



TAWAS CITY

The Tawas City fire department was called out Monday morning by Mrs. ... that destroyed the Adam Buch house, occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Howard Karr. Mr. Buch resides in Florida with his daughter. The house was destroyed, but contents were saved.

At a special meeting of the Board of Supervisors held here Monday, it was voted that Eastern War Time remain the official time of the county. The vote was eight to nine.

Mrs. Edward Stevens, George A. Prescott, Jr. of this city and Gordon Welcome of Oscoda left Thursday to attend the State Republican convention at Detroit as delegates from Isosco County.

Last Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock a new male quartette made its first appearance in sustained radio program. It was over station WELI in Battle Creek and the quartette is known as "Markmen." The organization is under the direction of J. F. Mark, Jr. and was named by the members of the quartette after their director.

Mrs. Hubert Skaags and daughter, Ruby, left Tuesday for their new home in New Jersey, after a weeks visit with the former parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gustave Wojahn.

Charles Moeller and granddaughter Sandra Moeller accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Clifford LaRoche all of Bay City, spent Sunday with Mrs. Charles Moeller.

Mrs. Nick Carter and daughter, Margaret Ann, Mrs. Judson Bowers and sons, of Mount Clemens visited at the W. C. Roach home a couple of days last week.

A Valentine party was held Friday afternoon for the children in her Sunday school class by Mrs. George Myles. The afternoon was spent in games and lunch was served. Those present were John McMullen, Jimmie Herrick, Everett Lake, Harry Morley, Nancy Rollin, Mary Malcomson, Marjorie Merchant and Kay Myles.

Friends are sorry to learn that Mrs. R. M. Baguley is on the sick list.

Mrs. Nell Dugan returned Tuesday to her home in Howell after weeks visit at the Kane, Kelly and Johnson homes.

Miss Janet McLean of Saginaw spent the week end at home. Born to Dr. and Mrs. Irwin Schlechte of Rochester, a daughter, on January 11th. She has been named Susan Kay.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Leslie, Sr. went to Howell on Tuesday and brought their daughter, Miss Arlene home. Friends are delighted to learn of their complete recovery.

Mrs. C. L. McLean and Mrs. John Dillon left on Sunday to join Mr. and Mrs. Charles Beardslee on Monday at Detroit for their trip to Florida for a winter vacation. Mrs. McLean and Mrs. Dillon plan on staying between four to six weeks, while the Beardslees expect to remain longer.

Friends are sorry to learn that Mrs. Stephen Ferguson is ill at her home. Chas. Nash returned Monday evening from Bay City, where he was having medical attention.

Mr. and Mrs. Merle Sweet of Oscoda spent Tuesday in the city on business. Mrs. Edward Stevens received a fracture in her right wrist Wednesday when she fell on the ice in front of the Court House.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Schneider of Flint, spent the week end with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kane.

20th Century Club

The annual meeting of the Twentieth Century Club was held Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Ira Horton.

The following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

Pres.—Mrs. Ira Horton.
1st Vice Pres.—Mrs. F. J. Bright.
2nd Vice Pres.—Mrs. J. H. Leslie.
Sec.—Mrs. H. Malcomson.
Treas.—Mrs. Russell Rollin.

Mrs. Horton was elected delegate to the State Federation, with Mrs. Bright as alternate. Mrs. J. H. Leslie was elected delegate to the District Federation Meeting.

Mrs. Laura Nisbet was elected to honorary membership.

A paper was given on radio influence on music, drama and religion by Mrs. Russell Rollin. Two piano solos by Mrs. Malcomson were enjoyed.

The next meeting will be held March 3, subject "Our Neighbors."

St. Jude Circle

At the regular business meeting on Thursday evening of St. Jude Circle of the Daughters of Isabella, plans were completed for the initiation of new members.

The initiation ceremony will take place in the Tawas City Auditorium on Sunday afternoon of February 21. The degree team of the Bishop Gallagher Circle of Bay City will conduct the work. Following the ritual the guests and new members will be entertained at a dinner to be held at the Barnes Hotel.

Farmers Urged to Check Machines, Implements

IMPLEMENT MEN OFFER SERVICES

Finley Points Out Way to Conserve Labor and Implements

At a meeting of implement dealers, service men, war club leaders and agricultural high school teachers held recently in the conference room of the Agricultural Agent at East Tawas, it was decided that to produce the foods that are vitally needed, farm implements and machinery should be in the best possible state of repair when the time for field work arrives.

The implement dealers and their service men offered their unlimited help to farmers in this endeavor. The oil companies also offer their services and service literature on farm machinery and tractor lubrication, upkeep and maintenance. The agriculture teachers and many others are willing to help.

All of these agencies hesitate to go to the farmer and urge their services, yet they wish to help with the huge National Food Production Program. Let this be one more appeal to the farmers of Isosco county to inspect their farm machinery and prepare a list of repair parts that are now known to be needed this spring. When this completed, suggests County Agent W. L. Finley, submit the list to your repair man or implement dealer. He will get the repairs for you. However, it may take some little time, but give him a chance to help you.

Upon the cover of a recent publication (Turn to No. 1, Back Page)

Schuster-Bailey

The Euclid Avenue Methodist church, Toledo, Ohio, was the scene of a quiet wedding, January 28, when in the presence of few relatives and friends, Ruth Elizabeth, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Schuster of Whittemore, exchanged her vows with Sergt. Charles D. Bailey, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bailey, Sr., of Flint, Michigan. Rev. Williamson, pastor of the church and very close friend of the family, officiated.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Croyer of Toledo, uncle and aunt of the bride were their only attendants. The bride wore a powder blue street length dress with blue accessories.

After the ceremony the young couple came back to Flint to spend the rest of his furlough with his parents and other relatives. While in Flint they were feted several times. A seven o'clock dinner was given in their honor at Frankmuth, February 2. Among those who attended the dinner from Saginaw were Mr. and Mrs. Norman Schuster and daughter, Sharon, Miss Mavis Schuster and Mrs. Henry Jacques and son, Kenneth.

Sgt. Bailey started back to northern Canada, February 8, where he has been serving in the engineering branch of U. S. army on the Alcan highway. Mrs. Bailey, after a short vacation in Toledo and Saginaw, will return to Whittemore to resume her duties as D. & M. agent at Turner and Twining.

Tawas City, Whittemore Class D League Leaders

The Michigan Northeastern Class "D" High School Basketball League was formed by representatives from AuGres, Alabaster, Hale, Omer, Tawas City and Whittemore high schools. (Omer later withdrew.) This gave a schedule of eight games for each member.

Most of the games have been closely contested because of rather closely matched teams. With February 12 results, it looks as if the title will go to either Tawas City or Whittemore high school. These teams have both lost one game and meet each other in what should be the decisive game.

Following are the standings:

Team	Won	Lost
Tawas City	5	1
Whittemore	4	3
AuGres	4	4
Alabaster	2	4
Hale	0	6

Games played Feb. 12th—Tawas City 25, AuGres 19. Whittemore 24, Alabaster 10. Games played Feb. 19th—Alabaster at AuGres. Whittemore at Hale. Tawas City, Open.

Mrs. Roy Leslie and son, Robert, of Whittemore called on Tawas City relatives on Wednesday.

Mrs. Chris Hosbach is spending a couple days in Bay City with friends.

Surprise Black Out Thursday, March 4

A surprise "Black Out" will be held sometime during Thursday evening, March 4, according to an announcement made by N. W. Salsbery, county defense commander.

The object of this surprise black-out is to see how well the populace of the county particularly of the towns, will be on the alert for the siren warnings and to determine the amount of co-operation that the county can expect from the citizens.

The black-out is to be for a 15 minute period the warning will be sounded for three minutes. The all clear signal will sound 18 minutes after the warning signal was given.

Home Nursing Class Gets Certificates

More names join the list of those in Isosco county who have completed the 24-hour course in home nursing have received their certificates: Mesdames Pauline Young, Helen Wallace, Ida Wellna, Rhoda Lake, Florence Keck, Grace Tate, Theresa Behn, Byrd Brown, Mike Oates, Claude Hardy, also the Misses Ila Hughes and Patricia Bolen.

This class organized by Mrs. Helen Wallace of Alabaster, with the cooperation of Supt. John Young, was conducted at the Alabaster high school. County Nurse Dorothy Arnold instructed the group, assisted by Mrs. Ernest Ross of Tawas City. Special mention is given Mrs. Ross, who has given 80 hours to the work and has been an ardent enthusiast in helping others to become self-reliant.

These women are now ready to assume responsibilities in maintaining health and giving simple nursing care in the home.

With physicians overworked and nurses often unavailable, it is vital that every mother or girl taking a mother's place should avail herself of the advantages of Red Cross home nursing through Miss Dorothy Arnold of the Red Cross staff.

Two classes are nearing completion in East Tawas under the supervision of Mrs. John Colver, graduate nurse.

McCuaig Renominated Oscoda Supervisor

Polling 130 votes to 67 for his opponent, Supervisor Lloyd D. McCuaig of Oscoda was re-nominated over L. L. Durham in the annual township primary election held Monday.

Bert Stickney was nominated justice of the peace. Clerk Eric Knuth, Treasurer Omer Hermann and Highway Commissioner Charles Coppier were unopposed.

Dr. R. C. Pochert of Owosso spent the week end with the John Burgess family. Edward Burgess, who has been receiving medical attention in Owosso for the past month accompanied him home.

REGISTER FOR RATION BOOK NEXT WEEK

Schedule of Hours at Your Local School House Given

All persons who hold Ration Book No. 1 must register for Ration Book No. 2.

To receive your Ration Book No. 2 you must present your Ration Book No. 1 together with a consumer declaration of processed goods and coffee. These consumer declaration forms must be made out by the applicant and presented to your school according to the schedule given below. All times listed below are on War Time.

All rural schools will complete their registration on Monday, February 22, only, from 9:00 a. m. to 5:00 p. m. If you fail to register on that day in your rural school, then apply to your nearest high school or to the Ration Board.

All of Sherman township will report to the National City school. Schedule of Hours for High Schools February 22 to 26

Alabaster—1:00 to 9:00 p. m. daily.
Burleigh—8:30 a. m. to 5:30 p. m. daily.
Oscoda—4:00 to 9:00 p. m. daily.
Plainfield—9:30 a. m. to 4:15 p. m. daily.
Tawas City—4:00 to 8:00 p. m. daily.
East Tawas—4:00 to 9:00 p. m. Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, only.

Mrs. Charles Brown

Mrs. Charles Brown of this city passed away at her home early Tuesday morning from cerebral hemorrhage after a two day illness. She had been a resident here for over 50 years and had many friends, besides the relatives, who will miss her.

Alice Alberta Lloyd was born December 25, 1882, at Green River, Canada, coming to this community when a small child with her parents, the late Mr. and Mrs. William Lloyd.

She married Charles Brown in 1900, who survives her, also four daughters, Mrs. Mable Carson of Detroit, Mrs. Dorothy Lake, Beulah and June Brown of this city; one son, Ferris Brown, also of this city; four brothers, Herbert Lloyd, Joseph Lloyd and Romie Loyd of Ferndale, Gordon Lloyd; two sisters, Mrs. Ethel Myles and Miss Bessie Lloyd, of this city and six grandchildren.

Funeral services were held Thursday afternoon at the Methodist church. Rev. E. C. Stringer officiated. The remains were laid to rest in the family lot in the Tawas City cemetery.

Mrs. Brown was a member of the Women's Society for Christian Service of the Methodist church.



Mr. and Mrs. Fred T. Luedtke received the following letter from their son, Neil, who is now in the navy and stationed at Great Lakes: February 14, 1943.

Dear Folks: Well here it is Sunday again and another week has just passed. It has been quite a busy week, too.

Our company has had drill competition, swimming tests in the pool, three inoculations, obstacle test and the usual inspection.

In drill competition our company marched against four others, and the way our commander talks to our company, it came out very good, at least he was well pleased with us.

On Thursday the company went to one of the pools for our swimming test. We had to swim 50 yards and was it ever fun! I really liked it.

The three shots we received this week made our arms pretty sore for a while, but they are all right now.

We had our obstacle test yesterday afternoon. It consisted of climbing ropes, going hand over hand on a ladder climbing over a six and one-half foot wall, crawling under some boards, and a tug-of-war in which our platoon won two out of two. They didn't seem very hard at all.

I don't know whether I've explained to you about "Captain's Inspection" or not. Every Friday is field day here. We clean up the whole barracks. We wash the windows, steel wool the decks and bunks, polish and shine the brass and bright work, wax the decks and all wood work, put clean sheets and pillow cases on our bunks, put out a clean towel and make sure our clothes are spotless, for on Saturday morning one of the high ranking officers makes a tour of inspection and things must be ship shape.

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Local Roll Call Chairmen Named

One of the biggest enterprises of the people of Isosco county is underway reports John Moffatt, Red Cross Chapter chairman.

This week A. W. Colby, chairman of the Red Cross Roll Call War Fund Drive, named local sponsors who will in turn organize their respective districts. They are:

Harold Black, Reno.
Horace Powell, Burleigh.
Harry VanPatten, Grant.
Frank Schneider, Burleigh.
Roy Sims, Wilber.
Clarence Earl, Tawas.
Mrs. J. Sloan and Geo. Olsen, Baldwin.
John B. Young, A'abaster.
Nada Mills, Oscoda.

Twentieth Century Club, Muriel Horton, president, Tawas City.
Ladies Literary Club, Amanda Hamilton, president, East Tawas.

This is one of the first steps in the War Fund Campaign which opens officially March 1, and aims at a quota of \$3,100.00, one hundred per cent higher than the last year.

The above named chairmen will immediately choose fellow workers who will make the house to house canvass.

Mr. Colby says to the canvassers: "Your work is most important. Through you, everyone must be reached."

ANNUAL D. & M. BANQUET HELD MONDAY NIGHT

Nearly 100 Enjoy Fine Dinner at Masonic Temple

Last Monday evening the Mechanical Department of the Detroit & Mackinac Railway Company, with the members of the Central Office staff as their guests, banqueted in the Masonic Temple in this city. The banquet was to celebrate the completion of the first units of work they have been doing in the war production effort.

Talks were given by W. A. Luce, toastmaster, C. C. Harwood, general foreman of the mechanical department, C. A. Pinkerton, president of the company, gave the final address. He praised the work of the employees of the Mechanical Department, both in war work, and their usual maintenance duties, and commended them highly as the only department in the company investing over ten per cent of their wages in war stamps and bonds.

The banquet was served by the ladies of the O. E. S. and was served in the popularly known "Frankmuth style." But one of the banquet-ers remarked that this was one time when Frankmuth was "out-Frankmuthed." Everyone who attended was more than satisfied with the meal.

Gang singing by the almost one hundred people who attended, was led by Norman Salsbery, with Jas. F. Mark at the piano. A vocal solo by Wally Luce was the high spot of the musical part of the program.

Taft Junior Farmers Donate to Red Cross

Twenty-five members of the Taft Junior Farmers Club contributed \$15.00 in cash and a supply of used phonograph records to a national wide 4-H Club fund. This fund will be used for the purchase of ambulance station wagons and comfort kits for men in the service, and will be used by the American Red Cross.

The National Committee on Boys and Girls Club Work, Inc., at Chicago, Illinois, are in charge of this program and are sponsoring the purchase of this vitally needed war equipment.

The Taft Junior Farmers Club is one of the leading 4-H groups in Isosco county and has been under the leadership, during the past few years, of N. O. Sibley, Miss Ella Bueschen, Mrs. Howell Dodder, Miss Verneeta White and Mrs. George Waters.

The Reno township members who contributed to this commendable program are deserving of much credit for their combined efforts in helping to win the war.

Wilma Bueschen, Margaret Wolf, Alvin Travis, Beverly Robinson, Edna Robinson, Helen Robinson, Betty Ranger, Dale Thompson, Dianna Roberts, Clare Weif, Buddy Sherman, Roy Hutchison, Phyllis Dale, Dorothy Robinson, Blair Perkins, Donna Eike, Charles Mason, Esther Smith, Lillian Smith, Nora Smith, Gertrude Smith, Rupert Bentley, Annie Bentley, Ida Bentley, John Bentley.

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Democratic Hold Convention Tuesday

The Democratic county convention was held Tuesday evening, February 16 at the Holland Hotel, East Tawas. Arthur E. Giddings, former superintendent of the Tawas City schools, was drafted as a candidate for county school commissioner. Mr. Giddings, who has no political affiliations, was selected because of his outstanding qualifications for the commission and for the reason that the Democratic party does not consider that this position in education supervision should be subject to partisan politics.

The convention endorsed the candidacy for re-election of Mrs. Lavina Masselink of Big Rapids to the State Board of Agriculture. Mrs. Masselink is the widow of the former head of Ferris Institute at Big Rapids.

The convention endorsed the candidacy of Ernest Brooks of Holland, former state senator, for chairman of the Democratic State Central Committee.

Delegates selected for the state convention to be held at Detroit on February 26, are: Mrs. Mary Hull and Ed. Vaughan of Oscoda, and T. George Sternberg of East Tawas. Herman N. Butler and Mrs. Frank Berzhinski of East Tawas were selected as alternates. The convention was presided over by T. George Sternberg, county chairman, and Mrs. Frank Berzhinski, secretary of the county committee was chairman.

East Tawas P.-T. A.

Regular meeting of the East Tawas P.-T. A. was held Monday evening with a good crowd in attendance. The nominating committee presented the following names to serve as officers for the coming year:

Pres.—Mrs. Harry Paton.
1st Vice Pres.—Mrs. Carl Small.
2nd Vice Pres.—Mrs. Lucy Allen.
3rd Vice Pres.—Elmer Durant.
Sec'y.—Mrs. Berkeley Smith.
Treas.—Mrs. Russell McKenzie.
Historian.—Heen Applin.

A motion was made, seconded and adopted that the above names be accepted.

Miss Jensen's room presented a clever play written by the children themselves. It dealt with famous men born in February.

Miss Amanda Hamilton spoke on February's famous men and gave a history of P.-T. A. work which originated in February.

Selections were given by a clarinet quartet from the band. Lunch was served at the close of the meeting.

Keep'em Sliding

A Silver Valley Hard Times Party will be held Saturday evening, February 20, at the Barnes Hotel, Tawas City. Everyone invited.

EAST TAWAS

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Good of Flint, announce the marriage of their daughter, Violet Mae, to Richard Harold Bullock, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Bullock, of East Tawas, on Sunday, February 14th in Flint.

Wyman Moffatt of Flint spent a few hours Sunday with his little daughter, Audrey Ann, at the John Moffatt home. Audrey is able to be around the house again. She had been quite ill with pneumonia.

The East Tawas Boy Scouts will be pleased to learn that they will be able to resume their meetings in the near future. Frank J. Wilkusi will be their new scoutmaster. They have not held meetings for several months because they had no leader.

Junior Thomson returned to Midland Friday after spending the week with his aunts, the Misses Edith and Cora Davey.

The Masons, Eastern Star and families will have their regular yearly Washington supper, Monday evening, February 22.

Mrs. H. R. Hess is teaching in the home economics department until a permanent teacher can be secured. Miss Shirley Gage resigned the position to be married. She will go to the Soo.

Mrs. P. H. Mulholland spent the week end in Flint with her daughter, Maxine, who attends school there.

Mr. and Mrs. James Kline were in Grand Rapids for the week end to help the latter's father celebrate a birthday anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Spring returned from Detroit Friday. They were accompanied by their daughter, Mrs. Irene Kowalski, and two children, who will remain for a time.

Mrs. Edgar Jones and Mrs. Clarence McKenzie were joint hosts at a bridge party in latter's home Tuesday evening, honoring Mrs. Fred Wilson. Prizes were won by Mrs. Nina May, Mrs. Angelo Mielock and Mrs. Florence White.

Mrs. N. J. Rybarek is visiting friends in Detroit for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Holzner and two little daughters of Hale spent Tuesday afternoon at the D. M. Small home.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Phillips are the parents of a daughter, born February 16. She weighed six and three-quarters pounds and has been named Janice Lee.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Winkler and son, and O. P. Bancroft of Bay City came up to spend the week end with Mrs. Bancroft.

The East Tawas basketball teams won both games from Whittemore Tuesday night. The girls' score was 20 to 11; the boys 24 to 9.

Mrs. O. P. Bancroft was pleasantly surprised Wednesday of last week, a few hours after her arrival from Bay City. Twenty of her former patients gathered at her home to wish her well and bring her a delicious lunch with them. Needless to say they spent an enjoyable evening. Mrs. Bancroft was presented a lovely gift.

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Mrs. Catherine VanZant

Funeral services for Mrs. Catherine C. Sly Van Zant, who died Friday afternoon at her residence in Joppick apartment from heart attack, were held Monday afternoon from the Moffatt funeral home. Rev. Daniel Morocco officiated.

Mrs. Van Zant was born January 13, 1868, near Crosswell, Sanilac county, and has been a resident of East Tawas for the past 15 years.

Surviving are a brother, Frank, of Ohio, two sisters, Mrs. George Nelen and Mrs. Charles Nelen, both of East Tawas, and a son.

Books of the Month

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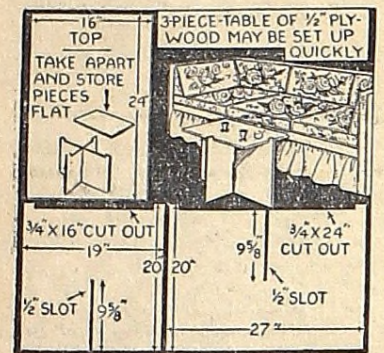
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ON THE HOME FRONT
with RUTH WYETH SPEARS

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Two-Ring Custom

Many persons in Norway still follow the old custom in which both man and wife wear a wedding ring on the third finger of their right hand, says Collin's, and, when one dies, the survivor transfers it to the third finger of the left hand.

Hence two rings on the left hand and one on the right signify that a woman has been widowed twice and is now married again.

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BOMBS BURST ONCE
By GRANVILLE CHURCH

W.N.U. SERVICE

THE STORY SO FAR: Jeff Curtis and his wife, Lee, are already on their way to Tierra Libre when he receives a note from Zora Mitchell warning them not to come. When they arrive in Tierra Libre they find both Zora and her husband dead. It is Mitchell's job as chief engineer for a fruit company that Jeff has been called to fill. Later Jeff's friend Bill Henderson is killed, and Jeff suspects his employer, Senor Montaya, of murdering him and the Mitchells because they had found a clue to the strange things going on at the plantation. Other sinister figures are the company chemist, Dr. Toenjes, and the flyers, Ryden and Lanneslock. A man named Collins arrives from the canal zone to see Mitchell, and Jeff hires him without arousing Montaya's suspicions. Collins later reveals his identity as a naval intelligence officer. When they discover hidden German bombers, Jeff arranges to send Lee and the children away. Now Jeff, Collins, Jerry McInnis and Slat Monahan are carrying out a carefully laid plan to destroy the planes and stop the Nazi activities in which Montaya, who is part German, is engaged. They are at the airfield now.

NOW CONTINUE WITH THE STORY

CHAPTER XIX

Collins' job was to assemble the bombs and release all mechanical restraints so that impact on the noses would explode them. He started to wind the vanes.

Meanwhile, Curt and McInnis put saws to use. They cut half through all the ground supports which held the heavy wall firm, then sheered through the ceiling ties. So much wasn't necessary, perhaps, but it helped. Thus, an explosion of dynamite outside this wall would force it back against the noses of the bombs.

They then planted the dynamite, dragged the two motors to the spot, measured the fuse. Against the chance that Collins might not probably set the bombs—for they were, after all, foreign to him—a can of black powder was planted in the cockpit of each machine. At length the three charges were set, with fuses that would allow Collins time to get away.

Curt grumbled, "Collins wants pictures. But we can't risk lighting up the window strip by the flash so early. He'll have to take them when he's ready to light the fuses." They looked in on Collins. In the dead air of the tight-closed room he'd sweated through all his clothes, his face was shiny wet. No picnic, this. He knew what his chances were if he guessed wrong on these bombs.

"Okay," he told them, "I'm about set. Only three noses left to screw in, then all pins to remove."

"It's late," worried Curt. "Close to one-thirty! Took us longer than we'd expected. Slat will be phoning them any minute now."

"Yeh. You two get going." "Might's well." But Curt was reluctant. Then, "You've no watch, Collins, take mine. It's synchronized with Monahan's."

Curt and McInnis snatched up bunches of tinder-dry grass from sheltered spots as they ran to the front of the hangars. Curt was getting anxious.

His worry was short-lived! Curt and McInnis were brought up short as they rounded the end of the hangars. The tennis court at the other end of the field was now ablaze with lights!

Even as they stared, a small band of men was emerging from behind the office building headed this way. "Six of them, Jerry! The two of us can't count on holding off that gang with pistol fire!"

"Blaze the grass, Curt! All the way to the fence and around the other side of the hangars to the rear fence!"

Curt and McInnis raced across the black fields, stumbling constantly but making ground. There were shouts behind them.

Then came the furious chugging of a motorcar, headed from the upper end of the field.

"They expect to get behind us, Jerry, head us off! We'll have to stop that before they reach our car!"

They were close to the airfield branch. They turned, running at top speed toward the car, which hadn't yet rounded the curve of mountain-side. There were half-rotted logs left from clearing the field. Curt and McInnis had perhaps a minute and a half—a minute. They tugged and hauled at one of the logs. Rains had sunk it into the ground, set it. They tried it loose and slung it across the tracks. The driver would see it, but not in time to stop.

Then came the car. Around the curve of mountainside it sped. It hit the log, bounced from the rails, turned over. But not before a figure had snapped open the door and shot from it. A man rolled over and over, then scrambled to his feet.

"Toenjes!" shouted Curt joyfully. Toenjes it was—a wild man in the flare of the car's headlights which still worked, curiously enough, one of them slanting skyward. He had a gun in his hand but was helpless from both the glare of lights and the loss of his glasses.

Curt coolly put a bullet into the man's shoulder. "Explain that away, my fine friend," he grunted, "when the investigation breaks."

Between them Curt and McInnis seized the raging, helpless man and hustled him along the tracks toward their car.

They kept glancing up toward the radio station high above. No lights

showed, it was a black mountain-side. They reached the car, bound Toenjes' hands behind him, gagged him to get rid of his insane, spluttering threats, and tossed him in the back. Another glance upward and a light popped on and off several times under and between the two shafts. A rectangle it showed, a window.

"Man, is that a relief!" exclaimed McInnis. "They'll send no messages tonight!"

They looked back. The black bulk of the hangars showed up within a solid thick wall of fire. The waist high grass blazed fiercely, throwing flames high into the air. They were licking at the trees overhead, they'd spread beyond the fence.

Against that sheet of light they saw Collins come stumbling their way. He reached them, out of breath, tossed the camera into the car, gasped out that things were ready to pop, and collapsed on the back seat. There he discovered Toenjes.

"Traveling companion we picked up to keep you company," said Curt. They'd covered half a kilometer when McInnis, eyes on his wrist, said, "Half a minute, Curt!"

Curt stopped the car, all three got out. They stared back. "Guessed wrong on the fuses," muttered Curt. "Or you didn't light them on the dot."

Then, before anyone could speak again, there came a dull, muffled explosion. In the light of the fire, the straight lines of the hangar buckled, the roof mushroomed—on one end. But the walls held together.

"One of the planes," Curt gritted out from between set teeth. "The completed one," added McInnis. "At least we got—"

The sentence was lost in another muffled explosion which merged instantly into a mighty, pulsating roar that made their ear drums ache,

Buddy, Chuck, and Sylvia Mitchell, all in sun suits were playing under the watchful eyes of the ship's nurse. The boys were making clownish efforts to balance on their heads their huge straw sombreros.

Curt and Lee were standing by, his arm about her waist. They were silent, and Lee felt Curt's arm tighten as the children's voices rose shrilly, hilariously. She looked up and saw the look in his eyes, the beads of sweat above his brows and on his upper lip, and she knew what he was thinking.

"Don't, dearest," she whispered. He looked down at her, and his eyes slowly cleared. He kissed her lightly on the temple and they sauntered off, his arm tight about her. At the entrance to the central staircase he paused—and yawned, prodigiously.

"I could do with another nap," he said, on snapping his mouth shut. "You?"

"We slept all morning!" she exclaimed. "We won't sleep tonight!"

"We can sit on deck tonight," hopefully. "No moon."

"There'll be stars. And there's no charge for just sitting." Lee laughed. "All right, silly. We'll go down again."

The door to the purser's office opened and there was movement in the corridor. A steward was tacking a paper on the bulletin board.

"News!" said Curt. With Lee, he crossed the corridor eagerly, to stare at the typewritten sheet.

"Puerto Soledad, Tierra Libre," read the radio dispatch. "In a raid by army troops on the headquarters of the Compania Agricola Tropical at San Alejo this morning, what appears to have been a direct Nazi plot against the sovereignty of Tierra Libre was disclosed, with the arrest of Senor Apolonio Montaya and twenty-four persons of doubtful nationality."

[THE END]

The sentence was lost in another muffled explosion, and the aerial bombs exploded by two and threes a split second apart. They turned to the car only to find it had been bounced from the rails. They hauled and tugged and lifted. Scarcely was it on the rails again than there came another explosion, closer at hand but lighter. They jumped apart. The charge

DEEP WATERS
By Ben Ames Williams

...in which Robin Dale, who had planned to be a career girl, meets with adventures in the Northland that make her wildest imaginings pale into insignificance.

IN THIS NEWSPAPER

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Jewels and Dinner Hats Lend Enchantment to Simple Gowns

By CHERIE NICHOLAS



THAT charming custom has been revived of wearing flattering, prettily feminine little dinner hats for dress-up and semi-formal occasions, together with important jewelry to give drama and finesse to the costume.

Just now it's the fashion to dress to please the men in uniform home on furlough, and it seems according to their "say so" that they want and really need the uplift and inspiration of seeing their wives, their sisters, their sweethearts, their cousins and their aunts look their most charming selves.

In the spirit of patriotic conservation that now prevails it is not so women are not buying so many gowns as heretofore, but for now and throughout the duration they plan to arrive at chic and charm and versatility by means of a carefully selected wardrobe of interchangeable accessories. Especially in matter of their dinner gowns and street-length semi-formal frocks are they relying upon glamorous accessories to prettify their costumes and give them style distinction and allure.

To add to the zest for this smart formula of a simple frock topped with a fetching millinery confection, plus striking jewelry ensembles, comes the assurance that fashion's stamp of approval is on dinner hats and swank jewelry worn with either street length or longer dinner clothes.

In the illustration the magic of a pretty hat that flatters, the efficacy of choice jewelry that will glorify even the simplest frock, is dramatically set forth. A gay little flatterer is the tiny wisp of a hat shown to the right in the picture. It is made of curled feathers in pale blue and brown. As to the jewelry, it is outstanding. The gold loop clip has clusters of rubies terminating in a

diamond sunburst effect. The wide gold bangle bracelet has a tailored bow design set with matching jewels. The ear clips are large gold flowers centered with clustered rubies.

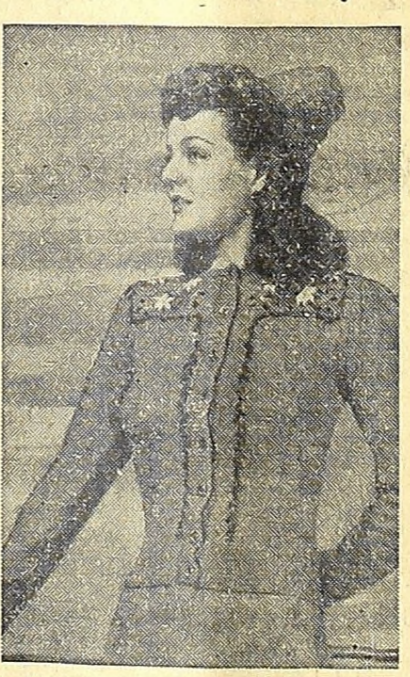
The adorable little dinner hat shown at the top tells its own story in a little sealskin pill box that takes on a side ruffle of exquisite black lace that flatters, whether it is worn with a pretty pastel frock as you see it here or with a slim-cut black dinner gown. The earrings, necklace and bracelet are loops of gold with clusters of pink garnets, and the gold clips are set with the same stones.

Everywhere at gala occasions women are wearing entrancing little flower hats that make the entire scene take on a springlike freshness this season. Most notable is the dramatic play that centers about rose themes. There is a wealth of beauty expressed in the dinner hat of black net and red roses illustrated below to the left in the group. The gown with which it is worn is a sleek black dinner dress with flattering ruff of the shoulder neckline. The rose corsage is gorgeously colorful. The jewel ensemble is of Ceylon sapphires, aquamarines and diamonds.

Little white dinner hats worn with ropes of pearls carry out the now-so-fashionable black and white vogue. Also, the present fad for pink and black is leading to a favor for necklaces of huge pink pearls which, ensembled with a pink pearl bracelet and a modish little turban of rose-pink feathers, lives up to fashion's "be pretty" formula to perfection.

Released by Western Newspaper Union.

Yarn Embroidery



For that fuel rationing that we needs must plan for in terms of warm clothing you will find a "comfy" knitted outfit like this very attractive sweater ensemble will prove ideal. Because gray is so smartly in fashion the designer chooses a gray wool for the skirt. The sweater is in matching gray. The colorful yarn embroidery that highlights the neutral gray conveys an important style message. By the way, if you have a sweater that you would like to touch up with color just give it a dash of gay yarn embroidery. You can do this easily, even if you are not an expert with the needle. The yoke effect suggested in this model is very smart. The red knitted peaked cap completes a most charming color scheme.

Dyed Wool Lace

Some of the most attractive pastel crepe frocks have yokes or sleeves of wool lace in identical color. Sometimes the wool lace yoke is finished off with fringe, and at the waistline yarn tassels are added.

Here's How You Can

'Get in the Scrap'

The idea of making the most of what you have is spreading. It is really growing to be quite a pastime to "make over" or to utilize scraps left over from sewing.

Gay accessories can be made, such as quilted hats, drawstring bags, gloves, for which patterns are easily available. An interesting way to make use of small fabric pieces is to block them together (seam them up on the sewing machine if you will) and then fashion a smart sports skirt from this new yardage you "manufactured."

This patchwork fabric has also been successfully and attractively worked into a pretty blouse. You can take yarn, form it into pompons to place button-fashion down the front of your jacket blouse. A cutout from your print frock can be applied on a dark blouse.

Striking Buttons, Ties
Highlight Side Closing

The side-drape fastenings give a new look to incoming print frock fashions. Sometimes the self-fabric tie closing is employed. Then again the button vogue is played up. For the simpler frocks plastic floral buttons are used all the way down the side opening from neck to hemline or along the under arm seam.

Shorter Jackets

The trend for brevity in jacket lengths is noticeable in the newer models coming in. The new etons have lost inches and many smart jackets are only waistline depth. The bolero tunes perfectly into the new movement and it is scheduled for smart promotion this spring.

HOUSEHOLD HINTS

You can freshen up drab waste baskets by pasting on some gay motifs cut from wall-paper, then using a white shellac over the paper.

A small leak in an aluminum pan may be repaired by placing a flat piece of heavy iron on one side and lightly hammering the hole together on the other side.

Felt hats will last longer if brushed with a brush made of hair and not with a whisk broom.

Set a five-gallon pail of old crank case oil in the tool shed, into which small tools may be dipped after using, this to prevent rusting.

Put the wooden salad bowl near the stove after washing, but never over direct or intense heat. Too much heat will cause the wood to warp and perhaps crack, but moderate heat is necessary to dry the bowl thoroughly before putting it away.

When patching a print dress match the patch with the print so that it will be less noticeable.

Clear hot water to which one teaspoon of baking soda has been added for each gallon of water brightens the gloss on enameled woodwork.

Smear soap on the threads of a screw cap of a jar in which odd bits of paint or varnish are to be saved. The joints will be airtight and the cap will not stick.

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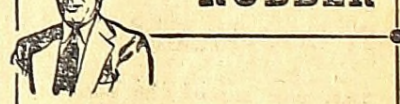
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ASK ME ANOTHER?

A General Quiz

The Questions

- 1. When did congress fix the number of stripes in our flag at 13?
2. What name is given to the green coloring matter of plants?
3. How many states were there in the Confederacy?
4. What state is known as the "Mother of Presidents"?
5. What is the only New England state having no coastal area?
6. For every American and Briton who can read and write Japanese, how many Japanese can read and write English?

The Answers

- 1. The year 1818.
2. Chlorophyll.
3. Eleven.
4. Virginia.
5. Vermont.
6. At least 10,000 Japanese.

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Under Six Nations

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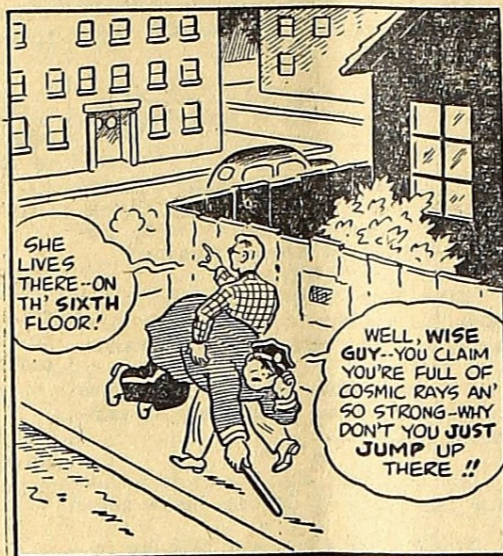
Don't Neglect Them! Nature designed the kidneys to do a marvelous job. Their task is to keep the flowing blood stream free of an excess of toxic impurities. The act of living—life itself—is constantly producing waste matter the kidneys must remove from the blood if good health is to endure.

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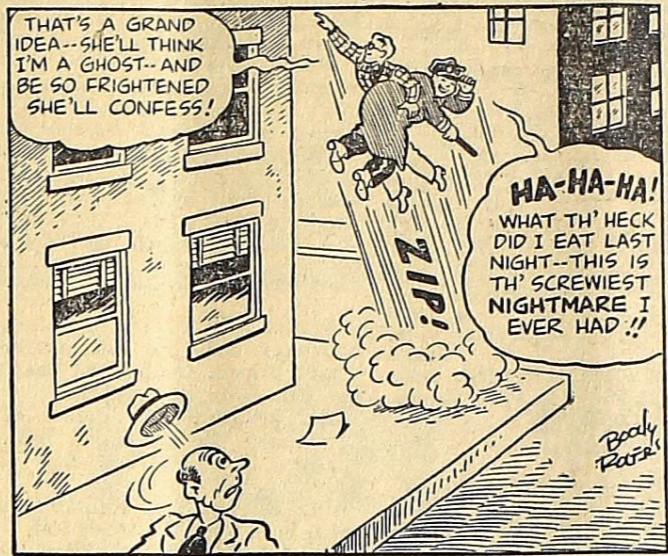
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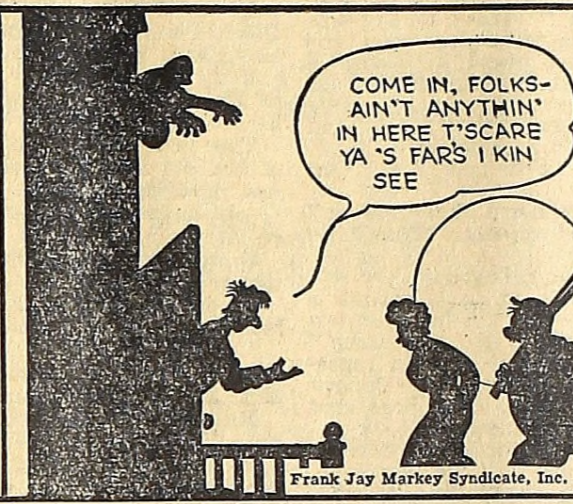
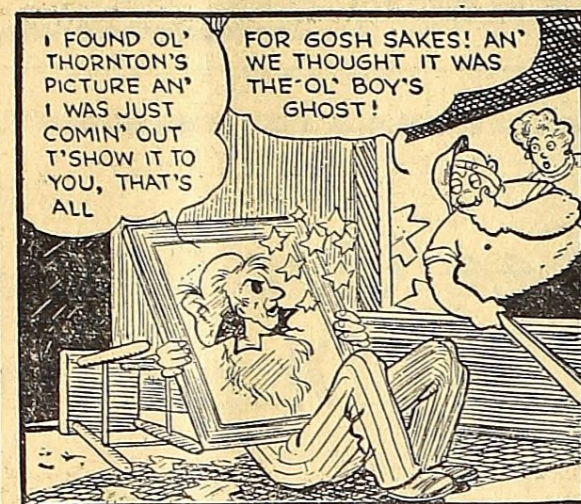
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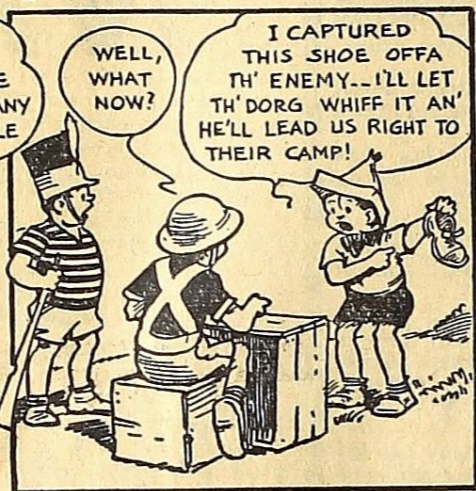
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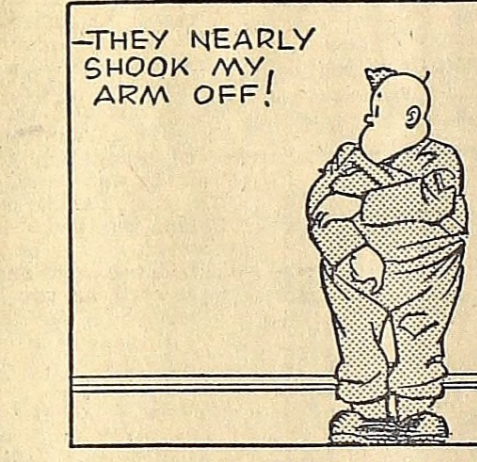
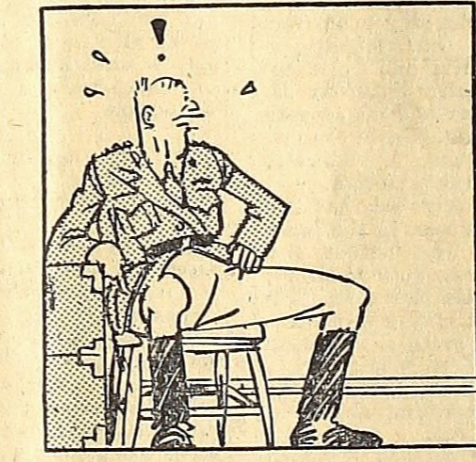
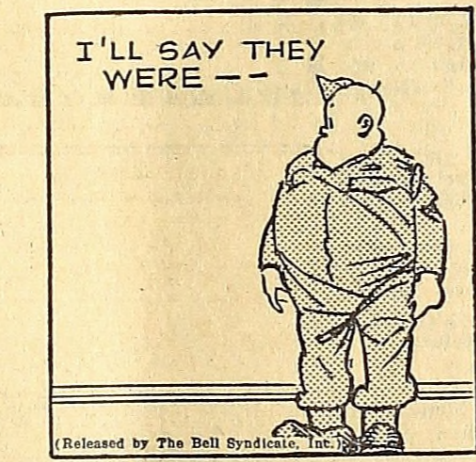
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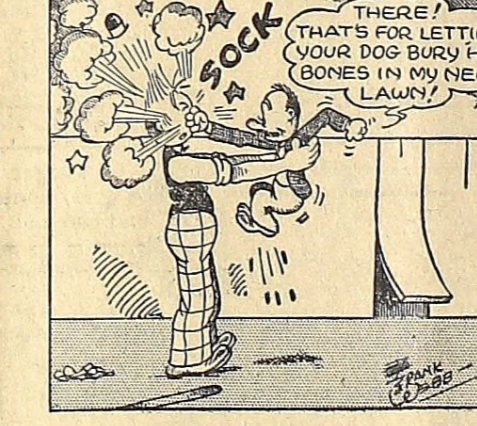
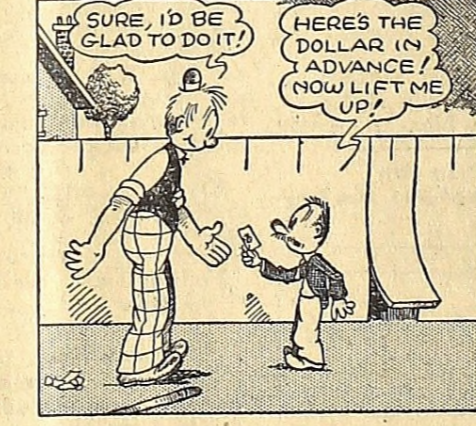
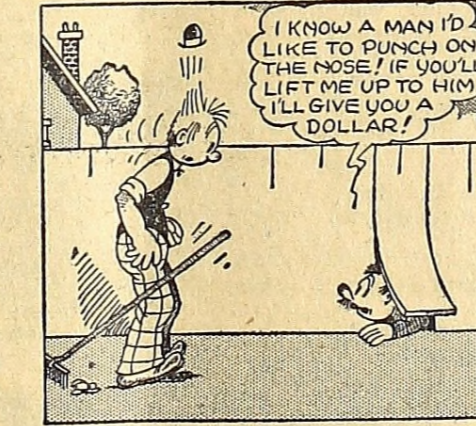
POP—Pop's a Soldiers' Soldier



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RAISING KANE—Anything to Accommodate

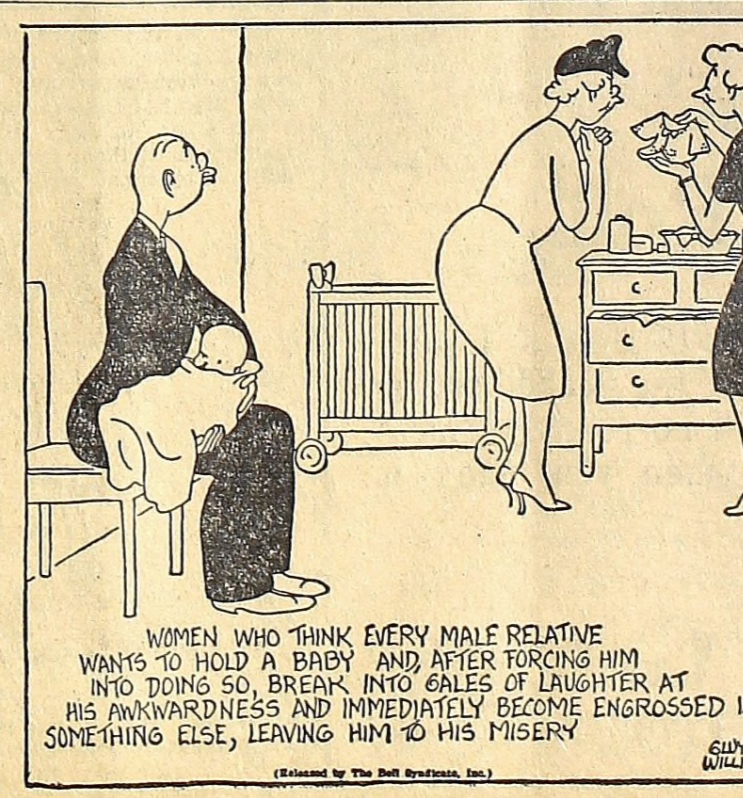


By FRANK WEBB



THE WORLD AT ITS WORST

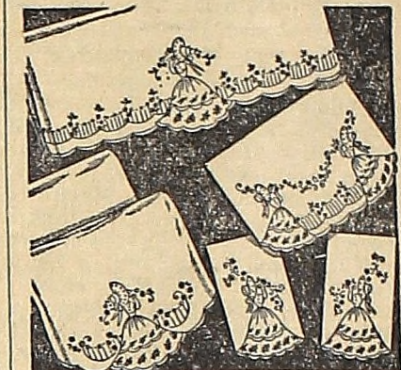
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WOMEN WHO THINK EVERY MALE RELATIVE WANTS TO HOLD A BABY AND AFTER FORCING HIM INTO DOING SO, BREAK INTO GALES OF LAUGHTER AT HIS AWKWARDNESS AND IMMEDIATELY BECOME ENGROSSSED IN SOMETHING ELSE, LEAVING HIM TO HIS MISERY

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ALL the charm of a bygone day is in this colonial girl motif—picture bonnet, bouffant skirt enhanced with a bit of embroidery and scallops, puff sleeved blouse.



Gracefully she lends her charm to side and center vanities, to matching dresser scarf and pillow slips. On the larger pieces, a rambling rose fence continues the motifs to the desired length.

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Crop of the Sea

Submarine gardens on the Pacific coast which thrilled visitors in glass-bottom boats in peacetime are now being visited by men in diving helmets, picking clumps of sea fern from the lush underwater growths. This is agar sea fern, one of the very essential products that Uncle Sam wants these war days.

Agar-agar, the gelatin made from the fern, gives smoothness to ice cream and contains cheeses. More important, it's the one essential gelatin for which no substitute has been found, in making laboratory tests of drinking water, milk, and food to safeguard American civil and military health.

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Early Betrothals In some Asiatic countries couples are betrothed by their parents in childhood or infancy, or even before they are born. In Mongolia, children are tentatively betrothed at about six or seven, and the engagement is marked by a feast given by the girl's parents.

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Hale

STEVE W. SWANSON Steve W. Swanson passed away Sunday morning at his home after an illness of three years with an incurable heart ailment.

P.-T. A. FOUNDERS DAY

The Hale P.-T. A. celebrated founders day at the regular meeting, Wednesday night.

The president, Mrs. George Lake, urged members to get behind the various product drives, and the following persons were appointed on committees: Tin cans, Mrs. A. E. Greve and Mrs. Lloyd Murry; fats, Mrs. Johnson and Mrs. Smith; silk, Mrs. Ross Webb and Mrs. Brown; books for the library, Mrs. Pearsall and Mrs. Smith.

Program committee for next meeting, Mr. Rheim and Miss Martin. Nominating committee, John Webb, Mrs. Esther Murry and Mrs. Cora Johnson.

Pot luck lunch was served.

BENEFIT PARTY

A benefit party was held at the Hale town hall last Saturday night for Mr. and Mrs. Leon Putnam, whose small son is in Mercy hospital at Bay City awaiting a very serious operation.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard VanWormer and Mrs. Mosco Scofield of Toledo were Sunday guests at the T. G. Scofield home.

Mrs. Amy Bernard left Monday for an indefinite stay with relatives at Wooster, Ohio.

Mr. and Mrs. D-le Johnson called on Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Frost at Bay City Sunday and visited Loren Putnam at Mercy hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Putnam were at Bay City last week where their small son is seriously ill with a tumor in the kidney.

Red Cross met at the home of Mrs. Cora Johnson last Tuesday. Next week they will meet with Mrs. Arnold Bronson. Pot luck dinner at noon Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Buck of Midland attended the funeral of Steve Swanson on Wednesday.

Caterpillars

Caterpillars have six legs. The conspicuous fleshy clasps which often are mistaken for its legs are not true legs but are called "pro-legs."

WOMEN AT WAR

Bessie

"All right, Bessie," said the boss of the little factory which was making jackets for soldiers. "Did you want to see me about something?"

"It's about this ten percent pledge," she began. "Oh, that's all right, Bessie," the boss said. "I'd been meaning to speak to you about that. We don't expect you to pledge ten percent of your pay for War Bonds like the others are doing."

"I know you have a hard time making ends meet since Jake died. Eleven kids, isn't it? That's quite a lot of mouths to feed. Let's see, you make \$25.50 a week including overtime, don't you?"

"Yes, sir, but..." "Don't give it another thought, Bessie. You've got your hands full now. Uncle Sam knows you haven't got a penny to spare. Don't let it worry you. We understand."

The boss turned to go back into his private office. "But what I wanted to say was..." Bessie raised her voice and the boss looked around. "I wanted to say, would a dollar a week be too little? You see, after we get the living expenses paid, there's just about a dollar a week left. Would they be willing to accept a dollar a week?"

"They'd be more than willing," the boss said quietly. "They'd be proud."

Bessie looked relieved. "All we have to do is scrip a little," she said. "I'd feel just terrible if we couldn't give something."

"Back in the boss' office a representative of the Treasury Department was waiting. The boss shut the door and sat down.

"I've just seen the greatest single sacrifice I know of," the boss said. "Listen, if you want to hear what American women are made of..." (Story from an actual report in the files of the Treasury Department.)

Are you making a sacrifice? Are you buying War Bonds, People's Bonds? Join a payroll savings plan at your office or factory.

U. S. Treasury Department

Liquor From Rug

New Jersey Liquor board agents literally wrung evidence out of a rug—enough, anyway, to cause a woman to be fined \$15 on a charge of possessing untaxed alcohol. Raising the woman's home, agents found several broken bottles on a carpet which was suspiciously damp. They decided on the squeeze play.

Autos With Radios

About 7,500,000 automobiles are today equipped with radios as against 3,000 in 1929.

Whitemore

WHITEMORE P.-T. A.

Whitemore P.-T. A. met Tuesday night with a large attendance. The president, Mrs. Barrington, honored all past presidents. The following past presidents were present: Mrs. William Curtis, Mrs. Charles McKenzie, Mrs. Roy Charters, Mrs. Earl Hasty, Mrs. Joseph Danin, Mrs. Charles Dorcy and Mrs. Theodore Bellville.

A beautiful birthday cake centered the table in keeping with Founders' Week with two candles for each two years that the presidents served.

Each past president responded when called on with something of interest that happened while she served as president.

Program was given which consisted of two numbers by a mixed chorus, and numbers by Mr. Barrington and Marjorie Pederson.

A delicious lunch was served by the committee.

Gladys Ruckle of Detroit spent last week end here with her mother. Mrs. Anson Goupil has been visiting Flint for two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Porter of Bay City spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Campbell.

Ray Ellsworth of Flint was at his home here over the week end. Geraldine Leslie of Flint was a guest of her parents over the week end.

E. J. Williams of Pierce South Dakota was home on a week's furlough with his parents.

Betty Higgins and two girl friends of Detroit spent the week end with her parents.

The little seven-months old son of Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Smith, who has been seriously ill with pneumonia following whooping cough, is on the gain.

Sharon Schuster of Saginaw spent the week end with her grandparents. Theda Charters of Saginaw was home over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Hennigar of East Tawas were callers of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Danin Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Pakorski of Bay City spent the week end with Mrs. Pakorski's mother, Mrs. Duncan Valley.

Miss Ginny Ellsworth of Saginaw spent the week end at her home here.

Stephen Barr of Saginaw was home over the week end.

Donald, ten-year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Clare Thompson, had the misfortune to fall at school one day last week and break his hip. He was treated by Dr. Hasty and later removed to Mercy Hospital, Bay City where he is still in quite serious condition.

Dale O'Farrell was pleasantly surprised St. Valentine's day when a number of boys and girls walked in on him and reminded him of his birthday anniversary. All enjoyed a pleasant afternoon and a delicious was served. Dale was the recipient of many nice gifts.

Gentlemen's Night was observed by the Women's Club Friday night with about 50 attending. A 6:30 supper was served and the evening was spent in games and cards.

Ms. and Mrs. Frank Horton were callers at Hale Wednesday afternoon. David Fortune entertained a number of little girls and boys, together with his teacher Saturday afternoon. The occasion was his seventh birthday anniversary. David received many pretty gifts. A delicious lunch was served by his mother.

Cecil Ruckle has reported that two blue jays built their nest in the basement of his barn. The mother bird laid two eggs and the past week she hatched out two little blue jays. This must be a sign that spring is near.

Ed Gay of Flint spent a few days here the past week with relatives. Word from Alma Washburn, who is ill in Flint, states that she is in a very weak condition.

Mrs. Jack Miller was in Standish Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Graham and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dease and daughter of Bay City spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ed Graham.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Jackson of West Branch were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Arden Charters Monday evening.

Larger Than Sun The great comet of 1811 was larger than the sun.

Ernest Grinkov, with the Canadian troops, expects to sail for England soon.

Neil McDonald has assumed charge of the Bank of Lupton.

Paint From Iron Bed Paint can be removed from an iron bed with an alkaline remover in the form of a semi-paste. This is the most convenient and economical method.

Ease Pastry into Pan Always ease pastry into the pan without stretching. Make a single baked crust by baking pastry over the back of a pie pan and be sure to prick the pastry with a fork to let the steam escape.

Tung Oil From China U. S. imports of tung oil from China have been seriously curtailed by the war. The oil is used as a waterproofing and drying agent in paints and varnishes.

Car Knocker A car knocker does not criticize your automobile. He's a tank car repairman in the car building industry.

Presidents Not Born Here The first seven Presidents Washington, Adams, Jefferson, Madison, Monroe, Adams, and Jackson, were born before there was a United States.

People in Canada There are over 10,000,000 people in Canada.



A uniform for a WAAC, complete, costs approximately \$170.00. The quartermaster's department must provide thousands of them. Your purchase of War Bonds helps pay for these uniforms. Invest at least ten percent of your income in War Bonds every payday through a Payroll Savings plan at your office or factory.

U. S. Treasury Department

LOOKING BACKWARD

40 Years Ago—February 20, 1903.

Capt. Richard P. Hobson, the kissable hero of the Merrimac, has resigned from the navy and the thunder of his guns will hereafter be heard from the lecture platform. He will tell us how we should fear the terrible Japs.

The James Shivas family will occupy the residence vacated by Rev. Waterbury.

Supervisor Leander Gardner of Plainfield township is suffering with a leg fracture.

Clifford Hayes has been elected master of the newly organized Greenwood Grange; William O'Brien, secretary; Herman Brown, treasurer.

Mike Woznac, who has been at Salt Lake City, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Woznac.

Rev. and Mrs. A. Waterbury are leaving for their new home at Malvern, Arkansas.

Monday night was the coldest thus far this year—10 degrees below zero.

The Gopher Club met Monday evening at the Thomas Garber home.

President Roosevelt has signed the act establishing the new Department of Commerce.

Will C. Davidson is now a member of the Citizen's Brass Band of Grand Marais. He has chosen the clarinet.

Buswell & Martin have obtained their season's supply of trap net stakes from Mrs. Shad, and have finished hauling them to their fishing grounds.

Mrs. E. E. Odell and little son, Elmer, accompanied by her nurse, arrived home yesterday.

Curry & Latham are moving their saw mill to Turner.

25 Years Ago—February 22, 1918 Corp. Alan Zinder is enroute to France with the 409th Motor Supply Train.

The thermometer register seven degrees below zero Wednesday night.

Congressman Currie announces that government seeds will be sent only on request this year.

Plans are being made to form a permanent Y.M.C.A. organization in the county.

Two hundred twenty of the 229 Isoco county draftees have passed their physical examinations and are ready to be called.

The Tawas Butter Company has installed new and up-to-date equipment in the creamery to take care of increasing business.

"If we desire to avoid insult, we must be able to repel it; If we desire peace, it must be known that we are at all times ready for war."—George Washington.

Thirty-five thousand boys and young men of Michigan have volunteered for work on farms during the coming season.

Ernest Self of Hale is visiting at Owosso.

James Leslie has taken possession of the Star Hotel Whitemore, as proprietor.

John McNaly returned home from Saginaw Saturday, where he had been visiting for a few days.

A special feature at Gentlemen's Night, Twentieth Century Club, was the cracker eating contest between two groups headed by L. J. Patterson and Mrs. W. J. Robinson. The contest was declared a draw, and the contestants spent the remainder of the evening drinking water.

Ernest Grinkov, with the Canadian troops, expects to sail for England soon.

Neil McDonald has assumed charge of the Bank of Lupton.

Paint From Iron Bed Paint can be removed from an iron bed with an alkaline remover in the form of a semi-paste. This is the most convenient and economical method.

Ease Pastry into Pan Always ease pastry into the pan without stretching. Make a single baked crust by baking pastry over the back of a pie pan and be sure to prick the pastry with a fork to let the steam escape.

Tung Oil From China U. S. imports of tung oil from China have been seriously curtailed by the war. The oil is used as a waterproofing and drying agent in paints and varnishes.

Car Knocker A car knocker does not criticize your automobile. He's a tank car repairman in the car building industry.

Presidents Not Born Here The first seven Presidents Washington, Adams, Jefferson, Madison, Monroe, Adams, and Jackson, were born before there was a United States.

People in Canada There are over 10,000,000 people in Canada.

Greater Height The Australian eucalyptus attains the greatest height of any of the world's trees. The sequoias in California attain the next greatest height.

Baseball in Europe John McGraw is credited with having introduced baseball in Europe and in the Orient.

Russian 'Verst' The verst, Russian measure of distance, equals about two-thirds of a mile.

'Rustler' Workers who look after the hauling system and perform the work of lowering and raising mine cars to and from the mine are called "rustlers."

No Mourning for Wives The Chinese mourn for their equals and for their superiors in relationship, but are not required to mourn for their deceased wives.

Noble Metals Gold and silver are called the noble metals because they do not rust.

'Color Blind' An artist in Cleveland, Ohio, who had won several prizes for his paintings, was rejected by the marine corps because he was "color blind."

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Uncle Sam is fighting the biggest "fire" in world history. Every ounce of pressure we can put behind the war effort is needed now.

If everybody kept right on sprinkling lawns while a big fire was raging, the firemen wouldn't have enough pressure. Just so with the telephone system. Long Distance telephone lines, like water mains, can carry only so much at a time. Much of the capacity of the Long Distance lines is needed now for the messages that speed war production.

Here's how you can help:

Do not make a Long Distance call unless it is really important.

Keep all calls as brief as you can.

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Original Users of Snowshoes
The North American Indians were the original users of snowshoes.

Polonium
Polonium, worth 57,000 times as much as gold, is being used in the electrodes of a new spark plug.

Mobile Post Office
Second experimental highway post office route has been placed in operation between Indianapolis and South Bend, Ind. The route is 151.8 miles, and a round trip will be made daily, except Sundays and holidays.

One-Way Streets
Julius Caesar conceived the idea of the one-way street as an aid to traffic.

Traffic Deaths Increase
Latest figures show traffic deaths and injury totals increased about 7 per cent in 1940 over the previous year.

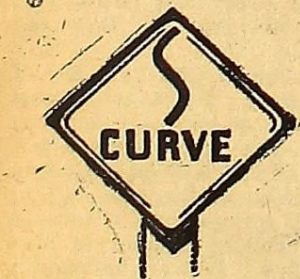
Species of Whale
The cachalot is a species of the whale and is found under the sea.

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WAR RATION SCHEDULE

Stamp No. 17 is good for one pair of shoes until June 15.
War Ration Stamp, No. 11, good for three pounds of sugar, from February 1 to March 15.
War Ration Stamp, No. 25, good for one pound of coffee, beginning February 7.
The first check on automobile tires must be made prior to March 31. Tire check every six months.
Automobile gasoline Ration coupon, No. 4, "A" card expires March 21.
Fuel Oil Coupon No. 4 good from February 2 until April 17. Good for 11 gallons of fuel oil.
Tire Ration Panel meets at 10:00 a. m. until 12:00 noon, Mondays and Thursdays.
Gasoline regulations, restrict dealers from gas to persons not displaying their highest sticker corresponding with their book.
Those holding B and C Cards must have cars inspected before February 28.
Gasoline and Fuel Oil Panel meets 9:30 a. m. until 12:00 noon Saturdays.
General office hours, 8:00 a. m. until 12:00 and 1:00 until 5:00. Office closed Wednesday and Saturday afternoons. Telephone 652.

LOWER HEMLOCK

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Bouchard and Mrs. Paul Bouchard spent Thursday in Bay City.
Harlan Fowler of Tawas City spent a few days at the home of his aunt, Mrs. George Biggs, before leaving for the army.
Lucille Kobs has been on the sick list, but is better again and able to be back at work.
Miss Esther Look spent Friday in Bay City.
Fred Lorenz of Detroit spent the week end on the Hemlock with relatives and friends.
Russell Nelkie was a week end visitor in Flint.
On Saturday evening a birthday party was held for Clifford Anschuetz at the Anschuetz school. The evening was spent in dancing and lunch was served at a late hour.
Mr. and Mrs. Waldo Curry, Jr., spent Wednesday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Wendt.

TOWNLIN

Mr. and Mrs. Leø Lange of Detroit spent the week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lange and Mr. and Mrs. John Ulma.
Mr. and Mrs. Lester Kendall, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Kendall and baby spent the week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ulman and Mr. and Mrs. William Kendall.
Mr. and Mrs. Norton Ulman and baby of Detroit spent the week end with their parents.
Charles Lange put up ice last week.
Miss Ruth Ulman visited her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lange over the week end.
Valentine parties were held at both Townline schools.
Baked Beans for Emperors
Baked beans was served to Inca emperors on golden platters centuries before Columbus sailed the ocean blue. It was Peru that ultimately taught our American cooks the art of its preparation.

Mortgage Sale

By reason of default in the payment and conditions of a certain mortgage dated the 15th day of September, 1941, made by Saile Pulliam, of Plainfield township, Iosco county, Michigan, to Charles F. Hauser and Grace Hauser, his wife, of South Branch, Michigan, and recorded September 13th, 1941, in Liber 30 of Mortgages at pages 401 and 402, upon which there is claimed to be due the sum of \$1100.00 for principal and interest.
Said Mortgage will be foreclosed by sale of the mortgaged premises described as a piece of land in Government Lot 2 of Section 6, Township 23 North, Range 5 East, Iosco county, Michigan, bounded as follows: Commencing at a point where the Highway known as the Eymor Road runs northeasterly across said Lot 2 in Section 6 aforesaid, intersects the northeasterly line of the County Gravel Road through said Lot 2, thence northeasterly along the northerly side of said County Gravel Road for 450 feet, thence at right angles northeasterly parallel with said Eymor Road 196 feet, thence at right angles southeasterly parallel with said County Road 100 feet, thence at right angles southeasterly parallel with said Eymor Road 50 feet, thence at right angles southeasterly parallel with said County Road 113 feet to the westerly line of said Eymor Road, thence at right angles southeasterly along said Eymor Road to the place of beginning 96 feet, at Public Auction to the highest bidder therefor, on the 15th day of May 1943, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day at the front door of the Court House in Tawas City, to satisfy the amount then due as above, and costs, and attorney fee, and taxes, if paid.
Dated February 15, 1943.
Charles F. Hauser and Grace Hauser, His Wife, of South Branch, Michigan, Mortgagees, by
N. C. Hartingh, Attorney, of Tawas City, Michigan.

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OPA Form No. R-1301
UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
OFFICE OF PRICE ADMINISTRATION

CONSUMER DECLARATION
Processed Foods and Coffee

I HEREBY CERTIFY that I am authorized to apply for and receive a War Ration Book Two for each person listed below who is a member of my family unit, or the other person or persons for whom I am acting whose War Ration Book One I have submitted to the Board;

That the name of each person and number of his or her War Ration Book One are accurately listed below;

That none of these persons is confined or resident in an institution, or is a member of the Armed Forces receiving subsistence in kind or eating in separate messes under an officer's command;

That no other application for War Ration Book Two for these persons has been made;

That the following inventory statements are true and include all indicated foods owned by all persons included in this Declaration:

Coffee

1. Pounds of coffee owned on November 28, 1942, minus 1 pound for each person included in this Declaration whose age as stated on War Ration Book One is 14 years or older.
2. Number of persons included in this Declaration whose age as stated on War Ration Book One is 14 years or older.

Canned Foods

Include all commercially canned fruits (including spiced); canned vegetables; canned fruit and vegetable juices; canned soups, chili sauce, and catsup.
Do not include canned olives; canned meat and fish; pickles, relish; jellies, jans, and preserves; spaghetti, macaroni, and noodles; or home-canned foods.

3. Number of cans, bottles, and jars (8-ounce size or larger) of commercially packed fruits, vegetables, juices and soups, chili sauce and catsup owned on February 21, 1943, minus 5 for each person included in this Declaration.
4. Number of persons included in this Declaration.

The name of each person included in this Declaration and the number of his or her War Ration Book One is:

Print Name	Number
1. _____	_____
2. _____	_____
3. _____	_____
4. _____	_____
5. _____	_____
6. _____	_____
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NOTICE.—Section 35 (A) of the United States Criminal Code makes it a criminal offense, punishable by a maximum of 10 years' imprisonment, \$10,000 fine, or both, to make a false statement or representation as to any matter within the jurisdiction of any department or agency of the United States.

(Signature of applicant or authorized agent) _____
(Address) _____
(City and State) _____

Population of Halifax
The population of Halifax, Nova Scotia, has doubled since the war began.

Cork From Europe
Cork is obtained from the cork-oak trees of southern Europe and northern Africa.

No Mourning for Wives
The Chinese mourn for their equals and for their superiors in relationship, but are not required to mourn for their deceased wives.

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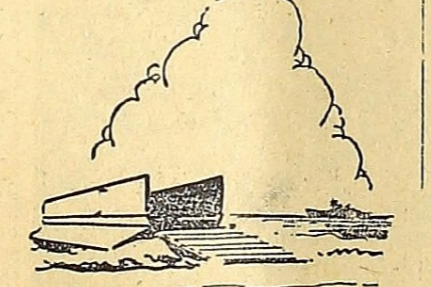
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U. S. Treasury Department

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 6th day of February, A. D. 1943.
Present, Honorable H. Read Smith, Judge of Probate.
In the Matter of the Estate of George Whiford, deceased.
R. J. Crandell having filed in said Court his final administration account and his petition praying for the allowance thereof and for the assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate.
It is ordered, That the 1st day of March, A. D. 1943, 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 notice thereof be given by publication of a copy hereof for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Tawas Herald a newspaper printed and circulated in said County, and that the petitioner at least ten (10) days prior to such hearing, cause a copy of this notice to be mailed to each party in interest in this estate at his last known address by registered mail, return receipt demanded.
H. READ SMITH,
Judge of Probate

Hemlock

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Binder and Mrs. Charles Brown were in Bay City on Saturday. Owing to the storm Mrs. Binder and family remained at her parents home until Sunday night.
John Burt, Jr., called on Mr. and Mrs. Charles Brown on Monday.
Ladies Aid meet with Mrs. Fred Pfahl on Thursday with a good turn out. Red Cross was done.
The storm of Saturday night and Sunday shut most of our people in again.
Earl Bailey of Pontiac spent the week end with his family. We are sorry that Mrs. Bailey is on the sick list, and wish her a speedy recovery.

McIvor

Mrs. Orville Strauer was in Bay City and Flint visiting relatives over the week end.
Fred Kohn received a carload of wheat from Minnesota Monday and is busy unloading it.
Mrs. Thomas Norris visited in Bay City on Friday and Saturday.
Mrs. Edna Mark left last week for southern Illinois where she will visit her sisters and brother for seven weeks.
The Strauer children spent Friday and Saturday in Tawas City with their grandmother, Mrs. A. Strauer.

'Rustler'

Workers who look after the haulage system and perform the work of lowering and raising mine cars to and from the mine are called "rustlers."

WAN'T AD COLUMN

FOR SALE—1939 Chevrolet 1/2 ton panel, one four burner large oven gas range. Both in A-1 working condition. Waldo Curry.

FOR SALE—2 story house, steam heat throughout, semi basement. Full bath, strictly modern. 3 1/2 lots beside house lot. Large garage with work shop. Price \$3000 cash or \$3500 on time. See Charles Nash, Tawas City or Phone 304. 50-2

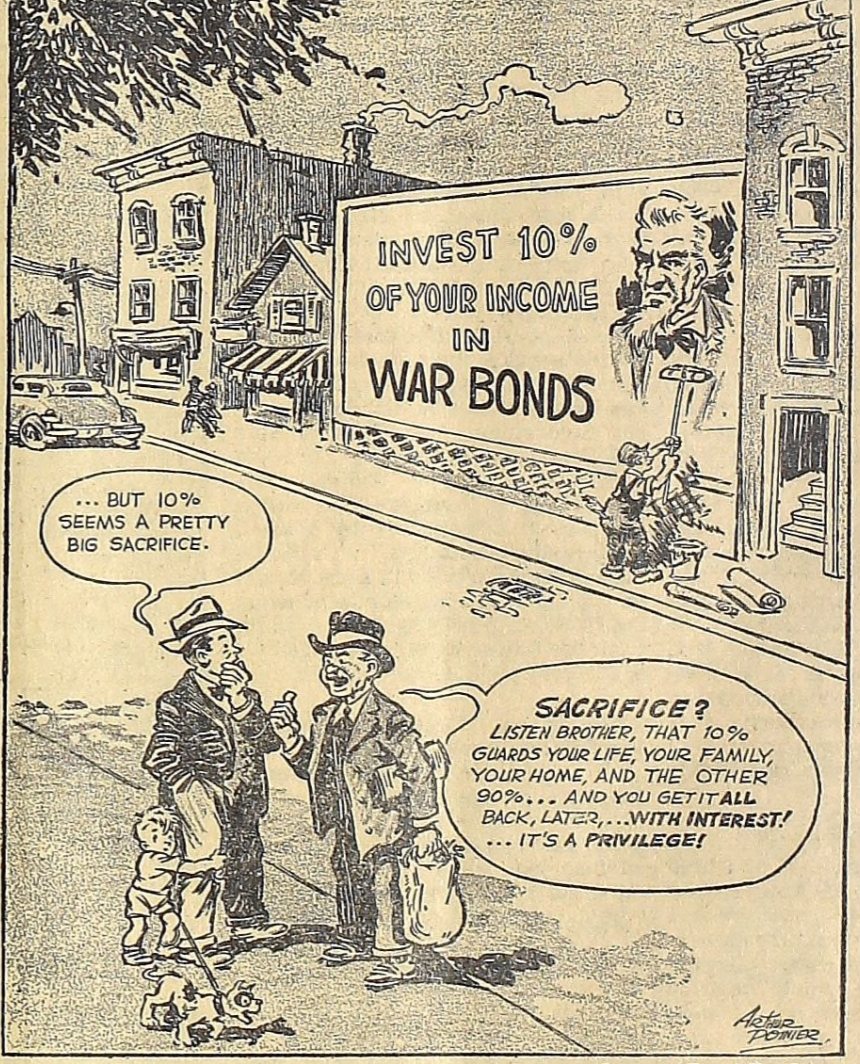
MONUMENTS and Markers—Good reliable firm. All styles and prices. Will Brown, Phone 463, Tawas City. 4-1f

FOR SALE—Two work horses and harness, 2 saddle horses and saddles. Elmer Anschuetz, McIvor.

WANTED—Used electric radio in good condition. G. E. Olson, Star Route, East Tawas.

WANTED—Woman for part time work. Mrs. R. W. Tuttle, Tawas City.

JOHN CITIZEN SPEAKS * Cartoon by Arthur Fowler



Save 10%... to Save 100%

All over the nation, patriotic Americans are spending less and saving more—putting at least 10% of their incomes into War Bonds and Stamps. So our boys can have the planes and tanks and guns they need to fight and attack and WIN for us!

So the Nazis and Japs will wish they hadn't tried to enslave America, too—and won't ever try it again!

And it's going to take 10% in War Bonds to do it!

So, if you've been postponing buckling down, remember, it's "Everybody 10%" or "Nobody (except our Axis masters) having a cent."

NOTE—Now You Can Buy War Bonds Through Your Rural Postman!

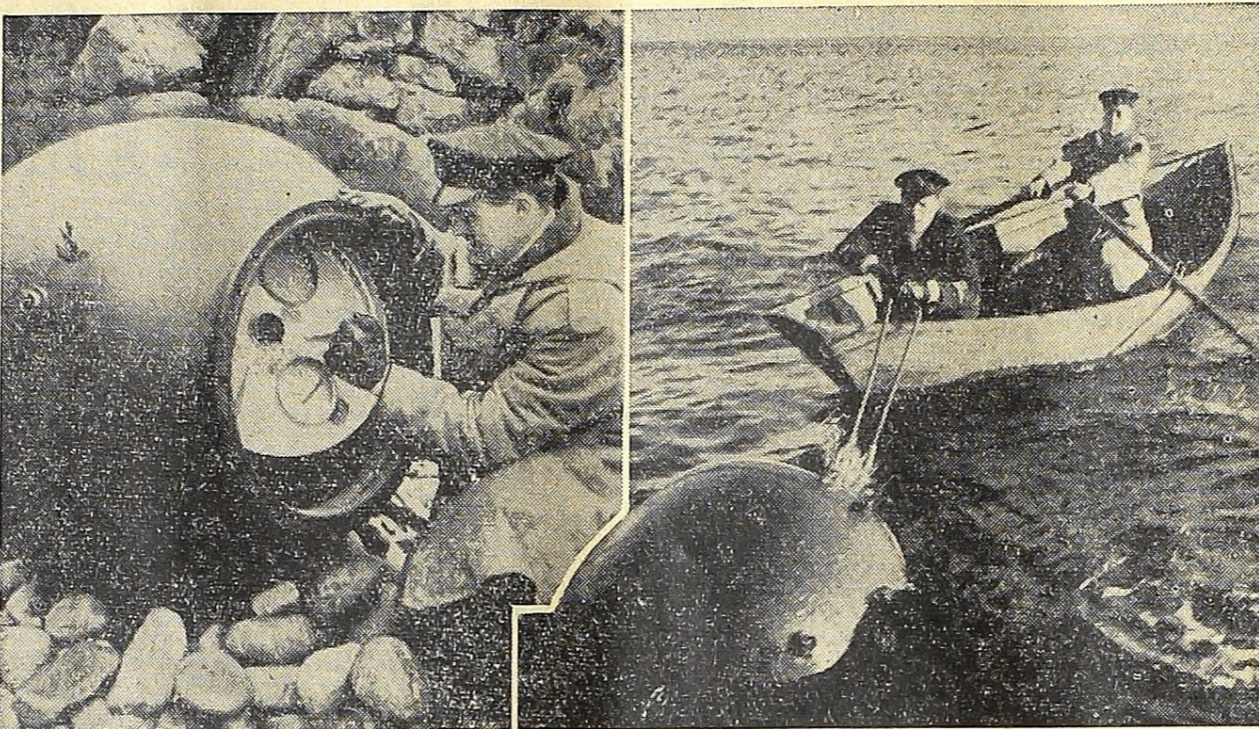
EVERYBODY 10% Buy War Savings Bonds
SHOOT STRAIGHT WITH OUR BOYS

'In Line of Duty' on Guadalcanal



A price was exacted from the Japs in overcoming their hold on Guadalcanal, and a price was paid by the United States marines who landed there and held the island until relieved by the U. S. army. Here the marines stand over the graves of their comrades. Their bared heads are bowed as the chaplain intones the service. These men have come from the front. They stand, some of them in shirts that have been ripped to shreds. Palm fronds decorate some of the graves that are marked by crude crosses. Soon after the services were over the men returned to their guns.

Canada's Unsung Heroes Round Up Mines



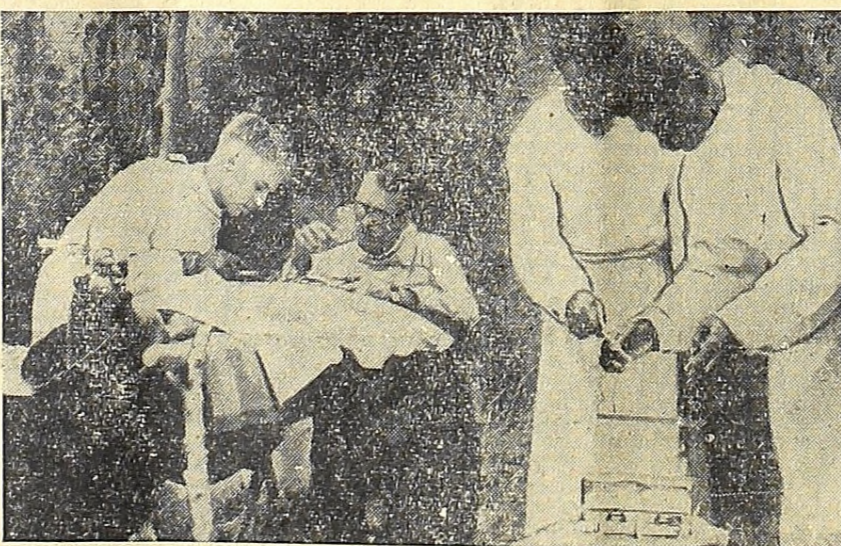
Among the unsung heroes of the war list the mine killers of the Royal Canadian navy. An offshoot of England's famous mine disposal squad, these men who flirt with death pick this job voluntarily and receive no "extras." Their job is to round up mines and render them harmless. The gentleman at the left who is "roughing up" a floating mine with an ice pick is Lieut. George Rundle, instructor at a Canadian port. After roughing, the mine is set afire with gasoline-soaked rags and blown up. Right: Lieutenant Rundle, with assistant Harold Simpson, tows a mine towards shore after Rundle had removed the horns that actuate the detonator.

Page Eliza! Bloodhounds on Trail!



"Dog man" of the New York state troopers is W. W. Horton, who trains the bloodhounds that accompany the troopers on their hunts. At left Danny leads trooper Horton to the "lost" youngster. Upper right: The dog learns to trail his man around haystacks and through thickets. Lower right: Smartie looks worried, but that's the bloodhound's natural expression.

Operation Near North African Battlefield



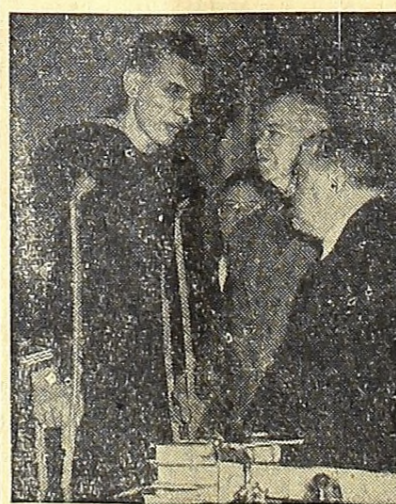
An operation in progress on the field at North Africa. It was performed by one British medical officer while another administers the anaesthetic. Two orderlies are bending over a sterilizer. This gives an indication of the important work done by an advanced dressing station in the battle area where time in treatment is important.

5 Days in Cockpit



Shown recovering in a Newfoundland hospital is Sergt. Philip G. Bockman, an American in the Royal Canadian Air Force, from Oklahoma City, Okla., who crashed his Hurricane fighter plane while out on a low-flying exercise in a snowstorm. After five days of living in the cockpit and dining on snow and water from a nearby stream, Sergeant Bockman was spotted by another American pilot.

Aids Red Cross Drive



Edward Bykowski, pharmacist's mate who was wounded in Solomons, makes plea to the mayor of New York, Fiorello LaGuardia, for an all-out effort by the mayor and city in raising the \$12,920,700 set for New York in the Red Cross drive.



Washington, D. C.

NEW TOMMY CORCORAN

No announcement has been made yet, but the President has a new "Tommy Corcoran"—astute young Joe Casey, ex-congressman from Massachusetts. Make a note of him. He will play an important role backstage around congress.

But where Tommy the Cork and Ben Cohen frequently rubbed congress the wrong way, Casey's No. 1 job is to promote White House-congressional harmony.

Casey is also making some Q.T. surveys for the President. One of them is to see whether members of the War Production board are deliberately slanting their actions to smear the New Deal.

Another Q.T. probe is of Elmer Davis' Office of War Information. Casey believes that shrewd, public-minded Davis could be of great value to the administration if asked to pass on more government moves in order to gauge their effect upon public opinion. Casey, therefore, may recommend that FDR submit all directives and executive orders to Davis before release to the public.

On the congressional front Casey plans more visits to the White House by bi-partisan groups, which may be able to give FDR better advice than Harry Hopkins.

Note: So far Casey has refused to accept any salary, but is slated later for a post in Jimmy Byrnes' Office of Economic Stabilization.

WHY STALIN DECLINED

The diplomatic grapevine has brought a new reason why Stalin didn't want to join the backgammon party at Casablanca—the danger of being dragged into a political discussion over future boundaries of Europe.

One year ago Foreign Minister Litvinov flew to London, took the initiative in discussing post-war boundaries. But the British were gun-shy.

Since then Stalin has reversed his policy of advance boundary agreements, has announced a policy of self-determination of nations. With large Russian and Slavic blocs in Poland, the Baltic states, Rumania, this means a good slice of eastern Europe would join Soviet Russia.

However, some U. S. plus some British leaders now have reversed themselves about not agreeing on boundaries in advance. Perhaps fearing that Russia might reach too far, they want to work out preliminary peace plans now rather than haggle over them at the conference table.

This advance dealing of the boundary cards, according to the diplomatic grapevine, was what Stalin wanted to avoid at Casablanca.

Note: What Russia wants after the war is a slice of Finland, one-half of Poland, the Baltic states, the Carpathian provinces of Hungary, the Dobruja from Rumania, all of Bulgaria, which is very pro-Russian, enough of Yugoslavia—also pro-Russian—to secure an outlet on the Adriatic; and an outlet on the Persian gulf. This would give Russia direct access to the Mediterranean and the Indian ocean. Obviously Churchill, who says he wasn't made prime minister to liquidate the empire, can't be enthusiastic about that.

RED ARMY

United States military observers explain recent Russian successes in terms of a development not generally realized in the United States—liberation of the generals from political domination.

Under the system which prevailed in Russia in the early months of the war, the Red generals were responsible to the political commissars. This made them overcautious, prevented daring, resolute action.

Then came the requirement that commissars themselves take military training and indoctrination. Simultaneously their authority over the generals was removed.

Now the Red army is run by the Red army.

THE RUSSIAN FRONT

Though the Russians admitted Brig. Gen. Pat Hurley to the front lines, they still have not revoked their ban on foreign military observers. Their explanation—for what it's worth—is that they would have to admit Japanese observers as well, since they are still at peace with Japan. Most impressive to Americans who have been anywhere near the Russian front are the earnest but improvised supply methods.

Across the Russian steppes come food and ammunition for the men at the front—behind a team of caribou, or oxen, or on the shoulders of men afoot. Any way and every way, the people of Russia keep supplies moving.

CAPITAL CHAFF

Keep an eye on Dick Patterson, ex-assistant secretary of commerce, now head of RKO, as next U. S. minister to Canada.

A secret session of U. S. senators sat with Chinese leaders the other day to try to drum up more aid to China—now virtually nil, despite Roosevelt's statement that more was being flown in now than went over the Burma road. (FDR didn't let his Far Eastern experts see that speech or he never would have said it.)



Notes of an Innocent Bystander:

The Magic Lanterns: Alfred Hitchcock's latest, "Shadow of a Doubt," is one of the most exciting melodrama-masterpieces. . . . Nobody on the stage or screen is a better actress than little Margaret O'Brien. Most aren't as good. She tears the heart out of your throat in "Journey for Margaret," and in a patriotic short, starring J. Cagney, Margaret delivers The Gettysburg Address better, perhaps, than Lincoln himself. . . . The March of Time's "We Are the Marines" is the first release from that group that seemed dull. . . . Real marines in action at the front, too, but the actors in "Commandos Strike at Dawn" took your breath away with their phony war. . . . In that film Lillian Gish's bit-playing didn't hold me, at all. . . . I kept thinking: "Here she is appearing in a propaganda picture, although she attacked war a year ago, by accusing Hollywood of 'forcing' her into a film in 1917 to arouse hatred, etc." . . . "China Girl" is only entertainment when audiences kid it.

The Coast-to-Coasters: The big query in Brazil: "Why did your country stop letting us hear Lowell Thomas now and then?" . . . Please send that item to Mr. Nelson Rockefeller's Inter-American Committee, Washington, and help cement relations with South America. . . . Joe Besser's interruptions on Jack Benny's show are the most amusing gags in a long time. . . . The endless interruptions on Infopleez ("The best tunes of all go to Carnegie Hall") must have robbed that attraction of many listeners. Most irritating. And so you remedy matters by simply dialing to another program. . . . George Denny's "Town Hall Meeting of the Air" remains a radio must. . . . The claims here and there that certain radio news commentators "have the largest audience in the U. S." were debunked by the radio page in the current issue of Time, which lists the "first ten programs," and names only one reporter.

The Intelligentsia: "The Sergeant Says," a first effort by Sgt. James Cannon of Fort Dix and PM, is crowded with first-rate wordage—which is hardly news to all of us who said he could write long ago. . . . "Guadalcanal Diary," (Random House) by Richard Tregaskis of Int'l News, is the Feb. Book-of-the-Month—a literary monument to American heroism. . . . Another first effort is "The Listeners," a novel by Lt. Herbert Whiting (Appleton-Century). Critics predict a public for it. . . . Reporter Robert Casey's "Torpedo Junction" (we just caught up with it) is a Bobbs-Merrill corker.

The Magazines: The cunning and moxie of the Hitler haters inside the Reich are reported in "Spy at Work" in The Atlantic. Jon B. Jansen and Stefan Weyl thrill you with the adroit hoodwinkings. The stunt becomes all the more admirable when you know they operated with hardly any money. . . . This Week introduces the guy who did most to make a monkey out of Goebbels (excepting Nature, who made him look like one). He is, according to Curt Reiss, the Soviet propagandist's Lozovsky. His hooting on the Berlin newscastings choked lies in Nazi gullets, and his pamphletting has caused Hitler to double his carpet devourings. . . . Theatre Arts Monthly cites Katharine Cornell's tribute to Thornton Wilder. His translation of "Lucrece," in which she flopped, is described by Miss C. as "my favorite failure." . . . Rollin Kirby's cartoon page in Look should be pasted in every shop window in the U. S.—to remind grippers to jump from the tallest skyscraper. Kirby's is the best push-in-the-face yet.

The Front Pages: Alexander Woolcott's typewriter used to bite people, but it never showed as many fangs as the one that delivered the obit on him for the H-Trib. The piece lifted eyebrows all over town, so unsparing was it. Probably would have got plaudits from the victim—who hated drooling pollyanna fakery. . . . The day after Benito's empire died in Tripoli, the Italian rags started giving him sass. One Milan gazette spat in his eye. That's how it goes with losers. Old Baldy couldn't get a worse punishment than hoots from the crowds who once "vive'd" his balcony hamming. . . . Mostly you agree with Walter Duranty, but not when, in a mag piece, he calls himself a second rate reporter. They don't come any firster. . . . Walter Kerr filed some paragraphs to the Reid family's paper as "a Moscow gossip column." If he wants a title for it, how about "Sovietcetra"?

Quotation Marks-manship: Rupert Hughes: Her face was her chaperone. . . . Faith Baldwin: She was torn between love and booty. . . . Anon: When you talk, you only say something you know. When you listen, you learn what someone else knows. . . . F. O. Repplier: She sat up like an exclamation point. . . . W. L. McElvaney: The whispered goody by one to never see again. . . . John Kennedy: A military expert is one who tells you what is going to happen tomorrow—and then tells you why it didn't.



'Scrap' Nitrogen Now Is Salvagable

Its Loss Usually Due To Lack of Management

"Scrap" nitrogen, ordinarily wasted through poor handling of manure piles, can be effectively salvaged on millions of farms to help take the place of chemical nitrogen now being extensively used for the manufacture of war explosives.

While American agriculture will receive almost as much nitrogen as usual next spring, it will go mostly to growers of vegetables, fruits, potatoes, sugar beets and other crops considered of special value to the



This sailor, a former butcher from Washington, is handling just a very small part of the meat consumed at a U. S. naval base. Despite the increased meat production by the farmers 2½ pounds of meat a week restriction will be the rule.

war program, according to Paul J. Root, extension specialist, soils department, Michigan State college.

Thus the manure pile takes on a new value, for manure is rich in nitrogen. Almost two-thirds of the total plant food value of average farm manure is in the nitrogen. Most of the nitrogen value, however, is in the liquids—usually lost because of lack of care.

Surest method of saving this valuable nitrogen supply is to change the present methods of manure management on most farms. This means stopping the practice of throwing the manure out of the barn window or door to stand out in the weather, perhaps under the dripping eaves of the building until spring. It means saving the liquids which are ordinarily drained off or evaporated.

One pound of superphosphate for each animal each day, placed in the cow gutters and in the horse stalls is effective in saving nitrogen lost by passing into the air. In the pen type barn or in the cattle and sheep feeding pens and in the pens of young cattle, the same rule should be followed—one pound of superphosphate for each animal daily.

Long experience has proved it will pay to apply this superphosphate to the manure.

Agriculture

in

Industry

By FLORENCE C. WEED

Pine

The story of the pine forests of the South is a tragedy which Science changed into a romance of success. In an earlier day, oil, later distilled into turpentine, was sapped from southern pines by cutting great gashes in the bark which permanently injured the trees. The scientist, Charles Herty, revolutionized the industry by showing growers how to substitute shallow slashes in the bark which would effectively draw out the sap without killing the tree. As a result, turpentine forests have been saved for repeated crops, year after year.

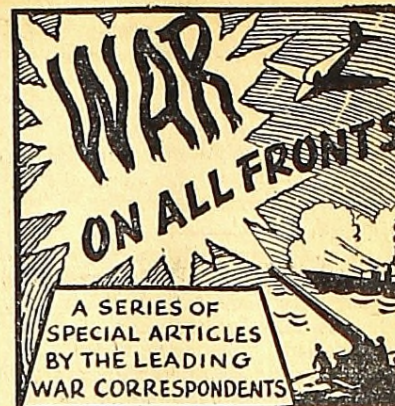
Today, pine oil is being extracted from old stumps and being used in the textile industry and in the manufacture of perfumes. Camphor is being made from turpentine and pine oil, replacing oriental camphor at lower cost.

Manufacture of wrapping paper, corrugating board and insulation are booming industries using four million cords of pine annually. Waste sawdust and wood chips are now going into plastics.

Farm Notes

The simplest way to avoid chick losses during the first four weeks is to buy them with a guarantee that the chicks will live and grow for the first month.

Pork can be made safe for human consumption, so far as dangerous trichinae are concerned, by proper freezing, U. S. department of agriculture scientists have determined after many tests.



Front Line In New Guinea

By Osmar White

(WNU Feature—Through special arrangement with Collier's Weekly)

Australia's front line in New Guinea is remote and mysterious, the most secret front line in a whole world at war. I was determined to find it.

After a week's canoeing into the interior, I saw the mountains at dawn one morning. They take your breath away. The tallest mountains I've ever seen. One mountain is in the 14,000-foot class. The track leads straight over a 9,000-foot pass.

I pity the men manning this foothill post on the way to the front line. They're tired—jungle-tired to the very bone. They're thin and yellowed and listless. They have had to dig a four-foot deep trench around their camp and block the bridges across it because death adders and rats pester them at night. When not working, they live in a huge mosquito net which covers the space for a table and chairs and a little bookshelf. They get mail once in two or three months.

From here I started the next morning, up the tough slope, through dense, damp jungle. The idea is to get the day's walking over before the afternoon rain sets in. What rain! Straight down, warm and steamy, drenching to the marrow. The first Kunds bridge swayed wildly over roaring rapids 40 feet below.

Where Sun Never Shines.

Next day more of the same. Up and up and up and up. The track is a cannibal path now, not nine inches wide. The high air's thin—not half a breath in a lungful. The sun has not shone on this mud in a hundred thousand years. Still up. Sometimes the trees thin a bit and one can see a glimpse of a breath-taking blue valley, utterly blanketed in treetops, sweeping down 4,000 feet onto the snakelike river, white with rapids and waterfalls. Here one may hold shouted conversation with a man a full day's journey away.

Another day and we're over the crest. Now down and down and down. Dry, comfortable camps overlooking a rolling, grassy valley. Fresh food to make your teeth water. The only fly in the ointment is the rats in the bedrooms. They run up under the blanket with their little cold feet.

Another day and I'm in a valley, hot and magnificent with richness. There are great stands of hoop pine. My boy brought me a spray of creamy orchids a foot long. Met some fellows from the front line, going out sick. Two of them had been in the Salamaua show. They had bad sores from mocka bites. Mockas are scrub ticks that carry Asiatic typhus. They call it Jap river fever up here.

They bit me pretty severely on the way over and this kunai grass is swarming with them, but the iodine bottle keeps them down. The fellows told grim stories of the Japs jubilantly relaxing in neat little grass villages among grinning, well-fed natives.

Ahead are more hills still, wetter and steeper, but this is the last stretch.

Hears a Jap Bomber.

I camped under the skirts of a 12,000-foot mountain. About nine o'clock I heard the unmistakable high-low drone of a Jap bomber. I turned off my lantern from habit and went out. The forest was ablaze with eerie light; the ground under the hut a flickering mass of glow-worms.

Another day and I reached an army camp—four great huts, now housing a contingent of Commandos going to the front—lean, stooped youngsters already yellowed by fever. They are the first considerable body of troops I have seen in nearly 300 miles of walking.

These are the men who do quiet execution of every Jap patrol that dares poke its nose out. Only one is over 30.

And then finally, the next day, I was at the front. I went up by way of a cedar tree to have a look at the top story. The valley opened out and far off behind a cloud bank was the faint sheen of the sea. Then, like a cue in a stage play, it came—the distant rolling thunder of machine-gun fire. It was happening down there under that soft canopy of treetops.

I arrived in time to see the patrol come in, torn, caked with mud and sweat and jubilant. The red welt of a bullet coiled over the neck of one of them like a little dead snake. They had fought a patrol of 120 Japs. They stalked them for nine hours, then placed a machine-gun nest in a clearing and slashed them to shreds. The Japs fled through the jungle in twos and threes, howling.

I saw the battlefield by lantern light. Sodden heaps of clothing and equipment; little pools of blood which rain was diluting and blending with the earth.

Everyone in War Worker Class to Help Gain Early Victory

Elimination of Waste Essential in All Walks of Life and at All Times by All

The one objective of every American must be to win the war. Each individual capable of thought must train his mind to visualize the ordinary purposes and routines of life only as means which must contribute to the accomplishment of the goal of the United Nations. This situation puts everyone—men and women, youths and adults—in the war worker class.

The question no longer is, what can I do to aid the war effort? Instead it is, how can I make each activity of every day count for the most in the war effort? The housewife has one of the most important jobs of the whole war program in ordering the food schedule for the family. Her loyalty, her patriotism and her service will be tested in the way she adheres to the plans which involve adequate distribution of food supplies—food supplies which are absolutely essential not only to our own military forces on land, sea and in the air, but also necessary to the sustenance of our Allies.

Our Lend-Lease program, through which we furnish supplies to the United Nations, is in no sense of the word a charity. It is a program through which we are serving ourselves by sustaining those who are fighting and suffering as much for us as for themselves. If we fail to sustain them we will contribute to the delaying, even the possible loss of the war, just as certainly as if we serve a fifth column dedicated to aid the enemy. A hoarder of food is in the same category as the person who hinders the construction of war materials or who conveys information to the enemy concerning the movement of military forces or supplies.

The pitiable part of hoarding is the fact that it is so unnecessary. There is plenty of food, and there will continue to be plenty in the United States. Even though we may have to send 25 per cent of our agricultural food products to the United Nations this year, there will still be ample left to provide nourishing, wholesome meals for every individual if it is properly distributed and efficiently used. There must be no waste, and there should be no great

amount used than is necessary in spite of any possession of means to buy. Where there is surplus money available for buying food not strictly needed, it should be used in purchasing war bonds and stamps.

The principle is not merely elemental. It is essential. America is not only the arsenal but also the larder of the United Nations, and we must be just as loyal and faithful in keeping the larder adequately supplied as in supplying the ammunition, guns, planes and ships.

One of the most important means of aiding the flow of food supplies, both at home and abroad, is the cultivation of home gardens—providing vegetables for home use. Such products will not be subject to rationing. The housewife who fills her pantries with home-grown fruits and vegetables will be accomplishing two purposes—providing adequately for the family needs and leaving commercial supplies available for use of the military forces and the United Nations.

As food is one of the most important war essentials, every individual is faced with the solemn proposition: Either we are patriotic and loyal citizens, rationing and saving for victory, or, as hoarders and wasters, we are saboteurs serving the enemy.

Finding Shortest Route to Tokyo



Members of a navigation class at the U. S. navy pre-flight school at Iowa City are shown putting model warships on the shortest route to Tokyo. All are V-5 naval aviation cadets. Left to right, Orville R. Lewis, Indianapolis, Ind.; Kurt C. Becker, Troy, Ohio; Lee Lanzen, Mansfield, Ohio; and John F. Hatch, Franklin Grove, Ill. Ensign Charles Schulze (right) is the instructor.

America In Action

'SUSTINEO ALAS'

Sustineo Alas — "I Sustain the Wings."

Those two Latin words, beneath a golden urn in which reposes three plumes, adorn the insignia of the army air forces technical training command. Translated they tell the story of the technical training command—"I sustain the wings."

No one has yet described the tremendous importance of the mechanics and technicians of the army air forces better than Maj. Gen. Walter R. Weaver, commanding the technical training command.

"A plane that cannot fly is one of

the most useless things in the world. And planes will not fly unless they have sufficient ground crews for their proper maintenance."

The technical training command's task of training these men is a constant and ceaseless race against time. The men must be obtained, classified, trained and ready to start functioning within a remarkably short time.

The technical training command is probably the country's largest single educational system and is certainly the fastest-growing. Back in 1938 there was but one school, Chanture Field, with three main courses, mechanics, communication and armament. The following year there was small growth. Comparatively little attention was being devoted to training men to service and maintain the planes, but the air battles over Europe soon taught a lesson. From American army observers abroad came the message:

"Planes must be sustained by adequate ground crews."

A year ago training was going on at only a handful of bases but now more than a hundred schools, scattered from coast to coast, from the Gulf of Mexico to the Canadian border, are functioning day and night to supply the ever-increasing demand for men to make up the ground crews.

The headlines are seldom for the mechanics and technicians who work steadily and efficiently at their indispensable tasks. For the most part they are anonymous. That doesn't bother them. They know the importance of their jobs and they know how to do them.

The men of the technical training command have a song that says to the pilots:

"You're hot on the stick when we make 'em tick."
The AAF TTC is producing men who can make 'em tick—and doing it at the world's fastest rate.

Dry Beans Inexpensive, Nutritive, Energy Food

For an inexpensive energy food, try dry beans. That's the advice of Hazel Phipps, specialist in food preparation for the A. and M. college extension service, who points out that beans contain proteins of fair nutritive quality. In addition, they rate high as a source of the important mineral iron and the "morale" vitamin, B1.

As far as cooking is concerned, all dry beans may be treated alike, and although a recipe may call for one type of bean, usually almost any other variety may be substituted.

Successful bean cookery is simple, Miss Phipps says. Soak beans before you cook them, overnight or at least five or six hours. To get the most food value from beans use the water in which they are soaked to cook them. Use soft water if you can, because hard water toughens the bean skins. Never use soda to cook beans. This destroys the valuable vitamin B1.

It is important to cook beans slowly, simmering them rather than boiling them. For baked beans, use a slow oven (around 250 degrees). Watch them carefully as they cook and keep adding more liquid.

U. S. Signal Corps Extends Telephone Line in Far North

Today an army officer can pick up his telephone in Washington, or at any other point in the army communications system, and speak directly to Dawson Creek, British Columbia, far northern way-station on the Alcan highway.

Behind this simple statement is one of the great stories of army accomplishment, the Honorable Robert P. Patterson, the undersecretary of war, said. It is a story of almost superhuman effort by the U. S. signal corps.

The first section of the telephone line, which eventually will follow the entire 2,060-mile length of the Alcan highway, joined Edmonton, Alberta, to Dawson Creek, and tied in with regular facilities at Helena, Mont. Actually only eight days were consumed in stringing the wire over a distance which corresponds to that between Washington and Boston.

Work started on November 22. It had to be completed December 1 to keep the promise of the signal corps to the corps of engineers. The official report to the chief signal officer describes the activities of the next few days as follows:

"The worst storm in 40 years hit Edmonton. Roads were blocked, the temperature was 28 degrees below zero. Train transportation that ran every other day, freight trains that ran whenever a train could be made, added to the task of placing cross arms and stringing 400 miles of wire and installing five repeater stations."

"At 6:45 p. m. on December 1, the telephone circuit from Helena to Dawson Creek was cut into service. At 7:50 p. m. service became official when a call was made by Brig. Gen. Frank E. Stoner, director of the army communications division, Washington, to Col. Heath Twitchell, corps of engineers at Dawson Creek."

Minute Make-Ups

By GABRIELLE



Blue eyeshadow softens and beautifies tired eyes, no matter what their color.

A tiny bit of vaseline, brushed on stubborn lashes, makes them look soft and lustrous.

Black mascara is best for red-heads.

Green eyeshadow brightens brown eyes. A touch of rouge on the ear lobes makes your ears look dainty. Warm salt water refreshes weary eyes.

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U. S. COAST GUARD ON HORSEBACK NOW

Motorcycles or even jeeps would have a tough time on the long, wide expanses of loose sand along Uncle Sam's coastline, but horses don't mind. Members of the fast-expanding horse patrol of the U. S. coast guard are pictured on patrol along a beach near Currituck, N. C. In a short time horse patrols will be the thing along the eastern coastline from Maine to Florida.

IMPROVED UNIFORM INTERNATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL Lesson

BY HAROLD L. LUNDQUIST, D. D. Of The Moody Bible Institute of Chicago. (Released by Western Newspaper Union.)

Lesson for February 21

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JESUS THE GOOD SHEPHERD

LESSON TEXT—John 10:1-16, 27-30. GOLDEN TEXT—"I am the good shepherd; the good shepherd giveth his life for the sheep."—John 10:11.

Beautiful and meaningful as they are, none of the other figures or types of our Lord's redemptive work have a stronger appeal than that of the good shepherd. Even those who have never tended sheep nor yet seen them under the shepherd's care sense the telling aptness of the allegory of the Good Shepherd. We know how much we are like sheep needing the tender shepherd's care, and we soon learn to know and to trust Christ as the True Shepherd of the flock.

The center of the picture is the Good Shepherd, and it is around Him that we group our thoughts.

I. He Knows His Sheep (vv. 1-5).

At night, whenever possible, the sheep were brought into a fold, a walled-in enclosure with shelters and with a single gate. Many different flocks were kept together under the care of an undershepherd. In the morning the shepherds came to lead forth the flock. They came by the door, not as the thieves of the night, who sought to come in by stealth over the wall.

When the shepherd called, his own sheep responded. We are told that they would not come at the call of a stranger—not being ready to trust him.

The application is obvious, and yet a word is in order. We ought to examine ourselves and see whether we do indeed know our Lord's voice. Do we respond when He calls us? Then, too, let us be on the lookout against those who profess to be shepherds, who call themselves "pastor" or "reverend," and have only one purpose—to despoil the sheep. They are "thieves and robbers"—Jesus said so. They are only interested as long as it pays. The true shepherd cares for his sheep.

II. He Protects His Sheep (vv. 6-15).

Not only thieves, but wild animals would attack sheep, and it is said that often the shepherd died to protect them from harm. But the hiring, serving for what he can get out of it, is not interested any longer. When danger appears, he flees. He has not the real shepherd heart and cares not if the sheep be destroyed. Having stolen them to enrich himself, he will not defend them at the cost of his own life.

Note the sharp contrast of "I am the good shepherd" with the dark picture of the faithless hirelings. Not only does it magnify His goodness, but it deepens the blackness of their treachery.

We should recall that the Good Shepherd is able to protect His sheep; for while He lays down His life for them, He takes it again in victory over sin and death (see vv. 17, 18). The Saviour seemed to have been defeated at Calvary, but He arose again, and ever liveth to make intercession on our behalf (Heb. 7:25).

III. He Seeks Other Sheep (v. 16).

The other sheep Jesus had in mind were probably the Gentiles. The believers He then had were Jews, but the day was to come when the Gentiles were to hear and believe. His desire for them may well stir in our hearts an eagerness to go out and bring in all—both Jew and Gentile—who will, by believing in Christ, become members of His one fold.

Note the word "must" in verse 16. It does not say "if convenient," nor "when we can raise enough money," nor "after our local debts are paid," we will go out and seek others. There is a divine imperative here—it "must" be done.

Let us not fail to gather the full significance of the expression "one flock, one shepherd." We are not interested in any manufactured unity of man-made organizations. Certainly we will not accept union which means compromise of essential truth. But unity under Christ, the one great Shepherd, that we want—yes and will have. He makes that certain—"they shall be one flock."

Let us not put hindrances in the way of that kind of unity, and let us not be delinquent about seeking the "other sheep." Now a final word.

IV. He Keeps All His Sheep (vv. 27-30).

These words (said after a period of weeks had elapsed) stress the blessed assurance which comes to those who follow Christ. Jesus rebuked the Jews for their unbelief, telling them that they were not His sheep.

Those who are His have been given to Him by the Father—an eternal gift to Him—and He gives to them eternal life.

The power back of this whole matter is evident in verse 30. Christ is God. He who is in Christ's hand is also in the Father's hand, "and no man is able to pluck them out of the Father's hand." Instead of trying to modify that statement, or to quarrel with those who believe it, every Christian ought to accept it and shout "Hallelujah!"

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Swore in 9 Presidents

Chief Justice Roger Brooke Taney, famous for handing down the decision in the Dred Scott case, administered the presidential oath to Martin Van Buren, William Henry Harrison, John Tyler, James K. Polk, Zachary Taylor, Millard Fillmore, Franklin Pierce, James Buchanan, and Abraham Lincoln.



Olivia de HAVILLAND
Star of the Warner Bros. picture, "Strawberry Blonde," recommends Calox Tooth Powder for teeth that shine.
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FUN FOR YOUR FAMILY

By MISS ABBIE CONDIT
National Recreation Association.

The pioneers of America may have vanished and Buffalo Bill may live only in a history book, but this need not stop us from using a pioneer setting for an evening of fun. Whole families trekked West in pioneer days—some of your ancestors no doubt among them—so naturally this pioneer play party must include fathers, mothers, boys and girls.

The pioneer theme offers endless possibilities for decorations. Bales of hay may be placed beside the entrance to the hall. Wagon wheels may serve as wall decorations inside along with old-time lanterns, harnesses, bridles, and similar

What to Do

By PHYLIS BELMONT



How may a bride and groom advise their friends and relatives of their future address?

Answer—The best way to do this is to enclose a card with the announcement of the wedding on which has been engraved:

Mr. and Mrs. John Jones
Will be at home
after September first
17 Main Street

If the couple plan to live out of town, the name of the city would be added below the street address.

If they prefer they may enclose a joint visiting card on which they write in the lower left hand corner:

"At home
After September first"

and then write the address if this is not engraved on the card.

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First Methodist Church
 Rev. Elwyn C. Stringer, pastor
 Sunday, February 21—
 Laymen's Sunday.
 Entire service in charge of Mrs. F. J. Bright, chairman.
 The week of February 28 to March 7 will be a week of Dedication. Special services will be given on Sunday morning and Tuesday evening. All members of the church are requested to be present Tuesday night, February 2, unless sickness prevents.
 Thursday, March 4
 A sub-district missionary institute will be held in the East Tawas Methodist church in the afternoon and evening. The public is cordially invited.

FOR SALE—Two work horses and harness, 2 saddle horses and saddles. Elmer Anshuetz, Melvor.

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February 23, 24, 25

MICHIGAN PREMIERE

SPECIAL NOTICE!

Originally we were to show Jack Benny and Ann Sheridan in "George Washington Slept Here" on the above dates, but an opportunity presented itself whereby we were able to replace it with the following great picture for the First Exhibition in the State of Michigan.

IDA LUPINO

DENNIS MORGAN

"The Hard Way"

Selected Short Subjects

TB X-Ray Clinic at East

Tawas Next Tuesday

As a part of the work of Christmas seals, this year's first X-ray clinic for Isosco county will be held in the East Tawas High School in the afternoon of Tuesday, February 23, according to Dr. Robert Strode, director of health in this district, who is cooperating in this clinic with the Michigan Tuberculosis Association.

To be X-rayed persons must make arrangements with the county health unit in advance.

Red Cross Activities

Hemlock Road

Red Cross sewing is being done by the women of the Hemlock Road Baptist church, with Mrs. Fred Pfahl as chairman. The women meet at her home every two weeks. They have just completed five children's dresses and one sleeveless sweater, and have sent in a request for more sewing. They have now on hand to be made up, two child's dresses and six layettes.

Burleigh

The Rural Study Club with Mrs. Black as chairman and Mrs. Partlo assisting, meets every two weeks around at the homes. They have volunteered to make six layettes and six lap robes.

Wilber

Mrs. Williams has completed 13 sweaters for the Red Cross for shipment and is now working on this year's quota. Mrs. Davis turned in one sweater and one muffler.

Producers of Panama Hats

Colombia and Ecuador are the greatest producers of Panama hats.

Farms in U. S.

There are approximately 4,000,000 farms in the United States.

Earliest Easter

The earliest date on which Easter has fallen in over a century was March 22, 1818.

Europeans Against Natives

There are only 300,000 Europeans in the Netherlands Indies, against 60,000,000 natives.

The Nordic Race

The Nordic race is chiefly in Scandinavia, Holland, North Germany and Great Britain.

First Census

The first serious attempt to estimate the population of the earth is believed to have been made by an Italian scientist in 1661.

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lication from the Michigan State college may be seen the following statement: Metal for repair parts in 1943 is allocated by three-month periods. It may take dealers three to six months to obtain parts." Keep this in mind, says Finley, and be ready to go when spring arrives. Then no one will be hungry.

The War Production Board has authorized a 30 per cent increase during the second quarter of 1943 over that of the first quarter, in the tonnage of steel to be used by implement manufacturers in the production of new farm machinery. This means that 187,000 tons of new farm machinery may be made in this second quarter, in the entire United States. That is not a great deal for Isosco county, and it will not be on the market in time to help us in 1943 so be sure to check these repairs at your first opportunity.

In a recent interview with Finley he states that proper farm machinery repair is not the only solution to meeting these national food production goals, but sighted several additional factors of importance.

Among these, "proper land use, seemed to be one of the leaders. He said, "Labor is scarce here in Isosco county, and farmers should conserve it." By this, I mean they should not break up large fields for cash crops, which statistics show require large quantities of expensive labor, but should leave that acreage in good hay that produces a high quality roughage which may be harvested in July when weather is not a problem, rather than in September and October when, rain, cold weather and labor are sure to be problems present. Milk, meats, fats and oils are greatly needed, and livestock in Isosco county can produce these with efficiency, from roughage grown right here at home.

"Farmers must not waste ground, labor and machinery on soybeans. They will not ripen in this county and yields per acre are unprofitable. According to H. C. Rather, head of the farm crops department at the Michigan State College, from 30 to 50 per cent of the soybeans of this state were snowed in last fall and are still unharvested. Too many years out of every ten, this also happens to white beans here in Isosco county, so farmers are warned to even use their scarce expensive farm machinery with caution for the duration of the war on these crops.

One other point emphasized was the use of commercial fertilizer. How can this save farm machinery? The answer was "It will hasten maturity, as well as improving yields, and will therefore save jolting machinery over many acres to secure the same yields on smaller acreage, provided liberal applications are used. Fertilizer is also scarce and for this reason farmers should contact local dealers at once to certify to the amounts used in previous years, and apply for their 1943 supply. Regular customers are likely to receive first consideration.

Nitrogen fertilizers are restricted in use and must not be applied on oats, barley or other spring seeded grains."

Let these suggestions be part of our "Spring Offensive" and Isosco county will be playing her important part in helping to win this war.

L. D. S. Church

Harrison Frank, Pastor
 Sunday, February 21—
 10:00 A. M. Unified services. First period a sermonette.
 10:45 a. m.—Second Period. Church school and classes. Harrison Frank, church school director.
 8:00 P. M. Evening worship and preaching.

Emanuel Lutheran Church

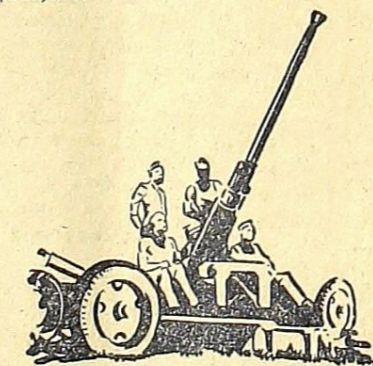
Rev. J. J. Roekle, Pastor
 Sunday, February 21—
 9:45 A. M. English Service
 Slow Time.
 No German Service Sunday.

Grace Lutheran Church

Rev. Martin Gustafson
 Sunday, February 21—
 10:00 A. M. Sunday School.
 11:00 A. M. Morning service,

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U. S. Treasury Department

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I went to church this morning. The services were good, although they aren't anything like Rev. Roekle's sermons.

My letters aren't going to be very frequent for a while. It's a little tough getting started here, with all the new things to learn, and all the old things to do better. I thought I was going to have a lot of time this afternoon, but I have got to go on duty at four, so a good share of my afternoon is shot. I imagine all I'll get to do is my washing, and that's a must, because I have a sheet, a pillow case, two towels, a change of underwear and a pair of socks to wash and mend. Getting to be the old housewife!

Now I have to close and get ready for chow. So take good care of yourselves, and God bless and keep you all. Your loving son and brother, Neil.

Lieut. William S. Oberg, former Oscoda teacher, airplane navigator, is a prisoner at Stalag Luft, Germany. His plane was shot down October 22 in Africa.

In a letter to the Herald last week, Arthur Biggins says that he is still going to school and wants to say "Hello" to all of his Tawas friends. His address is A. Biggins, EM 36, Fair-S-Hedron, NAS, R & E, Norfolk, Virginia.

Word has been received that Corp. Clarence A. Schneider of R. 2, Tawas City, was included in the list of Michigan men wounded in the Southwest Pacific area.

Word has been received by Mrs. Martha Klinger that her son, Francis, stationed at Camp Mercedes, California, has been promoted from corporal to sergeant. Francis writes that he is well enjoys his army life.

Henry Burt, who was home on furlough from Great Lakes, returned Saturday. John Burt, Jr., was home from North Carolina to visit his wife and parents. He returned to camp on Tuesday.

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Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Boudler entertained the Bigelow families Saturday evening at a family gathering in honor of Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Bancroft who were married two weeks ago in Bowling Green, Ohio.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Ray McDoughall of Detroit on February 5, a daughter, Mrs. McDoughall was formerly Geraldine Frasier, daughter of Mrs. J. A. Frasier.

Jess Sloan returned Friday night from Lexington, Kentucky, where he was called by the death of his mother.

Rev. and Mrs. Daniel Morocco were in Flint the fore part of the week to attend a ministerial conference.

Mrs. Clare Grant returned to Bay City Wednesday after spending the week here.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Brooks are residing in the Wendt house recently purchased by Richard Cornette.

Hale Baptist Church

Rev. F. S. Mercer, pastor
 Sunday, February 21—
 10:30 A. M. Bible school.
 11:30 A. M. Worship service.
 7:00 P. M. Youth Fellowship.
 8:00 P. M. Evening service.
 8:00 P. M. Tuesday, Prayer meeting.

Wilder Methodist Church

Rev. Herbert E. Davis, Pastor
 Sunday, February 21—
 2:30 P. M. Combined Service.

Assembly of God Church

Sunday, February 21—
 10:00 A. M. Sunday School.
 11:00 A. M. Morning Worship.
 8:00 P. M. Evangelistic Service.
 Wednesday, 8:00 P. M. —Good Fellowship service.

Pineapple in Tea
 Serve canned pineapple cut in small pieces in tea. The pineapple gives the tea a delicious flavor.

Saint Worked as Slave
 Saint Vincent de Paul was captured by pirates and later worked among galley slaves.

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Zion Lutheran Church

Rev. Ernest Ross, Pastor

Sunday, February 21—
 9:00 A. M. Sunday school.
 10:00 A. M. English services.
 No change of time.

Baptist Church

Sunday, February 21—
 11:00 A. M. Sunday School.
 Rev. Paul H. Dean of Alpena will have charge of the services Sunday.

Christ Episcopal Church

Rev. James R. Colby, Vicar
 Sunday, February 21—
 10:00 A. M. Church School.
 11:00 A. M. Morning Service.

WHITEMORE

Gospel Fellowship

Rev. William Smith, Pastor
 Sunday, February 21—
 11:00 A. M. Sunday School.
 7:30 P. M. Young Peoples.
 8:15 P. M. Preaching service.
 Each Wednesday—
 8:00 P. M. Cottage Prayer meeting.

Branches of Philosophy

The main branches of philosophy are logic, ethics, aesthetics, metaphysics and the theory of knowledge.

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