

# THE TAWAS HERALD

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## TAWAS CITY

The Whittemore Basketball team will play a league game here with the Tawas City team next Wednesday evening, December 13th at the Tawas City Gymnasium instead of Friday eve.

**Gift Sale and Baked Ham Supper** at Baptist Church, Tawas City, on Tuesday, December 12th. Prices .50 and .75 for supper. Given by the Dorcas Society.

Mrs. A. E. Giddings, Mrs. George Leslie and Mrs. J. A. Campbell spent the week end in Flint and attended the wedding of Floyd Baumgartner.

Mrs. Wm. Ludwig and daughter, Mrs. Frederick Leudtke, Jr. spent Monday in Bay City.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Obendorfer and son returned Monday to Saginaw after visiting at the Gerald Bowen home. Mrs. Obendorfer was formerly Lucille Bowen.

A miscellaneous shower was given last Wednesday evening honoring Miss Betty Miller by Miss Jean Mueller as hostess. An enjoyable evening was spent by all and the bride elect received many useful and lovely gifts from her friends.

Mrs. Wm. Rapp spent Friday in Bay City.

Mrs. Martin Fahselt of the Hemlock road is very ill in the Alpena Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. August Leudtke spent Friday in Bay City.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Erickson, a daughter, on Thursday, November 31. She has been named Maureen Janelle.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hatton left Wednesday morning by bus for Bradenton, Florida, where they will spend the winter at Old Mill Camp.

Nine little friends helped Joanne Jerome celebrate her eighth birthday last Saturday. In the games Patsy Price was best at pinning the tail on the Donkey and Janet Lansky won in the Musical Chair. Dorothy Lansky took home the prize for the clothespin game and Ginger Price held the "Wander Ball" last. Other guests were Joanne Jacques, Dicky Lansky, Bob and Peter Jerome.

Mrs. Wm. Roulier returned Saturday from Toledo, where she was called by the death of a relative.

Sheriff John Moran was a business visitor in Lansing on Thursday.

Miss Janet McLean of Saginaw was home for the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles White and sons of Royal Oak spent Saturday and Sunday with relatives in the city.

Wm. J. Trommer and C. Winter of Saginaw, were business visitors in the city on Wednesday.

Misses Beata Buch and Mrs. Jean Davis of this city, Misses Shirley Anshuetz and Marion Wilson of East Tawas spent the week in Detroit. They attended the Hollywood Ice Review starring Sonja Henie, at the Olympia.

Still time to order sheer hosiery for Christmas. Mrs. Walt Sabin, Real Silk Representative. Phone 52 M. Tawas City.

A. Schneider of Sherman was a business visitor in the city Wednesday.

A venison supper with all the trimmings was enjoyed Wednesday evening by members of the Tawas City American Legion and auxiliary and guests at the billet. About 50 guests were present. Following supper the Christmas gifts for servicemen in hospitals were packed in boxes.

### 20th Century Club

The Twentieth Century Club will hold their Christmas Party on December 13 at the home of Mrs. J. H. Leslie. The meeting will be held in the afternoon with the program in charge of Mrs. R. Gackstetter and Mrs. D. Ferguson. Special music is planned.

The Thanksgiving meeting was held at the home of Mrs. G. A. Prescott, Sr., on November 29, with 21 members and three guests present. The roll call was, "What Thanks Giving Means to Me." A splendid paper by Mrs. Frank Benish was given on "Religious Influence, a Factor in Developing the Highest Type of Personality." A piano solo by Miss Marion Bing and a piano duet by Miss Bing and Mrs. Nyda Leslie were enjoyed.

The club voted to pack Christmas baskets as usual. Refreshments were served at a beautifully appointed table, decorated in the holiday theme. Mrs. Prescott poured.

**FOR SALE**—single bed with springs and mattress. White trimmed with gold. Phone 377.

**FOR SALE**—Guernsey heifer calf, 4 weeks old. Charles Sarki, R. D. 2, Tawas City.

## C. OF. HOLDS FINE MEET TUESDAY

Interesting Address on Tourist Business by Frank Davis

About ninety members and guests enjoyed the fine chicken dinner given Tuesday evening at the Barnes Hotel by the Tawas City Chamber of Commerce. The meeting, with Charles F. Hamilton, president of the chamber of commerce, in charge proved interesting and instructive, and it was the opinion of those present that more of such meetings should be held.

Frank Davis, secretary and manager of the East Michigan Tourist association, was the principal speaker. His subject was "The Tourist Business in Michigan" and in delivering his address he gave a brief history of tourist association and the older Northeastern Michigan Development Bureau, and the work these two institutions had done for this section of Michigan during the past 34 years. He said that notwithstanding the restrictions on travel, facilities caused by the war, this section of Michigan had actually enjoyed a substantial increase in tourist business during the past season. He said that the restrictions had been, in a way, beneficial because our vacation land was so near to the large centers of population. His message was that Northeastern Michigan should continue to tell the world about its fine recreational facilities. He pointed out though, "We have a definite shortage of resorts in this section of Michigan catering to people in the higher income brackets."

P. H. Murdick, field man for the Michigan Tourist association, in his talk, said that while it was all well, and good to think about business improvements, that we should not forget the community itself. That we should continue to make it a fine place in which to live, and provide jobs here for our boys when they come home. "Don't make any changes in your city that will interfere with this," he said.

Howard Hatton, chairman of the membership committee, reported total of 54 members secured in the present campaign. Committees appointed by President Hamilton were approved. They are as follows: Board of Directors—H. Read Smith, C. L. McLean, M. J. Coyle, H. J. Keiser, Howard Hatton, E. D. Jacques, J. A. Brugger, Ernest Mueller. Advisory Committee—Eugene Bing, Harry Westrich, Ernest Mueller, Harry Goldsmith, Harry Toms, Fred Lang, J. A. Brugger, Albert Buch, Joseph Pfeiffer, Archie Ruckie, George Leslie. Publicity Committee—P. N. Thornton, Hosea Bigelow, Douglas Ferguson, Berkeley Smith. Civic Improvement Committee—Orville Leslie, O. W. Rowley, Nathan Barkman, Frank Barritt. Housing Committee—Hugh Barnes, Carl Peters, Carl Swanson, S. R. Phillips. Boy Scouts Committee—H. E. Friedman, Jas. F. Mark, Howard Braden, Carl Swanson, Archie Ruckie, Carl Babcock, Harris Barkman, Harry Westrich, Joe Barkman, A. W. Colby, Frank Wilkusi. Legal Committee—H. Read Smith, Herbert Hertzler, N. C. Harting. River Development Committee—J. M. Dickenson, Jas. H. Leslie, M. J. Coyle, Carl Babcock, Fred Lang, Harry Goldsmith, Orin Patterson, Henry Brown.

Mayor John D. LeClair is honorary member of all committees.

### Game Law Violations

Clarence Hall, Oscoda, age 30, fireman at Airport. Rifle in deer area during closed season. Sentence, \$25.00 and \$6.85 costs.

Whitney Alberts, Oscoda, age 55, laborer. Rifle in deer area in closed season. Sentence, \$25.00 and \$6.85 costs.

Ward Ross, Pontiac, age 29, trade. Rifle in deer area in closed season. Sentence, \$25.00 and \$6.85 costs.

Clifford Ross, Detroit, age 32, trade. Rifle in deer area in closed season. Sentence, \$25.00 and \$6.85 costs.

Irving A. Robinson, Mt. Morris, age 28, trade. Shotgun and buck shot in deer area in closed season. Sentence \$25.00 and \$6.85 costs.

Leverne Robinson, Mt. Morris, age 42, trade. Shotgun and buck shot in deer area in closed season. Sentence, \$25.00 and \$6.85 costs.

James Spearse, Romulus, age 39, laborer. Shotgun and slugs in deer area in closed season. Sentence, 10.00 and \$6.85 costs.

Jarvis Redd, Flax Rock, age 40, laborer. Shotgun and slugs in deer area in closed season. \$10.00 and \$6.85 costs.

Arven Scrimger, Papeer, age 53, farmer. Shotgun and slugs in deer area in closed season. Sentence, \$25.00 and \$6.85 costs.

Earle W. Bailey, Melvor, age 20, laborer. No license. Sentence \$10.00 and \$6.85 costs.

Louis Mada, Saginaw, age 37, laborer. Deer with less than 3-inch horns. Sentence \$50.00 and \$6.85 costs.

Frank Dorsey, Hale, age 68, farmer. Loaded gun in car. Fine \$10.00 and \$6.85 costs.

Paul Donahue, Unionville, age 38, farmer. Loaded gun in car. Fine, \$10.00 and \$6.85 costs.

Leo Schmidt, Garden City. Loaded gun in car. Fine, \$10.00 and \$6.85 costs.

Henry Spiekerman, Saginaw, age 44, laborer. Fine \$10.00 and \$6.85 costs.

Frank Shepard, Detroit, age 29, laborer. Shining deer. Fine \$10.00 and \$6.85 costs.

Maxwell W. West, Detroit, age 31, laborer. Shining deer. Fine \$10.00 and \$6.85 costs.

Eugene Thomas, Detroit, age 32, laborer. Shining deer. Fine \$10.00 and \$6.85 costs.

Howard Braden, Tawas City, age 33, teacher. No back tag attached. Costs \$6.85. Fine suspended.

Eugene Lindsay, Port Huron, age 30, trade. Loaded gun in car. Fine \$10.00 and \$6.85 costs.

Russell Anshuetz, age 18, Tawas City, farmer. Doe deer. Fine \$50.00 and \$6.85 costs.

Bernard Bolen, age 17, East Tawas, laborer. Doe deer. Fine 50.00 and \$6.85 costs. \$40.00 demitted.

### Mrs. William McCaskey

Mrs. William McCaskey, 70, of Lansing, former resident of this city, died Thursday, November 9, at a Lansing hospital. Mrs. McCaskey had resided at Lansing for the past six years.

She is survived by the husband; a son, P. D. McCaskey, of Lansing; a daughter, Mrs. B. Tulloch, of Dunellen, N. J.; two grandchildren; the mother, Mrs. L. A. Anspach of Jackson; five brothers, Ernest Anspach of Lansing, Roy and Albert of Paulding, Ohio, Charles of Saginaw and Delbert of Flint; four sisters, Mrs. Effie Manley of Paulding, Mrs. Fred Johnson and Charles Chivington of Jackson and Mrs. Charles Clough of Detroit.

Funeral services were held Saturday afternoon, November 11. Rev. D. Stanley Coors officiated. Interment was in the Deepdale cemetery.

**FOR SALE**—Davenport and chair. Cheap. Ray Ristow.

**WANTED** to buy—Lake frontage. R. Stone, 1102 Park Ave., Royal Oak, Mich. 3-8

### Oscoda School Head Resigns

Glenn R. Jacquays, superintendent of the Oscoda Township Unit School for the past eight and one-half years, has announced his resignation to accept the post of general manager of McFadden Corp., a Lansing firm. Mr. Jacquays has been a very successful superintendent and his removal to Lansing is considered a loss to the county. His many friends wish him success.

## AAA TO ELECT COMMITTEEMEN DEC. 11 TO 15

Meetings Will be Held in Various Iosco County Communities

Farm prices in 1945 and quantities of farm products needed next year will be discussed at community meetings of farmers beginning December 11. At these same meetings election of community committeemen for 1945 will be held.

The meetings in Iosco county will be as follows:

Alabaster—Alabaster school, Tuesday, December 12.

Baldwin—Baldwin school, Wednesday, December 13.

Burleigh—Burleigh town hall, Tuesday, December 12.

Grant—Grant town hall, Wednesday, December 13.

Plainfield—Plainfield town hall, Monday, December 11.

Reno—Reno town hall, Thursday, December 14.

Sherman—Sherman town hall, Monday, December 11.

Tawas—Tawas town hall, Friday, December 15.

Wilber-Oscoda—Wilber town hall, Friday, December 15.

All meetings to be held at 8:00 P. M., Eastern War Time.

Harry A. Goodale, chairman of the Iosco county AAA Committee said this week that the proposed Michigan production goals for 1945 will be outlined and that latest information from the War Food Administration on changing needs caused by the war will be discussed by a member of the county committee.

AAA Committeemen elected to serve in 1945 will represent both the Federal Government and their neighbors in helping work out farm production and distribution problems of farmers in this area. They also will assist in handling some of the farm reconversion problems.

All farmers and their wives are urged to attend their local community election meetings.

### Webster Albertson

Webster Albertson, aged 67, well known Reno township farmer, passed away last Friday at his home. He moved to Reno in 1929 and had resided there until his death.

He was united in marriage to Edith Henderson. To this union two children were born. His wife preceded him in death 32 years ago.

He is survived by one daughter, Mrs. Iona Newton of Royal Oak, one son, Sgt. Delbert Albertson of Camp Bowie, Texas, also a sister, Mrs. Iona Compton, of Midland and a brother, Bruce Albertson of Saginaw, and two grandchildren.

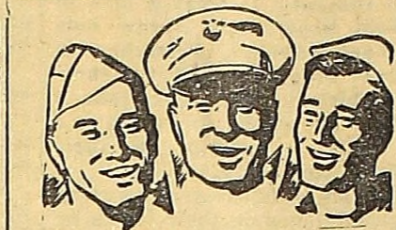
Funeral services were held from the Jacques Funeral Home on Wednesday. Burial was in the Tawas City cemetery.

Relatives from Royal Oak, Saginaw, Midland and Brownwood, Texas, attended the funeral.

**FOR SALE**—Hereford cattle. 16 spring calves, five 18 months old steers, three bulls, one 6 mos. old, one 13 mos. old and one 20 mos. old. Frank Long, Hemlock road.

## ELKS WIN FROM HARRISVILLE AND ROSECITY

Whittemore Plays Here Next Wednesday Evening



IN the SERVICE

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bronson of Whittemore received word that their son, S-Sgt. Elwood (Cocky) Bronson, arrived safely overseas and is now located "somewhere in France." His new address is S-Sgt. E. L. Bronson, Inf. Co. G, 1st Plt., APO 15586, care of Postmaster, New York. Elwood would like to hear from the folks back home.

Pvt. Lyle D. Hughes, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles R. Hughes, of this place, has graduated from the Department of Armament of Lowry Field, Denver, Colorado, according to a communication received this week. His job deals with the operation and maintenance of the guns on Uncle Sam's big bomber and fighter planes.

William M. Musolf, S 2-C, son of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Musolf of Bay City, is now somewhere in the Pacific Area and says that he had an enjoyable visit with Sgt. Thomas Metcalf recently. His new address is Wm. M. Musolf, S. 2-C, Navy 3205, care of Fleet Post Office, San Francisco, California.

David S. Sims, M. O. M. M. 2-C, United States Navy, is with many of our boys now in the Philippines. He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. David Sims of this city.

Word has been received through the Red Cross that Pvt. Willard McCordell has been wounded in action and is now in a hospital near Paris. Private McCordell is a son of Mr. and Mrs. George McCordell of Hazel Park, and a grandson of Mrs. Rose Watts of this city.

Pfc. Gerald Bowen left Monday evening for Camp Houze, Texas, after a ten day furlough with his wife and friends here.

Herbert Cox, Y. 1-C, USCG, and Mrs. Cox of Clayton, New York, are here for a visit with the former's father, Cecil Cox of this city, and Mrs. Cox's mother, Mrs. B. J. Moss, of East Tawas. They will leave Friday (today) for Toledo, where Herbert leaves later for New York to ship out with Coast Guard on duty. Mrs. Cox will return and stay with her mother.

Sgt. Eugene M. Wegner writes that he is stationed in India. Had a fine trip there he said.

Mrs. G. D. Soderquist have received word from their son, Pfc. Robert Soderquist that he was wounded in France on November 10th. He said he was wounded in neck by shrapnel. He has been evacuated to a English hospital. He also told that a former Bay City nurse cared for him, when he was brought in.

James Quarters is receiving training at Camp Peary, Va.

Last Friday night the Tawas City Elks journeyed to Rose City where they administered a crushing defeat to their opponents, 51 to 4. The Tawas lads completely outplayed and outlasted the Rose City squad. The Tawas boys got out of reach or Rose City in the very first quarter, while the boys were continually shooting overshots.

Olen Herriman, one of the Elk forwards, led the team with 16 points. He didn't make any points in the first half, but made up for it in the last, making two field goals in the third quarter and six in the last. He was closely followed by "Bill" Ogden with 15 points, who played "heads up" ball all through the game. All the boys played good basketball and had exceptionally good team work. The only place the boys let up was in free shots, by making five out of 12.

In the third quarter C. Herriman made two field goals and two free throws, and Ogden made three field goals and one free throw.

In the second quarter Ogden sunk three field goals, and Landon, a foul shot. At half the Elks were leading by the score of 20 to 0.

In the third quarter C. Herriman sunk a field goal, O. Herriman sunk two field goals and Ogden, one field goal.

In the last quarter C. Herriman sank three field goals, O. Herriman sank six field goals, and Landon, two field goals and a foul shot.

Rose City made a field goal in the third quarter and one in the last. This was the Elks first game of the league season.

Tawas Elks	FG	FT	PT
C. Herriman, f	6	2	14
O. Herriman, f	8	0	16
Ogden, c	7	1	15
Landon, g	2	2	6
Bublitz, g	0	0	0
Ross, c	0	0	0
Ristow, g	0	0	0
	23	5	51

Rose City	FG	FT	PT
Grawbur, f	1	0	2
Houck, f	0	0	0
Gartee, c	0	0	0
J. McGregor, c	1	0	2
Ferguson, g	0	0	0
R. McGregor, g	0	0	0
Reets, f	0	0	0
Rose, g	0	0	0
Meadows, c	0	0	0
	2	0	4

The second team won their third game of the season. They outplayed the Rose City seconds throughout the game. They racked to 31 while Rose City had 19. High point man of the night was Don Gingerich who made 11 points.

Tuesday night the Elks Varsity chalked up another victory for Tawas by defeating Harrisville 23 to 9. The boys were a little slow in getting started in the first half but in the third quarter they made up for it by sinking 17 points.

The success of the team was because of the good teamwork, and sportsmanship of the players. The boys were very successful in most of the plays which they worked during the game.

Clare Herriman was high point player of the night with 12 points. Bill Ogden followed close behind with 10 points.

The second team won their game 13 to 7 from the Harrisville seconds. This makes the fourth game of the year they have won and have no defeats. Don Gingerich led his team with 5 points.

Tawas City	FG	FT	TP
Landon, f	3	0	6
C. Herriman, f	5	2	12
Ogden, c	4	2	10
Bublitz, g	2	1	3
Thornton, g	0	0	0
Ross, c	1	0	2
Anderson, f	0	0	0
	15	5	33

Harrisville

Harrisville	FG	FT	TP
Gruther	0	1	1
Stone	0	0	0
Schram	0	0	0
Medre	0	1	1
Clark	1	1	3
McKeever	2	0	4
Cordas	0	0	0
Malloway	0	0	0
	3	3	9

Christmas party was held at the home of Mrs. M. Kienholz last Monday evening. It was the occasion of the annual Christmas party of the American Legion Auxiliary. The home was beautifully decorated and also a beautiful tree. Almost every member was in attendance. Gifts were exchanged and Christmas carols were sung.

Grace Lutheran Sunday School Christmas program will be held in the evening of December 21 at the church.

Rebekah Lodge will hold their Christmas party Wednesday eve. Pot luck dinner will be served at 6:30 o'clock. Gifts will be exchanged.

**Notice to Taxpayers**  
To taxpayers of the township of Tawas. The 1944 tax roll is now in my hand for collection. Please bring your dog tax when you pay your land tax. Dog tax becomes delinquent March 1, after that date tax will be double.

Omar Frank, Treasurer

**Card of Thanks**  
We wish to express our thanks to the neighbors and friends for their many kindnesses, also to Rev. Dean for his comforting words, at the time of the death of our father. Mrs. Iona Newton and family. Sgt. and Mrs. Delbert Albertson.

**Community Party**  
All should have in mind Community Party which will be held at the school auditorium on Saturday evening of this week. There will be both square and round dancing from nine until twelve o'clock. The prices are eighteen cents for students and thirty cents for adults. Come.



## Brighter Colors, Snappier Styles For New Shoes

Lifting of WPB Restrictions Permits Use of Two Tones

By AL JEDLICKA  
WHAT with the government releasing restrictions on the use of colors, retailers' stocks of shoes will be brightened up next spring, a visit to the national shoe fair in Chicago revealed.

For women, shoes will come in red, liberty red and blue jacket blue, among other colors; for men, they'll range from army russet to such lighter shades as turf tan, and for children, there will be assortments from black to white.

With the lifting of another government restriction, two-tones will come back on the market, it was revealed, with manufacturers permitted to use different colored leather in the upper part of the shoe with composition soles, or only one sheath of leather with another of fabric for the upper with leather soles.

There will be snap to next spring's shoes, a survey revealed. Lighter, Airier Brogans. Women's brogans will be airier, lighter and dressier, with dominance in open toes and heels. Following the prewar trend, there will be liberal lines of "casual," or informal, types for comfort or knock-around wear.

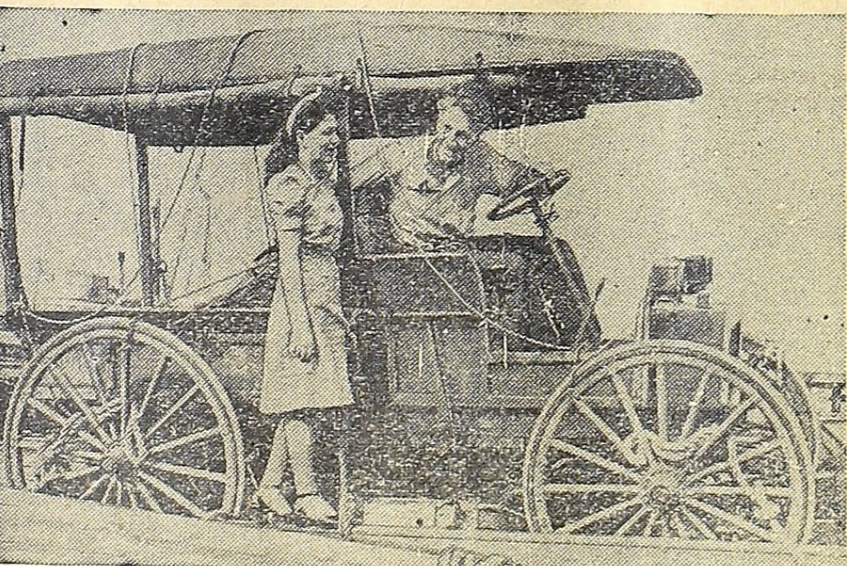
Comfort also will be a theme for men's shoes, with two-tone moccasins with composition bottoms in their own again. Saddle oxfords will be given a big play. Open toes and backs also will feature children's and misses' lines next spring, and increasing attention will be paid to the adequate airing of active juveniles' perspiring feet, both from the comfort and health angles.

With the modern young miss catching on fast, at least one manufacturer has developed a fashionable misses' line patterned after adult styles, to give "little sister the same shoe as big sister." This manufacturer's so-called "high-style" line will run in sizes 5, 6 and 7.

Some Late Developments. In general, developments in shoe manufacture have kept pace during the war. One of the big innovations is the "no mark" synthetic rubber heel, made of a compound that does not scuff up floors, etc. Nylon thread was found adaptable for sewing sharkskin tips to ordinary leather uppers. Hot wax and oil treatments have been developed for preserving leather soles. Plastic soles, of vinyl resin, for instance, have proven exceptionally durable.

Because of its life and porous qualities, however, leather still remains the No. 1 material for shoes, with no replacement in sight. Experiences in importing also have proven the superior processing of American tanneries, it was said. Despite the government's removal of many restrictions on the industry, production of civilian shoes will continue to be limited, with little prospect that normal supplies will enter the market for at least a year after the war. At the present time, manufacturers have to fill large government orders, and manpower is short. Because of the tremendous output of shoes in the immediate prewar period, the U. S. was better off than it might have been if inventories had not been worked up, one manufacturing representative said.

## Museum Piece Comes Back From Alaska



Back in 1906, this was a snappy model delivery truck. The two-cylinder relic is owned by Mr. and Mrs. Everett Pettigrew of Wrangle, Alaska. They hope to trade it for something a little more up to date. It has buggy wheels with hard rubber tires, kerosene headlights, and the gas tank in front.

## Disabled Soldier Is An Expert Crocheter

TOPEKA, KAN. — A Kankakee, Ill., airplane mechanic who learned the art by watching his mother, while away hours of convalescence by crocheting.

Corp. Vincent Mersolis explained to the astounded soldier-patients of Winter General hospital that he had learned just to show his sisters how easy it was.

## "GAY GADGETS"

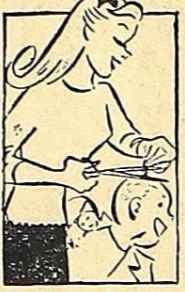
Associated Newspapers—WNU Features.

By NANCY PEPPER

### HAIR LOOMS

Who says the teens aren't a lot of sentimental sillies? Back in grandmother's day it was considered romantic to wear a lock of your best beau's hair (crew cuts hadn't been invented, remember) in a locket or brooch, and, just to show you that history talks back, take a gander at the tricks the teens are doing with a clump of their O. A. O.'s crowning glory.

**Pigtails puss**—Boys are sporting powder puff faces on their lapels or sweaters with pigtails made of their Fever Fraus' hair. Of course, it's the girl who makes the gadget, but it's the boy who wears it. Just match up the pigtails and you can tell who his big moment is.



**Telltale tails** — A favorite lapel lunacy is a little animal, made of felt or leather, with a long tail made of real hair. Trade one with your best friend.

**Cats' whiskers**—Make a pussy cat or bunny face out of powder puffs and use a wisp of your own hair for whiskers.

**Lovelorn lockets**—Strictly modern versions of grandmother's lovelorn lockets are aspirin boxes (prewar metal variety), empty lipstick tubes or rouge boxes with locks of your steady's hair inside. His picture would make it twice as romantic—even if he isn't exactly a Pin-up Purty. Pass me the shears, dears!

### FIT TO BE TIED

We're talking about scarfs—a favorite accessory with the soda fountain set. You can make your own with bits of left-over fabric or you can buy 'em ready-made. In plain color they're a swell place for autographs or lithographs. They're also a handy parking space for gadget pins and, if you're lucky, fraternity and school pins.

**It's a hold-up**—Sling a long scarf around your neck and pin the two ends to your skirt waistband in suspender effect in front. Looks keen.

## What to Do

By PHYLLIS BELMONT



Party menus nowadays call for unrationed food, but should work no special hardship on clever hostesses. Chicken salad or sandwiches, molded vegetable salads, cream cheese spread on crackers, home made ice cream and cake will not eat up your ration stamps and all can be served attractively.

Make your "plainish" cake fancy with thick icing and decorate it with tiny flags of the United Nations. The result is an eye-catching and very appropriate decoration for your table—or your buffet supper. Ledger Syndicate.—WNU Features.

over a sweater worn in the new tuck-in fashion.

**Kute kerchiefs**—Knot a small square around your neck over a sweater as a change from the usual dickey collar or necktie. A western fashion for every pistol packin' mama.

**Giddy girdle**—Tie a square or long scarf around your waist with the ends hanging at the side. You've no idea what it will do for a plain shirt and skirt outfit.

**Bandanna beanie** — The newest trick with beanies is to sew one to a cotton bandanna kerchief, clamp it on your topknot and tie the ends of the bandanna under your chin.

### SWING YOUR PARTNER

Well, before you swing your partner—you have to find him (or her). That's why it's a good idea to start off your next party with a match-up dance that will give every Sad Sam and Square Apple an even break with the Wiser Wolves and Winsome Witches. The ideas listed below are guaranteed ice-breakers for any party.

**Comic characters** — Cut famous characters out of the comics. Put the male characters in one box, the related female characters in another box for the boys to pick from. The dance starts when Maggie teams up with Jiggs, when Flash Gordon finds Dale, when Blondie finds Dagwood, when L'il Abner finds Daisy Mae. Get the idea? It's more fun than the funnies.

**Beautiful babies** — Have every guest bring his and her baby picture to the party. All the girls put their pictures in one box, the boys in another. Then each picks a picture and the fun begins when they try to identify each other. The theme song of this one should be "You Must Have Been a Beautiful Baby."

## The Rambling Rhymster

By LES PLETTNER

### IN A RESTAURANT

"Just look at that fellow,"  
Marked the wife,  
As we sat in a restaurant.  
"Although I feel mellow,  
Still, for my life,  
He does me completely daunt.  
Just look what he's eating,"  
Said she again;  
Assaulting her dish of greens.  
"My eyes are a-meeting,  
Though it's past keen—  
Doughnuts and coffee and beans.  
You'd think he'd be having  
Some slight regard for the health  
Of his inner works,  
And not inflict such a combine hard  
To handle . . . and causing quirks.  
You'd think he'd be having  
Some mite of sense,  
And would see what the stuff will do.  
I can't see how people  
Can be so dense,  
And stupid and dumb—can you?  
He's fat and he's florid  
And up in years—  
You'd think that he ought to know  
Such things won't go in his inward  
gears—  
Some day will cause pain and woe.  
He's looking so happy and satisfied  
He can't realize what it means—  
Knows not what they'll do to him  
inside—  
Those doughnuts and coffee and  
beans!"

## Minute Make-Ups

By GABRIELLE



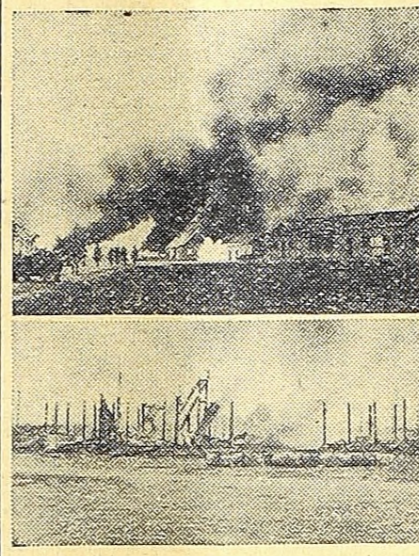
Is your skin so dry that it looks "drawn," no matter what you do? Does your powder flake? Well, do this: Put on a little fine cosmetic oil or a very rich emulsion. Leave on for just a minute, then blend on a foundation cream. Your dry skin will absorb the oil and cream. Use a little cream rouge, then press and pat on powder. The first application is absolutely necessary if you are a "dry skin" sufferer! Ledger Syndicate.—WNU Features.

## U. S. Air Corps Wrecks Own Bases in China To Hinder Jap Drive

Demolition Crews Blow Up Fields, Burn Buildings.

The demolition of air bases is one job the China air service area command hoped never to be required to carry out. But the Japanese drive to control the Hunan Kwangsi railway and establish a line of communications to French Indo-China has slowly but surely driven Chinese ground forces back and necessitated abandonment of a number of forward bases of Maj. Gen. C. L. Chennault's 14th air force. The air service command has never left a base behind without mutilating it so thoroughly that the enemy could not possibly take advantage of the smoking remains.

In the case of Hengyang, a 12-man crew in only 14 hours obliterated an installation that took thousands of men 11 months to construct. After that, on July 6, came the destruction



Gasoline-soaked buildings at Hengyang airbase blaze fiercely a minute after being fired by the demolition crew. Below: All that is left of the base are a few charred timbers and blistered oil drums, a testimony to the thoroughness of the wrecking methods of the China air service command.

of Paoching; Lingling followed, and then, on September 20, air strips at Kweilin; and, as the Japanese advanced inexorably, Tanchuk on the West river followed. In every instance, the job was done by a handful of men especially trained for the particular airbase, and always the demolition was completed within a few hours after the field was abandoned.

Usually, the demolition of buildings is a comparatively simple job. Drums of gasoline are set near each structure as soon as there is any indication that the installation may have to be abandoned. After the field is deserted and ready for the demolition crew, the drums are placed inside each building, the crew shoots holes in them and from a safe point outside, hurls burning material through windows or doors to start the blaze.

Bomb and ammunition slots are destroyed by dumping gasoline inside. The tremendous heat, when it burns, sets them off. The main problem is planning their destruction in such an order that they can be handled speedily and the crews can reach adequate shelter. For explosive demolition of any real size, hastily built lean-to's serve to keep the crews safe from falling rock and fragments.

### Unexpected Perils.

To illustrate some of the unforeseen dangers encountered in this work, Col. Richard Treiber, chief of personnel and training, recalled the burning of a building full of 50-caliber ammunition at Hengyang.

"We fired it and ran like mad for the nearest revetment before the cases began to explode. Everything went fine until a stray slug hit a gasoline drum next to us and the stuff began to trickle down the hill toward the fire . . . We didn't stay much longer."

The defense plans provide for two types of demolition, "destructive" and "explosive." "This," Colonel Treiber said, "means that we destroy as much as we can by fire and by breaking it up with hammers or sledges. We take care of most of the machinery this way, though sometimes when it is too big we have to use explosives on it."

The final job is that of making the runway useless to the enemy. This is done by mining the strip with bombs in a pattern ingeniously devised to accomplish the most damage in the least time. When there is time, the bombs are buried in the runway to accomplish a maximum of damage, but sometimes it is necessary to tie two or three together and explode them on the surface.

## Artificial Moonlight

Helps in British Drive

SUPREME HEADQUARTERS, ALLIED EXPEDITIONARY FORCE. — Artificial moonlight has helped the British keep their advance moving in west Holland by night as well as by day.

The synthetic moonlight, first used at Caen but on the secret list until recently, is created by focusing mobile batteries of floodlights toward enemy positions while Allied movements are kept in the shadows.

## 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 December 10

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### CHRIST IN THE HOME

LESSON TEXT—Matthew 19:4-6; Luke 10:38-42; II Timothy 1:3-6. GOLDEN TEXT—These things I command you, that ye may love one another.—John 13:17.

The American home faces many enemies and powerful destructive influences in our day. At times one wonders whether this most important of all institutions has not so far departed from what God intended it to be that it has lost its place and power.

In such a time, it is important that the Christian church keep before the people, and especially our young people, the Scripture teaching about the home. We need to revive the old-fashioned home, with its piety, purity and high purpose in the plan of God. We begin right when we note:

### I. The Plan of God for the Home (Matt. 19:4-6).

When Jesus was challenged by the Pharisees, who claimed that a man had a right to divorce his wife, He appealed to Scripture. That is the sure foundation for right thinking.

He referred them to the story of the creation of man and woman in Genesis 2:18-24. There it is revealed that in all the animal kingdom there was no creature suited for fellowship with man. The one who finds full satisfaction in the company of a cat, a dog, or horse, is just not up to normal.

Adam must have a "help meet" for him, that is, one suited by personality and gifts to be his companion. God made woman for that purpose and gave her to man. Thus He established the home and ordained that all through man's history there should be the coming together of one man and one woman in that indissoluble union of love (v. 6) which makes the home.

We have forgotten God's law, or have deliberately violated it, and have broken down the home in its very foundation. We had better begin to think seriously about the divorce problem if we are not to go the way of other nations.

### II. The Presence of Christ in the Home (Luke 10:38-42).

Christ repeatedly honored the home by His blessed presence. He came to the wedding feast at Cana of Galilee, and there He performed His first miracle (John 2). He should be the unseen guest at every Christian marriage. Invite Him, expect Him, honor Him, and He will bless you.

One home in particular was a place of rest and refuge for our Lord when He was here on earth, that of His friends, Lazarus, Martha and Mary, in Bethany. He was a welcome guest, always at home in that household. Shall we do less in our households? We see mottoes in homes, "Christ is the unseen guest in this home." How appropriate!

But note that His presence in the home gives Him opportunity to teach and to direct the life of the home. Mary and Martha had both been busy about the work of the household, but Mary knew when it was time to stop being busy and sit at Jesus' feet to learn and to be blessed by His presence. She not only worked, but "also sat at the Lord's feet" (v. 39). Martha went right on working until she was distracted, and came to censure her sister.

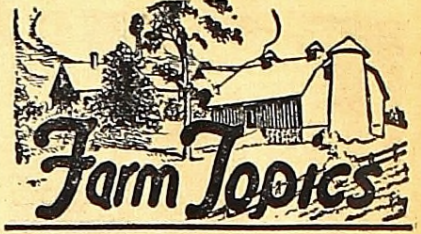
The answer of Jesus is significant. He did not rebuke Martha, He only told her to get her life into balance. There must be work in a home, but those who make home only a workshop miss its greatest blessing. Home should be a place of sweet fellowship between the members of the family, and especially between them and the Lord.

### III. The Power of Faith in the Home (II Tim. 1:3-6).

Family religion really pays. The home with the family altar, where God's Word is read as a natural and proper part of daily living, where prayer is made, and God's goodness is remembered in thanksgiving and praise, that home will send forth children who know the grace of God, and are prepared to heed His call for service.

Timothy had a grandmother and a mother (one wonders where papa and grandpa were) with unfeigned faith. What a precious heritage! That was far more valuable than silver or gold, or farms or corner lots. What heritage are you giving your children?

Note the reference to Timothy's work as a minister of God in verse 6. It was by the Holy Spirit's call, and was recognized by the church in ordination, the "laying on of hands." But it is evidently closely connected with that which is spoken of in the verse before—the faith of his home. There is power in that faith to send a boy forth to valiant service for God and to keep him faithful in the day of trial. Give your boy and girl something really worthwhile to remember when they think of home. Put the power of faith in the home back of their lives in public for God.

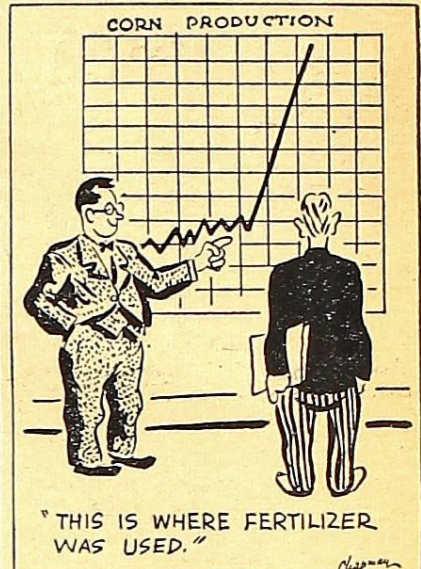


## Soil Fertility Is Essential to Food

Fertilizers Help to Increase Value of Acre

Agriculture, in all its forms, rests upon the basis of soil fertility. Whatever renews or increases that fertility benefits the farmer and those dependent upon him for food, clothing and essential articles from farm commodities.

War Food administration reports show that the planting of millions



Increases as much as 57% resulted from fertilizer use.

of additional acres in crops has been avoided during the war years, by increased use of fertilizer, resulting in marked increases in yield.

It has been determined that two extra bales of cotton were produced per ton of fertilizer; 125 extra bushels of corn; 85 bushels of wheat; 185 bushels of potatoes; and 140 bushels of oats.

On a group of West Virginia farms, forage production was reported increased 57 per cent from the use of a ton of ground limestone and 180 pounds of triple superphosphate per acre. Protein content of the forage increased more than 40 per cent.

Winter legume cover crops on which fertilizer was used showed increased growth, which was reflected in larger yields of succeeding crops benefiting from turning under the green manure. An average increase of more than 11 bushels of corn per acre was reported from plantings immediately following the vetch, without the use of additional fertilizer.

Increases in alfalfa hay yields from fertilizing the soil were reported as 33 per cent in the north-eastern states; 25 per cent in the east central area; 40 per cent in the south; and 15 per cent in the north central and western regions.

## How to Keep Poultry Flock in Good Health

Proper location of the poultry house will do much toward keeping a flock healthy. The poultry quarters should be on light, sandy well-drained soil and should be provided with some shade. The house should face opposite the direction from which storms usually come.

Clean, comfortable, well-ventilated and spacious poultry houses, abundant and nourishing feeds, and clean water in clean receptacles help keep fowls in good physical condition; when these things are provided, no medicine is needed to keep poultry well and productive. Without such provisions, no medicinal treatment will insure the maintenance of health. It usually pays to kill, not doctor sick hens.

## New Farm Facts

A new apricot developed by Russians contains 50 per cent sugar when tree dried.

Proper care of tractor this winter, together with correct adjustment may mean a saving in fuel of from 13 to 26 per cent next season.

Small dried peas, 3,000 years old, taken from the tomb of King Tutankhamen have been planted in Florida by an army officer and produced a good crop.

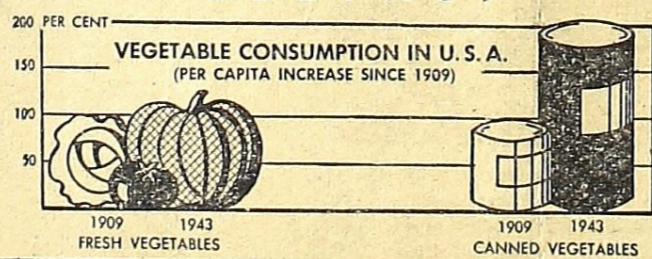
Shortage of certain small grain seeds for next year looks possible. Proper handling this year will assure the farmer of sufficient seeds for planting later on.

When ordinary fly sprays have been used in barns or other buildings, avoid breathing the fumes for long periods of time. The fumes are also detrimental to livestock.

## Calf Vaccination

While calf vaccination for brucellosis is not a substitute for proper management and sanitation, it is recommended by Dr. R. R. Birch of the American Veterinary Medical association. Calfhood vaccination, accompanied by a program of elimination of reactor animals, has been responsible for the greatest amount of progress in brucellosis control during the past year. The vaccinated calves, however, should be removed from those not vaccinated.

## TELEFACT

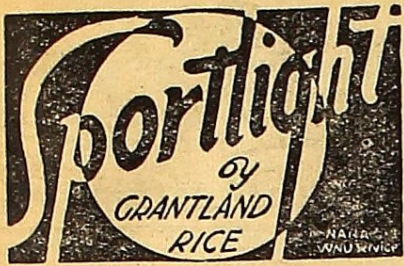


If it were not for the shortage of cans during the last two years, the consumption of canned vegetables would be even greater than shown.

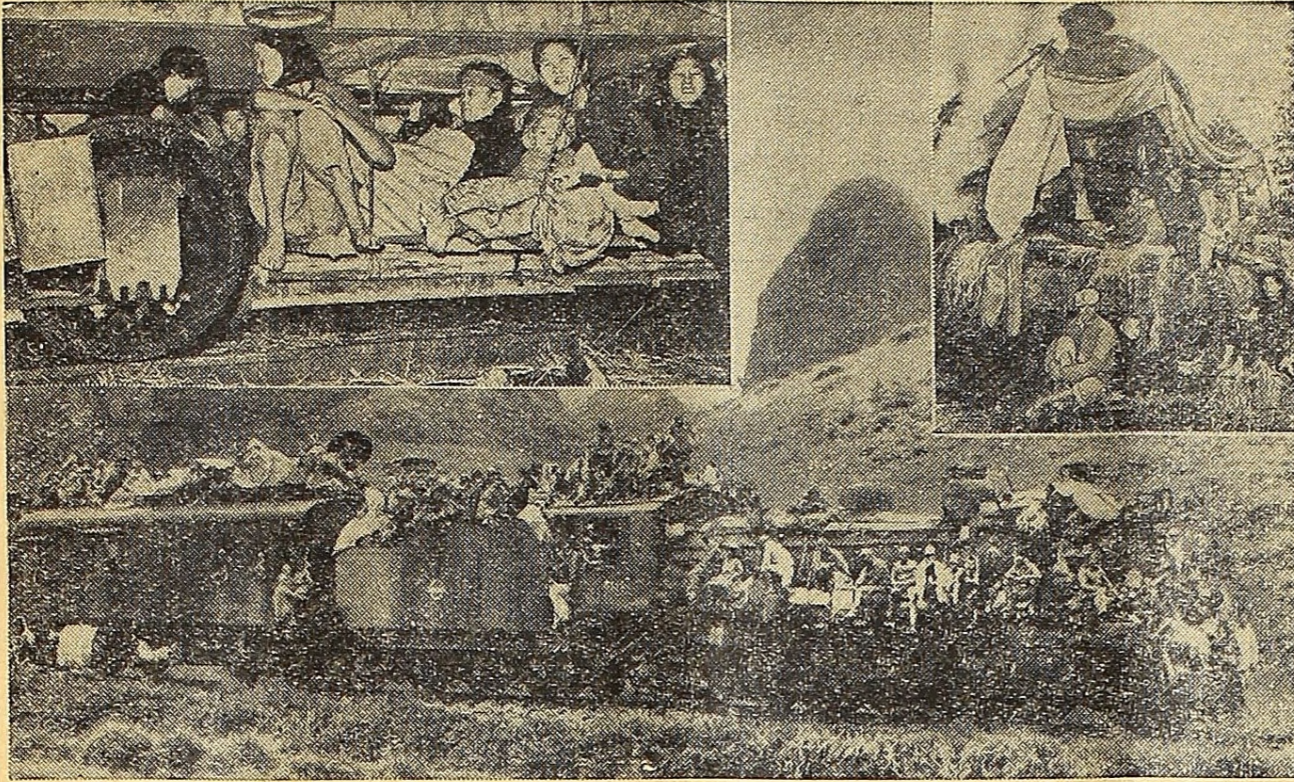
## Disabled Soldier Is An Expert Crocheter

TOPEKA, KAN. — A Kankakee, Ill., airplane mechanic who learned the art by watching his mother, while away hours of convalescence by crocheting.

Corp. Vincent Mersolis explained to the astounded soldier-patients of Winter General hospital that he had learned just to show his sisters how easy it was.



## Chinese Evacuate as Japanese Armies Advance



Refugee trains are filled and covered (lower), with Chinese civilians being evacuated from the theater of war in eastern China. Hungry, disease-ridden Chinese fill the inside of the train. Upper left—Entire family riding the rods, shoeless, ill and homeless. Upper right—the stoic Chinese drape themselves inside, on top and even on the very front of the engines as they flee from the Japs.

**PACKED** crowds jamming the stadiums wherever Notre Dame has played this season reminds one again of the record crowds Notre Dame has drawn for the last 20 years in football. There has been nothing in sport to match the crowd appeal Notre Dame carries, no matter where the game is played.

To keep an attendance record at such high mark for 20 years is something beyond the tale of the book. In those years, I can recall a crowd as high as 101,000 for a Notre Dame-Southern California game in the big Los Angeles Municipal stadium. Certainly Notre Dame would draw another capacity gathering at Los Angeles this fall if extended travel restrictions hadn't ended the old rivalry for the time being. This season again, Notre Dame has played to capacity in practically every one of her games.

In just three games, including the army clash, the South Bend troopers added up a count of some 200,000 at Urbana, Baltimore and New York. It was packed-house business in each place—with many, many thousands unable to buy tickets. "Sold out" is usually the message weeks ahead when Notre Dame plays, wherever she plays.

Notre Dame's ten games passed the 500,000 mark, and lack of seating space is the only thing that keeps this count from beating the million mark.

### Color's the Answer

You might ask just why this is so. The answer is simple enough. It began under the colorful leadership of Knute Rockne, plus the influence of Notre Dame's faculty.

The crowd long ago began to sense the fact that Notre Dame teams not only played fine football, but they were teams that gave the game spirit and sportsmanship.

From the Four Horsemen and the Seven Mules to the 1944 team, Notre Dame has given the crowd what it wanted to see. In the last 20 years I've seen Notre Dame beaten, but I've never seen a dull Notre Dame team.

I'll admit that through most of this period Notre Dame has had the jump in material. Good, young football players want to go to Notre Dame, for Notre Dame has the big edge in national headlines. Yet Notre Dame plays in no bowl games, no post-season games, and you might be surprised to know how many young or budding stars pick colleges who might be eligible for one of the big bowls.

No one can question the fact that through the last ten years Notre Dame has meant the top in football to millions, to more millions than any other team.

### How About the Others?

What about Minnesota's many great teams? What about Michigan or Ohio State? In the main these teams stick to the Middle West. They have had teams better than Notre Dame. But Notre Dame covers the football map. The roving Irish may play in Los Angeles or in New York. They come to Baltimore. They invade Atlanta. They take on all comers. They cover no restricted territory. And if you look over their record you'll know Notre Dame has done better than just average. Navy finally won, and then Army, after waiting many years. Until this year's 59-0 victory, good Army teams hadn't won from Notre Dame since 1931, a matter of 13 years ago. Army hadn't scored on Notre Dame in the last five seasons.

Notre Dame's one big pitfall was Pittsburgh under Jock Sutherland. The Big Scot had the whip hand over Notre Dame, winning year after year. But in the last decade Jock's Panthers were the only opponents who kept on winning from the South Bend bunch.

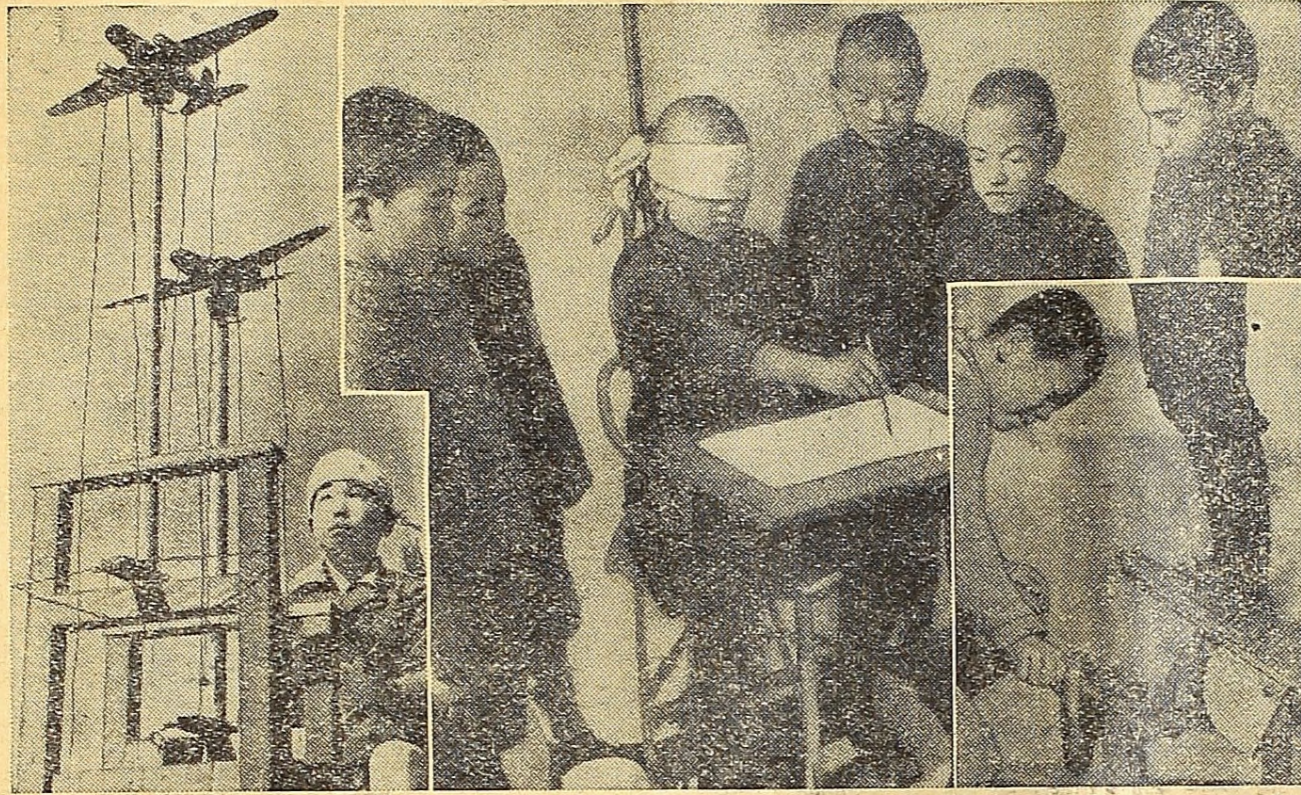
It must be admitted, however, that in the way of color, spirit, sportsmanship and skill, Notre Dame has deserved its place as the big drawing card of football. On the winning side, against college teams, you'll find in the three years preceding this season, for one example that Notre Dame has lost only two games, if our memory remains. Those college victories go to Michigan and Georgia Tech. But win or lose, the South Bend Simoon keeps packing them in. And probably will do so, year after year.

### Bookies vs. Machines

"I'd say," one veteran bookmaker told me, "we gave the players at least 100 per cent the best of it over these mutual machines. We know our day is over, so far as setting prices are concerned.

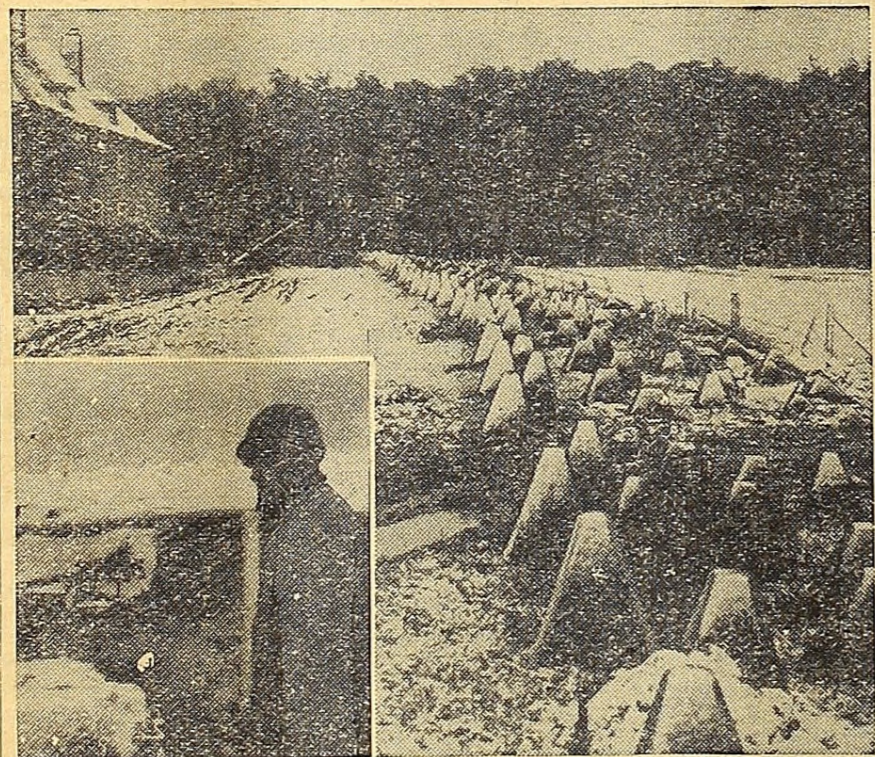
"As everyone knows, outside bookmakers still keep busy. With \$400,000,000 handled at New York tracks, at least \$250,000,000 is handled away from the tracks. There would be no such betting as this under the old bookmaker system.

## Japan Training Young Boys for New Wars



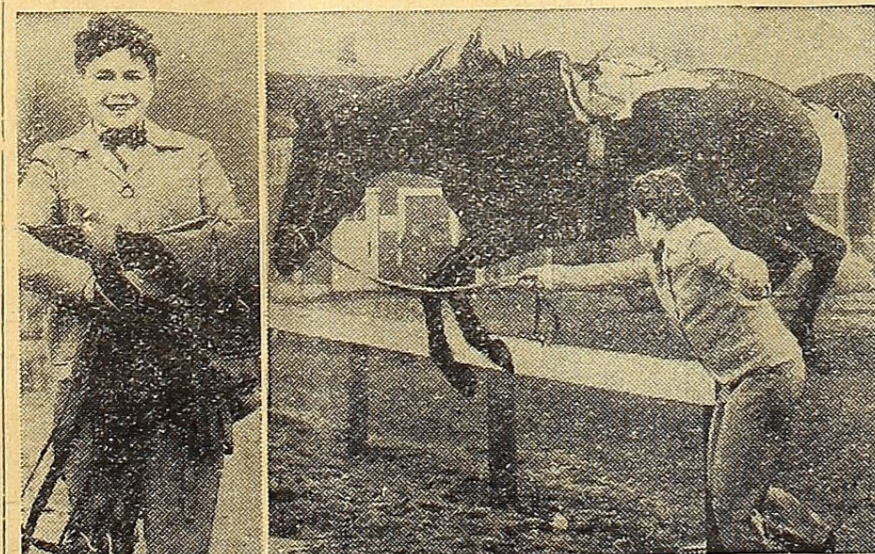
While still in the grade school, Japanese youngsters are being trained in the rudiments of flying. Each boy is given tests and training on the manipulation of controls. The blindfolded boy has been whirled about in a spinning chair. When the chair stops revolving the boy is supposed to place his pointer on a specified spot on a chart. The accuracy he displays indicates his coordination, powers of recuperation and sense of balance—his fitness to become part of the future air force of Japan.

## First German Snow of Campaign



Snow falling on the Siegfried line for the first time this winter has not prevented the Allied armies from making rapid advances into German territory. Insert—Sgt. Sam C. McNeely, Morgantown, N. C., stands watch by his machine gun during the first snowfall to visit the First Army at Monschau, Germany.

## Exercise Girl to Be Trainer



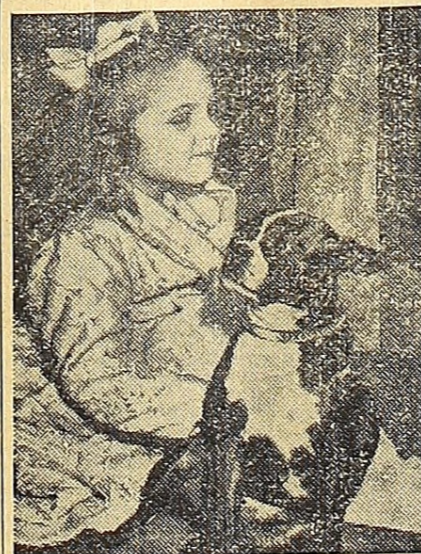
Her mind full of horses and the ambition to become a licensed race horse trainer, Shirley Stanley, Baltimore, Md., is an exercise "boy" at the track. She spends her days putting thoroughbreds through their paces to put them in top shape for their racing engagements. Right—She makes "Steel Ship" take a low hurdle.

## Greek Boy Veteran



Born in Cleveland, Ohio, 15-year-old Louis Petropoulagos, went to Greece in 1936. Louis has participated in 14 battles and conducted himself as a seasoned veteran.

## Heroine Has Faith



Seven-year-old Judith Ann Koch of Cleveland, lost her sight when she ran into a street to save a dog imperiled by an oncoming auto. She believes she will see again. She is shown with her new pet dog.

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### Oh, Success!

The corpulent, self-complacent Irishman sank into his most comfortable chair and remarked to his wife, "Well, Kate, me dear, life to me seems to have been one long run of prosperity. First I was plain Hooley, then I married you and became Mr. Hooley; then I was made Committeeman Hooley, and later Alderman Hooley.

"To cap the lot, as I went into church yesterday, all the congregation with one accord rose and sang, 'Hooley, Hooley, Hooley.'"

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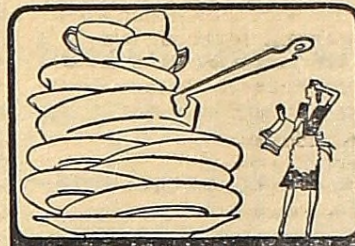
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### So the Little Man Wasn't Going to Disobey Now!

An eastern potentate, who wanted to know how many men were afraid of their wives, sent for all his married subjects and commanded those who always obeyed their wives to stand on one side. Promptly the crowd stepped over. That is—all but one man. Seeing to his surprise that it was a very small fellow who stood apart from the others, the potentate asked him why such a puny individual as himself had a mind of his own. "When I left home, your Majesty," explained the diminutive man, "I promised my wife that I would not go in any crowd."



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BUY ANOTHER WAR BOND TODAY!

The Whittemore Basketball team will play a league game here with the Tawas City team next Wednesday evening, December 13th at the Tawas City Gymnasium instead of Friday eve.

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Whittemore

Hale

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Richard Greve, a 7½ pound daughter. She has been named Kaylene Eleanor.

Several ladies from Hale attend O. E. S. at Rose City Monday night. Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Greve and Roger Greve were business visitors in Bay City Monday.

Rev. Dean of Tawas City filled the pulpit at the Baptist church Sunday evening.

Mrs. J. H. Johnson is teaching Mrs. Simon's classes while she is in the hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Deuell Pearsall, Mrs. Earl Thompson and Mrs. Dale Johnson were among the Christmas shoppers in Bay City Monday.

Mrs. Emil Wagner and her mother made a business trip to Saginaw on Monday.

Ervin Shellenbarger is building a sun porch on his new house.

Mrs. William Allen is recovering nicely from a fall which cracked the bone in her arm.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert plan to spend the winter in Saginaw.

Christmas tree cutting is the order of the day and the market seems to be good.

John Webb, who has been confined to his bed with lumbago, is a little improved this week.

Pat VanWormer has moved into the Ervin Shellenbarger house.

Mrs. Emil Wagner has returned from West Virginia where she visited relatives. Her mother returned with her to spend the winter here.

The Robert Buck family were in Tawas on Thursday.

LOWER HEMLOCK

Mrs. August Lorenz has returned home after visiting in Saginaw.

Sgt. and Mrs. Delbert O. Albertson of Brown wood, Texas were called home by the death of his father Webster Albertson of Reno Township.

Mr. and Mrs. Waldo Curry Sr., Mrs. Arthur Leitz and Mrs. John Katterman spent Saturday in Bay City. Mr. Curry attended the PCA meeting banquet.

Mrs. Louise McArdle returned home Sunday after spending two weeks in West Branch with her cousin, Mrs. Mable Decker.

Roseta Lorenz was an over night visitor of Betty McArdle Monday.

W. A. Tinker has purchased the Gray farm north of the Hemlock road.

Mrs. C. E. Earl returned home Sunday after a weeks visit in Detroit with relatives.

State of Michigan

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Tawas City, in said county, on the 9th day of November, A. D. 1944.

Present: Hon. H. Read Smith, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of Norman D. Murchison, Deceased.

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

It is Ordered, That the 19th day of December, A. D. 1944, at ten o'clock A. M., at said Probate Office 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 shall 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.

## LOOKING BACKWARD

40 Years Ago—December 7, 1904.

Myer Simon, a member of the first class to graduate from the Tawas City high school, was instantly killed in a train wreck near Grand Rapids a few days ago.

A special train left here Monday with 40 Russians who had worked in the local beet fields. They were returning to their homes in Kansas.

The D. & M. baseball team gave a dance at the Opera House last Friday evening.

Ed Crandall, Frank Stickney, John Patterson and Sheriff Johnson were the first to get their deer this season. The season closed with only a few successful local hunters.

The West Bay City Shipyards are to be removed to a port on Lake Erie. This will take from Bay City her largest industry.

Earl Goddard has gone to Onaway for the winter.

Nels Brabant of this city, William McFarlane of AuSable and B. F. Oakes of East Tawas are members of the board county canvassers.

Claude Tapp arrived home Saturday from Two Harbors.

During the absence of Miss Shaver, Miss Virginia Sauve taught primary room at the Hale school.

John Gillespie has rented the William Charters farm in Reno township.

Lumber camps at Hale, South Branch and Rose City are taking on large crews of men, and "liver pads" for breakfast is the order of the day.

Miss Nellie Thompson of Alpena is teaching in Sherman township.

Enos Scott of Wilber was on a bear chase the other day. He got three shots at bruin but failed to get him.

George Hall returned Wednesday from a trip to Buffalo.

Miss Ethel Harting returned to Olivet college after spending a few days with her parents.

Miss May Wood entertained the Jene-sais-quoi club of East Tawas Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Wood have left for Johnson City, Tenn., where they will make their future home.

Jesse Sibley has received his appointment as postmaster at Siloam.

W. W. Brown is moving from Tawas City to Hale where he plans to enter business.

The Isoco County Teachers met Saturday at East Tawas. Superintendents MacGillivray, Morell, Fell, and Ellsworth, and Commissioner Campbell were the committee in charge. A reception was given at the beautiful home of Frank Ballotman on Bay street.

25 Years Ago—December 9, 1919.

Leslie H. Belknap has been appointed chief engineer for the State Highway Department.

Rev. C. A. Ehrhardt has plans to resign as pastor of the Tawas City Baptist church. He states that he will go to Gaylord.

James E. Dillon is conducting a prize essay contest among the school children of the county. The subject is "First in Peace."

The coal situation in this section is very acute at this time. It is being perceled out a few hundred pounds to each customer.

Some people when elected to office paying a few thousand dollars a year consider themselves elevated to a level with God Almighty. They do not stop to ponder the fact that their power comes from the people and they are servants, not masters.

An American is a man who feels American, thinks American and acts American. There is no such a thing as a hyphenated American. There is no French-American, German-American, Polish-American, Anglo-American, he is either an American, or not an American. If not, he should go to the land where his heart is placed.

Miss Emma Krumm of Bay City is spending a few days at her home here.

John LeClair of Hale was a business visitor in the city last Saturday.

Beryl Hughes of Flint is spending a few days at his home on the Meadow Road.

Frank and John Goldsmith are working near Ispeming.

The Allied Supreme Council has demanded the extradition of 900 German war leaders from Holland. Germany has registered a violent protest.

Eggs Make Sauce

Eggs help make a delicious cream sauce. First make a white sauce and then add a small amount of the sauce to a well-beaten egg. Stir the mixture into remaining white sauce. Serve on vegetables or in other creamed dishes.

## Hemlock

The supper at the Hemlock Baptist Church on Tuesday evening of last week was a real success, one hundred and sixty nine dollars were taken, we wish to thank everyone who helped to put this over also we want to thank Rev. Paul Dean for the movies. We hope to have our new kitchen on the church before we put on another supper so as to take care of the crowd in a better way.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Brown and Mrs. Russel Binder and sons were Saturday evening dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Will White in Reno.

Miss Hazel Burt of Pontiac spent Thanksgiving with her parents Mr. and Mrs. John Burt.

Mrs. Louise Binder was a caller at Mr. and Mrs. Russel Binder on Tuesday last week.

Stuffed Potatoes

Another way to serve potatoes when butter is scarce is stuffed. Cut the baked potato in half the long way, carefully scoop out the inside so as not to break the shells, then mash and season the part scooped out with salt, pepper, hot milk and thin cream. Then stuff it back into the shells, brush the top with fat, and brown a few minutes in the oven. Chopped green tops of onions or chopped parsley sprinkled over the top adds a touch of spring.

Must Last Lifetime

If your eyes tire easily, or become irritated, obtain competent professional ophthalmic advice without delay. You have two sets of teeth, and can get along even with artificial teeth, but your eyes must last a lifetime.

State of Michigan

The Probate Court for the county of Isoco.

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Tawas City, in said county on the 30th day of October.

Present: Hon. H. Read Smith, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of Albert A. Marks, Deceased.

William J. Trommer having filed 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 6th day of December, A. D. 1944, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office, be and is hereby appointed for examining and allowing said account and 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 shall 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.

A true copy,  
Dorothy Bhus,  
Register of Probate.

State of Michigan

The Probate Court for the County of Isoco.

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Tawas City in said county on the 13th day of November 1944.

Present: Hon. H. Read Smith, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of Elizabeth H. Ferrister, deceased.

It appearing to the Court that the time for presentation of the claims against said estate should be limited and that a time and place be appointed to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against said deceased by and before said court;

It is Ordered, That all creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said Court at said Probate Office on or before the 12th day of February 1945, at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon, said time and place being hereby appointed for the examination and adjustment of all claims and demands against said deceased.

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

H. READ SMITH,  
Judge of Probate.

A true copy,  
Dorothy Buch,  
Register of Probate.

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## Vitamin C

Vitamin C prevents scurvy. Keeps teeth, bones, blood vessels healthy, helps prevent anemia. Daily requirements: Oranges, lemons, grapefruit, or tomatoes in any form (juice, soup, raw, canned). Also in onions, berries and vegetables. Very unstable. Destroyed by overcooking and too much water. Use raw fruit and vegetables when possible; if cooked, serve juices. Potatoes baked in skins retain vitamin C.

Mechanical Defects

Mechanical defects in some cases are the direct cause of accidents and a contributing factor in others. The safety section of the bureau of motor carriers, Interstate Commerce commission, found that 6.9 per cent of the accidents reported to it in 1942 were classed as "mechanical defect" accidents.

Tired Eyes

Don't read with tired eyes. Read with your back turned to the light so that it comes over your shoulder.

## Potato Values

Two medium sized potatoes will furnish over half of a person's daily requirements of vitamin C, one-third the needed vitamin B, and one-sixth of the iron.

## Nutritious Food

Protein foods include liver, kidneys, brains and heart. They are rich in protein and nature has stored more iron and minerals in them than in the muscle meats.

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# BROOKS

TAWAS CITY

# HERE'S HOW YOUR BILL WILL BE CUT 75%

In accordance with an order of the Michigan Public Service Commission, all bills rendered to electric, gas and steam-heating customers of Consumers Power Company during December, 1944, will be reduced 75 per cent.

Thus, money which otherwise would go to the Federal Government in taxes will be

refunded to our customers, together with additional money from Company funds.

Your bill will be figured as usual. Then the amount of the reduction will be written in as indicated on the sample bill shown below. The net amount of the reduced bill appears at the right hand side of the bill—only 25 per cent of what you normally would pay.

CONSUMERS POWER COMPANY						TO INSURE PROPER CREDIT TO YOUR ACCOUNT PLEASE RETURN THIS STUB WITH YOUR REMITTANCE.	
METER READINGS	NO. OF UNITS USED	YOUR BILL		ACCOUNT NUMBER	NET AMOUNT OF BILL		
PRESENT	PREVIOUS	KILOWATT HOURS	GROSS AMOUNT	NET AMOUNT			
1240	1080	160	499	453	30	453	
Reduction Ordered by Commission			374	340	Reduction	340	
Amt. Due			125	113		113	
						Amount if Paid on or Before	

This bill includes the State sales tax of 3% where applicable.

Check (✓) mark below indicates basis on which this bill is rendered.

Your meter was read this month.

Your meter was not scheduled to be read this month (or we were unable to read it) and your bill is estimated, being based on your previous use.

This 75 per cent reduction applies only to bills scheduled to be issued by the Company during the month of December, 1944, some of which will not become due until January, 1945. Of course this reduction will not apply to bills issued before December 1.

# CONSUMERS POWER

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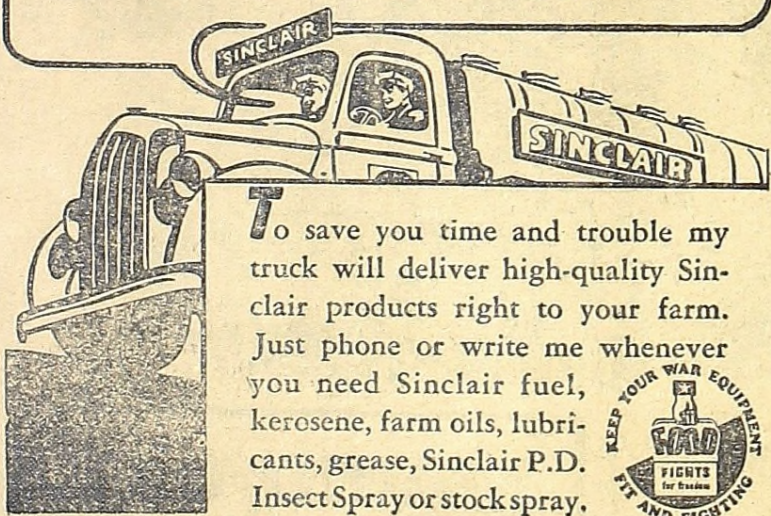
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TAWAS CITY  
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Tires and Tubes

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**Brucellosis Infections**  
The most common method of spread of Brucellosis is through the mouth and the digestive system. Cattle usually get the disease by licking an aborting cow or diseased afterbirth; also by eating infected feed, grazing on infected pastures and drinking infected water (streams and permanent troughs).

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**NATIONAL CITY**

Mrs. Pat Nickel spent a couple of days in Pinconning with her brother and family Mr. and Mrs. Ham Nickells.  
Mr. and Mrs. Pete Hamman and Frank Schneider were callers in Tawas on Friday.  
Mrs. Ross Butler and Mrs. Jay Priest were callers in East Tawas on Friday.  
Calvin Billings, Lee Roush and Charles Rayse were callers in East Tawas on Saturday.  
Mrs. Robert Rummel is spending a few days in Saginaw.  
Clarence Dedrick and Kathryn Dedrick spent the week end at their homes here.  
Mrs. George Smith was a caller in Whittemore on Friday.  
Mrs. Lawrence Jordan and Mrs. Elisabeth Hale spent a few days in Pontiac and Flint.  
Mr. and Mrs. Ross Butler were callers in East Tawas on Monday.  
Mrs. Carl Manning and daughters Dorothy and Betty and Mrs. Ted Freel spent Monday in Bay City.

**Storing Eggs**  
Eggs can be packed in a water-glass solution in earthen jars, wooden or galvanized pails or wooden tubs. Sterilize the containers with boiling water, then mix the water-glass solution according to directions and carefully insert the clean fresh eggs so the solution covers them. A 6-gallon container will hold 15 dozen eggs. Most drug stores sell water-glass in liquid form ready to mix with water, at a price of about 25 cents a quart.

**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 4th day of December, 1944.  
Present: Hon. H. Read Smith, Judge of Probate.  
In the Matter of the Estate of Wesley H. Clement, Deceased.  
It appearing to the Court that the time for presentation of the claims against said estate should be limited and that a time and place appointed to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against said deceased by and before said court.  
It is Ordered, That all creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said Court at said Probate Office on or before the 19th day of February, 1945, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, said time and place being hereby appointed for the examination and adjustment of all claims and demands against said deceased.  
It is Further Ordered, That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, once in each week for three weeks consecutively, previous to said day of hearing in the Tawas Herald, a newspaper printed and circulated in county.

H. READ SMITH,  
Judge of Probate.  
Dorothy Buch,  
Register of Probate.

**COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS**

Regular meeting of the Common Council held on October 2, 1944.  
Present: Mayor LeClair, Aldermen Frank, Jacques, Landon, Mueller, Murray and Rollin.  
The minutes of the last two council meetings were approved as read.  
The Committee on Claims and Accounts presented the following:  
Charles Harris, labor..... \$40.20  
Earl Brown, labor..... 24.00  
Donald Pfeiffer, labor..... 28.20  
Earl Brown, labor..... 33.60  
Charles Harris, labor..... 39.60  
Donald Pfeiffer, labor..... 36.00  
Bronson & Goupil, repairs truck, Street..... 13.63  
W. F. Cholger, supplies truck, Street..... 2.90  
Sinclair Refining Co., gasoline, Street..... 72.50  
J. Barkman Lumber Co., tile, etc., Street..... 222.66  
W. A. Evans Furniture Co., brushes, Contingent..... 9.30  
Martins Flag Dept., flags, etc., Contingent..... 8.64  
Fred Musolf, Firemen's Pay Roll, Contingent..... 59.00  
Tawas High Speed Co., supplies, Street..... 4.30  
Moved by Land on and supported by Murray that the bill be allowed and orders drawn for same.  
Roll Call: Yeas—Frank, Landon, Jacques, Mueller, Murray and Rollin. Nays—None. Carried.

The request of Ernest Moeller and Louise Moeller in regard to vacating Wheeler street from First Avenue to Tawas river was presented. It was moved by Jacques and supported by Rollin that this request be referred to the Street Committee for further study. Motion carried.  
The application of Floyd West to move a building on the streets of Tawas City to a location on his property was presented. Moved by Jacques and supported by Mueller that we approve the application of Floyd West. Motion carried.

The following permit application was presented by Harry Goldsmith. Residence 20x30, concrete, wood siding, comp. roof. Moved by Murray and supported by Frank that the above application be approved, subject to War Production Board Limitations Order No. L 41. Motion carried.  
Moved by Mueller and supported by Frank that we accept the two One Hundred Dollar E Gov't Bonds from Rebecca Baguley for the care and maintenance of Cemetery Lots, subject to the Rules and Regulations of the city and Cemetery Board. The City of Tawas City reserves the right to maintain said lots in such manner as it may deem proper and may remove any shrubs, fences or other obstructions necessary for the proper maintenance of said lots. Motion carried.

The report the Water and Sewer Department was made. Disbursements: Sewer Dept. \$276.05, Water Dept. \$121.35. Moved by Murray and supported by Jacques that the report be accepted as read. Motion carried.

The following applications were presented for a license:  
Tawas Sandwich Shoppe, restaurant; Tawas City Restaurant, restaurant; Shay's Bar, tavern.  
Moved by Mueller and supported by Rollin that the above applications be approved and the clerk be authorized to issue a license. Motion carried.

Moved by Mueller and supported by Rollin that we authorize the abstract of a parcel of land known as the Market Place. Motion carried.  
Moved and supported that we adjourn. Carried.

Albert H. Buch,  
City Clerk.

**Thomas Jefferson**  
Thomas Jefferson, whose 200th birthday anniversary was celebrated April 13, was the first man to put plow making on a scientific basis. Plows have been used by man for more than 3,000 years. The Greeks used the butt of a tree to which they added a metal point. The points for these primitive plows were made as late as 1923 in Connecticut for shipment to other agricultural areas.

**Clothes Moths**  
If the house becomes badly infested with clothes moths, to a point where overstuffed furniture and rugs are damaged, it will be best to have a commercial exterminator called in. Fumigation of the entire house with cyanide gas is a sure and effective way of eliminating clothes moths but it must be done by an experienced person, since the gas is dangerous.

**Udder Bacteria**  
In some udders bacteria that cause mastitis may cause no apparent harm. As soon as a cow's resistance is lowered, mastitis producing organisms may become active and produce serious udder damage.



**Sherman**

Mrs. Frank Smith is on the sick list.  
James Scheon was a business caller at Whittemore.  
Glen Schneider of Bay City visited relatives here Sunday. His brother, Don, who has been here hunting for a couple of weeks, returned to Bay City with him.  
Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Killingbeck of Detroit, who recently purchased the Hilderbrand farm, moved their family and household goods here and expect to make this their future home.  
Mr. and Mrs. Orville Bellor of Whittemore were callers in town the first part of the week.  
Frank Schneider and George Kane were at Flint on business Monday.  
The National Gypsum Co. just finished building a new smoke stack about 200 feet high.  
Mrs. Silas Thornton and daughter were at Tawas City on business Tuesday.

**CLASSIFIED DEPARTMENT**

FOR SALE—Guernsey heifer calf, 4 weeks old. Charles Sarki, R. D. 2, Tawas City.

FREE—If excess acid causes you pains of Stomach Ulcers, Indigestion, Heartburn, Belching, Bloating, Nausea, Gas Pains, get Free Sample of Udga at Keiser Drug Store, Tawas City.

FOR SALE—Collie pups. Russell Nelkie. Hemlock.

WANTED—Men to work in interesting phase of the oil industry. Call 62 W. Tawas City.

FOR SALE—single bed with springs and mattress. White trimmed with gold. Phone 377.

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

FOR SALE—Davenport and chair, Cheap. Ray Ristow.

FOR SALE—14-in. slab wood. We deliver or you can call for it. Huron Shores Rustic Furniture Co., Phone 673 W.

FOR SALE—2 cows, one fresh and one milking. Roy Woyahn, R. 1

FOR SALE—Two all around work Horses, 8 years, Black Gelding, weight 1600, 5 year old Bay gelding, weight 1300. Priced to sell. G. E. Olson, Old US 23, Wilber.

WANTED to buy—Lake frontage R. Stone, 1102 Park Ave.; Royal Oak, Mich. 3-8

WANTED—One inch lumber, any width or length. Also poplar, basswood or hemlock logs. Call or write Michigan Engineering & Manufacturing Co., Rose City, Mich.

FOR SALE—Double coil springs, child's table and 2 chairs, guitar, child's rocker. Mrs. Fred Luedtke, Tawas City, Phone 212.

FOR SALE—Coal and wood range. In good condition. Inquire at Tawas City Garage.

FOR SALE—Single bed springs and mattress. Mrs. F. Metcalf. Phone 377.

FOR SALE—Six room home, 2 lots, 2 car garage. Known as the Strauer home. \$2600.00. Arthur F. Cowan, Phone 586-W.

FOR SALE—Bundles of kindling wood. Price reasonable. Huron Shores Rustic Furniture Co., Phone 673 W.

WANTED—Small electric fan. Ferguson Market.

FOR SALE—One steel coasting sleigh. 5 feet long, price \$6.00 like new. Stanley McIvor, McIvor, Sand Lake Road.

LIVE POULTRY WANTED—One thousand live chickens wanted per week. Before selling your poultry, see me for highest market prices. Richard Rose, Turner.

CHICKENS FOR SALE—45 per pound, Dressed. Call Mrs. Frank Lange, Tawas City.

FOR SALE—40 Acres of land in Grant township. Inquire Everett Latham, Tawas City.

WANTED—Dog house for large dog. Good condition. Call Tawas Herald.

WOOD SHINGLES. Barkman Lumber Co. Tawas City.

PERMANENT WAVE. 59c! Do your own Permanent Wave with Charm-Kur! Kit. Complete equipment including 40 curlers and shampoo. Easy to do, absolutely harmless. Praised by thousands including June Lang, glamorous movie star. Money refunded if not satisfied. Keiser's

FOR SALE—Two houses in Tawas City. Peter Vallier.

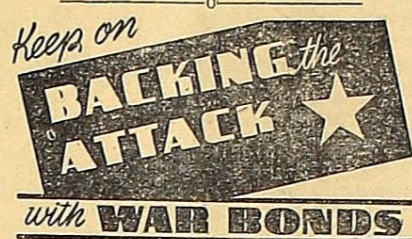
FOR SALE—Hereford cattle. 16 spring calves, five 18 months old steers, three bulls, one 6 mos. old, one 13 mos. old and one 20 mos. old. Frank Long, Hemlock road.

FOR SALE—Kindling Wood, White pine and Norway pine stump fence at \$2.50 per rod. Frank Fisher, 5 mi. west of Tawas City on Meadow Road.

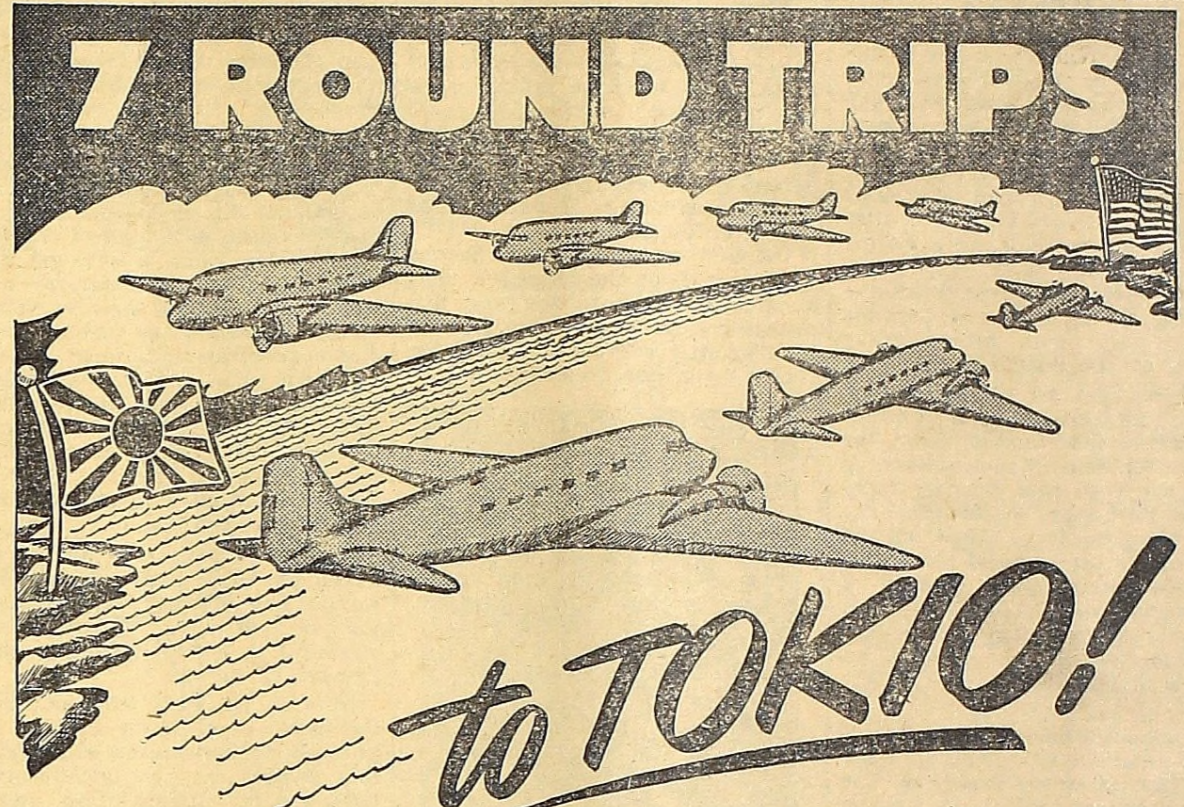
WANTED—Electrical work of all kinds. Lloyd Thompson, Phone 456 Tawas City.

A. B. Schneider was at Standish on business Saturday.  
George Grabow, the busy trucking man of Whittemore, delivered several tons of coal here the first of the week.  
Robert Stoner of Bay City spent the week end at his home here.

**First Harvest**  
The first harvest from good permanent gardens is usually rhubarb and asparagus, for these crops are ready to eat several weeks before any annual crops have grown enough to be ready to eat.



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The story thus far: Robert Scott, a West Point graduate, wins his wings at Kelly Field, Texas. From Mitchell Field, N. Y., he is sent to Panama where his real pursuit training is begun in a P-125. He begins to train other pilots, but as the war edges closer he wants to get into combat service. He writes many letters to General's pleading for a chance to fight and at last it comes in the form of a phone call from Washington asking if he can fly a four-engine bomber. He says he can—a white lie. When he leaves his wife and child he realizes that they meant America for him. He picks up his Fort in Florida, asks one of his former students how to fly it, and they are off for Brazil.

## CHAPTER VII

Maybe the meal was really good—I've forgotten. But later we were to have some meals which were definitely on the rugged side. Some time just try a breakfast at three a. m. composed of warmed-over, mouldy, then re-warmed toast, with slightly sour canned tomatoes. After this year and more, I can close my eyes and see Col. C. V. Haynes sitting there looking at that delicacy—thinking, no doubt, about Carolina country ham, with brown gravy making a little puddle in the grist.

Well fed but on the tired side, we left the base at 13:35, for our next destination farther down the coast. For more than two hundred miles we were over friendly territory as we hugged the beaches, but later, along the Ivory Coast, we had to fly out to sea to avoid the prying eyes that were Vichy French. I must have sworn deeply that afternoon, for in my diary I note now that I wrote this line: "Damn, we have to dodge those b—— all the time."

We passed a fighter base at 17:00 G.M.T., and one hour later we landed at another West Coast base. The sun was setting back to the West in the Atlantic—towards home. Easter Sunday was fast coming to a close. I remembered then, from "hearsay evidence," that I had been born exactly thirty-four years before. From personal experience I would be able to recall this Easter as a memorable one.

Next day, while the crew worked on the tired airplane, some of us drove into the bush country. With a guide we made about a ten-hour trip into the interior, to Togoland. Entering a typical dirty village we heard jazz music and picked our way towards the source. I imagine all of us were expecting to find a radio or a victrola; instead we found that we were really in the land that had "birthed" jazz. Grouped about an earthen crock of palm wine was the population of the village, and the more they dipped the gourd cups into the stagnant-looking liquor, the hotter the music became and the more the sweating black bodies swayed to the beat of the drums. Their bare feet were moving to the rhythm in the dust, and their naturally musical voices, added to the syncopated rumble that came from black hands thumping many kinds of drums, made us wonder whether some orchestra like Cab Calloway's hadn't come to Africa with us on a USO project.

On April 7 we left the Gold Coast for Kano, in Nigeria. Off at 08:00 G.M.T., we flew a course of 90 degrees to miss more of Vichy France. Over Lagos, in the clammy heat of the equatorial jungle, we turned into the continent to a course of 58 degrees and continued over very thick country until we crossed the Niger. From there on East, the land that was Africa seemed to dry up, and my boyhood conception of how the Dark Continent should look faded away. Instead of constant jungle we now saw dry desert, like the lower hump of Brazil near Natal, or places in our own West.

We landed at the old walled city of Kano that afternoon. Our next take-off, for Khartoum, would best be made at nightfall, in order that we might land in the Sudan early in the morning before the dust storms had impaired the visibility. To waste time we walked into town to see the ancient city of Biblical days. Soon we found ourselves dodging camels, lepers, and Ali Baba—with his more than forty thieves.

General Chennault's AVG was composed of three squadrons, functioning under the supreme command of China's Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek. About seventy pilots and three hundred ground crew personnel made up this organization, which for nearly four months had been in combat against the Japanese Air Force from Rangoon up to Lashio, Burma.

When one considers that the AVG fought in what the British called obsolete tactical combat aircraft—the P-40B's and P-40C's—their deeds and scores become truly legendary. Throughout China today, General Chennault's AVG are regarded as "Saviors of Free China Skies." The Chinese sentry on the gate to the "Fijichan" or airfield may shake his head when you show him your pass; he may not understand your hard-won Chinese; but when you smile and call, "A-V-G," his face lights up in turn, and he calls, "Ding-hao—you are 'number one.'" He holds his thumb up in the old familiar signal, and you enter. Then, to show his high regard for Americans and his vivid memory of General Chennault's Flying Tigers, he calls after you, "A-V-G mean American Very Good—ding-hao, ding-hao."

We caught up with three more of our thirteen bombers at Kano, and all our crew had begun to feel confident that we could not be called back from the mission against Tokyo. To insure this to a greater degree, we were trying hard, without appearing to be too anxious, to be the first to reach our initial point—Karachi, India. So long as we were the first of the B-17's, we could claim a moral victory. For after all, Colonel Haynes was boss, and in a ship with longer range than the Fortress, and we wanted him ahead.

With full service aboard, and the temperature hot and stifling, even after nightfall, we threaded our way through the dust for the take-off. I remember that the heavy ship used the entire runway and some of the sagebrush prairie land too, for there seemed to be no lift whatever to the hot, dead air. Finally reaching a comfortable cruising altitude at twelve thousand, Doug and I breathed the old familiar sigh of relief at having once again gotten a loaded bomber in the air, and the sigh echoed around the ship.

Down in the dust haze not a light showed as we crossed equatorial Africa where Sergeant Aaltonen and

ished a volunteer force of American airmen, flying American equipment in China against the Jap.

The purpose was fourfold: to test American equipment, to train a nucleus of American pilots in actual combat, to furnish air support for the Chinese land forces, and to fight a delaying action against the Japanese until the Chinese armies could be equipped with modern sinews of war for offensive action against the stranglehold of Japan.

Finally, in the late summer of 1941, the Army, Navy, and Marine Corps permitted a few reserve officer pilots to resign their commissions and accept jobs as instructors with Central Aircraft Manufacturing Company, or Camco, as it was called. These seventy-odd pilots and some three hundred ground-crewmembers proceeded in small numbers on ships of various nations—Dutch, British, Indian, American, and some unregistered—West from San Francisco to Java, then Singapore, and thence to Rangoon, Burma.

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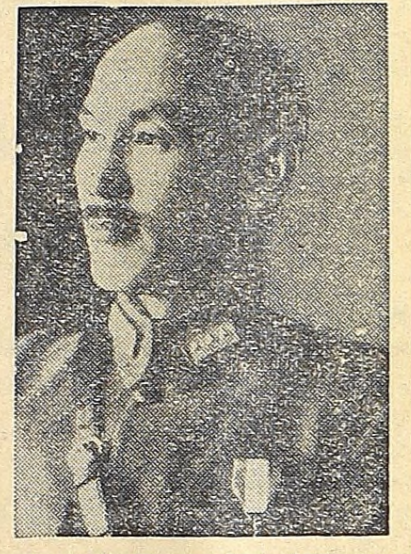
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When one considers that the AVG fought in what the British called obsolete tactical combat aircraft—the P-40B's and P-40C's—their deeds and scores become truly legendary. Throughout China today, General Chennault's AVG are regarded as "Saviors of Free China Skies." The Chinese sentry on the gate to the "Fijichan" or airfield may shake his head when you show him your pass; he may not understand your hard-won Chinese; but when you smile and call, "A-V-G," his face lights up in turn, and he calls, "Ding-hao—you are 'number one.'" He holds his thumb up in the old familiar signal, and you enter. Then, to show his high regard for Americans and his vivid memory of General Chennault's Flying Tigers, he calls after you, "A-V-G mean American Very Good—ding-hao, ding-hao."

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## Befana's Legend Lives On in Italy

Befana was sweeping her threshold when the Wise Men passed on their way to Bethlehem—and Befana finished her sweeping before she thought about going to Bethlehem. Finally she blew out her candle, latched her door and, clutching her basket of treasures, she set out to follow the Wise Men.

A straw doll and a large seed—these were Befana's treasures. The large seed had been her own baby's ball and, long ago, chubby hands had fondled the straw doll whose garment she had made from a piece of her wedding dress. Had not the shepherd told her the Little King was a poor child? As she hurried onward, Befana visualized the Little King fondling her meager treasures.

Alas! night passed and morning came; then night again, and there was no one from whom she might ask the way. When the Star disappeared Befana knew that, having hesitated, she would search forever without finding the Christ Child.

In Italy, La Befana goes from house to house bearing gifts to children on Epiphany eve. Her counterpart, Russian Babouska, knocks on each door with her staff and, entering, holds a candle to the faces of sleeping children. She slips a toy beneath their pillows and hurries on, always hoping she is bearing gifts to the Babe of Bethlehem whom she has never found.

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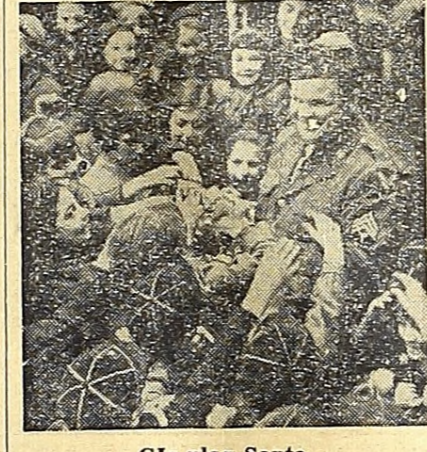
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Nothing is known for certain concerning the identity of the "wise men." All that we learn from the gospel is that "wise men" appeared bringing gifts of gold, frankincense and myrrh. We do not know who they were or what were their names or how many there were. The common supposition is there were three of them. That idea arises from the fact that there were three gifts. Some of the early Christian writers thought there were 12. Later Christian writers still name them, giving their names as Melchior, Caspar and Balthasar. Persia would probably be the place from which they came, because they were interested in the stars and the Persians were great star gazers. Another tradition gives them the rank of kings, but the gospel tells nothing save that "wise men" came.

## The Benediction

At first we thought no Christmas tree this year;  
Our six-foot son a year ago had dwarfed  
That festive sheaf of holiday decoars  
And reached, with ease, the highest shining star.  
They slept quite peacefully, as I remember, then,  
At Christmas morning breakfast, they approved,  
With friendly condensation. After that  
I don't believe they saw it any more.

So let's depend, we said, on wreaths and bells  
To brighten up the house; we'll take our ease  
And be content to tinsel-littered floor,  
No twisted strings of lights to get us weary  
All very fine!—who would tell that when  
The warm, nostalgic breath of balsam struck  
Our sense in that crowded little shop?  
'Twould conjure up such vivid memories?

For, with that scent, come into swift review  
The Christmases of many happy years.  
The skirts and hose, the gloves and ties gave place  
To skates and hockey sticks, and these, in turn,  
To books, electric trains and still more trains,  
Then toys which bucked and rolled when wound with keys;  
Back through the days of carts and balls and drums  
To dwell on one—the first our baby knew.

How young we were! How many bright ideals  
Were yet untarnished by the blight of time;  
Just as those gayly-colored, tinsel'd things  
Which graced the tree; and like our youthful dreams  
Some broke to bits, some dimmed with passing years,  
And some were changed for new ones later on.  
Perhaps just one more tree—we still have lights  
And dreams enough to make a brave display.

So there it is! Not many candy cones  
Are hanging from its boughs, and those few gifts  
Don't make a noise, or roll across the floor,  
But, each to each, a love more strong, mature,  
Is wrapped in every box, and now I know  
The tree has done its part to make the day;  
That perfumed incense, born in northern wood,  
Has breathed a benediction on us all.

H. S. Downe.  
Associated Newspapers—WNU Features.

## Brazilian Christmas

The Christmas season in Brazil begins on Christmas eve and climaxes with the Feast of Epiphany. Since it really is June in January south of the equator, Christmas is a midsummer festival endowed with fireworks, boating excursions, and open air "festas."

The "old" Brazilian Christmas traditions are those imported from Portugal, the mother country. Impressive processions are colorful and intrinsic parts of the church festival. Midnight mass on Christmas eve is preceded by gala late suppers and dancing "festas." The mass itself is called Missa de Gallo, presumably because it is solemnized at the hour of the cocks' crowing, and is celebrated with greater or lesser pomp throughout the land. A great many Brazilians wander about on Holy Night attending different churches and listening to the church bells proclaim the birth of the Saviour.

Christmas day is observed as a day of spiritual union by the Christian churches and is so designated in the official list of Brazilian national holidays.

The geographic vastness of Brazil implies the actuality of many local and charming customs, ceremonies, folk dances and "festas" and the new traditions, while not displacing these established customs, sociably jogs right along with them.

## Christmas Trees for Birds

Preparations for Christmas are almost as much fun as the Great Day itself.

Scandinavian children follow the harvesters in the fall to gather short stalks of grain; these are stored away until Christmas time when small bunches thereof are fastened to long poles which, when driven into the ground, become Christmas trees for the birds.

Other countries tie bread and other food items to Christmas trees for birds.

## TOO GENEROUS

A 40-year-old woman stood on a New York subway platform during the afternoon rush period peeling bills off a thick roll and tossing them to a quickly gathered crowd with the cheery cry: "A Merry Christmas. Have lots of luck."

As people scrambled madly for the money, policemen stopped the fun with the ruling that the woman could do what she wanted to with her money but that her manner of distribution constituted disorderly conduct.

## Outdoor Decorations

Before the era of electric lights, men were obliged to confine the expression of their Christmas spirit indoors. Symbolizing this spirit were the becarded indoor tree, sprigs of holly, gaily wrapped gifts, and the common greeting card.

Came the advent of the colorful multiple burning Christmas-tree lamps like glowing jewels on a string. Came "projector" lamps designed for outdoor flood and spotlighting. The custom of expressing the Yule spirit outside has grown.

## Wooden Toys Are Easy to Make; Few Tools, Odds and Ends Needed

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## Household Hints

When turning the mattress, also turn it around, that is, place the end that was at the head of the bed at the foot.

To prevent the gloss from coming off white paint, wash with milk and very little soap.

If the leg of an old stocking is cut and stretched over the new broom down to a short distance above the end of the straws, it will prevent broom from wearing out so quickly and at the same time make it better for sweeping.

Chimney soot can be kept down by throwing dry salt on a bed of hot coals, once or twice a week. Dry fuel and good draft helps to check soot and creosote in pipes and chimneys.

Boil the wick of a kerosene lamp in vinegar before using to keep it from smoking.

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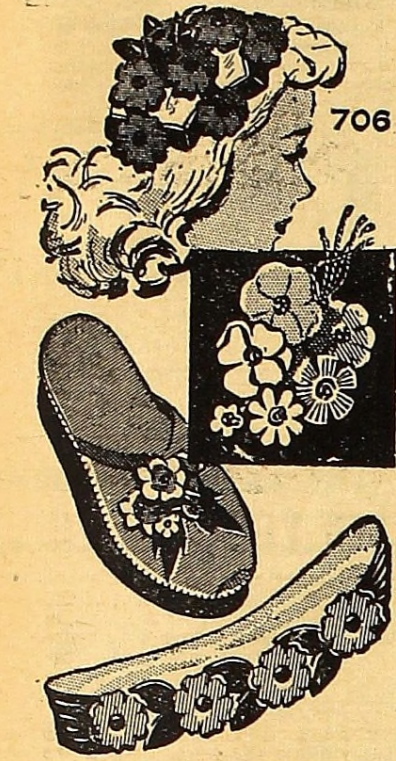
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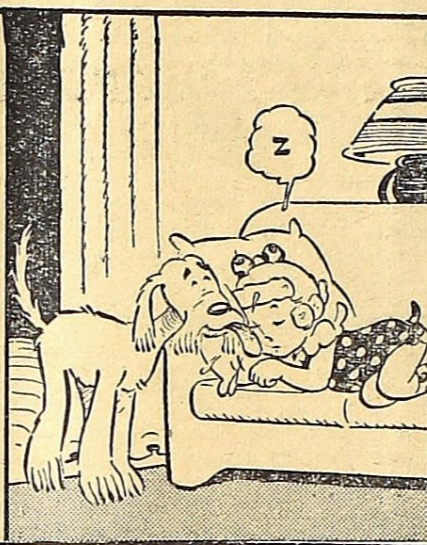
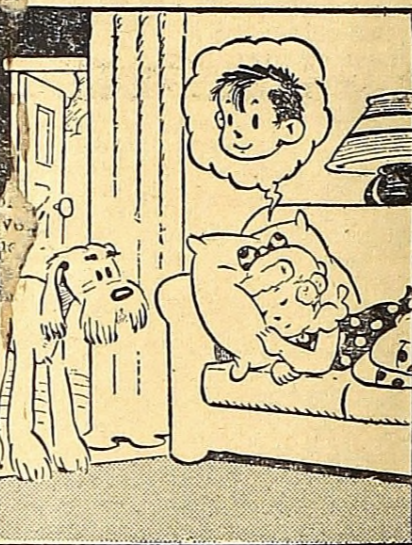
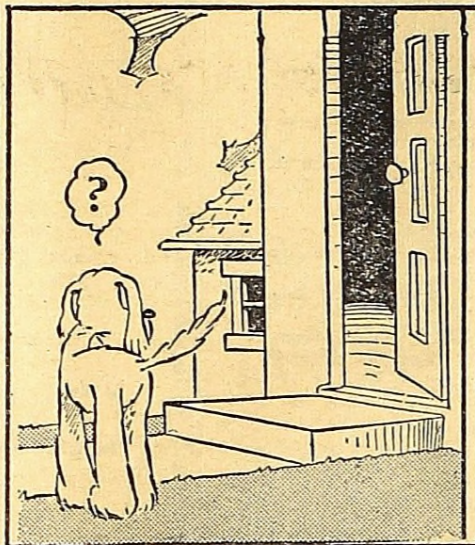
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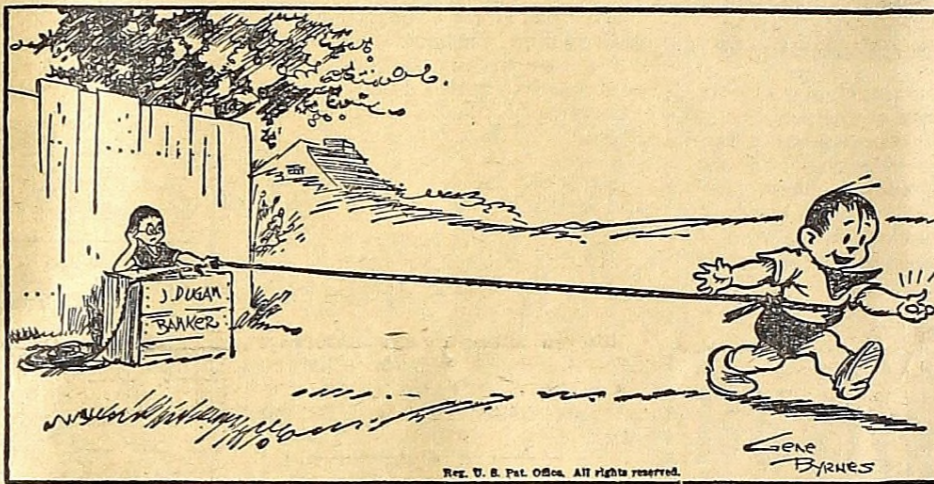
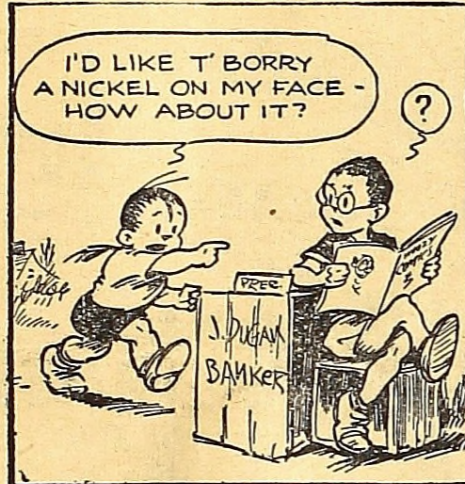


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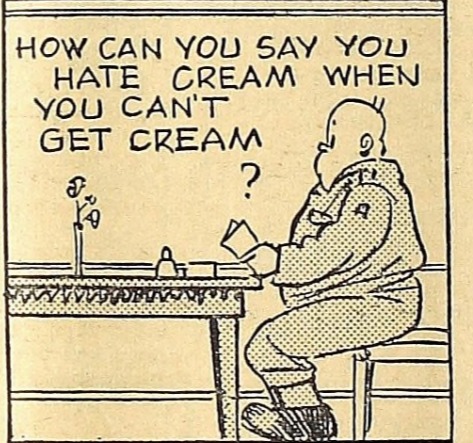
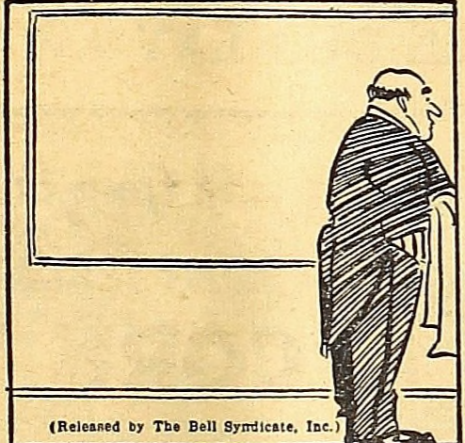


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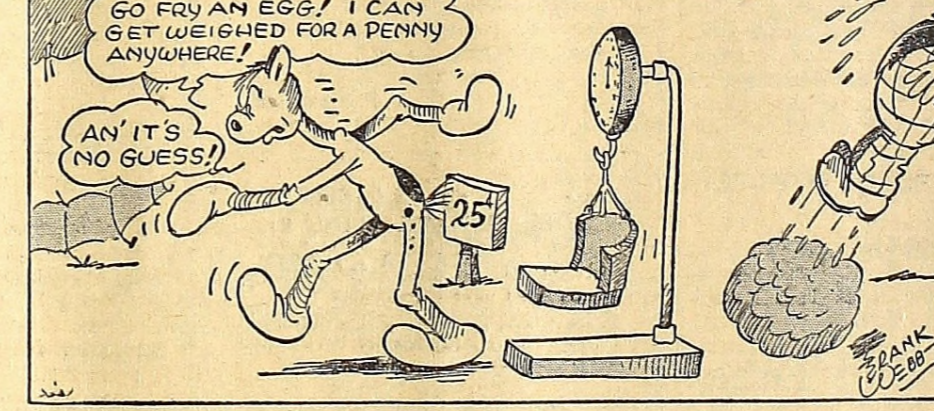
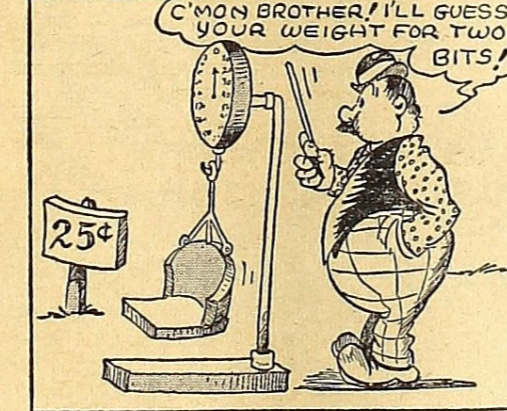
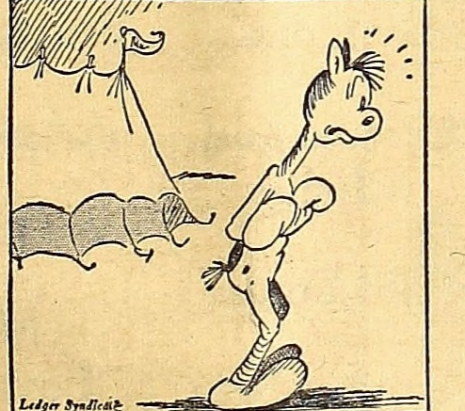
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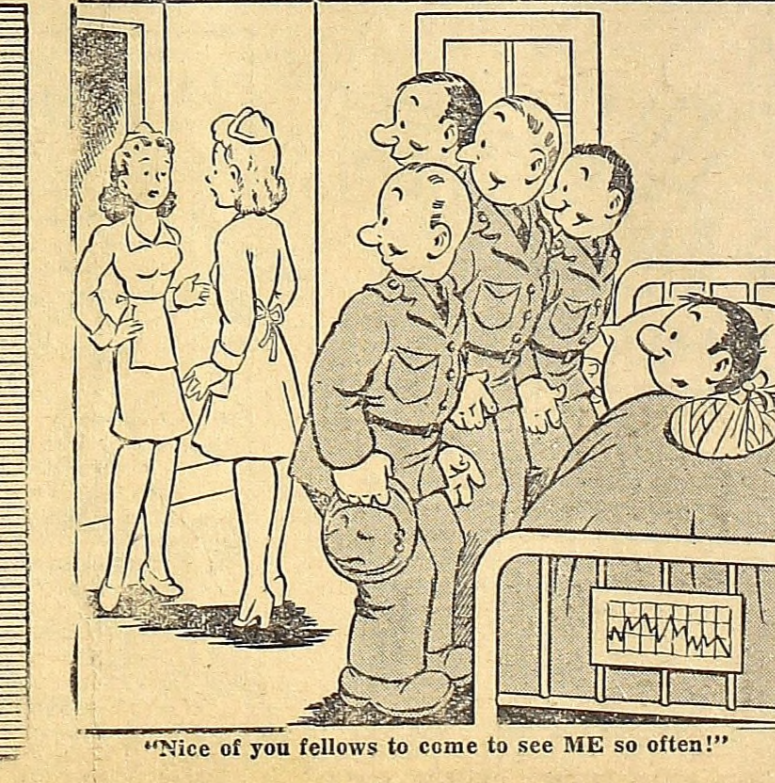


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as applied to Consumers Power Company, since the tax is not levied on excessive profits but on the Company's taxable income in excess of the average for the base years 1936-1939.

"Actually, this 'excess profits tax' is a war tax designed to drain off income resulting from war business," Mr. Ball said. "The company's net income, after taxes, actually is lower now than it was before the war."

Mr. Ball added that the Company is not complaining about war time taxes, nor about the Commission's order for 75 per cent reduction of December 1944 bills. Less than a day after the Commission's order was issued, the Company announced its intention to comply.

**Microscopic Germ**  
Brucellosis is an infectious disease caused by a small microscopic germ which usually locates in the reproductive organs of cattle (uterus and udder of the cow and testicles of the bull).

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News Events of the World

TUESDAY  
WEDNESDAY-THURSDAY  
DECEMBER 12-13-14

JEAN ARTHUR  
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CHARLES COBURN

In  
"THE IMPATIENT YEARS"

Popeye Color Cartoon  
Popular Science  
Paramount News

**High School**  
All should have in mind the Community Party at School Auditorium, Saturday evening of this week. There will be both round and square dancing from nine until twelve o'clock. The prices are eighteen cents for students and thirty cents for adults. Come.

Mention was recently made in this column of the fact that the high school American History library contains some excellent material. "The Federalist" is among the material. This book is a collection of eighty-five essays written in support of the United States Constitution agreed upon September 17, 1787, by the Federal Convention of that year. They were written by Alexander Hamilton, James Madison and John Jay, with Hamilton writing more than either of the other two. "The Federalist" is yet regarded by authorities as the most fundamental material concerning the original constitution. The national supreme court has often quoted this volume when rendering a decision concerning the meaning of the constitution.

**Commercial Department**  
Our bookkeeping class has just completed Set One, keeping a whole set of books for the retail Furniture Business. This puts into practice all the phases we have studied thus far and we now feel confident that we could keep books for a small business concern. Our work is varied and interesting, and the class is doing exceptionally well.

In Typewriting II we finished Adaption III on Friday, acting as stenographers for a department store. We had letters, estimates reports menus and many other things to cover which will be a great help should we ever go into the commercial field upon graduating from high school.

**Home Making I**  
We have begun our cooking unit and have adopted the motto, "Three Square Meals a Day Keeps the Doctor Away." We cooked our first meals Thursday and Friday after dividing ourselves into three family groups, four girls in each one.

We chose appropriate names: The Brewsters, which include Inez Ulman, Elizabeth Westcott, Maxine Schultz and Lillian Shover, cooked Thursday. Their guest was our Home Ec teacher, Miss Bonsecours. The Aldrich family includes, Rozella Omens, Lucille Sims, Elaine Steinhurst and Rempert. They cooked their meal Thursday and their guest was Mrs. Brunning, (The Bumsteads, which include Rosemary Witzke, Mildred Brown, Charlotte Minnard

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and Margaret Blust, cooked their meal on Friday. Mr. Potts had the pleasure of being their guest.

**4th and 8th Grades**  
We are making elephants and teddy bears from old knit sweaters, fur coats and discarded garments. They make inexpensive attractive Christmas presents for our younger brothers and sisters. We are going to make some Christmas cards next week.

**Home Making II**  
We are making Christmas presents now. Some of us have completed quilted gloves, pot holders, oilcloth stuffed animals and make up bags. We will start monogrammed stationery and felt mittens next week.

**3rd and 4th Grades**  
Tommy Morley is back in school again. He was absent because of illness.

Jimmy Clement is ill with the whooping cough. We hope he won't have to miss our Christmas party. Shirley Ferguson brought us a new picture today Thank you., Shirley.

Two of Mr. Robart's students repaired our bookcase for which we thank them very much. Last week Jimmy Clement bought a bond, the first one we have had for our room this year.

Third Grade pupils who had a in last week's spelling test were: Neil Hughes, Jacqueline Misener, Chares Landon, Roland Hughes, Nancy Reed, Bruce Erickson and Delores Konenski.

Fourth Graders who had A were: Patsy Montgomery, Rollie Joe Gackstetter, Barbara Erickson, Duane Wright, Nancy Eastham, Clarence Lossing, Everett Lake and Joan Ulman.

**Primary Room**  
The First Grade dramatized the story of "The Three Bears" this week after reading it in their books.

Our Defense Stamp sales amounted to \$10.80 last week. We are glad to have Jack Beau-bien back at school after a week's absence due to illness.

The Second Grade drew pictures to illustrate the song, "Upon the Housetop," last Friday.

We have learned four Christmas songs and like to sing them.

Judy Austin brought a story to school telling how "Silent Night, Holy Night" happened to be written. We found it very interesting.

**Kindergarten**  
We are singing Christmas songs and making Christmas decorations. We are writing letters to Santa, and this is a lot of fun.

Beverly Cadorette and G. Allen Prescott IV have been ill this week. We miss them very much.

Some of us had our vaccination and immunization shots. We were all real good.

We are going to exchange names Friday for our Christmas party. We will have our party with the first and second grades.

We can all write now. We want to be able to write "Merry Christmas." To make it a Merry Christmas, we all participated in the TB Stamp sale.

**Indian Colors**  
Color schemes of the American Indian have so advanced in popularity, that one of the country's leading department stores recently sent representatives to Santa Fe, New Mexico, to arrange for a store-wide promotion of the Southwestern Indian color theme.

**Mail Christmas Gifts Early**  
Postmaster General Frank C. Walker is urging all to "Shop Now and Mail in November," in order to insure delivery of Christmas packages on time. Mark packages, "Do not open until Christmas." Extraordinary War Time conditions and a shortage of postal workers make it necessary to follow the Christmas slogan, "Mail Early."  
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# Bowling . . .

**Tawas City Recreation MAJOR LEAGUE**

Won	Lost
Bartlett's Laundry . . . . .	23 16
Mueller Block No. 1 . . . . .	26 18
Russ & Ted's . . . . .	24 20
Rainbow Service . . . . .	22 22
Shay's Bar . . . . .	40 44
Whittemore . . . . .	12 32

**MINOR LEAGUE**

Won	Lost
Tawas City Garage . . . . .	35 13
Gingerich Feed Mill . . . . .	30 18
Tawas Bay Insurance . . . . .	25 23
Jordan's Grocery . . . . .	21 27
Mueller's Block No. 2 . . . . .	19 29
Nelkies Dairy . . . . .	14 34

**LADIES LEAGUE**

Won	Lost
Sis' Dress Shop . . . . .	35 17
Tawas City Restaurant . . . . .	34 18
Bay Vue Lodge . . . . .	27 25
East Tawas Laundry . . . . .	23 29
Family Theatre . . . . .	23 29
Mueller Block No. 3 . . . . .	14 38

Matched Games Last Sunday:  
Frisch Market, Alpena 2463; Tawas City Recreation 2491. Frisch Market 2583 Tawas City Recreation, 2592.  
Sunday—Camp Skeel vs. Tawas City Recreation. Gladwin Ladies vs. Tawas City ladies. Tawas City pin boys vs. Gladwin pin boys. Tawas Recreation vs. Gladwin Recreation Sunday afternoon.

**Methodist Church**  
Tawas City  
Sunday, December 10—  
9:30 A. M.—Morning Worship.  
10:30 A. M.—Church School.  
Sunday, November 5—  
Every boy and girl ought to be in Sunday school somewhere every Sunday  
Miss Worden, Superintendent.

**L. D. S. Church**  
Sunday, December 10—  
Elder M. A. Sommerfield, Pastor.  
Fast Time.  
10:00 A. M.—Unified Service. First Period, Preaching  
Harrison Frank, Speaker.  
10:45 A. M. Church School.  
Harrison Frank, Director.  
8:00 P. M.—Evening Service  
Elder Frank Sly, Speaker.  
Wednesday Evening, 8:00 P. M. Prayer Service.

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**Baptist Church**  
Rev. Paul H. Dean, Pastor.  
Sunday, December 10—  
10:00 A. M.—Morning Worship.  
11:00 A. M.—School.  
Please notice change in time, because of the short days and war time, we are changing time of our Sunday school hour also.  
Worship service Notice change in Sunday school hour also.  
Thursday Evening—  
Prayer meeting at 8:00 P. M. at the church.

**HEMLOCK ROAD BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Sunday, December 10—  
11 A. M.—Sunday School.  
12:00 A. M.—Morning Worship

**Christ Episcopal Church**  
Sunday, December 10—  
8:00 A. M.—Holy Communion.  
10:00 A. M.—Church School.  
11:00 A. M. Holy Communion and Sermon.

**Methodist Church**  
Rev. Frank Benish, Pastor.  
East Tawas.  
Sunday, December 10—  
10:00 A. M. Church School with classes for everybody. Mrs. Grant Shattuck, superintendent.  
11:00 A. M. Morning worship.  
6:15 P. M. Epworth League for all the young people.

**Emanuel Lutheran Church**  
Rev. J. J. Roekle, Pastor  
Sunday, December 10—  
10:00 A. M.—English Services.  
11:15 A. M. German, with holy communion.  
Everybody welcome.

**Assembly of God Church**  
Church of Old Fashion Gospel  
Rev. D. C. Maroco, Pastor.  
Sunday, December 10—  
10:00 A. M.—Sunday School.  
11:00 A. M.—Morning Worship.  
Sunday evening—  
Evangelistic Service, 8:00 PM.  
Wednesday, 8:00 P. M.—Bible study.  
Fellowship Service at Church.

**Zion Lutheran Church**  
Rev. Ernest Ross, Pastor  
Sunday, December 10—  
10:00 A. M.—English Services.  
11:00 A. M.—German Service

**Grace Lutheran Church**  
Sunday, December 10—  
10:00 A. M.—Sunday School.  
11:00 A. M.—Morning Worship.

**Manufacturers' Income**  
The average percentage of net income on sales for the 29 leading manufacturing industries in 1943 was 3.6 per cent.

The Whittemore Basketball team will play a league game here with the Tawas City team next Wednesday evening, December 13th at the Tawas City Gymnasium instead of Friday eve.

**Divorced Couples**  
There is one divorced couple for every 13 living together. There are about a third more divorced women than there are men, owing to the fact that divorced women are less likely to marry.

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