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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, H. E. Hanson, adv. Mrs. Thomas Hill returned from Pontiac last Friday.

John Corrigan was at Twining on business Wednesday.

G. G. Soteris of Chicago, Ill. was in the city on business last Friday.

Miss Bessie Black spent the week end at her home in Maple Ridge.

Guy Murray attended the basketball game at Harrisville last Saturday.

Joseph Danin of Whittemore was a business visitor in the city Tuesday.

Ruskin Roberts left Monday morning for Detroit, where he expects to find employment.

Leutenant Arthur Miller and Oscar Miller of Saginaw visited friends in the city this week.

Henry and Melvin Groff visited their grandmother, Mrs. George Strauer, at McIvor this week.

Mrs. Frank Pfeiffer and children returned Monday from Flint, where they have been visiting relatives.

Sgt. William McLean of Mitchell Field, Hempstead, New York, visited his cousin, Mrs. A. W. Colby, Monday.

Julius Reinke returned to Boston, Mass., last Saturday, after spending a short furlough at his home in this city.

Mrs. Louis Hydoron and little son, Louis, jr., of Bay City are the guests of her sister, Mrs. Burley Wilson, this week.

Just arrived a barrel of good New Orleans molasses. Bring your pail and get it filled at the store of E. L. Moeller, jr.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hartman and children left last Saturday evening for Colorado, where they will make their home.

Mrs. Leo Steinhurst returned Monday to her home in Detroit, after a ten days visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. Steinhurst.

Princess Watahwaso, the Indian Princess, at the Tawas City theatre next Thursday evening, Feb. 13. Don't miss this entertainment.

C. P. Milham, county agricultural agent, went to Lansing Monday to attend the meetings held during the annual Farmers' Week at the M. A. C.

Disabled officers, soldiers, sailors and marines will learn something of their interest by communicating with Frank E. Dease, secretary of the local board, Tawas City, Mich.

Word was received here Tuesday of the death of Fred Reinke at the state hospital at Traverse City, where he had been taken for treatment some weeks ago. The remains were brought to this city Thursday for burial.

Next Sunday, Feb. 9, Zion Lutheran church will conduct its morning service in English, and always thereafter in the second Sunday of the month. Service begins at 10:00 a. m. Everybody always welcome. H. J. Reithmeier, pastor.

Sheriff Collie Johnson announces the appointment of the following as his deputies: Under sheriff, Chas. Harris; Deputies, John Preston, Tawas City; Frank Robinson, Alabaster; John Love, Hale; Jas. Carpenter, East Tawas; John Trigger, Oscoda.

Much favorable comment has been heard the past week regarding the civic poem on Whittemore which was composed by the Herald correspondent in that city and was published last week. The writer is deserving of much credit for the effort entailed in the composition.

The Herald is in receipt of a copy of the Christian Messenger, a neat little 12 page paper published monthly in the interests of the Methodist churches at Whittemore, Hale and Taft. Rev. Charles McKenzie of Whittemore is editor and manager, assisted by Charles McLean, Whittemore, Miss Helen Nichols of Hale, and Miss Annabel McLean of Hale as assistant editors. The little paper contains much of interest to those connected with church and Sunday school work.

Rev. O. E. Moffett was in the city a few days the past week settling up his business affairs here. He has disposed of his property here and will make his home in the future at Barry, Illinois, where Mrs. Moffett has been for some time. Rev. Moffett returned about a month ago from Europe, where he served for some months with the Y. M. C. A. in England and France. While in France he sustained an injury in the breaking of two ribs when a tree fell into the trench where he was engaged.

For automobile insurance see John Corrigan, adv.

H. J. Jacques of Whittemore was in the city on business Monday.

Harold Colgrove of Detroit is visiting at his home here this week.

Miss Grace Laidlaw spent Saturday and Sunday with friends in Bay City.

C. H. W. Snyder of Saginaw visited his family here a day or two this week.

Arthur Sieloff left Tuesday morning for Detroit, where he expects to find employment.

Eyes tested and glasses fitted correctly by W. B. Murray, optician, East Tawas, adv.

Mrs. J. Sands visited her daughter, the Misses Anna and Kathryn Sands of Onaway, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Smith of Flint are visiting Mrs. S's parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Daley, this week.

The clerks of the cities and townships of Iosco county reported 174 births and 95 deaths to the county clerk for the year 1918.

Among those who went to Bay City Monday to hear Harry Lauder were Mr. and Mrs. N. C. Hartingh, Mr. and Mrs. N. D. Murchison and Mrs. M. Crandall.

Joseph Brabant, sr. returned Tuesday from Detroit, where he was called some weeks ago by the serious illness of his son, Joseph, jr. with influenza followed by pneumonia. His son returned home with him.

FATHER AND SON BANQUET
A meeting of the men of Tawas City was held at the court house Wednesday evening to make arrangements for a Father and Son banquet to be held during Father and Son week, Feb. 11-18.

The date decided on for holding the banquet was Monday, Feb. 17, at 6:30 p. m. The banquet will be held at the high school building, and will be served by the normal class under the direction of Miss Harriette Wood. Tickets will be 50c per plate.

Committees for the occasion were appointed as follows: Program—L. J. Patterson, C. H. Downer, Eugene Swem, C. P. Milham, M. C. Grueber Publicity—John A. Mark, W. J. Robinson, Jas. E. Ballard, Frank Long, F. F. Taylor, E. C. Marzinski.

It is hoped that every father in Tawas City will be present with his son, and the men who are not fortunate enough to have sons are requested to borrow one for the occasion.

The complete program and further particulars will be published next week.

PARAMOUNT ENTERTAINERS WERE FINE

The second number on the Tawas City lyceum course was given by the Paramount Entertainers at the Tawas City theatre last Thursday evening, and the work of these talented people was thoroughly enjoyed by the large audience.

Miss Dorothea Sass, the reader and accompanist, is a young lady of striking ability and her reading and character impersonations were much appreciated.

Miss Marian Byrd, violinist, shows a wonderful mastery of her instrument and her work was of a high degree of excellence.

Howard F. Bolinger, baritone, possesses an excellent voice and his solo numbers were well received and formed a most pleasing part of the program.

The entertainment closed with a short comedy sketch in which all three members of the company participated.

The next number on the course will be Princess Watahwaso and her assisting company, who will appear here next Thursday evening, Feb. 13.

C. E. NOTES
Baptist church—6:00 p. m. Leader—Luella Patterson
Last Sunday night Rev. Moffett was with us and we enjoyed some of his experiences while in Europe.

Come and see what is on for next Sunday.

CHICORY CONTRACTS
I have received chicory contracts for 1919 and am now ready to contract with the growers. The price this year is the same as 1918, \$12.50 per ton. Secure your contracts early as if you wait too long you may be too late.

JOSEPH BLUST, Sr.
9-pd R. D. 3, Tawas City, Mich.

TWENTIETH CENTURY CLUB ELECTS OFFICERS

At the annual meeting of the Twentieth Century Club, held at the home of Mrs. F. B. Stickney, February 1, the following officers were elected. President—Mrs. Jessie Downer

1st Vice Pres.—Mrs. Nellie Robnson
2nd Vice Pres.—Mrs. Ida Patterson
Secretary—Mrs. Dorothy Pierson
Treasurer—Mrs. Elsie Hartingh

After the meeting the president, Mrs. Hattie Conant, handed a favor of white ribbon, to each member, to be worn February 2, in memory of the boys who did not come back.

Mrs. L. J. Patterson will be hostess for Gentlemen's Night, which will occur Friday evening, Feb. 14.

SOPHOMORE ENTERTAINMENT

The sophomores entertained the high school at chapel exercises in the high room last Thursday morning. The following program was rendered:

Piano solo, "Les Sylphes".....
.....Miriam Ehrhardt
Recitation, "Lady Hildegard".....
.....Doris Latham
Vocal Solo "The Navy Took 'Em Over".....
.....Dorothea Mark
Reading.....Elsie Neumann
Song "Smiles".....School

BASKET BALL GAMES

The boys and girls basketball teams journeyed to Oscoda last Friday and played two exciting games with the Oscoda high school teams. Our boys lost by a score of 12 to 19, but our girls rescued the "Pink and Green" and came off triumphant by a score of 15 to 34.

Saturday evening the high school boys played a second game with Harrisville, supposedly a high school team, but in reality consisting of a number of University students. Harrisville won by a score of 11 to 21.

DEATH OF ALVIN H. SEYMOUR

Alvin Howard Seymour, only son of Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Seymour of Donald, Alta, Can., was born in Toledo, Ohio, October 14th, 1898. He came to Michigan with his parents in his seventh year, residing on the farm in Plainfield township and attending school at Hale until he passed the eighth grade.

The family removed to Alberta, Canada, in his fifteenth year. He then attended school at Donald, Alta, and later took a course at the Alberta Agricultural college, from which he graduated in March 1918. He was enrolled for the present term at the University of Alberta at Edmonton, when he was stricken with Spanish influenza, which developed into pneumonia, from which he passed away Jan. 2nd, 1919, after an illness of seven weeks, aged 20 years, 2 months and 18 days.

He was a quiet, studious boy, very diligent at his work and faithful to every trust, and his loss is felt keenly by his parents and friends.

DEATH OF MRS. CARL WOYAHN

Mrs. Carl Woyahn, aged 82, died at the home of her son, Gust Woyahn, in Tawas township, on Saturday, Feb. 1, the cause of death being old age and its attendant ills. She was ill for about four weeks.

Mrs. Woyahn was born in Germany and came to this country many years ago. Her husband preceded her in death nine years ago, and since that time she has spent most of her time on the farm of her son. She was a member of the Lutheran church and a good Christian woman.

There are left to mourn her loss three sons, Gust, Carl and Ed. Woyahn, and two daughters, Mrs. John Ristow and Mrs. Michael Kendall.

The funeral services were held at the Emmanuel Lutheran church on Tuesday, Feb. 4, Rev. Aug. Kehrberg officiating, and the remains were laid to rest in the Tawas City Lutheran cemetery.

METHODIST CHURCH

Special attractions at the Methodist church every Sunday evening.

Beginning at 6:15 will be Epworth League, taking up mission study. Church service at 7:00, with special music for both services.

Everybody welcome.
E. E. McMICHAEL, Pastor.

NOTICE OF ELEVATOR MEETING

There will be a round-up elevator meeting at the Grant township hall on Wednesday, Feb. 12, to elect a board of directors and decide on location of main elevator.

Every stock holder should be present. Bring your basket.

The Grange Co-Operative Association
FRED C. LATTEK, Sec.-Treas.

COUNTY AGENT COLUMN

C. P. Milham.

The county agent will be in attendance at all the important meetings held during Farmers' Week at M. A. C. A detailed summary will be found in next week's paper. Everything which has for its purpose the solving of farmers' problems will be given attention.

A bill is to be presented to the Legislature at this session providing for the establishment of a series of State Food Warehouses. Its purpose is to provide places where farmers or groups of farmers can ship their produce in car load lots, and where groups of people living in cities can order food in car load lots. If the plan is carried out, it will mean that cooperative leagues will be formed in the cities, and these leagues will purchase their food as near direct as possible. Only in this way can prices be lowered to consumers, and increased consumption promoted which is so vital to the success of the farmers.

Raising wages in the city will not help the cost of living, because the cost of living rises every time wages are raised. The unnecessary raises in the price of food between producer and consumer is the greatest cause of misery in the country. Farmers are raising enough food to supply everyone, but with high prices comes restricted consumption, and a lowering of the vitality of the people. Had prices to consumers been lower it is doubtful whether or not the epidemic of influenza would have been as serious as it was. In one case in Chicago, a grand jury investigated the travels of a quantity of cold storage eggs, which retailed to the consumer at 55c a dozen, and the farmer received only 28c for them. The eggs went through the hands of six firms, each of which took their share of the increase.

When one realizes the difference in price the farmer receives and the price the consumer pays it is no wonder that farmers are selling out and working in an employment in the city which pays higher wages. Michigan is one of the greatest potato growing states in the union. The farmer receives 60 to 70 cents a bushel for potatoes and the consumer in the large cities pays \$2.00 a bushel for the same potatoes. Michigan produces more sugar than Louisiana. The farmer receives four cents a pound, and the consumer pays eleven. Farmers receive two and a half cents a pound for peas when dry, and they sell in cans at 18 to 25 cents a pound. The farmer is not the man making money, and the consumer is the one who suffers. The remedy is in the hands of the consumer. Until the cost of producing and distributing is cut lower, the prices will continue to be high. In many of the larger cities there are consumers' cooperative societies, with a capital stock to purchase goods. All profits are turned back to the people in proportion to the trading done. Farmers cooperate to market their produce, and city people should cooperate in their purchase of things to their mutual advantage.

The time is coming, and probably within the next ten years when a good many business houses will be publicly owned, or municipally owned. Whenever the opportunity for municipal or public ownership presents itself it should be given the backing of every intelligent person. Municipal auditoriums are popular in many places. Some places have them, and it would be a fine thing for Tawas City, and East Tawas. A place large enough for people of the town to get together to develop a better feeling among all classes of people. A monument to the future.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

10:00 a. m.—Services
11:15 a. m.—Sunday school.

The morning service will be a memorial for the late Mrs. McRae. You are invited to be there.

February 16 the pastor will be in Mungler. The morning service will be cared for. Come and take a part in the song service and listen to the talk about the songs and incidents in their life.

The Regional conference for the New Era movement to be held in Detroit February 18 and 19 is open to delegates from every church. A number will receive literature and you are urged to go if possible. As you read this don't forget it but mark the date on your calendar, and go if you possibly can.

WATAHVASO, THE INDIAN PRINCESS, HERE FEB. 13

The Indian Princess Watahwaso, who with her company of assisting artists, appears here Thursday evening, Feb. 13, on the Lyceum course is the center of a romantic story.

In the first place Watahwaso is a genuine Indian Princess the daughter of a chief of the Penobscots. She was born on Indian Island off the coast of Maine and lived there until a Cambridge professor came among the Indians looking for information concerning an ancestor who had been taken prisoner during the French and Indian war.

The advent of the professor marked a turning point in the life of Watahwaso for he found that Watahwaso's ancestor had befriended his ancestor, the prisoner, and in grateful recognition he took her with him to Boston and saw that she was given an excellent literary and musical education.

Watahwaso gives a program of Indian songs, legends and dances. Her purpose is to interpret the character and aspirations of the Indian as he really is and always been. It is said that she brings to her work a vivacity and charm which readily endears her to her audience.

Besides the interest which attaches to her program because of its dealing with Indian life, it is stated that the princess is a genuine artist as a singer. She has, in fact been styled the Indian prima donna and the quality of her work seems to justify the title.

Watahwaso appears in native costume which harmonizes splendidly with her olive skin and dark eyes. She is said to be grace personified. adv

DEMOCRATIC COUNTY CONVENTION

To the Democratic Electors of Iosco county:

Notice is hereby given that a county convention will be held at the city hall, in Tawas City, Michigan, on Tuesday, February 18 at 10:30 a. m., for the purpose of electing two delegates to attend the state convention at Lansing, Friday, February 21, 1919, and the transaction of such other business as may properly come before it.

Under the rule for apportioning delegates each ward and township will be entitled to delegates as follows:

Alabaster, 2; AuSable, 2; AuSable City 1st ward, 2; AuSable City 2nd ward, 2; AuSable City 3rd ward, 2; Baldwin, 2; Burling, 2; Grant, 2; Oscoda, 3; Plainfield, 2; Reno, 2; Sherman, 2; Tawas, 2; Wilber, 2; East Tawas 1st ward, 2; East Tawas 2nd ward, 2; East Tawas 3rd ward, 2; Tawas City 1st ward, 2; Tawas City 2nd ward, 2; Tawas City 3rd ward, 2; Whittemore 1st ward, 2; Whittemore 2nd ward, 2.

Women voters are invited to attend and take part in all caucuses and convention of the party.

Dated at Tawas City, Feb. 2, 1919.
Len. J. Patterson, Chairman.
Eugene Bing, Secretary.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our neighbors and friends who so kindly extended their aid and sympathy during our recent bereavement in the death of our loved wife and mother. Also for the beautiful flowers.

Alex McRae and Family

IOSCO COUNTY AND THE LIBERTY LOANS

Chairman Len J. Patterson, of the Iosco County Liberty Loan Committee, gives out the following figures relative to the county's part in the Fourth and previous liberty loans. Seven hundred and ninety-one people subscribed for a total of \$109,900.00 in bonds. This is 31 per cent above the quota of \$83,700 assigned to the county. Eight per cent of the people of the county subscribed and \$11.27 was the per capita. The average size of subscriptions was \$139.

Since the date of the entrance of the United States into the war the people of Iosco county have invested over \$400,000.00 in government bonds and War Savings stamps. That there was any such amount of cash in the county that could be used for such a purpose was beyond the belief of the average citizen. Yet the records show such to be the case and it is a safe prediction that this money has been saved and invested without causing anyone any great amount of sacrifice.

Chairman Patterson is particularly pleased with the fact that the quota for the Fourth Loan of \$83,700 was voluntarily subscribed during the first three days of the drive. Basing his prediction on the experience of the past loans he says that he is certain that Iosco county will meet her quota for the fifth loan, which will be sold in April, on the first three days of that drive. It behooves our people to begin now to save for that time and be ready to file their subscriptions on the first day they are called for.

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EAST TAWAS DEPARTMENT

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

W. G. Richards made a business trip to Bay City Monday.

Rev. Goodrich spent the week end in St. Louis, Michigan.

Mrs. Chas. Phillips made a business trip to Bay City Friday.

Will Haltaman went to Flint Monday for an indefinite visit with friends.

Mrs. Bert Bonney and two children, Evelyn and Charles, were in Bay City Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Colby of Tawas City visited Sunday at the home of H. C. Bristol.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Christeson and little son, Blaine, spent the week end with relatives in Oscoda.

Corydon Chase of Owosso arrived Tuesday afternoon for a few days visit with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Dean of Sturgeon Point L. S. S. arrived in the city Tuesday for a visit with friends.

Robert Lynd spent the week end with his wife at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Dillon.

Charles Curry has begun cutting ice near Tawas Beach. He reports a good quality of ice, about fourteen inches thick.

Mrs. John K. Swanson of Grand Rapids and children are visitors at the home of Mrs. Swanson's father, C. W. Luce.

Mr. and Mrs. William Osborne, who have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Owen, returned to their home in Prescott Tuesday.

W. A. G. Flynn of West Branch, who has been visiting his sister-in-law, Mrs. F. French, returned home Tuesday morning.

Dr. Frederick Thompson started last Monday for Florida to spend a midwinter vacation in the land of flowers and sunshine.

The W. R. C. social held at the home of Mrs. Westfall last Saturday night was highly successful from both a social and financial standpoint.

Cottage prayer meeting will be held this Friday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. McCondra, Elder George McKnight being the leader.

Rev. L. G. McAndrew went to Saginaw Tuesday, where he attended a meeting of the Saginaw Valley Presbytery to discuss the New Era movement.

Clyde Berube, who was recently discharged from the service and has been visiting his mother in this city, went to Detroit Tuesday, where he has employment.

Rev. Moffett, formerly pastor of the Baptist church of Tawas City, and now in Y. M. C. A. work for "our boys", delivered a splendid memorial address in the Methodist church here on Sunday morning.

Among those attending the Boys Conference last Saturday and Sunday in Harrisville were Carl Haight, George Hamilton, Roy Applin, Wade Lomas, Frederick Lomas, Thomas Oliver, and O. G. Prettyman.

The family of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Harwood are now under quarantine because of an outbreak of scarlet fever among the children. Their home has also been placarded for several weeks because of whooping cough.

Miss Selma Hagstrom went to Detroit last Saturday on a combined business and pleasure trip that will necessitate a stay of several weeks in that city. She was accompanied as far as Bay City by Mrs. Edna Acton.

About 30 members of the Presbyterian Sunday school and Christian Endeavor met at the home of Mrs. Emma Wright Wednesday evening at a farewell party in honor of Mrs. Strong, who left on Thursday morning for Detroit, where she has secured employment with the telephone company in that city. Mrs. Strong has been chief operator of the local exchange for some months and proved able and efficient. She will be missed not only in the exchange, but also in the various activities of the Presbyterian church in which she has been a faithful worker. The guests presented her with a beautiful manicure set as a memento of the occasion and a reminder of East Tawas friends. Mrs. Wright accompanied her as far as Flint where she will visit relatives for a season. The occasion was also the sixteenth birthday anniversary of Miss Mildred Wright.

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

W. S. S.—BUY THEM!

FATHER AND SON BANQUET

Arrangements for the Father and Son banquet to be held in the parlor of the Methodist church next Wednesday evening, Feb. 12, are practically completed.

The dinner will be in charge of the Missionary Society of the Methodist church, with Mrs. L. McAuliff as chairman. Covers will be laid for 150 guests.

The after dinner program is in charge of Mr. C. A. Pinkerton with Mr. O. G. Prettyman as toastmaster. Below is the program which is proof of the excellency of the intellectual portion of the evening.

Selection.....School
"The Kind of a Boy I Want My Boy to Be".....Rev. L. G. McAndrew
Piano Solo.....Miss Marion Murray
"The Kind of a Dad I Want My Dad to Be".....Wade Lomas
Violin Solo.....Edward King
Five minute talk.....C. C. Collan
Vocal Solo.....Miss Thelma Stealy
Five minute talk.....Rev. T. W. Albin
Vocal Solo.....Miss Gertrude Luce
Five minute talk.....Rev. E. Stephens
Volin Solo.....Miss Grace Braddock
Five minute talk.....Rev. J. N. Goodrich
Address.....Rev. E. Jermin
America
Benediction

Efforts of all who are interested in the banquet are being exercised to make it even more of a success than the one which was held last year.

TRI-COUNTY CONFERENCE

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Six months.....1.00
Three months......50

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EVOLUTION OF HIGHWAY BUILDING

By J. E. Jones, U. S. Press Association, Washington, D. C.

Reconstruction must be applied literally to the highway of the United States, and the farmer, the business man, the truck owner and the tourist are all joining in demands upon Washington and their state and county political authorities for better roads.

Government statistics demonstrate that moving farm products by wagon costs 33 cents per ton mile as compared with 15 cents per ton mile by the motor truck. The element of time is equally important, and since motor traffic has increased 100 per cent in these last two years there is not only a need for new highways, but the old maintraveled roads must receive attention.

Only thirteen per cent of the highways of the United States are of hard surface, and the "crack" roads of the east have been "cracked to pieces" by the strain of motor traffic. "Wagon loads" have an average capacity of five tons; the heavy motor trucks when loaded weighed two or three times as much, and with eighty per cent of this load riding the rear wheels, and gliding cross country at the rate of twenty miles an hour, the result has been ruin to lightly constructed highways.

Road building in its relation to reconstruction, is recognized by the Federal Government as of immediate importance, since it offers a means of providing work for returning soldiers and discharged munition workers. It is added that it will take contractors out of the "nothing doing" class and make them the busiest of the busy; it will give road supervisors something to talk about besides making excuses for bad highways; it will make the quarries and stone crushers prosperous; boom sales for road machinery, cement, asphalt, tar, etc.; as well as enable the farmer to get more closely in touch with town and city markets, sell more cheaply and deliver produce more regularly; decrease transportation costs, relieve delays and increase the pleasure of automobiling. These are the arguments that are alive in every community, and which are stimulating the demand for modern methods of highway building that constitute a complete revolution and evolution of this phase of our National progress.

In this revolution of highway construction it has been found that the old methods of building highways are entirely inadequate. Dirt and clay roads that were made possible by elbow grease, simple scrapers and the pick and shovel are now achieved in a more modern manner through the compelling power of sticks of dynamite fortified by energizing steam shovels, road building machinery, and modern road building products.

It may be said, with the definiteness to be attached to the highest sources of information, that Congress will attempt to create a brand new set of laws for the purpose of making the public roads as much a part of the nation's business as are the affairs of the army and navy. Road building, it is contended, must be recognized by the United States government as a profession and trade.

That the country is alive to the necessities of reconstructing the highways is further evidenced by the fact that Illinois has authorized a bond issue of \$60,000,000 while Pennsylvania has voted \$50,000,000 of bonds for public highways. These are the two biggest bond issues for state road building in the history of the world.

For the same reason that it became necessary to replace fifty and sixty pound rails with double that weight upon all the standard railroads of the United States when increased transportation demanded heavier locomotives and rolling stock, so has it now become necessary to meet a similar condition in respect to our principal public highways in view of the increased weight and speed of vehicles. The new conditions confront every part of the country and each community must assume the initiative in getting road building started. Those that will be favored by better highways first will be those that are most insistent upon having them. "Put our taxes to real business use" is the demand in many parts of the country.

NEED OF PURE SEEDS IS SHOWN BY M. A. C. TESTS

East Lansing, Mich., Feb. 3.—The fact that care should be exercised in the purchase of seed supplies has been brought out at M. A. C. by an investi-

gator in the department of botany who has been testing samples submitted for inspection from every part of the state. "Inspect your seed" is the suggestion being made to farmers by the department as a result of the testing work.

"In one thousand samples of red clover seed tested recently in the seed laboratory," the report sets forth, "eight hundred contained pigeon grass; five hundred rag weed; six hundred buckhorn; four hundred Rugel's plantain and three hundred lamb's quarters. In two hundred samples of alsike seed tested, ninety-one contained night-flowering catch-fly; eighty-six sorrel, and seventy-six curled dock. Some of these samples were from dealers and others from farmers. The figures indicate something of the desirability for obtaining the best quality of seed possible."

The department adds that a bulletin describing the various Michigan weed seeds, and indicating methods for identifying them can be obtained by writing to the Experiment Station, M. A. C., and making a request for it.

A PEOPLE'S LOAN

When the American people, in the Victory Loan next spring, raise billions of dollars to pay for munitions that never reached the firing line in France, they will not in reality be paying for those munitions but for the saving of 200,000 American lives.

It was not the American army in France that forced defeat upon Germany in 1918; it was the enormous production of munitions in this country that the German general staff knew would soon be flowing into action at the front and which would make victory impossible for the kaiser. Had it not been for this knowledge the Germans would have fought through 1919.

These statements were made by Lewis B. Franklin, head of the Liberty Loan organization at Washington, at a big rally of Liberty Loan officials of the Seventh Federal Reserve district, held in Chicago January 29 as a preliminary to the Fifth Loan campaign which is scheduled, according to latest advices, for April.

"Our expenditures for December," said Mr. Franklin, "were the largest on record being \$2,060,000,000 a sum almost double the total annual expenditures of our Government in pre-war times. Many people will call that paying for a dead horse. True, only one battery of American made artillery ever reached France. Practically none of our tanks got into action. But on the way was a stream of artillery and shells that would have blown the German army off the earth; we were beginning to deliver mustard gas ten times as fast as the Germans could make it, and our program of tanks called for one tank to every seventy-five feet of front.

"Do we realize that the German army was never really routed? That to the last it was fighting on foreign soil? It was only the knowledge of this great stream of munition on the way that ended the war in 1918 instead of 1919, and saved the lives of from 100,000 to 200,000 American boys."

Mr. Franklin said the Seventh Federal Reserve district had achieved a more general distribution of bonds than any of the other districts.

"In the Fourth Loan," he said, "you sold 53 per cent of your bonds to purchasers of \$1,000 or less as against a ratio of 40 per cent for the whole nation. I have had a good many suggestions that this loan ought to be taken by the large banking interests and by the men of great wealth; that we should make no appeals to the common people; that they ought not to be called upon again. We might remind those people that this money is for war expenses and if this was not a peoples' war, I should like to know whose war it was. It was war for the freedom of the world, with the people of America vigorously back of it. And I do not believe they want to be deprived of a chance to see it through from the financial side."

TEACHERS' EXAMINATION

Teachers' examination will be held April 24, 25, 26, and August 14, 15 and 16. The examination in reading for all grades will be based on the outline in reading published by the Department of Public Instruction, as bulletin No. 4, entitled "The Teaching of Reading." Three questions of the examination in theory and art of teaching will be based on "The Vitalizing School," by Pearson. Three questions of the examination in civil government will be based on "Americanism," What It Is, by David Jayne Hill. Both of these books are chosen for the Teachers' Reading Circle. Five questions of the examination in United States history will be based on bulletin No. 20, entitled "Democracy and the Great War." The examination in spelling and orthography will be based on bulletin No. 10, entitled "Word Study and Spelling."

Any of the above may be obtained from the commissioner.

INA M. BRADLEY,
adv Phone 197-E-13
Tawas City, Mich.

Appeal to Psychologists.

We are going in strong for psychology and invite assistance. Why is it that whenever sheriffs, marshals and constables have their photographs taken they invariably wear their hats?—Houston Post.

WOMEN TO VOTE MUST REGISTER

Women Who May Have Registered to Vote Upon a Bonding or School Matter Must Register Again.

To the Women of Michigan:

1—The next general election—your first opportunity to vote—will be held April 7, 1919.

2—On that day important constitutional amendments will be voted on by the voters of Michigan.

3—All women American citizens by birth, naturalization or marriage, who are 21 years of age, or who will be 21 years of age on election day, 21 years of age on election day, are voters for all purposes. But no voter, man or woman, can vote whose name is not upon the proper registration book.

4—Registration is a listing, for use on election day by election inspectors, of all qualified voters. This is done to prevent illegal voting. The City Clerk or Township Clerk is the official before whom you must register. In order to be sure you can vote on April 7, 1919, you should go to his office and register at once. You do not have to write out any statement. The Clerk will write the proper matter in his book.

5—You must register in your own given name. You do not have to give your age. All you need to do in that regard is to state that on election day you will be 21 years old or upwards. You must give your residence and street and number, if any.

6—A woman born in the United States is an American citizen whether her parents were citizens or not, but a woman citizen of the United States who marries an alien loses her citizenship by reason of said marriage and she cannot vote thereafter unless she becomes naturalized through court proceedings. The naturalization of her husband alone would not be sufficient, nor would the death of her alien husband restore her to American citizenship. A subsequent marriage to a United States citizen would, however, make her a citizen.

7—In order to vote in Michigan a woman must be:

(a) 21 years of age or upwards on election day.

(b) A resident of Michigan for 6 months prior to election day.

(c) A resident of the township, village or ward for 20 days before election day (except in case of change of residence from one precinct to another in the same ward or township.)

(d) A citizen of the United States, the wife of a citizen of the United States, or the wife of an inhabitant of foreign birth who, having resided in the state two years and six months prior to November 8, 1894, declared his intention to become a citizen of the United States at least two years and six months prior to said date.

8—REGISTER RIGHT AWAY. A tremendous amount of work will fall upon City and Township Clerks between the present time and the next general election by reason of the extension of the vote to women.

9—By reason of charter provisions, certain cities may have special times for registration of voters other than or in addition to the times above mentioned. But under the 1917 registration law, every voter has the right to register with the City or Township Clerk as explained herein. DO NOT WAIT FOR ANY REGISTRATION MEETINGS. Go and register with your Township or City Clerk. DO IT NOW.

10—Any former registration of a woman to enable her to vote on a bonding proposition or at school meetings, is not sufficient now. Every woman must register with the Township or City Clerk now to entitle her to vote at elections.

11—On April 7, 1919, the voters of Michigan will vote, not only for the election of many officers, including local officers, Justices of the Supreme Court, a Superintendent of Public Instruction, Members of the State Board of Agriculture, Members of the State Board of Education and Regents of the University, but they will vote upon several important amendments to Michigan's Constitution, including an amendment relating to the liquor traffic and an amendment providing for good roads. More than half a million women should register in Michigan between the present time and April 7, 1919. The Republican party in Michigan has advocated Woman Suffrage. The State Central Committee of the Republican party adopted resolutions favoring Woman Suffrage many times. Many Republican State Conventions declared in favor of Woman Suffrage before it was adopted. Within the last six years Republican legislatures in Michigan have submitted the question of Woman Suffrage to the voters of the state three times. It was beaten in 1912 at the polls. It was again beaten at the polls in 1913. It carried in 1918, and is now an established fact. Unless the women of Michigan register and vote generally, little good will result from giving them the vote, and they cannot vote if they do not register. The Republican party of Michigan calls upon every woman in Michigan who will be 21 years old or over on April 7th next to go to her Township or City Clerk NOW and register as a voter, and appeals to her to go to the polls on April 7, 1919, and cast her first vote.

BURT D. CADY, Chairman
Michigan State Central Committee

FROM OUR SOLDIER BOYS

FROM JAMES E. WEBB

Murburg, Germany

Dear Ones at Home:—

Just a few lines to let you people know that I am still O. K.. We have been doing a lot of hiking since I wrote you last.

Well it will soon be Christmas, but I will not be home. I spent Thanksgiving in the Kaiser hall that is in a town that the Germans evacuated when she signed the armistice have been in the district of Faurne through the state of Lorraineburg and am now in old Germany, about forty miles from the Rhine River and about the same distance from a big city Cofling, Germany. Have no idea when I will get home, but it will not be long, but you cannot tell anything about it. We were hiking along the road one day and who did I see but Andrew Ebert. I spoke to him, but we were going in the opposite direction and could not stop to talk. He is about the only fellow from Tawas that I have seen since I have been across. Hope everybody around home is well.

Now mother do not worry over me, for I am all right, with the exception of a bad cold and that is about all over now. Did the Spanish influenza get up in that country. I saw by the paper that there were lots of people died from the "Flu." There are only about twenty houses in Norburg and not very many girls.

Tell dad that I wish I had time here to trade socks with him. The weather is not very cold. We had our first snow about the 15th of December. There is only a light coat of snow now.

We are stationed at the foot of a big hill. On the top of the hill is a big tower. It looks as if it is hundreds of years old. Part of it is crumbling away.

Well there is no more news to write except that the cooties get a little too willing and put a fellow to a lot of trouble.

I send my best love to all. From your loving son,

Pvt. James E. Webb

47th Inf. C. G.

A. E. F.

FROM ROY W. HOLMES

Dear Sister:—

Just received my first mail from the U. S. last night, being old, but interesting. Also received the photos which were more interesting than the letter. Certainly glad to hear that you folks are all well and enjoying good health.

I have been in fairly good health. I spent a few weeks in the hospital with the "Flu." Did not bother me much.

Well I am no farther from the Rhine than you are from the AuSable only on the opposite side.

This is certainly a great country over here, but not comparative with the U. S. A.

Tell Ruth I do not think she will have to keep the chickens very much longer. And the apples and saur kraut will hold very well.

I have not seen Alfred since the fore part of July. I received a letter from him last night. The first time I heard from him since that time.

Well will tell you the story when I reach home.

Well I will close for this time all O. K. Hope these lines find you the same.

From your brother,

Roy W. Holmes,

26th Inf. Co. M.

SHIPS ON PAPER—AND OTHERWISE

Chairman Hurley of the United States Shipping Board, is in Europe, and his mission is to make a new chart of the high seas for Uncle Sam's ships. We are promised that the Stars and Stripes will be found in nearly every port of the world, because the merchant marine of the American Government now comprises more than 7,250,000 tons of shipping, whereas before the war our part in ocean transportation was negligible.

Foreign commerce has become one of the live problems of the Nation, and it is discussed freely at Washington. Several of the departments and bureaus of the Government have taken positive steps to "cash in" on the ten-year-old expectations that have existed with reference to Central American and South American trade.

The fate of the German ships that were seized by the United States Government will be determined at the peace table. In addition to the 600,000 tons in the possession of the United States there are German ships in many ports of the world that will never again be operated under the flag of the fatherland. The American losses in ships totaled about 328,000 tons.

The extent of the English loss in tonnage has not been determined, but the amount is enormous. Before the war England and Germany were the principal factors in the world in foreign commerce. By the fortunes of war both nations are now secondary to the United States.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENT

FOR COMMISSIONER OF SCHOOLS

I wish to announce to the people of Isosco county that I am a candidate for the office of County Commissioner of Schools. I am fully qualified, having a Life Certificate from Ypsilanti. I have been a resident of Isosco County all my life, and have been teaching in the public schools of Tawas City since 1913.

Your votes at the primaries will be much appreciated.

INA M. BRADLEY,
Commissioner of Schools

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENT

FOR COUNTY SCHOOL COMMISSIONER

Upon the urgent request of a number of my friends in Isosco county I have decided to become a candidate for the nomination for County School Commissioner at the March primaries, on the republican ticket.

I have been a resident of Isosco county most of the time for the past 27 years, during eight years of which I have taught school in this county. I have always considered Hale as my home, and am a property owner and taxpayer in that township, though my profession sometimes takes me to other parts of the state.

I will appreciate any support that the voters of Isosco county may see fit to give me, and if nominated and elected I promise a faithful and efficient administration of the office.

EDWIN C. NUNN.

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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 requires constitutional treatment. Hall's 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 fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials. Address F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio. Sold by all Druggists, 75c.



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Remove Mildew.
Take any common soap, size according to area of material that is affected. Cut soap in small pieces, add a little water to it and put on top of stove until dissolved. When about the consistency of cream take from the fire. Stir in common salt and cover the mildewed fabric with the mixture. If one application does not suffice, two will be sure to do the work. After applying the mixture, expose to the sun for some hours and then wash off.

Cloves a Microbe Killer.
The odor of cloves has been known to destroy microbes in 32 minutes; cinnamon will kill some species in 12 minutes, thyme in 35 minutes. In 45 minutes common wild verbena is found effective, while the odor of some geranium flowers has destroyed various forms of microbes in 60 minutes. The essence of cinnamon is said to destroy the typhoid fever microbes in 12 minutes, and is recorded as the most effective of all odors as an antiseptic.

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Friday, February 7

An amazing story of a man and his double. Both roles are played by

Harold Lockwood in "Lend Me Your Name"

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Serial and Comedy. All those who enjoy serials—Start this one. Great jungle picture

"The Lion's Claw"

with a good comedy "Business Before Honesty"

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Theatre will be open Thursday, Feb. 13, with the third number of Tawas City Lecture Course.

All Shows Start at 7:30

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You as well as thousands of farmers know the value of good silage. You know that a silo produces good nourishing feed cheaper than any other known method. The silo is here to stay. It is the money maker on thousands of farms and ranches throughout the country. Let's talk over the silo proposition.

Whether you have bought a silo or not, you have read a great deal about silos and silage. You have listened to one agent and another talk about the merits of their silos. You have read advertisements and catalogues about silos. You have endeavored to decide wisely what silo you should buy. This advertisement is written to help you choose the silo that will give you honest returns on your investment.

During the last ten years the sale of Saginaw Silos has been increasing every year until today we stand as leaders in the field of silo manufacturers. This is due to the fact that every year the Saginaw Silo has been ahead in improvements. Today the Saginaw Silo is as good as a silo can be made along sensible building lines. The construction of the Saginaw Silo is the result of a scientific application of accepted building principles.

In the Saginaw Silo Steel is used to strengthen and fortify the Saginaw against wind and storm. Tornadoes that have blown down other silos, have left the Saginaw untouched. This we know from actual use. The steel features illustrated in this advertisement are absolutely necessary in the construction of a silo. The Saginaw Steel Built Stave Silo is built around and surrounded by steel.

We recommend and urge the use of Redwood. Why? Because Redwood is the only wood that has all the requisites for perfect silo building. It does not rot or decay. It will not shrink nor swell and furthermore it is fire-resisting. No other wood possesses these qualities as Redwood does. If you could see the wonderful evidence we have as to the permanence of Redwood, you would lose no time in deciding on Redwood.

Redwood in Use 52 Years—Sound as a Nut.

At the Forest Products Exposition just held in Chicago, Red-

wood fence rails were shown that had been in use for 52 years. They were exposed to all sorts of weather conditions where there is 60 inches of rainfall annually. Yet today they are as sound and free from decay as the day they were cut—firm and compact from core to edge.

These statements give you some idea of the policy back of the Saginaw Silo. A strict and rigid adherence to scientific building principles and the use of material that has proven itself best for silo building.

It would be impossible for you to experiment with different forms of silo construction. We have done it for you. The answer has been the all around, thorough construction of the Saginaw Silo.

Our policy is proving itself every day. This year Saginaw Silo sales are so big that only those who order quickly will be sure of getting their silo in time for the filling season. Our five factories are working night and day to fill orders for Saginaw Silos.

Redwood is the best wood for silo building. You have the additional choice in Saginaw Silos of Silled Yellow Pine which has many of the qualities of Redwood, also Yellow Pine and Oregon Fir.

Give the Saginaw Silo your earnest consideration before you buy. We are satisfied what your decision will be. See the Saginaw Agent in your locality. He will give you real silo information. Send for silo book No. 115.

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TAWAS CITY, MICHIGAN

Unfortunate Fact.
There is one guess that is pretty accurate. Men who make speeches like to make them.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

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Some Tables Priceless.
There is a tremendous demand today for old mahogany or oak tables. There are any historic associations attached to these tables they bring fabulous prices. There are plenty of tables in the country possessing real historic interest, but none of them is in the least likely at the moment to come on the open market. The table on which Napoleon signed his abdication may be said to be priceless. In England there is a mahogany table which tradition says was washed up on the coast of Clare after the wreck of the Spanish armada.

W. S. S.—BUY THEM!

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The RICHARDS HARDWARE
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RUSSIA'S RICH TIMBER LANDS
Systematic Exportation Would Have a Great Effect on the Markets of the World.

An article in a current magazine by A. J. Sack presents statistics on Russia's forest resources as a means of paying the billions of dollars due to home and foreign creditors.

The astonishing statement is made by this writer that Russia, including Siberia, has 1,125,000,000 acres of timber which is 63 per cent as much as the whole world possessed. This resource is being set aside by Russian economists as a fund to pay the country's debts.

The effect on America's business should be duly considered, observes Hardwood Record in discussing the article. Except oak, it continues, which is generally known in the market as the Japanese oak, it is not probable that much Russian timber will reach the United States; but it will compete with American lumber in other markets, notably those of western Europe, and perhaps those of eastern Asia, western South America and the Pacific islands.

"To that extent," says Hardwood Record, "our lumber business may be hurt by the flood of forest products from Russia. In normal times Germany received 48 per cent of its lumber imports from Russia, and England's per cent of timber imports from that source was nearly as large.

"Lumber shipments from Russia will come from the Baltic, from the Arctic coast of Russia proper and Siberia, and from the Pacific coast of the latter country. The principal lumber markets of the world can be reached from those points."

VALUABLE FIND IN ALASKA
University of Pennsylvania Museum Enriched by Collection of Ethnological Specimens.

The University of Pennsylvania museum has received and placed on exhibition a remarkably fine collection of ethnological specimens secured by Louis Shortridge, a full-blooded Indian, who for three years has been exploring in unknown southern Alaska for the museum at the cost of John Wanamaker. He has sent many collections, but the last is the finest group of the whole.

His latest trip was up into the mountains, where he secured a vast amount of ceremonial material which was for the most part made a century or two ago. It is parted with now only because the Indians have become well-nigh extinct and those younger members of the tribes who remain have little interest in ancient ways because they are taking on civilization.

There is a collection of poles or sacred standards used in ceremonial dances, handsomely carved and decorated with the totam of the bearer. There are some amazingly lurid masks, which were used in the dances, and some costumes which are richly decorated. Some are made of buckskin, but others are of Hudson's bay trader's cloth elaborately embroidered. Altogether Mr. Shortridge has sent about 1,000 specimens and these are often unique and as a whole are unequalled.

Old-Time Barley Bread.
We find more entertainment than instruction in an editorial of the Hartford Courant on the revised use of barley. It refers to its use in Bible times and finds this verse in the Book of Judges to give an idea of its quality:

"And when Gideon was come, behold there was a man that told a dream unto his fellow, and said, Behold, I dreamed a dream, and lo, a cake of barley bread tumbled into the host of Midian and came unto a tent and smote it that it fell and overturned it, that the tent lay along."

The Courant seems to approve of the use of barley flour, though admitting some difficulties in preparing it for bread. But it takes this Bible verse as evidence that its density would make it serviceable as a projectile.—Waterbury American.

This Girl is a "Lineman."
When the automatic telephone switchboard in Santa Monica, Cal., gets out of order it is a young woman, clad in overalls and jumper, that "shoots the trouble."

Before this high-school graduate of unusual accomplishments obtained her present position of indoor mechanic, she proved herself as efficient as the men in doing line work, climbing poles and replacing wires as readily as any of them, says Popular Mechanics, in describing her attainments.

But for the war and the shortage of men having mechanical experience, she probably would not be filling a man's place.

However, being fond of mechanics and having a knowledge of electricity, she intends to remain at her post until peace comes, and then get a college education.

Policeman Apologizes.
Released by the signal of the traffic policeman, the stream of vehicles was surging through Market street when a young woman in a new car drove up Broad street. She pulled out to pass the other cars that had halted and kept on her way, pumping the horn shrilly and insistently: "I blew the horn loudly enough; why didn't you make those cars stop and let me by?" she freezingly asked the policeman after he had rescued her. "My mistake, madam," said the officer. "I thought you were blowing for me to move the Kinney building back out of your way."—Newark News.

An Ambulance Driver
By F. A. MITCHELL
(Copyright, 1917, Western Newspaper Union.)

Jimmie Throckmorton, when the world's war broke out, was inspired by patriotism to be in it. The United States did not at first show any disposition to enter the fray, so Jimmie could not enlist in a fighting regiment. But he could drive an ambulance, and Americans who went over to assist the western allies usually joined an ambulance corps. This was the best Jimmie could do to make a soldier of himself without fighting under a foreign flag.

Well, Jimmie sailed for France and in due time found himself at the front. The only comfort he anticipated from driving an ambulance instead of fighting in the trenches was that he would be in less danger. But when he entered upon his duties he found that in war there is danger for every one.

One day while driving a load of wounded a shell burst near his ambulance and took away his right foot and ankle. When he recovered from his wound he was discharged and returned to his home in the United States.

Now Jimmie was entitled to the encomiums due heroism just as much as any other hero. He had a decoration, and he walked on a cork foot and ankle.

All heroes in war do not receive the same treatment, circumstances having a great deal to do with the matter. Time removes many of them from the public memory. Of the heroes of the war between the States only a few of the central figures are now household words. On the northern side, the names of Grant, Sherman and Sheridan are about all that are generally known. There never was a hero of that or any other war who died of disease. A man must be killed in battle to be a dead hero.

Jimmie Throckmorton was confident on returning to his home that he would be appreciated for the work he had done. He had gone to the war from a large city, and absence from a numerous throng is not noticeable. Jimmie was walking along a crowded street in citizen's dress after his return. He wore an overcoat that covered his decoration button and no one would have noticed that the leather over his right foot covered cork instead of flesh and blood. He met a friend and they stopped for a brief chat.

"Hello, Jim," said the friend. "Do you expect to be drafted?"

"They wouldn't take me; I've got a cork foot."

"What are you giving me?"

"True. I've been to the war and had my foot shot off."

Jimmie had much trouble in convincing his friend of the truth of his statement. The man didn't know that Jim had been out of the city. Jim was working up some interest in himself as a soldier when he mentioned the fact that he had been an ambulance driver.

"Oh!" said his friend, "I thought you were a soldier," and passed on with a "So long. Anyway, you've escaped the draft."

Jimmie moved away, cognizant for the first time of the fact that the man who does his duty to his country should not look for a reward in the plaudits of those he fights for.

He received other reminders of this fact. One person, noticing his decoration button, asked him if it was the badge of the Sons of the Revolution. Another asked if it was the badge of a Confederate Camp. Finally Jim told inquirers that his grandfather had been a pirate and the badge was given his progenitor for long service under the skull and bones flag.

But all this was a bagatelle to what happened to Jimmie when he fell in love. He had suffered so acutely for having driven wounded men from the battlefield, both in the loss of limb and from a want of appreciation, that he never mentioned his military service to his enamored one. She asked him why he didn't go to the war, and instead of telling her that he had been there, he said he had enlisted, but had been fired from the army because he was lame.

Jimmie got engaged in the spring and in the early summer followed his fiancée to Lake ——. Of course, there was plenty of boating. Jimmie's girl was very fond of paddling. Nothing would do but they must go canoeing. The girl was a good swimmer, but Jim couldn't swim at all. In changing places they upset the canoe. The girl struck out beautifully, but on looking about for her lover saw only one foot floating on the surface. She swam for it and righted its owner. The cork was so much lighter than any part of his body that it stayed up while the rest of him went down. Holding his head above water, she supported him to the landing, which was close at hand.

This was the crown of ignominy for Jim's pride in his service to his country.

One evening Jim took his girl to a lecture on the war by one who was familiar with what was going on at the front. He had seen Jim at work there and told the audience what a hero he was. A speech was called for and Jim said:

"Ladies and gentlemen, if a man goes to war for any other than patriotic reasons, he is a fool."

It was a very short speech, but much to the point.

Yes, Why Is It?
Said the facetious feller, "Why is it when a man goes to a butcher shop and learns that the price of a chuck roast is 55 cents a pound he involuntarily allows his mind to revert to thoughts of the flesh and the devil?"—Indianapolis Star.

WANTS, FOR SALE, ETC

Wanted—Lady to keep house. Inquire of Mrs. W. A. Evans, East Tawas, Mich. 6-1f

Salesmen Wanted—to solicit orders for lubricating oils, greases and paints. Salary or Commission. Address The Harvey Oil Co., Cleveland Ohio.

Having sold a number of 80 acre tracts of land leaving out 40s, will sell at \$15 per acre. Some improvements. Write me. J. C. Barber, Turner, Mich. 5-1f

Seed Corn—Mature White Cap dent for Isoco county. See samples in county agent's office. \$3.50 per bushel. Order now, supply limited. Otto Rempert, Tawas City.

Seed Corn—Fine quality, selected ears, matures in Michigan climate. State quantity required and I will give delivered price and description. C. G. Freeman, Pontiac, Mich. 8-pd

Salesman Wanted—Lubricating Oil, Grease, Specialties, Paint. Part or whole time. Commission basis. Man with a car or rig preferred. Riverside Refining Company, Cleveland, Ohio. 7-pd

Found—At Tawas City Theatre after the Paramount Entertainers Thursday evening, a pair of lady's silk gloves. Owner may have same by paying for this advertisement. Call at Herald office.

CATTLE FOR SALE
12 Durham heifers
10 Holstein heifers
20 head of steers
1 bull
9 months time if desired.
W. M. McCaskey, Tawas City, Mich.

REGISTRATION NOTICE
To the qualified electors of the city of Tawas City, State of Michigan.
Notice is hereby given that in conformity with Act 126, Public Acts of 1917, I, the undersigned city clerk, will, upon any day except Sunday and a legal holiday, or the day of any regular or special election or official primary election, receive for registration the name of any legal voter in said city not already registered who may apply to me personally for such registration, except that I can receive no names for registration during the time intervening between the Second Saturday before any general or special election of official primary election and the day of such election.
February 22, 1919, last day for General Registration for Primary Election, March 5, 1919.

All electors not already registered and intending to vote at said election, should make personal application to me on or before the 22nd day of February, A. D. 1919.

Notice is further hereby given that I will be at my office in the Herald Office.

FEB. 8, AND FEB. 15, 1919
from 8 o'clock a. m. until 8 o'clock p. m. on each said day for the purpose of receiving the registration and registering such of the qualified electors in said city as shall appear and apply therefor.

The name of no person but an actual resident of the precinct at the time of registration, and entitled under the constitution, if remaining such resident, to vote at the next election shall be entered in the registration book.

Registration of Absentee by Oath.
If any person whose name is not registered shall offer and claim right to vote at any election, and shall, under oath, state that he is a resident of such city and has resided in the city twenty days next preceding such election, designating particularly the place of his residence, and that he possesses the other qualifications of an elector under the constitution; and that, owing to the sickness or bodily infirmity of himself, or of some member of his family or owing to his absence from the city on public business or his own business, and without intent to avoid or delay his registration he was unable to make application for registration on the last day provided by law for the registering of electors preceding such election, then the name of such person shall be registered, and he shall be permitted to vote at such election. If such applicant shall, in said matter, wilfully make any false statement, he shall be deemed guilty of perjury, and upon conviction, be subject to the pains and penalties thereof.

Provision in Case of Removal to Another Precinct.
Any registered and qualified voter who has removed from one election precinct of a ward to another election precinct of the same ward shall have the right, on any day previous to election day, on application to the city clerk, to have his name transferred from the registration book of the precinct from which he has removed to the registration book of the precinct in which he then resides. Such elector shall have the right to have such transfer made on election day by obtaining from the board of inspectors of election of the precinct from which he has removed a certificate of transfer and presenting the said certificate to the board of election inspectors of the precinct in which he then resides.

WOMEN ELECTORS
Important Notice
All women who possess the qualifications of male electors will be entitled to registration provided they make proper application to the City clerk within the time limit above designated. All registration prior to Dec. 5, 1918, is null and void.
Dated January 31, 1919.
JAS. E. BALLARD,
Clerk of said City.

Or Chawing Gum.
"No, Willie," explained grandpa, "false teeth are not stuck with toothpaste."

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 24th day of January, A. D. 1919.
Present, Hon. David Davison, Judge of Probate.
In the matter of the estate of Peter E. Bamberger, deceased.
Samuel S. Bamberger and Jacob R. Binkley having filed in said court

their final administration account, and their petition praying for the allowance thereof and for the assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate.
It is ordered that the 20th day of FEBRUARY A. D. 1919, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for examining and allowing said account and 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 county.
DAVID DAVISON,
A true copy 8-pd Judge of Probate.

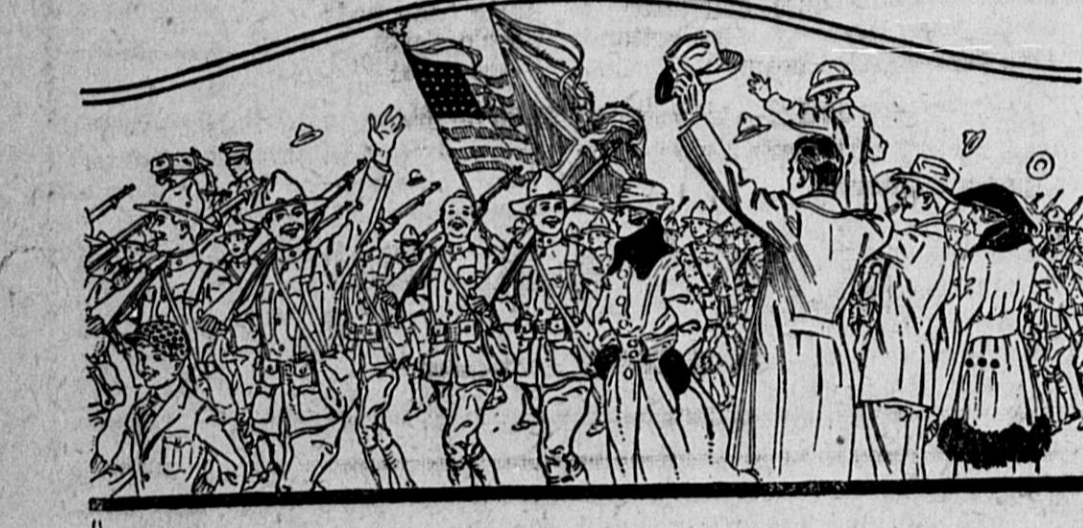
List Your Live Stock With the Grange Co-Operative Association
During the winter and spring shipping will be light so list your stock several weeks ahead of the time you wish to ship.
If this is done we can handle it nicely. Stock may be listed either with your director or the secretary.
FRED C. LATTER, Sec'y-Treas.
Whittemore Michigan

"ROSS" Silos and Fillers
"In-de-struct-o" Metal, the perfect silo
"Ross" wood stave. The only round silo made in pine, fir and redwood.
Fillers, both types, the only filler made on which the purchaser may write his own guarantee.
Feed Grinders of All Sizes
Drop me a card or phone before you buy and save money.
Ralph Anderson, Siloam, Mich.
Representing E. W. Ross Co., Springfield, Ohio, manufacturers of silos and fillers for 69 years

BOWLING
Our bowling alley offers you an opportunity for recreation and sport that you cannot get elsewhere. Bowling is an ideal exercise and will limber up your muscles and keep you in trim.
Or if you prefer a lighter form of recreation, our pool tables will furnish it, and will develop your skill and quickness of eye, and give you a maximum of entertainment at a minimum of expense.
Full Line of
Cigars, Tobacco, Candy and Soft Drinks
FRED FORCE
TAWAS CITY MICHIGAN

Oldest State Bank
IN
Northern Michigan
Established 1894
A Welcome For YOU!
The sole purpose of this Institution is not merely to assist patrons in the transaction of their financial affairs.
Our earnest and consistent endeavor is to cultivate with each depositor a permanent and profitable association and friendship.
If you are considering a banking connection at this time, come and talk with our officers.
A hearty welcome awaits you here!
Alpena County Savings Bank
Alpena, Mich.
MEMBER FEDERAL RESERVE SYSTEM

Are You Paying the Long Price for Your Groceries?
Think it over. What's the use of doing it while the other fellow is picking up the bargains?
The Cheese market is going to break soon. We going to get in ahead and sell the Finest Cream Cheese at per lb. 35c
How would 30c per lb. look to you for Pure Lard? Good, after the price you have been paying, isn't it?
Remember, we have the finest line of Teas and Coffees in the city at prices that are right
W. J. ROBINSON
TAWAS CITY MICHIGAN



Welcome Home!
To Our Boys--the returning Victors--who won the greatest fight in all history to free the world from autocracy's haughty domination, our hats are off, our hearts are grateful and glad and we will never forget.
Most joyfully we welcome you back! May the days as well as the years ahead of you ever keep fresh in your memory, the appreciation and pride which mere words alone cannot express. You did the job right.
Military training has certainly worked wonders with your physique--your new clothes to properly fit your bigger chest, smaller waist, more muscular limbs, should be made expressly for you by Ed. V. Price & Co. The new fashions and woollens await your inspection and we will gladly measure you and arrange for delivery of the finished clothes to suit your convenience.
New Sample book of Spring and Summer Styles Just Received
M. E. FRIEDMAN
Tawas City, Mich.

TWO IMPORTANT MEETINGS

On Friday, Feb. 14, 1919, the third Michigan Land and Livestock Congress will be held at the Bancroft hotel, Saginaw, under the auspices of the Michigan Agricultural Development Association, with the Saginaw Board of Commerce and the North-eastern Michigan Development Bureau cooperation.

The annual dinner of the North-eastern Michigan Development Bureau will be held at the same place at 6:30 p. m. on Feb. 14, and a splendid time is promised those who attend.

The annual business meeting of the Development Bureau will be held at 9 a. m. on Saturday, February 15, at the Bancroft hotel, at which time three directors from each county will be chosen by the membership.

Immediately after the membership meeting adjourns the directors will meet to elect officers and executive committee for the ensuing year.

These meetings will be of interest to all those interested in the advancement of northeastern Michigan and the expectations are that the attendance will be large.

WARN FARMERS TO BE ON GUARD FOR NEW ENEMIES OF CROPS

East Lansing, Mich., Feb. 3.—A warning to be on the lookout for two new pests—the eel worm of wheat, and the European corn borer—is being communicated to Michigan farmers by the department of entomology of M. A. C. Both insects have come into the United States from Europe.

"A new eel worm disease of wheat has recently been introduced into America from Europe," declares Prof. Rufus J. Pettit "and it now exists in California, New York, Georgia, Virginia and West Virginia. These little worms produce galls in place of the kernels. These galls are darkened and hollow and externally look somewhat like cockle seed. The name of this eel worm causing this trouble is *Tylenchus tritici*. It is a serious pest and is easily spread about, being carried on farm tools from field to field and feet of animals and laborers. Keep a sharp lookout for this insect and if you find anything suspicious, seal it up tight and send it to the department of entomology at M. A. C. The remedies recommended thus far for this pest are the use of disease-free seed, rotation, and avoiding the carrying of infection on the farm tools or on the feet of man or those of animals.

"In addition to the eel-worm disease there is a new borer called the European Corn Borer, *Pyrausta nubilalis*. This creature lives in corn, potatoes, beans, beets, celery, spinach, geraniums, and a number of other flowers and on many weeds. It tunnels in the stalks and in the ears of corn, and is capable of producing enormous losses. It is at present restricted to part of Massachusetts."

GARDENS WILL BE PROFITABLE THIS YEAR

The home garden is likely to prove a profitable investment of effort this year as it has for the past several seasons, in the opinion of the United States Department of Agriculture. The experience of the past few years has proved that persons who have sufficient land and spare time and who do their home gardening work intelligently and efficiently find it profitable. The relatively high prices of practically all foodstuffs tend to increase the saving effected, but the home garden should be planned with a view to meeting the family needs rather than of producing crops for sale on the market.

Optimistic Thought.
The king cannot always rule as he wishes.

Daily Thought.
He is foolish to blame the sea who is snipwrecked twice.—Syrus.

MICKIE SAYS

DID YA EVER NOTICE IT? THE FELLER WHO GOES AROUND SAYIN' HE "DON'T BELIEVE IN ADVERTISIN'" IS ALWAYS MAKIN' SOME OTHER STONE AGE CRACK, SUCH AS "AUTOS AINT COME TO STAY THEY'RE JEST A PASSIN' FAD."



WHITTEMORE.

M. O. Collins is on the sick list this week. Edward Flynn of Clio has been here for several days. Miss Bessie Leslie returned to Prescott Tuesday.

Fred Mills was over to Turner on business Monday. The Grange installed officers at the Grange hall today (Friday).

Russell Williams of Bay City spent a few days here on business. Mr. and Mrs. Adolphus Cataline spent Sunday at Tawas City.

The Red Cross room was well filled with workers Tuesday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Allen of Tawas township were callers here Tuesday.

Episcopal Guild met at the home of Mrs. Thos. Ruckle Thursday afternoon. Charles McLean is so far recovered as to be able to resume his duties at the store.

Glenn Cataline returned to Flint after spending several weeks with his parents here. Miss Blanche Jacques came down from Lincoln and is spending the week at home.

Rupert Bentley's Ford tractor is power for the clover huller of the Reno Machine Co., operating in this city and vicinity.

Dr. J. W. Goodrich rector of Christ church, East Tawas held services here Wednesday evening. Hector Flynn spent a few days at the dam last week, and returned with some fine specimen of pike.

Misses Margaret and Helen Nisbet spent Sunday here the guests of Miss Annie and Bessie Leslie. Miss Nona McDougald was called to her home in Reno by the serious illness and death of her brother, Don.

Malon Earhart, wife and daughter of Detroit were called here by the death of his mother, Mrs. David Earhart. E. Louks and family, also Mrs. C. H. Ridgley left by auto Monday for a visit with friends at Flushing and other points.

Several from here attended the funeral service of Don McDougald at the Baptist church in Reno Sunday. Universal sympathy is extended to the parents and other members of the family in this hour of sorrow.

The "Memorial Service" at the M. E. church was largely attended Sunday morning, and the sermon rendered by Rev. Chas. McKenzie was filled with loyalty, pathos and patriotism and sank deep in the hearts of his hearers, and will long be remembered.

T. W. Michael addressed the farmers of this vicinity, who have become interested in a co-operative elevator company, at the Grange hall, Monday evening. A good crowd was present and we are informed that the state organizers looks forward to success in this enterprise.

A message was received here Tuesday announcing the death of John Osborne, son of Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Osborne of Burleigh, at Detroit. Mr. Osborne left immediately for that place and will accompany the remains here. Sincere sympathy is extended to the bereaved family in this unexpected sorrow by their many friends in this place.

The funeral services of Mrs. David Earhart were held at the M. E. church Friday at 2 p. m. Rev. Chas. McKenzie officiating. A large concourse of sorrowing relatives and friends followed the remains to their last resting place in the Saints cemetery, where they were laid beside those of her husband, whose death was recorded in August, 1917.

The central of the Bell telephone also the American Express have been transferred to Mr. and Mrs. Otto Bahl, who recently purchased the city property of Thos. Spooner, and who have taken possession of the same. They assure us that they will aim to give the best possible service along these lines and in return may expect the hearty cooperation of the general public.

We are informed that the first two women to register in this city were Mrs. D. R. Hurford and Mrs. Wm. Curtis wife of the city clerk. It is expected however that every eligible woman will register before Feb. 11 that she may have the right of suffrage at the primary. It is only fitting at this time for every woman to register this showing her appreciation of the opportunity that has been granted to her. Let every legally qualified woman register with the city clerk Saturday Feb. 8th.

HEMLOCK SLIVERS.

Mr. Mart Long visited her parents last Thursday. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dease visited at the parental home Sunday.

Harry Latham is spending a few days in Whittemore on business. Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Watts were visitors at Robert Watts' Sunday.

Miss Hattie Dempsey spent several days last week with relatives in Wilber. Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Ferrister entertained relatives from Whittemore Sunday.

Miss Jennie McCardell is spending a few weeks vacation at her home here. The little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Bamberger is quite sick with pneumonia.

Mr. and Mrs. Wellington VanSickle left last Saturday morning for Canada to visit relatives. Mrs. Lillian Mosher and little daughter are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Van Sickle. Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Smith entertained over Sunday, Mrs. Isaac Lupton of New York and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Starks of Lupton.

Miss Mary Smith returned home from Bay City last Wednesday, where she had been for two weeks, caring for her sister, Mrs. Claude Irish and family, who were all sick with the "flu".

At a meeting of Hemlock Arbor of Gleaners, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: Chief Gleaner—Mrs. Mary Fraser Vice Chief Gleaner—Charles Brown Sec. Treas.—Mrs. Rose Watts Conductress—Mrs. Clara McIvor Conductor—Leon Biggs Inner Guard—Victor Herriman Outer Guard—Andrew Melvor

RENO RUMBLINGS

Mrs. J. A. White was on the sick list last week. Cecil Westervelt returned to high school Monday.

Mrs. Frockins suffered an attack of laryngitis last week. Arthur Popp unloaded his new silo at Taft one day last week.

Mr. Fred Boulder is entertaining his brother from Canada this week. Mrs. Chas. Thompson visited relatives in Lincoln a few days last week.

Johnny and Norman Sibley are afflicted with sore throat this week. Mrs. Simms of Wilber is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Harry Latter, this week.

Galen Robinson is enjoying a visit with his brother, who came Monday evening. Doctors Cowie, Smith and Voorhies have been frequent callers of our town of late.

Mrs. Josiah Robinson and son, Lester, were business visitors at Hale Monday. Mrs. Alva Hutchinson suffered a relapse last week and is now confined to her bed.

Geo. Charters was thrown from his horse last Saturday and suffered a fractured shoulder. Mrs. Morin and son, Edd, visited her little granddaughter, Marion, at the Harsh ranch Sunday evening.

Harry Sherman's brother from the upper peninsula came Monday evening for a few days visit with him. Ladies remember your services are needed Thursday afternoon at the town hall to work for the Red Cross. The quarantine has been lifted on the west side and the influenza patients are all able to be out again.

Mr. and Mrs. Boulder visited her brother, Bert Papple on the Hemlock Sunday. Mr. P. has been very sick the past week. Bertha Charters was quite badly bitten by a cross dog on entering the store at Taft one day last week. It is reported that the dog was shot.

Miss Eva McDougald, who was visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Stanlack the first of the week was called home Thursday by the serious illness of her brother, Donald.

Mr. and Mrs. William Latter went to Gates ranch for a visit with his brother, Arthur, and family the latter part of the week, returning Monday. Mr. Latter reported seeing one of the finest herds of Holstein cattle you could find in the state.

The Grangers met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Latter last Thursday. Mr. and Mrs. Everett Latham of the Hemlock were present. Mr. L. acting as installing officer and installed their officers for the ensuing year. Twenty-two members were present. An oyster dinner was served and good sociable time was enjoyed.

DEATH OF DONALD McDOUGALD

Our community was saddened again Friday morning when the death angel called Donald, the 9 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Archie McDougald. He suffered an attack of tonsillitis last week and to all appearance was improving until Wednesday evening when he took seriously ill. Medical aid was summoned and it was learned that spasmodic laryngitis had developed so far that relief was impossible.

He was a very active child in the family circle and congenial among his playmates and will be mourned by a host of relatives and friends. There are left to mourn his loss his father, and mother, one brother, Geo. and six sisters, Mrs. Voller of Gladwin, Eva, Nona, Ethel, Vera and Eunice all were present at the time of his death.

Interment was made in the Reno cemetery. The bereaved family have the sympathy of their many friends.

MILLS STATION AND LOCALITY

Chas. Thompson of Reno was here last week. J. Earheart of Burleigh was here on Tuesday.

Sherman and Chester Huff were in Prescott Saturday on business. Mrs. Floyd Webster, who was on the sick list, is able to be out again. News here has been scarce owing to the "flu" epidemic. People have been staying home.

Frank Webster, who was ill with the "flu" is able to be out again. The quarantine being lifted. Mrs. E. Cole and children visited the former's daughter, Mrs. B. Beas, near Prescott last week.

There was no Red Cross meeting Jan. 28, at the Ross home, as was planned. There being no work sent in. Mr. and Mrs. C. Crayner's of Omer were visitors of the latter's parents, also his relatives here several days recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Stockdale and mother and Mrs. Harry Webster and daughter, Beatrice, were in Whittemore on Sunday. Mrs. Ada Edwards of Prescott has resumed her duties at the Corrigan school as teacher. It being closed two weeks owing to the "flu" being in this vicinity.

Sunday school opened again last Sunday at 2 p. m. followed by preaching at 3 p. m. by Rev. McKenzie of Whittemore. Sunday school again Feb. 9, at 2 p. m.

The Grange members, both ladies and gentlemen meet with Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Huff Feb. 12. A special invitation for all members to be present. Come for all day. A dinner will be served by the gentlemen. Mr. Chas. Beardsley of Whittemore and Mr. Price from here, were canvassing this locality for subscribers to put a farmers telephone line through from Whittemore here then on to the Hemlock road. They were successful in gaining the desired number of subscribers.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Price, Mr. and Mrs. S. A. and L. W. Ross and Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Huff from here attended the Grange meeting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Latter in Reno last Thursday. The Grangers served an oyster dinner after which installation of officers took place. A large number were present. All report a good time.

LIDLAWVILLE.

Theodore Lange came home from Marine City last week Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. John Westcott and children visited the former's parents on Sunday.

Edwin Anschuetz and sister, Miss Freda and Miss Emma Bygden visited Miss Augusta Schaaf on Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Fahselt and family were Sunday visitors of their son, Carl, and wife in Tawas City.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wood were visitors Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Westcott in Baldwin. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wood spent last week Wednesday with their father, Mr. Alva Wood in East Tawas was.

Mrs. W. E. Laidlaw and son Ebbie, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Culham, in Tawas City. Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Laidlaw spent Sunday afternoon and evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Fahselt in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Thompson of East Tawas visited at the home of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Woyahn Sunday. John Kobs, sr., of Tawas City spent Sunday, his seventy-ninth birthday, with his daughter, Mrs. John Anschuetz and family.

Ferdinand and Andrew Anschuetz arrived home from Camp Custer Friday, having received their honorable discharge from military service. The Misses Hazel McLeod and Grace Carpenter and their uncle, J. A. Carpenter, of East Tawas were callers of Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm McLeod Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Fahselt got word this week from their son, Henry, who has been in training at Camp Custer, that he has been honorably discharged and is working in Detroit at present.

ALABASTER DUST.

The high school has a new Cecelian victrola. Born to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Rollin, Feb. 1st, a daughter. Luther Ladies Aid met Thursday at the home of Mrs. John A. Anderson. Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Brown have returned from a weeks visit in Bay City.

A surprise party was given at the home of Mrs. C. A. Johnson, Monday in honor of her birthday. Miss Ruth Anderson, who was called home by the death of her grandmother Mrs. A. B. Amiot, returned to Detroit Tuesday.

There will be a meeting of the farmers of the township at the town hall Saturday afternoon. T. W. Michael will be the speaker and every farmer is requested to attend.

DEATH OF MRS. ALPHEA B. AMIOT

Mrs. Alpheia B. Amiot died at her home January 30, 1919, after a four weeks illness caused by paralysis. Alpheia Benjamin was born at Moravia, New York, July 31, 1846 and came to Saginaw City, Michigan in 1861. On February 14, 1866 she was married to Louis Amiot of Bethier, Canada. Of six children born to them, only one daughter, Mrs. J. E. Anderson, seven grandchildren and one sister, Mrs. A. R. Green of Moravia, New York survive. Mr. Amiot died 10 years ago.

The funeral was held from the Baptist church in Tawas City, Feb. 1, Rev. Ehrhardt officiating. Burial in the Tawas City cemetery.

Card of Thanks

We wish to express our sincere appreciation to the friends and neighbors who assisted us during the illness and death of our mother and grandmother, also for the beautiful flowers.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Anderson and family

MEADOW ROAD

Willie Look of East Tawas spent Sunday at the parental home. Mrs. Schramm of East Tawas spent Sunday with her daughter, Mrs. Carl Look.

Mr. and Mrs. St. Martin and family visited Sunday at the home of Joe Fisher. Mrs. John Guest of Saginaw spent a few days this week with her uncle, Ed Londo.

Miss Lillian Curry of the Hemlock spent a couple days with her friend, Martha Klisch. Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Lorenz spent Tuesday evening at the home of Gustave Krumm.

Miss Evelyn Strauer of Sherman spent a few days with her sister, Mrs. Elmer Pierson. Quite a number attended the Farmers meeting at the Grange hall Wednesday afternoon.

Bert Papple has been suffering from an attack of rheumatism, but is much improved at this writing. Mrs. L. Colby of Tawas City is spending a few days with her son, Elmer, and caring for her daughter-in-law, who has been on the sick list the past week.

TOWNLINER TOPICS.

Miss Erma Ulman is on the sick list. Judson Freel is still under the doctors care. Mrs. Joe Freel has been real sick the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Low visited with his son, David Low, last Sunday. Dan Goodrow has been the guest of his niece, Mrs. Joe Ulman the past week. Geo. McKinzie has been buzzing wood at Tawas City for Rev. McMichael.

Wm. V. Freel returned last Monday from Sandusky. He enjoyed his visit very much. Mr. and Mrs. August Freel of Emery Junction spent Sunday at Judson Freel's.

HALE AND VICINITY.

Jed White is in Flint this week. Cash Brandall went to Flint Monday to find employment. Mrs. John Guest of Saginaw is visiting Hale relatives this week.

Grace Shattuck was a Bay City visitor two days of last week. F. E. Bernard left Friday last for a business trip to Detroit and Ohio points.

Joseph Kitchen of Emery Junction was the guest of his son, Ross, here this week. A baby girl, Geraldine, came Jan. 29, to gladden the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Hobart.

Mrs. Charles Mott had as over Sunday guests her mother, Mrs. E. M. Harrison and sister, and baby of Sterling. John D. Webb arrived home from Camp Custer Tuesday, having been given an honorable discharge by Uncle Sam, after six months service.

LONG LAKE BREEZES.

Mr. Deyo is on the sick list. The ice is fine in Long Lake. Frank Wolfson is putting up ice on the outing ground.

Mavis Vosburg ate dinner with Miss Merrill Boring Sunday. The influenza cases are all on the gain. No more new cases. Miss Sarah Mothersill is visiting her sister, Mrs. Seth Clayton.

Charles Whinnery has purchased the Vosburg cottage, where he lives, spending a week with his mother his business a few days this week. Frank Wolfson is the owner of a fine auto truck, which he is very proud of.

Miss Tres Fisher came Saturday from Flint to visit her mother, Mrs. Ramsey of this place. Elmer Bradford returned to his work in Winnepeg Monday, after spending a week with his mother here.

EMERY JUNCTION NOTES

Mr. and Mrs. Freel spent Sunday at Towlino. Minard Mills is entertaining his brother for a few days.

Mrs. Trim from Omer spent Sunday with Mr. Doby and family. Rev. Roberts and wife spent one day at Prescott this week. Mr. DeFrans from Turner spent Sunday with Mr. Sase and family.

Miss Frasier opened school this week, after an absence of a few days. Miss Josephine Mark is working for Mrs. Wesley Dunham during her illness. Rev. Miller will spend a few days here this week attending the revival meetings by Rev. Brough.

A seven pound boy came to live in the home of Wesley Dunham and wife one day last week. All doing fine.

HAY SHOULD BE INCREASED 25 PER CENT

A 25 per cent increase in the production of hay, in order to maintain and if possible to increase the supply of live stock, is recommended by the United States Department of Agriculture. The production of hay in the United States in 1918 was only 90,000,000 tons, as compared with 98,000,000 tons in 1916. This falling off was due to unfavorable seasons and to plowing up meadow lands for other crops.

The Tawas Herald, \$2.00 per year.

Auto and Horse Livery

I have opened a livery at my residence in Tawas City and will be prepared to supply transportation by auto or horse at all times and at reasonable rates.

Phone 107-W

AUCTIONEER

If you are going to have an auction let me cry the sale for you. I'll get the money for your goods, and my charges will be reasonable.

THOS. H. HILL
TAWAS CITY Phone 107-W MICH.

Auction Sale

Having rented one of my farms and sold the other, I will offer for sale at the premises in Laidlawville, 3 1/2 miles north and 1/2 mile west of Tawas City, on

TUESDAY, FEB. 11

beginning at 1 o'clock p. m. the following described stock and personal property

- One black mare 10 yrs. old, wt. 1400, with foal
- One black mare coming 4 yrs. old, wt. 1350
- One black horse coming 3 yrs. old wt. 1000
- One black cow 5 yrs. old, due in May
- One Jersey red cow, 10 yrs. old due in Oct.
- One red cow, 4 yrs. old, farrow giving milk
- One roan cow, 5 yrs. old, due Feb. 15
- One steer 15 months old
- 36 breeding ewes, will lamb in May
- 19 chickens
- Two shoats, 6 mo. old
- One Flint wagon, good as new, wide tire
- One wagon, wide tire, good as new
- One flat rack
- One wagon box
- One two-horse Gale cultivator
- One sulky plow
- One feed cooker
- One single harness
- Two set double harness, one brass trimmed
- One buckboard
- One hay rake, nearly new
- One McCormick mower, good as new
- One walking cultivator
- One walking plow
- Two sets spring tooth drags
- One spike tooth drag
- One Chatham fanning mill and bagger
- One DeLaval separator, nearly new, with timer
- 80 rods 3-ft. fencing, new
- 200 or more bushels oats
- One bag Rosen rye
- About 100 bushels No. 1 seed potatoes
- About 5 ton good clover and timothy hay
- Quantity straw
- Some bean pods
- Stable forks, shovels, and numerous other articles

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