

## TAWAS CITY

### Northeastern Michigan Clubwomen Will Meet Here September 29-30

#### State Officers Will Be Guests at Two-Day Meeting

The Twentieth Century Club of this city will be the hostess to the Northeastern district of Michigan State Federation of Women's Clubs at their annual district meeting to be held, Sept. 29 and 30. Mrs. Chester Welch of Mt. Pleasant, district president, will preside at the sessions. Mrs. John A. Campbell of this city has been appointed general chairwoman, and reports that the committees are all working together to make the meeting a success.

Thirty-four clubs, from 17 counties including, Alcona Alpena, Arenac, Bay, Cheboygan, Crawford, Gladwin, Oscoda, Isabella, Midland, Montmorency, Ogemaw, Osceola, Osego, Presque Isle, and Roscommon, will be represented at the two-day meeting. Reservations are being made with Mrs. Apple Mark, of Tawas City.

Registration will begin at 9 o'clock Wednesday morning and the first session at 10:30 o'clock at the First Baptist church. Lunch will be served at 12:30 o'clock with the afternoon session at 2:30 o'clock. A new president will be nominated to be elected at the state meeting in the spring and a new vice-president will be elected.

Mrs. M. R. Keyworth, of Detroit, State Federation president, is to be a guest as well as Mrs. J. L. Sweetnam, of Manistee; second vice-president, and Mrs. John Sichel, of Flint, first vice-president of the Federation, and Mrs. George Ford, of Gaylord, state secretary.

Miss Francis Garvey, of Alpena, district vice-president, will present a panel discussion at the evening session Wednesday which is to follow a banquet.

#### Road Commissioners Met at Alpena Friday

Last Thursday and Friday, September 9 and 10, the Northern Michigan Road Commissioners held their annual meeting at Alpena. A number of subjects of interest to the counties were discussed and a large crowd was in attendance from the 32 counties in the association, including representatives from several southern counties such as Wayne and Kent.

Interesting talks were given during the afternoon of the first day and a banquet was held the same evening at Memorial hall. It was estimated that 400 people were present.

The subjects most discussed were Federal Aid for county roads and the present shortage of funds to properly maintain and improve the roads taken over under the Holbeck-McNitt law. Speakers pointed out that the need of additional funds was urgent. This was clearly recognized at the last session of the legislature where the county road bill was passed by a big majority only to fall short by two votes of being passed over the governor's veto.

Many counties plan on new construction under the present allotment of funds. Only maintenance of present roads will be attempted. Construction of new roads will wait until additional funds are provided by the legislature.

Among those present from the southern part of the state were State Highway Commissioner Murray D. VanWagoner, Otto Hess, engineer-manager of Kent county, LeRoy Smith, engineer-manager of Wayne county, L. V. Belknap, engineer-manager of Oakland county, and L. E. Belknap, engineer-manager of Clinton county.

**L. D. S. Church**  
Elder M. A. Sommerfield,  
10:00 A. M. Unified services. First period, prayer and testimony.  
10:45 A. M. Church school and classes.  
7:45 P. M. Song services.  
8:00 P. M. Preaching by the pastor. Subject, Feeding the Flock.  
Townline Saints will unite with us Come and worship, you are welcome.

**NOTICE**  
The requirements or provisions of Sections 31 and 32 of Act 66 of the Public Acts of 1929, including, but not by the way of limitation, the requirement that the commercial, savings and industrial loan business, investments, and reserves of the bank be segregated and the requirement that the funds deposited by savings depositors and investments made therefrom shall be held solely for the payment of deposits of said funds, have been repealed by the Michigan financial institutions act, effective July 28, 1937.  
Peoples State Bank,  
East Tawas, Mich.

**Zion Lutheran Church**  
"The Red Brick Church"  
Synod of Missouri, Ohio and Other States.  
Ernest Ross, Pastor  
September 19 — Sunday school, 9:00 a. m. Services 10:00 a. m., English; Services 11:00 a. m., German. Sermon, "That the Dead Are Raised."  
September 21 — Tawas Lutheran Men's Club, 8:00 p. m.

**ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN CHURCH OF HALE**  
K. W. Vertz, Pastor.  
Services every Sunday at 10:00. Holy Communion, Sunday, September 19.  
Sunday school at 11:00.  
Instructions every Thursday evening at 8:00.  
Children's Bible school every Friday evening at 8:00.

Are you connected with any church? If not, our church urges you and invites you. You have nothing to lose, but everything to gain by attending the Lord's house.

**WANTED**—Good furnished apartment with kitchen. Young married office man. Wanted last week in October. Box 384, Tawas City.

#### Jacques Elected C. of C. President

At the annual meeting of the Tawas City Board of Commerce held Monday evening E. D. Jacques was elected president, Dr. John LeClair, vice-president and R. W. Tuttle, secretary-treasurer. The report made by the retiring officers showed the Board of Commerce in excellent financial condition and that a considerable amount of constructive work had been accomplished during the past year.

#### Junior Musolf Goes To Forestry Camp

Julius Musolf, Jr., of this city, chief forester of the Isoco 4-H club, will represent his club at the 4-H forestry camp at Pigeon River. He left Monday and will return Saturday.

There will be 100 delegates from all over the state at the camp this year, as well as county agents. He will have time to attend, and club agents. Intensive training in conservation methods will be followed for the week with instructors from Washington, Michigan State College and the Department of Conservation.

#### Latter-Sturtevant

A very pretty wedding was celebrated at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Latter, on Saturday, September 11th, when their daughter, Helen, was united in marriage to James Sturtevant of Whittemore. The ceremony was performed by Rev. A. T. Mack, pastor of the Reno Baptist Church.

The bride wore a blue velvet gown and carried gladioli and was attended by her sister, Alice, who wore a rust colored gown and also carried gladioli. Earl Daugherty assisted the groom.

The young couple are both well known in this community, the bride having spent her entire life here and taught in the District schools. The groom is manager of the Whittemore Creamery.

#### Bowling League Opens Next Week

The Isoco Bowling League will open next week with a list of ten or twelve teams. An interesting season is being planned and a number of outside teams will appear on the local alleys. Teams wishing to enter the league should make application at once with Scott Shuman.

### IOSCO 4-H CLUB ACHIEVEMENT DAY SEPT. 20-21

#### Summer Exhibit Will Be Held in Reno Town Hall

The Second Annual Isoco County 4-H Summer Club Achievement day will be held at the Reno Township hall, Monday and Tuesday, September 20 and 21.

Ninety young 4-H'ers will make exhibits of sheep, calves, poultry, canned goods, beans, potatoes, garden crops and forestry posters.

In conjunction with these exhibits, educational themes from the farm crops, dairy and agricultural engineering departments of Michigan State College will be carried out by such exhibits as model farm buildings, bull pens, sheep dipping tanks, milk utilization and alfalfa hay demonstration.

According to a report from L. H. Rhodes, district 4-H club leader, these exhibits will not only be of interest to the farm folks of Isoco county, but should also attract those interested in the well being of our young people.

#### Ray Smith

Ray Smith was born in Tawas township, June 27, 1884, and died Thursday morning, September 9, at his home in this city, after suffering from a heart attack. He spent most of his life at Tawas City where he had operated a barber shop for 32 years. He was united in marriage to Miss Leona Berube on November 14, 1926. He leaves his wife and a son, Jack, and one sister, Mrs. Anna Hoffman, of Milwaukee, Wisconsin, besides a host of friends to mourn his passing.

Funeral services were held Sunday afternoon from the Baptist church with Rev. Frank Metcalf officiating. Burial was in the family lot in the Tawas City cemetery.

Out of town relatives who attended the funeral were Mrs. Anna Hoffman and Mrs. Frances Stein of Milwaukee, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Lawson, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Lawson, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Groff, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Wright, Seymour Wright and three daughters, all of Flint, Mr. and Mrs. Walter O'Brien, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Treffry, Mr. and Mrs. A. Treffry of Staffa, Ontario, Mr. and Mrs. William Cobb and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Cobb of Flint.

#### Mrs. Jas. McCrum

Mrs. Jas. D. McCrum, aged 46 years, died at the family home, 3393 Manor St., in Detroit, last Friday, Sept. 10th. She is survived by her husband, James McCrum, four sons, John, Joe, Edward and James, and one daughter, Mary, also her mother of Lancaster, Ind. The remains were taken to Lancaster, Ind. for interment, and where funeral services were held on Monday.

The McCrum family were residents of Tawas City for several years and their many Tawas friends extend them sympathy in their bereavement.

**CIDER PRESSING**—Tuesdays and Fridays. 2 1/2 Miles west of Logan, phone M55. Price 3 cents per gallon. Phone 156-6. Harold Mason.

### Whittemore Gun Club Wins Sunday's Duel

The Alibi Rifle Club of Whittemore, after losing heavily to the South Branch Rifle and Pistol Club a week ago, revised the records to read in their favor in Sunday's duel. The Alibi's however found it necessary to place a five man team in the field against the ten man squad from South Branch, thereby necessitating series of ten shots each.

The individual scores for the meet were as follows:  
Two hundred yards - ten rounds perfect score 50.

| Whittemore      |       |
|-----------------|-------|
| Name            | Score |
| Dorsey, A.      | 44    |
| Snyder, D.      | 45    |
| Hall, E.        | 45    |
| Williams, E. J. | 44    |
| Bell,           | 41    |
| Dorsey, A.      | 43    |
| Snyder, D.      | 44    |
| Hall, E.        | 44    |
| Williams, E. J. | 44    |
| Bell,           | 42    |
| Total score     | 412   |
| South Branch    |       |
| Name            | Score |
| Townsend, H.    | 45    |
| Scofield, L.    | 41    |
| Bernbeck, H.    | 29    |
| Byce, L.        | 40    |
| Dean, B.        | 46    |
| Peters, M.      | 44    |
| Hardin, W.      | 40    |
| Trudell, B.     | 39    |
| Byce, G.        | 40    |
| Bell, A.        | 35    |
| Total score     | 399   |

The South Branch Club will meet the Alibi's on the Whittemore Range next Sunday for the final match of the series. Real competition is expected, as teams from neighboring clubs have been invited. Both large and small calibre matches will be fired.

#### Katterman-Durant

Miss Eleanor Katterman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Katterman, and Alton Durant, son of Henry Durant, were quietly married at the parsonage of Rev. E. Ross, Saturday September 4.

The bride was attired in a dress of royal blue crepe with white accessories, she was attended by Miss Wilma Biggs, who wore a dress of yellow crepe with brown accessories.

Hazen Durant, brother of the groom, acted as best man.

After the ceremony a reception was given at the home of the brides parents for the immediate relatives. The bride received many beautiful and useful gifts.

The young couple are at home to their many friends on their farm on M 65.

#### Emanuel Lutheran Church

Tawas City  
J. J. Roekle, pastor  
September 19—English, 9:30 a. m. German, 10:45.  
Choir rehearsal Monday evening.  
September 26—Annual mission festival with English and German preaching in the morning. Prof. W. Scholler of Saginaw will be the English preacher and Rev. G. Schmelzer of Sebawaing the German.

The afternoon will be devoted to a circuit meeting with representatives from Bay City, Sebawaing and other points.  
The pastor will attend conference at Sebawaing on Tuesday and Wednesday, September 21 and 22.

### IOSCO COUNTY TEACHERS MET HERE FRIDAY

#### Interesting Talks and Music Were Features of Program

A meeting of the rural and grade teachers together with the high school superintendents was held at the Tawas City high school Friday afternoon, September 10.

Group singing with Helma Hotala at the piano opened the meeting. Dr. Thompson, director, Miss Bernice Klumb, Dr. Bearsch, dentist, and Mr. Lamont, sanitary officer, all from our Children's Fund Unit, were present and gave very interesting outlines of their work and plans for the coming year. With the co-operation of the teachers and parents they will be able to do much for the health and well being of our boys and girls.

A. E. Giddings, superintendent of the Tawas City high school, gave an outline of the work which the Michigan Education association has been doing and what it hopes to do for schools and school teachers in the future. He told of some of the changes in our school laws made in the past year which will help a great deal.

The change from agriculture to a course in general science for our rural schools was discussed. This change has been recommended by our State Department of Education and is being carried out throughout the state. Material for the schools from the commissioner's office was given out.

All rural teachers, with the exception of two who were unable to be present because of a funeral in the community, were present.

Following is a list of Isoco rural teachers this year:  
Baldwin No. 1—Edna Bischoff, Tawas City.  
Burdick No. 1—Harriet Williams, Whittemore.

Burdick No. 3—Mrs. Alfrieta Brokins, Whittemore.  
Burdick No. 4—Marie Brokaw, Whittemore.

Grant No. 2—Mrs. Nellie Townsend, Tawas City.  
Grant No. 3—Herbert Wendt, East Tawas.

Plainfield No. 4—Mrs. Belle Earhart, Mrs. Grace Adams, Earl Bielby, Mrs. Helen Brunning and Mrs. Ethel Travis.  
Plainfield No. 6—Mrs. Ruth Bowers, Hale.

Plainfield No. 8—Melvin Dorsey, Hale.  
Plainfield No. 10—Mrs. Louise Greve, Hale.

Reno No. 1—Martha Becker, Whittemore.  
Reno No. 2—Helen Latter, Whittemore.  
Sherman No. 1—Nelda Mueller, Melvor.  
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#### Isoco Baseball League

Miner's Grove won their final game of the season by winning over Whittemore by a score of 12 to 4. In winning this game they clinched the championship for 1937 in the Isoco county league. This makes their second championship in this league.

Wilber won both ends of a double header from Baldwin the score of the first game being 20-0, and the nightcap 10-2, and thereby finished the season in second place but one game behind the leaders.

The League Season closes with last Sunday's games. It was a very successful season with some well played games, games which saw plenty of action and a few heated arguments. All that is left is memories of plays and games which will provide topics for conversation during the long winter months waiting for another season to roll around.

Next Sunday, September 19, "The Champs" will cross bats with the Tawas City team on the latter diamond, Tawas City was runner-up in the American division of the Northeastern Michigan League. Let's see how the Isoco County Leaguers will stack up against the N. E. M. League teams. A good time is expected so let's all turn out and witness this contest which is scheduled to start at 3:00 P. M. sharp.

Alfred Gurley who has been employed in Ann Arbor, is home for a few days. He will leave Monday for Ypsilanti, where he will enter college this coming year.

Miss Margery Tribe will leave this week for M. S. C. at Lansing. Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Sherman and family who spent the summer in the city, returned to their home in Detroit Saturday.

T. Burdon Dimmick, who spent a week in the city with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Dimmick, returned to his home in Indianapolis, Ind. Arvid Anderson of Detroit and mother, Mrs. Sophia Anderson, are visiting in the city with relatives for a week.

Walter Green of Detroit spent the week end in the city with his parents.  
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#### FINAL STANDINGS

| Team          | W  | L  | Pct. |
|---------------|----|----|------|
| Miner's Grove | 15 | 3  | .833 |
| Wilber        | 14 | 4  | .778 |
| Whittemore    | 3  | 14 | .176 |
| Baldwin       | 2  | 15 | .118 |

#### Card of Thanks

We wish to thank our many friends for their assistance and kindness during our recent bereavement.  
Mrs. Ray Smith and Jack.  
Mrs. Anna Hoffman.

**NOTICE**  
Dr. A. S. Allard, optometrist, of Bay City, will be in East Tawas at Holland Hotel, Wednesday, September 29. Twenty years of examining eyes and making good glasses for folks of Northern Michigan. Let me make yours. Childrens eyes and difficult cases a specialty.  
Remember the date, Wednesday, September 29.  
Dr. A. S. Allard, D. C. O. D.

### EAST TAWAS

#### H. N. Butler and daughter, Mrs. H. F. Maaske, are in Ann Arbor this week on account of the critical illness of their daughter and sister, Mrs. Jack Soules, of Bay City.

Mrs. Nina May returned Wednesday from a visit in Detroit.

Charles Bonney left Wednesday for Lansing, where he will resume his senior year studies at M. S. C.

Mr. and Mrs. James Lee and children, Marion, Willard and Howard, of Detroit, spent the week end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Look.

Dr. and Mrs. O. Mitten left for a week's visit in Canada with their parents.

Theodore Dimmick spent the week end in Detroit.

Miss Josephine Gales, left for Lansing where she has a position.

Dr. Russell Klenow of Bay City spent the week end in the city with his parents.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Richard Smith of Kalamazoo, a daughter, Saturday morning. Mrs. Smith will be remembered as Bearrice Klump, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. C. F. Klump.

Mrs. Clara Barkman and daughter, Miss Regina, left Thursday morning for New York where they will attend the American Legion convention. They will go from there to Paris, France. Mrs. Barkman is delegate from the 8-40 Auxiliary. They expect to be gone six weeks and will visit many places of interest.

Dr. and Mrs. C. Speck and daughter of Detroit are in the city visiting with Mrs. Speck's mother, Mrs. A. Merschel, and family.

Wm. Hagstrom, who spent a few days in the city with relatives, has returned to his home in Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Sabrosky who has been in the city with Mrs. Sabrosky's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Alford, have returned to their home in Lansing.

Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Sauve and son, who spent a few days in the city with their mother, Mrs. Louise Sauve, have returned to their home in Lansing.

Frank Ahonen, who has been in the Bay City Hospital for an operation, returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Hughes and family, who spent a few days in the city with relatives, returned to their home in Lansing. Miss Fidelis Bergeron, a niece returned with them to remain for some time.

Elgin Gates spent a few days in Youngstown, Ohio and Pittsburg, Pa. on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Munro and children, who spent a few days in the city with Mr. and Mrs. Alex Maronate, returned to their home in Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Azonoe of Boyne City spent a few days in the city with their sister, Mrs. May Bullock.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Coleman and family of Tawas Point are spending a week in Muskegon.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward C. Lickley and son, Marshall, who have been visiting in Ohio with relatives have returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Clark and baby spent the week in Port Huron.

M. D. Myers of Tower came Monday to spend the week in the city at the home of his sister, Mrs. C. Barkman and family.

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#### Heath Notes

Miss Grace Myers, R. N., of the State Department of Health, Lansing, Michigan, has come to Isoco County for a period of several months, to teach Child Care in the schools of our County. Miss Myers' schedule is as follows:  
Wednesday  
1:45 and 2:30 P. M. Whittemore.  
Thursday  
9:00 A. M. Alabaster  
2:30 P. M. Osceola  
3:15 P. M. Osceola  
Friday  
9:00 A. M. Tawas City  
10:30 A. M. St. Joseph's school  
1:30 P. M. Hale school

These courses in child care are highly recommended for high school girls by the Children's Fund of Michigan staff, who are responsible for bringing this opportunity to the schools. Parents are welcome to visit these classes anytime after October 1.

### Our Nation's Security

**CONSTITUTION OF THE USA**  
We the People of the United States...

**—TIME HAS PROVED THIS DOCUMENT IS AMERICA'S GREATEST SINGLE CONTRIBUTION TO WORLD POLITICAL THOUGHT AND PRACTICE—**

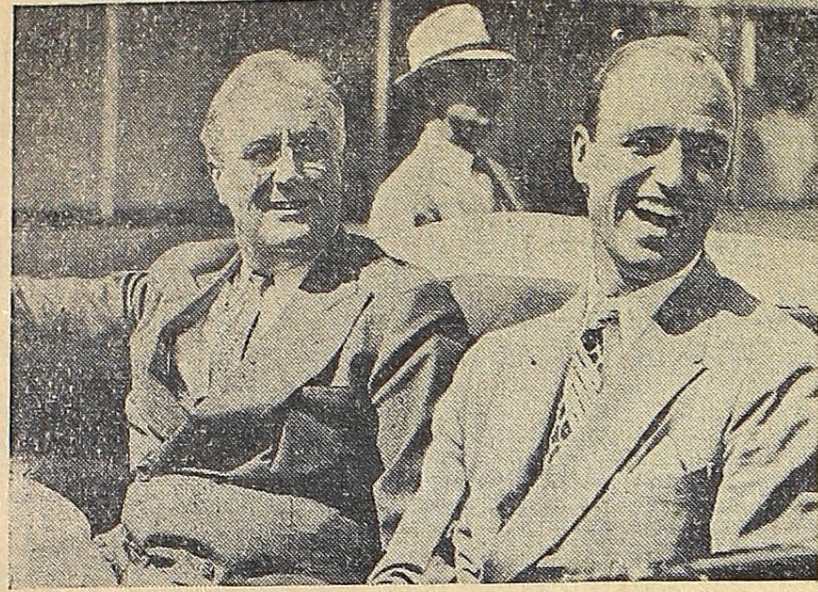
**Constitution Day**  
Sept. 17

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News Review of Current Events

FASCISTS BALK PARLEYS

Break with Soviet Feared . . . Americans in Shanghai Demand Protection . . . Big Jap 'Push' Still to Come



Back from yachting trip, the President, shown with son James, seems cheerful enough despite troubles of Yanks in Far East.

Edward W. Pickard SUMMARIZES THE WORLD'S WEEK

Russian Note Shies Italy

FURTHER evidence of the complete accord of the two great Fascist governments was revealed when Germany joined Italy in refusing to be represented at the Nyon, Switzerland, conference to end "piracy" on the Mediterranean. The Nazis gave the same excuse as Italy: That the action of Soviet Russia in accusing Italian submarines of sinking two Russian merchant ships and demanding full indemnity made impartial conclusions of the parley impossible, and that the whole affair might better be ironed out by the committee for non-intervention in the Spanish civil war.

So heated were the differences between the Italians and the Russians, it was feared the incident might lead to a break in diplomatic relations, if not to actual armed conflict.

Great Britain, Russia and France went right ahead with their plans for the conference. British Foreign Secretary Anthony Eden was instructed, however, to make no proposals which would tend to divide the Mediterranean powers into Fascist and anti-Fascist groups. It was believed he would propose that merchant ships be allowed a naval convoy through the danger zones.

Yanks in Far East 'Kick'

AMERICANS in Shanghai, constantly in danger of their lives, cabled Washington, demanding the protection of United States ships. The American Chamber of Commerce in the war-torn city asked Secretary of State Hull for immediate clarification of the State department's stand. Some of them were bitter toward President Roosevelt, who, from his yacht, had told newspaper men that Americans in the war zone would remain there at their own risk. No deadline for evacuation had yet been set, and when rumors spread that the United States flagship Augusta was making ready to leave Yangtze waters, panic spread among the Yanks in Shanghai.

Many business men, with lifetime savings invested there vigorously urged the President to adopt "a foreign policy with a strong front and keep the American flag waving." One veteran Yank resident circulated a petition demanding that the President "get off his yacht, get on his feet and get some guts above them."

Opposition Surprises Nippon

JAPANESE naval guns and bombers carried the war 600 miles south of Shanghai when they attacked the port of Amoy, which houses a huge Chinese fort and arsenal, opposite the island of Formosa. Their bombs carried little effect and the shore artillery chased the warships, completely disabling one. The battle was but thirty miles from Hong Kong, recently ravished by a typhoon.

Elsewhere along the far-flung front the Japanese were meeting with opposition the caliber of which they had not expected. Along the Woosung front, 200,000 Chinese, including crack German-trained divi-

sions, were successful in holding back 60,000 Japanese; it was said to be the severest opposition the Japs have met since they fought Russia in 1904.

Japanese aerial bombardments continued in the Chapei, Kiangwan, Taichong and Yanchong districts of Shanghai. The continued peril of the international settlement and the French concession spurred the American, British and French consuls to demand of both the Japanese and Chinese that their forces be withdrawn from that vicinity. Scores of noncombatants were daily being killed and wounded there by falling bombs and shells.

But Japan's long-awaited "big push" had not yet materialized. It was believed large reinforcements were being awaited. The Chinese man power was beginning to tell against the inferior numbers of the Japanese.

One of the war's most sensational military coups occurred in the rocky hills west of Peiping when 4,000 Japanese troops were reported wiped out by the Chinese in ambush. The Japanese line was said to have been driven back five miles by the terrific onslaught, and Japanese commanders were reported more worried than ever over the success of their invasion in this sector.

Another of the war's great horrors was perpetrated when the Japanese bombed a refugee train 300 miles south of Shanghai, killing 300 and wounding 400 noncombatants. Chinese bombers' efforts at reprisal were ineffective.

Only in the northern province of Chahar did the Japanese make real progress. There they captured the capital city of Kalgan. A commission of 100 "prominent" Mongols and Chinese (many of them known to be associated with the Japanese army) was setting up a new "popular" autonomous government under Japanese control.

Plague Upon a Plague

JOHN L. LEWIS, fire-eating chairman of the Committee for Industrial Organization, let fly a rebuke at President Roosevelt for implied backwatering on campaign promises and hinted at the possibility of a third party in the elections of 1940. In a radio speech he declared:

"It ill behoves one who has sipped at labor's table and who has been sheltered in labor's house to curse with equal fervor and fine impartiality both labor and its adversaries when they become locked in deadly embrace."

This was regarded as an answer to the "plague on both your houses" which President Roosevelt called down on extremists of both sides in the "little steel" strike. In his campaign for re-election he had "sipped at labor's table" to the extent of a half-million-dollar contribution to the Democratic national committee by the C. I. O.

Lewis suggested that it would be a wise move for labor and agriculture to wage their battles together politically.

"Labor has suffered just as our farm population has suffered," he said, "from a viciously unequal distribution of the national income."

"The exploitation of both classes of workers has been the source of panic and depression, and upon the economic welfare of both rests the best assurance of a sound and permanent prosperity."

16,098,000-Bale Cotton Crop

THE fifth largest cotton crop yield in the nation's history was forecast by the Department of Agriculture, which estimated a 1937 crop of 16,098,000 bales. The cotton crop September 1 was 75 per cent of normal, indicating an average yield per acre of 228.5 pounds.

Chinese Won't 'Cooperate'

JAPAN'S aim in the undeclared war is to make China submit once and for all to her will, the Japanese government virtually admitted through its foreign minister, Koki Hirota. The seriousness of Japan's intentions were obviated when Emperor Hirohito, departing from precedent, referred to the conflict in detail in a public statement from the throne, and when it was revealed that Nippon is preparing more appropriations for her already heavy war chest.

Hirota blamed the Chinese central government for the present fighting because it refuses to "co-operate" with Japan in "maintaining peace" in eastern Asia. Japanese military action against China, he said, was taken to make impossible the recurrence of the current hostilities. "Japan," he said, "has no other objective than to see a happy and tranquil North China and Sino-Japanese relations so adjusted as to enable us to put into practice our policy . . ."

"Since China, ignoring our true motive, mobilized her vast armies against us, we can do no other than to counter by force of arms."

The emperor, in addressing the houses of parliament, greatly impressed his subjects with a review of the war, arriving at much the same conclusions as Hirota had. The session of parliament was called to consider the appropriation of \$592,000,000 for the campaigns in China, raising the total of the nation's war chest to \$737,000,000.

Dodd and Hull Disagree

BY THE time this is printed William E. Dodd may no longer be United States ambassador to Germany. In an interview he vigorously opposed any American representation at the Nazi party congress in Nuremberg.



Ambassador W. E. Dodd

Secretary of State Cordell Hull refused to comment upon Dodd's attitude, but announced that the United States would be represented at the conference which will celebrate Hitler's rule by Prentiss Gilbert, American charge d'affaires in Berlin.

Secretary Hull explained that the action was being taken merely as a friendly gesture to the Nazi government, with whom he said the United States is in complete diplomatic accord. Diplomatic reports have indicated that Dodd, now vacationing here, had made himself unpopular in Berlin because of criticism of the Hitler government's policies. Rumor had it that he might not return to his post.

McGrady Quits Labor Post

EDWARD F. MCGRADY, assistant secretary of labor, and chief strike trouble shooter of Mme. Frances Perkins' department, resigned to devote his talents to radio. He left his \$9,000-a-year job to take the post of executive vice president in charge of industrial relations with the Radio Corporation of America, at a salary variously estimated at from \$15,000 to \$50,000.

In a letter to McGrady, President Roosevelt expressed "deep regret," and added, "Your efforts to maintain harmonious labor relations have always been in the public interest and in fairness to workers and management."

McGrady had been one of the federal mediators who failed to achieve a settlement of the C. I. O. strike against "Little Steel." In his new position, his services will be available to the government upon call, it was reported.

Hitler: 'Stand by Japan'

ADOLF HITLER, in a manifesto to the German nation, offered to stand by both Italy and Japan in a "defensive fight against bolshevism." He charged that the "two major wars" now going on (the Sino-Japanese and the Spanish civil wars) were the result of "attempts to spread communism."

The Reichsfuehrer's speech was read to the Nazi party congress in Nuremberg while he sat on the platform. It could not have been better timed in view of the current friction between Italy and Soviet Russia over submarine piracy in the Mediterranean.

Germany and Italy's "community of interests" have emerged in recent months, he said, "more and more an element in the defense of Europe against chaotic imbecility."

His manifesto continued: "Our (anti-communistic) agreement with Japan serves the same fundamental mission—to stand together in defense of world civilization."

Postage Stamp War

HONDURAS and Nicaragua were on the verge of running up the curtain on their own little show in honor of Mars, the god of war—all over a postage stamp. Nicaragua issued a stamp bearing a map which showed an area along the Honduras boundary as "territory in dispute." Hondurans claimed it was an affront to their sovereignty, citing the Spanish award which both sides accepted in 1906 and which was supposed to have settled the territory question. Hondurans were further incensed when Nicaraguan radio speakers hinted the Honduran army couldn't lick a postage stamp, and proposed sending troops into that country.

Floyd Gibbons' ADVENTURERS' CLUB

HEADLINES FROM THE LIVES OF PEOPLE LIKE YOURSELF!



"Tusk of the Wild Boar"

By FLOYD GIBBONS Famous Headline Hunter

HELLO EVERYBODY:

Well, sir, here's a story that starts out with another story. A long time ago I got a letter, sent to the Adventurers' Club, from Java, in the Dutch East Indies, way over on the other side of the world. It came from Kabeol, whose address was Panggoengweg No. 2, Tegal, Java, and Kabeol said that he'd read in the paper that I was giving away money, and would I please send him a hundred dollars because he was very poor.

Well, sir, I wrote Kabeol a letter telling him I couldn't send him any money until he'd sent in an adventure yarn good enough to print in this column, and—well—I guess they have adventures over in Java, too, because in came the yarn from Kabeol.

Incidentally, here's where the Adventurers' club breaks another ironclad rule. You know these yarns are all true and they all have to be vouched for. It's the club's custom to require that all papers be signed by the adventurer's name in full—first and last name, complete. But what are you going to do when a guy hasn't got any last name. Kabeol writes:

"Kabeol is the only name I have. I am a pure blooded Javanese boy, and we do not have family names."

On a Week's Hunt in the Jungle.

And now for Kabeol's story. He says he's had lots of adventures, but this time he's going to tell us about a boar hunt he went on with his father and some of their Javanese neighbors. They set out for a week's hunting in the jungle one morning in 1929, taking with them a supply of beras, or unprepared rice, and dendeng, which is meat prepared with spices. They traveled through the jungle for two days, walking about eight hours a day, and stopping to eat and rest in the early afternoons when the sun was hottest.

During the first two nights, they slept on the ground, rolled up in blankets. After that they were in country where the wild boar were plentiful and dangerous. Then they climbed trees as soon as it got dark, and passed the night in them. On the third day they pitched camp and



The Boar Saw Him and Charged Again.

were ready to begin hunting. First they looked for water holes (drink places, Kabeol calls them) where the boars came at night to quench their thirst. They found several, and Kabeol and his dad hid in the undergrowth near one of them. The first night they killed three boars and carried them back to camp.

On the second night, about eight o'clock, a boar came out of the jungle across from where they were hiding. Kabeol and his dad both fired. The shots told. The boar stumbled and fell. But the next moment he was on his feet again, his eyes gleaming malevolently, and was coming at them like a hurricane.

The guns they were using were old single shot affairs. There was no time to reload them. Kabeol's dad yelled to him to run, while he dashed off in another direction.

The boar could only follow one of them—and he picked on Kabeol. The boar was a scant ten yards from him, and the nearest tree was twenty-five or thirty yards away. Kabeol ran as he had never run in his life, but he COULDN'T OUTFRAN THAT BOAR. Foot by foot it gained on him. By the time Kabeol reached the nearest tree, the boar was a scant yard behind.

Neat Trick That Fooled the Boar.

There was no time to climb that tree then. The boar would have ripped Kabeol's legs to pieces with his tusks while he was trying to get up it. But Kabeol had a trick up his sleeve—a trick known to all native boar hunters in Java. As he neared the tree he reached out and caught it with his hand—swung himself sharply around it.

The boar WENT THUNDERING BY HIM. Before he could stop he was ten yards away, and that was all the room Kabeol needed. Before the animal could turn around, Kabeol had started up the tree. The boar saw him—charged again—but he was just too late. By the time he reached the tree again, Kabeol was sitting pretty on one of the lower limbs.

But the boar wasn't giving up yet. He made a few desperate lunges up the side of the tree trunk, trying to climb up after Kabeol, then he began to walk around that tree. Around and around he went, pawing the ground with his hoofs and stopping every now and then to glare up into the tree at Kabeol.

Kabeol thought it would be only a short time before the boar either succumbed to his wounds or got tired of waiting and went away. But the boar, evidently, wasn't wounded very badly, and neither did he get tired of waiting for Kabeol to come down. Hour after hour went by. Dusk turned into night, and the night wore on. Still the boar hadn't given up. Still he paced around and around the tree, waiting to kill that man creature who had stung him with his shooting stick.

Kabeol Tied Himself in the Tree.

Kabeol was getting sleepy, but he fought sleep off. Once or twice he caught himself falling into a doze, and brought himself awake just in time to keep from falling out of the tree. That would never do. Once he landed on the ground, he would be ripped and trampled to death by the boar in a matter of seconds—minutes at the most.

Still, he was dead tired. The day had been a hard one, and his body ached with fatigue. He searched his pocket—and found a piece of rope that was all he wanted. Picking a nice comfortable spot in the upper branches of the tree, he tied himself to the trunk.

Sleeping in trees was nothing new to the Javanese boy. It was uncomfortable up there straddling that tree limb, but not uncomfortable enough to keep him from taking a nap when properly secured. He dozed off, and when he awoke again it was morning. The boar was gone. "Indeed, such animals are timid in daylight," says Kabeol. And Kabeol climbed down the tree and started back to camp.

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Anise of Parsley Family

The true anise is a member of the parsley family, native to southern Europe. It is a slender plant, two to four feet tall, with opposite oval, sharply serrate leaves. Somewhat branched at the top the branches end in interrupted spikes of small blue flowers each a half inch long. The tubular calyx is also a purplish blue adding color to the flowering spike. The decided odor of the flower spike gives the name anise hyssop; botanists call it Agastache anethiodora and it is also known as fragrant giant hyssop.

Washington Digest National Topics Interpreted by William Bruckart

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Brutal Japan

Neutrality act with respect to the war—undeclared though it is—that is raging on Chinese soil. These editorial expressions obviously will have considerable weight and will convince a very great number of American citizens that President Roosevelt ought to invoke the neutrality act and, by so doing, proclaim that Japan is the aggressor. That, in simple terms, is what a presidential announcement of application of the neutrality act would mean.

There probably has never been a brutality comparable to the unspeakable outrage which Japan is committing in China; certainly, never in modern times. It is a stain upon the name of the Japanese people and the smooth working of the Japanese military machine will never be able to offset the hostility which the subjects of the Rising Sun are creating by this display of brutality.

Although the Tokyo government has yet to say it is fighting a war, the Japanese aggression in China is just as much a war as though the United States and Canada had taken up arms against each other and had proclaimed to the world that they were belligerents. The very fact that there has been no declaration of war, however, complicates the situation as regards the United States and Great Britain. Unless these nations, along with some others which have interests in China, are willing to shoulder the responsibility that comes when an outside nation says publicly that two powers are at war, neither nation can afford to endanger its neutral position by saying to the world that Japan is trying to subjugate portions of China.

That is exactly what is happening. In spite of the declaration of the Japanese statesmen that their military machine is only protecting Japanese nationals, the whole affair may be treated as pure hypocrisy—as a movement by the Japanese to gain control of new resources, new land, over which the teeming millions from Japan may run as the hordes of Chinese are displaced. The whole thing shows how long we have been fooled by the persuasiveness of the Japanese statesmen.

You may ask: What can we do about it? The answer is exceedingly difficult. I have a fear that we can do nothing because of the international policies that the United States pursued during the administrations of Presidents Coolidge and Hoover and those that are continuing under President Roosevelt.

Only once in all of those years did the American government speak out firmly concerning the apparent Japanese plans and on that occasion the assistance given the United States by Great Britain and France amounted to little more than a whisper.

So now the patience of a great many people is wearing rather thin. I think also, from what I hear in diplomatic circles, that the British lion has begun to bare his teeth and unsheath his claws. Again, to what purpose I do not know, because the United States and Great Britain thus far have discussed no plan for acting in unison. Certainly, without concerted action between them and including France, little can be accomplished. It does seem that they could get together because of the community of interests but either the United States lacks leadership in the circumstance, or there are some bugs under the British and French chips about which we do not know. I repeat that in the face of Japan's devastating actions and the ever-growing threat of her overlordship in the Far East, these three powers ought to work out an understanding by which they can trim the wings of the Japanese war birds.

Tough Problem

As the fighting continues on Chinese soil and as one disturbing act after another is committed by the Japanese, I imagine many persons are going to inquire why the United States does not brave world diplomacy and invoke the neutrality act. In that eventuality, there ought to be a clear understanding of the various implications and results that would flow from such an American action. In the first instance, Japan is now virtually self-sufficient in the matter of munitions. If we declare an embargo against shipment of war materials to the fighting nations, I believe it is generally agreed the action would hurt China more than it would hurt Japan. It would result in cutting off supplies which the Chinese sorely need. Americans are wholly willing to sell supplies to them because, generally speaking, it is apparent that the sympathies of American individuals are with the Chinese even

though the government officially remains neutral.

Further, if our President declared that war existed between Japan and China, doubtless Japan would be encouraged to declare war on China formally. In that event the Japanese immediately would establish a naval blockade of the Chinese coast.

Some Say Hands Off

In some quarters in Washington, one will hear arguments that the United States ought to continue to keep its hands off the Far East situation. That school of thought takes the position that the United States is not obligated either from a moral standpoint or from the necessity of protecting American interests, to use force in putting Japan back within its own borders.

The basic reason why these thinkers argue against a firm American attitude, however, is that China never has been subjugated. China has been attacked; it has been overrun from many quarters and it is now being overrun again; but it has never been conquered. That sounds like a broad statement but history proves its truth. The Chinese through all of their thousands of years of history have managed to survive and maintain their racial characteristics and traditions. They never have sought additional territory. They have been content to do things in their own way and to absorb Western civilization slowly. In other words, the Chinese have generally allowed human nature to change only as human nature does change through the years.

What of Other Powers?

But what of other world powers? Lately, the Chinese have entered into a treaty with Soviet Russia which that nation promises not to participate in war against China. The treaty is simple enough and yet what is written there is only a shadow of what it all means. The Soviet, while apparently not desiring to engage Japan in hostilities, is unwilling to see Japan go too far in extending her frontier. It is only a short while since Japan set up the puppet state of Manchukuo. It borders on Russian territory and the feeling along that border has been none too harmonious. It seems quite logical then that the Soviet was desirous of showing to Japan the possibility of an attack from two sides if Japan forces her tentacles too far inland in continental Asia.

Also, it ought to be mentioned that the treaty between the Soviet and China may be influential in Europe. The general understanding is that Hitler has committed Germany to the aid of Japan if the Soviet moves against the island power. Besides this circumstance, the Soviet is unwilling, if one may judge circumstances of the last two years, to encourage the ill will of Great Britain. Dictator Stalin does not want to have Great Britain and France arrayed against him and he can see obviously that Great Britain and France, as well as the United States, must favor China.

Takes Over Railroads

Word comes by cable from Paris that the French government has nationalized all of the railroads within the borders of that nation. It may be that this news item will be passed over by many persons with the remark that the condition is several thousand miles across the Atlantic. It is, however, a most significant step because France, along with the United States and Great Britain, long has held to the idea that private initiative and private brains always are better than government initiative and government brains.

I call attention to this development for another reason. It happens that about three years ago members of President Roosevelt's so-called Brain Trust were planning exactly the same thing for the United States.

Strangely, the terms by which the French government, which is now completely socialistic, took over the railroads of France are identical with those which were under consideration by the Roosevelt Brain Trust.

It may be news to many persons to learn that the bunch of theorists who infest our government once actually drafted a bill for action by congress to nationalize the American railroads. That bill would have taken over the rail lines for their bonded indebtedness and would have left nothing at all for the stockholders. The French radicals have done exactly that thing in nationalizing the French railroads.

It may be that "It can't happen here," but I must confess a very deep fear. It seems to me the time has arrived for those who believe in ownership of their own homes, possession of their own money—whether the sum be small or large—to awaken to the trend of world events.

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# What Irvin S. Cobb Thinks about Tombstone Inscriptions.

PHOENIX, ARIZ.—A gentleman took me sightseeing through a cemetery that abounded in proud mausoleums and stately shafts.

I figured he wanted to show me that rich folks continue to enjoy the utmost luxury even after becoming deceased.

How futile and how vain are most tombstone inscriptions. They give the dates of birth and death—events in neither of which the departed had any say—so unless he committed suicide. And just as the average graveside eulogy is a belated plea for the defense, offered after the evidence is all in, so an epitaph is an advertisement for a line of goods which permanently has been discontinued.

Somehow this burying ground stuff reminds me of hired critics of other men's efforts. The difference between professional book reviewers and the other obituarists is that the latter do their work after you pass on, but the reviewers can't wait until you're dead to write your literary death notice for you.

Maybe critics are to authors what fleas were to David Harum's dog; they keep authors from brooding on being authors.

**Catching Barracuda.**  
LEO CARILLO is quite a yachtsman when not acting for the screen or leading parades. He's our champion parade leader. It's got so they don't dare let a colored funeral go past his house for fear he'll rush right out and head the procession.

On one of those days when there wasn't a parade, he took Victor Moore and me out on his boat. We caught a mess of slim, yet fragrant fish. Leo called them barracuda, but, with their low retreating foreheads and greedy jaws, they looked more like slyster lawyers to me—the kind who chase ambulances and eventually get disbarred.

**Glad, Mad Artists.**  
HERETOFORE, the glad, mad geniuses, who produce masterpieces of sculpture and painting which resemble nothing on heaven or earth or in the waters below except possibly some bad dream which these parties had once while feeling pretty bilious, have depended upon the ultra-ultra among the intelligentsia for support.

But now one hears divers millionaires may endow for them an academy or a gallery—or possibly it's an asylum for the more violent cases. Anyhow, there's money behind the cult, and when money gets behind a thing in this country, it usually flourishes, provided the money doesn't get too far behind, as happened in 1929, when the rest of the country was trying to figure out what had become of the deposits and investments, which we, of the sucker class, had entrusted to our leading financial wizards.

Still, we of that same ignorant mass-group do not have to buy examples of this new school. We don't even have to look at them unless we're in Germany and are escorted to the official state-run display by a regiment of Nazi storm-troopers.

And, aside from their ideas of what constitutes art, it's said that some of the artists themselves are not really dangerous, merely annoying in an itchy sort of way. In other words, they're all right if you don't get one of 'em on you.

**Pugilistic Authors.**  
I'M ALWAYS missing something. On the occasion of one really historic battle between a brace of distinguished writers, I yawningly left the scene before Messrs. Sinclair Lewis and Theodore Dreiser quit swapping hard words and started swapping soft blows.

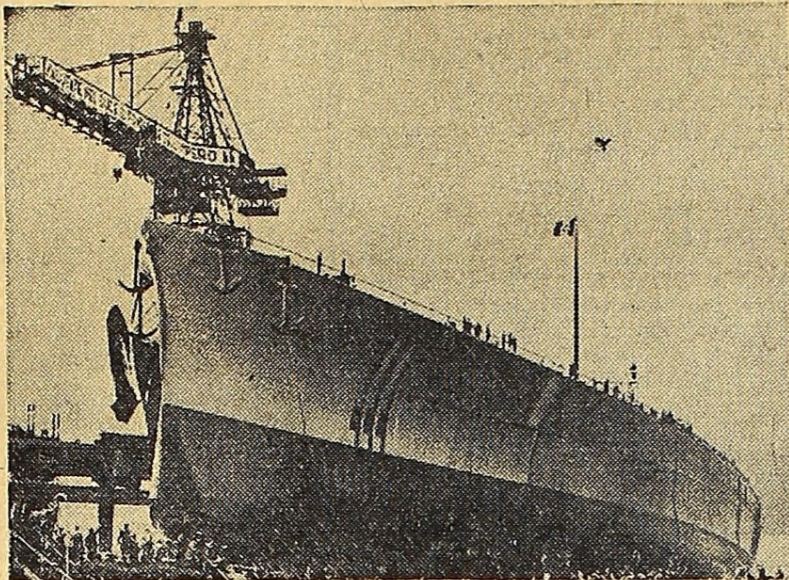
And it was just my luck to be out here recently when Ernest Hemingway threw a book—or maybe it was a publisher; anyhow some such hard, knobby object—at Mr. Max Eastman and Mr. Eastman retorted with a tremendous push which damaged Mr. Hemingway not at all.

The typical writer, no matter how red-blooded his style may be, packs all his wallops in his pen and never in his fist. There have been exceptions. Once Rex Beach cleaned out a night club all by himself, but his opponents were hoodlums, not fellow-writers. He had something substantial to work on.

Some of my belligerent brethren in the writing game never lose an argument, but, on the other hand, none of them ever won a fight. Neither did their literary opponents. In fact, next to the average professional pugilist, I can think of no one who, in the heat of combat, equals a writer for showing such magnificent self-control when it comes either to inflicting personal injury or sustaining same.

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## Italy Launches Biggest Battleship



Thousands shouted and waved their hats as this sleek monster slid down the ways at Trieste, marking a red-letter day in Italian naval history. The battleship is the Vittorio-Veneto (35,000 tons), the largest of Italy's sea-warriors and one of the largest in the world. The sign on the launching mast reads: "Hail Il Duce as founder of the empire."

## Army Rushes Completion of New West Air Center

### Reservation at Sacramento Covers 1,200 Acres.

Sacramento, Calif.—Work is being rushed here for the completion by January, 1939, of what will be one of the nation's most important military aviation centers. It will be a base for the repair and maintenance of all army flying fields, planes and materials west of the Rocky mountains.

The new Sacramento air depot will be located on a 1,200-acre tract seven miles northeast of the state capital. It will include an amazing array of huge steel and concrete buildings, housing plane shops, warehouses, aero shops, hangars, offices and many other structures. It will also have a military post, including a headquarters, building, barracks, hospital, quartermaster's facilities, guardhouse, fire stations and quarters for officers and "non-coms."

More than 200 men are working on the base now and this number will be increased to 1,000 when construction is in full swing, according to Major Arthur W. Parker, in charge of the work.

**Three Concrete Runways.**  
For test flying there will be a large, completely equipped air-drome with three concrete runways

### SPECKLED KING



"King Freckles" was the title conferred on Jackie Martin II of Philadelphia, winner of a freckle contest in Philadelphia. Jackie was chosen from among hundreds of runners-up as the kid most abundantly freckled and therefore most deserving of the crown and kingly cup.

each 4,000 feet long and 150 feet wide. Leveling the field involves the movement of a million cubic yards of soil.

When finished and in public service the depot will provide employment for about 500 civilian mechanics and a good-sized staff of office workers. Its military force will consist of from 25 to 40 officers and 150 enlisted men.

The outstanding feature of this great base will be the building which will house the engineering shop and the repair dock. It will be 900 feet long by 600 feet wide, or approximately three city blocks long and two blocks wide, covering nearly 13 acres.

Although it will be only one story high, it will require 5,530 tons of structural steel. Its three main doorways will be 250 feet wide by 50 feet high. The doors will be opened and closed by powerful electric motors. Surmounting the vast structure will be a 90-foot flying control tower.

Within this 13-acre plant will be row on row of aeronautical machinery, including everything necessary for overhauling and repairing any type of plane.

**Ten-Acre Supply Depot.**  
Adjoining the engineering shop will be the depot supply warehouse with nearly ten acres of floor space. It will be 850 feet long and 430 feet wide with a one-story height.

Most remarkable from the standpoint of construction, however, will be the two-story equipment repair

building, in which plane instruments will be kept in tip-top shape. Its walls, extending 220 feet in one direction and 72 feet in the other, will be almost wholly made of glass blocks four inches thick and without windows.

An air-conditioning system will provide ventilation and regulate the temperature. The reason for this is that aero instruments are so delicate they can be properly regulated and tested only in rooms which are dustproof and where the atmosphere is controlled.

The main office building will be 300 feet long and 70 feet wide and three stories in height. Two additional structures will house the engineering and operating offices.

### Explaining Name Tires Townsfolk in Michigan

Paw Paw, Mich.—Paw Paw filling station attendants are weary of explaining how this town got its name and particularly that the name has nothing at all to do with fathers.

"Southerners never ask about it," one attendant explained. "They know the paw paw is a particularly sweet fruit, something on the order of a small banana. But many northerners and city people never heard of paw paws. The town was actually named by the Indians as it was the Indians who named the Paw Paw river because of the number of paw paw trees which dotted its banks. Then the town was named after the river. In 1867, the name of the township was changed from Lafayette to Paw Paw.

"Simple, isn't it. But it gets tiresome telling that story 20 times a day."

## Navy Strengthening Defenses in the Pacific

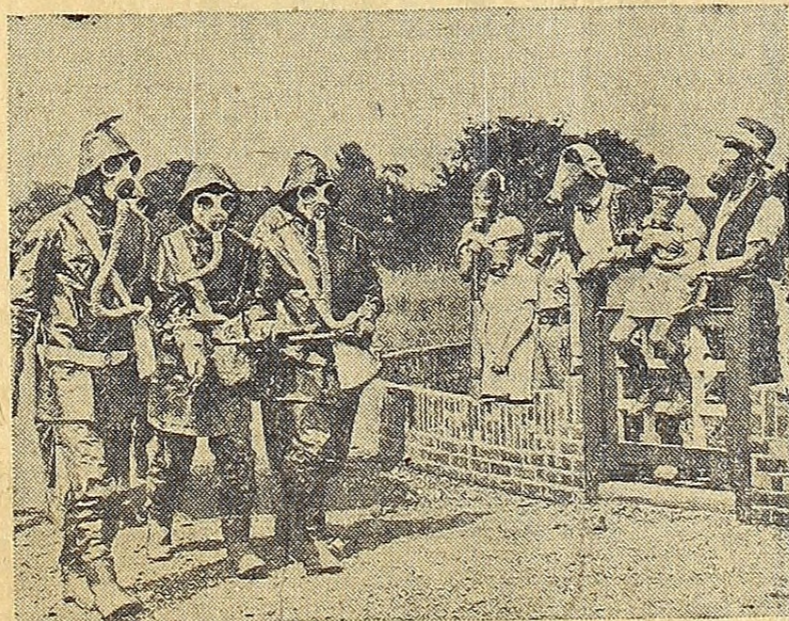
### U. S. to Patrol Coast With Fleet of Giant Bombers.

San Diego, Calif.—The navy is lengthening and strengthening its "first line of defense" in the Pacific.

Before the end of 1938 huge patrol bombing planes, most powerful air fighters of their type in the world, will be droning along daily over some part of an area embracing 5,000,000 square miles. The planes will be stationed so as to be instantly available should trouble rise in the Pacific.

It is the plan of the navy to have 140 of these most modern fighting craft on duty in the great semicircle extending from the Aleutian islands, through Guam, Wake and Midway to the Hawaiian group and then bending eastward to Panama before another twelve months passes.

## Here's a Brand New English Custom



A sign of the times in Old England is this photograph, made during Chatham Navy week, which gives you an idea of the extent to which Europe is suffering from war jitters. The oilskinned gents at left are members of a "decontamination squad," who are rehearsing the duty they hope they'll never have to do—mopping up after an "enemy" gas attack. To lend realism to the scene an entire English family stands in front of its home, everybody gas-masked, watching the squad go by.

## Stitches on Clothing Save Lost 8-Year-Old

Washington.—A chainstitch in time saved Catherine Freeman. Back from visiting her grandmother in South Carolina, eight-year-old Catherine was supposed to be met by her mother at the station—but Mrs. Freeman was delayed.

So Catherine pointed to the big figures chainstitched into the front of her dress—"1601 A street, Washington, D. C."—and was delivered safely.

## Indians Ate Prisoners, According to Reports

Niles, Mich.—Cannibalism isn't an institution peculiar to darkest Africa—it was practiced here in Michigan not much more than 100 years ago.

The Rev. Isaac McCoy, pastor at the pioneer Carey mission near here and a close friend of the Indians, left an account of a conversation with Pokagon, Pottawatomi chief, in which the Indian told him that the tribe of Sauks had eaten their prisoners.

As recently as 1825 there was evidence that an Osage prisoner was killed and eaten in the state—Indians being convinced the strength and courage of their enemy came to them by eating him.

Apparently, Pokagon in accusing the Sauks to Mr. McCoy, was using his accusations as a shield, as noted historians, including Schoolcraft, Parkman and Drake, declare that cannibalism was common, even among the Pottawatomies.

### POWER PLUS



Although her skill and technique deserve full credit for Jadwiga Jadrejska's recent victory over Alice Marble, American tennis champion, in the tennis finals at Rye, N. Y., the power and determination of the Polish star, demonstrated graphically in this picture, were the major weapons in her armament. Here, too, is evidence of the great stamina that enables Jadwiga to maintain a killing pace in the pinches.

## IMPROVED UNIFORM INTERNATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

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### Lesson for September 19

#### CHOICES AND THEIR CONSEQUENCES IN A NATION'S LIFE

LESSON TEXT—Deuteronomy 11:8-12, 26-32. GOLDEN TEXT—Choose you this day whom ye will serve.—Joshua 24:15. PRIMARY TOPIC—Our Country. JUNIOR TOPIC—Choosing Sides. INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC—The Importance of Our Choices. YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC—My Part in Making Up the Nation's Mind.

Nations as well as individuals are responsible before God for the manner in which they live. They enjoy the blessings of right living and suffer the penalty of wrong moral choices. While it is true that national leaders may not always reflect the true character of the people, it is generally true that there is a sort of national character which over a longer period of time accurately represents the moral condition of the people as a whole.

Many earnest men and women believe that the United States of America stands today at the crossroads of national moral decision. There has been an unquestionable decadence of true religion, of home life, of social purity, and a growth of moral indifference and outright wickedness which causes men who think to cry out for a revival of old-fashioned spiritual and moral standards ere it be too late. The most effective, and in fact the only really effective way to bring that about, is a revival within the church of Christ, and a resultant renewal of its service in winning men to Jesus Christ as their Saviour and Lord. A 24-page booklet "Lessons in Soul-Winning," by Dr. Will H. Houghton, will be sent by the writer without charge to those requesting it. If possible enclose a 3 cent stamp.

#### I. Right Choices Result in Blessing (vv. 8, 9).

Making the right choice is in fact a simple matter, for it means only obedience to God's commandments. God is the author of the moral law. He alone can and does determine what is right and wrong. Man need not determine, nor is he equipped to decide that question. He can and must relate the details of his life to the law of God. How important it is then that he properly understand that law, and what folly it is to neglect the study of God's Word, where the commandments of God are made known unto men.

#### II. God Encourages Right Choices (vv. 10-12).

Our God is the great and untiring "giver of every good and perfect gift." We need but to lift up our eyes and look at His handiwork, or stir up our memories to recall his goodness, and we know that he and all his blessed works encourage us to do right—to live right.

But, alas, all too often God's choicest gifts are perverted and are used to bring the very opposite result. The most beautiful lakes and naturally delightful surroundings are used for resorts and clubs which all too often lead men to moral destruction. Parents almost fear that their daughters may be too attractive, for the world, the flesh, and the devil are constantly out "scouting" for beautiful women whose very God-given beauty may be used to glorify sin and lead others into disobedience to God.

#### III. Right and Wrong Are Fundamental and Eternal (vv. 26-32).

It needs to be repeated over and over again in these callous and indifferent days that there is laid down in the very constitution of the entire universe a moral distinction between right and wrong. Right is always right, and wrong is definitely and eternally wrong. There is no moral twilight zone, where things are neither white nor black, but a neutral gray.

Note that the difference between right and wrong was to be the same "on the other side of the Jordan." Time and place have no power to change moral law. What was right or wrong for your great-grandfather is right or wrong for you. What was right in your home on the farm is right in the city where you now live, or vice-versa. The passing of the years or a change of residence does not alter that law of God.

May God help the people of our nation, and all the countries of the earth, to remember that it is still true that "righteousness exalteth a nation; but sin is a reproach to any people" (Prov. 14:34).

#### A Season

To everything there is a season, and a time to every purpose under the heaven; a time to be born, and a time to die.—Ecclesiastes 3:1, 2

#### In the Silent Watches

While alone and in silence, man can commune with himself.—Van Amburgh.

#### Flood of Ambition

Ambition like a torrent never looks back.

## AROUND the HOUSE Items of Interest to the Housewife

**A Mended Cloth.**—If a small hole is burnt or worn in an otherwise good white tablecloth, it can be "mended" most effectively by stitching a motif in fine crochet over it and cutting away the spoiled fabric underneath. Add one or two more motifs so that the necessary one does not look odd. This is certainly more decorative than an obvious darn!

**Devised Cheese.**—One dessert-spoon grated cheese, one teaspoon milk, one pinch celery salt, (optional), cayenne, one-half teaspoon made mustard. Mix all ingredients to smooth paste. Spread on any unsweetened biscuit (cream crackers). Place under a red-hot grill to brown. Serve immediately.

**Dainty Shoulder Straps.**—When making your undies try using narrow velvet ribbon for the shoulder straps. The velvet side next to the skin acts as a grip, while the satin on top looks dainty. You will find that ribbon-velvet straps will outlast any garment.

**Raspberry Shrub.**—To three quarts of red raspberries and one quart of sugar add one cup of vinegar. Cook slowly for half an hour and strain through cheese-cloth. Pour into sterilized bottles and seal. Serve over ice cubes diluted with water to taste.

**A Combination Dish.**—Two parts of tomatoes simmered with one part of celery makes a good combination dish.

**Picnic Lemonade.**—One cup sugar, one cup water, one cup strong tea infusion, six lemons, one cup crushed pineapple, three quarts water. Cook the sugar and water to a thin syrup; add the tea, lemon juice, pineapple, and water. Serve iced. Sixteen to eighteen servings. Excellent to quench thirst. Juices from canned

peaches, apricots, pears or cherries can be utilized for some of the water.

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**Beds of Pure Sulphur**  
Beds of pure sulphur exist in many parts of the world. In Louisiana and Texas they are covered with quicksand. This makes it impossible to mine in the ordinary way, so pipes are sunk. Hot water forced down one of the pipes dissolves the sulphur. The solution returns to the surface in another pipe. The product, when boiled down, is almost 100 per cent pure.

## The Tawas Herald

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### Reno News

Mrs. Misner of East Tawas, visited her sister, Mrs. Westervelt, last Thursday. They called on Mrs. Claud Crego, on her return home she was accompanied by Mrs. Arthur Roper and infant son. Mrs. Roper has been convalescing at the home of her mother, Mrs. Tom. Mason.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Thompson of Whittemore, and Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Brown, spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Frockins. Miss Irene Ruckle of Whittemore was a week end guest of Miss Ver-nija White.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Roberts and daughter, Betty, and Mr. and Mrs. Robert McCormisky, who have been vacationing in the Upper Peninsula, are spending a few days at the cottage here and visiting relatives this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur White of Prescott, and J. A. White of Flint, spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. White.

Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Murry and daughter, and Mr. and Mrs. Frockins, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. McCormisky.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hull of Midland were Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Perkins.

To all newlyweds we would say take warning when you have your suit-cases packed and locked in your car, safe guard the key, there is always someone lurking about.

Mr. and Mrs. John Spurtivant of Hesperia, Mich., attended the wedding of their son James here Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Daugharty-Miss Alice Latzer and Mrs. L. B. Perkins, were at Bay City Wednesday of last week.

Miss Elenor Mason of Maybee, Mich., attended the wedding of her cousin, Miss Helen Latzer.

The many friends of William Gillespie of Flint, will be grieved to learn of his death.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Wesenick and Albert Wesenick, were Sunday visitors at the Hutchinson home.

A. L. Vary was at Bay City last Tuesday.

Ira Wagner entertained some friends from Battle Creek, last week. Mrs. Alex. Robinson attended the funeral of her uncle, Mr. William Gillespie, at Flint, last Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Claud Crego and daughter, Cleona were Sunday visitors with Mrs. Westervelt.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Sherman spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. William Karus of Tawas City.

### LOWER HEMLOCK

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Smith of Glenie spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Waldo Curry.

Mr. and Mrs. Theo. Anschuetz called on Mr. and Mrs. Walter Anschuetz on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Nelkie spent the week end visiting relatives and friends in Bay City and Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe. Rapp called on Mr. and Mrs. Beryl Hughes on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas McArdle of Alpena spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. William Katterman.

Mr. and Mrs. Wagner of Ohio, and Lawrence Wagner of Detroit, spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Nelema.

Mrs. Herman Anschuetz who has been visiting relatives in Saginaw and Detroit, returned home Sunday.

**Mongoose, Snake Killer**  
The mongoose is India's snake killer. It destroys not only the eggs and young but kills venomous adult reptiles as well. However, the mongoose, if bitten, dies like any other animal. Its secret lies in its agility and quickness of eye. First it gets the snake to strike, dodges swiftly and, before the reptile can recover, sinks its own fangs into its opponent's neck.

**Father of English Song**  
Caedmon, the father of English song, was the first Anglo-Saxon who composed in his own language works that are extant. Born in the early Seventh century, he was originally a cowherd attached to the monastery of Whitby. According to legend, he was commanded in a dream to sing the beginning of created things. He accordingly produced metrical paraphrases of Genesis and other parts of the Bible. He died about 680.

**Children as Guests**  
Of a certain reformer, it has been beautifully said: "He regarded little children as little guests in the world, to be welcomed with gentle courtesy and tenderness, to be offered knowledge and love, and charmed with song and flowers, so that they might be glad and proud to have come into a world which gives them happiness and only asks of them goodness."

**Mosque of St. Sophia**  
The Mosque of St. Sophia was built at Constantinople as a Christian cathedral by the Roman Emperor Justinian, 531-588 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.

## Hemlock

Mr. and Mrs. John Miller returned Thursday from a weeks visit with their daughter and family in Wheeling West Virginia. Mr. and Mrs. Henry Schatz returned to Detroit after bringing them home. Edward Beasinger of Flint is visiting his family over the week end.

Miss Muriel Smith of East Tawas is home for a two weeks vacation. She, with her mother, Mrs. Andrew Smith, left on Tuesday for Bay City Flint and Lansing, for a week.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Herriman returned home Sunday from Detroit, they also visited her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Chester Dobson, at Vassar, Saturday night.

Mrs. Andrew Smith and daughter, Muriel, and Mrs. Gerald Bellan, called on Mrs. Chas. Bown on Monday where Mrs. Smith and Muriel spent the day with her daughter, Mrs. Chas. Ward, and other friends.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Crum returned to Flint, they were accompanied by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Van Sickle. The many friends of Ray Smith were shocked to hear of his sudden death. He will be greatly missed by all who knew him. We also extend our sympathy to his wife and son.

John Densard and son, moved from Bill's farm to the Sim's farm near the County farm.

Mrs. and Mrs. Chas. Brown called on her parents in Reno, Sunday. A large bunch gathered last Thursday, and gave Mr. and Mrs. Alton Durant a charivari, and wished them a long and happy married life.

Mrs. John Fraser was in Owasso on business last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Smith and three children of Lansing, and Mr. and Mrs. Minor Watkins and daughter, of Flint, spent last week end with their mother, Mrs. Andrew Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Van Paeten will attend the wedding of their niece in Saginaw this Saturday.

A shower will be given on Mrs. Alton Durant on the 15th.

Mr. and Mrs. Russel Long of Tawas spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Alton Durant.

**Ancient House of Worship**  
The oldest house of worship known in the eastern part of the United States, a temple that may have been constructed by the ancient Mound Builders, was unearthed by the Tennessee Valley Authority archeological survey in a mountain valley 30 miles from Norris Dam.—Literary Digest.

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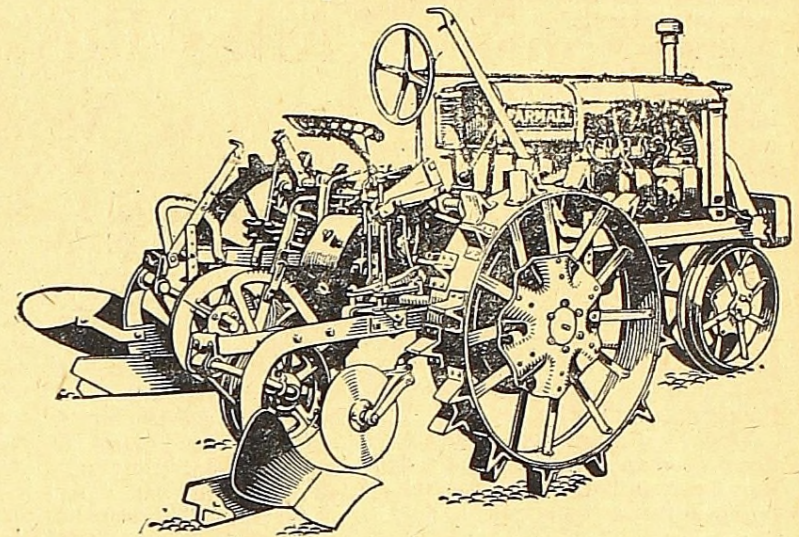
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| Frankfurters, per pound . . . . .                  | 22c |
| Kellogg's Corn Flakes two large packages . . . . . | 22c |
| Seven Bells Coffee, per pound . . . . .            | 19c |
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**Whittemore**  
The P-T. A. will hold a reception at the high school Friday evening, September 24, for the teachers. Everyone is invited to come and get acquainted with the faculty of your school.  
Mr. and Mrs. Thomas tuckled are visiting relatives in Detroit.  
Mr. and Mrs. Archie Graham have moved into their new home on Main street.  
Joseph Danin spent Monday at Grand Rapids.  
Mrs. Roy Charters visited Tuesday with her daughter, Mrs. Norman Schuster at Prescott.  
Mr. and Mrs. John Gillespie were called to Flint Friday to attend the funeral of his brother, Wm. Gillespie.  
Mr. and Mrs. Mahlon Earhart returned home from a visit at Flint.  
Mrs. Jack Bodelon has so far recovered from her recent illness as to be brought to the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Bowen, and is gaining slowly.  
Word was received here of the death of Mrs. James McCrum of Detroit.  
Miss Bertha Allen underwent an appendicitis operation at the West Branch hospital last Sunday morning.  
Mr. and Mrs. John Allen and son, Kenneth, Misses Lois Charters, Lilia Pepish and Edis Ruckle visited Bertha Allen at the West Branch hospital Tuesday evening.  
Dr. and Mrs. E. A. Hasty spent Monday at Bay City.  
Mrs. Kenneth Nelson attended the reception for the teachers in Prescott Wednesday evening.  
Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Danin and daughter spent Wednesday at Saginaw.  
Mrs. Leo Bowen and daughter of East Tawas spent Sunday in the city.  
Mr. and Mrs. Norman Schuster of Prescott were callers in the city Tuesday evening.  
Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Shannon and children spent Sunday at Standish.  
Mr. and Mrs. John Higgins spent last week end at Cedar Lake.  
Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dorsey and family spent the week end at Newyago.

**MEADOW ROAD**  
Mrs. George Kramer of Prescott has been a guest at the Earl Herriman home this week.  
Mrs. Anna Tiff entertained her father, Mr. Baumgartner, and her sister, Mrs. Whal, the past week.  
The Walter Anschutz family have moved into the new house on the Scriber farm.  
Mrs. Wrathell who has been ill at the home of Robert Watts, has recovered and returned to her home in Turner.  
Paul Brown is building a barn for Henry McCormick.  
Mrs. Mary Scarlett called on Mrs. W. Anschutz Thursday.  
Arlie Sherman is cutting hay on the Wats farm.  
Allen Herriman who has been visiting here has returned to Flint.  
James McKinnon of Detroit is visiting his uncle, Robert Watts.  
The many friends of Mrs. Joseph Parent were grieved to rear of her death. We extend sympathy to the bereaved family.

**Many Wild Flowering Plants**  
The number of species of flowering plants growing wild in the United States and Canada is estimated to exceed 10,000.  
**First Petroleum in Ohio**  
Petroleum was first found in Ohio, and it is believed in the world, in what is Noble county, by Robert McKee, an early pioneer who struck a crevice containing oil while drilling for salt water. Because of the great trouble this oil gave him in the manufacture of salt, he abandoned this well to drill others so as to obtain salt water free of oil.

**"Sweetest Story Ever Told"**  
In 1884 Robert Morrison Stults resigned as musical instructor in the Long Branch, N. J., high school and moved to Batimore, Md., where he opened a piano and sheet music business. For some time he had been obsessed with the idea of writing a popular sentimental ballad. Mira Mirella, a comic opera star, was in search of such a song and Stults promised to write one for her. Going home one evening his wife, who had been reading "The Birds' Christmas Carol," remarked, "Well, that's the sweetest story ever!" He immediately supplied the word "told" and in two hours the song was finished.

**State of Michigan**  
The Probate Court for the County of Iosco.  
At a session of said court, held at the probate office in the city of Tawas City in said County, on the 3rd day of September A. D. 1937.  
Present, Honorable David Davison, Judge of Probate.  
In the matter of the estate of Louis Gauthier, deceased, Clarence Gauthier, having filed his petition, praying that an instrument filed in said Court be admitted to Probate as the last will and testament of said deceased and that administration of said estate be granted to Clarence Gauthier or some other suitable person.  
It is ordered, that the first day of October A. D. 1937 at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.  
It is further Ordered, that Public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy hereof, once each week, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing in the Tawas Herald a newspaper printed and circulated in said County.  
DAVID DAVIDSON  
Judge of Probate  
A true copy

**Council Proceedings**  
Regular meeting of the Common Council held August 16, 1937. Present, Mayor Brugger, Aldermen, Babcock, Burtzloff, Coyle, Davison, Leslie and Rouiller.  
Minutes of the last regular meeting read and approved. Committee on claims and accounts presented the following:  
J. A. Lansky, gas, oil gen. st. \$ 2.88  
S. Ferguson, grass seed, . . . . .55  
Wilson Grain Co., grass seed, . . . . .50  
Pay roll, . . . . .43.30  
R. W. Tuttle, supplies, cont., . . . . .17.55  
J. A. Lansky, fireman's pay roll, . . . . .29.00  
D. & M. brick car fire, . . . . .90.02  
Pay roll, water works, . . . . .27.70  
L. H. Braddock diaphragms and two shovels, . . . . .10.52  
Eugene Bing, supplies, . . . . .102.07  
Bethlehem Steel Co., steel, . . . . .4.15  
Barkman Lumber Co., lumber 155.20  
Hugh Lee Iron Works, grating, 28.80  
Pay roll, . . . . .122.43  
Moved by Burtzloff and seconded by Coyle that bills be allowed as read and orders drawn for same.  
Roll call, yeas, Babcock, Burtzloff, Coyle, Davison, Leslie and Rouiller. Nays, none, carried.  
Moved by Leslie and seconded by Davison that the DuBois Company being the lowest bidder on sewer pump \$395.00 the same be approved.  
Roll call, yeas, Babcock, Burtzloff, Coyle, Davison, Leslie and Rouiller. Nays, none, carried.  
Moved by Davison and seconded by Babcock that the City request the County to do what work the City may require upon the streets, charging only actual costs and rentals at State Highway rates. Roll call, yeas, Babcock, Burtzloff, Coyle, Davison, Leslie and Rouiller. Nays, none, carried.  
Moved by Coyle and seconded by Burtzloff that the City permit the sale of intoxicating liquor by the glass. Roll call, yeas, Burtzloff, Coyle, Davison and Rouiller. Nays, Babcock and Leslie. Carried.  
Moved and supported that meeting adjourn. Carried.

**Council Proceedings**  
Regular meeting of the Common Council held August 16, 1937. Present, Aldermen, Babcock, Burtzloff, Coyle, Davison and Leslie. Meeting called to order by President pro tem Burtzloff.  
Minutes of last regular meeting were read and approved. The committee on claims and accounts presented the following:  
Consumers Power Co., water works, contingent, . . . . . \$ 91.66  
Consumers Power Co., sewer, . . . . .14.42  
L. H. Braddock, 2 diaphragms, 7.72  
Barkman Lumber Co., lumber, cement, . . . . . 3.69  
Wm. Brown, 6 1/2 hrs. labor, . . . . . 2.93  
Frank Sands, 2 1/2 hrs. labor, . . . . . 1.13  
J. Steinhurst, 4 hrs. labor, . . . . . 1.80  
Wm. Brown, 5 hrs., w. w. con., 2.25  
August Libka, 5 hrs., w. w. con., 2.25  
J. Steinhurst, 5 hrs., w. w. con., 2.25  
Geo. Myles, 5 hrs., w. w. con., 2.25  
J. E. St. Aubin, Legion Memorial Day, con., . . . . . 25.00  
Michigan Municipal League Dues 1937-38, . . . . . 35.00  
Gus. Wojahn, team, 20 hrs. @ 80c gen. st., . . . . . 16.00  
J. A. Lansky, 10 gal. gas, . . . . . 1.83  
Moved by Coyle and seconded by Leslie that bills be allowed as read and orders drawn for same. Roll call, yeas, Babcock, Coyle, Davison and Leslie. Nays, none. Carried.  
Moved by Coyle and seconded by Davison that the clerk amend the resolution to sell liquor by the glass as passed at the last regular meeting to read as follows. Resolved, That pursuant to the provisions of section 56, Act. No. 8 of Public Acts of 1933, extra session as amended, the sale of spirits for consumption on premises licensed or to be licensed by the Michigan Liquor Control Commission for that purpose shall be and is hereby authorized in the City of Tawas City County of Iosco, State of Michigan. Carried.  
Communication from Great Lakes-St. Lawrence Tidewater Assn. received and read, on motion placed on file.  
Moved by Davison and seconded by Coyle that the price charge for sewer connections be raised to \$35.00 to take immediate effect. Roll call, yeas, Babcock, Coyle, Davison and Leslie. Nays, none. Carried.  
Moved by Babcock and seconded by Coyle that all applications for sewer connection accompanied by cash be put in as soon as possible. Carried.  
Moved and seconded that meeting adjourn. Carried.

**State of Michigan**  
The Probate Court for the County of Iosco.  
At a session of said court, held at the probate office in the city of Tawas City in said County, on the 3rd day of September A. D. 1937.  
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It is ordered, that the first day of October A. D. 1937 at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.  
It is further Ordered, that Public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy hereof, once each week, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing in the Tawas Herald a newspaper printed and circulated in said County.  
DAVID DAVIDSON  
Judge of Probate  
A true copy

**State of Michigan**  
The Probate Court for the County of Iosco.  
At a session of said court, held at the probate office in the city of Tawas City in said County, on the 25th day of August, A. D. 1937.  
Present, Honorable David Davison, Judge of Probate.  
In the matter of the estate of Winfield Chester and Widora Chester, his wife, deceased, Arthur Chester, having filed in said court his petition praying that said court adjudicate and determine who were at the time of their death the legal heirs of said deceased and entitled to inherit the real estate of which said deceased died seized.  
It is ordered, that the 18th day of September A. D. 1937, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.  
It is Further Ordered, that public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Tawas Herald a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.  
DAVID DAVIDSON  
Judge of Probate  
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**Sherman**  
Orville Ballard of Flint visited at the home of A. B. Schneider Sunday.  
Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Klopf of Saginaw spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Schneider.  
John Jordan was at Tawas City on business Monday.  
Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Brown of Detroit were in town last week leasing land for oil.  
T. A. Wood returned home from Detroit, Sunday, where he spent a couple of weeks taking in the State Fair and visiting relatives.  
Bob Stoner was at Bay City one day last week.  
The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Grabow, born Sunday morning, died Monday noon and was buried at the Catholic Cemetery at East Tawas, Tuesday. They wish to thank the many friends who helped them in their sad hours of bereavement and the beautiful flowers. Sympathy is extended to the bereaved parents.

**Early Superstitions**  
Elizabethan England believed in omens, generally bad ones. One's own body gave many a warning: "By the pricking of my thumbs, something wicked this way comes." Dreams were warnings sent by God. A nose-bleed meant something or other. The howl of a dog, the hoot of an owl, the dismal note of a raven, all presaged ill.

**Council Proceedings**  
Regular meeting of the Common Council held August 2, 1937. Present, Mayor Brugger, Aldermen, Babcock, Burtzloff, Coyle, Davison, Leslie and Rouiller.  
Minutes of the last regular meeting read and approved. Committee on claims and accounts presented the following:  
J. A. Lansky, gas, oil gen. st. \$ 2.88  
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Pay roll, . . . . .43.30  
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**WILBER**  
Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Thomas of Tulsa, Oklahoma, were visitors at the home of Mrs. Lureta SchAAF over Labor Day.  
Mr. and Mrs. Floyd SchAAF and family spent the week end in Flint.  
Mr. and Mrs. Art. Mannings are visiting the Art. Dawes.  
Mr. and Mrs. Howard Thompson and daughter, Edith, of Flint spent the week end here.  
Wm. Gunerson and Jerry Flinn of Detroit spent a week with Mr. and Mrs. A. Christian.  
Mrs. Geo. Davidson and family moved to Bay City Friday. Mr. Davidson returned with them.  
Mrs. O'Neil returned home from Flint, after spending a time there with relatives.  
Harry Cross and Harry Goodale spent Thursday in Bay City.  
Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Alda spent Sunday in Standish.  
With the help of some neighbors, Bob. Hilbrecht has erected a very nice looking barn.  
Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Alda and son, Jack, spent Sunday in West Branch.  
Andrew Christian spent Sunday in Ontonagon.  
Mrs. Geo. Wojahn of Laidlawville was a visitor at the Jas. Styles home last Sunday.  
Mr. and Mrs. B. Harris and family of Ottawas Beach spent Sunday at their cabin here.  
Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Cross, Mr. and Mrs. A. Shyand son, Gerald, and daughter, Bernice and her husband of Standish, spent Tuesday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Rugeles.

**Village Claims Record**  
Old Romeny is taking a bow as the village where they are fewer weddings and funerals than in any other part of England. They have had only one bride there in the last five years, and during the last two years only one person has died.

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**CLASSIFIED ADVS**  
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HOUSE FOR SALE—See Mrs. Ray Smith.  
FOR SALE—Six-weeks old pigs. John A. Miller, R. D. 1.  
FOR SALE—Jersey bull, year and a half old. Also several hogs ranging from 75 to 150 lbs. Little's Jersey Dairy, Sand Lake.  
FOR SALE—Heavrola, \$35.00 and and range, \$25.00. Call Tawas Herald. Phone 68.  
FOR SALE—Lots in Walker block, East Tawas. Easy terms. Phone 199. A. J. Berube.  
BUNGALOW Apartments and cabins for rent after October 1st. F. H. Goodrich, Tawas Inn.  
FOR SALE—Collie pups. Nelkie's Dairy.  
FOR SALE—Household furniture. Good condition. See Mrs. R. W. Tuttle.  
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CIDER PRESSING—Tuesdays and Fridays. 2 1/2 Miles west of Logan store on M55. Price 3 cents per gallon. Phone 156-6. Harold Mason.  
FOR SALE—Rabbit hound, also a good Coon hound. Cash or will trade for gun. J. Steinhurst.  
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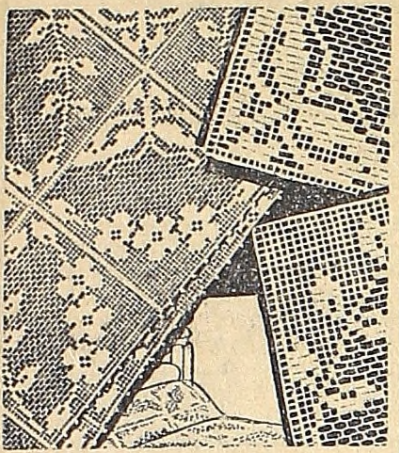
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It is ordered, that the 18th day of September A. D. 1937, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.  
It is Further Ordered, that public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Tawas Herald a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.  
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A true copy.

**Magnolias in Arctic Circle**  
Magnolias once bloomed within the Arctic circle. Fossil remains of ancient magnolia trees were uncovered in the frigid zone.

**Mortgage Sale**  
Default having been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage dated the first day of May, 1934, executed by Eugene Secor and Mary Ellen Secor, his wife and in her own individual right, as mortgagors, to the Land Bank Commissioner, acting pursuant to the provisions of Part 3 of the Act of Congress known as the Emergency Farm Mortgage Act of 1933, as amended (U. S. C. Title 12, Sections 1016-1019), as mortgagee, filed for records in the office of the Register of Deeds of Iosco County, Michigan, on the 28th day of May, 1934, recorded in Liber 29 of Mortgages on pages 71 and 72 thereof, and which mortgage was thereafter and on the 28th day of June, 1937, by an instrument, in writing, duly assigned to the Federal Farm Mortgage Corporation, a corporation, of Washington, D. C., and which assignment of mortgage was filed for record in said office of the Register of Deeds for the County of Iosco, Michigan, on the 3rd day of July, 1937, recorded in Liber 25 of Mortgages on page 347.  
Notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed, pursuant to power of sale, and the premises therein described as: The Southeast quarter of the Southeast quarter of Section 10, Township 21 North, Range

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CHAPTER VIII—Continued

"All the same," chimed in Mrs. Towers, "it's Mr. Cayne who knows what they've got. He'd miss a dish-rag if it disappeared irregular."

Towers made a warning sign. "He's got a keen eye, Mr. Cayne, that's a fact. Well, Rachel, I guess I better show you the bedrooms. The missis and I have got to get at that stack of dishes in the pantry."

Mr. Cayne's room communicated with his wife's, it was done in black oak and Jacobean linen, heavy and severe. Rachel noticed that there was only one mirror, a relief from Mrs. Cayne's bewildering panels. Then into Holbrook's room, which looked like a girl's—furniture painted white, a gray rug, rose-colored curtains. But there were shelves full of books and Rachel would have liked to read the titles, for these were the only books she had seen in the apartment. Under Towers' direction she folded the bedcovers, laid out slippers, pajamas and dressing gowns, lit bedside lamps. Holbrook had pale gray pajamas piped with rose, Oriental sandals and a dark rose-red brocade robe—Towers sniffed as he displayed them. "His mother likes him to doll up like that," he commented, "not that he needs any encouraging." Mr. Cayne's pajamas were cotton, his dressing gown a worn and weary dark wool. While they were in his room he came to the door. "Is that the new maid, Bert?" he said. "I want to speak to her a minute."

He waited until Towers had gone back to the kitchen. "How are you getting along?" he asked, anxiously. "Have you noticed anything suspicious?"

Rachel tried to be a real detective for a moment. "No. Lena alluded to the thefts indirectly, but Towers signaled to her to be quiet. But that was only because I'm a new servant and they're very loyal to you."

"That's what I told Terriss, that's what I told Terriss."

CHAPTER IX

"Where'll we go?" asked Curt. "This being the maid's only day out per week, I want to give her a time. How about the Plaza and a spot of tea-dancing? Look at me, I have a new suit and necktie, I'll almost do you credit."

"I'm afraid I'll run into my madame and her darling child," said Rachel. "We'd better go somewhere not so grand, though it is a pity to waste all your style! You had your hair cut, too, I notice."

"And the barber flung smelly violets; perfume on me before I could stop him. I've aired myself violently since, but I know I'm still a bit whiffy."

"Oh, perfume! Mrs. Cayne is a gale of gardenia, it almost makes me sick sometimes."

"Rachel, I'm glad to see you!"

"It's like returning to sanity to see you. That's a strange household, Curt. Or maybe I'm strange."

"You're not strange, my dear—but I think—perhaps, in spite of your looking so smart and sophisticated, you've not had a—shall I say?—a great variety of experience. We'll go in here for tea; this is quiet. And you tell me why your Cayne family is cuckoo."

"They're not cuckoo, they're only badly adjusted."

"Badly adjusted to one another? You mean they're unhappy?"

"I don't believe they think they're unhappy."

"If they don't know it, then it doesn't matter. There's no reason why you should care whether they're happy or not."

Rachel backed quickly away from her indiscretion. "No, of course not, but I don't like it."

"Rachel, are you developing a social conscience?"

"Don't make fun of me when I'm enjoying my day out and the lovely soak I had in my own tub and fluffing up my hair and putting on my best frock to have tea with my boy-friend."

"Your boy-friend thanks you for that word."

"I should have said one of my boy-friends, though I gather that in the best servants' circles it is considered bad form to have more than one."

"But what about the burglaries? Nothing happened?"

"Nothing so far. And I don't believe the Towerses did them. Mr. Terriss thought maybe they'd been speculating, or had bought some property and were stuck for taxes, or were sending money to old parents on the other side, but none of that's true. They've got a great big solid savings account and some government bonds. And the chauffeur and his wife are the same, all four of them are terribly snooty about these little suburban lots some of their friends have bought. They say it's a sucker's game—isn't it funny?"

"Are you sure they're not kidding you?"

"Yes, I am. They like me, Curt, and they think I'm one of them. Be-

sides, I've seen the bank books, Lena showed them to me and urged me to begin to save, too. They're really sweet, Curt, they're all concerned over my poverty and thriftlessness. We get along awfully well. And you ought to see me in my uniforms—gray poplin in the morning and a nifty gray taffeta in the afternoon, with a little tricky dotted swiss apron and collars and cuffs. If I had a long-handled duster I could go on the stage and sing in musical comedy. And my manner is marvelous. 'Yes, madame, no, madame, of course you're right, madame.' When I leave I'm going to get my picture taken in my afternoon outfit; Vinco could sell it to somebody who makes maids' uniforms for a bunch of money."

"I notice that neither your appearance nor your ego has suffered. Apparently you're the belle of the servants' hall. So why all that wail about returning to sanity and a strange household?"

Rachel armed herself with caution. "Maybe you're right about my never having had much experience. And then maybe it's because I'm looking at the Cayne family from within and beneath. But—they're all wrong. The son wants to be an artist and his father won't hear of it. The mother sides with the son and what I've noticed is



"Why Bother About Family Quarrels?"

that they don't sit down and drag all their thoughts and feeling to the surface the way my mother—and I always did; they hide them and fight subterraneanly, scoring infinitesimal points, or else they have raging arguments—and—oh well, it seems so petty and so unnecessary. And it gets them nowhere."

"It's a very usual situation, I should say. You're taking it too seriously. You're there to find out who stole the cigarette box and Mrs. Cayne's ring and not to practice amateur psychiatry. Why bother about the family quarrels?"

She turned the matter away lightly. "I don't really take it very seriously, Curt, but I'm there under their roof and Towers and his wife talk about them all the time and it does seem a pity."

"Lots of things are a pity. It's a great pity you won't have dinner and go to a show with me—there's something I could weep about."

"Go ahead and weep. I am sorry, but Pink and I are having dinner together and afterwards Terriss is coming so that I can report to him fully."

Curt chuckled. "You sound so important and Sherlockish! A full report oughtn't to take so long. How about it if I call up a little after nine? We could take in a late movie and split a herring at a night club. Don't you realize how much I've missed you?"

"How you flatter, mister! I'd love to gad around a bit, but there again—suppose I run into my esteemed employers and they see I'm leading a double life? Not so good."

"I'll call up anyway. You haven't any other date?"

"No." She knew he was thinking of the man she had talked of wanting to evade. She had not seen Oliver Land nor heard from him since the night he had staged his trick to get money from her and she wondered what Curt would say if she told him about that.

He began to talk about other things and kept it up all the way down to the apartment. "Remember, I'll call you up about nine-thirty," he said as he left her, "and I'll find some place not infested with Caynes for us to go."

Pink had just come in, she was on the crest of the wave, her immediate superior in her department was about to be transferred and Pink was heading for his place through a dire mesh of office politics and intrigue. She was far too absorbed in her own affairs to want to know about Rachel's and Rachel's

was glad enough of this, for Pink's curiosity once aroused was as far-reaching and thorough as her enthusiasms and her opinions.

Rachel sat still and seemed to listen while Pink sparkled and gestured, but she was busy with her own thoughts. The apartment's studied bareness and simple old furniture had never looked so good to her. "I had to learn that by contrast," she thought, "I took it for granted before. Like simple food and Pink's table manners and no heavy perfume about and Pink, even when she's raging, isn't thoughtless of other people's feelings. It all belongs together. Curt belongs, too. But most of all Anne. Curt was right, I've had no variety of experience. Well, I'm getting it now."

Terriss was in time, dry and blank as before. Pink gave him one look and came to instant decision. "I'm going over to the Steeles'," she said. "Back about half past ten. What time do you have to check in at your job, Rachel?"

"Before twelve. But Curt Elton—"

"Oh—a date with Curt! Well, phone me at the Steeles and say good-by."

A gleam in interest showed in Terriss' eyes as Pink departed. "That young lady is very full of pep," he commented; then—recalling himself to business: "Go ahead, Miss Vincent, give me a general outline and I'll take up special points as they come along. Don't tell me what you think, but what you've actually seen and heard. You said over the phone the other day that the butler and cook both have bank accounts. How do you know?"

"Lena showed me their books. They're in the Bowers Savings bank. He has eight thousand and she has over six thousand. They've each got five thousand dollars' worth of government bonds; I saw those, too. They save practically all their wages. They each carry a thousand dollars' worth of straight life insurance to have real nice funerals, Lena said. I wrote down the numbers of the bank books after I'd seen them."

"Have they talked about the thefts?"

"Towers not at all, Lena very little and when she does it's in hints about the disgrace of being wrongly suspected and how, if it wasn't for Mr. Cayne, they'd find another place. They simply worship Mr. Cayne. That I'm sure of."

"But they don't care so much for the missis, hey?"

"No—I don't believe they do."

"She's sharp with them, makes them stand around?"

Rachel chose her words. "She requires a great deal of service and she doesn't realize how much work a few extra orders can make."

Terriss frowned. "Mr. Cayne may be easy for his help to work for, but he makes it hard enough for me. He wouldn't let me crack down on the servants, and he's never let me say a word to Mrs. Cayne nor the young man. Either of them ever speak of the thefts before you?"

"No, not a word. Mrs. Cayne is very careless with her jewelry, she has a great deal of it and leaves it about where anyone could pick up a piece or two. The little safe where it's supposed to be kept isn't locked half the time. Mr. Cayne showed it to me one day when she was out. It's a joke, you could open it with a bent pin."

"Do you think Mrs. Cayne even knows about the thefts? I asked Mr. Cayne, but he made me an answer that was neither yes or no, and showed that he didn't like the question. So I was stopped there."

"Why, I don't know, Mr. Terriss, I never thought but that Mrs. Cayne knew about them, but it's true—she might not."

"Has the son any intimate friends, any young fellow he pals around with who's at the house very

often? Or has Mrs. Cayne got any of these female hangers-on that most rich women have, in and out, familiar, getting presents of her old dresses and the like?"

"Not that I've seen. The son's had young people in twice for cocktails, in the afternoon before his father got home. Mrs. Cayne goes out a good bit, but it's usually to some big beauty establishment, she's—she's awfully interested in keeping fit."

Terriss looked at Rachel with curiosity. "Does she and Mr. Cayne get alone pretty good?" he asked.

"They don't agree about the son, but I only get this second hand, Mr. Terriss, from what Towers and Lena say."

Terriss considered. "The son don't go to school?"

"That's the trouble between Mr. and Mrs. Cayne. Mr. Cayne wants him to go to college or at least to a business school and he wants to go to an art school and his mother sides with him, so this winter he's gone nowhere. He's awfully spoiled."

"A rich brat, hey?" Terriss considered again. "If I could only talk plain man-to-man stuff with Mr. Cayne! But he won't stand for it. You're doing all right, Miss Vincent, you're not half as dumb as I'd expected. Now you fly at it for another week and concentrate on the family's friends, specially the boys. Get their names and addresses if you can, the names any other; they may be slicker than I think, and their having bankbooks don't prove anything. Ask 'em about pawnshops, tell 'em you've got something you want to hock, show 'em an old piece of jewelry or something to back it up. If they give you any names slip right out and phone me what they say. Ask the chauffeur and the laundress too. The whole four may be in cahoots. See if they've got any private phone numbers written down anywhere and copy 'em for me."

Then Rachel said something she had not meant to say, but which she knew, now, had underlain all her answers to his questions. "I don't like doing this, Mr. Terriss. I wish I needn't go back."

"That's what I've been expecting," said Terriss, slowly and gloomily. "I guessed all along it was just a kind of a whim. Young people nowadays got no guts, they don't want to do a job thorough. Any little fancy they take it's a reason for quitting and letting you down. I've been leery of you all along, Miss Vincent, I didn't believe you could stand the gaff. But I did think you'd last longer than three weeks."

"I'm sorry—" she began, but he waved his hand and went on talking.

"When I was young a job of work you undertook had to be finished, whether it was fun or not. Fun! I'm sick of the word. You thought all this would be a great big lot of fun and now you see there's some actual labor and thinking involved and that scares you. Okay, you can quit right now, in fact you'd better quit if you're that way."

"I didn't mean that," said Rachel. "I only meant—I wasn't looking for fun, and well—I've tried honestly to do what you want, but I don't think I'm any good at it, it seems so hopeless—"

He was tremendously disturbed, his careful mask gone. "It's not hopeless at all. You're doing fine, didn't I tell you so? I didn't intend to speak so severe, Miss Vincent, but I was taken aback, and disappointed! I sized you up to have character! Yeah, character and class! I realize you're not a trained operative, but you got sense! You got a good memory! You know how to get at people. Look at what you've done with that butler and cook in this little time! Don't say you're quitting on me when you're doing so well."

(TO BE CONTINUED)

Percentage of Illiterates in Country  
in 1930 Totaled 4.3 of the Population

For the purpose of the United States census, an illiterate is a person who has reached the age of ten without being able to read and write in any language. On this basis the percentage of illiterates in this country in 1930 was 4.3 of the population. Nevertheless, the United States is probably one of the ten most literate of nations, although close to the bottom of the list.

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In France 8.89 per cent of army conscripts in 1924 were illiterate.

Italy's illiterates are 27 per cent of the population of school age or over. Denmark, a country with a long record of compulsory education, is very low in illiteracy, and there are no satisfactory statistics on the subject. The same may be said of Sweden.

In Soviet Russia education is obligatory. Universal compulsory primary education—four years—was introduced at the beginning of 1931. It is now being extended to a seven-year period. According to the census of 1926 the percentage of illiteracy was 48.7 of the population. By official estimate of December, 1933, it was less than 10 per cent.

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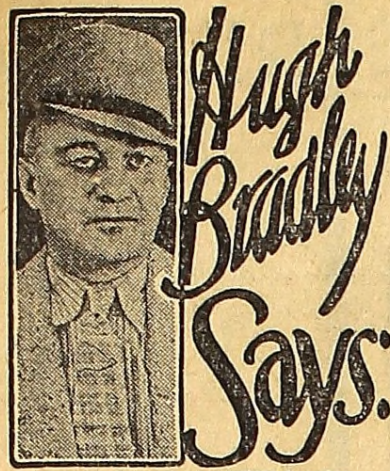
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### Louis Proves Worse Than Most Severe Critics Suspected

WHILE Joe Louis and Tommy Farr were taking care of their international relations at Yankee Stadium recently, two widely divergent viewpoints were developed. One held by a majority of the woefully small crowd was that the visiting notable deserved the decision. The other, entertained by the state's duly appointed referee and judges, was that they could do their duty only by declaring that the champion had successfully defended his honors.

Since then four other viewpoints have been added to the general confusion caused by the light fantastic performance within the ring. I list them forthwith:

V. P. (1)—The great radio audience's impression that it was a whale of a prize-fight.

V. P. (2)—The casual notion that Farr must be a considerably better fighter than even the ten unknown gees who previously had licked him ever suspected.

V. P. (3)—The well-founded belief that Louis looked even worse than a baldheaded space filler who thought he could do the job in five rounds.

V. P. (4)—The sum-it-all-up idea that the thing would be made to order for reviving Britain's faltering boxing industry if re-enacted in London next winter.

V. P. (1) can be disposed of summarily. It was by no means a great fight or even a good one. Even the Baer-Braddock waltz, previously held up as a horrible example when mention was being made of heavy-weight championship floppers, was a bargain in comparison to it. No more than 10 mildly authoritative blows were struck within the course of the 15 rounds.

V. P. (2) is not to be given the air so easily. Farr, as was known in advance, is mainly a young man composed of elbows, cunning and heart. He used all three of them effectively. That his performance against the champion was by no means equal to that of the Schmeling who knocked out Louis or the Pastor who provided a boxing lesson cannot be held against him. Neither can the point score which shows that Referee Donovan gave him only one round out of the 15 and called only one other even.

Then what? Well, for instance, let us go into V. P. (3) which deals with the Louis situation.

Joe won eight rounds out of the fifteen on the Bradley score card. They were rounds two, three, four, five, seven, twelve, thirteen, fourteen. He was given the advantage of the doubt in the second and twelfth rounds which were slow, dull and unsullied by blows of any significance. He was backing up, looking puzzled and fighting only in flurries in the fifteenth which went to Farr as did six others.

Something—perhaps too much success, perhaps vain efforts to make a boxer out of him—has changed the giant once known as the Brown Bomber.

Rhythm Was Missing Against Tonypanny

When he is hit on the head he has a habit of dropping his hands and tugging at his trunks. He still does not know what to do in clinches.

Most important of all, the rhythm and speed are missing. He stood flatfooted against Farr, pawing timidly. When he got ready to punch, he raised on his toes. Farr kept watching the feet all the while. When Louis moved too and so was in position to avoid the punches. Even the Louis who fought Braddock whipped Tommy Farr over blows with lightning speed from almost any stance.

Joe no longer punches to the body, blows which formerly weakened a victim for the decisive slug to the head. When he fought Paulino, whose main defense was a pair of elbows held high and close, he banged away to the body. Then, when Paulino dropped the defense for a moment, he dabbed with lefts to the lugg as quickly as any cat putting the clincher on a mouse.

### NOT IN THE BOX SCORE:

BILL ROGELL of the Tigers still is the American league's best double-play shortstop. The worst outfield arm in the circuit belongs to Chicago's Rip Radcliff. Jake Wade of Detroit is the easiest pitcher in the league to run on. Johnny Murphy is the toughest Yankee pitcher to run on. New tips as to football tops—Pittsburgh in the East, Washington on the Coast, Texas Christian in the Southwest, Minnesota in the Midwest and Harvard in the Ivy league. Cornell may surprise.

Plans for the Argentines to play a polo series in Mexico depend upon a decision by the Mexican government. The Gauchos would play on borrowed mounts since their own high-class stock will be sold. Juan Castex Pradere, spare on the Argentines, entertains his friends by eating glass and lighted cigarettes. At the age of sixty-three Devereux Milburn, the former polo internationalist, can play 36 holes of close-to-par golf daily. Often fits in six fast periods of polo after his golf, too. Mario Bigangario, Italian sports writer, also is an interpreter in Brooklyn's Snyder Avenue court. The original Kid Norfolk is holding down a job with the WPA. Reds and Giants were so sore at one another in 1919 that when Cincinnati players came to the Polo grounds they brought their own supply of bottled drinking water. Boxing Commissioner Bill Brown of New York seems to think that Max Baer is a fit opponent for Jim Braddock, but refused to let him fight the local boy, Bob Pastor. Bob must be a pretty good fighter when all things are considered.

Connie Mack seldom offers cash for players, but he would like to buy Rudy York of the Tigers. Patty Berg is not the only golfer in her family. They say up Minnesota way that her fifteen-year-old brother, Herman, Jr., is the real Berg prospect.

### Recalls Prediction on Harry Danning

Quotation from story written at San Antonio, Texas, on March 12, 1931, by H. Bradley:

"There's a kid here nobody seems to notice but if you're wise you'll stick along with him in his opinion that he's going to be a Giants' star some day. His name is Harry Danning." Top choice for the East's best tackle at this writing is Red Cembro. The giant Colgate star has hands like a meat chopper, a terrific drive and dotes upon taking opposing lines apart. That women's title test at Memphis in October should be one of the grandest amateur golf events in years if the U. S. G. A. does not muddle things as usual. Keep an eye on Betty Dietrich, new Westchester links queen, and Marion Turpie, whose putting has made courses do new tricks. Nomination for baseball's best money player—Little Jimmy Ripple of the Giants.

Football Coach Andy Kerr says: "Colgate is not officially interested in Bowl games." Colgate has received bids to various bowls for the past several years and has turned them down. But a Rose Bowl bid might be considered in spite of the university's policy because (alas, for purity) it's a big dough game. Also thinks that football over the country is standardized with no section having a monopoly on the best teams. Says the East has more colleges and therefore cannot center its material at a few spots as can the Pacific Coast. Coach Mal Stevens is plenty fed up with those gees who say N. Y. U. students of physical ed are up at Lake Sebago now for early football practice. Really it's part of the prescribed course.

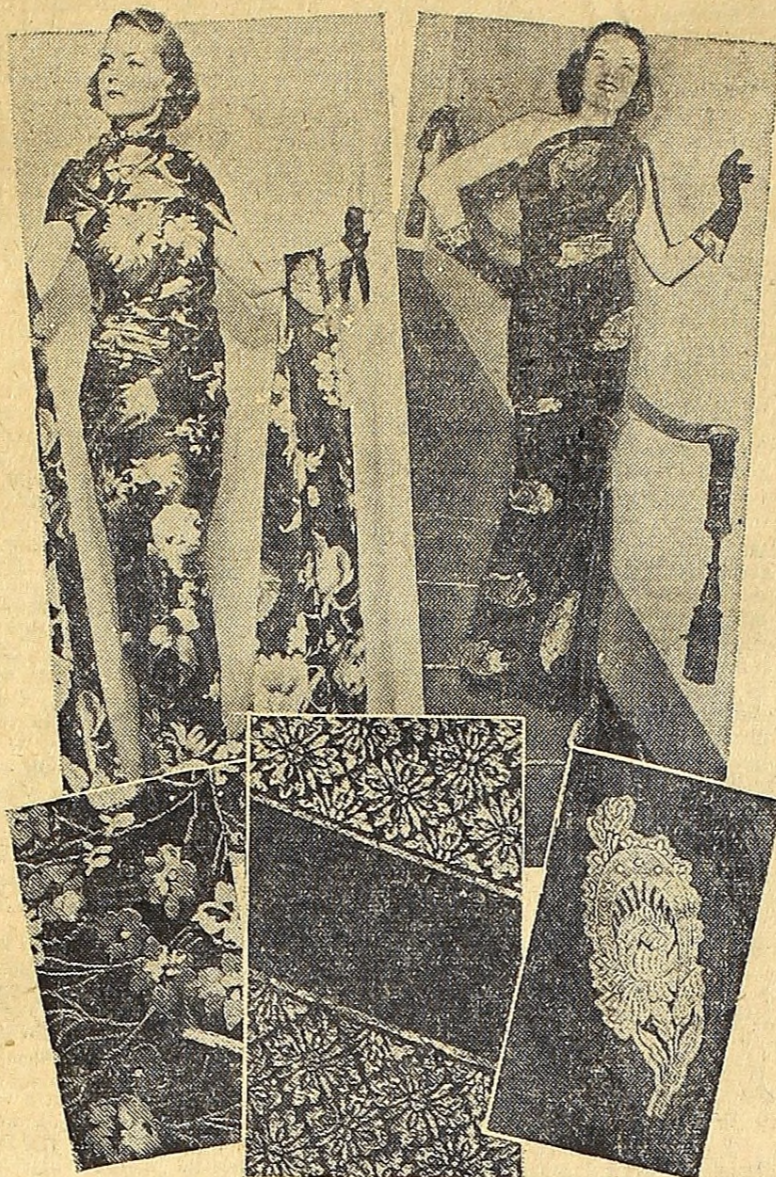
Bob Zuppke's favorite dish is a raw hamburger sandwich over which he spreads two raw eggs, which he breaks himself to make sure they are fresh. He then smotheres the cannibal sandwich with onions. Hans Steinke, veteran of the wrestling mat, is drawing \$300 a week as a pirate in a movie titled "The Buccaneer" in Hollywood.

Stub Allison, California football coach, advocates bowling as an excellent conditioner for football. He takes his squad to the alleys a couple of times a week during pre-season practice. The Green Bay Packers predict the Brooklyn Dodgers will win the eastern division championship in the National Professional league. This year marks the twenty-fifth anniversary of the opening of athletic relations between the Army and Notre Dame and between the Navy and Notre Dame. The first games were in baseball in 1913. Manager Bill McCorry of the Albany club is fifty, but he has pitched two games this year. Roger Peckinpaugh is a partner in a Cleveland desk firm.

Harold Conn, the Tigers' new batting practice pitcher, was rescued from the Orlando club of the Florida State league, where he was manager. Howard Jones has abandoned the two team idea for his University of Southern California football squad, one for each half of the game, and will return to the old system of the eleven best men composing the varsity.

### Silks Are Most Sumptuous This Fall

By CHERIE NICHOLAS



THE fourth annual silk parade is on in country-wide pageantry and during this time your favorite stores will have an unusually wide selection of silk merchandise and the smartest new silk fabrics. Plan to do your shopping for your fall wardrobe at that time when the highlights of the season will be available.

For the important evening wrap, silk and metal brocades in quaintly beautiful colorings or exotic tones are in high favor. These are often elaborate in texture and include self and metal faconne as well as exquisitely colorful metal brocaded flowers. For a floating full-skirted frock, silk and metal marquessette that reminds of oriental sheers that veiled harem beauties, is new this season.

The queenly figure descending the stairs to the right in the picture is gowned in one of the opulent new silks. It is a black satin with self and metal faconne in a leaf pattern. Here is a perfect demonstration of the new trend toward styling the gown with that utmost simplicity that ignores any suggestion of trimming in order the more to play up the superbness of the fabric. It is interesting to note the gloves milady wears in that the cuffs are finished with bands of glit-

tering sequins that match perfectly. For evening there is nothing more breath taking than the colorful lacquer-printed silk satins. These feature flowers, geometrics, Indian and Persian designs, and they are very new and important. See to the left in the picture how dramatically printed satin of the glamorous type drapes to the figure.

Describing the swatches of hand-some silks shown in the insets below, the one to the left is a multi-color stamp printed silk satin for evening. It will prove charming for a short-skirted young dance frock. It is also the type of silk that makes a fetching deep girdle for a black velvet dress—which is one thing about these more elegant silks: if your allowance does not permit buying yards and yards just a mere dash of them used in a trimming way on a monotone frock will give it an aristocratic air.

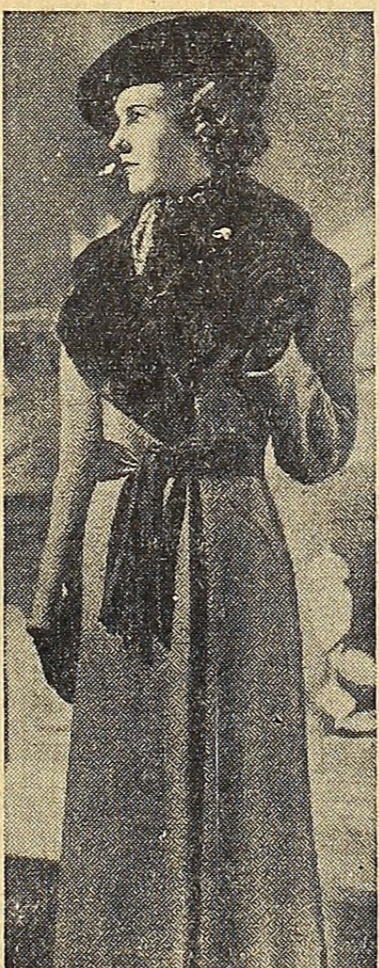
To the right is a black silk satin with self and metal faconne richly interwoven into a leaf pattern. It ranks high among silks that are done in a grand manner.

Centered in the trio of insets is a black faille with silver metal bandings, suitable for trimmings, blouses, dinner gown or evening jackets.

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### LEATHER TIE-BELT

By CHERIE NICHOLAS



This very good looking fall coat in bold herringbone patterned soft wool in natural beige has a notched collar of beaver and a wide crush belt of brown leather with fringed ends, each of which is a distinctive feature. The collaring of cloth coats with handsome fur is one of fashion's most notable styling features this fall, while the use of leather in numberless trimming ways, especially for smart girdles, is one of the highest highlights of the mode this season. You can vision for yourself the swank that a leather tie-girdle as pictured will give to coats made of cloth. The broad shoulders are also good points in the styling of the coat pictured.

### SMART FROCKS USE LAVISH EMBROIDERY

A craze for embroidery is on. Some of the smartest newest woollens for daytime frocks and for the stylish little separate jackets and boleros and for waistcoats and blouses are embroidered with an all-over scattering of tiny motifs or perhaps with florals arranged in the popular striped effects.

Knitted fashions also reflect the flair for embroidery in that they carry flowers and designs done in bright yarns showing peasant influence.

The black dress that has a gorgeous bouquet embroidered like a corsage at either the waistline or shoulder is a winsome number. Any woman who can embroider could be the happy possessor of a fetching dress like this for "embroider your own" requires but little effort.

Evening fashions fairly scintillate with dazzling embroideries. Short sleeves, allover sequin-embroidered, enrich black velvet dinner gowns. Embroidery is done on lace on tulle, on velvet ribbons that girdle the waist and so on and so on the story of embroidery is endless this season. Even the simplest linen, cotton or wool day dress is apt to yield to the present urge for hand stitchery of some fanciful sort.

### Youthful Effect Stressed in New Wedding Clothes

The extremely youthful trend of this season's clothes has had its effect on wedding gowns. The most recent Paris brides have been dressed in demure creations of white mousseline or organdie which greatly resemble the frocks worn by French children for their first communion.

Instead of the halo head veils or the conventional wreaths of orange blossoms, lilies of the valley or camellias, the dressmakers are using little round caps of tulle with a long floating veil attached just in back.

### Roomy Jackets

A gray velveteen jacket with fullness at the front is smart over a pencil-slim wool dress in matching gray.

### They're Not All Professors—Those Absent-Minded Ones

Absent-mindedness isn't confined to the professors, says the Commentator.

The late Dwight W. Morrow once telephoned his secretary from Philadelphia, to inquire, "What am I in Philadelphia for?" Secretary Henry A. Wallace, when he was in Czechoslovakia, packed his passport in a trunk that was shipped to London, while he set off in the opposite direction.

And J. David Stern, publisher of the New York Post and Philadelphia Record, was hurrying along the street when he met a friend.

"Come on and have lunch with me," the friend said.

"If we go nearby," Stern said. "I'm late as it is."

They entered the nearest restaurant and sat down. Stern complained that he didn't know what was the matter with him, he didn't seem to be hungry.

"Beg pardon, sir," the waiter said, "but it's no wonder, sir. You just finished your lunch about ten minutes ago."

768 Miles a Day by Ship  
The record for the longest distance ever traveled by a ship in 24 hours is not held by either the Queen Mary or the Normandie but by the United States Airplane Carrier Lexington. During a run between San Francisco and Honolulu in 1928, this 33,000-ton vessel, whose maximum speed is 33-34 knots, traveled 768 miles in one day.—Collier's Weekly.

### A Great Motto

ONE of America's great business organizations has adopted a motto for the guidance of its people—a little five-letter word with a big meaning. It has been cut in huge granite letters over the entrance of a recently constructed building used as a training school. It is made the theme of many employee discussions. It hangs over the desk of company executives. The word is THINK.

Educators, philosophers, preachers throughout the ages have written and talked about it. Rodin gave the world a famous statue called "The Thinker." "Think" is a significant word. It represents the only means by which human progress can be accomplished. It annoys people who have lazy minds, because thinking means mental effort. Practically all the accidents in the world are caused because people don't think. Thousands fail in life simply because they don't think. Others give great inventions to the world because they do think.—The Pick-Up.

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**School Notes**

**High School**

The enrollment is now 80 in the high school. Ninth grade, 23; tenth grade, 19; eleventh grade, 20; and twelfth grade 18.

Approximately fifty pupils are out for base ball this fall. This number includes about 25 from the high school and about 15 from the seventh and eighth grades. Mr. Nelson is assisting Mr. Forsten with the instruction in this work. It is expected that three teams will be developed, that is, a first and second team from the high school and one from the seventh-eighth grade room.

We are very grateful for the three new typewriters that have been added to the commercial department. The extent to which typewriters have become a part of the business of Government can be seen in the fact that in one year a stenographer and typist examination held by the Civil Service Commission attracted over 800,000 applicants. U. S. news. Seven people meet Monday expressing their interest in debating this year. We are in hopes that more will join the squad soon. The more competition there is the more fun we have and the better are the results. We grant there is work attached to it but the benefits to the school and to the individual far outweigh the work it costs.

This year numbers one hundred and fifty years since the constitution was written by the constitutional convention which met in Philadelphia, in 1787. The document was actually signed on the 17th of September of that year. Because of these facts, Congress has asked that a special study be made of the constitution during the year of 1937, and the President has set Friday September 17, as "Constitution Day". Because of circumstances, the day will be noted on Monday, September 20, rather than on Friday.

A representative of the Intercollegiate Press of Kansas City Mo., talked to the seniors Tuesday afternoon concerning caps and gowns. The class voted unanimously to rent caps and gowns from the above company for commencement in June.

**7th and 8th Grades**

We are very proud of our room this year, for which we have a good reason. The floor has been sanded and the room has been entirely painted and varnished. With this and new seats it makes an extremely pleasing room.

We are planning to have a grammar school baseball team and the boys are rather disgruntled at the weather.

This year there are 20 pupils in seventh grade and 14 pupils in the eighth.

**5th and 6th Grades**

There are 42 pupils enrolled in our room this year—22 in the sixth and 20 in the fifth grade.

Eugene and Kenneth Brown of Lincoln Park, visited our room Wednesday.

**3rd and 4th Grades**

We have 14 pupils in the third grade and 19 in the fourth grade, making a total enrollment of 33.

Joan Goedecke was a visitor Tuesday.

The third graders memorized the poem "Sliding Down Hill in the Summer Time" for their language lesson Thursday.

**Primary**

There are forty-three pupils in the primary room. Of these 17 are beginners, 9 are in the first grade, and 17 are in the second.

Two of the members of the second grade, Donald Roach and Robert Missler, entered our room from other schools.

The classes have chosen names for their groups. The second grade people are "Brownies"; the beginners, "Fairies".

**Music**

Rehearsals in band, orchestra, and glee club are now under way. In spite of the loss of members who graduated last spring, the musical organizations are as large, or larger in number. Students who took lessons during the summer are now ready to join the band.

It will be necessary to organize a new girls' trio this year. Tryouts will take place next week.

**Syria**

Syria is a former province of the old Turkish empire, which with Bulgaria, joined the central powers of Germany and Austria-Hungary. Syria was made an independent state by the Treaty of Sevres, August 10, 1920, and administered under the mandate given to France by the supreme council of the allied powers. The mandate went into force on September 29, 1923.

**Country Should Be Worthy**

There ought to be a system of manners in every nation which a well-formed mind would be disposed to relish. To make us love our country, our country ought to be lovely.—Burke.

**An Escadrille**

The modern meaning of the word escadrille is a squadron (usually eight) of war vessels. In the French army it means six airplanes. It is the French word for squadron.

**Ohio's First Constitution**

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Sherman No. 2—Sarah Warren, Au Gres.

Sherman No. 3—Grace Norris McIvor.

Sherman No. 4—Ruth Katterman, National City.

Sherman No. 5—Thelma Heilig, Turner.

Tawas No. 2—Mrs. Allie Jean, Tawas City.

Tawas No. 3—Marion Gracik, East Tawas.

Tawas No. 4—Angela Mielock, East Tawas.

Tawas No. 5—Ernestine Cecil, East Tawas.

Tawas No. 9—Delos Snyder, Evelyn Katterman, Tawas City.

Wilber No. 1—Mrs. Lucy Allen, Elm Mueller, Tawas City.

Wilber No. 4—Colleta Callahan, East Tawas.

**Secretary of the Treasury**

In 1789 congress enacted a law providing that the secretary of the treasury may not engage in trade or business, own steamships or otherwise be active in profit-making enterprises during his incumbency. He is liable, on conviction, to a \$3,000 fine, dismissal and may never thereafter hold office under the federal government. The same provisions apply to the treasurer of the United States and the register of the treasury.

**Food and Drugs Act**

According to the Federal Food and Drugs Act, any imitation of a specific food must carry the word "imitation" on the label, as well as a clear statement of the main or essential ingredients of the article.

**State of Michigan**

The Probate Court for the County of Iosco.

In the matter of the estate of James Brown, deceased.

Having been appointed commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against said deceased, we do hereby give notice that four months from the 11th day of August A. D. 1937 were allowed by said court for creditors to present their claims to us for examination and adjustment, and that we will meet at the Office of the Probate Judge in said county, on the 17th day of September A. D. 1937, and on the 11th day of December A. D. 1937, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days, for the purpose of examining and adjusting said claims.

Dated: August 11th A. D. 1937  
Louis Phelan.  
Wm. Hatton

**State of Michigan**

The Probate Court for the county of Iosco.

At a session of said court, held at the probate office in the city of Tawas City in said county, on the 14th day of September, A. D. 1937.

Present: Hon. David Davison, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Ray A. Smith, deceased, Leona A. Smith having filed in said court her petition praying that the administration of said estate be granted to Leona A. Smith or to some other suitable person.

It is Ordered, That the 9th day of October, A. D. 1937, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

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

DAVID DAVISON,  
Judge of Probate.

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Saturday, Sept. 18  
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Sunday, Monday and Tuesday  
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Could any mother sit by and see her daughter's life wrecked as her own had been? There was one way to stop him. She took it.

**No. 2** Continued from the First Page

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Vallez and family, who have been visiting with Mr. and Mrs. G. Bergevin returned to their home in Bay City.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Oldscheeler, Mrs. Robert Fisher and niece, Rogie Silverberg, all of Detroit, spent a couple of weeks in the city with their mother, Mrs. Cominsky.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Bowman spent Tuesday at Port Hope on business.

Arvid Anderson and mother, Mrs. Sophia Anderson, of Detroit are visiting relatives in the city for a week.

G. Fred Ash spent the week in Detroit with relatives.

Walter Green of Detroit was in the city over the week end.

Charles Thornton of Flint was with his family over the week end.

Mrs. Palmer Burrows and daughter, Mrs. L. G. McAndrews, and Mrs. H. N. Burrows, who spent a few days at McBain, have returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hewson entertained over the week end the following relatives: Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hewson and family of Imlay City.

Mrs. Harry Hewson and daughter, Alice, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hewson and two children and Mr. and Mrs. J. Mills, all of Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Kehoe and daughter, Rosemary, of Lapeer spent a few days in the city with Mr. Kehoe's sister, Mrs. T. Oliver.

Dr. and Mrs. John W. Weed have returned from a visit at Harbor Beach.

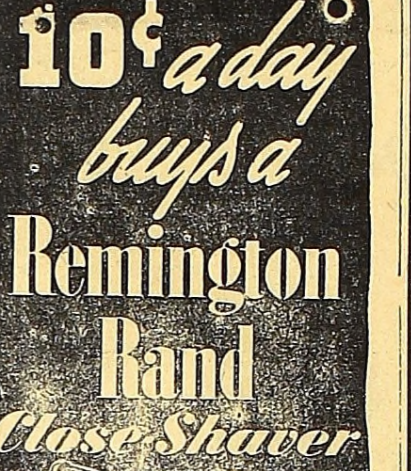
Mr. and Mrs. John McRae, who had spent the summer at their summer cottage at Long Lake, have returned home.

The East Tawas P. T. A. will meet at the school building Monday evening, September 20. Special music and a reception for the new teachers will be features of the evening's entertainment. Refreshments will be served.

Farewell services were held at Abigail Lutheran church last Sunday morning finishing Waldred Nelson's work as pastor since the early part of June. Confirmation and communion services were held Sunday afternoon with Rev. Gustav Wahlstrom of Bay City officiating. The church was beautifully decorated with garden flowers. Special musical numbers were given by the choir, male quartette of Bay City and a vocal solo by Mr. Nelson. Many visitors were present from Bay City, Owosso and Detroit. Mr. Nelson left Sunday afternoon for his home in Kansas before entering for the fall term at Augusta college, Rock Island, Illinois.

**Vieux Carre of New Orleans**

The Vieux Carre of New Orleans is that section of the town whose limits correspond with those of the original city as laid out by La Tour and Panger in 1720. It was destroyed by fires in 1788 and 1794, and rebuilt mainly in the Spanish style.



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