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TAWAS CITY

Alpena District Baptists Met Tuesday at Hale

DR. K. G. HOBART DESCRIBES WAR TORN CHINA

Mid-Winter Meeting Has Interesting Program of Speakers



IN the SERVICE

With the opening of the pike season several reports are coming in about the catches on Tawas Lake. Lloyd Thompson reports that he has speared two that weighed 9 1/2 pounds and another of 7 1/2 pounds.

Mrs. Roy Charters and daughters Miss Thea of Saginaw and Mrs. Norman Schuster and little daughter Sharon, of Saginaw were Wednesday guests of Mrs. Wm. J. Leslie.

Jesse C. Hodder Post No. 189 will hold its first meeting of the new year next Monday evening. All servicemen are cordially invited to attend.

Harry Preston, well known former resident of this city, died Sunday at his home in Swartz Creek. Funeral services were held Tuesday from the Bendel Funeral Home at Swartz Creek and burial was at Sunset Hill cemetery, Flint.

The Dorcas Society of the Baptist church will meet with Mrs. James Leslie Tuesday evening, January 9.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Tuttle were New Year's guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Forsten at Shepherd.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Fraser and Robert and Cuthbert Bright of Detroit were holiday week-end guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank J. Bright.

Born to Capt. and Mrs. W. H. (Mac) Gould of Bay City a daughter, Suzanne on December 11. Mrs. Gould was formerly Isabelle Dease, Cap. Gould is with the U. S. forces in Europe.

Mrs. Clarence Farrand of Detroit was a holiday week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. P. N. Thornton.

Mrs. Arley Robinson of Glennie called on Mrs. Wm. J. Leslie on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Stockdale have returned to their home in Detroit after visiting with the latter's parents over Christmas. Mrs. Stockdale has been here two months.

Mrs. Ira Horton returned Monday evening from a visit in Detroit and Pontiac with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Colby visited Mr. and Mrs. Zenas Colby of Flint and the former's father, Lafayette Colby, who is 99 years old. Mr. Colby, Sr. was able to visit and ask about Tawas friends.

Mrs. J. S. Shotwell and son returned from Detroit after a few weeks visit with relatives and friends.

Mrs. Wm. Osborne spent Friday in the city on business, before leaving for Montrose, where she will spend the winter months.

Mrs. Leo Burch and Mrs. Frank Bravinski spent the New Year holidays in Detroit.

Misses Cecelia Dubowsky of Lansing and Norma Burtzloff of Saginaw spent the week-end at their homes.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur White of Prescott, Mrs. Henry Bronson and son of Hale visited Mrs. William Schroeder on Friday.

The Womens Society and Missionary society of the Baptist church will meet next Thursday, January 11th at the home of the president, Mrs. Wm. Brown. This will be the first meeting of the year and all members are urged to be present if possible.

A dinner party honoring Pfc. Nelson Thornton and Wallace Grant was held at the Burley Wilson home Tuesday evening.

Frances Murray left Wednesday morning to return to Washington, D. C. to resume his studies at the University of Washington. He spent the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Murray.

Richard Prescott and Pfc. Nelson Thornton spent Saturday in Lansing.

Red Cross to Hold Annual Meeting

The Red Cross annual meeting will be next Friday evening, January 12 at 8 P. M. at the Court House in Tawas City. There will be an election of officers and reports from chairmen of various committees. Mrs. Jean Farnsworth, field director for this district is expected to be present. A good representation from the entire county is urged.

IN MEMORIAM

In living memory of James A. McKeen who passed away 6 years ago, December 31, 1938. Here is someone who misses you sadly.

And finds time long since you went, There is someone who thinks of you daily.

And tries to be brave and content. Time does not heal an aching heart, this we know is true. For six long years have passed And one heart still aches for you. Sweet is the thought you are resting away from toil, grief and care Sheltered from this world's upheaval In that Heavenly home so fair. Mrs. Jennie McKeen

Greenwood Grange Christmas Party

Twenty three members of Greenwood Grange gathered at Grant township hall Saturday evening December 30 for their annual Christmas party. A bounteous supper was enjoyed after which gifts were exchanged. Games and visiting were then the order of the evening. These social gatherings are a prominent part of Grange work. Early in its history the Grange adopted as one of its maxims, 'The farmer is of more importance than the farm and should be first improved.' Come with us and share the fun.

Republicans Elect Convention Delegates

Iso county Republicans last Wednesday morning elected three delegates and three alternates to go to the State Convention which will be held Friday, January 12, at Grand Rapids.

The delegates are: Judge H. Read Smith of Tawas City, Gordon Welcomes of Oscoda and G. A. Prescott, Jr., of Tawas City. The alternates are: D. A. Evans of East Tawas, J. N. Sloan of East Tawas and county Treasurer Grace Miller.

40 per cent of the pulpwood cut comes from farm woodlots and one-third of all pulpwood produced is used to package farm products.

WELL KNOWN PLAINFIELD MAN DIES

Funeral Services for Wm. H. Rahl Held Sunday

William H. Rahl, highly esteemed citizen and former business man of Hale, was stricken early Tuesday morning at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Forrest Streeter, with a heart attack from which he died within a few hours.

He was born at Pittsburgh, Pa., Nov. 17, 1865, the son of Mr. and Mrs. William H. Rahl (deceased). His childhood days were spent in Pittsburgh and Connellville, Pa. He moved with his family to Wooster and Toledo, Ohio and later to Samaria, Michigan where he was employed as a machinist with the Ann Arbor Railroad.

He was united in marriage to Katherine Caroline Klinek of Samaria at Monroe, Michigan, November 22nd, 1888. To this union five children were born, Mrs. Jennie McKeen, Mrs. Forrest Streeter and Mrs. David Bernard of Hale, Otto W. Rahl, of Turner (who preceded his father in death by three months and eleven days) and Mrs. Bud Bissonette of Lansing.

Mr. Rahl was one of the first settlers of this community, coming here from Southern Michigan in 1900 when this area was but a wilderness and lumbering the only industry, in which he took an active part in his early settlement days. He developed his property one and one quarter miles Northeast of the village into a successful farm, which he operated and resided until his retirement from farming in 1920. Together with his wife (now deceased) he operated a confectionery store until her death in July 1942. Since that time he has made his home with his children.

Funeral services were conducted from the home of his daughter, Mrs. David Bernard and the Methodist Church, Sunday afternoon at 2 P. M. with Rev. Raymond Rose of Twining officiating. Interment was made in Evergreen Cemetery.

He leaves to mourn his loss, four daughters, his aged brother, Elmer W. Rahl of Connellville, Pa. eleven grandchildren, seven great grandchildren and a host of other relatives and friends.

Relatives attending from out of town included Cpl. William D. Rahl of Yuma, Arizona, Mr. and Mrs. Bud Bissonette, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Bissonette and Mr. and Mrs. Kenton Bissonette of Lansing, Shirley S. reuter and Ralph Spencer of Oscoda, Mr. and Mrs. Russell McKeen and children of Flint, Mrs. William Rahl and Rene, and Mrs. Ida Rahl and Jim of Turner.

BULLETIN

Mrs. Marjorie M. Lickfeld resigned today (Friday) as register of deeds of Iso county according to a statement made by County Clerk Russel H. McKenzie.

Otto Zollweg Retires; 41 Years with D & M

Otto Zollweg, veteran Detroit & Mackinac Railroad company employe, retired last Saturday after 41 years of service. Mr. Zollweg is in good health and plans to enjoy his retirement.

He came to Tawas City in February, 1903, from Germany. After working on the road train for two summers, he entered the paint shop in 1906, where he has been employed until his retirement last Saturday.

The men in the paint shop with whom he had worked presented him with some nice gifts, with which he was very much pleased and for which he gives his hearty thanks.

Sherman Man Dies Suddenly Thursday

Joseph Smith, resident of Sherman township, was found dead in his car Thursday afternoon at National City.

Smith had loaded some material from the railway station into his car parked in front of the Jordan store and was preparing to return to his home. Lawrence Jordan, owner of the store, hearing the motor racing for an unusual length of time, thought Smith was having trouble, in starting his car. He investigated and found Smith dead.

Coroner E. J. Jacques of Tawas City and State Police were called. Heart trouble is thought to have caused the death.

Women's Societies Elect 1945 Officers

The Women's Society of the Tawas City Methodist church met Thursday evening with Mrs. Albert Conklin for installation of officers.

The following officers were installed by Mrs. Frank Benish: President, Mrs. J. F. Mark. Vice President, Mrs. Waldo Leslie. Corresponding Secy. Mrs. Albert Mallon. Recording Secy. Mrs. Earl Davis. Treasurer, Mrs. C. L. McLean. Secy of Youth Work, Mrs. H. J. Keiser. Secy. of Spiritual Work, Mrs. J. A. Campbell.

The following W. S. C. S. officers were installed on Tuesday afternoon at the Methodist church: President, Mrs. Luther Jones, Vice Pres. Mrs. Elmer Durant, Recording Secretary, Miss Amanda Hamilton, Corresponding Secy. Mrs. Glenn Hughes, Treasurer, Mrs. Ralph Wilson, Secy. of Missionary Dept., Mrs. W. A. Evans, Secy. of Children's Work, Mrs. G. N. Shattuck, Secy. Lit. and Publications, Mrs. H. E. Davis, Secy. Christian Social Relations and Social church activities, Mrs. Edys Jones and Mrs. Gladys Wideman, Spiritual advisor, Mrs. Frank Benish.

Rev. Frank Benish installed. A pot luck luncheon honoring the birthday of Mrs. Charles Bonney preceded the installation. W. S. C. S. meetings are held the first Tuesday of each month.

Mr. and Mrs. Austin McGuire spent the week-end and New Year's in Flint with the latter's sister, Mrs. Floyd Schneider.

MACANDREW INDICTED IN U. S. COURT

Now on High Seas; Will be Returned For Trial

An indictment charging criminal negligence and a violation of the General Navigation Laws was brought against Gordon MacAndrew of East Tawas by a Federal grand jury at Bay City. MacAndrew is serving in the Merchant Marine and is thought to be on the high seas.

The indictment brought in Saturday against MacAndrew arose from the Tawas Bay boat tragedy which occurred a year ago last summer when nine young people lost their lives while on a short boat trip. The victims of the accident were attending a Methodist young peoples rally at East Tawas.

The government maintains that there were no life preservers on the scow which was carrying 42 people. Towed behind a motor passenger cruiser carrying another group of young people, the group in the scow became panicky and many of them jumped overboard when the scow nosed under and water poured over its deck. After going only a short distance MacAndrew had abandoned the trip and was returning the party to the dock. The accident occurred shortly after the boats had been turned around.

Government attorneys pointed out that prosecution was made possible only after a long study of the case, and that it was the first case of its kind in the history of Michigan.

When MacAndrew is found available he will be brought to Bay City for arraignment and trial. If found guilty in Federal court he faces a penalty of up to ten years imprisonment.

\$15,067.55 in State Aid Goes to Isoco Schools

Iso county schools received \$15,067.55 in State Aid during the past week according to County Treasurer Grace Miller. This amount was apportioned as follows:

Alabaster Township	68.00
Ausable township	96.55
Burleigh township	2577.00
East Tawas	3800.00
Grant township	307.57
Oscoda township	2442.00
Plainfield township	3296.00
Reno township	277.70
Sherman township	164.00
Tawas township	422.46
Tawas City	1738.00
Wilber township	32.27

Bids Received on Surplus Army Gear

The District Engineer, U. S. Engineer Office, Detroit, Michigan has announced that bidding papers will be released for bids, on or about February 1st, to all persons or firms interested in bidding on various quantities of surplus Army property located at the Alpena Engineer Warehouse, Alpena Army Air Base, Alpena. Persons interested in inspecting the material offered for sale will be permitted to do so at a date to be announced later. The materials offered for sale are General Hardware, Plumbing, Heating, Electrical and Millwork items. Anyone interested in submitting a bid on the materials offered for sale should write the District Engineer, U. S. Engineer Office, 700 Union Guardian Building, Detroit, 31, Michigan, Attention: Redistribution and Salvage Section, indicating the type of material they are interested in.

Mrs. Edwin Nunn

Funeral Services for Mrs. Edwin Nunn, who for fifteen years was a resident of Rose City where her husband taught in the public schools, were held Wednesday afternoon of last week from the Baptist church in Hale with Rev. James Switzer officiating. Burial took place in the Evergreen cemetery at Hale.

Mrs. Nunn died suddenly as the result of a heart attack at the home of her daughter, Mrs. J. C. White, at Fenton, December 24.

The former Elen Maude Carroll, was a daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Carroll of Hale. She was born at Jeddo, St. Clair county, Michigan on July 23, 1876, and was married to Edwin C. Nunn at East Tawas on January 27, 1897.

Besides her husband she is survived by five children: Mrs. J. C. (Zilla) White, of Fenton; Thomas R. Nunn of Marquette; Mrs. Millard (Alta) Michael of Flint; Mrs. Cecil (Geneva) Westervelt also of Flint; Pvt. James B. Nunn, stationed at Ft. McCellan, Alabama; a twin sister, Mrs. Effie Daley of East Tawas, and eleven grandchildren.

One cord of pulpwood will make 2140 shell containers.

EAST TAWAS

Mr. and Mrs. Palmer Burrows spent the holiday week-end in Flint.

Mrs. Lewis VanWyck has returned to her work at the telephone office after several weeks absence due to illness.

Mrs. Charles Hunt and son, Larry are spending the week with her brother, John Sherk in Detroit.

Miss Margaret Uhl of Unionville and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Liddle of Saginaw were New Year's guests of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Priess.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Boyle of Detroit spent the holidays with the latter's sister, Mrs. Charles Bigelow and her husband.

Mrs. Louis DeFrait spent the fore part of the week with relatives in Bay City.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Grossmeyer and son Merle, attended the funeral of a relative in Flint, the fore part of the week.

Rev. and Mrs. D. C. Moracco are the parents of a 7pound son born Jan. 1st at Omer hospital. The baby has been named David Felix. Mrs. Moracco and baby returned home by ambulance on Thursday morning.

Mrs. Charles Bigelow will be hostess to the womens guild of Christ Episcopal church, on Monday evening for election of officers and arranging for annual parish supper to be held in January.

Mrs. I. Protowski and son, Larry of Bay City are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Louih DeFrait.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill O'Laughlin and children spent New Year's with relatives in Bay City.

Mrs. O. P. Baneroff has returned to Bay City following several weeks spent at her East Tawas home.

Lt. James Pierson of Warrenton, Virginia, spent the Christmas holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed T. Pierson and sister, Miss Elaine Pierson who was home from University of Michigan.

Regular meeting of the American Legion Auxillary will be held Monday evening. Four 'gold star' mothers are to be honored.

Word has been received from Philip Appin of his arrival in Los Angeles where he plans to make his future home. He writes of seeing miles and miles of orange trees heavily laden with golden fruit as he neared his destination.

The East Tawas E & B Bowling team will leave Sunday for Detroit to compete in the state tournament being held there.

Mrs. Pauline Thompson left today (Friday) to spend the week-end with her cousin in Bay City.

Mrs. Madeline French plans to move to the Charles Nelem apartment within the next few days.

Numerous cases of Mumps, Chicken pox and measles are reported in East Tawas.

Mrs. Charles Carleton who has been making her home with Mrs. Pauline Thompson, has gone to the home of her son in Detroit to spend the remainder of the winter.

Mrs. Leo Bowen entertained at a dinner party this evening (Friday) honoring the anniversary of her husband and his mother whose birthdays occur this week. Present for the occasion were: Mr. and Mrs. John Bowen, Mrs. Celia Smith and Mrs. Elmer Barnum, all of Whittemore.

Miss Rita Balard has returned to her home in Long Lake after spending the holidays with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Mitchell.

The Annual Grace Lutheran church meeting was held at the church Monday afternoon. The following will serve on the board for the coming year—Deacon, John Anderson; Trustees, Carl Zimmerman, Earl Lonbury; Sunday school Supt., Miss Helen Annlin; Church organist, Mrs. Chas. Nash; Sexton, Andrew Anderson; Financial secy., Rev. Geo. Oleson; Record Secy., Miss Helen Annlin.

Miss Ardath LaBerge left Thursday to return to Hillsdale college after spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. LaBerge.

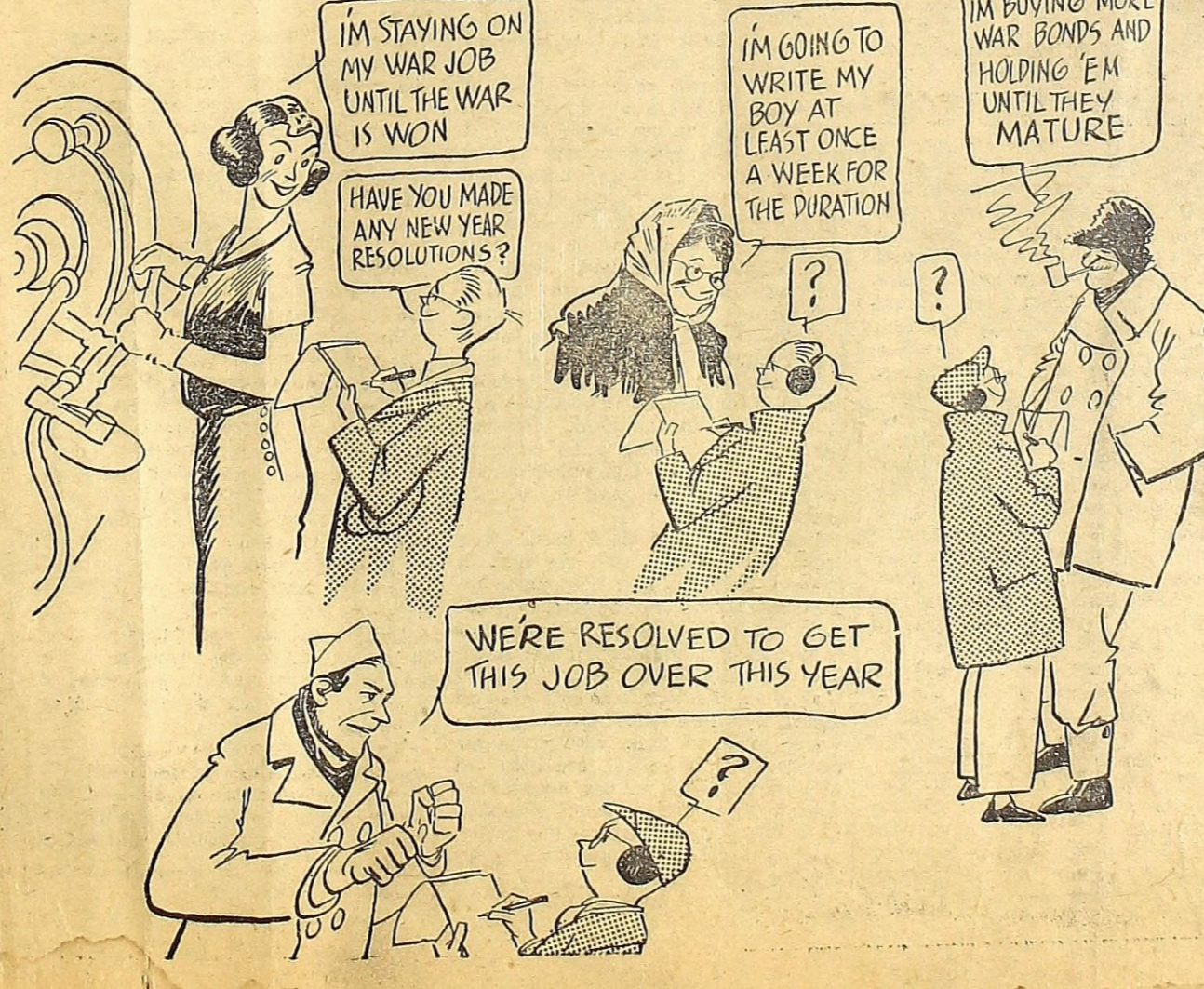
The Ladies Literary Club will hold their annual banquet at the Barnes Hotel on January 17. The event will commemorate their 60th anniversary.

The P. N. G. club met at Mrs. A. Colby's Thursday afternoon.

Card of Thanks

We wish to express our sincere thanks to those who so kindly assisted us in the loss of our father. We especially wish to thank Rev. Raymond Rose for his comforting words, for the rendition of music and hymns, the beautiful floral tributes, the honorary flower bearers, those who loaned cars and the ladies of the Dorcas Society for the luncheon. Mrs. Jennie McKeen Mrs. Gladys Bissonette Mrs. Pearl Stree'er Mrs. Alice Bernard

New Year Resolutions



CLASSIFIED DEPARTMENT

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GOD IS MY CO-PILOT Col. Robert L. Scoff W.N.U. RELEASE

The story thus far: Robert Scoff, a West Point graduate, begins pursuit training at Panama after winning his wings at Kelly Field, Texas. When war breaks out he is instructor at a California airfield, but wanting to get into combat flying he writes General after General making the request. Finally the chance comes. He says goodbye to his wife and child and leaves for Florida, where he picks up his four-motor bomber and flies to India. Here for some time he is a ferry pilot, flying supplies into Burma.

CHAPTER XI I couldn't waste much time in practice, for after all Burma was just over the Naga Hills and the Japs were coming towards Myitkyina from the South and up the Chindwin and the Irrawaddy. It was open season and I needed no hunting license. Now I definitely knew that adventure was near.

On that afternoon of April 30, 1942, with a full load of ammunition and the shark-mouth seeming to drip saliva, it was so eager, I waited by my ship for an alert. Jap observation planes had been coming over at high altitude very regularly. If they came today I hoped to surprise them.

At two o'clock the alert came, but it was not observation. Many unidentified aircraft were reported by a British radio somewhere over the Naga Hills. I didn't ask for more than that scanty information—I was in my fighter and climbing over the "tea ranches," as Colonel Haynes called them.

High over the field at 22,000 feet, I cuddled my oxygen mask and circled, watching for enemy ships to the East, South, and Southeast—down in the direction of a course to Mandalay. I searched until my eyes hurt, but saw nothing. After about an hour, turning to a course that would take me in the direction from which an enemy had to come, I flew off to intercept—I now had barely two hours' fuel, and the farther away from my base I met them, the more successful my attack would be.

Lord! the ego that I possessed! I honestly believe I thought I could shoot down any number of Japs with my single fighter. Again I say, more of the valor of ignorance.

After forty-five minutes I turned for home and began to let down to eighteen thousand. Thirty miles from the field I suddenly tensed to the alert. Off ahead of me was a dark column of smoke, rising high in the air right in the position on the world's surface that the home field should be. My tortured mind flashed back to other results of bombings that I had seen.

"My God," I moaned, "while I've been away looking for the bastards, they've slipped in here and bombed hell out of the home base!"

With tears in my eyes I nosed over and dove for the zeros that should be strafing the field. (Later I was to learn a lot about this method too.) The smoke was from base all right, but I could see no enemy planes. The only thing in the sky was a single Douglas transport, making a normal landing on the runway.

"Calling NR-Zero—NR-Zero," I asked what the fire was. The reply was muddled, but everything seemed to be in order, for I noticed two other transports clearing the field for China. I circled, then dove on the smoking ruins of the RAF operations "basha." That building had been the casualty, and it was a total loss. I could see the operations officer sitting out in the open, some hundred feet from the charred ruins, calmly carrying on his duties.

When I'd gotten my fighter parked again I went over and heard the story. No Jap attack had come, and I felt relieved—my single-ship war and I had not let the station down. But as I heard the embarrassed operations man tell his story I remember choking discreetly and leaving before I laughed myself to death.

When the alert sounded, "Opps"—the operations officer—had hurried to the window of the thatch and bamboo "basha" to see me take off in the "bloody kite—that Kittyhawk." Seeing a transport from China about to land, and fearing that the Japs would bomb it on the field, he had then fired a Very pistol out of the operations window: the red Very light would be the signal for the transport not to land but to fly in the "stand-by" area. The Very light had gone nonchalantly out of the operations window, into the wind, had curved gracefully back into another window, and had burned the bloody building in five minutes. Operations was being carried on as usual from operations desk, which was located in front of the site of the former office. Bloody shame, wasn't it?

Well, it was tragic, but I guess it was better than a bombing. And so my first mission ended.

Came May Day, and I began the greatest month in my life. I flew every day in that long month, sometimes as many as four missions a day. By putting in a total of 214 hours and 45 minutes, I averaged over seven hours a day for the month. Most of this was in fighter ships—my little old Kittyhawk and I learned a lot, and we were very,

very lucky. When I had come in from my first sortie, the day operations burned down, my pal Col. Gerry Mason kidded me a bit.

We got pretty confident, the transport boys and I, for I used to go with them across Burma, and Joplin and some of the other daredevils would try to lure the Jap in to attack them. Jop would call over the radio, in the clear: "NR-O from transport one three four—I'm lost near Bhamo—give me a bearing."

IMPROVED UNIFORM INTERNATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL Lesson By HAROLD L. LUNDQUIST, D. D. Of The Moody Bible Institute of Chicago. Released by Western Newspaper Union.

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THE CHILDHOOD OF JESUS

LESSON TEXT—Matthew 2:13-23. GOLDEN TEXT—Behold, I am with thee, and will keep thee in all places whithersoever thou goest.—Genesis 28:15.

Matthew is the Gospel of the King and His kingdom. It stresses the fulfillment of prophecy in the coming of Christ, the King. After His rejection, it tells us of the Church, "the kingdom in mystery," and of the death of Christ for our sins, His resurrection for our justification, and His glorious coming again.

This then is an important book which we study for the next three months. Teacher and student alike should be enthusiastic and expectant.

The genealogy of the King, and the story of His coming to earth as the babe of Bethlehem (both important matters), are covered in chapter 1. In our lesson we find Him as a little child. Observe how man received Him, and how God cared for Him. Without assigning definite verses to our points we note that:

I. Men Received or Rejected Jesus.

It has always been so. Men, then as now, were either for Him or against Him. The world of today is far different from that of the first century, but the difference is all on the outside. Almost breath-taking have been the developments of modern science, but these have not changed the heart of man.

His attitude toward Christ is unchanged. There are still only two classes of people in the world—those who have received Christ and are saved, and those who have rejected Him and are lost.

1. Men Are Against Christ.

How do men show their rejection of God's Son? Just as they did at His birth, by:

a. Fear. Herod was afraid lest the coming of this One should result in the loss of his ill-gotten gains. His anger and fear made all Jerusalem afraid.

b. Indifference. When the Wise Men asked where Christ was to be born, the priests and scribes knew exactly where to find the facts in the Holy Scriptures, but having done so, they relapsed into utter indifference.

c. Hatred. Herod poured out the violence of his heart by killing the first-born. He was the first of many who have raged against the Christ in futile anger.

2. Men Are For Christ.

Thanks be to God, there were those in that day who were for Christ and, like those who follow Him today, they showed:

a. Spirituality. Men have marveled at the Magi knew of the birth of Christ. They must have studied the prophecies of the Word and been responsive to the teaching and moving of the Holy Spirit. Can we say as much for ourselves?

b. Interest. Not content to know and to marvel, they shamed the priests of Israel by their persistent interest in this great thing which had come to pass.

c. Love. They brought themselves in worship and they brought rich gifts from their treasures. You can give without loving, but you cannot love without giving.

d. Action. They came. They persisted until they found the Christ. Then they listened to God and protected His Son by not returning to Herod.

II. God Protected and Prepared Jesus.

The ruin which sin had brought into the world could only be met by redemption which Christ had come to bring. Some men had already shown their hatred for Jesus and their rejection of Him. But God still ruled, and for the sake of those who received Him (and would receive Him in all the centuries since), He kept the Child Jesus from harm. We find Him:

1. Protecting Jesus. Men may hate and seek to destroy God's Son. Satan may inspire them with ingenuity and cunning. But see how the Eternal One spoke to Joseph in dreams, how He prepared a place of refuge in Egypt and ultimately in Nazareth, where the boy Jesus might increase in wisdom and stature and favor with God and man.

2. Preparing Jesus. God knew of the days of public ministry which were ahead, and above all, of that day when on Golgotha's hill Christ was, in His own body, to prepare salvation for you and for me. God is never taken by surprise. He moves forward to the completion of His plan with the stately tread of eternity.

He took Jesus to Egypt. He brought Him again to Nazareth. In it all He was preparing His Son for the days of ministry which were ahead. All this was in fulfillment of prophecy (see vv. 15, 17). God's Word is always sure.

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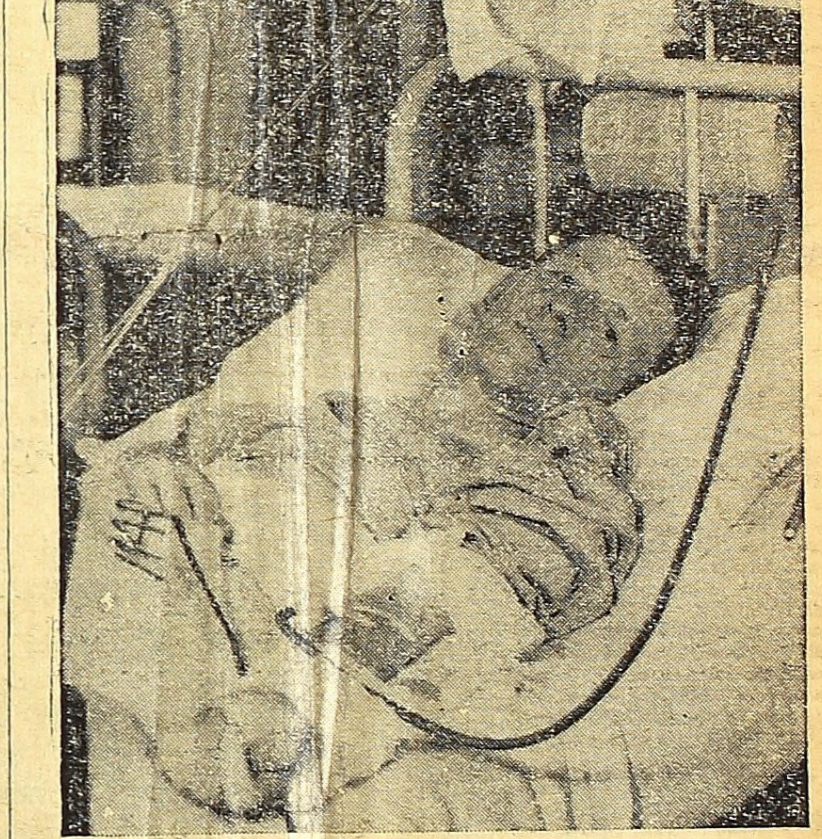
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- A General Quiz
- The Questions**
1. Why was the son of Edward III of England called the "Black Prince"?
 2. What U. S. President was a tailor by profession?
 3. What does "begging the question" mean?
 4. What is the oldest royal family in the world?
 5. Is the butterfly a dainty eater?
 6. What is a peccadillo?
 7. What silent and beautiful bird is supposed to burst into song just before its death?
 8. What is a nuance?
 9. Who was known as "The Sage of Concord"?
 10. What does the "right of angary" mean?

- The Answers**
1. Because of the color of his armor.
 2. President Johnson.
 3. The taking for granted of the point to be proved.
 4. The Japanese, dating from 660 B. C.
 5. No; it consumes the equal of half of its weight each day.
 6. A slight offense.
 7. The swan.
 8. A shade of difference; a subtle variation.
 9. Ralph Waldo Emerson.
 10. The "right of angary," which is both a constitutional and international law, allows any belligerent or neutral nation, either in time of peace or war, to seize foreign ships and materials within its territory, subject to adequate compensation.

Fun for the Whole Family

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By BOODY ROGERS

OH! I'M RUINED! THAT PUP HAS BURIED MY HOUSE! WHY DID I EVER MAKE HIM SUPER STRONG WITH COSMIC RAYS? YOU'RE LUCKY I'M CHARGED WITH THE RAYS, TOO--SO DON'T WORRY--I'LL DIG IT UP AS GOOD AS NEW!

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DO YOU SEE WHAT I SEE, FLITTOG?

IT IS INCREDIBLE--A MAN STRONGER THAN A DREADNAUGHT! WE MUST HASTEN--THE GREAT ONE MUST HEAR OF THIS!! YES, YES--IF AMERICA HAS MANY SUCH MEN OUR ARMY WOULD NOT STAND A CHANCE!

VIRGIL

By LEN KLEIS

OH--HELL-O-O--HOW ARE YOU? JUST FINE, DONNA--I'VE GOT TICKETS FOR TH' MOVIE TONIGHT--WILL YOU GO WITH ME? I'D LOVE TO. WILL YOU SIT IN TH' LAST ROW AN' LET ME HOLD YOUR HAND? --AND WILL YOU LET ME KISS YOU GOODNIGHT? OF COURSE-- WHO IS THIS?

REG'LAR FELLERS--Cookstove Obligato

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SEE THE WHISTLING TEA KETTLE I JUST BOUGHT AT NUTTKINS? OH YES! WHISTLING TEA KETTLE, EH? MAYBE I ORDER SEE HOW GOOD YOU ARE! IF THIS WORKS, THERE'S FAT RADIO CONTRACTS JUST FER THE ASKIN'!

POP--The Colonel Doesn't Know Language

By J. MILLAR WATT

I THOUGHT YOU SAID THE COLONEL WAS AN EXPERT ON LANGUAGES? WHY? WHEN HE SAW MY REPORT HE SAID -- "WHAT'S THE MEANING OF THIS!"

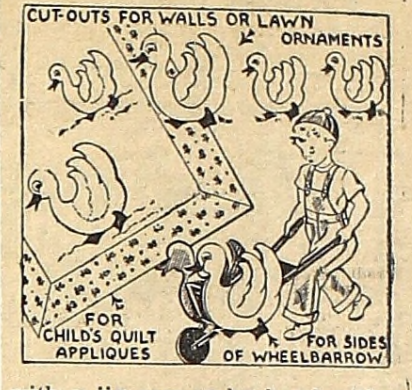
RAISING KANE--Where's the Third?

By FRANK WEBB

H'LO PERCY PRAIRIE-DOG, I'M GONNA TAKE A TRAMP UP IN THE HILLS, DO YOU WANNA COME ALONG? NO THANKS! THREE'S A CROWD! WHATTA YA MEAN THREE'S A CROWD? YOU, THE TRAMP AND ME!

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CROSS TOWN

By Roland Coe

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DENNIS DUBB in "THE LIVESICK COWBOY"

"My sister liked it. So I say it can't be much of a picture!"

CHICKS
 1934 some 76 per cent of the chickens grown in North Carolina were hatched under hens but last year the hens were credited with only 21 per cent of the hatched chicks, say BAE reports from Washington.

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

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 We cannot see what's beyond the bend of the road, or over the crest of the hill, but we ardently hope that it's something mighty good—FOR YOU!
L. H. BRADDOCK
 TAWAS CITY

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Hemlock
 Mr. and Mrs. John Burt Jr. and daughter and two relatives of Saginaw spent Thursday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Burt. About fifty friends gathered at the Grant Town hall and gave Mr. and Mrs. Leo Culham a farewell party. A bountiful lunch was served with two birthday cakes it also being Mrs. Culham's birthday. The rest of the evening was spent in games and visiting.
 Mrs. Russel Binder spent a few days with her aunt, Mrs. Will White in Reno.
 The Greenwood Grange held their Christmas party December 30 at the hall with a bountiful supper after which gifts were exchanged and the rest of the evening was spent in games and visiting.
 Miss Ruth Herriman returned to Bay City Sunday night after spending Christmas week at her home.
 Miss Dorothy Herriman of Detroit spent Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Herriman. She was accompanied back to Detroit by her brother Olen for a visit.
 The Christmas program at Greenwood School was well attended and all enjoyed the Christmas play. Credit should go to Mrs. Roske for so fine a program. The Watts school with Mrs. May as teacher, also put on a fine program.
 Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Youngs spent Saturday until Christmas in Flint with his sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kessler.
 Ladies Aid met at the Town hall Thursday and worked on Red Cross. It will meet again in two weeks at the town hall.
 Mr. and Mrs. Henry Smith had for Christmas diners: Mr. and Mrs. Clair Smith and son of Flint, Miss Hazel Burt, Pontiac; Mr. and Mrs. John Burt and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Herriman and family.
 Mr. and Mrs. Fred Pfahl had as guests his mother of Tawas City and Erma Lou of Saginaw.
 Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Van Sickle and daughter, June, were Christmas dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Basby of Whittemore. Miss Jean had Christmas dinner at the Fisher home.
 Mrs. Charles Brown spent Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. Will Brown of Tawas City.
 Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Van Patten spent New Year, with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry VanPatten.
 We were very glad to have Mrs. Luella Chambers of Jackson and Mrs. Louise McArdle with us at our Christmas party.
 Mr. and Mrs. Charles Brown and Mr. and Mrs. Russell Binder were New Year's dinner guests of Mrs. Will White and granddaughter Kenyon Steadman. Mrs. Steadman is spending two weeks in Georgia and Florida.
 Ruth and Don Herriman and Rhea Pfahl attended a young peoples meeting in Alpena on Friday night.
 Mrs. Charles Brown and Mrs. Harry Van Patten attended the Baptist Society at Hale Tuesday.
 Administered Charpy
 Michigan county governments, on the whole, are administered most cheaply in the more populous counties, the Michigan public expenditure survey reports. By the same token, the most expensive counties (those with 10,000 population or under) are the least populous. The survey also finds that the larger the county the lower the per capita cost, the high costs in the smaller counties being due, in part, to maintaining a minimum government which could render services to a much larger county at no extra cost. In the smaller counties, roads are responsible for the greatest share of costs.

LOOKING BACKWARD
 40 Years Ago—January 12, 1905
 The sawmill of John Preston & Son at Marks Station was destroyed by fire Friday night. Mr. Preston says that the mill will be rebuilt in time for the spring run.
 At a session of circuit court held here Tuesday, Judge M. J. Connine issued an order for a recount of votes in Alcona county. O. H. Smith and J. H. Killmaster are contesting for the election of Prosecuting attorney.
 L. H. DuPraw has installed a new revolving chair in his barber shop and is making many other improvements to the place.
 What has become of the ordinance prohibiting cattle and other live stock from running loose on our streets?
 Thomas Reed and James Reece of Cleveland are in the city this week on business in connection with the Cleveland ranch in Plainfield and Reno township. They plan to make this one of the best stock farms in the state.
 Samuel Anker is building a new store building on the site of the Emery Block which recently burned at East Tawas.
 C. W. Binegar of Elkhart, Indiana plans to move to his farm which he purchased last fall on the Town-line.
 Sandy Parker, an employe at Latham's mill was brought to the Royal House in this city Tuesday suffering with a broken leg.
 Arthur Wyman of Bay City has accepted a position as cinematographer in the D. & M. offices at East Tawas.
 E. V. Esmond of Hale left this week for Cripple Creek, Colorado, where he is interested in mining property.
 The loss of the potato drying plant at East Tawas is being felt by our farmers this year.
 Better take a Leader Washer home on a week's free trial. W. H. Pringle, McIvor.
 Henry E. Thompson is now in the employ of Dr. McColl at Whittemore.
 The total tax levy in Isoco county is \$17,000.00 County Treasurer Stockman estimates that collections will be about 84 per cent.
 See the Chicago Iroquois theatre in moving pictures at the court house next Monday evening. The exhibition is being made by the Barry Lyceum Co.
 Miss Mignon Hickingbottom will teach the spring term at the Keystone school.
 Miss Egan, teacher in Wilber township, reports the robins in the vicinity of the school house.
 Archie Hoover of Sherman township is spending a few days at Paulding, Ohio.
 Denton C. Crowl will give a lecture at the Methodist Episcopal church Friday evening.

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 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 be appointed to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against said deceased 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.

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 At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Tawas City in said county on the 19th day of December 1944.
 Present: Hon. H. Read Smith, Judge of Probate.
 In the Matter of the Estate of Norman D. Murchison, 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 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 6th day of March 1945, at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon, said time and place being hereby appointed for the examination and adjustment of all claimants 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.

State of Michigan
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 Wave Solution, curlers, shampoo and wave set—nothing else to buy. Requires no heat, electricity or machines. Safe for every type of hair. Over 6 million sold. Money back guarantee. Get a Charm-Kurl Kit today.
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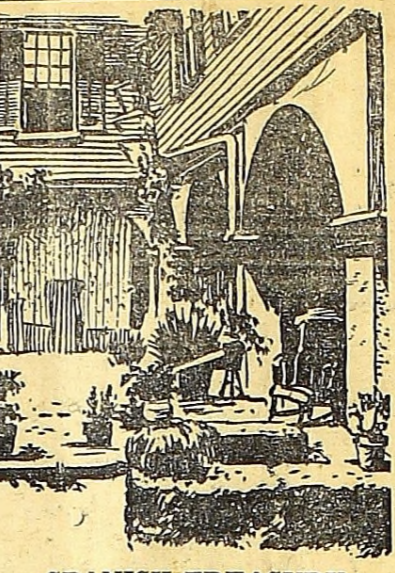
25 Years Ago—January 9, 1915
 George H. Hadwin was elected president of the Isoco County Agricultural Society at the meeting held Monday afternoon. The other officers are: John A. Mark, secretary; Jas. E. Ballard, treasurer and Earl Allen, L. W. Ross, Jos. G. Dimmick and Thomas Lowe, directors.
 Charles Prescott and James McCrum made a tour of the county this week buying horses.
 W. P. Hartman, agricultural agent for the G. R. & I. railroad, says that the best way for the farmer to fight grasshoppers is with poultry. Turkeys running at large on the farm are especially efficient.
 A house owned by M. E. Friedman near the car shops was destroyed by fire Wednesday morning.
 Mrs. Judd Dean is visiting at Fairgrove.
 Mrs. Herbert Schuster of Flagstaff, Arizona, is visiting relatives at Whittemore.
 Miss Grace Anderson is the new clerk at the company store at Alabaster.
 Gold Medal flour \$15.00 per barrel. Wilson Grain Co.
 Thomas McLaughlin of Milwaukee is a guest at the Bradley home.
 Pomona Grange will meet with the Vine Grange next Thursday evening, states E. B. Follett, secretary.
 Be kind to your horses and all dumb creatures. It shows the gentleman. Adv.
 H. C. Hilton of East Tawas is at Raco this week.
 Mrs. M. C. Sherman is visiting her daughter, Clara at Pontiac.

Rhubarb Roots
 Rhubarb roots should be planted deep enough to cover the buds. The gardener can make a small harvest in the next spring after planting, and make regular cuttings for 8 to 10 weeks each spring thereafter.

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 MAY IT BE YOUR BEST YEAR
 When all is said and done the eternal quest of human beings is for happiness. Our wish for you in 1945 is for more happiness—more than you have ever known before, whether that happiness be in gainful occupation or the attainment of some long desired goal.
 Thank you for having remembered us so generously during the past year.
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Bonds Over America

SPANISH TREASURY
 Florida demonstrates the old maxim that good things are made slowly. Long before the Pilgrims landed in the North, Spanish and English explorers were battling to plant their colonies on the East Coast. Sebastian and John Cabot sailed along there in 1497 and in 1513 Ponce De Leon christened Florida. By 1647, St. Augustine had a population of 2,000. In 1586 Sir Francis Drake destroyed the town and looted its treasury. Spain rebuilt it the next year, much more substantially. Reconstruction must be done all over the world when the guns are silent. Buy more War Bonds to speed the day when the world can begin to rebuild.
 U. S. Treasury Department

Asparagus Bed
 A good asparagus bed starts bearing the third season, and will produce good crops for 15 to 20 years more, if the weeds are kept out and the soil is fertilized. Rhubarb will last for a long time, and only requires re-setting of the roots in about eight years, when they get too crowded. The only serious pest of the present rust-free asparagus is the asparagus beetle, and this is easily controlled with a lead arsenate spray or dust.
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.
Food Value
 Potatoes pack a lot of food value. If eaten daily they can provide as much as 25 per cent of the average person's vitamin C needs, as well as the B1 vitamin, iron and other minerals.
Heavy Eaters
 Food purchases for the approximately 11,000,000 men in our armed forces total about twice that for an equal number of civilians.

Timely Watering
 Losses of young plants can be avoided by timely watering and by shading them for a few days after they are transplanted. The gardener who wants to make permanent shading frames instead of using newspaper or other makeshift can stretch burlap, cheesecloth or other fabric over laths or other light lumber. Legs 12 to 18 inches long make the shades easy to handle.
Helium Plentiful
 Because the bureau of mines is producing more than enough helium to meet all of the wartime requirements of the navy, the army and the weather bureau, considerable quantities of this lightweight, noninflammable gas now are available immediately for medical, scientific and commercial use.
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.

Indiana Counties
 Five Indiana counties (those in which its five large cities, Indianapolis, Fort Wayne, Gary, South Bend and Evansville are located) contributed over 40 per cent of the property taxes levied in the state during the 10-year period, 1933-1942, according to a study made by the Taxpayers Research association of Fort Wayne. Indiana has 92 counties. The total property tax levied in the state for the 1933-1942 decade totalled nearly a billion dollars.

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 Electrical Wiring & Maintenance
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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.

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).

Nest Over Winter

Many of the fungi and bacteria that cause plant diseases nest over winter in last season's plant refuse. Burning the debris is the surest way to kill these fungi and bacteria. Changing the location of crops in the garden from year to year is another preventive against plant diseases.

Brewer's Yeast

The widespread pharmaceutical use of brewers' type yeast is based on its high content of the vitamin B complex. A dried extract containing the vitamin values is available for capsules and tablets.

LOWER HEMLOCK

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Miller entertained Mr. and Mrs. Henry Schatz, Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Johnson, and son, Bobby, and Mr. and Mrs. John Miller and Mr. and Mrs. Coats and family at New Years dinner.

Dolores Snyder of Gladwin spent a week with Betty Jean McArdle.

Little Lyle Warner has been very ill the last week.

Mrs. Wm. Wendt Jr. and family spent Friday afternoon with her sister, Mrs. Glendis Bridge.

Spent Thursday afternoon and evening Mrs. Elsie Raske of Tawas City with Mrs. Arthur Wendt.

Mr. and Mrs. Waldo Curry, Sr. and Mr. and Mrs. Waldo Curry, Jr. and family were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Lietz and family.

Norma Bouchard spent Thursday at National City with Mildred Smith, Norma returned home in the evening accompanied by Mildred who spent a couple of days at her home.

Mr. and Mrs. John Katterman spent Tuesday evening in Tawas City with Mr. and Mrs. Ed Lemke.

Mrs. Charles Simons and son, Paul of Detroit spent several days with Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Simons and family.

Mrs. Arthur Wendt and son, Kirk spent Friday afternoon with Mrs. Albert Timreck.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Anschutz and family, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Olson and daughter, Paul Anschutz and Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Youngs spent New Years day at the Wilfred Youngs' home.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Bouchard and family, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Schmatz, Helen Schmatz, Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Pomerantz and Mr. and Mrs. John Katterman spent Sunday evening in Tawas City with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Anschutz. They also attended the midnight services at the Lutheran church.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Long of Bay City spent the week-end with relatives and friends on the Hemlock and Townline.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Winchell spent Sunday at the George Biggs home.

Mrs. Albert Siewert is spending several days in Sebawaing with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Fahselt and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Goff of Tawas City were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Fahselt on New Years day.

Dried Brewers' Yeast

Dried brewers' yeast retails for some 72 cents per pound. This apparently high price is really rather low on the basis of its protein content and could probably be lowered if a large demand developed. Dried brewers' yeast contains some 6 per cent water and about 46 per cent protein. Thus yeast protein costs about \$1.55 per pound at retail, while in beef, with some 62 per cent water and 19 per cent protein and retailing at 50 cents per pound, a pound of protein costs \$2.60.

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.

U. S. Board

To maintain the average soldier in continental United States during his first year of service, the quartermaster corps spends \$215.35 for his food, \$173.70 for his clothing, \$44.70 for his individual equipment and \$31.31 for his barrack equipment, a total of \$468.06. The cost of feeding a soldier is now 59 cents a day, three cents a day less than a year ago.

NATIONAL CITY

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Schneider are spending a few days in Flint with their daughter, Mrs. Albert Hull.

Miss Betty Manning is spending a couple of days in Bay City with her friends Miss Betty Everitts.

Mrs. Ted Freel spent Thursday evening with Mrs. Jay Priest.

Mrs. Ross Butler was a caller in Tawas on Thursday.

Mrs. William Brown returned to Lansing on Saturday after spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ham Ferns.

Clarence Dedrick and Benton Norton spent a couple of days in Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Freel were callers in Tawas on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Levi Ulman and children and Mrs. Margaret Croff spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Pete Hammon.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Westcott spent Sunday evening with Mrs. Jay Priest.

Mrs. Albert Hale spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Laurence Jordan.

Miss Kathryn Dedrick returned to Bay City on Tuesday after spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Dedrick.

Yeast Fermentation

Other yeast fermentations, such as that of molasses to make industrial alcohol, yield by-product yeast, but the product is usually so contaminated that recovery is not worthwhile. However, some cattle feed consisting largely of corn protein with a little yeast is being recovered from the residue of corn fermented to alcohol as a wartime measure.

CLASSIFIED DEPARTMENT

FOR SALE—Virgin Wool Batts, on display at the Herald Office, John R. Rood, Tawas City.

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

FOR SALE—Modern lot. Peter Vallier, Tawas City.

TAVERNS, Tourist Cabins, Hotels, or any kind of business property. Lake or river frontage. Cottages, Hunting lands large or small tracts: Listings wanted. No charge only if sale is made. What have you to sell. Write me, correspondence confidential. Kowalski Agcy. 508 N. Monroe, Bay City, Mich. (Licensed Broker) 4

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.

WANTED to BUY—House and small place in or near Tawas. Box 33, McMillan, Mich.

INTERIOR DECORATING—Do it now. Call Walter Nelson, Phone 485. 2-p

FOR SALE—Men's shoe skates, size 9. Price \$3.00 good condition. Also new archery set. Fred Landon, Tawas City, Phone 583.

WANTED—Highest prices paid for poplar and basswood logs. Phone or write Michigan Engineering & Mfg. Co. Rose City, Mich.

FOR SALE—Boys skates, size 6. Mrs. Fred T. Luedtke.

STRAY—Yearling steer. Came to my pasture. Owner can have same by paying for feed and advertising. George Green, Wilber.

FOR SALE—3 burner oil stove, table model with double oven. Bed and springs. Ed. Schanbeck Phone 83.

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

FOR SALE—Two good men's overcoats, size 40. Phone 169. Mrs. W. G. Mallon.

MILK FATTENED—4 - 5 lb. Plymouth Rock Roasting Chickens. Send card to G. E. Olson, Star Route East Tawas. Deliveries Saturdays only.

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

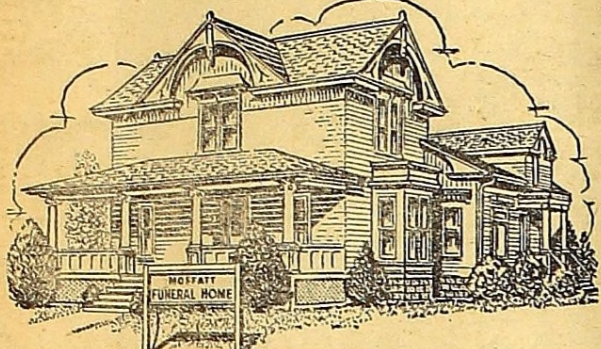
FOR SALE—Purebred Holstein Friesian bull calves. Their sire has three great proven sires in his pedigree, also every cow in his pedigree has a fine production record. Let us show you these calves—priced very reasonably. Lloyd S. Johnston, Au Gres, Mich. Route 1. Turn at first road south of Bear Track Inn on U. S. 23. 2

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

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

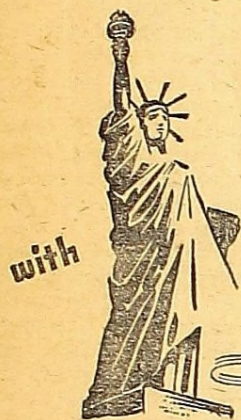
FOR SALE—40 Acres of land in Grant township. Inquire Everett Latham, Tawas City.

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1945

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As another New Year dawns we are thankful for the American heritage of freedom—thankful, too, for the friends who have helped us gain the manifold blessings of this freedom.

With this in mind we wish you all a very Happy New Year.

BURLEY WILSON
TAWAS CITY

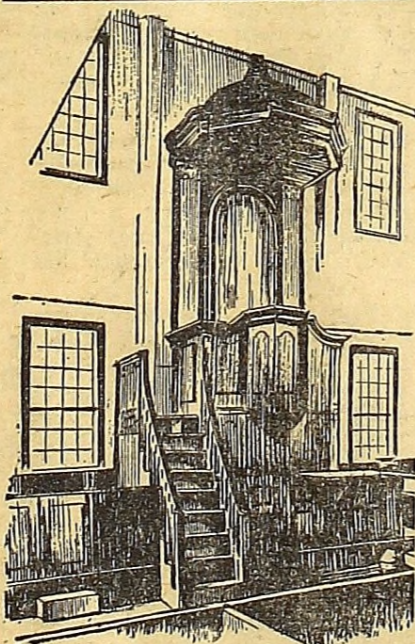


We take this opportunity to extend most cordial New Year greetings and best wishes to our many good friends and patrons. May 1945 bring joy and happiness to you and yours throughout the year.

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D. I. PEARSALL
HALE MICHIGAN

Bonds Over America



WINE GLASS PULPIT

All over New England stand white churches, emblematic of Freedom of Religion. Nowhere is there a more impressive shrine than the wine glass pulpit in the Sandown, N. H., meeting house, erected about 1773. The original pews are there, too, where the congregation listened to sermons more than 170 years ago that would have brought banishment to concentration camps under Nazi dominion. That's the American way; liberty for each to worship God in his own way. That is one of the reasons why our men are fighting—and one more reason why we must buy War Bonds to the limit to keep them winning.

U. S. Treasury Department

Worker Trend

John D. Durand, population expert of the U. S. census bureau, predicts that by 1950 over three million women who never worked before will have joined the labor force; this group, he says, will include an alarming number of women over 35 who are "likely to be a serious complication in the postwar employment problem because of the preference of most employers for younger workers."

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.

Provided Soldiers

North Carolina provided more soldiers for the Confederacy than any other state. Its military population was 115,369, but 127,000 responded to the call. Nearly twice as many Tar Heels were killed at Gettysburg than soldiers of any other state.

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

It took fifty million board feet, or 2000 car loads of lumber to restore the port of Naples for temporary use.

Cellulose from spruce, hemlock and pine helps to make plastics from which shatterproof windows and gun turrets are made.

Disastrous Fires

Forest and grass fires in the United States in the past five years have burned over an area as large as the entire New England states. The timber burned in one of these years would have built 20,000 Liberty ships.

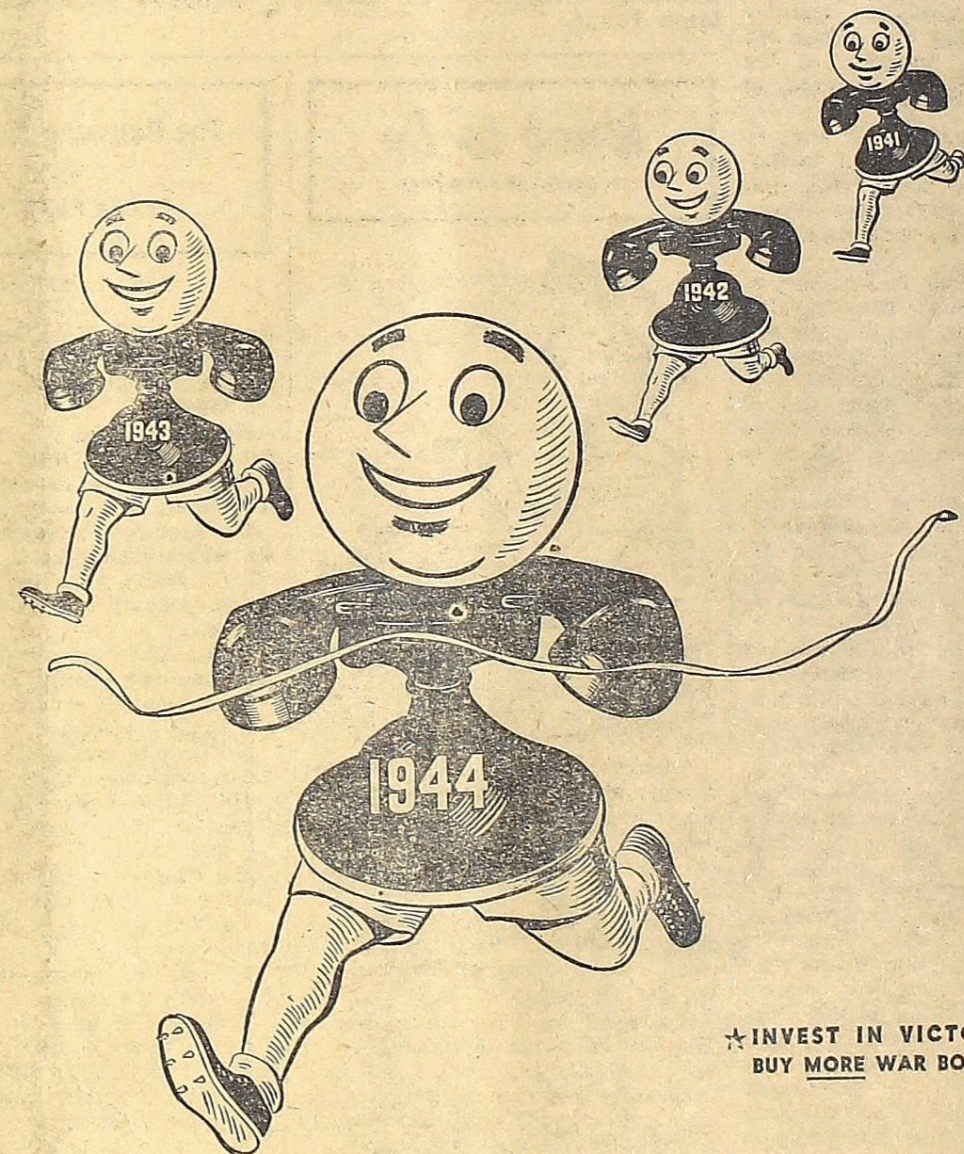
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'Adamless Eden' Is This Hotel for Federal Workers

Washington's "Girls' Town" is an "Adamless Eden," a city within a city!

Washington, D. C. GERMANY'S FRESH TROOPS
Some startling facts have been gathered by Allied war strategists regarding Hitler's ability to throw reserves into the western front. They give one explanation as to why the war against Germany has lasted so much longer than the war planners expected.

It has been estimated that since D-day when Allied troops landed on Normandy, the Germans have lost 1,000,000 men killed, wounded or taken prisoners. This is a terrific loss in a period of six months.

However, despite that heavy loss, war strategists estimate that a greater number of Nazi troops now face the Allies than on D-day. The total of D-day (June 6) was 65 divisions. But today Germany has 75 divisions on the western front.

It is also estimated that Germany's total strength on all fronts is just under 6,000,000 men.

This increased strength on the western front has not come from the Russian front. It is known that some divisions have been transferred from the Russian front, but they have been replaced by other troops and the eastern front has been kept at full strength. It is too risky to take chances there.

Therefore, war strategists estimate that the chief increase of strength on the western front has come from the Volksgrenadier divisions. These include boys of around 16 and old men of 45 which Hitler started forming into groups around September 1. There are 10,050 men in a division; they have little training, poor liaison, and are short of arms, especially machine guns. But they fight with considerable ferocity when mixed in with units from the regular army.

German youth has had military training for years, which has been a big help. Reports are that these new troops fight in bursts—fiercely for a while and then are exhausted. They have no stamina.

Another factor which has helped the German high command is the withdrawal of about 20 divisions from the Balkans, thus the shortening of the front line in Holland. Several Finnish divisions also have been thrown into the western front.

However, it remains an encouraging fact that as of today a dwindling percentage of the German army is made up of men of the proper fighting age—from 18 to 38.

TROUBLE IN ITALY

Premier Bonomi of Italy has written President Roosevelt a 100-page letter outlining in great detail many Italian complaints against the British. When and if this is published, it will make some of the Greek troubles with the British look relatively pale.

Among the grievances Bonomi outlined to the White House are the terms of the armistice forced upon Italy by the British—with American acquiescence. The armistice terms have never been published, and one big reason is that the Allies are fearful of public reaction to the frankly imperialistic demands of Churchill.

It calls for the ceding by Italy to the British of the island of Pantelleria, just south of Sicily. This tiny island—only 58 square miles—would make the British a constant military threat to Italy.

Churchill demands it, however, in order to safeguard the "jugular vein" of the British empire, the sea lane through the Mediterranean to Suez. And considering the difficulty British shipping had going around Africa during the early part of the war, some U. S. leaders think he is right.

The Adriatic port of Trieste will be taken from Italy and made an international free port, and the armistice also provides for relinquishing a part of the Italian breadbasket, the Piedmont, to France.

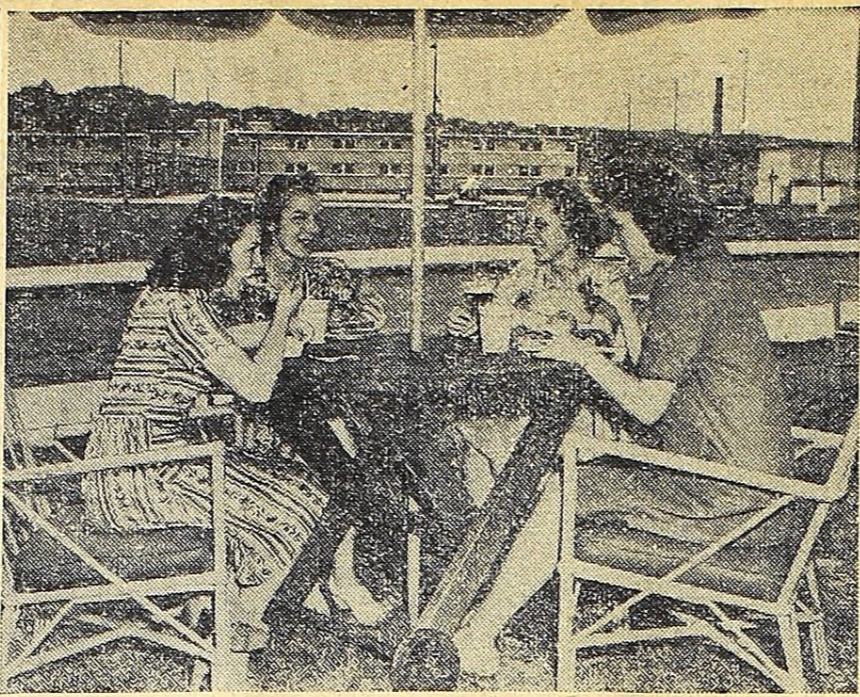
To sweeten the pill, the Italians were promised that the terms of the armistice would be lightened in proportion to the degree of help they give the Allies in the rest of the war against Hitler.

So complete is the British control that last spring, when Soviet Russia announced recognition of the Badoglio government, Badoglio was advised a few days later that he had no right to deal with any other government, Allied or not. Author of this note was Lieut. Gen. Frank Noel Mason MacFarlane, then deputy president of the Allied control commission for Italy. Result was that although recognition of Italy was announced in Moscow, no ambassador has been sent to Rome, nor has Italy ever been permitted representation in Moscow.

CAPITOL CHAFF

Certain administration leaders have been urging dynamic E. A. Stephens of New Orleans to run for mayor of that city. Stephens had dinner with the President and Mrs. Roosevelt recently.

Sen. Claude Pepper, whose senate subcommittee on wartime health and education has had American Medical Association moguls tearing their hair because of its progressive proposals for postwar medical care, has been invited to address the AMA convention in Chicago in February.



Scattered about the 109-acre "campus" of Girls' Town are numerous "refreshment tables," where the young women can eat ice cream and chat. Pictured are Pat McCloud, Lohrville, Iowa; Dorothy Hannah, Lincoln, Neb.; Jean Belchard, Ames, Iowa; and Rosalie Bell, Bedford, Ind. Notice the comfortable-looking two-story buildings in the background, where the girls live.

last "Court of Appeal" is Mr. Bissell himself, who is contacted daily by the council for official opinion. The system has worked admirably.

All buildings in Girls' Town are built of an asbestos composition including ground corn husks, which is fire-resistant. Nevertheless, Girls' Town has its own fire department, with one completely equipped fire truck! The ten dormitories, or residence halls, more like sorority houses, are resplendent with bright chintzes, modern, light-colored furniture, and 3,000 paintings and sculptured works donated by the fine arts section of the defunct WPA. Bottom rent for a dormitory is \$16.50 per month, but 97 per cent of the girls pay \$24.50 monthly for the "de luxe suite."

A Dollar a Day to Eat.

Food at Arlington Farms is an important item, and is carefully supervised by Mr. Bissell and his "governing body." In a cafeteria seat-

ing 2,000 a girl can eat three wholesome, nutritious meals a day for only one dollar!

Further, food preparation and servings are along modern, sanitary lines. Paper eating and drinking utensils, for example, are almost exclusively used in the many snack bars that dot the expansive community, as well as in the huge cafeteria. Miss Norma L. Edwards of Albany, N. Y., the dietitian in charge of feeding at Arlington Farms, maintains that "Thousands of sanitary paper cups, paper plates and paper souffle cups for salads and puddings are used each week, and that the annual total reaches astronomical proportions."

Has Civic Center.

Girls' Town has its own civic center, built around the administration building, or "city hall," as the girls prefer to call it. A Washington department store has opened an impressive branch in Arlington Farms, and its first job was querying all the residents via a questionnaire. Prices were gauged this way, and now the girls can purchase almost anything within their budgets.

There are six laundry rooms and a drug store in each of the ten dormitories. Navy chaplains preside at the only church, an inter-denominational one. The local movie theater is housed in the huge auditorium seating 1,200. Plays, too, are occasionally presented by the local theater group, and dances are frequently held. Girls' Town has, in fact, an all-girl band which almost invariably provides the dance rhythms at such affairs. There are beauty parlors and shops of every type, specially priced, appealing to girls.

The "City" is especially proud of its modern infirmary, with 60 beds and complete medical and nursing facilities. Except for major illnesses, the "hospital" staff can care for almost any contingency. There is no charge for hospital service. Believe it or not, there is even a "college" in this no-man's land, and regular college credits are awarded to girls passing the night-school courses. The classes are held in the recreational building.

As for sports, Girls' Town has just about everything. There are bowling alleys, tennis courts, miniature golf courses, two basketball courts, soft ball diamonds, and grounds for badminton, shuffleboard, quoits and similar games.

Minute Make-Ups
By GABRIELLE



It takes an extra minute to do a pretty powder job—but girls, it's worth that minute! Pat on your powder from the base of the throat upward. Soft, gentle but firm pat. A powder brush will give a smooth finish. And to keep powder freshly fragrant, stir it up from the bottom. Use a bone spatula or a spoon. And keep the lid fastened to keep the fragrance in and the dust out! Ledger Syndicate.—WNU Features.

"GAY GADGETS"
Associated Newspapers—WNU Features.

By NANCY PEPPER

THREE CHEERS FOR THE BOYS

We're happy to report that the soda fountain crowd is doing its bit toward entertaining the boys both here and abroad. Here are three popular teen projects that deserve special commendation in these columns, if only to prove that teen tricks aren't all stuff and nonsense.

Join the TAGS—You know what "stags" are and you know what "bags" are, but how about TAGS? The letters stand for Teen-Age Group and the idea is to have a special weekly party for servicemen under 20 years of age at the local USO with the Teen-Age Group acting as hostesses and dancing partners. Our first report of the TAGS comes from Newport, R. I. Why don't you suggest a TAG evening to the directors of your local USO?

News From Home—Lots of high schools are printing special newspapers for the boys who have left school to join the armed forces. Usually the editorial staff of the regular school paper handles the job. Local gossip about the Soda Fountain Crowd and plenty of gags fill the columns. The paper is mailed out to the boys, whether they are in American training camps or already overseas. Just imagine how they enjoy hearing about the kids they left behind them!

Get In The Scrap—And you can, too, by making scrap books for the servicemen in hospitals, the way lots of teen-age girls are doing. Give them plenty of pin-up photos, cartoons and complete magazine serials. Here's something for your club or sorority to do the next time you get together.

HEADS AND TAILS

If you're planning to make some novel lapel gadgets, consider these new ideas in animals and birds with long tails. They're much newer than the funny faces you've been making in cork, powder puffs, walnuts and what have you.

Our Feathered Friends—Cut pieces of felt or fabric in the shape of a parrot. Stuff well and sew neatly together. Finish with long narrow strips of multi-color felt in fantail effect or make a realistic looking tail out of little multi-color feathers. Use sequins for eyes that really sparkle!

Fur Fim—Fur tails make wonderful trimmings for lapel animals, especially little dogs of leather or oilcloth scraps. For real glamour, try white leather gadgets (the white leather from old kid or suede gloves) with ermine tails. For sports wear, black patent leather or oilcloth with brown fur tails. You will find fur tails at any trimming counter. Ransack the family scrap bags for pieces of fur. If the scraps are big enough, cut in shapes of animals and sew together to a piece of fabric of the same shape, with slight padding between. Scotties are particularly doggy. Use beads or buttons for eyes and nose, and out-of-this-world dog collars made of leather embroidered in beads.

BOY CRAZIES

We're always talking about girls' fad-fashions. How's for giving with the goo on boys' drapes? We don't say that any boy in his right mind and GI haircut would adopt all these fads, but we do guarantee that each one is an authentic teen trick for which the wolves howl.

Coming or Going?—What copy cats those boys are! Just because the girls wear their cardigan sweaters buttoned down the backs, the boys are wearing their loafer or football jackets backside-front.

Scarf Snatchers—The boys are still snatching hair bows from the girls and wearing them in their beanies or in their hair, but it's even newer for a boy to wear girls' babushkas as a scarf around his neck.

Hot Feet—We're referring to the socks the boys are wearing. Wow, what colors! And, it's considered extra sharp to wear two different socks, one brighter than the other.

BAG WITH A SAG

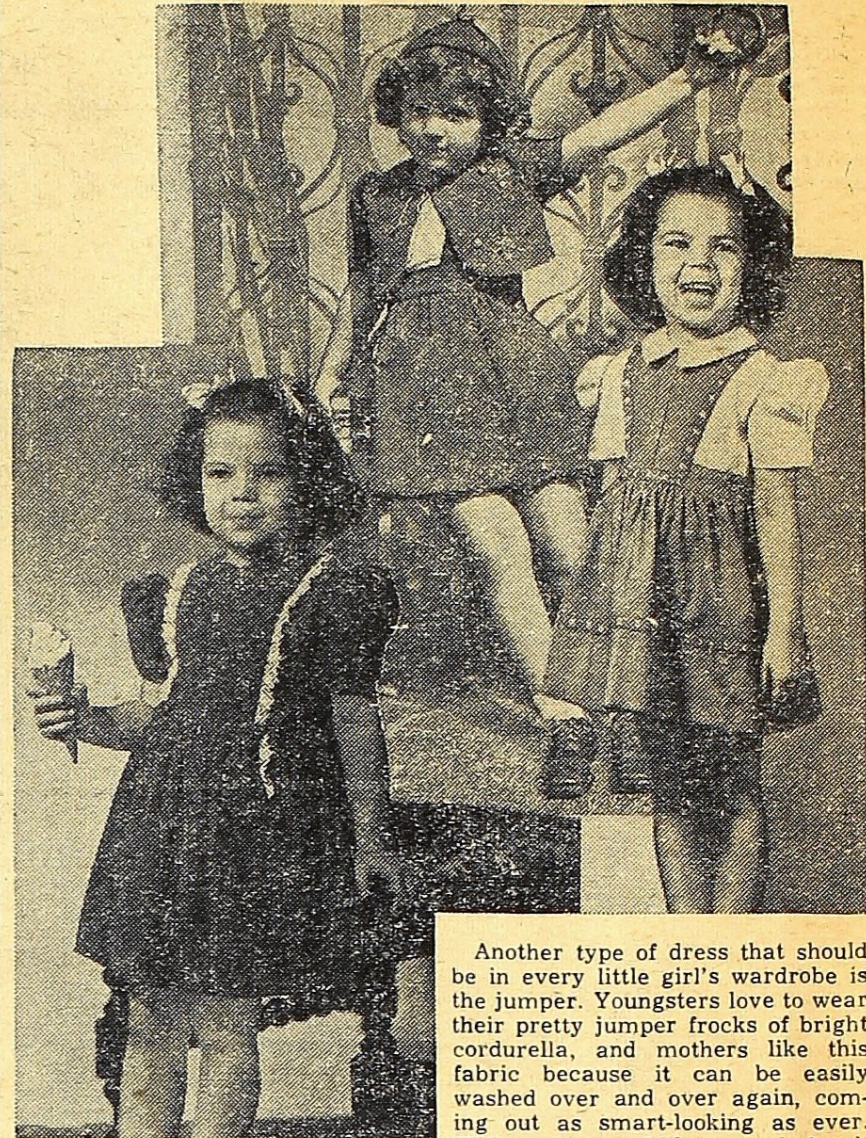
A teen-age gal has strange ideas (a fashions smooth and sporty, Her dresses may be size 14, For sweaters are size 40! She calls a coke a "little Joe," A car is a "Jalopy." She calls her beau her "O.A.O."— WE CALL HER SWEATERS "S L O P P Y"!

Son of a Borrower Pays Up Old Debt

HOLYOKE, MASS. — Thirty-three years ago Joseph Skinner loaned a mill hand \$100 to pay his son's college expenses. When the borrower died, Skinner thought no more about the money. Recently he received a letter from his former employee's son containing a thank you note—and a check for \$100.

Corduroy and Velveteen Make Cunning Frocks for Little Girls

By CHERIE NICHOLAS



CHILDREN play a delightful role in the fashion picture. They are dressed so cunningly these days it would seem as if they had stepped right out from the colorfully illustrated pages of a story book. Designers who create such adorable clothes surely have a talent all their own.

It is interesting to note the materials these designers favor most in fitting out little folks with pretty and practical clothes. If a vote were taken there is every reason to believe that corduroy would score first in favor with velveteen a close second. Corduroy has a way of being sturdy and utilitarian with practically "no wear out about it" at the same time that it makes up beautifully in dressy little frocks and coats. When it comes to hard wear, corduroy meets every test unflinchingly, and when it comes to fashioning pretty-pretty dresses this winter, it is proving a fabric ideal.

The prestige of this practical as well as most attractive material has been greatly enhanced during the last several seasons with the introduction of an especially fine pin wale corduroy called cordurella, which is vogueish both for children and grownups. You can see, centered above in the illustration, how prettily cordurella makes up into a cunning bolero suit with hat to match. It was a clever move on the part of the designer who took mother's and big sister's favorite fashion, the bolero suit, and copied it in miniature for little daughter. The tiny jacket ties at the neck and has a beanie to match. The ensemble is trimmed in gay peasant flowers to the delight of the youngster that wears it.

Another type of dress that should be in every little girl's wardrobe is the jumper. Youngsters love to wear their pretty jumper frocks of bright cordurella, and mothers like this fabric because it can be easily washed over and over again, coming out as smart-looking as ever. With a change of blouse each day it gives variety, to the delight of the little wearer. Then too, it solves the what-to-wear to school and at-play problem so easily and simply.

Ice cream makes a party for most every little Miss, and so does a cunning red velveteen dress, as pictured to the left. Especially does it look "partied-up" when trimmed with dainty irish-type lace, as you see here. The nice thing about cotton velveteen is that while it is practical and comparatively inexpensive, it tunes perfectly to Sunday-best wear and to all sorts of important occasions in a child's life. Soft string bows, sweetheart neckline and puffed sleeves such as prettify this dress, are gay little details wee young ladies like.

A cotton oxford cloth jumper dress is shown to the right. It is gaily trimmed in narrow bright embroidered banding which outlines the bib effect and gives an extra fillop to the graceful simulated pinafore that is sewed in as a part of the dress. Cotton oxford cloth is attractive in any color, but in navy or wine, trimmed with gay embroidery it looks more than an ordinary wash dress. You can easily get inch-wide Mexican - embroidered band trimming which adds just the right dash of color to the dress pictured, at lace or dress-trim counters. Since peasant fashions are so popular, this type of trim is appearing on both dresses and sheer Mexican - type blouses for youngsters.

The young fry just love the new checked taffeta that is being made up into sprightly little dresses. They also like the gay plaid taffetas, for the rustle of taffeta is music to the ears of a little girl who likes to feel dressed up.

Released by Western Newspaper Union.

Whimsies for Tots Made of Bright Felt

Of course you can buy these little whimsies in way of bonnets and boleros and cunning suspenders and bags done in the quaint Tyrolean way that make little children look like fairy-tale characters, but it's fun making them, too.

Material needed for these picturesque items are a remnant or so of felt in the basic colors, red, brown, green, navy or French blue. Felt by the yard can usually be found in any upholstery department. Then lay in a supply of cutout felt flowers and amusing motifs which are easily available in various sections, either among the dress trimmings or sometimes at the pattern counter.

You will also need a skein or so of wool yarn to finish off the edges of the little garments with crochet or buttonholing. There are patterns to be had of wee sleeveless boleros, suspenders to attach to little skirts, for bonnets of every type and bags tiny or large to carry to kindergarten or school. Older little girls like these bright fancies as well as tots.

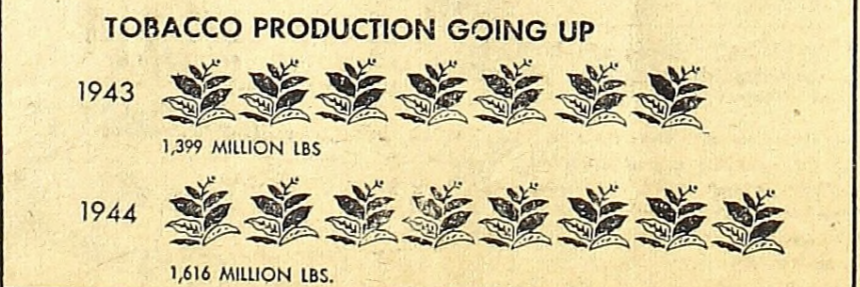
Bustle-Back Drape



Jumper Dresses Now Made in Larger Sizes

For a long time the jumper dress worn with different blouses was regarded as a fashion for the slim and youthful figure. The dress is so practical with the change of blouses it affords, designers decided to turn it out in colors and cuts that would flatter the larger-sized woman. A deftly designed jumper in dark green, navy or brown gabardine with well built-up under-arm treatment and a slenderizing deep V-neckline is available in the better stores in the larger sizes.

TELEFACT



Heroes of Bataan Fight Will Get Special Ribbon

LEYTE, PHILIPPINES. — The Philippine government announced it would issue two sets of service ribbons to the defenders of Corregidor and Bataan, and to the military personnel who fought for liberation of the islands.

The ribbons for the heroes of Corregidor and Bataan will have a red background with two small vertical blue stripes at each end and three white stars in the center.



Yamashita and the Snore Threat
("General Yamashita, new commander-in-chief of the Japs against General MacArthur, often closes his eyes and snores, even in the midst of important business. This gives the impression that he is not alert and fools people."—Japanese radio.)

This introduces another new weapon into the global war. A snorer can be quite a threat, and Yamashita is no ordinary, low gauge, one-tube snorer. He gets volume and power, not to mention distance.

It may herald the launching of an all-out Japanese snore attack.

The Yamashita "horror weapon" may be the robot-grunt or even the jet-propelled snore. We may have to combat a nasal blitz any moment, now!

America does not include snoring among its major weapons. It is not a nation of top snorers. It has never gone in for snoring as an instrument of aggression, nor even of defense.

But that may be because it has never been challenged in this respect by any world conquering snorers.

Washington seems undisturbed. Secretary Stimson expressed the opinion that while we are not much as a snoring nation today, we led the world at it between 1919 and 1941. "And that was unintentional snoring," he said. "Once we set our minds to snoring aggressively, the results will be amazing."

General Marshall spoke with similar confidence. "Let Yamashita bring on his Burping battalions, his grunting Grenadiers," he said calmly. "I understand Yamashita snores from the toes up, the effect being heightened by a bad case of halitosis. But we will take him on, grunt for grunt."

General MacArthur was equally passive. "I will spot the general two deep inhalations and make him cry for help. We can lick him at anything, including any noises he cares to make," he declared.

"He is very deceptive," we warned MacArthur. "He can snore while awake."

"That makes him an ideal foe," was the reply.

"He sometimes does his deepest planning" between "grunts," we pointed out.

"We will keep him grunting," smiled MacArthur. "Is he a straight-front snorer or a side-wheeler? anyhow we will look for an all-around snorer. Do you know if he snores with his mouth open?"

"Our scouts so report," we said. "That kind are a dime a dozen, even when made in Japan," said MacArthur. "It is the man who snores with his mouth closed who is really dangerous."

MacArthur went on to say that, anyhow, America had been experimenting with a new snore of greater range and velocity, a snore that would go anywhere.

"We fear no enemy snorers," he added. "Kaiser Bill was a better than fair hostile snorer and look at his finish! Hindenburg was tops."

General Eisenhower admitted one fear from the snore technique. "If Hitler, Goering, Himmler and Goebbels should all snore at once, that would be a disturbance!" he admitted.

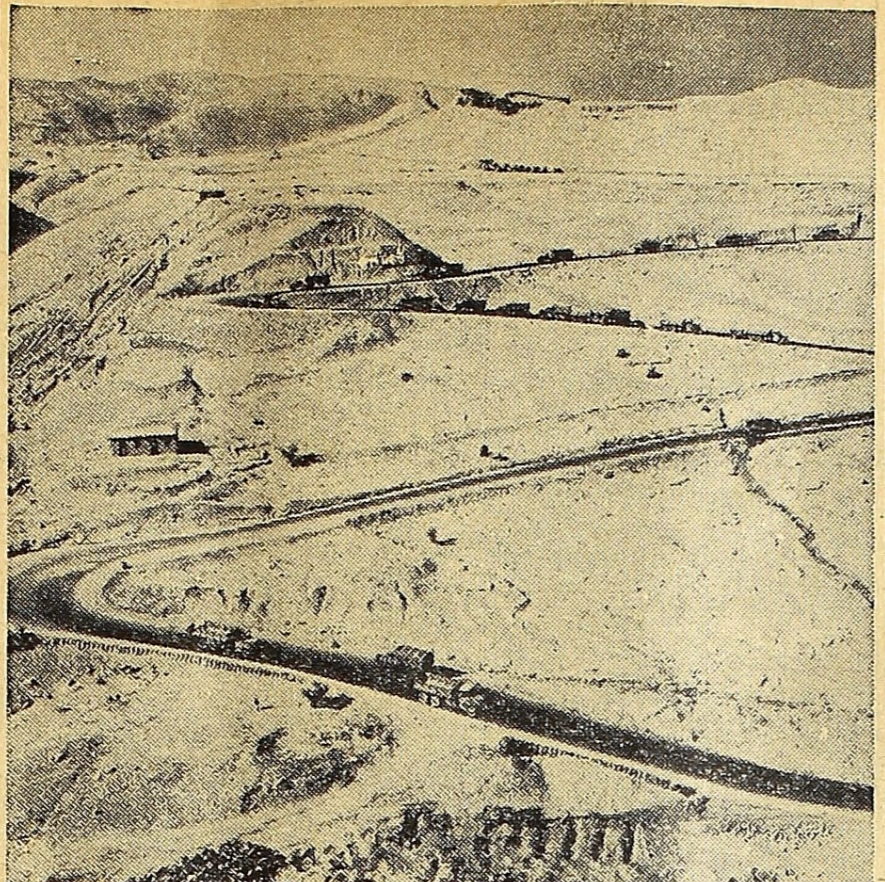
Justice on the Home Front
"Coincident with the distribution to all private lending institutions of new regulations covering housing loans for war veterans, the Federal Housing administration today urged the setting up of full safeguards against veterans being victimized through the purchase of jerrybuilt houses."—News item.

One of our yens is to see a tough, seasoned veteran return from the wars, get one of those modern houses with walls that wobble in the breeze, and chase the realtor across country with a bayonet. Getting, of course, his money back.

Portrait of a Self-Confident Man.
(Our Fuehrer stands like a rock amid the surging tide, holding fast to his conviction Germany will win this war."—Herr Goebbels).

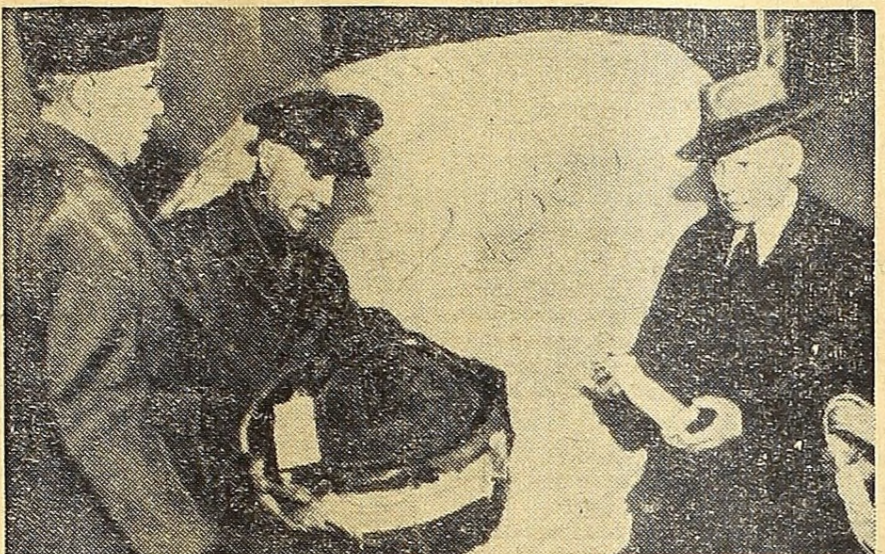
There stands Adolf
Like a rock
While the breakers
Roughly sock
He's not worried,
He's not wet,
He's not shaken...
Wanna bet?

Long, Long Trail to Russia



More than 4,380,440 tons of war implements and goods from America's factories to Russia, have been shipped through the Persian Corridor. The goods are sent by rail and truck across some of the most varied and difficult terrain in the world. This is the only theater where the Russians, British and Americans are fighting together.

Jap Balloon Lands in Montana



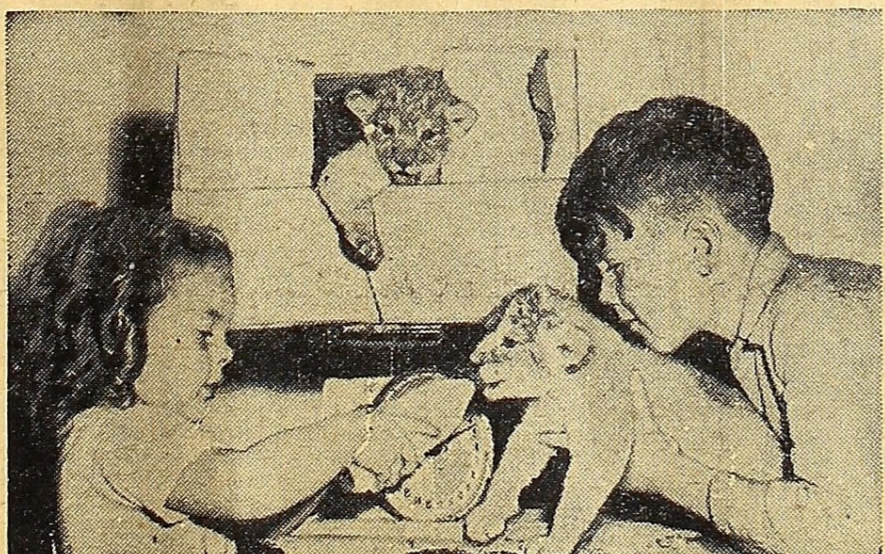
Army officers and an agent of the FBI are shown here with parts of the Japanese balloon found recently in Montana. They are holding parts of the base of the balloon. Its explosives failed to go off. Another mysterious balloon was reported drifting inland from the ocean over Santa Monica, Calif.

Barber Business Boycotted



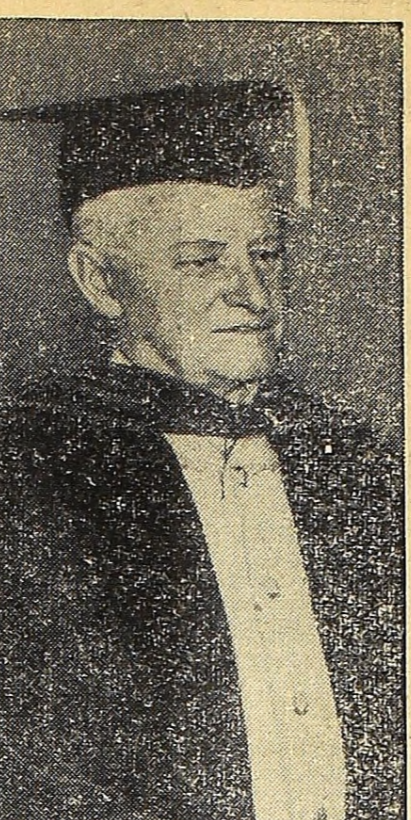
These men of the army, navy and submarine patrol, are more concerned with winning the war than visiting the barber. Upper left, Pfc. Thomas Gilgore, near Hergen, Germany. Upper right, Pvt. James L. Poust. Lower left, TMI/c G. H. Boss of underground water patrol, and Coastguardsman Jack P. Smith, lower right, on alert lookout.

Tots Raise Cubs on Bottle



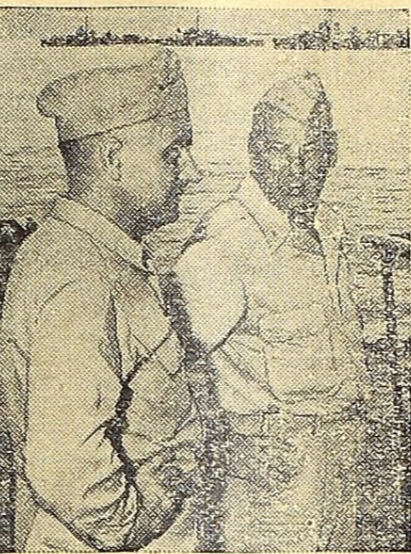
Judith Snow feeds "Diana," who is being held by Neil Smith, w'ile "Donna" on the scales, looks on. These two lion cubs are three weeks old, and because they were deserted by their mother, they were "adopted" by Mrs. Herman Snow, San Francisco. When they can feed themselves, they will be returned to the zoo.

Admiral a Lawyer



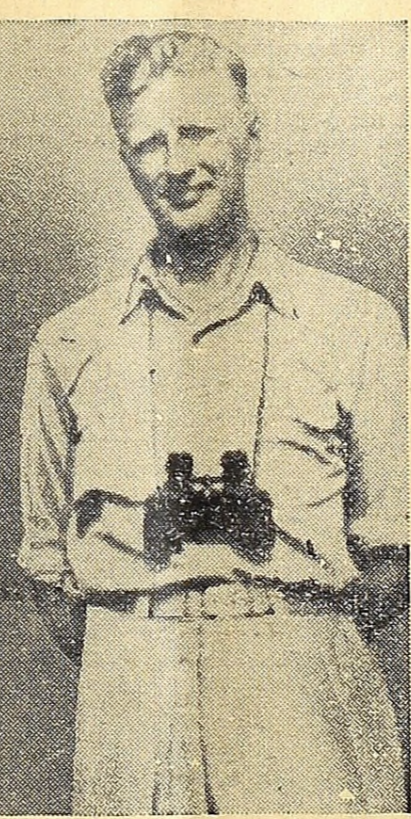
The honorary degree of doctor of laws was recently awarded Adm. C. W. Nimitz, USN, by Fordham. The citation read, "modest, patient, brilliant and courageous. He has proved himself an admiral's admiral—and American's American."

Mindoro Leaders



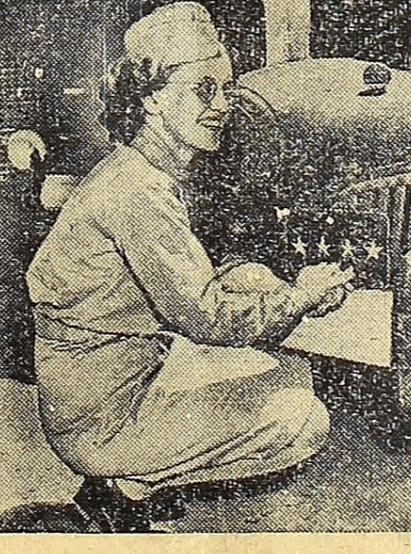
Rear Adm. Arthur D. Struble, USN, (left), commander of Mindoro attack force, confers with Rear Adm. R. S. Berkeley, USN, commander of the navy support force, just before weighing anchor to launch recent assault on Mindoro.

Hero-Mayor at Sea



The above photo of Carl Zeidler, the last taken before he was lost with his ship, when it was sunk off the west coast of South America, was carried all over the world. It was just sent to Milwaukee where he was elected mayor at the age of 34.

Ike's Driver Weds



WAC Corp. Pearl Hargrave, Piller, Minn., chauffeur for General Eisenhower, who recently married Sgt. Michael McKeogh, the commander's orderly. Ike attended the wedding.



A SWIMMING enthusiast, of which there happen to be several millions, wants to know more about the Yale-Kiphuth swimming combination and what they have done.

"Also," he writes, "can you give me the history of the 100-yard swimming record? I've been in the navy for two years where swimming is a big part of our training, and where ability to swim has already saved thousands of lives. Not only every navy man, but every army man who sails on transports must be interested in swimming. It can easily mean life or death to us."

Well, Bob Kiphuth has been with Yale 28 years. Yale has won 32 college swimming championships in the last 36 years. In the last 27 years, Yale has won 350 college meets, losing only nine, one of the greatest records in sport. Certainly no football coach or football team has even approached this mark. And it must be admitted that swimming is not only one of our greatest sports, but our most important sport in war. No one can deny this, especially when you consider the vast spread of the Pacific ocean. Now concerning the change in swimming records that have taken place in the last 47 years in the 100 yards free style — the greatest test in speed—here are the records.

World's 100 Yard Free Style Record:
Seconds
'89-60 — J. H. Derbyshire... Scotland
1902-59.6 — F. C. V. Lane... England
1904-58 — Richard Cavill... Australia
1904-57.06 — Cecil Healy... Australia
1906-56 — C. M. Daniels... U. S. A.
1907-55.04 — C. M. Daniels... U. S. A.
1910-54.08 — C. M. Daniels... U. S. A.
1915-53.8 — Duke Kahanamoku... U. S. A.
1922-52.6 — Johnny Weismuller... U. S. A.
1927-51 — Johnny Weismuller... U. S. A.
1933-50.6 — Alan Ford... (Yale) U. S. A.
1934-49.7 — Alan Ford... (Yale) U. S. A.

These records show a change of more than 10 seconds for the 100 yards in these 47 years. They show a drop from 60 seconds to 49.7, which is further proof that about 99 per cent of modern athletes are better than the old timers. It was not until 1906 that the United States began warming up. Before that Great Britain ruled the water and the waves. But in the last 38 years the U. S. A. has dominated the water by a wide margin with C. M. Daniels, Duke Kahanamoku, Johnny Weismuller and Alan Ford in front—not overlooking other U. S. swimmers who were close alongside. Swimming is not only one of our greatest, but one of our most important sports. For it is a sport every young American should learn. Above all else, it is a life-saving matter, which few other sports ever are.

No 'Greatest'
There is always an insistence, year after year, from the general sporting public that the word "greatest" should be brought in. There is no such word in sport. Not even the Greeks had a name for it. This has been brought to mind by the number of letters that have come in lately asking us to compare the Red Blaik army squad with the best college teams of the past. Several have asked if Army wasn't "the greatest college team" of all time. Once again we'd like to repeat—there is no such animal. The Army backfield with Blanchard, Davis, Kenna, Minor, Hall and Lombardi was magnificent. So was the Army line. But we call your attention to the fact that some of those Bernie Bierman Minnesota teams were also terrific—also a few in other years belonging to Jock Sutherland and Pittsburgh, Rockne and Notre Dame, Howard Jones and Southern California. The Leahey-Notre Dame squad of last fall with Bertelli as quarterback was as good as any I remember. Considering what Army did to such good teams as Navy, Notre Dame, Duke and Pennsylvania it is quite possible that Army was the most destructive of all football forces. It was certainly too destructive for any competition college had this fall. Red Blaik of Army doesn't agree with me — in ranking the Notre Dame team of 1943 over the Army 1944 outfit. Rip Miller does. So does Ed McKeever, who was Leahy's assistant last year—who turned in such a fine job this season after being completely outclassed in material by Army and Navy.

1944 Summing Up
Giving Army and Navy due and full credit, it must still be remembered, in justice to other colleges, that they had the pick of over 20 fine backs from 12 colleges. Few schools had even one man who could make the grade on an Army or Navy team this season, Ohio State being the outstanding exception. In time of war it was a fine thing to have Army and Navy as good as they were. They belonged up front in what is known as a "morale way." But they still had the pick.

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Long-Distance Flight
The longest distance flown non-stop today over a regular civilian air route is the 3,563-mile hop made by the planes of the Qantas Empire Airways across the Indian ocean between Albany, Australia, and Colombo, Ceylon. The second longest distance is the 3,376 miles flown between New York City and Lisbon, Portugal.

Household Hints

Defrost refrigerator when ice coats coils as much as one-quarter of an inch and, while the box is being deficed, clean the shelves, hydrator, walls, trays, ice compartment, drain pipes—with hot water mixed with a handful of baking soda. To clean outside of box and remove all stains, use soapy hot water and, where needed, a gentle scouring powder. Give box an airing before turning on current. Refill trays with fresh water and mop these dry before returning to ice compartment.

In the kitchen where but little space is available, place the trays from under the gas burners atop of the burners. A good place to stack the soiled dishes before washing them.

Because of the residue of animal fats, which pelts naturally have, some perfumes suffer unpleasant distortions when applied to furs. So, it's a good idea to test out the compatibility of your muskrat or mink with your own perfume before you whoosh on a lot of the fragrance.

Soft, figure-acknowledging jerseys and crepes are favorites this year. They should be laid away when not in use and not hung from hangers or hooks, because even their own weight will distort them.

Pin perfume-soaked dabs of cotton to the hems of garments to lend a subtle fragrance to body and clothes.

Use a curling iron to stretch the fingers of washable kid gloves.

When ripping clothing with a two-edged razor blade, cut a slit in a cork and put it on one side of the blade to protect your hands from being cut.

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January 10-11

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DENNIS O'KEEFE

IN

"Sensations of 1945"

also

Color Cartoon and
LATEST WAR NEWS

Whittemore

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan O'Farrell and
Mr. and Mrs. John O'Farrell spent
New Years day with Mr. and Mrs.
Swaffield in Meleta.

Raymond Dorcey of Little Creek,
Virginia spent Sunday with his
parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Dorcey.
Miss Helen Dorcey is a patient of
the Traverse City hospital. We hope
for a speedy recovery.

Walter St. Martin spent the week-
end with friends. Walter is home on
furlough.

Norman Schuster of Saginaw
spent the week-end with his wife and
parents.

Shirley Black of Flint is spending
some time with her grand parents,
Mr. and Mrs. Angus Dunham.

Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Snyder and
daughter Joan spent New Years
day in Tupper.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Dunham and
mother of Sainaw spent Sunday
night with Wesley Dunham and Mrs.
Burton.

Capt. Robert Curtis came Friday
night to spend the week-end. His
wife who spent the week with her
mother, Mrs. Rose Louks returned
home with him.

Mrs. Agnes Benner of Saginaw
spent a couple of days last week
with her sister and brother, Mrs.
Burton and Wesley Dunham.

William Burlew called on Mrs.
Burlew one day last week. He was
enroute up to the Dams to visit his
brother.

Mrs. Lulu Dunham and boys re-
turned to Saginaw Monday after
spending the week with her parents
Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Ruckie.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Graham Sr. are
visiting their daughter in Flint for
a few days.

Miss Tracy Waswaliski returned
home Tuesday from a two weeks va-
cation in Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. John O'Farrell re-
ceived a letter from Don who in-
formed them he was in Germany.

Bad for Eyes

Reading in an automobile, under
inadequate illumination, or working
under poor seeing conditions, is bad
for the eyes. Avoid or correct such
conditions.

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McIVOR, MICH

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have learned not to fight it. The
boys are going after swamp grass
to make the branches for our big
Christmas tree. The trunk will be
a 2x4 with holes bored in it for the
swamp grass branches.

"Friday there will be a home tal-
ent program, Saturday a dance
which promises to be a gala affair.
Sunday we sing carols for the pa-
tients, and Monday we put up a sign
'Merry Christmas! No Operations
Today.' We'll have a party in the
surgery. Fruit cake and all the good
things. We drew names and no pre-
sent is to be brought. It must be
made and there has been much carv-
ing cocoanuts and teakwood."

The following Iosco county men
will report on the selective service
call for January:

Martin D. Long, Rt. 1 Tawas City
Russel G. Anschuetz, Rt. 1 Tawas
City

Bertram E. Harris, Star Route
East Tawas
William G. Werely, Jr., Whittemore.

They will leave from the Detroit
& Mackinac Railway station January
15th at 9:43 E. W. T. arriving
Chicago 9:00 P. M.

Pvt. Roy Mowbray, wounded in
France October 6, is now in hospital
in England. Pvt. Mowbray is a
brother to Mrs. Harold Goedecke of
Laidlawville.

Pvt. LeRoy Anderson recently ar-
rived in France. He is with the 318th
Infantry. He is a son of Mr. and Mrs.
Russell Anderson of East Tawas.

Pvt. Glenn Freel of National City
is a member of the 81st "Wildcat"
Infantry Division, has been awarded
the Combat Infantryman Badge. The
combat Infantryman badge is award-
ed for exemplary conduct and skill
in action against the enemy.

The Wildcat Division recently in-
vaded the Southern Islands of the
Japanese-held Palau group, 500
miles east of the Philippines.

Mrs. Frank Metcalf has received
a telegram from the War Depart-
ment stating that her son, Pfc. Mel-
bourne Metcalf had been wounded
in France on December 13. Mrs. Met-
calf is visiting at Battle Creek at
present.

Rollie Gackstetter has been pro-
moted to Coxswain on a L. S. M. He
is stationed at Pearl Harbor.

Neil Luedtke, N. R. O. T. C., at-
tending the University of South
Carolina, at Columbia, has returned
to his studies after spending Christ-
mas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs.
Fred Luedtke.

Cpl. Kenneth Rapp is now sta-
tioned in New Guinea and his
brother, Cpl. Deloise Rapp who has
been in Belgium has not been heard
from for several weeks.

The address of Roy Landon, A. S.
is Co. N, 2295, 10th Reg. U. S. N. T.
S. Great Lakes. He writes he's
busy.

Lt. June Latter, Army nurse who
has been stationed in Australia is
visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs.
Fred Latter of Reno township.

Edward Schanbeck has shipped
out of Boston on the Thos. H. Bary
on Tuesday after enlisting in the
Merchant Marine last week.

Samuel Trask, Jr. A. S. leaves
Friday morning to return to Great
Lakes Training School after a leave
with his parents, Mr. and Mrs.
Samuel Trask.

Pfc. Nelson E. Thornton will leave
Saturday morning for a new assign-
ment at Cherry Point, North Car-
olina after a months visit at home
with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. N.
Thornton and Neil.

Indian Colors

Color schemes of the American In-
dian have so advanced in popularity,
that one of the country's leading de-
partment stores recently sent rep-
resentatives to Santa Fe, New Mexico,
to arrange for a store-wide promo-
tion of the Southwestern Indian color
theme.

Calf Vaccination

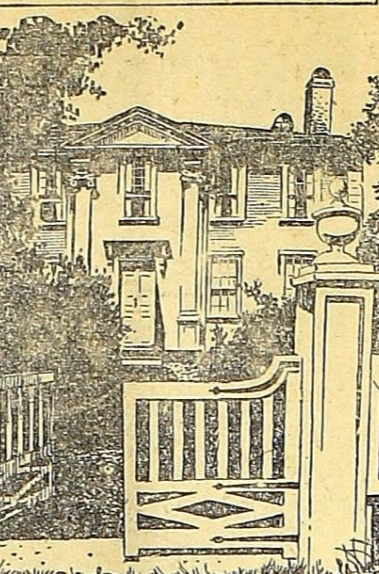
Calfhood vaccination is a method
of combating Brucellosis by inject-
ing calves with an attenuated (weak-
ened) strain of Brucellosis germs
which may create resistance in the
animal at maturity.

Diagnoses Brucellosis

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diagnose Brucellosis. This must be
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ous soldier-merchant, Lady Pepper-
ell, refused to relinquish her title
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early Maine folk built homes as
solid as their rock-bound coast and
in their descendants persists a love
of freedom and an ingenuity that is
vital to Americans today, fighting
for victory, freedom and world
peace. Shrewd, economical Down
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well as to back our men at war.
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Poultry Ration

Experimental work has shown
that poultry require somewhat less
phosphorus and calcium in their
feed when vitamin D is amply sup-
plied than when minimum amounts
feed by adding extra amounts of this
are used. This means that vitamin
D can, in part, compensate for a
lowered phosphorus content in the
vitamin. However, this does not
imply that by adding plenty of vita-
min D the phosphorus and calcium
content of feeds can be disregarded.

Vitamin C

Vitamin C prevents scurvy. Keep
teeth, bones, blood vessels healthy,
helps prevent anemia. Daily re-
quirements: Oranges, lemons,
grapefruit, or tomatoes in any form
(juice, soup, raw, canned). Also
in onions, berries and vegetables.
Very unstable. Destroyed by over-
cooking and too much water. Use
raw fruit and vegetables when pos-
sible; if cooked, serve juices. Potat-
oes baked in skin retain vitamin C.

Draining Soils

On poorly drained or slow-drain-
ing soils sow alsike and Ladino clo-
vers with timothy and redtop, agron-
omists say. Some red clover and
alfalfa may be used on well-drained
spots. On soils that become very
dry in summer mammoth clover
should improve yields.

City Employees

Milwaukee city employees' aver-
age monthly earnings rank fourth
among 18 northern cities of 300,000
in population or over, according to
the United States census bureau.
Milwaukee's average monthly city
employee salary of \$192 is exceeded
only by Detroit (\$207), San Fran-
cisco (\$203) and Chicago (\$199).

Egg Noodles

In soup or broth for supper, quick
egg noodles can be made by beating
one or two eggs with a little salt
until foamy, then blending the beat-
en egg with flour, using two table-
spoons flour for each egg. Pour the
mixture in a thin steady stream into
simmering broth, stirring constant-
ly. Cook two minutes and serve at
once.

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11:00 A. M. Church School for all
boys and girls.
Miss Margaret Worden, superinten-
dendent.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH
East Tawas, Mich.
Rev. Frank Benish, Pastor.
Sunday, January 7—
10:00 A. M. Church school with
class for everybody. Mrs. G. N.
Shattuck, superintend.
11:15 A. M. Morning Worship and
Sermon.

Baptist Church
Rev. Paul H. Dean, Pastor
Sunday, January 7—
10:00 A. M.—Morning Worship.
11:00 A. M.—School.
HEMLOCK ROAD BAPTIST
CHURCH
11:00 A. M.—Sunday School.
12:00 A. M.—Morning Worship.

L. D. S. Church
Elder M. A. Sommerfield, Pastor.
Sunday, January 7—
10:00 A. M. Unified service. First
First period sacrament service and
a brief message by the pastor.
10:45 A. M. Church school and
classes. Harrison Frank, superin-
tendent.
8:00 P. M. Preaching service. El-
der Frank Slye, speaker.
8:00 P. M. Wednesday evening.
Prayer service.

Zion Lutheran Church
Rev. Ernest Ross, Pastor.
Sunday, January 7—
10:00 A. M. English services.
10:00 A. M. English services.
Congregational meeting after the
services.

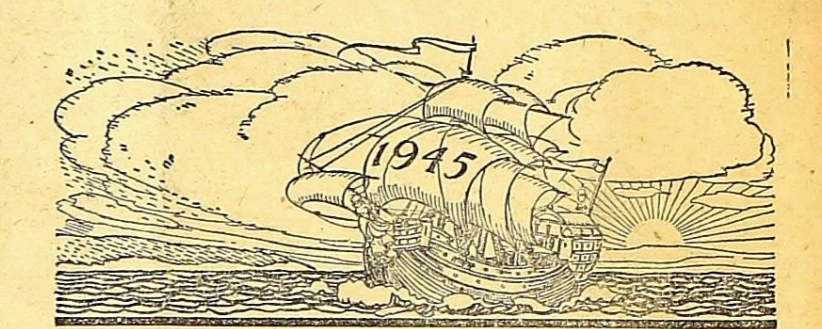
Emanuel Lutheran Church
J. J. Roekle, Pastor
Sunday, January 7—
10:00 A. M. English services.
with holy communion.
7:30 P. M. English Services.

Christ Episcopal Church
Sunday, January 7—
8:00 A. M.—Holy Communion.
10:00 A. M.—Church School.
11:00 A. M. Holy Communion and
Sermon.

Smokeless gunpowder is made
from nitrocellulose, which comes
from white spruce, yellow pine and
hemlock.

Assembly of God Church
Church of Old Fashion Gospel
Rev. D. C. Maroco, Pastor.
Sunday, January 7—
10:00 A. M.—Sunday School.
11:00 A. M.—Morning Worship.
Sunday evening—
Evangelistic Service, 8:00 P. M.
Wednesday, 8:00 P. M.—Bible
study.
Fellowship Service at Church.

Grace Lutheran Church
Sunday, January 7—
10:00 A. M.—Sunday School.
11:00 A. M.—Morning Worship.



SEASONS GREETINGS A HAPPY NEW YEAR TO ALL

HOPE
It was hope that sent the Span-
ish galleons plowing through
uncharted seas . . . hope that
kept them on their course until
they sailed between the Virginia
capes. It is hope that "springs
eternal in the human breast,"
hope that gives to New Year its
magnificent spirit and the will
to do.
Hopes are stronger than wishes.
We hope for you in 1945 the
fulfillment of all you plan for
today, the best twelve-month
that Father Time has ever
meted out to you. And for right
now, the happiest of New Years.

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REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF Peoples State Bank

Of East Tawas in the State of Michigan, at the close of business on Dec. 30, 1944.
Published in accordance with a call made by the Commissioner of the Banking De-
partment pursuant to the provisions of Section 82 of the Michigan Financial Insti-
tutions Act, and by the Federal Reserve Bank of this District, pursuant to the
provisions of the Federal Reserve Act.

Assets	
Loans and Discounts (Including \$21.87 overdrafts)	\$188,763.31
United States Government Obligations, direct and guaranteed	1,124,741.73
Obligations of States and Political Subdivisions	39,219.58
Other Bonds, Notes and Debentures	12,012.90
Federal Reserve Bank Stock	2,350.00
Cash Balances with Other Banks, including Reserve Balances and Cash Items in Process of Collection	789,414.62
Bank Premises Owned \$6,090.00, Furniture and Fixtures \$2,272.00	8,362.00
Other Assets	4,488.81
TOTAL ASSETS	\$2,119,352.95
Liabilities	
Demand Deposits of Individuals, Partnerships and Corporations	\$967,415.68
Time Deposits of Individuals, Partnerships and Corporations	886,094.76
Deposits of States and Political Subdivisions	156,858.29
Other Deposits (Certified and Officer's Checks, Etc.)	12,739.68
TOTAL DEPOSITS	\$2,023,108.41
Other Liabilities	660.38
TOTAL LIABILITIES	\$2,023,768.79

Capital Account	
Capital*	\$50,000.00
Surplus	30,000.00
Undivided Profits	7,584.16
Reserves (and retirement account for preferred capital)	8,000.00
TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	95,584.16
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	\$2,119,352.95
*This bank's capital consists of common stock with a total par value of \$50,000.00.	

Memoranda	
Pledged Assets	NONE
Secured and preferred liabilities	NONE
Unpaid dividends or other obligations which are subordinated to claim of depositors and other creditors	NONE
On date of this report the required legal reserve against deposits of this bank was	263,004.04
Assets reported above which were eligible as legal reserve amounted to	\$1,849,156.35

I, G. N. Shattuck, Vice President and Cashier of the above named bank do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, and that it fully and correctly represents the true state of the several matters herein contained and set forth, to the best of my knowledge and belief.
G. N. SHATTUCK, Cashier.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY OF IOSCO, ss.
Sworn to and subscribed before me this
2nd day of January, 1945, and I hereby
certify that I am not an officer or direc-
tor of this bank.
(SEAL) Donald A. Evans, Notary Public.
My Commission expires June 1, 1945.

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