HAPPENINGS OF THE WEEK

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

W. S. S .- BUY THEM! Auto livery, phone 75-F3. Fire insurance. Fred Swartz. adv Will Sieloff returned to Detroit Friday.

Temple Harris returned to Detroit Tuesday.

H. E. Gates went to Bay City Thursday.

F. F. Taylor went to Detroit Tuesday on business.

Sunday at home. George Brabant returned to Saginaw Wednesday.

on business Thursday.

trip to Bay City Monday.

guest of Rev. C. C. Henning Wed- trict board for the selective service. nesday.

day from a weeks visit with relatives work.

John Hosbach was the guest of his ALMA COLLEGE SERVICE FLAG daughter, Mrs. E. Malenfant of Au

Sable Sunday. We will buy poultry. Highest maradv-11

City. Phone 44-W. W. M. Taylor left Monday on a lege chapel on February 12th. business trip to Indian River, West

ited at the home of his son, Simon, a few days the first of the week.

Henry Kane went to Detroit Monday, to spend a few days with Mrs. Kane, who is visiting relatives there.

The Twentieth Century Club will hold their annual "Gentlemen's Night" at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Patterson this (Friday) evening.

Carl Samuel, the Herald linotype operator, was at Standish Tuesday to basis of a sermon last Sunday evenassist Editor Myers in ferreting out some trouble with his linotype.

The big pile of snow in front of the Tawas City depot has furnished a lot of sport for the children this week, it making a very good toboggan

Mr. and Mrs. Olin Crane returned last week to their home in Modesto, Ill., after an extended visit with Mrs. Crane's father, W. M. Wheeler, and

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Joseph's school hall Monday evening by the Catholic ladies for the benefit of the local Red Cross. The net proceeds were \$30.10.

Miss Frances Wilson entertained several of her friends at the home of her uncle, Burley Wilson, Tuesday Prayer service and Bible study at the evening. The amusements were games, music and dancing after which a luncheon was served.

Miss Grace Braddock was delightfully surprised last Friday evening at her home by about twenty-five of her friends. The evening was joyed with music, dancing and games at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. after which a dainty luncheon was served by the hostess.

An item in the Oscoda Press last week announced that banns had been published announcing the marriage of Miss Grace Mortimer and Francis Labadie, which was to occur at Oscoda Monday morning, Feb. 11, at 8:30. "Frank" Labadie, as he is better known to Tawas City people, was a former employe of the Herald office, and the Herald force in common with a host of other Tawas City friends extends hearty congratulations and best wishes for a long and happy

At a meeting of the directors of the Iosco County Agricultural society held Monday afternoon the dates for the 1918 fair were fixed for Sept. 25, 26 and 27. The directors passed an amendment to the by-laws, limiting the admissions of a membership ticket operators to be sent to France a dis- most any business. Also the old Grise to a man and his wife alone, this step being deemed necessary in order to raise more revenue. The horse races on the first day were eliminated, a portion of the prizes being added to speak both French and English with other races. The directors also voted ease. to build a dining hall 20x40 feet in size on the arounds this year.

W. S. S .- BUY THEM! Fire insurance. Fred Swartz. adv Tire chains at Hartingh's garade. Miss Kathryn Sands was at Bay City Friday.

Mesdames N. D. Murchison and C. Cox were Bay City callers Friday. Miss Angela Sands returned to Detroit after spending a week at home.

Mrs. Thomas Carolan arrived from Detroit last Thursday for a weeks Catherine Lanski of Oscoda spent visit at the home of her brother, Louis Phelan.

Mrs. Fred Rollin, sr., returned home from Caro, Saturday, after an ex-N. C. Hartingh went to Bay City tended visit with her daughter, Mrs. L. Schrader.

Hymie Friedman made a business A number of the local boys go to Bay City this (Friday) morning to Rev. Rutze of Bay City was the undergo an examination by the dis-

Dr. W. N. Yeager, the dentist, will M. E. Friedman went to Bay City make his next visits to his Tawas Tuesday to attend the funeral of a City office on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, February 26, 27 and Miss Gradson Bruce returned Tues- 28. See him if in need of dental

INCLUDES LOCAL BOY

Tawas City boy has a star on the

Isadore Friedman, who is located with 52 Aero Sqd. A. E. 4, in France, they have in directing their pupils' come first. David Goupil of Whittemore vis- is one of the eighty two sons of the thoughts and activities I desire to There are excess supplies of flour given. college in government service. The enlist in this worthy cause all the and sugar in this county that the The solos were very pleasing and address of the day was delivered by school teachers of the state. ex-governor Chase S. Osborne in the presence of a large audience and with impressive ceremony.

A LINCOLN ACROSTIC

Elements of greatness in the character of Abraham Lincoln, used as the ing by Rev. C. A. Ehrhardt.

Ambitious but no Ambitionist but no Bravado Brave but no Reverist Reverent Artless but no Artifice but no Humiliation Humble but no Arrogance Ardent but no Meanness Manly

Love Integrity Nobility Courage Originality Loyalty Naturalness

of Liberty of Intellect & ideals of Nature of Convictions of Observation of Leadership of Neighborliness

METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH Sunday, February 17, 1918.

A pedro party was given at St. the children. F. F. Taylor, Supt. young people especially invited.

> "The Day of Judgment.". Wednesday, Feb. 20, at 7:00 p. m .-

home of Mr. Wm. Kennedy. You are always welcome and cor-

dially invited to attend any or all of these services.

Special. Feb. 22, from 5:30 till all are served, Baguley. Come. adv

Breakfast Orange Oatmeal Coffee Corn Bread

Luncheon Rice and Tomatoes Baked. Peanut Butter Sandwich With Rye Bread Bananas and Cream Dinner

Consomme Baked Fish, Creamed Potatoes Green Peas Prune Whip

Salaries range from \$60 to \$125 a mobile, new last April, in good repair. Rifles." month, with allowance for rations and quarters. Successful applicants must

"Over the Top." See page 4.

TAIN NOT MORE THAN 80% WHEAT FLOUR

Any baker will be permitted to advertise his product as "victory" bread ty Food Administrator might be read retary of War Baker, the commander if it contains not more than 80 per with profit by the people of Iosco of the American Expeditionary Forces cent wheat flour. No stipulation is county: made as to what ingredients shall What are YOU doing to help make "There has never been a similar as they are selected from the list re- mer, Mr. and Mrs. Townspeople? and rice flour, potato flour, etc.

wheat flour may be termed victory turn of our boys.

PROCLAMATION BY THE GOVER- doing our part? NOR OF MICHIGAN

of Michigan:

attention to that great humanitarian some angle of our war. organization the American Red Cross. Our greatest problem is one of food. ican mothers may rest assured that

in every quarter of the globe. Alma, Mich., Feb. 12, 1918.-A let for the energies of all the young is voluntary. It will become compul-school house on Monday evening of

ing throughout the world.

Governor of Michigan, hereby set the government is going to win this "When the Boys Come Home." Mrs. aside the period from February 12th war if it has to regulate every cook Budworth sang "Rule Britannia," to February 22nd, inclusive, for the stove in America. purpose of the Junior Red Cross Mem- At first you may say: "I'll run my Liberty." bership Campaign and I request all own house to suit myself." You will The concert singing accompanied schools throughout the state to en- if a majority of American homes loy- by Miss Grace Richards, Miss King roll in this organization.

nineteen hundred and eighteen.

ALBERT E. SLEEPER,

INCREASED 23 PER CENT

According to the bureau of labor Let's Hooverize 100 per cent, statistics of the department of labor, in the year from November 15, 1916, to November 15, 1917, prices of food as a

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR

Topic-"What My Church Is Doing" Leader-Mrs. Buckle. February 17 marks the close of

Washington supper Friday evening, Christian Endeavor week and a special service is planned. Everyone is cordially invited to attend.

The monthly business meeting and Rev. H. T. Howard, pastor. social evening was held last Thursday evening at the home of Mr. and HERE'S A MENU THAT'S BOTH Mrs. Frank Dease. At this time it "WHEATLESS" AND "MEATLESS" was learned that Mr. Spafford, field secretary for Michigan offers to be with us in a C. E. rally and plans "War Week" at M. A. C. are now being made for the rally. Those who have heard Mr. Spafford before know that he will bring an inspiring message.

MY PROPERTY FOR SALE Having decided to leave Michigan terest; school notes. after May 1, my 80 acre farm on Hemlock road 51/2 miles from Tawas City is for sale. 70 acres improved, short story; general, good wire fences, good well and fair Salad-Apple, Celery, Nuts, Grapes buildings. Also about 40,000 feet my building in Tawas City now oc- ture article on the Kremlin, For the unit of women telephone cupied as saloon. Suitable for al-FRED FORCE,

> Tawas City, Mich. BE KIND TO YOUR HORSE AND ALL DUMB CREATURES. IT SHOWS THE GENTLEMAN. adv

GARDING FOOD CONSER-VATION

The following from the Eaton Coun-

compose the other 20 per cent, so long your home secure Mr. and Mrs. Far- body of men to lead as clean lives as commended by the Food Administra- How much would you give to end have entered this war with the high-

tion, which includes corn flour and the war? What a question. Mil- est devotion to duty and with no other corn meal, barley flour, oat meal, rice ions of American mothers are giving idea than to perform these duties in

used in making victory bread. After request or appeal looking for the ad- own people, their friends, and the conthat date it will be placed on the vancement of our nation's military try. A rigid program of instruction same basis as wheat, as rye flour or economic program goes unheeded. is carried on daily with traditional is now being shipped to the allies. It is put in practice forthwith to American enthusiasm. Engaged in Bread made of graham or whole- quicken victory and the earlier re- healthy, interesting exercise in the

To the School Children of the State last one at home is making some sac- ual evils, and supported by their own rifice, a sacrifice that means a definite, moral courage, their good behavior is It is my great privilege to call your steady and continuous support of the subject of most favorable com-

This organization furnishes relief Is your home conducted on the re- their sons are a credit to them and to to every victim of calamity or disas- vised schedule of the food administra- the Nation, and they may well look ter, whether in times of peace or war, tion: Meatless Tuesday and one meat- forward to the proud day when on the less meal the other six days of the battle field these splendid men shed a It has now enlarged its scope and week; wheatless Monday and Wed- new luster on American manhood." extended the privilege of membership nesday and one wheatless meal the through the newly formed Junior other five days of the week; porkless unfurled with ceremony in the col- lief of the burdens of human suffer- diers with proper food regardless of of the Monday Musical club.

government will take over if circum- inspiring. Mr. Frank Oakes singing Therefore, I, Albert E. Sleeper, stances demand it, in other words, "The Trumpeter," "My Boy" and

ally adopt the food regulations, and Edward King was entered into Given under my hand at Lansing, otherwise Uncle Sam will do your with zest and the several patriotic erately refusing to observe the food inspiration to all who participated. regulations to the last detail had bet-Governor of Michigan, ter fly the German flag from your GEN. CROZIER DISCUSSES AGE day afternoon. He also attended to front porch as you are only pushing COST OF LIVING IN ONE YEAR victory away that much longer. This war is a battle of food economy.

RESIGNS HIS POSITION The devil sat by a lake of fire on boards favor some enlargement, but companied the body of their son who whole advanced 23 per cent. Potatoes a pile of sulphur kegs, his head was there is great diversity of opinion as is the only article that shows a decline bowed upon his breast, his tail be- to the proper age limit. Nineteen in price. Corn meal advanced 87 per tween his legs; a look of shame was and 35 are perhaps the limits most cent; bacon, 62 per cent; pork chops,48 on his face, the sparks dripped from frequently suggested; but some reper cent; beans, 39 per cent; salmon, his eyes—he had sent his resignation commend 40 or 45 years as the upper 38 per cent; milk, 33 per cent; and to the throne up in the skies. "I'm limit. There is a distinctly stronger Mrs. E. L. King. A program will be down and out," the devil said—he said demand for raising the maximum age given by school children who are in Food as a whole was 48 per cent it wth a sob-"there are others that than for lowng the minimum." 10:00 a. m.-Morning worship. Ser- higher than on November 14, 1914. outclass me and I want to quit the Gen. Crozier estimates that 1,389, mon, "The Democracy of Christianity" During this four year period corn meal job. Hell isn't in it with the land that 388 acceptable single men would be 11:15 a, m.—Sunday school. Bring higher than on November14, 1914. lays along the Rhine; I'm a hasbeen made available by an increase in the During this four year periodcorn meal and a piker and therefore I resign; age limit to include men up to 45 6:15 p. m.—Epworth League. All advanced 127 per cent; flour, 109 per one ammunition maker with his bloody years. The estimate places the numcent; lard 104 per cent; bacon, 77 per shot and shell, knows more about ber of acceptable single men between 7:00 p. m.—Evening service. Speccent; sugar, 75 per cent; and potatoes, damnation than all the imps of hell. 18 and 21 years at 1,546,283. The ial music led by the choir. Sermon, 72 per cent. No article declined in Give my job to Kaiser William, the number of probably acceptable single author of this war; he understands men already registered but not called it better, a million times by far; I is 1,321,845. According to these fighate to leave the warm old home, the ures, should the age limit be enlarged February 17, 6 p. m., at Baptist spot I love so well, but I feel that to include men of from 18 years to I'm not up to date in the art of run- 45 years, inclusive, 4,257,516 physicning hell."-Exchange,

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and interest,

Page 2 Agricultural articles, farm stock, The Department of Agriculture esti-

inet" with excellent recipes and ways produced in the United States. of using vegetables; Paris fashions. Page 4

Page 6 Washington Sidelights"; list of January 17 to prevent the operation of green standing timber. Will also sell Michigan men aboard Tuscania; fea- automobiles, motor vehicles of all clas-Page 7

tinctive uniform is being provided. blacksmith shop and my Briscoe auto- thrilling serial, "King of the Khyber empted.

eous matter.

"Over the Top." See page 4.

VICTORY" BREAD MUST CON- SOME PERTINENT FACTS RE- GENERAL PERSHING PRAISES AMERICAN FIGHTING MEN IN FRANCE

In a recent communication to Sec-

our American soldiers in France. They most efficient manner possible . They Until March 3 rye flour may be To these mothers and fathers no fully realize their obligation to their open air, with simple diets, officers How about the Iosco County homes and men, like trained athletes, are not represented in camp? Are we ready for their tasks. Forbidding the use of the strong drink and protected Our war will not be won until every by stringent regulations against sexments, especially by our allies. Amer-

COMMUNITY SING

Red Cross to every school child in Saturday, which prohibits the serving A most enjoyable and well attendthe country. This will give an out- of pork in any form. This program ed community sing was held at the people in the schools of this state sory if it is not observed; the govern- this week, under the mangement of ket price. Jesse D. Warner, Tawas Alma college service flag which was and enable them to share in the rement will supply our sailors and sol- Mesdames Anker, Piper and McKeon

the civilian needs or demands. We After an interesting talk by Mr. Realizing the wonderful influence are at war. Our soldiers and sailors Dillon and foreword by Mayor Pinkerton the program of the evening was

"Marseillaise" and "America and

LIMIT ENLARGEMENT OF SE-

LECTIVE SERVICE LAW. Discussing enlargement of the age limit for selective military service, Provost Marshal General Crozier said:

ally and otherwise qualified unmarried men would be open for call to deavor, 6:00 p. m.; evening service,

WAR NEWS DIGEST

According to information received Short local and personal items; in Washington, butter is selling in short headed articles with local flavor Berlin at \$2,25 a pound, ham and bacon at \$2.11 a pound, and ivory soap at five bars for \$1.12.

farm poultry and road building; state mates that only one-third of the marketable surplus of the potato crop had been moved by January 1, 1918. Last Women's page. "The Kitchen Cab- year's potato crop was the largest ever the Harrisville auditorium. The play that time. He is a brother of Caius According to a report by the Amer-

ican consul at Geneva, Swiss livestock Editorial and matter of general in- quotations near the end of 1917 were: \$260; calves, \$180; young pigs, 14;

There is nothing in the fuel order of ses being considered as coming under th head of public utilities. In keeping A generous instalment of the with this ruling garages have been ex-

No individual licenses are now required by the War Trade Board for fodder. Inquire of Austin Allen, R. ation has requested that throughout County correspondence page; news the exportation of horses to Canada D. 2, Tawas City, Mich. from all over the county; miscellan- and Newfoudland. Shippers will be For Sale-Six room bungalow, with candies be prohibited, and the imporgiven notice through the press if there basement, including 7 lots, near the tation of such products be prohibited. should be a change in this ruling in East Tawas river bridge. Inquire of the future.

EAST TAWAS DEPARTMENT

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

Miss Gladys Swales visited with of this week.

last Wednesday.

Thursday morning where she will visit guests were in attendance. with her brother, George, over Sunday. She will then go to Detroit to remain indefinitely.

Rev. G. E. Sloan returned home from Bay City last Monday afternoon where he had been taking medical treatment for several days. He was accompanied by his daughter, Mrs. A. G. Jackson.

Joseph LeRoux left for Bay City last Saturday morning where he will be employed in the grocery business. He has been in the employ of Kunze & Applin for some time.

Misses Irene Marontate and Genevieve Quarters returned home from Harrisville last Wednesday morning. They had been guests the fore part of the week at the home of Mrs. Bert Swales, sister of Miss Quarters.

Alexander McKay returned to Detroit Thursday morning after more than a weeks stay at the home of his wife's parents. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Haight. Mrs. McKay will remain at the home of her parents for some

A large number attended the musical given for the benefit of the senior class at the high school building last Tuesday evening: The program was given by some of the best musical talent in the city and was enjoyed by all who attended.

James W. Sanderson returned to his home in Lansing last Monday Michigan, this 12th day of February, cooking. The American home delib- and folk-songs sung gave interest and morning after a weeks stay in this city to be in attendance at his son's funeral which took place last Thurs-

some business affairs while here. Mrs. J. W. Sanderson and Robert, of Lansing, returned to their home last Saturday morning. They had been guests at the home of Mr. "A pronounced majority of the and Mrs. Charles Haight having acpassed away the Monday previous a

Bay City Mercy hospital. "Students' Day" will be observed Monday afternoon at the home of families of the members of the club. Mrs. W. B. Murray will be the leader for next Monday afternoon.

Next Wednesday evening a musical and literary program will be given by Irene Rebekah Lodge at the Odd Fellow Temple in which members of the order and of Rebekah families will participate. Light refreshments will be served by the committee on entertainment. Members are urged to

Presbyterian next Sunday: Sunday school 11:30 a. m.; Junior Christian Endeavor, 3:00 p. m.; Christian En-7:00. Special music will be rendered at both evening services. The teacher's training and Bible study class will meet at the home of Mrs. Emma Wright Monday evening. The class will be organized at this time. Rev. L. G. MacAndrew, minister.

The cast in the "The Deacon Entangled" went to Harrisville last Monday evening and put on the play East Tawas for burial. for the benefit of the Alcona county Red Cross society that evening at was pronounced a success and also the Gordon who is attending high school specialties which were given by Miss in this city and is a grandson Mrs. Esther Johnson and Harry Haight. Jessie Gordon of this city. Miss Esther entertaining with a patri-Oxen, each \$230; bulls, \$170; cows, otic song in which flags were effectively grieved to hear of his death and symused and Harry Haight entertaining pathize sincerely with the bereaved Another interesting Alaskan article; sheep, \$14; fat hogs, per pound, 32 with a comic monologue and songs relatives. with additional features from those used in East Tawas. People were in attendance from all over the county and it was said the auditorium had never held so great a crowd. The amount taken in was not far from of the shortage of sugar now make

Chas. Timreck, East Tawas.

The cast in "The Deacon Entangled" friends at Harrisville the fore part given in the opera house last Friday evening and in Harrisville Monday Mrs. Charles Hewson and daughter, evening, were entertained with a Mildred, were visitors at Bay City "Lincoln party" last Tuesday evening, Feb. 12, at the opera house, given by Granville Haight returned to Dear- the boys' class of the Presbyterian born last Saturday morning. He had Sunday school and served by Miss been called here on account of the Helen Applin and Mrs. H. J. Kelly. death of his brother-in-law, Raymond Lunch was served at small tables after which a social hour was enjoyed Miss Edith Davey left for Bay City by those present. About twenty-five

HOME TALENT PLAY A BIG SUCCESS

"The Deacon Entangled" given at the opera house last Friday evening for the benefit of the Presbyterian boys' class was a big success_although the attendance was not as large as was expected owing to the inclement weather. In spite of the rainy weather not very many seats were vacant and the audience appeared greatly pleased with the performance. The orchestra opened up with a number of the latest selections in popular music. It was comprised of Miss Ruth Deacon, violinist of Bay City, Miss Dorothy King, violinist, East Tawas, Rip Applin, trap drums and Miss Helen

Applin piano. The characters in the play did admirably well, considering the fact that some had never appeared on the stage before and others only in minor parts. Caius Gordon and Will Anderson were free and natural in their parts and deserve credit for the talent they displayed in their characters. John Thompson and Earl McElheron showed their talent for serious characters as well as in comedy parts and did themselves credit as the

deacon and minister. Misses Genevieve Quarters and Irene Marontate also showed their talent and played their parts to perfection and Miss Beth MacAndrew was a great success in the "The Deacon's wife" and was loudly applauded. Harry Haight and Irene Applin in comedy parts as Irish characters were also well applauded and per-

formed their parts creditably. The specialties were exceptionally good. Miss Dorcas Flintoff in the Scotch dance in costume pleased every one and showed her ability in her

performance. Miss Esther Johnson sang "Somewhere in France is Daddy" with pretty flag effects in the choruses. She was assisted by seven girls in a step

Harry Haight in a comedy monologue specialty was one of the best characters of the evening and received three encores. His vocal selections, "Long Boy" in appropriate costume and "Uncle Tom's Cabin" were loudly applauded and semed to please

The Presbyterian Boys' class wish to take this opportunity to thank all those who took part in the play and all the business men of the Tawases for their patronage and those who attended for their help in making the play a success.

GRANT GORDON DEAD

Reports were received here last Wednesday night that Grant Gordon who has been seriously ill with pneumonia for the past two weeks passed away at Great Lakes, Ill., Wednesday afternoon at 4:30. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Gordon of Curtisville were with him during his sickness. The body will be brought to

Grant Gordon enlisted last December and left for Great Lakes at Many frends in East Tawas are

Further particulars will appear in next weeks issue.

Members of the Paris association of chocolate manufacturers because only tablet chocolate, having abandoned entirely the various kinds of For Sale-A quantity of good bean chocolate coated candy. The associ-France the manufacture of chocolate

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TURN CASH INTO GUN FIRE.

war with 150,000 soldiers and a \$200,cal year the treasury anticipates speeding up of freight movement. needs of \$300,000,000 a week-that is the treasury has got to fight financially a Spanish war every four days. That indicates a money measure of the size of this work, but that is not the real measure. We have just seen ated that one might have pleanty of money, but an empty coal bin. In just the same way the government can have plenty of money, but an unequipped army. This army cannot be equipped as modern warfare demands if the man power of the country is at the same time called upon to produce all of our ordinary comforts and luxuries. It is as plain as two and two that all of us must make personal sacrifices, must give up comforts and luxuries, even necessary expenditures that can be postponed, if there is to be labor and material enough to equip the army in time for it to fight while it will do some good to have it fight.

In war the only effort that is of any value is that which is ultimately translated into gun fire on the field of battle. The gun fire that will win this war cannot be delivered until all America recognizes individual rethat they can do without, so that the pockets." labor that would have been employed in making those things can do work that will ultimately result in gun fire. The government has offered the op- tritious, cheap, easily digested, always portunity to translate at once every in season, all meat, easy to handle, one's personal patriotism into the good cooked or raw. Nature hermeticsort of help that will win the war. ally seals them in a dust and germ-Forego something that is unnecessary; proof package. And, above all, they loan the money you have saved to the are produced without drawing on the government by buyng \$5 war savings nation's resources, and their importa- Chicago, Boston and New York. certificates. You will thus have reaids in developing a reciprocal market leased labor, you will have given for our goods.—Exchange.

present continued story.

Man's Land."

day's work as they do it now in France.

for there are compensations for all the hardships. .

credit to the government, you will have acquired the best security in the JAS. E. BALLARD, Editor and Prop. world, a United States government

> GOVERNMENT CONTROL OF RAILWAYS

Alredy a more efficient operation of the railways taken under control by the Government has been effected. Duplication of service, especially of passenger service, has been eliminated with more freight traffic made possible as a consequence. The common use of terminals has avoided much We fought and won the Spanish delay and shipment by the most direct routes, instead of by longer 000,000 bond issue. In men under routes designated by shippers or dicarms we now have ten times that tated by the respective railroads' innumber. We issued ten times that terests or traffic agreements, has amount of bonds in the first Liberty saved much time. In short, conflictloan. We are proposing to spend and ing corporate interests have been all loan to the allies in the first fiscal subordinated to the one national puryear of the war \$19,000,000,000. pose of rapid and efficient moving of From now on until the end of this fis- traffic, with the result of a distinct

Government operation will be more economical. Much duplication required by competitive operation of the railroads is rendered unnecessary and other expenses, too, will be elimin-

Director General McAdoo has issued an order, General Order No. 6, forbidding the use of the railroad revenues for paying agents or other persons employed in any way to affect legislation, attorneys who are not actually engaged in the performance of necessary legal work, the expenses of persons or agencies constituting associations of carriers, unless such association is approved in advance by the Director General, and payments for any political purpose or to directly or indirectly influence the election of any person or an election affecting any public measure. Free passes are also forbidden except such as are expressly authorized by the interstate commerce act.

Didn't Believe in Signs.

"Advice ain't much help," said Uncle Eben. "Many a man has had his pocksponsibility, until the whole people ets picked while he was admirin' de join in the effort by giving up things sign tellin' him to beware o' pick-

Bananas Are Nutritious.

Bananas are always wholesome, nu-

"Over The Top"

By Arthur Cuy Empey

Will Appear Soon

In the Tawas Herald

has been able to secure the biggest newspaper serial feature

that has been issued since the beginning of the war for publica-

cation as our next serial following the early completion of our

Empey, an American boy who got into the great war two years

ahead of his country, and who saw a year and a half of service

dier saw more actual fighting and real warfare than any war correspondent who has

written about the war. His experiences are grim, but they are thrilling and lightened

to be wounded seven times; to live for a year and a half with mud and rats and

shells; to be covered with "cooties" and never to get rid of them; to go over the top

in a charge; to grasp for your gas helmet when a second's delay means death; to

capture a Prussian; to get tangled up into bar-bwire with that machine gun work-

ing a few yards away; to lie for thirty-six hours wounded and unconscious in "No

ready, to know about the actual work itself. "Over the Top" tells how to make and throw

bombs; dig and consolidate trenches; use barb-wire; cut the enemy's barb-wire at night

so as not to betray your presence; work machine guns; bring up rations; charge; drain

trenches; make maps; execute spies; go on listening post; or attend to all parts of the

And then in relief there are true accounts of the fun and comradeship of the trenches.

Every red-blooded American citizen will want to read the

The story will begin in an early issue of the Herald. If you

Then besides the dramatic moments, one wants in these days of our own getting

amid horrors that the average person can hardly imagine.

by a touch of humor as original as the Soldiers Three. And they are true.

has been a real combatant and has seen long service in the trenches.

Sergeant Empey tells what it actually means and feels like:

Through a piece of extremely good fortune the Herald

This feature is "Over the Top" by Sergeant Arthur Guy

For a year and a half, until he fell wounded in No Man's Land, this American sol-

"Over the Top" is the first story by one of the American soldiers who went to France,

RED CROSS WILL LOOK AFTER U. S. PRISONERS

Parents who have thought of prison life in Germany as perhaps the worst experience that could befall their sons in the American army will find in the service that the American Red Cross committee stationed in Berne, Switzerland will send each American prisoner three ten pound packages of food every two weeks. Already enough supplies are in Switzerland or on their way there to care for 10,000 American prisoners for a period of

Naturally General Pershing is planning to let the Germans capture that many American soldiers, but the Red Cross is measuring the prospects by what has happened to the French and English in gigantic engagments when both sides lose heavily.

This same Red Cross bureau will be the sale agency licensed by the War Trade Board to transmit money to American and Allied prisoners in Germany. The German government late. never yet has had occasion to doubt the good faith of the American Red Cross, so that its relief plans are cer-

Stories about the starvation of prisoners in Germany have been printed so frequently in this country that many parents will consider the Red Cross plan worth all the money they have contributed to it if it did not attempt any other form of war relief work The kind and amount of food to be any herself. sent every two weeks to each American prisoner will be determined by expert dieticians.

LICENSE IS REQUIRED TO SHIP GOODS ABROAD BY PAR-CEL POST.

The War Trade Board is calling attention to the fact that license is required to ship abroad goods on the conserved list, even when sent in small quantities by parcel post. In many cases this has been done by persons ignorant of the President's proclamation concerning exports, or who do not know of the many articles which may be exported only under li-

For violation a fine of not more than \$10,000 or imprisonment for not for at the Bureau of Exports, Washington, D. C., or any of its branches which are located at Seattle, Portland, San Francisco, Los Angeles, Nogales, El Paso, Eagle Pass, Galveston, New Orleans, Mobile, Savannah, St. Louis,

W. S. S .- BUY THEM.

NEWLYWEDS DINE ON STEW

Wifey Prepares Dainty Morsel With Own Little Hands - But Physician Must Be Called for Hubby.

The cook had insisted on a day off, and young Mrs. Freshly-Wedd was in a quandary and her stunning new house gown of twisted percale, muses

the Detroit Free Press. "I'll make a stew—anybody can make a stew!" she cried.

And she proceeded to make a stew. In the icebox she found seven frankfurters, a dozen fried oysters and three pickled herring.

"How fortunate—meat is the very importantest thing!" she exclaimed. And she chopped it all up and added three cupfuls of salt and two of pepper so as to be sure not to forget the seasoning. Then-because she knew that a stew must have lots of variety-she put in a glass of olive oil, two tablespoonfuls of grated nutmeg, two packages of Saratoga chips, a can of sal- sergeant and musicians of the first mon and a half cake of bitter choco- class.

At 6:30 Freshly-Wedd came homeher Ben, stalwart and handsome, who had never known an hour's illness in

that smell?" "It's a stew I made for you wiv my

"Phew!" he exclaimed. "What's

own 'ittle hands," she told him. "Divine aroma!" cried Freshly-Wedd, and forthwith sat down and ate two big platefuls, while his wife watched him so eagerly that she forgot to eat

Three hours later, in response to hurry call, Doctor Blister drove up and rang the front doorbell. Query: Who was the patient, and why?

AMERICAN MANNERS OF TODAY

Prevailing Bearing in Thoroughfares and Street Cars Indicates That Courtesy is on the Decline.

As for manners, we are kindhearted as a people and civil when appealed to, but no one would suspect it if our bearing in thoroughfares and street cars be a criterion. The spirit of the age is sergeant. first come, first served; to be waived only in favor of the crippled and the positively infirm. Courtesy in the oldfashioned sense—the deference of the young for the seniors, of the stronger for the weaker sex, of the vigorous cover the expense of housing and also more than two years, or both, form for the frail-if not extinct is so spor- a suitable allowance for subsistence the penalty. Licenses may be applied adic as to be noticeable when mani- and for heat and light. fested, Robert Grant writes in the push their way forward in public convevances retain without compunction

> of the tired business man: "I got there erment expense." Such materials a States, and I want to read my newspaper." The apotheosis of naturalness, and in self-defense we all more or less subscribe to it; but after all, it is natural for pigs to struggle for places at that prevailed when society was more

The Middlemen.

A farmer raised a peck of wheat beside the River Dee; a boarder ate a wheated loaf 'way down in Tennessee; the loaf the boarder fed upon cost half as much and more as did the munition factories has increased from farmer's peck of wheat a month or so 3,500 to 1910 to more than 100,000 in before. "Now, why is this," the board- 1917, according to a report made to er raved, "they hold me up on bread?" the National League of Women's Ser-"And why is wheat so bloomin' cheap?" vice, and 1,266,000 women are engaged the plodding farmer said.

A chap beyond the Rocky ridge or indirectly necessary to carry on raised 20 pounds of limes; another one in old New York was kicking on the times, for he had downed a glass of "ade," and, poor forlorn galoot, had paid one-half the market price of 20 pounds of fruit. "Now, why is this, they soak me thus for this wee sip of 'ade'?" "And why," exclaimed the

orchard man, "am I so poorly paid." Now hold your horses steady there, you man beside the Dee; go easy there, you hungry chap in sunny Tennessee; restrain yourself, you orchard man, forbear this angry talk, and you beside the soda fount in Little Old Noo Yawk, remember this: Our food and drink, no matter where and when, must also be the food and drink of thirty middlemen.-Utica Globe.

Curious Burials.

The inhabitants of Mesopotamia have curious customs in the disposal of their dead. The corpse is carried to the grave dressed in ordinary clothes, with the face uncovered. Bodies are buried in shallow graves, and after a period dug up again, the bones being collected into a white linen bag and deposited in small buildings.

"One day," says an officer of the R. A. M. C., "I saw such a bag in a church: it was labelled with a woman's name. In a village near the Struma I have visited one of these storehouses of the bones of the departed. The bags most recently placed in it were still white and whole; others were whole, but stained brown by time. Those that had been deposited in years past had rotted away."

Evidently She Had Not.

The small boy was teasing his mamma for candy all during the preparation for a trip downtown, when finally, exasperated, she said: "Claude, if you don't stop mother will be angry. If I see fit when we get there I'll buy some, otherwise I'll not."

He was quiet during several visits in and out of the downtown stores. when finally he said: "Mother, have you seen your fit yet?"

PAY OF ENLISTED MEN RANGES o FROM \$30 TO \$81 A MONTH

The pay of enlisted men depends on their grades, ratings, and length of service. FromJune 1, 1917, and continuing during the term of the war the pay of enlisted men is as follows:

Men receiving \$30: All privates, the Army entering grade.

Men receiving \$33: First-class privates, men promoted to act in minor noncommissioned officer capacity. Men receiving \$36; Corporal, sad-

dlers, mechanics, farriers and wagoners, and musicians of the third class. Men receiving \$38: All sergeant grades in the line, which include Infantry, Field Artillery and Cavalry; cooks, horseshoers, band corporals, and

nusicians of the second class. Men receiving \$44: Sergeants of the various corps of the Engineers, Ordnance, Signal Corps, Quartermaster in the joys and trials of practice Corps, and Medical Department; band

Men receiving \$48: Battalion sergeant majors, squadron sergeant grade), sergeant buglers, master gun- school this week. ners, and assistant band leaders of

geants, sergeant majors (senior grade), quartermaster sergeant of the absent from the normal class because quartermaster sergeant of the of the illness of her mother, hopes Quartermaster Corps, ordnance ser- to return to school soon. geants, first sergeant, electrician sergeants of the first class, assistant en- baby outfit that was chosen by Miss gineers and battallion sergeant majors Wood to send as a sample to Miss and battallion supply sergeant of the VanHulen of the Woman's Relief as-Engineers.

Men receiving \$56: Sergeant, first class, of the Medical Department.

Men receiving \$71: Hospital sergrade, and engioneers.

Men receiving \$81: Quartermaster sergeants of the senior grade of the Quartermaster Corps, band leaders. master signal electricians, master electricians, master engineers of the senior grade, and master hospital

All enlisted men, while on detached duty not in the field where there are no Army quarters available, receive in addition to their pay \$15 per month to

An enlisted man in active service Yale Review. The young men who has no necessary personal expenses except for barber and laundry. Unithe seats for which they have strug- forms, underclothing, shoes, hats, quarters, medical attendance. and sub-Here again we have the philosophy sistence are supplied them at Govfirst; we are all equals in the United tobacco, postage, confectionery, and incidentals of individual taste may be purchased at the post exchange at cost.

Arrangements have been made for a trough. Well may we ask ourselves some relaxation of the restrictions on if it is impossible to safeguard inde- the exports of foodstuffs to Cuba, pendence, initiative and equality ex- whose people are greatly dependent cept at the cost of all the social graces upon the United States for their food supply. Among the exports which may be licensed in limited quantities are condensed milk, butter and cheese, pork and pork products, beef and beef products, and dried fruits.

> The number of women employed in in industrial work which is directly

0000000000 NEWS FROM THE IOSCO COUNTY SCHOOLS.

Tawas City High School Notes

Ralph Sharp is absent from the first grade. General history class is studying

Medeival History. There was a Valentine party Thurs-

day in Miss McNair's room. Miss Louise Burgeson was a visitor

in the high room on Monday. There was a Valentine party in Miss Bradley's room Thursday night.

The ninth grade are taking up botany in place of physical geography. Nettie Laidlaw and Ruth King are practicing teaching in Miss Murphy's

The normal class are now initiated

The high school German class are reading, "Wie Der Krieg Nach Amerika Kam.'

We are very glad to have nearly majors, sergeant majors, (junior all the first and second graders in Psychology, history and agriculture

are the new subjects pursued by the Men receiving \$51: Regimental ser- normal class this semester. Miss Elen Johnson, who has been

Edson Bowen made the Belgian sociation of the M. A. C.

The high school and normal class are preparng to send in their Belgian and French baby clothes which congeant, master engineers of the junior sist of three dozen three piece suits, thirty extra bonnets and eight extra

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it through the medium of his pen and the lecture platform.

A "TOUGH TOWN"

TANANNA, RIVER JUNCTION fight for. TOWN, WHERE THEY DON'T PAINT SUNSETS OR CRO-CHET DOILIES

Inches Wide and as Tough as it is Long.

(M. J. Brown)

I was up and dressed when my call came for Rampart. I had not slept. The room was stifling hot, so I opened the door wide, pulled the sheets advise me. over my head, leaving a place for breath, and told the mosquitos to go to it. And they did. Wherever the sheet touched my body they would stake a claim and sink a shaft, and they had a way of sneaking under the sheet and jumping a claim. The Yukon mosquito is wise to the game. He knows his season is short and he takes a bunch of long chances.

One lady passenger was up. She was from Los Angeles. Her father was a steamboat captain on the lower river and she was on a visit to him. She had made the trip before and she knew where Rex Beach's cabin was. So we climbed to the high bank and started out to "see Rampart."

It didn't take long. The town was the typical river bunch of log houses and stores, one street facing the river. There were no traffic restrictions or sidewalk congestions, and we made speed. In the midnight twilight we soon found the author's cabin, just like all the other log houses wth the exception of the distinguishing mark of a pair of moose horns over the door.

And it was here, the lady told me, that Rex Beach wrote "The Barrier." I don't know how he could have done it. Of all the lonesome places on the Yuken, Rampart was "Exhibit 1." I brushed away the mosquitos, looked into the window of the cabin and mentally told Rex he had nothing to fear from me. The herd instinct grabbed me-we bolted for the boat. I had seen the celebrated cabin and was thoroughly satisfied. It seemed to me inspiration framed a cold hand for Rex Beach whn it dealt him Ram-

Days later, at St. Michael, I was speaking of seeing Beach's cabin, when a man laughed. I asked where was the funny place. He said Beach's cabin burned a long time ago, and now the people took turns in putting a pair of moose horns on the different cabins in town and slipping over the counterfeit. "The last trip I made the author's cabin was at the extreme east end of the town. Now they tell me it is the west end's turn for this

Then I concluded Alaska was about as full of deceit as the outside.

At two o'clock in the morning the steamer pulled into Tananna (pronounce the last syllable "naugh.") couldn't sleep so I took my grip and went ashore. This fort town is at the junction of the Yukon and Tananna rivers, where they told us we would have to wait "about five days" for a steamer down, as our boat went on to Fairbanks.

As some writer has written, th teen inches wide, with Fort Gibbon at horrible spectacle of brutality. one end, an Indian village at the other and a bunch of "red light" cabins in the rear. I was told that Tananna was a "tough town."

I walked up the one street in the semi-darkness until I saw a hotel sign, "The Tower House-Rooms," and I went in. It was a saloon and hotel combined-but mostly saloon.

The proprietor awoke, shoved out a book for me to register and showed me to a little dump of a room on the second floor. It was just large enough for a bed, and I was agreeably surprised to find it clean. It was cold and rainy, so I went down stairs and sat by the big stove.

On the boat I had formed a warm friendship with a young fellow named Wilson from Dawson, on his way to Nome. He was a machinist by trade and a prospector by profession. He had been eleven years in Alaska. He ter" to stop at the Tower house and up. The soldiers were crazy mad— this cuts a big figure. In that fight get on the good side of "Austrian Joe," the owner. But I had forgotten about this and it was only by chance

that I put up at his place. edore came in. He had on board an 'Siwashd'—we're in the same class ugly jag. He looked over the big, with the fish-eating Indians, posted at drink." I refused; he insisted. I told is afraid some little Willie boy might crowds to the Liberty theaters and enhim he had enough and I did not want get hold of a glass of beer in some tertainment tents at the camps and

you can take it any way you want to." try by tself-" With that whiskey-crazed man And then he declared that he would The sale of smileage books—packwith that whiskey-crazed man And then the days until his time expired ages of coupons good for admission M. Y. O. B. was mighty plain. Since Twenty (20) acres of land more or there was only one way to take it. I

and made no remarks while the bully bootlegged. tried to provoke me to a fight and I "Austrian Joe," whose sympathi s got in this dump he would have to told me that for weeks the soldiers

Joe refuse th man a drink, told front; that they wanted active service him he had had enough. "You're a and declared that it was "more than liar," said the longshoreman. Like hell" to be shut in this winter, while a cat Joe sprang from his chair, there Pershing and his boys were smelling (Copyright, 1917, Western Newspaper Union.) DRINKING, CAROUSING, FIGHTING was a quick, overhand blow on the powder in France. temple and over went the "bad man," Then he said an order came permitfalling backwards with a crash. For ting all the soldiers who wished to City a Mile Long and Eighteen a minute he lay dazed, then arose. Joe leave to go to the front, and he said held open the door and told him to only 12 in Fort Gibbon signed up. beat it before he got it again. He "Noise is one thing, fighting is anambled. Then Joe came over to me other," Joe observed. "Alaska in the and remarked, "That's the way to winter time looks bad to the soldiers, hand it to 'em, my boy. Don't let any but the trenches look worse." man call you a liar."

And I wished mother were there to before I went to bed early that night,

old-a "square man." He was one of room below. It was a din of pool the early comers in Alaska and had balls, songs and cursing. From long a string of saloons along the river force of habit night is day in Alaska, towns. In my long stay in that town and even during the summer months I got to know him well, and I passed there is far more action at night than many hours of the early mornings in day. Very few, except the river with him, listening to his stories of hands, arise before noon. the early days.

But back to the first morning.

gan to fill up. One after another they would I find at St. Michael. came in-and they were the toughest looking bunch of men I ever saw. The RED CROSS FOILS ENEMY PROmost of them were boat hands, the toughs who follow the river. There were Swedes, Frenchmen, Greeks, German propaganda in Italy and Russians and one giant negro "nig- changed the attitude of the people ger" Green. Then there were the of that country from hostility to and were joyously celebrating, some itarian agency.

door was opened and he followed the the bud. first tough.

and hotel I had gotten into, and I not seem likely that German cunning went out for a walk to think things can devise any lies and sugar coat couple of small government boats to swallow them to the detriment of at it was that Jim had loved her ever were unloading at the wharf, and sat the United States. til the breakfast hour. Soon a man in Italy and other allied nations is make you look more like a baboon."

The mate ran up the gang plank and the two brutes went at it, fighting like dogs, while the soldiers gathered around and enjoyed the set-to. Down stances is too prone to have things in the mud they rolled, grasping at done for him that he should do for each other's throats like malamutes, himself, thinks Dr. Wm. De Kleine, and striking each other in the face. president of the Michigan Anti-tuber-Finally the mate went under and he culosis association. In his desire to said he had got enough, and the victor be comfortable and to take it easy, let him up. And when he stooped and more frequently because he thinks over to get his cap from the mud the his so-called dignity demands it, he one of the cows I wouldn't have been follows: The East half of the Northcowardly boatman struck him in the hires a great many of the little odd more surprised. temple. He fell like a log, and then the jobs about the house done which, if mate kicked him in the face with his he would do them himself, would heavy shoes, until the deck hands yield him rich returns,-not in the rushed in and stopped him. It was a money thus saved but in giving him

Then there was a scattering. I got "I know men who would never man had demanded an investigation. they complain of losing tone during The soldiers were too far away to see they would be storing up all kinds of the soldiers were too far away to see they would be storing up all kinds of the soldiers were too far away to see they would be storing up all kinds of the soldiers were too far away to see they would be storing up all kinds of the soldiers were too far away to see they would be storing up all kinds of the soldiers were too far away to see they would be storing up all kinds of the soldiers were too far away to see they would be storing up all kinds of the soldiers were too far away to see they would be storing up all kinds of the soldiers were too far away to see they would be storing up all kinds of the soldiers were too far away to see they would be storing up all kinds of the soldiers were too far away to see they would be storing up all kinds of the soldiers were too far away to see they would be storing up all kinds of the soldiers were too far away to see they would be storing up all kinds of the soldiers were too far away to see they would be storing up all kinds of the soldiers were too far away to see they would be storing up all kinds of the soldiers were too far away to see they would be storing up all kinds of the soldiers were too far away to see they would be storing up all kinds of the soldiers were too far away to see they would be storing up all kinds of the soldiers were too far away to see the soldiers were too far away to see they would be storing up all kinds of the soldiers were too far away to see they would be storing up all kinds of the soldiers were too far away to see they would be storing up all kinds of the soldiers were too far away to see they would be storing up all kinds of the soldiers were too far away to see they were too far away to see they would be storing up all kinds of the soldiers were too far away to see th the details, and I didn't see it at all.

trouble the mate had got the other almost anybody can turn to good acfellow fired. So he went up to get count in increasing his fund of health, street with a terrible blackened and an embarrassing amount of dignity in "get that Siwash."

happened within five hours, and that vicariously. A man who wants to night I had nightmare.

came in to Tananna forbidding the some one else. sale or giving of liquor to any sol- "In the fight against tuberculosis dier in uniform—and what a roar went and similar diseases a recognition of that is many of them were. A big fel- advantage must be taken of all such low came into the hotel followed by a things, and everything that helps to

"What do you know about it?" he lic helps to stamp out this disease." yelled. "We soldiers of Uncle Sam are

didn't care to open any week's en- and he could be a white man again. to camp theaters and tents—has been forced stay in this river town with a And the other soldiers backed his play large throughout the country. The bar-room fight with a plug-ugly, so to the grandstand. And in the small Commission on Training Camp Ac-I told him I would take it any way he hours of the next night I was told tivities, which is n charge of the sale, put it until he got sober, so he de- the soldiers went on a mass drunk, as has been hard pressed to get books trouble getting Jack to propose? clared I was a Siwash and he went to a protest against the restraining or- printed rapidly enough to supply the der and a demonstration that they demand.

"Austrian Joe" had sat in his chair could get plenty of booze bottled and

concluded that what "service" a guest I surmised might be with Germany, had been "just a-raring" to go to the

Not having slept much the night but sleep was impossible on account "Austrian Joe" was a man 65 years of the noise of carousing in the bar-

As I lay in bed I wondered if the towns kept getting tougher on the love. At about four o'clock the saloon be- lower river, and if so about what

PAGANDA IN ITALY

How the American Red Cross foiled miners and prospectors from Nenanna friendliness for the United States is and the Fairbanks districts, who were one of the most important and ingoing outside. Some had "made it," teresting achievemens of this human-

had been working for wages, and were The Red Cross, of course, does not spending cautiously, but all were include the foiling of enemy propadrinking, or waiting to be asked to a ganda in its aims directly. What I wouldn't tell her. I wanted her to happened in Italy came about as a keep thinking about her unknown wor-A big Greek started something. He by-product of the regular Red Cross shiper. Then I went to Jim and told was drunk, dry and busted. Joe re- relief work. German and Austrian him that I had sounded Susie and she fused to let him open a bar account, spies had spread reports thruout had confided to me that she had loved when he grabbed a water pitcher and Italy, at the time of the retreat of the him ever since she was a baby. Jim declared he would heave it through Italian army, that the United States the bar mirror. Joe, on the opposite was indifferent to the fate of Italy.

side of the bar, struck him in the But when the Red Cross arrived and face with his hat, and before the began feeding the hungry, ministering but men are no account at such busi Greek could recover from his aston- to the sick, housing the homeless, ness. I have always believed that ishment, Joe had jumped over the bar clothing the naked and otherwise re- man can do anything better than a and made a strike for his temple. The lieving distress, the Italian people got woman. I certainly managed Jim and Greek ducked and took the blow on top an entirely new viewpoint and the Susie mighty well, for I fixed every of his head, and then he begged. The German propaganda was nipped in thing up for Jim to make his proposi-

Now the people of Italy love the I wondered what manner of a town United States and henceforth it does

with a boat cap came up and began building future peace among nations an argument with the mate. "Come and creating for the United States a ashore you sneak," he said, "and I'll good will which wll work out for the benefit of generations yet unborn.

HEALTH DEMANDS EXERCISE

The man in easy financial circummore pep for his own work.

the hunch and faded. Two days later think of shoveling the snow from their the post commander was searching the own sidewalks," he said. "They pay town for witnesses, as the injured a man to do this for them. And then It was said that not a single witness the winter months. By doing that on makin' me that kind of a feller."

It developed that both men had "And the same thing holds good for worked on the boat, and having had numerous other little odd jobs that square. Two days later he was on the so to speak. Many a man has such swollen face, and declaring he would his system that he feels it beneath him to do menial tasks like that. But And all these strenuous incidents health cannot be won or maintained stimulate his circulation has to shovel The government's orders had just for it himself; he can't hire it out to

dozen or more and started his howl. improve the general health of the pub-

THEATRICAL COMPANIES AT LI-BERTY THEATERS DRAW HUGE CROWDS.

Dad's Admonition

By RICHARD MARKLEY

When I went to work on a farm Dad owned in Huntoon county, he said to me, "I have only one thing to say to you. It is comprised in four letters, "M. Y. O. B." I asked him what the letters stood for, and he said that when

I had done something that had brought trouble on my head, likely I would I was thirty years old before I learn-

ed what those four letters did stand for I reckon I had done things to son Johnson, Baldwin township, P. O teach me their meaning before that, but I didn't get punished enough to fix my attention on the matter. How I found out Dad's instructions was this children. Steady position if satisfac-

Jim Hawkins owned the next farm to me. We were both bachelors. didn't care to bring a woman into my house to boss me; and was satisfied to live alone; but Jim was different; he A brand new machine in good workwas continually pining for someone to ing order. Price \$5.00. Inquire of

"Jim," said I one day, "why don't you get married?"

"I don't know any girl that would have me." "What's the matter with Susie Bickford?"

"She wouldn't look at me." "Oh yes she would." "How do you know?"

"I don't know, but I think I can find out for you." "I'd be much obliged to you if you

One evening I went to see Susie and told her I knew a man who was dead in love with her. She was mighty anxlous to know who the fellow was, but

her, but I told him he had better wait till I prepared the way for him.

They say women can make matches, since she was a baby. As for me I had

asked me if I'd, found out what M. Y. O. B. meant and I had to acknowledge that I hadn't. "Well," he said, "I reckon you'll learn it some day."

After I got back to the farm I was busy about one thing and another and noon of the 21st day of March, A. D. cows along the road. I expected she'd be mighty smilin' to me, but she wasn't. ever see. If I'd seen Satan riding on

and he too was as short as pie crust, "See here Jim," I called to him,

"what's the matter?" "Matter enough," he said, "I thought F. F. FRENCH, you was doin' me a favor when you put Attorney for Mortgagee. me up to marryen'. If you'd a let me Business address: East Tawas, Mich.

"Why, what's the matter with Sue?" "Well, she's got her idee about what a husband ought to be and she insists

had gone wrong between them and I'd they should throw all the blame on me. at two o'clock in the afternoon, in

in' of the supper table. two," I said. "I did you a favor and the debt now remaining secured there-

the reward I get for it is your ill will. by, or any part thereof, and If you are dissatisfied with each other Whereas, default has been made in I don't see what I have to do with it. the payment of the money secured by You, Jim, wanted someone to love, and said mortgage, whereby the power of I put you on the track to get a wife. You, Sue, were mighty well pleased to operative; get Jim and now you've found that he given that by virtue of said power of

Sue with a flash in her eye.

This fired Jim. "Now see here," he says mighty sharp, "it seems to me that you had better stop interferin' be the place of holding Circuit Court tween me and my wife."

him he had enough and I did not want any.

get now of a glass of beef in some tertainment tents at the camps and tents at the camps at t I got out, Sue's words "mind your own business" ringing in my ears. And Township Twenty-two (22) North, all of a sudden the meaning of Dad's Range Five (5) East, containing

> Scared Him Into It. Young Widow-Did you have any Girl Friend-No, dear; I told him

Dealers in feedstuffs are again being warned that after February 15 they will not be permitted to trade without a license from the Food Administration. Every manufacturer, importer, dealer, handler or storer of about 50 of the principal ingredients used in making commercial mixed feeds is included in the requirements. This covers baled hay, shell and ear corn.

WANTS, FOR SALE, ETC

W. S. S .- BUY THEM.

For Sale-One Remington piano Jesse D. Warner, Tawas Cty.

Man Wanted-To do chores or farm. For particulars address Neladdress East Tawas.

Wanted-Housekeeper on farm. No

tory. Inquire of Austin Allen, R. D. 1, Tawas City, Mich. For Sale-A bean picking machine.

David Goupil, Whittemore, Mich. 9-pd For Sale-Some good driving and work horses, and my farms for sale or rent. Inquire of Nelson Johnson, Baldwin township, P. O. address, East

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East Tawas

MORTGAGE SALE Default having been made in the

Jim said to me, "Joe, I owe you a lot conditions of a certain mortgage for what you've done for me in getting dated June 9, 1911, executed by Wilme an angel for a wife." Sue didn't liam Papple and Margaret Papple, his say anything like that, but she was wife, to William G. Richards and reover. I went up to the post where a them as to induce the Italian people mighty friendly. The way she looked doods for Local County in Liber 17 of down to watch them and kill time unThe Red Cross in relieving suffering simply brought a hanger-back up to the or proceedings having been instituted Jim and Susie were married at the debt secured by the said mortgage; or home to see Dad and Mummy. Dad claimed to be due thereon, at the date hereof, the sum of Twenty-six hundred eighteen and 24-100 dollars and Twenty-five dollars attorney fee there-

given, that at ten o'clock in the fore-One morning I met Sue driving the house in the city of Tawas City, that mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale She just said, "How de" and went on. of the premises described therein at I was the most astonished feller you public auction to the highest bidder. west quarter of Section Twenty-six, The next day Jim passed my house in Town Twenty-two North of Range State of Michigan.

WILLIAM G. RICHARDS,

nie Ferns, his wife, and Jennie Ferns in her own right, of the township of I tried to get something more defi- Reno, Iosco county, Michigan, made I made up my mind that something Bank of Rose City Michigan, which better go over and find out what it Register of Deeds of Iosco county on was. At any rate I didn't propose that the 19th day of January A. D. 1916

I found 'em both at home. Jim was Liber 22 of mortgages on page 64; smoking his pipe, readin' the Farmers' Whereas, the amount claimed to be Weekly Advocate while Sue was clean- due upon said mortgage at date hereof (\$664.00), and no suit or proceedings "I want to say something to you has been instituted at law to recover

Now therefore, notice is hereby sale and in pursuance thereof and of "Who says he doesn't suit me?" said the statutes in such case made and provided the said mortgage will be "Why Jim says you're trying to make foreclosed by sale of the mortgaged property at public vendue to the highest bidder at the front door of the court house in the City of Tawas City, said county of Iosco, that being "And I want you to understand," of May A. D. 1918, at three o'clock

> Dated this 29th day of January, A. D. 1918.

The Rose City State Bank, B. J. Henderson. Atty, for Mortgagee. Business address, Standish, Michigan. 2-8-18-19

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Perhaps you have no surplus money at the present time that you want to place in a bank account. But you expect to have at some future time, at "harvest time" perhaps, whatever it may be that you expect to harvest. Don't procrastinate any longer make your start today--Come into our bank, deposit one dollar and we will loan you without charge an individual savings bank that no one can get the money out of until you bring it back to us. Drop your spare change into this bank, a nickle now, a dime then and almost before you know it you will become a capitalist and be able to take advantage of the chances to make money that come to every one who has a little money to invest.

Come in and talk it over.

Ealy, McKay & Co., Bankers TAWAS CITY HALE EAST TAWAS

HEMLOCK SLIVERS.

Mrs. J. L. Fraser is quite sick at this writing.

in Grant this week.

Chas. McCormick made a business trip to Tawas Monday.

A nice large crowd attended services nesday. at the Baptist church Sunday.

relatives in Alabaster Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Smith visited

Mr. and Mrs. Bradford on Sunday. Grandma Watts is spending a few Charles Timreck.

William O'Brien went to Port Huron the federal examination.

Long spent the week end at their Mr. and Mrs. Miles Main and Miss Blossom Fraser, who is teach- Wednesday with friends in the city.

end at home.

supply of ice. Mrs. Henry Durant and two little and Mrs. John Anschuetz on Sunday. spent Monday at the parental home. | ceeds to go to graduating class.

last week from a business trip to Bay now and doing nicely. City and Saginaw.

Katterman on Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Currey vis- John Walker arrived Tuesday to On Thursday afternoon, February A sleigh ride will be given to the East Tawas on Washington's birthday.

Mrs. E. Allen, on Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. George Culham vis- recently moved from Detroit.

Edward Graham on Monday.

for a few days visit at Pine River. Better watch out Chas. or you will be called to the corner some evening. It's a rather dangerous undertaking. Misses Eunice Clark and Elena 0

in Tawas City. Floyd Carpenter stating that he has Mr. Hinman reports that the store crived in France. Floyd enlisted in continues to bring a good profit. the early winter and was sent at once Mrs. Emma Johnson who is being

Mercy hospital last Saturday evening ment. for an attack of appendicitis. She The lack of "snus" has driven sevwas accompanied by her husband and eral snuff eaters to total abstinence, she is getting along nicely.

Gleaners met at Grant town hall last military service last Monday at the Friday and although the attendance court house, and was sent to Bay City Friday of last week at Foote Site. was not as large as usual a very en- for further examination. enjoyable day was spent. After the Many folks are preparing for an fering with the mumps, is a great deal business session some fine addresses expected big thaw in the spring by better at this writing. were given which were intereting and cutting trenches through the drifts to and instructive. At the close the allow the water to drain freely. meeting was adjourned to meet with T. Ousterhout tried his hand at end at his home here. the Townline arbor the second Friday fishing through a hole in the ice last in March.

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TOWNLINE TOPICS.

Miss Ola Peck has returned to De-

after spending a few days with friends

George Foster, who has been here bright and early Tuesday morning. for some time returned to Detroit Robert E. Johnson' birthday was spending a week at his home here.

this week.

wife is not expected to live. Mackinzie. She returned home Mon- the party a success.

day. Services at Methodist church Sunday afternoon at 2:30. All friends and members invited to join in wor-

DEATH OF MRS. WM. V. FREEL Everyone welcomed the sunshine the visors. He also spent a few days at Mrs. Wm. V. Freel, aother of Iosco first part of the week. county's old residents, died at her home on the Townline early Thursday with Mrs. Henry Bronson. morning, Feb. 7, after an illness extending over the past four years with Sunday. We wonder why? cancer. She underwent an operation four years ago and has been ill ever hart were Hale callers Monday.

Matilda Lane was born at Gainsborough, Canada, in January 1847, and was 71 years of age at the time of friend, Ray Beaubien of Keystone. her death. She was united in marriage to William V. Freel in 1869. ber of his friends Monday evening. To this union twelve children were born, all but three of whom survive ler in our vicinity Saturday evening.

to Michigan and have been residents borne.

the bereaved husband, eight boys and Whittemore. Flint and Alexander whose home is nest Barlow's. at Gaylord.

good wife and a loving mother. She Whittemore Monday evening. and there are a host of friends who ride to Prescott Sunday evening.

The funeral services were held at of a baby boy. officiating, and the remains were laid cousin, Francis Osborne, spent Sunday ranch spent Monday and Tuesday as to rest in the Tawas City cemetery. at the home of Thomas Osborne.

LAIDLAWVILLE.

Mrs. Carl Miller is very ill again. Chas. Curry accompanied Frank last week. Waldo Curry is selling some silos Chappell to the county farm on Tues-

> Mrs. A. Stealy visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wood on Wed-Hilda Lange and Ola Peck from Mr. Westervelt's Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dow Watts visited the Townline visited Ida Lange Friday evening. Mr. and Mrs. John Kobs visited

Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. a professional call here Monday. days at the home of Herbert Herri- Ed Rempert arrived home from new employes at the Anderson ranch. at Laird Lake Saturday. Detroit on Saturday called here for Mrs. Josiah Robinson visited her

Misses Stella McCardell and Sylvia month with Mrs. W. E. Laidlaw.

Saginaw the last of the week to visit Friday for medical treatment. His met at the home of Mrs. H. Buck on week. A number of the farmers are busy her daughter and family for a while. wife accompanied him. this week putting up their summer Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gottleber and Will Waters came up from Detroit There will be a box social at the N. Y. are here buying horses this

sons returned Thursday from a visit Will Wood who works in Detroit Rupert Bentley received a car load C. E. meeting at the Baptist church and Mrs. Albert Blumenau spent Sun-Mrs. Florence Wakefield returned badly hurt. He is out of the hospital was shared by several of his neigh- Wm. Glendenin; topic-"What the

Mr. and Mrs. John Autterson of Alpena Sunday evening to visit his Wagner went to Marshall last Thurs- Rose City hospital a few days of last Junction. He returned on Monday.

ited at the home of their daughter, accompany his wife and children 21, the Grange will meet at the home members of the Baptist Sunday school A cordial invitation is extended to home to Bay City, where they have of William Latter. All members are on Saturday, after which luncheon will all Maccabees.

ited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Lange returned from Bay City on Monday. He reports that his visiting relatives here for a few days session of the home of Ed Putnam last Thursday of last week. Eight were Mrs. Frank Chambers and grand- brother, Frank, whom he accompanied went to South Branch Saturday, Friday evening. "Taffy pulling" was present. A lovely dinner was served daughter, Phyllis left last Saturday expects to be well enough to leave the where she wll join her husband who the enjoyable feature of the evening. at noon. Everyone reported a good hospital on Wednesday.

ALABASTER DUST.

3, spent the week end at their homes Wednesday night to become a Shriner. for burial. The bereaved parents have that he is able to return to his school the snow. Mac was to blame for He will return tomorrow. Word arrived here last week from Notwithstanding the high prices,

treated for blood poisoning at the Mrs. Joseph Rapp was taken to Bay City hospital, shows no improve-

Mrs. Edward Youngs. Latest reports while others have resorted to the old Site on Thursday of last week. fashioned plug.

The Iosco county Federation of Charles Hinman was examined for

Saturday. He had the usual steak and eggs for dinner that night.

L. R. Sanderson is mighty lonesome these wifeless weeks. Mrs. Sander- Monday morning after spending son is in East Tawas temporarily, week at his home here. where the water doesn't freeze in the pipes every night.

Heatless Mondays are the occasion brother, John Schrieber and family. of lots of good times. Twenty young G. Weaver has returned to Bay City folks travelled by sleigh to a pedro family spent last Sunday in Baldwin party at the Catholic church on the as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Holmes. evening of the eleventh and returned Irving Dawes returned to his work

the occasion of a surprise party in Wm. V. Freel has gone to Millers- his honor last Monday night. Mr. daughter, Florence, from East Tawas, Tawas was in town on business Mon- often in Whittemore and was well burg to visit he brother, John, whose and Mrs. Hinman, Mr. and Mrs. visited this week at the home of Mr. Walker, Mrs. A. Olson, L. R. Sander- N.'s brother, John Newberry and Mrs. Hattie Winchell of Oak Grove son, H. P. Layer, and J. T. Munroe family. spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Geo. did the surprising and all pronounce

BURLEIGH GOSSIP

John Earhart spent Sunday at the Lansing this week, where he was sent home of Alex Bruce.

Mrs. Allen Caverly spent Sunday

Jim Werely was a Keystone caller Mose Earhart and Mrs. Venie Ear-

A number of Alex Bruce's neighbors spent Saturday evening with him. Roy Brabant spent Sunday with his

John Earhart entertained a num-

John Stiehl of Keystone was a cal-Rowland Tomehen of Whittemore McNickle Monday. In February 1881 the family moved spent the week end with John Os-

Miss Lorene Emmons spent Sunday

Mrs. Milo Earhart entertained Rose City Tuesday after being absent appendicitis, is getting along nicely. Mrs. Freel was a true Christian, a about thirty-five of her friends from for a week.

was admired and loved by all who A number of the young folks from knew her for her sterling qualities, this way enjoyed a pleasant sleigh

join in extending their sympathy to Thomas Osborne spent the last part by the ladies of this community paper- the home of her parents, Mr. and May 1. the bereaved family in their great of the week with Mrs. Olive Osborne ed the school house Saturday.

the Townline M. E. church last Sat- Miss Annie Osborne accompanied by Sunday evening at 7:15 o'clock. urday afternoon, Rev. H. T. Howard Miss Pierce of Prescott also her Miss Cecile Clough of the Bijou parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hans Carlson.

I. S. Wildish of Turner was in town Those left to mourn her loss are with her friend, Carmond Koyle at one day last week buying wood. James LaBerge and Miss Mavis Alice, spent Sunday at the home of one girl, all of whom live in this Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Barr spent Vosburg spent Sunday at the Bijou Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Anderson. vicinity except Albert, who resides at Sunday evening at Mr. and Mrs. Er- ranch. Mrs. H. E. Vosburg returned from

> Wesley Runyun was called away illness of his brother.

work at Curtisville again.

the guest of Miss Mavis Vosburg.

HALE AND VICINITY.

E. V. Esmond was at Tawas City on J. P. Harsch went to Ohio one day Tuesday. Arthur White was at Tawas on busi-

RENO RUMBLINGS

Charles Thompson returned to his

home in Bay City Saturday.

ness Saturday.

do her good.

requested to be present.

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was a visitor here last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Brooks spent

Clarence Phelps, who has been suf-

Arthur Miller, who is attending

school at Tawas City, spent the week

Laura Dorey who is attending

school at East Tawas spent the week

Wm. Herman returned to Flint

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Brooks and

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Styles and

at Detroit Monday morning after

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Newberry and

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Thompson are

the proud parents of a baby girl,

which arrived at their home one day

last week. They have named the

John Searle spent several days at

as a delegate for the board of super-

LONG LAKE BREEZES.

Norman Ballard is on the sick list

Jay Clough drove to Lupton Sunday.

Wm. Peel was a Hale caller Monday.

H. H. Bates loaded a car of wood

Mrs. Frank Wolfson spent Monday

Louis LaBerge loaded a car of tag

Rev. White is now taking up his

young lady Joy Louise.

Grand Rapids and Flint.

last week.

alder Tuesday.

at Hale.

family spent Sunday with Mrs. B.'s

end at her home here.

Site last Saturday.

WILBER WARBLINGS.

cott visitors Monday.

Mrs. S. S. Edgley was a Flint visitor over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Kitchin were at Mr. and Mrs. E. Crego were Pres-Tawas on Monday. Grant Shattuck was a Bay City vis-Will Glendon of Hale visited a

itor on Friday last. H. E. Nunn and son, Ashley, went to Saginaw Tuesday.

David Davison of Tawas City made John Johnson and wife were county seat visitors on Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Cramer are the Nami Corbett returned to her home

Edna Thornton of Rose City spent mother, Mrs. Jas. Charters, Monday. the week end with her parents here. last week to receive medical treat- Mrs. Thornton returns to her home Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bronson Sun- Richard Carroll and wife of Detroit Harry Graham spent Sunday and bereavement in the death of our loved

> past week. Arthur Popp is hauling gravel in Glenn Staley and wife came Mon- days at Saginaw and Detroit this attention. Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Dowen spent preparation for a new barn in the day night for a visit with the for- week. mer's parents.

Tuesday evening.

children visited at the home of Mr. Sunday evening for examination and town hall this, Friday, evening. Pro- week.

had the misfortune to have his hand of cotton seed meal last week which next Sunday evening. Leader-Mrs. Cross Means in Asia.' Arnold Anschuetz came home from On account of poor health Mrs. Ira Mrs. E. C. Glendenin was called to States and are busy near Emery within 24 hours after having eaten

Reno visited at the home of August parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Anschuetz. day. We are hoping the change may week to assist Dr. Inglewright with some surgical work.

be served in th town hall. Mrs. Hiram Barnes who has been

has employment at the Gates ranch. Fred Jennings came home Monday time. The little infant daughter of Mr. night from Lansing, where he has A number from here enjoyed a and Mrs. Joseph Barnes pased away been for nearly two weeks with his sleigh ride to the home of Mr. and at their home near Prescott last Fri- son, Rex, who underwent an operation Mrs. Milo Earhart Monday evening. day, having lived but 5 days. The re- recently. The former reports the They also enjoyed a delicious lunch-Groff, teachers of Grant school No. R. E. Johnson went to Saginaw mains were brought to Reno Sunday latter to be getting along nicely and a taffy pull, and a "tip over" in the sympathy of their many friends. duties again.

"Over the Top." See page 4.

SHERMAN SHOTS.

James Styles was a caller at Foote Snowing again. Mrs. Burlew is some better at this

John Searle was a caller at Foote vriting. S. A. Powell was at Whittemore Chas. Bennington from Foote Site

> es Monday. they, John?

F. W. Crum was at Whittemore on second shipment since January 1st. business Monday. Chas. Schneider and family spent

Sunday at Emery. Mr. and Mrs. Matt Jordan were at Tawas City Friday. Chas. Schneider has been suffering

with blood poisoning. John Pandorf of Prescott is visit ng here for a wetek.

A. B. Schneider spent Sunday even ng at the home of Wm. Kohn. Miss Emma Hottois spent the week

end at her home at Whittemore. C. H. Mark left last week for an extensive trip through the south. Geo. Smith who is working in Ala

baster is home for a weeks visit. , Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Schroeder and family spent Sunday at Capitol Hill. Truant officer McMurray of East

Flint are visiting at the home of his

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Dunhum and more loses one of her best known and family have been spending a few days oldest citizens. in Turner.

home last week. the first part of the week for Franken-

muth for a few days visit. Married at Standish, Wednesday, February 6, William Kohn and Miss Dorothy Cotrell. Congratulations.

The Maccabees of Iosco county are invited to a meeting to be held in East Tawas on Washington's birthday. A cordial invitation is extended to all Maccabees.

BALDWIN BREEZES.

George Judd is working for Hans Henry Ballard sawed wood for Jos. Carlson. at her home here.

> home of Oscar Alstrom. Mrs. John Burgeson and daughter,

Miss Emma Burgeson who was operated on in Detroit last Thursday for

Miss Meta Gnath returned last Friday from Posen, where she has been mers willing to employ high school last week on account of the serious vsiting her sister, Mrs. Arthur Ahan. boys, the educational authorities of Mrs. Gust Karus and sons, Willie,

Mrs. Cholger, in Wilber. of Prescott who is the proud mother Prayer meeting every Wednesday Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Christeson Department now restrict the number evening at 7:15 o'clock; services every and son, Blaine, of East Tawas, spent of American women permitted to go Sunday at the home of the latter's abroad to those whose presence in

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WHITTEMORE

Edgar Sawyer has returned from

Dentist Yeager was in town Wednesday.

dam again. Stephen Nisbet spent Sunday at his Peas, per bu. 3.00 adv-8 home at Maple Ridge.

John Bowen made a business trip Buckwheat, per cwt. 3.00 to Bay City last Wednesday.

this city on business Tuesday. A phonograph has been installed at the home of Chas. Beardslee.

itor at Tawas City last Friday.

this Friday, after spending the past dayed with Mr. and Mrs. Ernest have been visiting relatives here the Monday at his home in Saginaw.

Joe Danin was a business caller on ing school in Sherman spent the week Grandma Lange expects to go to Archie McDougald was at Bay City The ladies of the Bible study class the Hemlock road Tuesday of this

Mr. Fish and son from Rochester.

The Maccabees of Iosco county are sderable quantities. invited to a meeting to be held in

Mrs. Burr Hall entertained the A "jolly" sleighing party took pos- "Mite" society of the L. D. S. church

Perhaps Nisbet and Graham starred in basketball, but all know that Fred Ducap "starred" at carrying cream the other night, at least Fred says: "It took me about a minute to win that two and I showed dem gents

that I had some muscle.' The Whittemore unit of the Iosco County Red Cross Chapter, shipped the following articles this week: 3 sweaters, 14 pairs socks, 3 trench Joe Smith lost one of his work hors- caps, 10 pairs wristlets, 1 helmet, 1 muffler, 4 suits pajamas, 2 nighten-Wedding bells are ringing, aren't gales, 3 ice bag covers and 10 hospital handkerchiefs. This being their

DEATH OF PHILANDER H. TOWSLEY.

The funeral of Mr. Philander H Towsley of Whittemore, was held in the Whittemore Methodist Episcopal church, at one o'clock on Thursday afternoon, February 7th, 1917. The interment took place in the Saint's cemetery, the funeral service was conducted by Rev. Charles McKenzie

of Whittemore. Mr. Towsley was born on the sixth day of February, 1837. Died at 1:30 a. m. on the 4th day of February, 1918. His age at death was 81 years, 11 months and 28 days, lacking only two days of 82 years. A large portion of his life was spent in Whittemore. Prior to the year 1887 he had been known, but in that year he took up Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Kohn, jr., of his permanent residence here and for 31 years has been a constant resident of this city. In his death Whitte-

Mr. Towsley enjoyed the distinction Mrs. Geo. Armstrong, who has been of being one of the few remaining at Ann Arbor for treatment, returned veterans of the civil war. A member of the Grand Army of the Re-Albert Drager and Sam Miller left public, he served his country in the capacity of private, then sergeant in company G of the 29th regiment of the Michigan infantry. A regiment which always gave a good account of itself. He performed a service for his country that will not soon be forgotten by his countrymen, and many gathered in the church to pay their respects to a hero of former days, and to say the last farewell to another one of that splendid band of men which is all too rapidly growing

Mr. Towsley leaves behind him to mourn his loss, one brother who lives in Battle Creek, Mich., two sisters Miss Alma Johnson spent Sunday who are thought to be still living but whose residence is not known, and a Mr. Moeller spent Sunday at the son living in the state of California.

"Over the Top." See page 4.

WAR NEWS DIGEST The entire wheat crop in France has been requisitioned by the French Gov-

Following suggestions made by far-Illinois have arranged an extensive Mr. White and F. Wolfson assisted Arthur and Gustave spent Sunday at farm course, from February 1 to

> Passport regulations of the State France is imperatively required by some relief agency recognized by the United States Government.

TAWAS CITY MARKETS

Below we give the buying prices for day morning of this week:

William Leslie is home from the Rye, per bu. 1.70 trator for same. Barley, per cwt. 2.25 Chas. Corrigan of Detroit was in Clover seed, per bu. up from ...10.00

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to extend our sincere Herbert J. Markham, Plff. H. E. McCrum was a business vis- thanks to our neighbors and friends for their aid and sympathy in our Sarah E. Klinger, Deft. wife and mother. Words cannot ex-Edgar Louks is spending a few pres sour gratitude for your care and

Wm. V. Freel and Family.

"Over the Top." See page 4.

Frequent reports come from Holland of the death of stall-fed animals at-Mr. and Mrs. John Bowen and Mr. tributed to spoiled or otherwise unwholsome food. In many cases the animals had been given acorns, chest-Eph. Cale and Dan Hurford have nuts and beechnuts, shelled and unpurchased a hay baler from Orla shelled. It is said horses have died raw and unshelled beechnuts in con-

Tawas City

NOTICE-LAND FOR SALE

I offer for sale two hundred acres grain and other farm products, as of land in Section 30, Reno township. furnished by the Wilson Grain Co., Iosco county; 35 acres cleared, all these prices being current on Thurs- fenced. A-No. 1 pasture land with river running through it. For price Wheat, per bu. No. 1\$2.00 inquire of the undersigned adminis-

> PATRICK CORRIGAN. R. D. 2, Prescott, Mich.

W. S. S .- BUY THEM!

NOTICE OF SALE STATE OF MICHIGAN, The Circuit Court for the Couty of Iosco, in Chancery.

In pursuance of a decree of the circuit court for the county of Iosco, in Chancery, made and entered on the 26th day of December A. D. 1917, in the above entitled cause, I the subscriber, Circuit Court Commissioner for the county of Iosco, shall sell at Public Auction or vendue to the highest bidder therefor, at the front door of the Court House in Tawas City in said county of Iosco, on Saturday the 23rd day of March, 1918, at 3 'clock in the afternoon of said day the following lands, to wit: The NW 1/4 of SE 1/4 and SE 1/4 of NE 1/4. Sec. Two, Town 24 North, of Range 8 East, Iosco county, Michigan.

Dated February 6, 1918. N. C. HARTINGH,

Circuit Court Commissioner. VICTOR SPIKE. Attorney for Plaintiff. Business address, Shearer Block, Bay City, Mich.

Michigan

AUCTIONEER

Phone your dates early for sales.

I am quite busy but want your business too but want it early so as to avoid getting dates mixed.

Terms as always: 1 per cent over \$1,000 For dates Phone 59-J Have sale dates for February 14-16-21 and March 1

R. B. SCOGGINS

WOVEN **FENCE** FOR SPRING

We have contracted for a part car of Anthony Lock Tie Fence, and are prepared to quote you a price for early buying.

It is doubtful if there will be a great amount of fence made this year and certain it is it will be hard to get shipment later on.

If you are in need of the fence for spring, we would like to quote prices.

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