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### HAPPENINGS OF THE WEEK

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

Potatoes, call McCaskey. adv-49  
Fire insurance. Fred Swartz. adv  
George Prescott attended the state fair at Detroit last week.  
Nelson and Edith Sawyer spent the week with friends at Whittemore.  
Mrs. Peter Anderson is visiting her sister, Mrs. M. Jacobs, in Alabaster.  
J. E. Laidlaw of Gladstone has been the guest of his brother, Geo. Laidlaw, this week.  
Ed. L. Pierson was confined to his home by an attack of tonsillitis a few days the past week.  
Mrs. J. H. Davison of Flint arrived last Saturday for a short visit at the home of David Davison.  
Mr. and Mrs. Bert Stickney of Oscoda spent a number of days this week with relatives here.  
Mrs. C. A. Ehrhardt and little son left Monday for Hadley where they will spend a week with friends.  
Rev. Joshua Roberts and son, Fred, visited relatives at Flint and Bay City a number of days this week.  
Mrs. J. M. Wuggazer returned last Thursday from Detroit, where she spent several weeks with friends.  
Miss Elena Goff left Tuesday for Detroit, where she will take a course for nurses at Harper's hospital.  
Preston Kintz returned to his home at LeRoy Tuesday after a weeks visit with his uncle, Supt. Eugene Swem.  
Frank Siedoff returned to Camp Custer Wednesday evening after a months furlough at his home in this city.  
Miss Tirzah Roberts left last Friday for Bay City, where she will teach in the Eastern high school the coming year.  
John Webster returned to his work at Flint last Saturday after a few days visit with his mother, Mrs. J. Thornton.  
Mrs. Fred Schriber and little son, of Detroit, are the guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Moore, this week.  
Mrs. James Robinson and little daughter, of Onaway, are visiting at the home of her mother, Mrs. M. Murphy, this week.  
Miss Florence Stickney returned to Council Bluffs, Iowa, last Saturday after spending two months vacation at her home in this city.  
Miss Katherine Sands, who has been a patient at Mercy hospital, Bay City, the past three weeks, returned to her home in this city Monday.  
The Ladies' Aid society of the Tawas City Presbyterian church will meet at the home of Mrs. A. C. Brown in East Tawas this (Friday) afternoon.  
Mrs. Thomas McLaughlin and little sons returned to their home at Chicago, Ill. last Thursday after an extended visit with her father, Thomas Bradley.  
Mrs. Frank R. Case was brought home from the Bay City hospital last Thursday. She is still very weak, but is improving as rapidly as can be expected.  
Ethel Barrymore in "Life's Whirlpool," Saturday night, Sept 14, at the Family Theatre. Admission 10c and 25c. Entire change of program Sunday night.  
Mr. and Mrs. Edward Stevens and little son, Edward jr., returned to their home at Ironwood last Thursday after an extended visit with Mrs. S's mother, Mrs. L. B. Smith.  
Don't forget that Sept. 28, 29, and 30 are voluntary days for the Fourth Liberty Loan. Get your subscriptions in on one of these days instead of waiting to be solicited.  
Rev. Alex Anderson came down from Munising Tuesday for a short visit with his family here. Wednesday morning he went to Detroit on a business trip, returning Thursday.  
William Duclos drove over from Grayling Saturday night and returned Tuesday afternoon, accompanied by Mrs. Duclos, who had been spending a week at the home of her brother, Jas. E. Ballard.  
The Jackie Band, who are touring the country in the interest of the Fourth Liberty Loan, will be in the Tawas September 23 and 24. On the evening of the 23rd they will be at East Tawas and a patriotic meeting will be held in that city with the Jackie Band furnishing the music, and Arthur C. Vandenberg of Grand Rapids, one of the best orators in the state, as the speaker. On the morning of the 24th the Jackie Band will be in Tawas City at eight o'clock and will render a number of selections

C. W. Sartor spent the week end at his home in Alma.  
Mrs. L. Schrader and little son returned to their home at Caro last Thursday after several weeks visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Rollin. Mrs. Rollin accompanied them as far as Bay City and spent a number of days with relatives there.  
The Iosco county normal class this year consists of only nine students. They are: Clara Mielock, Margaret Baker, Mary Mielock and Lulu Baker of Alabaster; Florence Graves and Margaret Munroe of Hale; Irene Marontate of East Tawas. Ruth Swem of Ashton, and Katherine Trainor of this city.  
In a letter to his father, F. F. Taylor of this city, Carl H. Taylor, who has been serving as chief machinist mate on the U. S. S. Columbia, states that he had been transferred to Annapolis for a sixteen weeks training course, after which he will be commissioned as an ensign in the U. S. navy. Carl is expected home this week for a short furlough before reporting at Annapolis.  
PRIZE BEEF BROUGHT 70c PER POUND  
What is probably a record price for beef in Michigan was realized at Detroit last Friday, when a steer weighing 1280 pounds, one of the prize animals exhibited by C. H. Prescott & Sons at the state fair, was sold at auction for \$910, or 70 cents per pound.  
The animal was purchased by the Newton Packing Co., and was kept on exhibit by them for several days before being butchered. It would be interesting to know what the cuts from the dressed animal bring at retail.  
C. H. Prescott & Sons were awarded several prizes on their Shorthorn stock at the state fair, and it was stated that their exhibit was the best showing of cattle ever seen in Michigan.  
LIEUT. CHARLES B. THOMAS, KILLED  
Second Lieutenant Charles B. Thomas, eldest son of Rev. and Mrs. B. H. Thomas of Bay City, and nephew of Geo. A. Prescott, sr. of this city, was instantly killed Monday morning when the aeroplane which he was driving at Selfridge Field, Mt. Clemens, collided with another plane.  
Lieut. Howard B. Hull of Bridgeport, Conn., who was gunner in the machine, was also killed.  
The two planes were engaged in a sham battle in the air, when Thomas collided with his adversary and both machines came down. The machine which Thomas was driving collapsed in the fall and both men were dead when assistance reached them. Neither of the occupants of the other machine were injured.  
Lieut. Thomas was well known in Tawas City, having spent the summers here with his parents, who have a summer home in this city. The family have a host of friends here, whose deep sympathy will be with them in their tragic loss.  
Another son, Harold, is also in the service and is with the American expeditionary forces overseas.  
MILLION AND HALF IS TOLL OF SMUTS  
East Lansing, Mich., Sept. 10.—A grand total of 350,421 bushels of wheat, and 1,239,430 bushels of oats, valued at \$1,526,106.38 were destroyed in Michigan during the past summer by the disease known as "smut"—"stinking smut" of wheat and "loose smut" of oats, according to a report from the Michigan Agricultural college.  
The damage inflicted upon wheat, the inspectors found, averaged about 3.77 per cent of the crop. As the harvest this summer amounted to 9,295,000 bushels, the loss of wheat was 350,421 bushels, or enough to supply 18 ounces of white bread daily for a year to an army division of 40,000 men.  
The loss of the oat crop was 2.14 per cent, or 1,239,430 bushels valued at \$737,658.  
Failure by many farmers to treat their grain with formaldehyde before planting is said by the college to have been responsible for the loss. Formaldehyde, according to the pathologists, is an absolute protective agent. Growers are advised that instructions on how to treat grain can be secured from their local county agricultural agents, or by writing to the Department of Botany, M. A. C., East Lansing.  
Really, we did not think the editor of the East Tawas Gazette was old enough to have had twenty years acquaintance with northern Michigan newspaper men. But if there is any more venom in the Gazette editorial pen we'd like to see the results of it. Might as well get the vituperation out of your system now as any time. It is pleasing to note, however, that the Gazette has ceased violating the Federal law and now marks its advertisements according to Uncle Sam's mandate.

LAST CALL FOR DELINQUENTS.  
In obedience to the ruling of the War Industries Board it will be necessary for all newspapers to discontinue sending papers to subscribers who are in arrears after Sept. 15. This ruling is mandatory in order to continue receiving a supply of paper and no choice is left to the newspapers.  
Herald subscribers are requested to look at the date on the label of their paper and if it shows that you are not paid in advance, better send a remittance at once in order to continue receiving the paper.  
U. S. PUBLIC SERVICE RESERVE.  
The U. S. Public Service Reserve, which is the recruiting arm of the Department of Labor, of which Mr. John A. Russell is the Director for Michigan, has appointed Frank Calkins of Grayling as District Organizer for the Ninth District which comprises the following counties: Iosco, Ogemaw, Roscommon, Alcona, Oscoda, Crawford, Alpena, Montmorency, Otsego, Presque Isle and Cheboygan counties.  
There has been also appointed in each of these counties a County Director, as follows: Iosco County, Jas. E. Dillon, East Tawas; Ogemaw County, E. M. Harris, West Branch; Roscommon, W. M. Coon, Roscommon; Alcona, R. J. McMillan, Harrisville; Oscoda, M. F. Nellist, Mio; Cheboygan, J. F. Shepherd, Cheboygan; Crawford, T. W. Hanson, Grayling; Alpena, F. A. Kimball, Alpena; Montmorency, H. S. Elliott, Atlanta; Otsego, Glen R. Miner, Gaylord; Presque Isle, J. F. Morford, Onaway. In turn these County Directors will appoint a representative of the Reserve in each of the towns in their territory, a list of these men will be announced later through these columns.  
In the meantime men desiring to recruit for war work in Michigan may get in touch with the nearest County Director. Michigan now has a shortage of nearly twenty-thousand laborers and this shortage must be recruited from the rank and file of men in the state who are now either not working at all or doing non-essential work, or farmers who will be able to work during the winter months; no one now doing essential work will be taken. The pay will range from \$3.50 a day up. It is the intention to make it fashionable for all men to work at something essential.

COMMUNITY HOUSE FOR CAMP CUSTER  
Lansing, Mich., Sept 10.—Preparatory work for the big community house and dormitory to be constructed by the state at Camp Custer is already underway and within less than two months, the fathers, mothers, sisters, brothers, and sweethearts of Michigan's soldier boys will be able to go to Custer to visit the selected men under comfortable circumstances. Thus far, there have been at Custer no accommodations of any kind for those who go to pay a farewell visit before the boys leave for the battlefield in France. The community house will not only be a place where the boys can meet and entertain their visitors, but the latter can secure accommodations there at a nominal price, both rooms and meals. Mother and fathers will be able to say good bye in the seclusion of their own rooms—today these sacred, and perhaps last farewells must be said in public.  
The club house will be for enlisted men and officers alike—there will be no distinction. It is the wish of the army heads that these club houses be democratic. The humblest private will have every privilege accorded a major general; they will meet and mingle on equal footing. Entertainments will be given every night for the boys—a big auditorium being provided. Writing rooms, lounging rooms and all other benefits of club life will be afforded. The dormitories will be built as wings on two sides of the club house, and will have accommodations for 300 persons.  
The committee appointed by Governor Sleeper to supervise the construction and expenditures, promises a building that cannot be duplicated for the same cost by any private enterprise. It has already made contracts for material with a number of concerns at cost prices, gaining this advantage by appealing to the patriotism of dealers. It hopes to secure every bit of material for building and furnishing on similar favorable terms, similar favorable terms.  
COUNTY AGENT COLUMN  
C. P. Millham.  
Office Court House, Tawas City. Fridays and week days from 8 to 9, phone 28-F-21.  
Fair time is drawing near in this county. During war times the fairs take on greater aspects. They serve many purposes.  
The first fair held in the United States of which there is any record, was held in Cambridge, Massachusetts in 1804. This has increased until the present time when more than 3000 are held. There must be a reason for this increase. At one time the purpose of fairs was merely to make money, but today sees a great change. Fairs now are educational and entertaining, and serve a useful purpose. Everyone living in the county should be interested in the bettering of crops, livestock, social and educational life within the county.  
This interest can be proven by the support given the fair. Anyone who has something in any line connected with the fair which is superior to that owned by anyone else should for his own benefit and the benefit of those coming to find the best, bring that thing to the fair be it grain, livestock, fancy work, school work or arts. If a fair stimulates production of better things it is a valuable institution to any county even though financially it loses. In order to make the fair a success everyone should keep this in mind: If everyone exhibited just like me, what kind of a fair would this fair be.  
There will be a serious seed corn shortage next spring. If you have good, pure, ripe corn let the county agent know in order to help you place it. There may be a demonstrator in the county September 18 to 20. Any farmer who wishes to be shown all the best methods about corn should speak for the demonstrator before that time.  
METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH  
Sunday, September 15, 1918.  
10:00 a. m.—Morning worship. Sermon "Lovest Thou Me."  
11:15 a. m.—Sunday school.  
7:30 p. m.—Evening service. Sermon, "The Three Bearers for Every Burden." This is the last service of the conference year. Everyone is especially invited to this final service.  
H. T. Howard, pastor  
Old newspapers for sale at this office, 5c per bundle.

### EAST TAWAS DEPARTMENT

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

Miss Ella Boldt went to Jackson Monday, where she will attend school this year.  
Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Wood and grandson, Alva III, went to Flint Friday for a visit with relatives.  
Miss Myrtle Vann returned to her home in Detroit Saturday, after a two weeks visit with Mrs. Boyer.  
J. B. Reasoner of Flint spent the week end with his wife, who is the guest of her mother, Mrs. D. Boyer.  
Miss Harriet Schill went to Battle Creek Saturday, where she is enrolled as a student in the Michigan Business Normal College.  
Mrs. Joseph Reinke who has been in Mercy hospital, Bay City returned home Saturday night. She is much improved in health.  
Mrs. James Hughes and little son, James, who have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. James LaBerge, returned to their home in Lansing Saturday.  
Extensive repairs are being made to the Presbyterian church. A new roof is being put on and the tall spire has been removed. The Methodist church has also been re-roofed.  
Arthur Bartlett of Detroit, who has been visiting his parents, the past week, left Monday for St. Paul, Minn., where he will enter the aviation school. His wife left the same day for their home in Detroit.  
Mrs. E. L. King accompanied her son, Kenneth, and daughter, Alice, to Monroe Monday, where they will attend school the coming year. Mrs. King visited friends for a short time before returning home.  
Friends of Henry Hanson will be grieved to learn that the baths of Mt. Clemens did not afford him the benefit hoped for. He was brought back to his home on Saturday last and his family feel great anxiety regarding his condition.  
Word was received here Wednesday of the death of Mrs. Catherine Ash, mother of Mrs. E. G. Ash, at the Old Ladies home in Bay City. Mr. Ash is visiting in Canada, so no particulars are obtainable at present, but the body will be brought to East Tawas for burial.  
The memorial service held in the Presbyterian church Sunday night in honor of Corporal Audie Johnson, our first sacrifice on the battle fields of France, were well attended. Rev. L. G. McAndrew delivered a touching address and special music was rendered. The service flag at the Johnson home is the first one in this city to bear a gold star.  
Tawas Beach club house closes the fifteenth of this month (Sunday) after a very successful season. The delightful bathing facilities and other means of passing a pleasant vacation season, are making East Tawas a growing resort town, especially since the East Michigan Pike enthusiasts are making motoring between here and Detroit an easy method of reaching the Beach.  
East Tawas faces a peculiar situation in regard to the instructions received from the government relative to the election of any railroad employee to any political office. This city numbers four railroad men among its council men and should they resign in a body there would not be a quorum left to transact city business. Mayor Grant has written the attorney general relative to the matter, and perhaps, inasmuch as the councilmen were elected to office before the government took over the railroads, the ruling may not apply to them. The men affected are C. A. Pinkerton, 1st ward, George Harmon, 2nd ward, and Anton Anschuetz and Victor Johnson, 3rd ward.  
ALABASTER SCHOOL NOTES  
The intermediate room organized a Thrift Club, with Elmer Benson as president, Clinton Ulman as vice-president; Doris Musolf as secretary and Miss Hendrickson as treasurer.  
We enjoyed a visit from Mr. Campbell last Monday afternoon.  
We have elected the following officers for Junior Red Cross: Florence Phelps, president; Helen Hendrickson, vice-president; Doris Doby, secretary and Lillian Spring, treasurer.  
The primary room has 44 children enrolled.  
BE KIND TO YOUR HORSE AND ALL DUMB CREATURES. IT SHOWS THE GENTLEMAN. adv  
Old newspapers for sale at this office, 5c per bundle.

DEATH OF MRS. KATE JAMEISON  
Mrs. Kate Jameison, a resident of East Tawas for 32 years died at her home here after an illness of but 24 hours. She was about her household duties all day Tuesday, and was suddenly stricken with paralysis at about 6 o'clock Tuesday evening. She died Wednesday evening without regaining consciousness.  
Mrs. Jameison was born in Pennsylvania in 1852, coming to East Tawas in 1886. One daughter, Mrs. Nellie Whitman is left to mourn her loss. She also had seven grandchildren, one of whom is in government service in Oregon.  
The funeral will be held this (Friday) afternoon, at 2:30 at the Presbyterian church of which she was a member. Rev. McAndrew officiating.  
She was a member of the W. R. C. The W. C. T. U. and other organizations, who will attend the funeral in a body. Burial will be beside her husband in the soldiers' cemetery.  
A SAD TRAGEDY  
Just after we had gone to press last week, came the sad news of the tragical death of Lucile, only child of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Warren, at Palo Alto, Calif., where she was visiting friends. The parents of the dead girl were residents of East Tawas for many years, and Miss Lucile was born here nineteen years ago. A few years ago, Mr. Warren removed his family to Portland, Oregon, where they have since resided. Miss Lucile finished her education in that city and accepted a position as book-keeper in one of the large stores there.  
During her vacation, which she was spending as the guest of a girl friend in Palo Alto, she was shot and killed by a young soldier who was an acquaintance of the family. Two friends who were with her at the time also received bullet wounds. The body was removed to Portland, Oregon for burial. The many friends of the family in the Tawas extend their sincere sympathy in the hour of their deep distress.  
FROM GEORGE M. SOMMERFIELD  
Somewhere in France, Aug. 9, 1918.  
Dear sister Caroline, and all:—  
Just a few lines to let you know that I am fine and dandy. And hope these few lines will find you all the same! I haven't heard from you since I left Humphreys. Did you get my mail alright. If you haven't I suppose mother is somewhat worried. Well tell her not to worry for we are all well taken care of.  
I weigh 171 pounds now so you can see that I haven't lost any. I feel better now than I ever did. The drills and hikes did me a lot of good, even if they were hard at times.  
I have got a nice rifle and believe me I think the world of it. I have got so that I can handle it about as good as I did the dredge.  
I wish you could see me when I have my helmet on, it is so becoming to me. They are all the style over here.  
I saw William Casper the other night. He said to tell you hello for him. I haven't seen or heard anything from Kenneth Wheeler since I left Custer. Send me his address if you can.  
Well how is everything getting along at Tawas. Bet you have a big time with that boat. I know I would if I were there.  
Well Caroline write and tell me all the news, and tell Myrna and the rest to write too. So bye bye. I will write again in a few days.  
Your loving Brother,  
George M. Sommerfield  
No. 2037300 Co. I. 116th Engr's  
American E. F. A. P. O. 733  
Via New York France

W. S. S.—BUY THEM



**Daily Thought.**  
Many men build as cathedrals were built, the part nearest the ground finished; but that part which soars toward heaven, the turrets and the spires, forever incomplete. — Henry Ward Beecher.

**A Reply.**  
"Do you think playing a game of pool hurtful or wrong?" asks a young saphead of Galveston. We think playing a game of pool to be entirely all right—provided the player has put in a full day's work.—Houston Post.

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**WHAT YOUR SUBSCRIPTION MEANS**

When you subscribe to a Liberty Loan you subscribe to the sentiment that the world must be made safe for democracy and subscribe to the fund that is to make the world safe for democracy.

You subscribe to the belief that innocent women and children on unarmed ships shall not be sent to the bottom of the sea; that women and children and old men shall not be ravished and tortured and murdered under the plea of military necessity; that nurses shall not be shot for deeds of mercy, nor hospital ships be sunk without warning, nor hospitals and unfortified cities be bombed or cannonaded with long-range guns.

You subscribe to the doctrine that small nations have the same rights as great and powerful ones; that might is not right, and that Germany shall not force upon the world the dominion of her military masters.

You subscribe, when you subscribe to a Liberty Loan, to the belief that America entered this war for a just and noble cause; that our soldiers in France and our sailors on the sea are fighting for right and justice.

And you subscribe to the American sentiment that they must and shall be powerful, efficient, and victorious.

**A DAILY DUTY**

Each day every American soldier in France is confronted by a great duty. Our Army there has a great task to perform for our country, for the world, for civilization, and for humanity. Our soldiers are doing their duty with a courage and fidelity and efficiency that thrill every heart.

Each day every American citizen at home is confronted by a great duty, a duty as imperative upon him or her as the duty of our soldiers is upon them. The American people have a great task to perform. It is to support to the limit of their ability our Army, our Navy, our country at war.

To work with increased energy and efficiency so that our national production may be increased; to economize in consumption so that more material and labor and transportation may be left free for the uses of the Government; and with the resultant savings to support the Government financially is the daily duty of every American. It is a duty that will be met by every American whose heart is with our soldiers in France, who glories in their courage and fighting ability and their success.

**C. M. N. S. An ARMY TRAINING SCHOOL**

The War Department has officially designated Central Michigan Normal School of Mt. Pleasant the location of a unit of the Students' Army Training corps, to be under the direct supervision of the War Department and to provide military training for boys of central and northern Michigan, between the ages of 18 and 21. An army officer will be in charge, assisted by five men who are now being trained expressly for this purpose at Government expense at Fort Sheridan. Rifles, uniforms, overcoats and other equipment will be provided free by the War Department.

The purpose of this special War Department plan is to train boys who have had a good preliminary education to become eligible to enter officers' training camps, and for other specialized war service. The War Department has further planned to supplement this training by a six weeks' intensive course at a summer camp at Government expense, although it is possible that new draft regulations by Congress may upset this part of the plan so far as the older boys are concerned.

Central Michigan Normal School is receiving frequent instructions from the War Department by telegram and letters and will at any time communicate the most recent information in reply to inquiries from eligible boys or their parents. This office has on hand a copy of a circular, issued by the School, which covers all details of the plan indicated by the War Department to date. A copy will be mailed by Central Michigan Normal School to any parent or boy requesting it.

**Shorthand in Chinese.**

The inventor of the system of shorthand established in China, must be nothing less than a genius. The language has no written vowels and consonants, and one syllable, spoken in as many as nine different tones, has as many meanings. In spite of these difficulties, the new system permits a speed of 140 words a minute. Schools for teaching shorthand are being established in various parts of the country.

**FROM OUR SOLDIER BOYS**

**FROM ROBERT BUCK**

Firdale, Wash., August 25, 1918.  
Dear Auntie and Uncle:—  
As this is Sunday, and I have some spare time, I'll write you a few lines about my life out here in the woods.

I left Vancouver August 20, and have put four days of work here now. Glenwood is still with me. I came here against my wishes to be with him, but now I am glad I came. I like it here very well so far. We have nice clean camps to sleep in and the very best of grub to eat and believe me, we do eat here in the timber.

I have been firing donkey engines most of the time; it is not very hard work, we only work 8 hours a day, so have lots of time to rest. I am getting \$4.00 a day, but it costs lots for clothes. We have to have good clothes, for it rains nearly every day. A pair of high top shoes costs \$14.00.

There are about 50 soldiers in this lumber camp, the rest are civilian workmen. We have our first pay day the 10th of September. I expect to have some money to send home then.

Well auntie how I would like to be in your home today. What a lot I could tell you that I can not on paper, for I have seen a lot of country since I left "dear old Hale." Have been in and through seven states. I have seen the great wheat fields of Dakota, the great snow capped mountains of Montana and Idaho, have gone through hundreds of railroad tunnels, and over miles and miles of hot sandy deserts, and have made one trip to the beautiful city of Portland, Oregon. And now I am seeing some of the great trees of the forests in Washington.

Yes, it has all been a great sight to me, but I would like very much to see my old Michigan with her beautiful lakes and streams; and when Uncle Sam turn me loose, I will not be long getting there.

How I do wish you could see the way they lumber here. They do not use a horse for anything, have not seen any around here yet, but they pull all logs with donkey engines and cables. Some of the trees are 200 ft. high eight and ten ft. at the butt, mostly spruce.

We do not have to do any military training here. I had some at Vancouver, but not as much as I would like to have had. I do not know how long I will be here, for I am Uncle Sam's man, and he may send me some where else at any time. I wish we had a Y. M. C. A. here, but the nearest one is at Camp Raymond about 12 miles away. Think I will go over next Saturday night and stay until Sunday night, as we can go on the train. Well I hear I am "Uncle Bob" Oh, how I would like to see my dear little niece, but may be the Lord will let me come back to you all some day, so auntie you must not work too hard and take good care of your health, so I can see you some day as well as I left you, and all the rest of my folks over there, is my prayer. But I have the joy of knowing, that I am doing my part to help to win this great war. I have been looking for a letter from you, but think it may be at Vancouver. They told us they would send our mail to us, but no one has got any yet. Have had two letters from my folks at Flint, and one from grandma. Expect ma will be back at Hale by the time you get this letter. Glenwood has been busy with his kodak, so when he gets some good ones finished, will send you some.

Is Hazel with you yet, if so please remember me to her. Have not heard from many of the young folks yet, but hope to soon. Have sent about 50 cards and letters from here, and think I ought to be getting some returns soon. Write and tell me all that is going on there. How are the crops. Do not see much farming here. From your loving nephew,  
Robbie Buck  
Camp 11 Firdale, Wash.

**FROM GLEN STREETER**

Firdale, Wash., August 25, 1918.  
Dear Katie and All:—  
I will try and write you a few lines today. We are just having our summer now. They say it has rained for seven months nearly every day. I like it here pretty good, but would rather be home. There is no place to write or anything else, we have a hard time to get anything at all. We had to buy shoes \$14.00 and a rain coat or a canvas coat to keep dry. It rained for a day and a half since we have been here. It will cost us \$60.00 for clothes if we are here for the winter. We have to have the best wool that can be bought. It does not get so cold but rains every day.

We are about sixty miles from the coast. Bob and me are still together in the same bunk house. We get good feed now. We have sausage, pan cakes potatoes, bread and butter, coffee and sugar for breakfast; roast beef, pork and a regular picnic dinner for dinner and plates to eat off from. Every thing is set on the table, help yourself. Our work is hard no sitting around, steady going every minute.

We have to climb a hill nearly straight up every morning and noon. It is nearly a days work to just do that. We get \$4.00 a day. We have to pay 35c a meal, that makes \$1.05 a day for board and the government takes out \$1.40 a day, so by the time we get our clothes paid for we don't have much left for the first two pay days. We get paid the 10th of Sept. We came here the 20th of Aug. and the company holds back ten days. I have just got one letter from home so far, expect some this week.

I am sending some pictures I took on the train and some while I was here. I wish I could come home next week, but don't believe I will. I am sick of the mountains already. I was using a ten foot saw alone Saturday. Everybody saws alone. A good lumber gets \$5.20 a day, that is men who cut logs, and the fallers get \$6.00. Some days the lumber only makes one cut on big trees.

Trees grow 300 ft. high here. I cut a log for wood sixty paces and it was thirty inches at the top. We are making a pole road. We blowed a stump and only used 75 sticks of dynamite. We ran about 200 rods and got behind a big tree.

We have good spring water to drink, that helps a lot. Every thing is high here just about one-third higher here than home.

Well I will have to close for this time. Write soon and tell the kids hello for me.

Good bye  
Glenwood  
Camp 11 Firdale, Wash

**FROM LESTER BIGGS**

August 1918.  
Dear Mother and All:—  
I find myself seated to write you just a few lines to let you know I am well and still alive.

I am having a good time over here. It is some different in this part of the world than it is in Michigan. I was out for a little walk this afternoon. I see some nice homes.

I hope you are all well and enjoying yourselves the same as I am. You need not worry about me I am O. K. They use me fine over here. I am getting fat. We get good chuck. I suppose you have received a letter before this one. I have written before. I haven't received any mail since I landed.

We came across all O. K. didn't have any trouble. It was some joy ride.

Well I guess I can't think of much to write. News is scarce. I will look for a lot of news when you write. You can write more than I can.

Tell Cady I said hello. I sent her a letter yesterday. Tell all the rest hello for me. Tell them to write.

I guess I will have to close. Hoping to hear from you soon.  
Love to all  
Lester  
I am somewhere in England. I don't just know where.

**FROM DEO BOWEN**

Somewhere in France, Aug. 1, 1918.  
Dear Aunt, Uncle and Cousins:—  
I received your ever welcome letter yesterday; glad to hear from you as usual and to hear you were all well as this leaves me.

Well I am on guard today, got to go on in about ten minutes, walk post for two hours and then off for 4 hours before I go on again.

I just had my supper. Had slum, biscuits, jam, butter, and coffee with sugar in it. So you see we don't starve.

We had a little excitement last night, air raid and aeroplanes battling over us, so you see we don't get lonely some when that happens anyway. The weather is fine here nowadays, haven't had any rain in two or three days. It is a fright the way the wheat and other grain fields are. It had ought to have been cut a week and a half ago and it still stands, and the fields are so full of shell holes too, and nicer grain I never saw. But there isn't any farmers within twenty miles I guess so I don't think the grain will get cut very soon anyway.

I just came off guard and am tired. Didn't get any mail today, but I don't guess it will be long before I do, as I get lots of mail nowadays. When we first got here we didn't get mail only once about every two or three weeks and now we get mail every day.

Well I will saw off for tonight, August 2 p. m. It started to rain about daylight this morning and it is still raining at 8 o'clock. I am off guard and have to clean my rifle as it sure got rusty during the rain.

Will close with love to all. Write often.

Deo B. Bowen  
Bty. D. 1st Battalion, French Art  
American Exp. Forces  
Via New York, France

**The Allotted Span.**

The "allotted span" of life is, officially, threescore years and ten. We knew a doctor who declared that if we lived sensibly we should not die till we were 150. Unfortunately, however, we cannot refer you to this gentleman personally for his prescription, as he died a natural death two years ago, at the age of thirty-six.—London Tit-Bits.

Old newspapers for sale at this office, 5c per bundle.

**List Your Live Stock With the Grange Co-Operative Association**

Because of the difference in prices between thin and fat stuff it will pay you to get your stock in shape before shipping. Example: good veals at 19c brought more than thin yearlings at 7c in our last shipment.

Will be shipping sheep and hogs when ready.

FRED C. LATTER, Sec'y-Treas.

Whittemore

Michigan

**Notice to Owners of Liberty Bonds**

LIBERTY BONDS of the FIRST ISSUE, also Bonds of the First Liberty Loan Converted and Bonds of the SECOND LIBERTY LOAN may now be converted into Bonds of the THIRD LIBERTY LOAN drawing 4 1-4 per cent.

Our Banks offer their services in forwarding such bonds for conversion.

Bonds should be left with us not later than Sept. 18th.

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East Tawas Tawas City Hale

**Cull Beans**

We have a quantity of Cull Beans that we will sell at

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We also carry a stock of

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Tawas City, Mich.

**Stove Repairs**

We recently saw in a junk wagon two stoves that for lack of about two dollars, spent at the right time, would have saved the owner \$25.00.

Are you letting the junk pile get your stove for the want of a few repairs?

You can help the Nation NOW by saving the old stove. New stoves are scarce and high in price. Save fuel! Save labor! Save iron, for the Nation by repairing the old stove.

Fill out this blank and send to us:

Name of stove \_\_\_\_\_

Maker's name \_\_\_\_\_

Number in full \_\_\_\_\_

Part wanted \_\_\_\_\_

Your name \_\_\_\_\_

Do it now---you can't make money any faster.

**C. H. PRESCOTT & SONS**

Tawas City, Michigan

**New Fall and Winter Goods**

New shipments of fall and winter goods are arriving daily at this store and we are now prepared to supply your needs in every line. Prices are constantly increasing and it will pay you to do your buying now before they go higher. Our prices are lower than the goods can be bought at wholesale today.

**Men's Suits**

We have received our allotment of men's suits, which is only about ten per cent of the number ordered, and if you wish a new suit this fall you had better order it now as the supply will not last long.

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Michigan

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Michigan's Biggest County Fair

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**DON'T MISS IT**

**Auction Sale**

The undersigned being employed at Cleveland, Ohio, will sell at public auction on the farm occupied by him, 2 1/2 miles south and 1 mile east of Melvor station on

**Monday, Sept. 16**

beginning at one o'clock sharp, the following described property, to-wit

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| One bay Gelding, 6 years old, weight 1300            | One bean lifter  |
| One sorrel mare, 4 years old, weight 1300, with foal | One Deering mower  |
| One bay driving mare, weight 900 with foal           | One Champion dump rake   |
| One gray mare 6 years old, weight 1250               | One walking plow   |
| One gray mare 6 years old, weight 1250               | One set disc harrows   |
| One red and white cow, 8 yrs. old due in October     | One spike tooth harrow   |
| One red cow 9 yrs. old, due in February              | One spring tooth harrow  |
| One black cow 5 yrs. old, fresh last July            | One riding cultivator  |
| One line back cow 5 yrs. old, due in February        | Two walking cultivators  |
| One red and white cow, 10 yrs. old, due in November  | One set driving harness  |
| One white cow, 10 yrs. old                           | Two set heavy sleighs  |
| One red and white cow, 10 yrs. old                   | One wagon One single buggy                                     |
| One red and white cow, 8 yrs. old                    | Two set heavy harness  |
| One red and white cow, 5 yrs. old                    | One brass trimmed harness                                      |
| One two-year-old bull                                | One set double driving harness                                 |
| Twelve calves  | Wagon box and spring seat                                      |
| Eight shoats weight about 125 to 150 pounds each     | One flat rake One hand seeder                                  |
|  | Two wood racks   |
|  | One Butterfly No. 2 separator                                  |
|  | Two shot guns  |
|  | One feed cooker  |
|  | Thirty-five ton baled hay                                      |
|  | Hay forks, rope and pulley                                     |
|  | Fur coat   |
|  | Household furniture and other articles too numerous to mention |

**TERMS OF SALE**—All sums of \$5 or under, cash; on sums over that amount one year's time will be given on approved bankable notes bearing 8 per cent interest, payable at Isco County Bank, Whittemore, Mich. No goods to be removed from premises until settlement is made.

**WILLIAM H. McMULLEN, Prop.**

D. F. COOK, Auctioneer  
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**WANTS, FOR SALE, ETC**

For Sale—Ladies bicycle, good as new. \$15. Can be seen at Herald office.

For Sale—Twenty-five acre farm, one mile from East Tawas. Inquire of F. A. Steffler. 38

For Sale—Good young working and driving horses. Inquire of Nelson Johnson, East Tawas. 38-pd

For Sale—Three horses, two young, and two old cows. Inquire of Matt Haglund, East Tawas. 40-pd

For Sale—Desirable house and location in Tawas City at very reasonable price. Apply to N. C. Hartingh.

For Sale—Metz roadster, nearly new. Bargain if taken at once. Inquire at Tawas Roller Mills. 38-tf

Reno, three heifers having owner's name on metal tag in right ear. John Samuelson, East Tawas. 40

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

For Sale—One Story & Clark piano, \$200.00 on time; one two year old mare colt, \$40. See Joe Ulman or D. K. Frappier, 80 Balt. Ave. E., Detroit. 37-tf

For Sale—One Indiana silo, 12x30 one one-horse wagon with double box and seat, 20 pigs born Aug. 20, 17 calves from 4 to 8 months old, 12 calves from 12 to 20 months old, 7 cows, will be fresh about February, one brood sow 20 months old, one four year old colt, one top buggy. Frank Fisher, 1 1/2 miles south of Vine school. 38-pd

**DANIEL BOONE'S LONG SWING**

**Pursued by Indians, He Cut Grapevine Near Ground and Sailed Far Enough to Break Track.**

Do you remember reading in one of the school histories about how the doughty Daniel Boone, when pursued by Indians on his way to the unknown wilderness of Kentucky, cut a grapevine near the ground so that it formed a swing upon which he traveled through the air far enough to break his track? If you read it, you probably thought it a bit fishy, writes Nicksal. Unless you live somewhere in the Allegheny mountains you would not believe that wild grapevines are long enough or strong enough to hold onto the trees tight enough to make much of a swing.

As a matter of fact, there is no reason to doubt that Daniel made the swing and got away from the Indians. For in the mountains of western Maryland and eastern West Virginia, across which Daniel took his hazardous way, the boys are still making such swings just for fun. And royal tea it is. The writer was driving through the mountains near the upper Potomac when he saw some enormous grapevines drooping 60 or 70 feet from the tops of the trees. They had been cut close to the ground, and the hillside above them was all plowed up by the feet of youngsters.

The temptation to try the Daniel Boone stunt was as irresistible. It was quickly proved that by taking a running start down the hill one could swing a most amazing and breath-taking distance right out over the creek. Swings made with ropes were tame by comparison. But there was no temptation to emulate Daniel by letting loose at the end of the swing. It took pioneering nerve to do that.

**CATS WILL GUARD CHICKENS**

While Watching for Rats, They Fight Away Hawks—Are Broken From Killing Little Ones.

Did you know that cats are a valuable asset to the poultryman? You might believe that they were anything but invaluable because of their innate love for fresh meats. But sweeter than baby chicks to the palate of the cat are the smooth-coated, long-tailed creatures of the rat family. And rats prey upon chickens, asserts the Poultryman.

During the course of a year there is more loss in the poultry world from the ravages of rats than from cats or hawks, or even disease. A cat in the chicken yard, if trained to properly value the life of the chickens, will terrorize and destroy the rats and will ward off the enemy hawks and so prove himself or herself of great worth.

Cats have proved their worth as chicken yard sentinels, and there have been many and various methods employed by their owners to break them from killing the chickens. One well-known method is that of tying a dead chicken about a cat's neck and making him tug around the heavy dead body for from one to two days. In the meantime the cat will supposedly grow to have a great dread and horror of a dead chicken.

**Explaining the Universe.**

I suppose that we have all had moments of sudden illumination when it occurred to us that we had explained the universe, and it was so easy for us that we wondered why we had not done it before, says S. M. Crothers in the Atlantic. Some thought drifted into our mind and filled us with vague forebodings of omniscience. It was not an ordinary thought that explained only a fragment of existence. It explained everything. It proved one thing and it proved the opposite just as well. It explained why things are as they are, and if it should turn out that they are not that way at all, it would prove that fact also. In the light of our great thought chaos seemed rational. Such thoughts usually occur about four o'clock in the morning. Having explained the universe, we relapse into satisfied slumber. When, a few hours later, we rise, we wonder what the explanation was.

**Lacustral Settlements.**

The lacustral settlements were places of refuge for a pastoral and agricultural people, and the light and dryness that characterized the dwellings show a step in advance toward more permanent abodes. In this period science places the beginning of civilization. By these lacustrine men spinning and weaving were invented. Agriculture was born among them; animals were domesticated—the ox, the cow, the sheep, the goat, the dog. The uses of metal were discovered, and the age of iron was ushered in. Habitations similar to these still exist in the East Indies, and among the Amazonian tribes of Maracabo. They existed also in Lake Prasias, in Thrace, during the time of Herodotus, the Greek historian.

**Spiders Ride on Flies.**

There is an aspect of spider and fly relations which fabulists and naturalists alike have overlooked. A correspondent who has brought the microscope to bear on many houseflies, finds that the parasite upon that hateful insect is often an immature spider, says the London Chronicle. Too weak yet to spin its web, it makes the fly its winged paltry, and courses from place to place at the will of its captive; either until Pegasus perishes naturally, or, presumably, until the rider is able to make a meal of his charge. This, if confirmed, seems to carry us a step farther in the study of parasitism and commensalism.

**A GENERAL WAR FUND DRIVE.**

Detroit, Mich., Sept. 10.—In announcing, as supreme head of all war activities, that the war fund drives planned for next November and January are to be combined in one drive, President Wilson provides for all other states of the United States, what Michigan had already decided to do when Governor Sleeper recently appointed the state patriotic fund campaign committee. The combined Y. M. C. A., Y. W. C. A., War Community Service and American Library association combined drive was to be held in November; the Knights of Columbus, Salvation Army and Jewish Relief Fund combined drive was to have been held in January. The Red Cross drive was planned for the spring following. But now all drives are combined in one, beginning November 11, this year, under state supervision, with State Treasurer Samuel Odell as treasurer. Not counting the Red Cross, the quotas of the other seven activities amount to \$5,192,000 for Michigan. The Red Cross quota, which is not yet set, will probably bring the total to \$10,000,000 for the state.

All the state organizations are represented in the committee, which has opened state headquarters in Detroit and is now outlining plans. County war boards, and their township and school district subdivisions, will aid the workers of all the organizations. The county war board, in fact, are largely responsible for the adoption of the idea, as throughout the state there was a decided feeling against several drives a year. With only one, the maximum effort of all the organizations is exerted and no further solicitation is necessary for a year. Each organization is on an equal footing; the huge sum of money is safely guarded in the state treasury, and it is paid out through the state on the order of the proper officers of the various organizations as their needs demand.

The general committee has named an executive committee as follows: Carrol F. Sweet, Grand Rapids, chairman; David A. Browne, Detroit, vice chairman. State Treasurer Samuel Odell, Lansing, treasurer; Mark T. McKee, Detroit, general secretary.

**COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS**

Regular Meeting August 16, 1918. Regular meeting of the Common Council of the City of Tawas City, held in the council rooms Friday evening, Aug. 16, 1918. Called to order by Mayor Myles.

Present—Ald. Preston, Miller, Grueber, Fahselt and Clerk Ballard. Absent—Rouillier. Quorum present.

Ald. Fahselt submitted the name of George Lanski for appointment as alderman of the first ward to fill the vacancy caused by the removal of B. C. Bowen.

Moved by Ald. Miller, supported by Ald. Grueber, that George Lanski be appointed as alderman of first ward to fill vacancy.

Yeas—Ald. Preston, Miller, Grueber, Fahselt—4. Nays—None. Motion carried.

The committee on claims and accounts submitted the following accounts and recommended that bills be allowed as scheduled and clerk instructed to draw orders on the treasurer for same.

D. & M. Ry. Co., freight on gravel	\$33.45
Chas. Harris, team work on streets	52.80
Chas. Roswell, shoveling gravel	6.50
Walter Moeller, shoveling gravel	1.25
Byron Harris, labor on streets	3.25

Moved by Ald. Fahselt, supported by Ald. Grueber, that report of committee be accepted and adopted and bills be allowed as read.

Yeas—Ald. Preston, Miller, Grueber, Fahselt—4. Nays—None. Motion carried.

On motion supported council then adjourned.

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

**Coming Soon**

**United Doctors Specialist**

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The United Doctors Specialist, licensed by the State of Michigan for treatment of diseases of the stomach, intestines, liver, blood, skin, nerves, heart, spleen, rheumatism, sciatica, tapeworm, leg ulcers, weak lungs. Those afflicted with long standing deep seated diseases that have baffled the skill of the family physician should not fail to call, for so great and wonderful has been their results that many former patients state it is hard to find the dividing line between skill and miracle.

According to their system no more operations for appendicitis, gall stones, goitre, tumors, piles, etc., as all cases accepted will be treated without operation or hypodermic injection, as they were among the first to earn the name of "Bloodless Surgeons" by doing away with all pain in the successful treatment of these dangerous diseases.

If your case is incurable they will give you such advice as may relieve and stay the disease. Do not put off this duty. A visit at this time may help you. It costs nothing.

Married ladies must come with their husbands and minors with their parents.

Laboratories Milwaukee, Wis.

**Attila's Hoard Never Found.**

Marie the Goth plundered Rome and got together a vast amount of treasure. When he died, the legends relate, this loot was buried with him at the bottom of the Susento river, and all the captive slaves who were forced to build his tomb were slain, so that the Romans might never find his resting place. The rich spoils of Attila, the story runs, were buried in a cave. Neither hoard has ever been discovered.

**NOTICE OF ADJOURNED DRAIN HEARING**

Notice is hereby given that a joint meeting of the township boards of Tawas and Baldwin Townships, Isoco County, will be held at M. E. Friedmann's farm known as the Sheffler farm, on Thursday, September 19, at 1:00 o'clock p. m. for the purpose of hearing objections if any to the proposed widening and deepening of Cold Creek from the Plank road to the mouth of the creek. This meeting was adjourned from September 12, on account of the draft registration on that day.

W. E. LAIDLAW  
Township Clerk of Tawas township  
OSCAR ALSTROM  
Township Clerk Baldwin township.

**Catarrhal Deafness Cannot Be Cured**

by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure catarrhal deafness, and that is by a constitutional remedy. Catarrhal Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, Deafness is the result. Unless the inflammation can be reduced and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever. Many cases of deafness are caused by catarrh, which is an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces. Hall's Catarrh Medicine acts thru the blood on the mucous surfaces of the system.

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**Probate Notice**

STATE OF MICHIGAN, The probate Court for the County of Isoco. At a session of said Court, held at the probate office in the city of Tawas City, in said County, on the 10th day of September A. D. 1918.

Present, Hon. David Davison, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of John Smith, deceased.

Chickey Smith having filed in said court a petition praying that the administration of said estate be granted to William Scarlett, or some other suitable person.

It is ordered that the FOURTH day of OCTOBER A. D. 1918, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

It is further ordered, that public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Tawas Herald, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

DAVID DAVISON,  
Judge of Probate.

A true copy 40-pd

**NOTICE OF ROAD JOB**

Notice is hereby given that sealed bids will be received by the Board of County Road Commissioners of the County of Isoco for building the following described piece of road.

Commencing at the 1/4 section corner common to Sections 10 and 11. Town 21 north range 5 east, thence due west, (compass bearing) to station 25 and 41.5 which is the center 1/4 section corner of section 10, the point of ending, being in all 2641.5 feet or 0.500 miles.

Grading, ditching, shouldering metaling with gravel, Class B. road.

A certified check of \$200 to accompany each bid and successful bidder will be required to furnish a bond (\$2,000) for the successful completion of road.

Specifications on file in the County Clerks office, Tawas City. Bids to be in the hands of Frank E. Dease, Clerk of said Board not later than Saturday, the 5th day of October, 1918.

The Board reserves the right to reject and or all bids.

FRANK E. DEASE,  
Clerk of said Board

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If you want the greatest return from your cream bring it to us. We give you a fair test and the highest market price, and guarantee you prompt return of your cans.

Our plant is now closed Wednesday evenings, but open Saturday evenings until 8 o'clock

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For this service—so perfect and effective that you are scarcely aware that anything is being done for you—you pay the packers an average profit of only a fraction of a cent a pound above actual cost on every pound of meat you eat.

**Swift & Company, U. S. A.**





**HALE AND VICINITY.**

Henry Oetjens left for Toledo Monday. James Daley moved his family to Tawas City Monday. S. B. Yawger made a business trip to Detroit last week. Charles Strong left for Flint last week to work during the winter. Miss Thelma Humphreys is attending high school at Alma this year. Frank Trudell and Arthur Latter of South Branch were in town Monday. Howard Marble of Twining was a business visitor in Hale Monday last. Miss Bonney of East Tawas visited Mr. and Mrs. Gardner and family last week. Glen Atherton of Rose City is putting down a new well at our school house. Joseph Kitchen of Emery Junction spent last Friday with his son, Ross, and family. Ed. Laidlaw of Gladstone, Mich., is visiting his daughter, Mrs. Aaron VanWormer. Misses Edna Shattuck and Annabel McLean spent last Sunday with Miss Helen Nichols. Mrs. A. Hobart returned last week from a two months visit with relatives in Toledo. Mrs. Mott and Miss Ora Mott of Prescott were guests at the Charles Mott home over Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Otto Rahl are the proud parents of an 8 pound baby boy, born Thursday of last week. Ed. Lampman has moved his family into their new home last Monday. Miss Luella VanWormer has accepted a job that place Monday last. Mrs. Nettie Carpenter of Spokane, Wash., came Friday to visit her father, Robert Poag, on the W. W. Brown farm. served during the Civil war. His son Louis Lobdell, of Muir came Monday and took the body to Linden for interment. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wolfson of Long Lake spent Saturday and Sunday with Mrs. Wolfson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Pearlman. A civil service examination will be held at Prescott September 23 to fill the position of carrier on R. D. 1 from the Hale post office. Miss Edna Thornton, who has been working at Rose City for some time is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Thornton this week. Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Ferrister are journeying westward, as Mrs. Ferrister's health will permit. They are not yet permanently located. Mrs. Wiley left for her home in Cleveland Monday after spending several months with her daughter, Mrs. J. H. Kocher, and family. Rev. McKenzie preached his closing sermon for this year in the M. E. church Sunday evening. He will attend conference in Detroit this week. Albert Nunn will teach the Williamson, Mich., school this year. He spent one day of last week with Hale friends before leaving for his new position last Friday. P. E. Bernard purchased the Wm. Self farm last week. Mr. and Mrs. Self will move to the southern part of the state and are away at present looking up a location. Mrs. Chrysler of Walkerville Ont., is a guest at the S. B. Yawger home. Mrs. Crayler was formerly Miss Lavica Fagan and made her home in Hale several years ago. Mrs. Jed White and baby daughter came to Hale Saturday. Mrs. White will move into the E. C. Nunn house and make her home here while her husband is in the service. Mrs. Henry Buck, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Howard Dufoe, at Flint, returned home Friday last. Miss Hazel Brown accompanied her and will spend some time visiting Hale friends.

**HEMLOCK SLIVERS.**

J. L. Fraser is quite sick at this writing. N. C. Miller is helping H. Herriman on his new silo. Mr. and Mrs. Harry Latham visited at L. P. Latham's Sunday. Dow Watts made a business trip to Bay City the first of the week. Mrs. Robert Wilson entertained relatives from Hale, Saturday. Miss Rose Wilson, who has been quite sick, is reported as some better. Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Brown were callers on the Hemlock Friday evening. Miss Bernice Smith went to Tawas City Monday, where she will attend school. Mr. and Mrs. Bert Papple were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Watts Sunday. Henry and Mrs. Dave Lowe and family were guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Kennedy Sunday. Chas. Stilson and family are visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Leon Biggs, Mrs. Stilson's parents. Mrs. Joe Rapp and little daughter are visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Allen. Mr. and Mrs. Andrew McIvor and Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Smith motored to Mio Saturday, returning Sunday. Word received from Bay City announces the arrival of a daughter at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Sumerville. Herb Herriman is entertaining his daughter, Ada, and her grand parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Van Sickle, from Canada. Henry Rich and mother of Mio, were entertained at the home of his daughter, Mrs. W. E. Smith a few days this week. Mrs. Erwin, Mrs. Geo. Biggs and granddaughter, Miss Nellie, from Mio are spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Leon Biggs. Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. McCardell are the happy parents of a son, who came September 7 to gladden their home. Congratulations. Mrs. Claude Irish and children, who have been visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Smith, went to Bay City last Saturday to join her husband, who is employed there.

**SHERMAN SHOTS.**

Albert Drager was at Turner on business Monday. Miss Josephine Schneider spent Sunday at Tawas City. Mr. Maher of St. Johns was in town buying cattle last week. C. H. and Wayne Mark were at Tawas City on business Monday. A. B. Schneider left Monday evening for an extended trip out west. Percy Wilkins and Nelson Pringle were at Tawas City on business Monday. Mrs. Andrew Pavelock visited with her daughter, Mrs. Geo. Hennings at Twining over Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Naaman Bessey returned from Minnesota Monday where they have been all summer.

**MEADOW ROAD.**

Tom Chestler is putting up a new silo. Mr. and Mrs. Bert Papple spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Watts. August Cholger of Wilber was a business caller on the Meadow road on Tuesday. Carl Look received word from his son Richard, that he had arrived safe in England. Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Colby visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. P. O. Colby of Tawas City. Mrs. Geo. Strauer has moved to her farm in Sherman having rented her farm here to her son-in-law, Elmer Pierson of Bay City. The bridge between Vine Grange and the Hemlock road is completed and open to the public travel. The bridge is a good one and much credit is due Commissioner Mike Kish. Mrs. Carl Look returned home last Saturday from Ypsilanti, where she has been the past three weeks caring for her daughter, Esther, who is much better and expects to come home as soon as able.

**FROM CLAYTON JENNINGS**

Camp Meigs, D. C. Sept 8, 1918. Miss Annabel McLean, Hale Mich. Dear friend:— I was delighted to receive your card a few days ago. I am located in the camp that has officially been pronounced the most beautiful in the country. I do not think that any one doubts that Washington is our most beautiful city. So you see my surroundings are most pleasant. I was never among so cordial and courteous people as the Washingtonians are. They make us feel that the city is ours during our sojourn here. Every place the people seem to think that our uniform makes special personage of us. I am afraid that if we come back we will be found to be badly spoiled boys. You have undoubtedly heard that I am attending an army school. I shall complete my course within ten days. I expect to go directly to France on the completion of the course. You can not imagine how eagerly I look forward to the day of embarkation. Yet I shall leave Washington with some regret. I have had a most wonderful time here and I have made many friends who must stay behind. Washington has many interesting sights. I have managed to take in nearly all of them. Since my enlistment I seem to have been on a grand sight-seeing tour and I fancy the most wonderful sights are ahead of me. Needless to say, I thoroughly like

**WHITTEMORE.**

R. D. Brown of Hale was in the city Tuesday. Mrs. H. J. Jacques is visiting her sister at Detroit. Dr. R. J. Smith has been at Bay City on business. Miss Alfretha Koyl is teaching school in Dist. No. 4. Mrs. R. J. Smith is entertaining her sister, Mrs. Hoovis, from Detroit. Joe Danin has been at Bay City on business and on a pleasure trip. Ask Joe! Marvin, little son of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Beardslee, has been ill the past week. Joe Lindsay has purchased the house and lots owned by Mrs. Nelson Shaw. James Barr purchased the city property recently occupied by Ray Charters and family. Jesse Porter came home from Bay City and spent Sunday with his family. Mr. and Mrs. James Leslie, also Mrs. Harriet Leslie, were at Bay City Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. Otto Rahl announce the birth of a baby boy at their home Sept. 5th. Mr. and Mrs. Harry Ruckle announced the birth of a baby girl at their home. Mr. and Mrs. Ross Kitchen and little daughter from Hale were in the city Saturday. Gasless Sunday was obediently observed here without a murmur from the joy riders. Mrs. Chapman Wilson left Saturday for Alma to visit her daughter, Mrs. Lena Bolter. Will Wery of Burleigh made a business call at the Keystone settlement Sunday. "By hand" Mrs. Will Curtis has returned from a visit with her brother, Charlie Schroyer and family, at Marshall. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Mills are in receipt of a letter from their son, Jean, announcing his safe arrival in England. Mrs. A. Blumenau has been entertaining a sister the past two weeks who returned to her home at Cleveland, Ohio, Tuesday. School is progressing nicely with Otto Rahl in the high school room and Miss Lottie Van Horn in charge of the primary department. Rob. Curtis, who recently enlisted in the U. S. service as supply steward, left here September 4th for Bay City, enroute to Boston, Mass. James E. Ballard, the genial editor of the Herald, accompanied by his family, also relatives from Grayling, was in the city on business Monday. Oh! Where oh! where has the usual workers were disappointed last Tuesday as the Red Cross room was not open for work. Let the good work continue. The farmers of Burleigh have just received their new threshing outfit, consisting of an Advance Rumley tractor and separator, also bean thresher which was removed from the side track Tuesday. Jack Higgins will have charge of the separator while Ed. Steinh assumes the duties of engineer. John Shaw returned to Dakota Saturday, accompanied by his mother, Mrs. Nelson Shaw, who will make her home in the future with her son, David, and family. Mrs. Shaw has been a resident here for many years and leaves a host of friends who unite in wishing her many years of happiness in her new home. A farewell party was given at the Star hotel Saturday evening in honor of Harry Graham, who has assisted in the local bank here for the past year and who goes to Midland to assume the duties of cashier at the bank there. Harry has made many friends during his stay here who regret his departure but unite in wishing him success and prosperity.

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**TOWNLINE TOPICS.**

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**MORE TEUTON TREACHERY**

With the American Army in France, Sept. 10—Grim-faced, begrimed and stained after several days of desperate, continuous battle, a platoon of Marines was firing rapidly but calmly and accurately at the Hun ranks. The foe's numbers were in the majority but the Sea Soldiers' fire was proving speedily evening. Suddenly the Huns dropped their rifles and cried "Kamerad!" The Marines waited for the surrendering enemy to approach. When the foe came within 200 yards their first lines dropped. They had been dragging machine guns by ropes attached to their belts. About 30 Marines fell before their comrades with a yell of rage and revenge surged forward. The bayonet let not a Hun survive. This is another example of Teuton treachery. It is told by an officer and two members of the platoon now in a hospital.

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are offered this season. The track is in good condition and the prospects for excellent races are better than for several years.

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The Association have contracted with the Famous Byrne Trio of Performers, who will give Free Exhibitions on each of the three days of the Fair. This feature will be well worth the admission to the fair and cost you not one cent extra.

**Ball Games**  
Arrangements are being made for a good game of ball on each day of the fair between the strongest teams obtainable.

**New Dining Hall**  
A fine new dining hall is being built and will be in charge of competent management, so that first class meals may be obtained on the grounds.

**Patriotic Addresses** will be delivered during the fair on topics of special interest to the people during these strenuous times.

**School Field Day** will be Wednesday, Sept. 25. All pupils of the schools of the county will be admitted free and a special program of sports for premiums will be arranged for that day.

You will be surprised at the many New Features for this Fair  
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