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FIRST ANNUAL PERCH FESTIVAL IS SUCCESS

TAWAS CITY

Miss Viola Groff left Sunday for Detroit after spending several months here with her mother, Mrs. M. Groff.

Mr. and Mrs. Edw. Kobs of Flint called on friends and relatives in the city on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leland Harris and baby of Flint visited relatives in the city and Alabaster over the week end.

Miss Margaret Worden and members of the County Normal class spent Friday in Mt. Pleasant.

Roy Roth, Howard Bartel, and the Misses Elvera Kasischke, Catherine Roth and Ann Drensky of Saginaw were week end guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Kasischke.

Rev. George Luedtke of Toledo, Ohio, was a week end guest of relatives in the city.

Erna Zail, Carl and Harold Glumm, Misses Verna Zail and Elzy Irish of Lansing and Louis E. Kiel of Paducah, Kentucky, were week end guests at the Neumann home.

Mrs. Temple Harris and daughter, Gloria, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. McDonald and Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Harris of Flint were week end guests of Mrs. Lulu Harris.

County Agricultural Agent W. L. Finley will not be in his office on Friday and Saturday, May 8 and 9. He will attend a conference at Bay City on those dates.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Bielby of Hale spent last Wednesday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Brown.

A meeting of the Tawas City Board of Commerce will be held Monday evening at the city hall. The secretary-treasurer of the perch festival committee will give his report at that time.

Mrs. S. Connor has returned after spending the winter at Detroit and with her son, Edmund Connor, at Milwaukee.

Eugene LaRue of Midland spent last week at the home of Mrs. John Swartz and also visited friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Graham of Bay City spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. F. Dease.

Mrs. Edw. Tompkins, Irwin and Miss Lucille, of Flushing were week end guests of the former's sister, Mrs. Chas. Curry.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Stark and family of Alpena spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Stark.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Groff and children of Detroit were week end visitors in the city with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Swales of Detroit visited relatives in the Tawas last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Darrow and daughter, Stephanie, of Owosso are spending a month here. Mr. Darrow is an employee of the Consumers Power company.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Brookshire and family of Flint were week end guests at the Stephen Ferguson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Charters will celebrate their golden wedding anniversary on Sunday at the home of their daughter, Mrs. Wm. Leslie. They will hold open house in the afternoon for friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Smith of Harrison visited relatives in Tawas and on the Hemlock last week end.

A number of ladies helped Mrs. John King celebrate her birthday last Thursday. A good time was enjoyed by all. A delicious lunch was served.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Neumann, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Neumann and sons, Walter and Edward, all of Detroit, visited Mr. and Mrs. Fred Neumann over the Perch Festival.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugo Groff and Jimmie of Detroit spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Stepanski.

Mr. and Mrs. Dennie LaRue and Buddy LaRue and Mr. and Mrs. Wilber LaRue of Midland spent Sunday with Mrs. John Swartz.

Mrs. Edw. Stevens and family, who have spent the winter in Lansing, arrived home Monday for the summer.

Mrs. Lars Bravick of Detroit is visiting her daughter, Mrs. J. J. Austin, this week.

ESTIMATED ATTENDANCE OVER 15000

Tim Doolittle Is Acclaimed King Of First Annual Fete Here

The First Annual Perch Festival came to a very successful conclusion Sunday evening. The final event in the three days of festivities was the king's ball and the crowning of Tim Doolittle as king by acclamation. Sunday was the climax in point of attendance and activities. Sunday afternoon Lake street between Tawas City and East Tawas was thronged with a crowd which was estimated at between fifteen and twenty thousand people.

Early Friday morning Tawas river was lined with perch fishermen and that place continued to be the main point of interest throughout the three days. Hundreds also tried their luck in the bay at East Tawas. Friday evening festivities began with the crowning of Miss Isabelle Dease as festival queen at the Edgewater pavilion. James F. Thompson, commissioner of agriculture, performed the coronation ceremony. The queen's ball following this ceremony was attended by more than 500 people. It proved a gay and happy throng. Music was furnished by the Ford Mountaineers. Trout Queen Esther Coan of West Branch was in attendance at the coronation.

Saturday afternoon a field meet was held in the Tawas City park and the evening was given over to boxing and the awarding of prizes in the queen contest and to Thomas E. Webster, winner in the tall story contest. These activities are covered by special stories. More than 400 attended the dance held in the evening at the Edgewater pavilion.

The parade Sunday afternoon featured the beautiful float carrying the queen and her court and floats from nearby towns. Color was added to the parade by Tawas City and Osceola public school bands and the East Tawas American Legion Drum and Bugle corps. Two women cyclists, Miss Eunice Anschuetz and Mrs. Iva Mallon, drew an especially hearty cheer from the throngs along Lake street. The Tawas City fire department took part in the parade.

Prize winners in the parade were Miss Eunice Anschuetz of Bay City and Mrs. Iva Mallon of East Tawas, Tawas Bay Boat Works of East Tawas, and the M. & B. Ice Cream company of Saginaw. John Koepke of Tawas City won first prize in the largest perch contest.

Early in the afternoon a tour was made to various points of interest in the Huron National forest. A lunch was served to the guests at Silver creek by boys in the CCC camp at that place.

A well filled day was concluded with the king's dance at Edgewater pavilion.

H. J. Keiser, president of the Tawas City Board of Commerce, and Douglas Ferguson, chairman of the Festival committee, said yesterday that they wish to thank the many people in the city and elsewhere who gave their support and cooperation in making the festival a success. They wished especially to thank the members of the various committees for their excellent work, the various newspapers of the state and the East Michigan Tourist Association for the large amount of publicity given. Tim Doolittle and His Pine Cone Gang, Duncan Moore, the Ford Mountaineers, the Tawas City public school band, the East Tawas American Legion Drum and Bugle Corps the Osceola Public School band, and the many wholesale houses and others who gave prizes for the various events and showed such a keen interest in the festival.

L. D. S. Church
Elder M. A. Sommerfeld, Pastor
10:30 a. m.—Unified services, first period. Lord's Supper.
11:15 a. m.—Church School and class period.
7:45 p. m.—Song services.
8:00 p. m.—Preaching by pastor. Subject: The Two Ways. Text: Jeremiah ch. 6, v. 16. Additional text: Proverbs ch. 14, v. 12.

Card of Thanks
We wish to thank the friends and neighbors for the many acts of kindness extended us during our bereavement; also Rev. Edinger for his consoling words and the singers for the beautiful hymns rendered.

Cora Chester,
Arthur Chester,
Madora Chester.

Mrs. Chas. Quick was severely burned Monday when the gasoline stove exploded. She received severe burns on her hands and arms.

Mr. and Mrs. Gregory Murray and son, Gregory, of Flint were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Murray.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilsie of Owosso are spending a few days with relatives at Alabaster.

New Sport To Be Inaugurated Here

A new sport will be introduced here this summer by H. J. Keiser and Carl Babcock. These local sportsmen plan to troll for lake trout. Mr. Keiser will use a motor boat and Mr. Babcock will use a sailboat.

Lake trout fishing has been a very interesting sport and has been enjoyed on Lake Michigan for a number of years. Its success locally will greatly add to the numerous sports attractions now offered by Tawas Bay.

AuSable M. E. A. District Holds Annual Institute

The annual institute of the AuSable district of the Michigan Education Association was held at Mio Friday, April 24, at two o'clock in the afternoon. This district is the largest in Michigan from the standpoint of area and consists of Alcona, Osceola, Crawford, Iosco, Ogemaw, and Roscommon counties. A total of 141 members were present from the six counties. Iosco was excelled only by Ogemaw in attendance, these counties being represented by 41 and 42 members, respectively. The fast spreading popularity of the German Band of the local high school was shown by its being asked to furnish a part of the music.

The program consisted of the following: Selection—Mio High School Band; Greetings—President A. E. Giddings; Address: The Changing Curriculum—F. A. Kelder, Michigan Department of Public Instruction; Selections—Tawas City High School German Band; Business Meeting; Selections—Tawas City High School German Band; Address: The Michigan Education Program for 1936-1937—Dr. A. J. Phillips, Acting Executive Secretary, M. E. A.

The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President—A. E. Giddings, Tawas City; Vice-President—Howard Switzer, Whittemore; Secretary—G. E. Lucas, West Branch; Treasurer—G. E. Carpenter, Roscommon; Delegate to Representative Assembly—Emery Edwards, Mio.

A dinner was served after the meeting by the Ladies' Aid of the Methodist church. Many remained to partake of the bountiful repast which was offered.

To Hold Mother-Daughter Banquet At Hale May 6th

A Mother and Daughter banquet will be held in the Masonic hall at Hale on Wednesday evening, May 6, at 6:30 o'clock. The event is being sponsored by the Dorcas Society of the Hale Baptist church. Mrs. John Raymond, wife of the pastor of the First Baptist church of Bay City, will deliver the address. Seats for 200 guests are already on sale and many have made reservations. Tickets may be purchased from any Dorcas member and also from Mrs. Grant Shattuck in East Tawas.

Baseball Practice Sunday

A practice session of the Tawas baseball club will be held at the athletic field Sunday afternoon, beginning at 1:30. All players and prospective players are requested to be present.

Emanuel Lutheran Church

Sunday, May 3—English service, 9:30 a. m.; German service, 11:00 a. m.
Monday, May 4—Choir rehearsal, 8:00 p. m.
Thursday, May 7—Adult instruction, 8:00 p. m.
Sunday, May 10—English service, 9:30 a. m.; German service, 11:00 a. m.

Jule Bean of Royal Oak and Charles Birney of Jackson visited friends and relatives in the Tawas over the week end.

DELANO MAN BIGGEST LIAR

In the presence of several thousand people Saturday evening at the city park, Thomas E. Webster of Delano was given the silver cup for being the biggest liar in this section of Michigan and placed in the seat of honor at the Tawas City Liars' Club. The presentation was made by Rev. Charles E. Edinger, chairman of the board of judges.

As a credential for entrance into the club and contest, Mr. Webster wrote: Friend Ferguson: I believe I am eligible to enter your liars' contest for I resided at

ANNUAL 4-H ACHIEVEMENT DAY MAY 5TH

All Day Program Arranged At Alabaster High School

The annual 4-H club achievement day for Iosco county winter club members will be held at the Alabaster high school Tuesday, May 5th. The meeting will be in honor of the young people of the county who have completed the required work in handicraft and clothing during the past few months.

Each club member will exhibit the articles which he has completed and they will be judged by Assistant State Club Leader Miss Olga Bird and State Club Leader A. G. Kettunen. After the judging has been completed the awards of achievement will be handed out. Each member who has completed this required work will also receive a 4-H club pin which is emblematic of the year's experience that the young seamstress or young carpenter has had in club work. In addition county delegates will be chosen to attend other 4-H club activities of the state, such as the club camp at Gaylord in July and the Michigan State Fair at Detroit in September.

The day's program consists of inspection and judging of the club articles, a wood identification contest, and a trip through the Alabaster gypsum plant in the forenoon. The afternoon program will be opened by the 4-H club girls' dress review, and will be followed by an address of welcome by Supt. G. E. Brookens of the Alabaster school; a talk on the correlation of 4-H club work and school work by Miss Margaret Worden, county school commissioner; club activities at Alabaster by Alabaster club members; 4-H club work of Iosco county by District 4-H Club Agent L. H. Rhodes; announcement of delegates by Miss Bird, assistant state club leader; announcement of handicraft winners by A. G. Kettunen, state club leader, and closing remarks by W. L. Finley, county agricultural agent.

The 4-H club members of our county extend an invitation to each and every resident of Iosco county to attend the achievement day May 5th and see what fine work they are doing.

Hale News

ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN CHURCH OF HALE

K. W. Vertz, Pastor
May 3—Divine service at 10:30. Sermon: We Would See Jesus. Would you also like to see Jesus? Come, for He alone is the Way, and the Truth, and the Life; no man cometh unto the Father, but by Him.
Wednesday—Instructions for adults and children at 8:00 p. m. Jesus said: "Suffer the little children to come unto me, and forbid them not."

The Father and Son banquet held at the M. E. church was one of Hale's most outstanding events of the year. More than 200 people sat at the tables. A very delicious meal was served in a most efficient manner by the local ladies. Ross Bernard acted as toastmaster. Toasts were given by John Putnam, John O. Johnson, Rev. Byler, Rev. Davis and Everett Smith. The music was under the direction of Mrs. Ickens and Mrs. Clarence Van Wormer. Norman Van Wormer's singing received great applause. The main feature of the evening, Judge Dehnke's address, was received with keen interest.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Summers and son, Jimmie, of Flint spent the week end as guests of her mother, Mrs. John O. Johnson.

Del Kessler is quite ill with peritonitis at this writing. The entire teaching staff of the (Turn to No. 1. Back Page)

CLEAN-UP WEEK

The week beginning Monday, May 4th, has been designated Clean-up Week. Rubbish put in barrels or boxes and conveniently placed at the curb will be taken care of by the city.

J. A. Brugger, Mayor.

I. O. O. F. Will Sponsor Father-Daughter Banquet

The Baldwin lodge, I. O. O. F., announces a Father and Daughter banquet to be held at the Odd Fellows hall in East Tawas on Thursday evening, May 21st. This event will be unique. It is probably the first time that a banquet for fathers and daughters has been held by any organization.

A program of unusual merit, featured by addresses by Hon. Edward M. Sharpe, Grand Master of Odd Fellows and Justice of the Michigan Supreme Court, and Hon. Herman Dehnke, Past Grand Master of Odd Fellows and Circuit Judge, has been arranged. Further details will be given in later notices.

New Log Cabin Tea Room On U.S.-23 Opens Today

The new Log Cabin Tea Room and Service Station recently built by Jas. H. Leslie at the intersection of U.S.-23 and the Tawas Beach road opened today. The business will be operated by Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Deming of Lansing who have had a long experience in this business.

The new service station and tea room is beautifully and conveniently located and is modernly equipped in every respect. Dinners and short orders will be served. During the opening there will be flowers for the ladies and one quart of pure Pennsylvania oil will be given with every \$1.00 purchase of gasoline.

Mrs. Elgin Gates

Mrs. Elgin Gates died Saturday, April 25, at her home in East Tawas. She was nearly 56 years of age at the time of her death.

Ethel May Trudell was born June 14, 1880, in Bay City. She spent most of her life in East Tawas and attended the East Tawas school. She was united in marriage to Elgin Gates on February 15, 1910. Besides her husband she leaves to mourn one daughter, Miss Josephine Gates; one sister, Mrs. Ernest Larson of East Tawas; and two brothers, Delbert Trudell of East Tawas and Benjamin Trudell of Grand Marais.

Funeral services were held Monday afternoon from the home and burial was made in the Greenwood cemetery. Those from out of the city who attended the funeral were: Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Trudell of Grand Rapids, Mrs. Harold Simon of Grand Rapids, and Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Helmer and Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Helmer of Pinconning.

Will Build Band Stand In Tawas City Park

A band stand will be erected in the Tawas City park by popular subscription. Mayor John Brugger announced yesterday that nearly enough money had been subscribed during the first day's canvass.

RECREATION NEWS

Two softball teams have been organized in Hale by the W.P.A. leader. The young boys and girls are anxious to play. They are buying new equipment.

Wallace Leslie of Mt. Pleasant, Miss Florence Neuman of Marquette and Wm. Leslie of Hillsdale were week end guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Leslie.

REGATTA TO BE HELD AUG. 1-8

Plans Underway For Annual Water Carnival

The fourth annual Tawas Bay Regatta will be held August 1-8. Merrill Pollard is chairman of the event, which is sponsored by the Tawas Bay Yachting Association.

A growing interest has been shown in these annual affairs and it is expected that this year's carnival will surpass all preceding ones in color and action. The association aims to make it the biggest water show that has ever been staged in the Tawas and plans are already underway toward that end. As in past years, the regatta marks the culmination of the summer sailboat racing season and will be looked forward to with eager anticipation by lovers of water sports.

A new feature this year will be the six meter sailboats owned by Philip Fletcher of Alpena. These will be the largest boats to appear in the regatta since its inception.

Yours truthfully,
Thos. E. Webster.

MANY ATTEND FIELD MEET AND BOXING BOUTS

Saturday's Entertainment Features Prove Very Popular

A large number of spectators were at the Tawas City park Saturday afternoon and evening to witness the field meet and boxing matches held in connection with Tawas City's Perch Festival. Considerable enthusiasm was displayed by the athletes participating and each contestant gave a good account of himself. Judging from the applause given at the various contests, these features proved to be very popular with the spectators. Additional entertainment was furnished by the Tawas City high school band and the Little German band.

In the field meet, which was under the direction of Edward Cowan, W. P. A. Recreation leader, the following were the winners in the several events:

50-yard dash—1st, W. Gresham; 2nd, Don Hull.

High jump—1st, Charles Fairfield; 2nd, Wm. McMurray.

100-yard dash—1st, W. Gresham; 2nd, Don Hull.

Pole vault—1st, Harold Moeller; 2nd, Earl Davis.

Shot put—1st, C. T. Prescott; 2nd, Charles Malcolm.

Standing broad jump—1st, C. T. Prescott; 2nd, Harold Moeller.

Running broad jump—1st, W. Gresham; 2nd, Marvin Mallon.

220-yard dash—1st, Don Hull; 2nd, Marvin Mallon.

Results of the boxing matches held in the evening were as follows: John Halligan-Thomas Sheldon—Draw.

Charles Malcolm-Otto Nicander—Won by Malcolm on foul.

Blaine Williams-Joe DeLosh—Draw.

Doug Sheldon-Jim Soputo—Won by Sheldon.

Edward Schanbeck-Arthur Lickfelt—Won by Lickfelt.

Joe Halligan refereed the bouts.

School Notes

High School
All members of the faculty attended the institute of the AuSable District, M. E. A., which was held at Mio Friday. There were 141 members in attendance and 41 of these members were from Iosco county.

A portion of the Girls' Glee club will present songs of different countries Saturday at the Junior class tea.

The German Band journeyed to Mio last Friday to play at the AuSable District M. E. A. meeting.

Those on the honor roll for the month of April are as follows: Patricia DePotty, Opal Gillespie, Albert Herman, John Katterman, Myrtion Leslie, Marguerite McLean, Norma Musolf, Erma Pfahl, Ernest Ross, Frieda Ross, Otto Ross, Emma Sawyer, and Frieda Witzke.

The high school band plans to take part in the band festival at Mio on Saturday, May 16. We are working hard on a concert we will present there. Monday we practice marching outdoors. As soon as the weather permits, we plan to give an outdoor concert in the park.

The district forensic contest will be held at Petoskey May 7, beginning at 3:30 in the afternoon and continuing into the evening. As we have three student representatives to attend this year, the contest is a matter of much interest to us. Richard King, Lucille DePotty, Jean Robinson, and their coach, Miss Crosby, will represent the Tawas City school.

Charles W. Hamilton of the Bay City Business College called at the school Tuesday to confer with the seniors who had taken occupational tests under his supervision. We believe that none of the seven who took these tests regret their action.

Fifth and Sixth Grades
We received \$7.15 for the sale of Starr Commonwealth tags. Billy Musolf sold tags amounting to \$1.53 and Maxine Smith \$1.04. These people were awarded the prizes.

Arthur Cadorette visited our room Tuesday afternoon.

Third and Fourth Grades
Norma Lou Westcott and Richard Clark won the prizes for selling the most tags for the Starr Commonwealth for boys at Albion.

Robert Bolen, Mary Ann Rembert, Verna Humphrey, and Donald Briting were visitors last week.

Primary Room
We had several visitors during the week. They were Kathleen Houston, Mary Ann Rembert, Nelson Ulman, and Donald Westcott.

Clifford Grove and Raymond Westcott, who were absent last week, are back at school again.

Dwayne Leslie is absent this week.

EAST TAWAS

Mr. and Mrs. Rex Cooper of Flint spent the week end in the city with relatives.

Herbert Dillon of Flint spent the week end in the city with his sister, Mrs. Earl McElhannon, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Sauve and son of Lansing spent the week end with Mr. Sauve's mother, Mrs. L. Sauve.

Ralph Harwood of Chicago spent the week end in the city with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Harwood.

A. J. Downey and several friends from Detroit spent the week end in the city enjoying the fishing.

Emil Sauve of Alpena spent Saturday in the city with his mother, Mrs. J. Edwards and Mrs. Wm. DeGrow spent Saturday in Bay City.

Mrs. Roual LaBerge, who spent a week in Detroit with her children, returned home Saturday.

Mrs. Ella Cleaver of Saginaw spent the week end with her sister, Mrs. George Vaughn, Sr.

Mrs. Ben Schechter of Flint spent Sunday with her daughter, Mrs. H. Barkman.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Misener and children of Flint spent the week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Misener.

An oilette permanent wave for \$2.00 will be the special feature for the month of May only at the Del-Mar Beauty Shop.

C. C. Harwood and son spent Saturday in Bay City.

Mrs. M. D. Myers, daughter, Annebelle, and son, Julian, of Tower spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. Barkman.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Donaghue of Bay City spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. John Mielock.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Swales of Detroit spent the week end in the city with relatives.

If you have eye trouble, let me show you the new electric ear phone, at Holland Hotel, Wednesday, May 13. Dr. Allard, D. C. O. D.

Reuben Smith and friends of Detroit spent the week end in the city calling on friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Pinkerton of Saginaw spent the week end in the Tawas with relatives.

Mrs. Alfred McKiddie of Detroit spent the week end in Alabaster with her husband.

George Davey of Detroit spent the week end with his sisters, the Misses Edith and Cora Davey.

Ralph Marontate and George LaBerge of Detroit spent the week end in the city.

Harry Hagstrom left for Detroit, where he has employment.

James McGuire of Detroit spent the week end with his mother.

Miss Frances Klenow of Bay City spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. Klenow.

Mr. and Mrs. John Thompson and children of Midland spent the week end with Mrs. Thompson's sisters, Misses Edith and Cora Davey.

The East Tawas high school and County Normal alumni associations will hold a meeting at the high school Tuesday, May 5, at 8 o'clock. Every member is urged to be present.

Mr. and Mrs. Merlon Seiling and children of Toledo, Ohio, spent the week end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Eino Haglund.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Black and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hesselbring of Flint were guests at the R. G. Schreck home over the week end.

Mrs. Pauline Thompson, who spent the winter in Bay City, returned to East Tawas Tuesday.

Nelson Sims, who has been in the Mercy hospital, Bay City, spent a few days in this city.

The County Normal class will spend Friday in Mt. Pleasant. (Turn to No. 2, Back Page)

Sensational Parrott Novel Makes An Enjoyable Film
Swift has been the success of Ursula Parrott, author of the sensational novel from which Universal made "Next Time We Love," starring Margaret Sullivan, and showing at the Family Theatre, East Tawas, next Wednesday and Thursday, May 6-7.

"Next Time We Love" is considered by many the most dramatic story Miss Parrott has written. It reveals the difficulties of a modern woman married to a foreign correspondent whose duties carry him to far countries. The author's personal research enabled her to write with authenticity.

A notable cast brings to life the characters created by Miss Parrott. Portraying the actress, whose love story the novel tells, is Margaret Sullivan. The foreign correspondent is made human by an actor who brings a new sort of personality to the screen, James Stewart. Others prominently cast include Ray Milland, Grant Mitchell, Robert McWade and Anna Demetrio.

News Review of Current Events the World Over

Stiewer to Be Keynote for Republicans—Flood Control Bill Passes Senate—Battle Over New Tax Bill in House.

By EDWARD W. PICKARD
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WHEN the Republicans gather in national convention at Cleveland next June their keynote for their Presidential campaign will be sounded by Frederick Stiewer, the eloquent and handsome United States senator from Oregon. He was selected to be temporary chairman of the convention by unanimous vote of the arrangements committee of the national committee after due consideration had been given the names of several other prominent Republicans.



Senator Stiewer

Observers held that the motive in picking Stiewer was a desire of the party leaders to give the convention a western atmosphere at the start, with an especial eye to agriculture. The senator has been actively identified with wheat growing and his home town, Portland, is a center of the northwestern battleground of the November elections. His colleague is Senator Charles L. McNary, one of the authors of the old McNary-Haugen agriculture bill and by many regarded as a possible dark horse in the Presidential nomination race. Governor Landon said he was glad to hear Stiewer had been chosen, and it was believed Senator Borah also approved, for in many ways Stiewer has proved himself liberal, and at the same time has upheld the Constitution and the American form of government.

He has opposed most of the New Deal measures, but has not been uncompromising, as he voted for such acts as the TVA extension, the labor disputes act, and the AAA amendments. He has been active in soldier legislation, including the bonus. He opposed the war relief bill, the utilities bill, the tax bill and the Guffey coal bill.

Congressman Bertrand Snell of New York, minority leader in the house, was selected to be permanent chairman of the convention, a position he held in the convention of 1932.

DISREGARDING warnings by Senator Vandenberg of Michigan against too hasty action, the senate passed a bill introduced by Senator Overton of Louisiana authorizing the expenditure of \$272,000,000 for flood control work on the lower Mississippi river and its tributaries. There was no record vote. The bill has no relation to the omnibus flood control measure now pending, which may reach a billion. The sum named in the senate bill is authorized merely to be appropriated and will have to be put in a deficiency appropriation bill. Senator Overton declared it was justified by emergency conditions.

In addition to the 272 million dollars there is authorized an appropriation of 15 millions to be allocated by the secretary of war and used in rescue work or repair and maintenance of flood control works.

FEDERAL JUDGE HALSTED L. RITTER of Florida was found guilty on impeachment charges by the senate and removed from office, being the fourth federal jurist to be ousted in this manner. On each of the first six articles of impeachment a majority of senators voted for his acquittal; but on the seventh article, which was a generalized summary of the charges against him, he was convicted by a vote of 56 to 28.



H. L. Ritter

An order declaring Ritter should be "forever disqualified from holding any office of honor, trust or profit under the United States" was defeated, 76 to 0.

The senate's verdict in the twelfth impeachment case brought before it as a high court of impeachment since foundation of the American republic amounted to a decision that Judge Ritter had violated the Constitutional requirements of good behavior in office. It carried no punishment other than automatic removal from the bench.

THE administration's bill to levy about 800 million dollars in new taxes yearly was introduced in the house by the ways and means committee, and a fierce battle started immediately. The Republican minority of the committee issued a report which stated that the proposed tax law was "unsound in principle, will undermine business stability, is another step toward regimentation of all business, and is not designed to raise revenue but admittedly is another New Deal experiment."

Conservative Democrats joined with the Republicans in this attack against the bill, but the administration leaders were confident the measure would pass before May 1.

Complete revision of the corporation tax system is the main objective of the bill. It levies a graduated tax on corporation income, based on percentage of earnings withheld from distribution to stockholders in the form of dividends.

The majority report asserted the measure would raise about \$93,000,000 the first year, but admitted that over a three-year period revenue would fall \$334,000,000 short of the President's budget-balancing program. It was added that the deficit could be acted on "more intelligently" next session.

SENATOR KENNETH MCKELLAR of Tennessee made an attempt to reduce by \$225,000 the appropriation for the federal bureau of investigation, otherwise J. Edgar Hoover's G-men, and failed ignominiously. Only McKellar and one other senator were in the affirmative on a viva voce vote, and in the brief but lively debate several Democrats, including Majority Leader Joe Robinson, joined Senator Vandenberg in denouncing the proposed reduction. The Michigan man's remarks were caustic. Said he:

"I will go as far as the senator from Tennessee in all matters of economy, but it seems to me that this is a peculiar place to start economizing. The bureau says it needs 175 more men. If the senator wants to save 175 men, I will join him in taking that number from the 18,235 employed by Doctor Tugwell's resettlement administration. I will join him in abolishing 175 of the 43,641 jobs under Mr. Hopkins. I will join him in removing that number from the 19,548 jobs under the HOLO, or the 2,422 jobs under the long interred NRA."

SEVEN persons were indicted by a federal grand jury in St. Paul, Minn., for the kidnaping of William Hamm, Jr., brewer, in June, 1933. Some of the accused are already in prison. Only one, Alvin Karpis, public enemy No. 1, is still at large, and the Department of Justice in Washington has offered a reward of \$5,000 for information leading to his apprehension.

OCCUPATION of Addis Ababa and all of Ethiopia was the price demanded by Italy for an armistice in East Africa when the council of the League of Nations met again in Geneva. Baron Pompeo Aloisi presented the ultimatum on behalf of Dictator Mussolini. Wolde Mariam, representing Ethiopia, countered with a request that the league invoke all penalties against Italy under article 16 of the covenant, these including military sanctions as well as the economic penalties which the league has been trying to enforce. The British and French delegates explained the stand of their respective governments in the embroglio. The league was helpless, and having received the discouraging report of the conciliation committee, was compelled to confess it could not find means of attaining peace. France will not consent to the imposition of military sanctions, and Great Britain naturally will not undertake to enforce them by herself. It appeared the poor Ethiopians were to be abandoned to their fate, meaning the extinction of their empire and their exploitation by Italy.



Baron Aloisi

Anthony Eden in his address to the council warned France that she might expect from Great Britain no further support against aggression by Germany than France had given against Italy. From the north, south and west the Italian armies were advancing on Addis Ababa, and the panic-stricken civilian inhabitants of the capital were fleeing from the city. Foreigners sought shelter in the bomb-proofed British legation. The mayor issued all the arms available and the government called on all able men to make a last stand for liberty, saying "it is better to die than to be enslaved."

Latest dispatches said the Ethiopians were blasting the road between Dessye and Addis Ababa, and that the advance of some of the Italian columns had been halted by strong attacks. The emperor was afield with his troops and turned the government at the capital over to Crown Prince Asfa Wosan.

DISPATCHES from Chengtu, China, tell a terrible story of the famine and drought in Szechuen province, one of the most fertile regions in the country. It is said to be the worst famine in the history of China, the deaths numbering many thousands and fully 30,000,000 persons being in distress. Suicides and "mercy slayings" are everyday incidents.

Officials said the situation primarily was a result of Communist incursions during the last two years in which the reds overran and pillaged the land.

WHAT American newspaper publishers think of the actions of the Black lobby committee was expressed forcibly and unequivocally in resolutions adopted by their national association at its annual meeting in New York. The committee was accused of having violated the first, fourth and fifth amendments to the Constitution by its seizures of private communications, and the publishers recommended that all victims of the committee's acts seek civil damages and demand the "prosecution of all involved in the odious affair under the criminal statutes of the United States."

OTTORINO RESPIGHI, one of the most famous of modern Italian composers, died in Rome at the age of fifty-six of heart disease following deep poisoning. His passing is cause for deep mourning among music lovers everywhere.

SECRETARY OF LABOR PERKINS reported that employment in manufacturing and nonmanufacturing industries during March showed a gain of 250,000. One division of the steel industry, she reported, had increased its employment above the 1929 level.

Pay rolls in the industries surveyed by the Labor department were \$10,000,000 above February and \$20,000,000 over a year ago.

The employment index in the wire making division of the steel industry, she said, now stands at 143, compared with 124.2 in 1929. At the same time she pointed out that four and a half million young people have come on the labor market since 1929 and that employment would have to rise to 125 per cent of the "normal" level to absorb these newcomers.

Sixty-six of the manufacturing industries reported gains, she said, and 11 of the 16 nonmanufacturing industries showed improvement in employment.

GOV. ED. C. JOHNSON of Colorado is determined to keep "cheap labor" out of his state and has taken steps to stop the invaders at the boundary lines by means of a military patrol of the National Guard.

Col. Nell W. Kimball, adjutant general, flew over western Oklahoma on a scouting expedition following reports workers were gathering for a concentrated "border run."

Guard officers said workers were camped across the state line in Oklahoma. Reports that indignities were evading the patrol along the New Mexico line by turning eastward sent patrol units hurrying to the Kansas boundary.

ANOTHER post-war treaty has gone floozy. President Kemal Ataturk of Turkey and his cabinet decided that the Dardanelles must be remilitarized, despite the Lusanne pact, and Turkish troops were promptly moved into the zone along the 75-mile long strait that connects the Sea of Marmora and the Aegean sea. It is believed Kemal will soon rebuild the fortifications in the zone which the allies failed to capture during the World war.



President Kemal

The Turkish dictator didn't surprise anyone by his action, for he asked permission of the League of Nations some time ago to rearm the Dardanelles. No formal reply had been made, but the British government rather favored giving consent, and the Soviet union openly approves Turkey's move. Italy was displeased, and there was considerable excitement in the Balkan states, especially Bulgaria which borders on European Turkey. The Bulgarians renewed their demand for a corridor giving them a direct route to the Aegean sea.

Probably Kemal's action will not be severely condemned by anyone, for most of the European nations are preparing for war with feverish haste. Austria's army, small but well equipped, held a spring parade in Vienna, and immediately the nations of the little entente displayed their anger at this show of military force and their military attaches in the Austrian capital were ordered not to occupy the places reserved for them among the reviewing officials. Rumania has increased its military budget to \$88,000,000 and created a special fund of \$20,000,000 for the development of aviation. Hungary is clamoring for revision of the Trianon treaty and recovery of the territory it lost to the little entente.

LOUIS MCHENRY HOWE, secretary to President Roosevelt and for many years his close friend and adviser, died in the Naval hospital at Washington after an illness of more than a year. Mr. Howe was known in the capital as "the President maker," for it was largely due to his efforts that Mr. Roosevelt reached the White House. For twenty-five years, from the day when Mr. Roosevelt and he first met in Albany, he had devoted himself to forwarding his friend's political fortunes. During the Chicago convention and the ensuing campaign his planning and his advice were credited largely with the results attained.

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West Branch—The workers at the Ogemaw CCC Camp near here, are completing a bluegill rearing pond 10 acres in extent. It will be flooded to an average depth of seven feet and be fed by springs pouring over 600 gallons of water a minute. It is the "farthest north" rearing pond of its kind in Michigan and the output will be planted in inland lakes in and around Ogemaw County.

LANSING—The State Conservation Commission has approved the plan to tag all deer hunters next fall. It is proposed to furnish each licensed hunter with a cloth tag, four by 12 inches, carrying the number of the license, to be fastened on the back of hunting coats. It is contended this plan, now in force in Pennsylvania, will assist in cutting down hunting accidents and law violations.

JACKSON—Replacement of more than three miles of rails on the main line between Jackson and Albion has been started by the Michigan Central Railroad. New rails of 127-pound type will replace the 105-pound rails because of greater loads and increased speed of modern trains. The discarded rails will be used for branch lines and siding tracks. Additional replacing will be done in the summer.

Ypsilanti—A new airplane, one of 15 ordered by the bureau of air commerce for use by Federal aviation inspectors, has been given rigid trials in Washington under observation of Government experts. It was built here as a result of a competition to develop planes safe for operation by those learning to fly. A second type designed to fold so as to permit running along a highway and entering garage, is soon to be tried.

LANSING—Votes of the House of Representatives will be electrically registered during the next legislative session. The American Signal Corp., of Milwaukee, manufacturers of the voting machines used in the capitols of Wisconsin, Louisiana and other states, have agreed to install a system in the House of Representatives "on trial." If the Legislature decides to keep the system, the cost will be \$33,500. If not, the company will remove it.

St. Ignace—The State will rent and operate the ferry boat St. Marie this season, for the exclusive use of trucks routed to cross the Straits of Mackinac. The announcement was considered important because it will provide a test of the contention that both peninsulas suffer because of the difficulty attending commercial transportation between them. Such a contention has been one of the main arguments in favor of spanning of the Straits with a bridge.

LANSING—Circuit Judge Leland W. Carr has ruled that fish shipped into this state become subject to the same laws as those governing possession of fish caught in Michigan waters. The ruling was in an appeal by A. J. Bartell, Lansing fish market proprietor, from a justice court conviction for possession of undersized fish imported from another state. Bartell challenged constitutionality of the State law penalizing possession of undersized fish regardless of how or where they are caught.

Battle Creek—A mishap suffered 20 years ago—the loss of both legs in a railroad accident—saved the life of Perry C. Hicks, head of a storage and transfer firm here. Seated in his rubber-tired wheel chair Perry was talking over the telephone when a lightning struck the wire. The bolt traveled into his office and jumped from the phone transmitter to his nose, inflicting superficial burns. Electricians said that if Perry had been "grounded" by having his feet in contact with the floor, he would have been electrocuted.

Cadillac—Cadillac has reduced its tax rate from \$13.86 to \$12.10 and cut valuations from \$6,452,893 to \$6,291,155. The city budget is \$76,960 compared to \$89,400 a year ago.

Bay City—Detroit will have a new mail boat for use in the river by July 1. It will be 65 feet long, of steel construction and powered by a 160 horsepower Diesel engine. The Defoe Boat and Motor Works of Bay City is building it.

Mt. Clemens—The delivery to Selfridge Field within the next six weeks of 23 new two-place pursuit ships will bring the field complement of fighting planes to 75—the largest fighting force ever on hand at the field.

JACKSON—Jackson County's bonded indebtedness will be reduced to \$66,000 with the payment of \$101,506 due May 1 on bonds and interest. The balance will be paid in three installments of \$22,000 each in 1937, 1938 and 1939.

Saginaw—An appropriation of \$3,000 to prepare plans for transforming the county's contagious disease hospital into a tuberculosis hospital and providing other quarters for the contagious cases was voted recently by the Saginaw County Board of Supervisors.

JACKSON—The County Board of Supervisors have voted \$600 to a garden project sponsored by the Jackson Kiwanis Club. Last year the club provided 170 acres, the yield from which included more than 4,000 bushels of potatoes and large quantities of other vegetables.

LANSING—Elimination of nearly half of the legal liquor dispensaries in Michigan is forecast in Liquor Control Commission records. Only 14,344 of the 21,000 establishments now licensed have passed preliminary inspections and been permitted to file applications for license renewals. Only 3,355 formal applications have been approved.

PONTIAC—Widespread prevalence of rabies in Oakland County, more than a dozen persons and scores of dogs having been bitten during recent weeks, led State authorities to impose a dog quarantine. Under its terms all dogs running at large are to be shot on sight and no dogs may be taken from the County without permission. The quarantine is effective until Aug. 15.

MARSHALL—Fifty-one projects, netting a total profit of \$4,453,31, or \$87.32 a project, have been completed this year by students of Culver D. Wilcox, Marshall High School agriculture instructor. The profit per project is believed to set a record. Poultry and dairying were most popular but one student took up mint-raising and cultivated six acres at a net profit of \$370.66.

ALLEGAN—Austin J. Colburn, of Allegan, received the first Federal check to be issued for the purchase of property by the Government for its large-scale sub-marginal land project in Allegan County. The Government ultimately plans to acquire between 34,000 and 35,000 acres of sub-marginal land, which will be developed as game preserves and recreational centers for this region.

LANSING—The Michigan Supreme Court rendered a decision which resulted in the indefinite postponement of the May 5 tax title sales. The body ruled only that the sale is illegal regarding 1933 taxes but the Auditor-General has received a formal opinion from the Attorney-General that it is illegal by identical reasoning for prior taxes so the sale was postponed indefinitely.

Buchanan—Arrangements are under way for the shipment from Georgia of two and a half million tomato plants, comprising several carloads, to be set on the 900 acres contracted for by 131 local farmers with the Campbell Soup Co. Experimental plots will be set on local farms this summer, under the direction of Michigan State College experts, for the development of a local supply of plants, in order to avoid possible disease importations in shipments.

EAST LANSING—The State Police have evolved a new road blockade system under which a single radio alarm will send hundreds of police officers to the highways to cut off the escape of bandits. The new blockade system calls for a close co-operation of all of the State's law enforcing officers to so blockade a suspected section that the bandits ultimately must run into a trap, there to surrender or fight it out with heavily armed police.

LANSING—The United States Census Bureau reveals Michigan as the No. 1 alfalfa state. The bureau's 1935 report shows Michigan now has more farms growing alfalfa and more acres of alfalfa in 1935 than any other state in the Union. But it does not lead in alfalfa tonnage. That honor goes to California, which ranks eighth in growers and sixth in acreage. Climatic and growing conditions which induce larger yields make it possible for the coast state to lead in tonnage.

LANSING—Secretary of State Orville E. Atwood recently advocated the repeal of the sales tax on used automobiles and trucks, as a means of lifting the burden on the over-taxed automotive industry. Of the \$26,000,000 sales collected during the first seven months of this fiscal year, Atwood said, more than 20 per cent came from the automotive industry. This was exclusive of the hundreds of thousands of dollars of sales taxes collected from the sale of gasoline in addition to the regular gasoline tax.

Washington Digest

National Topics Interpreted By WILLIAM BRUCKART
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Washington.—I suggested in these columns a year or more ago that the campaign of 1938 would bring forth some of the most amazing oddities in political alignments that this country had ever known. It was apparent, even during the battle for ballots in 1932, that a gigantic shake-up in the voting alignment of citizens was in the making. These things are now being demonstrated and more proof of the changing times seems just around the corner.

We all have seen how such outstanding figures as former Gov. Alfred E. Smith of New York, the Democratic Presidential nominee in 1928, had boldly flouted President Roosevelt and his New Deal theories and we have witnessed such vitriolic outbursts as those by former Senator James A. Reed, that old-line Missouri Democrat, and we have watched with interest the hauling and filling by Jeffersonian Democrats who find New Deal fantasies to be a bitter pill to swallow. Lately, there has come another most interesting situation respecting partisan alignment.

Although the action received much less attention than I believe it deserves, the determination of the Virginia Republicans in their recent convention at Roanoke to refrain from placing a Republican candidate in the field against Senator Carter Glass constitutes, to my mind, one of the most extraordinary twists ever to take place under our two party system. That convention, acting utterly without precedent, took the position that it was better to leave the field clear for the election of the veteran senator than to precipitate a political battle by naming a Republican candidate.

The reason for the action of the Virginia Republicans is quite clear in one way. They felt that Carter Glass, although a life-long Democrat who has carried on his share of bombardment of Republican principles and policies, could do the country more good from their standpoint than could be attained by placing a Republican candidate against him without chance of success. To state this premise in another way: Carter Glass does not swallow the New Deal as a whole and when he finds objectionable features in the Roosevelt program, he is independent enough and has the strength of character to voice his feelings. Doing this as a member of the majority party in the senate necessarily has more weight than all of the criticism of the New Deal that could be voiced by a Republican—if one could be elected in Virginia—and the Virginia convention chose a course which it believed would best serve the nation as a whole.

But it is the circumstance of a party convention refusing to engage in battle that interests me most. Under such circumstances, the old idea of party loyalty becomes not only illogical but ridiculous. Instead of a call to battle, we see what amounts to a call for support of a theoretical opponent. Of course, in the opinion of many, Carter Glass is the outstanding exponent of conservative thought in the Democratic party and if he speaks for conservative thought in the Democratic party he is almost speaking for conservative thought in the Republican party. It is easy to see, therefore, why the Virginia Republicans adopted the course they did but where does that leave party loyalty? What does it mean as to the future alignment of political thought?

The course followed by the Virginia Republicans is not more strange than the action of President Roosevelt himself who has endorsed Senator Hiram Johnson of California and Senator George Norris of Nebraska, with almost boyish enthusiasm. Senator Johnson and Senator Norris have not been regarded as regular Republicans but they have been flying the Republican banner for a good many years. Yet, the President verbally pats them on the back and offers his blessing.

During the same period, we have watched Mr. Roosevelt playing touch-and-go with the La Follettes in Wisconsin. Of course, the La Follettes catalogue themselves as Progressives but they never have had a great deal in common with old-line Democrats.

Likewise, in the senate if one is to believe gossip frequently bandied about, Senator McNary of Oregon, the titular Republican leader, has been only half-heartedly fighting the New Deal. In fact, some of Senator McNary's own colleagues claim that he has really given aid and comfort to their political enemies.

In the meantime, one can wander around the halls of congress and hear private observations from men who were supposed to be stalwart partisans that they have been unable to determine yet what their course ought to be. One of them remarked confidentially to me that he believed he would have to consult a clairvoyant before he could say whether he was going to support the New Deal or oppose it or try to straddle the fence. Of course, his remark was in a humorous vein but it

epitomized the thought and, I may say, the worry of a very great many partisans at this time.

So, we have a picture six months ahead of the actual casting of the ballots in which party lines are torn asunder for countless hundreds of more or less important party figures. I think everyone agrees that the condition comes from the development of New Deal principles and policies under the leadership of President Roosevelt. There will be many who are now doubtful as to their course who will realize themselves with the New Deal because they were originally Democrats and there will be many who will again follow the Republican banner down the stretch. But it seems to me that three years of Roosevelt probably have established a greater segment of independent voting strength in this country than had resulted from a quarter of a century of partisan politics before. The situation must be construed then as indicating that hereafter those who stick definitely in party harness will continue to stand hitched because they have political aspirations and ambitions or because economic conditions in their communities are better fostered by the party with which they have aligned themselves. Beyond that, it seems to me, citizens, in most cases, will vote in increasing numbers for the man instead of the party.

At last, after almost two years of promotion work, President Roosevelt has abandoned two of his cherished dreams: harnessing the tides of Passamaquoddy bay in Maine and construction of a gigantic canal across Florida. The Quoddy project designed to produce electric power in quantities never before turned out, was to cost \$40,000,000. The great job of excavating a slit across the face of the state of Florida to let ships go direct from the Atlantic to the Gulf without going around the toe of the state was to cost \$150,000,000.

Only a small amount, that is, a small sum compared to other New Deal expenditures, had been wasted on the ship canal plans before it was tossed into the limbo of forgotten things, but something like \$10,000,000 already has been used in the attempt to make the moon work through the medium of the tides of Quoddy bay. Both projects can be charged up to politics and experiments and probably the country will be better off to take the loss and avoid the use of further money.

The President fully intended to go through with his plans respecting these two projects until he ran into vicious opposition in congress. Too many representatives and senators realized that they were going to have the names Quoddy bay and Florida canal hurled at them through the coming campaign if they voted their approval by including additional funds for these projects in the relief appropriations. I don't know what is going to become of the homes, the model city, erected for workers near the Quoddy bay project. Photographs of this village indicate it to be a community of which any resident might be proud. It was constructed to assure the workers on the Quoddy project a comfortable place in which to live. They still have the comfortable place in which to live because the government still owns the homes but what is to become of those people and what disposition is to be made of the property is something else again. Thus, development of electric power from the tides of Quoddy bay has been an engineering question that has raged for years as a controversy. It has recurred frequently as a political matter but never until the New Deal came in were any tangible steps taken to install electrical equipment in that bay where the tides run higher than anywhere else in the world.

Most engineers have contended that it was impossible to place in the bay equipment that could function satisfactorily while at the same time producing electric current at a rate that would bring a return on the tremendous investment necessary. Further than that, no one yet has been able to show where so much electric energy could be marketed. The territory is sparsely settled and the industrial production is small. While it was contended that limitless power would bring industries into that section, the indications were, even after actual work started, for only a small increment in the number of factories and other users of energy.

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ADVENTURERS' CLUB

Hello, Everybody!



"The Servant Problem"

By FLOYD GIBBONS
Famous Headline Hunter.

STEP up and meet Frances Walton—Mrs. F. R. Walton of New York city. Frances has come to tell us an adventure yarn—the story of how she ran into the servant problem. Only don't make any mistake about that problem of hers. It wasn't how to keep a servant. It was a totally different sort of problem that had more to do with her own safety than it had with getting her housework done for her.

It happened in the fall—housecleaning time. Frances was living in a house at 25 East Eleventh street, and the windows needed washing. It was the year 1919, and help was hard to get. She didn't know anybody she wanted to give the job to, so she asked a bellhop in a nearby hotel if he had any friends who wanted to earn a few dollars.

The bellhop said he knew just the man for the job. He promised to send him around early the next morning. And sure enough, along about half past eight, a man came to the door and said he was the window washer Frances had asked for.

Frances put him to work on the windows, and that bird sure was a hustler. He did so well that day, that Frances told him to come back the next, to do some other jobs that needed doing. But the next day, that bird didn't show up till about half past eleven. And when he did come, he brought Old Lady Adventure with him.

Window Washer Turns Out to Be a Thug.

The first thing Frances knew of his arrival was when he came to her room on the second floor. The maid had let him in. He told Frances that the water was running in one of the laundry tubs in the cellar and he couldn't shut it off. It was a common enough complaint, and Frances didn't suspect anything.

She started down toward the cellar with him, but the minute they reached the foot of the basement stairs, the man grabbed both her arms. "Keep quiet," he said, "and you won't be hurt."

A chill shot along Frances' spine. From the back of the cellar another man appeared—a small, rat-faced man with a clothesline in his hands. Another man came from somewhere behind her and put his hands over her eyes so she couldn't see him. The three men tied her hands behind her back and led her down the steps to the cellar. There they tied her feet.

Frances Is Bound While Robber Gang Ransacks House.

When they had tied her feet, they started to gag her. One of them wanted to stick a wad of rolled-up newspaper in her mouth, but Frances begged him not to. She was short of breath, and that wad might have killed her. The man



The Ruffians Overpowered and Tied Her Up.

went out and got a pillow slip, tore it into strips, and put one of them over her mouth. Another, he tied across her eyes. Then they put her on the floor against the wall and one man—the one who didn't want to be seen—was left there to watch her.

All this time, fear was growing in Frances' heart. What were those men up to? Did they intend to kill her? Frances didn't honestly think so. Still, you never can tell what is liable to happen to you when you fall into the hands of ruthless men such as these seemed to be. She leaned back against the wall, her heart pounding violently, and waited to see what would happen.

Meanwhile, the other two men had gone upstairs and were gathering together all the valuables they could find. The maid asked one of them where Frances was, and he told her she had gone out. He also told her that Frances had left word that she was to clean up the top floor—and the maid, suspecting nothing, went upstairs, leaving them free to ransack the lower floors at their leisure.

Frances Keeps Her Wits; Makes Guard Uneasy.

But now, let's get back to Frances, down there in the cellar, watched by the third bandit. After 15 minutes or so, she found that the bandage over her mouth was loose. By shaking her head from side to side, she managed to work it off, and then she told the man who was watching her that a man who lived in the house was coming back at 12 o'clock. It was almost noon by that time, and the bandit began to get uneasy. After a few minutes, he got up and went out.

About five minutes passed after that. Then Frances heard footsteps upstairs. The bandits were leaving the house. Frances waited until they had gone and the door was closed behind them. Then she began calling to the maid.

Thieves Are Caught, but Valuables Never Recovered.

She had to call several times before the maid heard her. Then she heard her footsteps in the kitchen, and on the cellar stairs. But that maid wasn't much help. She was so frightened that her fingers trembled and she couldn't untie the knots in the ropes. Frances told her to go outside and see if she could find a policeman.

The maid came back in a few minutes and said she couldn't find a policeman. By that time, the maid was more excited than Frances. Frances sent her next door to get a man to untie the ropes, and so, at last, she got out of her predicament. Then she called the police. The three men were all caught and sent to prison. But none of Frances' valuables—and many of them were heirlooms—were ever recovered.

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West Ireland Has Wealth That Has Brought Fame

All West Ireland is rich in literary associations. Just off the coast, across the mouth of Galway, bay, lie the Aran Islands, where John M. Synge went to live after he had decided to write plays of Irish peasant life. They are among the last homes of Gaelic in Ireland, and long before travelers came to see the fascinating native life on them, scholars had come there from all Europe to study that language, according to a writer in the Los Angeles Times.

Synge told of the life of the Aran fishermen in his "Riders to the Sea," and many times acknowledged his debt to Irish peasants such as these.

One of the most conspicuous features of the islands is the great slabs of limestone on them, which in some places tower up a thousand feet. Because the surface of the stone is so slippery, the islanders all wear a soft rawhide moccasin, held together with thongs, and in place of rowboats they get about in "currachs," light canoes of wickerwork. These are covered with canvas, and ride over the waves

of the Atlantic like chips on its back. Frail as currachs appear, the islanders often transport domestic animals from one island to another in them. North of the islands is Sligo, where William Butler Yeats was born. Sligo is built on a wide bay with many inlets, and across from it is Knocknaree, where "the host is hiding."

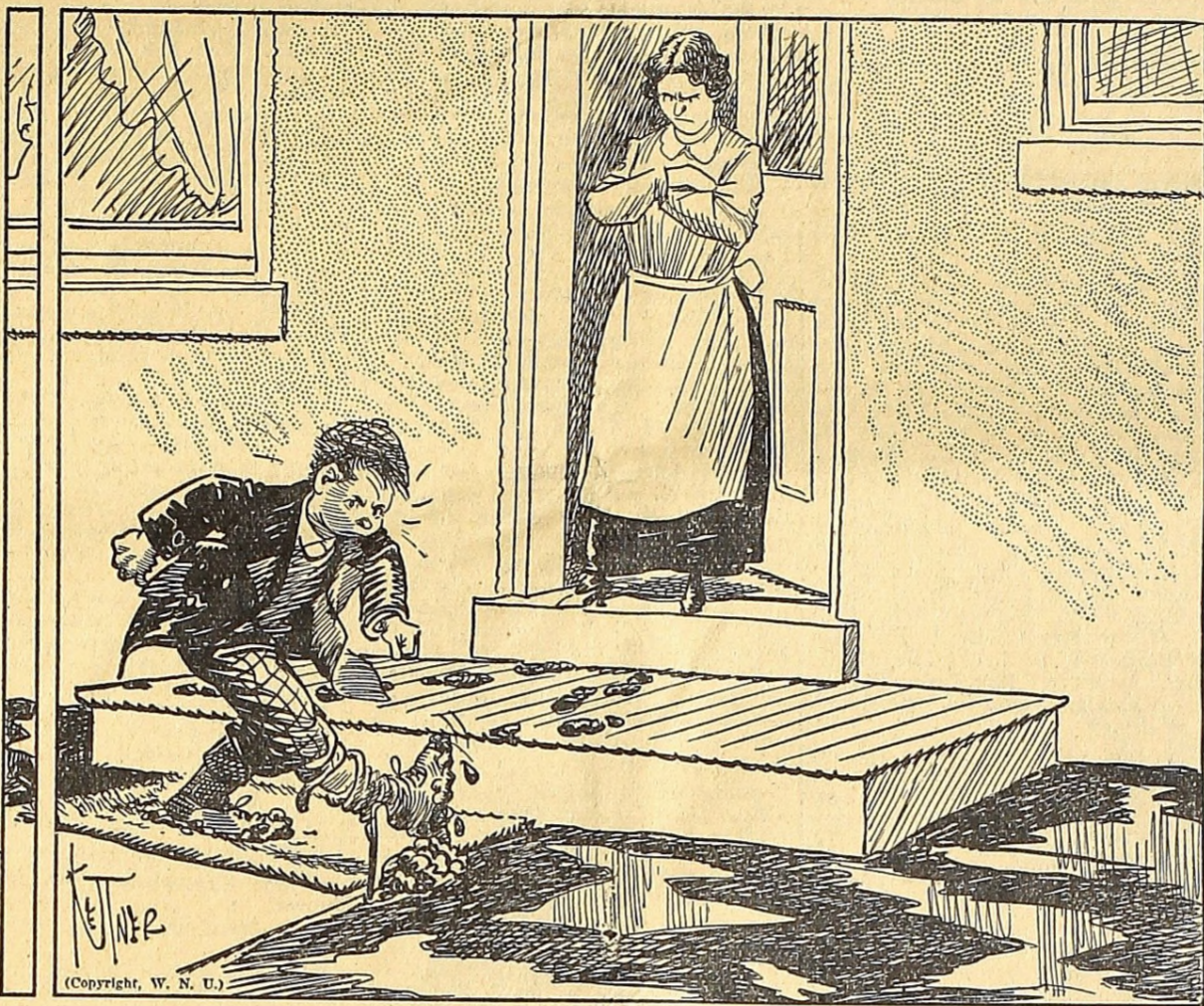
On Benbulbin, the chief mountain of the section, died Diarmuid, with whom Grania fled from Tara, jilting her other suitor, the giant Finn MacCool. Later when MacCool came asking hospitality, Grania persuaded Diarmuid to give it. He and Finn went hunting together, and on Benbulbin he met his death through Finn's spells. MacCool then went off with Grania, who became his queen.

City's Tenants Total 1,354,295

The total number of rent payers in New York city is reported at 1,354,295 families—or 78 per cent of the population. Of this number 55,268 families living in Manhattan paid less than \$20 monthly—and in the Greater city, representing all boroughs, a total of 85,020 families come under this classification.

OUR COMIC SECTION

Events in the Lives of Little Men

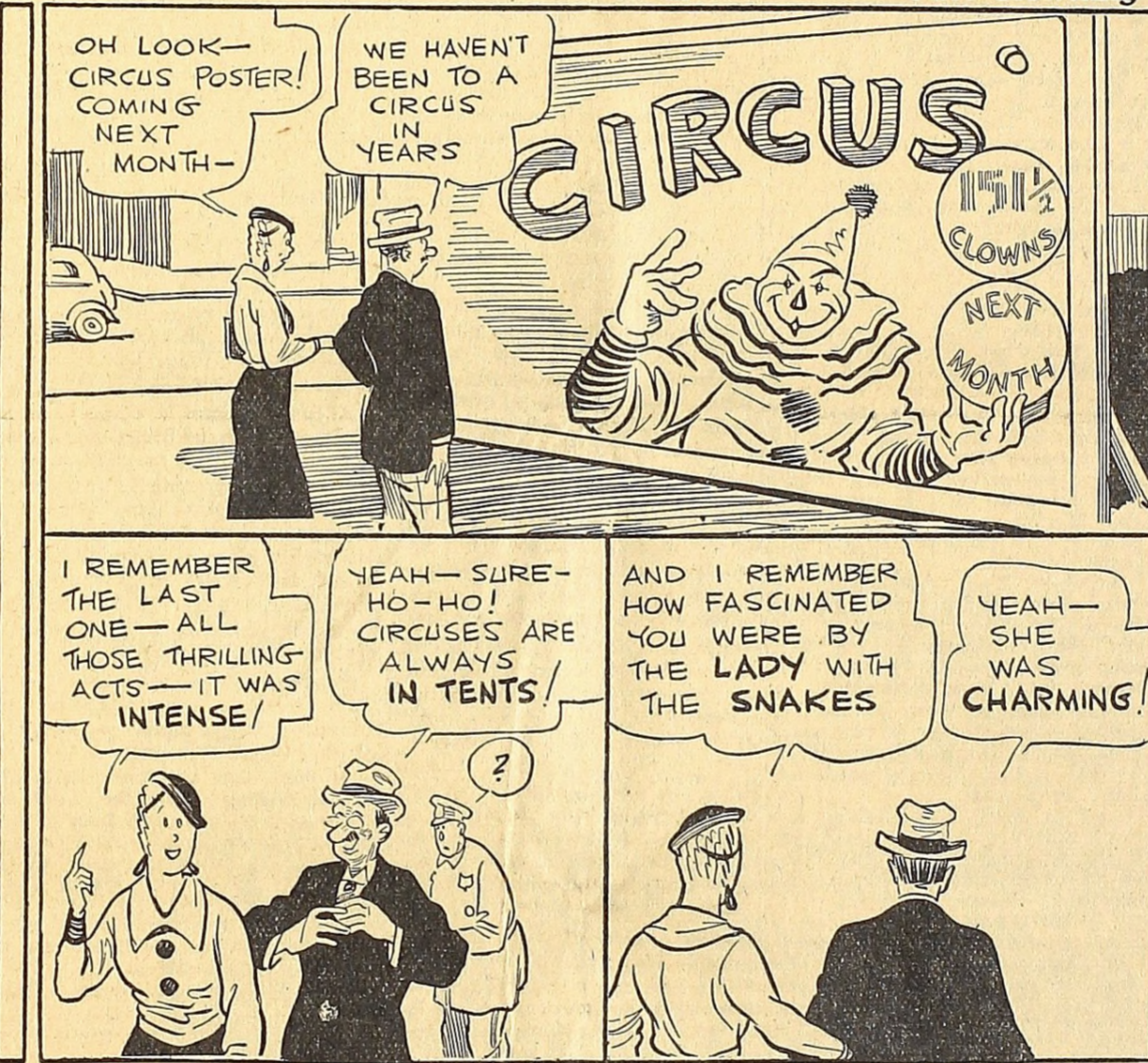


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A Different Aim



Eliminate Worn Articles at Time of Spring Cleaning

Housewives Urged to Rid Homes of Outmoded Odds and Ends.

With spring advancing, the housecleaning season is imminent. With it comes a stock-taking of the household and the necessary decision to eliminate furnishings and personal effects that have outlived their usefulness.

Elimination may well be a watchword for a homemaker in connection with efficient running of the house. There is such an expression as rolling stock, and, whatever this signifies in business, it is apt in connection with the word elimination. The stock of the house has to be constantly moving. Things wear out, and replenishing is a necessity.

Frequently more articles come into a house than go out at such times. Too often homemakers defer ridding houses of unused things. And, if the materials accumulate and the articles with which you are through, are not diverted into other channels of use, or disposed of, the house gets clogged much as a drain does when the pipes get stopped. Every homemaker has had reason at one time or another to have the disturbing matter of clogged pipes to deal with.

An outlet for the water is imperative. The smooth running of a house is impeded when outlets for unused furnishings, garments, etc., are not made.

Replenishing the Wardrobe. There are times when a new piece of furniture fits into a place in a house, a place that has been waiting for it until money permitted of the purchase, or until just the wanted piece could be found. There are times when new clothing adds to a wardrobe without being a substitution for outworn articles. There are times when household linens are increased in number and kinds without indicating anything but a previous lack. Elimination does not figure in such instances. Increase and enlargement are fortunate features.

Replenishing the wardrobe for spring and summer, should also signify clearing out those articles for which the new ones are substitutes. Unless the garments are not worth further wear, your elimination of them can mean additions to some other wardrobes. While recipients naturally are grateful for the needed things, there should be a certain sense of gratitude on the part of the donor, in finding a welcome place for those things which otherwise would clutter up her closets.

Let Some One Benefit.

With furnishings and furniture, let some one benefit by your discarding. It is almost with a sense of surprise that one realizes to what extent unwanted articles from one home are wanted ones in others. The many outlets for clothing, and all sorts of things, that have opened through thrift shops, salvage shops and rummage sales run for charitable causes, scholarships, district nurses, etc., supply evidence of this. It is possible to help aid comfort to others or aid good causes through gifts that are those of elimination, which actually promote good housekeeping in the home of the giver.

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OF INTEREST TO THE HOUSEWIFE

When you are basting roast beef, a tablespoon of brown or white sugar added to the gravy improves the flavor and color.

A simple Russian dressing is made by adding two tablespoons of chili sauce and two tablespoons of finely chopped green peppers to one cup of mayonnaise.

Purchase seldom used spices in small packages, as it is more economical since spices lose some of their flavor when exposed to the air.

Powdered borax added to the water when washing fine white flannels helps to keep them soft.

Wood ashes make an excellent fertilizer for shrubbery and rose bushes, also for dahlias, peonies and delphinium. Scatter ashes over soil. It makes it sweet and has a tendency to loosen it.

The tough skin that forms on top of a cornstarch pudding may be prevented if a piece of oiled paper is placed over pudding when set away to cool.

If the table silver is placed in hot soapsuds immediately after being used, and dried with a soft, clean cloth, much of the work of polishing will be saved.

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SMILES

First Word
Son—Paw, why was Adam created first?
Father—To give him a chance to say something.

Affluence
They had suddenly grown rich and bought a farm complete with hens, cows and pigs. Said a visitor: "Do your hens lay eggs?"
"They can," was the reply, "but in our position they don't have to."

PERHAPS RETIRED



"I'd like to see that office boy of ours thirty years from now."
"Why so?"
"He ought to make a wonder as a tired business man."

TALK ABOUT FLAVOR! TRY WRIGLEY'S

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Reno News

Miss Ila Van Wormer was an over night guest of Miss Vernita White Wednesday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Thompson and children of Midland and Mr. and Mrs. Seth Thompson and children of Prescott spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Thompson.

Ernest Hartman of Detroit was called here Sunday by the death of his brother, Robt.

Ethan Thompson, Will Brown and Austin Roberts were at Detroit on Saturday.

Mrs. Kilbourn and son, Truman, were at Boyne City recently.

Miss Vernita White was a week end guest of Miss Ila Van Wormer at Hale.

Chas. Thompson is helping his son, Seth, saw lumber near Prescott. Mrs. Verne Sawyer of Bay City and Mrs. Arnold Bronson and children visited Mrs. Frockins Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Roberts and daughter, Betty, Mr. and Mrs. Robt. McComiskey and Ed. Sawyer of Flint spent the week end with relatives here and at nearby places.

Mrs. S. L. Barnes is confined to her bed by illness. We are wishing her a speedy recovery.

Mrs. L. D. Watts spent a couple of days with relatives here.

Mrs. Crapsy of Flint, Mrs. John Kochar and Mrs. L. I. Murray and daughter, Patricia, were dinner guests at the Frockins home recently.

The sudden death of Robert Hartman of Detroit, which occurred at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Elton Thompson early Saturday morning was a shock to the community. His lifeless body was discovered by Mr. Thompson on the floor of his room shortly after he had started the morning fires. Mr. Thompson hurriedly aroused the other members of the family, who hastened to his bedside only to learn that earthly help was of no avail. Mr. Hartman had apparently died instantly. He had been ailing for some time but on arriving home was jolly, laughing and jesting with the family, and took some of them for a ride in his new Ford. He, with some friends, had attended a party on Friday night, and he had planned to return to Detroit on Saturday. Obituary next week.

Mrs. Alvin Redman of Curtisville is here caring for her mother, Mrs. S. L. Barnes.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Robinson and children spent Saturday with relatives in Petoskey.

A number from here attended the perch festival at Tawas City and a number attended the trout festival at West Branch on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Williams of Flint spent the week end at the home of her mother, Mrs. S. L. Barnes.

Miss Worden came last Thursday morning and took Mrs. Fred Latter and Mrs. Thos. Frockins, along with Mrs. Olive Davison, to Wahjamega, where they attended the nurses institute. Dinner was served to a very large crowd. During the afternoon program doctors described the different types of epileptics, giving short histories of the patients and the causes of their malady. Patients were then brought in, and with the doctors' help, told their stories. The crowd was then divided into groups, each being escorted by a doctor or nurse through the cottages. On entering the women's cottages one would be reminded of a ladies aid society or sewing circle. The inmates were very busy sewing carpet bags, hooking rugs, knitting, crocheting and various other work with all the gusto and vim of a ladies' gathering. We were also taken through the hospital where we saw many pitiful cases, which make us very thankful for such a wonderful institution where our people can be scientifically cared for.

About thirty friends and relatives gathered at the Bueschen home in honor of Fred Wolf's birthday and gave Mr. Wolf a pleasant surprise. A very jolly evening was spent. Lunch was served.

Mr. and Mrs. Will White, Mrs. A. T. Vary and Mrs. L. B. Perkins were at Bay City Tuesday.

About twenty-five relatives and friends gathered at Will White's on Thursday evening to help him celebrate his birthday. The evening was spent playing games. Lunch was served.

Miss Helen Latter was home from Mt. Pleasant over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Latter spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Phelps in Wilber.

Callers at the Frockins home on Monday evening were: Mrs. Will Jersey and daughter, Mrs. Ted Freed, and Thomas Frockins of National City; Mrs. C. O. Wecker and daughter, Lillian, Mrs. Jos. Irwin and daughters, June and Noreen, Mrs. Jas. Carlson and daughter, Maxine.

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Mr. and Mrs. Harry Van Patten were at Lupton last Monday to see Mrs. Van Patten's father, Mr. Parker, who is ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Pringle and son and Ralph Wood of Flint spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Brown.

Harold Black of Reno called on his daughter, Mrs. Ralph Burt, on Thursday.

The Ladies Aid met for an all day quilting last Thursday and again on Tuesday with Mrs. Will Herriman, and will meet with Mrs. Jas. Chambers a week from Thursday in the afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Roberts and son have moved here from Lansing and have bought a farm on the Meadow road near the East Branch river.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Van Patten entertained company from Saginaw Sunday.

Marshall Warren and friend from Flint spent Wednesday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Will Herriman.

Mrs. Lucy Allen attended the teachers' institute at Mio Friday and on Saturday attended school at Mt. Pleasant.

James Berry is home from Jackson and is employed at Charles Brown's for the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Long spent last Thursday evening with Mr. and Mrs. W. Van Sickle.

A number from here attended the festival at Tawas City last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Burt and baby spent last Monday evening with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Black, in Reno.

LOWER HEMLOCK

Harold Hill of Pontiac called on Mrs. Theo. Anschutz Saturday.

Chelsea and James Chambers and friends of Detroit spent the week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Chambers.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Newberry of Flint visited one day last week with Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Thomas.

John Anschutz and daughter, Dorothy, and Mr. Buddenbaum of Detroit, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Allen of Saginaw, and Mrs. J. Flint of Bay City spent Saturday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Waldo Curry.

Mr. and Mrs. Theo. Anschutz spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Fisher.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Latham of Detroit spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. James Chambers.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Lossing called on Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Lorenz on Sunday.

George Snyder of Beaverton spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Delos Snyder.

State of Michigan

The Probate Court for the County of Isco County

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the city of Tawas City, in said County, on the 20th day of April, A. D. 1936.

Present: Hon. David Davison, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of John McMullen, deceased.

William H. McMullen, having filed his petition, praying that an instrument filed in said Court be admitted to Probate as the last will and testament of said deceased and that administration of said estate be granted to William H. McMullen and Charlotte A. Schaaf or some other suitable person.

It is Ordered, That the 9th day of May, A. D. 1936 at ten A. M., at said Probate Office is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

It is Further Ordered, That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy hereof, once each week, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing in the Tawas Herald, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

DAVID DAVISON, Judge of Probate.

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FOR SALE—Early seed potatoes. Chas. Grabow, Baldwin.

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SUPERVISORS' PROCEEDINGS

APRIL SESSION

Tuesday, April 14, 1936

The Board of Supervisors for the County of Isco met in the Court house in the city of Tawas City, on Tuesday, the fourteenth day of April, A. D. 1936, in special session, pursuant to a call by County Clerk, upon a petition of the several supervisors of Isco county.

The board was called to order by the clerk, who read the following call:

Tawas City, Michigan
April 10, 1936

Call for Special Meeting of Board of Supervisors for Isco County
To the County Clerk of Isco County Sir:

We, as supervisors of Isco county, hereby request that a meeting of the Board of Supervisors for Isco County for the purpose of organization and such other matters of business as may properly and legally come before it, be called to be held at the Courthouse in the city of Tawas City, Michigan, on Tuesday, the fourteenth day of April, A. D. 1936 at ten o'clock a. m.

Signed: James MacGillivray, Walter Kasischke, Harry Pelton, Frank Schneider, Lewis Nunn, Elmer Britt, Harry Cross, M. L. Sommerfield, W. A. DeGrow, Wm. Hatton, Willis Kraus, L. J. Bowman, E. Burgeson, E. Louks, Harold F. Black, Victor W. Herriman, Ferdinand Schmalz, Victor J. Anderson, Ralph Lixey.

The roll was then called by the Clerk. Present Supervisors: Anderson, Black, Bowman, Britt, Burgeson, Cross, DeGrow, Hatton, Herriman, Kasischke, Kraus, Lixey, Louks, MacGillivray, Nunn, Pelton, Schmalz, Schneider, Sommerfield. Quorum present.

The first matter taken up by the board was the election of a temporary chairman.

Supervisor MacGillivray nominated E. Louks for temporary chairman.

Moved by Pelton, supported by Black, that nominations be closed. Motion prevailed.

Moved by Nunn, supported by Lixey, that the rules be suspended and the Clerk be instructed to cast the ballot of the entire board for E. Louks as temporary chairman. Motion prevailed. Ballot was so cast.

Supervisor Louks then took the chair and called for nominations for permanent chairman.

Supervisor Britt nominated E. Louks for permanent chairman for the ensuing year.

Nominations were declared closed. Moved by Anderson, supported by Britt, that the rules be suspended and that the Clerk be instructed to cast the entire ballot of the board for E. Louks as permanent chairman. Motion prevailed. Ballot was so cast.

Moved by MacGillivray, supported by Nunn, that this board voice its appreciation by this motion to Elmer Britt for his services to this board as its chairman for the past three years. Motion prevailed.

Nominations were called for for chairman pro tem.

Supervisor Black nominated Supervisor Kraus for chairman pro tem. Moved by Nunn, supported by Lixey, that nominations be closed. Motion prevailed.

Moved by Nunn, supported by Kasischke, that the rules be suspended and the entire ballot of the board be cast for Willis Kraus for chairman pro tem. Motion prevailed. Ballot was so cast.

Moved by Britt, supported by Anderson, that the board recess until 1:30 this afternoon to give the chairman an opportunity to appoint his committees. Motion prevailed.

Afternoon Session
Board called to order at 1:30 p. m. by Edgar Louks, chairman, who ordered roll call. Present Supervisors: Anderson, Black, Bowman, Britt, Burgeson, Cross, DeGrow, Hatton, Herriman, Kasischke, Kraus, Louks, MacGillivray, Nunn, Pelton, Schmalz, Schneider, Sommerfield. Quorum present.

The appointments of standing committees for the ensuing year made by Chairman Edgar Louks were as follows, and were read by the Clerk:

Committee No. 1—Anderson, Sommerfield, Cross, Schmalz, Kraus.
Committee No. 2—Lixey, Herriman, Hatton, Pelton, Black.
Committee No. 3—Kasischke, Nunn, Pelton, Bowman, Britt.

Equalization Committee—MacGillivray, Schneider, Anderson, Nunn, Kasischke.

Finance and Apportionment Committee—Kraus, Black, Britt, DeGrow, Bowman.

Drains and Ditches Committee—Schneider, Cross, Herriman.

Roads and Bridges Committee—Schmalz, MacGillivray, Burgeson.

Official Bonds Committee—DeGrow, Hatton, Burgeson, Anderson, Lixey.

County Officers' Salaries—Nunn, Schmalz, Cross, Sommerfield, Herriman.

Judiciary Committee—Burgeson, MacGillivray, Pelton.

County Farm Committee—Black, Britt, Hatton.

Mileage and Per Diem Committee—Sommerfield, Schneider, DeGrow, Lixey, Kraus.

Buildings and Grounds and Purchasing—Hatton, Bowman, Kasischke.

Fair Grounds Committee—Nunn, Bowman, Cross.

Moved by Britt, supported by Nunn, that the appointments of the chairman read by the Clerk be accepted as read. Roll call. Yes: Anderson, Black, Bowman, Britt, Burgeson, Cross, DeGrow, Hatton, Herriman, Kasischke, Kraus, MacGillivray, Nunn, Pelton, Schmalz, Schneider, Sommerfield—17. No: 0. Absent: 1. Total—18. Motion prevailed.

A communication from the Michigan Works Progress Administration to the County Drain Commissioner was read by the Clerk, in regard to keeping up the drain work as started in Isco county.

Moved by Anderson, supported by

Britt, that the drains and ditches committee be instructed to go and look over the drains and report on this board on the necessity of keeping up the above mentioned drain work in Isco county. Roll call. Yes: Anderson, Black, Bowman, Britt, Burgeson, Cross, DeGrow, Hatton, Herriman, Kasischke, Kraus, MacGillivray, Nunn, Pelton, Schmalz, Schneider, Sommerfield—17. No: 0. Absent: 1. Total—18. Motion prevailed.

Communications from various counties were read by the Clerk concerning turning over welfare funds to the counties to be distributed by county authorities, and on motion of Kraus, supported by Anderson, were referred to the welfare committee.

Communications from two counties concerning the sales tax were read by the Clerk and on motion of Nunn, supported by Black, were referred to the judiciary committee.

Moved by Anderson, supported by Britt, that the matter of construction of a sewer to the jail and installing a toilet be referred to the buildings and grounds committee. Roll call. Yes: Anderson, Black, Bowman, Britt, Burgeson, Cross, DeGrow, Hatton, Herriman, Kasischke, Kraus, MacGillivray, Nunn, Pelton, Schmalz, Schneider, Sommerfield—17. No: 0. Absent: 1. Total—18. Motion prevailed.

Moved by MacGillivray, supported by Anderson, that the resolution passed at the last session of the Board of Supervisors, recorded in Sup. Record, liber 13, pp. 67-68, in regard to paying bounty on stray dogs be rescinded, effective April 15, 1936. Roll call. Yes: Anderson, Black, Bowman, Britt, Burgeson, Cross, DeGrow, Hatton, Herriman, Kasischke, Kraus, MacGillivray, Nunn, Pelton, Schmalz, Schneider, Sommerfield—17. No: 0. Absent: 1. Total—18. Motion prevailed.

Moved by Burgeson, supported by Kraus, that the chairman appoint a welfare committee for the ensuing year. Motion prevailed. The chair appointed Nunn, MacGillivray, Hatton on the welfare committee.

Moved by Nunn, supported by DeGrow, that the matter of disposing of one of the display buildings at the Fair Grounds be made a matter of special business for tomorrow afternoon at 2:00 o'clock and that the Clerk notify the Road Commission members to appear at that time. Motion prevailed.

Claimant Nature of Bill Claimed Atd
J. A. Brugger, groceries, scarlet fever patients \$ 5.00 \$ 5.00
E. A. Hasty, medical services, scarlet fever patients (Dillon) 8.50 8.50
E. A. Hasty, med. services, scarlet fever patients (Thorson) 4.50 4.50
J. Danin, groceries, scarlet fever patients (H. Dillon, Joe Gay) 31.76 31.76

Total \$49.76 \$49.76
Signed: Walter Kasischke, L. J. Bowman, Harry Pelton, Elmer Britt, Lewis Nunn.

Moved by Kasischke, supported by Nunn, that the report of Committee No. 3 as given above be accepted and adopted as read. Roll call. Yes: Anderson, Black, Bowman, Burgeson, DeGrow, Hatton, Kasischke, Kraus, Lixey, MacGillivray, Nunn, Pelton, Schmalz, Sommerfield—14. No: 0. Absent: 4. Total—18. Motion prevailed.

The committees were ordered to their respective duties, the balance of the board to be at ease subject to the call of the chair.

Called to order at 5:00 p. m. by Edgar Louks, chairman.

Moved by Kraus, supported by Louks, that the deed issued to Louis Phelan by the County Poor Commission of Isco county, dated Oct. 19, 1929 on Lots 21 and 22, Block 2, John King's First Addition to the village now the city of Tawas City, Isco County, Michigan, a warranty deed be referred to the Prosecuting Attorney for investigation. Motion prevailed.

Moved by Nunn, supported by Schmalz, that the Poor Commission be empowered to contract with the Samaritan Hospital at Bay City for hospitalization of Isco county patients during the ensuing year. Roll call. Yes: Anderson, Black, Bowman, Britt, Burgeson, Cross, DeGrow, Hatton, Herriman, Kasischke, Kraus, MacGillivray, Nunn, Pelton, Schmalz, Schneider, Sommerfield—17. No: 0. Absent: 1. Total—18. Motion prevailed.

Moved by Kraus, supported by Nunn, that the board recess until 9:30 tomorrow morning. Motion prevailed.

Edgar Louks, Chairman.
R. H. McKenzie, Clerk.
Wednesday, April 15

The Board of Supervisors for the County of Isco met in the Court house in the City of Tawas City, on Wednesday, the fifteenth day of April, A. D. 1936, in continued special session.

Board called to order at 9:30 a. m. by Edgar Louks, chairman, who ordered roll call. Present Supervisors: Anderson, Black, Bowman, Britt, Burgeson, Cross, DeGrow, Hatton, Herriman, Kasischke, Kraus, Lixey, Louks, MacGillivray, Nunn, Pelton, Schmalz, Schneider, Sommerfield. Quorum present.

The minutes of the preceding session (4-14-36) were read and approved.

The report of Committee No. 3 was read by Supervisor Kasischke as follows:

Your committee on claims and accounts number three 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:

Moved by Kasischke, supported by Nunn, that the report of Committee No. 3 as given above be accepted and adopted as read. Roll call. Yes: Anderson, Black, Bowman, Burgeson, DeGrow, Hatton, Kasischke, Kraus, Lixey, MacGillivray, Nunn, Pelton, Schmalz, Sommerfield—14. No: 0. Absent: 4. Total—18. Motion prevailed.

The committees were ordered to their respective duties, the balance of the board to be at ease, subject to the call of the chair.

Called to order at 12:00 noon by Edgar Louks, chairman.

Moved by Kraus, supported by Schmalz, that the board recess until 1:30 this afternoon. Motion prevailed.

Afternoon Session
Called to order at 1:30 by Edgar Louks, chairman, who ordered roll call. Present Supervisors: Anderson, Bowman, Burgeson, Cross, DeGrow, Herriman, Kasischke, Kraus, Louks, MacGillivray, Nunn, Pelton, Schmalz, Schneider, Sommerfield, Hatton, Black, Britt. Quorum present.

Moved by Anderson, supported by Schmalz, that this board pay \$1000.00 (one thousand dollars) on the amount due the American Legion Hospital at this time. Roll call. Yes: Anderson, Bowman, Burgeson, DeGrow, Kasischke, Kraus, MacGillivray, Nunn, Pelton, Schmalz, Sommerfield—11. No: 0. Absent: 7. Total—18. Motion prevailed.

Moved by Anderson, supported by Nunn, that the matter of the communication from Frank D. Fitzgerald concerning mothers' pensions be referred to the finance and apportionment committee. Motion prevailed.

The committees were ordered to their respective duties, the balance of the board to be at ease subject to the call of the chair.

Called to order at 2:00 p. m. by Edgar Louks, chairman.

The matter of special business set for this time in yesterday's session was taken up.

Moved by Burgeson, supported by Bowman, that the matter of disposing of the fair grounds and buildings be referred to the Fair Grounds committee and that the chairman and clerk of the board of supervisors to sign deed when the property is sold. Roll call. Yes: Anderson, Bowman, Burgeson, DeGrow, Kasischke, Kraus, MacGillivray, Nunn, Pelton, Schmalz, Sommerfield—11. No: 0. Absent: 7. Total—18. Motion prevailed.

The committees were ordered to their respective duties, the balance of the board to be at ease subject to the call of the chair.

Called to order at 4:00 p. m. by Edgar Louks, chairman.

The report of the finance and apportionment committee was read as follows:

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors:

We, the finance and apportionment committee, to whom was referred the matter of turning over welfare mothers' pensions to the State Relief Commission, beg leave to report:

We have discussed the matter with the probate judge and said court is in favor.

Therefore, be it resolved that the board of supervisors allocate the funds now made available to the Probate Court for mothers' pensions, to the relief commission when and if the details are worked out by the Federal Social Securities Commission. Said Social Securities Commission to take care of widows' pen-

sions and dependent children not specifically taken care of by the probate court and the clerk be authorized to notify the Social Securities Board.

Willis Kraus, W. A. DeGrow, L. J. Bowman, E. J. Britt, H. F. Black.

Moved by Kraus, supported by Britt, that the above report be accepted and adopted as read. Roll call. Yes: Anderson, Black, Bowman, Britt, Burgeson, DeGrow, Hatton, Kasischke, Kraus, MacGillivray, Nunn, Pelton, Schmalz, Sommerfield—14. No: 0. Absent: 4. Total—18. Motion prevailed.

Supervisor Hatton read the report of the purchasing committee as follows:

April 15, 1936
To the Honorable Board of Supervisors:

We, the buildings, grounds and purchasing committee, to whom was referred the installation of a sewer, floor drain and lavatory bowl at the jail, beg leave to report as follows:

We have investigated conditions at the jail and recommend the installation of the same. We further recommend that the courthouse also be connected to the sewer.

Wm. Hatton, Walter Kasischke, L. J. Bowman.

Moved by Hatton, supported by Kasischke, that the above reports be accepted and adopted as read. Roll call. Yes: Anderson, Black, Bowman, Britt, Burgeson, Cross, DeGrow, Hatton, Herriman, Kasischke, Kraus, MacGillivray, Nunn, Pelton, Schmalz, Schneider, Sommerfield—17. No: 0. Absent: 1. Total—18. Motion prevailed.

Supervisor Black read the report of the county farm committee as follows:

Tawas City, Mich., April 15, 1936
To the Honorable Board of Supervisors:

We, the undersigned members of the farm board, made an inspection of the condition at the county farm on the above date and beg leave to report as follows:

We found the infirmary very much in need of repairs. The plaster is off the wall in many places. The roof is in very poor condition. There are certain alterations that should be made. At present there is only one living room for the inmates. This makes it impossible to segregate certain types of inmates who should be segregated owing to their physical condition.

The dairy barn is constructed of rough material. The floors are of plank and some cement. Certain alterations could be made to this barn, which would make this barn more sanitary and more convenient to do the chores at the farm. Part of these alterations were submitted as a WPA project at the last session, and the Poor Commission may submit a further project at a future date, if the project approved at the last session should prove satisfactory with your board.

The project submitted at the last

SUPERVISORS' PROCEEDINGS
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Receipts

Cash on hand January 1, 1935 (as shown on previous report)	None
Allotment from State Funds (Act 130, P. A. 1931)	\$31653.33
Contributed by County from county funds	11535.54
Contributed by townships	None
Miscellaneous receipts	None
Total funds available	\$43188.87

Expenditures

Expenditures for: State and County Funds		
Improvements	\$69.68	\$482.05
State and County Funds	303.78	303.78
Maintenance	568.23	1115.69
1683.92	8478.67	1471.46
9960.15	664.62	728.83
1393.45	6675.42	840.96
7516.38	5666.44	1385.70
6952.14	6362.48	926.42
7288.90	Sherman 432.13	874.46
1306.59	Tawas 3427.44	1666.93
5094.37	Wilber 584.22	553.26
1137.46	Total Expenditures, 1935	32829.33
10369.54	Cash on hand Jan. 1, 1936	None
43188.87	Grand Total (should balance with total funds available)	\$43188.87

I hereby certify that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, this is a true and correct statement.

J. G. Dimmick,
Chairman, Board of Commissioners of Iosco County

Signed by P. S. Schanbeck,
Deputy County Clerk.

Moved by Kraus, supported by Schmalz, that the above report be accepted and adopted as read. Roll call. Yes: Anderson, Black, Bowman, Britt, Burgeson, Cross, DeGrow, Hatton, Herriman, Kasischke, Kraus, MacGillivray, Nunn, Pelton, Schmalz, Schneider, Sommerfeld—17. No: 0. Absent: 1. Total—18. Motion prevailed.

The committees were ordered to their respective duties by Chairman Edgar Louks, the balance of the board to be at ease subject to the call of the chair.

Called to order at 12:00 noon by Edgar Louks, chairman.

Moved by Kraus, supported by Nunn, that the board recess until 1:30 o'clock this afternoon. Motion prevailed.

Afternoon Session

Board called to order at 1:30 p. m. by Edgar Louks, chairman, who ordered roll call. Present Supervisors: Anderson, Black, Bowman, Britt, Burgeson, Cross, DeGrow, Hatton, Herriman, Kasischke, Kraus, Louks, MacGillivray, Nunn, Pelton, Schmalz, Schneider, Sommerfeld. Quorum present.

Supervisor Anderson read the report of Committee No. 1 as follows: To the Honorable Board of Supervisors:

Your committee on claims and accounts number one 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 Bill	Claimed	All'd
Local Bills			
W. A. Evans Furn. Co., clothing for burial, Jas. F. Nivison	\$ 4.00	\$ 4.00	60.00
E. D. Jacques, burial, Mary A. Doerr	60.00	60.00	191.50
Wm. C. Davidson, insurance, courthouse and contents	191.50	191.50	13.60
Eloise Sheldon, clerical work, justice court	13.60	13.60	65.00
Iosco County Gazette, ballots-sale of fair grounds	65.00	65.00	20.25
Lakeside Tavern, meals for jurors, circuit court	20.25	20.25	19.42
Louis Phelan, mileage, poor commission, postage	19.42	19.42	8.25
Chas. F. Brown, mileage, poor commission, postage	8.25	8.25	51.00
Alex Elliott, mileage, poor commission	51.00	51.00	18.50
John A. Stewart, traveling expenses, Pros. Atty	18.50	18.50	52.60
Frank F. Taylor, transfers, Register of Deeds	52.60	52.60	4.30
Wilton Finley, mileage, office supplies, frgt., co. agent	4.30	4.30	10.00
Lewis Nunn, committee work, supervisors	10.00	10.00	47.00
Iosco Co. Gazette, printing, Pros. Atty-Sch. Comm. Clerk	47.00	47.00	44.90
Frank Brown, meetings and mileage, Road Commission	44.90	44.90	70.00
J. G. Dimmick, meetings and mileage, Road Commission	70.00	70.00	347.95
Ernest Crego, meetings and mileage, Road Commission	347.95	347.95	20.00
Robert C. Arn, mileage and per diem-drains (WPA)	20.00	20.00	20.00
John Schriber, committee work, supervisors	20.00	20.00	27.10
Clark Tanner, committee work, supervisors	27.10	27.10	1.80
Willis Kraus, committee work, supervisors	1.80	1.80	6.10
Oscoda Press, printing, election, fair grounds	6.10	6.10	14.00
The Tawas Herald, printing, County Agent	14.00	14.00	9.00
The Tawas Herald, printing, Prosecuting Attorney	9.00	9.00	7.65
James MacGillivray, committee work, supervisors	7.65	7.65	41.00
W. A. Evans, funeral, John O'Connell	41.00	41.00	60.00
W. A. Evans, funeral, James F. Nivison	60.00	60.00	60.00
W. A. Evans, funeral, William Manary	60.00	60.00	60.00
W. A. Evans, funeral, Lena Summerville	60.00	60.00	60.00
W. A. Evans, funeral, Michael Grinky	60.00	60.00	75.00
W. A. Evans, funeral, John Riley, and bringing body from Bay City	75.00	75.00	60.00
W. A. Evans, funeral, Isaac Muncey	60.00	60.00	48.31
Margaret E. Worden, mileage, School Commissioner	48.31	48.31	6.30
Catherine Ritchie, clerk hire, County Agric. Agent	6.30	6.30	21.50
Casper Blumer, office supplies, mileage, County Agent	21.50	21.50	7.40
Frank Schneider, committee work, supervisors	7.40	7.40	1.00
Harry Cross, committee work, supervisors	1.00	1.00	1.40
Victor Herriman, committee work, supervisors	1.40	1.40	43.10
Wm. Osborne, mileage and per diem, truant officer	43.10	43.10	
Sheep and Animal Claims			
Chas. Harsch, 1 ewe, 3 lambs \$28.00; justice fees \$2.00	30.00	23.50	9.60
Frank Drzewiecki, 2 turkeys \$7.50; justice fees \$2.10	9.60	9.60	10.30
Perry Nickels, 1 sheep \$8.00; justice fees \$2.30	10.30	10.30	50.15
Chas. Love, 6 ewes \$48.00; justice fees \$2.15	50.15	50.15	82.15
John P. Harris, 10 ewes \$80.00; justice fees \$2.15	82.15	82.15	
George Holzheuer, 10 ewes \$80.00; justice fees \$2.15	82.15	82.15	
Outside Bills			
Acme Chemical Co., sweeping compound, courthouse	6.00	6.00	185.95
Macomber Office Equipment Co., duplicator, office supplies, equipment, typewriter - courthouse, County Agent	185.95	185.95	4.50
R. G. Straight Co., office supplies, Pros. Atty	4.50	4.50	7.50
Callaghan & Co., law book, Prosecuting Attorney	7.50	7.50	1.90
Doubleday Bros. & Co., office supplies, County Clerk	1.90	1.90	3.00
Panama Carbon Co., office supplies, County Clerk	3.00	3.00	2.85
Panama Carbon Co., office supplies, County Treasurer	2.85	2.85	3.64
Fenske Bus. Equip. Co., office supplies, County Clerk	3.64	3.64	2.21
Fenske Bus. Equip. Co., office supplies, County Clerk	2.21	2.21	2.30
Gregory, Mayer & Thom, office supplies, County Clerk	2.30	2.30	2.48
Gregory, Mayer & Thom, office supplies, County Agent	2.48	2.48	3.76
Gregory, Mayer & Thom, office supplies, County Treas.	3.76	3.76	1.65
Gregory, Mayer & Thom, office sup., Pros. Atty, Co. Agt.	1.65	1.65	6.38
Hurley Bros., office supplies, County Clerk	6.38	6.38	1.95
Hurley Bros., office supplies, County Clerk	1.95	1.95	10.87
Hurley Bros., office supplies, Treas., Courthouse	10.87	10.87	13.86
Hurley Bros., office supplies, Treasurer	13.86	13.86	8.01
Hurley Bros., office supplies, Clerk, Courthouse	8.01	8.01	25.25
Hurley Bros., office supplies, Treasurer	25.25	25.25	8.98
Hurley Bros., office supplies, Treasurer	8.98	8.98	69
Hurley Bros., office supplies, Treasurer	69	69	87.50
Doubleday, Hunt, Dolan, tax assessm't rolls, Treas.	87.50	87.50	3.15
Doubleday, Hunt, Dolan, office sup., County Clerk	3.15	3.15	40.00
Doubleday, Hunt, Dolan, misc. record book, liber 4, Register of Deeds	40.00	40.00	52.50
Doubleday, Hunt, Dolan, record of deeds, liber 7, Register of Deeds	52.50	52.50	20.16
Doubleday, Hunt, Dolan, office sup., Register of Deeds	20.16	20.16	1.02
Doubleday, Hunt, Dolan, legal blanks, Judge of Probate	1.02	1.02	1.02
Doubleday, Hunt, Dolan, legal blanks, Judge of Probate	1.02	1.02	1.94
Doubleday, Hunt, Dolan, legal blanks, Judge of Probate	1.94	1.94	1.02
Doubleday, Hunt, Dolan, legal blanks, Judge of Probate	1.02	1.02	1.00
Doubleday, Hunt, Dolan, legal blanks, Judge of Probate	1.00	1.00	4.93
Doubleday, Hunt, Dolan, office sup., Register of Deeds	4.93	4.93	10.54
Doubleday, Hunt, Dolan, office sup., County Clerk	10.54	10.54	

Moved by Anderson, supported by Sommerfeld, that the above report be accepted and adopted as read. Roll call. Yes: Anderson, Black, Bowman, Britt, Burgeson, Cross, Hatton, Herriman, Kasischke, Kraus, MacGillivray, Nunn, Pelton, Schmalz, Schneider, Sommerfeld—16. No: 0. Absent: 2. Total—18. Motion prevailed.

Supervisor Herriman read the report of Committee No. 2 as follows: To the Honorable Board of Supervisors:

Your committee on claims and accounts number two 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 Bill	Claimed	All'd
H. E. Van Norstran, constable fees, justice court	\$ 2.50	\$ 2.50	75
R. G. Straight Co., office supplies, Sheriff	75	75	17.50
E. P. McFadden Co., supplies, jail	17.50	17.40	1.86
Gregory, Mayer & Thom, office supplies, Sheriff	1.86	1.86	10.00
Wilkes Distrib. Co., installing radio and materials, Sheriff	10.00	10.00	1.95
Keiser's Drug Store, medicine, jail	1.95	1.95	5.35
Harry Pelton, fees, deputy sheriff	5.35	5.35	9.55
W. A. Evans Furniture Co., office equipment, Sheriff	9.55	9.55	3.25
J. J. Austin, M. D., med. serv., jail (Greenwood, Horn)	3.25	3.25	193.50
John Moran, meals, prisoners at jail	193.50	194.50	53.85
M. J. Dyer, fees, deputy sheriff	53.85	53.85	1.50
Clare Dyer, fees, deputy sheriff assistance	1.50	1.50	36.70
John Moran, mileage and meals and attendant (M. Collins)	36.70	36.70	12.50
Roy Kennedy, fees, deputy sheriff	12.50	12.50	9.90
W. A. Evans Furniture Co., supplies for jail	9.90	9.90	1.00
John Morrison, fees, constable, Sheriff's Dept.	1.00	1.00	

John J. Love, fees, deputy sheriff 1.50 1.50
Chas. Harris, fees, assisting deputy 3.00 3.00
H. M. Rollin, fees, deputy sheriff 69.40 69.40
Signed: Victor W. Herriman, William Hatton, Harold Black, Harry Pelton.

Moved by Herriman, supported by Bowman, that the above report be accepted and adopted as read. Roll call. Yes: Anderson, Black, Bowman, Britt, Burgeson, Cross, Hatton, Herriman, Kasischke, Kraus, MacGillivray, Nunn, Pelton, Schmalz, Schneider, Sommerfeld—16. No: 0. Absent: 2. Total—18. Motion prevailed.

Supervisor Kasischke read the report of the buildings, grounds and purchasing committee as follows: To the Honorable Board of Supervisors:

We, the buildings, grounds and purchasing committee, while investigating conditions at the jail, sheriff's office and residence, found the same to be badly in need of painting and papering.

We therefore recommend that this committee be empowered to purchase the materials and arrange for labor for the purpose of making these necessary repairs.

Respectfully - Wm. Hatton, Walter Kasischke, L. J. Bowman.

Moved by Kasischke, supported by Hatton, that the above report be accepted and adopted as read. Roll call. Yes: Anderson, Black, Bowman, Britt, Burgeson, Cross, Hatton, Herriman, Kasischke, Kraus, MacGillivray, Nunn, Pelton, Schmalz, Schneider, Sommerfeld—16. No: 0. Absent: 2. Total—18. Motion prevailed.

Supervisor Anderson read the report of the committee on claims and accounts number one as follows: To the Honorable Board of Supervisors:

Your committee on claims and accounts number one 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:

Moved by Anderson, supported by Sommerfeld, that the above report be accepted and adopted as read. Roll call. Yes: Anderson, Black, Bowman, Britt, Burgeson, Cross, Hatton, Herriman, Kasischke, Kraus, MacGillivray, Nunn, Pelton, Schmalz, Schneider, Sommerfeld—16. No: 0. Absent: 2. Total—18. Motion prevailed.

Supervisor Nunn read the report of the welfare committee as follows: To the Honorable Board of Supervisors:

Your welfare committee to which has been referred several communications bearing on diversion of sales tax to counties, federal relief projects and regulation of same, anti-

local governmental requirements. BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that a copy of this resolution be sent by the County Clerk to the State Senator of this district, the State Representative, the Governor of the State of Michigan, the Superintendent of Public Instruction, and the Chairman of the Board of Supervisors of each county in the State of Michigan.

Signed: James MacGillivray, Harry Pelton, Edw. Burgeson—Judiciary Committee, Iosco County Board of Supervisors.

Moved by MacGillivray, supported by Pelton, that the above resolution be accepted and adopted as read. Roll call. Yes: Anderson, Black, Bowman, Britt, Burgeson, Cross, Hatton, Herriman, Kasischke, Kraus, MacGillivray, Nunn, Pelton, Schmalz, Schneider, Sommerfeld—16. No: 0. Absent: 2. Total—18. Motion prevailed.

Supervisor Kraus read the report of the special committee appointed to confer with the State Administrative Board on the AuSable tax matter as follows: To the Honorable Board of Supervisors:

Your committee appointed to confer with the State Administrative Board on the AuSable tax matter begs leave to report.

Supervisor Evans was unable to go. Supervisors MacGillivray and Kraus in company with Prosecutor John Stewart appeared at a meeting of the State Administrative Board in the Governor's office on March 10, 1936. Prosecutor Stewart addressed the board, stating the purpose of the committee and the facts of the case. Governor Fitzgerald stated that the board could take no official action on the matter at the moment but that the Administrative Board would refer the subject to the Attorney General's department for a ruling as to whether or not said board could legally cancel the backcharge on Iosco county. Deputy

Attorney General Sheperd requested the Prosecutor to file a brief of the case with his office. It was the sense of the committee that the backcharge will be cancelled by the board as soon as the legal obstacle is adjusted.

Respectfully submitted: W. Kraus, James MacGillivray.

Moved by Kraus, supported by Black, that the above report be accepted and adopted as read. Motion prevailed.

The Clerk of the board read the report of the committee on drains and ditches as follows: To the Honorable Board of Supervisors:

We, the committee on drains and ditches, beg leave to report.

Your committee investigated the work being done on the several drains in Iosco county by Drain Commissioner Arn with W.P.A. labor. We find that the work being done is of great benefit to the county in that flat lands and farms are being recovered that would otherwise be valueless. In several instances roadbeds are being drained that otherwise would create farm to market road hazards.

Your committee recommends that this work be continued for at least six months at the present rate of operation.

Your committee further recommends that this board of supervisors go on record as heartily endorsing W.P.A. Supervisor R. J. Cooke for the splendid cooperation, efficiency and capable administration of the various projects now under way in Iosco county and that his services in the present capacity be unhampered.

Respectfully submitted: Frank Schneider, Victor Herriman, Harry Cross—Committee on Drains and Ditches.

Moved by Schneider, supported by Nunn, that the above report be accepted and adopted as read. Roll call. Yes: Anderson, Black, Bowman,

Britt, Burgeson, Cross, Hatton, Herriman, Kasischke, Kraus, MacGillivray, Nunn, Pelton, Schmalz, Schneider, Sommerfeld—16. No: 0. Absent: 2. Total—18. Motion prevailed.

The Clerk of the board read the report of the mileage and per diem committee as follows: To the Honorable Board of Supervisors:

Your committee on mileage and per diem 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:

Name	Days	Miles	Amt.
Victor Anderson	3	9	\$13.80
Harold Black	3	20	16.00
Elmer J. Britt	3	20	16.00
Ed. Burgeson	3	4	12.80
L. J. Bowman	3	2	12.40
Harry Cross	3	5	13.00
W. A. DeGrow	3	2	12.40
Wm. Hatton	3	0	12.00
Victor Herriman	3	9	13.80
Walter Kasischke	3	0	12.00
Willis Kraus	3	16	15.20
Ralph Lixey	1	2	4.40
Edgar Louks	3 1/2	16	17.20
James MacGillivray	3	16	15.20
Lewis Nunn	3	23	16.60
Harry J. Pelton	3	2	12.40
Ferdinand Schmalz	3	4	12.80
Frank Schneider	3	13	14.60
M. A. Sommerfeld	3	0	12.00

Signed: W. A. DeGrow, M. A. Sommerfeld, W. Kraus, Frank Schneider.

Moved by Sommerfeld, supported by Schneider, that the above report be accepted and adopted as read. Roll call. Yes: Anderson, Bowman, Britt, Cross, DeGrow, Hatton, Kasischke, MacGillivray, Nunn, Pelton, Schmalz, Schneider, Sommerfeld—13. No: 0. Absent: 5. Total—18. Motion prevailed.

Moved by Britt, supported by Nunn, that the board stand adjourned. Edgar Louks, Chairman. R. H. McKenzie, Clerk.

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CHAPTER XIV—Continued

Spilke Ilyan came over to Tony's desk. "Say, did they tell you about Bess Cutter, while you were gone?" "No, what happened?" "Oh, she came in here and she took Frank Fitch for a free ride, let me tell you! She raged around the office, and she appealed to Greeny, and she just generally raised hell! Well, what's she expect? From the beginning Fitch has been a pattern of purity. Probably she hasn't got a letter or a check. What she got from him she got in cash!"

"Ugh!" Tony said violently. After Spilke went away she sat staring vaguely into space for a while, not thinking, not reasoning, her senses swept vaguely back and forth on waves of strange new emotion.

"Better go home and get to bed," Greeny said, at her desk. "It's nearly five; you've had quite a shake-up."

"I think I will. My stuff's all done. I can round up that cannery story tomorrow; I've got to see the health bureau about it, anyway. You're sure you've not got anything you want me to cover tonight?"

"We had a swell story while you were gone; girl picked up by the police in boy's clothes—said her father spanked her. See it?"

"They were telling me about it. Mae Muzzy wrote it."

"She did not. I wish you could see what she turned in! I had to send Van down to get the stuff after she'd been all day on it—and the Bulletin came out with it before we did."

He had glanced at the happily engaged Miss Muzzy, who was in gales of babyish laughter over the intricacies of the typewriter and was being tutored by Arch Slosser and Joe Burke, and elevated significant eyebrows.

"What's the answer?" Tony asked guardedly. The city editor jerked his head in the direction of the manager's office.

"Fitch!" Tony ejaculated, in honest indignation and incredulity. Greenwood, winking, his tongue in his cheek, nodded.

"I think—that—is dangerous," Tony said slowly, preparing to rise. She found herself a little stiff, when she got to her feet, and her head felt slightly dizzy. Just as she was ready to go her telephone bell tinkled.

The languid weary world came suddenly to life: colors, perfumes, music were singing suddenly together in her head.

"Oh, yes, Larry—" she said breathlessly.

"How'd you feel?"

The big voice seemed to penetrate to the very depths of her being; everything was all right again.

"I'm fine. But I feel a little tired."

"How soon are you going home?"

"Now."

"I'm tied up with your friend Mr. Arnoldson, or I'd come take you home. I'll call you some time tomorrow. You're really all right?"

"Yes, but I've been sort of stupid, vague."

"Me, too. Well, I'll call you tomorrow."

"Good-by, Larry." Tony left the office in a dream, and in a dream boarded a street car. She went into the apartment feeling broken in body and soul; stretched herself on the sitting-room couch and lay with her eyes closed, too tired to speak or move or even to think.

The familiar scene held her like comforting arms. The dinner table was set for two; there had been a wood fire, and the ashes of it were still glowing. Mother's picture, Dad's picture, the old books and pictures and vases; the old shabby chairs and the winged table were all a part of home; it was as if Tony felt her entity, her personality restored by them.

In her ears there echoed only one sound; the sound of a man's voice—a man's words.

"Tony, my darling, my darling—" Brenda came in from the kitchen with a cup of hot soup.

"Stay right where you are and drink this."

Tony jerked herself up to something nearer a sitting position.

"I thought you and Cliff were going to dine with Mr. Atwater?"

"I am. I'm all dressed but my dress."

The home routine went on. "He's at the club, he's at the club—" Tony's thoughts ran. "What excuse have I for calling him there? I could telephone and say—I could say—what on earth could I say?"

Her skin felt dry, and her heart was beating irregularly. She went into her room, got out of office clothes. A feverish restlessness was upon her; she must hear Larry's voice.

The telephone again; Tony had the receiver pressed to her ear before the bell fairly stopped ringing. It was Barney Kerr; the world went dark and dull. Tony slumped in her chair.

"Cliff said you'd had a bad smash this morning." Then the whole tiresome story to go over again.

"Listen, if I come up, could I see you for a few minutes?"

"Come up to dinner," Tony said languidly. "But it's just Aunt Meg

and me, and we're not having anything exciting."

Barney sat opposite her as she lay stretched on the couch. "It's made me realize how much I think of you, Tony."

She opened tired eyes, dark in her pale face.

"I rather thought you did realize that."

"Ah, well," Barney said, in a voice that was faintly reproachful, "you know how I feel."

Tony was silent. After a while he added, lightly yet determinedly:

"Some day you're going to be real nice to me, you know, Tony."

"Well—" she said, not hearing his words, hearing only something wearisome and distracting. If he would stop talking, in that mealy, kind, superior voice—

The clock struck nine. Barney edged his chair close to her couch.

"Did it make you feel faint?"

"Giddy, for a minute." Against her inner vision she saw again Larry's brown coat and its comforting shoulder; white sky and brown grass, gray crawling sea; she heard that voice crying out to her: "Tony, my darling, my darling—"

She came back to her senses, and to the quiet living room.

"There's the telephone. Shall I answer it?" said Barney.

"If you would. It's probably for Cliff."

Barney spoke next from the hall. "She says she didn't ring."

"Oh, then it's the door bell. They sound alike at night, we don't know why. See who it is, will you?"

The room turned over; settled; Tony felt her heart begin to pump steadily, heavily; she raised her blue eyes to the door. It was Larry Bellamy's voice in the hall. His step. His smile looking down at her.

"Well—all knocked out, eh? Since I found my way here today, tonight on my way home I thought I'd look in and see how it was going."

Tony, not rising, stretched up a brown hand. There were introductions. Then Larry sat down beside the fire, and Barney took the other chair, and the couch completed the fireside circle.

"Tony's told you we had a nasty spill this morning?"

"It was a close call."

"The meanest I ever had. I blame myself. We were going at a pretty good clip."

"We weren't going over forty-five. I should think," Tony offered.

The two men talked together. There was but one lighted lamp in the room, but the fire blazed up bravely. Tony lay looking from one speaker to the other; she had little to say. She saw the light dancing on the backs of books, and on the jumble of treasures that made the room home. Her eyes roved past the dull soft blues and browns of the Madras curtains to the mantelpiece, with the old clock, and more family pictures. And always her look came back to the brown earnest face of the man who was sitting there talking to Barney. Aristocratic and forceful that was Larry's face; Tony felt that she could watch it forever and never tire of its moulding, its expressions suddenly amused or suddenly serious, its kindly smile.

Brenda and Alvin and Cliff came in while they were talking, and they made the circle bigger. Brenda was delighted to present Alvin; in the soft lamplight and firelight they all talked together, all the young faces turning toward Larry's respectfully. They knew, Tony thought, they sensed that Larry was important, was the leader—the conspicuous figure in any group in which he found himself. He held them together, and kept the talk in line, and made them all feel happy; amusing and amused. Cliff's deep laugh rang out, and Barney grew animated and argumentative; presently Tony heard her aunt's little dry double cough behind the closed bedroom door and held up a warning hand.

"Yes, I heard it, too," Brenda murmured. "My aunt," she explained; "we're keeping her awake." Larry and Barney at once got up to go.

"By the way," Larry said, in parting, "here's a bit of news that you can quote as much as you like."

"Oh, don't!" Tony begged, flushing.

"The papers are all going to have it, so don't worry," Larry said. "I am now the business and financial editor of the Call."

"Of the Call?"

"Yes'n. I had dinner with Arnoldson tonight. We threshed it all out, he had his lawyer there, and I had mine, and we're signed up. I sent Ruth a long wire."

"We thought it was the Examiner," Brenda told him, with her eyes shining.

"No, we couldn't come to terms."

"Thanks to me," Tony said, suddenly scarlet. Larry looked at her speculatively.

"Well, maybe. But anyhow, this is a much better thing for me. I'm to be an associate editor, and confer with Arnoldson about pretty nearly everything. So, mademoiselle, I'll be seeing you in the city room one of these days."

"Good-night, boss!" Tony said meekly.

Cliff walked down to the street with them; Brenda and Tony had hardly heard the closing of the hall door when they began hastily putting the sitting room to rights, making up Cliff's bed on the couch, opening windows.

"Tony, are you dead? You've had a terrific day. Starting from Santa Barbara this morning in the dark—"

"No-o-o," Tony said, in a voice through which bells rang. "I feel perfectly wonderful!"

CHAPTER XV

The next day there was confusion and excitement in the office; nobody could talk of anything but the change, and Tony received due respect as a close friend of the new associate editor.

"Is he nice?"

"Mr. Bellamy? He's charming."

"They say Danielson's frantic."

"Fitch doesn't look any too gay."

Mr. Fitch, whatever his feelings, was not in evidence, but Bess Cutter was. Fat and soft and pathetic, with a lace hat and much too much rouge accentuating the wrinkled bagginess of her face and the false gold of her hair, she went from desk to desk, trying to seem a part of the city room again.

"Did—did Frank say anything about my doing some work for him next month, Tony?" she presently asked.

"No, he didn't, Bess. He may have to Greeny."

"I was going up to Tahoe. But now I'm not, and I'd have time for space and detail again," Bess murmured carelessly. "You ask Greeny, will you?"

"I surely will."

Tony heard her telling Vince in a low tone that she regretted the scene she had created in the office a few days before. A friend had sent her down some "grapa" from Sonoma, and like a fool she had taken some on that



"Mr. Bellamy? He's Charming."

hot, hot day. "Frank and I never stay mad very long; we're too old friends," Bess said uneasily. From her tone Tony knew that at all events they were not yet reconciled after the last sensational break.

Mae Ethyl Muzzy was virtuously indignant at Bessie's lack of pride in coming into the office at all. "My gracious," she whispered to Tony. "He's done with her—I mean she let herself in for it, didn't she?—and he's done with her, and what of it? Mrs. Fitch was saying on Saturday night—"

"Oh, you've met Mrs. Fitch?"

"My mother and I went over and had dinner with them on Saturday night."

"Oh?"

"He wants me to do articles about all the country clubs," Mae went on. "It ought to be quite a feature. I was just telling Van and Joe Burke about it, and they say he'll help me do it. They want to run my picture up at the top of the article."

"Marvelous!" Tony commented. In her soul she said: "Well, if it wouldn't make you sick!" Aloud she asked, "What are you getting now, Mae?"

"Fifty."

Tony raised her eyebrows politely; she herself was getting thirty dollars a week.

"She was getting a hundred, when she was getting anything at all," Mae said of Bess. "But the way I figure that out," she added confidently, "is that Frank Fitch is the honorable kind of man who thinks all women are straight, see? So natchely he—"

"New associate editor, Greeny?" Tony said smilingly, as the city editor came up to her desk.

"Seems so. Pip, too, from what I hear," Greeny said with a jerk of his head toward Mr. Arnoldson's office upstairs. "Say, Bessie, I want to speak to you a minute," he added.

He and the late editor of the "Bessie Saw It" column withdrew to a quiet corner of the office, and Tony, covertly watching, as they all were, saw that

whatever he was saying angered and mortified his companion dangerously.

"Tony, come over here a minute!" the harassed Greeny presently called. "Here's the thing," he explained in a confidential undertone. "Bess here—you know how we all feel about her—she's one of us, she belongs here; that's all right. But Frank—Frank Fitch, see?—he's trying to land something good for her, and he thinks he has landed something good for her, and until he does he thinks it'd be smarter of her not to come in, see? Oh, I mean, of course," Greeny hastened to add confidently, "not to stay away altogether, but—"

"You mean that Frank Fitch don't dare come in here while I'm here, and for good reason," Bessie began ominously. "Well, you're right. I've got something to say to Frank Fitch—"

"Listen, Bess," Tony interrupted. "Will you just listen to me, and then you can say anything you like. You're not going to get anywhere with Frank Fitch this way. You know that; you only make him mad. Now, you clear out, and some day this week Greeny'll telephone you to come down; we'll pick a time when he's in a good humor, won't we, Greeny?"

"Bet your life!" Greenwood said fervently. For Bess was obviously softening. Encouraged, Tony recommenced with fresh zeal.

"Yes, but I can't walk out now," Bess objected sullenly after a while; "they all know I came down here to see Frank."

"Well, then, I'll tell you what you do," said the resourceful Tony. "You and Greeny and I have been talking about new Sunday articles, see? Greeny, you tell Bess now, so that they'll all hear, that she better go into the Sunday room with you and see Davids. And I'll tell 'em out here you've got a new idea to work up. Good luck, Bess!" she ended loudly, going back to her desk.

When they had gone she sat on, working, telephoning, thinking. These editorial pets who were spasmodically featured for a column of this or that were a sorry crew. Every few months Fitch or Danielson or Arnoldson discovered a genius, a pretty simpleton such as Bess must have been ten years ago, such as Mae was today, and for a while the ordinary work of the staff must be altered to fit the imperious demands of the newcomer.

Presently Mr. Arnoldson came in, and with him, very tall and square-shouldered, and smiling his own characteristic smile, was Larry. The editor-in-chief introduced him to Greeny, the two men knew each other anyway, and shook hands heartily, and then Greeny took him about the office, stopping at the desks, or at the knots of men who gathered in his way. Larry gave Tony a special smile. "Hello, Tony," he said.

"Does it mean you'll see much of him?" Brenda asked that night.

"Not necessarily. His office is upstairs, and he'll be rightfully busy getting to know the ropes. Besides, I'm not really there much, except Thursdays," Tony answered. But, just the same, she was surprised that, as the days went by, their paths actually did not cross more often.

Once he was in the city office and nodded at her, and once he was talking hard when Mr. Arnoldson and some other man, going down in the elevator when she got in, and then he naturally only lifted his hat with an abstracted smile of greeting. That was all in the first two weeks of his tenancy of the imposing upstairs office that had his name on the door.

Then one Wednesday afternoon she found a note on her desk; just one of the usual carelessly penciled office notes; "Ruth gets back today; wants you to come up and dine with her tonight."

It was dated "Tuesday," and signed "L. B." Tony twisted it in her fingers for a moment and then telephoned to the office of the business manager to ask if Miss Taft could see Mr. Bellamy. Yes, Miss Taft was pleased to come right up.

Her heart was beating hard as she went upstairs.

"Tony, you look magnificent yourself!"

"I am. Bessie was married at noon today, you know."

"Sure enough! Ruth wired, I think."

"Ruth did more than wire. My nieces and nephews will be born with silver spoons in their mouths, thanks to Ruth."

"But how grand you look!"

"I am beautiful, I think," Tony said complacently. Her dark blue coat was embellished by an immaculate and delicate frill of white; gardenias were on her shoulder, and one gardenia was pressed against the brim of her dark-blue hat. "I've never been so grand," she observed. "Bessie was lovely, too, and her beau-papa gave us a noon breakfast at the Fairmont. Then Aunt Meg and Aunt Sally went off to weep together, and the Atwaters got into their Buick and started for Monterey, and I came down to break the back of my Thursday stuff and found this."

She displayed his note.

"I'm terribly sorry, Larry, will you tell Ruth? I went home early yesterday, on account of wedding excite-

ment, and didn't find this until just this minute. I telephoned," Tony said. "but Chevallier said she was downtown."

"I'll tell her, and you telephone in the morning, and cook up something between you," Larry glanced at a paper on his desk.

His tone was somehow horribly disappointing, horribly hurtful. Tony felt the chill of death at her heart. That kind, puzzled look—

"What's—what's the matter?" she faltered, as he did not speak.

"Is anything?" Larry asked. But she saw the dull red come up under his skin, and she heard the artificial note in the voice he tried to make simple and surprised.

"Well," Tony said thickly, "that's what I'm asking you."

Larry took off his glasses; wiped them; put them on again.

"Then I say that nothing is the matter," he said; and after a moment, as she did not speak, "Sit down, Tony. Perhaps there's something we ought to say, something I ought to say about all this."

She sat down, looking at him expectantly, with her blue eyes heavy with shadows, and her lips trembling. Then suddenly she put her head down on her arm childishly and burst into tears.

"I'm m-m-m-miserable, Larry!" she sobbed.

The burst of tears ended almost as suddenly as it had begun. Tony felt ashamed of herself, and what was worse, felt that the situation had suddenly gone flat. What was she doing, up here in Larry's office, making a ridiculous scene, she who despised Mae's obvious methods with men and pitied poor Bessie?

Sniffling and gulping, not looking at him, she fumbled for her handkerchief, blew her nose, and wiped her eyes.

"I don't know why I did that," she apologized, swallowing.

Larry was sitting facing her, his big hands on the arms of his chair. The expression of his face was completely non-committal; his fine gray eyes were narrowed and fixed on space. Tony's heart sank as she looked at him; he was not going to help her out.

"You knew I felt that way," she said sullenly.

It was all like a dream. The sense of wearing a new dress and a smart new hat, the odor of gardenias, the setting of the cheaply finished temporary office, and Larry sitting opposite her with a troubled and stubborn look on his face. The girl had a desperate sudden feeling of suffocation; a desperate need to awaken, to be away from here—somewhere else, somewhere alone in the dark.

"However, if you don't understand me, Larry—" she began, with broken dignity. And with hands that trembled she gathered up her bag, and the new soft white gloves.

"If I did," Larry said suddenly. "Then what?"

For a second she stared at him, paling. Then dully, hopelessly she looked away.

"I don't know," she said.

"Exactly," Larry added briefly. There was silence again.

"Don't think I'm glad about it," Tony said, standing up. And confusedly, as he made no comment, she added, "I had no idea of—of saying all this—"

After a pause he said, somewhat unnaturally, in a careless everyday voice: "Oh, that doesn't do any harm."

Tony was fitting on the soft new white gloves, her bag caught up tightly under her arm.

"And you'll give my message to Ruth?" she said, trying for an ordinary tone.

"I will indeed."

"I'll telephone her and make a tea date," Tony walked to the door, looked back, nodded a good-by, and went out, closing the door carefully behind her.

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Carbon Monoxide

Carbon monoxide is composed of 11 parts, by weight, of carbon to 16 of oxygen. It is a colorless, odorless gas, a product of the incomplete combustion of carbon, is an abundant constituent of water gas, and burns with a pale-blue flame, forming carbon dioxide. It is very poisonous, since it combines with the hemoglobin of the blood, expelling oxygen, and its presence in the exhaust gases from internal-combustion engines, in the gases from the detonation of explosives and so on, has caused many fatalities. Carbon monoxide is slightly lighter than air, 28 grams equaling in volume 29 grams of air. Carbon monoxide in a room will diffuse with the air until the percentage of one equals the percentage of the other.

Poland's Seaport

Gdynia is Poland's seaport, an outlet from the Polish Corridor which was set up after the World War. Prior to 1924 it was just a stretch of sand with a few fishermen's cottages scattered about. With independence achieved and a commercial existence, Poland undertook the construction of a merchant fleet and built up about Gdynia a community of 60,000 persons.

IMPROVED UNIFORM INTERNATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL Lesson

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Lesson for May 3

JESUS TEACHES FORGIVENESS,
HUMILITY AND GRATITUDE

LESSON TEXT—Luke 17:1-19.
GOLDEN TEXT—Be ye kind one to another, even as God for Christ's sake hath forgiven you—Ephesians 4:32.

PRIMARY TOPIC—The Man Who Said Thank You.
JUNIOR TOPIC—The Man Who Thanked Jesus.

INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC—Three Marks of Christian Strength.
YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC—Three Marks of Christian Strength.

I. Forgiveness, a Christian Obligation (vv. 1-4).

Owing to the fundamental fact of human individuality, the perverseness of the devil, offenses, or occasions of stumbling, are bound to come. Because mankind is fallen and sin reigns in individual hearts, the results are bound to reveal themselves, but Jesus pronounces "woe" upon those whose evil deeds become a stumbling stone in the way of others, especially "one of these little ones."

The follower of Christ is to take heed that his life be not injurious, but that it be exemplary. The believer is to cultivate the forgiving spirit toward the wrongdoer, while rebuking the wrong. Great skill and grace are required to rebuke one for wrongdoing, revealing at the same time the forgiving spirit, so as to win him instead of exasperating him.

II. Humility, a Christian Quality (vv. 5-10).

Humility is at the heart of this trio of Christian graces. Much faith is required to establish and maintain humility. Human nature impels one to push others aside, to struggle for supremacy, to reach the exalted positions in life. Humility moves one to seek the lowly place, while giving places of honor to others, and being sincerely happy when others are granted the preferred positions. Surely, for this one must have faith in God.

III. Gratitude, an Uncommon Grace (vv. 11-19).

The account of the ten lepers is perhaps the most used Bible portion in enforcing the lesson of gratitude as against ingratitude. There are a number of things to be considered, if we are fully to understand the call for gratitude.

1. Their awful affliction (v. 12). They were lepers. In that day no greater tragedy could befall one than to be thus afflicted. It was regarded as contagious and incurable. The afflicted person became a social outcast, and was avoided and neglected. The Mosaic law provided for segregation (Lev. 13:46).

Leprosy has always been regarded as typical of sin, and at times as visited upon individuals because of sin. Examples: the leprosy of Naaman (II Kings 5); Gehazi (II Kings 5); Miriam (Num. 12); Uzziah (II Kings 15:5).

Leprosy may lay long dormant, and then make a sudden appearance; so with sin. Leprosy waxes worse and worse; so with sin. And the end of sin is death.

2. Their cry for mercy (v. 13). The ten recognized their great need, and that no human help was available. Testimonies that had floated to their hearing told of a great Healer, and when He came their way they were not slow to make their prayer to Him.



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Parson Tabs Rival Flag-Winners, but Ignores Statistics

IF ANYBODY ever conducts a poll to determine the most mulish person in history or poesy, my vote will go to the boy who stood on the burning deck. He probably had business elsewhere and his folks must have warned him about playing around with fire, but he persisted just the same.

That's a fine way to get a reputation, but it's not old Parson Bradley's way.

If anybody should ask him what his way, the best he could do in the shape of a snappy comeback would be to nifty that it is something he has not been having recently but that probably is beside the point. What is right on top of the point is the fact that the venerable Parson is about to pick some winners and he is not the sort of person to fool around with burning decks piled high with the figures of experts.

Instead he is going to hop right overboard and name the lucky lads who will participate in the World Series in September or October or whenever the ever changeable magnates have decided to hold the annual gold and glory classic.

Made Cubs Cinch in 1935 by Picking the Cards

Perhaps he could make 6,500,000 people happy by saying that the Giants, Yankees and Dodgers were going to triumph, but he is something more than just a crowd pleaser. So he is going to keep faith with Brooklyn by continuing to live there, while concentrating his prophetic powers upon the other entries. While doing so he is going to reveal a few secrets (the tattle tale).

One of them concerns Charley Grimm.

Most people think that Charley is a St. Louis boy who master-minded his own way to fame in Chicago, but there are those behind the scenes who know better. He could never have done it if it hadn't been for the Parson. When the baldest of the Bradleys had finished dallying with the statistics 12 months ago, he was convinced that the Cards were going

Charley Grimm

to win. So—just to show what he cared for figures—he picked the Giants. That left only the Pirates, Dodgers and Phils for the Cubs to attend to (since the Reds and Bees always can handle their own losing). So, naturally, the Cubs won the pennant.

This season the same system is being used at the earnest request of Mr. Horace Stoneham, owner of the Giants. Even though Mr. Sam Breadon, who collects the receipts (if any) in St. Louis, does not like it, the Parson first must be true to his home-town. So he is selecting the Cards to win and the Cubs to finish second.

That finishes the National league, or would if the magnates did not insist upon playing a 154-game schedule. Now we can take up the opposition circuit.

Tigers Should Win in American League

Hitherto when asked to name the winners of this younger organization (which quite often also is known as the American league) the Parson has displayed his versatility as an expert by maintaining a dignified silence. That he could do this, while besieged by frenzied customers, does not mean that he has been trying to hold out on anybody though.

From what he could gather while sojourning in the South, it seemed to the Parson that the Tigers were already in. Then he met Colonel Ruppert and heard different.

The Colonel spends most of his time dodging in and out from under the grandstand to inquire hoarsely of total strangers, "How we doing?" "Do you think we're gonna hold that five-run lead?" and questions of similar import. That shows he is not an expert either and so he could be a fellow to string along with when he starts announcing.

But even though he may be all wet the Parson is not going to get burned by statistics. Instead, he merely is laying the two pennant races on the line as follows:

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| NATIONAL | AMERICAN |
| St. Louis | Detroit |
| Chicago | Cleveland |
| New York | New York |
| Pittsburgh | Boston |
| Brooklyn | Washington |
| Cincinnati | St. Louis |
| Philadelphia | Chicago |
| Boston | Philadelphia |

When they finish the home stretch next September, you'll be able to tell whether the Parson is a good prophet.

PROOF that a guy can return from Florida with something more than a big expense account and a bad sunburn:

The dearest ambition of one of Chicago's most eminent racketeers is to own a big-time baseball club—Johnny Mize, the hard-hitting Cardinal, believes he would be jinxed if he did not step on home plate each time he goes from first base to the bench—Johnny Bronca is the champion lobby sitter among the Yankees. When he cannot find any one to sit and listen to him he just sits and watches the other guests—Bobby Cruickshank will tell you that he learned to putt by watching Bobby Jones in the playoff at Inwood in 1928. Previously Cruickshank had been putting in the British manner, hitting the ball full. Now he hits only half of the ball and gives it plenty of overspin.

Note to numerous fans who have been writing in to ask whether Hitler has taken over the National league in the matter of the Jew who happens to be the game's best umpire—Why not inquire of the league president or the club owners whom you support? My own impression is that if these gentlemen so desired they could easily persuade Dolly Stark to return to the game he loves—Ed Brandt, the Dodger southpaw, owns a ranch in Montana—Buck Newsom, Washington pitcher, still bears the scar of a razor wound received in Los Angeles in 1933 when the earthquake interrupted a two-bit shave—Oscar Melillo, Red Sox second sacker, will talk for hours about fights and fighters.

Gossip now is that there was a woman in the case when Discovery was trimmed at Santa Anita. It seems that a celebrated movie actress who attended workouts likes to see horses go fast and so young Al Vanderbilt gave daily orders to that effect—Just to prove that they still are pals, Charley Grimm presented Freddy Lindstrom with six new bats when the Cubs met



Bill Terry

the Dodgers the other day—Bill Terry recently purchased a \$50,000 annuity—Rookies who are having their heart-breaks now might like to know that Tris Speaker once was left in Little Rock by the Red Sox as part payment for the ball park they had been using in the Arkansas metropolis.

Throwers of Harlem rent parties should take a tip from Tampa socialites. Slot machines are legal in Florida and the license fee is comparatively small. So the boys and girls have taken to installing them in their homes, calling up their friends and then letting nature take its course. Since the machines can be regulated so that the customers get as little as 5 per cent, such entertainment is highly profitable for the hosts—Old-timers say that the late Kid Gleason was the roughest fighting man ever to don a big-time uniform—Fans walked off with 1,582 baseballs that were hit into the Brooklyn stands last year, but the record still is held by Wrigley field, where sixty baseballs often are used in the course of a game.

Baseball Still Retrenches, Though Receipts Are Up

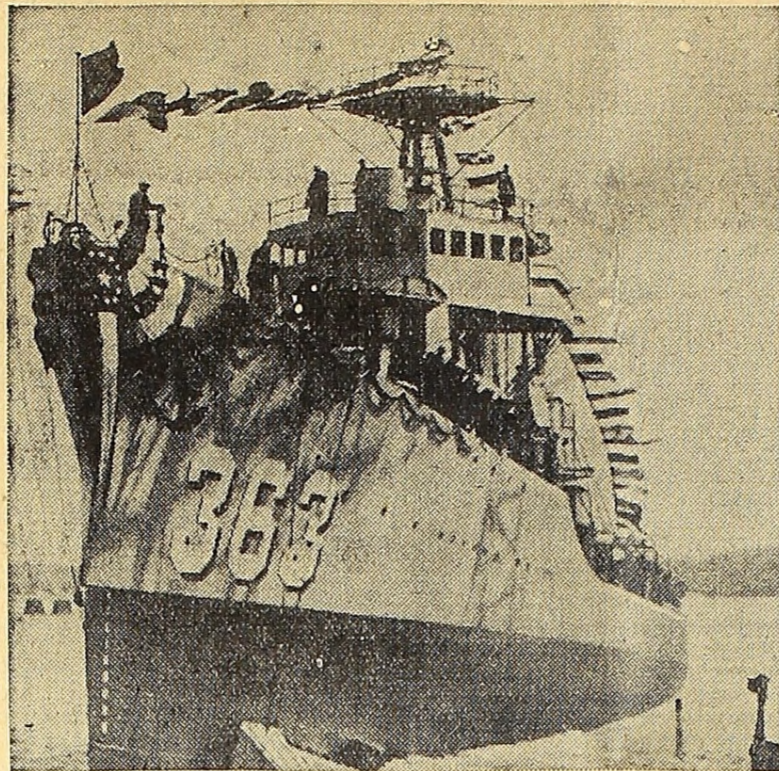
Baseball still is retrenching, although the gate receipts have increased vastly during the past two seasons. Players will tell you that no more than ten athletes draw \$3,000 or better in the Double A (International, American Association, Pacific Coast) leagues. Six years or so ago Newark alone paid that much money to as many men. In the lower loops it is even worse, with \$55-a-month salaries being common in Class D circuits—Van Mungo has a deep yearning to be a racing car driver—Ben Geraghty, the Villanova collegian who may become the best short-stop ever to perform in Brooklyn, also is an expert checker player and a fair hand at bridge—While other athletes are complaining that the gloves are not big enough, Charley Grimm continues to hold his rating as the game's best first baseman by practicing bare-handed.

A former New York jockey wants to take up the cause of Don Meade, the ace jockey recently banned in Florida. He would like to carry the case to the highest court in order to test the constitutionality of racing in the state—It is fillies' year at the breeding farms. The turf birth notices reveal that the females are leading the colts five to one—If the New York State Racing commission is not too busy it might investigate those loud squawks concerning the type of electric eye to be used at metropolitan tracks this year.

Reporters asked 93 major league ball players what club was the best they had seen this year. Fifty-two replied the Cards, while forty-one favored the Tigers. The verdict was 93 to 0 when the question was asked concerning the worst club. Since that sounds very much like the scores by which the Athletics may often be beaten this year, the name of the club can be guessed at by Philadelphia's most celebrated baseball financiers.

What's become of:
Ned Harlan, Princeton's all-America hack of twenty-five years or so ago, practices law at Bel Air, Md.
Winnie O'Connor, who won a bike race, flat and steeplechase horse races, and a prize fight all in a day in Paris, is running a Jamaica tavern.
Milton Henry, who ran the American Bar in Paris for several years after starting as a crack rider, is back at his first love—galloping horses at the Long Island courses.

One More Destroyer Is Launched



View of the launching of the new 1,850-ton destroyer leader Balch at the Bethlehem shipbuilding plant at Fore River, Mass. This 372-foot warship, one of four of a new development in navy vessels built, or building, was named for Rear Admiral George Balch, Mexican and Civil war naval hero, and was sponsored by his granddaughter, Miss Gertrude Balch of Wilmington, Del. The armament of the Balch will include a torpedo tube, and five-inch guns.

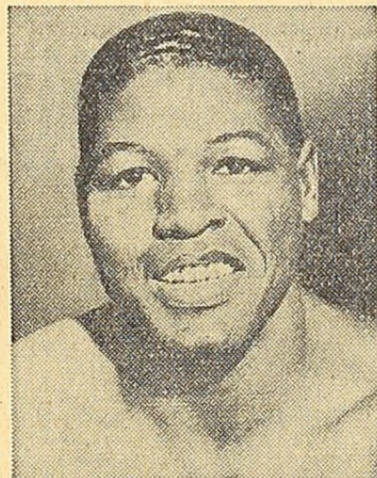
Rhineland Long Used to Tread of Marching Men

Has Been Battlefield Periodically for 2,000 Years.

Washington.—The cadent tread of heavy Nazi army boots on the cobble of picturesque towns in the Rhineland recently echoed around the world because of its effect upon international relations. But to many residents of those towns, history was merely repeating itself. Periodically for 2,000 years the Rhineland has been a battlefield.

"The Rhineland's location, its productive soil, its mines, and above all its Rhine, have made it Germany's 'Main Street' and 'Promised Land' rolled up into one 10,000 square miles," says the National Geographic society. "Small wonder that many have coveted it. Caesar crossed the Rhine as well as the Rubicon. Attila the Hun disturbed its peace, and Clovis fought along its banks. Charlemagne established the capital of his empire at Aachen in the Rhineland. Napoleon's regiments swept triumphantly through. Pursuing the double eagles of the Hohenzollerns went the French Tricolor in 1918. And now the Swastika waves

IN LINE FOR LOUIS



This is Leroy Haynes, colored fighter from California, who knocked out Primo Carnera in the third round of their battle in Philadelphia. Leroy's ambition now is to get a match with Joe Louis, the Brown Bomber.

from bridges, fortresses, medieval town halls, and dormer windows of quaint peaked houses.

Garrisoned by Americans.
"A list of the flags which have flown in the Rhineland would not be complete without the Stars and Stripes. For four years a garrison of Americans kept the 'Wacht am Rhein' at Germany's Gibraltar, the old fortress of Ehrenbreitstein opposite Koblenz (Coblenz)."

"The Rhineland, now transformed from a demilitarized into a danger zone, embraces the territory west of the Rhine up to the boundaries of France, Belgium, and the Netherlands, and a 50-kilometer (31-mile) strip along the east bank. This is an important slice of Germany. The Rhineland, indeed, has been the dominant factor in the commerce, history, legend, music, and literature of the German people.

"Although it rises in Switzerland, empties through the Netherlands, and has lost part of its west bank to France, the Rhine is essentially a German river. It winds 800 miles from Alps to ocean, creating picturesque scenes and prosperous activity wherever it goes. From Bingen to Koblenz it pours through a steep gorge of rocky crags crowned with robber-baron's ruined castles, blown up by the French more than a century ago.

"Thereafter it broadens, bearing an increasing horde of steamers and tugs, and flows into the Netherlands as a spreading belt of greenish water almost a mile wide. Probably no other river in the world has been made to serve man more efficiently, for a sys-

Scent Factory Staff

Immune From Colds

Loughborough, England.—There is a factory here where one-half of the staff never gets colds or influenza. The other half are no more immune than anyone else. It is a scent factory, and for five years no man or girl working in the filling and labeling rooms has had a cold. There is something in the oils or flowers used that seems to act as an antiseptic, it is stated.

Prevention of Paralysis

Is Hoped For in Test

Washington.—With disclosures of details of the recently discovered nasal spray to be used for the prevention of infantile paralysis, thousands of parents today looked to the United States public health service for initiation of tests on human beings.

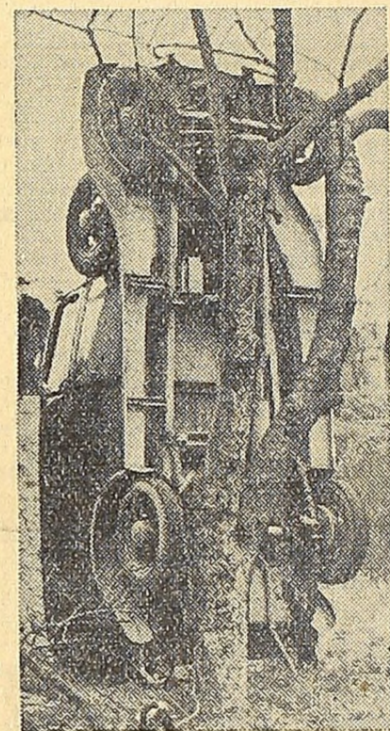
A result of two years experimental work by Dr. Charles Armstrong, medical scientist of the public health service, the new solution contains picric acid, water and a pinch of salt. Thus far efficacy of the nasal spray has been tried only on monkeys.

Doctor Armstrong announced tests soon would begin on human beings. It is known the solution is harmless, but its power against infantile paralysis germs has not yet been tested.

In his report to the health service, made known recently, Doctor Armstrong revealed he had tried the solution himself and found no ill effects. He warned parents against concocting homemade solution of the ingredients.

Armstrong's theory is based on science's definite knowledge that infantile paralysis germs make their way into the human body through the nasal passages and the mouth. Picric acid, a powerful astringent, closes tightly the pores of the nasal passages.

TRUCK CLIMBS TREE



This automobile truck slipped its brakes in Seattle, Wash., and after running wild through a busy street, plunged down a 50-foot bank and climbed the nearest tree. No one was injured, and even the truck and tree were undamaged.

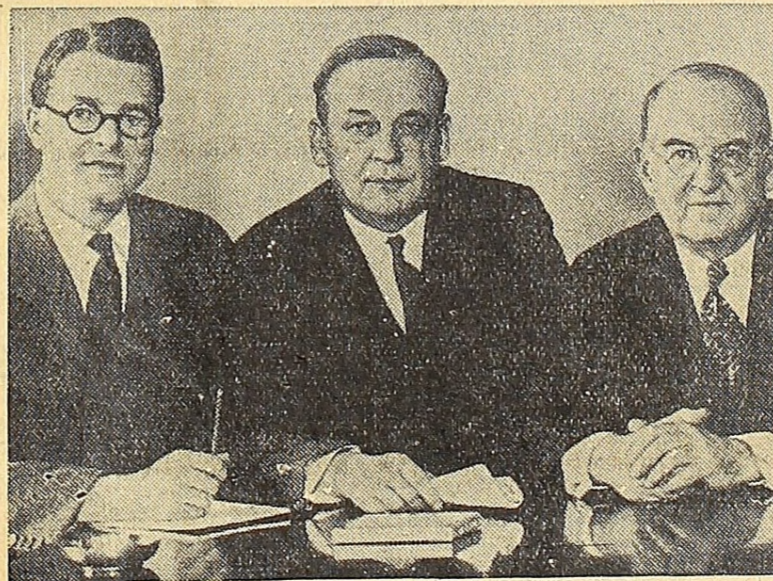
Omission Keeps Turkey and San Marino at War

Istanbul.—A recent incident has revealed the fact that the republic of San Marino is still at war with Turkey. The manager of a Turkish agricultural institute recently spent a few months in Europe in connection with scientific studies. When he crossed into the territory of San Marino he was arrested as an undesirable national of a country at war with the republic.

In 1915 San Marino joined Italy in a declaration of war on Turkey, but, owing to some omission, it was invited neither to participate in the peace negotiations nor to sign the treaty of Lausanne with Turkey.

Subjects of the republic of San Marino in Turkey have always been treated as Italian nationals.

Surveying All New Deal Agencies



These three men, left to right, Dr. Luther H. Gulick of New York, Charles E. Merriam of Chicago and Louis Brownlow of Washington, D. C., have been named by President Roosevelt as a special committee of three which will survey the multitudinous New Deal agencies to ascertain which shall be scrapped, reduced or molded into the permanent framework of the government. Gulick was a director of the New York bureau of municipal research and of several similar bodies. Brownlow is a journalist and public administrator. Merriam is professor of political science at the University of Chicago.

Uncommon Sense

By John Blake

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Don't worry about your mistakes. Just be careful not to make many of the same kind.

Spilt Milk You are bound to fail sometimes. Everybody does. Forget your failures—but don't repeat them.

Before you tackle a job look it over from every possible angle.

Think over all the ways that it can be done, then decide in your mind which is the best.

Stick to that till you put it over.

As for other men's faults, don't pay any attention to them.

You will have plenty to occupy your mind making sure that you are on the right road.

Mr. Omar Khayyam had the right idea when he admonished his companion against past regrets and future fears.

Neither regrets nor fears will help you any.

Lay out a job before you start it. Get all possible information concerning it before you begin.

Don't be ashamed to ask for help if you need it.

When you're "all set" and you are as sure that you're in the right get your ideas together and make your beginning.

Then there will be no necessity of going back and doing it over.

"I never learned what happened to the man who sang 'I don't know where I'm going, but I'm on my way.'" I don't need to learn. It is a certainty that he "fopped."

The mariner who started on a voyage without a chart or a compass would soon be running up the S O S flag pretty soon, if he didn't sink before he had time to lay a hand on the signal halyard.

In the old days "Jerry builders" used to put up houses "by gosh and by guess" but the first gale that came along scattered them all over the landscape.

Time was when cities "just grewed" like Topsy.

Now they are scientifically planned, but a lot of houses had to be torn down to find a place to put them.

That kind of "spilt milk" cost a lot of money that might and should have been used to better advantage.

If the frog, one of the most unintelligent of creatures, has the wit to look before he leaps, surely you, who have the gift of mind, ought to be able to do a little thinking before you tackle any difficult undertaking.

Take a good long careful look at every problem which confronts you, set it down on paper, check it up for mistakes, and then proceed to solve it.

That will save you many mistakes. And mistakes are likely to run into important money.

Before the days of bridges, man was a "home body."

It required a miracle to enable the Children of Israel to attain their Promised Land.

But soon they found a way to cross seas and rivers. Later bridges, and ships, which are a kind of bridge, opened lines of travel.

Today, we have airplanes which bridge the air, as well as vast structures which bear up railroad trains and provide swift and safe travel through formerly impassable areas.

Working today in the field and in laboratories are thousands of bridge builders who are opening new means of communications.

These are the men and women who are of the first importance in the present time.

Today the people of the world would find it impossible to get along without them.

I have lately made, in a single day, a motor journey of more than three hundred miles, over streams and rivers, and through dense forests.

I traveled over many bridges, some of which were built years ago, some of them great, new steel structures which required years in the building.

All of them were erected to meet the needs of people who want to "go places" and who are always in a hurry to get there.

And while these over-head bridges were in process of construction many cities were building under-ground bridges, tunnels which enabled people to make in a few minutes journeys which but a few years ago required hours of slow travel.

Trained minds are employed in the unremitting effort to check avarice and greed, to increase the yield of field and orchard, and so solve many of the problems which stand in the way of progress.

It is up to every one to join in this building campaign. Ours is a good world, but it must be made a better one.

If we all help to smooth the path to betterment, to set up bridges wherever barriers stand in the way, there will be more and better schools, fewer jails and great contentment.

Incidentally we will get far more fun out of life when we know that we are helpers and not obstructionists and by our efforts, puny as they be, are part and parcel of a great movement to establish a real and a permanent civilization.

CIVILIZED JAILS

In a thoroughly civilized land even the jail meals are appetizing.

Dr. Pierce's Tablets are best for liver, bowels and stomach. One little Pellet for a laxative—three for a cathartic.—Adv.

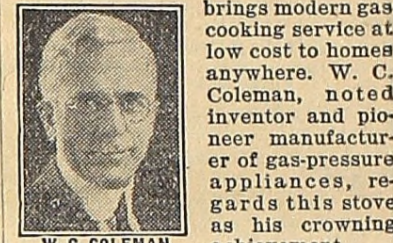
Scientists Know

If it was found out 100 years ago, the scientists are now sure of it.

INVENTS NEW STOVE THAT MAKES OWN GAS

W. C. Coleman, Noted Inventor Makes It Possible for Every Home Everywhere to Enjoy Modern Gas Cooking Service at Low Cost

Housewives everywhere are enthusiastic in their praise of a new stove that makes its own gas and brings modern gas cooking service at low cost to homes anywhere. W. C. Coleman, noted inventor and pioneer manufacturer of gas-pressure appliances, regards this stove as his crowning achievement.



W. C. COLEMAN

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The Coleman Range has a spacious insulated oven and drawer-type broiler. An independently controlled burner provides any heat desired for baking or broiling.

Climaxing his achievement, Mr. Coleman endowed the Coleman Safety Range with gracious beauty, style and color.

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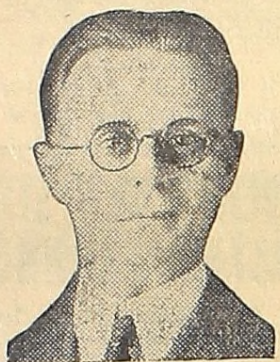
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Wednesday, May 13

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TOWN LINE

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Freeland and the latter's sister, Gladys, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Freeland.

A summer 4-H club was organized at the Townline school, District 2, Tuesday night by Mr. Rhodes, the district club leader. There was a large enrollment. The next meeting will be held Thursday night, May 7, at the school. The parents are urged to attend.

Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Frank were: Mr. and Mrs. Oakland Frank and family, Mr. and Mrs. Emerson Frank and Mrs. Utts of Detroit; Wilmer Frank of Bay City and Miss Regina Nelkie of the Hemlock road.

Mrs. Jos. Freeland is quite ill. Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Koepke entertained Jas. Tinglous, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Duddy, Mrs. Gladys Hackley and friend of Flint, and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Missler on Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Wegner of Tawas City visited Eugene Bessey and family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Calkins of South Rockwood and Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Thom of Newport called on Elmer Missler and family Friday evening.

Jas. Barnes and Edward Ulman motored to Bay City Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Curtis and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bessey and family visited relatives at Finland Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald McIntyre and family and Mr. and Mrs. Howard

Freel called on Judson Freel and family Sunday.

A number of boys from the Silver Creek CCC camp visited friends and relatives here over the week end.

Mrs. Clarence Greenwood and children, Shirley, Jean and Gary, are spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Frank.

A number from here attended the festival at West Branch Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hill of Pontiac visited the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mel Sherman, over the week end.

Andrew Bessey called at the McDonald home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Clements, Sr., of Detroit spent the week end at the Andrew Bessey home.

Mrs. Frank Fisher and family visited the former's daughter, Mrs. Clayton Ulman, in East Tawas on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Herriman of the Hemlock were dinner guests Sunday of Mrs. Ted Winchell.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Fowler and daughter and Ted Winchell motored to the home of O. O. Koepfel at Delaware, Ohio, on Sunday.

Miss Thelma Butts, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bethel Butts of Prescott, and John Muckenthaler, son of Michael Muckenthaler, were united in marriage Sunday evening. The ceremony was performed by Omar Frank, L. D. S. minister. The bride was dressed in dark blue.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Sheene and Mr. and Mrs. Emerson Sheene of Prescott were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. Brown.

Mrs. Winchell spent Wednesday with her daughter, Mrs. G. Biggs.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Clements, Sr., of Detroit and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Clements, Jr., visited Landy Bessey and family at Lincoln Sunday.

John Robt. and Elden Kendall visited Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Geesey recently.

Mrs. Elmer Frank and daughter, Betty, and Mrs. Ralph Geesey called on Mrs. Louis Gauthier.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Preston and family visited their mother, Mrs. Anna Frank.

Ervin Gauthier is driving a new car.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Delaine of Bay City visited relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Roache are the proud parents of a son. He has been named Walter William.

Clarence Porter and Mr. Conway called at the home of Omar Frank Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Cary and daughter, Marie, and Mrs. Cary and family visited relatives at West Branch on Sunday.

Notice

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

Take Notice that sale has been lawfully made of the following described land for unpaid taxes thereon, and that the undersigned has title thereto under tax deed or deeds issued therefor, and that you are entitled to a reconveyance thereof at any time within six months after return of service of this notice upon payment to the undersigned or to the register in chancery of the county in which the lands lie, of all sums paid upon such purchase, together with fifty per centum additional thereto, and the fees of the sheriff for the service or cost of publication of this notice, to be computed as upon personal service of a declaration as commencement of suit, and the further sum of five dollars for each description, without other additional cost or charges. If payment as aforesaid is not made, the undersigned will institute proceedings for possession of the land.

Description of Land
State of Michigan, County of Iosco, North-east quarter of the North-west quarter, Section 14, Town 23 N, Range 6 E. Amount paid—tax for year 1928, \$5.07; tax for year 1929, \$5.40. Amount necessary to redeem—\$20.69, plus the fees of the sheriff.

Lloyd G. McKay,
Place of business: East Tawas, Mich.
To Thomas Love, last grantee in the regular chain of title of such lands or of any interest therein as appearing by the records in the office of the Register of Deeds of said county.

The Sheriff of Iosco County has been unable to ascertain the whereabouts or post office address of Thomas Love. 4-17

WILBER

Fredrick Christian has gone to Detroit, where he will remain indefinitely.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Styles and family and Misses Dorothy and Peggy Ruggles spent Sunday in Glennie.

Miss Alice Simmons has gone to Flint, where she will spend a few weeks with relatives.

Mrs. Fern Brooks, Mrs. Harry Goodale and Mrs. Emil Cholger spent last Wednesday in Bay City visiting Miss Mable Goodale, who is a patient at the Samaritan hospital.

Frank Davidson and Homer Heaman of Port Huron and Claude Churchill and Billy Leslie of Detroit spent the week end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Davidson.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Brussell and family have moved to East Tawas.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Dorey and daughter, Shirley, and Mr. and Mrs. Lee Steel and niece of Lansing spent the week end with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Cornett and daughter, Margaret, of Toledo, Ohio, visited Mrs. Cornett's sisters, Mrs. Vernon Alda and Mrs. Harry Goodale, and their families.

We are sorry to hear that James Symes is very ill at a hospital in Detroit.

A number of friends from Wilber went to East Tawas on Saturday evening and helped Chas. Bennington and Mary Scott celebrate their birthdays. All present had a very enjoyable time. We wish them many happy returns of the day.

Mr. and Mrs. Webster and family of Detroit spent the week end with Mrs. Webster's father, Wm. Phelps, and other relatives.

Harvey Abbott motored to the Sault to meet his wife, who came from the Canadian Northwest.

SHERMAN

Daughter: "Mother, do you believe in love at first sight?"

Mother: "I suppose I do. I certainly would never have married your father if I had taken a second look."

Chas. Thornton was at Flint a couple days last week.

A number from here attended the Perch Festival at Tawas City last week end.

Chas. Corrigan of Reno and Miss Mary St. James of Whittemore were called in town Sunday.

Miss Evelyn Erabant returned to her home last week after a week's visit with relatives here.

Mrs. Silas Thornton and son were at Harrisville on business the first part of the week.

Earl Schneider was at Bay City last week. He returned home and Saturday was married at Whittemore. Congratulations.

John Head was at Tawas City and AuGres Monday.

Harry Hohenbeck of Turner was a business caller here Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Ross and children were callers at Prescott and Whittemore Sunday.

J. C. Barber returned from Paulding, Ohio, where he has spent the past month.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Cottrell were at Standish on business Tuesday.

Albert Mieniecke of Saginaw spent the week end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Schneider.

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M. E. church attended the quarterly conference at Whittemore Sunday afternoon, April 26. John Webb was elected lay delegate to attend the annual conference to be held at Royal Oak in June.

Mrs. J. H. Johnson was hostess to her bridge club on Thursday afternoon. Prizes were awarded Mrs. Everett Smith, Mrs. Albert Humphrey and Mrs. R. D. Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Buck were Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. Ed Heckman at McIvor.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Peck spent Thursday in Bay City.

Hale Chapter, O. E. S., will hold its school of instruction in the afternoon of May 7th, with Mrs. Ruth Smith, Grand Chaplain, giving the instruction.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Abbott called on their sister, Mrs. Robert Buck, Sunday enroute, from Sault Ste. Marie.

Mr. and Mrs. John Follette and family of Detroit spent the week end with relatives here. Mrs. Edna Follette returned with them to visit her children there.

Mesdames A. Boomer, Oren Misenner and D. Boomer of the Tawasess called on Mrs. Robert Buck last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Bielby and daughter spent Wednesday in Tawas City with Mrs. Bielby's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Brown.

Stanley Humphrey spent Tuesday as the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Humphrey. Stanley's friends will be pleased to know he is moving from Detroit to Tawas.

Walter Holzheuer is building a new home on the county line four miles west of Hale.

Our rural mail carriers are having very serious times in serving their routes over ungraded roads. We hope the time will soon come when rural routes and school bus routes will be given the consideration which they rightfully merit.

Mrs. Bernice Brown is working for Mr. Vaughn at Loon Lake, caring for his aged mother.

A new street is being laid out from the cheese factory west to M-65. This will be a benefit to the farmers.

Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Reid of Linton were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Duell Pearsall.

Miss Mavis Gruber is working for Mrs. Robert Buck.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Johnson were in Lansing Saturday to attend a meeting of Michigan Rural Letter Carriers. They were accompanied there by Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Beardslee of Tawas City.

Miss Sarah Richards, who spent a couple weeks in Mt. Pleasant with her sister, Mrs. May Robinson, and daughter, returned home.

Mrs. I. Mallon spent Tuesday in Bay City.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Gackstetter, who were called to Toledo, Ohio, owing to the illness of the latter's sister, returned home.

The Senior class of the East Tawas high school presented the play, "Little Women," on Thursday and Friday of this week at the Community Building. The play was directed by Miss Louise Turnbull, a teacher in the local high school.

Members of the Ladies Literary Club and their husbands enjoyed a pot luck dinner at the club rooms Wednesday evening at six o'clock. About sixty attended. The following

ladies will preside over the L. L. C. during the coming club year: President, Mrs. W. A. Evans; first vice-president, Mrs. W. Tribe; second vice-president, Mrs. J. R. LaBerge; secretary, Mrs. S. Goupil; treasurer, Mrs. W. T. Murphy; trustee, Mrs. J. S. Harrington.

Mr. and Mrs. Sydney Goder and son, William, spent the week end with Mrs. Goder's father, Wm. Schill.

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Chunk BACON, lb. 23c
large FRANKFURTS, lb. 15c
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Armour's SIRLOIN STEAK, lb. 27c
Diamond D COFFEE, lb. 17c

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News - Comedy

PICTURES TO COME

May 8 and 9
"Treachery Rides the Range"

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Dick Powell - Ann Dvorak
— in —
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