

TAWAS CITY

J. W. MURPHY DIED SATURDAY AT FLINT

Wm. Phelan of Mayville spent the Thanksgiving holiday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Phelan. Miss Lucille Dyke accompanied him.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Moeller, Mrs. Ernest Moeller and Jean, were at Bay City Tuesday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Mark spent Tuesday at Baldwin, Mich.

Bargains at McCaskey's sale. Adv. Miss M. Cowgill spent a couple of days this week in West Branch. Good piano, \$45. W. M. McCaskey.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Mark returned from a week's visit in Detroit.

Men's suits and overcoats at the new prices. Barkmans. adv.

Mr. and Mrs. Al. Stansel of Detroit visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kirbetz last Friday.

Mrs. Harriett Leslie is visiting in Prescott this week.

Shop early. We have a fine selection of candies and nuts for the holidays. A special discount given to schools and churches. We will be glad to have you stop in and look it over. Moeller Bros. adv.

Mrs. N. D. Murchison spent Thursday in Bay City.

Come in and see the Renown circulator heater. W. A. Evans Furniture Co. adv.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Berzhinski spent Thursday and Friday in Bay City.

The women's department of the L. D. S. church will serve a "Jimmy Dugan" supper at the home of Mrs. G. A. Pringle, Thursday, Dec. 10, beginning at 5:30 Eastern time and continuing until all are served. Price, 25c. adv.

Mrs. Wm. Gottleber of Saginaw visited her sister, Mrs. Edward Burtzloff, over the week end.

188-proof alcohol, 50c per gallon. Frank R. Dease, Tawas City. adv.

How about a Pocket Billiard table for Christmas? \$6.50 to \$25.00. W. A. Evans Furniture Co. adv.

Mrs. Christina Mills and children of Midland spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Sommerfeld, and sister, Mrs. E. H. Ulman.

We are making a special effort to help you make your money go farther for Christmas gifts. W. A. Evans Furniture Co. adv.

You cannot give your friends a more acceptable gift than baby's photograph in a charming folder. Sittings nights and Sunday. Bassler Studio. adv.

Mr. and Mrs. August Luedtke and June Schriber were at Bay City on Wednesday. On their return they were accompanied by Mrs. Nat. Flanigan and daughter of Ypsilanti, who will visit her mother, Mrs. Bertha Look, for two weeks.

Saturday, December 5—Pure pork sausage, lb., 15c; frankfurts, lb., 10c; ring bologna, lb., 10c; peaches, Yellow Cling, large can, 15c; coffee, 2 lbs., 35c; pure lard, lb., 10c. J. A. Brugger. adv.

Telephone your news to 68. The Tawas City Eastern Star chapter is giving a dancing and card party for their members and friends on Friday evening, December 11th. Refreshments will be served and the total cost will be seventy-five cents per couple.

The DelMar Beauty Shop will be closed for the next two weeks, but will again open Monday, Dec. 14. Specials. Alta Leslie. adv.

Mr. and Mrs. Byron Grosbeck and son, Byron, of Munising, are visiting relatives in the city.

Don't forget the Rummage Sale by Tawas City M. E. Ladies Aid, Dec. 11 and 12 at the Kelly Building. adv.

Harry Gottleber and friend, Edw. Zeman, of Saginaw were week end visitors of Edw. Burtzloff and enjoyed a few days of deer hunting.

Miss Beulah Brown is substituting for Mrs. Jos. Hamel as teacher at Mikado for two weeks.

J. A. Murphy and brother, John P. Murphy of Lansing, will spend Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Leo Hammond at Sandusky. Mr. Hammond was a former manager of the Beatrice Creamery here.

Why not frame that picture for Christmas? W. A. Evans Furniture Company. adv.

Wm. Rouiller returned Tuesday from Bay City, where he has been a patient at Samaritan hospital for nearly three weeks. He is recovering as rapidly as can be expected. (Turn to No. 1, Back Page)

BAPTIST CHURCH
10:00 a. m.—Morning Service.
11:15 a. m.—Bible school. Theme—"John's Vision on Patmos."
6:45 p. m.—Young People's Service. Leader, Mrs. R. Beebe.

7:30 p. m.—Gospel Service. Hemlock Road.
2:00 p. m.—Bible School.
3:00 p. m.—Preaching Services. Frank Metcalf, Pastor.

L. D. S. CHURCH
All services on Eastern Standard time.
10:30 a. m.—Sacrament and devotional services.
11:15 a. m.—Church school.
8:00 p. m.—Preaching services.
8:00 o'clock Wednesday evening—Prayer services.

You are welcome. Come.

James W. Murphy, well known and highly esteemed former resident of this city, died last Saturday at his home in Flint. Cerebral hemorrhage was the cause of death.

James Walter Murphy was born December 11, 1865, at Port Austin. He was married in 1904 to Miss Julia Ortiz. To this union four children were born. The wife and one daughter, Miss Margaret Murphy, survive.

The deceased had been an inspector at the Chevrolet Motor company plant in Flint for the past 14 years. However, he had retained his residence here except for the past two years.

The funeral services were held Wednesday morning at his home in Flint. Dr. Diamond, of the Methodist Episcopal church of Flint, officiated. Burial was made Wednesday afternoon at the Tawas City cemetery. Rev. M. A. Sommerfeld officiated at the grave.

Those attending the funeral from Flint were, Dr. and Mrs. W. Bennett, Mrs. L. H. Smythe, Miss Florence McKee, Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Vuilleumot.

IMPROVEMENT PLAN FOR POINT LOOKOUT REJECTED
The proposition for the improvement of Pt. Lookout harbor has been made and is unfavorable to the improvement, according to reports from the war department to The Independent.

The principal grounds on which the adverse conclusion is based are that there is no general commerce at the locality, present or prospective to justify the construction of a harbor for general lake shipping; that the benefits of a harbor of refuge would be confined to small fishing vessels operating seasonally in adjacent waters, and to pleasure craft from nearby yachting centers; and that the comparatively large cost to the Federal government of providing a harbor of refuge by dredging and the construction of necessary breakwaters is not justifiable at the present time.

The conclusion of the war department is open to appeal.—Arenac Independent.

STATE THEATRE LOWERS ADMISSION PRICES
Jas. H. Leslie, owner of the State Theatre, announced today that admission prices at the State would be materially lowered beginning with next Sunday's program. Week day adult tickets under the new price schedule will be 25c, and Sunday 35c. Children's tickets will remain at 10c.

Mr. Leslie said, "We are making the new price schedule to conform to the general trend of lower prices. The quality of our programs will not be lowered and we believe a larger number will find it possible to see our fine pictures on account of the lower prices. We have been very fortunate in securing some of the very best pictures for your entertainment during the coming winter months."

The first presentation under the new price schedule is "Smart Woman," which shows Sunday, Monday and Tuesday. "Smart Woman" is thoroughly pleasing entertainment—packed with side-splitting comedy, fast-moving action-drama, domestic philosophy and colorful settings—and is interpreted by a cast of unusually clever players. Mary Astor and Robert Ames have the principal roles, and are supported by Edward Everett Horton, Noel Francis, Robert Halliday, Ruth Weston, Gladys Gayle, and others.

GEORGE BANCROFT GREAT IN DRAMA OF THE PRESS
In "Scandal Sheet," which comes to the Family Theatre, East Tawas, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, December 8, 9, 10, George Bancroft, usually the rough and tumble "he-man," plays the lead and plays it convincingly. He has admirable support from Kay Francis, cast as his unfaithful wife, and Clive Brook who is the other man. It is evident that those who played a part in the construction of the product either worked on newspapers or made a study of them, for the odor of printer's ink pervades it.

Especially good work is apparent in the backgrounds, involving the interior of a newspaper office. Every detail is faithful, from editorial department to press room. As the incidents in the first part of the picture, having been taken from life, ring true, so toward the end of the picture, when Bancroft, forced by his own creed to print all the news, must carry the story of his wife's infidelity, it still rings true.

Bancroft, in these sequences, undergoes a terrific mental struggle. He, through intelligent acting, brings the fullness of that struggle to his audience.

Regis Toomey, as the reporter, and Lucien Littlefield, the city editor (Bancroft is managing editor), present creditable performances.

Interior shots reveal in full the backgrounds which help so much to give the story verity. Sound is well-balanced, with no rough or weak spots. This picture is being shown by the request of many patrons.

The President's Message



OFFICIAL WEIGHT RECEIPTS NECESSARY FOR SECURING TRUCK, TRAILER LICENSES

Under present regulations governing the issuance of 1932 licenses for trucks and trailers, owners are required to use only Department of State weight receipts in certifying to the weight of their vehicles. It was announced today by Frank F. Taylor, manager of the Department of State branch office, Court House, Tawas City, Michigan.

The scales of the following companies have been designated as official and they will weigh all trucks and trailers and furnish official department weight receipts: H. J. Jacques, Whittemore; Frank R. Dease, Tawas City; John H. Schriber, East Tawas; and Chas. S. Hennigar, Oscoda.

BAY CITY SCHOOLS PHYSICAL EDUCATION SUPERVISOR WILL SPEAK AT NEXT P-T. A. MEET

For their next meeting on Thursday, December 10th, the P-T. A. take pleasure in announcing that they have secured Miss Florence M. List, supervisor of physical education in the Bay City public schools, to give an illustrated talk on the 1930 presentation of the Passion Play at Oberammergau which it was her good fortune to attend. It is hoped and desired that there will be a record turnout for this interesting event.

CHILD HEALTH COMMITTEE TO MEET AT EAST TAWAS

The December meeting of the County Child Health Committee will be held at the Literary Club rooms at East Tawas on Tuesday, December 8th, at 2:00 p. m., E. S. T.

The East Tawas group is in charge of the program. Mrs. W. A. Evans will give a talk on state institutions for the care of children with physical or mental handicaps. F. A. Reagan will speak on school sanitation. Music will be provided by the East Tawas high school under the direction of Miss Huhtala. W. A. Evans will present the local welfare problems. Following the program light refreshments will be served.

"SUICIDE FLEET" IS SENSATIONAL SMASH

The Family Theatre, East Tawas is showing a picture on Sunday and Monday, December 6 and 7, that will thrill you as you never have been since "The Big Parade" or "Wings." It is "The Suicide Fleet," an inside story of how we sank the submarines. The navy lent every cooperation to RKO Pathe, including submarines, destroyers, and personnel.

"Suicide Fleet" is big—a feast of thrills and laughs—a picture for the whole family. Don't miss it, December 6-7.

Remember our Sunday matinee at 3:00, E. S. T.

EMANUEL'S LUTHERAN CHURCH

Sunday, Dec. 6—English service, 9:30 a. m., in connection therewith celebration of Holy Communion. German service, 11:00 a. m.

Monday, Dec. 7—Choir rehearsal, 8:00 p. m.
Tuesday, Dec. 8—Bible class, 8:00 p. m.

Thursday, Dec. 10—Adult confirmation instruction class.
Walter C. Voss, Pastor.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN

On and after this date, November 28, I will not be responsible for any debts contracted by anyone other than myself.

Signed, H. J. Rommel.

SCHOOL NOTES

Prepared and Edited by a Committee of the Student Council

High School
Report cards were given out on Wednesday in all departments of the school. Those on the honor roll for this month are as follows: Norma Kesichko, Nelda Mueller, Leonard Horbach, Vernon Davis, Arlene Leslie, Theone Lincoln, Jack Mark, Arnold McLean, Dora Mark, Nathan Lincoln, Sylvia Koskie, Robert Hamilton, Leona Ulman, Elsie Mueller, Viola Burtzloff.

The school pupils are busy selling the Christmas seals of the Michigan Tuberculosis Association. This is the only means of income of this worthy corporation and consequently deserves the support of all citizens. The seals cost one cent each. The room selling the greatest number will be given a prize.

Remember the senior play, "He's My Pal," at the State Theatre Tuesday evening, December 22. Admission thirty-five and fifteen cents. Come!

The December meeting of the local P. T. A. will be held at the school building Thursday evening, December 10. An excellent program has been arranged, and refreshments will be served. The meeting will begin at eight o'clock.

Seventh and Eighth Grades
Vera Thornton enrolled in the eighth grade this week.

Our room is trying to make the largest sale of Christmas seals. So far we are in the lead. The winning room will be awarded a prize.

The following people have been neither absent nor tardy this year: Madge Brugger, Rita Koepke, Billy Mallon, Thomas Metcalfe, Dorothy Nelson, Allan Rouiller, Doris Brugger, Richard King, George Laidlaw, Robert Mark, Gordon Myles, Roy Rouiller, Willard Wright.

Fifth and Sixth Grades
The following people were on the honor roll for the month of November: Eugene Wegner, Norma Jean Musolf, Betty Davis, Ruth Clark, Charles Cecil, June Brown, Vernon Blust, Richard Ziehl, Kenneth Smith, Emma Sawyer, Myrton Leslie, Margaret Fox, Lucille DePotty.

Robert Harrison is a new pupil in the sixth grade.

Third and Fourth Grades
Those on the honor roll for November are: Irene Cunniff, Marian Musolf, Marjorie Musolf, Betty Rapp, Mary Sims, Harold Wegner, Janet McLean, Dorothy Blust, Margaret Davis, Martha Herman, Martin McCormick, Allan Miller, Norma Malcolm, Betty Ulman, Ruth Gibson, Warren Kehoe.

Stanley Harrison and Robert Gibbons are new pupils in our room.

The fourth grade is learning the poem, "The Plight of the Camel." We are making illustrated booklets of it.

Primary
We are getting ready for Christmas.

The first grade played the story of "Henny Penny" Monday for language.

The following children are on the honor roll for November: Ruth Giddings, Arlene Harris, Harold Harris, Gordon Jones, Phil Mark, Betty Nelson, Richard Sievert, Junior DePotty, Eleanor Harris, Herbert Marz, and Leona Ziehl.

Your choice of Universal or Maytag washers at Barkmans. adv.

We can furnish anything in the heating line—laundry stoves, heaters or circulators. Heatrol or Glow Boy. Barkmans. adv.

CLUB PLANTS MEMORIAL TREES AT CITY HALL

The George Washington memorial tree planting program held Wednesday afternoon by the Twentieth Century Club was impressive and inspiring. Mrs. Eben Mumford, General Federation Director of Women's Clubs, was the principal speaker. There was a large attendance of club women with excellent representations from the East Tawas Literary club and the Literary Alliance club of Whittemore. About 40 members of the Whittemore club were in attendance.

The program started at about three o'clock with an address by Mrs. Mumford. She told of the many different women's organizations, international and American, to which women were devoting their energies and how they were interested in the major questions that are confronting the world today. She gave a very fitting tribute to the late G. A. Prescott, Sr., who served as food administrator, and told of how he encouraged the various women's organizations in their war work. She also greatly emphasized woman's part in the coming world peace conference to be held next February. Mrs. Mumford was introduced to the gathering by the president, Mrs. Emma Mark.

Mrs. Nyda Campbell Leslie rendered three beautiful vocal numbers, accompanied by Mrs. A. E. Giddings. Miss Worden then took charge of the memorial tree planting and gave an interesting account of the welfare work that George Washington accomplished. The women then passed out of doors where the planting of the trees took place. The spruce trees were furnished by L. H. Braddock from his ranch. Mrs. Pringle led in devotion. Mrs. Mumford placed the first earth around the roots of the Washington memorial tree, with Mrs. E. Mark, president of the Twentieth Century Club, Mrs. M. Danin of Whittemore, president of the Literary Alliance Club, and Mrs. S. Harrington of the Ladies Literary Club following. The club memorial tree planted in honor of the 25 years of service of the local club, was planted by the past presidents of the clubs and other leaders in club work.

Light refreshments of tea and cakes were served with Mrs. Harrington, Mrs. Danin and Mrs. Mark assisting. The table was decorated with candelabrum with white candles and flowers. The business session of the club followed the refreshments. The club expects to purchase a piano for use in the public rooms of the City Hall.

STEREOPTICON LECTURES GAINING IN POPULARITY
A unique and profitable as well as an educational meeting was held in the Whittemore Methodist Episcopal church on Sunday night, November 29th. Rev. George Smith gave a stereopticon lecture entitled "The Pilgrim Fathers," the pictures showing them at home in England, then in Holland, and finally at Plymouth rock, and the village they built, their crude boats which they undertook their hazardous journeys over tempestuous seas, their noble Christian spirit and consecration, bearing to the ease loving church of this day a severe rebuke as well as an earnest challenge.

This was the second of a series of stereopticon sermons which Rev. Smith is bringing to the churches of the Whittemore circuit on Sunday evenings. Commons' orchestra and the Glee Club of the Whittemore high school furnished the music and special selections.

The attendance has materially increased each evening. The public is cordially invited to come and share in the good things that all enjoy. The next service will be in the Prescott church next Sunday evening, and on the following Sunday evening again in Whittemore. Rev. Smith has a full program for the winter months, and it looks now as if the churches will be filled to their capacity.

"WATERLOO BRIDGE" COMES TO STATE HIGHLY PRAISED
"Waterloo Bridge," Universal's much-discussed picturization of the sensational Robert E. Sherwood drama of the same name, will be shown on the State Theatre screen next Wednesday and Thursday, with Hollywood's latest "find," Mae Clarke; Kent Douglas; Enid Bennett and Doris Lloyd in the principal roles.

The British-flavored picture of air raids and the love of a London lady of the streets for a young Canadian private, is reported as one of the dramatic gems of the picture capital's current crop.

The Sherwood story depicts the ill luck of a pretty chorus girl who descends, as the war progresses, to a cheap artist's model and eventually to a solicitor. A boyish soldier literally runs into her during the course of an air raid, on London's well-known Waterloo Bridge, and eventually falls madly in love with her.

The ensuing situations in which the girl grows to love the boy and the intense scenes in which he takes her to visit his aristocratic parents are said to be the ultimate in drama.

EAST TAWAS

Mrs. L. Alverson and son, Ralph, spent Saturday in Detroit.

Mrs. A. Lundy of Detroit spent the week end in the city with her mother, Mrs. G. Hanson.

Owen Bigelow of Dexter spent a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. Bigelow.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Dimmick of Lansing spent Thanksgiving and the week end in the city with Mr. Dimmick's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Dimmick.

Blankets, Blankets. All sizes. All kinds. Barkmans. adv.

Dr. and Mrs. L. J. Kehoe and children of Flint spent Thanksgiving with Dr. Kehoe's sister, Mrs. T. Oliver, and husband.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Carlson entertained Mrs. Carlson's mother and sister from Saginaw over Thanksgiving and the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Kunze spent Thanksgiving at Bay City and Saginaw.

The home for useful Christmas gifts. Evans Furniture Co. adv.

Radio tubes tested free. W. A. Evans Furniture Co. adv.

Mrs. Edna Acton and Miss Mary Gardner spent Thursday in Bay City.

Kenneth Grinkey, who has been visiting in Flint, returned home.

Don't forget the Rummage Sale by Tawas City M. E. Ladies Aid, Dec. 11 and 12 at the Kelly Building. adv.

Beds, springs and mattresses. Look over our complete line. Barkmans. adv.

Mrs. J. McNamara, who spent several weeks at her summer cottage at Tawas Lake, returned to her home in Detroit.

Mrs. May Anderson of Bay City spent Thanksgiving in the city with her daughter, Mrs. Leona Askey, and mother, Mrs. Carrie Brown.

Picture framing a specialty. W. A. Evans Furniture Co. adv.

Edward H. Bassler spent Thanksgiving at Lansing with relatives.

Mrs. Bessie Pope and son of Bay City spent Thanksgiving with her sister, Mrs. Leona Askey.

Saturday, December 5—Pure pork sausage, lb., 15c; frankfurts, lb., 10c; ring bologna, lb., 10c; peaches, Yellow Cling, large can, 15c; coffee, 2 lbs., 35c; pure lard, lb., 10c. J. A. Brugger. adv.

You can buy that new living room suite at a real saving. Barkmans.

Mrs. Joel Merriam of Deckerville spent the week with her parents, Rev. and Mrs. W. L. Jones. Her husband joined her on Saturday.

Mrs. Clarence King and baby, who spent a few days in Comins with relatives, returned home.

Miss Marion Wilson, who has been in a Bay City hospital for a few days, returned home.

There is nothing quite so personal as the gift of your portrait. Evening and Sunday sittings made. Bassler Studio.

Wm. Miller left for Boyne City, where he will spend the winter with his daughter, Mrs. C. E. Aznoe.

Shop early. We have a fine selection of candies and nuts for the holidays. A special discount given to schools and churches. We will be glad to have you stop in and look it over. Moeller Bros. adv.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Aznoe, who spent a few days in the city with their sister, Mrs. May Bullock, returned to their home in Boyne City.

Wilmer Doby of Detroit visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Doby, of Alabaster, and Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Gilbert of East Tawas.

Rollin Brooks of Flint is spending a few days in Wilber with relatives.

Winter cabbage for sale, 1½c per lb. Jos. Lazar, Wilber. adv.

Mrs. Ray Greene and daughter, Arlene, of Wilber, are visiting at Ewart with relatives.

Duncan Boomer and Dennis McCormick of Flint, and Walter Misner of Bay City called on relatives in the Tawas and Wilber for a few days.

Henry Grabow of Lansing called on his aged mother, and sister, Mrs. H. Joppich, for a few days.

Milton Barkman spent the week end in Tower with relatives. He returned home Sunday.

Right at the time you need it, we are offering special prices on living room, bed room and dining room suites. Evans Furniture Co. adv.

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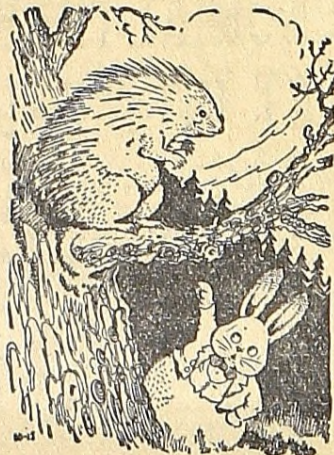
3 Weeks Until Christmas
Buy Christmas Seals NOW

THINGS REMEMBERED

By DOUGLAS MALLOCH

IF YOU have left some joy behind, Have you not left some sorrow? Or do you only keep in mind Your troubles for tomorrow? If joy can leave us, Cannot pain? Or must it grieve us, Grieve again? Do bright flow'rs perish with the past, The dark the only flow'rs that last? I've found the world the other way, And thank the good Lord for it. The sunset of departing day, Threw brighter beauty o'er it. The rock I could not See at all, The things I would not Care recall, I missed the narrow road I came— But all the windows were aflame. (©, 1931, Douglas Malloch.—WNU Service.)

Prickly Porky was getting a meal of bark. He had come along just in time to hear the last of Prickly Porky's remarks. "Contentment, of course," grunted Prickly Porky. "Hmm," said Peter. "I guess no one is any more contented than I am." "Then what are you doing way over here in the Green Forest?" demanded Prickly Porky. "Why don't you stay at home in the Old Brier Patch? Isn't there enough to eat there?" "Yes," replied Peter, "but—but—" "Never mind your butts, Peter," grunted Prickly Porky. "I know all



"Then What Are You Doing Way Over Here in the Green Forest?" Demanded Prickly Porky.

about them. You've got enough over there, but you want to see if you can't find something better. Now there may be better things to eat than I've got here, but here I am sure of enough, and so here I stay. I sleep when I feel sleepy, I eat when I feel hungry, I have no fear of anyone, and so I am very contented. Unk, unk, unk." Prickly porky pulled off a strip of bark and slowly ate it, grunting between each mouthful which, while it wasn't at all a nice thing to do, told all within hearing how very well satisfied he was with life, and in particular with what he was putting into his stomach. There was no doubt, that the smallest doubt in the world, that

Prickly Porky was just as he said he was—very contented. "How many narrow escapes have you had, Peter?" "Why—why—why, so many I can't count 'em," replied Peter. "I have at least one almost every day. I don't suppose there is any one who has as many narrow escapes as I do." "Unk, unk," grunted Prickly Porky. "Don't boast, Peter. Boasting is a bad habit. I never like to hear people boast, especially when it is a foolish boast. Now if you boasted that you seldom had narrow escapes it wouldn't be so bad. It would show that you really had some common sense in that head of yours. Now, isn't it perfectly true that nearly all of those narrow escapes you have are when you are outside of the Old Brier Patch?" Peter nodded.

"Then that proves that if you were contented to stay in the Old Brier Patch you would have nothing to worry about," continued Prickly Porky. "It is discontent that gets you into all your trouble. Instead of filling your stomach with what you have you go looking for something a little better, and half the time what you find isn't a bit better than what you already had. You should be like me, Peter. You should learn to be contented. There is nothing in the world like contentment. Unk, unk, unk! There is nothing like contentment, Peter Rabbit. Unk, unk, unk!" "Is it contentment that makes so many birds fly away when cold weather comes and that makes Johnny Chuck and Striped Chipmunk and a lot more go to sleep for the winter?" asked Peter.

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Most Serious Offenses

The seven grave offenses reported most frequently to the United States police are felonious homicide, including (a) murder, non-negligent manslaughter, and (b) manslaughter by negligence; rape, robbery, aggravated assault, burglary—breaking or entering; larceny—theft, including (a) thefts of \$50 and over and (b) thefts of under \$50, and auto theft.

Handsome Coat-Frock



Dorothy Lee, RKO-Radio Pictures' comedienne, wears this striking two-piece coat-frock of black crepe lavishly embroidered with silver and gold metal thread.

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UNUSUAL DISHES

ALL cooks enjoy using the common things in such a manner that an unusual dish or combination is the result.

Pepper Relish.

Take two cupfuls of finely chopped peppers (green and red may be used) and pack the cup solidly-full in measuring. Use a food chopper and put the peppers through the finest knife twice. Measure into the kettle, using just enough of the juice to flood the cup level. Add six and one-half cupfuls of sugar, one and one-half cupfuls of vinegar, mix well and bring to a boil, set aside uncovered for 20 minutes. Bring again to a boil and stir constantly, boiling hard for two minutes. Remove from the fire and stir in one bottle of pectin, stir and skim for just eight minutes to cool slightly and prevent floating. Pour quickly, cover the hot relish with a good cover of paraffin. This makes about nine glasses.

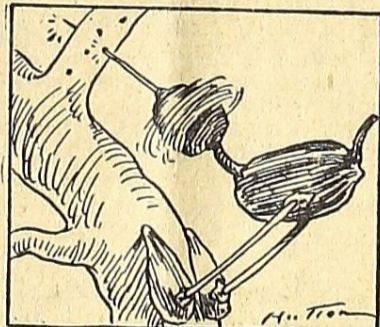
Roller Orange Wafers.

Cream one-half cupful of butter, add gradually one cupful of sugar and the grated rind of an orange, beat until light. Dissolve one teaspoonful of soda in one tablespoonful of cold water, add to one-half cupful of orange juice alternately with two cupfuls of flour. Beat well and spread on buttered baking sheet in the thinnest possible layer. Bake in a moderate oven. When baked cut into squares and roll each square while hot over the handle of a wooden spoon. Sprinkle with powdered sugar and arrange on a dolly-covered plate.

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necks considerably, so at sundown they jump in the air to unwind, which they do by holding the head stationary and rapidly revolving the body. The loud whirring noise of the spinning gwampus is often mistaken for a swarm of bees.

A good-sized needle fastened to a filbert head forms the chief working im-



plement of this bird. A larger filbert acts for the body. The feet are split almonds, the legs toothpicks, and claws are used for the tail and neck. (© Metropolitan Newspaper Service.) (WNU Service.)

Not Quite Ready



STAGE COACH TALES

By E. C. TAYLOR

The Runaway Stage

JUST as modern railroads sometimes are wrecked, shaking up or even killing passengers, so the stage coaches that were the chief mode of transportation between the Atlantic coast and the Middle West along the old National road a century ago, had their mishaps, sometimes fatal. Runaways were infrequent, but several are recorded. In three or four there was loss of life, but more often the passengers suffered only minor injuries when the stages overturned. David Gordon, who was driving for James Reeside's "June Bug" line—so named by Reeside's rival, Lucius W. Stockton, who said the line would last only until the June bugs came—was driving west from Claysville, Pa., soon after he had started handling the reins, when his horses ran off.

The coach carried a full load of passengers, and young Gordon, seeing that the flying horses could not be checked by ordinary methods, pulled the coach off the road and turned it over against a high bank. The passengers were badly frightened, but none was hurt. They attributed their escape from death or injury to the skillfulness of the driver. After righting the coach, which was little damaged, Gordon proceeded to Roney's Point.

This incident, or accident, gave Gordon a wide reputation as a cool and skillful driver and he rapidly advanced to the front rank of his calling. When the "June Bug" line was withdrawn from the road, as Stockton had predicted, Gordon took service with the "Good Intent" line and continued with it until all through lines of stage coaches were taken from the road. Gordon was a very strong man. He was 6 feet tall and weighed 200 pounds, and there was not an ounce of fat on his body. It was said that he could fight, but was not quarrelsome.

On one occasion he was compelled to engage in a knockdown, in self defense. That was at Triadelphia, Va. Three toughs fell upon him at that place, declaring their intention of "doing him up," as the phrase then was. They failed ignominiously. Gordon routed all three completely and decisively, and they never again sought an encounter with him. And the example of their fate rendered others with pugnacious proclivities to be shy about encountering him.

David Gordon was one of a class of quiet, well-mannered, soft-spoken stage drivers who did much to keep the reputation of all coach drivers of his time on a high plane before the public.

According to A. J. Endsley, who was born and reared along the old National road, the old time stage coach drivers, as a class, were better morally than the old wagoners who drove the huge freight wagons along the highway.

When the great road was opened, these wagoners immediately took possession, usurping all rights, and kept to the middle of the highway with their long trains of brightly painted covered gondolas filled with the farm products of the West, or the manufactured goods and staples of the East, forcing other vehicles to turn around them.

The stage drivers resented this autocracy, and decided to put a stop to it. They armed themselves with long poles, at the ends of which they placed spikes. On a given day, they started out, and as they met the wagon trains, refused to turn out, driving into the wagon trains with their make-shift lances and completely routing them. The hardy wagoners knew when they were beaten, and the fast stages thereafter were given the right of way.

Endsley says that some of the old stage drivers were given to blasphemy and heavy drinking, but that the worst of the stage drivers could be beaten in those respects by most of the wagoners.

He named, besides Gordon and "Red" Bunting, as well behaved stage drivers Thomas Grau, Alex Thompson, John Mills, Charley Howell, John High, William Robinson, Isaac Frazier, Isaac Denny, James A. Carroll, Samuel Halsted, William White, Samuel Jacob, Thomas Moore, William Bishop and John Bunting.

Two of the old stage drivers, William Robinson and Pate Side, were among the most noted penmen in the country.

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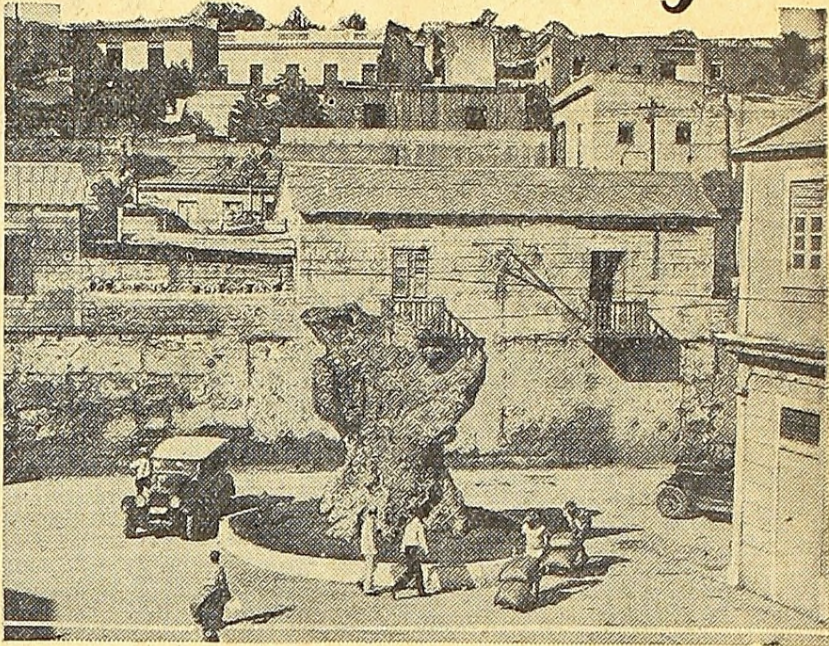
"Bond" and "Stock" Holders

The primary distinction between a bondholder and a stockholder is that the former is a creditor and the latter a part owner. This is a general distinction only, and does not take into account the various finer legal distinctions. The bondholder lends his money to the company, and is promised interest at a stated amount, as well as repayment of the principal sum at a future date. The stockholder, on the other hand, has a certain undivided share in the property of the company, the right to participate in profits, and generally voting privileges.

Sporting Streak

"Hiram" said Mrs. Cornstossel, "our boy Josh seems determined to live without workin'." "Humor him along," replied Farmer Cornstossel, "and let's take a chance. That kind of a feller always turns out to be either terribly poor or wonderfully rich."

Santo Domingo



Remains of a Ceiba Tree in Santo Domingo to Which Columbus Moored His Ships.

(Prepared by National Geographic Society, Washington, D. C.)—WNU Service.

THE dark, unmarked Santo Domingo harbor into which Columbus' three diminutive vessels sailed in 1492 soon will be lighted by a new lighthouse, a memorial to the Great Discoverer. Plans have already been chosen from those submitted by architects representing the United States and several countries of Europe.

Although now modernized, Santo Domingo still retains much of its early Spanish aspect. "Oldest in the New World" and "First to be established by white men in America" are phrases of inevitable recurrence in any descriptive list of the historic buildings and ruins of this ancient city. The early colonists built for the centuries, and many edifices dating from the Sixteenth century are still in use.

The ministry of foreign affairs and other departments of the Dominican government occupy the old colonial palace of government—a spacious structure that was venerable long before the first buildings rose at Jamestown, Va.

Surmounting a bluff which commands the entrance to the inner harbor rises the ancient Tower of Homage. Unshaken through the centuries this pioneer outpost of New World conquest seems to dream of the golden age when it guarded the key city of the far-flung empire of Spain in America.

In the tower is a small barred aperture that sometimes is pointed out as the window of the cell in which Columbus was imprisoned before being sent back to Spain in chains—a statement that cannot be true, since Columbus' imprisonment took place in 1500, when the city was situated on the opposite bank of the Ozama river. The same hurricane that destroyed the home-bound fleet in 1502 so damaged the city that it was decided to rebuild it on the higher western side of the Ozama, the site it now occupies.

House of the Admiral.

Of the buildings now in ruins one of the most interesting is the castle of Diego Colon or House of the Admiral, the ancestral home of the Columbus family in America. Its construction was begun in 1509, when Diego Columbus, second admiral and son of the discoverer, came to Santo Domingo as governor of the colony. The house was occupied by members of the Columbus family until the death of another Diego, great-grandson of the discoverer and last of the direct line of his male descendants.

Although the House of the Admiral has been allowed to fall into ruins, with its destruction further hastened by the vandalism of treasure-seekers, its historic walls will bear mute testimony to its former magnificence. It was to this and other pretentious mansions of the city that the chronicler Oviedo referred when in a letter to the king of Spain he said that his Royal Highness often lodged in palaces far inferior to those of Santo Domingo, and added that he considered the city superior to any in Spain in its location, beauty and arrangement.

Fifty years after its founding, Santo Domingo had passed the apex of its first glory. Interest in the new colony was eclipsed by desire for further conquest, and its meteoric rise was almost equaled by the rapidity of its decline. From a goal, Santo Domingo became a base for expeditions farther westward. Cortez, Pizarro and Ponce de Leon were only a few of the gentlemen adventurers who sailed out of the mouth of the Ozama with their eyes strained for the glitter of gold on the western horizon.

By 1586 the power of Santo Domingo had so waned that the capital fell an easy prey to Sir Francis Drake, and a ransom was extorted by methods smacking of the torture chamber. Each day proscribed buildings were demolished until about a third of the city lay in ruins. Then the citizens managed to scrape together a going-away present amounting to about \$30,000 with which Drake took his leave after hanging a few prominent citizens by way of valediction.

Of less stern caliber were the warriors of the Admiral Penn expedition which in 1655 was sent to the island by Cromwell with the object of gaining permanent possession of the colony. Landing on the coast west of Santo Domingo city, the English forces were met by determined resistance in their advance on the capital and were soon glad to leave Hispaniola

and regain some prestige by seizing the more defenseless colony of Jamaica.

"Battle of the Crabs."

According to legend, the defenders of Santo Domingo were aided by strange allies, and along the beach near Jaina the site of the traditional "battle of crabs" is still pointed out. The story runs that the invading forces camped here one night. With their nerves on edge from constant ambushes and surprise attacks, they mistook the clattering of the large number of land crabs hereabout for the hoof-beats of charging cavalry, and they were soon retreating pell-mell.

Between 1730 and 1740 the population of the capital fell to about five hundred, but fifty years later it was again riding on one of its high tides of greatness as a Spanish colonial city, only to be overtaken within a decade by another period of adversity.

Now, after more than four centuries of varying fortunes and despite siege, earthquake, and tropical hurricane, the brave old city stands defiantly at the mouth of the Ozama—a little bewildered, perhaps, as if undecided whether definitely to capitulate to the march of modern progress or wait patiently a little longer for galleons long overdue.

In the last thirty years the capital city has spread far beyond the limits of the old town.

One with a romantic turn of mind could wish that the streets in the old part of the city had been allowed to retain their original names, but these have nearly all been rechristened in honor of men and dates prominent in the history of the Republic. Of the old names, only the "Street of Isabel the Catholic" remains, and much of its romance is dispelled by the traffic policemen who briskly "shoo" automobiles along the narrow thoroughfares. Visitors may hunt a long time for a horse-drawn coche in which to drive about and view the city, but when one of the few left in commission finally is tracked down, they lack the moral courage to charter it for fear of being thought eccentric—or worse. It just isn't done any more.

Ashes of Columbus There.

The chief pride of the Dominicans is their faith that the ashes of Christopher Columbus rest within their cathedral at Santo Domingo. In 1795 Spain, having ceded Santo Domingo to the French, removed what its officials believed to be the ashes of the Great Discoverer to Havana. Upon the evacuation of Cuba by Spain in 1898, the Spanish government moved the Havana remains to Seville, Spain.

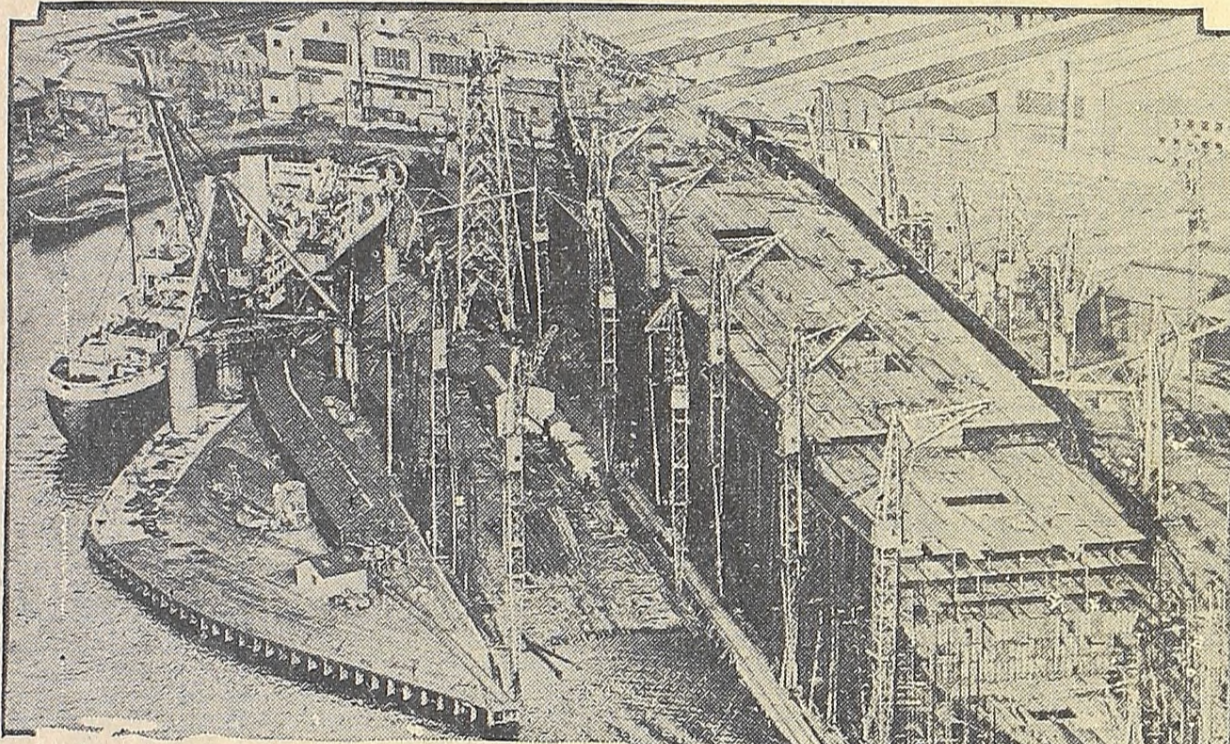
But in 1877, while the Santo Domingo cathedral was being remodeled, another vault containing a leaden casket was found. As soon as the casket surface appeared everything was sealed, and in the afternoon the president and his cabinet, the members of the diplomatic corps, the bishops and Apostolic delegate, and many others assembled to witness the completion of the excavation and the opening of the casket.

Outside and inside were found inscriptions which bear alike the name and the titles of Christopher Columbus. All present, including even the Spanish consul, joined in a notarial affidavit of the circumstances of the opening of the vault and casket and the description of their contents.

The late American minister, Thomas C. Dawson, pronounced the evidence complete, and the late American secretary of state, Philander C. Knox, on his visit to Santo Domingo in 1912, declared that any impartial court would sustain the contention that all that is mortal of the Founder of the New World rests within the Cathedral at Santo Domingo. Charles G. Dawes, United States ambassador to Great Britain, while in Santo Domingo in 1925 as the head of a commission to work out a budget system for the Dominican government, made a study of the evidence and reached the same conclusion as Minister Dawson and Secretary Knox.

One of the most tragic experiences in the history of Santo Domingo occurred in the afternoon of September 3, 1930, when a hurricane swept over the capital. Outside the walls of the stricken city the devastation was practically complete; inside the walls 70 per cent of the buildings were damaged and practically all of the 4,000 smaller homes were destroyed. Upward of two thousand people were killed and six thousand were injured.

Floating City For Atlantic Service



BUILDERS of transatlantic liners seem to be engaged in a real race as to size. The vessels they are putting afloat are getting bigger and bigger. Here is seen a huge 73,000 ton Cunard liner under construction at Clydebank, Scotland. An idea of this ship's immensity may be gained by comparison with the steamship Minnedosa, tied up at the left. Other European steamship companies are not lagging behind in the competition.

Giant for Defense



Jack Houbregs, who weighs 200 pounds and is correspondingly tall, is one of the star defense men of the Boston Bruins ice hockey team.

Your Home and You

By Betsy Callister

SOME USEFUL HINTS

IF YOU want to use soup stock without waiting for the grease to harden take a rather long piece of ice. Dip it in the stock and then scrape off the grease that adheres to the sides. Repeat this several times and most of the grease will have been removed. If you have no ice, soak a piece of clean cheesecloth in cold water and strain the stock through it. Dip the cloth in very hot water to take off the grease, wet again with cold water and strain a second time and practically all the grease will be removed.

If the soup stock is too salt slice a raw potato into it and it will absorb much of the salt. If custard curdles slightly through too long cooking, mix a little corn starch in cold water—about a half teaspoonful to a pint of liquid—and stir into the custard and cook over a low flame just long enough to cook the custard.

If you want to peel tomatoes to use at once and have no time to re-chill them after dipping in hot water, rub over the skin with the back of the paring knife. This loosens the skin almost as well as scalding.

If you want to have a gelatin dessert set more quickly than is possible in the refrigerator, set the dish containing the gelatin mixture in a large pan and surround the dish with chopped ice and salt. Ice cream salt is cheaper for this purpose, but in an emergency any sort of salt will answer the purpose.

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NUTTY NATURAL HISTORY

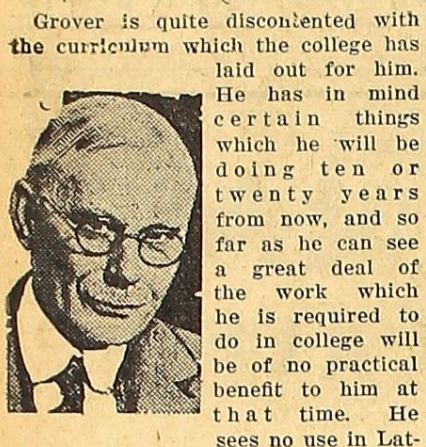
BY HUGH HUTTON

THE NEEDLEBEAK GWAMPUS

The illustration here shows one of the most interesting and at the same time rare birds of North America. Individuals have been reported in northern New York and Ontario, where they are usually seen perched on mahogany trees drilling round and round with their heads for boll weevils. A day's drilling of this sort will wind up their

WHAT WE NOW ARE

By THOMAS ARKLE CLARK
Emeritus Dean of Men,
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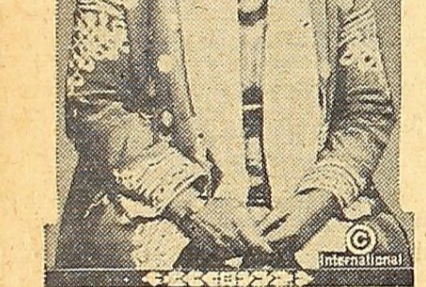


Grover is quite disconcerted with the curriculum which the college has laid out for him. He has in mind certain things which he will be doing ten or twenty years from now, and so far as he can see a great deal of the work which he is required to do in college will be of no practical benefit to him at that time. He sees no use in Latin or English literature or military drill and a half dozen other things with which his course is cluttered up.

"We none of us set out with the intention of being what we now are," a shrewd observer of human nature has said, "and we have all of us had to adapt ourselves to our situation from time to time."

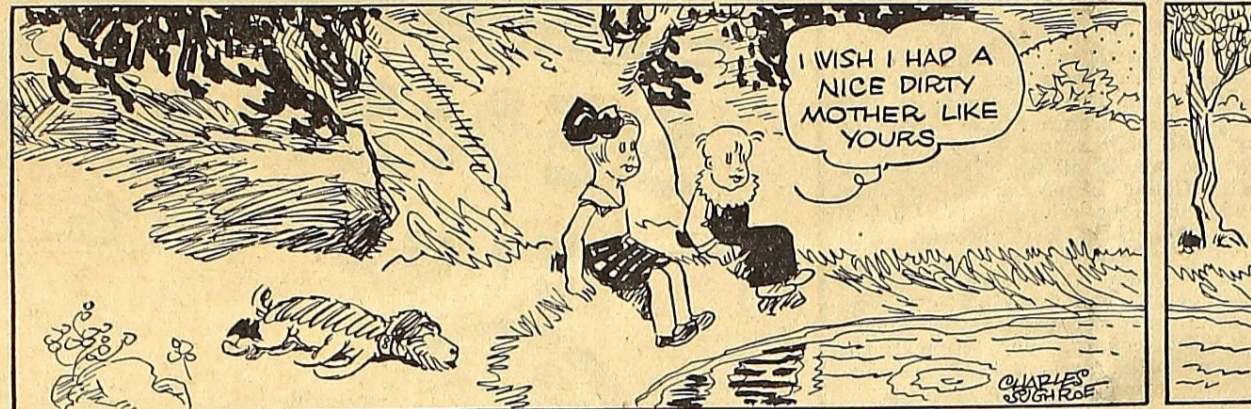
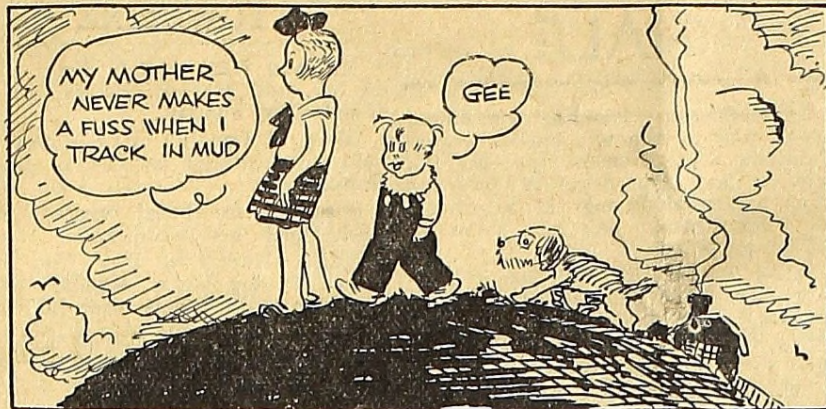
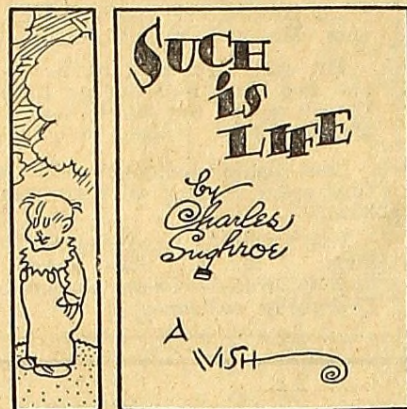
Possibly his statement is a little sweeping, but in my own case it is strangely true. I have never done anything that I planned to do, and no position which I have ever held did I go after. It was chance or opportunity or the request or the insistence of my friends that put me into one position or another. I think it is so with many people. They plan to do one sort of work or another and then settle down for life in something entirely different. For these reasons I believe it makes little difference what one studies in college, just so he chooses those branches of study which give him mental discipline and breadth of view. Whatever makes a man think is the best thing for him.

There was Brown. He had made up his mind before he was out of the grades that engineering was the thing for him. He ate up mathematics and physics and chemistry. He was miserable until his mother bought him a set of tools, and then he fixed everything in the neighborhood which needed mending or readjusting. He was on the honor roll in college in engineering, and was elected to Tau Beta Pi in his junior year. He is very likely a successful engineer now, you say. Not so. He is the president of a bank.



Grandmother at 32

Although she is barely thirty-two years old, Mrs. Pearl Downward of Rushville, Ind., holds the distinction of being the youngest grandmother in her state. At any rate, she is the youngest to claim the honor. Mrs. Downward was married at fifteen and became a mother a year later. Her daughter, Mrs. Verdi Stevens, now of Dallas, Texas, recently duplicated her mother's record.



TURK DICTATOR SPARES HERO'S LIFE

London.—"No traitor shall escape death," said Mustapha Kemal Pasha, dictator of Turkey, when, in 1923, he signed the death warrants previously executed by the sultan of Turkey, of those who had been traitors to their country during the war. The story has just reached London, however, of how the ghazi relented for the first time recently and freed one of Turkey's traitors.

The memory of his widowed mother, whom he adored, moved him to mercy in one of the most extraordinary stories coming out of the war. He granted state clemency to Capt. Sabry Bey, formerly of the British army, who had risked death by returning to Turkey eight years ago to see his mother before she died. He was arrested only recently.

Lieut. Sabry Bey of the Ottoman fusiliers of the imperial guard, was recommended for aeronautics in 1913 after a distinguished active service record in the Balkan war, and sent to England to train.

He was attached to the Royal Flying corps, then in its infancy, and became very popular in the mess. Through his kinsman, Prince Tewfik, the Turkish ambassador, who had fought with British allies in Crimea, he obtained entree into the most exclusive circles of English society.

When Britain declared war against Germany in August, 1914, Sabry, like all the rest of his comrades in the mess, got war fever. The pro-British tradition inherited from the Crimea became too strong for him. He entered the ranks of a British infantry regiment and fought at Mons, in the retreat, at Givenchy and at Neuve Chapelle. Within three months and before Turkey entered the war, Sabry Bey had won its commission as an officer in the British army in active service.

In the early days of November, 1914, telegrams from the war office at Constantinople arrived in London for Sabry recalling him to Turkey, which had already made up her mind to join the Germans. Sabry never replied and the Turkish ambassador was unable to obtain any trace of him.

In 1916 he received the Mons Star, the Military medal, and was mentioned in dispatches by the British commander in chief. In the meantime the Turks held an imperial court martial and the sultan signed his death warrant at the end of 1916. In 1923 Mustapha renewed it.

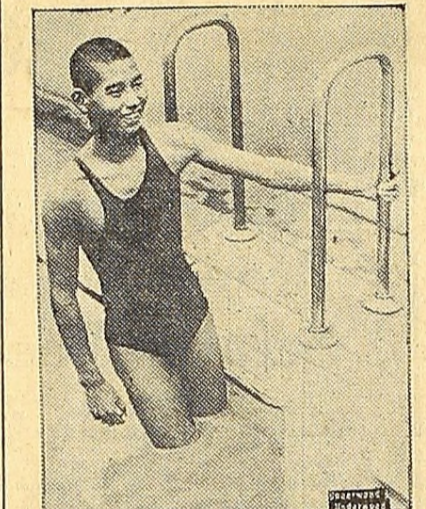
Eight years ago the friendly commander of a British torpedo boat destroyer shipped Sabry at a Bulgarian port and dropped him at the European side of the straits. The Turk swam back to his own country, despite the death warrant, because he had re-

Soldier Risked Execution to Aid Widowed Mother.

ceived news that his aged widowed mother, of whom he was the only child, had become a paralytic.

For eight years he remained hidden in her home disguised as a servant.

Japanese Swim Star



Japan's new swimming star is Koji Yamazaki, sixteen-year-old high school boy, who broke the Japanese record for the 100-meter swim by splashing through the distance in 59 1-5 seconds, during the national championship meet at Tokyo. He is assured of a place on Japan's swimming squad in the 1932 Olympic games at Los Angeles.

PART PRETTY BRIDE AND BOY

Romance of Ozark Mountains Ended by Court.

Independence, Mo.—The romance of a pretty little seventeen-year-old wife and a twenty-one-year-old husband ended in the Circuit court here when Judge C. Jasper Bell annulled their marriage in Bentonville, Ark.

Miss Eloise Shearer, sorority girl and leader on the University of Missouri campus last year, was the young wife and Charles Sears, son of a wealthy Kansas City family, was the husband. Both live in Kansas City.

Charles did not appear in court to defend himself in the annulment proceedings, but he was represented by

Few people entered the house, as it was notorious that she was the mother of a traitor who had been convicted. A short time ago Sabry Bey attended his mother to the grave and in answer to the priest's question, "What good Moslem commits this body to the grave?" Sabry answered, "Her son."

His arrest was a matter of hours. When the dictator was informed of it and Sabry's history, he sent for him. He was taken before the chief executive under heavy guard. The ghazi ordered the escort to release the prisoner and gave him a complete pardon because he had thrice risked his life: once for Turkey in the Balkans, again for England on the western front, and finally to console his mother's last years.

Mustapha reminded Sabry that he had also loved his own mother deeply and declared that since he had heard of the latter's case he had been wondering whether, under the same circumstances, he himself would have had the courage to come back.

Worn Out Land to Be Used for Reforestation

Battle Creek, Mich.—Farm land, abandoned as worn out, will be used in a reforestation experiment by Michigan State college experts.

W. K. Kellogg has given the college 360 acres of land in Kalamazoo county, which is considered "worked out" so far as grain crops are concerned. Paul A. Herbert, professor of forestry, will try evergreens on the land, devoting eight or nine years to the experiment.



A piece of orange skin placed on top of the stove will take away the heavy odor of cooking from the kitchen and give out a pleasant fragrance.

To remove brown stains from light colored ranges, dip a cloth in turpentine and apply to stains. With a little pressure the stains will come off.

Label your jars and bottles with adhesive tape and write on the tape with red ink what the jars contain. The tape sticks to the jars and is not likely to loosen.

The hole in the bottom of a flower pot should never be closed up. Place a few cinders or bits of broken china over it to let the air in to the roots and keep the soil from coming through.

After washing and drying woolen blankets hang them on a line in the open air and beat them well with a carpet beater. This raises the fluff and the blankets look almost as good as new.



Father Sage Says:
When a man is sure that his friends never say unkind things about him he can be sure that all his friends are dead.

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Plaster of paris is made by baking gypsum, thus driving off the water and leaving a fine dry powder. One part of this powder added to two parts of water creates a thin paste, which hardens quickly on exposure to the air. By adding a small quantity of lime to the paste a very hard marble-like substance called calcine plaster is produced.
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GABBY GERTIE



"A girl may try to conceal her past, but she's always willing to display her present."

A Chic Ensemble



This ensemble of fall brown is worn by Rochelle Hudson, RKO-Radio Pictures baby star. The jacket is of velvet with lapels faced with the crepe of which the dress is made. Empire touches are seen in the puff sleeves and the stitched design.

Stocks Own Lake

Elko, Nev.—Ike Woodhouse likes to fish. He proved it. On top of Ruby's mountains is Robinson lake, Ike's favorite fishing ground. Last summer the catching was poor, so Ike is hauling fingerlings up the mountain and planting the lake.

Christmas in California A Century Ago
by Charles Frederick Wadsworth

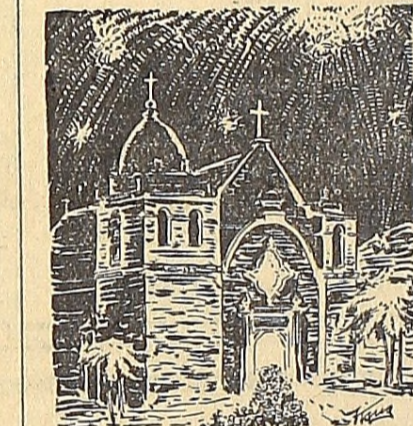
WHEN one thinks of the traditions of Christmas celebration in New England, the Middle states, and even farther West, in the early part of the Nineteenth century, it is to vision snow-covered ground, sleigh rides, and the jingle of sleigh bells, with Christmas trees and Santa Claus, much as today in those sections. Whole families going visiting in the bob-sled, to partake of the Christmas feast built around the turkey!

Those were great times and days, and their annals live in the works of famous literati of the East coast when our Republic was comparatively young. But at the same time a mighty civilization was being bulld on the West coast, though how different was the Christmas observed in the sparsely settled and undeveloped land that is now California! And how few to leave record!

However, Albert Robinson, a clerk who left Boston for California in July, 1828, and after 110 days reached Valparaiso, and Monterey on February 15, 1829, has left in his "Life in California," published in the late forties, a description of a Christmas celebration held at the mission in San Diego that shows the contrast between such events on the east and west coasts at that time.

Robinson's business took him to various parts of the (now) state, and while on a visit from his headquarters in San Francisco to his friend Don Jose Antonio Estudillo, comandante of San Diego, wrote of the Christmas festivities he had witnessed:

"Don Jose Antonio . . . was over on the alert seeking for some new device for my gratification. It was nearly time for the religious festival of 'la noche buena' (the holy night) and he directed the customary exhibition of the 'pastores.' They were rehearsing night after night, till



Fireworks Were Set Off, and All Was Rejoicing.

at length Christmas arrived, and I had an opportunity of beholding the midnight mass and the subsequent performances.

"At an early hour illuminations commenced, fireworks were set off, and all was rejoicing. The church bells rang merrily, and long before the time of mass the pathways leading to the presidio were enlivened by crowds hurrying to devotion. I accompanied Don Jose Antonio, who procured for me a stand where I could see distinctly everything that took place. The mass commenced, Padre Vincente de Oliva (died 1845) officiated, and at the conclusion of the mysterious 'sacrificio' he produced a small image representing the infant Savior, which he held in his hands for all who chose to approach and kiss.

"After this, the tinkling of the guitar was heard without, the body of the church was cleared, and immediately commenced the harmonious sounds of a choir of voices. The characters entered in procession, adorned with appropriate costumes, and bearing banners. There were six females representing shepherdesses, three men and a boy.

"One of the men personated Lucifer, one a hermit, and the other Bartolo, a lazy vagabond, whilst the boy represented the archangel Gabriel. The story of their performance is partially drawn from the Bible, and commences with the angel's appearance to the shepherds, his account of the birth of our Savior and exhortation to them to repair to the scene of the manger.

"A dialogue is then carried on of considerable length relative to the attributes of the Deity, which ends in the submission of Satan.

"The whole is interspersed with songs and incidents that seem better adapted to the stage than the church.

"For several days this theatrical representation is exhibited at the principal houses, and the performers at the conclusion of the play are entertained with refreshments. The boys take an enthusiastic part in the performance, and follow about from house to house, perfectly enraptured with the comicalities of the hermit and Bartolo."

How different from the gay Christmas celebrations of California's present millions! And how different from what was taking place on the east coast!

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"Bear Flag" Symbol of Republic of California

In the early days California was isolated from the other Spanish possessions in America by mountains, deserts and poor communications, and after Mexico won independence this region became even less amenable to central authority. It enjoyed practical autonomy while the rest of Mexico was engaged in internal strife. Americans and other non-Mexicans settled in California and assumed importance in its affairs. After 1840 it became apparent that California would not remain much longer under even the nominal authority of Mexico, but the new landholders were divided in opinion as to what the future status of the country should be. Some favored annexation to the United States; others advocated a British protectorate. During this period of hesitation, war broke out between the United States and Mexico over Texas, the former Mexican state which had become an independent republic and then annexed itself to the United States. Col. John C. Fremont took advantage of the situation, seized Sonoma, and on July 4, 1846, proclaimed California a republic. The banner of the new republic bore a bear, and this was the Bear flag that Fremont hoisted.

Among those beside Fremont whose efforts speedily effected the conquest of this region were Stockton and Kearney, and on August 15, 1846, the republic of California was annexed to the United States.

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Conditions That Unite Whole Animal Kingdom

A conference of eminent scientists recently met at the estate of Copley Amory, of Washington and Boston, at Matamek, Quebec. For ten days ecologists—that is, students of animal life in relation to its surroundings—discussed problems and findings in their particular fields of ornithology, mammology, marine biology, etc. The results of the conference were so profitable that plans for another meeting in 1934 were made and a committee appointed to formulate a permanent organization.

One of the points especially stressed in the discussion was the interrelation of the various animal groups, including man. Fluctuations in one species are often felt throughout the animal kingdom. Certain varieties are of such importance that they are known as "key animals." Mice and mice-like rodents are "key animals" in many parts of the world. When mice are abundant in the Canadian Northwest foxes, snowy owls, wolves and bears cease to prey on partridges. When the mice decline, animals turn again to game, and Eskimos and Indians suffer for food. Weasels and ermine die out in numbers when mice are scarce and snowy owls fly south in search of food, only to die in the warm climate.

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ODD THINGS AND NEW—By Lane Bode

SIR GEORGE GRIERSON—of England SPEAKS 179 LANGUAGES FLUENTLY!

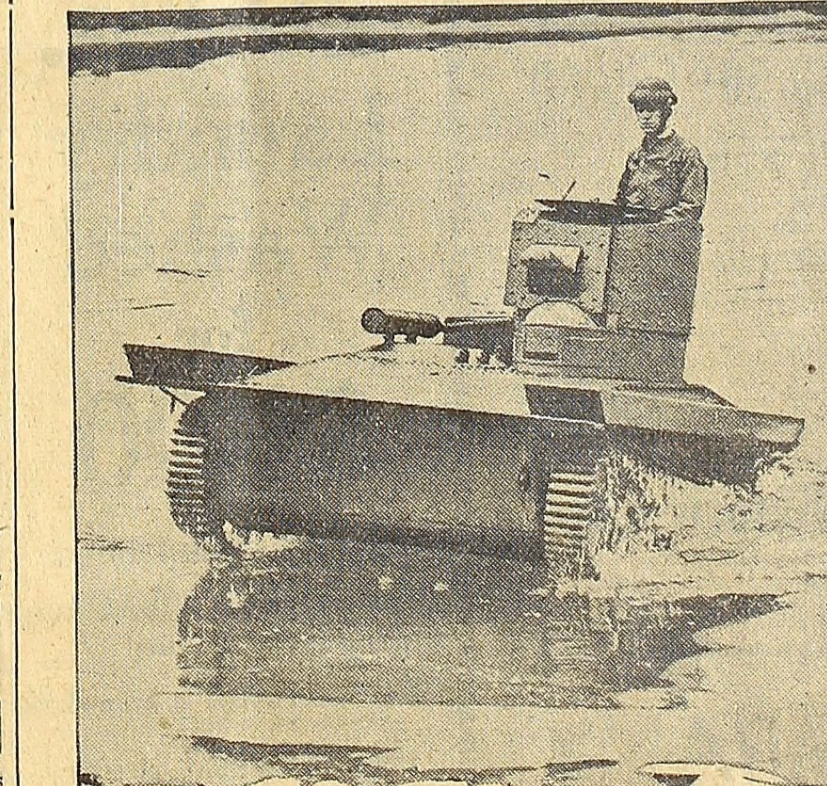
A HOUSE IN BROOKLYN, N.Y.—4 STORIES HIGH AND ONLY 5 FEET WIDE

HAIR CAN BE GROWN ON A WATCH CRYSTAL

APRIL FOOL IS A FLOWER ... THE PASQUE (P. NUTTALLIANA)

SUGGESTED BY L. OTTENHEIMER (WNU Service.)

England Has an Amphibious War Tank



Military men in all countries were immensely interested recently in the successful demonstration of England's newest war tank, because it is amphibious. It can travel on land at 45 miles an hour and can swim at 6 knots. The tank is here seen emerging from a river after a test.

THE TAWAS HERALD

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Reno

Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Johnson and son, Howard, of Flint spent a couple of days here last week looking after their interests and calling on friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Robinson and sons, Elwin and Carlton, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Robinson and children spent Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur White in Prescott.

Mr. and Mrs. Frockins entertained on Thanksgiving. 22 surrounded the dinner table.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Perkins and son, Blair, of Flint came Thursday and spent the week end with relatives here.

Carlton Robinson, who is attending school in Flint, spent the week end at his home.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Furnier spent Friday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Alex Robinson.

Mrs. Vira Murray and Robt. McCosky of Flint spent Thanksgiving here.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Ross left on Monday for Indiana, where they will visit while their daughter, Ella, will attend the national 4-H Club congress in Chicago. Miss Ross will compete with members of the club from other states in the national contest as Michigan's representative in the Girl's Style Dress Revue. To the winner a three weeks' trip to the shrines of American history will be awarded by the Chicago Mail Order Company. They were accompanied by Mrs. Kleist (Mrs. Ross' mother), who has been visiting here several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Byron Latter and children of Lansing came to spend Thanksgiving and the week end with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Sudeon and little son and Miss Clara Latter spent Thanksgiving and the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Latter.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Waters entertained on Thanksgiving. Mr. and Mrs. Will Latter and daughter, Iva, Mr. and Mrs. Byron Latter and children, Mr. and Mrs. Merrit Phillips and son, and Norbert Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wolf, daughter, Margaret, were Thanksgiving

guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bueschen. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Katterman and Louis Harsch spent from Thursday until Monday visiting friends at Detroit, Kalamazoo and other points.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Jobe of Bay City were overnight visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Harsch Thursday.

Albert Seafert and friend, Clarence See, of Detroit are spending a week at the Seafert home.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Seafert, Sr., and family spent Sunday evening at the Hutchinson home.

Mr. and Mrs. John Thompson and children of Midland, Mr. and Mrs. Seth Thompson and children, and Ernest Washburn spent Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Thompson.

Chas. Thompson accompanied his son, Seth, and family, on a business trip to Bay City Friday.

Ambrose Berry spent Sunday at his home near South Branch.

Elon Thompson and son, Ethan, were business visitors at Omer on Tuesday.

Mrs. Bert Goodrich and children visited at the home of her brother, Will White, Saturday and Sunday.

Sam George spent Thanksgiving and the week end at his home at Harrisville.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Robinson entertained on Thanksgiving. Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Mason and family and Mr. and Mrs. Josiah Robinson and son, Lyle.

Mrs. A. T. Vary spent Friday evening with Mrs. R. A. Bentley.

Mr. and Mrs. Oren Sherman have moved into their new log cabin recently built for gasoline and store products.

Floyd Sherman of Caro spent Wednesday evening with relatives here.

Mrs. R. A. Galbraith of Tawas City was a Thanksgiving guest at the home of her sister, Mrs. Ernest Vance.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Vaughn of Lansing spent the week end at the home of his sister, Mrs. Ed. Robinson. They were accompanied by her father, Mr. Lampton, and Mrs. Sweet.

Josiah Robinson and son, Lester were business visitors at Bay City Wednesday.

Roy and John Hubbell of Bay City were hunting with Walter Ross on Sunday.

HALE

A community Thanksgiving dinner sponsored by the two church organizations was given at the M. E. church last Thursday. A program was presented during the afternoon. A very pleasant day was spent by those present.

Miss Bessie Brandal was hostess to the 500 club at their last meeting. The party was held at the home of Mrs. Fred Livingstone and was an enjoyable affair.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Krutz and baby Joe, of Saginaw, and Miss Dorothy Brown were guests at the parental home over the Thanksgiving holiday.

The November meeting of the Hale P. T. A. was held in the high school room Friday evening of last week. The program was presented by the pupils of the North school, Miss Goldie Shellenbarger, teacher, and the Kees school, Mrs. Chester Bielby, teacher. The different numbers were exceptionally well given. The program was followed by an address by John Campbell of Tawas City, former commissioner of schools of Isoco county, on "Educational Values." The first unit of the hospitality committee, Mesdames J. O. Johnson, G. French and A. E. Wickert, served coffee and doughnuts after the meeting was closed. The December meeting will be held on Wednesday, Dec. 23.

Mrs. Charles Taulker left last week for Detroit where Mr. Taulker has a position with an oil and gas company.

Mrs. F. C. Hull, who has been critically ill during the past two weeks, was removed to the hospital at Omer last Wednesday. There is little improvement in her condition at this writing.

The local chapter, O. E. S., gave a Thanksgiving supper to members and their families and members of the F. & A. M. and their families on Thanksgiving day at 7 p. m. For the entertainment of their guests the chapter gave a one-act comedy play, "Female Masonry." Over 100 persons enjoyed the supper and entertainment.

The local chapter, O. E. S., sponsored a Father and Son banquet held in the Masonic hall Thursday evening, December 3.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Bsonette and sons of Lansing visited Hale relatives for two weeks and Bud enjoyed the deer hunting.

Mrs. Nellie Jennings and her sister, Mrs. Ida Denton of Los Angeles, Calif., left two weeks ago to spend the winter with Miss Marion Jennings in Royal Oak.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Morgan and family returned last Monday from a two weeks visit with Ohio relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Montgomery and family were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Johnson over the Thanksgiving holiday.

TOWNLIN

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Freel visited Mr. and Mrs. C. Bridge at National City Sunday.

Elder McDonald of Saginaw is holding meetings at the L. D. S. church.

Miss Rosalee Freel visited Miss Ruth Quick last Sunday.

Walter Harris of Bay City returned to his home Monday after spending a week here deer hunting.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Roach of West Branch are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Corry.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Londo, Jr., and two sons, and George Ryder of Detroit spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Freel.

Miss Zadie Bellenger of Tawas City spent Sunday with her parents here.

There will be a box social at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Ulman Saturday evening, December 5. Everybody welcome.

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Tawas Breezes

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Every boy asks for more than he expects to get.

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LONG LAKE

Bert Spencer of Hale called at the Fred Holbeck farm Friday.

Robert Buck and Mr. McNickle attended the Thanksgiving program at the Hale M. E. church Thursday.

A number of the Long Lake men have been hunting deer during the season which closed Monday.

Albert Singer and Robert Buck are the new employees at the Fred Holbeck farm.

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East Tawas Michigan

Sherman

Sheriff Charles Miller of Tawas City was in town on official business Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Ross of Flint visited relatives here for a week and hunted deer.

Geo. and Fred Schneider of Saginaw visited friends here and spent a couple days hunting.

Octave Miller is at Tawas City this week, where he is on the jury from this place.

A surprise party was given in the town hall Monday evening on Anonia Dedrick, the occasion being her birthday. She received many beautiful presents. The evening was spent playing games and dancing, after which a delicious lunch was served.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Schneider were at Tawas City Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor St. James of Whittemore visited relatives here Sunday.

About a fourth of the local hunters were successful in getting their buck this season.

Chester Carlton left Wednesday for Ossineke, where he expects to work.

Harvey Schneider autoed to Flint Wednesday.

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| Argo Corn Starch | | pkg | 8c | Wax Beans, Sulfana, No. 2 size | 2 cans | 25c |
| Argo Gloss Starch | | pkg | 8c | Stringless Beans A&P | No. 2 can | 19c |
| Mustard Sardines | 3/4 size | tin | 10c | Cove Oysters | can | 15c |
| Pantry Whipping Cream | | can | 15c | Pan Rolls Grandmother's | doz | 5c |
| Pantry Coffee Cream | | can | 10c | Grapefruit Juice | No. 1 size can | 10c |

- Pork Shoulder Roast, pound . . . 15c
 - Pork Shoulder Steak, pound . . . 17c
 - Pork Chops, center cuts, pound . . 23c
 - Pork Loin Roast, pound 17c
 - Ring Bologna or Frankfurts, 2 lbs. . 25c
 - Pot Roast Beef, pound 17c
 - Picnic Hams, pound 13c
 - Beef Stew, pound 10c
 - Slab Bacon, pound 19c
- We pay 30c a dozen for fresh eggs

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| Sweaters, Mer's Navy & Tan | 85c | Bath Towel | 10c-15c-25c-50c |
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| Men's Heavy Coat Sweaters | 98c | 25c Outings, light and dark patterns | 19c |
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| | | Hose | 29c |
| TROUSERS | | Ladies' Rayon Bloomers | 29c |
| Boys' and Young Men's | \$1.98 | Ladies' Fleece Lined Union Suits, while they last | 69c |
| Trousers, sizes 12 to 18 | | Choice Assortment of Challis | 14c |
| Men's Heavy Part Wool Trousers | \$3.35 | All Linen Toweling | 90c |
| Men's Union Made Overalls | \$1.00 | 5 yards | |
| Men's Sheep Skin Coats | \$5.75 | Special on all Ladies' Coats | \$8.50 to \$50.00 |
| at | | | |
| Men's All Wool Heavy Unions | \$3.75 | DRESSES | |
| | | See the New Silk Dresses at | \$6.50 |
| OVERCOATS | | All \$5.95 Dresses Now | \$3.98 |
| A few Men's Overcoats left at | \$6.95 | \$8.95 Dresses Now | \$5.95 |
| \$21.50 Overcoats at | \$15.00 | \$11.75 Dresses Now | \$8.95 |
| \$25.00 Overcoats at | \$19.75 | | |

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SUPERVISORS' PROCEEDINGS

Monday, October 12, 1931
The Board of Supervisors for the county of Iosco met at the Court House in the city of Tawas City, in said county, on Monday, the 12th day of October, A. D. 1931, pursuant to statute in such case made and provided.

Board called to order at 10:30 a. m. Eastern Standard time, by Charles L. McLean, chairman, who ordered roll call. Present supervisors: Britt, Brown, Christenson, Crego, Dutcher, Hull, Laidlaw, Latham, Loffman, Louks, Matthews, McAuliff, Nunn, Schmalz, Schneider, Schriber, Searle, Tanner—18. Quorum present.

Clerk read a communication from Leaf's Drug Store, extending an invitation to the members to call at his place and become acquainted. Also, if at any time the county of Iosco should be in need of anything for use of indigent or afflicted persons, we will be glad to satisfy such needs at the lowest possible price.

Moved by Schriber, supported by Nunn, that the communication be received and placed on file. (October 10, 1931.)

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors, Iosco County, Michigan:
We, M. H. Barnes and A. W. Colby, president and secretary of the Iosco County Agricultural Society in the State of Michigan and County of Iosco, being duly sworn do hereby certify that the people of Iosco County have organized and established in said county a society by the name of the Iosco County Agricultural Society, and have raised from said society the sum of two thousand or more dollars for the purpose of the fair in said county.

We therefore make an application to your honorable body that a tax of one tenth of a mill for each dollar of assessed valuation of the county be levied and collected or assessment rolls of said county, to be expended under the direction of your board for the benefit of said fair as provided by law.

M. H. Barnes, President,
A. W. Colby, Secretary.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, a Notary Public, this 10th day of October, 1931.

Will C. Davidson,
Notary Public for Iosco County.
My commission expires October 8, 1932.

Moved by Nunn, supported by Searle, that the report of the president and secretary of the Iosco County Agricultural Society be referred to finance and appointment committee. Motion prevailed.

Annual Report of County Drain Commissioner

To the Board of Supervisors:
Gentlemen:
In compliance with the provisions of the statute in such case made and provided, I have the honor to submit my annual report as County Drain Commissioner of said county of Iosco, covering the period from the first day of October, A. D. 1930 to the first day of October, 1931. The following named drains were left unfinished at my last report: none. The following named drains have been begun, constructed, and completed by me during the year, to-wit: none. The following named drains have been begun by me during the year for the reasons given in each instance, to-wit: 1. An application for establishing a drain was received and filed by the Arenac Drain Commissioner, which included Iosco and Ogemaw counties. At a meeting of the drainage board said application was denied. A complaint was received against the Gregory drain. I looked over the ground and expecting an application for cleaning said drain. 3. Had an inquiry regarding a probable drain age project in Oscoda township. Made a trip to locate the proposed drain and decided to wait until next spring. And I do hereby certify that the above embraces a full and true report of all drains constructed, finished, or begun under my supervision or applied for during the year now ending October 1, 1931, and the financial statement of each drain submitted herewith is true and correct, all of which is respectfully submitted.

Dated October 1, A. D. 1931.
Robert C. Arn, County Drain Commissioner of the County of Iosco.

Financial statement of McMullen Drain—Date, 1930. October 1st. balance on hand, \$97.11. December 19, Matt Jordan, order No. 1042, \$95.00. Balance, \$2.11. April 27, May, received payment for culvert, \$75.00. April 27, Matt Jordan, order No. 1043, \$75.00. Balance, \$2.11. Financial statement of Balzigh Drain—1930. October 1, to balance, \$109.53. December 18, W. W. Britt, order No. 1041, \$20.00. October 1, balance, \$89.53.

Robert C. Arn, County Drain Commissioner, Iosco County.
Moved by Crego, supported by Christenson, that the report of Drain Commissioner be accepted and adopted. Motion prevailed.

To the Honorable Board of County Supervisors of Iosco County, Tawas City, Mich.
Gentlemen:
We wish to call your attention to the supplies you are buying for the county. It seems the committee that has charge of buying supplies of the various items needed by the county show some favoritism in buying of supplies. As a general rule, those are in business, and as members of the board of supervisors, knowing the needs of the county, generally get the preference, while other dealers that are large taxpayers to the county and state are given very little preference, and as the county generally gets its income from the large taxpayers, such matters should be taken in consideration, and we would be pleased that a resolution to the effect should be made by the coun-

ty supervisors at the session that in buying supplies for the county, that the large taxpayer should always be used according to such resolutions passed by your supervisors. Yours truly,
Barkman Lumber Co.
By A. Barkman.

Moved by Searle, supported by Hull, that the communication from Barkman Lumber Company be received and placed on file. Motion prevailed.

A communication from the Salvation Army Home Service Department, Michigan Division, asking for an appropriation was read. Moved by Crego, supported by Christenson, that the communication be received and placed on file. Motion prevailed.

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors of Iosco County, Tawas City, Michigan.
Gentlemen:
Below you will find my Sealer's report for this county.

Name	Number	Adjusted	Condemed	Back	Rep
Wagon scales	11	2	0	0	1
Counter scales	36	9	0	0	0
Computing scales	17	3	0	0	0
Platform scales	28	9	0	0	0
Spring balance scales	1	0	0	0	0
Gas pumps	110	8	8	8	8
Kerosene pumps	6	2	0	0	0

I made two trips back to Hale Corners to test out gas pumps, after repairs were made, and I also made a trip back to AuSable river for test on gas pump after repairs were made.

Wm. H. Sedgeman,
Sealer of Weights & Measures
Moved by Laidlaw, supported by Schriber, that the report of Sealer of Weights and Measures be received and placed on record. Motion prevailed.

Moved by Crego, supported by Tanner, that we take a recess until 1:30 p. m. Motion prevailed.

Afternoon Session
Board called to order at 1:30 p. m. by Chas. L. McLean, chairman. Roll call. Present Supervisors: Britt, Brown, Christenson, Crego, Dutcher, Hull, Laidlaw, Latham, Loffman, Louks, Matthews, McAuliff, Nunn, Schmalz, Schneider, Schriber, Searle, Tanner—Quorum.

Moved by Searle, supported by Matthews, that the proposition of turning over the city of AuSable to AuSable township be referred to the Prosecuting Attorney to report tomorrow morning. Motion prevailed.

Committees ordered to their respective duties, balance of board to be at ease, subject to call of chair. Called to order at 3:30.

Moved by Louks, supported by Nunn, that chair appoint a committee of five to prepare for the state tax commissioners. Motion prevailed and chair appointed Supervisors Hull, Crego, Louks, Evans and Britt to act on this committee.

The matter of the election of poor commissioner was taken up. Alexander Elliott was nominated. Moved by Tanner, supported by McAuliff, that there being only one nominee, the rules be suspended and clerk cast vote of the board. The whole number of votes cast—18. Mr. Elliott receiving 18, was declared elected. Poor Commissioner for Iosco County, Michigan.
To the Honorable Board of Supervisors of Iosco County:

Your committee on Roads and Bridges beg leave to submit the following report:
Saturday, October 10, we inspected the county roads, approximately 130 miles in all. Leaving Tawas, we drove over the Sand Lake road and Plank, then by way of the Meadow to Whittemore, taking branch county roads and others in the vicinity, including the Britt, Keystone, Weston Creek, and Mill Station. We next drove to Long Lake, visiting all county roads in that part of the county, and from there we drove by way of Hale to Five Channels and over the roads leading there from Oscoda to Tawas. We finished the inspection, covering practically all county roads and found them all in excellent condition. While at Five Channels we visited the county gravel screen. We found the latter in operation and producing gravel very economically.

Signed, John Searle, Ferdinand Schmalz, Peter Dutcher
Committee.

Moved by Searle, supported by Schriber, that we adopt the report of Roads and Bridges committee. Motion prevailed.

Moved by Latham, supported by Matthews, that we take a recess until tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock, Eastern Standard time. Motion prevailed.

Tuesday, October 13, 1931
The Board of Supervisors for the county of Iosco met at the Court House in the city of Tawas City, Tuesday, October 13, A. D. 1931.
Board called to order by C. L. McLean, chairman. Present Supervisors: Britt, Brown, Christenson, Crego, Dutcher, Evans, Hull, Laidlaw, Latham, Loffman, Louks, Matthews, McAuliff, Nunn, Schmalz, Schneider, Schriber, Searle, Tanner, Nunn—18. Quorum present.

Delinquent taxes	36423.81
Delinquent tax sale	3308.88
Charge back	3.10
Operator's licenses	45.75
Poor Fund—loan	6000.00
Poor Fund collections from farm	1055.73
Rent—Poor Fund	1014.27
Mortgage tax fund	421.00
Special school fund	18483.84
Primary school fund	43471.20
Personal redemptions	1087.96
Inheritance tax fund	134.00
Officers fees	147.40
Telephone tolls from county officers	10.70
Dog licenses	2252.35
Loan—General fund	5000.00
Teacher's Institute fund	15.50
Library fund	565.00
Naturalization	25.00
Fees from County Clerk	582.20
General Fund—Fees—Bush case	32.00

Total \$281917.23
Balance on hand October 1, 1930 12146.13
\$294063.36

Expenditures	
Paid from General Fund—Salaries	\$1400.00
David Davison	1800.00
John A. Stewart	300.00
F. F. Taylor	1800.00
W. H. Grant	2000.00
F. E. Dease	300.00
P. Schanbeck, asst dep. County Clerk	300.00
M. E. Worden	1200.00
R. C. Arn	200.00
Charles Miller	1200.00
Wm. Elliott	150.00
Charles Brown	225.00
Wm. Sedgeman	200.00
Waldo Curry	200.00

Miscellaneous orders	\$1375.00
58175.77	
Paid from poor commission	17334.88
Paid from county road fund—miscellaneous	69107.4
J. N. Sloan	2100.00
Office clerk	400.00
Drain fund	6003.96
State tax fund	4355.48
Delinquent tax fund	1564.67
Redemption fund	1449.37
Naturalization fund	22.50
Mortgage tax fund	20.50
County road fund	16332.21
City and village fund	3264.73
Collection of tax—state	23406.14
Covert road redemption	26215.96
Inheritance tax	184.00
Revolving drain fund	5.10
Library fund	665.00
Primary school fund	43471.20

Total	\$216220.96
Cash on hand and in banks	5682.65
October 1, 1931	\$294063.36

Balance in Various Funds October 1st, 1931	
Cr. Balance	
General fund	\$ 890.00
Poor fund	140.90
Library fund	30.00
Drain fund	613.71
Mortgage tax fund	331.80
State tax fund	218.33
Delinquent tax fund	5543.96
Teacher's Institute fund	119.34
Escheats fund	243.30
Naturalization	25.00
Rotary drain	184.32
Dr. Balance	\$2616.34
County road fund	33.80
Township fund	6.18
City and Village fund	7.07
Redemption fund	

Net balance \$5682.65
W. H. Grant, County Treasurer.
October 8, 1931.

Moved by Schriber, supported by Brown, that the report of County Treasurer be accepted and adopted. Carried. Yes: Britt, Brown, Christenson, Crego, Dutcher, Evans, Hull, Laidlaw, Latham, Loffman, Louks, Matthews, McAuliff, Nunn, Schmalz, Schneider, Schriber, Searle, Tanner.

Committees ordered to their respective duties, balance of board to be at ease, subject to call of chair. Called to order at 11:30. Moved by Evans, supported by Tanner, on the matter of an appropriation for the Northeastern Michigan Development Bureau be taken up some time during the session. Motion prevailed.

Moved by Searle, supported by Brown, that a recess be taken until 1 o'clock. Motion prevailed.

Afternoon Session
Board called to order by C. L. McLean, chairman. Present Supervisors: Britt, Brown, Christenson, Crego, Dutcher, Evans, Hull, Latham, Loffman, Louks, Matthews, McAuliff, Nunn, Schmalz, Schneider, Schriber, Searle, Tanner.

A. W. Colby, secretary of Iosco County Agricultural Society, asked for an appropriation of \$700.00 for said society. Moved by Crego, supported by Tanner, that we appropriate \$700.00 to Iosco County Agricultural Society. Moved by Evans supported by Brown, as an amendment to the previous motion, that the matter of the appropriation be held over until tomorrow for their consideration. Motion prevailed. To the Honorable Board of Supervisors of Iosco County:
Your County Road Commissioner begs to submit the following report covering all construction and maintenance from October 1, 1930 to October 1, 1931:

Lake Shore—Alabaster	2751.64
Construction	\$32432.11
Maintenance	13852.75
New equipment and maintenance of equipment	9139.37
Materials	124.91
Interest on loan	4094.96
General expense	
Total	\$61907.45

Two pieces in our programme for this year, the Klenow road and one mile on the Britt road, were not graveled as contemplated. The former because the township failed to build the grade and the latter was delayed by the closing of the Big Cut gravel pit. The gravel now obtainable is not of the quality we wish to use.

The cost of construction is a little higher on some roads than it would be in normal times but we realize that the present unemployment situation presents a problem no less serious than that of economy itself. The use of hand labor where machinery would have been cheaper has in some instances increased the cost a little, but in our effort to help as much as possible those in need of work we do not feel that we have neglected the care of the taxpayer, bearing in mind what it means to local business by keeping from 40 to 60 men at work a great part of the construction season as well as relieving the poor fund in many instances.

Very little new equipment was purchased this year. A gravel screener and crusher was bought from Oscoda township (on time, notes due next year) to provide a source of maintenance and construction gravel in the vicinity of Five Channels and roads leading from there. With this screen we have during the last few weeks screened and placed about 1500 yards in constructing the road adjoining Five Channels and large Springs and we are now resurfacing the Oscoda road. In this resurfacing we have already placed about 1000 yards. We hope to get out about 1500 yards more, about two thirds of which will be produced in this gravel which we are producing day at a cost not to exceed 50 cents per yard. This includes all labor and material in producing and depreciation on machinery.

Owing to the distance of this part of the county from a railroad station we feel that our investment in this equipment is going to be very profitable.

We were put to considerable expense this year in obtaining the new Shore Road right-of-way. A large item in this expense was building and moving fences. There was also considerable office and clerical work. This expense to date is included with that of the detour for the Shore Road.

The coming year will call for an outlay of \$4700.00 more on the Five Channels bridge. In addition to this \$1500.00 must be raised at once as our part of the big fill at Five Channels. The notes on the gravel screen are about \$4500.00 must be paid also.

Some new machinery may be necessary on account of the township roads taken over, although it is our plan to purchase as little as possible so as to allow as much as is practical for labor.

It is planned also to make allowance for some dust layer, possibly about the same as last year.

Since road work is the one industry that is depended upon to force the way in keeping things moving, and not being so much affected by a lack of confidence as other industries, it is our belief that we believe it our duty to do our best not to curtail, in any way, but if possible, to increase our road construction programme for the coming year.

We give below an outline and estimate of proposed construction for the coming year:

County Line road in Reno twp., 1 mile, gravel surface	\$2200.00
Britt road in Sherman and Burleigh twps., 2 miles surface	7000.00
Baldwin Resort road in Baldwin twp., 1 1/2 miles grade and gravel	6800.00
Londo Lake road in Plain field, 1 mile gravel surface	2700.00
Power Line road in Alabaster twp., 1 mile gravel surface	3200.00
Dimmings and C. Brown rds. in Grant twp., 1 mile surface	3400.00
Five Channels, big fill at bridge, Oscoda in Tawas twp., 3/4 mile gravel surface.	2400.00
Alabaster twp. line, Tawas twp., 1 mile surface	3300.00
One mile in Wilber twp., 1 mile running north from US 23 along 1/4 line through Sec. 19, T23 RRE, and a stretch in AuSable twp. between Shore Road and river	4000.00
Total	\$36500.00

The figures given above are rough estimates of the various roads including the gravel surface but they do not include the cost of drainage structures. While the bridges and culverts go with the item of construction, the county has in many instances furnished the culverts, in the past, and in case of large bridges responsibility the county assumes responsibility although the latter is not included in the above estimate. It is possible that funds will be available for this item next year taking into consideration that we are at present about \$5000 in the red with \$4700 more that must be paid on the Five Channels bridge this month and another \$1500 raised at once on the Five Channels fill besides \$4500 due on equipment next year.

However, if funds are available it is our plan to add to this programme as much as possible.

If this work is to be carried out as above planned, even after applying the gas and weight tax and the balance of the new township gas fund, after taking out the maintenance, it will be necessary that we get two and one-half mills.

Since the taxpayer will automatically get quite a cut in his road taxes next year by the transfer of a part of the township maintenance to gas and weight tax, and another possible cut by the retirement of bonds on some of the covert roads, we do not feel that we should ask for less with the best interests of our people in mind.

The county now has 130 miles of county road. There are 545.5 miles of township roads in the county. One fifth of the latter or 109 miles must be taken over next year.

We do not believe any better system of cooperation can be devised than that which has been followed by many of the townships in building the grade from county planning and the county doing the graveling. The programme herewith submitted anticipates the townships' cooperation in building the grades as in the past.

Signed, Wm. J. Grant,
Harry VanPatten,
J. G. Dimmick,
Commissioners.
J. N. Sloan, Engineer
Frank E. Dease, Clerk
Moved by Evans, supported by Christenson, that the report be adopted and entered upon the record. Carried. Yes: Britt, Brown, Christenson, Crego, Dutcher, Evans, Hull, Latham, Loffman, Louks, Matthews, McAuliff, Nunn, Schmalz, Schneider, Schriber, Searle, Tanner.

To the Board of Supervisors of the County of Iosco and State of Michigan:
Whereas, it appears from the transcript of the record and proceedings that attended the special election held in the City of AuSable County of Iosco and State of Michigan, on Monday, the 5th day of October, 1931, in accordance with Act No. 223 of the Public Acts of the State of Michigan for the year 1931, that the proposition of vacating the incorporation of the City of AuSable was adopted by more than a two thirds vote of the legally qualified electors of said City of AuSable, and whereas all proceedings looking toward the vacating of the incorporation of the said City of AuSable have been in accordance with the provisions of the statute in such case made and provided, it becoming a duty on the part of the Board of Supervisors to vacate the incorporation of the said City of AuSable, where such provisions have been complied with as shown by the transcript heretofore filed with the clerk of the county of Iosco; Be it resolved by the Board of Supervisors of the County of Iosco and State of Michigan that the incorporation of the City of AuSable, County of Iosco and State of Michigan, be vacated and that the territory of the said City of AuSable shall revert to and become a part of the township from which it was originally taken and that the inhabitants thereof shall for all purposes be deemed residents of the said township of AuSable.

And it is further resolved that the Clerk of the County of Iosco shall direct the officers of the said City of AuSable to forthwith deposit all books, papers, records and files relating to the organization of or belonging to said city which are in their custody as such officers with the County Clerk of the county of Iosco.

And it is further resolved that the indebtedness of the said City of AuSable, whether bonded or otherwise, if any there be, shall be assessed, levied and collected upon the territory embraced within the boundaries of the City of AuSable immediately prior to said vacation. Be it further resolved, that all indebtedness should any exist against the said City of AuSable be spread on the next assessment roll of the township of AuSable upon the property formerly embraced within the limits of the City of AuSable, and that said indebtedness be paid as said tax is collected.

Be it further resolved, that any funds now remaining in the treasury of the City of AuSable shall be and become the property of the township of AuSable.

Moved by Dutcher, supported by Brown, that the resolution vacating the City of AuSable and placed same in the township of AuSable be carried. Yes: Britt, Brown, Christenson, Crego, Dutcher, Evans, Hull, Latham, Loffman, Louks, Matthews, McAuliff, Nunn, Schmalz, Schneider, Schriber, Searle, Tanner.

Resolution:
To the Hon. Board of Supervisors of Iosco County, Michigan:
Whereas, under the new township relief law, Public Act 130 of 1931 the County Road Commission will take over 20 per cent of the roads in each township, and
Whereas, it was decided at a recent meeting representing 27 counties of northern Michigan, at Traverse City, that the road commissioners may take over the 20 per cent or any part of said 20 per cent and have that apply on the mileage to be taken over in 1932 and

Whereas, the local labor situation calls for every assistance that can possibly be given in the way of employment this fall and winter and
Whereas, the County Road Commission will receive some eight or ten thousand (\$18,000.00) dollars from the gas tax to replace the property tax on these roads taken over and therefore be it

Resolved: That this Board give the Road Commission permission to borrow \$5,000.00 to be distributed in the several different townships equally to do everything possible in said township roads this fall and winter for the relief of local labor.

Signed, Frank Brown, John Schriber, W. A. Evans, E. Christenson, C. L. McLean, L. McAuliff, E. Latham—Supervisors.
Moved by Britt, supported by Brown, that the resolution be accepted and adopted. Carried. Yes: Britt, Brown, Christenson, Dutcher, Evans, Hull, Latham, Louks, Matthews, McAuliff, Nunn, Schmalz, Schneider, Schriber, Searle, Tanner—16. No: Crego—1.

Committees ordered to their respective duties, subject to call of chair. Called to order at 4 o'clock. Moved by Brown, supported by Schriber, that the County Road Commission be permitted to borrow ten thousand dollars to take care of present indebtedness. Carried. Yes: Britt, Brown, Christenson, Crego, Dutcher, Evans, Hull, Latham, Loffman, Louks, Matthews, McAuliff, Nunn, Schmalz, Schneider, Schriber, Searle, Tanner—17. No: Louks—1. Motion prevailed.

Wednesday, October 14, 1931
The Board of Supervisors for the county of Iosco met at the Court House in the city of Tawas City, Wednesday, October 14, 1931. Board called to order by C. L. McLean, chairman. Present Supervisors: Britt, Brown, Christenson, Crego, Dutcher, Evans, Hull, Laidlaw, Latham, Loffman, Louks, Matthews, McAuliff, Nunn, Schmalz, Schneider, Schriber, Searle, Tanner. Minutes of Tuesday, October 13, read and approved.

Moved by Tanner, supported by Nunn, that we appropriate \$200.00 to the Michigan Children's Aid Society. Carried. Yes: Brown, Crego, Dutcher, Evans, Hull, Laidlaw, Loffman, McAuliff, Nunn, Schneider, Schriber, Tanner—11. No: Britt, Christenson, Latham, Louks, Schmalz, Searle—7.

Moved by Louks, supported by Evans, that the matter of appropriation to the Star Commonwealth for Boys will be taken care of during this session.
To the Honorable Board of Supervisors:
Your committee on the County Farm beg leave to submit the following report:

We met on the county farm on October 6th, 1931 and proceeded to take inventory of personal property. One team of horses and harness \$200.00	
mess	180.00
One year old mare	25.00
Spring calves	25.00
11 year-old cattle	450.00
5 yearlings	60.00
10 cows	500.00
9 shoats or hogs	150.00
One brood sow	40.00
125 chickens	75.00
One Fordson tractor	300.00
One tractor gang plow	45.00
One tandem disc	50.00
One land roller	20.00
One manure spreader	50.00
2 mowing machines	90.00
One set of sleighs	10.00
One truck scale	90.00
One wagon, hay rack and box	20.00
One grain drill	40.00
One check row corn planter	65.00
One riding plow	3.00
One slush scraper	3.00
One fanning mill	10.00
Hand tools, hay fork, etc.	50.00
One hay loader	90.00
One hay rake	50.00
One corn binder	90.00
One set of tractor harrows	35.00
One set of spike tooth	10.00
One walking plow	10.00
One riding plow	100.00
One hammer feed mill	100.00
50 gals. cylinder oil	5.00
2 drums for oil	150.00
One heating plant	350.00
One lighting plant	100.00
One cream separator, milk pails, etc.	100.00
One lawn mower	50.00
One ice box	50.00
One kitchen range	150.00
2 water plants and equipment	275.00
2 crocks, 20 and 30 gal. size	12.00
One cooking plant	25.00
One brooder	15.00
Furniture and bedding	150.00
Hay, 50 tons	50.00
Straw, 25 tons	100.00
Wheat, 201 bus.	110.00
Barley, 128 bus.	60.00
Oats and peas, 1233 bus. at 35c per bu.	432.00
Sweet clover seed, 25 bus. at \$5.00	125.00
Alfalfa seed, 10 bus. at \$10.00	100.00
100 tons shelled corn	75.00
200 lbs. potatoes	100.00
5 bus. beans	10.00
150 lbs. apples	75.00
25 gals. disinfectant	65.00
One oil stove heater	5.00
106 canned fruit	53.00
187 qts. canned vegetables	10.00
72 quarts pickles	15.00
Carden truck	50.00
One wheelbarrow	3.00
One extension ladder	8.00
40 cords wood	

E. Bing, engine, hardware, stove	287.79
A. A. McGuire	1.50
Cherry-Burrell Co.	1.28
Barkman Lumber Co.	36.50
E. Bing	16.46
Britting Bargain Store	7.65
Repairs	\$369.83
Joe Collins, separator parts	\$ 16.65
W. A. Evans, washer parts	1.50
Barkman Lumber Co., roofing, flooring	3.32
Barkman Lumber Co., stove parts	13.00
J. E. Steinhurst, harness, shoes	7.05
Adams, Paint Co., Griptight roofing	167.20
W. F. Cholger, welding stove	2.00
Jno. McArdle, tractor	20.45
Mel. Sherman, mason work	2.50
Implements, Seeds	\$233.67
Scars, Roebuck & Co., feed grinder	\$104.00
Joe Rapp, alfalfa seed	70.00
J. Walters, seed corn	2.00
A. Anschuetz, feed	16.00
Farm Expense	\$192.00
The Peoples State Bank, live stock	\$180.00
Paul Bouchard, boar service	3.25
Jno. Klenow, stallion service	12.00
David Davison, veterinary service	3.00
A. H. W. Sirnat, veterinary service	3.00
R. Shenkel, grain drill rent	5.00
Jno. Katterman, rent, potato planter	2.00
E. D. Robarge, trucking	3.50
Ferdinand Schmalz, silo filling	14.00
Thomas Chestler, rent of road machine	5.00
Clarence Earl, cutting grain	41.00
Arthur Anschuetz, threshing grain	52.88
Arthur Anschuetz, threshing clover	34.11
Frank Brown, 1 25-gal. crock	3.00
Waldo Curry, bull service	8.00
Ernest Cecil, hauling posts	6.00
Austin Allen, freight, repairs	2.00
Arthur Leitz, summer, pasture	4.00
Austin Allen, repairs	11.05
Davis Sanitary Co., supplies	12.50
Wilson Grain Co., feed	74.87
R. S. Shenkel, rent, wood machine	2.00
Tanner Association, binder twine	5.00
Geo. Anschuetz, butchering	2.00
Fuel	\$410.60
Wilson Grain Co., coal	\$ 8.00
Chas. Curry, coal	182.12
W. H. Schriber, coal	10.20
Chas. Curry, coal	88.60
Freight	\$298.96
Medical Services at Infirmary	\$17.50
Austin Allen, medicine	\$ 1.00
Dr. C. F. Smith	1.50
Watkins Extracts	16.00
Keiser Drug Store, drugs	28.50
A. Klenow, extracts	1.95
Miller medicine	2.00
Salary of Superintendent	\$51.00
Austin Allen	\$120.00
Insurance	195.8
Provisions	458.4
Storm insurance	8.20
Oil and Gasoline	\$1862.50
Oil and gasoline	\$434.27
Tobacco	91.03
Labor	415.85
Livery	\$940.61
Waldo Curry	\$228.77
Roy Kennedy	12.00
Earl Goupil	8.00
Alex Elliott	26.80
Charles Brown	34.00
Infirmary Expense	\$302.8
Andrew Lorenz, barbering	\$24.00
Jennison Hardware Co., disinfectant	28.00
Mary Bessie, labor	40.00
Rochester Germicide	12.20
Burial of Phin Boomer (paid by W. A. Evans)	\$104.25
Supplies, Rowell farm	5.00
Total Debits	\$1219.17
Farm Credits	\$289.55
Cream sold	74.70
Eggs sold	52.40
Chickens sold	52.20
Veal sold	151.50
Pork sold	44.50
Hides sold	27.00
Grinding	1.70
Feed	1.50
Board, Mrs. Alma	1.50
Wood	2.00
Grain	5.50
Wine	4.00
Tomatoes	1.70
Cabbage	1.50
Milk	1.50
Cow	40.00
Wheat	7.80
Gas tax	63.32
Cord wood	2.00
Refund Accounts	\$787.34
Leo Simko family	\$226.83
Bert Cherveria family	1073.00
Floyd Kurstmaul	5.00
John Lovelace	7.00
John Bowen	60.00
Pat Nickles	2.00
Alexander Days	5.00
Lovelace, Kurstmaul	45.00
Overpaid electric bill, Mrs. Boomer	0.00
Ganson Croff, refund cedar posts	15.00
Borrowed from bank	\$1439.94
Total farm credits	787.2
Total credits	\$527.92
Appropriated to Poor fund	1200.00
Overdrawn	3039.9
Total debits	\$20266.4
Paid note and interest	\$1291.17
Meeting of Sept. 30, 1930	4063.79
debits	513.70

Overdrawn last year..... 2762.79

and consideration of objection to equalization of Alabaster township, meeting adjourned to Tuesday, October 27, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon.

Board called to order at 10:30 o'clock and the minutes of October 14 session read and approved.

Mr. Frank E. Dease, County Clerk Tawas City, Michigan

You are hereby notified that the Board of Education for the city of East Tawas, on September 2, 1931, at a regular meeting of said board, estimated that the cost of instruction for the current year for the County Normal training class maintained at said city will be \$4755.00. Deducting therefrom \$3000.00 to be received from the state, the balance is \$1755.00. Amount asked for from Isosco county—one-half of the balance, or \$877.50.

Signed, Fred J. Adams, President of Board of Education, A. L. Anschuetz, Secretary of Board.

Moved by Evans, supported by Searle, that \$877.50 be given to the Board of Education for Normal school. Carried. Yes: Britt, Christenson, Crego, Dutcher, Evans, Laidlaw, Latham, Loffman, Louks, Matthews, McAuliff, Nunn, Schmalz, Schriber, Searle, Tanner.

Moved by Latham, supported by Nunn, that each Supervisor of each township notify the County Road Commissioners with names of the men that need work in their respective townships. Motion prevailed.

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

Called to order at 5 o'clock. Moved by Searle, supported by Tanner, that we take a recess until tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock. Motion prevailed.

Thursday, October 15, 1931

The Board of Supervisors for the county of Isosco met at the Court House in the city of Tawas City on Thursday, the 15th day of October, A. D. 1931. Board called to order at 9 o'clock by Chas. L. McLean, chairman. Present Supervisors: Britt, Brown, Christenson, Crego, Dutcher, Evans, Laidlaw, Latham, Loffman, Louks, Matthews, McAuliff, Nunn, Schmalz, Schneider, Schriber, Searle, Tanner—18. No. 0.

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors:

Your committee on Claims and Accounts No. 2 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:

Claimant	Nature of Claim	Claimed	All'd
Chas. C. Miller, meals for prisoners	.....	\$299.95	\$299.95
John Moran, deputy fees, killing three dogs	.....	3.00	3.00
Chas. C. Miller, mileage and traveling expense	.....	215.50	215.50
Chas. C. Miller, supplies \$5.40, postage, registered mail	.....	9.72	9.72
W. P. Vaughn, deputy sheriff fees	.....	41.00	41.00
Bert Taylor, undersheriff fees \$13.50, circuit court officer	.....	27.00	27.00
John Moran, deputy sheriff fees	.....	48.50	48.50
W. C. Davidson, drawing circuit court jurors	.....	6.00	6.00
W. H. Price, drawing circuit court jurors	.....	2.00	2.00
Chas. F. Klump, justice fees	.....	2.24	2.24
McDonald Pharmacy, medicine, Frank Kirby	.....	19.15	19.15
McDonald Pharmacy, medicine, Muri Burpee	.....	1.75	1.75
Frank Schneider, Peter Dutcher, E. Christenson, C. E. Tanner,	.....	1.50	1.50

Moved by Schneider, supported by Laidlaw, that the report of committee No. 2 be accepted and adopted. Carried. Yes: Britt, Brown, Christenson, Crego, Dutcher, Evans, Hull, Laidlaw, Latham, Loffman, Louks, Matthews, McAuliff, Nunn, Schmalz, Schriber, Searle, Tanner—19. No. 0.

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors:

Your committee on Drains and Ditches beg leave to submit the following as their report:

We met with the County Drain Commission and viewed parts of the Pink Drain and found drain in fine condition, and looked over work done on McMullen drain. We also went to Hale and looked over the Wilson Creek drain, which is staked out to be cleaned but not yet started. There being no other work done or proposals on other drains, we did not view any other drains.

Respectfully signed, Frank Schneider, E. W. Latham, Elmer Britt, Committee on Drains and Ditches.

Moved by Latham, supported by Schneider, that the report of committee on Drains and Ditches be received and recorded. Motion prevailed.

Claimant Nature of Claim Claimed All'd

W. A. Evans, supplies, jail \$4.80; court house, \$4.80	.....	\$ 10.00	\$ 10.00
Acme Chemical Co., supplies, court house	.....	7.75	7.75
McDonald Pharmacy, supplies, B. Berger	.....	19.20	19.20
Doubleday, Hunt, Dolan, Co., stationery, \$6.86, pros. attorney, legal blanks, \$8.90	.....	15.85	15.85
McDonald Pharmacy, supplies, Dentsted case	.....	21.39	21.39
J. W. Weed, M. D., prof. service, Dentsted case	.....	30.20	30.20
Doubleday, Hunt, Dolan, legal blanks, Probate Judge	.....	7.79	7.79
Doubleday, Hunt, Dolan, book statement, drainage bonds	.....	1.92	1.92
Doubleday, Hunt, Dolan, statement of bonds, Co. Treas.	.....	19.75	19.75
Doubleday, Hunt, Dolan, Register of Deeds, record of deeds \$52.50, release of right of way \$16.21	.....	7.75	7.75
J. & J. Gregory, supplies, Co. Clerk \$6.63, court house	.....	68.71	68.71
C. & J. Gregory, supplies, County Treasurer	.....	17.70	17.70
J. & J. Gregory, supplies, Probate Judge	.....	8.68	8.68
Hurley Bros., tax receipts, binding tax rolls, County Treasurer	.....	.54	.54
Hurley Bros., supplies, County Clerk	.....	113.70	113.70
Tawas Herald, school directory, list of teachers, school commissioner	.....	4.30	4.30
Tawas Herald, printing blanks, County Treas.	.....	43.50	43.50
Tawas Herald, printing blanks, Sheriff	.....	5.00	5.00
C. R. Jackson, stationery, Pros. Atty \$5.25, County Surveyor \$5.25	.....	3.00	3.00
Penske Business Equipment Co., adding machine ribbon, County Treasurer	.....	10.50	10.50
Hotel Isosco, meals for jurors	.....	1.25	1.25
W. E. Laidlaw, meals for jurors	.....	10.50	10.50
Collaghan & Co., advance sheets, Pros. Attorney	.....	8.40	8.40
Horv Goodale, sheep claim \$42.00, justice \$2.20	.....	7.00	7.00
Theodore St. James, sheep claim \$47.00, justice \$2.15	.....	44.20	44.20
James E. Barlow, sheep claim \$9.00, justice \$2.10	.....	49.15	49.15
James Scheon, sheep claim \$6.00, justice \$2.10	.....	11.10	11.10
Waldi Curry, sheep claim \$6.00, justice \$2.20	.....	8.20	8.20
Theodore St. James, sheep claim \$53.00, justice \$2.30	.....	8.50	8.50
Port Webster, sheep claim \$57.00, justice \$2.30	.....	55.30	55.30
Erving Beardslee, sheep claim \$27.00, justice \$2.60	.....	59.30	59.30
Ebene Bing, supplies, jail \$1.32, ct. house \$3.70	.....	29.60	29.60
Thelma Stewart, stenog., circuit court \$14.38, Pros. Attorney \$5.00	.....	5.02	5.02
L. N. Gagner, coroner fee, Earl E. Barmann case	.....	19.38	19.38
J. A. Stewart, trav. exp. \$46.04, P. O. box rent 90c.	.....	7.00	7.00
W. & L. E. Gully, record book, Sealer of Weights	.....	46.94	46.94
John H. Schriber, drayage, Sealer of Weights	.....	2.26	2.26
Ernest Crego, spreading special road and drain tax	.....	23.00	23.00
C. Christenson, spreading special road and drain tax	.....	10.00	10.00
W. Latham, committee work \$24.00, spreading special road and drain tax \$10.00	.....	10.00	10.00
Elmer Britt, committee work, roads and ditches	.....	34.00	34.00
John Searle, committee work, roads and bridges	.....	12.00	12.00
Ferdinand Schmalz, committee work, roads and bridges	.....	16.50	16.50
Frank Schneider, committee work, county farm, drains, ditches, spreading road and drain tax	.....	22.00	22.00
		32.50	32.50

Moved by Brown, supported by Nunn, that the report of committee No. 1 be accepted and adopted. Carried. Yes: Britt, Brown, Crego, Dutcher, Evans, Hull, Laidlaw, Latham, Loffman, Louks, Matthews, McAuliff, Nunn, Schmalz, Schriber, Searle, Tanner—18. No. 0.

Moved by Searle, supported by Brown, that the bill of the Long case, McDonald Pharmacy bill in Long case, and McDonald Pharmacy bill in Williams case, be referred to Poor Commissioners. Motion prevailed.

Tuesday, October 27, 1931

The board of supervisors for the county of Isosco met at the Court House in the city of Tawas City, on Tuesday, the 27th day of October, A. D. 1931, pursuant to adjournment from Thursday, October 17, 1931. Board called to order at 10:30 a. m. by Charles L. McLean, chairman. Present Supervisors: Britt, Brown, Christenson, Crego, Dutcher, Evans, Hull, Laidlaw, Latham, Loffman, Louks, Matthews, McAuliff, Nunn, Schmalz, Schneider, Schriber, Searle, Tanner—18. No. 0.

Minutes of October 15th session read and approved.

Clerk read communication from the board of supervisors of Oakland county in regard to covert roads, asking that the board of supervisors of Isosco county adopt a resolution to be presented to the Honorable Wilbur M. Brucker, governor of the state of Michigan, to call a special session to adopt the resolution relieving the farmers in paying assessments on Covert road assessment district roads. Moved by Nunn, supported by Tanner, that the chair appoint a committee of three to act in this matter and to report at this session of the board. Motion prevailed. Nunn, Tanner and Schriber were appointed.

A communication from Michigan State Association of Supervisors, giving a notice of a meeting to be held at Lansing on January 26, 27 and 28, 1932. Moved by Evans, supported by Tanner, that the notice be accepted and laid upon the table. Motion prevailed.

A communication from the State Welfare Department, Lansing, Michigan, asking the board of supervisors to defray the expense of the county agent to attend the convention of the county welfare agents, in connection with the governor's health conference, on November 11 and 12. Moved by Searle, supported by Schriber, that the communication be received and placed on file. Motion prevailed.

The state tax commissioners appeared at this time, and by consent of the board, the meeting adjourned from October 15th to October 27th was turned over to the tax commissioners in this matter. The petition of Emil Christenson for equalization of the township of Alabaster, was taken up. After reading the opinion of the Attorney General and citing the law in such case made and provided, the petition was denied.

Moved by Schneider, supported by Britt, that we take a recess until 1 o'clock p. m. Motion prevailed.

Afternoon Session

Board called to order at 1 o'clock by Chas. L. McLean, chairman. Roll call. Present Supervisors: Britt, Brown, Christenson, Crego, Dutcher, Evans, Hull, Laidlaw, Latham, Loffman, Louks, Matthews, McAuliff, Nunn, Schmalz, Schneider, Schriber, Searle, Tanner.

Minutes of October 28th read and approved. Moved by Evans, supported by Schriber, that the communication from the East Tawas Board of Education in regard to money to be raised be received and placed on file. Motion carried. Yes: Britt, Christenson, Crego, Evans, Hull, Loffman, Louks, McAuliff, Nunn, Schmalz, Schneider, Schriber, Searle, Tanner—13. Nays: 1. Supervisors Brown, Dutcher, and Latham were excused from voting.

Moved by Evans, supported by Brown, that the County Treasurer be authorized to accept the proposition presented by the several banks in Isosco county in regard to bonds furnished by said banks for the depository of county funds. Carried. Yes: Britt, Brown, Crego, Christenson, Dutcher, Evans, Hull, Latham, Loffman, Louks, McAuliff, Nunn, Schmalz, Schneider, Schriber, Searle, Tanner—17. Nays: 0.

Moved by Evans, supported by Louks, that the board appoint a committee of three to investigate the proposition of the loan to the Isosco County Road Commission. Motion prevailed and chair appointed Supervisors Evans, Christenson and Searle on this committee.

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

Called to order at 12 o'clock. Moved by Brown, supported by Nunn, that we take a recess until 1:30 p. m. Motion prevailed.

Afternoon Session

Board called to order at 1:30 by Chas. L. McLean, chairman. Roll call. Present Supervisors: Brown, Britt, Christenson, Crego, Dutcher, Evans, Hull, Latham, Loffman, Louks, McAuliff, Nunn, Schmalz, Schneider, Schriber, Searle, Tanner.

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

Called to order at 4 o'clock.

October 29th, 1931

The board of supervisors for the county of Isosco met at the Court House in the city of Tawas City, on Thursday, the 29th day of October, A. D. 1931, pursuant to recess from Wednesday, October 28. Board called to order at 9 o'clock by Charles L. McLean, chairman. Roll call. Present Supervisors: Britt, Brown, Christenson, Crego, Dutcher, Evans, Hull, Latham, Loffman, Louks, McAuliff, Nunn, Schmalz, Schneider, Schriber, Searle, Tanner.

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Called to order at 4 o'clock.

October 29th, 1931

Your committee on Finance and Apportionment respectfully report that they have examined the certificates of the clerks of the several townships and cities in said county certifying the amounts of money to be raised by taxation upon the taxable real estate and personal property of said townships and cities respectively, and that the supervisors of the several townships are to spread and levy hereby authorized as herein set forth the several tax rates respectively assessment rolls for the year 1931 and that the following amounts be spread upon the

Frank Brown, committee work, county farm	6.40	6.40
W. J. Grant, mileage and per diem, co. road commission	102.00	102.00
Harry VanPatten, mileage and per diem, co. road com.	86.00	86.00
J. G. Dimmick, mileage and per diem, co. road com.	73.60	73.60
Wm. Osborne, trav. expense, truant officer	10.90	10.90
Robt. C. Arr, traveling expense, Drain Commissioner	55.40	55.40
M. E. Worden, telephone 90c	53.85	53.85
M. E. Worden, traveling expense, state commissioners	20.50	20.50
Ferdinand Schmalz, spreading special road tax	5.00	5.00
Lewis Nunn, spreading spec. rd. tax \$15.00, drain \$10.00	25.00	25.00

Signed, John Searle, Frank Brown, Lewis Nunn, Edward Matthews, Ferdinand Schmalz, Com.

several assessment rolls of the county, as follows:

AuSable Township	\$ 192.31
State tax	523.32
County	161.70
Township	513.97
Road repairs	220.23
Highway improvement	146.82
School district No. 1	1103.16
Cemetery	100.00
Light	300.00
Rejected tax	115.91
AuSable City	\$ 54.94
Cemetery	150.52
County roads	46.20
Township	188.03
Road repair	79.77
Highway improvement	53.18
Rejected tax	56.34
School district No. 1	399.57
Alabaster Township	\$3113.54
County	8470.80
County roads	2620.00
Township	500.00
Road repair	2500.00
Rejected tax	125.01
School district No. 1	6500.00
School district No. 4	452.54
Cemetery	50.00
Pink drain, at large	100.00
Pink drain, special	150.12
Baldwin Township	\$ 824.19
County	2242.80
County roads	693.00
Township tax	650.00
Road repair	2097.21
Rejected tax	309.00
School Dist. 1	52.51
School Dist. 2	78.98
School Dist. 3, fractional	1250.03
School Dist. 4, fractional	471.50
School Dist. 4, fractional	212.71
Burleigh Township	\$1447.34
County	3923.90
Township	1213.50
Road repair	800.00
School District No. 1	1093.63
School District No. 2, frl.	900.00
School Dist. No. 3	2708.20
School Dist. No. 4	700.00
School Dist. No. 5, frl.	1000.00
Highway improvement	60.25
Bridge	800.00
East Tawas City	\$2060.48
County	5605.00
County road	1734.50
Contingent fund	

Alabaster

Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Heldt and children of Ann Arbor spent the week end with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Travers Ousterhout and children of St. Charles spent the week end here.

Mr. and Mrs. John W. Curtis of Detroit spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Johnson.

Miss Lillian Anderson of Detroit is visiting her mother, Mrs. Ellen Anderson, for a few days.

Miss Mary Stone of Omer spent the week end with Miss Grace Anderson.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis, Mrs. Vaino Gustafson and daughter, Viola, Misses Grace Trainor and Eleanor Trainor visited Mrs. Walter Bessey on Saturday.

Russell Featheringill, who spent several days in Ann Arbor, returned home Wednesday.

Mrs. V. Gustafson and Viola visited Miss Lillian Anderson, who is spending some time here.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Erickson spent Friday in Bay City.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Johnson took their son, Harold, to Bay City Tuesday for a tonsillotomy.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Curtis visited the latter's sister, Mrs. Chas. Sarki, on Friday.

Quite a few deer were shot in this locality during deer season.

Mrs. J. E. Anderson returned on Wednesday from Detroit, after spending several days there.

Mrs. J. Tomlinson is visiting relatives in Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Johnson visited their daughter, Mrs. Henf Solomon, in Kaleva last week.

NOTICE OF LETTING OF DRAIN CONTRACT AND REVIEW OF APPORTIONMENTS

WILSON DRAIN

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That we, Robt. C. Arn, County Drain Commissioner of the County of Iosco, Elmer E. Scott, County Drain Commissioner of the County of Ogemaw, and David A. Nicol, Deputy Commissioner of Agriculture, comprising the Drainage Board for the Wilson Drain, will, on the 10th day of December, A. D. 1931, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at the residence of Pat Wilson, Section 24 in the Township of Hill, in the County of Ogemaw, proceed to receive bids for the cleaning out of the Wilson Drain, located and established in the Township of Hill, County of Ogemaw, and the Township of Plainfield, County of Iosco.

Said drain is divided into two sections as follows, each section having the average depth and width as set forth: All stations are 100 feet apart.

Section No. One beginning at Station No. 0 at the lower end of said drain and extending to Station No. 17, a distance of 1700 feet, and having an average cut of 2.3 feet below the bottom of the old ditch, and an average width of bottom of 4 feet.

Section No. Two beginning at Station No. 17 and extending to Station No. 33 plus 61, a distance of 1661 feet, and having an average cut of 2.7 feet below the bottom of the old ditch, and an average width of bottom of 4 feet.

Said job will be let by sections, the section at the outlet of said Drain being let first, in accordance with the diagram now on file with the other papers pertaining to said Drain in the offices of the members of said Drainage Board, to which reference may be had by all parties interested, and bids will be made and received accordingly. Contracts will be made with the lowest responsible bidder giving adequate security for the performance of the work, in the sum then and there to be fixed by us, reserving to ourselves the right to reject any and all bids, and to adjourn such letting to such time and place as we shall publicly announce. The date for the completion of such contract, and the terms of payment therefor, shall and will be announced at the time and place of letting.

NOTICE IS FURTHER HEREBY GIVEN, That on Friday, the 18th day of December, A. D. 1931, at the residence of Pat Wilson, Section 24 in the Township of Hill, County of Ogemaw, or at such other time and place thereafter to which we, the Drainage Board aforesaid, may adjourn the same, the apportionment for benefits and the lands comprised within the Wilson Drain Special Assessment District, and the apportionments thereof, will be subject to review for one day, from nine o'clock in the forenoon until five o'clock in the afternoon. At said review the Computation of Costs for said Drain will also be open for inspection by any parties interested.

The following is a description of the several tracts or parcels of land constituting the Special Assessment District of said Drain, viz.:

OGEMAW COUNTY, Hill Township (T 23 N, R 4 E)—NE $\frac{1}{4}$ of NE $\frac{1}{4}$, Section 24; SE $\frac{1}{4}$ of NE $\frac{1}{4}$, Section 24; SW $\frac{1}{4}$ of NE $\frac{1}{4}$, Section 24; NW $\frac{1}{4}$ of NE $\frac{1}{4}$, Section 24; SE $\frac{1}{4}$ of SE $\frac{1}{4}$, Section 13.

IOSCO COUNTY, Plainfield Township (T 23 N, R 5 E)—N $\frac{1}{2}$ of NW $\frac{1}{4}$ of NW $\frac{1}{4}$, Section 19; S $\frac{1}{2}$ of SW $\frac{1}{4}$ of SW $\frac{1}{4}$, Section 18.

NOW THEREFORE, All unknown and non-resident persons, owners and persons interested in the above described lands, and you, John D. O'Connor, Supervisor of Hill Township, Ogemaw County, and you, Highway Commissioner of Hill Township, Ogemaw County, and you, Louis Nunn, Supervisor of Plainfield Township, Iosco County, and you, Frank Dorsey, Highway Commissioner of Plainfield Township, Iosco County, are hereby notified that at the time and place aforesaid, or at such other time and place thereafter to which said letting may be adjourned, we shall proceed to receive bids for the cleaning out of said "Wilson Drain," in the manner hereinbefore stated; and also, that at such time and place as stated aforesaid from nine o'clock in the

forenoon until five o'clock in the afternoon the Drain Special Assessment District will be subject to review.

And you and each of you, owners and persons interested in the aforesaid lands, are hereby cited to appear at the time and place of such reviewing of apportionments as aforesaid, and be heard with respect to such special assessments and your interests in relation thereto, if you so desire.

Dated this 18th day of November, A. D. 1931.

Signed, Drainage Board:
Robt. C. Arn
County Drain Commissioner,
Iosco County
Elmer E. Scott
County Drain Commissioner,
Ogemaw County
David A. Nicol
Deputy Commissioner of
Agriculture

SUPERVISORS' PROCEEDINGS
(Continued from Preceding Page)
A. D. 1931, pursuant to recess from
on Friday, the 30th day of October,

Thursday, October 29th.
Board called to order at 9:30 a. m. by Charles L. McLean, chairman. Roll call. Present Supervisors: Britt, Brown, Christenson, Crego, Dutcher, Evans, Hull, Laidlaw, Latham, Loffman, Louks, McAuliff, Nunn, Schmalz, Schneider, Schriber, Searle, Tanner.

Minutes of October 29th read, corrected, approved. Committees ordered to their respective duties, balance of board to be at ease, subject to call of chair. Called to order at 11:30.

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors:
Your committee on Mileage and Per Diem submit the following as their report, recommending the allowance of the same and that the clerk be authorized to issue orders for the same:

Miles	Days	Amt.
Elmer Britt	20	8 \$44.00
Frank Brown	4	7 $\frac{1}{2}$ 38.30
Emil Christenson	7	7 $\frac{1}{2}$ 38.90
Ernest Crego	21	8 44.20
Peter Dutcher	16	8 43.20

W. A. Evans	2	6 $\frac{1}{2}$ 32.90
James A. Hull	16	8 43.20
E. W. Latham	10	7 $\frac{1}{2}$ 39.50
Matt. Loffman	2	7 $\frac{1}{2}$ 37.90
Edw. Louks	16	8 43.20
Edw. Matthews	16	4 23.20
Lyman McAuliff	2	7 $\frac{1}{2}$ 37.90
Chas. L. McLean	0	8 40.00
Lewis Nunn	23	8 44.60
Ferdinand Schmalz	4	7 $\frac{1}{2}$ 38.30
Frank Schneider	13	8 42.60
John Schriber	2	7 $\frac{1}{2}$ 37.90
John Searle	2	7 $\frac{1}{2}$ 37.90
Clark Tanner	0	7 $\frac{1}{2}$ 37.50
E. Laidlaw	0	4 $\frac{1}{2}$ 22.50

Moved by Tanner, supported by Schriber, that report of committee be accepted and adopted. Carried.

Yes: Brown, Christenson, Crego, Dutcher, Evans, Hull, Laidlaw, Latham, Loffman, Louks, McAuliff, Nunn, Schmalz, Schneider, Schriber, Searle, Tanner.

Minutes of today's session read and approved.

Moved by Crego, supported by Brown, that we adjourn to January 11, 1932. Motion prevailed.

Charles L. McLean, Chairman.
Frank E. Dease, Clerk.

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CHAPTER IX—Continued

"Order my car round quick. I'm going to confront him," he said.

That was how it happened that when Jim and Lucy returned to the Royal hotel after lunch, they were told that Mr. Oliver Ames was waiting for them in their suite. They received the news without sign of being moved by it, but as they were going up in the lift, Lucy caught Lee's arm and whispered:

"You needn't see him."

"And by avoiding him let it seem that I am afraid of him?"

"Then you are going to see him?"

"Of course."

She drew a breath.

"I'm glad," she said; "it will be almost a relief to get it over."

As they went along the corridor to their rooms, she asked:

"What has made him come here, do you think?"

"I think very likely Macklin has told him who your husband is."

"Would he, though? Surely he'd be afraid to do that?"

"There's something in getting in with your own story before the other fellow gets in with his," he answered.

They stopped outside the door of their sitting room and for an instant looked at each other.

On an impulse, she put her hand quickly into his and gave it a tight little squeeze.

"I'm with you, Jim, whatever he has come for," she whispered.

His hand responded to hers for the flashing of the merest moment, then rather roughly shook it off and opened the door.

Ames was standing by the window. He swung round on hearing the opening of the door, and stood for a moment quite still, looking at Lee, eagerly, searchingly. Then:

"He was wrong," he broke out.

"Thank God!" He came toward them a hand outstretched.

But Lee did not move to meet him; neither did Lucy. They stood still by the door. Then Lee turned and shut the door behind them; turned back and faced Ames squarely.

"Was he wrong?" he said, with an emphasis that suddenly stopped Ames' advance, and held him staring. "Look again."

In silence the two men faced each other, still, as if some strange power held them rooted. Then:

"No, by heavens! He was right," cried Ames. "Warrington! It is Warrington. . . ."

"Yes," said Lee, unmoved, "it is Warrington. . . . Ames fell back a step with an expression of very real horror in his eyes.

"Warrington!" he said again, as if he could scarcely believe it, and was expecting every minute to wake out of a dream, and find that it had not been real, after all. He even passed a hand over his eyes as if to brush the vision away. But it remained. He turned to Lucy.

"This is the man you have married?"

Lucy found her throat quaking and her lips trembling, as she answered with a nod:

"Yes, Oliver; this is the man I have married."

"And you know who he is? Do you know that he is a convicted thief?"

"Yes."

"That he has been in prison for a most despicable crime? That he has done time?"

"Three years' penal," she added, faltering slightly. "Yes, Oliver, I know all that. But I know something besides; and it is this: that my husband was not guilty of the crime he was imprisoned for."

"But, Lucy, the evidence against him was overwhelming!"

"I have gone into the evidence, Oliver, and it does not seem so to me," she answered.

"Good heavens!" cried Ames almost beside himself. "Lucy, my dear, can't you see the truth? Can't you see that I and your father would never have allowed this to go so far if there had been the slightest doubt that he was guilty?"

"What did daddy do?" she retorted.

"I don't mean that he was wilfully careless, but, Oliver, what exactly did he do?"

Lee's deep voice suddenly broke through.

"He went yachting. . . . That's what your father did, Lucy."

"Exactly," said Lucy, tears in her eyes and in her voice. "He went yachting. And you, Oliver, what did you do? You judged by the standards of reason. . . . And according to logic you judged fairly; impartially; trying to do your duty; trying to do the absolutely just thing. I am not suggesting for one single second that you did anything but what, to you, seemed perfectly square. But I maintain that you were mistaken. And that you opened the way for a terrible wrong to be done." She broke off, drawing a quick breath.

"Lucy, you don't know what you are saying!" cried Ames. "I tell you the evidence was overwhelming. . . . His defense went down at every point,

It was his bare word against. . . . Oh, a mass of damning stuff. . . .

"No; against Macklin's bare word," she interrupted. "That is quite another thing. Macklin lied, Oliver."

"You are prejudiced against Macklin," he retorted. "God! What a tragedy!" he exclaimed after a moment.

"Lucy, let me speak to. . . your husband alone. . . . There is a lot I want to say to him. . . . that I should not like to say before you. . . ."

Lucy looked at Lee, her eyes questioning him.

"Shall I go, Jim?" she asked after a moment.

"Yes," he said. "Let me hear what Mr. Ames has to say. And then perhaps Mr. Ames may be interested to hear what I have to say."

Lucy hesitated, as if she did not like the idea of leaving the two men alone. But Lee gave no sign of changing his mind about her going, so rather reluctantly she turned and went into her bedroom.

Ames swung round and faced Lee, all that he was feeling blazing in his eyes.

"To think of her being stolen from me by you of all men!" he cried out on a curious, low note of suffering. "You! A convicted thief!"

Lee looked at him with cold eyes.

"It is the thief's nature to steal," he said, immovably.

"What in Heaven's name made you do it?"

"Made me take her from you, do you mean?"

"Yes. What fendish plan was there in this marriage of yours?"

"I knew that her father idolized her. I knew you loved her," said Lee slowly, letting the words fall very clearly. "You two men between you were the means of my disgrace. One does not go to prison for three whole years, Ames, and come out with one's heart overflowing with brotherly love for those who have sent one there."

"We did not send you there!" answered Ames hotly. "It was your own conduct that sent you there. We could only see that justice was done."

"I implored you to believe me when I swore that I was innocent, Ames. I implored, desperately implored, John Gresham to see me before it was too late to do anything for me. And what did you do? How did you listen to the prayer of a desperate man? You resolutely determined to disbelieve me. And old Gresham went yachting. . . . A man's future hung upon you two. And you refused to heed."

He stopped speaking abruptly and caught a breath.

"Why should I believe you, when it was so obvious that you were lying?" retorted Ames. "Why should I believe you, when judge and jury agreed that you were lying?"

"Your support, and the support of Sir John, might have made all the difference to me. If you had not been so prejudiced against me, you might have cleared your mind of the obvious features of the case, and looked for the subtler ones. Your evidence at my trial might have been of a different complexion."

"I see. So it was to revenge yourself upon us, upon Sir John and myself, that you have taken that girl away from us? To make our love for

her a thing of torture to us? Skies above! What devil could have possessed you to work out your revenge upon her?"

"The devil of injustice," answered Lee, his voice very low, and shaken with the effort he was making to keep himself in control. "The devil of loneliness. The devil of prison. Of knowing that life is going by, outside those walls that keep you from sharing it. The devil of. . . three years' . . . hard. . . ."

"If I were caught out in a dirty crime like yours was, I think I should take what came to me as my due, and not work off my spite on an innocent girl, who knew absolutely nothing about the affair. . . ." said Ames angrily. "G—d, I can't think. . . . can't see what can be done. . . . How am I to tell Sir John?"

"Allow me to relieve you of that painful duty," said Lee. "Allow me to tell Sir John. . . ."

But Ames scarcely heard. He was trying to think clearly; trying to get the appalling truth sorted out in his mind, and to realize its full significance and horror.

"Man alive, what exquisite refinement of cruelty made you think of her?" he asked again. "Did you in some rotten way of your own, care for her? Love her?"

Lee laughed suddenly; a short, unamused sound. "One does not come from prison a sentimentalist, Ames. My thoughts were tuned to hate rather than to love. . . ."

"So, cold-bloodedly, you set yourself to make her love you. Cold-bloodedly, you took her from me. . . ."

He broke off suddenly as a new thought struck him. "Where did the money come from, Warrington? Where did the money come from to enable you to cut the figure you have, since you came out of prison? Remember, that a great deal of the money that you stole from that poor devil of a clerk was never found. . . . Did you know where to put your hands on it when you were let out?"

Lee's hands closed to fists.

"I'm getting rather tired of this, Ames," he said, a quiet threat in the words. "There's a limit to my powers of endurance and you are getting perilously near to it. You had better go, I think. . . . And let me say that you can do exactly as you like, and in any way you like, about what you have learned today. . . . You cannot hurt me; nor alter my purpose. . . ."

"You don't need to give me that permission, Warrington," answered Ames, in much the same way. "Do you think I'll rest until I have found some way out of this appalling tragedy for that girl you have treated so abominably? If you do, you very much underrate my love for her. . . . Do you understand? I love her as a man can only love once. . . . And I'll stop at nothing. . . . Give my life for her if necessary." He stopped, caught up by the expression in Lee's face; and the menace of those fists of his, that seemed suddenly to be ready to carry out the threat they suggested.

"Keep away from her. . . . do you hear?" Lee was saying in a voice of sheer, concentrated fury. "Keep away from her and keep your love from her, too. Keep it right out of her life.

She doesn't want it. . . . This is a warning, Ames. . . . Keep away from her. . . ."

He was moving slowly nearer to Ames as he spoke, slowly and menacingly. For a moment it looked as if he were going to drive one of those mighty fists of his into Ames' face. But Ames did not move. He was perfectly game, and his love for Lucy was the biggest thing he knew.

"I am not afraid of you, Warrington," he said coolly. "I just loathe and despise you with all my strength. And if my love for Lucy can ever serve her, you may be quite sure that it will. . . . I may as well tell you that I shall do everything in my power to induce her to leave you."

"She will not leave me."

"We shall see."

They stood for a moment, eyes challenging eyes. But Lee carried his head high and his heart unshaken. He recognized courage when he saw it.

In dead silence, Ames put on his hat and left. And in dead silence, Lee stood looking after him.

He was roused only when Lucy came from her room and laid a hand on his arm. Then he spun round to face her; caught her shoulders in a grasp that was painful; looked down into her face deeply, searchingly, and then as abruptly flung away from her and paced up and down the room.

"Did you hear what he had to say to me?" he asked after a time.

"Some of it," she replied. "I couldn't help hearing, Jim. It made me realize what you had against you at the time," she added. He turned away again and resumed his pacing; then, "Love me still, Lucy?" he asked on a rough, unromantic note.

"Do you think that what he thinks of you has changed me?" she answered, meeting his eyes squarely.

"He's going to try to make you love me," he added.

"He won't succeed."

He was silent a long time; standing turned from her staring out through the open window.

Then: "I want him to succeed," he said, brusquely.

She looked at him for a moment before speaking.

"You want me to leave you?" she asked at last.

"Yes." The words came from between closed teeth.

She looked at him a moment longer. Then came toward him and laid a hand on his sleeve.

Turning him so that he was forced to face her, she said quietly:

"Are you as much afraid of me as all that, Jim?"

"I'm not afraid of you," he denied, sharply. "I'm just. . . hampered. . . with you here. . . . that's all."

"Afraid as all that?" she said again, very softly.

He flung her from him.

"For mercy's sake leave me alone. . . ." he cried out.

"Own up, Jim. Fight in the open," she said. "What if you are afraid of me? Isn't your hate strong enough to withstand you. . . . fear? Isn't your longing for revenge big enough to fight down your longing for. . . me?"

The last words were very softly said, and very deliberately. Lucy's blue eyes looked up into his moody, somber ones, with an expression that held him dumb before her. But after a timeless moment he turned away with a curious action as if he wrenched himself out of some spell she had the power to cast upon him, and without looking at her, said:

"I have no longing for you, Lucy. And I am not afraid of you. It just worries me to have you around. . . . Fidgets me; gets on my nerves. . . . I want you to go. . . ."

He had started steadily and coldly enough, but his words shook rather toward the end of his speech.

"Very well," she said, quietly. "But it's a pity to lie to me, Jim." She hesitated a moment, then went into her room and shut the door. He had asked her to go. . . . And her pleading arguments had not altered him. . . . Very well, she would go. Perhaps, after all, it would be best. This tension could not last much longer; she could not endure it. Love, it seemed, had no sort of power against hate. . . . She stood by her bed thinking very bitterly.

She could hear his restless pacing in the other room. Then perfect stillness. Then. . . a knock upon her door and his voice:

"Let me in, Lucy."

She thought a moment, a very great bitterness in her heart, then answered steadily:

"No."

He did not ask again. The next thing she heard was the sound of the door into the corridor being opened and slammed again.

She started forward, with an impulse to call him back, then; but he was gone. And after all what was the use? What was the use. . . .

She went back to her bed, sat down on it, looking out rather hopelessly before her. Then felt tears upon her cheeks, and burying her face into her pillows, she cried as if her heart were broken. . . .

POULTRY

BRIGHTER OUTLOOK FOR POULTRYMEN

Price of Eggs Everywhere on Increase.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture)—WNU Service.

With the price of corn and wheat lower than it has been for several years and the price of eggs on the increase, the outlook for the poultry industry appears brighter, in the opinion of Dr. M. A. Jull, poultry specialist of the United States Department of Agriculture.

Another point in favor of the poultry man is that heavy culling of farm flocks reduced the number of laying hens by about 20,000,000. Ordinarily these hens would not be culled out until the fall, but last spring farmers were interested more than usual in saving feed bills.

Still another factor which makes the future look brighter for the poultry industry is the fact that there were fewer chicks hatched last spring than usual. This is particularly true of early hatched chicks, so that the early fall production of eggs fell short of last year's supply, with increases in prices.

Doctor Jull believes the immediate future of the poultry industry to be fairly good, particularly for those who produce eggs and high-quality poultry for market, for hatcherymen who produce high-quality chicks, and for farmers and commercial poultrymen who give their flocks the best management and who practice efficient culling.

Good Laying Hen Makes Money for Her Owner

Take 84 pounds of grain plus one good laying hen and you have 12 dozen eggs. With grain selling at one and a half cents per pound and eggs selling 30 cents per dozen this means a value of \$3.60 for the grain, or a profit of \$2.32 over the cost of the feed; or, selling grain at a price of \$4.28 per hundredweight. Here are some more figures. The hen which lays only 25 eggs causes a loss of 64 cents over the cost of feed for one year; the hen which lays 50 eggs causes a loss of one cent; the hen which lays 100 eggs creates a profit of \$1.25; the hen which lays 150 eggs produces a profit of \$2.49; while the hen which lays 200 eggs brings profit of \$3.74. Watch the danger line and get rid of the boarders.

Unscrupulous poultry dealers have been known to feed chickens sand and gravel to increase their weight, but here's a new one. An agent of the federal food and drug administration visited a wholesale poultry house and found that dressed chickens were being given hypodermic injections—of water. A hose terminating in a hollow needle was used. Each bird received several ounces of water, which was gradually absorbed. This increased the weight and made the scrawny birds look plumper. Though federal agents could not interfere, since the chickens were not shipped interstate, state officials later seized the profit-making hose and fined the dealer.

Wrong Time to Water

It is 1879 the Ute Indians on their reservation in western Colorado turned hostile, murdered N. C. Meeker, their agent, and every man they could find, looted and burned the agency buildings and carried into captivity Mrs. Meeker, her daughter, Josephine Meeker, Mrs. Brice, the wife of the agency blacksmith, and her little three-year-old daughter. Troops were immediately ordered toward White river but realizing that the arrival of the soldiers might precipitate the murder of the captives, Secretary Schurz of the Department of the Interior telegraphed to Gen. Charles Adams, a former agent of the Utes who was then special agent for the Post Office department in Denver, to go at once to the Ute reservation and use his influence for their release.

Fearful for Adams' safety, his wife tried to dissuade him. "Why do you go?" she asked. "You are not a soldier now and they have no right to ask you to risk your life?" "Because the state of Colorado cannot afford to have those women in the hands of the Indians," he replied simply. "I would consider it just as much a shame and disgrace to refuse my influence in rescuing them as it would be if I should desert in the hour of battle."

So Adams went by train to western Colorado, then accompanied by three other whites and a party of friendly Utes, sent with him by the great chief Ouray, he made a 100-mile ride through the mountains to the camp of Chief Johnson and Chief Douglas where the captives were held. A council which lasted all night followed. The Indians were in a sullen mood and, despite their old friendship for their former agent, Adams realized that at any moment a sudden gust of savage frenzy might sweep them and result in the death of him and his companions.

At one point in the council he heard a muttered threat to kill him. Springing to his feet he declared "You can kill me if you want to. I am a soldier and a soldier expects to die in the discharge of his duty. I have been a good friend to you and you know it. Now if you want to kill your friend you can. But remember this; the soldiers of my people are as the leaves on the trees. If you kill me or harm these captives, the great white father will send his soldiers and leave not one of you alive." Impressed by this bold statement and by his refusal to smoke the pipe with them so long as they held the women captive, the Indians finally agreed to discuss terms.

Adams refused to make any promises for the government which he could not keep but told them that he would use his influence in their behalf. As a result, the captives were allowed to leave the camp with him, the troops which were on their way were stopped, the Indians returned to the reservation and another costly Indian war was averted.

At the time of the rush into the Palmer gold field, in northern Queensland, Australia, justice was rough but fair, observes the Dunedin (N. Z.) Star, in quoting an incident of the day.

The one storekeeper there, when stocking, took up a barrel of horse-shoe nails, thinking that they would readily sell to diggers who, in loading their pack horses, eliminated the last ounce everything of weight that was not obtainable. As it chanced, however, there was no demand for the nails. Every man who had a horse carried a few in his pocket. After the nails had been on his hands for a while he struck the brilliant idea that he would force sales by refusing to sell any flour or sugar or rice unless the buyer also purchased an equal weight of nails.

For a time the men grumbled, but bought and, not needing the nails, put them back in the barrel, so that they became to the storekeeper what the cruise was to the widow. Eventually the swindle got wind and a big rumpus ensued. About a hundred diggers assembled and took charge of the store. They weighed the nails, paid full price, chucked them into the creek, and on a signboard made of casement wood they notified all and sundry: "No more nails."

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A robber entered the room of Charles McKeever of Philadelphia and stole \$6 in cash and a gold watch. In their place he left five dimes. McKeever went to the police station to report the loss, and as he left he threw the five dimes on the floor, refusing "to take a thief's money." Outside the station a policeman found a hungry vagrant. He gave the unfortunate the spurned dimes and the hungry man hurried away happily to get his breakfast.

"It Can't Be Done"

In the days when electricity was young, Britain's parliament once appointed a committee to examine the matter of electric lighting, and this committee, after having before it as witnesses nearly all the noted scientists of the day, came to the conclusion that a practicable system of electric lighting for private houses was impossible!

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Mrs. Ernest Kasischke and daughter, Miss Elvera, spent Thursday in Bay City.
Winter cabbage for sale, 1 1/2¢ per lb. Jos. Lazar, Wilber.
Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Robinson left Tuesday for their home at Montreal, Quebec, after spending several days

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WANTED—Mixed hay. Jas. Siegel.
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FOR SALE—One good cow dog J. E. Steinhurst, Tawas City.

FOR SALE—Team and hay. Paul Bouchard.

WANTED, HELP—Girl for general housework. Call 314, East Tawa

with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Sommerfield. They were accompanied by their daughter, Miss Marion, of Ann Arbor, and sister Miss Myrna Sommerfield of this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kirbetz and son were at Bay City Wednesday and spent Thanksgiving with his sister, Mrs. Otto Laubrenz, at Munger.

Hot Point or Universal electric ranges. This would make your kitchen complete. See them at Barkmans.

G. Stepanski and W. R. Leslie were Tuesday visitors at Bay City.

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Remember the Senior play, "He's My Pal," at the State Theatre Tuesday evening, December 22, at 8:15. Admission 35c and 15c.

A gift beyond value—send a real message to your friends—send your self in a photograph. Sunday appointments. Bassler Studio. Mrs. Ray Smith and Jack spent Monday in Bay City.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Burtzloff and family were Saturday and Sunday visitors in Saginaw.

Sherman Doby and son, Sherman, of Detroit visited over the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Doby, of Alabaster.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Cecil spent Tuesday in Bay City.

Mr. and Mrs. Al. Stansel and children, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kirbetz and son drove Saturday to Traverse City to visit Mrs. Arthur Ziehl.

Rev. and Mrs. Emil Kasischke of Yale were visitors at the home of their mother, Mrs. Emil Kasischke, several days this week.

Mrs. George Prescott spent Tuesday in Bay City.

Mrs. Thos. Scarlett, Mrs. Lee Force and Jimmie of Detroit spent Thursday and Friday (today) in the city with Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Cox and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Mallon.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Willemt of Flint spent Wednesday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Sommerfield.

Hiram Tanner and Frank Novess spent Sunday in Bay City and Birch Run.

Carl Babcock and Arthur Bigelow spent Tuesday evening in Bay City attending military school.

Henry Fahselt spent the week end in Saginaw. Mrs. Fahselt, who had spent a week in Detroit with relatives, returned with him on Sunday.

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Miss Bernice Hungerford, who is attending school in the city, spent the week end with her parents at Harrisville.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Leitch of Alpena spent the week end in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Dimmick spent Monday in Bay City.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Hayes and children spent Thanksgiving and the week end at Alpena.

Francis Schriber of Flint spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Schriber. Relatives from Ypsilanti also visited at the Schriber home.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Hewson of Caro spent Thanksgiving with their parents.

Mrs. Chas. Hewson, who has been visiting in Caro, has returned home. Mrs. M. L. Morel returned Friday to Clifton, Ill., after spending two weeks with her daughter, Mrs. Basil Quick.

Mr. and Mrs. Ashley Schriber are rejoicing over the arrival of a son, born Wednesday, December 3.

Mrs. Dorothy Robey and son, William, who spent a week in Detroit, returned home Wednesday.

S. Siglin spent Wednesday in Bay City.

Mrs. P. Rempert, who spent a couple days in Bay City, returned home Wednesday.

Clarence Greenwood, who spent the summer in the city with his brother, Henry, and family, returned to Bay City Tuesday.

Mrs. John Schriber, Mrs. Emma Lomas and sons spent Wednesday in Bay City.

Hemlock

Mrs. Lester Biggs and Mrs. Henry Biggs visited in Mio one day last week.

Sam Bamberger of Manistee spent Thanksgiving with his mother, Mrs. Amelia Bamberger.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Herriman and son, Gerald, of Detroit spent from Wednesday until Sunday with his father, H. Herriman, and other relatives and friends.

James Chambers, who has been employed in Bay City, is home for a visit.

Mrs. Lucy Allen and Blythe, and mother, Mrs. C. A. Curry, spent Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. Austin Allen.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Belten, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ward of Whittemore, and Mr. and Mrs. Minor Watkins and daughter, Donna, of Flint spent Thanksgiving with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Smith accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Watkins home to Flint for a visit with relatives and friends.

Charles and Sam Bamberger spent Friday evening with Chas. Brown. Mr. and Mrs. Clair Smith of Flint spent Thanksgiving with his mother, Mrs. Reuben Smith.

John Burt is rebuilding his house which was destroyed by fire.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Brown and daughters, Leona and Muriel, and Russell Binder spent Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Frockins in Reno.

Mr. and Mrs. Waldo Curry entertained on Thanksgiving. Mrs. Curry's parents of East Tawas, and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Leitz and daughter, Joyce.

Arthur Cox of Flint came Tuesday for a few days at his cottage here.

Callers on Mrs. John Katterman Tuesday were, Mrs. Tillie Timreck, Mrs. Lillian Leitz, Mrs. Austin Allen, William Katterman, Mrs. Waldo Curry, Leona and Muriel Brown, and Russell Binder.

Mrs. L. D. Watts returned home Tuesday after a three weeks visit in Flint with her children.

Charles Brown and Waldo Curry were at Whittemore and Hale on business Saturday.

Mrs. Jas. Chambers and daughter, Lois, called on Mrs. Will Herriman and Mrs. Charles Brown Monday.

Auction Sale

The undersigned will sell at Public Auction at the premises one-half mile west of Sand Lake corners, on

Monday, December 7

Beginning at 10:00 o'clock a. m., the following property:

- Black mare
- Spot face cow, 3 yrs., due Jan. 15
- Red cow, 4 yrs., due Jan. 30
- Yellow cow, 3 yrs., due Dec. 20
- Holstein cow, 3 yrs., due Feb. 10
- Speckled red and white cow, 6 yrs., due Feb. 10
- Black cow, 5 yrs., due April 6
- Jersey cow, 9 yrs., due Dec. 25
- Red and white cow, 4 yrs., due Dec. 28
- Red and white cow, due Jan. 3
- White face cow, 5 yrs., due Jan. 18
- Spotted cow, 4 yrs., due Jan. 1
- Roan heifer, 2 yrs.
- Three long yearlings
- Five 2-yr. old steers
- Three 1-yr. old steers
- Yellow heifer, 18 mos. old
- 12 spring calves
- Durham bull, 3 yrs. old
- Spike harrow
- Riding cultivator
- Cutting box, with power jack
- Tractor and tandem disc
- Double 12 in. plow
- 16 in. plow
- Set spring tooth harrows
- Grain drill
- 135 bu. Sparton barley
- 50 bu. barley and oats
- 600 bus. corn
- Hay and straw
- 100 acres corn fodder
- 100 bus. potatoes
- Two sows and 14 pigs
- 20 hens and roosters
- Other articles too numerous to mention

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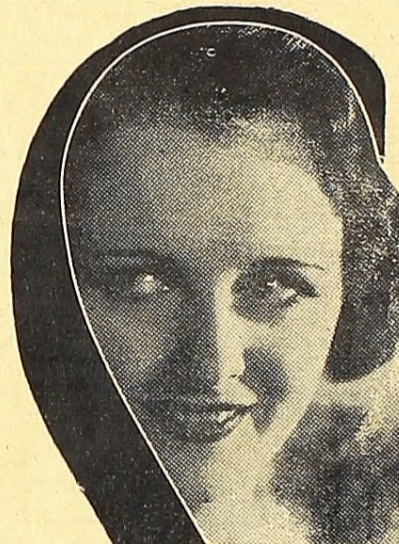
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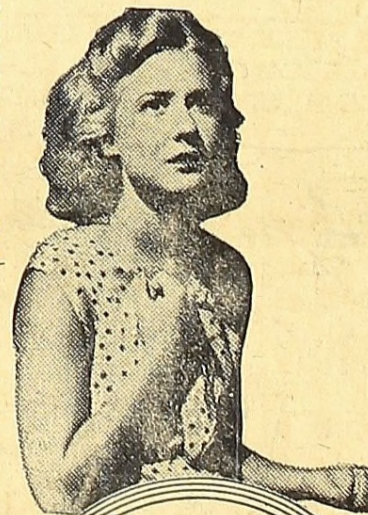


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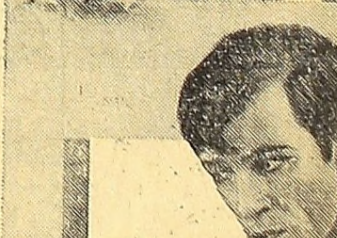


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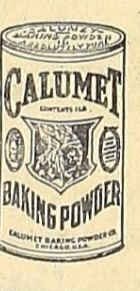


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Jello, all flavors, 3 pkgs. and 2 molds, all for 23c
Log Cabin Syrup, table size 28c
Log Cabin Syrup, medium size can 57c
And Glass Waffle Plate FREE With Each Can

	Calumet Baking Powder Lb. can 29c		LaFrance Powder Three pkgs. 25c		Postum Cereal Story Book FREE Pkg. 23c
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Michigan Sugar, Saturday Special, lb. 5c
Michigan Sugar, 100 lbs. \$4.95

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Bulk Dates Two pounds 25c	Roasted Peanuts, fine clean quality, per lb. 10c
Argo Gloss or Corn Starch, 3 pkgs. 25c	Camay or Oliv-ilo Toilet Soap, 4 cakes 25c
Pineapple, sliced or crushed No. 2 1/2 size, can 19c	Pan Rolls Per pkg. 5c
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