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## HAPPENINGS OF THE WEEK

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

Fire insurance. H. E. Hanson adv Gray Gull phonograph records at Brabant Bros. adv

The board of supervisors will convene next Monday.

Cal Billings of Emery Junction was a business visitor in the city Tuesday. Mrs. Rose M. Watts spent Saturday and Sunday with her daughter in Bay City.

Farmers, call and get your 1921 calendar at the office of the Tawas Butter Co. adv

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Colby and family spent New Years with relatives at Whittemore.

Regular communication of Tawas City Lodge No. 302 F. & A. M. next Tuesday evening.

Misses Mary and Anna Ebert returned Tuesday to Flint after a few days visit with relatives here.

Misses Ina Bradley and Margaret Worden returned Monday from a week's trip to Washington, D. C.

Iosco county had 14 births and ten deaths in November, 1920, according to the Bulletin of Vital Statistics.

Highest market price paid for poultry, veal, eggs, and roasting pigs. Thos. Galbraith, Tawas City. adv

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Bing returned last Thursday from a week's visit with relatives and friends in Detroit.

Miss Stella McCordell returned Monday to her school at Gaylord after spending the holidays at her home here.

E. A. Goodwin and family, of Bay City motored up and spent New Years at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Pringle.

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Osterhout returned Thursday from a ten days visit with relatives and friends at Capac and Sterling.

Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Schermerhorn of Pontiac are guests at the home of Mrs. Schermerhorn's mother, Mrs. Mary Murphy.

Mrs. Ray Tuttle returned Monday to her home in Hastings after spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Ferguson.

Mrs. J. M. Waterbury and daughter, Miss Mamie, returned last Friday from a six weeks visit at the home of her son, Will, in Cleveland, Ohio.

Rev. H. W. Grimes was in Bay City Monday to attend a New Year service at the West Side Baptist church, at which he was one of the speakers.

John Swartz and sons, Kermit and Howard, went to Bay City Tuesday, where the boys were to undergo an operation for the removal of their tonsils.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Dettmer returned Thursday to their home in Saginaw after a two weeks visit with Mrs. Dettmer's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Julius Buchholz.

Miss Mabel McCaskey returned last Saturday to her studies at the Central State Normal at Mt. Pleasant after spending the Christmas vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. McCaskey.

On Sunday morning at 10 o'clock the pastor of Zion Lutheran church will give his English farewell sermon, he having accepted a call to Trinity Lutheran church, Pontiac. All are welcome. H. J. Reithmeier, Pastor.

Sheriff Robinson was called to Oscoda last Saturday to investigate another store robbery. Someone had broken a window in the store of Mores Marks and stolen a couple of pair of shoes and it was thought also some clothing.

A civil service examination will be held at Tawas City on Jan. 22 for the purpose of filling the position of postmaster at Curran, and another on Feb. 9 to fill the position of postmaster at Prescott. The latter position pays \$1300 per year.

At this season of the year there are a large number of subscriptions to the Tawas Herald due. Look at the label on your paper and if your time has expired, please renew promptly in order that you may not miss any of the issues. Subscriptions will be discontinued promptly if not renewed.

A message was received Monday by Thos. Scarlett announcing the death of his brother Fred, at the home of his brother, Percy Scarlett, in Spokane, Wash. The body was shipped to Tawas City for burial and is expected to arrive Saturday. A Masonic funeral will be held, the deceased having been a member of a lodge of that order in Washington.

Fire insurance, Fred Swartz. adv-tf Mrs. Wesley Groff left Tuesday for a few days visit in Cheboygan.

Carl Krueger was at Bay City on business a couple of days this week.

Miss Ruth Peterson returned Monday from a ten days visit at her home near Leroy.

Mrs. John Webster returned Thursday to Flint after an extended visit in this city.

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

Miss Louise Pfahl returned Tuesday to Jackson after a weeks visit with her parents here.

The business and missionary meeting of the women's society of the Baptist church will be held at the home of Mrs. J. M. Waterbury next Thursday, Jan. 13.

Suple Brabon returned last Friday from an extended visit at the home of his son, John, in Newberry. He spent New Years here, going to Saginaw Monday.

The B. of L. E. No. 492 has changed its division from Alpena to East Tawas. Meetings are held every second and fourth Sundays in each month at the carmen's union hall.

### TAWAS CITY WINS FROM SAGINAW

A large crowd witnessed one of the fastest and cleanest games of the season last Friday night, when Tawas City Independents met and defeated Saginaw Eastern Independents by a score of 16-22.

Will Groff, center for Tawas City, showed his speed, getting eleven of the twenty-two points. Mark was there with long shots. The team as a whole pulled some very nice pass work.

Following is the line up of the two teams:

Tawas City	Saginaw
Musolf	L F Clark
Lanski	R F Brass
Wm. Groff	C Leutritz
Hadwin	L G Morgan
H. Groff	R G Phillips

Mark substituted for Hadwin in first half and for Lanski in second. Olsen substituted for Morgan.

Field goals, Musolf 1, Lanski 1, B. Groff 5, Mark 4, Clark 3, Brass 2 Leutritz 2, Morgan 1. Free throws, Musolf 1, W. Groff 1, Hadwin 2.

Tawas City Juniors and Carlson's Stars played a fast preliminary game in which the Tawas City youngsters cleaned the East Tawas boys' clock in good shape. Score 10-4.

### BAPTIST CHURCH

Did you ever think about that wonderfully delicate mechanism you carry in your pocket or on your wrist? Whether it is an expensive Howard or a democratic Ingersoll, it is marvelous that so small an instrument can so closely imitate the grand procession of the planets in regularity.

However, the most valuable watch is useless if it is not wound. If you neglect winding yours at night you are not surprised if it stops marking time for you.

Folks are a lot like watches. The only trouble is that instead of being a more or less useful watch we delude ourselves that we are some superior kind of a self-starting, never-wind clock. No watch ever marked profitable time without outside impetus on the winding screw, and no person can do it either. It took a wonderfully skillful Workman to make us so intricate and none but the Master fingers can impel and regulate us into a condition of perfect efficiency.

Know more of your Creator. Submit yourself to the Master now that you may mark your allotted time with precision and success.

Morning service, 10:00.  
Sunday school, 11:15.  
Evening service, 7:30.  
Prayer service Wednesday, 7:30.  
Humér W. Grimes, Pastor.

### CITY BONDS ON SALE

City bonds of the city of Tawas City may now be purchased. The rate of interest has been fixed at six percent per annum. The bonds may be purchased in any sum desired from \$250 up and will mature in ten years. The city reserves the right to call in the bonds at any time after three years.

H. Allen, City Clerk.

The Tawas Herald, \$2.00 per year

### DECEMBER, 1920 WEATHER REPORT

The weather during December was extremely mild, the mean temperature averaging 31.0 degrees, or five degrees higher than usual. The amount of rain and snow was greatly in excess of the usual amount, totalling 3.21 inches, or double the average for the month in this locality.

Following is a summary of the weather:

Mean maximum 35.8°  
Mean minimum 26.2°  
Mean 31.0°  
Maximum 53° on the 3rd  
Minimum 10° on the 25th  
Greatest daily range 20°

Precipitation

Total, 3.21 inches.  
Greatest in 24 hours, .80 on the 22nd.  
Snow  
Total snowfall, 8 inches; on ground 15th, traces; at end of month, 2 inches.  
Number of days with .01 inch or more precipitation, 13; clear, 8; partly cloudy, 5; cloudy, 18.

### TO PRESIDE OVER SHORTHORN BREEDERS' ASSN.

East Lansing, Jan. 5.—Geo. A. Prescott, jr. of Tawas City, president of the Michigan Shorthorn Breeders Association, will preside at the annual meeting of the association which is to be held at the Michigan Agricultural college on Jan. 12 and 13, in connection with the general meeting of the Michigan Improved Live Stock Breeders and Feeders' association, which gathers for its thirtieth annual conference on those days.

Nationally known authorities on live stock matters are scheduled to address the general meetings, where 1,000 Michigan breeders are expected to gather. Fifteen special associations are to meet at East Lansing during the two days of the conference, beef cattle, dairy cattle, horse, swine and sheep breeders having their individual associations which meet under the parent body.

### M. E. CHURCH

The Priceless Privilege of Pressing On  
The Apostle Paul learned many lessons from a prisoner chained to a Roman soldier, lessons that he applied to his own life and Christian experience. Particularly did he emphasize the race runner. The object in view the prize. 1st, the trained mind and requirement. Physically prepared and to win he must be willing to start, and having started he must press on.

Brother, sister, does the year 1921 see you started in the Christian life and race? If so, permit me as a Christian brother to put in a word of encouragement to cheer you on.

At Capac I had a troop of smart boy scouts. They used to play and win games at baseball and when they had a tough game in view they would come to the paragon in a body and they used to say, "Mr. Lomas, come and root for us." I said, "Why do you call me to root for you?" "Why," they said, "when you root for us we always win." That brought me out.

Permit me to use the word root, or encourage. If you are in the Christian life it is a race. I want to cheer you on and I want you to cheer me on. Any Sunday or every Sunday I would rather look into your face than the empty seats. My object and study shall be to cheer you on. That is why I am here. Christianity means (1) Salvation through faith in Christ. (2) Helpfulness by Christian ministry.

"To patient faith the prize is sure, and all who to the end endure the cross, shall wear a crown."

Preaching at 10 a. m. and 7 p. m. Sunday school at 11.15 a. m.  
Morning subject, "Gains and Losses"  
Evening subject, "She said within herself."  
John B. Lomas, Pastor.

Fifty-one dollars was the Christmas response to the poor children's relief.

Revival services are being planned, conducted by the Lomas family, music, singing and preaching. Rev. George Lomas of Port Hope; Rev. John B. Lomas of Tawas City; Mrs. Faye Lomas of Port Hope; Mrs. Florence Lomas Simpson of Port Huron. Assisted by Rev. Aaron Mitchell of East Tawas. Instruments, Piano, violin, saxophone and harmonium futina. Look for dates.

### L. D. S. CHURCH

Sunday school, 10:00 a. m.  
Morning service, 11:00 a. m.  
Evening service, 7:30 p. m.  
Prayer service, Wednesday evening, 7:30.  
M. A. Sommerfeld, Pastor.

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

### THIS AND THAT IN THE HEALTH SURVEY

By Dr. J. W. Plant  
The health survey of the students in Iosco County goes on rapidly. Whittemore school was finished Wednesday. They have a big attendance this year.

Dr. Warren of Bay City held a tonsil party in Dr. Stealy's office last week. Seven attended and report good work.

It's very common to find that neglected baby teeth have quite spoiled the second teeth, like rotten apples in a barrel of good ones. The first permanent molars, coming at six years, are the worst sufferers.

Most youngsters in the country schools bring dinner to school, and in some places they are heating some of it on the school stove. Good scheme. But why not have hot water too, and paper towels, and eat with clean hands? It would save some needless sickness, and is up-to-date.

Earache, caused by colds and adenoids, accounts for some eight cases of serious deafness in the last hundred examinations.

Now and then we find a case of contagious rash called impetigo. These children should be sent home till the doctor cures them entirely. There should not be skin diseases on children's faces.

Often one eye does most of the studying; this eye, overworking, might go bad also. Usually the child does not know the condition. Glasses usually help greatly, and may prevent cataract coming later.

"I'll have it fixed in the spring," or "next summer," means much more expense, serious damage, and perhaps permanent trouble. Why not now? Well, the habit of putting off, mostly, which means that life will be a good deal of a failure for that child. Sometimes, lack of money, which means that money should be raised in a business like way and the repairs done at once. Often "next spring" means pure coincidence. It can be cured by self-training.

A general yearly overhauling by the family doctor and such specialists as he recommends is the modern way of taking care of your machinery and saving big bills as well as sickness. It adds years to life, produces happiness, and is only what you would do for an auto before a long trip, anyway. And life's trip is 70 years, or ought to be.

Recently a thrifty farmer exhibited a pure bred bull with much pride. He's on right lines. Then he said the school survey of health was merely a useless expense. He's wrong, in the opinion of most folks who have seen how it works. But he represents a lot of people who know taxes should be lower.

We wish he could come and see what the survey shows as to children's health, and study the children of his neighborhood as carefully as he studies cattle.

The Commissioner's Tin Lizzie has done noble service over the worst roads to be found in the county. This week, however, Lizzie forgot her chains, and was hitting on three. Consequently she quite failed to climb an icy hill. A half hour of experiments failed, too. Then the Commissioner went to the only house in sight, and found it empty. A search of the barn showed neither chain nor rope. The woodshed, however, furnished a pair of much worn overalls, and the Commissioner emerged waving them proudly. Then she wrapped them securely around a wheel, and Lizzie climbed. Some resourceful, our Commissioner.

### IN MEMORIAM

In loving memory of our dear mother, Mrs. Augusta Krumm, who fell asleep one year ago, Jan. 1, 1920. Just when her years were brighter, Just when her life was best; She bid no one a last farewell, She said good-bye to none; And with heavenly gates ajar She quietly entered home.

But sleep on dear mother in peaceful sleep

Your memory we shall always keep; Your smiling face to us so dear, Your gentle footsteps no more we hear, Your willing hands and face so sweet In Heaven again we hope to meet.

August Krumm and Family.

The Tawas Herald, \$2.00 per year.

### NEW RURAL SCHOOL BILL TO BE INTRODUCED

The department of public instruction at Lansing has prepared a bill to be introduced in the state legislature at the coming session which will affect every county in the state. It is an amendment to the present law governing commissioners of schools and rural districts.

The bill provides radical changes in present methods of conducting business in the district schools which are considered of a progressive nature, having been drawn by a committee of educators who have made a study of the school laws in various other states and chosen the best features found in them, together with portions of the laws of this state.

The purpose of the sponsors of the bill is to create a unit system in each county to be controlled by a board of education consisting of five members to be appointed by the board of supervisors. The measure, however, does not change the present district system of the location of school buildings, but it will provide for proper support to the sparsely settled portions of the county.

The board of education shall be selected at the October session of the board of supervisors—one member for two years, two for four years and two for six years, and shall be non-partisan in character. This board shall have the appointment of a county superintendent and assistant superintendent, and possess the power to fix the salaries of these officers. It also provides that the state shall pay \$1,500 of the county superintendent's salary and \$1,000 of the assistant's compensation.

The actual and necessary traveling expenses of the members of the board of education and a per diem of \$5 for each meeting, not to exceed 12 meetings in any one year, the necessary contingent expenses for printing, postage, stationery, record books, telephone, and such other expenses as are necessary in the discharge of their official duties, shall be audited and allowed by the boards of supervisors or the county board of auditors. The secretary of the board shall file with the county clerk a certified itemized statement of the expenses of each member of the board and such other expenses as may be deemed necessary by the board of education to be incurred under the provisions of this act. The expenses and per diem of said board and the expenses of the superintendent and the assistant superintendent as provided for shall be paid by the county treasurer in the same manner as is provided by law for the payment of county officers.

The term of county superintendent shall be for four years. He shall have authority to nominate teachers to be employed by the school boards in districts with a population less than 10,000.

### ANOTHER BURLESONESQUE EXHIBIT

The report of Postmaster General Burleson for the fiscal year 1920 shows a deficit of \$17,270,483, the second largest deficit ever known in the post office department. Mr. Burleson blames the deficit to Congress, claiming that it was due to the war bonus paid to postal employees under congressional order. In effect, Burleson wanted the postoffice employees of the country to work for starvation wages, and when Congress had the good sense to rule otherwise, Burleson lacked the gray matter necessary to put his house in order to meet new conditions.

It seems quite useless to discuss Mr. Burleson. It is better worth while to congratulate the country upon the fact that the postoffice department has succeeded in spite of him. It is a further source of congratulation that he will take his umbrella and rubbers and his bag and baggage and remove himself from the realms of postoffice life within a few short weeks.

### TOWNLINE TOPICS

John R. Rood of Detroit visited his son, Royal, this week.

Mrs. Felix Hartman of Detroit spent the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Peck.

Mrs. Clarence Fowler of Tawas City spent the holidays with her mother, Mrs. T. Winchell.

The M. E. social was well attended in spite of bad weather. The net proceeds were \$19.00.

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Mr. and Mrs. Judson Freel and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Freel were called to Saginaw by the death of their brother, Walter Webb, formerly of this place.

### \$25 REWARD

A reward of Twenty-Five Dollars will be paid to any one who will furnish information which will lead to the conviction of the person or persons who broke into the cottage of Miles Main at Island Lake and stole the bedding, mattresses, cooking utensils, dishes and other articles. Any information given to me will be treated as confidential.

Dated Dec. 30, 1920.  
John A. Stewart,  
Prosecuting Attorney of Iosco County.

### FARMERS WILL GET NEW ACCOUNT BOOK

A new farm account book, featured by increased possibilities for complete and accurate records of the year's work is being prepared at the Michigan Agricultural College and will be ready for distribution to the farmers of Michigan about the last of January. The book is based upon earlier record sheets, being a revision and expansion of what has been known as Farmers' Account Book No. 1, previously sent out by the college.

Invaluable aid in putting farm operations on a business basis is claimed for these account books. They enable a farmer to take an accurate inventory of his equipment, to keep track of production costs, to locate the losing phases of his business, and generally to put his finger on the pulse of his farm business.

"About 3,000 account books were distributed in the state last year," says H. M. Eliot, farm management demonstrator of the extension service at M. A. C., "and this year we are printing 5,000 of the revised books to care for greatly increased demand. The books will be sold to farmers at cost, which has been estimated at between 35 and 40 cents. The new books will contain added pages for feed records, crop records, egg records, and other phases of farm work, with the result that increased use can be made of them."

Applications for the books should be made to H. M. Eliot, Farm Management Demonstrator, M. A. C., East Lansing.

### QUITS ILLINOIS FOR IOSCO COUNTY FARM

A. M. Dearth, a central Illinois farmer, who got tired of raising crops on the high priced land of his home county, came to Northeastern Michigan this year and bought a farm near Tawas City. Writing to Secretary Marston of the Development Bureau, he says: "I think there are great opportunities for any industrious farmer in that locality. I am certainly pleased with the farm I bought there and I am going to leave central Illinois and move to the new farm. Crops of all kinds looked good to me this year when I visited Northeastern Michigan."

### SHUTTING OFF IMMIGRATION

Congress is for clamping the lid down on indiscriminate immigration and checking for at least a year the flood of foreigners who have been rushing to our shores since the war. The immigrants to be admitted will come here under very stringent regulations, the chief of which will be that they will join relatives who are already American citizens. Here we have a condition where our own citizens stand as sponsors for foreigners who are permitted to land upon our shores.

Obviously the proper thing to do is to close the ports of the United States to immigrants until conditions in this country have resumed a normal status. Then they can be opened upon terms which will insure the admission of only those foreigners who come with a high respect for the American government and its institutions and with a desire to become American citizens.

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### HALE AND VICINITY

Elmer Streeter was a business visitor at Tawas City Tuesday. Miss Lottie VanWormer is spending a two weeks vacation at home.

Misses Laura and Helen Dorey spent last week visiting friends in Saginaw. Mr. and Mrs. J. C. White of Fenton are guests of Hale relatives for a few weeks.

The Red Cross Roll Call totaled 38 per cent renewing their membership in this vicinity.

Nelson Sawyer of Detroit was a guest at the home of Elmer Graves over the New Years holiday.

Miss Lone Parker of Rose City was a guest at the home of J. H. Kocher a few days during the past week.

Miss Bertha Kocher entertained about 20 of her friends last Wednesday evening. Games and music were enjoyed and refreshments served.

Rev. and Mrs. McGirr will entertain the Upstreamers and True Blue classes of the Baptist Sunday school for a social evening next Friday.

Mrs. E. R. Caton, who has been visiting in Milford and Detroit, returned Tuesday, accompanied by her daughter and family, who will remain for a few weeks.

The Upstreamers class of the Baptist Sunday school have an "Up the Hill" contest on. They are sure going "over the top," as last Sunday's attendance was 22, with a \$4 collection.

Mrs. Grant Shattuck is spending this week with her mother, Mrs. E. Bills, at the Rose City hospital. Mrs. Bills is improving from her recent serious operation and it is expected will be able to return home next Monday.

Rev. E. L. Hughes has taken charge of the work of the M. E. church in this district. Rev. Hughes is but recently over from England. He occupied the M. E. pulpit last Sunday evening and preached an able sermon. A goodly crowd was present, but there is room for more. A cordial invitation is extended to all Preaching Services next Sunday morning at 10:30 o'clock.

### LOWER TOWNLINE

Mrs. Steve Smith of Tawas City spent New Years with Mrs. Roskin Roberts.

Miss LaVerne Yacks spent New Years in Tawas City with her sister, Mrs. H. Fawcett.

Mrs. Wallace Clark spent the week end with her daughter, Mrs. Chas. White of Alabaster.

W. Petry has returned to Flint after spending the holidays with his daughter, Mrs. T. B. Brovont.

Mrs. W. J. Miller was called to Butler, Okla., by the serious illness of her mother, Mrs. M. Bingley.

Herbert Bond returned Sunday to Detroit after spending the holidays with his brother, Henry Bond.

Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Moore and son, Charles, spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Dixon in Tawas City.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Trainor and family spent New Years with John Trainor and family, of Alabaster.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Collins and family spent New Years with Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Scarlett of the Hemlock.

The first meeting of the pedro club was held Friday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Collins. Prizes were awarded to Mr. and Mrs. G. W. McGerty and Herbert Bond, after which a dainty lunch was served by the hostess.

### IN MEMORY OF OUR "LOVING BOY," BIRD WILSON

We think he could say with Tennyson:

"Sunset and evening star,  
'Twas one clear call for me;  
And may there be no moaning of the bar  
When I put out to sea."

"But such a tide as moving seems asleep,  
Too full for sound and foam;  
When that which drew from out the boundless deep  
Turns again home."

"Twilight and evening bell,  
And after that the dark;  
And may there be no sadness of farewell  
When I embark."

"For tho' from out our bourne of time and place,  
The flood may bear me far  
I hope to see my Pilot face to face  
When I have crossed the bar."

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wilson, Midge Wilson,  
Mrs. Elizabeth Taulker.

Be a booster every minute of your time. Don't knock.

Chronology of the Year 1920

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INTERNATIONAL

Jan. 1-Bolshevik announced capture of Ekaterinograd... Jan. 3-Lithuanian and Polish troops took Dvinsk from the Bolsheviks...

March 5-City of Juarez joined the Mexican revolt... March 15-United States senate adopted new Article X reservation to peace treaty...

March 19-Samuel Gompers re-elected president of the American Federation of Labor... April 1-United States Supreme court granted permission to state of New Jersey to institute original proceedings to test validity of...

Nov. 9-Ludwig III, former king of Bavaria... Recovered stolen Clio Bank Bonds... \$22,700 securities recovered in Detroit express office...

RECOVER STOLEN CLIO BANK BONDS... \$22,700 SECURITIES RECOVERED IN DETROIT EXPRESS OFFICE AND FIVE ARE HELD... ASSISTANT CASHIER IS HELD...

DISASTERS

Jan. 2-Earthquake in Mexico killed many persons and did vast damage...

NECROLOGY

Jan. 1-Thomas Hume, millionaire lumberman at Muskegon, Mich., died...

SPORTS

Jan. 15-A. Haugen of Colorado won the international ski tournament at Cary, Ill.

YOUNG BANDIT PLEADS GUILTY

Inspired by Movie Stunts Pulled Off By Bill Hart...

RUM SUSPECTS FURNISH BAIL

Government Agents Arrest 57 in Raid on Hurley Saloonkeepers...

FOREIGN

Jan. 19-Dr. Jose Luis Tamayo elected president of Ecuador...

DOMESTIC

Jan. 2-Thousands of Reds arrested in many cities. Raids continued daily...

INDUSTRIAL

Jan. 8-Steel strike called off by workers' committee...

AERONAUTICS

Feb. 7-Maj. R. W. Schroeder made world's altitude record of 36,025 feet at Dayton, O., and then fell five miles, but survived...

SOVIET TO SPEND 17 BILLIONS

Program Outlined By Lenin Before All-Russian Congress...

**SHERMAN SHOTS**

Matt Jordan motored to Tawas City Sunday.  
 Frank Goldsmith was at Bay City on business Tuesday.  
 Miss Eva Schneider spent Sunday with relatives in Grant.  
 Sheriff Robinson of Tawas City was in town on business Tuesday.  
 Mrs. Chas. Schneider spent Sunday with her mother at Whittemore.  
 G. A. Pringle of Tawas City was in town on business one day last week.  
 Rev. Oscar of Reese held service at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Amil Herman last week.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Henry Jordan have returned to their home in Grayling after spending the holidays with relatives here.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Stanley VanSickle of Grant visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Schneider the first part of the week.  
 A letter received from Mr. and Mrs. Frank Smith states that they arrived safe at Niagara Falls and that they were about to leave for St. Louis, as they expect to be back by the first of next week so Mrs. S. can resume teaching school Monday.

**LIDLAWVILLE**

Martin Schmalz, who has been here for a couple of weeks, left Tuesday for Detroit.  
 Frank Lang spent several days last week in Saginaw receiving medical treatment.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gottlieb spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Henry Anschuetz.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Carpenter of Lansing visited Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm McLeod last Friday.  
 Little Roy Colby spent his Christmas vacation with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wood.  
 Mrs. Louis Bischoff, who was visiting here over the holidays, returned Monday to her home in Gaylord.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Charles Miller and Donald Carpenter from Grant spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm McLeod.  
 Mr. and Mrs. John Anschuetz and Miss Augusta Schaff were dinner guests on New Years day at the home of Ferdinand Anschuetz.  
 James Reed of Twining, accompanied by his brother, Wellington Reed of Bad Axe, visited with Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Laidlaw last Friday.

**RENO RUMBLINGS**

Mrs. Ross Williams is on the sick list.  
 The holidays are over and work is again taken up.  
 Mrs. Keith and son, Lawrence, were Reno callers Monday.  
 The Taft school opened last Monday after a weeks vacation.  
 Lleyd Johnson entertained relatives from Otisville last week.  
 Henry Kane of Tawas City was a business visitor in Reno last Friday.  
 Chas. Harsch spent Saturday and Sunday with friends at South Branch.  
 Rev. and Mrs. Voller and children left last Tuesday for their home in Elsie.  
 Mrs. Alva Hutchinson is staying at the parental home during the absence of her husband.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Josiah Robinson and family spent New Years day with Mr. and Mrs. Mason.  
 Miss Margaret Sibley was absent from her school the first of the week owing to a bad cold.  
 Rolandis Harsch returned to Flint Sunday after spending the holidays at the parental home.  
 Mrs. Will Latter and daughter, Florence, spent a few days with friends in Wilber last week.  
 Mrs. Arthur Latter and Mrs. Ida Sauve were over night visitors with Mrs. Sam Hutchinson Monday.  
 Cecil Westervelt returned Monday to his work at Rose City, after spending the holidays with his parents at Taft.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Webster and Earl Stockdale enjoyed New Years dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Webster.  
 Mrs. Will Charters' many friends in Reno are grieved to hear of her accident and hope for her speedy recovery.  
 Ernest Crego went to Lansing Tuesday, where he has business in connection with the meeting of the state legislature.  
 Alva Hutchinson and Willard Williams have gone to Lansing, where they have employment with the Consumers Power Co.  
 Mrs. Eva Stanlake and sister, Miss Vera McDougald, returned to Bay City Monday after spending a week at the parental home.  
 We certainly had a fine autumn and the open weather continued into December, stock remaining in the pasture nearly up to Christmas.  
 Mrs. Falls of Wilber returned to East Tawas Monday, having made a holiday visit at the home of her daughter, Mrs. J. Westervelt.  
 Miss Rosena McDougald visited relatives and friends here Thursday. She anticipates finishing her coltge course at Ypsilanti in August.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Grant Murray entertained at New Years dinner Mrs. P. J. Harsch and sons, Louis and Rolandis, and granddaughter, Marian, Mrs. Chas. Harsch and son, Leonard, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Brown and daughters, Leona and Muriel, Mr. and Mrs. Will White and daughter, Vernetha, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Frockins and daughter, Ellen.

**WILBER WARBLINGS**

A. Simmons has been on the sick list during the past week.  
 Miss Pearl Newberry from East Tawas visited a few days the past week at her home here.  
 Herbert Phelps left last Saturday for Lansing, where he will finish his course in the M. A. C.  
 Miss Hattie Greene has returned to Cheboygan, after spending the holidays at her home here.  
 Wm. Richardson of Detroit is visiting his brother, F. M. Richardson, for two or three weeks.  
 A large crowd attended the oyster supper and dance last Friday evening and all report a fine time.  
 John Bulley jr. has returned to his work in Flint after spending the holiday vacation at his home here.  
 Richard Cornette from East Tawas visited here during the past week at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Vernon Alda.  
 Miss Laura Searle returned last Saturday to Flint to resume her duties as teacher in one of the schools there.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Latter and daughter, Florence, from Reno visited a few days last week with Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Syme.  
 Edward Goings, who has been in Toledo and other points in Ohio for the past few months, came home last Friday.  
 Miss Ida Lilyquist has returned to Detroit after spending Christmas here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. V. Taft.  
 Fred Devens and family are moving to Bay City. It is reported that they have rented their farm to Mr. Fahselt from Bay City.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Byron Brooks and daughter, Dorothy, of Flint are visiting at the home of Mr. B.'s parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Brooks.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Paul Gauthier from Flint spent the holiday vacation here at the home of Mrs. G.'s parents, Mr. and Mrs. Allan Simmons.  
 Mr. and Mrs. B. Clute and family have returned to their home in Detroit, after spending a week here at the home of Mrs. C.'s father, Wm. Phelps.

**The Sadducees.**

Sadducees and Pharisees were the names of two powerful but antagonistic parties in the Jewish church, and in Jewish society at the time of Our Lord's earthly ministry. They differed radically respecting what may be called politics, and respecting certain religious beliefs. The Pharisees were the national party, adhering with all possible strictness to Jewish traditions, and labored incessantly to keep alive the national spirit, although their country was a conquered part of the Roman empire. In politics the Sadducees were trimmers, adjusting their practices to prevailing conditions. They were the priestly-aristocratic party, who allied themselves always with the ruling power, even when that power was anti-national in its aims. In Our Lord's time the name indicated differences which were religious as well as political. The Sadducees may broadly be described as rationalists, the Pharisees as ritualists. The radical difference as regards faith, that is brought out clearly in the Gospels, is this: The Pharisees believed in the doctrine of the resurrection of the dead; the Sadducees did not.

**The First Bicycle.**

The first man in England to make a bicycle was James Ploveright, who died in September last. He copied the first "boneshaker" brought over from France. Mr. Ploveright's first bicycle was built entirely of iron, with clattering iron wheels, but later he introduced iron-shod wooden wheels. Subsequently he made the tall ordinary. The actual inventor of pedals to propel the front wheels of a bicycle was M. Michaux, of Paris, who invented the bicycle proper in 1863. 18 years after Mr. Ploveright was born. It was imported into England in 1868, and it was apparently this bicycle that Mr. Ploveright copied. James Starley, a Sussex mechanic, was the man who converted the old-fashioned "boneshaker" into the modern bicycle and tricycle.

**Cars to Be Run by Sugar Power.**

Sugar as a source of alcohol for use as motor fuel was predicted by Admiral Dumas at the Imperial motor transport conference, held at Olympia, London.  
 He looked forward, he said, to sugar being a by-product of coal and alcohol becoming the main product. Similarly with wine. He hoped to see wine the by-product and alcohol the main product.  
 The admiral added that he welcomed the "Pussyfoot" campaign, as it might set free sources of alcohol now wasted in wines and spirits.  
 "I should like to see," he declared, "a prominent government official hanging on every lamp-post where gas is burned owing to the loss of benzol incurred in the burning of coal to produce gas."

**The Trouble.**

Patience—What's become of Percy, who used to go with you so much?  
 Patrice—Why, a cloud came into his life.  
 "About the size of a man's hand, I suppose?"  
 "No; exactly the size of my papa's foot."

**The Earliest Machine.**

The earliest known machine, which existed in Egypt centuries before the Christian era, was a contrivance to drill out stone vessels. It consisted of a vertical shaft with a crank at the top, attached to the base to receive a cutting edge of a sharp stone.

**A Texas Home Rule.**

Our position simply is that a married man should finish washing the dishes before he takes his smoke.—Dallas News.

**WHITTEMORE**

John Earhart was at Tawas City Tuesday.  
 Doctor Smith was in Tawas on business Tuesday.  
 The Farm Bureau held a meeting here Tuesday.  
 Art McMurray of Flint was in town last week.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Leslie and family spent Sunday at Prescott.  
 Mrs. Otto Rahl and son, Billie, are visiting relatives in Detroit.  
 Rev. McMichael is entertaining his mother and sister from Cheboygan county.  
 Miss Ina Bradley, county school commissioner, visited our schools this week.  
 Mr. and Mrs. John McLean left Friday for Detroit for a two weeks visit with their son, Leo.  
 The doctor from the public health department and the nurse examined the school children Tuesday and Wednesday of this week.

**HEMLOCK SLIVERS**

Mrs. Henry Durant is still very ill. Dan Carpenter is home from Lansing.  
 Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Austin Allen, a son.  
 The schools opened Monday after the holidays.  
 Miss Myrtle Hayes is home from Detroit to spend a few days with her mother.  
 Henry Durant was in Whittemore on business Tuesday.  
 Lettie Fraser is home from Port Huron spending the holidays with his parents.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Earl Smith spent Christmas at Boyne City with Mrs. Smith's parents.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Brown and daughters spent New Years day at the Cleveland ranch.  
 Miss Rosina McDougald of Bay City spent a few days here with her brother, Leslie Fraser.  
 A number from here took in the dance at Whittemore New Years eve. All report a good time.  
 Miss Mary Smith is home spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Smith.  
 Mrs. Andrew McIvor, Mrs. Willis Shipman and Mrs. Chas. Brown spent Wednesday with Mrs. Henry Durant.  
 Mrs. Biggs and granddaughter, Nellie, left Monday for their home in Lansing, after spending the holidays with her son, Leon Biggs, and family.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Willis Shipman have returned to their home in Belding after a two weeks visit with her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Brown.

**Porcelain Money.**

A new element may be introduced into the field of numismatics by the proposal to issue porcelain money throughout Germany. With this purpose in view, a Meissen porcelain factory has already manufactured specimens of coins ranging from 10 pfennig to 5 mark pieces. How successful the new proposal will be remains to be seen. Its adoption would mark an interesting breach with the traditional use of gold, silver, and bronze; and the well-known formulae, A. AR and A.E., of the catalogues would have to be supplemented. Apart from the occasional employment of electrum, billon, brass, and potin, iron in the Peloponnesus, and glass for coin weights in Arabia, the three established metals, in their varying forms, have rarely been challenged.

**Modern Tanning Interior.**

Commenting on an article by Robert G. Skerrett on the tanning of leather, the Scientific American says: "The modern art of tanning falls short of the standards set in days gone by. It used to take two years to convert 'green' hide into marketable leather; the modern tanner thinks that he is doing well if he devotes five months to the process. No chemical process has been developed of speeding up the process without detracting from the quality of the product."

**Overworking a Proverb.**

"Father," said the small boy, "what is a profiteer?"  
 "A profiteer, my son, is a man who runs across the proverb, 'Make hay while the sun shines' and overworks it."

**Reading.**

The reading which has pleased with people who read it for hours.

**United States' Bad Lands.**

This is the translation of "Mauiavises Terres," the term used by the French-Canadian trappers to describe those regions of unconsolidated rocks that have been extensively eroded. Bad lands occur on arid plateaus formed by horizontal strata of loosely cemented sands and gravels. The best examples of such regions are found in the upper portion of the Missouri drainage basin, in the vicinity of the Black hills. Some are to be found also in Colorado, Arizona, New Mexico and Texas.

**Bermuda Islands Very English.**

Although a Soudan's name distinguishes the group of islands, England speaks from most of the units comprising the Bermudas. The Main School, St. George's, Page Smith St., East of George's, Nassau, Warford, and St. Peter's, are all English. The Bermudas are a very English group of islands.

**Coughs Undermine Health**

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**Dispersal Sale**

I have concluded that a man of my age can do no more than one job at a time in justice to himself and the job, and as I cannot seem to get very far from the hammer and saw, I have decided to dispose of all my personal property at public auction on

**TUESDAY, JANUARY 18**

beginning at 9 o'clock a. m., all the following described property, at my farm two miles from Tawas City on the Hemlock road, known as the Kelvoo farm. Everything will positively be sold at your price, as I intend to rent or leave the farm.

One bay horse 10 years old, weight 1300  
 One black mare 5 years old, weight 1450  
 One black mare 9 years old, weight 1200  
 One gray mare in foal, weight 1200  
 One red cow 6 years old, due in April  
 One black cow 7 years old, due in February  
 One roan cow 3 years old, due in February  
 One black cow 3 years old, due in March  
 One black and white cow 3 years old, milking, due in June  
 One two year old red heifer due in February  
 One Holstein bull old enough for service  
 Two pure bred reg. Holstein heifer calves  
 Four yearlings  
 Six last spring calves, roan heifers mostly

Four pigs, 60 hens, 6 pure bred Barred Rock roosters, two sets heavy harness, 1 set double driving harness, 1 single harness, 1 McCormick binder, 6 ft. right hand cut, new; 1 McCormick mower, 1 rake, 1 roller, disk, spring tooth harrows, spike tooth harrows, two horse cultivator, walking cultivator, Planet jr. grain drill, 1 set new sleighs, set lighter sleighs, Parker plow No. 52, Syracuse plow No. 72, low wheel wagon, democrat buggy, surrey, single buggy, 60 gal. oil can, 10 gal. cream can, 5 gal. cream can, 1 tank force pump, 1 DeLaval separator, 1 Ironclad incubator, 140egg, 1 Old Trusty incubator, 110 egg size, 400 bushels oats, 40 bushels barley, 25 bu. buckwheat, about 100 shocks corn, 300 bushels stock carrots, 50 bu. potatoes, 30 bu. apples, 10 tons hay, 6 tons straw, 10 gal. vinegar in barrel, and all household goods, consisting of piano, beds, tables, chairs, rockers, lamps, dishes, and odds and ends of furniture, in fact a complete dispersal of everything.  
 Come and help us have a successful sale.

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We wish you a happy New Year. We thank you for the business you have given us during the past year and hope for a continuance of same during the coming year. It has been, and is our desire to furnish you with everything you need in Drugs, Medicines and Drug Store Goods; to keep only fresh drugs of the best quality and to charge only a reasonable price. We are at your service at all times—and we are careful Druggists.

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I have opened up a cash grocery store at Emery Junction and will carry a full line of groceries and meats. I invite you to visit us.

I buy cream for the Iosco Creamery Co. and am in the market for hogs, veal calves, poultry, butter and eggs, hides and fur. Get my prices before selling to anyone else.

Will be open for business Saturday, Jan. 8. Bring us a can of cream for a trial.

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**NOTICE TO THE TAXPAYERS OF SHERMAN TOWNSHIP**

The township tax rolls are now in my hands for collection and I will be at my home every Thursday and Friday to receive taxes.  
 P. O. address, Turner, R. D. 1.  
 Geo. W. Kohn, Treas.