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## TAWAS CITY

### OIL EXPLORING OPERATIONS TO START SOON

#### Equipment Will Arrive In Grant Township Next Week

The Pabst Petroleum Development Company, owning lease options covering about 20,000 acres in Isosco County, are preparing to start exploration work in Grant Township. The Ideal Drilling Company of Detroit has the contract for the work and well drilling equipment will arrive at the location early next week.

The first test hole will be drilled in the S. E. 1/4 of N. E. 1/4 section 8, Grant Township. This property is owned by George J. Monfort of Detroit and is located on the old state road between Guiley Creek and the east branch of the AuGres river.

Considerable oil exploration work has been done in the county in the past ten years, beginning with the test well drilled at East Tawas in 1927, and Isosco people are awaiting with interest the results of the present project. If "black gold" is present in paying quantities much will be added to the value of our natural resources.

Thirteen wells are now producing in Clayton township, Arenac County. Nineteen new wells are now being drilled in that county. No successful wells have been brought in at any point immediately adjacent to Isosco County in that field.

### People Freely Use County Libraries

The Isosco County Libraries located in Tawas City, East Tawas, Long Lake, Alabaster and Whittemore have shown a great increase in circulation during the past few weeks. They also made the acquaintance of many new patrons.

We are often asked how much it costs to borrow books. There is no charge. Books are loaned for periods of two weeks, subject to renewal. However, if they are not returned within the specified time, we levy a tax of two cents a day. Our libraries are for the use of the people of the rural districts also.

The librarians of the various stations have been mounting pictures and saving clippings on art, music, literature, history, geography and short stories. This material is now available to the rural teachers. We cordially invite them to visit their nearest station and take any material they wish to use.

"Green Light," by Douglas has been added to the list in the Tawas City Library.

### Tawas City Schools Commended by U. of M.

A. E. Giddings, Superintendent of Schools, Tawas City, Michigan, Dear Mr. Giddings:

On January 29, 1937, I visited the Tawas City High School in connection with its continued accrediting by the University of Michigan and approval for tuition purposes by the State Department of Public Instruction.

Even though my visit was unannounced the school program seemed to be functioning nicely. Evidently in the past, Tawas City has been interested in offering its students educational opportunities. May I commend the variations which you have introduced into your program.

I noted with pleasure the activities in speech which are being participated in for the first time. The debating team has reason to regard its accomplishments with satisfaction.

Another worth while project is the publication of your school paper—The T. C. Highlite. The short editorials in that paper were in keeping with the school.

Your cooperation with the University of Michigan in its state wide study of the relation between intelligence and ability is further evidence of your educational vision. May you continue the same policy in the future.

It is always gratifying to visit schools in which consistent and constructive work is being done. Your high school has received continuous accreditation with the University of Michigan since 1921.

For further consideration for your program continued library improvements should be made. Consistent improvements each year are necessary for even adequate references in the miscellaneous fields.

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### Democrats Organize

A recent organization of Democrats in Oscoda is announced with James Mead as president; Lloyd Soucie, secretary and Edward Hull, treasurer. These officers constitute the executive committee.

The purpose of the organization, according to the executive committee, is to advance the social activities of the members as well as further the interests of the Democratic Party with the immediate aim of aiding in electing the state and their local Democratic ticket at the coming spring election.

### Whittemore Alumni Hold Eighth Annual Banquet

The Whittemore Alumni Association held its eighth Annual Banquet and Dance Friday evening, February 19th 1937. The banquet was held at the high school with 76 members and friends present. Wm. Fuerst, president of the alumni gave the opening address of welcome to all the members and guests. Arden Charters, in a few well chosen words, welcomed the Senior Class of 1937. Miss Patricia Henning very graciously gave the response in behalf of the Seniors.

President Wm. Fuerst then introduced the toastmistress, Miss Irene Ruckle, who with her usual witty jokes on her fellow alumni, made a very fitting toastmistress. Miss Ruth Schuster led the singing with a group of songs very appropriate for this grand occasion.

Superintendent Howard Switzer gave a very fine talk and stressed the need of a gymnasium to further the activities of the school. Mr. Wayne Grimm also gave a very interesting talk. One of the big surprises of the evening was the presence of C. A. Gordon and wife of Pontiac. Mr. Gordon was the first superintendent of our high school and was sponsor of the first senior class in 1928. Just one member of this class was present, Norman Schuster, now one of the faculty.

Mr. Gordon gave a very interesting speech, telling many incidents that happened during his time as superintendent. It was through his efforts and hard work that our high school was organized in 1927.

Letters were read from F. L. Stelter of Baroda, Mrs. Pearl Hill of Holton, Mrs. Reta Musser of Flint and Mrs. Florence Moeller of Tawas City, all expressing their regrets at not being able to attend.

The following officers were elected for the coming year: president, Wm. Fuerst; first vice president, Oramel O'Farrell; second vice president, Ruth Schuster; secretary, Mrs. Leona Miller; treasurer, Irene Ruckle.

The P. T. A. Ladies served the banquet and it was very much appreciated by the Association. The dance was held at The Silver Gables and music was furnished by Norman Heidger's orchestra of Saginaw. Members and guests were present from Detroit, Flint, Pontiac, Mt. Pleasant, Bay City, Harrisville and all the surrounding towns.

### Child Health Notes

On Tuesday, March 9, Dr. Sue Thompson and Miss B. Klumb, R. N. of the Childrens Fund Health Unit, will conduct three clinics in the county to give tuberculin tests. The clinics will be held in the following centers: 9:00 A. M. at Whittemore School; 11:00 A. M. at Hale town hall; 2:00 P. M. in the Courthouse, Tawas City.

Children who have been contacts of tuberculosis patients, who are undernourished, who are frequently absent from school because of illness, children who have had pneumonia or a series of communicable diseases, and nervous children, will be given cards by the county nurse for the parents signature, to permit the tuberculin test. The age limits are from 2 to 21 years. This is a real privilege and parents are asked to consider carefully the advantages to (Turn to No. 3, Back Page)

FOR SALE—McIvor Elevator building and land. Enquire, Whittemore Elevator Company.

HORSES FOR SALE—E. A. Pierson, McIvor Michigan. 3-12

### Mrs. Wm. McCully

Mrs. William McCully, aged 77 years, died Saturday evening of a heart attack, after a relapse from pneumonia.

Margaret McPherson was born February 10th, 1860 at Woodstock, Canada and died February 27th, 1937 at her home in East Tawas. She was a resident of Isosco County for the past 27 years. She owned and operated a Novelty store in East Tawas until three years ago, when she moved the stock to her home and rented the store building.

The funeral was held from the Moffatt Funeral Home at 1:30 and from the Methodist Church at East Tawas at 2:00 o'clock with Reverend Carey officiating. Interment was in the family lot in Glenwood cemetery.

She is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Anna Dawes and Mrs. Bernice Killian of Spring Lake and a brother and sister in Canada. Her granddaughter, Mrs. James Senecal, made her home with her grandmother.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Taylor of Detroit, Mrs. Clark Hills, Inez and Edward Killian and William Dawes of Spring Lake, Elmer Becker of Flint and James Senecal of Detroit attended the funeral.

### Tawas City Baseball Team Is Organized

The Tawas City Baseball Team organized for the coming season when 15 prospective players and several business men met in the city hall on Wednesday evening.

The following officers were elected for the '37 season: President-Secretary, Reginald Boudler; Treasurer, Walter Becker; Manager A. Don Anderson. A committee of three was appointed to assist the manager in the handling of the team. They are as follows: Walter Laidlaw, Henry Hobart and Edw. Libka.

Judging from the number of players present and the prospects in the community, the local fans should see one of the best teams that this section has ever produced. Let's all be boosters and get behind the boys. There will be another meeting on Friday, March 19. Let's plan on being there to encourage the boys. Everyone is welcome.

### Twentieth Century Club

The Twentieth Century Club will meet March 6th at the club rooms and the following program will be presented: Roll call, school days. The School and the Citizen, The School and the State, The School and the Nation, Mrs. Grace Mark. The School and Social Change, Mrs. L. Britting. The School and Country Life, Mrs. Watts. Music.

### P. T. A. Notes

In conjunction with the P. T. A. the American Legion Auxiliary is sponsoring an Americanization program to be given at the high school assembly room Thursday evening, March 11th.

The committee has arranged a splendid program and urges your attendance.

The program is as follows: Music, High School Band; Address, "Americanization", Judge Dehnke; Music, High School Band; Assembly singing, "America", led by the band.

Try to make this meeting the banner attendance for P. T. A. for this year.

ERNEST ROSS, Pastor

March 7—English, 10:00 A. M. German—11:00 A. M.

March 8—8:00 P. M. Choir rehearsal. March 10—7:30 P. M., German Lenten Services.

### Davis Pleads Guilty Before Judge Dehnke

At a session of circuit court held here Wednesday, Nolan Davis of Glennie pleaded guilty to a charge of assault with intent to do great bodily harm less than the crime of murder. Nolan had been held since January 10th when he had threatened Mrs. Mac Burch of East Tawas. Judge Herman Dehnke is awaiting further information before passing sentence.

John Sheldon, age 16 years, was sent to the Starr Commonwealth for Boys to remain until he is 18 years of age. He appeared before Judge Dehnke charged with forgery. He had forged an endorsement to a check.

### Gas Explodes in Boat, Burns Two Oscoda Men

Two men were burned and another thrown out of the boat when a 500 gallon tank of crude oil, exploded in the Matthews Fish Company's "Margaret Ann" at Oscoda early last Friday morning.

Bob and Frank Lynch of AuSable were the most severely injured, the former suffering severe burns about the face while Frank escaped with minor burns. Clarence Ricks, also of AuSable was thrown from the deck into the icy waters of the AuSable by the force of the explosion.

The cause of the accident was a quantity of gasoline in the delivery hose. The boat was at the dock being fueled when the explosion occurred. The concussion split one of the tanks and ripped the pilot house and a portion of the roof loose.

The "Margaret Ann" is a large boat and is completely covered over so that the full force of the explosion was received by the walls. The deck is constructed entirely of steel which helped to prevent a much greater damage.

### Civil Service Examination Will Be Held March 20th

The Michigan Unemployment Compensation Commission announces a competitive civil service examination will be conducted on March 20th at Detroit, Lansing, Saginaw, Alpena and other cities.

The examinations will be for the following positions: Typists, stenographers, secretaries, junior, senior, principal and head clerks. The markings will be based on written tests, training, experience, work habits and attitude. The examinations are open to all citizens of Michigan.

Applications must be on file with the commission at the Fox Building, Detroit, by 6:00 P. M., Saturday, March 13. Applicants will be notified where to report for examination.

### Wrathel-Watts

Miss Iva Wrathel of Turner and Phillip Watts, son of Robert Watts, were quietly married Sunday at 12:30 at the home of Rev. M. A. Sommerfield. They were attended by Miss Cora Wrathel and Neuman Bamberger. They will make their home on the Hemlock Road, where the groom is engaged in farming.

### Emanuel Lutheran Church

J. J. Roeckle, Pastor  
March 7—English, 10:00 A. M. German—11:00 A. M.  
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### URGES CARE FOR COUNTY FRUIT TREES

#### Finley Points Out Value Of Productive Farm Orchard

In a communication to the Tawas Herald, W. L. Finley, county agricultural agent, urges Isosco farmers to care for their orchards and points out the value of high grade fruit. In the communication he said:

"The apple trees as well as other fruit trees of Isosco County deserve considerably more attention than has been given them during the last few years. With between 15 and 20 million dollars coming to Michigan farmers each year through the sale of fruits it seems that Isosco County's proportion of this should be increased, enabling the local market to obtain a home grown product of superior quality to that which is imported from other states.

"According to statistics, coming from the United States Department of Agriculture, the number of apple trees has been decreased since 1910 by nearly 120 million trees with the average annual apple production reduced by some 57 and one half bushels. This would indicate that under normal conditions apples as well as supplementary fruits should continue to be in demand.

"In order for local farmers to add a few more dollars, this coming fall, to their butter and egg income they should visit the long neglected fruit orchard. There is no question but that by removing the dead branches and many of the others of inferior type and location, more sun light would be able to enter the tree, thereby producing fruit of better quality. While pruning the trees one should keep an open eye for egg masses of the fruit tree leaf roller. These egg masses stand out in the bare trees, as they are flat masses, light tan to purplish in color and usually are found on the smaller branches and twigs. The horticulturist should also watch closely for the presence of both oyster shell scale and San Jose scale. Oyster shell scale is not as common as San Jose, but when present, may be found upon any of the branches. It appears much like one half of an oyster shell and is from one sixteenth to one eighth of an inch in length. The San Jose scale may be easily identified by a round red spot upon the branch with a smaller black spot located (Turn to No. 3, Back Page)

### Boys and Girls' Forestry Club Organized Here

Boys and girls of the Tawas and vicinity met last night at the court house and a 4-H club to be known as the Isosco Forest Ranger Station was formed. The Club was organized under the guidance of Donald Gray, public relations supervisor of the Huron National Forest, and L. H. Rhodes, district 4-H Club agent.

At the initial meeting a tentative program was discussed and the following officers elected: Junior Musolf, chief supervisor; Nelson Thornton, Assistant chief supervisor; Warren Hughes, chief of records; Marjory Musolf, chief of accounts; Percy Goodale, Charles Hughes and Percy Thornton were appointed as an advisory committee.

It is planned that each member will plant 100 trees during the coming season and that the boys and girls familiarize themselves with the various phases of forestry. Included in the extra forestry activities will be several days of camping at one of the lakes.

The next meeting will be held on March 30th. Each member will answer to roll call with the name of a tree growing near his or her home. Each member has been requested to bring to this meeting twigs from different trees. The twigs will be identified and mounted on cards.

Every boy and girl living in or near the Tawas is invited to join the club.

### Zion Lutheran Church

"The Red Brick Church"  
Ernest Ross, Pastor  
Synod of Missouri, Ohio, and Other States.  
March 6—Saturday School of instruction in Religion, 9:00 to 11:30 A. M.  
March 7—Sunday School 9:00 A. M. Services—10:00 A. M. English. Topic: "Worthy is the Lamb." Revelations 5. Lenten Services, 11:00 A. M. German. Lenten Services, 7:30 P. M., English.

### ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN CHURCH OF HALE

K. W. Vertz, Pastor  
On Wednesday evening at 8:00 o'clock, unless something unforeseen turns up, we shall hold our Lenten Service in our new chapel. This will be the first service in our new house of worship.

The dedication proper, however, will not take place until some time in May. Definite announcements will be made later.

Our regular Sunday Services at 10:00 A. M. Sunday School at 11:00. You are all welcome.

### EAST TAWAS

#### Mr. and Mrs. Harold Gould who spent the week in Grand Rapids returned home on Wednesday.

James McGuire, Wallace Grant, Collie Johnson and Alfred Johnson all of Detroit spent the week end at their homes in the city.

Wm. Schill and daughter, Mrs. G. Gifford, spent Tuesday in Ann Arbor.

Mrs. Edna Acton spent the week end in Detroit with her son Carl, and wife.

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Mr. and Mrs. George Fahselt of Cabri, Saskatchewan in writing to renew their subscription to The Tawas Herald this week, also extend their best wishes to their many Tawas friends.

Henry McDonald who spent two weeks at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Orville McDonald returned to Detroit last Friday morning.

Judge Herman Dehnke of Harrisville addressed 81 Masons and their guests at a banquet held Monday evening at the Masonic Temple.

Mrs. Wm. Ulman of Tawas City spent a few days in Bay City.

Mrs. John Swartz of Alpena spent Monday visiting in Tawas City.

Mrs. C. E. Tanner and daughter, Miss Lillian visited relatives in Rose City and West Branch on Saturday.

H. Read Smith, N. C. Harting and Carl Babcock attended the first meeting of the New Michigan Bar Association at the Wenona Hotel, Bay City, last Friday evening.

Mrs. Wm. Berryman of Galena, Illinois is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. N. D. Murchison for a couple of weeks.

Mrs. Chas. Kane and grandson, Barry McGuire left Sunday for a three weeks visit with relatives in Flint and Owosso.

Mrs. John Kelly is visiting relatives in Detroit this week.

George Cholger, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Cholger of this city has gone to Detroit where he has secured employment.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Tuttle and son, George, were called to Detroit on Sunday by the illness of the former's mother, Mrs. Clara Tuttle.

John N. Brugger and sister, Miss Doris of Detroit spent the week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Brugger. Both young people are attending night classes at Wayne University.

Employees who are in need of blank forms for the "Michigan Unemployment Compensation" may obtain same at the post office. We have a few extras on hand.

C. E. Tanner was a business visitor in Saginaw on Saturday.

The Prescott Bible Class met with Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Giddings on Tuesday evening with twenty present. This was their regular social evening and a St. Patrick program was presented.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. McLean and daughters spent Sunday with their son and brother, Arnold McLean, at Mt. Pleasant.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dease and daughters visited over the week end in Whittemore with Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Graham. Mr. Graham has been ill for several weeks.

Dr. J. Austin visited Mrs. Austin and baby daughter in Detroit on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Ferguson and daughter, Betty, of Saginaw visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Ferguson.

Mr. and Mrs. George Roach and Stewart Roach of Detroit spent the week end with relatives in the two Tawas.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hutton visited relatives in Flint on Tuesday and Wednesday.

Mrs. E. D. Jacques is spending this week in Alpena with relatives. Vernon Davis of Mt. Pleasant spent the week end at his home in the city.

Arnold and Leonard Hosbach were guests of friends in Saginaw over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Burley Wilson spent Sunday in Bay City with the latter's sister, Mrs. Louis Hydorn.

William Phelan of Mayville spent Wednesday evening with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Phelan.

J. A. Murphy of Mackinac City spent the week end in the city with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Russell and son and Mr. and Mrs. George McDonald and daughter spent the week end at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. McDonald.

### Methodist Episcopal Church

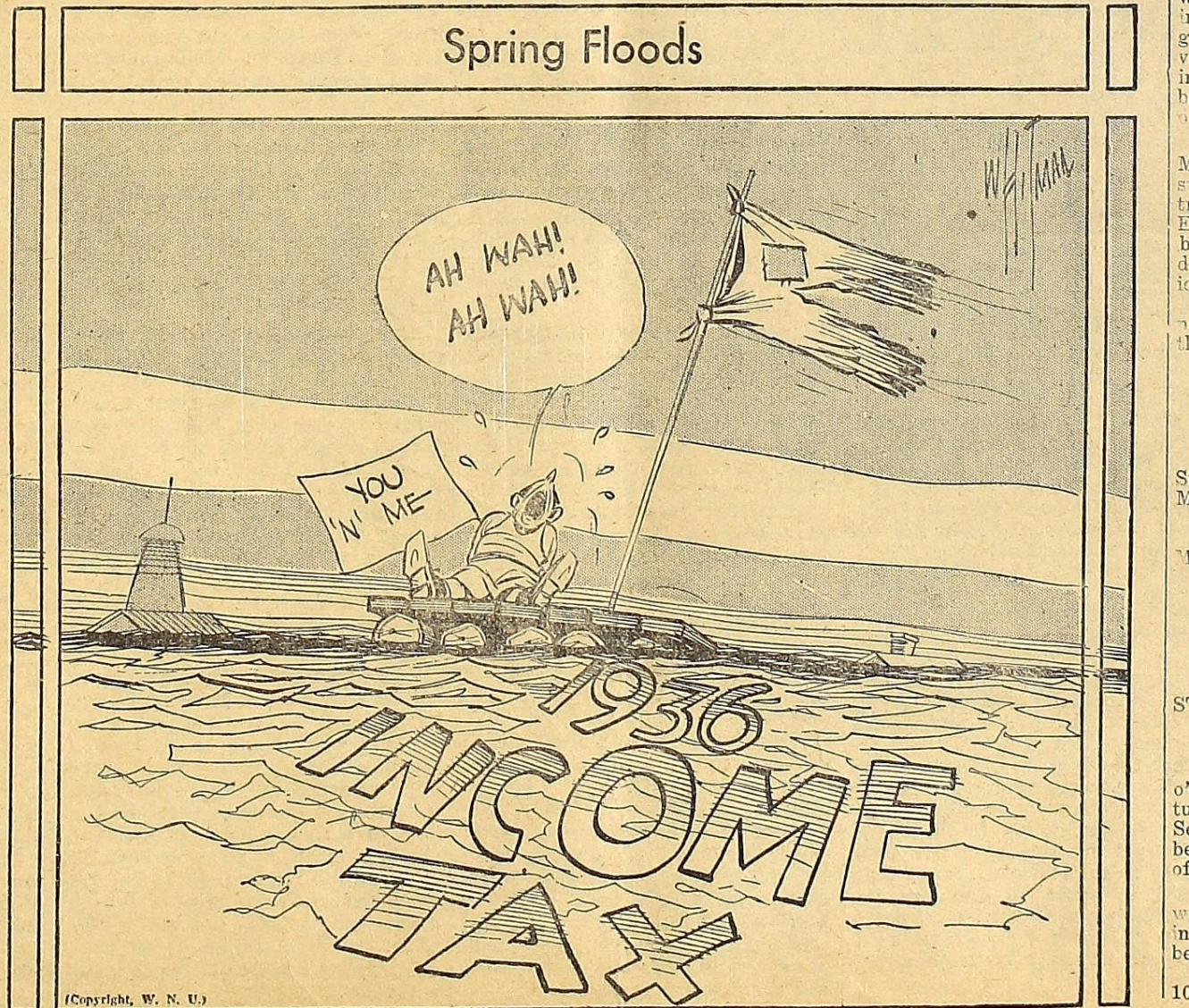
Rev. S. A. Carey, pastor  
10:00 A. M., Morning worship. Sermon topic: "Was the Cross Necessary? Must All Christians Bear a Cross?"

11:15 A. M., Sunday school. Mrs. Davidson, superintendent.  
6:00 P. M., The Epworth League. All young people are invited.

Those who are not attending a church service elsewhere are very cordially invited to attend these services.

### L. D. S. Church

Elder M. A. Sommerfield, Pastor  
10:30 A. M., Unified services. First period. Sacrament Services.  
11:15 A. M., Second period. Church school and classes.  
7:45 P. M., Song Services  
8:00 P. M., Preaching by the pastor.  
March 11, Women's Division meets with Mrs. Pringle at 2:00 o'clock.



### Card of Thanks

I wish to take this means to thank the men working on the sewer and the city fire department for their prompt action in putting out the roof fire on my home Wednesday morning.

Charles Duffy



# News Review of Current Events the World Over

## Administration's Billion Dollar Housing Bill Introduced—Epidemic of Sit-Down Strikes—Townsend Convicted of Contempt of House.

By EDWARD W. PICKARD  
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SENATOR ROBERT F. WAGNER of New York and Representative Henry B. Steagall of Alabama introduced simultaneously in the senate and house the administration bill setting up a program for the construction of homes for "families of low income."

Under the measure the government may lend to state or local housing authorities \$1,000,000,000, from July 1, 1937, to July 1, 1941, the money for this purpose to be raised by bond issues and the loans to be supervised by a new department, the United States Housing authority. To supplement the loans congress is asked to appropriate \$50,000,000 to be paid in outright grants. The loans are to bear interest at not less than the going federal rate and are to be payable over such a period, not to exceed 60 years, as the authority may determine.

Competition with private industry is guarded against, according to the authors, "by insuring that housing projects shall be at all times available only to families who are in the low income groups."

The four year program calls for the construction of 375,000 family dwelling units at an average cost of \$4,000 a unit. Wagner and Steagall insisted that the bill called for "decentralization."

"All the direction, planning, and management in connection with publicly assisted housing projects are to be vested in local authorities, springing from the initiative of the people in the communities concerned," they stated. "The federal government will merely extend its financial aid through the medium of these agencies. The only exception to the strictly decentralized administration is that the federal government may set up a few demonstration projects in order that local areas without adequate instrumentalities of their own may benefit by an experience in low rent housing."

HAVING virtually countenanced the sit-down strike in the case of the General Motors controversy, the administration found itself embarrassed by that favorite maneuver of John Lewis' Committee for Industrial Organization.

Out in Monica, Calif., about 200 employees of the Douglas Aircraft corporation went on strike and "sat down" in the big plant, completely stopping work on \$24,000,000 worth of airplanes the company is building for the government. The men defied a trespass warning and an order to evacuate the plant sent them by the police, and Mr. Douglas refused to negotiate with the union until the strikers got out of the buildings. The situation was complicated by a quarrel over worker representation between the Automobile Workers' union, a C. I. O. group, and the Machinists' union, allied with the A. F. of L.

Finally the strikers were indicted for conspiring to violate two old California laws against forcible entry and trespassing, and when 300 armed deputies appeared at the plant, they surrendered and were taken to Los Angeles for arraignment.

Another big government job was halted for a time by a sit-down strike of employees of the Electric Boat company at Groton, Conn., which is building submarines for the navy. There, however, the local state police soon evicted the trespassers and arrested them, and the rest of the employees, a large majority, resumed work.

Speaking "not as an officer of the administration," Secretary of Commerce Daniel C. Roper said that any sit-down strike "that undertakes to take over private property is a very serious and fundamental thing and in my opinion will not be long endured by the courts."

There was almost an epidemic of strikes throughout the country, many of them of the sit-down variety. Some were settled in short order but others are still on at this writing. Among these was the strike at the Fansteel Metallurgical corporation in North Chicago, where the disgruntled workers refused to leave the plant. Gov. Henry Horner was striving earnestly to bring about a settlement.

John L. Lewis' threat, during the General Motors strike, that "Ford and Chrysler are next," is being carried out. The United Automobile Workers union sent to Walter P. Chrysler demands that the U. A. W. be recognized by his corporation as the sole collective bargaining agency.

OPEN warfare by the government on private power interests will be started soon if the recommendations of President Roosevelt to congressional leaders are acted upon favorably. In letters to Vice President Garner and Speaker Bankhead, the President

urged that prompt action be taken to provide for the sale of electric power from the \$51,000,000 Bonneville project on the Columbia river in Oregon; and he intimated this might be taken as the forerunner of a national power policy. The recommendations were in accord with a report from the committee on national power policy and also with the position Mr. Roosevelt took in the controversy with Dr. Arthur E. Morgan, TVA chairman, who favored co-operation with existing power companies and consideration for their investment.

Here is what the President proposed: 1.—That not less than 50 per cent of the power generated at Bonneville be reserved for sale to public authorities, such as states, districts, counties, municipalities and other subdivisions and to co-operative associations of citizens. 2.—That the government construct its own transmission lines, substations and other facilities for transporting power so as to make the government project independent of existing utility companies. 3.—That the federal government control the re-sale rates to consumers through regulation by the federal power commission. 4.—That the power be sold at rates low enough to promote the widest use of electrical energy, particularly to domestic and rural consumers. These rates, the President insisted, should be fixed with relation to only that part of the total \$51,000,000 Bonneville investment that the government saw fit to charge to power generation. 5.—That the federal agency administering the project be authorized to acquire by eminent domain if need be, land, franchises, existing transmission lines.

DR. FRANCIS E. TOWNSEND, the elderly Californian who devised the old age pension plan bearing his name, was found guilty of contempt of the house of representatives because he refused to testify before a house committee that was investigating his scheme last spring and "took a walk" out of the committee room. The verdict, rendered by a jury in the District of Columbia court, made the doctor liable to a sentence of one to twelve years in jail or a fine of from \$100 to \$1,000, or both. Judge Peyton Gordon deferred sentence until he could pass on a motion for a new trial.

Townsend seemed rather to welcome the verdict, saying he had expected it. "Lord bless you, I'll be all the more active," he said when asked what effect a conviction would have on his movement. "I think it will be the general opinion that I have been the victim of an injustice. Our organization will be spurred to greater efforts."

FOLLOWING the example set by the five operating railway brotherhoods—engineers, firemen, conductors, trainmen and switchmen—the sixteen non-operating brotherhoods, with a membership of 800,000, have voted to demand wage increases averaging 30 cents an hour. This action was taken at a meeting in Chicago of the general chairmen of the brotherhoods. Besides the pay increase, the men ask the guarantee of full time employment for all regularly assigned workers and two-thirds time for "standby" employees.

The non-operating brotherhoods embrace the clerks, telegraphers, carmen, shop laborers, machinists, blacksmiths, dispatchers, boiler-makers, drop forgers, sheet metal workers, electrical workers, freight handlers, express and station employees, maintenance of way men, signal men and sleeping car conductors.

PLANS for the complete blockade of Spain by the other European powers, in order to starve out the civil war, met with difficulties owing to the bringing up of points involving the national honor of France and Russia. The French made certain objections to the land patrol and the Russians to the sea patrol.

The Spanish loyalists were making a desperate effort to capture Oviedo, where the insurgent garrison was attacked by dynamite throwing Basques. The defenders, numbering about 12,000 men, were hard pressed and it seemed impossible that relief forces could reach the city in time to save them. In the Madrid sector, too, the rebels were getting the worst of it, for the government forces were about ready to make a mass assault on Pinzarron hill from which the Franco artillery has been shelling the Madrid-Valecia road.

OFFERING to make peace with the Chinese communists against whom it has waged war for ten years, the National government at Nanking announced the terms on which those reds would be allowed participation in national affairs. The Kuomintang's demands are: Abolition of the communist army and its incorporation in the National government forces; dissolution of the Chinese communist state and its unification with the central government; cessation of red propaganda opposed to Kuomintang principles, and stoppage of the class struggle which divides society into antagonistic classes and invites mutual destruction.

That the Nanking government is steadily growing stronger is made evident in the more conciliatory attitude adopted lately by Japan. A spokesman for Hayashi's new cabinet in Tokyo indicated Japan was willing to abate its demands for simultaneous settlement of all pending Sino-Japanese incidents and negotiate separate settlements for each.

## FROM AROUND MICHIGAN

Vicksburg—A White Rock pullet, owned by W. C. Burt, has produced an egg weighing a quarter of a pound and measuring four inches from end to end.

Grand Rapids—An apple a day is the key note of a proposed six-week newspaper advertising campaign to be carried out here by the Michigan Apple Institute, Inc., to determine the value of such tactics in making consumers fruit conscious.

Kalamazoo—Proving how the passing of the years and the dawn of a new era can effect a famous name, records of the National Re-employment Service show that 13 persons under the name of George Washington in Michigan are on the federal job-seeking list.

Sparta—Michigan's most novel farm is owned by Phil Klenk here. It seems that 50 years ago, when Klenk was a boy, he sat on a three-legged stool milking a Jersey cow, vowing to have a farm with no cows when he grew up. Today, with his two sons, he has a 300-acre fruit farm, and there are no cows!

Grant—Residents and neighboring farmers are joining together in a chorus of "Happy days are here again," as this great onion-producing center celebrates a new prosperity that has come with booming onion prices. Wealth has been brought by a jump from 60 cents to \$2.50 per hundredweight for onions within a period of a few weeks.

Kalamazoo—Depression years with their sharp curtailment of enrollment in teachers' colleges has brought Michigan face to face with a shortage of teachers, which is certain to grow more serious, says Frank E. Ellsworth, director of the Training School of Western State Teachers College. Low salaries paid teaching staffs is given as the main reason.

Lansing—With the first tender green shoots of spring peeping above the good earth, Michigan's Secretary of State becomes 1938 license plate conscious. Following a spring motif, next year's plates will be black letters on a green background. Under an agreement between mid-west states, Michigan was given first choice of license plate colors for 1938.

Lake Orion—What is probably this district's best selling argument on the joys and beauties of Lake Orion as a vacation spot is that 15 years ago Max Wichman, a former factory worker, came to see, remained to live. Originally here vacationing, he liked the community. In this time he has established a profitable business, and has pioneered civic enterprises and improvements.

Cassopolis—Civil War and underground slave railroad days were recalled by old-time residents here last summer when swimmers sighted a wagon used by the Bourbon County Kentuckians in the famous Kentucky raid during the winter of 1846-47. The wagon is under 100 feet of water in Birch Lake. Now, plans are afoot to recover it for the Cass County Historical Museum in Stone Lake Park.

Allegan—With a mark in American history as a good general town, Allegan has a simple explanation of it all. In Civil War days, this county had a population of but a few thousand, but two men, Benjamin D. Pritchard and Elisha Mix left to join Union forces, each with the title of major. As the war progressed, by virtue of their valor and fine leadership, each of the men rose to the rank of general, bringing fame to their birthplace.

Ludington—As a rolling stone gathers no moss, so a rolling roll gleans no interest, according to Frank B. Morse of Sheridan Township. Sheridan drew \$350 from a bank last November, intending to buy a trailer. Soon afterward he misplaced the money, gave it up for lost. He traded his old car for a new machine. The old car was turned over to a prospective buyer, who drove it for a few days, then took it back to the dealer, who saw a bulge under the floor mat, found the missing \$350.

Jonesville—Pioneer temperance efforts were unearthen recently. It seems that Ashtaw, an Indian woman, gained fame by teaching the younger generation the evils of liquor. She would gather snake eggs, paint them bright colors. When they were ready to hatch, she would give them to the children. Joy turned to terror as the egg shells crumpled in their warm hands, leaving small wriggling reptiles. These, said Ashtaw, were but samples of the big snakes which would appear if they ever drank.

Fenton—A jest of fate, a game of chess among the gods of destiny and this community, which seemed certain to be one of the cradles of the automotive industry, saw the stream of motor car gold pass by. Fenton saw the birth of the Cycle-car, which could develop 13 horsepower from an air cooled, twin-cylinder motor. Farseeing townsmen could see the dawn of an era which would make Fenton a great manufacturing center. Fate willing otherwise, few cars were made and the company passed away.

Caro—"Death takes a holiday," is no fiction to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wells of this community. When this couple recently celebrated their fifty-sixth wedding anniversary, it was revealed that there had not been a death in the immediate family during that period. All told, there are six children, 41 grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren.

Centerville—A United States flag made before Arizona and New Mexico were admitted to the Union was given to the White rural school, a mile south of Constantine by the county school commissioner, on behalf of Samuel Brenton Roberts, of Oakland, California. Roberts first attended the one-room school-house 77 years ago. The flag, which he valued highly, is three by five feet and has 46 stars.

Jackson—The problem of people who prefer either the white or the yolk of the egg, but not both, would be solved if Carl Van Arsdale could find a method of producing in quantity the Siamese egg he was exhibiting recently. The egg, laid by a Buff Orpington hen, consists of two full-sized, soft-shelled eggs, joined together by a stem at the end of each. One contains the yolk and the other the white.

Detroit—"It has real cultural value," says Dr. Lew Saret, author and lecturer, commenting on Michigan's new educational entertainment, the "Pronounce-A-Down." Just the reverse of a spelling bee, this contest is drawing entries from every part of the state. The trick is that you pronounce the spelled word. With \$1,000 in prizes, the finals will be run off at the Detroit and Michigan Exposition, April 2 to 11.

Ludington—This community has had a postoffice since 1864, but 17 years before that time a hollow in an old pine tree was used as a depository for letters. In 1847 the vessel Hooker left mail in the tree for two men who were making shingles several miles up the Pere Marquette River. At the same time the ship would pick up letters which the men had left there and take them to Grand Haven, the nearest postoffice.

Kalamazoo—When Lawrence Tetzlaff, 17 years old, enters the University of Michigan next fall, he will be able to thank his pet snakes for making such a move possible. During the past year Tetzlaff has given more than 100 lectures, appearing before audiences as large as 2,700. Luncheon clubs, schools and other groups in almost every community in southwestern Michigan have heard him. Scores of his pets have accompanied him around the state.

Portland—A story of a lost birthright was told here recently when Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Hiar, born in Ionia County, found themselves without a country. Explanations follow that the couple went to Canada several years ago, and, in order to homestead land, had to renounce allegiance to the United States. Moving back to Portland later, election officials refused to permit them to vote and said the couple would probably be required to take out American citizenship papers.

Big Rapids—Possible railroad tycoons in the making are the group of local youths who own a model railroad. Recently they acquired a real depot from the Pere Marquette Railway, for the very nominal yearly rental of \$1. The depot now houses 300 feet of track, an electric locomotive and several freight and passenger cars, all built to scale. The equipment represents an investment of \$300 and additions are being planned to the railroad, which is exhibited to the public two days a week.

Alpena—Michigan's latest "bring 'em back alive" convert to the Frank Buck school is 17-year-old Theodore Reekstin. While roaming about the woods near Hubbard Lake, he found a thirty-five-pound wildcat caught in a muskrat trap. After some maneuvering, he freed the beast and brought thirty-five pounds of wild kitty on the hoof to his home. Father Reekstin, however, had other ideas. Taking a revolver in one hand and a club in the other, he dispatched the animal, to the relief of the family.

Pontiac—Solution of a problem which merits the attention of a modern Solomon faces the City Fathers here. It seems that a half-million dollar city hall site was bought when prices were at the peak in 1929. Today, the city hasn't the money for a new building and there are no immediate future prospects. To add further straws to the burden, this purchase removes thousands of dollars worth of property from the tax rolls. Revenue producing proposals are to use the land as a parking lot or trailer park.

Ann Arbor—Her Majesty regrets or, the Queen says no, could be the heading of the latest co-ed story from the University of Michigan's campus. It seems that plans were afoot to pick the prettiest girls from mid-western universities to sell tickets to a Chicago dance, and one of the girls was to be chosen beauty queen of the Big Ten and so on. All went well and Michigan's fairest co-ed was picked. University officials, however, failed to enthuse, so Michigan's Queen of the Campus withdrew.

# Washington Digest

National Topics Interpreted  
by William Bruckart

Washington.—I suppose most members of congress will deny it,

but there certainly is every evidence of an agreement, an understanding, to let President Roosevelt's radical court reform legislation stew until the country is led from. There is no doubt in my mind nor in the minds of other observers here that representatives and senators are anxiously awaiting word from their constituents because if any issue ever was loaded with political dynamite, the plan to pack the Supreme court of the United States with six additional judges surely contains highly explosive elements.

The facts I have mentioned in the above paragraph explain largely why there are so many senators and house members who remain non-committal on the issue. They want to know which way to jump. Actually, I believe as many as half of them are going to try to determine which band wagon they ought to ride—whether they ought to go against the President or for him. In other words, the spot they are now on is not nearly so hot as the one upon which they may find themselves if they guess wrong at this time. No politician will ever jump from the frying pan into the fire knowingly.

In the meantime, the debate rages. Out and out supporters of President Roosevelt, the kind of men who follow him blindly because he is their leader, and the extreme opposition type who are against the President regardless of his position are battling for public attention. The radio is being used to an extent as great, if not greater, than occurred in the last campaign. Those who are committed for or against the President's reform proposition are anxious to sustain their positions and the remainder of the national legislature is egging on the more bold members in order that those who have not made up their minds can take advantage of word from back home.

In the meantime, as well, there are proposals and counter-proposals seeking a compromise. Few of them have any definite merit. Most of them, I believe, are purely and solely representative of floundering minds. Their sponsors entertain hopes that somehow, somewhere they will gain a streak of light that will guide them through to a proper answer politically.

There has been only one plan for giving the federal government more power that can possibly be described as sound. That is the original proposition by Senator Robinson of Arkansas, the Democratic leader of the senate, who announced early in the session of congress that he favored an amendment to the Constitution. While Senator Robinson did not then say so, nor has he said so since, the truth is that he and many others would like to see the people of the country have an opportunity to pass upon any program that would change the country's judiciary. The President regards this method as too slow. He thinks that any changes which he desires ought to be made at once and holds that the tremendous majority by which he was re-elected gives him authority to do so. Yet, as the picture now stands, there is every prospect of considerable delay and from the way I analyze the circumstances, delay will provide the vast majority of voters with an opportunity for determination of the question which is vital in this case: Does the country want to keep an independent system of courts or does it want to establish a precedent by which this administration or any other administration can influence those courts to do the bidding of the nation's Chief Executive?

Through many years and in every year there has been constant criticism of congress for delay in reaching conclusions. It is fortunate, in my opinion, that these delays constitute a part of our governmental system. They allow time for cooling off.

I think it will be generally agreed that every time legislation is rushed through congress ahead or as part of an emotional wave among citizens, there has invariably resulted unworkable, if not entirely unsound, statutes. Such is bound to be the result when men and women fail to think things through—when they fail to examine all of the phases of any problem.

President Roosevelt moved quickly, and I believe sincerely, in proposing the NRA and the farm relief plan under the agricultural adjustment administration. Yet, neither of these reform measures stood the test of workability; neither had been drafted upon a proper knowledge of the ends they were to serve and neither did justice to all of the people. It was only natural, therefore, that they should fall by the wayside.

These two laws are cited because they are the outstanding examples of emotional legislation. There are many others, most of them not as bad. But lately one offshoot of the NRA has arisen to plague the ad-

ministration. I refer to the so-called Walsh-Healey law.

In order to refresh memories, let me explain that the Walsh-Healey law prohibits the federal government from buying products of mills or factories, or any fruit of labor, unless the supplying contractor has complied with the same minimum hours and wages that were a part of the old NRA codes. Unless the contractor agrees to produce the material which the federal government is buying in accordance with those terms, his bid must be rejected under the law.

When the Walsh-Healey law was passed, there were comments heard in several quarters that the time would come when the government itself would regret the legislation. That time has arrived.

Everyone is aware, of course, that Great Britain has started on a naval building program under which it will expend approximately seven and a half billion dollars in the next five years. American policy always has called for matching the British navy ship by ship. Fifteen years ago when the Harding disarmament program was written into treaty form, we destroyed ships so that our tonnage was the same as that of Great Britain. Now, with the world in a turmoil, with Great Britain announcing an unprecedented building program in order to protect its vast colonies and dominion from aggression, the need arises for a building up of our navy again. At least that is Mr. Roosevelt's view and he has wide support for it.

To build up the navy requires vast amounts of steel and other products of industry. Much of the naval building will be done in the navy's own yards. Thus, it has come to pass that the navy has been unable to obtain steel and other equipment since the manufacturers of the needed equipment are not willing to subject themselves to the terms of the Walsh-Healey law. In some instances where the navy has sought to buy material, the manufacturers have refused even to make an offer or state a price at which they would sell the required material and there is a very real possibility that unless the Walsh-Healey law is repealed or dodged, our navy building program may have to come to a halt.

The reason for this condition is that the Walsh-Healey law, with its prescription on minimum hours of labor and wages would place a burden on industry that it cannot bear and return its cost of production. The government, as a buyer, is a tough customer in any event. Its specifications are always more difficult than is the practice in industry. Add to that, then, the requirement that men may work only 30 hours a week and that their pay shall not be reduced from the rate of their compensation when they were working 40 hours a week and you have burdened any manufacturing establishment with a load that will break its back.

Right now, the Navy department is trying to find a way to get around the provisions of the Walsh-Healey law. President Roosevelt has said nothing publicly concerning his attitude but there are many who believe he himself feels the law is not working out the way it was intended. It is quite a distance, of course, from the Walsh-Healey law to the present controversy under Mr. Roosevelt's plan to pack the Supreme court with six new judges if one stops his examination of the two questions at the surface. It is not difficult, however, to see a direct connection. The Walsh-Healey law was driven through congress in haste. The bad effects of it are coming now two years after its enactment. If the Supreme court reform proposal is driven through as quickly and with as little examination as the Walsh-Healey law, we will reap the reward sooner or later and probably for many years to come.

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"Gnu" of Hottentot Origin  
The name "gnu" is of Hottentot origin, and was in use by natives when white settlers first went to South Africa. The name "wildbeest" is a Dutch word meaning wild ox, and probably originated on account of the animal's habit of prancing and capering in antics suggesting those of a bull enraged by torments in a Spanish arena. It is said that the Boers, in early days, found that a red cloth excited these antelopes and was frequently used in hunting them. In addition to the white-tailed gnu, there is a species known as the brindled gnu or blue wildebeest, which is abundant in East-central Africa. Gnus have disproportionately large heads which give them a grotesque appearance. They have maned necks and distinctive tufts of hair on their faces. The bulls stand about four feet tall at the shoulders. The general color of the white-tailed species is a deep brown. Their horns are formidable weapons and under certain conditions the animals are dangerous.



Sen. Wagner



Sen. Ashurst



Dr. Townsend

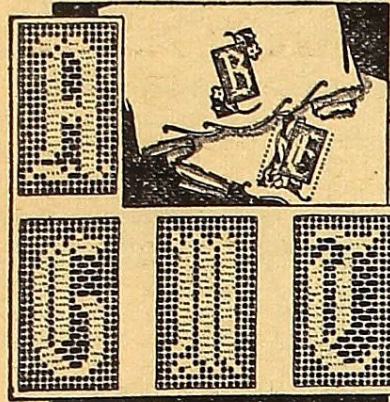


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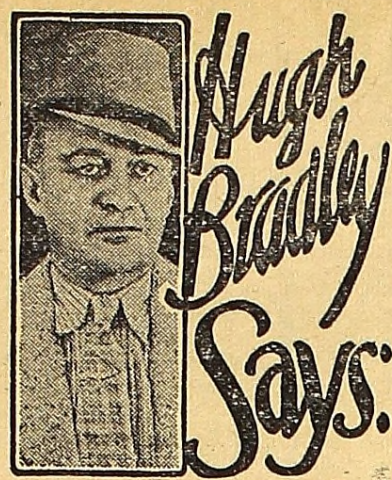
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**Hugh Bradley Says:**

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## Baseball Writer Recalls Stories of Past Springs

**SPRINGTIME** memories of a reforming baseball writer:

The year when the Orioles, newly started on their long string of consecutive International league pennants, had their training headquarters at a new Winston-Salem hotel. Jack Dunn, the owner and manager, stayed in Baltimore while his team was going through the first week of conditioning, and it was almost the only mistake he ever made in baseball.

Merwin Jacobsen, Jack Bentley, Joe Boley, Dick Porter and those other members of a famous team took one look at the palatial dining room. Ordinarily, an arrangement is made with the hotel whereby players are restricted to some food allowance—say four or five dollars per man per day. If they eat more than that amount they are likely to be reminded of the purposes of a training camp and made to pay for the extra food. They asked quick questions.

"No," Coach Ben Eagan and Captain Fritz Maisel told them. "Dunnie gave us strict instructions about workouts, lockers in the clubhouse, what time you have to go to bed, what time you have to get up, and things like that. But he never said a blamed word about food." They pointed toward the palatial dining room and waved liberal hands.

## Day When Max Bishop Ate Six Desserts

Those Orioles were sturdy young men, possessed of the appetites that come from healthy exercise. Three times a day waiters staggered under the weight of trays. At one lunch Max Bishop ordered pie with ice cream, decided after two bites that this was proletarian food, switched to nesselrode pudding, and then really made up his mind that the opportunity was too good to waste. Before that lunch was over, Max, who had started out with steak and fixings, had dabbled in bored fashion with six desserts and was contemplating taking a cut at Oeufs Frits a la Francaise if the tired waiter could ever bring the anguished chef around to it.

Naturally, there was very little training done, but everybody was fat, satisfied and sassy. That is, they were until the first bill reached Baltimore. Dunnie arrived in Winston-Salem almost on the heels of his initial scream.

Immediately there was hell to pay along with the board bill, but for a young reporter it was the beginning of many pleasant and enduring friendships. Being a toiler for a great and generous newspaper, he did not have to worry.

And, of course, there is no gratitude greater than that of sturdy young men possessed of appetites that come from healthy exercise, being slipped a ham omelet now and then to vary their diet of bread and water.

## Tale of Ump Campbell and Musical Scribes

One year the Yankees came home from Florida by way of Texas, Oklahoma and Arkansas. Baseball writing is not precisely a laborious occupation and the bored young camp followers decided that they must do something to vary the monotony of their existence. They purchased a portable victrola and a flock of records so that music might reign in the sleeping car until 4 a. m. when they retired, worn out by their exertions.

It was good fun for several days. Of course, Umpire Brick Campbell also was in the sleeping car, and his duties on the field did demand that he get some portion of rest, but nobody minded that. After all, if you're going to spend your life worrying about the comfort of umpires, how are you going to get any recreation? So probably nobody listened to Brick, even if he did have any comment to make.

Then—precisely at 4:22 one morning when eleven berths were well occupied by young men dreaming of new scoops, raises and such pleasant visions as come to the righteously exhausted—there was a raucous scratching and squawking.

It kept up for hours. Indeed, was resumed again for several mornings. Then, by unspoken comment of all parties, a compromise was reached. Between the hours of midnight and noon any tired young men seeking music or other diversions to cure their insomnia could seek it in the baggage car ahead.

## NOT IN THE BOX SCORE:

LD Blues are going crazy trying to keep Larry Kelley from turning pro. But teammates insist he will accept a huge hunk of Yankee cash in June . . . Ethelda Bleibrey, comely ex-queen of mermaids, has a protegee who, she insists, will be an even better swimmer than Toni Redfern. This is eleven-year-old Ferne Bramhall, who has done the 100 in .69 flat . . . Bill Carr, Olympic star in 1932, is making a tidy living for himself selling insurance in Philadelphia. The 440-yard record holder, who once was tops in style and running grace, has almost completely recovered from the auto accident that broke his ankles and ended his track days. You notice a trace of a limp only when he is very tired.

Babe Phelps' Maryland neighbors insist the hard-hitting catcher is holding out on the Dodgers with the full force of his 225 pounds . . . Bob Gracie, Montreal Maroon forward, is one of the best boxers in the National Hockey league. Among other things he holds a decision over Chuck Conacher of the Maple Leafs . . . Bill Coughlin, Tiger third baseman 35 years ago, had only three fingers on his throwing hand.

The what's in a name department should consider the case of a thoroughbred named Good for Nothing, who ran for seven years—and never won a race . . . Princeton's baseball team plans a trip to Japan this summer . . . Incidentally a Tiger sophomore named Lefty Farber may give the Ivy league something to talk about soon. They say he is by far the best pitcher to take up Nassau's burdens since those dimming days when Charlie Caldwell, now doing a very neat job of coaching at Williams, was cutting the plate . . . Dick Meehan, E. I. A. referee, was responsible for what probably was the most unique forfeit in basketball history. In the St. John's University-Alumni game of 1927 he ordered an alumni player to leave the floor. Teammates rebelled and departed from the court along with the penalized athlete. After waiting several minutes Meehan awarded the game to the varsity, 2 to 0.

## News From Texas No Joy to Chick Meehan

While we're on the subject of Meehans, private dispatches from Texas provide no joy for Chick Meehan and his Manhattan constituents. The word is that the Texas A. & M. eleven, which proved too tough for the Jaspers last December, will be far better this fall. Indeed, Lone Star Staters are boasting that Dick Todd may lead the team right into the Rose Bowl . . . Philadelphia friends insist Glenna Collett Vare will play a full tournament schedule next summer. The golf champion just can't resist the lure of the links, they say . . . Marty Glickman, former Brooklyn schoolboy wonder and now a star sophomore sprinter at Syracuse, lists a Phi Beta Kappa key as his chief ambition. Incidentally, he's off to a good start, being rated as an exceptional student . . . Johnny Simonaitis is another Syracuse athlete who must disconcert the viewers with alarm. He is a soccer goalie, plays baseball and is captain of the very good basketball team. In addition he recently received six A's, one B and one C for his scholastic work during the first semester . . . Five brothers are regulars and a sixth is a substitute on a 145-pound team in the South Baltimore basketball league.



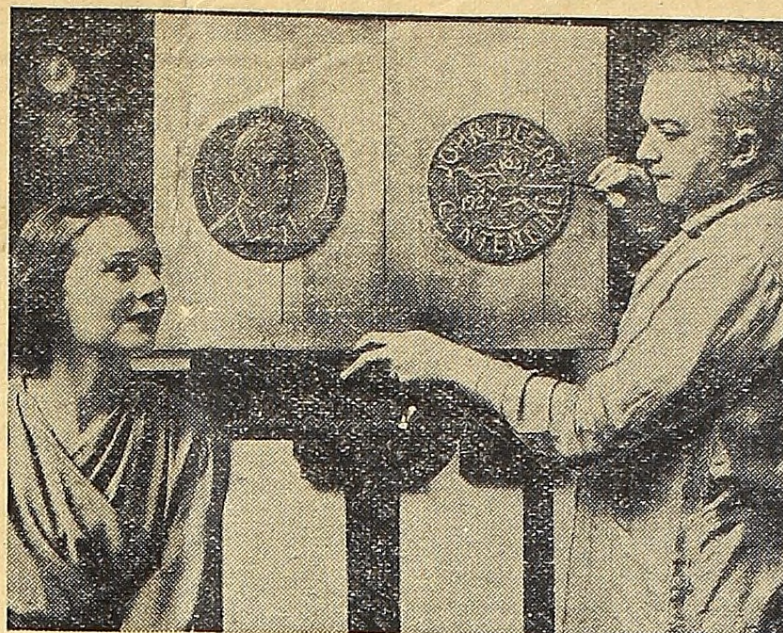
Chick Meehan

Davey Kerr, Ranger goalie, prefers to play up on the forward line in lacrosse and rates as one of the game's best centers . . . A good hockey team could be made up of the players the Toronto Maple Leafs have lost this year. They are: goal, Hainsworth (retired); defense, Clancy (retired); Hollett (sold to Bruins); forwards, Center Euzz Boll (broken arm); right wing, Chuck Conacher (broken hand); left wing, Regis Kelly (traded to Hawks) . . . Coach Red McKenzie and Player Red Levia are the only members of the original Atlantic City club who have continued in action in that city since the team was organized six years ago. In point of service they are deans of the Eastern Amateur Hockey league.

Track experts, who assured the world that Don Lash would set a wild horse pace in the Wanamaker mile, still are trying to explain the calm and peaceful manner in which the race was run. Of course it could be that the Indiana flyer lost some of his old confidence in Berlin last summer, but the correct answer seems contained in the prediction Lash made. When interviewed by Arch Murray after the Brooklyn K. of C. games, Lash said he probably would not be as good on the banked boards of the Garden . . . A pat on the back, by the way, should be given to Stanley Frank who wrote far in advance that Tommy Deckard would run away from the field during the Millrose Games two-mile event.

Dr. F. C. Phog Allen, recently deposed Kansas U. athletic director, has distributed mimeographed copies of a pamphlet dealing with his coaching achievements. Among other things his basketball teams have won 13 championships.

## Celebrate Steel Plow's Centennial



Julio Kelenzi, famous New York sculptor, is shown putting the finishing touches to the medallion commemorating the one hundredth anniversary of John Deere's steel plow, while Cynthia Hope looks on. The medallion will be used in the national celebration this year honoring Deere, whose achievement symbolized the rapid conquest of the prairie states and the advancement of agriculture in general.

## Scaling of Matterhorn Now Becomes Easy Task

### Engineering Device Now Aids Amateur Climbers.

Washington, D. C.—A 37-passenger cage, on a steel cable, now hauls modern mountain climbers part way up the Italian side of the Matterhorn, thus aiding even amateur climbers to conquer the once difficult peak.

"The Matterhorn remained beyond man's reach until 1865, when a party of seven attained the hitherto unscalped summit," says the National Geographic society. "During the descent, four of the seven pioneers fell to their death on a glacier four thousand feet below.

### SUED BY SENATORS



The target of no less than seven civil suits, totaling \$70,000, is Mrs. Ellen French Vanderbilt Fitzsimons (above), widow of Alfred Vanderbilt and wife of Paul Fitzsimons. The suits were filed recently at Newport, R. I., on behalf of seven Republican state senators of Rhode Island, to whom Mrs. Fitzsimons is alleged to have referred as "yellow dogs" and "traitors to their party."

"Two days later the 'unconquerable' peak was reached again. Since then, the Matterhorn has become increasingly popular with skilled climbers. Now as many as two dozen may be toiling up the hair-raising trail in a single day. But at least 39 have lost their lives on the dangerous ascent, or in coming down, which is even more perilous.

"As high as twenty-seven Washington monuments one atop another, the Matterhorn soars above a ring of snow-capped summits like the front peak of a tiara. The mountain wears a glacier flung glittering over one shoulder, and, above, a tall sloping collar of snow. The actual peak rises to heights where the winds allow no snow to rest, but sweep it down from the stark rocky top.

### No Primrose Path.

This pyramidal summit has precipitous walls, one of them overhanging, which fortified it against climbers almost a century after Mont Blanc had been conquered. The Matterhorn was the last great Alpine peak to surrender. Although rocks have been blasted away and ropes fixed to the more hazardous reaches, the trail to the top is still no primrose path.

"The mountain's international outlook is not due exclusively to the many countries from which climbers come. It actually can claim two countries as its place of residence, Switzerland and Italy. Their boundary line crosses the summit, dividing the roof-tree ridge so that one end is Italian, the other Swiss. The latter is the higher, according to Swiss yardsticks, by just 43 inches—14,705 feet. Only five Alpine peaks are higher.

"Pride in the Matterhorn, however, is greater than that figure would indicate. For it is one of the two highest peaks in which Italy has even a share. Switzerland particularly cherishes its mountain giants, since it contains only two-thirds of the Alps and the two highest peaks are not wholly within its

## Radium Worth \$10,000 Stolen in Hungary

Budapest.—The police of Hungary are in a state of alarm to save the life of an unknown thief, who stole the radium stock of the Budapest clinic of gynecology.

He opened the safe where 225 milligrams of radium were kept in a small brass tube. Nobody knows who the thief was; it is probable that it was one of the female patients. Her life is in danger, if she opens the tube without the necessary gloves and precautions. The radiation can cause a fatal disease, which kills in a few days. The stolen radium is worth \$10,000.

## Dinosaur Tracks to Be Protected From Thieves

Holyoke, Mass.—Dinosaur tracks which have been imbedded in sandstone here for approximately 150,000,000 years without causing much of a stir, are to be protected against thieves.

The recent theft of several imprints, chiseled from a ledge, has spurred the chamber of commerce and trustees of public reservations to act.

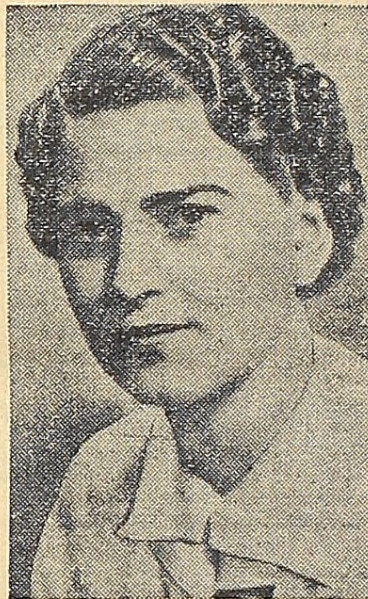
The imprints are to be protected by construction by the Massachusetts Department of Public Works of a retaining wall around the area in which the tracks abound. A four-lane highway to make the area accessible to motorists also will be built. At present it is impossible to drive an automobile along the country road leading to the section, and it is difficult to reach it afoot.

Mud, rocks, stumps and washouts now combine to make the area practically inaccessible to the public.

Nothing has ever been done to preserve the footprints, and as a result many of them are under piles of sand and loose rock.

They were discovered in 1858 by Prof. Edward Hitchcock of Amherst college.

## TO WED HOOVER'S SON



Miss Margaret Coberly, Los Angeles debutante, will become the bride of Allan Henry Hoover, thirty-year-old son of former President and Mrs. Hoover, some time in June, it has been announced by Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Coberly, of Los Angeles, parents of the bride.

## Horses See a Buggy; They're Still Running

Great Bend, Kan.—Horses on the Tom Taylor farm have gone modern. Taylor pulled a buggy from the barn in which it had been stored for several years. Three horses in a nearby corral took one look at it, snied and jumped over a high wire fence.

## Elephant Plays Conductor.

McCook, Neb.—The engineer of a Burlington passenger train kept stopping the train, and the conductor repeatedly signalled for him to proceed, each wondering about the frequent stops. Investigation disclosed that an elephant in the baggage car was pulling the airbrake rope with his trunk.

## Granite Dust Mask Protects Workers



Not for deep-sea diving and not for service in the Spanish war, are these odd appliances that these men wear. They are to be used for construction work on a new road to the national park at Yosemite, Calif., and are dust masks which will prevent inhaling rock particles as these men help cut through precipitous walls of stone. A new Oak Flat road, costing \$800,000 a mile, will be built to provide more convenient access to beautiful Yosemite valley.

## Household Questions

Never fasten suspenders below the reinforced hems of stockings. Wash stockings with lukewarm lather and squeeze out gently—they'll ladder if they are wrung.

A pinch of alum added to the water when washing blue or green articles of clothing will prevent the colors from running.

Two or three slices of bacon placed on top of a liver loaf during baking adds to the flavor.

Don't use any kind of artificial heat for drying stockings. Hang by the toes in an airy place to dry and don't fold away damp.

A tablespoonful of vinegar will soften glue that has become hardened in a bottle.

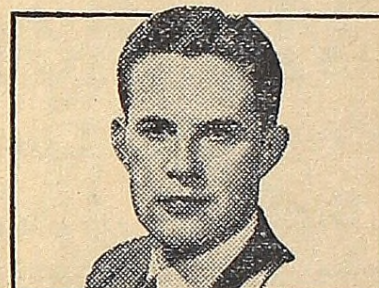
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## DON'T TAKE UNKNOWN REMEDIES



Nature's Hymns Flowers are Nature's hymns, with which in her inspiration, she greets the sun.—Heine.

## When You Want to Alkalize Stomach Fast



## Try This Amazing Fast Way —The "Phillips" Way Millions Are Adopting

On every side today people are being urged to alkalinize their stomach. And thus ease symptoms of "acid indigestion," nausea and stomach upsets.

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## EXPECTANT MOTHERS

MRS. May Miles, c/o 2625 E. Casson St., Jackson, Mich., said: "I felt miserable. I had no appetite and had very little strength. I felt discouraged. Finally after reading how Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription had helped other expectant mothers I decided to try this tonic. My appetite improved the first week and then I began to gain strength." Buy your druggist now! New size, tabs. Soc. Liquid \$1.00 & \$1.35. Consult Dr. Pierce's Clinic, Buffalo, N. Y.



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### Bonus in "Contract"

In progressive contract, a game is made when one side bids and makes a trick score of 100 points or more in one hand. In addition to the trick score the premium for game is 300 points if not vulnerable and 500 points if vulnerable. The side having the higher score after four deals gets a bonus of 250. If both sides have exactly the same score, each of the four players receives a bonus of 25 points

### What's Use of Change?

The traits and characteristics of bears are believed to have remained unchanged since the beginning of history.

## WILBER

Miss Frieda Cholger of East Tawas spent the week end at the parental home.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Cross spent Sunday in Harrisville with Mr. and Mrs. Clare Hungerford and family.

The Ladies Aid met at the home of Mrs. Andrew Schaff on Wednesday of last week.

Vernon Alda and James Thompson made a business trip to Bay City on Tuesday.

Stanley Alda and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Cross spent Monday in Standish and Pinconning on business.

We are sorry to hear of the death of Mrs. Wm. McCully of East Tawas. A number of friends from here attended the funeral on Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. McCully were among the pioneers here before moving to East Tawas. She will be missed by her many friends here.

### Wide Difference in Taste

Scientists have found that people differ widely in their ability to taste various substances.

## Hemlock

### WATTS SCHOOL NOTES

Since our fingers and feet get cold coming to school some mornings, we try marching to keep them warm. On Friday we received our report cards.

Our visitors the past week were Emma McCormick and Mr. Finley. Roland Fahselt is carrying in our wood supply this week.

Lillian Birkenbeck swept on two nights last week to earn money for an airplane.

Most of us have wall paper books to use for scrap books.

The pupils in the seventh grade are glad they have finished compound interest in arithmetic.

Corrine Fahselt and Ruth Herman went to Tawas City with Miss Ross to pick out dress patterns for 4-H Club work.

Friday morning we listened to interesting reports from the science pupils about fish.

Mrs. Chas. Brown spent Sunday afternoon with her parents in Reno.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Binder had Sunday dinner with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Binder.

Ladies Aid at the home of Mrs. Victor Herman on Thursday was well attended and a real nice time and lunch was reported. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Ferrister at Mrs. Chambers home in Tawas City.

Mr. and Mrs. James Chambers will give a party at their home on Friday night for the Grangers and families.

Mr. and Mrs. Clair Smith and son of Flint spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Will Herman.

Miss Hazel Burt spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Burt. Bruce Burt accompanied her back to Flint.

Virginia Rapp spent a few days the past week in Tawas with her aunt, Mrs. Roullier.

Mr. and Mrs. John Frazier and Miss Lois spent Sunday in Tawas with Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Frazier.

On Friday night about 75 neighbors and friends walked in on Sam Bradford, Tuesday being his birthday. A real old fashioned party was enjoyed. Bingo and other games were played after which a fine lunch was served. Monday being Harry Van Patten's birthday, both men were presented with a card table. Delois Rapp, who also had a birthday on Monday, was presented with a fine gift. Everyone left with best wishes for many more happy birthdays.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Warner had Sunday dinner with their son, Raymond and family.

Callers at Louis Binders on Sunday were, Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Ulman and family, Mr. Warman and Mrs. Howard Bean of Alabaster and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Warner.

Carl Reinke and friend spent the week end with his sister, Mrs. Martin Fahselt.

Mrs. Chas. Katterman entertained on Thursday at a quilting bee.

Mr. and Mrs. Clair Smith and son had Sunday dinner with her sister, Mrs. Raymond Warner and family.

Miss Eleanor Katterman and Mrs. Raymond Warner gave a miscellaneous shower in honor of her daughter, Mrs. Hubert Klenow. A large number attended and she was presented with many useful and pretty gifts. A fine lunch was served and everyone left with best wishes for the future.

## McIvor

Fred Streube of Lansing spent several days last week visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Pringle. Miss Georgina Pringle returned with him to Lansing where she will spend a week visiting relatives and friends.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Draeger, a daughter on February 28.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Eckstein and family, Mrs. Milton Eckstein and children spent last Thursday in Bay City.

The marriage of Minnie Kohn to Clarence Jordan has been recently announced. Congratulations!

Mr. and Mrs. Orville Strauer and family spent last Friday in Tawas.

Mrs. Fred Kohn made a business trip to Bay City last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Scott of Maple Ridge spent Sunday at the home of her brother, A. W. Draeger and family.

Last week a couple of men from Detroit were here securing oil leases. Fred Kohn has purchased the farm known as the "Johnson Farm" and will make extensive improvements on it in the near future.

Chinese Students Come to U. S. China sends more students to America than does any other foreign country.

House Built in 1635 Still Used A house built in 1635 by Thomas Bird is still occupied by his descendants.

### Notice

The city of Tawas City, Isosco County, Michigan, will offer for sale, on Saturday, March 6th, 1937, at the office of the City Clerk, \$12,000.00 in general obligation bonds of the City of Tawas City. The same being designated as, General Obligation Sewer Bonds "Series A," and bearing four percent (4%) interest payable semi-annually on the 1st days of February and August of each year. Said bonds are of \$200 denomination and are payable serially from one to fifteen years.

Bids for said bonds shall be submitted to the City Clerk, on or before four (4) o'clock P. M. Eastern Standard time, March 6, 1937, and the City of Tawas City reserves the right to reject any and all bids. W. C. Davidson, City Clerk.

## Hale

Mrs. Lucile Ickens spent the week end in Charlevoix with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Putnam and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Guy Alderton.

Several of the farmers of this vicinity have recently purchased new equipment to lighten their labors. Guy Alderton a new team, John Harris and J. Masters a new manure spreader and Cap Schellenbarger a new tractor.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Webb entertained several young people last Friday evening. The evening was spent in playing "500." Prizes were won by Mrs. Russell McKeen, Mrs. Clyde Humphrey, Ray Brandal and Russell McKeen.

A special meeting of the O. E. S. was held Monday night. Two new candidates were initiated at that time, Mrs. Clarence Peck and Mrs. Howard Atkinson. Guests were present from Whittemore and Rose City.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Lake were Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Russell McKeen at Loud Dam.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Peck and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Atkinson and family enjoyed a motor trip to Petoskey and Traverse City on Sunday.

Ray Roth of Saginaw and Miss Dorothy Hall of Pontiac spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Roland Brown.

Mrs. Howard Atkinson entertained several boys and girls on Wednesday afternoon in honor of the third birthday of her daughter, Clea.

Arnold Bronson is returning to Hale and is going to establish a garage in what was formerly the blacksmith shop.

Jim Wilson has gone to Flint where he has employment in the Buick factory. Lyman McGirr and Dennis Chrvia have employment at Balsey Wheel Company in Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Atkinson spent Tuesday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Albert Humphrey.

The filling of the Rehil sink hole has been taken over as a WPA project. This will greatly improve the road in that direction.

Mr. and Mrs. David Bernard moved in with Mr. Bernard's mother, Mrs. Amy Bernard on Monday.

Mrs. Herbert Townsend went to Bay City on Monday where she is having dental treatment.

### Notice

There will be a caucus of the Republican voters of the several wards of Tawas City at the City Hall on Monday, March 8th, at 7:30 P. M., for the purpose of nominating one supervisor, one alderman, one constable, three ward committeemen and five delegates from each ward to attend the city convention.

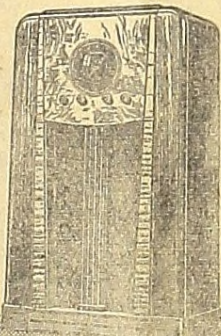
There will be a Republican City Convention at the City Hall, Tawas City, on Monday, March 8th, at 8:30 P. M. for the purpose of nominating candidates for mayor, treasurer city clerk, justice of the peace, and to transact any other business as may lawfully come before it.

### Beavers Are Primpers

Beavers are equipped with oil glands on each side of the body and with toenail combs on their hind feet, and they are constantly preening and primping, when not sleeping, eating, playing or working.—Our Dumb Animals.

### NEW 1937

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## Sherman

Teacher: "Edward, why do ducks and geese fly north in the spring?"

Edward: "Because it is too far to walk."

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

George Pringle who has been visiting here for the past couple of weeks left Sunday for his home in Saskatchewan.

Pete Sokola was in West Branch the first part of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Ross were at Tawas City on Saturday.

Sheriff John Moran of Tawas City was in town on official business on Saturday.

About 40 friends and neighbors gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Schroeder Saturday evening the occasion being that of Mr. Schroeder's birthday. The evening was spent in playing games after which a delicious lunch was served. Everyone reported a grand time and we all wish Mr. Schroeder many more happy birthdays.

Mrs. Tom Norris spent the week end with relatives in Flint.

Mrs. M. Brabant and daughter, Arlene, visited relatives in Tawas City on Saturday.

Orville Strauer and Harry Pierson were at Tawas City on Saturday.

M. G. McGuire and F. Schneider visited relatives here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Keleiner, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Schroeder visited relatives at West Branch on Sunday.

The County Nurse, Miss Klumb, of Tawas City visited some of the schools here Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Silas Thornton were at Tawas City on business on Saturday.

County Surveyor John Applin of East Tawas was in town doing some surveying on Monday.

Miss Grace Norris and Mrs. Kenneth Pringle were at Tawas City Saturday.

Township Treasurer Maud Jordan made her returns to the County Treasurer this week. Mrs. Jordan reports that she was able to collect the taxes here nearly 100%.

### Notice

The City of Tawas City, Isosco County, Michigan, offers for sale the following described premises situated in the city of Tawas City and described as follows, to wit:

Lot three(3) and the north half (1/2) of lot four (4), block A, original plat, city of Tawas City.

Bids will be accepted at the office of the City Clerk, up to 7:30 p. m. Eastern Standard Time on March 15, 1937. All bids must be sealed and accompanied by a certified check for the sum of \$50.00, which said check will be returned to any and all unsuccessful bids within 15 days from the opening and awarding of said bids. The city of Tawas City retains the right to reject any and all bids.

W. C. Davidson City Clerk

### Carrying the Bride

In olden times it was considered an ill omen for a bride to stumble over the threshold of her new home as she was entering it for the first time. To prevent this calamity some thoughtful bridegrooms carried his bride into their home. Bridegrooms have been totting their new wives across the thresholds ever since.

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- Dandy Cup Coffee, per pound 19c
- Coffee Hag Per pound 39c
- Mich. Tomatoes, three no. 2 cans 25c
- Bay County Peas, Two no. 2 cans 29c
- Macaroni and Spaghetti 2 lb. box 17c
- Golden Brand Catsup, 14 ounce bottle, 2 for 25c
- Pink Salmon, 2 tall cans 25c
- Pure Lard 4 pound pkg., only 62c
- Soda Crackers, fresh, crispy 2 lb. box 19c
- O. K. Laundry Soap 6 giant bars 25c
- Werx Flake Soap, large package 19c
- Candy Bars, 3 for 10c

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TAWAS CITY

**Whittemore**

The next regular meeting of the P.T.A. will be held Tuesday night, March 9th. A good program is being arranged. Everybody welcome.

The quarantine has been lifted from the Dr. Hasty home and the Anson couple home. No new cases of scarlet fever have been reported.

Mrs. Harrison Snyder returned to her home in Flint Tuesday after a two weeks visit with her parents.

Mrs. Roy Leslie, Mrs. Richard Fuerst, Mrs. Chas. Fuerst and Mrs. Roy Charters attended a special meeting of Hale Chapter O. E. S. on Monday night. Degrees were conferred on Mrs. Howard Atkins and Mrs. Clarence Peck.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. O'Farrell entertained with a birthday dinner on Sunday in honor of their mother, Mrs. O'Farrell's 70th birthday anniversary. Relatives present were Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Madol and Mr. and Mrs. Mike O'Farrell and families of Bay City, Mr. and Mrs. George O'Farrell and family of Rose City, Mr. and Mrs. Alsd Jacobs and family of Turner and Mr. and Mrs. John O'Farrell and son of Whittemore.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Williams and daughter, Lucille, spent a few days the past week in Owosso and Caro.

A. Kramer of Detroit visited his daughter, Mrs. Joseph Danin over the week end.

Thomas Thompson and Kenneth Schuster of Mt. Pleasant spent the week end at their homes here.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Thompson spent Sunday in Mt. Pleasant.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Dahne and family spent the week end in Bay City as guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Ridgely.

Mr. and Mrs. Octave St. James and daughter were in Bay City on Friday.

Miss Mary St. James of Bay City spent Sunday in town.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Curtis of Detroit spent Sunday in the city.

Miss Lois Charters left for Bay City on Saturday where she has employment.

Mr. and Mrs. Carmond Koyl and daughter, spent the week end in Flint.

Mr. and Mrs. Caius Gordon of Pontiac attended the Alumni Banquet here Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Jacques spent a few days the past week with his mother in Canada.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Charters and daughters, Theda and Donna, accompanied Miss Lois Charters to Bay City on Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Schuster spent Sunday afternoon in Mount Pleasant.

Wm. Fuerst, Arden Charters, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Grimm and Miss Leila Jackson accompanied by Miss Lois Charters of Bay City spent Sunday in Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Chase, Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Cataline and Durand Cataline spent the past two weeks in Lansing and Ohio.

Miss Olive Dillinbeck of Detroit spent Sunday in town.

Members and guests from out of town who attended the Alumni Banquet here Friday night were, Mr. and Mrs. Caius Gordon of Pontiac, Miss Ella Fuerst, Malcolm Dillenbeck, Miss Mildred Nielson all of Detroit; Miss Elizabeth Dunham, Mrs. Harrison Snyder of Flint; Ben Lail, Kenneth Schuster, Ira Scofield and Merlin Partlo of Mt. Pleasant; Mrs. Wayne Grimm of Royal Oak; Melvin Black, Margurite Ridgely of Bay City, Misses Nellie and Gertrude Streeter of Long Lake; Mr. and Mrs. Russell McKenzie of East Tawas; Leonard Leslie of Tawas City.

**Reno News**

Fay Clark of Linden was a caller at the Frockins home on Wednesday of last week. She and a friend were enroute home from Alpena.

Mrs. Earl Daugharty and sister, Miss Helen Latter, spent the week end in Flint with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Vary, Mr. and Mrs. Will White and daughter, Miss Vernita were dinner guests with Mr. and Mrs. Frockins on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Latter went to Bay City on Saturday to attend the funeral of a friend.

Mrs. Chas. Brown spent Sunday afternoon at her parental home.

Miss Alice Latter who is in training at Hurley Hospital in Flint, spent the week end at home.

Miss Iva Latter spent the week end with friends and relatives in Bay City.

Carlton Robinson and friend, Kenneth Dillan of Flint spent the week end with the formers parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Robinson.

Mrs. Clara Sherman and Mrs. Ed. Robinson were hostesses at a shower held in honor of Mrs. Arthur Roper, bride of a week. It was held at the home of the brides mother, Mrs. Thomas Mason on Saturday afternoon. The time was spent in various contests and an excellent lunch was served. The bride was the recipient of many pretty and useful gifts.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Dods of Logan were dinner guests on Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Alex Robinson.

Miss Vernita White was a supper guest of the Misses Faith and Hope field on Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Murray and daughter, Patricia, were Monday evening callers at the Frockins home while enroute to Tawas.

Ernest Washburn, who is in the employ of R. A. Bentley, spent Monday in Flint with his family.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Greve and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Greve of Hale were Sunday afternoon visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Alex Robinson.

Ethan Thompson was a caller at the Frockins home Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Vary were at Bay City on Friday.

**COW FOR SALE**—Fresh March 10. Sam Bibin. Wilber, Mich.

**Alabaster**

Miss Elenora Traynor of Detroit spent the week end with her parents Mr. and Mrs. John Traynor.

Lillian Oates of East Tawas spent Thursday with her parents.

Misses Pearl and Ruth Lundquist of Detroit are visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Fuerst.

Mr. and Mrs. John Curtis spent Tuesday at White City.

Rhea Oates of Alabaster spent Saturday in Bay City.

Keith McCormick spent Saturday with his grandparents.

Mrs. Amelia Pickett and daughter Virginia, motored to Bay City on Saturday.

John Traynor is in Detroit seeking employment.

Earl Keek of Saginaw is visiting at the Benson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Long were visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. A. DeLage, daughter Joan, and Mr. and Mrs. Morris Gup-ton visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Claude DeLosh over the week end. Mrs. DeLage and Joan remained for a week.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Behn spent the week end in Flint.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Benson spent Thursday in Bay City and Saginaw.

Mrs. E. Lundquist and daughter, Pearl, and Olaf Rose of Detroit spent the week end here with friends and relatives.

Charles McCormick of Saginaw spent the week end with his family here.

Mrs. John Huher spent the week end at the John Schindler home.

Mrs. John Schindler is visiting in Bay City.

Eleanor Traynor is seeking employment in Detroit.

Miss Doris Simmins spent the week end in Flint.

Edwin Benson, Claude Jenkins, A. E. Proulx and Claude DeLosh were at the Bowler's Banquet at Tawasville on Friday night.

Mrs. John E. Johnson left Sunday for a visit in Detroit.

Mrs. Jennie Johnson and Mrs. Ernest Lundquist visited in Oscoda on Saturday.

Harold Johnson of Detroit spent the week end with his mother, Mrs. J. Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Proulx and children, Arlene and Bob, attended a birthday party in honor of Mrs. Proulx's mother in Delano on Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Brown and Mr. and Mrs. A. Benson spent Thursday in Bay City.

**NOTICE OF CHANCERY SALE**

In pursuance of and by virtue of decree of the Circuit Court for the County of Iosco, State of Michigan, in Chancery, made and entered on the first day of June, A. D., 1934, in a certain cause therein pending, wherein George R. Emerick, Receiver for the Alcona County Savings Bank, a Michigan banking corporation of Harrisville, Michigan, is plaintiff, and Wilbur C. Roach and Elsie Roach, his wife, are defendants, Notice is hereby given that I shall sell at public auction to the highest bidder at the front door of the court house, in the city of Tawas City, in said county, on Monday, the first day of March, A. D., 1937, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, the following described property, to-wit: All that certain piece or parcel of land situated in the city of Tawas City, Iosco county, state of Michigan, described as follows: Lot 4 in Block A and Lot 4 in Block C of the city of Tawas City, according to the recorded plat thereof, Iosco County, Michigan.

This sale is an adjourned sale, having been adjourned to the date above set forth by virtue of orders for a stay of proceedings entered in said cause by said court on the 12th day of October, 1934, and on the 7th day of March, 1935, the adjournment of the said sale being to March 1st, 1937, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, according to the order of March 7th, 1935.

Dated January 4, 1937.

Fred A. Beede, Acting Circuit Court Commissioner, Iosco County, Michigan.

Herbert Hertzler, Attorney for Plaintiff, Harrisville, Michigan.

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**Cats of the World**

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**Mortgage Sale**

Notice is hereby given that a mortgage dated the fifth day of April, 1924, was executed by Dennis Goodrow and Gertrude Goodrow, his wife, to Ealy, McKay & Co., Bankers, and recorded in the Register of Deeds' office in Iosco county, and State of Michigan, in Liber 27 of Mortgages, on page 50 on the 17th day of April 1924, that said mortgage was duly assigned by the said Ealy, McKay & Co. to Emily C. Richardson by written assignment, dated the third day of July, 1924, and recorded in the Register of Deeds' office in said Iosco county, in Liber 20 of Mortgages on page 638 on the 18th day of November, 1926. Said mortgage was thereafter duly assigned by said Emily C. Richardson to the First National Bank in Oakland, a National Banking Association, having its principal place of business in the City of Oakland, County of Alameda, State of California, by written assignment dated the 24th day of July, 1931, and recorded in the Register of Deeds' office in said Iosco county in Liber 3 of Miscellaneous, on pages 421 and 422 on the 4th day of November, 1932; that said mortgage was thereafter duly assigned by the said First National Bank in Oakland to Gertrude R. Carson and Frederic B. Richardson by a written assignment dated the 14th day of October, 1932, and recorded in said Register of Deeds' in said Iosco county in Liber 25 of Mortgages on Page 175 on the 2nd day of November, 1932.

That default has been made in the conditions of said Mortgage and in

payment of interest, principal and taxes with interest due thereon by whereby the whole sum secured by said mortgage has become due and is hereby declared to be due, according to the terms of said mortgage, and there is claimed to be due on said mortgage at the date of this notice the sum of Twenty-one Hundred Forty-five Dollars and Seventy-five Cents.

That under the power of sale in said Mortgage contained, said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises to the highest bidder on Monday the third day of May, 1937, at two o'clock in the afternoon, Eastern Standard Time, at the front door of the Courthouse, in the city of Tawas City in said Iosco County, and that said premises are described in said mortgage substantially as follows:

All that certain piece or parcel of land situated and being in the Township of Plainfield, County of Iosco and State of Michigan, described as follows, to-wit: The East Half of the Southeast Quarter of Section Nineteen, Township Twenty - three North, Range Five East, and will be sold as aforesaid, to satisfy the amount due on said mortgage with the interest that may accrue thereon after this date and the cost of foreclosure.

Dated, February 5, 1937.  
Gertrude R. Carson and Frederic B. Richardson, Assignees.

Roland O. Kern, Attorney for Assignees, Business Address, Caro, Mich.

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# The Garden Murder Case

by S. S. VAN DINE

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## SYNOPSIS

Philo Vance, famous detective, and John F. X. Markham, district attorney for New York county are dining in Vance's apartment when Vance receives an anonymous telephone message informing him of a "dis-turbing psychological tension at Professor Ephriam Garden's apartment" advising that he read up on radio-active sodium, consult a passage in the Aeneid and counseling that "Equanimity is essential." Professor Garden is famous in chemical research. The message, decoded by Vance, reminds him that Professor Garden's son Floyd and his puny cousin, Woody Swift, are addicted to horse-racing. Vance says that "Equanimity" is a horse running next day in the Rivermont handicap. Vance is convinced that the message was sent by Dr. Sletert, the Gardens' family physician. He arranges to have lunch next day at the Gardens' penthouse. Vance is greeted by Floyd Garden and meets Love Hammie, an elderly follower of horse racing. Floyd expresses concern over Swift's queer actions. Mrs. Garden, supposedly ill, comes down stairs and places a \$100 bet on a horse.

## CHAPTER II—Continued

"Right-o, Baby-face," grinned Garden. "Step into our parlor."

She started forward, and hesitated momentarily as she caught sight of Vance and me.

"Oh, by the way, Zalia,"—Garden put the receiver down and rose—"let me present Mr. Vance and Mr. Van Dine . . . Miss Graem."

The girl staggered back dramatically and lifted her hands to her head in mock panic.

"Oh, Heaven protect me!" she exclaimed. "Philo Vance, the detective! Is this a raid?"

Vance bowed graciously. "Have no fear, Miss Graem," he smiled. "I'm merely a fellow criminal. And, as you see, I'm dragging Mr. Van Dine along the downward path with me."

At this moment Garden pressed forward the key on the switch box, and in a moment the voice we had heard earlier was again coming through the amplifier.

"Coming out at Rivermont, and here's the new line: 20, 6, 4, 8 to 5 scratch time, 3, 20, 15, 10, 15 . . . Who was it wanted the run-down at Texas?"

Garden cut the amplifier. He turned to his cousin. "And you, Woody?"

Swift shook his head. "Not this race."

"Saving it all for Equanimity, eh? Right-o."

Despite the superficial buoyancy of the gathering, I could detect an undercurrent of extreme tension and expectancy; and I made mental note of various little occurrences during the first hour or so.

One incident connected with Swift puzzled me greatly. I had noticed that he and Zalia Graem had not spoken to each other during the entire time they had been in the drawing-room. Once they had brushed against each other near Garden's table, and each, as if instinctively, had drawn resentfully to one side. Garden had cocked his head at them irritably and said:

"Aren't you two on speaking terms yet—or is this feud to be permanent? . . . Why don't you kiss and make up and let the gaiety of the party be unanimous?"

Miss Graem had proceeded as if nothing had happened, and Swift had merely given his cousin a quick, indignant glance.

## CHAPTER III

"The great moment approaches!" Garden announced, and though he spoke with sententious gaiety, I could detect signs of strain in his manner.

Kroon rose, finished the drink which stood on the table before him, and dabbing his mouth with a neatly folded handkerchief which he took from his breast pocket, he moved toward the archway.

"My mind was made up yesterday," he spoke across the room, as if including every one. "Put me down in your fateful little book for \$100 on Hyjinx to win and \$200 on the same filly to place. And you can add \$200 on Head Start to show. Making it, all told, half a grand. That's my contribution to the afternoon's festivities."

"Not deserting us, are you Cecil?" Garden called after him.

"Frightfully sorry," Kroon answered, looking back. "I'd love to stay for the race, but a legal conference at a maiden aunt's is scheduled for 4:50." He waved his hand and, with a "Cheerio," continued down the hall.

Madge Weatherby immediately picked up her cards and moved to Zalia Graem's table, where the two women began a low, whispered conversation.

Garden's inquiring glance moved from one to another of the party. At this moment a young woman of unusual attractiveness appeared in the archway and stood there hesitatingly, looking shyly at Garden. She wore a nurse's uniform of immaculate white, with white shoes and stockings, and a starched white cap set at a grotesque angle on the back of her head. She could not have been over thirty; yet there was a maturity in her calm, brown eyes, and evidence of great capability in the reserve of her expression and in the firm contour of her chin. She wore no make-up, and her chestnut hair was parted in the middle and brushed back simply over her ears. She presented a striking contrast

to the two other women in the room. "Hello, Miss Beeton," Garden greeted her pleasantly. "I thought you'd be having the afternoon off, since the mater's well enough to go shopping . . . What can I do for you? Care to join the madhouse and hear the races?"

"Oh, no. I've too many things to do." She moved her head slightly to indicate the rear of the house. "But if you don't mind, Mr. Garden," she added timidly, "I would like to bet two dollars on Azure Star to win, and to come in second, and to come in third."

Every one smiled covertly, and Garden chuckled.

Vance, who had been watching the girl with more interest than he usually showed in a woman, leaned forward.

"I say, Garden, just a moment." He spoke incisively. "I think Miss Beeton's choice is an excellent one—however she may have arrived at it." Then he nodded to the nurse. "Miss Beeton, I'll be very happy to see that your bet on Azure Star is placed." He turned again to Garden. "Will your book-maker take \$200 across the board on Azure Star?"

"Will he? He'll grab it with both hands," Garden replied. "But why?"

"Then it's settled," said Vance quickly. "That's my bet. And two



The Two Women Began a Low, Whispered Conversation.

dollars of it in each position belongs to Miss Beeton."

"That's perfect with me, Vance." And Garden jotted down the wager in his ledger.

I noticed that during the brief moments that Vance was speaking to the nurse and placing his wager on Azure Star, Swift was glowering at him through half-closed eyes. It was not until later that I understood the significance of that look.

The nurse cast a quick glance at Swift, and then spoke with simple directness.

"You are very kind, Mr. Vance." Then she added: "I will not pretend I don't know who you are, even if Mr. Garden had not called you by name." She stood looking straight at Vance with calm appraisal; then she turned and went back down the hall.

Swift stood up and walked to the cabinet with its array of bottles. He filled a whiskey glass with Bourbon and drank it down. Then he walked slowly to the table where his cousin sat. Garden had just finished the call to Hannix.

"I'll give you my bet now, Floyd," Swift said hoarsely. He pressed one finger on the table, as if for emphasis. "I want \$10,000 on Equanimity to win."

Garden's eyes moved anxiously to the other.

"I was afraid of that, Woody," he said in a troubled tone. "But if I were you—"

"I'm not asking you for advice," Swift interrupted in a cold steady voice; "I'm asking you to place a bet."

Garden did not take his eyes from the man's face. He said merely: "I think you're a damned fool."

"Your opinion of me doesn't interest me either," Swift's eyelids drooped menacingly, and a hard look came into his set face.

Garden capitulated.

"It's your funeral," he said, and turning his back on his cousin, he took up the gray hand set again and spun the dial with determination.

Swift walked back to the bar and poured himself another generous drink of Bourbon.

"Hello, Hannix," Garden said into the transmitter. "I'm back again, with an additional bet. Hold on to your chair or you'll lose your balance. I want ten grand on Equanimity to win . . . Yes, that's what I said: ten G-strings—ten thousand iron men. Can you handle it? Odds probably won't be over two to one . . . Right-o."

He replaced the receiver and tilted back in his chair just as Swift, headed for the hall, was passing him.

Garden, apparently deeply perturbed, kept his eyes on the retreating figure. Then, as if on sudden impulse, he stood up quickly and called out: "Just a minute,

Woody. I want to say a word to you." And he stepped after him.

I saw Garden put his arm around Swift's shoulder as the two disappeared down the hall.

When Garden returned to the room his face was a trifle pale, and his eyes were downcast. As he approached our table he shook his head dejectedly.

"I tried to argue with him," he remarked to Vance. "But it was no use; he wouldn't listen to reason. He turned nasty . . . Poor devil! If Equanimity doesn't come in he's done for." He looked directly at Vance. "I wonder if I did the right thing in placing that bet for him. But, after all, he's of age."

A bell rang somewhere in the apartment, and a few moments later Sneed appeared in the archway. "Pardon me, sir," he said to Garden, "but Miss Graem is wanted on the other telephone."

Zalia Graem stood up quickly and raised one hand to her forehead in a gesture of dismay.

"Who on earth or in the waters under the earth can that be?" Her face cleared. "Oh, I know." Then she stepped up to Sneed. "I'll take the call in the den." And she hurried from the room.

Garden a few moments later turned in his chair and announced: "They're coming out at Rivermont. Say your prayers, children . . ."

As the radio tubes warmed up, McElroy's well-known voice gained in volume over the loud speaker:

" . . . and Equanimity is now making trouble at the post. Took the cue from Head Start . . . Now they're both back in their stalls—it looks as if we might get a—Yes! They're off! And to a good even start. Hyjinx has dashed into the lead; Azure Star comes next; and Heat Lightning is close behind. The others are bunched. I can't tell one from the other yet. Wait a second. Here they come past us—and it's Hyjinx on top now, by two lengths; and behind her is Train Time; and—yes, it's Sublimite, by a head, or a nose, or a neck—it doesn't matter—it's Sublimite anyway. And there's Risky Lad creeping up on Sublimite . . . And now they're going round the first turn, with Hyjinx still in the lead. The relative positions of the ones out front haven't changed yet . . . They're in the back stretch, and Hyjinx is still ahead by half a length; Train Time has moved up and holds his second position by a length and a half ahead of Roving Flirt, who's in third place. Azure Star is a length behind Roving Flirt. Equanimity is pocketed."

At this point in the broadcast Zalia Graem appeared suddenly in the archway and stood with her eyes fixed on the radio, her hands sunk in the pockets of her tailored jacket. . . . They're rounding the far turn. Equanimity has improved his position and is getting into his famous stride. Hyjinx has dropped back and Roving Flirt has taken the lead by a head, with Train Time second, by a length, in front of Azure Star, who is running third and making a grand effort. . . . And now they're in the stretch. Azure Star has come to the front and is a full length in the lead. Train Time is making a great bid for this classic and is still in second place, a length behind Azure Star. Roving Flirt is right behind him. Hyjinx has dropped back and it looks as if she was no longer a serious contender. Equanimity is pressing hard and is now in sixth place. He hasn't much time, but he's running a beautiful race and may come up front yet. . . . And here they come to the finish. The leaders are straight out—there won't be much change. Just a second. Here they come . . . and . . . the winner is Azure Star by two lengths. Next is Roving Flirt. And a length behind him is Train Time. Upper Shelf finished fourth. . . ."

"Not such a hot race," Miss Graem remarked with a toss of her head. "I'll just about break even . . . Now I'll go and finish my phone call." And she turned back down the hall.

Garden seemed ill at ease and, for the second time that afternoon, mixed himself a highball.

Just then Mrs. Garden bustled into the room.

"Don't tell me I'm too late!" she pleaded excitedly.

"All over but the O. K., mater," Garden informed her.

"And what did I do?" The woman came forward and dropped wearily into an empty chair.

"The usual," grinned Garden. "A Grand Score? Your noble steed didn't score at all. Condolences. But it's not official yet. We'll be getting the O. K. in a minute now."

"Oh, dear!" sighed Mrs. Garden despondently.

"Well," said Garden, "Mr. Vance, the eminent deposter of crimes and ponies, can now take a luxurious vacation. He's the possessor of thirty-six hundred and forty dollars—of which thirty-six dollars and forty cents goes to our dear nurse . . . And Woode, of course . . ."

His voice trailed off.


"What did Woody do?" demanded Mrs. Garden, sitting up stiffly in her chair.

"I'm frightfully sorry, mater,"—her son groped for words—"but Woody didn't use his head. I tried to dissuade him, but it was no go . . ."

"Well, what did Woody do?" persisted Mrs. Garden.

Garden hesitated, and before he could formulate an answer, a paralyzing sound, like a pistol shot, broke the tense silence.

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### "When the Cable Snapped"

By FLOYD GIBBONS

YOU can have your wild rides on bucking bronchos, on runaway trains, and on automobiles gone haywire, but Warren Roop of Orange, N. J., will back an ordinary coal barge against any of them. Maybe you never thought of a coal barge ride as either fast or exciting. Neither did I. But listen to Warren's tale. There are times, it seems, when those slow, easy-going barges can cut up and act nasty.

In 1913, Warren was captain of the barge, Victor, owned by the Peacock Coal company of Philadelphia. The Victor was a 10,000-ton vessel, practically new, and Warren was mighty proud of her. And maybe that's the reason he stuck to her when many another man would have quit the job the minute those November gales began whipping the river into an inferno of water and foam.

The November blow was particularly bad in 1913. A three-day northeaster had turned the water around Philadelphia into a boiling torrent. There were three barges tied up together and the Victor was on the outside. The other two barges were moored with steel cables, but the Victor's lines were of rope, and they were wearing thin.

#### The Rope Cables Snapped Quickly.

Warren called the office and told them he'd have to have a steel cable. "We've got none," they told him. Warren went back to the Victor and looked at the swollen river. Those rope cables wouldn't last long. The thought had hardly entered his mind when the headlines parted. The Victor's head swung away from the wharf.

"The stern lines snapped like so much macaroni," says Warren, "and the Victor started on a perilous trip down the river, hog wild on the rushing tide, and with four bridges ahead of her. There was absolutely nothing that could be done, for the barge was not power-driven. I stood there helpless, while the driving rain beat into my face and the storm seemed to increase in fury."

"I made my way to the bow, and clung desperately to the capstan. Carried by the tide, the Victor was tearing along at a twenty-mile-an-hour clip. She was loaded with ten thousand tons of soft coal, and I wondered what would happen if she struck one of those bridge abutments broadside."

Warren wasn't long in finding out. There came a sudden shock—a thunderous, grinding roar, and the Victor shook from stem to stern. She had struck the Pennsylvania Bridge. She veered around and shot through the draw stern first. Warren yelled to the bridge tender—though he heard a faint reply. Then he was off, whirling down the stream again.

The second bridge was only four city blocks away. Again the crash—and again the Victor shivered as if she had been torpedoed. She heeled over at a ten-degree angle and went racing through the second draw, twisting round and round like an egg shell. And on she sped—sweeping under the third bridge—missing an abutment by a hair—heading for the fourth and last bridge.

#### Barge Went Tearing Down the River.

"We swirled into the last bridge with a sickening shudder that I thought would split the barge in two," says Warren. "Then suddenly I saw a red and green light looming up ahead of me. The police boat!" She took the Victor in tow and hauled her ashore. Warren threw a line out. But the police boat hadn't gone ten minutes when the lines snapped again—and again the Victor was tearing away down the Schuylkill.

By now the wind was blowing a veritable hurricane. Warren had to crawl along the deck to keep from being blown overboard. He was making for the little cabin in the stern for he was numb with the cold, and he thought a jigger of rum would warm him up. But Warren never got to the cabin and the bottle he had stowed away there in a closet. At that moment there came a terrific jar. The Victor shook as if had never shaken before. Suddenly it keeled over on one side, and Warren was hurled clear off the deck.

"I felt myself flying through the air," he says. "Then I landed and my body struck the port scupper railing. Instinctively I grabbed for it. My hand missed it, but my hand closed upon a two-inch line fastened to the midships cleat. I bounced from the railing, shot over the side, and there I swayed, now in mid-air, now hurled into the angry water."

And for a full fifteen minutes Warren hung there, dashed repeatedly against the side of the barge. He tried to climb back up that rope, but it was a slow, painful job. The barge was heading for the mouth of the Schuylkill now—heading out into the Delaware. The storm would be worse out there. Warren redoubled his efforts to climb that rope.

#### Terrific Climb for Life.

Hand over hand—one arm's length at a time—fighting every inch of the way! It was the toughest work Warren had ever done in his life. But it was work or drown, so he kept on. "I was fully three-quarters of the way up it," he says, "but I knew my bruised body could stand little more of that sort of punishment. I was breathless and worn. I think there was a moment in there when I lost consciousness completely. But if I did, I must have clung to the rope instinctively, for I didn't fall off."

"How I ever negotiated those few remaining feet to safety I will never know. What I accomplished after that I found myself purely automatic. But the next thing I knew I found myself on the deck, looking over the side of the still lurching vessel."

To this day, Warren doesn't know what gave the Victor that last wallop. He says he can only guess that some other vessel rammed her. It was quite a while later that the Victor was hurled against a dock on the New Jersey side of the Delaware river and a patrolling tug came up and stood by her all night to see that she didn't break away again.

The Victor was leaking badly by that time, and would have gone to the bottom if she'd been in mid-stream much longer. And Warren agrees that you can have your bucking bronchos. For sheer excitement, give him one of those big, sluggish coal barges in a storm.

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#### Posed for His Statue;

#### Sure to Be Remembered

The life-size statue of a modern Elijah who had it placed beside his grave so future generations could see what he looked like is to be seen in a rural cemetery near Maple Rapids, writes a Maple Rapids, Mich., correspondent in the Detroit Free Press.

The statue is that of Elijah Elsworth, who died in 1906 at the age of seventy-seven. He was the last of his family and, according to local legend, conceived the idea of the statue so that his friends and those who came after them would not forget his appearance.

The name of the sculptor has been forgotten but it is said that Elsworth either sold his forty-acre farm or willed it to the artist to pay for the monument.

Elsworth sat for the designing of the strange figure, which depicts him clothed in flowing robes like those which his Biblical namesake might have worn. His feet are bare and in his left hand he holds a palm branch, adding a final touch to the Biblical allusion.

#### Romans Loved Cinnamon;

#### Used It in Their Balms

The strong fragrance of cinnamon greeting our nostrils, gives us pleasure even before we eat the food that it flavors.

The human nose has always responded to this odor and the ancient Romans held it in particular esteem. They used it liberally in their ointments and balms as well as in their cooking, and as the ultimate mark of their appreciation of this spice they set it apart as the incense for sacrificial and ceremonial fires.

When a god was to be appeased, or the shade of a departed spirit was to be honored, it was the perfume of cinnamon wafted heavenward on uprising clouds of smoke that carried the message. No Roman doubted that an odor so pleasing to man could fail to placate the Olympian deities.

The Roman media of atonement was not buns but bonfires, and their theory was that the more cinnamon consumed, the greater the incense and therefore the greater the pleasure of the deity or the spirit who was being honored.

# First Stirrings of Spring



THE chic young miss above, center, says, "I make my own clothes. I learned sewing from Mother first, got a touch of it in school, and a real exposure in 4-H activities. I choose this dress for Spring because it looks like Spring, and because it takes the minimum of time and money. Puff sleeves and princess lines give a formal note if I wish to impress the folks (which I often do) and the peplum jacket is added for frivolous reasons—when I want to feel a bit sophisticated, and it makes a sweet all-occasion dress."

#### A Practical Choice.

The Lady on the Left says, "I'm practical. I choose patterns that I can cut twice; then I have a gingham gown to set me off in my kitchen and an afternoon dress in which to entertain the Maggie-Jiggs club. The all-of-a-piece yoke and sleeves make me look years younger, the shirred pockets give the decorative note every dress needs, and I can run it up in an afternoon."

The Girl in the Oval has a far-away look in her eyes. She says it's because she wears glamorous blouses like this one. She cuts her pattern three times—no less—and evolves a blouse in eggshell for her velvet skirt; one in velveteen for her tweeds, and the third in metallic cloth for after-five activities. "The skirt with its simple

well directed lines is equally well suited to tweeds for sport, velvet for dress and wool for business," says Madam.

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By Dorothy Dix  
Writer

**Barbecue Chicken**  
Broil the chickens in the usual way and when they are dished pour over them this sauce:  
Melt two tablespoonfuls of butter in a saucepan, add the same quantity of vinegar, a teaspoonful of made mustard, a strong dash of tabasco, a teaspoonful of Worcestershire sauce, a teaspoonful of sugar, a saltspoonful of salt and half as much pepper. Blend all together, heat to a boil and pour over chickens. Serve in 5 minutes.  
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**Courage of the Heart**  
Fortitude is the sentinel and guardian virtue; without it all other virtues are in peril. Daring is inborn, and often born blind. But fortitude is implanted, nurtured, unfolded in the school of life. I praise the marvelous courage of the human heart, enduring evils, facing perplexities, overcoming obstacles, rising after a hundred falls, building up what gravity pulls down, toiling at tasks never finished, relighting extinguished fires, and hoping all things.—Van Dyke.

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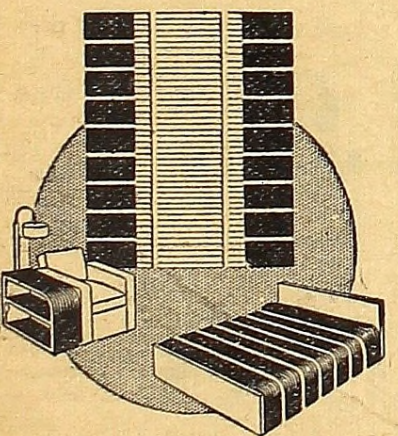
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HE PUT MY SLED ON THE BOTTOM—WHY DON'T HE PUT HIS SLED ON THE BOTTOM?

AW CRIMMINY WHIZ—LET THE BABY CRY! AT'S ALL SHE KIN DO IS CRY ANNWAYS. BOO HOO—CRY BABY—NAH!

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**FINEY OF THE FORCE**

By Ted O'Loughlin

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—SO THIS MAN SAID HE WOULD DOUBLE MY MONEY, AND THAT'S THE LAST I EVER SEEN OF HIM— OH, OH, OH! MY \$300!

BE HE A SHORT, HEAVY DARK MAN?

YES! AND WITH MUSTACHE—SO

SOUNDS LIKE HARRY THE HUSTLER—WHAT DO YOU THINK, SARGE?

OI TINK TIS FUNNY HOW THIS MON FOUND HIM—WHIN WE'VE BIN LOOKIN' FER HIM FER TWO WEEKS!

**The FEATHERHEADS**

By Osborne

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PERSONALLY, I LIKE THAT ONE—BUT WILL THE WIFE LIKE IT?

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BUT SHE CAN'T COME DOWN JUST NOW—I DON'T KNOW WHAT TO DECIDE—

IT MAKES IT MOST DIFFICULT—

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**THE STRONG MAN**

Teacher—Now, Tom, hold your head up and shoulders back. You'd like to have a fine carriage when you're a man, wouldn't you?  
Tom—Well, I'd rather have an airplane.

**Surprise to Him**  
Old Lady (meeting a one-legged tramp in the street)—Poor man, you have lost a leg, haven't you?  
Tramp (looking down)—Well, I'll be darned if I haven't!

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**THAT'S SOMETHING**

"You're an awful egg, Percy."  
"At present prices, that's a compliment."

# IMPROVED UNIFORM INTERNATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL Lesson

By REV. HAROLD L. LUNDQUIST,  
Dean of the Moody Bible Institute  
of Chicago.  
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## Lesson for March 7

### LIFE HERE AND HEREAFTER THROUGH CHRIST

LESSON TEXT—John 14:1-15.  
GOLDEN TEXT—I am the way, the truth, and the life: no man cometh unto the Father, but by me. John 14:6.  
PRIMARY TOPIC—In the Heavenly Father's House.  
JUNIOR TOPIC—Many Mansions.  
INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC—Why We Need Christ Always.  
YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC—Life Here and Hereafter through Christ.

It was the night before the darkest day in the world's history. On the morrow the Son of man was to hang on Calvary's tree for the sins of the world—for your sins, and for mine. But for the moment he was alone with his disciples. The last Passover had been eaten together, the betrayer had been discovered, and the Lord had told them that he was soon to go where they could not follow. Peter had, by his bold self-assertion, brought forth the prophecy of his denial. The disciples were disturbed. Then came from the Saviour the words of comfort, assurance, and power which have been the strength and solace of his people through all the centuries. Our life both here and hereafter is in His mighty hands.

**I. Comfort** (vv. 1-3).  
Troubled hearts are everywhere—in the palace and in the cottage, on land and sea. There is a place of rest, thank God! There is One who still speaks the majestic words, "Let not your heart be troubled, ye believe in God, believe also in me."

His comfort is one which covers the future life, for he says:

1. "I go to prepare a place" (v. 2). Concern about future destiny is settled at once when Christ Jesus becomes our Lord and Saviour. We need worry no longer. He has gone on before to the Father's house to prepare a place for his own. When we come to that ever-peaceful shore we shall not come as strangers, but as sons and daughters to a prepared place in our Father's house.

2. "I will come again" (v. 3) is the word that gives present meaning to the future promise. He not only prepares the place, but he it is who brings us there. The glorious hope of his coming again is the Christian's greatest comfort and mightiest incentive to useful, holy living.

**II. Assurance** (vv. 4-11).  
The doctrine of Christian assurance is one of vital importance, and should be taught in all its scriptural power and beauty. Unfortunately it has so suffered violence at the hands of some of its friends that others have not only come to fear it, but even openly to oppose it. This is most regrettable, for it is manifest that until one has assurance he will make but little progress in Christian usefulness.

The believer's assurance rests fundamentally on Christ himself. Two grounds are given in the text.

1. "I am the way, the truth, and the life" (v. 6). These words are their own best commentary. Read them again, slowly, weighing the meaning of each word. If we are in him who is the way, how safe we are! If we are not in him? Read his own solemn words in verse 6, "No man cometh unto the Father but by me." (v. 11).

In Christ dwells all the fullness of the Godhead. He is not only a supernatural being, he is God. How can anyone deny that and read his words in these verses? To do so is to make Jesus a liar and blasphemer.

**III. Power** (vv. 12-15).  
His followers are not left in a world of sin and need as a little group of hymn-singing weaklings, thinking only of the day when they shall be in a brighter land. Ah, yes, they sing hymns and rejoice in them; they look for a better land; their weapons of warfare are not carnal—but weaklings? Oh, no! God uses them to do great and mighty things for his glory.

1. "He that believeth" (v. 12). This army of God carries the royal banner of faith.

2. "Greater works . . . shall he do" (v. 12). Jesus only began his work on earth. Its greatest development was to be the joyous privilege of his followers.

3. "If ye ask . . . I will do" (v. 14). Someone has called this a signed blank check on all the resources of God. Faith fills it in, under the guidance of the Holy Spirit. Moody knew how to use it. So did Mueller, Livingstone, J. Hudson Taylor—the list might go on indefinitely. Shall we dare to trust God and add our name as one of those who ask in faith?

**The Man of Wisdom**  
He is a wise man who does not grieve for the things which he has not, but rejoices for those which he has.—Epictetus.

**Thoughts of Good People**  
The thoughts of some people live so near to God, that to ask them to think of us is to ask them to pray for us.

**Chief End of Education**  
Manhood, not scholarship, is the first aim of education.—E. T. Seton.

# Dwelling on Grievances—

Power of Trouble Is Increased  
And Distributed by Talking of It

THERE is a curious and very much mistaken idea that by talking of our grievances and our troubles, we decrease their power over us to make us miserable. Instead, by dwelling on them we reinforce their power. We not only do this, but we scatter the seeds of their discontent, as we unburden our hearts, and a whole new crop of disturbing thoughts enters into the minds of those who bear with us during our outpouring of words.

**Making Misery.**  
If the person to whom we speak is near and dear to us, our troubles weigh on them almost as their own. We are unwittingly the cause to them of an added weight of discordant thoughts, and perhaps they may be trying to get the better of their own bothers.

**Sympathy Versus Help.**  
We have only to consider the effect on ourselves of listening to others talk of their worries, misfortunes, and hard luck, to realize the depressing power of such conversation. It is seldom we can do anything to help them. In fact persons who talk of their troubles seldom do it to get helpful suggestions. They are bespeaking sympathy and often are disturbed, hurt or annoyed, when they get advice, even though it be excellent. What is wanted is to hear expressions of understanding of their position as difficult, and to hear their actions considered wise. Is this not really what we, ourselves, hope to hear when we air our troubles?

**Trouble Mongers**  
When we are awakened to the fact that talking of our woes adds to those of the listener without lessening ours, that we are implanting troubles in the minds of

others, we surely will try to be more careful about giving vent to the misfortunes by talking about them. Moreover, if we do continue to be trouble mongers, no one will be eager to talk with us.

If, instead of dwelling on our grievances, we discuss pleasant topics, we are not only giving pleasure to others, but we are actually doing ourselves a kindness as well. We diminish our own depression by rising above our troublous thoughts, thus becoming conquerors in and through our conversation.  
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## Foreign Words and Phrases

Caetera desunt. (L.) The remainder is wanting.

Lingua Toscana in bocca Romana. (It.) The Tuscan speech on Roman lips; i. e., the most correct Italian.

Sans gene. (F.) Without embarrassment.

Au fait. (F.) Well informed; master of; skilled.

En arriere. (F.) In the rear; backward; behind.

Lares et penates. (L.) Household gods.

Pleno jure. (L.) With full power.

Ore rotundo. (L.) With full utterance.

Quo jure? (L.) By what right?

Principiis obsta. (L.) Withstand beginnings.

Tout au contraire. (F.) Quite the contrary.

Via media. (L.) A middle course.

Similia similibus curantur. (L.) Like things are cured by like.

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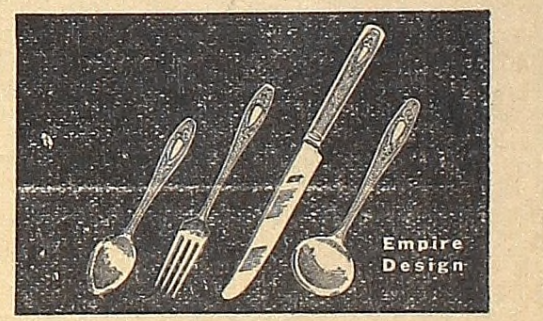
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True wisdom is to know what is best worth knowing, and to do what is best worth doing.—Humphrey.

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**State of Michigan**  
 The probate court for the County of Isosco.  
 At a session of said court held in the city of Tawas City in said county, on the 13th day of February A. D. 1937.  
 Present: Hon. David Davison, Judge of Probate.  
 In the matter of the estate of William Vance, Charles E. Thompson praying for license to sell the interest in certain real estate therein described.  
 It is ordered that the 6th day of March, A. D. 1937, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition, and that all persons interested in said estate appear before said court, at said time and place, to show cause why a license to sell the interest in said estate in said real estate should not be granted.  
 It is further ordered, that public notice be given by publication of a copy of this order, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing in the Tawas Herald, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.  
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be gained both for the child and the community. In Isosco County we have an average of five deaths each year from tuberculosis. With a population of 7800 this is something for each of us in this community to think seriously about, especially since tuberculosis is both preventable and curable.  
 On March 11, Dr. Thompson will return to the county to read the tests and children will be asked to return so that we may determine the reaction. The reading clinic will be conducted on the same schedule as the testing clinics.  
 The Michigan Tuberculosis Association will come to the county on March 24 to 26 to X-ray 50 of the positive reactors. In September they will return again and X-ray the balance. The X-ray clinic will be held in the courthouse on March 24 to 26 at 9:00 A. M.

The next Child Health Meeting will be held in the Oscoda Auditorium on Friday, March 12 at 2:30 P. M.  
 The program will be presented by the Oscoda School, and will include an address on "Health Teaching in the School" by G. Jacques, superintendent of Oscoda Schools, and a play by some of the pupils. Refreshments will be served by the Oscoda Committee.  
 At the meeting Miss Klumb, the County Nurse, will discuss with the women the series of health talks and lecture which will begin April 7 and 8, and will be given by Dr. Vida H. Gordon in Isosco County. The tuberculosis program will also be discussed. All women in the county are heartily invited to attend any and all of the Child Health Meetings.

**New York's Blue Laws**  
 A statute passed in New York, 1657 prohibited rides for pleasure in boats, carts and wagons, and all other amusements, fishing, running and roving in search of nuts and strawberries, and too, unrestrained and excessive playing on Sunday. The first offense was punishable by a fine of six guilders with a double sum for the second offense. For a third transgression, the culprit was to be summarily punished and corrected on the body.  
 Connecticut, Constitution State  
 Connecticut is the Constitution state or the Nutmeg state and the mountain laurel is its flower.

**School Notes**

The Erbe-Denny American Government Tests were given Tuesday to the American Government class composed of the seniors of the high school. Among the noticeable results was that Isabelle Dease answered all of the items correctly. This places Isabelle in the upper one percent according to data secured by the authors. No student in the high school has ever equalled this record.  
 A sub district meeting for the educators of Isosco and Arenac counties will be held at the East Tawas high school building Saturday evening, March 20, at eight o'clock. Mr. Wesley Thomas, field representative of the Michigan Education Association, will talk concerning the legislative program of the Association. All educators are urged to attend to become informed concerning this vital part of the state's educational program.  
 We are much interested to note that three of our alumni were on the scholarship honor roll for the fall term at the Central State Teachers College at Mt. Pleasant. Frances Klish of the class of 1932, Elsie Mueller of the class of 1932, and Arnold McLean of the class of 1934 were among the 288 on the list that was recently issued by the registrar's office. Miss Klish and Miss Mueller are extension students taking work at the college on Saturday, and Mr. McLean is a regular student of the institution. The total enrollment at the college during the fall term was 1072. This means that these young people are among the upper twenty-five percent from the standpoint of scholarship. Elsie and Arnold were both the salutatorians of their respective classes.  
 The band is planning another concert to be given within the next few weeks. The proceeds from the last concert were quite a favorable start towards a "Uniform Fund". We are also preparing some numbers for the "Americanization" program to be given at the P. T. A. meeting next Thursday.  
 A chorus was organized in the 7th and 8th grades, consisting of twenty two members. Rehearsals are held once a week during the regular music period.  
 Members of the high school music class enjoyed dancing the Virginia Reel in class last Monday. This was in connection with their study of folk music and folk dances. A group of second grade pupils also entertained the class with several folk dances they have learned.  
 5th and 6th Grades  
 Last Friday afternoon Mr. Parker of the Automobile Club showed us two movie pictures, one on China and the other one on Safety. We all enjoyed seeing these pictures.  
 Miss Klumb, the county nurse, visited our room on Tuesday.  
 3rd and 4th Grades  
 The third graders memorized the poem, "The Land of Story Books" by Robert Louis Stevenson for their language lesson on Wednesday.  
 We are studying about Mediterranean Lands in fourth grade geography.  
 We enjoyed the safety pictures that Mr. Parker showed in Miss Myles' room last Friday.  
 Primary Room  
 We enjoyed seeing the moving pictures which were shown by Mr. Parker last Friday afternoon.  
 Jack Werner returned to school Monday after being absent several weeks because of illness.  
 On the honor roll for February are the following: first grade, Donald Britting, and Elizabeth Westcott; second grade, Darwin Groff, Janet Musolf and Wava St. Martin.  
 Norman Harris is absent this week because of burns received last Saturday when he fell against the stove.  
 The second grade had 100 percent attendance the last week in February.

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You cannot stress too much the value of professionalization of your teaching staff. You should continue this splendid policy of in-service training.  
 The trends within the state are definitely in favor of larger school units. As I drove through your countryside I thought of the increased opportunities that would result on enlargement of your own organization. The board of education should study the educational needs and worthy considerations for an enlarged unit in your community.  
 I trust your school will continue to be in the future as it has in the past, the recognition it has received from the University of Michigan and the State Department of Public Instruction.  
 May the good work continue.  
 Cordially yours,  
 Earl E. Mosier  
 Assistant State Director of High School Relations.

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 near the center. If any of the above are present a dormant spray of lime-sulphur and perhaps oil should be applied in the latter part of April.  
 "Every farmer of Isosco County who has fruit trees of bearing age and who is interested in improving his farm income by rejuvenating the long neglected orchard should avail himself of a "Spraying Calendar" and other bulletins relating to tree pruning and management."

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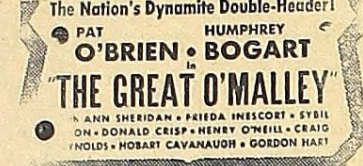
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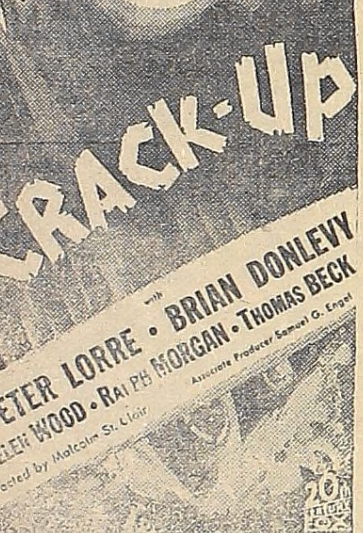


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 The Mosque of St. Sophia was built at Constantinople as a Christian cathedral by the Roman Emperor Justinian, 531-538 A. D., in the form of a Greek cross, 269 by 143 feet with a flattened dome 180 feet high, set in a cluster of cupolas and minarets. The brick walls are lined on the inside with marble plundered from Greek temples. The Sultan of Turkey, Mohammed II, turned the cathedral into a mosque in 1453 A. D.

**Papyrus Earlier Than Vellum**  
 Papyrus is of much earlier origin than vellum and probably is the second process in writing from the engraving on stones or rocks. This was succeeded by the engraving on clay tablets, which were afterward baked.

**Plenty of Fuel**  
 It is estimated that sufficient motor fuel can be obtained from United States deposits of bituminous coal and oil shale to supply the nation for centuries.

**Blanket Agreement**  
 A blanket agreement is an agreement that covers a group or class of things or properties instead of one or more things mentioned individually.

**Made Frederick, Md., Famous**  
 It was in Frederick, then Frederick City, Md., that Francis Scott Key lived at the time he wrote "The Star-Spangled Banner." The scene of Whittier's poem "Barbara Frietchie" is laid in Frederick, Md.

**Many Titles for Jesus Christ**  
 In the Bible there are 263 different names and titles applied to Jesus Christ.—Douglas Feagin, Jr., Macon, Ga., in Collier's Weekly.

**The English Channel**  
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