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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 and Nelson Sawyer spent Sunday with friends at Hale.

Temple Harris of Flint visited at his home here over Sunday.

Joseph Kitchen of Emery Junction was a business visitor in the city Monday.

Regular meeting of the American Legion Monday evening, June 7, at the court house.

Berge Follett and Forrest Streeter of Hale were business visitors in the city Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Allen left Sunday evening for a week's visit at Detroit and other points.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Ulman went to Flint last Saturday for a visit with relatives in that city.

Rev. H. J. Reithmeier went to Augsburg Monday, where he held services in the Lutheran church.

Gregory Murray of Flint came up and spent Sunday with his mother, Mrs. M. Murray, in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Bliss of Detroit were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kane a few days this week.

Mrs. Robert Murray went to Detroit last Friday for a visit at the home of her father, George Laidlaw.

C. P. Wood and daughter, of Detroit arrive Tuesday for a visit with friends in this vicinity and to enjoy some trout fishing.

Mrs. L. B. Smith returned Monday evening from Ironwood, Mich., where she spent the winter with her daughter, Mrs. Edward Stevens.

Eugene Swen was a Saginaw visitor Saturday. On his return he was accompanied by his son, Floyd, who has been attending school there.

H. H. Dettmer of Saginaw, Robert Skelton and E. Fleming of Bay City spent several days here this week. Mr. Dettmer is a former resident of Tawas City.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Gilmore, A. E. McBurney and A. F. Crittenden of Flint are visitors in the city this week. Mr. Gilmore is a nephew of James Brown.

Mrs. Mary Eby and daughter, Margaret, returned last Friday to their home at Oscoda, after a few days visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Kelly in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Krueger and Ferris Gillespie returned to their home in Detroit Sunday evening, being called here by the death of their little brother, Elton Allen.

Jas. E. Ballard was at Saginaw on Tuesday and Wednesday of this week in attendance at the annual meeting of the Grand Lodge F. & A. M. of Michigan as a delegate from Tawas City lodge No. 302.

Mrs. E. A. Wood, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Sommerfield of this city, died at her home in Detroit on Wednesday, May 26. The remains were brought to this city Thursday afternoon for burial.

Rev. Joshua Roberts, who is well acquainted with Rev. Harry C. Grimes of Stanton, speaks of him as a man of strong conviction, a vigorous speaker and of wide experience in Y. M. C. A. and evangelistic work.

The United States Gypsum Co. baseball team won their first game of the season last Sunday, when they defeated the East Tawas team by a score of nine to five. Mulsolf pitched a good game for Alabaster and was given good support.

Fred W. Roberts of this city is getting introduced to warfare. He writes from Vladivostok, where he was on patrol duty keeping order when the Reds took the city from the Kolchack forces, and was also present and witnessed its subsequent conquest by the Japs.

Full information relative to the new provision for the recompensation for medical and surgical supplies under the War Insurance act applying to former service men has been received at the Forest Supervisor's office and can be consulted by any former service man interested.

Complaints have been made in some parts of the county this spring regarding cattle running at large in the highways. Owners of cattle running at large should remember that they are liable for any damage done by such animals and that anyone whose crops are damaged are perfectly within their rights in locking up the cattle and demanding payment for damage done before returning them to the owner.

W. J. Lorenson of Turner was in the city on business Wednesday.

Mrs. Gaul and daughter, Margaret, were Bay City visitors Wednesday.

C. H. Ridgley and family, of Whittemore were visitors in the city Thursday.

Miss Florence Graves of Hale spent the past week with Miss Katherine Trainor.

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

Julius Reinke returned Tuesday morning to Detroit after spending several days with relatives here.

F. B. DeWitt of Standish made a tour of the county Tuesday in the interests of his campaign for state representative.

C. L. Randall, Leon Randall, Russell Randall and B. Davey, all of Oxford, have been enjoying the trout fishing in this vicinity the past week.

The East Tawas baseball team will play the Wilson Body Company team of Bay City at Tawas Beach diamond on Sunday and Monday, May 30 and 31. Admission 25c and 35c.

Continental Instant Paste is the most convenient paste on the market. It is in powder form to be mixed with water, when needed and will not freeze or spoil. 40c per pound package at the Herald office.

BE ON TIME

Punctuality is one of the main characteristics of a well drilled soldier, and a feature that civilians would do well to follow in attending public gatherings and in private matters as well.

Come to the court house Monday morning, May 31, prepared to start for the cemetery promptly at 9:15. If more convenient, gather at the cemetery for the exercises to begin at 9:30.

A special request is made for all who participated in the late war to attend in uniform. Also the band of Scouts. Civilians should not require an invitation as their duty is apparent.

Autos will be at the court house to take care of those who are unable to march. L. H. Emerson, Pres.

TWENTIETH CENTURY CLUB

The members of the Twentieth Century club met at the home of Miss Ina Bradley, Saturday, May 15. Response to roll call was given by quotations urging the conservation of our national forests, and trees everywhere.

An interesting paper was read by Miss Winona Anderson on "Our National Parks," splendid illustrations of same were shown. Papers on the "clean-up campaign" were discussed and action taken on the same.

Refreshments were served. The closing meeting of the season which will be guest day will be at the home of Mrs. Bury Wilson next Saturday. Subject: "Musical Day," with appropriate quotations.

ELTON ALLEN

Elton was born in Tawas township, October 4, 1918 and died at the home of his parents in Tawas City on Thursday, May 20, 1920, after an illness of few hours of heart failure.

The little one was taken suddenly ill and all that could possibly be done for him was of no help.

The funeral services were held from the Reno Baptist church, Sunday, and the remains were laid to rest in the Reno cemetery.

AMERICAN LEGION NOTES

Jesse C. Hodder Post No. 189 Tawas City, Mich.

The regular meeting of the Post will be held at the court house, Monday evening, June 7. Every member is requested to be present as important work will come up at that time.

"The names of all soldiers not appearing at the next regular formation will appear on the bulletin board and they are to report to the commander for police duty."

Oscoda has organized a post and, it is needless to say, it will be a live one. Lloyd McQuaig is post commander.

At the last formation a number of the fellows suggested that the Legion have a picnic at Sand lake some time this summer. Sounds good doesn't it?

W. S. S.—BUY THEM!

DON'T SELL LIBERTY BONDS

The market of Liberty bonds is quite low. Evidently many owners of bonds are selling these securities. If they are not compelled by dire necessity to let go their holdings, they are foolish to sell, for the bonds are worth 100 cents on the dollar and will bring that if they are held. In addition, they yield interest at a fair rate, and no pledges on earth are more sure. If the United States lives, the bonds will be paid in full, interest and principal. Of what other security in the world can this be said with equal assurance.

A decrease in market price is often misunderstood by holders of bonds who are not familiar with financial matters. They take alarm and feel that they must sell their bonds before they go lower in price. That is false reasoning, and if adopted it causes unnecessary loss to individuals who cannot afford to lose even one dollar.

All that is necessary is to hold all bonds. The market price is partly through manipulation and partly a result of excessive selling by persons who may be ignorant or too hard pressed. But the market price need not have anything to do with a bond holder. He is not concerned with the depth of a railroad cut if he is on a stout bridge, his only concern being the journey across the bridge. Similarly, the only concern of a bond holder is to collect the coupons and the bond in full when due.

The price might sag to nothing, but that means nothing if the owner does not sell. The United States is a strong bridge that will carry the bond across to maturity, exactly on the level and without regard to the chasm that is crossed.

BAPTIST CHURCH

Once upon a time there was a man who decided to eat only one meal a day. The rest of the family enjoyed three, but Mr. Blank was one of those funny economists who said, "It takes too much time and exertion. What's the use?"

It happened that breakfast always seemed the most convenient meal so he invariably got the pile of golden brown buckwheat cakes his wife featured in the morning. He missed the juicy roasts, the fresh, hot bread and biscuit, the cool, crisp salads and luscious pies the others ate with such relish and profit, and confined himself to the occasional repasts when buckwheat cakes were served.

And then he wondered why the rest of the family were so healthy and contented while he who ate but a fraction as much was worried by a persistent red rash. That was just the trouble. He didn't eat often enough and unfortunately chose the same menu each time. No wonder he itched. Yet that's the same way some people are about their religion. Instead of coming often and getting a variety in their sermons, they pick out funerals and anniversaries and then wonder why they aren't bright and happy like other folks.

You need variety in your spiritual food as badly as you need it in your diet and if you limit yourself to one article, of course you will be dissatisfied!

Come to our regular service next Sunday. Your friends will be there to welcome you.

Morning service, 10:00. Subject, "The Awakening."

Sunday school, 11:15.

Evening service, 7:30. Subject, "Near the Kingdom."

Prayer meeting, Wednesday night.

Homers W. Grimes, Pastor.

INCREASED PAY TO SOLDIERS

Details of increase in pay allowed by the Army Pay bill just signed by the president have been received by the army recruiting station at Alpena, Mich. The new pay is from \$30 a month for a recruit to \$162.20 for a master electrician aviation mechanic. This bill is effective January 1, 1920, and to continue during the enlistments of men who enlist prior to June 30, 1922, which means if a man enlists at any time between now and June 30, 1922, he will receive the increased pay for his entire three years.

NOTICE

I have made arrangements with the Sheed Creamery Co. of Detroit to buy cream for them. I will pay the highest market price and will guarantee an absolute correct test.

Yours for business, L. H. KLENOW.

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

EVERYBODY SEEMS TO BE LOOKING TO N. E. MICHIGAN

That the advertising of travel and resort possibilities which the East Michigan Travel and Resort Bureau is carrying on in national magazines is attracting a great deal of attention to the trout streams, lakes and woods of Northeastern Michigan is shown by the hundreds of inquiries which come to the bureau weekly.

Nearly all ask for the northeastern Michigan resort booklet; practically all want to know how to get cottages, or about the hotel accommodations and camping grounds. Occasionally there is a little "human interest" put into the queries, as in the case of a young woman from Iowa who is a hay fever sufferer but can't afford to spend the summer in the haven of such sufferers—northern Michigan—unless she can get a job, and of the big manufacturer at Indianapolis who writes that he wants to find some place where he can get accommodations in a cabin and reasonably comfortable living conditions, such as the "old hard shell fisherman likes to go and get away from the crowd."

And the Michigan trout streams, woods and lakes are going to have some high class publicity. Last week the editor of Outing, one of the leading "out-of-doors" magazines, came to Bay City, intending to give the district a write-up from what he could learn here. He was induced to take a short trip through the north, visited Grayling, the state encampment grounds, the fish hatchery, Topinabee and some of the lakes in the vicinity, and a trout dinner and then reluctantly returned, declaring that he hadn't seen enough and was surely coming back in a short time to make that wonderful trip down the Au Sable and to make the actual acquaintance of Michigan trout from the angler's viewpoint.

THE DYE INDUSTRY

That the senate sometimes get excited very easily was emphasized by the amount of surplus conversation occasioned by the alleged discovery that the duPonts were attempting to corner the American dye market, to the exclusion of all future German competition. It would seem that almost since the age of man began we have been told that the only people in the world who could make dye stuffs were the Germans. The duPonts, with a genuine determination to utilize their great munition plants for the purposes of peace, have about worked out a permanent solution of the dye industry that will leave us free from German domination or dependence. A year or so ago this sort of thing was "heroism in industry." All of a sudden some of the senators get excited about it and become fearsome lest the duPonts might not only be able to control the domestic situation, but would also control the dye industries of Japan and China. It is to be hoped that while the speechmaking is going on in Washington that this great enterprise of the duPonts will succeed in putting over their monopoly enough so that we may forever be free from receiving dyes from Germany.

Unfortunately there have been several holdups in the program of freeing ourselves from the needs of German potash, and when congress gets through fighting the war and declares peace the Germans will doubtless immediately start sending us shiploads of potash. This situation could be avoided if the nitrate plants and other industries that sprung up during the war were developed to their fullest purpose in order that they might furnish proper restoratives to the soil.

WE TAKE NO CHANCES

Every star that shines away in the zenith is a sun, the center of a cosmic system whose every whirling orb is tenanted with immortal souls. These worlds may be splendid and fair, more beautiful than this poor earth of ours, and grander than our most gorgeous dreams; but if there are no women there to kiss the teardrop from the cheek of care, they are not the worlds to which this poor scribe desires to travel. Some people believe that when they die they pass on to one of these many other worlds, a step higher and better, and so on through the countless aeons of time, but as there is no evidence at hand of there being either women or children there we are not going to take any chances. Unless the wife and little kiddies are there, we simply won't go. We'll just hang around here as long as possible and then take one big swift jump out of one heaven into the other, and let it go at that.

THE RAILROAD STRIKE

When the railroad law was enacted by which the roads were returned to private ownership, a definite feature of the law provided for arbitration of wage disputes. There was created under the law a wage tribunal to be appointed by the president. In this manner an entirely orderly procedure was evolved for the readjustment of wages of railroad workmen.

Since the railroad brotherhoods, who have been in charge of the interests of their 2,000,000 members were parties to the legislation provided in the Esch-Cummins bill, and since the leaders of these great brotherhoods have in no way approved of a strike of railroad employees, and since they are agreed to abide by the decrees of the arbitration board—the origin of the "outlaw" strike is difficult to trace.

The president, the director general of the railroads and congress used every precaution to prevent any disturbance among railroad employees during the process of reconstruction of the railroads themselves. Therefore a strike of wide proportions among railroad employees seems to be unexplainable, particularly in view of the fact that the brotherhood leaders and Mr. Gompers and the American Federation of Labor are found to be protesting vigorously against the disobedience of their members.

Organized labor has prided itself upon its ability to live up to its agreements. The leaders of the brotherhoods have doubtless been conscientious in their attempts to play fair with the railroads and to justify the confidence of the American people in their belief that the railroad men would abide by their agreement and permit the settlement of the wage controversy by the machinery devised for its settlement. But now the American people find that the promise made by the railroad leaders is not in reality an agreement, since there is a strike among railroad men that is not only a strike against railroads, but a strike as well against the duly constituted leaders of railroad unions. The chiefs of the "Big Four" brotherhoods are among the most vigorous of all parties concerned in denouncing the "outlaw" railroad strike. They feel—and they have made their position clear—that organized labor is in great danger of losing the confidence of the American people, and they properly fear that railroad employees organizations will lose their tremendous power as a result of such performances among strikers. Mr. Gompers has pointed out that the American working man has gathered the big profits out of the structure of organized labor. This undoubtedly is a fact, and the selfish interests, as well as the ideals of American labor are more at stake in a strike of this kind than are the interests of the public, since a strike of this kind is essentially an outlaw affair having behind it the sinister shadow of social, political and industrial disorder. In such a crisis in their affairs the American working man who had builded to better conditions through the powerful force of organized labor can hardly fail to turn against the strikers in his own ranks who are carrying on an almost meaningless but thoroughly destructive contest against the railroads. There can be no outcome of such a condition other than that of harm to the cause of organized labor. This is unfortunate since organized labor has gained such strength as well as actual recognition throughout America in recent years.

WHITTEMORE

Our mayor drives a new Dodge.

Mrs. H. J. Jacques has been ill during the past week.

Gas is scarce, but John is looking for another car this week.

H. J. Jacques was out of town the latter part of last week and came back with a new auto.

The coarse coat of gravel has been placed on the one-half mile of trunk line road north of town.

School closes in the high room the fourth of June and in the primary room the eighteenth of June.

It seems that green leaves for trees and meadows for children have been somewhat catching the past week.

There has been some talk of celebrating the Fourth of July and the completion of our new road on the day of the fourth of July.

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

Mrs. Ernest Cecil is seriously ill with the scarlet fever.

Mrs. J. Chaperon of Oscoda is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Louis Berry. Dell Griffith of Rochester, this state, visited with relatives in the city last week.

Mrs. Joseph Mitchell and daughter, Mae, were visitors in Saginaw last Tuesday.

Mrs. George Herman and daughter, Winnifred, were Bay City visitors last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Piper are moving into their new home on Lakeside Drive, east.

Little Edward Trudell is suffering from a broken arm, the result of a fall from a building.

Mrs. Emil Schrumm and little daughter, Ethel, spent the week-end in Bay City with relatives.

In the ball game played at Tawas beach ball diamond last Sunday, Alabaster beat East Tawas 9 to 5.

The Wilson Body Co. baseball team will play the East Tawas team Sunday and Monday at D. & M. park.

Mrs. Will Sedgeman was taken to Mercy hospital, Bay City, Thursday morning to undergo an operation.

Mrs. James Teare returned last week from a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Thomas Reed, at St. Charles.

Mrs. William Blumenthal of Detroit, who has been visiting her father, W. A. Sempliner, returned home Saturday.

Mrs. R. H. Budworth and two children left Tuesday morning for Flint and Detroit where they will visit a time with relatives.

Rev. Stephens went to Bay City Wednesday to visit Lyman McAuliffe, who is in a hospital in that city, suffering with a broken leg.

Mrs. Henry Goodall passed away Tuesday evening at six o'clock. The remains were taken to Flint for burial. Obituary next week.

Mrs. E. N. St. Martin returned home Wednesday from a week's visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. Heythaler, at Rogers City.

E. Leo Kunze of Sault Ste. Marie was a visitor at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Kunze, last week. He was enroute to Detroit.

Arthur and Walter Hempel returned to their employment in Toledo, O., after visiting a few days with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Hempel.

Mrs. Robert Lynd and baby of Guelph, Ont., returned home Tuesday morning after visiting a season with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Dillon.

Miss Edna Kunze, who has been visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Kunze, returned to her school duties in Detroit last Saturday evening.

The cause of the broad smile on the faces of Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Alford is the arrival of a baby daughter at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Scully of Lansing.

Joe Reinke of Tawas City purchased a house and lot from Claude Halteman in the east end of town. Mr. Reinke expects to take possession within a few weeks.

Ivan Misener of Detroit is visiting at his parental home here this week.

Mrs. LaVerne Powell of Flint has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Percy Scott, the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Slye, also Mrs. Slye's mother, Mrs. McMaster of Chicago, have been visiting for a few days with Mrs. Slye's sister, Mrs. James McClure.

Mrs. James E. Dillon and Mrs. John Dillon left Wednesday evening for Bay City, where they joined Mr. Jas. E. Dillon and left for a ten days trip in the eastern states.

J. G. Dimmick and Jas. E. Dillon attended the meeting of the Grand Lodge F. & A. M. of Michigan, which met at Saginaw this week. Mrs. Dimmick also visited friends in Saginaw and Grand Rapids.

Lyman McAuliffe of this city, an engineer on the D. & M. Ry., was the victim of a bad accident which occurred near Whittemore on the Prescott line Tuesday evening. One of the side rods of the engine broke and smashed things up somewhat, breaking Mr. McAuliffe's leg and otherwise bruising him quite badly. He was taken to a hospital in Bay City and is getting along as well as can be expected.

The Tawas Herald, \$2.00 per year.

HIGH POTATO PRICES CALL FOR GOOD SEED

That high potato prices make seed treatment vital this year in the planting of Michigan's tuber crop, is the opinion of Dr. H. G. Coons, plant disease expert at the Michigan Agricultural College. Because of expensive seed and the general scarcity of labor farmers of the state will have to pin their faith to increased per acre production, and the proper treatment of the potato planting stock is necessary to guarantee a full stand of the crop.

"With seed potatoes worth \$4.00 or more a bushel, Michigan farmers face the prospect of planting from \$30 to \$60 worth of seed to the acre this year," says Dr. Coons. "Fortunately potatoes have become a safe money crop without the danger of destructive price reductions such as prevailed in 1912, but even so the farmer can not afford to take the chances with his high priced seed. Proper treatment of the seed before planting is absolutely necessary if the grower wishes to safeguard his crops against scab and black scurf."

"Two methods are open to the farmer. The first is to treat with formaldehyde, soaking the uncut seed from one-half hour to one and one-half hours in a solution made with one-half pint formaldehyde in thirty gallons of water. This is the cheapest treatment and a speedy one, but with it the tubers must be sorted before cutting and all showing black scurf thrown out, for the treatment does not control the scurf."

"For those who wish a treatment where no sorting is necessary, the corrosive sublimate treatment is recommended. In this four ounces of corrosive sublimate (a deadly poison) is dissolved in a little hot water and added to thirty gallons of water. Potatoes are soaked in this for from one-half hour to an hour and a half. An ounce of corrosive sublimate must be added to the treating bath after each batch is dipped, in order to keep the solution up to strength. This treatment gets both diseases at once."

"It is unsafe with either to leave the tubers in the bath for longer than a one-and-a-half or two-hour period."

WHAT THE CHRISTMAS SEALS ARE DOING

What is done with the money that is secured from the annual Christmas seal sale? This question is sometimes asked by persons who do not keep in close touch with anti-tuberculosis work in Michigan.

There are various answers. Each county has the privilege of spending its receipts from the seal sale in the way it thinks best, provided it is for the health of the community. The Michigan Anti-tuberculosis association puts wide interpretation on the term "tuberculosis prevention," realizing that whatever is done for the general health of the people is done for the prevention of the spread of tuberculosis. Tuberculosis cannot get a foothold in a well nourished body.

The associated charities of the city of Adrian reported to the state association their method of using the funds secured from the Christmas seal sale held in that county. Under the direction of Mrs. John E. Carr, president of the associated charities a movement has been started to feed undernourished children. A list of 26 such children has been secured and these are being fed with milk and crackers to supplement their usual meals. In some cases a noon-day lunch at a cafeteria is also given to them. In addition, these children are given medical attention to determine the factors that contribute to the undernourishment.

It was found that the children included in the treatment were from ten to eighteen pounds underweight for their ages, and one extreme case was 21 pounds underweight.

Similar work is being done in some other counties in Michigan as a result of the Christmas seal sale of last December, while some counties have other methods of contributing to the health of the community. This year the Michigan Anti-tuberculosis association hopes to secure a seal sale of five cents per capita throughout the state of Michigan.

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

Published every Friday and entered at the Tawas City, Mich., Postoffice as second-class mail matter.

One year.....\$2.00
Six months..... 1.00
Three months..... .50

Tawas City, Mich., May 28, 1920

Advertising Rates
Space rates on application.
Reading notices, Obituary poetry advertisements in locals and want ads columns, 10 cents per line.
Cards of thanks, 75 cents.
Business cards \$7.50 per year.

BEING USEFUL.

The greatest satisfaction in life is being of use to the world. In fact, it is the only excuse for being here at all. A man once made considerable money by playing the stock market and had sense enough to quit. He was elated for a while but he told us in a rather puzzled way some time later that somehow or other he never felt so good about the possession of that money as he did about the relatively small amounts he honestly earned and saved from year to year, says Ohio State Journal. This was because he knew he had given no adequate return for his winnings; they had come to him without the slightest useful service on his part and he soon found that there was no satisfaction in them. We envy the man who has got rich quick without giving society a fair return for his fortune, but we should not envy him if we stopped to reflect and understand. He cannot be so happy as the man whose fewer dollars represent useful effort and real service. It was ruled once that a man must eat his bread by the sweat of his face and he cannot get around it and find much contentment in life.

Such of the 1920 census figures as have thus far been tabulated show a tremendous congestion in all of the larger and smaller industrial centers of the East and indications that in the last ten years there has been a great exodus away from the farms and even from the smaller rural communities. It appears almost certain that the complete returns will show that there are now over 10,000,000 more American farmers than in 1910. There is also definite assurance that "the course of empire" is no longer to the West. The first census, taken in 1810, showed the center of population at a point a few miles to the southwest of Washington. It moved steadily westward, varying at times to the north and south, until in 1910 it located near to Shreveport, Ind.—Yet early reports from western and far western towns show with few exceptions either a complete stagnation or a decrease, while in every eastern community, except those purely agricultural, there have been increases varying between 20 and 110 per cent.

For a time, unaccustomed money went to the heads of the working classes. If now, as profiteers are beginning to find, it is going into the pockets to be expended sanely, soberly and with just insistence upon value received, we may expect a graceful return to normal conditions, says Baltimore American. For the personal extravagance of labor has contributed to the maintenance of high prices equally with wages.

Europe is prepared to welcome tourists and even more than tourists, the golden store flowing from them which the war interrupted and which Europe has always looked on as one of the most profitable sources of its revenues. Only this time France and Belgium will get the lion's share, and Germany, with no war wounds to show, says Baltimore American, will doubtless exclaim with heat against such unjust discrimination.

One moralist wants automobiles abolished because they contribute to delinquency, keep people from church and are used by bandits. Maybe we should abolish water, too, because people drown in it, are tempted to go fishing on Sunday and use it for canoe flirtations.

Perhaps the Philippine legislature granted that \$8,000 a year pension to Aginaldo not because of his resistance to the United States, but because of the good sense he showed in quitting when he did and persuading his followers of the beneficence of Uncle Sam's rule.

An economic expert says that no couple should marry on an income of less than \$125 a month. It didn't need an expert to tell us that. One-fourth of one's income is all that one can allow for rent; and where are you going to get a flat for \$31.25?

Hair "a la Pompadour."

The style of arranging the hair pompadour originated with the French women about the middle of the eighteenth century. This style of hair dressing is believed to have derived its name from the notorious Mme. De Pompadour.

AMERICA'S PLACE IN FARMING.

The American farmer leads the world in individual production of crops. Belgium and some of the countries in Europe where intensive farming is practiced exceed America in the yield per acre. Each American farmer, however, produces two and one-half times as much actual food as does the Belgian farmer; two and three-tenths times as much as the British farmer; three and two-tenths times as much as the French farmer, and six times as much as the Italian. Our broad acres furnished the incentive to American ingenuity in the development of labor-saving farm machinery. These machines used on our vast stretches of rich land make it possible for America to excel in the production of food per man. It is likely that America will always maintain her lead in production per man because of soil and social conditions. As the population of America increases the production per man will undoubtedly become smaller, but the production per acre will become greater, says Nebraska Farmer. It is even possible that America may at no distant date approach the Europeans in the yield per acre, and at the same time keep the size of farms sufficiently large to warrant the employment of labor-saving machinery, thus making certain our continued lead in production per man.

Ever since the first United States census was taken in the year 1790, the center of population has been moving westward. During the first decades there was also a slight movement to the south, which took it into what is now West Virginia, but since then it has moved slowly but steadily west, always near the thirty-ninth parallel, until the census of 1910 found it in Bloomington, Ind. Preliminary reports from the present census show that during the last ten years it has reversed its course and is now moving eastward—how far has not yet been determined, says Youth's Companion. The change is laid to the after-the-war movement to eastern cities and to the wartime growth of eastern industrial centers.

Medical men have a name for what ails the profiteer. Perhaps it sounds like a harsh term to apply to any human being, but there are plenty of folks who deny that the profiteer is human. Anyway, the physicians have diagnosed the profiteer's ailment. He is suffering from "pleonexia." This means, according to the dictionary, "a form of insanity characterized by desire for gain." The name comes from a Greek word spelled in the same way. It is derived from two Greek words, "pleon," meaning "more," and "echo," meaning "to have."

An enterprising London shop has announced hats for women members of parliament. English women are now confronted with the prospect of having possibly to sacrifice their looks by wearing unbecoming headgear in the service of their country. It is impossible to say how feminine patriotism is going to stand the strain.

Reductions are to be made in the price of shoes, according to the president of the Retail Shoe Dealers' association, but not "in all kinds of fancy and ultra-fashionable footwear." The latter clause would seem to involve a question of interpretation, and the suspicious ultimate sole-wearer may be inclined to suspect a joker.

A daring aviator who has a record of over 36,000 feet altitude, aspires to reach 50,000. But it is not so much up as on in the air that the airplane will reach its greatest sphere of usefulness. Daring is a virtue, but one to be tempered with prudence and practicability.

British salvage operations have already recovered \$250,000,000 from sunken ships, including \$5,000,000 in gold from the Laurentic. Submerged treasure ships will no doubt take the place of Captain Kidd's buried hoards in future romances and imaginings.

The date of the dedication of the magnificent Lincoln memorial at Washington, D. C., has been fixed for September 22, the date of the issuance of Lincoln's Emancipation Proclamation. It is expected that it will be a great national affair.

The bolsheviks are forcing everyone in Russia to work 12 hours a day and seven days in the week. If these people were deported are caught by that law, we own to a growing respect for bolshevism.

Manufacturers say the price of fall garments will be fixed by the reaction of the consumer from the high cost of spring clothes. Anyhow, the public will be glad to know that once more it is the determining factor.

Speaking of those "fixed delusions" that are so much talked about these days, a great many favorite sons who imagine that they are running for the presidency will have their delusions unfixed a few weeks hence.

SENT FAMOUS WAR MESSAGE

Man Who Wigwagged "Hold the Fort" for General Sherman During Civil Conflict, is Dead.

Alfred Nye, member of the Federal Signal corps during the Civil war, who died recently at Lexington, Neb., is credited with having sent General Sherman's famous message, "Hold the fort," to General Corse at Allatoona Pass, Ga., in 1864. During General Sherman's march to Atlanta, the Confederates under General Hood, withdrew and marched around General Sherman, heading back toward Tennessee, planning thereby to cut the Union line of communication.

The point chosen by the Confederates was Allatoona Pass, guarded by two little forts on either side of the railroad, the garrison being formed of a small brigade under Lieut. Col. J. E. Tourtelotte. When the Confederate army began its attack Colonel Tourtelotte asked for help. General Corse, with the nearest troops available, at Rome, Ga., was ordered to reinforce the pass. He was able to move only a few hundred men.

The battle raged through the night and the following day, the Union men refusing to surrender the fort. Meanwhile Sherman was exchanging signals with the men whenever the smoke of battle drifted aside, until he was able to have Alfred Nye wigwag to them: "Hold the fort." The Confederates retreated and continued their march to Tennessee.

COLORED MAN WOULD WAIT

His Opportunity is Coming When Some Negro Arises to "Make a Dictionary."

A young physician gives the following amusing conversation with his valet, who was a negro:

"He didn't have no business to call me a nigger, did he, doctor?"

"There is no harm in the word negro," explained the doctor. "Negro is the name of your race, your people. Every race has a name, the Indian, the Chinese; the name of your people is the negro race."

"You say dat, doctor? You thinks dat? But us colored folks, we know dar ain't but one nigger—he's de bad man."

"But that is the talk of ignorance," argued the doctor. "Here is the meaning of the word negro in the dictionary; don't you see—a negro is a black man?"

"Did a white man make dis book, doctor?" asked the boy.

"Yes."

"Well doctor, you know how it is 'twixt white man and nigger. You know if the white man made de book he glad ter writ it down dat de black man is a nigger. Hlt don't stonish me ter read dat writ in a book a white man make. Des wait till de nigger makes a dictionary."

Tactical Error.

A major of marines had his battalion out in the brush in Cuba for a problem in observation. He detailed a private to go to a small hill about a quarter of a mile away and conceal himself. The battalion would then try to locate the private with field glasses as a training for finding enemy scouts and snipers during actual battle conditions.

The private trotted off and, at a signal from the major, flopped to the ground. The major turned around to explain the problem to the battalion, but upon turning again, was much incensed to see the private standing again in full view of all. Seizing a pair of signal flags from a sergeant the major wig-wagged wrathfully: "Why don't you lie down as I ordered?" Upon which the private on the sky line wig-wagged back respectfully, but with great emphasis:

"Sir, why did the major order me to lie down on an ant hill?"—The Home Sector.

Buried Rome.

Archaeologists in France have been greatly encouraged by the success which has attended the excavations in Provence in search of more Roman architectural remains. It is thought, owing to the extent of the discoveries, that it will be possible to bring to light the roads which existed between the various Roman establishments of the south of France. Inscriptions and sculptured fragments have been found at Die in the Drome, aqueducts, an immense gymnasium, a necropolis and ramparts at Orange; while at Valson the Roman theater having been fully revealed, the statues discovered there in fragments are being placed in the neighboring museum. There is a Sabina, a Tiberius, a Hadrian and an Augustus.

An Echo of the Past.

"I'm afraid there isn't much sentiment in Jibway's soul."

"No?"

"Some one was playing a celebrated waltz of a decade ago, and how do you suppose Jibway remembered that he had heard it before?"

"I can't imagine."

"He said, 'By Jiminy, that's the tune the orchestra was playing one night in a restaurant where I got ptomaine poisoning!'"

Bliddy's Comeback.

Mistress—Now, Bridget, there's no use of further argument as to how the dish should be prepared, but our ideas on the subject are so different that it is evident one or the other of us is crazy.

Bridget—True for ye, mum—an' sure it isn't yerself'd be kapin' a crazy cook.—Boston Transcript.

The Tawas Herald, \$2.00 per year.

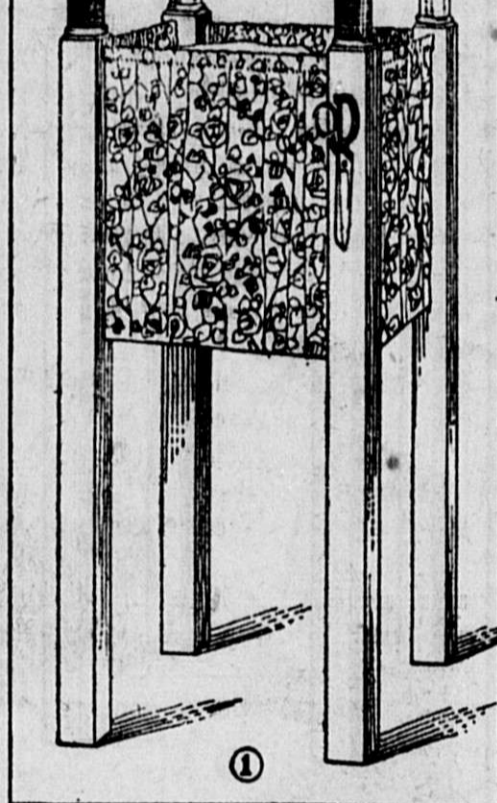
HANDICRAFT FOR GIRLS
By DOROTHY PERKINS

(Copyright by A. Neely Hall.)
A SEWING-STAND AND A WASTE-BASKET.

The handy sewing-stand shown in Fig. 1 is a manual-training problem, well adapted to both home and school work. It requires little material, and the construction is so simple that the parts may be put together quickly. Four legs, 1½ inches square, by 22 inches long (Fig. 2), eight carpenter's dowel sticks, ¾-inch in diameter, and 10½ inches long for connecting crosspieces B, and four pegs ¼-inch in diameter and 2 inches long for spool spindles C, are all the wood that is required. For covering material, a square yard of cloth is needed.

For the legs I would suggest that you use oak, chestnut, ash, pine or cypress.

Fig. 2 shows a section through the sewing-stand, with dimensions for cutting the legs and for assembling. Bore the top of legs A as shown, bore a pair of ¾-inch holes, ½-inch deep in each of two sides, to receive the ends of the connecting dowel sticks B (Fig. 3), and bore a ¼-inch hole ½-inch

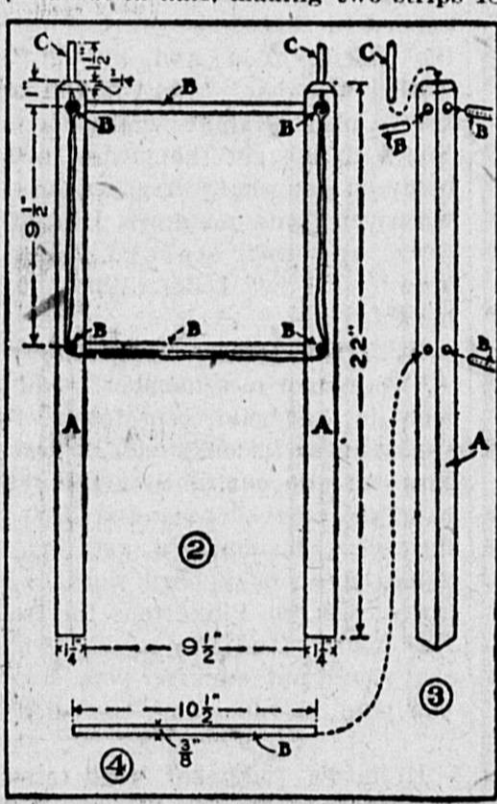


deep in the top of each leg to receive the end of the spool spindle C. The holes must be bored carefully, so that they will be exactly at right angles.

With the parts prepared and sanded smooth, coat the ends of dowel sticks B with glue, and drive them into the holes in legs A. Also coat the lower end of the spool spindle pegs C with glue, and drive them into the tops of the legs.

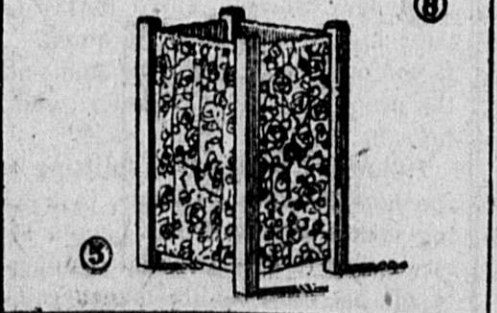
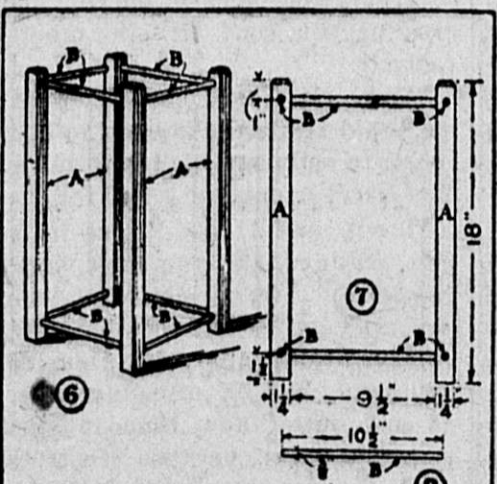
Before putting on the covering, the woodwork must be finished. I would suggest that you stain the wood, then wax it, or that you white enamel it.

Cretone or denim is best for covering the sewing-basket sides. A square yard cut in half, making two strips 18



inches wide and 1 yard long is enough goods. A double heading should be formed along the ends of each strip. The lower heading is provided to slip over an upper dowel B. Extend each strip from an upper dowel, down to and around the lower dowels and up to the upper dowel on the opposite side. As the strips cross one another, they form a double bottom to the sewing stand.

The waste basket illustrated in Fig. 6 has the same framework construction as the sewing stand (Fig. 6), but corner posts A are 4 inches shorter.



and dowel crosspieces B are 15½ inches apart instead of 9½ inches (Fig. 7). The length of the dowel crosspieces is shown in Fig. 8.

For covering the waste basket, you will require half a yard more material than was used for the sewing stand.

POLITICAL ADVERTISEMENT

FOR SHERIFF

I wish to announce to the voters of Isosco county that I will be a candidate for the republican nomination for Sheriff at the primaries August 31. I will appreciate your support and if nominated and elected will strive to give the proper administration to the office.
W. J. ROBINSON.

FOR REGISTER OF DEEDS

To the Voters of Isosco County: I wish to announce myself as a candidate for Register of Deeds on the Republican ticket at the August primary. Your support will be highly appreciated.
Yours very truly,
GEO. A. PRINGLE.

FOR REGISTER OF DEEDS

I wish to announce to the voters of Isosco county that I will be a candidate for Register of Deeds on the Republican ticket at the August primary. Your support will be appreciated.
Yours respectfully,
Rose M. Watts.

FOR REPRESENTATIVE

Francis B. DeWitt received the unanimous indorsement of the republican convention of Arenac county for the nomination of representative to the state legislature for the Isosco district. He has legislative experience, as he served two terms in the Ohio legislature and represented the 5th district of Ohio in congress.
Has lived seventeen years in Arenac county and his home is now in Standish.

Revenge.

The dining car was crowded and the conductor seated me opposite a man with whom I had quarreled. Across from us sat people who knew both of us and who knew of the quarrel, but the supreme moment of embarrassment for me came when the waiter, thinking the man was my husband, took up both of our checks and presented them to him for payment.—Exchange.

If you can't get gasoline, you can get your tires and tubes repaired.

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Will operate belt power machinery and at the same time make electricity for your lights.

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Two heads are certainly better than one for a barrel.—Jacksonville Times-Union.

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Our store will be closed on Monday, May 31st, it being Decoration Day and a National Holiday.

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Tawas City Michigan

Sheepskin for Sick.
A sheepskin is of great value to a person who is confined to the bed. Put under the sheet, wool side up, it is delightfully soft and restful for the patient. It is well to have two of them, so that one can be in use while the other is being aired. To keep them soft and fluffy they should be beaten on the back—never on the wool side.

WANTS, FOR SALE, ETC

Piano for Sale—Mrs. Delia Ely, R. D. 2, Tawas City. 22-pd

For Sale—Several used cars. Tawas City Oakland Co. 23

For Sale—Eight pigs. T. B. Brovont at old Baguley place. 23

For Sale—Two horses, weight 1400. Inquire of Reynold Kindell. 22

For Sale—Building for old lumber. W. B. Murray, Jeweler, East Tawas, Mich. 23

Estray—Buck sheep. Can have same by paying charges. G. W. McGerty, Preston place.

For Rent—20 acres of plowed ground on shares. Inquire of M. A. Sommerfield, Tawas City. 20-tf

For Sale—Pure bred Duroc-Jersey pigs, either sex, registered if desired. Fred C. Latter, Whittemore, Mich. 26

Estray—Red and white calf came to my place Sunday night, May 23. Owner can have same by paying charges. Chas. Timreck, jr. 23

For Sale—\$0 h. p. tractor, 28x50 steel frame separator, standard size Bidwell bean huller, Port Huron saw mill, all in good condition. Victor Mackinen, R. D. 3, Tawas City 23-pd

Girls Wanted—We want more girls in our spool silk and silk weaving mills. Those between ages of 17 and 30 preferred. Clean, well lighted mills, operating under best sanitary conditions. Good wages, steady employment. Address: Belding Bros. & Co., Belding, Mich. 29

The Wonders of America

By T. T. MAXEY

THE OLDEST SCHOOL.

THE Boston Latin school is the oldest educational institution in the United States, having enjoyed a continuous existence since April, 1635. From the start, it was a school for higher education, especially Latin and Greek. It appears to have been the determination of the founders "to beat Satan in each and all of his lairs;" therefore, "For the common defense and for the general welfare should the classical languages be taught at the common charge."

One day during the early days of the revolution, the master (as the teachers were called in those days), a loyalist, announced, as he dismissed school, "War's begun and school's done; deponite libros," but the school was soon re-opened, and when the British evacuated Boston in March, 1776, the master went with them as a prisoner. 'Tis said that in his day, all that was required for admission was to read a few verses in the Bible. School began at seven o'clock in the morning in summer (eight o'clock in winter) and ended at five in the afternoon, with a recess from eleven to one.

The present building, completed in 1850, was, at that time, "the largest structure in America devoted to educational purposes, and the largest in the world used as a free public school." It contains 56 school rooms, each accommodating 35 students.

It is doubtful, indeed, if any other school boasts of a more honorable career, can show as long a list of prominent men as graduates or more persistently conformed to the aspirations of its originators.

Pyramids of Egypt.

The Egyptian pyramids number 75 in all, and some of them are entirely in ruins. The group of these structures which is most important contains the Great Pyramid, named also Cheops, after an Egyptian king. It is built of about 2,300,000 blocks of stone.

Supervisors' Proceedings

(Continued from last week) Tuesday, May 11, 1920

The board of supervisors of Iosco county met at the court house in the city of Tawas City on Tuesday, the 11th day of May, A. D. 1920, pursuant to a recess from Monday, May 10. Board called to order at 9 o'clock a. m. by Chairman Belknap. Roll call.

Present—Supervisors Ballard, Burt, Blust, Bleau, Crego, Dickinson, Johnson, Pringle, Putnam, Searle, Smith, Small, Westcott. Quorum present.

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved.

As the committee on official bonds

Claimant	Nature of Claim	Submitted	All'd
J. H. Shults Co.	dog tax blanks	1.28	1.28
Douleday, Hunt, Dolan Co.	election instructions	11.10	11.10
J. H. Shults Co.	dog tax blanks	5.49	5.49
C. P. Milham, county agricultural agent	expenses	35.62	35.62
Douleday, Hunt, Dolan Co.	election supplies	259.20	259.20
Stone, Forsyth Co.	drinking cups	8.75	8.75
J. H. Shults Co.	election supplies	53.69	53.69
J. H. Shults Co.	election supplies	24.25	24.25
J. M. Wugazer, planting trout fry		10.00	10.00
Douleday, Hunt, Dolan Co.	legal blanks	4.60	4.60
Douleday, Hunt, Dolan Co.	legal blanks	.50	.50
Douleday, Hunt, Dolan Co.	legal blanks, judge of prob.	5.80	5.80
Douleday, Hunt, Dolan Co.	legal blanks, judge of prob.	4.60	4.60
Douleday Bros.	legal blanks, clerk	20.00	20.00
Douleday Bros.	clerk's certificates	1.90	1.90
Jas. E. Ballard, miscellaneous printing		1.13	1.13
Sheehan Advertising Co.	advs. farm for sale	66.90	66.90
J. M. Wugazer, planting trout fry, 2 trips		39.00	39.00
J. M. Wugazer, planting trout fry		10.00	10.00
Fabric Fire Hose Co.	fire hose and racks	98.20	98.20
Fabric Fire Hose Co.	fire hose and cart	214.00	214.00
Richmond, Backus Co.	legal blanks, judge of probate	.96	.96
Richmond, Backus Co.	legal blanks, judge of probate	1.56	1.56
Douleday, Hunt, Dolan Co.	legal blanks, judge of probate	1.86	1.86
Chas. W. Curry, meals for jurymen		8.40	8.40
Oscoda Press, miscellaneous printing		51.50	51.50
C. R. Jackson, official ballots and misc. printing		175.00	175.00
Frank E. Dease, delivering ballots, R.R. fare and livery		3.96	3.96
R. M. Small, planting trout fry		5.00	5.00
Walter Cornett, planting trout fry		5.00	5.00
J. G. Dimmick, miscellaneous bills paid		412.03	412.03
W. A. Evans Furniture Co., linoleum and labor		145.00	145.00
L. A. Potter Stamp Co., rubber stamps		1.25	1.25
Chas. W. Curry, truant officer's expenses		87.00	87.00
Elias Smith, planting trout fry		4.00	4.00
Iosco County Gazette, miscellaneous printing		78.00	78.00
John Kobs, medical exp. for injuries rec'd at co. farm fire		245.11	Ref'd
Theo. D. Goupil, sheep killed by dogs		122.20	122.20

were not all present, the chairman appointed Supervisors Crego, Searle and Pringle to act on said committee to report on bonding Iosco county road commissioners.

Supervisors Galbraith, Hanson, Butler, Robinson and Westcott came in and took their seats on the board.

Committees ordered to their respective duties, balance of board to be at ease subject to call of chair.

Board called to order at 10:30.

To the Hon. Board of Supervisors: Your committee on claims and accounts No. 1 respectfully submit the following as their report, recommending the allowance of the several amounts as given below, and that the clerk be authorized to draw orders for the same:

W. J. Robinson,	A. L. Bleau,	Geo. Westcott,	E. O. Putnam,	R. M. Small,
Committee.				
Moved by Robinson, supported by Putnam, that the report of committee No. 1 be accepted and adopted. Carried.	Yes—Butler, Burt, Blust, Bleau, Crego, Dickinson, Galbraith, Johnson, Pringle, Putnam, Robinson, Searle, Smith, Small, Westcott—15. Nays, none.	Tasas City, Mich., May 11, 1920.	To the Hon. Board of Supervisors: Your committee appointed on official bonds beg leave to report that the bond of the county road commissioners be placed at one thousand dollars.	Signed, Geo. A. Pringle, Ernest Crego, John Searle, W. H. Dickinson, E. O. Putnam, Committee.
Moved by Pringle, supported by Searle, that report of committee be accepted and adopted. Motion prevailed.	The matter of the county farm was then taken up.	Moved by Searle, supported by Galbraith, that we transfer \$1,000.00 from general fund to county poor fund, to be used as county poor commission deem necessary in making temporary buildings. Carried.	Yes—Ballard, Butler, Burt, Blust, Bleau, Crego, Dickinson, Galbraith, Hanson, Johnson, Pringle, Putnam, Robinson, Searle, Smith, Small, Westcott—17. Nays, none.	Moved by Ballard, supported by Butler, that the chair appoint a committee of three to act with the poor commission to obtain plans and specifications for building a county infirmary and report at next meeting of this board.
Yes—Ballard, Butler, Burt, Blust, Bleau, Galbraith, Hanson, Johnson, Pringle, Robinson, Small, Westcott—12. Nays—Crego, Dickinson, Putnam, Searle, Smith—5. Carried.	Chair appointed Supervisors Robinson, Hanson and Small on this committee.	On motion, carried, the board took a recess until 12:30 p. m.	Afternoon Session Board called to order at 12:30 p. m. by Chairman Belknap.	Present—Ballard, Butler, Burt, Blust, Bleau, Crego, Dickinson, Galbraith, Hanson, Johnson, Pringle, Putnam, Robinson, Searle, Smith, Small, Westcott. Quorum present.
Moved by Robinson, supported by Butler, that the bill of John Kobs, who was seriously injured at the county farm when the building was burned, be allowed. Carried.	Yes—Ballard, Butler, Burt, Blust, Bleau, Crego, Dickinson, Galbraith, Hanson, Johnson, Pringle, Putnam, Robinson, Searle, Smith, Small, Westcott—17. Nays, none.	Moved by Robinson, supported by Ballard, that the county road superintendent have the use of the office formerly occupied by the county agricultural agent. Carried.	Moved by Ballard, supported by Butler, that the chair appoint a committee of three to confer with the Michigan State Agricultural College in regard to employing a county agricultural agent at a salary not to exceed \$2,500 per year, the state to pay \$1,200. Motion lost.	Yes—Ballard, Butler, Burt, Pringle—4. Nays—Blust, Bleau, Dickinson, Galbraith, Hanson, Johnson, Robinson, Searle, Smith, Small, Westcott—11.
To the Hon. Board of Supervisors: Your committee on mileage and per diem submit their report as follows:	Name	Mi. Days	Amt.	
Belknap, Howard M.	15	2	\$ 9.80	
Ballard, Jas. E.	0	2	8.00	
Burt, John C.	9	2	9.08	
Blust, Frank	5	2	8.60	
Bleau, Albert L.	7	2	9.80	
Butler, Herman N.	2	2	8.40	

The Art of Not Hearing.
The art of not hearing should be learnt by all. It is fully as important to domestic happiness as a cultivated ear for which both money and time are expended. There are so many things which it is painful to hear, so many which we ought not to hear, so very many which, if heard, will disturb the temper, corrupt simplicity and modesty, detract from contentment and happiness, that everyone should be educated to take in or shut out sounds according to his or her pleasure.—Exchange.

NOTICE FOR RECONVEYANCE

To the owner or owners of any and all interests in or liens upon the land herein described, and Thomas Fortier:

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 costs or charges. If payment as aforesaid is not made, the undersigned will institute proceedings for possession of the land.

Description—18 feet off the north side of Lot Seven, and the south four feet of Lot 8, Block Eleven, Village of Oscoda, for taxes of 1886, amount paid \$74.64.

The South 24 feet of the north 28 feet of Lot Seven, Block Eleven, Village of Oscoda for the taxes of 1906, amount paid \$3.31.

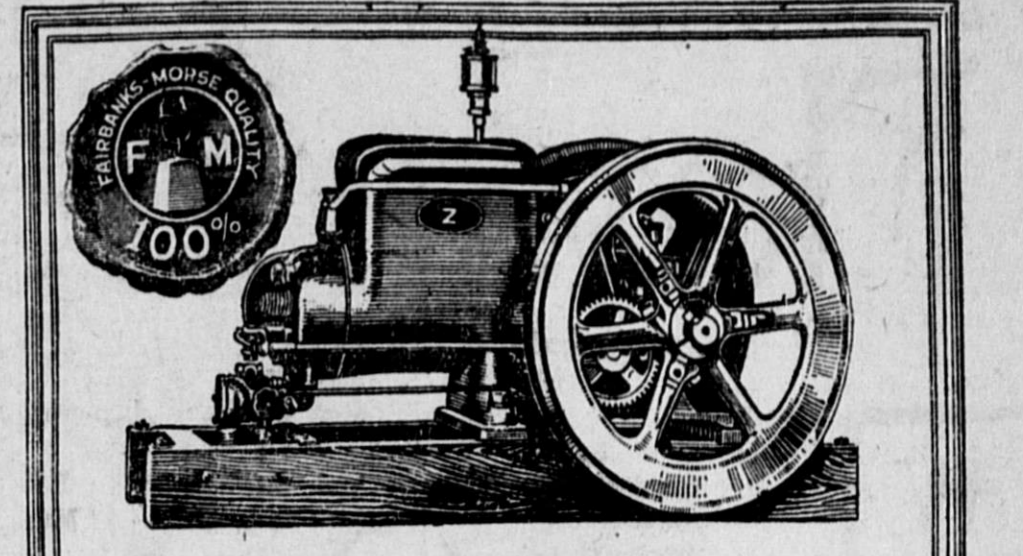
All located and being in the County of Iosco, State of Michigan.

Dated April 22, 1920.

(Signed) Phillip Rosenthal
Place of business 1475 Mack Ave., Detroit, Mich.

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East Tawas Tawas City

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Yes—Butler, Burt, Blust, Bleau, Crego, Dickinson, Galbraith, Johnson, Pringle, Putnam, Robinson, Searle, Smith, Small, Westcott—15. Nays, none.

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Moved by Searle, supported by Ballard, that report of committee be accepted and adopted. Carried.

Yes—Ballard, Butler, Burt, Blust, Bleau, Dickinson, Galbraith, Hanson, Johnson, Pringle, Robinson, Searle, Smith, Small, Westcott—15. Nays, none.

Moved by Ballard, supported by Searle, that when we adjourn we adjourn to June 28, 1920. Carried.

Minutes of meeting read and approved.

On motion, carried, board adjourned.

Frank E. Dease, H. M. Belknap, Clerk, Chairman.

Value of Herbs in Cookery.
The old-fashioned kitchen garden was not considered complete without its small collection of "pot herbs"—sage, thyme, and other medicinal and savory herbs. French cooking is noted for its fine flavor, and this is largely because French cooks excel in the skillful use of herbs.

Advantage of Travel.
Travel is a great educator and we noticed in the conversation at luncheon yesterday that a little dab of warmed-over codfish, peiced out with one egg to make it somewhere near enough, had become casserolette of Newfoundland cod aux oeufs.—Ohio State Journal.

Beaver's Habits Fixed.
A careful study of beaver indicates that their acts, habits and customs are all instinctive, having in no way improved or advanced their original customs since the discovery of the species. They build their dams and lodges, provide their food supply and pursue the same course as they did thousands of years ago.

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 14th day of May, A. D. 1920.

Present, Hon. David Davison, Judge of Probate.

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

Thomas Davison, administrator of said estate, having filed in said court his petition, praying for license to sell the interest of said estate in certain real estate therein described,

It is ordered, That the 18th day of June A. D. 1920, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition, and that all persons interested in said estate appear before said court, at said time and place, to show cause why a license to sell the interest of said estate in said real estate should not be granted;

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

DAVID DAVISON, Judge of Probate.

State of Michigan } ss
County of Iosco }
I hereby certify and return that after careful search and inquiry, I am unable to ascertain the whereabouts or post office address of Thomas Fortier or his heirs, or his executor, administrator, trustee or guardian.

Said notice was delivered to me for service on the 22nd day of April, 1920. Dated May 5th, 1920.

COLLIE JOHNSON,
Sheriff of said county.

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The number who are using our banking-by-mail service is constantly increasing.

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Announcement

I wish to announce to the farmers of this vicinity that I have made arrangements to buy Cream and will be at your service in the building opposite the old creamery.

Will pay the highest market price at all times and guarantee you correct test.

All former patrons of the Tawas Butter Co. and others are invited to give me their patronage, which will be duly appreciated.

HAROLD ALLEN
TAWAS CITY MICHIGAN

RENO RUMBLINGS

A. M. Welch came up from Ionia last Friday. M. J. Thomas Frockins is slowly gaining in health. This is fine growing weather and all are busy indoors and out. Alva Hutchinson now drives his own car—the popular car, the Ford. Several from Reno attended the high school play at East Tawas last Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Glendenin of Hale spent Monday evening with friends at Taft. Four carloads of sheep and lambs were unloaded at Taft last Friday for the ranches to the west.

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Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Caverly and little daughter, Mary, of Logan were Taft callers last Friday. Special price on a John Deere 2-row check row corn planter. The last one this season. C. H. Prescott & Sons. ad

Eva Stanlake came up from Bay City, where she has employment, and spent the week end with her parents here.

An epidemic in the form of "a bad cold" has been going the rounds here lately, but those affected are all getting better now.

Miss Florence Latter has finished her term of school in Wilber and is spending her vacation at her home in Reno. Miss Dorothy Latter's school will close on Friday of this week.

Funeral services for the little child of Mr. and Mrs. William Allen were held at the Reno Baptist church last Sunday afternoon. The bereaved parents and family have the sympathy of their many friends in this, their hour of sorrow.

Mr. and Mrs. Bonenfant and sister, Miss Nellie Jackson, returned to Detroit on Wednesday of last week. The young girl from Coldwater who has made her home with Mrs. Jackson for several years past, accompanied them and will be returned to the institution at Coldwater.

Listen to the whip-poor-will. With his notes so clear and shrill, Sounding through the evening calm. Who would wish to do these harm?

The cheery Bob White Is with us again. Plainly he's calling: "More wet," or more rain.

TOWNLINE TOPICS

Roy Frank of Bay City is visiting on the Townline. Chas. Ulman moved his family to Tawas City last Friday.

Miss Verna Freel is visiting relatives at Emery Junction. Miss Ardith Freel is visiting with Mrs. Chas. Quick in Tawas City.

Mrs. Joseph Freel spent the week end with relatives at Emery Junction. Mr. and Mrs. Thrumann left Thursday for Dakota. We regret their departure.

Mrs. Frank Barstow and daughter, of Bay City, spent Sunday on the Townline. The ploughing bee at David Low's was well attended and a fine lot of work was done.

A number from here spent a day or two this week at the cemetery preparing for Memorial day. Special price on a John Deere 2-row, check row corn planter. The last one this season. C. H. Prescott & Sons. ad

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Quick of Tawas City and Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Wingrove of East Tawas visited at Geo. Freel's Sunday. Remember the M. E. church services Sunday, May 30, at the usual hour, 3 p. m. All are invited to spend the hour with us.

LONG LAKE BREEZES

The mosquitos seem to be sending in their bills. Fred Holbeck returned to his home at Bay City Tuesday. Chas. Whinnery has moved to his farm at AuSable lake.

Miss Bessie Rosen of Cleveland, O., is working for F. Wolfson. John Mortenson and Fred Holbeck have the blocks for a cement silo. Miss Vina Morrison closed a successful term of school here last Friday, May 21.

Fred Thayer and Pete Yost loaded a car at South Branch for L. LaBerge last Saturday. Jas. LaBerge and Vina Morrison autoed to Rose City Saturday evening to take in the show.

Mrs. Geo. Ballard returned Tuesday evening from an extended visit with relatives at Detroit and Chesaning. Geo. Meister and Messrs. Leonard and Setler of Toledo are here spending a few days at Mr. M.'s cottage on the C. O. G.

Harry Levine started for Cleveland Monday. He expects to return the forepart of next week, bringing with him his wife and son.

Change of Tone Tells Much. Susceptible persons are more affected by a change of tone than by unexpected words.—George Elliot.

HALE AND VICINITY

A. Syze was a Rose City visitor Wednesday night. Rex Jennings was home from Flint for the week end. Joseph Peters is a business visitor at the county seat this week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Nitz of Long Lake were Hale visitors last Saturday. The Hale ball team defeated the team at Reno last week by a score of 11 to 13.

There are several cases of measles and chicken pox in the vicinity, none of them serious. Mrs. J. B. Steinhouser of Detroit is the guest of Hale relatives and friends for ten days.

An all day meeting of the Ladies' Aid was held at the home of Mrs. E. A. Armstrong Wednesday. Mrs. E. G. Shattuck sold her farm stock and implements last week to Clayton Fairchilds of Toledo.

Miss Rosa Ewing, who has been attending school in Mio this winter, returned home last Saturday. Mrs. Leon Ewing and daughter, Rosa, left Wednesday morning for a few days visit with relatives in Brant and Saginaw.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Kaufman motored to Bay City last Friday, visiting relatives in that city and Saginaw until Monday. Ira VanWormer, who has been seriously ill with inflammatory rheumatism for the past few weeks, is a little improved at this writing.

Mrs. Allen Caverly of Saginaw, formerly Mrs. Patrick Earley, is in Hale for a few weeks packing her goods to move to Saginaw. Mrs. Smallwood of Bay City, who has been the guest of Mrs. James Slosser for a few days, was called home last Wednesday by the death of a brother.

Miss Vina Morrison closed a very successful term of school at Long Lake and is home for a few weeks rest before entering the summer school classes at Ypsilanti state normal. Walter and Howard VanWormer of Toledo, Mrs. J. Dibley and the Misses Lottie and Vera VanWormer of Clio came last Saturday, having been called home by the serious illness of their father, Ira VanWormer.

Mrs. Wm. Glendenin closed a successful term of school in the Sage Lake district last week Friday. Mr. and Mrs. Glendenin have moved into the C. Ballard house for a few weeks, after which they expect to move to Flint. A memorial service will be held Sunday afternoon next, Decoration day, in the M. E. church, under the auspices of the Gleaners and Grangers. We cannot give the particulars of the meeting at this time, but a good program is being prepared. All are invited.

L. A. Howe will leave the latter part of the week for Memphis, Mich., where he has purchased a moving picture theatre. We are sorry to lose Mr. and Mrs. Howe from our community. They have made many friends during their residence here, whose best wishes go with them to their new home. The commencement exercises of the Hale high school will be held in the M. E. church Thursday evening, May 27, at 8:00 o'clock. The class is composed of three girls and three boys: Vivian LaBerge, Iva Bielby, Mabel Rehl, Donald Glendenin, and Charles Koehler. After the exercises a banquet will be given in the town hall by the 8th and 9th grades for the graduates, their parents, teachers and the board of education.

HEMLOCK SLIVERS

Chester Smith spent the week end in Flint. B. M. Long was a Hemlock visitor Saturday. Mrs. Wm. Parks of Flint is visiting on the Hemlock. Edw. Graham has purchased a new Sampson tractor.

A baby boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Hayes last week. Special price on a John Deere 2-row, check-row corn planter. The last one this season. C. H. Prescott & Sons. ad

The Baptist sewing society last Wednesday quilted a quilt and tied a comforter at the home of Mrs. L. P. Latham. Henry Dempsey has rented the Casterline farm and moved there last week. The family is now quarantined for scarlet fever. The Intermediate Sunday school class of the Baptist church will give an ice cream social at the Orange hall Thursday evening, June 3. adv

Jerusalem's Water Supply. "Practically every house in Jerusalem has its own rainwater cistern, and it has been estimated that if all these cisterns were full they would contain 360,000,000 gallons." Captain Carson of the British army of occupation reports. "Before a cistern is now filled with pure water the owner must obtain a certificate from the newly organized health department that his cistern has been rendered sanitary and mosquito-proof. He is then given enough water to fill his cistern through a temporary pipe line. The organized effort to supply pure water to the 50,000 residents of Jerusalem has enabled them to have ten times more water than formerly."

Not What He Meant.

A small choir were practicing the well-known anthem, "As the hart pants after the water brooks." The rendering of the open stages was apparently not quite to the satisfaction of the gentleman who wielded the baton. He considered it necessary, therefore, to tender some advice to the tenors, and caused great consternation and not a little embarrassment among his little flock by the following announcement: "Gentlemen, your expression is simply splendid, but the time is very poor—really, your pants are far too long."—London Ideas.

Looking for Trouble.

"Can't the lady find what she wants?" asked the floorwalker. "I think she came in here to find fault."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Need for Figures.

A favorite Madison square argument from the soapbox is to hold up a hat and yell: "I paid \$3 for this hat; the man who made it got 24 cents. The employer got \$2.76. What are you going to do about it?" Now, the manufacturer of that hat knows that he rarely gets half as much as the worker got; he also knows that the speaker neglects the cost of the raw material, the cost of preparing the material, the cost of transportation, and the cost of selling—all of which involve labor; that also he, and every one who handles either the material or the finished hat, have to pay rent and taxes. But instead of pointing in figures, that employer is more than likely to suggest that more Americanization is needed and would like to have some one play the "Star-Spangled Banner!"—Samuel Crowther, in World's Work.

Steel Want General.

All around the globe there is a demand for American steel. Portuguese East Africa has extensive railroad plans, and in them there is a call for 32,000 tons of rails. A New York firm has contracts for \$5,000,000 for office buildings and other structures in Tokyo and other Japanese cities. In Rome there is a building program for housing government employees. South American requirements are extensive.

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SHERMAN SHOTS

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A. B. Schneider was at Turner and Twining on business Tuesday. A large number of people are attending court at Tawas City this week. Mrs. Stone of Whittemore is visiting with relatives here for a couple of weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Kohn and family, of East Tawas, spent Sunday with relatives here. Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo Amboy of Flint are visiting at the home of her mother, Mrs. Geo. Strauer.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Pringle, accompanied by Mrs. Joe Schneider, autoed to Bay City Sunday. Miss Hattie VanHorn of Tawas City closed a very successful term of school in District No. 4 Tuesday.

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Mr. and Mrs. Will Kohn of Flint are visiting at the home of his parents for a couple of weeks. Miss Elva Schneider returned to Port Huron Monday after a couple of weeks visit with relatives here. Last Friday evening about 50 of the friends of Miss Eva Schneider gave her a birthday party at the home of John Jordan. Refreshments were served and all present enjoyed a pleasant evening. Miss Schneider was presented with a pink sapphire ring as a remembrance of the occasion.

GOAT ALWAYS GOOD FIGHTER

"Billy" Seldom Looks for a Scrap, but He Is Equal to It When Forced on Him. "Mr. A. B. Fenwick related to me the particulars of a battle of two Indians, fifteen dogs and two horses with a billy goat that had wandered out upon Joseph's prairie, where Cranbrook, B. C., now stands," says Dr. William T. Hornaday in his article on "The Rocky Mountain Goat at Home," in Boys' Life. "The Indians thought that with their horses and dogs (but no guns) they could capture the goat alive. The goat thought otherwise. A little later a squaw saw that they were having a bad mixup and ran out to the Indians with a rifle. One of them shot the goat. All but two of the dogs were killed on the spot, or died very shortly. It was with the greatest difficulty that the Indians saved their horses from getting punctured by those terrible little horns. "It is on record that a full-grown grizzly bear was killed by a full grown billy goat while the bear was killing him. The dead bodies of the two were found only a few yards apart. "So you see, although the goat is deliberate in thought and in action, and wise in self-preservation, when the time comes to fight he is right on the job."

Resigned to Fate.

In the early days of the war a group of optimistic young men assembled at the officers' training camp at Fort Myer, Va., with all the necessary appurtenances of officers, from spurs to an extra pair of field glasses. Later on, as it became necessary for the authorities to hand out little pink slips and one-way tickets home, it grew into a custom for the departing candidates to auction off his equipment. One Saturday morning Captain Blank said sharply to Candidate Jones of Company X: "Mr. Jones, drill the company." Mr. Jones stepped forth. Taking his place before the company, he was suddenly stricken dumb. "Well?" demanded the captain with a strongly rising inflection. Jones gulped. "Wh-wh-what am I offered for my truck locker?" he stammered.—Home Sector.

A Wager Lost on Coolidge.

At a reunion a '95 man met a classmate on the campus. The latter wore a broad grin. "What's the joke?" "I made a wager that I could get Cal Coolidge into a five-minute conversation. I just tried it. Here's the conversation: "Cal, I understand they're going to knock the tar out of you this election." "Maybe." "I hear that a spellbinder is up against you." "Yes." "Perhaps that will help you; you may shine by contrast." "Perhaps so." "I was stuck for anything more to say. I'm now going to pay the wager."—George MacAdam in World's Work.

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SATISFIED WITH TWO MEALS

Listen to Friend's Admonition. It is a strange thing to behold what gross errors and extreme absurdities many, especially of the greater sort, do commit for want of a friend to tell them of the great damage both to their fame and fortune. For as St. James said, they are as men "that look sometimes into a glass and presently forget their own shape and favor." The best thing for any man is the admonition of a friend.—Bacon.

"Practical Politics" was but one of many subjects the late Colonel Roosevelt had made his own. His many-sided common sense approached nothing without going straight to the practical heart of it. In his inimitable letters to his children the chapter, "A President as Cook," gives an example of this, remarks the New York Evening Post. The letter is from "Pine-Knot," the isolated little Virginia retreat where from time to time during their last years in the White House, and when in need of complete rest Mr. and Mrs. Roosevelt repaired, taking no servants with them. After descriptions of several meals of chicken fried by the president with appetizing mention of beefsteak and cornbread, bacon and eggs, also cooked by him—all interspersed with animadversions upon the Russo-Japanese war and the peace he was endeavoring to bring about—comes this: "As we found that cleaning dishes took up an awful time, we only took two meals a day, which was all we wanted." How the housewife's heart, specially in these without-a-cook-times, warms to that sentence! How true it is that "cleaning dishes" takes up "an awful time," and how practical the two-meals-a-day cure! Few families would endorse the cure, of course—it might be worse than impractical to establish it. And also, of course, the whole thing would be heresy from housewives themselves. But they relish the comfort of such distinguished sympathy.

Roosevelt Family, While on Vacation, Decided There Should Be No Un-necessary Dish Washing.

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Isle of Napoleon's Exile.

False conceptions prevail of St. Helena, where Napoleon lived and died after his defeat and humiliation at Waterloo. It is credited with being a most ugly island. Exactly the opposite is the case. Not only is it not a rock, but a very beautiful, well-wooded and well-watered island, and also, on the whole, if one had to choose the most perfect climate existing anywhere in this world, the prize would have to go to St. Helena, and especially that part in which Longwood (Napoleon's residence) is situated.

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