded on facts. All those unconsidered possibilities have become realities.

Now comes the warning that unless the American people practice rigid economy, and food conservation, not only this country, but Europe as well, will have to suffer for our extravagance. American people as a whole, have a reputation for being extravagant and wasteful, and they are not

entirely to blame. The country is still in its youth, having much undeveloped territory and many sparsely populated districts. Its resources are enormous, and the American people have never before felt the need of being especially economical or of conserving the nation's supply of food products.

Now that Europe with its densely populated countries, is depending upon this country for most of its food supply, something must be done or we must all suffer the consequences of our national extravagance.

From the middle west comes a man who has witnessed some of the horrors of this war, has seen how the people of Europe are suffering and knows whereof he speaks when sounds the alarm to the American people. He has gained the recognition of the federal government, has been appointed National Food Administrator and is now engaged in directing the attempt to conserve the nation's food supply.

The outcome of this war is not going to depend entirely upon the number of armed fighting men we send to the foreign battlefield, but also upon whether or not we shall be able to furnish the necessary food with which they are to be fed.

This fact cannot be accomplished by Herbert C. Hoover alone. It requires the cooperation of every citizen of the United States and especially of those who deal directly with the food problem in the home. Every housewife must come to the front and enlist her services in behalf of her country. She cannot don the khaki, shoulder arms and march away to the front, but she can sign the food conservation pledge, and thereby insure food to those who do. Not sign it and then allow the domestic machinery to run along in the same old rut in which it has been running for years—but sign it and see that the spirit of the pledge is conscientiously kept.

American wives and mothers, help conserve the nation's food supply, and do your "bit" toward winning the war that will make the world safe for democracy!

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**Tested Warime Recipe:**

**FOR USE IN MICHIGAN**

**To the Housewives of Michigan:**

The following recipes have been prepared and tested at the Michigan Agricultural College under the supervision of Dean Georgia L. White, member of the executive committee of the Michigan food conservation service. They are practical, economical, and of first class dietary value.

They have been prepared with especial view to Michigan conditions—native products being utilized so far as possible, and market prices in the various counties of the state being taken into special account.

They lay down a practical method by which Michigan cooks may assist in the great movement to SAVE FOODSTUFFS. Use them. Help the cause. Help win the war.

GEORGE A. PRESCOTT,  
Michigan Food Director.

**POTATO BREAD.**

The following recipe for potato bread has been so made as to use a large amount of potato as compared with flour. Excellent bread can be made with less potato. In making recipes it should be remembered that a pound of mashed potato contains about 1 3/4 cups of water and starch and other substances, about equivalent for the purpose to those in a cup of wheat flour.

**Straight Dough Method.**

2 lbs. boiled and peeled potatoes (equivalent to about 3 3/4 lbs. water and 3 cups flour); 2 1/4 pounds bread flour; 1 1/2 level T salt; 3 level T sugar; 2 cakes compressed yeast; 4 T water.

Clean thoroughly and boil, without paring, 12 potatoes of medium-size, allowing them to become very soft. Pour off the water, peel and mash the potatoes while hot, being careful to leave no lumps. Take 3 lbs. or 5 solidly packed half-pint cups of mashed potato, and when at the temperature of luke-warm water add to it the yeast, rubbed smooth with 3 table spoons of lukewarm water. Rinse the cup in which the yeast was mixed with another tablespoon of water and add to the potato. Next add the salt, the sugar, and about 4 ounces of the flour or 1 scant half-pint of sifted flour. Mix thoroughly with the hand, but do not add any more water at this stage. Let this mixture rise until it has become very light, which should take about two hours if the sponge is at a temperature of about 86 degrees F. To this well-risen sponge, which will now be found to be very soft, add the remainder of the flour, kneading thoroughly, until a smooth and elastic dough has been formed. The dough must be very stiff, since the boiled potato contains a large amount of water which causes the dough to soften as it ferments. Therefore add no more water to the dough unless it is absolutely necessary. Set back to rise until it has trebled in volume which will require another hour or two. Divide the dough into four parts, mold them separately, and place in greased pans which have been warmed slightly. Allow the loaves to rise until they have doubled in volume and bake for 45 minutes.

**MOIST CHOCOLATE CAKE.**

1/3 C butter; 1/2 C sugar; Yolks of 2 eggs; 1/2 C sugar; 1/2 C hot mashed potato; 1 oz. chocolate, melted; 1/4 C sweet milk; 1 C sifted flour; 1/4 C baking powder; 1/2 T cinnamon; 1/2 T mace or nutmeg; 1/4 t clove; 1/2 C walnut meats, chopped fine; whites of 2 eggs beaten dry.

Cream the butter. Add the first half cup of sugar. Beat yolks of eggs. Beat in second half cup of sugar. Beat the two mixtures together. Add potato. Add chocolate. Add spices and baking powder to flour. Add milk and flour alternately. Add walnut meats. Fold in egg whites. Bake in loaf. Do not add any frosting to this cake.

**CREAMED SWEET POTATOES.**

6 small sweet potatoes; 2 t salt; 2 eggs; 1 1/2 T sugar; 3 T butter; 3 T flour; 3 C milk.

Remove the skins of cooked sweet potatoes and cut each into four pieces. Place the potatoes in a baking dish. Make sauce of milk, butter, flour, sugar, salt. Beat the eggs and add slowly to the hot sauce. Pour over the sweet potatoes. Bake in a slow oven until mixture thickens. Do not let cook until the mixture curdles. This could be used in place of a meat dish.

**GLAZED SWEET POTATOES.**

6 medium-sized sweet potatoes; 1/2 C brown sugar; 1/3 C water; 1 1/2 T butter or oleo.

Remove the skins of cooked sweet potatoes and cut in halves lengthwise. Arrange in a buttered pan. Make a syrup by boiling the sugar and water for three minutes. Add the butter. Brush potatoes with syrup and bake until brown, basting with remaining syrup. Serve in a hot, covered dish.

**BROWNE SWEET POTATOES.**

6 medium-sized sweet potatoes, 2 T sugar; 2 T butter.

Cut in halves lengthwise cooked potatoes. Place in a buttered pan. Brush the tops of the potatoes with the butter. Sprinkle slightly with the sugar. Place in a hot oven and bake until nicely browned.

**BOILED SWEET POTATOES.**

1. Select potatoes of same size; 2. scrub clean; 3. Drop into boiling water; 4. When done, drain off the water and shake over the fire until dry.

NOTE—In all of these recipes all measurements are level, and T equals table spoon, 2 equals tablespoon, C equals cup, 1/2 equals half grains, f. d. equals few drops.

**FARMERS' INSTITUTES GRADUALLY DISAPPEAR**

**Will Be Replaced As Far As Possible By Two Day School.**

East Lansing, Mich., Nov. 12.—Gradual abolishment of farmers' institutes and replacement of them with two-day schools is proposed by the state board of agriculture, which recently inaugurated its reform program by discontinuing the office of superintendent of farmers institutes of the Michigan Agricultural college. Though such a step has long been in the minds of those directing the extension efforts of M. A. C., the action was hastened by recommendations from the United States department of agriculture in Washington urging the more efficient organization of work among the farmers.

"In the future," an official statement announcing the change declares, "all extension work in the various counties of the state will be under the control of the county agent, and where institutes are conducted in those counties having agents, they will be arranged for under the direction of the agent."

"Where possible, two-day schools will be provided to take the place of the institutes. However, neither sufficient funds nor men are available for scheduling these schools in all communities where they are needed. Accordingly where the schools can not be put in, the institutes will be continued for two or three years."

The substitution of schools for the institutes is announced as an effort towards complete modernization of all agencies for carrying information and instruction to the agricultural communities of the state. With the institutes, while originally they served the purpose for which they had been established, it was found that in many parts of Michigan they were falling behind the times, and in some instances were suffering from the misguidance of incompetent men. The renovation of the system will eliminate individuals of this type, though such institute leaders and speakers as have proved their worth will be retained and advanced.

**KEEP THIS IN MIND.**

Don't forget when you read the society notes, that hangings are also "morning functions attended by a small but select company of invited guests."

**YOU KNOW THEM**

They saved all their nickles that they might buy a home which they could mortgage and buy an automobile.

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For Sale—40 acres of timber land at a bargain if taken at once. 1 1/4 miles from East Tawas near Tawas lake. Chas. Nelem, Tawas City. 49-tf

Lost—Pair of leather gauntlets between Tawas City and Grange hall. Finder return to Thos. Chester, R.D. 2 Tawas City, and receive reward. 49-nd

Found—On bridge near Hamilton's store a rifle. Owner can have same by calling at Herald office, proving property and paying for this advertisement.

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**PUBLIC LAND SALE,**

Department of the Interior

U. S. Land Office at

Marquette, Mich., Nov. 2, 1917.

Notice is hereby given that, as directed by the Commissioner of the General Land Office, under provisions of Sec. 2455, R. S., pursuant to the application of William Seyffardt, Serial No. 04125, we will offer at public sale to the highest bidder, but at not less than \$10.36 per acre, at 10 o'clock a. m., on the 22nd day of December, next, at this office, the following tract of land: SE 1/4 of SE 1/4 of lot 5, Sec. 9, Township 24 N., Range 5 E, Michigan Meridian, containing 1.77 acres.

The sale will not be kept open, but will be declared closed when those present at the hour named have ceased bidding. The person making the highest bid will be required to immediately pay to the receiver the amount thereof.

Any persons claiming adversely the above described land are advised to file their claims, or objections, on or before the time designated for sale.

JOHN L. HEFFEMAN, Register.  
PERRY H. ROSS, Receiver. 50

**NOTICE OF SALE**

STATE OF MICHIGAN, In the Circuit Court for the County of Iosco in Chancery.

Genesee County Savings Bank

vs.

John B. Smith, Paul R. Dinsmore, Garfield A. Burnside, Clarence Brandon and Margaret Brandon, Defts.

In pursuance of a decree of the Circuit Court for the county of Iosco in Chancery, made and entered on the 18th day of September, A. D. 1917, in the above entitled cause, I, the subscriber, Circuit Court Commissioner of the County of Iosco, shall sell at public auction or vendue to the highest bidder, at the front door of the court house, in Tawas City, in said county of Iosco, on Saturday, the 29th day of December 1917, at three o'clock in the afternoon of said day, all those certain pieces of land described as follows: North half of Southwest quarter; South half of Northwest quarter, and Southwest quarter of Northeast quarter, all in Section 36, Town 21 North, Range 6 East, Sherman Township, county of Iosco, State of Michigan.

Dated Nov. 8, 1917.

N. C. HARTINGH,

Circuit Court Commissioner for Iosco County.

FARLEY & SELBY, 52

Att'ys for Plaintiff.

Business address, Flint, Mich.

**MORTGAGE SALE.**

Default having been made in the payment of the money secured by a certain mortgage made and executed on the 24th day of February 1916, by William F. Bendall, of Bay City, Michigan, to Paul R. Dinsmore to secure the repayment of \$200 payable on or before five years after date, with interest at six per cent per annum, payable annually, according to the terms of one certain promissory note of even date therewith, executed by William F. Bendall in the sum of \$200, to which said mortgage is collateral which mortgage was recorded in the office of the register of deeds of Iosco county, in the state of Michigan, on February 28, 1916, in liber twenty (20) of mortgages on page two hundred twenty-five (225) and the sum of Twelve and 54/100 Dollars is due on said mortgage for interest on the first day of November, 1917, to which is added an attorney fee of fifteen dollars (\$15) as provided by statute, and no suit or proceedings having been instituted at law, to recover the debt now claimed to be due on the said mortgage, or any part thereof.

Notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by sale of said premises by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and the statute in such case made and provided, which sale will be made at Public Auction, at the front door of the court house, in Tawas City, Iosco county, and state of Michigan (said court house being the place where the circuit court for the county of Iosco is held) on the 11th day of February, 1918, at four (4) o'clock in the afternoon. The premises referred to and to be sold as aforesaid are situated in the township of Plainfield, county of Iosco, and state of Michigan, and described as follows: The South one-half (1/2) of the Northeast quarter (NE 1/4) of section one (1); the North one-half (N 1/2) of the Northeast quarter (NE 1/4) of section twelve (12); the Southeast quarter (SE 1/4) of the Northeast quarter (NE 1/4) of section three (3); the Northeast quarter (NE 1/4) of the Southwest quarter (SW 1/4) of section three (3) all in township 24 North, Range five (5) East, containing 240 acres of land more or less.

Dated Nov. 1, 1917.

PAUL R. DINSMORE,

Attorney for Mortgagee.

W. B. HENRY, 45-t-2-1

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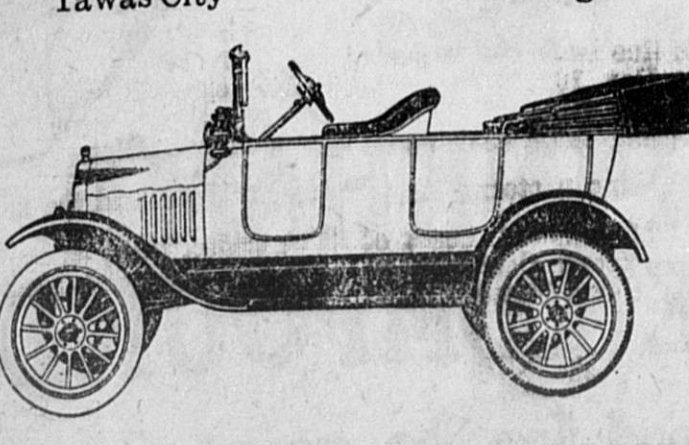
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HALE AND VICINITY.

Lewis Lobdell of Muir called on his father one day last week. Mr. and Mrs. Robert McLean are visiting friends in Tawas City. Ray Butler of Wm. Glendenin. The work began at the beany Monday with a crew of eight pickers. Miss Alice Badour returned home Monday after spending a few days in Bay City. Miss Edith McCrory is acting as assistant cashier in the Ealy, McKay & Co.'s bank. LeRoy Salisbury, sr., and Frank Humphrey succeeded in killing a deer one day last week. Mr. and Mrs. Marsh and daughter, Irene, left Tuesday for their new field of labor at Pontiac. Ainsley Nunn is the present expressman on the Rose City division of the D. & M. Ry. Miss Vera Buck returned home Monday after a four weeks visit with friends and relatives. Peter Senf, who has been a business visitor in Indiana for a week or so returned home Monday. After having a long chase for a deer on the plains, the Reimer brothers finally succeeded in running it down in Rahl's orchard, where they killed it.

MEADOW ROAD.

Miss Lydia Groff is visiting her sister in Bay City. Albert and Ernest Self of Hale were callers at Ed Londo's on Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Papple spent Thanksgiving day with their son, Bert. Mr. and Mrs. James Leonard of Flint are visiting at the home of Abe Frank. Quite a number from here took dinner at the Catholic school Thanksgiving day. Percy Hull of Maple Ridge was a business caller on the Meadow road Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. Julius Rhode and family of Lachine, spent a few days with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Julius Rhode and Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Holloway. Quite a large crowd gathered at the home of Melvin Sherman Saturday evening to help him celebrate his birthday. The evening was spent in games and music after which lunch was served and all returned to their homes wishing Mr. Sherman many more such birthdays.

BALDWIN BREEZES.

Miss Alma Johnson spent a couple of days last week at her home here. John Alstrom of the Hemlock road spent Sunday at the home of his brother, Oscar Alstrom. Miss Amelia Burgeson left for Detroit Tuesday morning where she will visit friends for a couple weeks. A Thanksgiving entertainment was given at the Baldwin school house in Dist. No. 3 Wednesday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Christensen and son, Blain, visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hans Carlson Sunday.

LAIDLAWVILLE.

Charlie Johnson visited at the home of John Kobs Monday. George Anschuetz visited Frank Wood Tuesday evening. Miles and Minor Main, each filled their deer licenses last Friday. Mrs. Otto Rempert and children returned from Detroit on Friday. Chris. Goedecke and son, Walter visited friends in Grant on Sunday. Oscar Fahselt came home from Bay City Saturday much improved in health. Mrs. Frank Long and daughter, Miss Ida, returned home from Saginaw on Friday. Mr. and Mrs. George Culham spent Saturday with their daughter, Mrs. W. E. Laidlaw. Archie Graham visited Tuesday evening at the home of his uncle, George Fahselt. Louis Bischoff of Bay City spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Bischoff. Mr. and Mrs. W. M. McCaskey and children were visitors at the Laidlaw home Sunday afternoon. Henry Fahselt returned from Detroit Friday after a weeks visit with friends and relatives. Mrs. August Goedecke and little daughters went to Detroit Monday for a visit with relatives. Ed. Youngs and Joe Rapp are baling hay this week for Anschuetz and Gardner, at the Gardner farm. R. Richmond returned to his home at Ortonville on Tuesday after a two weeks visit with Mr. and Mrs. Miles Main. Mr. and Mrs. George Culham and Mr. and Mrs. Carl E. Fahselt spent Thanksgiving at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Fahselt.

HEMLOCK SLIVERS.

Mrs. Ed Ely went to Bay City Tuesday. Mrs. Wayne Chapman left for Detroit Wednesday for a few days. Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Katterman visited relatives in Reno on Sunday. Rev. Chas. Miller of Saginaw visited his brother, John, one day last week. Paul Brown has sold his farm together with his stock to a party near Grand Rapids. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Swartz visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Miller Sunday. Peter Bamberger, who has been employed at Standish for sometime is visiting at his brother, George's. Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Farrand and Miss Marie Farrand left Saturday for Flint where they have employment. Say Anna: Don't rip up the sweater again, as you know the cold weather is coming on, and soldier Ed would make good use of it. The L. D. S. Ladies' Aid of McIvor and Hemlock met with Mrs. Henry Durant on Thursday. They quilted a quilt for Mrs. Cataline. Chas. Demming entertained about forty of his friends Monday evening in honor of his brother and wife who are visiting at Mr. Demming's.

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RENO RUMBLINGS.

This is Thanksgiving week. Ella Graves spent Sunday at home. Mr. Welsh was here on business the first of the week. Roy Charters was a Taft caller Tuesday evening. Ed Sawyer moved his family to Whittemore Monday. Arthur White is the new employe at the Bentley ranch. Russell Williams was in Reno buying stock Wednesday. John Westervelt was a business caller at Hale on Monday. Fred Wolf returned home from Ohio one day last week. John Brindley has moved back to his Reno farm for the winter. Little James Daugharty was on the sick list a few days last week. Mrs. Wm. West was an Emery Junction visitor one day this week. Messrs. Yawger and Streeter of Hale were in the vicinity last Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. C. Bueschen and family were callers Sunday afternoon at F. Wolf's. Mrs. Will Charters of Whittemore was the guest of Mrs. J. Westervelt on Tuesday. The Misses Westervelt, Robinson, Litter and Rudock spent Thanksgiving at home. Jas. Daugharty was absent from school a couple of days last week, owing to sickness. Messrs. Josiah Robinson, J. F. Sibbeson, Thos. Jackson and Ralph Anderson attended the sale in Logan Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Graves, Mrs. Charles Love and Mrs. Wm. Soper and Wayne, motored to Whittemore one day this week. Mrs. J. P. Harsch has been spending a few days at the home of her son, Rolandis, in Whittemore, attending the new arrival. The Reno C. E. of the Baptist church will hold their meetings at 3 p. m. instead of 8 p. m. as formerly, while the church is without a pastor. Mr. and Mrs. Wolf, Mr. and Mrs. Bueschen and daughters, Miss Ella Oens and friend, were Sunday evening visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Soper. Our nearly three weeks of Indian summer changed quite suddenly last week to weather much like winter. Stock was brought in from the pastures and feeding begins. Mr. and Mrs. A. McDougald went to Bay City on Monday, where Mr. M. will consult a specialist on throat trouble with which he has been afflicted for some time. They will also visit their daughter and family at Gladwin. Mrs. Wm. Soper was called to Emery Junction last Monday morning. Her sister, Mrs. W. Dunham had the misfortune to break or fracture her ankle. Dr. McDowell of Turner was called at once. She is no better at this writing. Wednesday evening of last week the C. E. society gave a meeting at the town hall in honor of Seth Thompson who was on the list as alternate. Despite the inclemency of the weather there was a good crowd and a fine time was enjoyed by all. Fortunately Seth did not have to go. We forgot to mention last week that the box social at the school house on Friday was a decided success. The house was filled to its capacity and "The Cabbage Hill School" was much enjoyed by all. Receipts of the evening were \$26.10, half of which was given to the Red Cross and the remainder will be used for the school. We also forgot to say that Margaret Sibley is soliciting for the Y. W. C. A. Rev. Marsh preached his farewell sermon at the Reno Baptist church last Sunday afternoon from the text, "The Eternal God is thy refuge, and underneath are the everlasting arms." Deut. 33:27. Mr. Marsh has been a means by the grace of God, in building up the spiritualism of the church in this place during the two years of his pastorate and we sincerely regret his departure to other fields of labor, but wish him Godspeed in the work. About 35 friends of Rev. Thos. Marsh and wife, gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Latter Monday evening and gave them a farewell party. The evening was spent in games, music and social intercourse, after which lunch was served. The young people's class presented Mr. Marsh with a gift of \$5 as a token of their high esteem for him. He also received gifts from other members of the party. At an early hour they all returned to their homes after having spent a most enjoyable evening.

SHERMAN SHOTS.

Harry Burlew was at Bay City on business Saturday. Mrs. Joe Schneider spent Thanksgiving with friends at Tawas City. Dr. McDowell of Turner was in town on professional business Monday. Matt Jordan returned home from his hunting trip Tuesday with his license filled. Joe Smith left Saturday for Flint, where he expects to spend a week with relatives. Miss Emma Hottis spent Thanksgiving and the week end at her home at Whittemore. C. H. and Will Mark were called to Christian, Ill., Wednesday by the illness of their aged father. Geo. Smith and Joe Schneider enjoyed a couple of days deer hunting back of East Tawas last week. W. E. Pringle was at Flint the first part of the week, where he took his little boy to be operated on for eye trouble. Mrs. F. W. Crum and son, Ben, left Saturday for Detroit and Indiana, where they expect to visit for a week or more. Henry Sass who has been working in Indiana for the past couple of months spent Thanksgiving at his home here. A. B. Schneider was at Saginaw the first part of the week attending the State Bee Keepers' convention, held at that city Tuesday and Wednesday. The box social and entertainment given in the town hall by Miss Burlew of Dist. No. 5, last Friday evening was a grand success. The proceeds were \$17.10. Mrs. Wesley Dunham had the misfortune to fall over a pail of water Monday and was hurt so bad that Dr. McDowell of Turner was called to attend her injuries. She is at this writing in a critical condition.

WILBER WARBLINGS.

Harry Latter from Reno was a caller here last week. John Searle and Enos Scott motored to Foote Site last Tuesday. A. Schaaf and son, Russell, were callers at Foote Site Monday. Geo. Bowersox and R. Taylor from Alabaster spent several days here this week hunting. Emma Cholger, who attends school at Tawas City spent the week end at her home here. Mr. and Mrs. Grant Murray and son, from Foote Site visited relatives here last Sunday. Hollis Abbott, who has been employed at Foote Site for some time came home last week. Mrs. Clara Dorey and son, Clarence, from East Tawas spent a few days here during the past week. Mr. and Mrs. Smith from near Lansing, spent Sunday with Mrs. Enos Scott. Mrs. Smith was formerly Laura Halberstadt, a teacher here. Mrs. Bobt. Brooks, who has been at Foote Site for some time, caring for her sister, Mrs. Murray, who fell and hurt her limb, spent Sunday at her home here. Mrs. Allen Simmons and Mrs. Geo. Kirkendall came home last Sunday after spending a few days in Canada with Mrs. S.'s son, Aaron, who has been in very poor health for some time. Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Walters, who have been spending the summer months at their farm home here, went to their home at East Tawas Monday, where they expect to remain for the winter.

WHITTEMORE.

Percy Allen was in town one day this week. Jas. Leslie was a Prescott caller last week. Jas. Weryly was at Prescott on business last week. The Dorcas society met with Mrs. H. Leslie Wednesday last week. Floyd Middleton has sold his city property to Orla States of Burlington. U. S. mails were delayed last week on account of the washout near Bay City. Auctioneer Cook of Bay City was a business visitor here Friday of last week. Mrs. Anson Lail had the misfortune to fall and break her arm a week ago Saturday. The Masonic lodge here entertained members from Prescott and Hale Monday evening. Mrs. Ola Cataline and Mrs. Armstrong of Sherman were callers here Thursday of last week. Mrs. Leslie Belknap came up from Lansing last week to spend Thanksgiving with relatives here. The quarantine for scarlet fever has been lifted from the homes of B. R. Hull, Jas. Upton and Jesse Chase. Leslie Belknap and friends from Lansing spent a few days on the Au Sabie river hunting deer last week. Mrs. Charters attended the party in Reno Monday evening, which was held in honor of Rev. Marsh before he leaves for Pontiac. A pleasant surprise party was given Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Schroyer on Tuesday evening by their many friends here. A good time was reported. The marriage of Mrs. Helen McLean and Herbert Gorsuch took place at her home here last Saturday evening. We wish them a happy wedded life. Jas. Leslie and family accompanied Mrs. Jackson to her home at Lansing by auto, Wednesday of this week. Mr. and Mrs. Leslie expect to visit Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Chichester at Midland before they return. Everyone in town knows that Stephen can operate a Ford and he has had one lesson in knitting, if he did steal the old maids knitting work when she went to club. Yes everybody knits for Sammies and Steve does too. Ed Kiley is absent from the elevator this week but we expect him back soon, and in honor of the event the boys are getting the tin pans, cowbells, etc. ready for a pleasant serenade on his return. However, as we expect Ed to make his home with us in the future, we extend to him our best wishes. Ed is a royal good fellow and has made many friends during his short stay here. Congratulations, Ed!

SPREADING COLDS.

This is the season when colds seem to be well nigh universal complaints. If you have been fortunate enough to escape, your neighbor has not. There are numerous factors which are responsible for the spread of colds at this period of the year. As in many other infectious diseases, one may be exposed frequently without any serious result. There are simple congestive colds from exposure, yet many conditions called colds are caused by germs. Probably one of the most common methods of spreading these so-called colds is through the carelessness of those who are sick with the infectious condition and who are careless in handling their handkerchiefs. They sneeze and cough when near others and fill the air with thousands of infective germs. If the usual symptoms of colds are aggravated in character, a physician should be sent for, as the line between the severe "cold in the chest" and pneumonia is delicately drawn. If a cold is permitted to hang on, it easily becomes a predisposing factor to more serious ailments, tuberculosis in particular.

TWIN OAK AND PINE.

There is in Stevens Point, Wis., a pine tree and an oak tree growing from the same stump. Both are 15 feet or more in height. Apparently the trees are branches growing from a common root and one of the peculiarities of the combination is that the bark of the pine does not appear normal. It appears to have been impregnated with some of the qualities of the oak.

BEES AND MEN.

A honey bee, once having lost its temper and used its stinger, becomes useless and soon dies. So it is with human beings, says Keith Clivenger of Osawatimie. Once they are no longer able to control their tempers and keep calm under trying circumstances, just so soon they begin to slip and lose their grip on business and usefulness.—Kansas City Star.

NOTICE TO FARMERS.

Farmers, I am in the market for more hides, more chickens, more eggs and junk. Don't sell it to any buyers who buy on commission. Sell to a regular dealer and be sure you make more money. Don't sell your stuff before you see me. I can please you with the top price. Deliver Fridays and Saturdays. HARRY KOOPERMAN, Tawas City, Mich.

WAR NEWS DIGEST.

Thirty-four different races of persons bought bonds of the second Liberty Loan issue. Young Men's Christian Association plans for work in France include the establishment of 78 libraries. Express companies are concentrating their efforts to insure prompt and safe handling of all food products of a perishable nature. In the United States armies, November 7, there were 1,815,000 men in the navy 271,571. Of the total of 2,087,391 approximately 1,400,000 voluntarily enlisted. Furloughs for Yuletide week will be granted all men at army cantonments whose absence can be permitted in the opinions of the division commanders, to enable them to spend Christmas at their homes. The sugar used for making candy in the United States, according to the Food Administration, is sufficient to meet all the sugar requirements of England under the rationing system adopted there. Since the war insurance plan became operative in October more than 45,000 soldiers have applied for insurance, amounting in all to nearly half a billion dollars and averaging about \$8,000 a man. The 1917 potato crop is estimated to consist of 453,000,000 bushels, or half again as much as last year. Reports from the commission on car service indicate that more than 750,000 cars will be needed to handle it. The Illinois College of Agriculture, Urbana, Ill., has published a pamphlet giving recipes for making various kinds of war bread, most of which require no wheat flour. The list includes several varieties of corn bread, barley bread, rye bread, oatmeal bread, etc. Newton D. Baker, Secretary of War, estimates the losses up to June 1 of the British expeditionary forces in deaths in action and from wounds at 7 per cent of the total of all men sent to France since the beginning of the war. He adds that the ratio of losses of this character today, because of improved tactics and swiftly mounting allied superiority in artillery, is less than 7 to every 100 men.

WARTIME DEMAND FOR COTTON IS ENORMOUS.

Recent investigations in the use of cotton in war show: A 12-inch gun disposes of a half bale of cotton with every shot fired; a machine gun in operation will use up a bale in three minutes; in a naval battle like the one off Jutland over 5,000 pounds a minute are consumed by each active warship; more than 20,000 bales a year are needed to provide absorbent cotton for the wounds of the injured; one change of apparel for all the troops now engaged in the war represents more than a million bales.

AND WE ALL LAUGHED.

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Auction Sale.

As I am leaving my farm, I will sell at Public Auction at my premises, 1 1/2 mile south of Greenwood school house, known as the Phelps farm; on FRIDAY, DECEMBER 7

beginning at one o'clock the following described stock and personal property: One brown mare 13 years old, weight 1300; One gray gelding 4 years old, weight 1400; One Belgian black mare colt, 18 months old; One red cow 7 years old, due March 18; One black line back cow 8 years old, due Dec. 10; One tongueless disc; One set spring tooth harrows; One set spike tooth harrows; One spike tooth walking cultivator; One walking plow; One mowing machine; One wagon and rack; 21 Rhode Island Red hens 1 yr. old; About 4 tons No. 1 clover hay; One bench clothes wringer, nearly new; Log chains, grain cradle, broad ax, forks, shovels and many other articles. In case of being a stormy day the sale will be held the day following. Terms of Sale—All sums of \$5 or under, cash; on sums over that amount one year's time will be given on approved bankable notes, bearing 7 per cent interest.

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