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HAPPENINGS OF THE WEEK

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

Fire insurance, Fred Swartz, adv McCaskey's auto livery, phone 83-F3 Arthur Steinhurst was a Bay City visitor Monday.

C. H. W. Snyder was in Harrisville on business Monday and Tuesday.

Mrs. F. Luedtke is visiting at Bay City and other points this week.

Rev. B. H. Thomas of Bay City was in the city on business Monday.

Miss Anna Sands of Onaway spent several days this week at her home here.

Karl Henning of Saginaw spent several days this week at the home of E. Buch.

Fred Gaul of Saginaw visited relatives and friends in the city several days this week.

Mrs. C. Johnson left last Saturday for a two weeks visit at Detroit and other points.

Mrs. W. B. Kelly returned Tuesday from a several months stay with her daughter in Detroit.

Rev. H. Howard attended a Sunday school convention at Bay City Tuesday and Wednesday.

Miss Lottie VanHorn went to McIvor Tuesday evening for a short visit with friends there.

There will be a baseball game at the fair grounds Sunday, Hemlock vs. Tawas City. Admission 10c. adv

Misses Frances and Lorene Wilson went to Yale Monday to attend the funeral of their brother, Harry Wilson.

Mrs. T. E. Connors went to Detroit last Friday to attend the funeral of her little grandson, Berrand Connors.

The board of review for the city of Tawas City has been in session this week. But few changes were made in the rolls.

Mrs. Ed. Pierson left Wednesday morning for an extended visit with relatives at Greenville, Sheridan and other points.

J. F. Mark leaves this (Friday) morning for Detroit, where he has accepted a position with the Cadillac Motor Co. as bookkeeper.

There will be a box social in district No. 4, Tawas township, on Thursday evening, May 31. The proceeds will be given to the Red Cross. Everybody invited. adv

Mr. and Mrs. H. Schlanger and Mrs. Goodwin, son Grant, and daughter Constance of Standish motored up and spent Sunday at the home of M. E. Friedman.

Would request that all ladies willing to help meet in the basement of the court house Wednesday afternoon, May 29, to make bouquets and wreaths for Decoration day. Frank F. Taylor, Chairman Flower Committee.

Governor Sleeper has issued a proclamation designating next Thursday, May 30, as Memorial Day, and requesting that the day be kept in the spirit of the occasion. On that day flags should be displayed at half staff until noon and then raised to the top of the staff.

Friday, May 24 the school children from every school in Iosco County will meet at the fair grounds and spend the day there. Several patriotic addresses will be given and an exhibition of the work done by the students during the past year will be held.

Postmaster Patterson has installed a large safe in the postoffice this week, he having purchased the one formerly used in the Iosco County bank at Whittemore. It is a regulation bank safe with time lock, and is about as near burglar proof as can be secured.

Martin Musolf arrived home Tuesday night from the Great Lakes Training Station, Ill., supposedly on a ten days furlough. However, upon his arrival he found a telegram ordering him to report to his battalion at once, and he was forced to leave on the Wednesday morning train after only a few hours stay at home.

Tawas City Chapter No. 303, O. E. S. enjoyed a very pleasant evening at their regular meeting last Tuesday evening, when the East Tawas and Whittemore chapters, were their guests, the former furnishing a candidate for initiation and the latter putting on the work. The Whittemore chapter has been organized only a few months, but they did their work in a very effective and pleasing manner which elicited many complimentary remarks. After the work of the evening a banquet was served in the dining rooms. About 85 members were present from the three chapters.

MEMORIAL DAY

The Tawas City Memorial Day association met Tuesday evening and completed arrangements for the proper observance of that day.

The following chairmen of the various committees were appointed, and given power to choose such other members as they desired to aid them.

Finance—A. A. Bigelow.
Music—H. W. Buckle.
Conveyances—Reuben Wade.
Flowers—F. F. Taylor.

The exercises of the day will consist of the decorating of the graves of our soldier dead, the singing of patriotic songs by the pupils of the schools and the people.

A short address will also be made by Rev. McAndrew of the Presbyterian church.

The pupils of all the schools of the city are requested to form in line at the high school building and be ready to join the procession on the way to the cemetery. The line of march will form at the court house at 9 o'clock and march to the cemetery, where the exercises will open.

SUNDAY SCHOOL CONFERENCE

On Sunday, June 2nd, the Sunday schools of Tawas City will unite in a conference of elementary workers and parents for the discussion of topics relating to the religious training of children in the Sunday school and home.

The observance of this day is in accordance with the plan of the elementary department of the International Sunday School association outlined in last week's issue of this paper, and should be of interest to all Sunday school teachers and workers, and to parents whose children are attending Sunday school. The program for the day will appear next week.

HIGH SCHOOL ENTERTAINMENT

Visitors day, last Friday afternoon and evening at the high school, was a complete success. At 2:30 p. m. the service flag, containing forty-five stars, was dedicated by Rev. Ehrhardt and J. A. Campbell. The exhibition consisted of the work done by the students for Red Cross and the regular school classes.

In the evening the senior class presented the dramatization of the fairy tale, "Hansel and Gretel." The county normal students gave a short play entitled "The Girls Over Here." Much credit is due the teachers and students for the excellent program rendered.

AN IMPORTANT LECTURE

Dr. A. S. Warthin will deliver a lecture to men and boys on hygiene and morality at 8 o'clock Tuesday evening, May 28, at the East Tawas opera house. Dr. Warthin has been giving this lecture since 1895, most of the time under the auspices of the Y. M. C. A.

Dr. Warthin states that this is a patriotic lecture and especially requests that men of draft age, or who will soon be of draft age to be present.

There will be a lecture to the women from 4 to 5 o'clock in the afternoon. Every mother is cordially invited to attend. The Governor wishes the women to help in this matter.

MEMORIAL SUNDAY

The union memorial Sunday services will be held at the Baptist church next Sunday morning, at usual hour of service. Rev. C. A. Ehrhart will deliver the sermon. Special patriotic music will be rendered.

C. E. NOTES

May 26, Baptist church, 6:30 p. m. Topic: "Doing His Will." Leader: Elizabeth Anderson. A large attendance is desired.

The second chapter of the book, "Pledge Promptings," will be discussed at this meeting.

A business meeting and social evening will be held Friday, May 31, at the home of Rev. C. A. Ehrhardt. All are cordially invited to attend.

METHODIST CHURCH

10:00 a. m., Union Memorial day services at the Baptist church.
11:15 a. m., Sunday school. Rev. Atkinson, our Sunday school expert, will be with us. Let us have every scholar and officer present. F. F. Taylor, Supt.
6:45, Epworth League.
7:00, evening service, by the pastor. Everybody welcome.

Regulations for bread-making in Sweden permit only nine kinds, the weight and price being prescribed by law. Only rye, wheat, barley, or oat flour may be used, and lard or other fat, milk or cream is prohibited.

W. S. S.—BUY THEM!

SPLENDID PATRIOTIC MEETING

The Red Cross patriotic parade and meeting held in this city last Saturday as a prelude to the opening of the Red Cross campaign for funds, was one of the best of its kind ever held here.

Shortly after one o'clock the children of the Tawas City schools formed in columns of twos at the court house grounds and marched to a point about half way to East Tawas, where the children of the East Tawas schools were met and the parade returned to the court house. The hundreds of children, each bearing a small U. S. flag, formed a very pretty and impressive spectacle.

On the return to the court house the meeting was called to order by Jas. E. Dillon, chairman of the Iosco county Red Cross chapter, who in a few well chosen words announced the purpose of the meeting. He called upon L. J. Patterson to read a congratulatory letter from the division headquarters of the Red Cross at Chicago to the Iosco county chapter upon the first anniversary of its organization and expressing confidence that Iosco county would raise its quota of the present campaign.

W. A. Collins of Bay City, who was expected to be present and deliver an address, was unable to come.

Mr. Dillon introduced Private John Patterson of the Canadian forces, a man who saw two years service in the trenches in France and Belgium, who lost one leg, had his jaw shattered and carries 32 wounds caused by bullets and bursting shells. Private Patterson was unable to give an extended talk, but to see him standing before them, a mere wreck of what was once a strong, healthy man, brought to those present a terrible realization of what this war is doing to the manhood of the nations engaged therein.

Private Patterson told of some of his experiences on the firing line and at the conclusion of his talk received a prolonged round of applause.

The chairman then introduced Corporal J. P. Beaton, another Canadian veteran, who, while not disgraced as is his comrade, has nevertheless seen his share of the horrors in Europe and suffered from wounds and the vicissitudes of trench, camp and hospital life.

Corporal Beaton told in a realistic manner of the life in the trenches, the terrible brutality of the Huns, and of the work of mercy being done by the Red Cross organization in the various hospitals behind the battle lines and in the zones of danger. He gave an excellent description of the various hospitals through which a wounded soldier passes, from the first aid dressing station to "Blighty," the latter of which is the convalescent camps in England. He implored the mothers, sisters, wives and sweethearts of the men at the front to write to them often, stating that letters from home are almost the most important events in the soldier's daily life and depicting the disappointment of those who failed to receive the coveted missives.

Corporal Beaton's address was voted by many the best patriotic address that has been delivered in Tawas City,

and at its conclusion he also received a generous meed of applause.

The chairman then announced that as the veterans received only their expenses on the trips they made a collection would be taken among the crowd for their benefit. Several men were appointed to take the money and the people responded generously, the sum of \$66.16 being raised. However, the boys refused to take the money, insisting that it be placed in the local Red Cross fund, which was done.

The meeting gave a splendid impetus to the campaign to raise Iosco county's quota of \$6,000 and it is believed that the county will go over the top by a generous margin.

Deaths

DEATH OF AUGUST KEIHL
August Keihl, an old resident of Iosco, was stricken with apoplexy while fishing at the coal dock in Cheboygan. He was taken to the home of his son in that city, where he remained in a sinking condition until he passed away on Thursday morning, never having regained consciousness from the time he was first stricken.

The remains were brought to his old home at Tawas City, where the funeral was held.

Deceased was born in Germany on Dec. 22, 1848. He came to this country about 45 years ago, and most of the time up to seven years ago, when he moved to Cheboygan, has been spent on a farm near Tawas.

He is survived by three sons and a daughter, his wife having died twenty years ago, since which time he has lived with his children. The sons are Chas. E. Keihl of Brighton, Edward and Henry Keihl of Cheboygan, and the daughter, Mrs. Wesley Groff of this city.

Advised from Shanghai states that the subscriptions to the third Liberty Loan here amount to over \$600,000, and a report from the American embassy in Mexico City states the subscription there are more than \$350,000.



O. G. PRETTYMAN
Field Secretary of the Tri-County Y. M. C. A. of Iosco, Alcona and Oscoda Counties.
W. S. S.—BUY THEM!

Re-living The Slogan of '76

Remember that cry (deep as the seas, wide as the heavens) which burst from the thirteen American colonies when threatened by unjust taxation?

The whole-hearted, fight-to-the-limit, Americanism of it! Listen: "MILLIONS FOR DEFENSE, BUT NOT ONE CENT FOR TRIBUTE."

Not one cent for tribute. Yet the question was merely one of those easily-adjusted matters between parent country and child colony which mutual tolerance and mediation might correct.

Millions for defense. And our crude Atlantic-coast forefathers hadn't even thousands then, where the widefingling states and cities of our modern America have hundreds of thousands!

Doesn't the character-braven, the sheer brute bravery, of that cry of '76 shock you into admiration—into a pride of race that is beyond all pride of wealth or attainment?

Millions for defense! Thank God we have them. For here is no puny point of politics confronting a few infant colonies, but a tremendous, world-eclipsing struggle of Right against Might, whose stake is the Tomorrows of the World!

Let's coin the courage of our forefathers—"Millions for defense, but not one cent for tribute"—into War Savings Stamps, proving that the slogan of '76 is not a dead, historic memory, but a present, live, indomitable creed of co-operation and of victory!

For as we lend to the limit, so America will defend to the limit!

EAST TAWAS DEPARTMENT

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

Mrs. Lyman McAuliff spent last Saturday in Bay City.

Mrs. Emma Wright visited relatives in Hale a portion of last week.

Dr. Goodrich will hold services next Wednesday evening, May 29, in Whittemore. All friends invited.

The Misses Mary and Gertrude Buck of Hale arrived Wednesday for a visit with their grandmother, Mrs. Charles Frost.

August Wacholz, who has been visiting his sister, Mrs. E. E. Kunze, for the past week, returned to Detroit Saturday morning.

Mrs. August Brown left on Wednesday for a six weeks visit with relatives and friends in Flint, Chicago, and Terre Haute, Ind.

Ellsworth Wright, of the Michigan state constabulary, visited at his home here from Friday until Monday. He is now located in Flint.

Mrs. Charles Frost entertained her daughter and granddaughters, Mrs. Frank Buck and Mrs. Nettie Healy of Hale, Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Raymond Newton, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. St. Martin, left Saturday morning for her home in Akron, Ohio.

Harrison Mack and daughter, Marietta who have been visiting at the home of Miss A. Ross for two weeks, went to Flint Thursday morning.

Mrs. J. Pierson and little son, Walter, went to Pinconning to visit friends this week. From there they expect to go to Mt. Pleasant to spend the summer.

William and Harry Hagstrom, who were called here during the last illness of their father, returned to Detroit Saturday. Miss Selma will remain with her mother for a time.

Mrs. Clara Rosenberg and little son, Harry, who have been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Caminsky, for the past few weeks, returned to their home in Detroit Wednesday.

The W. R. C. will hold a fancy work sale and box social Tuesday, May 28, at the G. A. R. hall. Coffee and sandwiches, ice cream and cake will also be served. Everybody come and help our patriotic cause. adv

Miss Gladys English went to Bay City Tuesday morning as delegate to the Sunday school convention. Others who attended from here were Mrs. Chas. Bonney, Mrs. John Owen, and Misses Sara and Grace Richards.

Mrs. Paul Roof and little son, Sherman, of Cheboygan, who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Thomas during the past week, went to Flint Saturday morning for a visit with friends there. Mrs. Roof is a niece of Mr. Thomas.

Fire of unknown origin threatened the Greenwood cemetery on Tuesday last. Some of the fence on the east side of the soldiers cemetery became ignited, and it was only by prompt measures and hard work that Cemetery Supt. Ross averted a serious loss by the flames.

We are sorry to learn that Mrs. John W. Tait is again confined to her bed as the result of a fall. Since breaking her hip some years ago she has been unable to walk without the use of canes, and while crossing the floor the other day her cane slipped, causing another fall. No bones were broken this time, but she was severely bruised.

Friends of Miss Julia Nolan will be pleased to learn that the telephone company has appointed her manager of the Tawas exchange. Miss Nolan has been in the employ of the company for the past eight years, and the appointment is a tribute to her ability and faithfulness. Mrs. Naomi Strong succeeded to the office of chief operator, left vacant by Miss Nolan's promotion.

CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS
Methodist Episcopal
The Presbyterian minister of Alpena will occupy the pulpit both morning and evening services. Sunday school at 11:30. It is expected that the members of the Sunday school who attended the convention in Bay City will return full of enthusiasm and new ideas. The delegate, Miss Gladys English, will give her report at this time.

Presbyterian
Memorial services under the auspices of the G. A. R. will be held in the Presbyterian church next Sunday at 2:30. Topic: "The Speaking Dead." A young people's chorus will sing national airs, and special music

will be rendered. The usual evening vice at 7:30.
Sunday school at 11:30 a. m. We are growing in this department and we want you.
The papers of the Teachers' Training class have been sent to headquarters. We expect to hear from them soon. Rev. McAndrew, pastor.

Episcopal
There will be no morning service, as Dr. Goodrich will be in AuSable.
Sunday school at 11:30, as usual.
Evening prayer, with sermon, 7:00.
The venerable arch-deacon, E. D. Jermin of Bay City will be in the city this (Friday) evening and will preach in the church at 7:30.
Ladies' Guild will meet at 2:30 Friday afternoon, and will be addressed by Arch-Deacon Jermin.
An especial treat is in store for us on June 23, when Bishop Williams of Detroit will be in the city for confirmation services and in the evening will deliver his famous lecture on "France" under the auspices of the Men's Golf-fellow club. Further announcement will be made later.
Dr. Goodrich, rector.

PLACE ORDERS FOR BINDER TWINE EARLY
Lansing, Mich., May 20.—Farmers are urged by the Federal Food Administration to place their orders for binder twine as soon as possible, so that local dealers can provide for early shipments, to meet harvest requirements. The high price of sisal, from which all binder twine was formerly made, has brought about successful experiments in the use of substitutes, large quantities of which are now being used. The government is unable to control the original sales of raw material for twine, but, in order to keep the price as low as possible, the Food Administration has agreed to buy and distribute to the manufacturers all of the sisal actually required for the making of twine. The manufacturers have agreed to manufacture twine at the cost of material, plus the cost of conversion, plus a fixed profit. In conformity with this arrangement the manufacturers are making semi-monthly reports of the twine produced.

ALMA COLLEGE SERVICE FLAG
The American college has justified itself, if ever it needed justification, by its contribution to the fighting forces of the United States. As an example of the contribution made by these institutions, Alma college with 101 men enrolled in the college classes last year, has sent forty-nine into the service of the stars and stripes. The service flag on the college walls has 120 stars. Among these are:
1 Major.
1 Captain.
8 First Lieutenants.
14 Second Lieutenants.
5 Sergeants.
3 Corporals.
11 Air men in army and navy.
Both Hymie and Isadore Friedman of Tawas City are among those for whom stars have been placed on Alma's service flag.

Card of Thanks
To all those who so kindly came to our aid and comfort when death took our beloved wife, sister and mother from us, we desire to extend our heartfelt thanks, especially to the W. R. C., L. O. T. M. and Ladies' Aid of the Methodist church.
Capt. James Carpenter.
Miss Katherine Carpenter.
Mrs. Mary West,
Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Ocha,
Mr. and Mrs. Fay Ocha.

Card of Thanks
We wish to thank our friends and neighbors for their kind assistance and sympathy, also for the beautiful floral offerings extended to us during the time of our sad bereavement.
Mrs. M. E. Hagstrom,
William Hagstrom,
Harry Hagstrom,
Mrs. John Anderson,
Selma Hagstrom.

East Tawas Hand Laundry, F. Fernetto, Prop.
Family washings, bundle work, and all kinds of flat work. Rough dry family washings, 75c up. Call phone 4. adv-22-3w

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This paper has enlisted with the government in the cause of America for the period of the war.....

COUNTY AGENT COLUMN

C. P. Milham.

Court House, Tawas City, week days from 8 to 9 o'clock, and all day Saturday. Phone 28-F-21.

Read the article on Hemp appearing elsewhere in this paper.

Seed corn can be secured on short notice from the War Board through this office. Test your corn and make sure it will grow. There will be a large amount of poor corn planted which will have to be replanted if it is not tested. Do not let yourself be one of the men who have to waste time in replanting.

Bulletins on the following subjects may be secured at this office: Seed potato questions answered; potato diseases in Michigan; potato varieties for Michigan; seed corn; sweet clover; rosen rye; babcock test; inoculation with nodule forming bacteria; kill the barberry; drying fruits and vegetables in the home; home canning by the one-period, cold-pack method; U. S. Boys Working Reserve; Michigan Crop Improvement demonstrations for 1918; inspected seed requirements of the Michigan Crop Improvement association; report of the Advisory Committee of Agricultural and Live Stock Producers.

Plant all the potatoes you can handle this year. Every time the past 14 years when seed was cheap in the spring, the farmers have had a small acreage under production. The potato farmers in the East will not be able to raise the crops they usually raise, because they cannot get the commercial fertilizer they need. Potatoes will be higher in the fall; if there is an over-supply it will be dehydrated, the transportation problem will be settled. It is one great opportunity for the Michigan farmer to make something.

HEMP

Fiber production in the United States should be encouraged. At the present time we need large amounts of twine to harvest the enormous acreage sown to cereal crops; rope and coarse fabrics are needed by the army. Bags filled with soil make the best protection for the boys in the trenches. The trust controlling the supply of manilla fiber have been holding up the American farmer on prices of binder twine. Hemp can be grown here, and will be grown here in various parts of Iosco county.

Hemp is being cultivated very successfully in the region of Waupun and Brandon, Wis., about opposite Iosco county and similarly located with reference to the lakes. The seed should be sown early in the spring on clay loam soil which was in a cultivated state the year before.

Hemp is one of the best weed killers known. When it makes a good growth the shade is so dense that quack grass and Canada thistles are completely smothered. Hemp benefits the land by improving its physical condition, destroys weeds, loosens the soil and

makes it more mellow. The tap roots rot quickly and give the soil a natural drainage. The plant makes a more dense shade than any other plant, the leaves on top being very large and the lower ones fall off and make a mulch on the ground which holds the moisture.

The plant requires no cultivation after sowing except possibly to pull out coarse weeds. It is ready to harvest when the staminate flowers are in full bloom. If sown before the last of May it will be ready to cut by the middle of September. When it is cut it is left on the ground to undergo a process known as Retting. The soluble minerals taken from the soil are washed back into the ground and the woody fiber left to harvest.

The crop is grown commercially in Michigan at Yale and Mentha, and a large acreage will be planted near Bay City. At present prices it is a very profitable crop, gross returns running as high as \$250.00 per acre. With a reduced hemp acreage in Italy, Russian hemp out of the market, jute and sisal from India becoming more difficult to secure, and the certainty that American hemp will be needed two years from now for binder twine, the outlook for a market for hemp is most favorable, and since it is a military necessity, it will be a patriotic duty to produce it in regions where conditions are favorable.

Samples have been placed near Alabaster, Wilber and Tawas City. It is desired to have samples scattered over the county. Anyone who is interested may secure a sample large enough to plant one square rod of land. Only those people who have heavy soil should apply. The land also should be well supplied with lime to grow the crop successfully. Samples may be secured at the County Agent's office in the court house.

FROM KENNETH WHEELER AND ROY CLARK

Camp Gordon, Georgia, May 15, 1918.

To the Editor: Just a few lines from Camp Gordon to let you know how we enjoy reading the home paper; also the line of work we are doing.

We were shipped down here from Camp Custer about three weeks ago, and took about 43 hours to make the trip, and were used fine by the Red Cross all the way down.

Camp Gordon is a fine looking camp with lots of nice shade trees and plenty of good water. We have some hot weather from 9 o'clock a. m. to 6 p. m., but it is quite cool at night.

There is a nice class of people down here, but their southern talk seems odd to us northerners. There is at least one-quarter of the camp Negroes.

We were down to Atlanta, Ga., last Sunday, and also went out to Grant Park, where we saw many interesting sights.

We have been in service only six weeks, and are equipped with a regular outfit and feel like old soldiers.

We expect to be shipped out of this camp this week; do not know just where to as yet, but only hope we will strike as good a place as Gordon.

We send best wishes to our Tawas friends, and would be glad to hear from any of them at any time.

Yours truly,

Kenneth L. Wheeler,
Roy J. Clark.

FOOD ADMINISTRATION SEIZES FLOUR STOCK

Four hoarders will be severely dealt with during the world wheat shortage. Every pound of flour in the warehouses of the Copeland Grocery company, Elberton, Ga., has been taken over by the United States Food Administration and distributed to dealers in Atlanta and near-by points. It was found that this company had on hand 5000 barrels of flour when only 200 barrels were needed to supply its normal needs for thirty days.

THIS MAY MEAN YOU

If you are in arrears for subscription to the Herald, please call and settle. A settlement at his time is important for two reasons at least: First, the publisher can use the money to advantage, and second, postal regulations require that newspaper subscriptions shall not be allowed to run over one year.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

Regular Meeting May 3, 1918. Regular meeting of the Common Council of the city of Tawas City, held at the council rooms Friday evening, May 3, 1918.

Called to order by President Protem Fahselt. Present—Aldermen Rouillier, Preston, Miller, Grueber, Bowen, and Clerk Ballard. Quorum present.

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved.

Following resolution presented. Whereas, the Board of County Road Commissioners of the county of Iosco have taken action and passed a resolution accepting and taking under their control that part of the highway in Tawas City commencing at the section corner common to Secs. 24 and 25, T. 22 N., R. 7 E., and Secs. 19 and 20, T. 22 N., R. 7 E., thence south on range line 1/4 mile to north line of North St. in Tawas City, and have incorporated the same as a part of the Iosco county road system; and whereas the Common Council of the city of Tawas City has willingly consented thereto;

Moved by Ald. Preston, and supported by Ald. Bowen, that the control and maintenance of said highway be and the same is hereby transferred to the said Board of County Road Commissioners, and that this resolution be published according to law.

Motion carried, all voting yea.

Moved by Ald. Grueber, and supported by Ald. Preston, that the bill of the East Tawas fire department for services at the Bay Side hotel fire be taken from the table and allowed and the clerk instructed to draw an order on the treasurer for same.

Motion carried. Yeas—Ald. Rouillier, Preston, Miller, Grueber, Bowen. Nays—None.

The committee of claims and accounts presented the following report and recommended that the amounts scheduled therein be allowed and the clerk instructed to draw orders on the treasurer for same.

Chas. Harris, team work on street \$6.00

Jas. E. Ballard, printing and publishing 9.50

Moved by Ald. Rouillier, and supported by Ald. Miller, that report of committee on claims and accounts be accepted and adopted and bills be allowed as read.

Motion carried. Yeas—Ald. Rouillier, Preston, Miller, Grueber, Bowen. Nays—None.

The following resolution was presented by Ald. Bowen:

Resolved, That all work done on the city streets hereafter must be ordered by the street committee, except in cases of extreme need, and that all bills for work on streets must be itemized by street commissioner as to place where work was done and time put in. Also that city clerk be ordered to draw no orders for street work until bills for same have been acted upon by the council.

Moved by Ald. Bowen and supported by Ald. Miller, that resolution be accepted and adopted. Motion carried, all voting yea.

On motion council then adjourned.

JNO. A. MYLES, Mayor.
JAS. E. BALLARD, City Clerk.

Statutory Meeting May 6, 1918.

Statutory meeting of the Common Council of the city of Tawas City, held at the council rooms Monday evening, May 6, 1918.

Called to order by Mayor Myles. Present—Ald. Rouillier, Preston, Miller, Grueber, Fahselt, Bowen, and Clerk Ballard. Quorum present.

Mayor Myles submitted the following appointments for the ensuing year:

Tawas City, May 6, 1918.

To the Common Council:

I hereby submit the following appointments for the ensuing year: City Attorney, N. C. Harting; marshal, F. W. Rollin; street commissioner, F. W. Rollin; chief of fire department, W. J. Robinson; city surveyor, J. M. Waterbury; health officer, Dr. C. A. Wakeman; member of board of public works 5 years member board of public works, to fill vacancy three years, M. E. Friedman; cemetery trustee, 5 years, Chas. Fowler; cemetery trustee, to fill vacancy one year, A. A. Bigelow.

Moved by Ald. Fahselt and supported by Ald. Rouillier, that appointments of Mayor be confirmed with exception of marshal and street commissioner.

Yeas—Ald. Rouillier, Miller, Grueber, Fahselt, 4. Nays—Preston, Bowen, 2. Motion carried.

On motion, supported, council then adjourned.

JNO. A. MYLES, Mayor.
JAS. E. BALLARD, City Clerk.

NOTICE OF REGISTRATION

All persons who have attained the age of 21 years since June 5, 1917, will be obliged to register in the selective draft.

Registration will be held in the Court House, Tawas City, from 7 a. m. to 9 p. m. on Wednesday, the 5th day of June, A. D. 1918.

A heavy penalty will be imposed upon any person who is eligible to register and who fails to report.

adv-23 THOMAS H. HILL,
Chairman Local Board for Iosco Co.

Saving His Feelings.

Lavern had a favorite plate, from which she always liked to eat. One day her father accidentally broke it. He had to tell the bad news to his little daughter, and was so penitent that her love for the plate was overshadowed by sorrow for him, and she said: "Oh, that's all right, papa. I was going to break that myself yesterday."

Egyptians as Agriculturists.

The ancient Egyptians had mansions supplied with gardens, orchards, fish ponds and game preserves; they were acquainted with the benefits of the rotation of crops, and bred poultry extensively, practicing artificial hatching as we do at the present time. As early as 4,514 B. C., or 6,431 years ago, irrigation became an object of national importance to the Egyptians.

FROM PERCY N. THORNTON

The many friends of Percy N. Thornton, a former employe of the Tawas Herald, and now with the American Expeditionary Forces in France, will read with pleasure the following letter from him, which we are privileged to publish with the consent of his mother:

"Somewhere in France,"

Dear Mother:

Received Edna's letter today—exactly one month after written.

Things are fine here; the cherry trees are in blossom, and everything looks fine, especially at a distance. Battery "A" is billeted in a small village some distance in the interior. When we approached this town I was charmed with the beauty of it, with its white stone walls and red tile roofs, surrounded by green valleys and hills, but upon entering, the scene became less appealing, for the streets were muddy and the place not in a very sanitary condition. The fact is, I think they have not discovered a word here like it. However, the boys have cleaned the streets up a little, and as a rule, the people appear quite friendly, so it has a more homelike atmosphere to us now.

Those long hikes we used to take across the plains are helping me out now. While we have only taken short marches, the longest only about six hours, the condition of some of my comrades shows that I am more physically fit than they are, thanks to those hikes.

I get all the food I need and I am feeling the best ever. When I get up, no bad taste in the mouth, and hungry for a pig.

I shall write pa and Edna tomorrow. Perhaps you will receive them all the same day.

With best love to all,
Your loving son,
Percy.

Address
Percy N. Thornton,
Battery "A," 56th Artillery,
American Expeditionary Forces,
(no town name given)
Postoffice 723 France.

FROM ATLEE MARK

Enroute North, May 16, 1918.

Dear Mother:

We are just outside Marion, Ohio, for a few minutes' stop, so I will try to write a letter.

Am having a most enjoyable and wonderful trip. It is probably partly on account of the spring weather that I enjoy the travel so much, but enjoy it I do. And such a difference in the scenery! From the corn fields of Texas, with corn three feet high, and the somewhat rough and rocky Oklahoma, to the level and in some places unplowed fields of Indiana, Illinois and Ohio, is quite a change, and we have seen about every change of scenery except high mountains.

And there also was a great difference in the welcome of the people. In Texas and Oklahoma the citizens are getting used to the sight of soldiers, but the farther north we go the more enthusiastic are the people, at least it seems that way. Maybe it is only that we are getting back to what we northerners call "God's country," that we feel that way. But everyone welcomes us. If we stop for a few minutes the train is surrounded by the townspeople of all descriptions, not only the girls who come to flirt with the soldiers (there seems to be very few of this kind), but younger children and middle-aged people. They bring us papers and magazines, which we need and enjoy very much. They ask where we came from and where we are going. We don't know where we are going, but they all tell us "New York."

We hope so. One person in particular impressed me. It was a girl about 13 years old, with what writers would call a sweet, clean face, and she had long black curls, and the southern accent. She was visiting in Oklahoma, but her home was in Texas. She said her brother was in France, and when some one told her she ought to be a Red Cross nurse she said: "Ah would like to and Ah would be in France now if Ah was only old enough." She sure made a hit with us. And all the mothers want to know if we are getting enough to eat. Mothers are the same the world over. Grub never worries us, because Uncle Sam is a good provider.

I think the people in some of the towns ahead must know we are coming, because last night between 7 and 9 o'clock we passed through several small towns without stopping, and there was a small crowd at each place to cheer for us. We have passed through dozens of towns the size of Tawas City or smaller, and the people run to the doors and wave flags, handkerchiefs, etc., to us. But just imagine what a sight it would be for Tawas City to see a troop train made up of fifteen cars of laughing, shouting, waving soldier boys, with a flat car loaded with caissons and four box cars of supplies, besides the "caboose." It makes quite a train.

At St. Louis we went to the Y. M. C. A. and had a swim in the pool. That was something that couldn't be beat, and we enjoyed it to our heart's content.

We passed two or three hot-houses on the way. Dad would enjoy the sweet peas; the vines were covered with blossoms. I didn't know the vines grew so high; they must have been at least seven feet high. And at St. Louis I saw something that reminded me of home. It was a D. & M. box car.

My fountain pen just went dry, so I must revert to pencil. I could tell yesterday afternoon that we were getting back "up north." And how? Well, I heard the frogs croak. Four or five of us noticed it at the same time and we all mentioned it.

I can't tell you how much I am enjoying the trip. Everyone from Waco, Texas, to our present stop has used us just fine. The people take an interest in the soldier boys, and so many of them have boys of their own in the service.

We don't know yet where we are going, but I will of course write as soon as I get an address.

This letter was written under great difficulties, but I hope you can read it. We are off again, so good-bye.

Atlee

REBUILDING THE WAR CRIPPLE

New and ingenious applications have been contrived, some of the best of these by the war cripples themselves, to enable the one-armed man to handle tools. At the vocational schools at Montpellier, France, a grip has been designed which holds a tool in any desired position. A simpler modification of this permits a workman to hold a tool in the three positions in which the screw-driver, hammer and file respectively are held. In order that a one-armed turner may be so strengthened that the workman drill a hole, there is a socket fitted with springs by means of which the handle of the tool may be firmly grasped. By the invention of a special gauntlet for the use of men with musculo-spinal paralysis, one carpenter was enabled to go back to his trade and two men who were studying designing could use their instruments as handily as uninjured men.

Often however an arm-stump can be so strengthened that the workman lays his complicated artificial arm aside, getting along better with what natural strength and skill remains to him. Men who have lost their right arm are taught to use their left. In certain German schools a four or five weeks' course in training the left hand is given them before they are permitted to enter a trade-course. The teachers in such classes are themselves one-armed and the instruction includes dressing, feeding, shaving, writing, drawing, the use of simple tools, gymnastic and sport. One expert recommends that jugglers be engaged to assist in teaching the one handed.—Douglas C. McMurtrie, in American Industries for April.

GERMANY LIMITS SPENDING MONEY OF AMERICAN PRISONERS

Money intended for interned civilians and prisoners of war in Germany should be remitted through the Bureau of Prisoners' Relief, American Red Cross, Washington, D. C. Remittance so made will probably not be delivered to addresses by the German Government in cash, but in the form of credit on prison exchange.

According to Spanish ambassador at Berlin, the German war department states that there are no restrictions in regard to the remittance of money for civilian and military prisoners. Such money is placed to prisoners' credit, and may be spent under the following regulations:

"Military prisoners. Sixty marks weekly may be spent by officers and other of similar rank; 50 marks weekly by noncommissioned officers and men.

"Civilian prisoners. Sixty marks weekly for men of better social position; 50 marks weekly for others."

OBITUARY

Mrs. Harriet Blakely Frost was born at Geneva, N. Y., on April 27, 1847, and was married to Benjamin Frost on December 14, 1865.

This union was blessed by the advent of three children who, with the husband survive. These are: Mrs. Almond Bills of Hale, Mrs. Frank Fuller of Pontiac, and Benjamin Frost, jr., of Flint.

Mr. and Mrs. Frost came to Hale to make their home over 20 years ago, and it was from this farm residence, on the morning of May 2, 1918, that she passed quickly and quietly from earthly activities into heavenly rest. Loosed from its mooring, like an outgoing vessel, her soul slipped out on the receding tide.

The whole community was shocked by the news of her death. Her smile was one that never came off. It was deeper than the surface. She possessed a sweet Christian character and occupied an enviable place in the hearts of those who knew her.

Her funeral was held from the home on Saturday, May 4. The Rev. Clifton W. Scott, who had been her pastor in former years, officiated, and burial was made in the Hale cemetery beneath garlands of beautiful flowers.

Card of Thanks.
We heartily thank all our friends for their co-operation and sympathy at the death of our beloved wife and mother. The flowers sent by the Ladies' Aid society and the Grange were especially beautiful and appreciated. Benjamin Frost and Family.

TWO MICHIGAN CONGRESSMEN ON THEIR WAY TO EUROPE

The following special telegram was received by the editor of the Herald on Tuesday of this week, and shows that Congressman Currie, our representative from this district, intends to obtain at first hand knowledge of the needs and requirements of our fighting forces abroad, in order to be able to vote intelligently upon the appropriations for war purposes.

Washington, D. C., May 20, 1918. To Mr. James E. Ballard, Tawas Herald, Tawas City, Mich.:

Two Michigan members of the House, Congressman Gilbert A. Currie and Patrick H. Kelly, have gone to Europe to gain facts and information upon the great war problems. They will make the trip on a United States naval vessel, which is the safest mode of trans-Atlantic travel, and expect to be absent from this country about six weeks. While abroad they will visit the battle front in France, studying training camps, hospitals, service, social welfare among the soldiers and our great industrial plants behind the lines. They carry letters of introduction to the leading public men, both

civil and military, of France, England and Italy. Lord Redding, the new British ambassador in Washington, has given them personal letters of introduction to Premier Lloyd George, Mr. Balfour, Lord Northcliffe and Admiral Geddes, the first Lord of the British Admiralty. They will spend most of their time in France and England, but will visit a few points of special interest in Ireland and Scotland. "I believe I can gain much information of value on this trip," said Congressman Currie before sailing. "This knowledge I can put to use of the people of my district in being able to vote more intelligently on measures pending in congress, and in knowing intimately the life of the boys at the front. In the prosecution of this war the very life existence of the Government is at stake, and we should bend every energy and use every power of the Government to bring it to a decisive victory. Congress appropriated \$20,000,000,000 for the running of the war this year, and will probably appropriate about \$33,000,000,000 next year. I hope to be able to know more intimately how this money is spent in the future."

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with the only Graduate of an Optical College in
you can have a free Consultation about your Eyes

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At Reduced Prices

\$35 Bicycles	\$31.50
\$33 Bicycles	30.00
\$15.50 Auto Tires, 30x3	14.00
\$55.00 Ranges	.....	47.50
\$23 Oil Stoves	.....	20.75
\$18 Oil Stoves	.....	16.20
\$2.00 Screen Doors	.....	1.75
\$1.65 Screen Doors	.....	1.35
\$5.50 Coaster Wagons	.....	4.50
\$7.50 Auto Robes	.....	6.00
12c Wall Paper	.....	10c
15c Wall Paper	.....	12c
25c Wall Paper	.....	20c
80c Floor Paint, quart	.....	65c
\$1.65 Barn and Silo Paint, gallon	.....	1.40
\$1.00 Carriage Paint, quart	.....	85c
75c House Paint, quart	.....	60c
50c Chinaware	.....	40c
40c Chinaware	.....	32c
15c Chinaware	.....	12c
10c Chinaware	.....	8c
15c Glass Tumblers	.....	12c
12c Wall Coating, per pound	.....	8c
75c Auto Cup Grease, 5 pounds	.....	60c
25c Wagon Grease, 3 pounds	.....	20c

The above represent the lines I must close out at once. Economical buyers will not let these last long at the prices quoted.

First Come, First Served.

H. W. BUCKLE

Tawas City Michigan

Buy Now---Don't Wait

Prices on goods of all kinds are steadily climbing and those who wish to save money will do well to make their purchases now for their needs as far in advance as possible.

We are still selling at the lowest prices to be found in this part of the country, and can supply your needs in any line.

If you want to save anywhere from 15 to 50 per cent on your purchases, get our prices before buying elsewhere.

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Make Your Dollars Work for You

For the next week we will sell you one of the Best Soaps on the market at

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We will also give you a bargain on Coffee. Buy five pounds of Pathfinder Coffee and we will give a pound FREE.

You Help Both of us by Trading at

W. J. ROBINSON

Tawas City Michigan

RENO RUMBLINGS

Rupert Bentley's new Ford tractor arrived Monday.

J. P. Harsch was a business visitor at Tawas Monday.

Buschén was at Whittemore Tuesday of last week.

Henry Kane of Tawas was in town on business last Friday.

Ross Williams purchased a new Ford one day last week.

Joe Robinson made a business trip to Tawas last Wednesday.

Mrs. Grant Murray spent a couple of days at Tawas last week.

Mrs. N. Anderson and little daughter were at Tawas last Thursday.

The Sergeant brothers from Marshall are in the vicinity shearing sheep.

Mrs. Joe Robinson and son, Lester, and daughter, Viola, were at Hale last Friday.

Rev. Morten will preach in the Reno Baptist church at 3 p. m. Sunday, May 26th.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie McDougald were business visitors at Tawas last Tuesday.

We forgot to mention last week that a boy arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Melvor the first of the week.

Some of our farmers are not fully accustomed to the eastern time. On arriving in Tawas they learn they are 40 minutes late.

There will be a pie social at the Corrigan school house Saturday evening for the benefit of the Red Cross, and everybody is cordially invited.

The patriotic meeting at the Cottage school house last Friday evening was well attended and enjoyed by all. After the speaking, hot coffee and sandwiches were served.

Mr. Campbell, who is in the employ of the White Sewing Machine Company, was canvassing here last week.

Artie and Freeland Johnson and wives autoed up from Flint Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Latter and son, Willie, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Will Bell and Mr. Smith of South Branch were over night visitors at Grant Murray's Saturday, and together they took Sunday dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Tom Mason.

All boys from 16 to 20 years of age are requested to register at the home of Fred C. Latter, in the U. S. Boys Working Reserve. It does not matter if you already have employment. Show your patriotism by enrolling. It will not change your present position, but will show a willingness to serve your country.

There will be an ice cream social for the benefit of the Red Cross at the Reno township hall Friday evening, May 31st. We are hoping every one will take an interest and do all they can to make it a success. Remember the boys in France and come out and do your bit. If you cannot come we will ask you to contribute as freely as possible.

HEMLOCK SLIVERS.

Andrew Smith is quite sick with tonsillitis.

Sylvia Long is home from school this week sick.

Miss Clara Miller is visiting relatives in Birch Run.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Watts visited relatives in Alabaster Sunday.

Mrs. Andrew Melvor, who has been sick with the mumps, is some better. Quite a number from here attended the Red Cross parade in Tawas Saturday.

The social which was held on last Wednesday for the benefit of the Red Cross netted a little more than \$11.00.

Mrs. Frank Dease returned to Tawas Sunday after spending the week with her mother, Mrs. Edward Graham.

Mrs. Griggs of Tawas City came up Saturday and visited at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Wm. Brown, until Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Smith, accompanied by her father, Mr. Rich and sister, Mrs. O. O. Frick from Mio, and Mrs. Hayes and family motored to the dam Sunday.

The party that was given at the Grange hall last Tuesday evening in honor of Leonard Boucheard and George Allan, who are to join the colors, was well attended.

The services at the Baptist church Sunday afternoon were well attended and enjoyed by all present. Sunday school at 2:15, church at 3 o'clock. Rev. Ehrhardt, pastor.

There was a farewell party given at the Grant town hall last Saturday evening in honor of Cecil Watts, Grant Hayes and Burt Ferrand. Grant and Burt left the first of the week, and Cecil expects to leave Saturday to join the colors. A delicious luncheon of ice cream and cake was served. Each of the boys was presented with a fountain pen.

Hemlock and Sherman played their first game of ball Sunday at Sherman. McArdle, pitching for Hemlock, pitched a good game. Score by innings:

Hemlock 0 0 3 0 0 4 0—7
Sherman 0 0 1 0 0 2 0—3

ALABASTER DUST.

The Alabaster baseball team is giving a benefit dance for the team tonight at the town hall.

Attendance at Sunday school last week jumped to 51, the largest number present so far this season. Everyone is invited.

John H. Robinson, who is the only man enlisted from Alabaster, has received his appointment and is now at the Great Lakes Naval Training Station, Illinois.

Alabaster's high school defeated the Alabaster Independents in a 12 inning ball game last Sunday. Score, 12-11. Batteries, high school: Johnson and Benson; Independents: Baker, Sheldon, DeLosh.

Fifty men and boys worked together on the commons Tuesday night to erect the new 65-foot flag pole. The ceremony of raising the flag for the first time will take place tomorrow (Saturday) night, and great interest centers about this event because of the contest in connection with it. Everyone subscribing to the support of the Red Cross in the present drive is privileged to cast a vote for the young woman he wants to have raise the flag. Proceeds from the picture show Saturday night will go to the Red Cross.

WHITTEMORE.

Ed Gay drives a new Ford. Red Cross week! Give! Give! Ed Louks was at Prescott Wednesday.

Peter Gay of Burleigh has an Overland.

Frank Horton has returned to Fulton, N. Y.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. James Upton, May 21st, a boy.

Simon Goupil of Tawas City was here on business.

Miss Hazel Jacques spent last week at Standish with relatives.

George Jackson and wife of Lansing are visiting relatives here.

Mrs. Chas. Beardslee spent last week with her parents in Reno.

H. M. Belknap and wife spent Sunday at Gladwin with their son, Lyle.

Dr. Voorhes of Prescott has been in our city of late on professional duty.

Several from here attended the Red Cross social in Reno Thursday evening.

Bert Barrett of Flint spent a couple of days with E. Louks and family.

Six carloads of gravel have been sidetracked here for the new gravel roads.

Mrs. Aggie Annis of Turner spent Wednesday with her sister, Mrs. Jas. Upton.

The social held by the Catholic ladies last Friday night was well attended.

Mr. and Mrs. Milo Earhart announced the death of an infant daughter, born May 20th.

Rev. Morten, Baptist minister, will preach in Whittemore at 8 o'clock p. m. May 26th.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Ridgley announce the arrival of a baby girl at their home, May 17th.

Ed Gay, Glenn Staley and James Weryley are some of our boys who are called for national duty.

Have you got your garden made? That is the popular question, and nearly everyone answers yes.

Your vote will be appreciated by Ernest Chase, candidate for sheriff, at republican primaries in August, advised by the little son of Henry Provost, who is reported a little better at this time.

An ice cream social will be a pleasant feature on Thursday evening of this week for the benefit of the Red Cross.

Glad to note that Mrs. Henry Burlew of Melvor has so far recovered as to be able to visit her son, Allen and family, here.

Mrs. Glenn Staley, who has been very ill at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Lindsay, is improving at this writing.

Scarlet fever placards have been removed from the houses of Rev. Charles McKenzie, Chas. Schuster, Dolph Catalina and Jesse Chase.

A party composed of members of the local chapter, O. E. S., attended a meeting of the order at Tawas City Tuesday evening, and report a most enjoyable time.

Mrs. Thos. Ruckle, who is receiving medical treatment at U. of M. hospital, Ann Arbor, writes that she is receiving encouragement from the staff and is somewhat improved.

The young people enjoyed a free dance last Wednesday night, given by George Hunt in his pool room, just remodeled, and which will soon be open to the public.

Our Whittemore correspondent was evidently mistaken regarding the registration of women in Whittemore, when it was inferred last week that the registration made the week previous under direction of Mrs. H. J. Jacques, was not regular and proper. While the registration was made before the organization of the entire county for this purpose, the same was perfectly proper, as Mrs. H. J. Jacques was appointed registrar for Whittemore and Burleigh township.

Therefore, the ladies who showed their loyalty by registering are duly accredited to the local county unit and will not be under the necessity of registering again. We are glad to make this statement in order to prevent any misunderstanding either of the motives of those who did the registering or of the registration itself. And to confirm the above statements we herewith append a statement from Mrs. H. J. Jacques, the duly appointed registrar: (Editor)

"Ladies registering under the direction of Miss Jacques are duly and rightly registered in the Isosco county unit, as I was appointed registrar for Whittemore and Burleigh."

Signed,
Mrs. H. J. Jacques."

HALE AND VICINITY.

Lyle Sawyer went to Ohio on Monday.

Miss Ida Scofield went to Toledo on Monday.

Miss Neva Ward is a Reno visitor this week.

Gola West spent Sunday with Edith McCrory.

Wm. Reimer and Wm. Glendon have each purchased a Ford.

Mrs. May Pearsall of Detroit is visiting friends in town.

Otto Rahl and wife were Sunday guests of his parents here.

Rev. Morten will preach in the Hale Baptist church on May 26, at 10:30 a. m.

Miss Hulda Doucette of Oscoda attended commencement exercises here Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ducap of Whittemore attended commencement exercises here Friday night.

Our cheese factory began its season's work Monday morning, with John Carey in command.

A little daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Toppingham at the home of Tom Harris on Friday.

The commencement exercises at the M. E. church passed off nicely last Friday evening, the twelve young lady graduates doing credit to their subjects. The church was beautifully decorated with the class colors, red, white and blue. The weather being all that could be desired, resulted in one of the largest crowds to congregated that has ever been in attendance at this particular occasion, the church being crowded to its doors and many outside unable to get in.

WILBER WARBLINGS.

Nora Styles visited in Baldwin a few days this week.

Mrs. E. F. Abbott has been on the sick list a portion of this week.

Miss Sadie Kronlund visited her sister, Elna, at Foote Site this week.

Jennie Abbott is visiting her sister, Mrs. Alfred Boomer n Tawas City for a few days.

Mrs. Robt. Brooks came home from Tawas City Friday, after spending a week visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Brown and Mrs. Preston were Sunday visitors at the home of Mrs. and Mrs. Bennett.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Clute from Tawas City visited Tuesday evening at the home of August Lietz.

Miss Ida Scofield left Sunday for her home in Hale after closing her term of school here on Friday.

School closed in District No. 1 last Friday and a picnic was held in the church grove on Saturday. A large crowd attended.

Miss Esther Anderson closed school in District No. 4 on Tuesday with a picnic in the Lietz grove. Everyone reports a fine time.

Miss Edna Kronlund, teacher at Foote Site, accompanied by her pupils, attended the school picnic in the church grove last Saturday.

Sunday at the M. E. church at 2:30 p. m., a special meeting will be held. Rev. Atkinson will have many good things for you. You will miss a treat if you don't attend. Everybody come.

Aaron Simmons, son of Mr. and Mrs. Allen Simmons, died at Mount Hope, Ontario, last Monday afternoon, May 13th, after a lingering illness of about nine months.

He was born in Canada January 16, 1881, but came here with his parents when only a few months old, and has worked near here up until about two

McIVOR MITES.

Mosquitoes bite at McIvor.

Charles Mark has purchased a motorcycle.

Mr. McMullen leaves this evening for Cleveland.

Miss Martha Farwell is visiting friends in Whittemore.

Clifford Duap is visiting his grandmother, Mrs. Catalina.

What has become of the wild man of Borneo. Has he left town?

Mrs. and Miss Schuster were callers at the Farwell home Monday.

Miss Lottie VanHorn is spending the week-end with Miss Hottolis.

Mark Ward is home for a few days before enlisting in Uncle Sam's service.

Miss Frasier has just closed a very successful term of school in District No. 2.

Mrs. G. A. Pringle left Wednesday on a business trip to various parts of the state.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. H. Pringle attended chapter meeting at Tawas City Tuesday evening.

A number from here attended the party at the Orange hall in honor of the boys who have enlisted.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Farrand visited with Mrs. Farrand's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Smith, a few days this week.

We would like to see the Canadian soldier's address published in the Herald. Those who heard it want others to have the benefit of it.

The series of dancing parties given in the Sherman town hall for the boys in the trenches are proving a success. Mr. Bessie, who is conducting the parties, asks all to attend and help swell the Red Cross funds. The ladies will serve ice cream May 29.

The McIvor school received a check for \$5.00 from County Treasurer Dimnick, as second prize for the membership work done in the Red Cross campaign last winter. They are going to give the check along with \$5.00 they have, for the benefit of the Red Cross in the present campaign. Mrs. G. A. Pringle is going to keep the club work up for the Patriotic Girls during the summer. They will also work for the Red Cross.

LAILDLAWVILLE.

Edw. Rempert was down from Prescott over Sunday.

Glenn McLeod returned to Marquette Saturday evening.

Lydia Miller visited girl friends on the Hemlock Sunday afternoon.

Dr. and Mrs. Stealy were callers Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Miller.

Roy Wood of Baldwin visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wood, Sunday.

Miles Main visited over Sunday with his family, and returned to Philadelphia Monday.

Miss Hazel McLeod visited from Saturday until Sunday with her uncle, Jesse Carpenter and family, in Grant.

George Laidlaw and son, Frank, of Buffalo, and daughters, Grace and Nettie, visited Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Laidlaw and family Sunday.

Herman Fahselt, who has spent the past two weeks with his son, Oscar and family, went to Tawas City Sunday to visit his daughters.

Grandpa Kobs of Tawas City, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. John Anschuetz, visited Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Schmalz.

Mr. and Mrs. W. McCaskey and son, Forrest, and Mr. and Mrs. George Culham spent Sunday afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Fahselt.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Moeller and little son, Harold, of Tawas City, and Ferdinand and Marie Schmalz were visitors Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Kobs.

BURLEIGH GOSSIP

Ed Gay has purchased a new Ford.

Mrs. John Earhart and daughter spent Sunday at her home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Nixon spent Saturday with his sister, Mrs. Albert Colvin.

Fred King and wife of Kingston are visiting his brothers, George and John King.

Mrs. Malhon Earhart returned home Thursday from Detroit, where she has been visiting.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Bellen and family drove down to Sterling Sunday in their new Overland.

Your vote will be appreciated by Ernest Chase, candidate for sheriff, at republican primaries in August, advised by Mr. and Mrs. Robinson and Mrs. Reed came up from Twining and spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Caverley.

Miss Pearl Ostrander came up from Bay City to spend Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clark Ostrander.

Two more of our young citizens have been called to Camp Custer. They are James Weryley and Ed Gay. We wish them good luck.

Floyd Weishuhn came up from Flint to spend a few days with his folks and relatives before leaving for North Carolina, where he has enlisted in the Marines. We all wish him good luck and a safe return.

Ralph Jennings arrived Thursday from Vermont to join his wife and baby, who have been spending the last year with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joel Chippis. Mr. and Mrs. Jennings and daughter expect to leave soon for their home in Detroit.

SHERMAN SHOTS.

W. E. Pringle autoed to Tawas City Sunday.

Several from here attended church at Turner Sunday.

Chas. Schneider was at Turner on business Wednesday.

John Pavlock of Flint is spending a week at his home here.

Fred Housher of Twining was in town Saturday buying cattle.

Mark Wood, who has been working at Flint, is home for a visit.

Misses Elva and Hazel Schneider visited at Whittemore over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Sars visited at Turner Sunday and also attended church there.

Wm. Kohn and family autoed to Tawas City Sunday and spent the day with relatives.

Mr. Elliott from AuSable visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Sars Saturday evening.

Dr. McDowell of Turner was called here by the illness of Mrs. George Armstrong Monday.

TOWNLINE TOPICS.

Mrs. August Frcel of Emery Junction is slowly improving in health.

This is fine growing weather, and the men are all hustling in the seed.

Miss Gladys Frcel of Emery Junction visited her aunt, Mrs. Dave Low, last week.

Guy Halligan of Bay City spent Sunday with his wife and baby at Paul Ruterbusch's.

All loyal ladies who have not registered should do so at once at the home of Mrs. Harry Preston.

A couple from here attended the Royal Arch meeting at the Grange hall last Friday evening.

Every one is invited to attend the M. E. Sunday school next Sunday at 2 o'clock and help us plan a rally day program.

Mrs. Joe Ulman is on the sick list. Arthur Freel has his house finished far enough to live there again. Hope you have better success in the future, Arthur.

Potatoes

Eat one more potato a day, uniform and all

Patriotism

The Michigan potato is trying to help you win this war.

Potato Soup

2 cups hot riced or mashed potatoes
1 quart milk.
2 slices onion.
3 tablespoons butter.
2 tablespoons flour (rice flour or corn flour.)
1/2 teaspoon salt.
Celery salt.
Pepper.
Cayenne.
1 teaspoon chopped parsley.

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2 cups mashed potatoes.
4 tablespoons minced onion.
2 tablespoons green pepper or pimento pepper.
1/2 cup canned tomatoes.
1 egg.
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1-3 cup ground peanuts.

Mix the ingredients well together. Turn the mixture into a buttered baking dish. Brush it over with melted butter or drippings. Bake it in a moderate oven for 25 minutes.

Potato Rolls (3 Dozen)

3 cups mashed potatoes.
4/5 cups flour.
2 teaspoons salt.
2 tablespoons corn syrup.
1 cake compressed yeast softened in 1/4 cup water.
3/4 cup milk scalded.
2 tablespoons fat.

Add the hot milk to the potato and when the mixture has cooled until it is lukewarm, add the softened yeast and other ingredients. Allow the dough to rise to double its bulk. Work it down and let it rise until it has increased in size by about one-half. Then shape the rolls, let them rise until they are double in size and bake them in a hot oven.

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1 1/2 cups wheat flour.
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Potato Biscuit

Using 1 2-3 cups instead of 3 cups of flour.
No liquid.
3 tablespoons fat.
1 teaspoon salt.
5 teaspoons baking powder.
1 2-3 cups wheat flour.
1 1/2 cups mashed potatoes.

Sift dry ingredients, work in fat and add mashed potatoes. This makes a very stiff dough. Roll one-half inch thick and cut into biscuits. Bake 30 to 35 minutes in a moderately hot oven.

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2 slices onion.
3 tablespoons butter.
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