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## HAPPENINGS OF THE WEEK

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

POTATOES, call McCaskey. adv Frank R. Dease was a Harrisville visitor Monday.

A. Steinhurst went to Saginaw on business Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Prescott were Bay City visitors Wednesday.

A. B. Schneider of Sherman was a business visitor in the city Wednesday.

C. H. W. Snyder of Saginaw spent the week end with his family in this city.

Everett Moffett of Harbor Beach visited friends in the city a few days this week.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. J. D. McCrum, on Saturday morning, March 22, a bouncing baby boy.

Among the soldier boys who arrived home this week were John Johnson of the A. E. F., and Frank Sietloff from Camp Custer.

Mrs. S. Ferguson left Thursday morning for Grand Rapids, where she will spend some time with her daughter, Mrs. R. W. Tuttle.

Tawas City and Oscoda boys' and girls' basket ball teams will play two games at the East Tawas opera house on Tuesday evening, April 1.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred LaCass returned last Saturday to their home at Flushing after a few days visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Burley Wilson.

Miles Main and family left Thursday for Seattle, Wash., where he will play baseball with the Northwestern League during the coming season.

Orville Davison of Camp Douglas, Arizona has been spending a few days of a thirty day furlough with his father, David Davison in this city.

A meeting of the cemetery board was held Wednesday evening, at which it was voted to purchase three carloads of gravel to improve the road to the cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. V. Curry and family left last Saturday for Lapeer, where Mr. Curry has purchased a delivery business and where they will make their home.

With the usual variability of March our nice spring weather caught cold Wednesday night and Thursday was marked by a high, cold wind from the north with some snow.

Mr. and Mrs. F. F. Taylor visited relatives and friends in Detroit a few days the past week. Mr. T. returned Wednesday, but Mrs. Taylor will remain a week or ten days longer.

If farmers in this vicinity have any stock to ship in the next two weeks please list immediately with Nelson Johnson for shipment through the Grange Co-Operative association. adv

News has been received here that Harry J. Scarlett, who has been in France with the A. E. F. since last October, has returned to the U. S. and is now at Camp Merritt, N. J.

Harry Morley arrived home last Saturday night for a ten days visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Parker Morley. Harry has been in the service overseas with the A. E. F., but has received his discharge and will return to his work in Detroit about April 1.

Miss Lola Stevens of Bay City will give a song recital Friday evening, April 4, at the home of Mr. C. W. Luce. Miss Stevens will be accompanied by Mrs. Norris Wentworth of Bay City. The recital is under the auspices of the Monday Musical club. Admission 25c. adv

Tomorrow, Saturday, March 29, is the last day you can register in time to vote at the spring election, April 7. If you haven't already registered, apply to your city or township clerk before tomorrow night and he will place your name on the registration book. Don't neglect it if you want to vote April 7.

The United States Forest Service have recently received maps which have been compiled and revised by the service showing the correct location of roads, lakes, settlements, AuSable river dams and other topography to the north, northeast and northwest of Tawas City. Copies of these maps have been posted in the local garage for reference purposes.

The before-the-war rate of postage of two cents on first class mail and one cent for postal cards will be restored July 1st, 1919, according to orders received from the postoffice department, but they must not be placed on sale until July 1. The three cent rate of postage has been in effect for 17 months. The increase was ordered to begin Oct. 3, 1917.

Fire insurance, H. E. Hanson. adv M. A. Sommerfield was a business visitor at Bay City Saturday.

H. W. Stockman of Oscoda was in the city on business Wednesday.

Ten bars Swift's laundry soap and one package of Gold Dust, 63c at Corrigan's. adv

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

The annual meeting of the Monday Musical club will be held at the home of Mrs. McKeon, East Tawas, March 31.

J. D. McCrum went to Manchester the first of the week to bring up a carload of stock for the Prescott ranch.

Twenty-three Iosco county boys and girls have taken advantage of the opportunity to raise chickens offered by the poultry club mentioned in last week's Herald.

Mr. M. DeGlopper, district engineer of the state highway department, will explain the bond issue amendment which is to be voted on at the spring election, at the court house, Tawas City, Wednesday evening, April 2. The address is free and all are invited to attend, both city people and farmers.

The Herald is in receipt of a volume entitled "History of the Michigan State Constabulary" published by the Michigan State Constabulary Association, Detroit, Mich. The book is well printed and bound, and gives a very comprehensive resume of the work of the State Police force during the past two years, together with anecdotes of some of the experience of the troopers in rounding up law violators in the state. The State Constabulary was organized in 1917 to take the place of the National Guard, which had been mustered into the United States service, and during the past two years has done very efficient work in aiding the regular police officers in maintaining order and law enforcement in Michigan.

High School Oratorical Contest

The annual contest of the Michigan Oratorical Association was held at the high school Monday evening, six declamation contestants and one oration participating. Miss Leah Friedman was the winner in the declamations; Miss Lorene Wilson second and Miss Louise Burgeson third. The winners, Florence H. Smith, oratory, and Leah Friedman, declamatory, will represent the Tawas City high school at the sub-district contest, which will be held at Alpena April 11th.

The following program was presented Monday evening and it showed the result of diligent training and hard work on the part of the coaches and students:

Music.....Orchestra  
"Spartacus to the Gladiators".....  
.....Louise Burgeson  
"Toussaint L'Ouverture".....  
.....Leah Friedman  
"Death of Arnold".....Lorene Wilson  
Vocal Solo "Liberty Bell".....  
.....Wilma Kocher  
"Independence Bell".....Mable Brown  
"Eulogy of Wendell Phillips".....  
.....Elsie Wendt  
"Eulogy of LaFayette".....Meta Lietz  
Music.....Orchestra  
Judges.....Decision  
Oration—"Justice For The Armenian".....  
.....Florence H. Smith

SET CLOCKS 1 HOUR AHEAD

Before you go to bed next Saturday night, March 29, set your clock ahead one hour and then forget about it. On Sunday the country will change over to Eastern standard the same as we operated on last summer. Railroads will also set their clocks ahead the hour on Sunday morning at 2 o'clock so no one will get mixed up with the new time. Just simply set your clock and watch ahead an hour and forget it.

If you are now using local time instead of central standard time, set your clock ahead only one-half hour. The object of the fast time is to give more daylight to the working hours of the day.

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

## TAWAS CITY GIRL MAKES HEROIC SACRIFICE

Plunging without an instant's hesitation into the Detroit river at the Owen park dock, Tuesday afternoon, Miss Anna Koepke, 19-year-old nursemaid, vainly made the supreme sacrifice in her heroic effort to rescue Duncan MacNabb, jr., three-year-old son of Duncan MacNabb, of 336 Iroquois avenue. As the baby, rolling down the incline of the dock in his buggy, sank beneath the waters, Miss Koepke, unable to swim, jumped in after her little charge.

The nurse's body and that of the little boy, still in his baby buggy, were later recovered by life savers who were close by, but who were unaware of the tragedy until it was too late for action.

Meanwhile, little John MacNabb, 2-year-old brother of Duncan and the innocent cause of the double tragedy, stood at the edge of the dock when some other nurses who were in the park reached the scene.

Miss Koepke had taken the children to the park, at the foot of Iroquois avenue, and was wheeling Duncan in his buggy when John, who was walking beside her, suddenly started toward the edge of the dock.

Thinking only of John's danger, Miss Koepke raced after him and caught him, turning just in time to see the buggy containing little Duncan, which had rolled quietly down the incline, pitch over the edge of the dock.

Nearly by other nursemaids with children, but they stood spellbound as Miss Koepke, rushing to the edge of the dock, plunged into the water.—Detroit Free Press.

Miss Koepke is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Koepke of Tawas City, and has been employed in Detroit for the past year.

The remains were brought to her home in this city Wednesday night in charge of her sister, Miss Minnie Koepke, also of Detroit.

## TO ENCOURAGE TREE PLANTING IN STATE

East Lansing, Mich., Mar. 24—As a move in the direction of encouraging the more general planting of trees in Michigan, the department of forestry at M. A. C. has announced plans of selling seedlings at cost from the college nurseries in East Lansing to the public.

Up until two years ago the department made a practice of giving away seedlings to schools and to public institutions, but war conditions sent costs up so high that this program had to be relinquished.

The seedlings in the nurseries at M. A. C., are from trees of all species. Inquiries it is announced, can be addressed to the Department of Forestry, M. A. C., East Lansing.

## THE STORY OF A MERCHANT PRINCE

There was an old geezer and he had a lot of sense;

He started up a business on a dollar-eighty cents.

The dollar for stock and the eighty for an ad

Brought him three lovely dollars in a day, by dad;

Well, he bought more goods and a little more space

And he played that system with a smile on his face.

The customers flocked to his two-by-four

And soon he had to hustle for a regular store

Up on the square, where the people pass,

He gobbled up a corner that was all plate glass.

He fixed up the windows with the best that he had

And he told 'em all about it in a half-page ad.

He soon had 'em coming, and he never, never quit,

And he wouldn't cut down on his ads one bit.

Well, he's kept things humming in the town ever since

And everybody calls him the Merchant Prince.

Some say it's luck, but that's all bunk—

## COMMUNITY MEMORIAL BUILDING

A number of small town communities are considering the proper form for soldiers' memorials, and already in several western states the suggestion of the United States Bureau of Education as to the appropriateness of community buildings for that purpose has found favor and resulted in action. In several instances an impromptu organization, through a two weeks' "drive," crystallized the sentiment of the community and gathered a nucleus for a start. There is a spirit latent in nearly every community which only needs a little stimulus for its development, and now, when we are all thinking of and interested in the returning soldiers, is the time to stir it into expression. The idea of a community building is eminently suitable to small towns, which are necessarily restricted in funds, and possibly hampered by ignorance of a suitable object, and thus may result in putting up something inartistic if not indeed ugly and unsuitable.

The desire is for something that will permanently preserve the memories of those who gave or risked their lives in the Great War. The community building may preserve such record in bronze or marble tablets without or within. Harvard's Memorial hall is lined with marble panels inscribed with the names of the sons she gave to the Civil war, a perpetual reminder of their—and her—sacrifice. A building will serve the need of the community for a meeting place for social entertainments and lectures; may contain a library, reading room and rest room for farmers' families who are shopping in town, facilities every town needs but does not always have. It is suggested that the building should house only permanent community activities, that these should be non-partisan, non-sectarian and non-exclusive; that there should be a sufficient endowment fund to provide for maintenance and repairs.

The beauty of the plan is the usefulness of the building, the part it may play in bringing into closer contact the units of town and country, and that the scheme is elastic enough to be adaptable to any community, large or small, since its development is limited only by the resources, vision and spirit of the people. A pleasant town, within a radius of thirty miles from this city, has taken up this idea of a community memorial building, and from the character of those interested in its conduct and the impetus already gained, we expect to see it "put across."—Detroit Free Press.

## PLANT 73,500 TREES ON WEST MICHIGAN DUNES

East Lansing, Mich., March 24—The department of forestry of the M. A. C. experiment station is preparing to make a shipment of 73,500 tree seedlings to Ottawa, Muskegon and Newago counties for planting on the sand dunes in some of the western Michigan districts. The infant trees will be set out on the dunes to determine the feasibility of this procedure for checking the shifting dune sands. County agricultural agents, with representatives of the M. A. C. department of forestry, will direct the work.

The shipment of seedlings will be about equally divided among Ottawa, Newago and Muskegon counties. The kind of trees that will be planted will be white pine, spruce, jack pine, white ash and silver maple.

The work is being conducted by the experiment station of the college as part of its general program for the encouragement of Michigan agriculture.

## TO MAKE THE THEATRE MORE ENJOYABLE

The Tawas City Theatre under the management of A. J. Berube offers the latest and best in photo plays. The public is most cordially invited to the Theatre.

Mr. Berube will gladly receive any suggestions or complaints which will tend to make the shows more enjoyable for all and to make the Theatre successful.

Mr. Berube kindly requests the young men and boys to refrain from unnecessary loud talking, whistling, unnecessary hand-clapping and sarcastic remarks. Please remember that you are annoying others who come to enjoy the show. You will be asked to leave the Theatre unless this is stopped. adv

Fof Jos—Two cows, will soon be fresh. Jas. Brabant, R. D. 1, Tawas City, Mich. 14

## AUTO LIVERY MEN MUST PAY TAX

Under the revenue act of 1918 persons who carry on the business of operating or renting passenger automobiles are required to file a return and pay a tax of \$10.00 per year for autos having a seating capacity of more than two and not more than seven; for machines having a seating capacity of more than seven persons the tax is at the rate of \$20.00 a year.

"Under the terms of the law," said Collector of Internal Revenue, James J. Brady, of Detroit, "the effective date of this tax is Jan. 1, 1919, and one half of the annual rate is now due and payable. Return forms are now available, and every person liable to the tax will be required to make a separate return and pay tax for each taxable machine. The tax due now will pay until June 30, 1919, when the full amount of the annual rate must be paid.

Taxicab owners, jitney drivers, liverymen, undertakers, sightseeing automen and other automobile owners who rent or operate machines for hire should at once write the internal revenue office and secure forms on which to make returns for the tax from Jan. 1st to June 30th, 1919.

## I. C. M. A.

The part that the boys in khaki took in the nation's defense will only be perpetuated by home communities. A fitting token can be erected by cities. It requires all of Iosco county to do as much. We have read daily of their exploits, but the historian who writes for future generations to read will pass the honor of success on to General So and So. Governments believe in piling up vast volumes of statistics and in the mass individuals are like a grain of wheat in a mammoth bin. Governments are not always infallible in reports but often grossly do injustice with them. A volunteer lad had been in service over three months and a half, had been in France about three weeks when his parents were astonished to receive notice that unless he reported at Lansing in five days he would be considered a deserter, etc. and dire punishment would follow. Later a questionnaire was received for him to fill out in case the government should require his services. Of such are records and statistics.

Every lad is entitled to justice and his home people can give it to him at home. The first boys overseas endured the scenes of Camp Custer's affliction of sickness and misery. No parents or friends within three thousand miles. Red Cross in its infancy, nurses yet to come. They are the lads who know what the Red Cross means. And they know the service of the nurses. For many they arrived too late. These are the lads who took the government at its word that selection of service could be had by volunteers. It was true as far as making the selection. Nearly five months have passed since the armistice was signed and these boys are still there. Ready for the duty when or where it might be. And now has fallen the blow that robs respect and kills patriotism. Just a simple thing, but mighty in its effect. The A. E. F. that distinguished them has been removed or will be before embarkation for home. The pacifist is said to be the cause of this order of injustice.

The choice has now to be made whether this country can prolong its liberties with pacifists or with real defenders. Iosco county has a mission and every other county as well. Ought to and much talk is not going to restore the boys to the proper feelings that our country stands in need of as much today as it did in April 1917. This makes the second of reasons why the I. C. M. A. is a necessity. The first being a memorial structure to the memory of the fallen and an evidence to parents of Iosco county's lasting gratitude for making the great sacrifice.

## M. E. CHURCH

Don't forget the hours of service. 11.15 a. m.—Sunday school. 6:15 p. m.—Epworth League 7:00 p. m.—Preaching service 7:00 p. m. Wednesday Evening—Prayer meeting E. E. McMichael, Pastor

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## W. S. S.—BUY THEM!

## EAST. TAWAS DEPARTMENT

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

O. G. Prettyman and son, Leigh, went to Scottville Saturday on a short visit.

Willard Stonehouse left Friday of last week for an indefinite stay in Canada.

Mrs. Laura Franks, who has been sick at her home in this city, is on the road to recovery.

Mrs. Maude Hammond, a cousin of Mrs. Edwin Stephens is a guest at the M. E. parsonage.

Messames Harry Quarters and R. A. LaBerge went to Detroit Thursday morning for a short visit.

Messrs Butler, Harry Anker and Dr. Goodrich went to Standish Tuesday to attend the Good Road meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Klinger went to Bay City Saturday, taking their son, Charles, for medical treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. Eli Hungford and Mr. Charles Hungford returned to their home in Twining after a weeks visit at his brother, Mr. Hungford of East Tawas.

John Quarters has moved his family from their home on Lincoln street east, to the house lately occupied by the DeRosia family.

Mrs. O. G. Prettyman accompanied Mrs. McIntyre to Alabaster Monday, where Mrs. McIntyre delivered her lecture on sex hygiene.

Mrs. S. A. Westfall and mother, Mrs. Bower, returned home Monday night from Detroit and other points, where they have been visiting the past few weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Christeson and little son went to Saginaw for a weeks visit. They were accompanied as far as Saginaw by Mr. and Mrs. D. Christeson of Canada.

About forty-five friends of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Wingrove were entertained at their home Tuesday evening. Games and music were played and refreshments were served at a late hour. A most enjoyable time was reported.

Mr. and Mrs. Ward Bristol, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Fisher, Mrs. S. P. Fountain, Mrs. Gordon Wilson and Mrs. S. B. Shepard all returned to their home in Royal Oak Saturday night after attending the funeral of their father, H. C. Bristol.

About twenty members of the Women's Relief Corps surprised Mrs. Charles Frost last Monday evening, the occasion being her birthday. The day previous was the birthday of Mrs. P. Cater, she was present as the guest of honor and gift of fine China were presented to both ladies.

Owing to the absence of Rev. Stephens, Messrs George Bigelow, Arthur Evans and Lyman McAuliff of the Men's Bible Class had charge of the morning service in the Methodist church. Each one gave short interesting talks on different phases of the life of the prodigal son.

## OBITUARY

Howard Clark Bristol, whose death was briefly mentioned in last weeks issue, was born in Chicago, December 27, 1838, when that city was but a straggling hamlet. His education was received in that city and in the Canadawig Academy, Canadawig, N. Y. In his early youth he acted as clerk on the old wood-burning steamer, the Reindeer and Forester, between Detroit and Port Huron. In the spring of 1879 he and his wife who was Miss Lucy Quibell of Algonac came to East Tawas, where he has resided ever since. Seven children were born to them. Howard, jr., who died several years ago in Buffalo, N. Y., Mary E. Fountain, of Royal Oak, Edith L. Wilson of Detroit, Ward of Royal Oak, Mrs. Lucy Q. Pilley of Wolverine, Josie E. Fisher and Anni M. Shepard of Royal Oak.

Twenty-two years ago his wife died and he later married Miss Iva Anshuetz of this city, who survives him.

Seven years ago Mr. Bristol began to develop locomotor ataxia and gradually grew more helpless, but did not develop any serious symptoms until five days before his death. Medical attendance was given him, but of no avail. He was confined to his bed but one day, and at six o'clock on Thursday morning, while seeming to be in better spirits, he suddenly became worse and in ten minutes had passed away.

The funeral was held on Saturday afternoon at the home, Rev. L. G. McAndrew officiating, and he was laid

to his last long rest in Greenwood cemetery.

All of the children with the exception of Mrs. Pilley, of Wolverine and Mrs. Willie B. Smoot of Los Angeles, a daughter by his first wife, were in attendance at the funeral.

## CARD OF THANKS

To the many friends and neighbors who came to my assistance; to the pastor and the singers; to the Presbyterian Ladies Aid and all others who sent flowers or otherwise expressed their kind sympathy in my hour of bereavement I desire to express my heartfelt thanks.

Mrs. Iva V. Bristol.

## FINANCIAL GOAL OF THE METHODIST CENTENARY

The public mind has been somewhat confused as to the sum of money to be raised by the Methodist Episcopal church in its Missionary Centenary for general world reconstruction, such as the building and maintenance of hospitals, schools, churches, missions, etc.

Originally the Boards of Home and Foreign Mission planned to raise \$80,000,000, this sum to be divided equally between the Home Board for work in America and Foreign board for work in the foreign missionary fields.

Next it was decided to add \$5,000,000 to the Centenary fund for war reconstruction work for the year 1919 in France, Belgium and the other war devastated countries of Europe making the total of the drive \$85,000,000.

When the Methodist Episcopal church, south, joined with the parent organization in the drive and set its quota at \$35,000,000, it brought the grand total to \$120,000,000, the figure which has been widely published in newspaper stories of the Centenary.

Still later, however, the Joint Centenary Committee decided to include in the Centenary fund \$5,000,000 a year for war reconstruction work in Europe for the years over which the actual paying of the money subscribed is to run. This brings the total Centenary fund of the Methodist Episcopal church to \$105,000,000. If to this fund of the Methodist Episcopal church, south, is added the sum of \$140,000,000 is arrived at as the total fund being sought by the two branches of Methodism during the first week of May 1919.

## FEEDING WHOLE GRAIN CAUSE OF FARM LOSSES

East Lansing, Mich., March 17—The feeding of whole grain to cows, a practice much employed in some parts of the state, is a fruitful source of loss to Michigan farmers, according to the experiment station of the Michigan Agricultural college. A number of trials conducted recently by the experiment station have brought out the fact that if corn and oats are ground before feeding to cows, much less will be lost than if the grain is fed whole. In case of whole corn fed to cows, it was found that 22.75 per cent passed through the digestive tract without benefit to the animal, while of whole corn and oats, 26.46 per cent was wasted.

During the same experiment it was learned that it seldom if ever pays to feed ground grain to calves, but that is sometimes pays to feed ground grain to yearlings. Where whole corn was fed to calves, only 6.28 per cent of it was lost, while with whole oats, only 2.98 per cent were lost. Of whole corn fed to yearlings, 10.77 per cent of it passed through the digestive tract without being assimilated.

The conclusion reached by the experiment was that it always pays to grind grain for old stock, that it sometimes pays to grind corn for yearlings, and that usually it does not pay to grind corn or oats for calves.

There was also a greater loss where corn and oats were fed mixed to cows than when either was fed alone.

## FIRST "COLE" MINE

The earliest mention of coal in the territory which afterward became the United States is recorded in the journal of Father Louis Hennepin, a French missionary, who in 1679 recorded the site of a "cole" mine in Illinois near the present city of Ottawa.



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## MEDALS FOR LOAN WORKERS

An interesting announcement from Washington, in connection with the coming Victory Liberty Loan campaign, is that the workers in the Victory drive will be awarded medals made from captured German cannon.

An official message to this effect was received from the Treasury Department by Ben F. McCutcheon, Publicity Director of the Liberty Loan Organization, Seventh Federal Reserve District, the text of which follows:

"You are at liberty to make full use of the announcement that the Treasury Department will award medals made from captured German cannon to all workers during the Victory Liberty Loan campaign. The medal is the size of a half dollar and contains on one side a reproduction of the Treasurer building and on the transverse side a certificate of Loan participation. Space is left for engraving the name of the recipient."

"I heartily approve of this action of the Government in casting up honor medals made from German cannon to award to Victory Liberty Loan workers," said Charles H. Schweppe, Director of Campaign for the Seventh Federal Reserve District. "It supplies an added incentive to supreme endeavor and surely will have a good effect that will be shown in increased sales. The awarding of these medals made from cannon captured from the foe should result in bringing us a full complement of workers."

## LENIENT WITH TAXPAYERS

Collector of Internal Revenue, James J. Brady of Detroit, has received instructions from the treasury department that no person who voluntarily files an income tax return on or before May 1st, will be liable to fine and imprisonment.

Twenty-five per cent will be added to the amount of the tax due in every case, however, and each delinquent may submit an affidavit setting forth the reasons for failure to file his return on or before March 15th, which affidavit will be submitted to the department and if found to be a "reasonable cause," the commissioner will not assess the twenty-five per cent penalty. A "reasonable cause" is defined to be such a condition of fact that had the taxpayer exercised ordinary care and prudence it would have been impracticable or impossible for him to file his return in due time.

The same rule applies to corporations.

Individuals who delay making return until after May 1st will, in addition to the twenty-five per cent additional tax, be liable to a penalty of not less than \$5.00 and corporations of \$10.00, in cases where it appears by affidavit that there is no willful intent to violate the law.

Every person or corporation who paid to individuals as wages, salaries, rents or interest during the year of 1918, sums of \$1000, or more are required to file return of information not later than May 15th, and failure to do so renders them liable to the same penalty as an individual delinquent. These returns are required to be filed with the commissioner of Internal Revenue, sorting division Washington, D. C.

## PLAN TO BOLSTER UP CHURCH IN COUNTRY

East Lansing, Mich., March 17—Clergymen in the country pulpits of Michigan plan to get their heads together during the coming summer on a program for bolstering up the rural churches of the state. The country ministers, it has been announced by Prof. E. H. Ryder of M. A. C., will meet in East Lansing July 7 to 13 for a week's conference, during which a consultation on the case of the rural church will be held, and if possible a remedy prescribed for its improvement. The meeting, which will be a continuation of those started under the auspices of M. A. C. three years ago, will be interdenominational in character.

Leaders in agricultural and church thought will be invited to participate in the week's program. Liberty Hyde Bailey, formerly dean and director of the agricultural college of Cornell, and recognized as the country's foremost leader in the development of a rural life program, will give a series of lectures during the course of the meetings.

An appeal is being made to pastors to get into touch with Professor Ryder, personally, or by mail, as early as possible.

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

## FROM OUR SOLDIER BOYS

### FROM EDWARD REMPERT

St. Cerotte, France, Feb. 26  
Dear Sister Elizabeth and All:—  
I am dropping you a few lines in answer to your letter of Feb. 3rd and it reached me in the best of health, so hope these few lines find you all the same.

The weather is nothing extra here at present as it rains nearly every day. It is somewhat windy out today and the sun has been shining several different times today between showers. Well as it is now I don't expect we will have many more days to spend over here. We have been in this place since the 10th of this month. The battery left Rimancourt on the 8th of February in box cars and I and the rest of the truck drivers left there on the 6th in the morning. The battery arrived at a place called Besse-sur-Beye on Feb. 10th and then walked about 10 kilometers to this place called St. Cerotte. That's just about six and one-quarter miles and they walked it at night by the moon light. I got here about the end of that week just about five or six days after. Then after being here a few days I was sent over to the 329 regiment with the truck for a few days and then turned the trucks in and came back to my battery.

The sleeping quarters here are not very good, but they call them A. No. 1. The boys are all scattered around this little village a few in every little vacant room. Talk about the nice beds. Well, I would sooner sleep in the hay mow at home. The boys all sleep on the floor and stone floors at that, and I sleep in an attic of an old French building on a clay floor. We have a straw sack, but the straw is not plentiful.

I enjoyed the trip very much, but the first few days were very cold and the first day out I got caught in a blizzard and I had to face it too. That wasn't very pleasant. We stopped over at different villages for the night, and I sure had a good time. If the frames would hold up I would like to be on the road like that for a month. We will leave this place about the 2nd or 3rd of March for somewhere near the coast. Then we will be sailing for America before the end of the month. But how soon I will get home I don't know. We will go to Camp Custer to be mustered out and we may stay there for a week or so.

We were attached to the 91st division for sailing, but we are now back to the 85th division, and are now first on the list to sail. There are three regiments of artillery in the 85th and we also have a number of casuals attached to go back with us. I think our infantry of the 85th that is a few regiments have gone back already, but some are still over in Russia and they won't come back until spring. A few companies of our infantry were shot up so you see our 85th division is not together the way we left Camp Custer.

There was for a long time I had received no mail from home. That's why you didn't hear from me. And if you wrote a letter every week I don't see where they went to because I never got but very, very few.

I received a letter from Mrs. Alstrom of Feb. 6th, and she told me a lot of news. They all are anxious to see me back again. I haven't had any real fun in this country. There is no place to spend the Sundays or evenings. Just think, there are no parties or dances or shows here to go to. So you might have an idea how I enjoy it in France. If home was ever like the army, I would of left it long ago.

You can write as often as you like and if I am not on this side of the ocean to get your letters, I will get them on the other side. I can't hardly think of any more news to write so I will have to chop off.

You wanted eight pages this time from me, but I haven't got the news. These pages are rather large so its as good as six of the others. Well wishing you all the best of health and luck I remain as ever your brother.

Edward Rempert,  
Bty. B. 330 T. A.  
A. P. O. 919 A. E. F.

### FROM J. H. WERELEY

Insul, Germany  
January 17, 1919

Dear Mother, Father, Brother and Sister—  
I received your always welcome letter last night, you wrote Dec. 19. You can't imagine how glad I was to hear from you. It was the first bit of mail I had received since Oct. 30. I haven't had any transfer from the old outfit yet. The officers were inquiring about our Christmas boxes last night. I guess they will look them up for us. I hope so anyway, for I know there will be something good in it. We got some American candy and tobacco last night from the Commissary. It sure was a treat to me anyway. I am afraid I will kill myself eating candy if I ever get back. By the way things look at present it will be quite a while yet before we get away from here. But it is a hard thing to tell much about movements over here now. When you hear of the 4th Div. landing in New York, then you will know I will soon be home.

I am glad you are feeling pretty good and hope you all continue that way. I am feeling fine at present and able to eat all I can get. We have a pretty good place to stay and sleep. We can have a fire if we want it, but we haven't had any for three days. It is that warm here. The ground isn't frozen any and they are plowing yet. So you can judge for yourself how much cold weather we have had. There was a little snow for Christmas and it stayed a couple of days and that is all I have seen and it seems to be getting warmer all the time.

I suppose most of the boys are getting their discharges back home. I wish I were there to get mine. I don't suppose I will know the town when I get back. It has changed hands so much. Did Collins sell the store in Turner or is the old girl running it?

That was pretty good to give Seth his job again on the route. I suppose Charlie Bellville will soon be getting home to stay. I supposed all the time that he was over here.

I am glad he was lucky and didn't have to go through the worst half of hell. I guess all the boys from around there came through it alive didn't they? I haven't heard of any of them missing. There is one of the Tawas boys in one of the other companies. I see him quite often. But there isn't any more any closer than from Bay City. I was talking to a Bay City boy a couple of days ago and he had just got a letter from one of the Prescott girls. Anna McMullen. She is in Bay City working. I think.

Well I will soon be getting some of my decorations. The 3rd of February I will get a little gold colored piece of braid in the shape of a V about 4 inches from the cuff on the left coat sleeve. That will be for 6 months service over seas. I hope I don't have any more than one and I wasn't anxious to get that, when I saw what the country was like.

The people here are moving their maure piles. They had them between the house and barn when the house and barn wasn't together in one building. They wasn't going to move them, but the Americans are boss and told them to. In one place they weren't going to do it so the soldiers fixed bayonets and showed them the difference.

The government has a system now for the boys to save their money. And are quite urgent about them depositing. I can never get enough ahead to deposit any over here. I am doing very well if I deposit my time at their rate of wages.

Well I will try and write a brief outline of some of the places I have been through from the day we left Camp Mills.

We left Camp Mills July 21 and loaded on the boat and laid in the docks till the next morning and left about 8 o'clock. We were 13 days coming and landed at Birkinhead, England. It had every place I know of beaten and I have seen some pretty dirty places. I lost all love for England and haven't gained any since then. We took the train to a rest camp at Winchester, England. Then we went to Southampton and stayed all day Sunday and Sunday night we started across the English Channel at 7 o'clock at night and one of the boilers blew up and killed one and scalded five others of the ship crew. Then they turned around and went to Southampton and went to another rest camp like the first one, and stayed there one day and night and started across again. That time we got across alright, and landed in LaHavre, France. We stayed in Cosne two months and 20 days and drilled like the devil while we were there. We left Cosne Nov. 1, 1918 and went to a big French camp at Maroon. We had a pleasant trip from LaHavre to Cosne in side door pullmans, box cars. At Maroon, France is where we left the old company. Nov. 7. They hauled us in trucks this time about one-half day to a casual camp near Royalmex. We stayed there a couple of days and they moved us in trucks again, and took us to this regiment. They were just a little way back of the lines then and would have been into real stuff but the armistice was signed just in time to keep us from going. We were going the night of the 11th to be at it the morning of the 12th. That is as close as I came to it. That is the only time luck has come my way for a long time. Then we started hiking the next day and have done a good lot of it since and carried our belongings about 80 pounds on our backs. I was pretty near all in lots of times and would liked awful well to quit my job, but I stuck to it and am still alive. I don't know how long I will have to stay here. I hope it isn't very long. I am ready to leave now any time. I surely do appreciate the kindness of the first sergeant and company clerk in the old company for keeping my mail and not sending it to me. I hope I have an opportunity to meet them in the states some time. I will surely try to repay them in some way. This is only a little of my experience since I came over here. I will wait and tell you the rest when I see you. I don't know just when that will be, but I would like to be back in time to help with the spring work. By the looks of things we will get home for Christmas alright.

Well I must close. Hoping to hear from you soon. Give my regards to all inquiring.

As ever your loving son,  
Cpl. J. H. WERELEY,  
Co. A. 47th Inf.  
Am. Ex. Forces.

FROM LAUREL H. HESS  
Willroth, Germany, Feb. 26, 1919  
Mrs. Benton Cataline,  
715 Wood Street, Flint, Mich

Dear Sister—  
Say now I suppose that you was somewhat surprised when you at last by chance get one letter from me.

Yes I am on the Rhine and hope that I wont have to keep on watch on the Rhine very much longer. You say to keep on losing myself in Germany and see all I can.

Well, now I am here to state that I have sure seen a lot of this country, and that is not all. I intend to see more of it before I come home.

You said that it would be nice to take a look around to see if I could find out anything about the people over here. Well, now you just leave it to me for I have all ready done that and found out that I was only about 400 kilometers from the Hisseartate, but it is over the line in Germany and I can not get a pass to go over there. A man at the mine here told me that it was a beautiful place. He said that the folks were nice and had a lot of money. He said that there was a large castle there that has been built for a long time, but he said that it was a grand place to go to and that it was one of the nicest places in Germany.

Talk about ice cream. Well you won't have to save up any 10 cents for it because I will take me of my war money and buy all the ice cream that you will be able to eat in five weeks and we sure will have a bunch of it.

Well it is warm and it has rained every day for two weeks so that makes it pleasant to get around.

Well I will close for this time.  
Laurel L. Hess  
Sy Co. 125th Inf  
A. E. F. Via New York

## CITY COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

Regular meeting of the Common Council of the City of Tawas City, held at the council rooms Friday evening, March 7, 1919. Called to order by Mayor Myles.

Present—Ald. Rouiller, Preston, Miller, Grueber, Fahselt, Lanski, and Clerk Ballard. Quorum present. Minutes of regular meeting of Feb. 21, 1919, read and approved.

The finance committee made the following report and recommended that accounts be allowed as scheduled and clerk instructed to draw orders on treasurer for same:

Carl Fahselt, services on election board ..... \$5.00  
John Preston, services on election board ..... 5.00  
John A. Mark, services on election board ..... 5.00  
Martin C. Grueber, services on election board ..... 5.00  
Jas. E. Ballard, printing and publishing and services on reg. and elec. board ..... 31.45  
Ewald Wank, serv. as gatekeeper at election ..... 3.00  
Moved by Ald. Lanski, supported by Ald. Miller, that report of committee on claims and accounts be accepted and adopted and the bills be allowed as read.

Years—Ald. Rouiller, Preston, Miller, Grueber, Fahselt, Lanski—6. Nays—0. Motion carried.

On motion, supported, council then adjourned. JOHN A. MYLES, Mayor  
JAS. E. BALLARD, City Clerk.

Two Great Levers.  
The greatest results in life are usually attained by simple means and the exercise of ordinary qualities. These may for the most part be summed in these two—common sense and perseverance.—Pelham.

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 12th day of March, A. D. 1919.

Present, Hon. David Davison, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Frank S. Muncey, deceased.

H. W. Stockman having filed in said court a petition praying that a certain instrument in writing, purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased now on file in said court be admitted to probate, and that the administration of said estate be granted to H. W. Stockman or to some other suitable person.

It is ordered that the 4th day of APRIL A. D. 1919, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

It is further ordered, that public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Tawas Herald, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county. DAVID DAVISON, A true copy 14 Judge of Probate

for your spring housecleaning we are offering as a special

a few dozen brooms at 78c each,

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we are making new and lower prices on galvanized pails and tubs.

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Trials without discover forces with in. Says Victor Hugo: "There are instincts for all the crises of life." A deep perplexity awakens a flash of insight; a bitter opposition sets the soul on fire; a grave peril opens our eyes to horses and chariots of fire; a severe catastrophe evokes a heroism of which the sufferer had not thought himself capable.—W. L. Watkinson.

Times of Life's Deep Emotions.  
At certain periods of life we live years of emotion in a few weeks and look back on those times as on great gaps between the old life and the new.—Thackeray.

It's Ended! Then, Yougham—"How can I tell when the honeymoon is over?" Oldham—"When your wife stops telling things and begins asking questions."

World 711,000,000 Years Old.  
Basing their calculations upon radio active phenomena, two British scientists have advanced the theory that the world is at least 711,000,000 years old.

ROGERS PAINTS AND VARNISHES SOLD HERE

WE HAVE JUST BEEN APPOINTED AGENTS FOR THESE FAMOUS HIGH QUALITY PAINTS AND VARNISHES

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Shoes! Shoes! Shoes!

WE have placed on tables this week the odds and ends of our shoe stock where there are only a pair or two left of the kind and all purchased before shoes advanced at all.

If you can find your fit you certainly can find a bargain. All good styles and never have been in our store over two years as we made a similar clean up at that time. We are making this clean up on shoes to make room for our new stock now arriving.

Come in and look them over and if the tips are off your shoe laces get one put on FREE.

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We sell the best grades of Fertilizers and can furnish them in any quantity you may require. The money spent for fertilizers will be returned to you many fold in increased yield from your land.

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**State of Ohio, City of Toledo.**  
**Lucas County, ss.**  
 Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE. FRANK J. CHENEY.  
 Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 4th day of December, A. D. 1919.  
 A. W. GLEASON,  
 (Seal) Notary Public.  
 Hall's Catarrh Medicine is taken internally and acts through the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces of the System. Send for testimonials, free.  
 F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.  
 Sold by all druggists, 75c.  
 Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

**WANTS, FOR SALE, ETC**

The Tawas Herald, \$2.00 per year.  
 Farm For Sale—H. M. Preston, R. D. 2. 11-1f  
 For Sale Cheap—House, barn and 14 lots in Tawas City. Jesse D. Warner. 14-1f  
 For Sale—A quantity of household furniture. Inquire of Fred Force, Tawas City, Mich. 13-1f  
 For Sale—A quantity of early six weeks potatoes. Inquire of Andrew Anschuetz, R. 1, Tawas City. 14-1p  
 For Sale—Guaranteed rain-proof paints for all purposes. \$2.95 per gal. and less. Geo. Bigelow, East Tawas. 15  
 For Sale—House, barn and five lots in Tawas City. Will sell reasonable. Inquire of Harry Kooperman, Tawas City, Mich. 13-1f  
 Wanted—A housekeeper for a man of 60 and his 17 year old daughter, while they do the farming. Apply at farm at Turtle postoffice. Address Robert Wilkins, R. 1, Turner, Mich. 18-1p  
 For Sale—120 acres of land in Reno township Iosco county, Mich. 35 acres cleared, fenced, and river running through it. For price write Patrick Corrigan, R. 2, Prescott, Mich. 16-1p  
 For Sale—Three burner Perfection oil stove in good condition also graphophone machine with 2-minute and 4-minute records; also a number of other articles. Inquire of Mrs. A. Barkman, East Tawas, Mich. 13-1f  
 Returned Soldiers—Opportunity to make \$500 per month. Fastest seller ever offered. "History World War," by Francis A. March. Introduction by Gen. Peyton C. March, Chief of Staff, Highest Officer U. S. Army. Authentic; complete; 750 pages, 200 official maps and illustrations. Sells \$3.00. Act quickly, territory going fast. Wire or write for free outfit. Immediate deliveries. Also authentic "Life of Roosevelt," 500 pages; introduction by Ex-President Taft. Liberty War Book Assn., 1828 Penobscot Bldg., Detroit. 14

**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 Vitalized 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,  
 Phone 197-F-13  
 Tawas City, Mich.  
 adv

**NOTICE FOR RECONVEYANCE**  
 To the Owner or Owners of any and all interests in, or Liens upon the Land hereinafter described:  
 Take Notice, That sale has been lawfully made of the following described land for unpaid taxes thereon, and that the undersigned has title thereto under tax deed or deeds issued therefor, and that you are entitled to a reconveyance thereof, at any time within six months after return of service of this notice, upon payment to the undersigned or to the register in chancery of the county in which the lands lie of all sums paid upon such purchase, together with one hundred per centum additional thereto, and the fees of the sheriff for the service or cost of publication of this notice, to be computed as upon personal service of a declaration as commencement of suit, and the further sum of five dollars for each description without other additional cost or charge. If payment as aforesaid is not made, the undersigned will institute proceedings for possession of the land.  
 Description  
 Land in Iosco County, State of Michigan.  
 Southwest quarter of southeast quarter of section four, town twenty-two north, range six east.  
 Amount paid \$2.95. Tax for 1912—\$2.95.  
 FRANK J. RUTHERFORD,  
 Place of Business, 619 Clifford St. Flint, Michigan.  
 The Sheriff of Iosco county, on October 29th, 1918, and the Sheriff of Wayne county, on December 3rd, 1918, made return that after careful inquiry continued from time to time, he was unable to ascertain the whereabouts or postoffice address of Samuel F. Wood, or Elva E. Wood, or either of them, or of the heirs, executor, administrator, trustee or guardian of said persons or either of them. Which returns were filed with the County Clerk of Iosco County on March 10, 1919. 16

**FINANCIAL STATEMENT OF THE CITY OF TAWAS CITY**  
 For the Fiscal Year from March 18, 1918 to March 20, 1919.  
**Cemetery Fund**  
 Receipts  
 March 18, 1918  
 Balance in Fund ..... \$120.01  
 Receipts none ..... .00  
 Disbursements  
 City Order No. 71 ..... \$ 21.55  
 Balance in Fund ..... 98.46  
 Dog Fund  
 Receipts  
 March 18, 1918  
 Balance in Fund ..... \$ 70.34  
 Tax collected by John Myles ..... 24.00  
 Tax collected by Jas. Ballard ..... 10.00  
 Disbursements  
 City Order No. 162 ..... \$ 3.64  
 Balance in Fund ..... 100.70  
 School Fund  
 Receipts  
 March 18, 1918  
 Balance in Fund ..... \$ 28.21  
 Delinquent tax from county treasurer ..... 49.90  
 Library money from county treasurer ..... 31.76  
 Primary money from county treasurer ..... 2870.31  
 Tax collected 1918 tax rolls ..... 3528.52  
 Total ..... \$6508.70  
 Disbursements  
 Paid Treas. school Dist. No. 7 ..... \$2935.89  
 Balance in Fund ..... \$372.81  
 Total ..... \$6508.70  
 Special Bridge Fund  
 Receipts  
 1918 tax rolls ..... \$750.00  
 Disbursements  
 Returned Delinquent tax ..... \$ 30.80  
 Balance in Fund ..... 719.20  
 Contingent Fund  
 Receipts  
 March 18, 1918  
 Balance in Fund ..... \$1847.74  
 Delinquent tax and interest from County treasurer ..... 84.57  
 Library fines ..... 4.44  
 1918 tax rolls ..... 2000.00  
 Excess of rolls ..... 12.83  
 4 per cent collection fees ..... 14.01  
 Personal tax collected ..... 22.13  
 Total ..... \$3985.72  
 Disbursements  
 City Orders paid ..... \$2480.98  
 Returned delinquent tax ..... 81.90  
 Paid del. personal, county, state and county road tax ..... 25.82  
 Paid county treasurer charge back tax ..... 11.70  
 Balance in Fund ..... 1385.32  
 General Street Fund  
 Receipts  
 March 18, 1918  
 Balance in Fund ..... \$1051.48  
 Sidewalk account paid ..... 98.34  
 Rental of cement mixer ..... 69.40  
 1918 tax rolls ..... 2000.00  
 Total ..... \$3219.22  
 Disbursements  
 City orders paid ..... \$1158.88  
 Ret. del. tax ..... 81.90  
 Balance in fund ..... 1978.44  
 City Treasurer Account  
 Receipts  
 Balance on hand March 18, 1918 ..... \$3117.78  
 Del. tax from county treas. .... 134.47  
 State primary money from county treasurer ..... 2870.31  
 Library money from county treasurer ..... 31.76  
 Library fines ..... 4.44  
 Sidewalk accounts paid ..... 98.34  
 Dog tax ..... 34.00  
 4 per cent collection fees ..... 14.01  
 Rental of cement mixer ..... 69.40  
 1918 tax rolls ..... 11149.46  
 Personal tax collected ..... 22.13  
 Total ..... \$17546.10  
 Disbursements  
 Paid treasurer school Dist. No. 7 ..... \$ 2935.89  
 Paid county treasurer charge back tax ..... 11.70  
 Paid county treasurer state, county and road tax ..... 2622.29  
 General street orders paid ..... 1158.88  
 Contingent fund orders paid ..... 2480.98  
 Cemetery fund orders paid ..... 21.55  
 Dog fund orders paid ..... 3.64  
 Balance in all funds ..... 7854.93  
 Returned delinquent tax ..... 456.24  
 Total ..... \$17546.10  
 Balance in Funds  
 Contingent fund ..... \$1385.32  
 General street fund ..... 1978.44  
 Special bridge fund ..... 719.20  
 Dog fund ..... 100.70  
 Cemetery fund ..... 98.46  
 School fund ..... 3572.81  
 Total ..... \$7854.93  
 ERNEST KASISCHKE,  
 City Treasurer

**ELECTION NOTICE**  
 To the Qualified Electors of the City of Tawas City, State of Michigan:  
 Notice is hereby given that the next ensuing biennial spring election and annual election will be held on **MONDAY, APRIL 7, A. D. 1919** at the city hall for the purpose of voting for the election of the following officers, viz.:  
 State—Two justices of the Supreme court; two regents of the University; one Superintendent of Public Instruction; one Member State Board of Education; two Members State Board of Agriculture.  
 County—One county Superintendent of schools.  
 City of Tawas City—1 Mayor, 1 City Clerk, 1 City Treasurer. Also 1 Supervisor, 1 Alderman and 1 Constable, in each ward, also 1 Alderman to fill vacancy, Third Ward.  
 Also for the purpose of voting upon the following propositions:  
 Proposed Amendments to the Constitution. With clear statement of effect of each if adopted.  
 All electors should read carefully:  
 To amend Section 10 of Article X, by authorizing the State to borrow money to be used for highway purposes, and to issue bonds therefor, it being proposed that said section be amended to read as follows:  
 "Section 10. The state may contract debts to meet deficits in revenue, but such debts shall not in the aggregate at any time, exceed two hundred fifty thousand dollars. The state may also contract debts to meet invasion, suppress insurrection, defend the state or aid the United States in time of war. The money so raised shall be applied to the purpose for which it is raised or to the payment of the debts contracted. The state may borrow not to exceed fifty million dollars for the improvement of highways and pledge its credit, and issue bonds therefor on such terms as shall be provided by law."  
 The effect of this proposed amendment, if adopted, will be to provide that the state may borrow money for highway purposes, and issue bonds therefor.  
 To amend Section 3, of Article XVI so to prohibit the increase or decrease of salaries of public officers after appointment or election except those of justices or judges of courts of records, to read as follows:  
 "Section 3. Neither the legislature nor any municipal authority shall grant or authorize extra compensation to any public officer, agent, employe or contractor after the service has been rendered, or the contract entered into. Salaries of public officers except Supreme Court justices, circuit court judges, probate judges and judges of courts of like jurisdiction, shall not be increased nor shall the salary of any public officer be decreased after election or appointment."  
 The effects of this proposed amendment, if adopted, will be to prohibit the change of salaries of public officers after appointment or election except those of justices or judges of courts of records.  
 To amend Article XVI adding a new section hereto to be known as section 12.  
 "Section 12. It shall be forever lawful in this State to import, transport, manufacture, use, buy, sell, keep, for sale, give away, barter or furnish every kind of cider, wines, beer, ale and porter, and to possess the same in a private residence. So much of Section 11, Article XVI of this Constitution as prohibits the manufacture, sale, keeping for sale, giving away, bartering or furnishing of vinous, malt, brewed or fermented liquors, is hereby repealed. The legislature by general laws shall reasonably license the manufacture of and reasonably license and regulate the sale and keeping for sale of vinous, malt, brewed or fermented liquors: Provided, however, that the electors of each city, village or township forever shall have the right to prohibit the manufacture, sale, or keeping for sale of vinous, malt, brewed or fermented liquors within such city, village or township.  
 The effect of this proposed amendment, if adopted, will be to provide for the manufacture sale, keeping for sale, giving away, bartering or furnishing of cider, wines, beer, ale and porter in this state.

**REGISTRATION BY MAIL**  
 Important New Law  
 Act 7, Public Acts of 1919, a new law, provides for registration by affidavit, if elector desires. An opinion from Attorney General Groesbeck's office is to the effect that registration by mail is permitted by this law but the time limit for such registration is not changed, hence if you desire to register by mail, or through the aid of a messenger, for the election April 7th, 1919, your affidavit, in proper form, must reach the Clerk of the above named City not later than 8 o'clock p. m. on Saturday, March 29, 1919.  
 Any person entitled to registration who desires to take advantage of this law should write an application as follows: putting his name where the name, John Jones, is written; his precinct, name of City and County, in the place where the precinct, ward, etc. are given in the form below. Then go before a Notary Public or Justice of the Peace, sign it and have him take your oath to same.  
 This application can then be mailed to the City Clerk or delivered by a person other than the elector. But a very few days remain for this form of registration, March 29 being the last day.  
**Affidavit for Registration**  
 State of Michigan  
 County of Iosco  
 I, John Jones, being duly sworn, depose and say that he is a duly qualified elector of the 2nd precinct of the Third Ward of the City of ..... in the County of ..... and State of Michigan, that he is not now registered as an elector therein, and that he makes this affidavit for the purpose of procuring his registration as an elector in accordance with the statute.  
 Signed.....  
 Taken, subscribed and sworn to before me this ..... day of ..... A. D. 1919.  
 Notary or Justice  
 Note—If you are located outside your home precinct, when making this

**WOMEN ELECTORS**  
 All Qualified Women Electors who are properly registered are entitled to vote for officers and upon propositions.  
 The Polls of said election will open at 7 o'clock a. m., or as soon thereafter as may be, and will remain open until 5 o'clock p. m. of said day of election.  
 Dated, March 27th, 1919.  
 JAS. E. BALLARD,  
 Clerk of said City of Tawas City  
**Uncle Eben's Philosophy.**  
 "De kind of optimism," said Uncle Eben, "dat ain' hitched up to hard work can't last."  
**HERMAN DEHNKE**  
 Attorney  
 Office in Court House  
 Harrisville Michigan  
**S. A. NOWLIN**  
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 East Tawas Michigan  
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 The latest and best styles at lowest prices. We handle the best lines of ready-to-wear clothing to be found in Iosco county and the price is always right.  
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**Greatest of Great Minds.**  
 Shakespeare is of no age, nor I may add, of any religion or party or profession. The body and substance of his works come out of the unfathomable depths of his own occult mind; his observation and reading supplied him with the drapery of his figures.—Coleridge.  
 The following orders are outstanding and drawing interest at 6 per cent per annum:  
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 Many difficulties had to be overcome in the production of a satisfactory compass for aerial work. Chief among these was that of neutralizing the magnetism of the engine (and in particular the effect of centrifugal force, which caused the card or dial inside the compass to swing in a direction quite independent of north when the airplane was banking on a turn. However, a truly excellent compass is now in use.

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 Our reputation for fair dealing and reliable goods, coupled with the De Laval record of service and durability, has made the De Laval Cream Separator the leader in this community.  
**Here are some advantages that you can obtain only in the New De Laval:**  
**GREATER CAPACITY:** New capacities have been increased 10%, without increase of speed or effort required in operation.  
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 We're here every day to explain the De Laval to you—to go into all the details. Come in and talk it over.  
**SOONER OR LATER YOU WILL BUY A DE LAVAL**



**HEMLOCK SLIVERS.**  
John Miller is busy buzzing wood in our vicinity.  
Mr. and Mrs. Edward Graham were Tawas City visitors Tuesday.  
Mrs. Herbert Herriman visited Mrs. L. P. Latham last Wednesday.  
Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Scarlett were visitors at James Thompson Sunday.  
Elmer Durant has rented the Barney Long farm and moved his family there this week.  
There was a big crowd at Reuben Smith's sale last Wednesday and everything sold well.  
Herb Herriman accompanied his son, Clarence to Bay City last Saturday, where he received treatment for his eyes.  
John Katterman, jr. moved his family to their new home last week, which they purchased from Thos. Curry.  
Dewey Bamberger went to Bay City Monday for medical treatment. He was accompanied by Everett Latham and George Bamberger.  
William Herriman, who has been employed in Saginaw the past three months and a half, arrived home last week for an indefinite stay.  
The Grangers will give a social at Grant town hall this (Friday) evening, March 28. A pot luck supper and proceeds will be used toward finishing their hall.  
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**LAIDLAWVILLE.**  
Miss Irene Preston was a visitor of Miss Helen Wood on Sunday.  
Elmer E. Ruddock of Reno made a business trip to Laidlawville on Monday.  
Zenias Colby of Bay City was a visitor of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wood on Sunday.  
Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wood of Baldwin spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wood.  
E. Gregory of Ortonville was a business visitor the forepart of the week with Mr. and Mrs. Miles Main.  
Mrs. George Westcott and son, Orville, of Baldwin visited Tuesday evening with Mr. and Mrs. John Westcott.  
Mrs. Chester Dobson and daughter, Opal, visited from Saturday until Wednesday with her mother, Mrs. Ruddock, at Reno.  
Will, Guy and Helen Wood came home from Bay City on Saturday for a visit at the parental home. The boys returned Monday, but Helen will remain for a longer visit.  
Mr. and Mrs. Miles Main and son, Gerald, left Thursday morning for Taft, Cal., where Mr. Main will train for the base ball season. They will be stationed at Seattle, Washington this summer.  
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**RENO RUMBLINGS.**  
Edd Wakefield went to Bay City Monday.  
Thos. Daugharty returned to Bay City Monday.  
Josiah Robinson was at Hale on business Monday.  
Mrs. Harry Latter is reported in very poor health.  
Floyd Dobson returned home from Saginaw Saturday.  
R. A. Bentley made a business trip to Tawas Monday.  
Mr. Soper returned home from Tawas last Thursday.  
Miss Evelyn Westervelt spent the week end at home.  
Mrs. Chas. Harsch was a Sunday visitor at Mrs. Popp's.  
Mrs. Mark Robinson entertained the Red Cross last Thursday.  
Johnny Sibley, who was sick last week is reported better.  
Mrs. Alva Hutchinson visited Mrs. William White Saturday.  
Miss Nisbet entertained company from Whittemore Sunday.  
Mrs. Boulder visited Mrs. Chas. Harsch Monday afternoon.  
Mrs. James Charters visited at Turner a few days last week.  
Mr. and Mrs. Boulder visited relatives on the Hemlock Sunday.  
Mrs. Chiverree was an over Sunday guest at the Sherman home.  
R. A. Bentley and Roy Leslie motored to Standish last Wednesday.  
Mrs. Sherman is entertaining a lady friend from Hale this week.  
Mr. and Mrs. Will White were callers at the Cleveland ranch Sunday.  
Doctors Cowie and Smith have made professional calls here the past week.  
Mr. and Mrs. Thompson of Logan were the guest of Ernest Crego Sunday.  
Mrs. Judd Crego entertained Mrs. Owen from Prescott the first of the week.  
Mr. and Mrs. Will Soper and children were Sunday visitors at Will West's.  
Chas. Charters, son of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Charters was taken sick at school Monday.  
Mr. and Mrs. Ross Williams visited their daughter, Mrs. Alva Hutchinson Sunday.  
Mrs. William Carroll and children went to Hale Monday evening for a visit with relatives.  
Mrs. Chas. Beardslee and children spent a few days at the parental home the past week.  
Tommy Jackson is convalescent and able to be out again, having suffered a relapse of the "flu."  
Martin Sherman from the southern part of the state is visiting his uncle, Harry Sherman, of this place.  
Miss Anna Sloan Mrs. Petrie and Miss Dena Gillespie of Emery Junction visited relatives here the first of the week.  
Mrs. Jas. Charters and daughter, Bertha, returned Thursday from a few days visit with her daughter, Mrs. Sloan, at Twining.  
Mrs. Petrie and baby and sister, Irene Gillespie, also Miss Sloan all of Emery Junction visited Mrs. Roy Leslie the first of the week.  
Mrs. Ernest Sullivan and little son returned to Flint Thursday of last week after visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Stanlake.  
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**HALE AND VICINITY.**  
Mr. White of Toledo, Ohio, is in Hale this week.  
R. D. Brown was a South Branch visitor Tuesday.  
A. Robinson spent Sunday with his family at Flint.  
Mrs. Ballard of Long Lake was a Hale caller Tuesday.  
D. Been of South Branch was a Hale caller Tuesday.  
Mr. and Mrs. Claud LeClair returned from Detroit Monday.  
Frank Seidon of South Branch was a business visitor in Hale Tuesday.  
Many Hale people are attending circuit court at the county seat this week.  
The Red Cross unit have finished all work on hand at the meeting Tuesday afternoon.  
Mrs. Leo Doucette of AuSable is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Nunn.  
Mrs. Herbert McLain left Monday for a few weeks visit at her old home at Kinde, Mich.  
Arthur Zurr and George Byce of South Branch were business visitors in Hale Monday.  
Mrs. Westervelt and daughter, Evelyn, of Sloan visited Mrs. Wm. Glendenin Sunday.  
Mrs. Thomas Harris is enjoying a visit from her brother, Mr. Curry of St. Louis, Missouri.  
John D. Webb purchased a new Ford car this week. Henry Kane drove it over Tuesday.  
Mrs. Wm. Glendenin taught the grammar department of our school two days last week.  
Mrs. Genevieve Wellon and baby girl of Detroit are visiting Mrs. Wellon's father, Bert White.  
Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Fox, who have been in Flint during the winter returned home Thursday last.  
Mrs. D. Brewer of Flint came Monday to look after business connected with their farm near Sage Lake.  
N. Y. Armstrong of Hutchinson, Kansas, came Monday to spend the summer with his brother, E. A. Armstrong.  
Mr. and Mrs. Bert Combs are packing their goods to move to Pingonning, having purchased a farm near that village.  
Miss Marion Jennings was home from school work in East Tawas several days of last week on account of illness.  
Edwin Rehl returned home from Camp Custer last Tuesday, having received his discharge after nine months in the service.  
Grant Shattuck has been re-installed as cashier at the Ealy, McKay & Co. Bank. Mr. Mott will be transferred to East Tawas.  
Miss Stella Katterman of Tawas City visited her aunt, Mrs. Chancy Livingston from Saturday until Tuesday of this week.  
Miss Emma Nunn, who has been visiting relatives in Hale and AuSable for the past two months left for her work in Detroit Tuesday.  
Miss Helen Nichols has been absent since last Thursday. Miss Orah Putman is teaching in the grammar department during her absence.  
Mrs. C. E. Glendenin returned to Bay City Saturday after spending several weeks with her parents here. Mr. and Mrs. Glendenin will move to Detroit in a short time.  
D. I. Pearsall returned last week Wednesday from a business trip to Chicago and other points. While away he purchased 130 head of cattle for the Cleveland ranch.  
Joseph Pearlman and daughter, Mrs. Nesy Friedman, returned home Friday from Cleveland. Mrs. Friedman and children have been spending the past six weeks in that city.  
Friends of Miss Gola West will be interested to know of her marriage, which occurred at Flint two weeks ago at Carl Addison Mead of that city at the Garland Saint church. We wish her a happy, prosperous married life. At home announcements not yet received.  
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**TOWNLIN TOPICS.**  
Mrs. Walter Ulman has been on the sick list this week.  
Mrs. L. Mills visited Monday in Sherman with her daughter, Mrs. Earl Herriman.  
David M. Lowe has rented his farm to Mr. Thomas for this season as he is unable to attend to the work.  
Mrs. Ed. Robinson was called to Bay City last Saturday by the serious illness of Mr. Robinson's father.  
Mrs. Willard Shortwell and daughter, Inez, accompanied Miss Ida Webb and Verna Free to their home here and visited over Sunday.  
Remember the M. E. church and Sunday school service Sunday, March 30, 1919. Everyone welcome. Come and get acquainted.

**Unreasonable.**  
Several boys were holding a conference on the street corner. One boy kept correcting another's mistakes in English until the offender suddenly squared himself before his critic and demanded, "Gee whiz! what is vacation for if a feller has to talk proper all the time?"

**All Must Be Earned.**  
All external good has its tax, and if it come without desert or sweat, has no root in me and the next wind will blow it away. But all the good of nature is the soul's and may be had, if paid for in nature's lawful coin, that is, by labor which the heart and the head allow. I no longer wish to meet a good I do not earn.—Emerson.

**On a Commercial Basis.**  
Gerald gave his grandmother a little gift for her birthday, and she said: "Well, you are a good lad; I shall give you a nickel for yourself," to which the little chap replied, "But grandma, the present cost 15 cents."

**Fully Explained.**  
Jennie was asked why she did not go next door any more to play with her little chum. She replied: "Our dispositions didn't match, so we disbanded our acquaintance."

**EMERY JUNCTION NOTES.**  
Alf. Fortune was in Tawas Saturday.  
Mr. Dunham was in Turner Saturday night.  
Rev. Roberts was in Bay City on Tuesday.  
Mrs. Geo. Sase was in Bay City Saturday evening.  
Helen Sase has been spending a few days with friends in Bay City.  
Mrs. Hammond and Mrs. Mills are spending a few days in East Tawas.  
Mrs. Edith Petrie, Miss Anna Sloan and Irene Gillespie spent Sunday with friends at Taft.  
The infant son of Wesley Dunham has been quite sick with bronchitis, but is much better.  
Mrs. Dunham from Turner spent a few days with her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Wesley Dunham.  
Everybody has been greatly enjoying the beautiful spring weather for the past few days and the occasional singing of the birds.  
Some of the ladies of Emery Junction are registering at the office of S. A. Nowlin. All should register and help to fight against the liquor, which has ruined the lives and homes of so many.  
Mr. Cole from Mills Station was quite seriously injured by falling on the cattle guards here, while hurrying to catch the train. He was blinded by the light of the approaching engine. He returned home immediately.

**LONG LAKE BREEZES.**  
Rev. White was at Tawas City Tuesday.  
Mrs. George Ballard spent Tuesday in Hale.  
Mrs. C. J. White is very ill at this writing.  
Frank Wolfson was in Tawas City on business Wednesday.  
Charles Whinery left Tuesday for the southern part of this state.  
Thomas Koebott has moved in the Deyo house on the lake shore.  
Rev. White went to Glennie to fill his usual appointment over last Sunday.  
Mrs. B. Dyer entertained several young people Monday evening with music.  
Miss Sada Dixon, who has been employed here in H. H. Bates store, has gone to her home.  
Mrs. Kohn and daughter, Cleo, returned from Standish, where they have been for a week.  
Harry Morgrett, a soldier boy, came home last week for a two weeks stay with his mother here.  
Beatrice and Carvel Wolfson spent Wednesday of this week with their grandparents in Hale, Mr. and Mrs. Pearlman.  
Frank Wolfson kept all the men around town busy while he was shipping ice, which gave them some extra change to spend.

**SHERMAN SHOTS.**  
Geo. Henning of Twining visited relatives here Saturday.  
Percy Wilkins was at Tawas City on business Wednesday.  
Rev. Wells of Omer will hold Catholic services here Sunday, March 30th.  
Several from here are attending circuit court at Tawas City this week.  
Mrs. Andrew Pavelock visited her daughter, Mrs. G. Henning at Twining Saturday.  
Dorius Pringle left Saturday for Ontario, Canada, where he expects to spend the summer.  
Mrs. J. M. Wugazer of Tawas City visited at the home of Mrs. Nick Ecker Saturday.  
John Cataline left Tuesday for Pt. Huron, where he has secured employment for the summer.  
Mat Pavelock, who has been in the service since last fall at Camp Custer, got his honorable discharge, and returned home Saturday.  
Mrs. Will Conklin, who has been in Louisiana for the past year and one half, returned Tuesday. Mr. Conklin is expected soon and they will again make Sherman their home.  
Some bold thieves broke into the barn of Frank Schneider last Thursday evening and stole a quantity of baled hay. They were tracked to their designation and a good clue of the guilty party is known.

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**W. S. S.—BUY THEM!**  
Probate Notice  
STATE OF MICHIGAN, The probate Court for the County of Iosco.  
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 March, A. D. 1919.  
Present Hon. David Davison, Judge of Probate.  
In the matter of the estate of Edward Marsaw, deceased.  
Louis Phelan having filed in said court his final administration account and his petition praying for the allowance thereof and for the assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate.  
It is ordered that the Eighteenth day of April A. D. 1919 at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, he and is hereby appointed for examining and allowing said account and hearing petition.  
It is further ordered that public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Tawas Herald, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.  
DAVID DAVISON  
A true copy 16-pd Judge of Probate

**MILLS STATION AND LOCALITY.**  
Mrs. S. A. Ross was in Whittemore on Tuesday.  
C. E. Huff was in Whittemore on Wednesday.  
H. M. Walters was in Whittemore on Wednesday.  
Frank Webster was in Twining last week on business.  
Mrs. Edwards was in Bay City Friday and Saturday.  
Mrs. Cole and children visited Mrs. B. Ross near Prescott.  
Mrs. Frank Webster visited Mrs. R. Walters on Tuesday.  
Mr. and Mrs. Walters spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Armstrong.  
Mrs. Earl Partlo and daughters, Erma and Edna, are visiting relatives near Unionville.  
Sunday school Sunday, March 30, at 2 p. m., followed by preaching by Rev. McKinzie.  
A number from here attended the community meeting at the Cottage school Friday evening.  
L. Lembuck of Manchester was here visiting friends last week and returned home this week Monday.  
Miss Florence Bronson is spending this week at home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Bronson.  
Mr. and Mrs. Bertious, who have been away on a pleasure trip, have returned here to the ranch.  
Hardwood Union Sunday school have purchased some new song books. Tabernacle Praises, come join us and make a merry chorus.  
Mr. and Mrs. A. McLemurray and sons, Elwood and Eldon, visited Mr. and Mrs. Dolph Cataline and family on Sunday near Whittemore.  
Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Partlo and sons, Stanley, Theron and Ernest, of Reno and Orville Partlo from here were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Black and family.  
Mrs. Geo. Partlo and son, Merlon, Mrs. Orville Partlo and son, Noel, Mrs. W. H. Price and daughter, Elizabeth, and Mrs. C. E. Huff attended the chicken pie dinner given by the M. E. Ladies at Whittemore on Friday.  
E. Cole, who has employment at Flint, Mich., came home Saturday evening to visit his family over Sunday. When on his way back to Emery Junction to take a train back to his work he fell and received some severe wounds, causing him to return home again.

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**ALABASTER DUST.**  
We thank the few who attended and donated to our social which was given Monday evening at the church for the benefit of the church. The proceeds were \$11.10.  
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**FOR SALE**  
50 bu. Smut Nose Seed Corn  
Raised in Iosco County  
Bring or Ship Me Your Beans  
Highest market price paid for Beans.  
Send by freight. Our check returned next day.  
Also write me for prices on hay.  
**WM. PRASCHAN**  
Turner Michigan  
Reference, Turner State Bank

**Let Them Call It What They May  
It's Right Name Is—Saloon**

COUNTLESS ATTEMPTS have been made in this and in other states to fool the people into voting for acts and amendments that will bring back the saloon with all its attendant evils and dangers.

THE USUAL PROCEDURE is to give such legislation harmless sounding titles but, by a tricky use of words—a camouflage of language—slip a joker into the text that will give it, when enacted, the opposite power and effect to that which appears in the title.

A MORE VIGILIOUS use—or rather abuse—of the intentions of voters cannot be imagined—what can you expect from a business founded as was the saloon on the weakness and cupidity of the weaker members of the race?

RIGHT NOW IN MICHIGAN a last desperate attempt is being made to do just that sort of thing.

UNDER A TITLE that sounds like one thing, an amendment that means just the opposite, is up for your decision.

IT IS CALLED the "Beer and Wine" amendment. When the "Wets" speak of it they use the term "Light wines, etc.," but as a matter of fact the word "light" does not appear in title or text—and a heavier weapon was never used by the advocates of a befuddled world!

FOR IF YOU WILL READ this latest attempt to nullify Michigan's best piece of legislation—the "Dry" act—you will find that it means just this—bringing back the Saloon in its worst form and with its most harmful accessories.

CALL IT WHAT THEY MAY—word it as they may, to conceal its true intent—this "Beer and Wine" amendment's right name is "The Saloon Amendment."

DON'T BE DECEIVED by the wheedling of those who have always advised only for their own profit—and your loss.

READ CAREFULLY: weigh every word, and make up your own mind what the saloon interests are trying to get you to do.

JUST AS AN EXAMPLE of the difference between what they say about it and what they say in it—

THEY ARE SOLICITIOUS—Oh! so feelingly solicitous!—lest the poor farmer be denied the privilege of making cider from his own apples. That would be a great hardship you will agree. They weep real tears over his predicament.

VE-Y WELL!—Read that amendment and you will find cunningly concealed in verbiage, yet clearly stated, that if that "Beer and Wine" amendment were passed the farmer could neither make nor sell cider without first taking out a license—same as a saloon or a brewery.

CAN YOU BEAT THAT for double dealing? Yet they fondly hope that enough Michigan voters will be fooled by the title and by their propaganda to vote for this thing that would put the saloon back even stronger than it was.

OH, WINES ARE HARMLESS! they say. Verily! Wine is the standby of the "Side Door" and the Cabaret. And the Cabaret and the "family entrance" are the most vicious phases of the Saloon—they ruin women as well as men and degrade both.

WHY, SOME FOREIGN WINES have almost as great an alcoholic content as the strongest whiskey—and create a worse form of intoxication.

"AND BEER" they used to tell us—"why in Germany even the children drink beer. Beer drinking is universal there."

WELL, WE HAVE SEEN what Beer will do when universally used! Was ever a people more degraded—more brutalized—more debauched to the difference between right and wrong?

MAKE THE BRAIN SODDEN—render it, by constant soaking in beer, only half active—and you have a being more akin to a brute than a man. Tractable? Yes—but never dependable.

NO—WE NO LONGER hold a beer soaked people up as examples of anything.

AMERICAN GENERALS found that men who went over the top sober were better able to do their part and take care of themselves—especially if wounded—than were soldiers who had grog served to them to lend an artificial, momentary courage.

THEY EVEN TRY—the Saloon propagandists—to make you think our soldier boys resent the abolition of the saloon.

WHAT AN INSULT to those brave boys and to your intelligence.

AS IF EVERY AMERICAN SOLDIER were a toper so addicted to his booze that, like a dope fiend, he would fight if deprived of it.

THAT'S THE VERIEST ROT of course. They know it is—else why do they not dare say just what this "Beer and Wine" Amendment really means?

WHY DO THEY TRY TO HIDE its real intent under an innocent sounding title and hide its meaning again by a tricky use of words. Why?

BECAUSE THEY KNOW that the people who voted Michigan dry still want it dry. And they know too that the votes of the men will now be supported and augmented by the votes of Michigan women—and they know what that vote will say.

THEIR ONLY CHANCE to get the saloon back is to make you think they want something else. For they know you want no more of the saloon.

IT IS THEIR LAST forlorn hope—their last dying kick. The saloon is gone never to return. The longer we are without it the less we miss it—the less does anyone want it back.

THEY'D LIKE TO DRIVE a wedge in the Federal act by getting this amendment through in Michigan. That is the big significance of this attempt—that is why so much outside money is being spent in propaganda here.

TRUTH TO TELL there isn't much Michigan money being spent—Michigan brewers and Saloonists look upon it as a dead issue. They are making other plans and are not sending more good money after bad.

BUT OUTSIDERS are still frantically trying to get Michigan back in the wet column so as to prevent nation-wide prohibition and the utter dismantling of every brewery and distillery in this country.

FOR THAT KIND OF PROHIBITION does prohibit—no more chance for disgraceful scenes like that recently between Toledo and Detroit.

THEY HAVE EVEN TRIED to make this appear a religious issue—their propaganda says some denominations are against a dry state.

IT'S NOTHING OF THE KIND—a few men of all denominations favor a wet condition. But the vast majority of all religious denominations are for a dry state and a dry nation.

THIS ISN'T A MATTER of religion; of sect; of nationality. It is just a matter of decency and sanity and good citizenship as against rowdyism.

WATCH THIS THING—it is counterfeit. It does not mean what it says. Its title is a misnomer. Its intent is vicious. It dresses in the guise of liberty—"personal liberty"—its effect would be to enslave again.

IT IS CALLED THE Beer and Wine Amendment—its real name is the Saloon.

DO YOU WANT the saloon back?

IF NOT—vote NO April 7th to the so-called "Beer and Wine" Amendment

**Michigan Anti-Saloon League**  
Headquarters: Lansing, Michigan

**March 24th to 31st  
OLD CLOTHES  
WEEK**

**FOR ALLIED EUROPE**

Give Your Cast-Off Clothing To The  
**RED CROSS**

For the Destitute of Allied Europe.

Bring or send any old clothing in good repair to the following:

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JAS. E. DILLON, Chairman Iosco County Chapter, East Tawas.  
MRS. JOHN MCKENNA, Oscoda  
MRS. A. H. COWIE, Hale  
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