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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. Frank Dease was a Bay City visitor Monday.

James Mark of Detroit spent Sunday at his home here.

Mrs. N. D. Murchison was in Bay City on business last Friday.

Mrs. G. A. Prescott motored to Bay City on business last Saturday.

Edward Furtau of Oscoda was in the city on business last Saturday.

Mrs. John Damrau of Oscoda was in the city on business last Friday.

Mrs. H. W. Stockman of Oscoda was in the city on business last Friday.

Mrs. George Hadwin visited relatives in Bay City last Thursday and Friday.

Miss Leah Friedman visited her sister, Mrs. Harry Schlanger, of Standish this week.

Mrs. Harry Rollin and children, of Flint, are visiting at the home of Fred Rollin this week.

H. W. Buckle and family left Tuesday for North Branch, where they will make their home.

Miss Sarah Thompson of Turner was the guest of Miss Hattie VanHorn a number of days this week.

Reno Gaul of New York arrived Monday for a week's visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Gaul.

William Neuman returned to his work at Detroit, last Saturday, after a short visit at his home here.

Miss Edna Worden and Miss Ina Bradley left Monday evening for Ionia, where they will spend the summer.

Mrs. Fred Berlin and children left Monday morning for Port Austin for an extended visit with her parents there.

Miss Rose Barron of Belding came last Saturday afternoon for an extended visit with her sister, Mrs. Charles Kane.

John Johnson, Albert Nunn and Miss Hattie VanHorn motored to Turner Sunday and spent the day with friends there.

Mrs. Goldie Krumm and children, of Buffalo, New York, are the guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Neuman, this week.

There will be English services at Zion Lutheran church next Sunday evening at 7.15. Every one welcome. Rev. H. J. Reithmeier, pastor.

Geo Wakeman of Bay City was in the city Tuesday, driving up with his father in the new Hudson six which the doctor purchased this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas McLaughlin and children, of Chicago, Ill., arrived last Saturday to spend the summer at the home of Mrs. M's father Thomas Bradley.

Sheriff Thos. H. Hill reports that his family has new potatoes and green peas out of their own garden on July 1. Pretty good record for this part of the country.

R. G. Hartingh suffered a sprained ankle last Sunday morning and has been unable to attend to business at his garage this week. He expects to be able to resume business next week.

The Herald publishes this week two interesting letters from former residents, one from P. J. McCombs of Oakland, Calif., and one from L. E. Seymour, Donald, Alberta, Can. According to these letters conditions in the west are very good.

The Crawford Avalanche, published at Grayling, is the latest country newspaper in this section to install a linotype. Bro. Schuman is one of the most progressive publishers in this part of the state and our only wonder is that he has not installed this modern convenience before.

Mrs. M. Walker and daughter, Miss Edyth, have been entertaining a number of relatives this week. The party consists of Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Walker and daughter, Miss Virginia, also their daughter-in-law, Mrs. Kenneth Walker, all of Midland, Ont., and James, Frances and Marjorie Walker, children of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Walker of Detroit.

Laverne Frappier, who went to Camp Custer with the bunch of selects from this county the latter part of May, was married in Detroit on June 21, to Miss Leatha Peritt of that city. He was in Detroit on a furlough at that time. He advises us that he expects to leave for France at an early date. His friends in Iosco county will join in extending congratulations on his marriage and wish him a safe return to his bride.

Fire insurance. Fred Swartz, adv. Mrs. N. C. Hartingh was a Bay City visitor last Friday.

Miss Katherine Sands was in Bay City on business last Friday.

Elgin Hill of Detroit is visiting at his home in the city this week.

Alfred Patterson of Midland spent Sunday at his home in this city.

Miss Eva Bowen of Flint is a guest at the home of B. Bowen this week.

Mrs. A. Calvary went to Bay City last Friday evening for medical treatment.

Mrs. J. Henning of Twining was a business visitor in the city last Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dixon spent last Friday and Saturday with friends in Bay City.

Norman Hiller of Flint arrived Monday for a week's visit at the home of William Hatton.

Mrs. Pat O'Brien of Alpena visited at the home of Mrs. M. Murray last Thursday and Friday.

George Cassidy and family of Standish visited friends in the city a few days this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Beckhard and children, of Bay City, arrived last Saturday to spend the summer in this city.

Mrs. John Bowen and children, of Gypsum, Ohio, arrived last Thursday for an extended visit with relatives here.

George Hodder left Wednesday morning for Bay City where he will visit a week with his brother, Ralph Hodder.

Mrs. Claude Wheeler and little son and Miss Nellie Wheeler left last Thursday for a three weeks visit with relatives at Matoon, Ill.

Mrs. Ellis Blackburne returned to Detroit last Saturday, after a week's visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Lorenz of this city.

The Iosco county Y. M. C. A. committee will hold a meeting at J. E. Dillon's store, East Tawas this Friday, evening at seven o'clock.

Dr. W. N. Yeager, the dentist, will make his next visit to his Tawas City office on Monday, August 5, and Friday, August 9. See him if in need of dental work.

Miss Tirzah Roberts, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. Joshua Roberts of this city, has accepted a position as teacher of history in the Eastern high school, Bay City, for next year.

Do you like comedy? Then see the Goldwyn production, "Baby Mine," featuring the great comedian, Madge Kennedy, at the Family Theatre, Tuesday, July 9. Admission 10c and 25c. One night only.

Don't forget the patriotic meetings to be held in every school district in the county next Monday evening, July 8. Speakers will be provided for each meeting and the school is expected to have a program of a patriotic nature.

W. F. Whittemore of Jackson was shaking hands with old friends here a day or two this week. This was Mr. Whittemore's first visit to Tawas City since the family moved away ten years ago. He is at present employed at Jackson, but the family live in Ann Arbor.

A dancing party will be given by the East Tawas Board of Commerce at the Tawas Beach pavilion next Monday evening, July 8, in honor of the East Michigan pike tourists. Music will be furnished by the Tawas Beach orchestra. A cordial invitation is extended to all, especially to members of the Tawas City Board of Trade.

L. H. Braddock met the bunch of recruits from Presque Isle county at East Tawas last Thursday evening and accompanied them to Camp Custer as representative of the Y. M. C. A. Mr. Braddock made a few days stay at the camp and reports conditions there to be of the best, cleanliness and order being marked requisites in the daily routine.

The patriotic meeting at the school house last Friday evening was not very largely attended. Short addresses were made by N. C. Hartingh, L. J. Patterson, Rev. H. Reithmeier and Rev. C. A. Ehrhardt. The committee reported that only about 60 per cent of Tawas City's quota for the W. S. S. campaign had been raised, and it was announced that the campaign had been extended throughout the state to end next Monday, July 8, with the patriotic meetings to be held in every school district. The sum of \$750 was subscribed at the Friday evening meeting.

C. Poirer of Bay City was in the City on business last Friday and Saturday.

Harold Friebe of Bay City came last Wednesday for a visit with friends here.

Arthur Dettmer of Saginaw arrived Wednesday for several days visit with relatives and friends here.

The Herald is a little late this week on account of the force taking a holiday to celebrate the Fourth.

Elmer Woizeschke, who is employed on the P. M. railroad at Saginaw, spent the Fourth at his home here.

R. L. Walker and family of Cheboygan arrived Thursday for a visit at the home of his mother, Mrs. M. Walker.

Miss Freda Buchholz arrived last Saturday from Bay City for a two weeks visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Buchholz.

The Fourth passed off very quietly in Tawas City, most of our citizens going to Oscoda or out on the plains to spend the day. Those who went to Oscoda report a good time and state that there were about 5,000 people there from the territory round about. From this city and East Tawas there were two coaches filled to capacity, besides those who went by auto.

MURPHY-TAYLOR

At the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Schermerhorn in Pontiac, on July 1, occurred the marriage of Frank F. Taylor and Miss Lulu Murphy, daughter of Mrs. W. J. Murphy of this city, Rev. Peter Schermerhorn officiating. Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Schermerhorn, the latter a sister of the bride, acted as witnesses.

The contracting parties are both residents of Tawas City and are well and favorably known here. The groom is engaged in the dry goods business and is one of our most prominent business men, while the bride, who has lived here all her life, has been for the past eight years teacher of the ward school.

The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Taylor in this community will join in wishing them all happiness and success in their life together.

THIRTY-FIVE IN NEXT DRAFT.

The next quota of men from Iosco county under the selective draft will consist of 35 men and will be sent out during the week of July 22.

As Class 1 is nearly exhausted in this county this quota will include the men who enlisted under the nation's want column and who have been waiting for call to special service. These men will be taken, in order that the boys in Class 1 who are engaged in farming may be left as long as possible. However, if another large quota is demanded from Iosco county the farmer boys in this class will necessarily have to be taken. They can, however, after being drafted, secure a furlough which will allow them to stay on the farm for some time longer, probably until after the crops are harvested.

Applications for these furloughs will have to be made to the local board.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Sunday, July 7, 1918.

10:00 a. m.—Morning worship. Sermon, "Walking with God."

11:15 a. m.—Sunday school.

7:30 p. m.—Evening service. Sermon by the pastor. This hour of meditation and devotion is always profitable. A hearty welcome to all. Wednesday evening, July 10.

7:30 p. m.—Inspirational. Prayer service. A few moments of quiet thought and prayer is bound to enrich our lives and strengthen our Christian experience. All are welcome to this service. Rev. H. T. Howard, pastor.

SOLDIER AND SAILOR INSURANCE.

So far more than 3,000,000,000 government checks have been sent out by the Bureau of War-Risk Insurance, most of which were for allotments and allowances to the families and dependents of the enlisted men in the Army and Navy. The total disbursements of the bureau up to June 10 were more than \$98,000,000, of which \$97,000,000 was for allotments and allowances.

More than 850,000 checks a month are sent out, approximately 35,000 being mailed out every day. The first checks for the June allotments will be sent out on July 1, just as the first May payments began on June 1. Relatives and dependents of the insured men should remember that the payments for any month can not be mailed out sooner than the first day of the succeeding month.

W. S. S.—BUY THEM!

AN ILLUSTRATION OF THE PATRIOTISM OF "FOREIGNERS."

Cleveland, Ohio, July 1, 1918.

Mr. Jas. E. Ballard, Tawas City, Mich.

Dear Sir:—I have just received your issue of the Herald of June 28th, and note with keen appreciation your article in answer to the wail of one of your former subscribers. I hasten to enclose a check for \$4.00 to cover two years subscription to the Herald, to help offset the loss (?) of your ex-subscriber. The article above mentioned is worth two years subscription at least.

As you know, I was brought up on the farm and I do not think I am out of sympathy with the farmer; I cannot help but feel, however, that the changes in our ways of living and the costs of the necessities of life have benefited the farmer in the last five years more than any other class of people. And in most cases rightly so, as they have not had the easiest mode of livelihood up to a few years ago. Unfortunately there are still a few farmers so out of touch with current events and lacking in a desire to keep abreast of the times, that they scarcely seem to realize that we are at war in a fight to which we come as the last reserves in the defense of the highest principles of civilization, of freedom and the brotherhood of men.

It is probably useless to expect such a person to make any sacrifice for the cause, even to reducing the amount of wheat consumed, and I doubt that he will accept your advice to invest in War Savings Stamps, as he probably belongs to the type of investor that "knows where he can get more interest on his money."

I would like to have you pass on this information to him, so that he may know what the city dweller is willing to do: In our plant employing in the factory some 425 men, over half of whom are so-called "foreigners," who by the way shame some of our American citizens, the workmen averaged \$66.00 per man subscribed to the Third Liberty Loan, and within six weeks, when the War Chest subscription was taken up, in two hours time subscribed 18.50 per man. These subscriptions do not include the subscriptions of the company nor its officers, but came with scarcely any solicitation from a force of which half are Rumanians, Hungarians, Poles, Bohemians, Lithuanians, yes, and Germans. Thank the Lord their patriotism is not measured by the standard of your ex-subscriber.

Sincerely yours,

R. J. GOLDIE.

FROM ARTHUR DILLON

Fort Strong, Mass., June 30, 1918.

Mr. James Ballard, Tawas City, Mich.

My dear Mr. Ballard:—

No doubt you will be surprised to hear from me in the east. We are now on an island in the "Pond" we all hope to cross before long.

We left Chicago June 11 and arrived in Boston June 12, very tired. As we traveled the route of one thousand thirty-four miles in a day coach. During the night we slept in the aisle or seats, I say we, but not all, as some could not close an eye and refused to let the rest. There were many troop trains that passed on our way, all carrying American soldiers. There were thirty-six of these trains over this road in less than four days.

We play ball here once in a while, and I had the pleasure to play against Snodgrass, the big leaguer, and put him out at the plate. We won that game 2-1. Newell, a man that played first base for the U. of M. played with us. In the eighth he hit for two bases and I followed with one for three, and scored on an infield hit.

I understand Hon. G. A. Currie is to speak here July 4th, and has just returned from France. I wish I could hear him, as his talk would certainly be interesting. I hope you will do all you can in the coming election to again nominate him, as he is the man for a man's job, and I believe Iosco County is as much indebted to him as any other congressman.

We do not know where we will go from here, but it is talked of around the island that we move to Fortress Monroe, Va. during July.

Will close, hoping the people of the two towns enjoy the best of health.

Sincerely,

ARTHUR DILLON

Battery B, 71st Regiment

Fort Strong, Boston, Mass.

All you are asked to do is to buy only necessary things and then loan—not give—your savings to your Government to help it fight your war.

WHAT HAVE YOU GIVEN UP? Have you given up your job and let your business future take care of itself?

Have you said good-bye to your family and friends and all you hold dear?

Have you begun an entirely new career that may end, if you live, with health impaired, an arm off, a leg gone, an eye out?

Have you given up your business future and said good-bye and taken a chance on coming back alive and well, and done it all with a cheerful heart and with a grim determination to do all you possibly can for your country.

And do you only at times—in the evenings, perhaps, when the light in the sky slowly fades away—feel so homesick and so lonesome that you are fearful you will not have the courage to do your part after all?

You have not done these things? Ah, I see, you are not one of our Army or Navy boys; you are a stay-at-home person.

Well, there have to be 20 or more stay-at-home persons for every one who goes, and so certainly no disgrace attaches to being one if you fully appreciate what those boys who do go have to give up and if you support them to the limit of your ability.

Pledge yourself to save to the utmost of your ability and to buy War Savings Stamps that there may be more money, labor, and materials to back up those who fight and die for you.

PATRIOTISM BY PROXY

It was in the smoking room of a Pullman.

"I'm not going to buy four and a quarter per cent bonds when I can lend my money at six per cent, and I'm not going to pay the difference to the Red Cross either. I'm not going to eat substitutes in my bread. I've sent two boys to the war and that's enough for one man to sacrifice."

"Sacrifice nothing," said one who overheard. "Those boys are twenty-one and are their own men. The sacrifice is theirs, not yours. You worked them as long as the law would allow and are trying to capitalize upon their service. If you will not invest a little money made in a free country that your boys may have something to fight with and be cared for when wounded, and if you yourself will not sacrifice even your personal appetite that they may be fed, you are either a pro-German or a tightwad from Tightville; and in either case you care more for your own stomach than for both your boys."

The incident, which is actual and not fictitious reminds us of nothing so much as of the German farmer who complained of his bad luck in losing both his wife and his best cow "right in the midst of the busiest season"—adding "and it was a good cow."

The Country Gentleman

SEED SHORTAGE ON; GARDENERS WARNED TO PRODUCE SUPPLY

East Lansing, Mich., June 24—Michigan gardeners who would like to be sure of a supply of seed in 1919 had best begin to prepare to raise enough this summer for their future needs, in the opinion of the department of horticulture of the Michigan Agricultural college. This precaution must be taken, the department declares, because the seed upon which the country would normally depend will not be forthcoming in 1919.

"The reserve supply of seed usually carried by the seed houses has never been so low in the history of the business," a bulletin from the horticulturists says. "This is attributable to a number of causes, among which may be mentioned the failure of the supply from Europe; the use of many seeds for food, an increase of about 50 per cent in the demand for planting, and the adverse weather conditions which have much reduced the usual California crops."

"The old-time practice of saving one's own garden seed can in this emergency be revived with advantage—remembering that the fundamental principle in successful seed saving is selection of seed only from the best plants."

A bulletin entitled "Saving Seeds for the Home Market Garden" is being issued by the college, and can be obtained by mailing a card to the Experiment Station East Lansing with a request for "Circular No. 35."

Wanted—Housekeeper, care of two children. Good wages. Write C. A. Bigelow, East Tawas or phone 82-W.

Buy War Savings Stamps to the utmost of your financial capacity, and then increase your capacity by saving more.

EAST TAWAS DEPARTMENT

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

Mrs. John Scholer is visiting Mrs. G. A. Bissette.

Moses Caminsky of Detroit is visiting at the parental home for a season.

Mrs. C. F. Klump and children are visiting Mrs. Herman Herstrom for a season.

Mrs. Anna VanWycke went to Detroit Monday for a short visit with her son.

Mrs. August Brown returned last Saturday from a visit in Flint, Terre Haute, Ind. and other points.

The Misses Selma and Ester Johnson left on Saturday for a visit with relatives and friends in Flint and Detroit.

Among the July contingent to be sent from Iosco county July 22, are Will Halteman and Gordon Lloyd of this city.

Mr. and Mrs. George McDonald of Detroit are visiting at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry McDonald.

Jacob Loffman and daughter, Esther, of Detroit arrived Saturday for a visit at the homes of Matt Loffman and Victor Floyt.

Miss Mary Gardner has removed her "Bonnet Shop" from its former location on State street west to the Gates Block on Newman street.

Mrs. Duncan Boomer and daughter, Miss Hazel, leave next Monday for Flint where they will spend a portion of the summer with Mr. Boomer, who is employed there.

Mrs. J. V. Clancy and three children, of Detroit, who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Melville, left Wednesday morning for Midland, where she will visit for a short time before returning home.

Mrs. Alice B. Locke, a representative of the woman suffrage association, will be in East Tawas next Tuesday afternoon and evening and will give a patriotic address at the high school building in the evening. All are invited.

Most of East Tawas celebrated the fourth in Oscoda, going by auto and special train. 114 tickets were sold by the local ticket agent. It would be almost impossible to estimate the number of cars that left here for the big celebration.

PATRIOTIC MEETING

A patriotic mass meeting was held in the high school building last Friday evening in the interests of the War Savings stamps campaign. The meeting was presided over by John McCray, president of the school board.

The meeting was also made the occasion of the presentation of the high school service flag, the presentation speech being made by Miss Harriet Schill on behalf of the graduates of 1918. The flag contains 19 stars.

James LaBerge read the report of the War Savings stamps campaign up to that time which showed East Tawas to have gone over her quota by over \$2000, and on the morning of July 3 she had exceeded her quota (\$10,467) by \$3,933. Short addresses were made by Messrs J. E. Dillon, C. R. Jackson, C. A. Pinkerton, Rev. T. W. Albin and Rev. Goodrich. Also at the instigation of Mr. Butler, Miss Carrie Parker and Miss Edna Otis responded to the call of the chairman and made short speeches which met with hearty applause.

East Tawas may well feel proud of her share in this campaign and grateful to those who gave of their time and energy in the campaign.

ANSCHUETZ-TEFFT

Announcements have been received here of the marriage of Miss Eva Anschuetz, formerly of this city, to Burton S. Tefft of Saginaw. The ceremony was performed June 23 at St. Johns Episcopal church by Rev. Emil Montanus. Mrs. Tefft was graduated from the East Tawas public school some years ago and has since taught in Duluth, Minn., Missoula, Mont., and Goldfield, Nev. For three years she has been principal of the Saginaw County Normal school. Prof. Tefft is commissioner of schools of Saginaw county.

Among the guests at the ceremony were Capt. and Mrs. Albert Schmaller of Camp Beauregard, Louisiana, Mrs. Schmaller being a sister to the bride. The many friends of the bride in this vicinity wish the newly married pair a happy and prosperous married life.

W. S. S.—BUY THEM!

HYTHALER-ST. MARTIN

The marriage of Miss Freda Hythaler of Rogers City, to Emil St. Martin of this city was solemnized at St. Joseph's Catholic church at six o'clock Monday morning by Rev. T. W. Albin.

The bride was attended by Miss Grace Fernette and the groom by John Bolen. A wedding breakfast was served at the home of the groom's parents Mr. and Mrs. St. Martin.

The bridal couple left on the afternoon train to visit the family of the bride's parents in Rogers City for a few days, after which they will return to this city and occupy the apartments above the Merchel hardware store.

IS YOUR LIFE A HARD ONE?

Do you people at home feel at times that this war has made your life pretty hard? Read what an American correspondent writes about one of our boys who had been doing his duty:

"In a little field hospital west of Montdidier I stopped at the bedside of an American boy, one of those victims of the German mustard gas, with which the Huns are making all their present gains. His eyes were matted with yellow pus and he could not see. His face was terribly burned. His lips were swollen and purple. His whole body had been turned the color of an Indian, and portions of it looked like melted flesh, as though it had been liquefied.

"The fighting had been renewed all along the American lines, and German wounded had begun coming into our hospitals. I said to this soldier: "The boys are getting their revenge for you fellows to-night. He smiled through his seared lips, and in a voice so faint that I had to bend down to listen, he gasped, 'God! I wish I was back there with 'em!'"

Do you still think your life a hard one?

Help support that boy and the hundreds of thousands of other doing their duty. Buy War Savings Stamps to the limit of your capacity.

FOR AMERICA AND FOR THE WORLD UNTIL THAT DAY!

(The following is a pledge adopted by the Gleaner Arbor, Hale, Mich. and also by Pomona Grange, Iosco county.)

Until Germany has forever done with her scheme of World Empire; until she has made restitution of her war plunder; until she has righted, as far as possible, her crimes against morality and civilization; until she has overthrown autocracy; until she has stopped her policies of espionage and corruption; until that day, I will not lend myself to any act that will give her countenance or support; I will not buy anything German-made, or patronize any merchants or business handling German goods, or any agency that transports, advertises or encourages, directly or indirectly, any such article. I will not compromise in any way with anything German across the sea or with its hyphenated image on this side, be it property, propaganda or politician. And this same course will I pursue with any ally that is joined to an unredeemed Germany. To this policy, I bind myself, in common with my fellow American, in the name of Liberty, Morality, and Civilization!

SUN BROS. SHOWS AT EAST TAWAS

Only a few days to wait, and then comes the show you have all been anticipating taking in. The Sun Brothers' World's Progressive Shows, an organization with a proud record of twenty-five successful years before the public. The show will exhibit at East Tawas, on July 10th. Young America is all agog over the happy event. From early sunrise to late at night the show grounds will be a scene of continuous performances and exhibits of the world's strangest wonders. The management particularly advertises the fact, that they do not allow any gamblers, fakirs or immoral issues in or about their shows. Everything being of a strictly high class and respectable character. Two performances will be given, afternoon and night. Unusually large tents will be erected and seats will be provided for all spectators. adv

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

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

LOYALTY IN WAR TIME.

Loyalty in peace times and loyalty in war times are two distinct things. Not much is required to pass the loyalty test when one's country is not at war; a simple compliance with the law is all that is required.

But loyalty in war times is not a passive quality. At such a time one may be without loyalty and still not be disloyal. A person of this type will do nothing either to assist or to harm his country. He will not give himself to his country's service and he will not contribute financial support. Neither will he discourage others from doing this. He will do or say nothing treasonable, and neither will he do or say anything to put heart in the fighting forces or to uphold the Nation in its struggle. He will be simply a passive onlooker. And that is not being loyal.

Our country is fighting in the most desperate struggle of history. It is a struggle so vast and momentous as to demand the most complete support of every one of its citizens. Passive loyalty—the loyalty of peace times—is not sufficient. The brand of loyalty now demanded is the kind that impels one to offer himself and his all, if necessary, that his country may be victorious in the great conflict.

Most of us can not go into the fighting forces, most of us can not enter into those industries directly connected with the war, but all of us can show our neighbors that we have the right brand of patriotism.

Our Government is urging upon us the necessity of saving as an essential to victory. We are told that there is not enough man power and not sufficient materials in the country to win a quick victory if we continue to use this man power and these materials as we did before the war. It is pointed out that there are now more than 2,000,000 men in the Army and Navy, and that by August 1 this number will be increased to 3,000,000, with a steady addition to that number from then on. These men not only cease to be producers, but they become consumers on a vast scale.

Thus it is that we are urged to buy only those things which we need in order that we shall not use up labor and waste materials and transportation, so vitally necessary to the Government in its war work and so much needed in the manufacture of things essential to the health and efficiency of our citizens.

By following the Government's request to produce to our maximum capacity and to consume as little as possible, we shall give practical expression to our loyalty—a militant loyalty, the brand which stamps us as being willing to do our part at home by sacrificing, by getting down to a war basis, by backing up our Government with all our strength. With our money savings we can then buy War Savings Stamps and perform a double service by giving the Government current funds with which to buy the labor and materials so much needed for war purposes which we have refrained from using. That is loyalty.

SILO A PRESENT NEED

Build silos and help defeat the German submarines now attacking our supply ships.

England and France are face to face with a serious shortage of animal feeds. Horses and cows are to be placed on rations in England.

This means that America will be called upon to supply the Allied countries with more meats.

Silos are the best means of conserving our stock feeds. Now is the time to build them. The size of the silos depend upon the number of cattle to be fed. The cow or steer during the winter feeding period consumes about four tons of silage. From this it is easy to determine how large to make the silo.

SAVE FOOD

Do not forget that the supply of labor and materials is limited. If you ask a worker to make something for you, he can not make something for the Government at the same time, and he can not use the same material both for your needs and for the Government's needs.

HOW AMERICANS INSPIRED THE BRITISH

(The following article which appeared in the London Chronicle and was reprinted in the Detroit Free Press, shows how the self-denial which the American people have been practicing during recent months is appreciated by the people across the ocean who are the beneficiaries.)

One of the finest moral actions in this war has been done by America. It is action on a gigantic scale, and yet of a directly personal character. Insufficient publicity, I think, has been given to this action.

It is realized by the people of this country that America has already saved us from capitulating to the enemy? Either we should have been forced into this surrender (with our armies unbroken and our munitions of war unexhausted) or we should at this moment be struggling to live and work and fight on one-third of our present rations.

America is sending to these islands almost two-thirds of our food supplies. Sixty-five per cent of the essential foodstuffs eaten by the British citizen comes to him from the American continent. This in itself is something which calls for our lively gratitude. But there is a quality in the action of America which should intensify our gratitude. For these American supplies, essential to our health and safety, represent in very large measure the personal and voluntary self-sacrifice of the individual American citizen. They are not crumbs from the table of Dives. They are not the commandeered supplies of an autocratic government. They represent, rather, the kindly, difficult and entirely willing self-sacrifice of a whole nation, the vast majority of whom are working people.

There is only one altar for this act of sacrifice—it is the table of the American working classes. And the rite is performed by men, women and children at every meal of the day, day after day, week after week.

This act of self-sacrifice, let us remember, is made in the midst of plenty. Well might the American housewife ask why she should deprive her children of food, why she should institute wheatless and meatless days, when all about her there is a visible super-abundance of these things. Questions such as this are natural enough on the other side of the Atlantic, and on the other side of the American continent, though 5,000 miles away from the battlefields of France.

But the citizens of America do not ask such questions. With a cheerfulness and courage which are as vigorous as their industry, and with a moral earnestness which is by far the greatest demonstration America has yet given to the world of American character, these people, so far away from us on the other side of the Atlantic have willingly and without coercion by the state, denied themselves for the sake of the Entente. They are going short, they are going hungry for our sakes. They are practicing an intimate self-sacrifice that we may hold our own till their sons come to fight at our side. All over America the individual American citizen is making this self-sacrificing, and making it without a murmur. He is feeding, by his personal sacrifice, and making it without a murmur, France, Italy and many of the neutrals.

A QUESTION AND AN ANSWER.

Many of us in the great army of stay-at-homes chafe over our inaction during this war-time and ask, "How can I help?" The editor of the Brooklyn Eagle gives this answer:

"Those who regard the sale of War Savings Stamps as a side enterprise or as something that appeals mainly to children totally miss the purpose behind a plan which is one of the best thus far evolved for war purposes. In the last analysis the selling of these stamps is the fitting of the whole Nation to sustain the burden of the war. It is the application to war finance of the principle of universal service. It aims to enlist all of the American people in direct support of that gallant minority among them who have answered the call to arms and prepared themselves for the firing line.

"The War Savings Stamps supply the final and conclusive answer to the question, 'How can we all help?'"

The duty of patriotism lies equally on young and old, rich and poor, on clergy and laymen. There is no reason in creation for selecting our soldiers among men between 21 and 31, except that they are better able to do the physical work of the war than the rest of us. But the work of war must be done in homes, in churches, in schools, and in factories, as well as upon the battle fields of the world. And the worst form of slacker—because he has not even the poor, silly reason of fear to excuse him—is the slacker who is called upon to make only the minor sacrifice of money and has not the heart to make it.

Protect your soldiers with your savings.

The Tawas Herald, \$2.00 per year.

COUNTY AGENT COLUMN

C. P. Milham.

Office, Court House, Tawas City. Week days from 8 to 9, and all day Friday. Phone 28-F-21.

Another boy who joined the working reserve has gone to help Uncle Sam by working on a farm at Kalamazoo. Ephraim K. Shampine of East Tawas although small has the spirit of determination which will win. There are about 125 boys in the county who are members of the reserve, most of them working at home and getting credit from the country for the services they are rendering by helping produce food.

Sweet clover which is growing in waste places should be left to blossom this year, and should not be cut down. It is the best honey plant we have, and should be more widely distributed. It is not a weed as is supposed by some, but is a leguminous plant which benefits the soil, makes good feed, is adapted to a range of conditions no other plant will stand.

Members of boys clubs in the southland last summer produced food products with a total value of \$4,019,121. That is a good mark to aim at. Are the northern boys and girls going to make as good a record? If they do they truly will be doing as they sing in the chorus of Yankee Doodle— "Wallop him with peas and beans, Baste him with potatoes, Hammer him with cabbages, And paste him with tomatoes."

Anything which will limit or decrease production this summer should be given attention. If you have rats, mice, potato bugs, weeds, or anything you may think of which are destroying or limiting food production, kill them. They are enemies of the nation as much as your enemies, and should be treated as such.

Weeds should be destroyed before they go to seed. One of the best methods to use in destroying weeds is to pasture with sheep. They get rid of weeds and do it at a profit. Can you use some on your farm? Nothing along the feed line which may be utilized should be destroyed. Suppose the government should allow only so much feed for every animal; it would then force us to save feed.

Reports have come in that barley shows large quantities of loose smut. Take notice in your fields and see if you can find any. Send or bring in a sample. There are two kinds of smut in wheat and barley, one the loose smut, which can not be killed by using formaldehyde, and the other, covered smut, bunt, or stinking smut as it is called which can be controlled. Watch your fields and report conditions. Next year we want to see no smut. Some people say they have no smut, but look anyway, you may be surprised.

Every farmer in the county whose name is in the hands of the County Clerk will receive a letter this week, with a series of questions enclosed to help the County Agent to help you by finding out things which interest you most. These questions should be answered and returned at the earliest possible moment, so they may be filed and tabulated. The purpose is not to get in closer touch with all farmers in all parts of the county. If you do not receive a letter call at the office in the court house and secure a copy.

FARMERS DISCUSS IMPORTANT QUESTIONS

The subject of the overhead expense on the average Iosco County farm was discussed at the meeting of the Pomona Grange held in Whittemore. Few people realize the expense connected with agricultural production, but they are coming to realize that unless figures can be presented no one can realize the condition.

Manufacturers keep a system of books and know every time a balance is taken, just where they stand. Farmers do not have the time to keep a very complete set of books, but realize they are working a poor investment under present conditions. In order to have a basis from which to work it is necessary to know the overhead expense. This expense must be met every year. Considering the investment it is admitted a person should receive six per cent. Also the same on farm equipment. Farm tools depreciate the same as any other kind of machinery, and the government estimates the life of farm tools at ten years. Buildings and fences must be kept in repair, and insurance paid. This expense is estimated at five per cent. The farmer can not or should not manage and work a farm for less than \$1,000 a year. Common laborers who work less hours get that much. Horses must be fed whether they work or not and this is an expense. Taxes must be paid. The farmer should have in reserve \$500 to meet emergencies, such as loss of livestock; and he should be entitled to six per cent

on this item. Most farms in Iosco County have noxious weeds to combat, this takes extra time and is an extra expense. A farm will not last forever as the soil is slowly depleted. This depletion was estimated at one dollar an acre which is very low. Extra labor must be hired during rush season. So it is readily seen the expense is large which must be met regardless of the good or bad season. The expense of preparing land, seeding, harvesting, threshing, storing and hauling are charged up to the crops extra. Can a man farm at a profit today? Here are the figures taking a cleared eighty acre farm as an average size and value.

Value of cleared 80 including buildings	\$4000.00
Value of buildings and fences	2500.00
Value of farm equipment	1200.00
1 Interest on investment at 6%	240.00
2 Interest on investment at 6%	72.00
3 Depreciation on equipment at 10%	120.00
4 Depreciation and insurance, buildings and fences 5%	125.00
5 Management of farm	1000.00
6 Cost of maintaining idle horses	105.00
7 Taxes on farm and equipment at 1%	52.00
8 Interest on working capital \$500.00 at 6%	30.00
9 Extra expense due to noxious weeds	25.00
10 Decrease of mineral matter in soil	80.00
11 Cost of extra labor	200.00
Total overhead expense	\$2049.00
Overhead expense an acre	\$25.61
Total investment	\$5200.00

THE KAISER'S TALK TO HELL

The Kaiser called the devil up on the telephone one day, The girls at central listened in to all they had to say; "Hell," she heard the Kaiser's voice, "Is Old Man Satan Home? Just tell him it is Kaiser Bill that wants him on the phone."

The devil said "Hello" to Bill, and Bill said "How are you? I'm running here a hell on earth, so tell me what to do." "What can I do?" the devil said, "my dear old Kaiser Bill. If there's a thing that I can do to help you, I sure will."

The Kaiser said, "Now listen and I will try to tell The way I am running, on earth a modern hell.

My army went through Belgium, shooting women and children down

We tore up all her country and blew up all her towns.

I've saved for this for many years and I've started out to kill;

That it may be a modern job, you can leave that to Bill

My Zepps dropped bombs on cities, killing both old and young;

And those the Zeppelins didn't get were taken out and hung.

I started out for Paris with the aid of poison gas;

The Belgians, darn them, stopped us and wouldn't let us pass.

My submarines are devils; why you you should see them fight,

They go sneaking through the sea and sink a ship at sight.

I was running things to suit me till a year or so ago,

When a man called Woodrow Wilson wrote me to go more slow.

He says to me 'Dear William, we don't want to make you sore,

So be sure and tell your U-boats to sink our ships no more.

We have told you for the last time, so Dear Bill, it's up to you,

And if you do not stop it, you will have to fight us too.'

I did not listen to it and he's coming after me.

With a million Yankee soldiers from their homes across the sea,

Now, that's why I call you, Satan, for I want advice from you,

And I knew you would tell me just what I ought to do."

"My dear old Kaiser, there's not much for me to tell,

For the Yanks will make it hotter than I can for you in hell.

I've been a mean old devil, but not half as mean as you,

The minute that you get here I will leave my job to you.

I'll be ready for your coming any I'll keep the fires all bright,

I'll have your room all ready when the Yanks begin to fight,

For the boys in khaki will get you I have nothing more to tell—

Hang up the phone and get your hat and meet me in hell."

An American correspondent tells us that our boys in France are always smiling, even when they enter the trenches, when they charge, and when they return from battle. If they can face death with a smile, certainly we can do our part at home without grumbling. And that part consists in producing all possible, consuming as little as necessary, and buying War Savings Stamps with our savings.

Daily Optimistic Thought. Private interests must yield to public good.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENT

To the Voters of Iosco County: I wish to announce that I am a candidate for nomination to the office of County Treasurer on the republican ticket.

If elected I promise the same careful attention to the duties of the office as in the past.

Thanking you for past favors, I am Respectfully yours, J. G. DIMMICK. adv-26tf

FOR SHERIFF OF IOSCO COUNTY.

I wish to announce to the electors of Iosco county that I am a candidate for the nomination for Sheriff on the democratic ticket.

If you believe that my conduct of the office during the past two years entitles me to a second term I shall be glad of your support and vote at the primaries August 27.

Respectfully yours, THOS. H. HILL adv-27tf

FOR COUNTY CLERK

I wish to announce to the electors of Iosco county that I shall be a candidate for the office of County Clerk on the republican ticket and earnestly solicit your support at the August primaries. I am Yours resp., CHESTER J. DOBSON, Tawas township, formerly of Reno township.

TO THE VOTERS OF IOSCO COUNTY:

I hereby announce that I will be a candidate for the republican nomination for County Treasurer at the August primaries. I have been a tax payer in Iosco county for 42 years. I do not believe that this office should be held all the time by one man, as it has been for 8 years. If it is a good thing pass it along. If I am nominated and elected, when my time is out I will say again pass it along. Your support will be appreciated.

JOHN SULLIVAN adv-tf Baldwin Township

TO THE VOTERS OF IOSCO COUNTY:

I wish to announce that I will be a candidate for the nomination to the office of County Clerk on the republican ticket.

If elected I assure the public that I will perform the duties of the office to the best of my ability, and courteous attention will be given to all. Your support at the primaries August 27, 1918, will be appreciated.

Respectfully yours, FRANK E. DEASE adv-31

WANTS, FOR SALE, ETC

For Sale—One double carriage. Inquire L. H. Braddock 24tf

For Sale—Medium size safe in good condition. Inquire at Herald office.

For Sale—House and lot at a bargain. A. W. Colby, Tawas City, Mich.

For Sale—Span of heavy three year old colts. John Sullivan, Baldwin township. 28-tf

For Sale—A good cheap horse, also a shetland pony and outfit. George Fahselt, R. F. D., Tawas City.

Strayed—One yearling Holstein steer, black and white. Finder notify E. Webb, R. D. 3 Tawas City, and receive reward. 27-tf

For Sale—My 120 acre farm on Henlock road 4 1/2 miles from Tawas City, all cleared and with good buildings. Also 160 acre wood lot 3 miles from farm. A bargain for cash. Inquire of Mrs. Delia Ely, R. D. 1, Tawas City, Mich. adv-pd

Girls Wanted—We want more girls in our pool silk and silk weaving mills. Those between ages of 17 and 30 preferred. Clean, well lighted mills, operating under best sanitary conditions. Good wages, steady employment. Address Belding Bros. & Co., Belding, Mich. 28

For Sale—80 acre farm in Reno township. Will sell with the crop or without the crop. Buildings, one brick house, 7 rooms, one tenant house, 5 rooms, barn and granaries in good condition. Will sell on easy terms. Inquire of J. A. Autterson, Whittemore, Mich. 29-pd

WANTED

The C. R. Wilson Body Co., Bay City, Mich., can use men for the following, on AIRPLANE CONSTRUCTION for the United States Government. Mechanics with woodworking experience. Must be American Citizens. Apply at once. adv

S. A. NOWLIN REAL ESTATE Improved and unimproved land and farms for sale. Notary Public. Legal papers properly executed. Emery Junction Michigan

HARDWARE at The RICHARDS HARDWARE East Tawas

DURANT & ADAMS, East Tawas H. E. NUNN, Hale HENRY KANE, Tawas City

BARLEY MUFFINS

100 % Wheat Substitute

1 cup milk
1 tablespoon fat
2 tablespoons syrup
1 egg
1 teaspoon salt
4 teaspoons baking powder
3 cups barley flour

Sift the dry materials together. Add to the cup of milk the melted fat, syrup and beaten egg. Combine these two mixtures, stirring lightly without beating. Bake about 30 minutes in a moderately hot oven. (215 degrees C.—425 degrees F.) This will make eight large or twelve to sixteen small muffins.

They also serve who buy War Savings Stamps—if they save and buy to the utmost of their ability, and buy in time.

\$100 Reward, \$100

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages and that is catarrh. Catarrh being greatly influenced by constitutional conditions. Catarrh Medicine is taken internally and acts thru the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces of the System thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in the curative powers of Hall's Catarrh Medicine that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials. Address F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio. Sold by all Druggists, 76c.

A Keystone Hay Loader

Will pay for itself many times over

In this day of high wages and scarce help just figure how much you will save in good hard dollars by having a Keystone Hay Loader to handle your hay quickly and without damage.

Just think this over and then come in and give me your order for one of these money-saving, labor-saving tools. It is simple, strong, and guaranteed to do the work.

EUGENE BING

Tawas City Michigan

We Set Tire Standards

Why is it that United States Tires are setting new records for mileage and serviceability?

Why is it that the sales of these tires are constantly mounting by leaps and bounds?

The answer is found in the factories where United States Tires are made.

Standards of construction for these tires are higher than ever before known in the tire industry.

Makers of tire fabrics tell us that the standards we have given them for United States Tire fabrics are higher than any previously known.

Likewise through every process of construction from crude rubber to finished tires—we have set new and higher standards everywhere.

These standards work out on your car in the practical economy demanded by war-times.

United States Tires will raise any car to higher efficiency.

There is a type to suit every condition of service.

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FROM P. J. McCOMBS
Oakland, California, June 24, 1918.
Friend Jim:—

Find enclosed money order for \$1.50 for the Herald for one more year. Everything is booming here and wages are high. The shipyards are going to launch eight boats on the fourth of July; they are working night and day all the time. They are going to enlarge one yard, (so the papers state) and make it a one hundred million dollar plant. That's going some isn't it? And the new concrete ship yard is going to be on an island in the Estuary, about 6 blocks down 17th Ave. from our house.

The Estuary is like the Saginaw river, and Oakland is situated the same as Bay City, so you see if the Saginaw river had an island in the center of it then you have the idea of the situation, with Alameda on the other side the same as Bay City, west side, only Alameda is an island but a very large one.

Wages for skilled labor are from \$6.00 to \$8.00 a day for 8 hours, and after the first of July wages take another raise and are going to be from \$7.50 to \$10.00 for 8 hours work and mechanics are in demand. Common labor is about \$3.50 and 4.00 which will be raised after the first of July.

The cost of living here is about the same as it is in Detroit only we have green vegetables the whole year and at very reasonable prices. Strawberries are in market from about March until December, but this year it is hard to get pickers to pick them. The population of Oakland, Berkeley and Alameda is about 350 thousand only it is one big city. Will mail you

yourself's Oakland Tribune so you can see for yourself what is going on in Oakland.

We are all well and trust that this finds all of you the same. Mrs. McCombs wishes to join me in sending kind regards to you all.

Yours
P. J. McCombs
1545-17th Ave.

FROM E. L. SEYMOUR

Donald, Alberta, June 24th. 1918.
Mr. Jas. E. Ballard,
Tawas City, Mich.

Dear Sir:—Enclosed please find two dollars, for which please renew my subscription to the Herald for one year from present expiration.

The crops are looking quite good in this locality, although the weather has been pretty dry. But we are getting a fine rain today which will do a great deal of good.

We could not do without the Herald now, as through it we can sometimes hear from the brave boys who are "over there" doing their bit, and we are always most interested to hear of them and to know how everything is getting along in Iosco County.

With best wishes to yourself and all friends, I am,
Yours respectfully,
L. E. SEYMOUR.

Do not expect our men to die for you if you are not worth living for. Show our Army and Navy that you are worthy of protection. Save to the utmost of your ability and buy U. S. S. with your savings.

The Tawas Herald, \$2.00 per year.

TELLS ABOUT JOHN RANDOLPH

Thomas H. Benton Relates Interview With Eccentric Man, in Which He Depletes His Melancholy Mood.

Thomas H. Benton in his "Thirty Years' View" gives an interesting account of an interview he had with the eccentric John Randolph of Roanoke.

The interview was at Mr. Benton's room in Crawford's hotel, in Georgetown. It was in the gloom of the evening, before the lamps were lit. Mr. Randolph, reclining on a soft, silent and thoughtful, repeated, as if to himself, Johnson's lines on "Senility and Imbecility," that show his life under its most melancholy form:

"In life's last scenes what prodigies surprise,
Fears of the brave and follies of the wise."
Down Marlborough's eyes the streams of dotage flow,
And Swift expires a driveller and a show."

When Mr. Randolph finished repeating these lines, Mr. Benton said to him: "Mr. Randolph, I have often heard you repeat these as if they could have an application to yourself, while no one can have less reason than yourself to fear the fate of Swift."

To this Randolph replied: "I have lived in dread of insanity."

While Randolph was not insane in the ordinary sense of the word, it is certain that he had occasional temporary aberrations of the mind, and it was during such times that his talk was most brilliant, a copious flow for hours of wit and classic allusion, a perfect scattering of the diamonds of the mind.

His will was contested on the ground of insanity, but it was not set aside.

MIX DOUGH WITH SEA WATER

Wider Adoption of the Practice Is Recommended by French Naval Pharmacist, Health Advantages.

It has long been a custom in certain parts of France to make up the dough for bread with sea-water instead of using, as is customary, fresh water, with the addition of salt required to make bread both healthful and appetizing, says the Literary Digest. M. Albert Saint Sernin, a French naval pharmacist of the first class, urges the wider adoption of the practice, which has, according to him, several advantages; the bread keeps moist longer, owing to the affinity for water possessed by the magnesium chloride sea-water contains; it is very wholesome, since it provides not only the chlorides of sodium and magnesium, but other mineral substances which the body can make use of.

The water must be collected at a suitable distance from land and should be taken from a depth of six or seven yards if possible. The yeast must be prepared with fresh water and the salt water used for mixing the dough. The French writer adds:

"Bread made with sea water, useful for everybody, is to be recommended especially for growing children, for convalescents, and for all those who need to repair the wastes due to fever or to hard labor."

Half-Way Work.

We are, none of us, so good architects as to be able to work habitually beneath our strength; and yet there is not a building that I know of, lately raised, wherein it is not sufficiently evident that neither architect nor builder has done his best. It is the especial characteristic of modern work. All old work nearly has been hard work. It may be the hard work of children, of barbarians, of rustics; but it is always their utmost. Let us have done with this kind of work at once; cast off every temptation to it; do not let us degrade ourselves voluntarily, and then mutter and mourn over our shortcomings; let us confess our poverty or our parsimony, but not belittle our human intellect. It is not a question of doing more, but of doing better. Do not let us boss our roofs with wretched, half-worked, blighted rosettes; do not let us flank our gates with rigid limitations of medieval statuary. Such things are more insults to common sense, and only unfit us for feeling the nobility of their prototypes.—Ruskin.

Four-Arc Rainbow.

A four-arc rainbow was seen by a vessel at sea recently, one pair intersecting the other pair. Two arcs are often seen on land, and there are sometimes seen; but the invariable rule is that these arcs all have a common center lying below the horizon. The explanation of the two pairs of arcs was, however, quite simple. The sea at the time was exceptionally calm, and acted as a gigantic mirror. Two of the arcs, which had a common center below the horizon, were due to the sun itself; the other two arcs, which had a common center above the horizon, were due to the reflection of the sun in the sea.

Rust Dissolver.

An Italian inventor has patented a method of cleansing iron and steel from rust. By his process the metal is made the cathode in a phosphoric acid electrolyte. It is claimed that this acid, unlike others, dissolves away the rust without attacking the solid metal, and also tends to prevent subsequent rusting. The electrolyte is made by adding 10 parts of phosphoric acid to 90 parts of water, or by adding a 10 per cent solution of sodium phosphate to 10 per cent of the acid. A temperature between 50 and 70 degrees Centigrade is recommended.

Mrs. Simpson's Boomerang
By ETHEL HOLMES

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"Mollie," said Mrs. Simpson to her friend Mrs. Mariweather, "Are you confident that your husband is true to you?"

"Perfectly," was the reply. "I wish I could feel the same about mine. Don't you ever watch him?"

"Every night."

"Why, I thought you said you trusted him."

"I do not trust men generally in such matters. While I trust Jack implicitly as an individual, as one of the male sex, I don't trust him at all."

"Why do you watch him at night, especially?"

"What I mean by that is I go through his pockets for love letters every night after he is in bed."

"I see; that's a good scheme; I will avail myself of the suggestion."

Mrs. Simpson did avail herself of the suggestion and at the end of a few months was rewarded—if it may be so considered—with a find. In Mr. Simpson's vest pocket was a slip of paper on which were the figures 1, 12, 9, 4, 7, in lead pencil.

Now Mrs. Simpson had married in opposition to her parents' wishes and they had resisted to many devices, whereby to communicate in spite of being watched. Mrs. Simpson, then Miss Mollineux, was very ingenious. She gave Simpson an expedient to use when he wished to meet her that would not cause suspicion. He was to mail her an advertising card on which had been put in pencil certain figures denoting the month, the day, and the hour. Thus if he wished to see her on the seventh day of November, at three o'clock in the afternoon, the figures would be 11, 7, 3. The place of meeting was always the same and need not be designated on the card.

Mrs. Simpson had hardly seen the figures on the slip she had found in her husband's pocket when she inferred that her invention of several years before had become a boomerang. She collapsed, but not for long. Before many minutes had passed she had made up her mind to interpret the message and surprise the guilty parties at their meeting. Taking up the paper she noticed that the first figure was 1. January was the first month in the year. It was now December. The next figure was 12, might represent the day of the meeting. It was now the 28th of December. The figure 9 must mean nine o'clock either in the morning or evening. What 4 and 7 meant she could not tell. Doubtless the guilty pair had invented a way to designate the place of meeting.

Mrs. Simpson was quite sure that on the 12th of the next month, at nine in the evening her husband would meet her rival; but since she did not know where, she could not confront them.

There was a cold time between Mr. and Mrs. Simpson from the 28th of December to the 12th of January. Mr. Simpson was at a loss to account for the reason, but disinclined to ask for it more than once, when he obtained no satisfaction.

It was Mrs. Simpson's intention on the evening of the 12th of January to hang on to her husband like a leech.

She would prevent his meeting her rival, and would accuse him of his perjury.

One evening at dinner she asked him if he remembered the device she had given him whereby to notify her when he wished her to meet him. He said he remembered her ingenuity very well and suggested that if ever she became obliged to earn her own living she should apply for a position in a detective office.

"I have often thought since then," she said, "how we could add to the device a plan to indicate by figures, the meeting place."

Whether Mr. Simpson refused to be caught in this trap his wife set for him to give her a clue to the last two figures of the cipher message, or whether he did not know what she meant, he did not appear to take any further interest in the matter and made no reply.

On the evening of the 12th of January Mr. Simpson about eight o'clock told his wife that he had an engagement with his partner to talk over a business program for the year. Mrs. Simpson stood like a statue, listened to what he said, then handed him the slip of paper saying:

"I see that you have used my ingenuity to communicate with your new flame, but in this case she seems to have addressed you instead of your addressing her."

Simpson looked at the cipher then at his wife.

"If you would like to meet her," he said calmly, "you can do so by going with me to the office."

Mrs. Simpson did not understand this move, but she put on her hat and sealskin and went with her husband.

When they arrived there, the office was lighted up and Mr. Simpson's partner was waiting for him.

"Jack," said Simpson, "I've found the missing key to our new safe we had so much trouble about a couple of weeks ago."

Simpson took the cipher from his pocket and explained it to his wife:

"I ordered the lock of the new safe to be opened on these numbers. I stands for the first letter in the alphabet, 12 for the 12th, or 1; 9 for the 9th and so on, the whole spelling the name of my dear wife."

The next thirty days were Mr. and Mrs. Simpson's second honeymoon.

"WE WON'T WIN IF WE WASTE"
Tested Wartime Recipes
FOR USE IN MICHIGAN
(Clip and save these recipes for future reference.)

Earnest Co-operation Needed.

Remember, that the recipes which are being given here, and those which you will find in other places, are merely suggestive. They show what can be done. But recipes alone will not solve the problem. Winning this war by food will not be possible unless you give to the matter your earnest and sincere thought and cooperation. The problem is for you to reduce by one-third the amount of wheat you have been using. How it can best be done in your household is for you to decide. But see that it is done.

Below are some tried recipes for war bread which may be found interesting and useful. When liquid yeast is used, a cupful may be counted as equal to one cake of dry or compressed yeast, and a slight reduction must be made in the total amount of liquid used.

Do your bit—small sacrifices now may save you from making greater ones later.

Chicken Salad

1 C cooked chicken
1 C celery
2 lettuce leaves
4 T salad dressing (or more)
Mix chicken and celery with salad dressing. Arrange on lettuce leaves. Serve very cold.

Pie Crust.

There are other ways of reducing the amount of white flour we use. Excellent Pie Crust may be made by using 1/2 white flour and 1/2 rye or barley. Use your customary recipe, reducing the amount of shortening, if barley is used. Serve pie less often than formerly. Let most of these be one crust pies. Try the New England deep apple pie, with only a top crust.

Corn Meal Crust.

Grease a pie plate well. Cover with raw cornmeal, giving the plate a rotating motion so that an even layer of the meal will stick to the plate about 1-16 of an inch in thickness. Fill the plate with pumpkin or custard pie mixture. Bake in a hot oven.

Oatmeal Crust.

2 C finely ground oatmeal
1 C boiling water
1 t fat
Scald the oatmeal with the water. Add fat and mix thoroughly. Roll very thin and line small pie or tart tins with the mixture. Bake in hot oven. Fill with apricot marmalade or other thick mixture. If desired, spread a meringue on top and brown in the oven.

Mush.

Serve corn meal mush, oatmeal mush, graham mush, or barley mush, either fried or with milk. Remember that all cereals in form of mush must be thoroughly cooked and well salted.

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE SALE

WHEREAS, George Thayer and Nellie Thayer his wife of Plainfield Township, Iosco County, Michigan, made and executed a certain mortgage bearing date the 31st day of December A. D. 1912 to Wm. J. Bell, cashier, of Rose City, Michigan, which was recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Iosco County, on the 2nd day of January A. D. 1913 at NINE o'clock A. M. in Liber 17 of mortgages on pages 579 and 580.

And whereas, the said mortgage has been assigned by said Wm. J. Bell, cashier, to the Rose City State Bank, by assignment dated the 24th day of April A. D. 1913, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Iosco County, on the 25th day of April A. D. 1913 at ONE o'clock P. M. in Liber 17 of mortgages at page 581, whereby the said mortgage is now owned by the said Rose City State Bank.

And whereas, the amount claimed to be due upon said mortgage at date hereof is ONE THOUSAND TWO HUNDRED FORTY-TWO DOLLARS, (\$1242.00) and no suit or proceedings have been instituted at law to secure the debt now remaining secured thereby or any part thereof. And whereas, default has been made in the payment of the money secured by said mortgage, whereby the power of sale contained therein has become operative.

Now, therefore, notice is hereby given that by virtue of said power of sale and in pursuance thereof and of the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be 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 the place of holding Circuit Court within said County, on the 14th day of September A. D. 1918 at THREE o'clock in the afternoon. The description of the property contained in said mortgage and upon which said mortgage will be foreclosed, is, the North Half (N. 1/2) of Section Seven (7) Township Twenty-three (23) North Range Five (5) East, excepting and reserving therefrom, the Northeast quarter (N. E. 1/4) of the Northeast quarter (N. E. 1/4) and the Northwest quarter (N. W. 1/4) of the Northeast quarter (N. E. 1/4) and that part of the Northeast quarter (N. E. 1/4) of said Section (7), which lies East of a line running North and South through said forty acres, EIGHTY (80) rods East of the West line of Section Seven (7) being the North half (N. 1/2) of the Northwest quarter (N. W. 1/4) less the West FORTY (40) acres thereof, and comprising Twenty-five and Twenty-nine hundredths (25 29/100) acres, being an aggregate of Sixty-five and Twenty-nine hundredths (65 29/100) acres more or less in said North half (N. 1/2) of Section Seven (7). Dated this 11th day of June A. D. 1918. 6-14-36

ROSE CITY STATE BANK, Assignee
B. J. Henderson, Atty. for Assignee
Business address, Standish, Michigan


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The Alpena County Savings Bank through its entrance into the Federal Reserve System, makes available to its patrons the many advantages of the great financial system of the United States.
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BUSINESS CONDITIONS have changed so rapidly in the past year that the merchants of the country are forced into a change of methods. The small margin of profit we are allowed, coupled with 100 per cent increase in freight rates, also the short terms given us by the wholesale houses, make us insist on all accounts being settled at least every 30 days. We will always endeavor to buy to advantage as we have in the past and give you the benefit. Help yourself by helping us. Yours truly,
W. J. ROBINSON
Tawas City Michigan

Newberry and Preparedness

Truman H. Newberry is no new convert to Preparedness. He has preached it for twenty years,—he has practiced what he preached.
He stood for preparedness away back in 1896, when he helped organize the Michigan Naval Brigade.
As Assistant Secretary of the Navy under Roosevelt he urged preparedness. Speaking in New Orleans in 1907, he said:
"You can put it in the biggest type you have that we must have a bigger navy, and I hope such enlargement will come soon. It is for you people here to use your influence for more appropriations for the building of battleships and cruisers. There is no doubt that we shall need them and the sooner they are built the better."
While Secretary of the Navy, Newberry contended for a Merchant Marine as a preparedness measure.
"A large number of merchant vessels will be required in the event of a serious war," he pleaded.
He not only talked preparedness, but he prepared.
He put the Navy on a sure foundation. On our entry into the war it was the one branch of our national defense which was prepared.
He backs up his belief in preparedness by being in the service himself. His sons are in the service. His whole family is serving.
Newberry and Preparedness mean the same thing.
Truman H. Newberry is prepared to give Michigan and the nation wonderfully able service in the United States Senate.
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RENO RUMBLINGS

Mrs. Daugharty of Bay City visited relatives here this week.

Rolandis Harsch and family visited at the parental home Sunday.

Fred Latter was at Tawas last Monday to get some dental work done.

Hugh Henzie visited his mother at Mitchell the latter part of the week.

Mrs. Fitzgerald of Bay City visited her sister, Mrs. Fred Latter, last week.

Thomas Daugharty of Bay City visited relatives here the first of the week.

Miss Dora Grieves of South Branch is spending a few days with her aunt, Mrs. Berry.

Mr. and Mrs. Sturgis of St. Johns spent the week end with their daughter, Mrs. Dyke.

Mrs. Art Latter returned to South Branch Saturday, after a short visit with relatives here.

Archie McDonald and family spent a few days at camp meeting near Melita the first of the week.

A number from here attended the Grange meeting at Whittemore Saturday. All report a good time.

Mr. and Mrs. Spooner, Mrs. Daugharty and Mr. and Mrs. Frockins were visitors at the Harsch ranch Sunday.

Mrs. Siglan and daughter and Miss King accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Dimmick on their trip to Reno last Friday.

Mrs. Shauntz, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Harsch, the past week, returned to her home in Ohio Monday.

Rev. Beckwith of Prescott will preach at the Baptist church Sunday evening. Every body is invited to come.

Mr. and Mrs. Browing who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Berry the past week returned to their home in St. Charles the last of the week.

Mrs. Dimmick of East Tawas came up last Friday afternoon and organized a Red Cross unit. A goodly number of ladies were present. The next meeting will be held in the Gleaner hall next Friday afternoon.

Rev. Beckwith, accompanied by several car loads of Prescott people, came to Reno Baptist church a week ago Sunday evening and royally entertained our people. Those who were present say too much praise can not be given to the ones who made the meeting a decided success.

TOWNLIN TOPICS

Frank Ulman came home from Flint to spend the 4th with his family.

All of the farmers here are rejoicing over the splendid rain we had Sunday.

Guy Halligan came from Bay City last Friday to ship his household goods down there.

The meeting to buy war savings stamps at the school house June 28th was well attended.

Aaron Gauthier and family of Flint autoed to his father's, Lewis Gauthier's, to spend the 4th.

Mrs. Ephraim Webb spent the last part of the week visiting her son, Robert Webb of Alabaster.

Mr. and Mrs. Brown of Flint are spending the fourth with Mrs. Brown's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Friedrichson.

Miss Geraldine Halligan and Miss Maude Rutterbush went to Bay City Tuesday evening to spend the summer.

Last Tuesday evening Rev. Howard came to the M. E. church and gave us a fine talk on the Sunday school and its work.

M. E. Sunday school at 2:30 sharp next Sunday. We have set our standard at 50 scholars. Come and have your names put on the class books.

All of the tax payers must be at the school houses early the evening of July 8th to get the school business over in time for the program. The school houses will be opened at 6:30 sharp.

MILLS STATION AND LOCALITY

Mr. Mahar of St. Johns was in this locality on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Thompson of Bay City are visiting relatives here.

Miss Lou McMurray is home on a short visit. Thelma Hickingbottom, her niece, came with her.

Mr. and Mrs. Childs of Tuscola county visited their daughter, Mrs. Olive Partlow, Saturday and Sunday.

Born, to Mr. A. McMurray a son, June 20th. The infant only lived a few hours after its arrival. We extend our sympathy to the parents.

Mrs. Lewis Young and little son, Lloyd, left for Detroit Wednesday morning, after two weeks visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Huff. They were accompanied home by Chester Huff.

The Red Cross organized a unit here at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Ross, on Wednesday. Mrs. S. A. Ross is president, Mrs. Olive Partlow, secretary, Mrs. Orville Partlow, treasurer, and Mrs. F. Webster and Mrs. C. E. Huff as assistant. A large number were present. Meet every two weeks.

WHITTEMORE.

A cold wave last Monday.

Mrs. P. J. Hottois is ill at this writing.

Mrs. Emery Pierce left Monday for Detroit to spend the fourth.

Mr. James Upton spent Sunday with her mother and sister at Turner.

Rolandis Harsch, wife and children, spent Sunday with his parents in Reno.

Some of our young people attended the show at East Tawas Saturday evening.

Glad to note an increase in attendance at the Red Cross room Tuesday afternoon.

The canvass for War Savings Stamps the past week was reported satisfactory.

Mrs. Petrie of Detroit was here a few days, the guest of her cousin, Mrs. Jas. Leslie.

A beautiful rain fell here last Sunday which was much needed and "war gardens" are looking fine.

Mrs. Ambrose Wismer is here from St. Johns for a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Burr Hall, other relatives and friends.

Mr. Dease and daughter, also Mrs. Hutchins, from Perry are here visiting the various Beardslee families. They are relatives.

The families of E. Louks, M. Jensen, and C. H. Ridgley, also Maud Sloan, are enjoying an outing at Indian Lake for a few days.

Jesse Chase, wife and children, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. James Cataline, motored to Lansing Wednesday to spend the Fourth with Mr. and Mrs. Geo. A. Jackson.

Mrs. Thos. Ruckle has returned from Ann Arbor whither she went for medical treatment. Although unable to withstand an operation, glad to report she is somewhat improved.

Ed. Kiley, who has been employed in the elevator for some time past, has enlisted as an auto mechanic and will leave the 15th for one of the training camps. His position in the elevator has been taken by Wm. Leslie.

Somebody helped themselves to Mrs. Wismer's onions one night last week, so she wanted to know who it was and concealed herself in the lot and waited. The culprit appeared, got an armful, but in his haste when he found he was discovered dropped them by the fence and rapidly disappeared. We refrain at this time from divulging the name of the man so fond of onions, but he probably will gain some publicity if he continues this dastardly practice.

With regret we record the death of E. L. Clary at his home one mile north of the city at an early hour Tuesday, July 2, the result of a lingering illness, being confined to his bed for several weeks. He is survived by a devoted wife and two small children here, also two sons, Grant, of Washington D. C., Claud of Detroit, and a daughter by a former marriage Mrs. Blanche Blair of Mayville, to whom in this hour of tribulation is extended the sincere sympathy of the entire community. Funeral services have been arranged for Friday, July 5th, with interment in Reno cemetery.

LADLAWVILLE.

Mrs. Miles Main and children spent the week end with relatives in the city.

Miss Freda Buchholz is visiting Edna and Freda Anschuetz over the fourth.

Fred Musolf and friend, Miss Helma Schaa, visited Mr. and Mrs. John Westcott Sunday.

George Kobs arrived home from Wauwatosa, Wis. the latter part of the week, to spend his vacation.

Mesdames M. Main, W. E. Laidlaw, C. E. Fahselt and W. Hatten spent a pleasant day at Island lake last week Thursday.

Arthur Dettmer and Harold Friebe the former of Saginaw the latter of Bay City, are visiting at the home of C. H. Anschuetz and other friends.

F. W. Heinlein and daughter, Gertrude, of Saginaw are visiting at the homes of Oscar and George Fahselt and other relatives in town this week.

Edwin Anschuetz, of Batrum Saskatchewan arrived home on Wednesday to visit at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Anschuetz.

Miss Edna Anschuetz and cousin, Harold Gottleber of Bay City, came Monday to spend the week at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Anschuetz.

Mrs. John Walker and little daughter returned to their home in Bay City Wednesday evening, after a few weeks visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. Wood. Her sister Helen accompanied her, to remain indefinitely.

Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm McLeod received word that their son, Oren, was operated on for appendicitis at Swift Current, Saskatchewan on Thursday and was doing as well as could be expected. His many friends hope for a speedy recovery.

Remember! the men in our Army and Navy do not expect luxuries. Should we at home expect them? Buy necessities and War Savings Stamps.

HEMLOCK SLIVERS.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Smith and family, who motored to Mio last week, returned Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Watts visited Mr. and Mrs. H. Currey Thursday evening of last week.

Mrs. Edward Graham and daughter, Mrs. Dease, from Tawas City, visited at Jas. Watts' Friday of last week.

The Baptist Ladies Aid of the lower Hemlock met with Mrs. Jas. Watts last Tuesday and spent the day quilting.

Walter Watts came up from Saginaw Saturday to spend a few days with his mother, Mrs. Edward Wakefield.

Alf Burt, who has been confined to his bed for a few days, is some better at this writing, and is able to be up again.

Mr. and Mrs. Moses Braun and daughter, from Pigeon, are visiting Mrs. B's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Currey.

Don't forget the services at the Baptist church every Sunday afternoon, and the mid week services on Thursday evening.

We are glad to hear that Mr. Force, who went to Bay City a week ago for medical treatment, is much improved, and will soon be home again.

Mrs. R. L. Davis and Miss Aleen Emerich of Bay City, came up Wednesday afternoon to spend the fourth with their sister, Mrs. John McCardell jr.

There will be a patriotic rally in every school-house on Monday evening, July 8. There will be a speaker in each district, besides short programs by the pupils.

There was a good turn out at the Red Cross ice cream social given at the Orange hall last Wednesday evening, by the Tawas township workers. The net proceeds were \$24.36

Mr. and Mrs. John Allan and family and Miss Hattie Dempsey from Milwaukee, who have been visiting their parents for some time, returned Sunday evening. Charles Allan went back with them.

Junior Red Cross will meet at the Grant school, Dist. No. 2, Thursday afternoon, July 11, at two o'clock. Membership fee, twenty-five cents. See that your children are there. After the first meeting they will not need to be told to go.

There was a very small turn out at the Red Cross meeting at Mrs. St. Martin's last Thursday. But as it was a very busy week we will make allowances this time, but hope to see a larger crowd next Thursday afternoon, July 11. Meeting place, Mrs. St. Martin's. Everybody invited.

Service Flag dedication service will be held at the Saints church at McIvor Sunday, July 7th at 2:30 p. m. A short program will be rendered and Elder Haun of Bay City will deliver the address. Every body especially invited to the service in respect to our boys who have gone to the colors.

EMERY JUNCTION NOTES

Miss West is spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. Dunham.

Mrs. Smith from Flint has been visiting her cousin, Mrs. Simon Schuster.

Mrs. Powell has been visiting friends at Rochester for the past few days.

Mr. Weston from South Branch was back to town a few days last week.

Mrs. Dorsey and daughter have been spending a few days with Mrs. Alfred Fortune.

Mrs. Dunham from Turner made a short visit at the home of her son, Wesley Dunham.

Charles Rhodes and family are moving into the house formerly occupied by Mr. Parker.

Miss Anna Sloan has gone to Whittemore, where she expects to work for an indefinite length of time.

A large number of soldier boys passed the Junction Thursday and were greeted by many friends and relatives.

We shall be pleased to have you call at the store and see our line of groceries and meats, prices right. We will pay 43 cents for cream. adv

Miss Anna Riley recently made a trip to South Branch to make arrangements for the school, where she expects to teach the coming year.

Dr. Case from Tawas City was called to the home of Mrs. Armstrong Tuesday. She has been seriously afflicted for some time and is gradually growing weaker.

YOUR WAR GARDEN

How is your war garden coming.

Now that you have planted it do not neglect it.

Watch for the enemy!

Get after the kaiser bugs!

The potato bug is on the job and he is working for the kaiser.

Get some paris green or arsenate of lead and "gas" him. Use a spray and see that the poison is applied underneath the leaves as well as on top, in order to kill all the mites.

If neglected, even for a few days, the kaiser bugs may greatly damage your war gardens.

W. S. S.—BUY THEM!

HALE AND VICINITY.

James McKeen has his new residence completed.

S. B. Yawger arrived home Tuesday night from his vacation trip.

Mrs. Brace Shattuck was an over Sunday guest of Mrs. Elmer Shattuck.

Mrs. Walter Cowie of Mikado was a guest in the home of Dr. Cowie Sunday.

The much needed rain came Sunday and Monday, and the farmers are rejoicing.

Sodney Mucklepsh, our genial Indian, is home this week to spend the fourth.

James Munroe came home last Wednesday to attend his grandfather's funeral.

Mrs. Norris and children of Selkirk were visitors of Mrs. Melissa Earley Monday.

Charles Shotwell, Edwin Rehel and Joseph Crane, left town last Thursday for Camp Custer.

Miss Vina Morrison, who has been attending school in Pontiac the past year, arrived home Tuesday night.

Mrs. Earl Kaufman and baby and Miss Myrtle Clark, arrived Tuesday night to spend the fourth with relatives.

John Webb and Miss Luella Van-Wormer went to Postoria last Saturday to visit Rev. J. Dibley and family.

The remains of Mr. Turnbull, father of Mrs. Jay Graves, were brought here for burial last Wednesday. The funeral was held on Thursday from the home of Jay Graves, Rev. Chas. McKenzie officiating.

McIVOR MITES.

A much needed rain came Sunday followed by frost Monday night.

Will Farwell of Bay City is spending the week with his family here.

Miss Jeanette Farwell will leave soon for a visit with friends in Detroit.

A goodly number of our town people attended the celebration at Oscoda the 4th.

In the absence of station agent Field who, with his brother, Ed of Detroit, are visiting their mother at Millersburg, D. M. Relief Agent Goodrum is selling tickets at McIvor.

Mrs. Thos. Horne of Brown City and Mr. Springstead of Sarnia, Ont., visited over night Monday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Pringle. They were enroute home from Lincoln, where they had been called by the death of their sister, Mrs. Ezra Goheen.

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LONG LAKE BREEZES.

Mrs. Ross was on the sick list a few days last week.

Rev. McDonald and family are here for the summer.

Rev. Swan of Lansing is here visiting his daughter, Mrs. Patrick.

Rev. C. J. White and wife are South Branch visitors this week.

Jas. LaBerge autoed to the AuSable lake outing grounds last Monday.

The MacIntyres of Detroit are camping at AuSable lake for a time.

Jas. LaBerge and Norman Ballard drove to Hale last Saturday evening.

Orlo Nelson and wife are here for a visit with the former's grandmother, Mrs. O. Bradford.

L. A. LaBerge and daughters, Avis and Margaret, autoed to South Branch one day last week.

Dr. Egbert of Detroit came Tuesday evening to spend a few days vacation on the Ausable Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Zukermantel arrived this week to spend some time on the AuSable Lake outing grounds.

Mr. Auxter and family are here for some time on the grounds in their cottage, "The Ottawa Lodge."

Fred Holbeck and family, of Grand Rapids arrived Saturday night to occupy their cottage for the summer.

Austin Holbeck and family of Canton, Ohio autoed here to spend a few days with his brother, F. C. Holbeck.

The ladies' registration took place here one day last week. All were ready to help win the war in any way they could.

Mrs. B. Sperling and daughter, Leona, of Chesaning, came Monday night for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Thayer.

Line up and sign up on National War Savings Day.

SHERMAN SHOTS.

Frank Schneider was at Whittemore Monday.

Fred Housher of Twining was in town buying cattle Tuesday.

Chas Smith and Floyd Schneider were at Whittemore Monday.

Russel Williams of Whittemore was in town buying cattle Monday.

Rev. Geo. Biersens of Omer held Catholic services here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Mat Jordan autoed to Turner on business Tuesday.

Dr. McDonald of Turner was in town on professional business Saturday.

Simon Goupil and Henry Kane of Tawas City were in town on business Tuesday.

Miss Mary Hinkley and friend of Detroit are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Hinkley.

Mrs. Murray and daughter, May of Tawas City autoed here Tuesday and spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Schneider.

The Iosco and Arenac Telephone Co. held their annual meeting at the town hall Monday and elected Chas. Schneider president and Calvin Billings secretary and treasurer.

MUST PUBLISH DETAILED FINANCIAL STATEMENT

Attention of school officers is called to the new act passed at the last session of the Michigan legislature, which makes it mandatory upon all school trustees or officers to publish in some paper of the county a detailed financial statement prior to the first day of August each year. The penalty for failure to do so is a fine or jail sentence.

School officers should make a note of this new law, which applies to townships having no newspapers as well as those having newspapers.

Barley Mush.

1 C ground barley
3 C boiling water
1 t salt

Stir barley gradually into boiling salted water. Cook thoroughly about two hours.

Tapioca.

Tapioca is rich in starch. Use tapioca puddings often now, letting them take the place of batter puddings and pastry, both of which require flour. Be sure to cook tapioca thoroughly. The reason many people dislike tapioca is because it is uncooked, leaving a raw, starchy taste which is very disagreeable.

Vegetable Loaf.

1 C chopped carrots
1 C peanuts—ground
1 C strained tomato or meat stock
1 C boiled rice
1 C bread crumbs, or
1 C mashed potatoes.

Season well with salt, pepper and onion. Celery and other seasonings may be used.

Mix well. Shape into loaf. Bake as meat loaf. Serve with gravy, white sauce, or tomato sauce.

Carrot Souffle.

1 cup White Sauce, medium thickness
1 cup carrots, boiled and mashed
1 tablespoon minced onion
2 eggs
Salt
Paprika

Add the carrot, the onion, and the seasoning to the White Sauce, then add the beaten egg yolks and beat the whites of the eggs until they are stiff. Fold them lightly into the first mixture and turn this into a greased baking dish. Set the dish in a pan of hot water and bake the souffle in a moderate oven for 30 minutes. Serve it at once from the dish in which it was baked.

Boiled carrots, chopped or sliced with the addition of butter or meat drippings, vinegar, and salt and pepper to taste make a delicious vegetable dish.

Carrot and Cheese Salad.

1 pint grated raw carrot
1/2 cup grated cheese
Salt
Paprika

Mix the ingredients lightly together and serve them on lettuce with either French or Botted Dressing.

NOTE—In all of these recipes all measurements are level, and T equals tablespoon, t equals teaspoon, C equals cup, f. g. equals few grains, f. d. equals few drops.

THE PENALTY FOR HOARDING

Any person who willfully hoards any necessities shall upon conviction thereof be fined not exceeding \$5,000 or be imprisoned for not more than two years or both. Necessaries shall be deemed to be hoarded when either held, contracted for or arranged for by any person in a quantity in excess of his reasonable requirements for use and consumption for himself and dependents for a reasonable time.

Glass Making an Old Art.

Fragments of wine vases as old as the Exodus have been discovered in Egypt. The art of glass making was probably known to the ancient Assyrians. In the New Testament glass is alluded to as an emblem of brightness (Rev. 4:8; 15:2; 21:17).

TAWAS CITY MARKETS

Below we give the buying prices for grain and other farm products, as furnished by the Wilson Grain Co., these prices being current on Thursday morning of this week:

Rye	1.60
Oats	.75
Peas, per bu.	2.75
Buckwheat, per cwt.	3.25
Barley per cwt.	2.75

The Tawas Herald, \$2.00 per year.

FROM ALVIN J. COLBURN

My Dear Mother—

I know this letter will make your dear heart ache, but you know Gods will be done.

We may leave for France soon, but don't know just when.

I have no fear, dear mother, and am anxious to go. You see dear mother after all I am just one among thousands of others, with loved ones the same as my own, and we are going over there with our hearts fond and true and how well we know that old Glory will never die.

And when I return mother dear I will bring with me the greatest blessing that was in this America, and that will be the greatest sound that ever rang, and which rang for our forefathers long ago. The bell is, that we all know, but she will ring when we come back as she rang long ago.

Now dear mother try and look at the bright side of this awful affair that is going on over there, and if every boy feels as I do about it they will go with a heart to do all we can.

This is all I have to say at present mother dear. So be a good little mother and trust in our Savior and all will be well. I feel God will carry me safely through mother. Trusting all will be well, hoping you are all well. With love from your loving son

Private Alvin J. Colburn
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