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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 E. B. Follett of Hale was a business visitor in the city Tuesday.

R. C. Am of Sherman was a business visitor in the city Thursday.

Herman Dehnke of Harrisville was in the city on legal business Thursday.

S. B. Yawger and E. V. Emond of Hale were business visitors in the city Tuesday.

John Groff returned Wednesday to Detroit, after a weeks visit with his parents here.

Miss Stella Buswell left Monday for Flint, where she expects to be employed this winter.

Arthur and August Gaul returned to Detroit last Saturday after a short visit at their home here.

Arthur Sieloff returned to Detroit last Saturday after spending the holidays at his home in this city.

Calendar and oil can free to old, new and prospective customers. Tawas Butter Company. adv

Messrs. John and Clark McCormick of Saginaw were guests last week at the home of their uncle, Clark Tanner.

Byron and Main Mark left last Saturday for Detroit. Byron had been visiting at his home here over the holidays.

English services at Zion Lutheran church next Sunday, 10:00 a. m. All are welcome. H. J. Reithmeier, pastor.

D. R. Hurford and daughter, Vera, of Whittemore visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James McCrum Wednesday.

W. F. Grise returned last Saturday to his home in Detroit after spending the holidays with relatives in the Tawas.

Miss Ella Look returned to Detroit last Friday after a ten days visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edw. Marzinski.

The Twentieth Century club will hold its regular meeting at the home of Mrs. Webb on Saturday afternoon, January 10.

Miss Ella Gaul returned to Detroit last Friday after spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Gaul.

Miss Margaret and Leonard Bouchard of Detroit spent the holidays here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. Bouchard.

Mr. and Mrs. James McCrum returned Tuesday from a three weeks visit with relatives and friends at Huntington, Ind.

Raymond Ristow returned to Detroit last Saturday after spending the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Ristow.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Perry returned Saturday to their home in Saginaw after a visit at the home of Mrs. P's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Hosbach.

Leo and Miss Adeline Steinhurst returned Saturday to their employment in Detroit, after spending the holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Steinhurst.

The Alpena conference of Lutheran missionaries held a two day conference at Zion Lutheran church this week. A communion service was conducted Tuesday evening by the pastors Potzger of Hillman and Heumann of Alpena.

At the January session of the board of supervisors, held on Monday and Tuesday of this week, the board voted an appropriation of \$200 for the use of the county school commissioner and the local Red Cross chapter in employing a trained nurse to visit the schools of the county and examine the children for any diseases or deformities which might hinder their education. The expense of this examination will be considerably more than the \$200, but the extra expense will be borne by the Red Cross chapter. This examination will not be compulsory, but will offer an opportunity to discover any defects which may make the children dull or unable to learn quickly, and will give the parents an opportunity to have such defects corrected. The board also voted to submit to the people of the county at the April election the question of appropriating the sum of \$2,000 toward a county memorial building for the boys from Iosco county who served in the late war. This proposition should carry by a big majority. Other counties are making such provision and Iosco county should not lag behind the rest of the state in such a worthy movement.

Sheet music at Brabant Bros. adv A fall of snow Tuesday night has given us fairly good sleighing.

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

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

George Laidlaw of Detroit was a visitor in the city a couple of days the first of the week.

Emil Kasichke left Tuesday for a week or ten days visit with friends at St. Joseph and relatives in Chicago.

Farmers, save the middleman's profit. Sell your hides to a dealer and get the highest market price. A. Koopman, Tawas City. adv-51-ff

Henry Kobs and Miss Johannah Kobs left last Saturday for Lansing, Henry to take up a short course at the M. A. C. and Miss Johannah to resume her work as teacher in the Ingham county schools.

Married, at Detroit on New Years day, Mrs. Rachel Huston of this city and Thomas Galbraith of Detroit. Mr. and Mrs. Galbraith arrived in Tawas City Wednesday afternoon. Their many friends extend congratulations and best wishes.

Married, at St. Joseph's church, East Tawas, on Monday, Jan. 5, at 8 o'clock a. m., Miss Grace Laidlaw of Detroit and Robert Murray of this city. They were attended by Miss Nettie Laidlaw as bridesmaid and Guy Murray as best man. Only the immediate relatives were in attendance. The young couple have a host of friends in the Tawas and vicinity who extend hearty congratulations and best wishes for a long and happy voyage over the sea of matrimony.

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The Tawas Herald, \$2.00 per year.

## A STEP IN THE RIGHT DIRECTION.

During years past Iosco county has paid many thousands of dollars for contagious disease bills where in many cases the people for whom the service and supplies were furnished were able to pay their own bills. Much agitation has been made on the board of supervisors over this question, but no definite action has been taken, though various prosecuting attorneys have been instructed to do so.

The board of supervisors at their session this week had one of these bills presented to them, and decided to make an example. The party for whom the service was rendered was summoned before the board, together with the bookkeeper of the firm for which he works. It was divulged by the testimony that the man has been drawing \$150 per month and upwards though he had stated that he could not pay the bill and would not pay it.

The board allowed the bill, as it had been properly signed by the supervisor, which made it a legal charge on the county, and then instructed the prosecuting attorney to garnishee the man's wages and recover the amount of the bill, as the law provides may be done in such cases.

This is a move in the right direction, as the county has been mulcted of thousands of dollars in these cases where the parties were perfectly able to pay. A still better procedure, however, would be for the supervisor or local board of health to be more careful in putting their O. K. on such bills and let them be collected by the physician or other party who rendered the service or furnished the supplies.

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## COUNTY AGENT COLUMN

C. P. Milham

1920—What will it bring? Success or failure? It may bring either, but chances of success are more assured if the following things are carried out. If you agree you will do them.

Soils. Use commercial fertilizer judiciously, adapting the fertilizer to the crop. Have your soil tested for acidity. Use ground limestone on acid soils to put soil in a physical condition insuring better crops.

Plan a drainage system if your land is in need of drainage.

Crops. Secure the best seed corn possible, testing it and giving proper attention to preparation of seed bed. Field select seed corn in the fall.

Treat wheat, oats and barley with formaldehyde for smut. If crop contains any amount of loose smut, secure new seed.

Grow Rosen Rye exclusively, and keep it pure.

Secure disease free bean seed. Try Robust beans.

Treat all seed potatoes with corrosive sublimate. Formaldehyde is not strong enough to control all diseases. 40% of the potatoes of this county are diseased with preventable troubles.

Grow more alfalfa; try sweet clover the biggest paying crop we have.

Try a little vetch in your spring wheat or in fall rye. It will double the income from the field.

Try soy beans for hay or for grain.

Insects. Look out for the grasshoppers again this year, especially if we have a dry spring. Community use of poison will get them.

Fruit. Spray orchards if they are infected with oyster shell scale. Prune trees where it is needed. Graft on better varieties.

Livestock. Secure or use only pure bred bulls either beef or dairy type.

Secure pure bred rams, boars, cows, chickens or anything else, or use only pure bred sires. Kill or sell to be killed all scrub sires.

Erect a silo if you have none. A silo soon pays for itself.

Raise less poultry and feed what you raise better. It will profit more.

Try keeping a hive of bees. There is profit in honey. Much is going to waste every year.

Farm Management. Plan your work, then work your plan.

Keep a farm account book and know what it costs to produce crops.

Marketing. Insist on marketing your products, both livestock and produce, through cooperation.

Farm Home. Install a water system in the home. It will be a time and money saver.

Install a sewage system. It is more sanitary.

Beautify the home grounds by planting shrubbery.

Install labor saving machinery in the home as well as in the barn.

Community. Hold community meetings and attend them.

Take an observation tour to see what your neighbors are doing. You might get some good ideas.

If you are in need of help in planning or doing any of these things, remember the county agent is here to do it or to show you how or to tell you. He does not want to force anything upon you, but is always ready to do his duty. Sometimes he is commended, sometimes abused, but he is your friend and will aid you if possible. If you ask nothing it is very likely you will get it.

MEETINGS. You'll find the county agent there. January 14—Grant town hall 2 p. m. January 15—Hale town hall 2 p. m. Jan. 16—Sherman town hall 2 p. m. Jan. 30-31—Conference, East Lansing. Feb. 1-8—Farmers week, East Lansing.

METHODIST CHURCH. Sunday school Sunday morning at 11:15. Epworth League at 6:15 p. m. Church service at 7:00 p. m. Everybody welcome. E. E. McMichael, pastor.

CARD OF THANKS. We wish to thank our many friends and relatives for their kindness and sympathy and also their floral offerings during the sickness and death of our wife and mother. August Krumm and Family.

W. S. S.—BUY THEM!

## FOX FARMING MAY SOLVE PROBLEM

A Washington correspondent of the Michigan daily papers recently wrote a lengthy article on fox farming, in which he said "there are millions in it" and quoted from a government publication on the subject in which directions for the care of foxes are given including their housing, the sort of a place in which to keep them and their feeding. "a light sandy soil with rather hard winters and summers with considerable rainfall provide the best surroundings for the fox. Possibly this will yet solve the question of what to do with the jack pine lands. Now it is up to some Northeastern Michigan man to make the experiment. "With the hides of silver gray foxes bringing as high as \$1,500 each and a prime black fox worth \$5,000, it ought to be worth trying," said secretary Marston of the Development Bureau.

L. Whitney Watkins who on the first of January became one of the members of the Michigan board of agriculture will be one of the speakers at the annual meeting and banquet of the Development Bureau this year. Mr. Watkins is a real farmer who is successfully operating a 2,000 acre farm in southern Michigan and some of the big farmer's organizations are now trying to induce him to make the campaign as the farmer's candidate for governor this year.

A number of very fine samples of corn have been received by the Development Bureau the past week. Secretary Marston is planning to secure a supply of seed from some of the growers of the best corn, especially those who have been planting one strain for a sufficient number of years to have it become thoroughly acclimated, and distribute this seed next spring among some of the farmers in each county in the hopes of securing a distinct strain of heavy yielding corn which is suitable for northern Michigan and which has a field that compares favorably with that grown in the great corn belt of the United States.

SOLVING COAL PROBLEMS. The president's commission to investigate the coal mining industry is charged with presenting the actual conditions to the public. This will be at least illuminating, since there have been so many contradictory statements that the people between their shivers have not known what to believe. Now the operators, fearful that they will get the short end of any new readjustment of wages and prices, are voicing a protest, declaring that they never agreed to any change beyond the Garfield figures. Dissatisfaction among those who live from the mining of coal does not have the merit of being original. Meaningful coal bins are full and there is again plenty of sugar for the bowl and the complacent public is in an attitude of forgiving and forgetting, "while memory watches o'er in sad review."

ANSCHUETZ SCHOOL. Katherine Trainor, Teacher. School began January 5 after our Christmas vacation.

Mary Whitney, Richard and John Blust entered school Tuesday. The total number enrolled is now 25.

Margaret and Leo Bouchard visited school Wednesday afternoon.

School was closed Wednesday so that Miss Trainor could attend the Trainor-Bannan wedding.

Helen Nelem is absent from school this week on account of tonsillitis.

Those perfect in spelling during the week are: A. Anschuetz, E. Look, Ed. Wellna, H. Look, E. Wellna, M. Krumm, L. Katterman, Reno Krumm. Those neither absent nor tardy during the month of December are Minnie William and Gustave Klinken.

EAST TAWAS SCHOOL NOTES. Alice King visited the Senior high on Monday.

Helen Oliver visited the Senior high last week.

Milo Nielson from Mikado has entered the eighth grade.

Kathryn Dillon of Hale visited the Senior high last week.

Arthur Marontate has re-entered school.

Vina Morrison of Long Lake visited the Senior high last week.

The seniors will take up the study of civics in January.

The Junior high gave a very interesting Christmas program Tuesday afternoon.

## EAST TAWAS DEPARTMENT

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

Miss Mary Hales returned to Ypsilanti Saturday.

Mrs. Geo. Lake has returned from a visit in Bay City.

Miss Anna Cowan was a Bay City visitor last Saturday.

Miss Mabel Spring of Alpena is visiting Mrs. H. C. Herstrom.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Sedgeman returned from Bay City last Saturday.

William Haglund of Escoda was an East Tawas visitor last Friday.

Alex Marontate left last Thursday night on a business trip to Buffalo.

Miss Gladys Swales spent Sunday with Miss Dorothy Mitchell at Harrisville.

Mrs. A. Kelley of Harrisville spent Saturday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Provost.

Mrs. Gregory O'Toole left Monday for Detroit after spending the holidays here.

Mrs. G. King returned to Bay City Saturday after visiting with Mrs. E. J. Kelley for a few days.

George Klump, who spent the holidays with his brother, Dr. C. F. Klump, has returned home.

A. R. Gold, Y. M. C. A. secretary, attended a community meeting at Harrisville Monday evening.

Miss Arline Moore, who visited in Saginaw over the holidays, has returned to live with her grandmother.

Mrs. A. R. Gold was called to Muskegon Monday because of the illness of her sister, Mrs. L. L. Waleworth, of that city.

Miss Helen Oliver, returned to her school duties at Ypsilanti last Saturday, after spending the holidays with her parents here.

Miss Selma Hales, who has been spending the holidays with her parents here, has returned to Detroit, where she is teaching.

Alfred Herstrom, who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Herstrom, of East Tawas and also visiting at Alpena, returned to Detroit last Friday.

Mrs. Emma Lomas and sons, George and Arnold, returned Saturday from Alpena, where they had spent the week visiting with relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Burgette of Loraine, Ohio, returned home New Years night, after spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter St. Martin.

Leroy Alford, who is a student at the University of Michigan, returned to Ann Arbor last Thursday night, after spending the vacation with his parents here.

Miss Alice Nesbitt has returned to Detroit after spending the holidays with her parents in this city. She is employed as teacher in the Highland Park schools.

Miss Gladys Owen, who has been spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Owen, returned to Gross Isle on Saturday. Miss Gladys teaches in the schools there.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Brown of Detroit, who have been visiting their daughter, Mrs. C. F. Klump, also Miss Laura Brown and E. G. Brown, Mrs. Klump's sister and brother, have returned home.

Miss Mary Richards, who has been spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Richards, returned last Saturday to Toledo, where she is employed as teacher in the city schools.

The W. C. T. U. met at the home of Mrs. A. R. Gold last Friday afternoon. After the business meeting a dainty lunch was served. It was decided to hold a baked goods sale on Saturday, Jan. 10, the proceeds to help make up the local union's quota of the \$1,000,000 victory fund, which will be used to bring about world prohibition.

Supt. C. C. Callan acted as toastmaster and introduced Mr. Charles Pinkerton as the first speaker of the evening, who, as a representative of the Board, made a few remarks in his happy manner. A piano solo was given by Miss Irene Applin. The Class of 1922 was represented by Orlo Owen, who took the opportunity to get even with some of his friends by telling some very amusing incidents of their career. A vocal solo was given by Miss Thelma Stealy, followed by a very appropriate toast, the "Class of 1920" by the class president, Frederick Lomas. A quintette composed of the Misses Irene Applin, Thelma Stealy, May Mitchell, and James McGuire and Roy Applin sang two beautiful selections, which were followed by a toast entitled "Athletics" by James McGuire, who in a very eloquent manner spoke of the value of athletics to the school and the factors necessary for successful athletics. Miss Gladys Currie, representing the student body, gave a toast entitled "School Spirit" and in a very pleasing manner showed that school spirit is the mainspring of the successful school. She was followed by Miss Mildred Pringle, representing the Class of 1921. She in a very witty manner compared the class of 1921 with the two previous classes.

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Mildred Pringle has a perfect record in spelling for the full term.

The following students have entered the oratorical contest, which will be held some time in March: Norbert Taylor, James McGuire and Irene Applin.

The sixth grade have written letters to Junior Kent, who has gone to Portland, Oregon.

Anna Nielson entered the fourth grade Monday.

Hazel Budworth is absent from school on account of illness.

The seniors are very much pleased with their rings.

Annibell Trudell, Gladys Fernetto and Phyllis Marontate visited the Junior high Tuesday.

Ethelne Pollard spelled the third grade down.

Fay Adams has re-entered the third after a long absence.

The following students have entered the declamatory contest which will be held some time in March: Grace Dean, Dorothy Schill, Clara McConnell, Mildred Hewson, Orlo Owen, Owen Bigelow, Thelma Callan, Ruth Collar, Anna Klenow, Laura Bischoff, John Dimmick, Aaron Barkman, Martin McCormick, Edna Phelps and Norma Mitchell. The winner of the contest will represent the school at the sub-district contest.

The following students were neither absent nor tardy in the second and third grade room during the month of December: Irene Moran, Elger Griffith, Ann Piper, Nellie Whitman, Anna Bean, Howard Evans and Josephine Gates.

At the ceremonial meeting of the Kootina Campfire the girls received their first honor beads. They are now working for the Woodgatherer degree, which will be conferred some time in January.

The rhetoric class will study Macbeth in January.

The following students were neither absent nor tardy in the Junior high room during the month of December: Norma Mitchell, Lulu Oliver, Wilfrid Gurley, Walter Green, Joseph Dimmick, Hugh Cornette, Nina Haglund, Earl Turner, Ruth Sims, Helen Johnson, Vera Harwood, Eva Caminsky, Owen Bigelow.

Annual Christmas Banquet.

The annual Christmas banquet given by the East Tawas high school was held on Friday evening and was a most successful affair. The dining hall was nicely decorated by the junior class in green and white. The Ladies' Guild of the Episcopal church had the affair in charge and furnished a very elaborate menu. The ninth grade did the serving.

All of the teachers and members of the school board with their wives were present, together with the Misses Grace Braddock, Vina Morrison, Kathryn Dillon, Helen Oliver, and Eva Turner, and Wade Lomas, Ralph Stickney and Marvin McClure of the banner class of 191

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	30.00 to 25.00	20.00 to 16.00	15.00 to 12.00	10.00 to 8.50	10.00 to 6.00
Fine, Dark	30.00 to 25.00	20.00 to 16.00	15.00 to 12.00	10.00 to 8.50	10.00 to 6.00
Usual Color	20.00 to 16.00	15.00 to 12.00	10.00 to 8.50	8.00 to 6.50	8.00 to 5.00
Pale	15.00 to 12.00	11.00 to 9.00	8.00 to 7.00	6.00 to 5.00	6.00 to 4.00

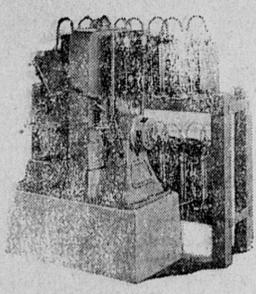
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They tell us that orators are born, and not made. From which, no doubt, we are to assume that some had soap boxes and jackasses for progenitors.

### WILBER WARBLINGS

Mrs. Clara Dorey is very busy this week taking the census.  
 George Goings, who has been visiting here, returned Monday to his home in Toledo.  
 Henry Herman has returned to Flint, after visiting for several days at his home here.  
 John Searle attended a meeting of the board of supervisors at Tawas City, Monday and Tuesday.  
 Irving Dawes and Chas. Corner have returned to Detroit after visiting for some time at their homes here.  
 Mrs. Albert Cholger has been entertaining her brother from Escanaba during the past two weeks.  
 Miss Florence Latter arrived here Tuesday evening from Lansing, where she had been spending her vacation.  
 Mrs. McClure from East Tawas came Sunday to nurse Nora Styles, who is very ill with typhoid fever.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Styles of Detroit are visiting here at the home of Mr. Styles' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Styles. They were called here by the illness of his sister, Nora.

### EMERY JUNCTION NOTES

Sale on all underwear at A. H. Crawford's store. adv  
 Rev. Roberts is in Detroit on business for a few days.  
 Chas. Schuster and wife spent Thursday, Jan. 1 with friends here.  
 Mrs. Conklin is spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. Billings.  
 Mrs. Freel from the Townline is visiting her sister-in-law, Mrs. Amy Freel.  
 Miss Eva Crum is assisting Mrs. Crawford during Mr. Crawford's absence.  
 Miss Hattie VanHorn opened her school Monday, after a two weeks vacation.  
 Estel Nowlin, who has been spending the holidays with friends elsewhere, returned home Wednesday.  
 Mr. Ferguson and an assistant from Flint are holding a few special meetings at the school house this week.  
 S. A. Nowlin is assisting John Sloan with the duties of farm and house during the absence of Mr. and Mrs. Hamman.  
 A. H. Crawford will call at the various homes in Sherman township in the near future, having been appointed census enumerator.  
 Mrs. Hastings and daughter have returned to their home, at Berlin Heights after a two weeks visit with friends here and at Whittemore.

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### MEN WHO LIVE ABOVE THE CLOUDS

The trend of the times indicates that out of all this stress and turmoil which this country has been going through that man may yet carry into execution the threat of doing the sensible thing, by accepting tribunals and courts in which the reasoning process of the mind will supplant violence and passion that have had their outlet in industrial strikes. The preliminary statement of the President's Industrial Conference came at the close of the year, and it indicates that there are still

"Tall men, sun-crowned, who live above the fog in public duty and private thinking"  
 The second conference has proceeded in a wholly different manner from the first one, which went on the rocks when the Gays and the Gompers disagreed, as naturally should have been expected, upon the subject of "collective bargaining." The new conference profited by the errors of its predecessor, and refused to permit itself to become a debating society recognizing the fact that industrial problems present irreconcilable points of view, and serve to prove that the minds of men are in some instances as far apart as the poles.

Lord Grey, in reviewing the days before the outbreak of hostilities in Europe, brushed aside the "ifs" and "ands" of prior causes and told the Gridiron Club, that if there had been something like the League of Nations to turn to, that the war could have doubtless been averted. Lord Grey is one of the "tall men, sun-crowned, who live above the fog," and his prescription for the prevention of war, is in principle exactly the same as the method recommended by Secretary of Labor Wilson, Herbert Hoover, Ex-Governors Martin H. Glynn, and Samuel W. McCall, former Attorney General Wickersham, Oscar S. Straus, Julius Rosenwald, and their associates in the industrial conference who have proposed that there be created a federal industrial court, with headquarters at Washington, with a dozen regional boards of inquiry and adjustment throughout the country to investigate, try and determine disputes arising between employers and employees.

And in order to insure confidence in these tribunals the men composing them are to be selected through nominations which will be made in a way satisfactory to both employing and the employed classes, with due regard for the public, that same public which Carlyle said was "an old woman"—and which is sure to be satisfied if two such contending classes as employers and employees can be brought together in harmony.

### The Wonders of America

By T. T. MAXEY

### THE MISSOURI BOTANICAL GARDEN.

IN 1849 Henry Shaw, a citizen of St. Louis, a lover of nature and of flowers in particular, built a large country residence near the city limits. He surrounded it with flowers and plants of every known variety. When he died in 1890, his will provided for a board of trustees to manage the garden and left sufficient funds to support it. This wonderful floral park, said to be the largest in the world, was thus preserved for the education, admiration and enjoyment of all.  
 It contains a collection embracing 150 species of palms; a varied collection of tropical and sub-tropical plants; a collection of the 35 known species of cycads; a wonderful assortment of plants which grow best under desert conditions; numerous species of ferns and allied plants; a great array of plants of great economic value and displays of plants that feed on insects; species of the pineapple and its relatives; numerous showy, flowering plants, while in the private orchid house a representative of each of the 800 species of this beautiful flower is to be found.  
 The out-door collection includes a water garden, several hundred varieties of roses, numerous species of herbaceous plants, a rare parry display, a variety of economic plants and trees and shrubs, native to North America and grouped in families. All told, about eleven thousand species of plants are growing in this garden. The body of Mr. Shaw reposes in a handsome mausoleum within the grounds.  
 Destroyed happiness, may be converted into a lasting blessing if one understands how to assemble the shattered pieces.  
 Power of will, is a mighty force and can be fanned into a terrific gale. But without perseverance it becomes but a transient gust of wind.

### MILLS STATION AND LOCALITY

Sunday school Sunday, Jan. 10, at 10:30 a. m.  
 Mrs. Geo. Fenton and son, Delbert, and baby girl, from Detroit, spent the holidays with her son, Charlie, and Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Fenton, here.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Grumley entertained their relatives, Mr. and Mrs. Watrous of Detroit and Mr. and Mrs. Shafer of Guilford, Mich., part of last week. They returned home on Sunday.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Harry Webster and daughter, Beatrice, from near Taft were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Huff.  
 Chester Huff spent New Years with Frankie Bemis.  
 Some of the children in the homes of H. F. Black, Geo. Earl, Orville Partlo and Floyd Webster have been ill with the measles, but are recovering.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Webster's children have been quite ill with pneumonia, but are reported better.  
 Dr. McDowell of Turner made several professional calls here recently.  
 The Hardwood union Sunday school had an election of officers, putting in Sherman Huff as superintendent, Mrs. L. W. Ross secretary, and Mrs. Frank Webster treasurer.  
 Chas. Partlo from Reno has been here helping his brother, George, for a few days.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Odell from near Bay City have rented Mr. McLemurray's place and have moved here for the coming year.  
 Peter Sawyer, who had a paralytic stroke last week and was seriously ill, is able to be out again.  
 Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Huff, who have been visiting their daughter in Detroit the past two weeks, have returned home.  
 Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Ress and L. W. Ross and daughter, Ella, spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Autterson in Whittemore.  
 Mr. McLemurray and son, Ray, accompanied Art back to Flint, where they will make their home for awhile.  
 Born to Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Bronson, recently, a son. Congratulations.  
 Wm. Hiller of South Bend, Ind., is here visiting relatives and friends.  
 We now have our telephones connected with the central at Whittemore.  
 Russell Huff of Bay City was here and visited his brothers, Sherman and Chester Huff, during the holidays. All went out one day for a rabbit hunt and they were each successful in bringing in a large bunch of them. Chester shot two with one shot.  
 The weather man is favoring us with warmer weather. The thermometer registered from 4 to 6 below zero last week.  
 The Reno Grange met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. W. and S. A. Ross Dec. 30. An oyster dinner was served and covers were laid for 20. Mr. and Mrs. Latham and Mr. Nisbet were present from other Granges. After a social time, officers were elected for the ensuing year.  
 Otto, Bill and Dave Sawyer were called home from Detroit and Flint to see their father while ill.  
 The snow that fell Tuesday made good sleighing here.  
 Edna Partlo has an attack of pneumonia.  
 Mrs. J. Partlo and daughter, Mable, of Burleigh were here visiting relatives on Wednesday.  
 George Price was working on the telephone line Thursday, attaching more phones.

### NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

State Trunk Line Road No. 10-26 Wilber Township, Iosco County, Mich. Sealed proposals will be received at the office of the Board of County Road Commissioners of Iosco County, Court House, Tawas City, Michigan, until 1:30 p. m. Friday, Jan. 30, 1920, by Frank F. Rogers, State Highway Commissioner, for improving 4.992 miles of road in Wilber township, Iosco County, Michigan. The improvement will consist of shaping the road, constructing the necessary drainage structures and surfacing to a width of sixteen (16) feet with gravel.  
 Plans may be examined and instructions to bidders, specifications and proposal blanks obtained at the office of the Board of County Road Commissioners of Iosco County, Tawas City, Michigan, at the district office of the State Highway Department, Comstock Building, Alpena, Michigan, or at the office of the State Highway Department, Lansing, Michigan. Plans will be furnished by the undersigned upon receipt of a deposit of Five Dollars (\$5.00) which will be refunded upon their safe return.  
 A certified check in the sum of Five Hundred Dollars (\$500) made payable to Frank F. Rogers, State Highway Commissioner, must accompany each proposal.  
 The right is reserved to reject any or all proposals.  
 FRANK F. ROGERS,  
 State Highway Commissioner.  
 Lansing, Michigan, January 5, 1920.

### Fair Play Imperative.

"Business is business" is a motto all workers should keep before them. They should demand their rights but should remember that those who liberally have rights also, and are entitled to fair, honest treatment from the people they employ. Therefore, one must learn to be punctual, non-talkative and kindly to their associates. The employee who swerves from this code is not playing fair with employer and certainly should keep silent on the question of equal rights.—Exchange.

### Raisin Grapes.

Ordinary grapes do not make good raisins. Leading varieties used are the Muscatel, Gordo, Blanco, Muscat of Alexandria and Malaga. The bunches are cut from the vines and placed on trays to sun-dry, being turned from time to time. The process is simple. Large growers have curing sheds to avoid risk in drying on account of rain. Seeding is done by machinery.

### Waiting Till After the Show.

The bridegroom was a big, bushy looking country boy. Immediately after the ceremony he disappeared from the scene, and after a long search was found calmly smoking his pipe in the hay loft in the barn, his shirt sleeves and his collar out. When asked for an explanation he said: "My collar is so darn high I can't wear it. Tell her I'll wait here till the show is over and I'll take her home."

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# BLANKET SALE

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Regular \$3.50 value at . . . .	<b>\$3.00</b>	Regular \$15.00 (wool) at . . . .	<b>\$11.00</b>

## A Few Comforters, 100 per Cent Carded Cotton, While They Last \$3.50

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## ATHLETE IS NOW VINDICATED

War Has Proved That Sensible Devotion to Sports and Games Was Time Well Spent.

Much was said before the war in depreciation of the young man who devoted himself to athletics, remarks the Louisville Courier-Journal. His early death was prophesied by the easy-going slug of a fellow who took his recreation at bar and caravansary. Whenever an athlete died his muscular development was set down as the cause of his untimely end.

It has been made plain by the war that the athletic youth is the preferable youth to fight the enemy. It never was proved that he was less able than others to fight life's battles in the figurative sense of the phrase, or that he died sooner than the round-paunched, soft-armed, flabby-legged man.

In the army and in the navy athletic sports and games are encouraged, promoted, valued. Swimming, tennis, boxing, rowing, football, are regarded as being worth more than the time that is devoted to them. Aviators who are supple and well set up, as well as young and courageous, are the most promising candidates. It has been found that the "light hands" of the man who has ridden to bounds are as valuable in manipulating an airplane as they are in taking a spirited horse over the hunting fields and over fences. Physical training of every sort is a good asset for the young man, and how much more easily the candidate who is forty or beyond has fitted himself for military service if he has kept up since college days the habit of exercise and out-of-door life.

## IN ABE MARTIN'S COUNTRY

Where Wisdom Centers and "the World Do Move," but in Decidedly Leisurely Manner.

All Brown county seemed to be waiting for us when late we reached the "picnic grounds." Abe Martin types hung round the roadway to the grove. Ginger pop, orange cider, ice cream cones were disappearing down warm and thirsty throats. All through the grove there were grateful voices talking gently of the saving of the corn crop by the rains. Coats and collars were not as numerous as on Fifth avenue, but kind hearts and friendly visiting and exchange of confidences were as evident as anywhere in all the world. Veterans of '61 were linking up their war with this, and one elaborately whiskered farmer earnestly confided to me: "I fought four years to make good Lincoln's word, and I guess our boys today will stand by Woodrow."

Honest, homely, shrewd and wise, they talked Abe Martin's language:

"It's nice 't live in a little town where you don't have 't give somebody a dime to hold your overcoat."

"A kicker is nearly allers wrong."

"A sympathizer is a feller that's fer you as long as it don't cost anything."

"Politics is just one 5-cent cigar after another."—Lyman P. Powell in the Living Church.

## The Irregular Males.

Oliver Iselin, on leave in Tuxedo, was praising the American girls engaged in war work overseas.

"And they're good girls," he said, "better girls, I believe, than our country ever turned out before."

"They're certainly better than the old ladies, male and female, who spy on them on the pretense of looking after their morals."

"One of these old ladies, an elderly New York broker, was talking to a canteen girl in Paris."

"Yes," the girl said, "I adore my work. The only thing I complain of is the irregularity of the mails."

"The old broker heaved a sigh and tried to take the girl's hand, but she drew it away."

"Ah, yes," he said, "The males were irregular, too, in my young days. As we used to put it—Never trust a female too far nor a male too near."

## Preserve the Trees.

Probably the most highly prized tree in the world is the avocado pear tree in California, which returns an annual income of \$3,000, and was once insured for \$30,000. As to trees in general, immediate money returns supersede, in most minds, sentiment or natural beauty. A "landscape robbery" which caused the "robbers" no compunctions, was the cutting of a splendid yellow poplar which for several generations had been a landmark among the Cumberland hills. The forest monarch, yielded over 7,000 feet of first-class lumber, valued at \$11,000. There was no one to cry "Woodman, spare that tree!" whose protest counted against its destruction. The countryside has lost a natural beauty never to be restored; the owner has money in his pocket. As Joyce Kilmer wrote: "Only God can make a tree."

## Damascus Oldest City.

The tradition of the East, which so often has proved full of historical meat, sets down Damascus as the oldest city on earth still inhabited by man. It was a capital before Abraham. The old Babylonian ideograph indicating Damascus has been translated "fortress of the Amorites," and there is ample reason for admitting this rendering. Thus Damascus becomes the stronghold of the legendary first inhabitants of Syria reputed to have been as tall as cedars, and so set down in the Bible. Their name occurs in the first Babylonian inscriptions, dating back to 2100 B. C.

## WILLINGLY GAVE UP WEALTH

Dr. Remsen, Discoverer of Saccharin, Was Satisfied That Its Use Was Injurious to Health.

A romantic history is attached to the discovery of saccharin. The discoverer of the chemical derivative of coal tar, to which the name saccharin is popularly given, is Dr. Ira Remsen, chief consulting chemist of the United States department of agriculture.

He was at first very enthusiastic as to the possibilities of this artificial sweetstuff, which has a sweetening power about 500 times that of sugar. Its manufacture was organized on a large scale, and soon enormous quantities were being used in making ice-cream and the soda water syrups to which Americans are addicted.

Doctor Remsen was making an income of something like \$100,000 a year from his shares in the company when about five years ago his friend, Doctor Wylie, head of the United States pure food bureau, suggested a doubt of the wholesomeness of saccharin.

Doctor Remsen thereupon submitted himself to rigorous tests of the action of saccharin on the digestive organs and on the heart. As a result he asked the department to issue an order prohibiting its use as a food-sweetener.

## FROM EVE TO MODERN DAME

Evolution of Feminine Attire From the Simple Fig Leaf Is Most Interesting Study.

When Eve first started out to dress to cover up her nakedness, she picked the fig leaves soft and green—admired, perhaps their dusky sheen. But soon her daughters found this shade quite unbecoming to a maid with tresses neither gold nor red; so substituted grass instead, which made them yellow skirts when dried, and satisfied primeval pride. And then the blondes found peacock blue was quite their most becoming hue, and robbed that bird of plumage rare to decorate their sunny hair; while raven locks of the brunettes were strung with bright red featherettes.

From beasts they took both fur and hide, and still their wants were not supplied; they found the silk worm at his loom, at which his business took a boom; they sheared Angora sheep and goats to make therefrom their winter coats.

From fields of cotton and of flax came fabrics to adorn their backs; and now to Hooverize on waste, they've spider webs with beadwork traced! Eve's modesty is quite forgot—we've evolved such a lot.—Mrs. V. W. S., in the Kansas City Star.

## Adventure in Fiction.

In each army Y. M. C. A. building in the training camps of America there is a circulating library of books provided by the American Library association, and one of the duties of the secretary is to see to the circulation of the books among the soldiers.

In a Y. M. C. A. building at Camp Forrest a bright-faced young soldier leaned against the counter and earnestly inquired, "Have you got any algebra books?"

The secretary, delighted at this manifestation of interest in higher things, scanned the book shelves.

"No, my boy," he replied, "I'm sorry to say that I haven't. I have several arithmetics, but not a single algebra. Will anything else do?"

"Oh, give me any good book of adventure," said the boy.

And presently the secretary recovered sufficiently to realize that the soldier wanted a book by Horatio Alger, and selecting "Pluck and Luck, or From Porter to President," he sent the applicant on his way rejoicing.

## Vision of an Empress.

Has anyone taken time to think of Empress Eugenie, widow of Napoleon III, just at this time? Nearly half a century ago she saw her France overthrown and outraged and humiliated and the terms of the humiliation laid down in her own beautiful palace at Versailles by booted and spurred German insolence. She saw her husband dethroned to die in exile. Later she mourned the death in battle under an alien flag of her only son, disinherited.

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## Curious Coincidence.

The news of Germany's surrender came midway between Sunday night and Monday morning. It was on a Sunday morning that the world heard of Germany's declaration of war against Russia. Serbia's answer to Austria's ultimatum came the previous Sunday. It was on Sunday morning that we got the news of the firing of the first gun of our Civil war and it was on Sunday that Lee surrendered at Appomattox. Later on, the first tidings of the sinking of Cervera's fleet at Santiago came on Sunday morning, as did that of the signing of the peace treaty between the United States and Spain.

## Sudden Thought.

"I don't suppose prohibition would do in the allied armies."  
"Why not?"  
"How could they have got along without the tanks?"

## About the Tourmalines.

Tourmalines were discovered to us as gems in the eighteenth century, when some Dutch children, playing with bright colored stones on a warm summer day, noticed that they attracted and held straws and ashes. For some time after this the stones were called "ash drawers," and later it was discovered that they have electric power, greatest between the degrees of 100 and 200 Fahrenheit.

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Lost—Dark blue coat suit, lined with blue silk. Reward. Mrs. Ella Gates, R. D. 1, Tawas City. 3-pd

Hides Wanted—Anyone having beef or horse hides for sale, call E. Streeter, Hale, and get the highest market price. 1-tf

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Lost—Large brown collie dog with a white ring around his neck and four white feet. Has a dog collar on his neck with a Manchester dog tag tag. Goes by the name of Prince. \$5.00 reward. Notify Burtless Ranch, Whittemore, Mich. 1-tf

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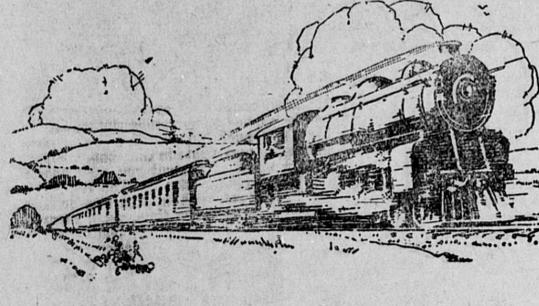
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**TOWNLINER TOPICS**

Mrs. Frank Ulman is very ill with the measles at this writing. Edward Robinson left for Flint Saturday to seek employment. Chas. Ulman left Tuesday morning for Flint to seek employment. Wm. Freel spent Christmas in Flint with his sons, Arthur and Albert. Nels Ulman, Jr., left for Flint Monday evening where he has been employed. Remember the M. E. church and Sunday school services at the usual hours, Sunday, January 11. Misses Florence McMichael and Winnie Bowen spent New Years day with Misses Alma and Ida Webb. The New Years social and watch meeting will be attended. The proceeds of the social brought \$20.82. Edward Peck left Monday morning after spending the holidays at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Peck. Mr. and Mrs. Ephraim Webb left Tuesday evening for Port Hope in response to a telegram announcing the death of Mrs. Webb's brother, Wm. Quick. Mrs. Fred Ulman and children returned to their home in Alabaster, after spending a month at the home of Richard Ulman. Miss Dora Marks left Saturday for Saginaw after spending several months at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. Marks.

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West Branch, Mich.

**HEMLOCK SLIVERS**

Measles are making the rounds again this winter. We are glad to hear that Henry Dempsey is improving. Mrs. John L. Fraser is busy these days taking the census. Grant and Vine schools commenced Monday after the vacation. Enos Warner was a business visitor at South Branch last week. Stella McCardell spent Tuesday morning at the home of Geo. Youngs. Mrs. Lester Biggs left Thursday for Onaway to join her husband who is employed there. Miss Stella McCardell spent the past week with friends in Bay City and North Branch. One of our Laidlawville friends appears to have taken a great liking to a certain Hemlock corner. L. P. Latham has been attending the meeting of the board of supervisors in Tawas City this week. James Thompson has sold his farm to Robert Watts and expects to move to Canada in the near future. Mr. and Mrs. Henry Durant returned Monday from Flint, where they spent the holidays with relatives. John Kennedy went to Flint Wednesday morning, where he expects to be employed during the winter. Mrs. Reuben Smith went to Bay City Tuesday to care for her daughter Mrs. Claud Irish, and family, who are sick. The Grange will hold their annual installation meeting at the Grant town hall tomorrow, Saturday, at 1 o'clock. The meeting is open for all. Lunch will be served, so bring your baskets. The following returned to Tawas City Monday to resume their school work: Leona Kennedy, Doris Latham, Olivé McCardell, Orland McCardell, Carl Youngs, Wilfred Youngs and Clarence Herriman.

**Fish of Lake Erie.**  
Lake Erie produces more fish to the square mile than any other body of water in the world.

**RENO RUMBLINGS**

B. V. Dyke was at Tawas City on business Monday. John Thompson spent a few days vacation at home last week. Mrs. Jackson who has been very ill for a few weeks is reported some better. Get your accounts balanced up. The census enumerator may call on you any day. Mr. and Mrs. B. V. Dyke autoed to St. Johns and spent a few days with relatives. Miss Blossom Frasier was absent from her school room Monday owing to sickness. Frank Fisher of the Meadow road has made a couple of business trips here recently. Mr. and Mrs. Claud Crego are visiting relatives in the city—Bay City and other points. Miss Margaret Sibley has taken charge of the Popp school vacated by Mrs. Claude Crego. Rolandis Harsch and his friend, Mr. Porter, returned to their place of employment at Flint, Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. Harry Webster entertained Harry's mother, Mrs. Frank Webster, a few days last week. Mrs. Arthur Latter of Curtisville visited her mother, Mrs. Sam Hutchinson, the latter part of last week. Snow-fell here Tuesday night to the depth of several inches. Sleighing is now a possibility for the first time this winter. Mr. Osborne of Omer and a gentleman from Detroit were here the latter part of the week buying clover seed and wheat. Floyd Sherman and Cecil Westervelt have returned to their school studies at Tawas City and East Tawas respectively. Mr. and Mrs. Salmon, Mrs. Archie McDougald and Mrs. Oscar Stanlake attended the district meeting at Maple Ridge last week. The Jolly Touring club met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Spooner Sunday. Enough said when you say that they had a jolly good time. The M. E. church and Sunday school are now held at the Reno town hall instead of the Gleaner hall, as the latter place is too cold in winter. Miss Rosena McDougald returned to her school studies at Onaway Monday after spending the Christmas vacation at the home of her parents here. Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Ballard and children and Mrs. Ernest Washburn and daughter, Doris, enjoyed New Years with their mother, Mrs. Edd Goupil of Whittemore. Mr. and Mrs. Leo Morin and Mr. and Mrs. Will Morin of Pontiac and Ed and Rosa Morin of Whittemore visited their little niece, Marion, at the Harsch ranch last Wednesday. Mrs. Falls returned to East Tawas Monday after a few weeks visit at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Westervelt. Her many friends here are glad to see her still enjoying good health.

**MEADOW ROAD**

Matilda Blust spent a couple of days this week with Mrs. John Rapp. Buryl Hughes left Monday for Flint where he expects to find employment. Grandma Fisher, who has been ill the past two weeks, is no better at this writing. Miss Lydia Groff left Sunday evening for Bay City, where she has employment. Margaret Fisher came home Monday after spending the past six weeks in Bay City. Clarence Blust went back to Flint Monday after spending New Years at his home here. Mr. and Mrs. Graff came home Saturday after visiting for a week with their daughter in Bay City. Edward Londo attended a meeting of the board of supervisors at Tawas City Monday and Tuesday. This community was saddened on New Years day by the death of their friend and neighbor, Mrs. August Krumm. Will Krum and Byron Phillip were called from Flint Thursday on account of the death of their mother, Mrs. August Krumm.

**LONG LAKE BREEZES**

Mr. Kohn returned home from Rose City Monday morning. Mrs. L. LaBerge and Mrs. B. Dyer were Hale callers Saturday. Mr. Finlay returned to Flint Tuesday, accompanied by Cearil Kohn. Miss Vina Morrison has returned to her school here after a two weeks vacation. Mrs. W. Runyan returned Monday night from a visit with her parents at Oakley, Mich. Mrs. F. Wolfson has returned from Cleveland, bringing with her a daughter named Beverly. Beatrice Ballard and Charles Yost were united in marriage at West Branch one day last week. Mr. and Mrs. LaBerge and little daughter, Margaret, ate New Years dinner at the home of Mrs. L.'s parents in East Tawas. Mrs. Chrystal Ross went to Rose City Friday night, and from there to

Tawas Saturday. She will go from there to Flint, where she expects to find employment.

**WHITTEMORE**

Russell Gillespie has gone to Flint to work. H. M. Belknap and wife are visiting in St. Johns. Jesse Porter and family have moved to Flint. Mrs. E. Barnum was in Bay City a few days last week. Alfrietta Koyl visited in Turner a few days last week. H. J. Jacques and wife spent New Years day at Standish. Maud Sloan spent Sunday at her home at Emery Junction. Several from here attended the New Years dance on the Hemlock.

Murlin McLean returned to Detroit Friday after spending the holidays at his home here. Bertha Mugg of Prescott was the guest of her sister, Mrs. Roy Chipps, last week end. Mrs. Ross Kitchen of Hale was the guest of her mother, Mrs. F. Horton, a few days last week. Miss Beatrice Ruddock was the guest of her sister, Mrs. Chas. McLean, last week end. Helen Louks left Monday for Saginaw, where she intends to take up an extended course in typewriting, phonography and music. Don't forget the Leap Year dancing party given at Schroyer's hall Jan. 14. Hurry girls, select your gentlemen early before they are all picked over. The editor of the Herald received

this week a card from M. Jensen, formerly of Whittemore but now living in Denmark, in which he wished to be remembered to all his old friends. He stated that they look anxiously for the Whittemore news in the Herald when they receive it, and wish to preserve as many ties as possible with their Iosco county friends.

**Foolish to Trust to Luck.**  
It's no use tackling big propositions blindly. Dumb luck may bring you out on the right side. It may also bring you out on the short side. And if it does you are bound for defeat. Blind good fortune has brought men through trials, but they are not stronger for it. It's the man who sees the trials and marshals his forces so as to bring every ounce of energy into control that wins honors on the up-grades.—Exchange.

**East Tawas School Notes—Continued**

classes in quality and not quantity. A violin solo was rendered by Miss Leona Chamberlain and the next number was a toast by Miss Winnifred Walker, representing the Faculty. She favored the assemblage with reminiscences of bygone days and attempted to prove to the student body that the East Tawas graduate of her time was much better in deportment than the 1920 graduate. The last number on the program was a piano duet given by the Misses Marian and Frances Murray.

At a late hour the members of the party wended their way to their several homes voting the Annual the best ever, and hoping that future generations will keep up the school spirit that characterizes our high school at the present time.

# Your Last Chance

Saturday last day in which to file your solution of the Herald's

## Great Circle Puzzle Contest

FIRST PRIZE	\$50.00	Fifth Prize	\$10.00
Second Prize	\$35.00	Sixth Prize	\$ 5.00
Third Prize	\$25.00	Seventh Prize	\$ 3.00
Fourth Prize	\$15.00	Eighth to Tenth Prizes, each	\$2.00

### How to Participate

This contest may be participated in by any present resident of Iosco county or the State of Michigan, or any present subscriber outside the state upon the stated conditions.

To enter the contest present subscribers are required to pay all arrearages and one year in advance. New subscribers may enter by paying one year's subscription, which is \$2.00. This payment will entitle you to submit a solution of the Circle Puzzle.

If after you have submitted one solution or answer you should want to send in a different one you may do so upon making an additional payment of \$1.00, with each additional answer. These additional amounts will be applied to your subscription extending it that much further. Therefore, it costs nothing to participate in this contest beyond paying whatever amount you wish upon a continuous subscription for The Herald.

Should you wish to send two or more solutions at the same time, use a separate blank for each one. These blanks will be furnished free upon application to The Herald in person or by mail.

### General Rules and Information

There is no objection to several members of one family or several friends working together to obtain a solution, provided only one of them turns the solution in.

If the paper is already being sent to you or some member of your family send in the renewal in the name of the person who is already subscribing. If some other member of the family wants the solution credited to him, or to her, merely attach a note to the blank giving the name of the one who wants to have credit for the solution. The purpose of this is to avoid sending two papers when only one is needed.

Information will be furnished and rulings made on any points contestants may want information about. The Herald reserves the right to decide any and all questions which arise, and those entering the contest as a part of the contract must and do agree to abide by such rulings.

The date a solution is filed has nothing to do with its winning a prize. It is always safe however, to send in a solution as early as convenient. Then you will have ample time to go over your figures and if you find you can get a better solution, you will still have an opportunity to profit by your later effort.

As many prizes will be reserved as there are people tied before any prizes are awarded for less correct solutions. That is, if three people should tie on the best solution the first three prizes would be reserved for them, and they would be awarded these prizes in the order of the standing of their solutions of the next puzzle. That is, the best solution would be awarded the first prize, the next best the second and the third best the third prize.

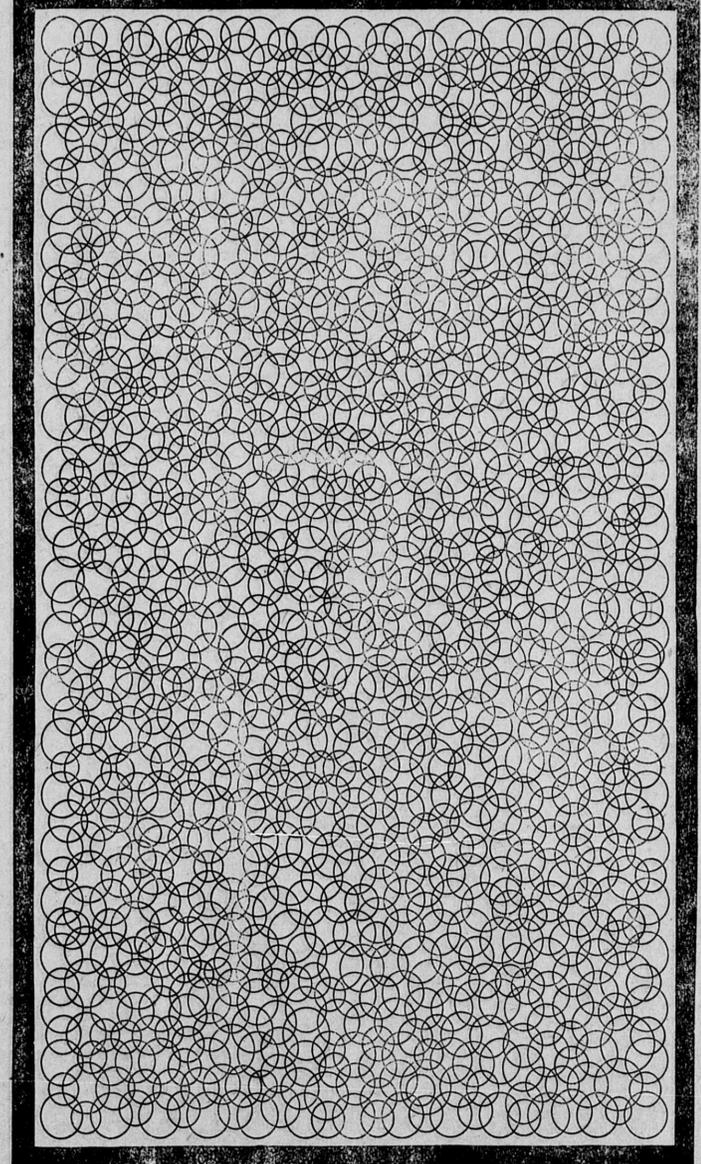
All solutions must be sent in on the blank herewith. No solution unaccompanied by a cash subscription will be accepted. No solution may be changed after it is once registered.

No one directly or indirectly associated with the Herald will be allowed to participate in this contest.

### Deciding Ties

Ties on solutions of the Circle Puzzle for any prize or prizes will be disposed of by requiring those tied to solve a second puzzle of the same type but larger than the small illustration below.

The puzzle will consist of drawing a chain of circles across the face of the puzzle chart, so that the figures within the circles will total the highest amount. It will not be necessary to get the highest total that can be gotten. Those whose totals are higher than any others submitted will receive the prizes. Should any ties ensue on this puzzle the conditions will be slightly changed and those tied will be required to solve the puzzle again. If necessary to dispose of still further ties this process will be repeated for as many as three more times after which should any ties ensue those tied will receive the full value of any prize tied for.



The problem is to count the circles. Every circle is complete, and intersects or touches one or more other circles. There are no parts of circles, shams or deceptions of any kind in the puzzle. In the event that no one counts the exact number, the prizes will be awarded for the nearest correct solutions. Accuracy and patience are the main requisites for arriving at the correct or nearest correct count.

**Solution and Subscription Blank in Circle Puzzle Contest**

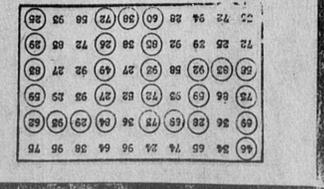
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Tawas City, Mich. New or old subscriber?.....

Enclosed find \$ ..... for subscription to the Herald and entry in your Puzzle Contest. I have counted the circles and find that there are.....

Name .....

Address .....

Address Solutions and Inquiries to  
**CONTEST MANAGER, The Tawas Herald**  
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