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TAWAS CITY

Elks Lose at East Tawas Win at Oscoda

Whittemore Plays Here Tonight

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Dicaire write that they have arrived safely at Cortez, Florida, where they will spend the winter.

Harry Goodale, Harrison Frank and Earl Partlo of Whittemore attended a District AAA meeting at Gaylord on Wednesday and Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bronson of Whittemore were business visitors in the city on Wednesday.

Mrs. Frank Long and son Lyle have returned from a few days visit in Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. William Irish and sons of Flint spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Groff.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Berzhinski of Saginaw spent the week-end in the Tawas with friends.

Members of the Jesse Hodder Post and Auxiliary and guests enjoyed a venison dinner at the billet Monday evening. The dinner was served by members of the Auxiliary, with over 90 members and guests present. A Christmas tree and a Santa to distribute the gifts and games was enjoyed by the Auxiliary.

The Dorcas Society of the Baptist church reported that their gift sale and supper on Tuesday evening was very successful.

Mrs. Charles McLean spent Sunday and Monday in Saginaw.

Mrs. Russell Rollin has returned from Mercy Hospital in Bay City where she was a patient for two weeks. She is feeling much better.

Mrs. James H. Leslie entertained the Past Matrons club of Tawas City chapter Wednesday evening. The club recently presented the Eastern Star Chapter with a beautiful Christmas flag.

Mrs. Frank Byrd was honored at a miscellaneous bridal shower last Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. Edward Malenfant.

The Young Women's Club were guests of Mrs. Howard Bronson Tuesday evening. Prizes were won by Mrs. Fred Bandon and Mrs. George Myles and house prize by Mrs. James Boomer.

Arnold Rollin is spending a few days in Detroit visiting friends.

Mrs. William Davidson spent the week-end in Ithaca with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Look and Mrs. Clyde E. and Mrs. August Luedtke spent Saturday in Bay City.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Malenfant spent the week-end in Muskegon on business.

T-5 Laurie Frank of Thomas England General Hospital will arrive home this week-end for a Christmas furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Abram Frank.

Mrs. Clyde Soper and son, Billy of Loon Lake are spending several weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank.

Mrs. Lois Ulman visited in Jackson the first of the week. She was accompanied home on Wednesday by her brother, Sgt. Harold Pfeiffer of Texas for the holidays.

A party honoring Mrs. Frank Byrd (Mary Malenfant) was held at the home of Mrs. Elwood Bronson last Thursday evening. Fourteen young women were present and she was presented with a lovely gift.

Mrs. Fred Buch and son, Roland, spent the week-end in Ann Arbor with Rev. and Mrs. Herbert Buch and family.

Mrs. Wilbur Miller was called to Chillicothe, Ohio by the death of her sister, Mrs. Lulu Strong. Mrs. Miller returned home on Monday.

Melvin Groff and daughter, Suzanne of Flint visited several days with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Groff and Mrs. Ora Berube.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. DeRoche of Marquette spent Wednesday with Mrs. Capitola McCormick.

A Christmas party for the local young people is being sponsored by the 'Vic and Zel's' restaurant for Saturday evening, December 22. A Christmas tree and a Santa Claus Claus with gifts will be featured. Admission will be a .25 gift for exchange.

Drury Lane Christmas Chocolates in one and two pound boxes. Order now. Archib at Tawas Recreation. 12-14-1p

Howard Herriman Sells Store

Clarence Herriman has purchased the Howard Herriman store at the corner of Hemlock and Sand Lake roads. He will take possession January 1. Mr. and Mrs. Howard Herriman have operated the store for the past seven years.

MALE HELP WANTED—Opportunity of lifetime supplying DDT and other profitable products to farmers in Isoco county. No experience or capital required. Must have auto and good references. Permanent. Write or wire McNees Company, Dept. T, Freeport, Illinois. 12-14-2p

Businessmen Hoped to Brighten Streets First Post War Christmas

Businessmen of the city, in an attempt to provide an attractive setting appropriate to the holiday season, agreed upon a plan of decoration which involved lighted trees in front of the various establishments. Trees have been placed and a number of the stores have completed their lighting arrangements.

Several incidents yesterday, however, dampened enthusiasm of numerous individuals in their effort to enhance appearance of the business district during this period. Theft of bulbs from sets on several trees took place during the night Wednesday. In another case a tree in front of one establishment was deliberately stripped of a great share of its branches.

The decorative program was arranged in the face of shortages of materials required but with every effort toward brightening the first post-war Christmas. Theft and destruction of effects, however, will result in defeat of the plan. It is obvious that such acts are hardly in keeping with the holiday spirit. The incidents of yesterday prompt an appeal to refrain from further activities of that nature.

City Votes 126 to 4 for Bond Issue

\$28,000 for Water and Sewer Extensions

Last Monday Tawas City taxpayers by a vote 126 to 4 authorized the city council to issue bonds amounting to \$28,000.00 for the purpose of extending the water and sewer facilities to areas in the city not now served. Mayor John LeClair said yesterday that he was pleased with the outcome of the election as it made possible the resuming work of improving the city postponed in 1938 on account of lack of finances. Taxpayers in affected areas have been demanding water and sewer facilities for some time.

Major project in the construction program which will start next spring is a water main on Lake street extending from near Mathew street to the city limits. Preliminary plans and estimates for this portion of the work have been recently completed by C. H. Spicer of Saginaw, the city's consulting engineer. Material for the project is now on order for spring delivery.

Most of the remaining portion of the program will be sewer extensions in the first and second wards of the city, with improvements to sewer systems in the third ward wherever necessary.

About fifty patrons are now ready to use water from the proposed Lake street water main extension. Considerable activity has been experienced in this area in the purchase of property for homes and business. A large number who have acquired property there are now building or plan to build as soon as material is available. The number of water patrons will accordingly be increased.

FOR SALE—8,000 feet of used lumber. Herbert Oates, Alabaster. 12-14-1b



Albert E. Bliss, Seaman 1st class, is nowstationed at Bremerton, Washington, after spending a 26 day leave with his family and friends in the Tawas, Hale, Whittemore, Owosso and Royal Oak. He spent 26 months in the Pacific Area. He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Goldsmith who are spending the winter in Florida.

Sgt. Lyle Goedecke, who has just returned from the Pacific Area, visited his mother, Mrs. Ella Tiff, at East Tawas.

Pvt. Harry Rollin, Jr., of Fort Knox, Kentucky, will be home for the holidays.

Pvt. John Hosbach arrived home Saturday from Fort McPherson, Georgia. He has been discharged.

After spending 27 months in India, Sgt. Henry Groff came home Sunday. He has been 32 months in the service and received his honorable discharge.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Simons received word from their son, Raymond, that he is going to Okinawa and his new address is: Raymond J. Simons, S. 2c, 315-43-27, Draft No. 21591 from Shoemaker, care of Fleet Postoffice, San Francisco, California. His brother, Charles, left Pearl Harbor December 5 and is on his way home.

Pvt. Albert Birkenbach received his discharge from the Army Corp.

Cpl. G. V. McIntire formerly of Tawas and Alabaster visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Judson Freeland the first of the week. He was enroute from C. B. I. Theatre to California for discharge. He had been overseas 15 months in Burma and China with the 1st Lison (Paw) attached to the Chinese forces.

Stanley Misener S. K. 3-c has received his discharge and is at home after serving in the Pacific area.

Robert Small, Coxswain has received his honorable discharge and is spending a few weeks at home. Bob was in service 42 months—the last 30 months being continued sea duty.

Mrs. Charles Groff received a letter this week from her son Clifford who is stationed in Germany, saying that he had just returned from a 7 day furlough in Switzerland and that he has been promoted to Sergeant.

Ensign Eugene Lickfeldt is home on a 30 day leave with his wife and parents. He has been stationed at Ominato, Japan.

Leah Pelton Johnson, WAC, has been promoted to Corporal at Drew Field, Tampa, Florida.

FOR SALE—Potatoes. Howard Rempert, Star Route, East Tawas. 12-7-2p

Mitton-Pollard

In a double ring ceremony read last Wednesday evening at 6:30, Miss Mary Shirley Mitton, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. O. W. Mitton became the bride of Neith J. Pollard, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. George Pollard. The ceremony took place before the fireplace banked with huge white mums at the brides home. The Rev. John W. C. Belsh, Presbyterian minister of Royal Oak, and life time friend of the Mitton's officiated.

The bride wore a street length gown of winter white trimmed in gold. Her corsage was of camellias.

Mrs. Velma Inglesh, as matron of honor, chose a dress of wineberry metallic cloth with corsage of yellow roses. Delois Durant, cousin of the bridegroom, acted as best man. Mrs. Clarence McMullen, sister of the groom presided at the piano for the wedding march and other selections.

For her daughters marriage, Mrs. Mitton wore a royal blue dress with corsage of yellow rose buds. The grooms mother was unable to be present on account of illness. Only immediate relatives were present at the ceremony.

The reception was held at 8 p. m. for friends in the city with about 150 in attendance. Luncheon was served from a table decorated with white mums and candles.

The happy couple left by motor on a wedding trip to Boston and other eastern cities. The bride wore a green suit with brown accessories for traveling.

The bride attended Michigan State College and Alma College and graduated from Lindwood Ladies' College at St. Charles Missouri in 1945. Mr. Pollard served in the U. S. Navy for the past five years and recently received his discharge. He will complete his college work at the University of Michigan, Ann Arbor where they will reside.

Out of town guests included Mr. and Mrs. Victor Miesel of Bay City, Ontario; B. Mitton of Thomasville, Ontario; Glenn Mitton of Ridgeway, Ontario; Mrs. John Belsh of Royal Oak and Dr. and Mrs. Harold Timreck of Gladwin.

Victory Bond Drive Goes Over the Top

Both E and Industrial Bond Quotas Filled

A report received Wednesday evening by H. E. Friedman, chairman of the Isoco County War Finance Committee, disclosed that Isoco county had gone over the top in the Victory Bond Campaign which is still in progress. This satisfactory result was obtained in both "E" and Industrial Bonds.

With a quota of \$83,000.00 in "E" Bonds, Wednesday's report shows a total sales of 90,293.75. Isoco county was given a quota of \$50,000.00 in Industrial Bonds and \$82,000.00 worth were purchased. The purchasers of Industrial Bonds were as follows:

National Gypsum Co. \$50,000.
U. S. Gypsum Co. 20,000.
Consumers Power Co. 10,000.
Michigan Bell Telephone ... 2,000

Goodale Again Heads Isoco County AAA

Convention Held Last Friday

At the annual convention held at the AAA office in Tawas City on December 7, 1945, the county committee of the Isoco County Agricultural Conservation Association was elected by delegates from each community in the county to serve during the 1946 Farm Program. Harry A. Goodale, Tawas City was re-elected chairman of the committee, Earl M. Partlo, Whittemore, as vice chairman and W. Harrison Frank, Tawas City as regular member. The committee reappointed Mrs. Mary M. Byrd as Secretary-Treasurer.

The following are the committees elected in each community during the past week.

Alabaster—Chairman B. Oates, Vice Chairman, Edwin O. Peterson, Jr.; Member Emil Makinen.
Baldwin—Richard E. Glendon; Vice chairman, Edwin E. Zaharias; Member, Herbert P. Rempert.
Burleigh—Chairman, Wm. L. O'Farrell; Vice chairman, Octave P. St. James; Member Dorance E. Bellville.

Grant—Chairman, Allan H. Herriman; Vice chairman, Harvey McIvor; Member John Scarlett.
Plainfield—Chairman Walter C. Belcher; Vice Chairman, Edward O. Putnam; Member Delbert M. Hewitt.
Reno—Chairman, Hamilton T. Hutchison; Vice Chairman, Royal J. Roberts; Member Marvon B. Kilbourn.
Sherman—Chairman, David A. Poulos; Vice Chairman, Orville G. Strauer; Member, Chelsea Melvor.

Tawas—Chairman, George J. Jones; Vice chairman, Walter H. Miller; Member Herman J. Fahselt.
Wilber, Oscoda AuSable—Chairman Roy Sims; Vice chairman, John D. Newberry; Member Ray G. Cross.

It will be the responsibility for these newly elected committee to administer the 1946 program, and it is believed that the program this year will go further than any past program in meeting the most serious needs for soil building and water conserving measures on farms of the county. The increase in production during the war has increased the need for restoring and maintaining soil fertility and for other conservation measures. The 1946 program aims to use the funds allocated, on farms and for practices where they will do the most good.

The township committee will call on individual farmers during the winter and spring and help them work out a plan of AAA assistance on their farms.

Tawas City Masons Elect Officers

At an election and installation of officers held Tuesday evening, Judge H. Read Smith was elected Master of Tawas City Lodge, F. & A. M. to succeed James H. Leslie. Mr. Leslie had been Master of Tawas City Lodge for the past two years.

Following the election and installation ceremonies an oyster supper was served in the dining room.

Following are the officers for the ensuing year:
W. M.—H. Read Smith.
S. W.—Russell Rollin.
J. W.—Harry Rollin.
Treasurer—C. L. McLean.
Secretary—Wm. Fitzhugh.
S. D.—F. N. Thornton.
Jr. D.—George Myles.
Chaplain—Farker Morley.
Marshal—James Mark.
Tyler—John Myles.
Stewards—Lloyd Borden and A. W. Colby.
Trustees—James Mark and John Myles.

Saginaw People Buy Old Evans Building Here

Mr. and Mrs. William E. Slaven of Saginaw have purchased the old Evans Building at the corner of Lake and Matthew streets in this city. Harry Goldsmith announced this week in a letter from Florida. The new owners plan to remodel the building for a super-market.

The old building has been vacant for several years and was recently purchased by Mr. Goldsmith from Peter Vallier, formerly of this place and now living in Boston. The property includes the Shaw house which is being dismantled by Charles Nash.

ORDER CHRISTMAS FOWL NOW—geese dressed ready for stuffing Also a thoroughbred guernsey bull just past 1 yr. old. Would make a good herd sire. Lyman Willis, 3 mi. south of McIvor, turn east first house. 12-14-1b

EAST TAWAS

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Hammell and sons returned home after spending a few days in Flint.

Clarence Greenwood of Bay City spent Monday here with his family. Arthur Pelkie of Spragyn, Ontario visited at the homes of Clarence and Henry Greenwood last week.

Henry Greenwood of Kawkawlin spent the week-end here.

Mrs. Thomas Robinson and Mrs. Henry Greenwood spent Thursday in Bay City.

Mrs. Frank Hamell returned home after spending two week in Rogers City.

Week-end visitors in the Rupert Charters home included Mr. and Mrs. Howard Washburn and children, Norman Washburn and George Washburn all of Flint.

Joseph Dimnick is confined to his home by illness.

The Presbyterian Aid held a Christmas party at the home of Mrs. Edmund Gagner on Tuesday. A Christmas dinner was served at 1 o'clock and gifts were exchanged.

Mrs. A. J. Carlson and son, Jack, spent the week-end in Flint.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Brooks have moved into Bob Wickham's house.

Mrs. Elmer Bills is spending a few days with relatives in Bay City.

Mrs. Earl McElhannon entertained her Birthday club Monday evening. Gifts were presented to Mrs. O. W. Rowley and Mrs. H. L. Klenow, whose birthdays occur this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Christian and family of Saginaw spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Christian.

Mrs. Harold Cooper is a patient at Mercy hospital in Bay City.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford VanAnker, have moved to their new home near the Goodrich Inn.

Miss Jean Adams came Thursday from Washington D. C. to spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Adams.

Mrs. Stanley Misener was in Detroit last week where she met her husband. They returned home on Friday.

Miss Marie Nash is in Detroit on business for a few days.

The Methodist Sunday school will present their Christmas program Sunday evening, December 16 at 7 p. m. Short programs are also being given by the various grades during the opening service on Sunday morning.

The Grace Lutheran Sunday school Christmas program is scheduled for Friday evening, December 21.

Dr. Arthur Bloesing was in Detroit from Monday till Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jed Herrington and Mrs. Percy Scott spent Monday in Bay City.

The P. T.-A meeting will be held Monday evening at 8 p. m. at the Community Building. A Christmas program will be presented which will include a band concert, choruses from the elementary grades and community singing.

Dr. Zella Mullenburg left this week for Chicago where she will join a party of friends. The group will leave for a tour into Mexico and a brief visit at the home of Dr. John Mullenburg in Houston, Texas.

The Grace Lutheran League will hold their regular meeting Wednesday, December 19 at 8 p. m. at the church.

The Assembly of God Sunday school is planning their Christmas program for Saturday evening December 22. It will consist of recitations and songs by the children and a Cantata by the young people and adults.

East Tawas plays basket ball at Oscoda tonight (Friday).

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Brookbank, wife and baby, have returned from Cincinnati where they spent the week with his family.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Carpenter and daughter, Barbara, left Saturday for a vacation at Bradenton Beach Florida.

Carlton Mercier was home from Detroit for the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis S. Gris of Long Lake have moved to one of the Gagner apartments.

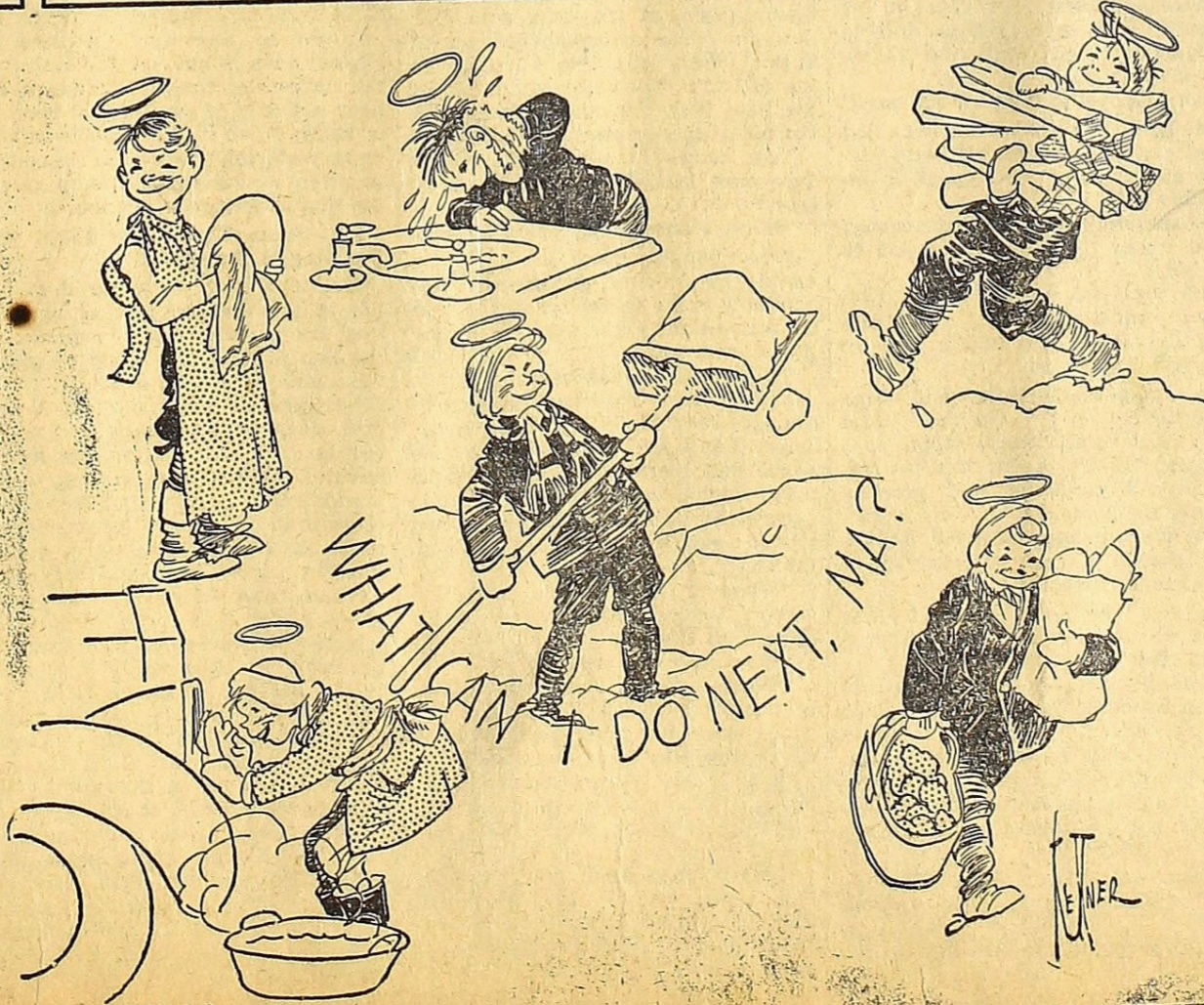
Isoco OPA Needs Volunteer Workers

Volunteers are urgently needed by the East Tawas Price Control Board to serve as price panel assistants. Russell H. McKenzie, Chairman of the Isoco county Board, said today. "Citizens who can spare two or more hours per week in this vital work will be making a patriotic contribution to the Government's effort to prevent inflation," Mr. McKenzie said.

Persons who volunteer to assist the board will be assigned to several current price surveys. Volunteers are asked to report to Mary E. Blake, Chief clerk, at the Local Board Offices, Federal Building East Tawas.

FOR SALE—9x12 Wilton rug with pad. Telephone 268M. 12-14-1b

Ten Days To Christmas



Independents Win At Sterling; 24-21

Tawas City Independents won their first game of the season, Tuesday night, when they defeated Sterling 24 to 21. Sterling held a 6 point lead the first half but Tawas put on a scoring drive in third quarter, taking the lead by an eight point margin which Sterling was unable to overcome. Staudacher led the Tawas team in scoring with 8 points.

The team has several games scheduled for the season, although no home games in December as yet. Tentative games have been scheduled with West Branch, Standish, Rose City, (December 29 there and January 25 here) Sterling, (January 15 here) and games with several Bay City and professional teams.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our neighbors and friends for their many kind deeds and also the Grange, Ladies Aid, and Rural Study Club for the gifts in our recent illness.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Smith.

FOR SALE—100 bushed of oats, 12 ton hay, 22 sheep. Call or write 481, East Tawas. 12-14-1b

Classified Department

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MISCELLANEOUS

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PERSONAL

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Let's Finish It—Buy Victory Bonds!

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SNAPPY FACTS about RUBBER

A synthetic rubber developed entirely from petroleum gases is now being used in the manufacture of truck-tire inner tubes. Called Butyl, the new synthetic provides an extra margin of safety against puncture, holds air much longer.

Since Pearl Harbor, the United States has produced as much synthetic rubber as the entire world's supply of natural rubber for the 18 years from 1900 through 1918.

The rubber industry's pre-war capacity of 65,000,000 tires a year has been increased to more than 110,000,000 civilian tires annually.

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DOANS PILLS

OVERNIGHT GUEST By BEN AMES WILLIAMS WNU FEATURES

THE STORY THUS FAR: Adam Bruce, FBI operator, on a trip to his old home, ran into his previous boss, Inspector Tope and Mrs. Tope. Tope found a man murdered at auto camp operated by Bee Dewain. Mrs. Tope said the man was Mr. Ledford, head of New England utilities. Holdom, friend of Ledford, was found unconscious in hospital. His employee, Kell, had disappeared. Tope believed Mrs. Kell's body would be found in bottom of quarry in Holdom's car. Ledford was said by his office to be in New York. Priddy, who worked at the camp, came running in and said that there was a man in the cottage—Tope and Bruce found Kell looking where the murdered man was found.

CHAPTER VIII

The big man looked from one to the other. "Why—yes, sir," he said miserably at last. "My name's Kell."

"That's much better," Tope commented. "Where's the Holdom limousine?"

But Kell responded with a counter question, his cheek suddenly purple, his whole body shaking with a sort of passion.

"Where's my wife?" he cried. "Where's Mrs. Kell? Where is she? What have you done with her?"

Tope said simply: "We haven't seen her, Kell. Was that why you came here? To look for her?"

"She's gone!" Kell cried desperately. "She's gone! I heard in the village that there was some one dead here. I thought it might be her—"

The Inspector looked at Kell's feet; and he demanded: "Let me see your shoes—the bottoms of them."

Kell, after a moment, lifted one foot, standing on the other; and Tope turned the lifted foot with his hand to look at the sole. Kell toppled and almost fell; and Tope released his ankle, caught his arm, steadied him. Then the old man asked:

"Do you ever wear heel-plates?" Kell's eyes flickered. "No sir!"

"Sure?"

"Why—I've got an old pair of shoes with plates on them."

"Worn them lately?"

"No sir."

Tope nodded; and he said: "Kell, there were some things in the pockets of those overalls this dead man wore. A valve-clearance gauge, and a knife with a steel handle marked in a scale, inches and centimeters. Did you ever see a knife like that?"

Kell shook his head stubbornly.

"Well, that's funny," Tope protested. "That's queer! You work for Holdom; you're his chauffeur. You live over his garage. Well, this dog blanket came from his garage; and the overalls and sweater came out of the machine shop behind the garage, where you keep your work clothes. I think they are yours. They're big enough to fit you. You're an Englishman. That knife came from England. I never saw one like it in this country."

"I heard that the coupe came here," Kell muttered. "And she was in it. She drove it away from the house."

"Well," said Tope, "I don't know where she is, but I can tell you where the car is. It's in the quarry hole, up in the mountains above the Holdom place. We're lifting it out tomorrow."

Kell uttered a low, startled ejaculation; and Tope stopped, expecting the man to speak. When Kell did not, the Inspector demanded:

"Know anything about that?"

"No sir." The answer was prompt. "I suppose you didn't put it there?"

Kell cried harshly, on the verge of breaking: "No!"

"All right," Tope said sharply, pressing his advantage. "Why didn't you bring Holdom and Ledford up here to their homes last Friday?"

And, quickly: "Now, don't lie! We know you left New York, with them in the car; and we know you got home alone. What did you do with Ledford and Holdom on the way?"

After a moment Kell answered: "Why—I had engine-trouble, sir. It looked like a long job to fix it; so they hailed a car and got a ride to Springfield, told me they'd come on home by train. I got the car fixed quicker than I expected, and came on, and met the train at Mid-dleford, but they weren't on it."

"Hah!" said Tope scornfully. "Took you long enough to think of that! Where have you been since then?"

"Looking for Mrs. Kell—places I thought she might be."

"Where?"

"Well, one was in Boston, and one in Worcester. Then Mr. Ledford had a lodge back in the hills where he sometimes went for a rest. I thought she might be there."

"Why?" Tope demanded; and Kell hesitated, did not answer. Tope cried: "Well, was she?"

"No sir," said Kell, and Tope demanded sharply:

"But you found some one there?"

"Mr. Eberly was there. But he hadn't seen her."

"Eberly?" Tope looked at Adam.

"He's there now?"

"Yes sir. He and Mr. Ledford sometimes went there together."

Tope frowned, startled and disturbed. "Did Mr. Eberly know Mrs. Kell?"

"Oh, no sir, but he said no one had been there!"

And Tope suddenly was calm. "Kell," he said. "I'm sorry about your wife. Don't think me—impertinent, unkind. But—had she any faults? Were you jealous of her?"

"She was all right, sir," Kell protested. He added: "But I couldn't help being jealous of her. She'd go away, week-ends when I'd be at home, and when I couldn't go with her, with Mr. Holdom keeping me busy all the time."

"Where would she go?"

"She always told me where she was going, but—I tried to telephone her, sometimes, and she wasn't where she'd started for." He wiped his brow heavily. "It made me crazy, sir," he confessed.

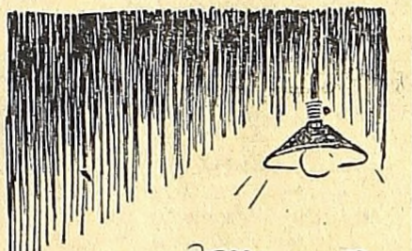
Adam realized—and his hair prickled at the thought—that Kell spoke of Mrs. Kell in the past tense, as though she were dead!

Tope asked: "Where were you last week-end? Ten days ago? Up here, or in New York?"

"In New York, sir. Mr. Holdom couldn't get away."

"Mr. Ledford in New York?"

"I don't know, sir."



"Sorry, Kell, but I am acting for the law in this matter."

"Mrs. Kell?"

"She went to Boston to see her cousin."

Tope nodded; and he went on, insistently: "You used to work for Mr. Ledford. How did you happen to leave him?"

"Mr. Holdom wanted me."

"Did Mrs. Kell approve of the change?"

"Yes sir. She didn't like my working for Ledford."

"Did you? Was he a good boss?"

"You could never tell about him," Kell explained, almost abstractedly. "One day he might be as friendly as you could ask; and the next day he might not speak to you at all, sir. You wouldn't know him for the same man."

Tope stared at the big man for a long time. Then he asked casually: "Mr. Holdom treat you all right, did he?"

"Yes sir!" The big man was at ease now, quite off guard.

And Tope asked sharply: "Then why did you hit him over the head and leave him beside the road down near Hartford Saturday morning, unconscious, with a fractured skull?"

Kell swayed where he stood, and his ruddy cheeks drained white.

"Why did you?" Tope insisted. "Why, Kell?"

There had been no warning in his manner, nothing to stiffen Kell to resistance. And the man stammered now:

"He told me to, sir! Made me!"

Adam, at this admission, whistled soundlessly, and grinned with delight at Tope's shrewd guess so incredibly confirmed.

"Nonsense!" Tope said curtly. "You mean to say he told you to kill him?"

"No sir, just to hit him," Kell urged, almost pleadingly. "Hit him over the head. He told me to hit him and leave him."

He stopped suddenly, and Tope prompted: "Go on! Go on!" And when Kell was silent, Tope said harshly: "Come, Kell! You hit Mr. Holdom because he told you to. What's the rest of it?"

But Kell, a new strength in him now, put on a mask of courtesy, of incredulous surprise.

"I, sir?" he said. "I don't know what you mean, sir. Mr. Holdom hurt? Not badly, I hope, sir?"

Tope grinned, and he looked at Adam Bruce. "This man's too much for me, Adam," he said. "I guess he could help us if he wanted to. I judge he doesn't know that Mrs. Kell really spent last week-end—"

Kell said furiously: "Keep your tongues off her!"

Tope whirled on him. Having goaded Kell to anger, he was about to press his advantage; but he saw in Kell's eyes an insane fury which checked him. It was not fear that restrained him, but rather a reluct-

tant consideration for this harried man, and something like sympathy.

He said straightforwardly: "Sorry, Kell! But I'm acting for the law in this matter; and Mr. Bruce here represents the Federal Government, Department of Justice. I suppose you know that you're involved in a serious affair. Kidnaping is serious, Kell. And so is—murder. I won't press you; but if you told us a little more, it might help in straightening things out, and—in finding your wife!"

Kell stood grimly silent, twitching and shaking.

"Some one," Tope urged, "telephoned the Ridgcomb police that the coupe had been stolen—telephoned from New York. You didn't do that, did you? You weren't in New York Saturday morning, were you?"

"No sir," said Kell.

Then they all heard a car on the drive, and Tope spoke to Adam. "That may be Mat," he said; and to Kell, while Bruce turned toward the door: "This is Mr. Cumberland, the District Attorney. Kell, I'm afraid he'll lock you up." He added: "If we get any trace of Mrs. Kell, I'll let you know."

Then Cumberland came in, Mrs. Tope beside him. Adam admitted them both, shut the door.

Tope made explanations—summed up Kell's statements—and silences. Mrs. Tope spoke quickly.

"Inspector," she suggested, "Kell would know Mr. Ledford if he saw him."

Tope's eyes quickened. "That's right," he agreed. He chuckled. "Ma'am, I never thought of that. Of course he would." He spoke to Cumberland, eagerly. "Let's get up there—let Kell see him, see if he knows him."

A moment later they were all in Cumberland's car, and soon they were turned into the byway that led to Amasa Dewain's farm. The ambulance of Will Banion, the undertaker, was backed up to the kitchen door; a laden stretcher was just being wheeled out of the kitchen as they arrived. Amasa Dewain, heavy, ponderous, silent, stood in the lighted doorway.

They approached the stretcher; and Cumberland said to the undertaker: "Will, let this man see him!"

A sheet was turned back; an electric torch threw its beam on the dead man's white face. Tope and Adam thrust Kell forward.

"Look at him, Kell," Tope directed.

And Kell—though they could feel the muscles in his arms contract—looked steadily enough upon the dead man.

"That Mr. Ledford?" Tope demanded.

Kell shook his head. In the waiting silence his hoarse tones were clear.

"No sir," he said sullenly. . . . When Will Banion heard Tope speak Ledford's name, he pressed nearer, incredulous, astonished. He cried:

"Ledford? The Utilities man?"

Mat Cumberland started to speak; but Tope interrupted him. "You're Will Banion?" he asked crisply.

"Yes."

"Well, I want you to forget what you've heard," Tope sternly directed. "This isn't Ledford. You heard Kell say so. Now get along to town. Doctor Medford here?"

"He's gone ahead, going to meet me at my place," Banion said meekly, and turned to his task. When the ambulance was gone, Tope spoke to Cumberland. "Heard from young Dane?" he asked.

"Yes, he telephoned awhile ago that Holdom can make the trip tomorrow. They'll be here by noon."

Tope nodded, and he spoke to Cumberland. "You'll want to lock Kell up, of course. Drop Mrs. Tope and me at the Mill, and then you can take him along to town."

Back at the Mill, they found Ned Quill talking at the door with Bee Dewain. The trooper reported to Tope: "Well, sir, I've been up at the quarry. Got some wreckers or the job. They say they can get the car out of there tomorrow morning."

Tope nodded, and he said: "Quill this man is Kell, Holdom's chauffeur."

"Sure, I know him," Ned agreed. "We caught him in Faraway awhile ago," Tope explained. "He probably came in the limousine, left it around near here somewhere. See if you can find it."

"O.K.!" Quill assented.

The District Attorney suggested, almost regretfully: "You know, Tope, if this had been Ledford, we could find plenty of people around that might have had a grudge against him. Most of us put money into his securities. Amasa Dewain, for one."

"Whoever killed this man, it wasn't anyone around here, Mat," Tope said shortly.

"How do you know?"

"Because some one from outside is checking up on it. I told you there were two men here Monday night trying to trace the car—Whitlock and Deal. They slipped away early. I'd like to talk to them; but there's no telling where they are now!"

Bee Dewain said triumphantly: "Oh, yes, there is, Inspector. They're here—came back a few minutes ago. Mrs. Priddy's giving them supper right now!"

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

IMPROVED UNIFORM INTERNATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

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Lesson for December 16

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EXALTING CHRIST IN THE LIFE OF THE NATION

LESSON TEXT: Isaiah 9:2, 3, 6, 7; Luke 1:26-33.

GOLDEN TEXT: For unto us a child is born, unto us a son is given; and the government shall be upon His shoulder; and His name shall be called Wonderful, Counsellor, the Mighty God, the Everlasting Father, the Prince of Peace.—Isaiah 9:6.

Christmas is coming! It should be a blessed and delightful time this year. But do not fail to ask yourself, What is its true meaning? Why did Christ come? So that we could feast and celebrate? Surely not. He came first of all to be a Saviour; but do not forget that the Saviour is also the King of kings.

When Jesus came, His people Israel were practically without a government. They were a subject people under the rule of Rome. Their national life was in ruins; darkness had settled over their land, and there was both national and spiritual darkness. Christ came as their King, as well as the Light of the world. True, they rejected Him, and His kingdom is now in abeyance until He comes again to reign. One of these days He will come!

I. Darkness—but the Light Is Coming! (Isa. 9:2, 3).

When Jesus came there was deep darkness in Israel; there was no king. National honor and glory were at low ebb. Religious leaders had lost their spiritual vision and zeal. They were going through the form of godliness but denying its power. Read the book of Malachi for a picture of their desolation.

Then Jesus came, and the greatest Light of all time shone forth in the darkness. He was and is "the light of the world" (John 8:12). They that followed Him did not stumble in darkness (John 9:5; 11:9). How sad that they received Him not (John 1:11)! The reason? They loved darkness rather than light (John 3:17-21).

There is much darkness in our world today. We need the light of Jesus in national life, as well as in individual life. When will the nations of the earth recognize Him as the only One who can truly lead them through the darkness?

Military leaders, educators, and scientists are saying in our day that there must be a spiritual rebirth of the peoples of the earth if we are not to have another war which will destroy everything. No mere revival of "religion" will do it. We must have Jesus, the Saviour and the Light!

II. Chaos—but a King Is Coming (Isa. 9:6, 7).

We have already suggested that Isaiah's prophecy came at a time of chaos in the affairs of the nation. Would they ever have the order and dignity of a nation again? Who was to be their king? What kind of leader would He be? Our verses give the answer.

Seven hundred years before Christ came, the prophet presented a glorious, detailed picture of the coming One. He was to be born as a Babe—a Son—but the "government shall be upon his shoulder."

What kind of King is He? His names reveal Him.

"Wonderful"—that word has been so misused that it means comparatively little to us. It really fulfills its true meaning in Christ. He is unique, remarkable, yes, truly wonderful, "Counsellor"—in every detail of life, great or small, an infallible Guide. "Mighty God"—not just like God, or representing God; Christ is God. "Everlasting Father"—the tender and loving, unailing One to whom time brings no change, for He is the "Father of eternity." "Prince of Peace"—He is not yet the Ruler of the nations of the world, hence we hear not only of wars but of rumors of wars. Mark it well that there will be no enduring peace until He comes to reign whose right it is to reign, the divine Prince of Peace.

III. Jesus Christ—the Light and the King (Luke 1:26-33).

If Christ is to be honored in the life of any nation, yes, of our nation, He must first be recognized as the Son of God, the Lord of glory, the everlasting King of kings.

We need to emphasize that fact now when both military and political leaders are talking about the need of spiritual revival to save the world. Let us be sure that they mean more than just to pay formal recognition to a great man and a distinguished moral teacher. He is the Saviour, and there is none other (Acts 4:12).

Note the marvelous fulfillment of prophecy which actually took place in the coming of Jesus. Isaiah (7:14) said He was to be born of a virgin. He was (v. 27)! He was to be the Son of God (Ps. 2:7). He was (v. 32)! And so on through all the detailed prophecies of His birth.

We celebrate the fulfillment of these prophecies at Christmas time. Let us be reminded that there are hundreds of prophecies that He is to come again. Let us believe them, and look for Him. He is the hope of this poor world!

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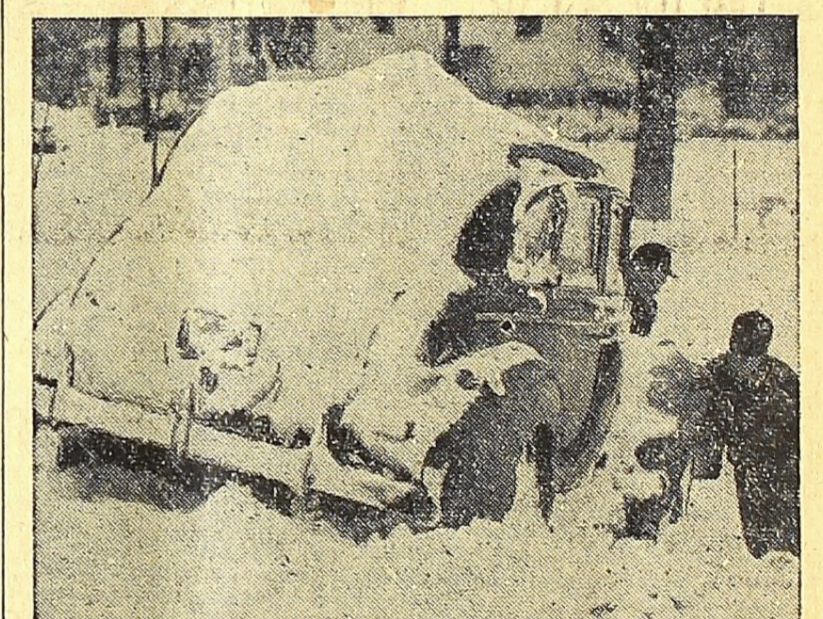
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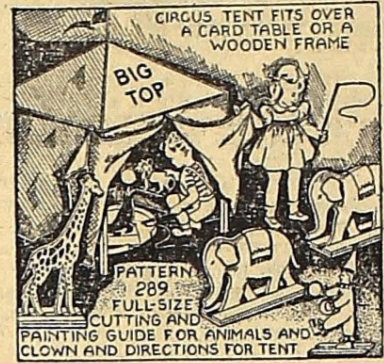
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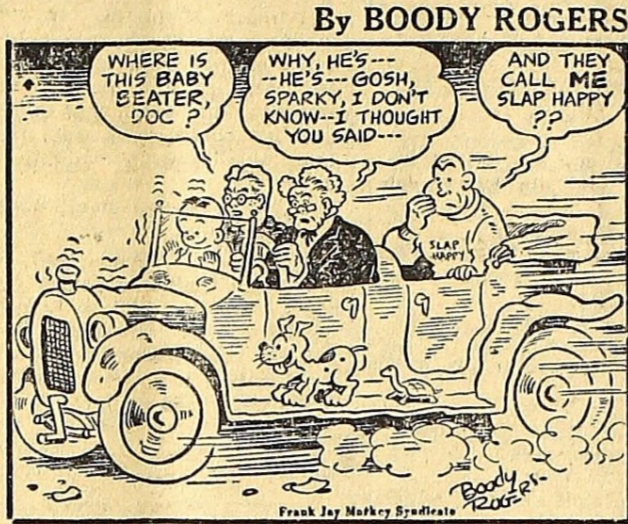
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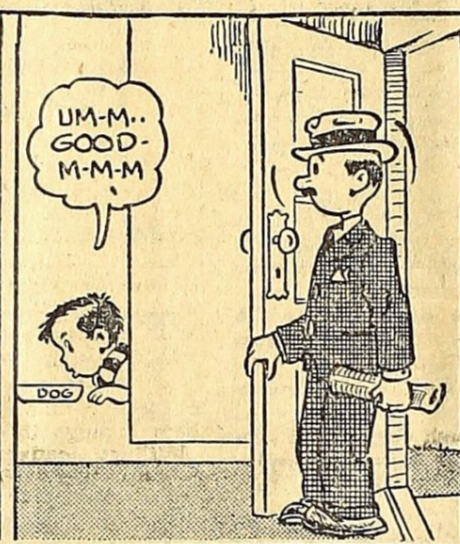
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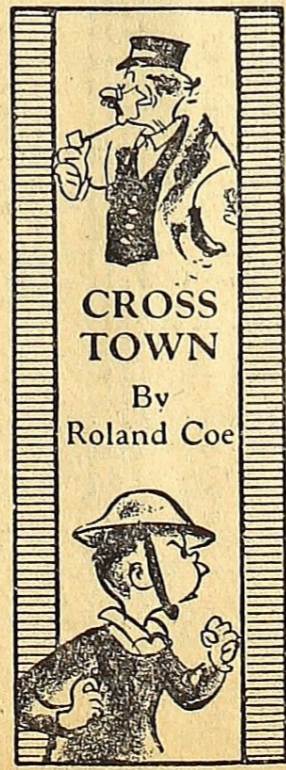
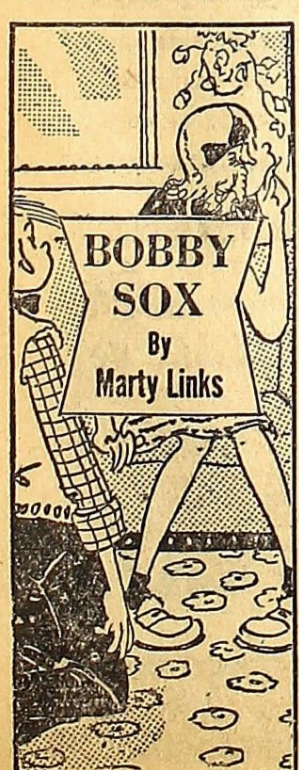
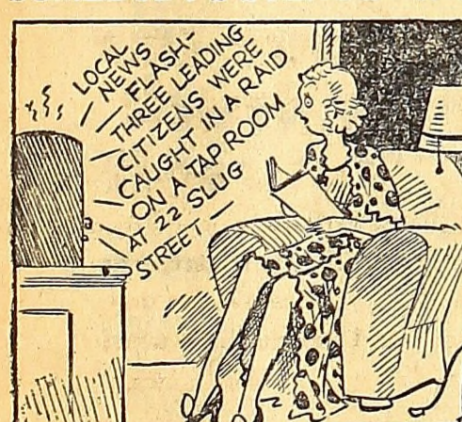
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Whittemore

Rev. and Mrs. Brooks spent Saturday in Bay City.
Mr. and Mrs. Angus Dunham spent Sunday at Maple Ridge.
Kenneth Allen is home, discharged from the Army.
Mrs. Rose Looks and Mrs. Edward Curtis and son, John, have returned from Detroit on Saturday.
Mrs. Alka Barlow is spending a few weeks in Saginaw with her sister, Mrs. Mary Benne.
Mrs. Otto Fuerst is in poor health at this writing.
Mr. and Mrs. Angus Dunham were in Bay City and Saginaw on Monday.
Rev. Brooks is holding revival meeting at Hale this week. Rev. Greer of Ossineke is the pastor who is delivering the messages.
Ernest Partlo arrived home on Sunday. Everyone is pleased to see him home.
Mrs. Albert Dorcy spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Merrick.

Hale News

Joseph Barnes of Reno who bought the Earl farm north of town is repairing the house and expects to move in soon.
Mr. and Mrs. Albert Spencer have gone to Saginaw where he will sell Christmas trees.
Frank Buck was taken to Ann Arbor last week for medical treatment.
Mrs. Bernice Van Wormer has sold her farm south of town to a man from Lansing who expects to build a slaughter house on it.

Lower Hemlock

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Smith and daughter left Friday for Bay City where they will spend the week-end before returning to their home in Dallas, Texas.
We are glad to see Lyle Long and Kenneth Rapp home. They spent several months overseas.
Mr. and Mrs. Martin Long are living in Tawas City for the winter.
Mrs. Anshuetz returned to Flint after spending several days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Anshuetz and family.
Mrs. Henry Falselt spent a few days in Detroit the past week.
Mr. and Mrs. Waldo Curry Sr. spent Saturday in Bay City.
Mr. and Mrs. George Grabow of Whittemore called at the McArdie home Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. Otto Look and family moved from their farm home on the Hemlock to their home in Tawas City.
Mr. and Mrs. Walter Anshuetz spent Wednesday evening at the John Katterman home.
Mr. and Mrs. Walter Emerick and daughter of Flint spent the week-end at the McArdie home.
Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Grabow and Mrs. John McArdie were Lay City visitors Saturday.
Mrs. Arthur Wendt and son, Kirk returned to their home in Tawas City Friday after spending two and one half years with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Katterman. Her sister, Ruth is staying with her.
Waldo Curry Jr. spent Thursday in Detroit.

Methodist Churches

Tawas City
Frank Benish, Minister
Sunday, December 16—
10:00 A. M. Morning Worship and Sermon.
Special Music by Ladies Quartet.
Sermon subject, "Joy and Peace as Marks of a Christian."
11:15 P. M. Church School for everybody. Miss Margaret Worden, superintendent.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH
10:00 A. M. Church School with classes for everybody. Mrs. G. N. Shattuck, superintendent.
11:15 A. M. Morning Worship and Sermon.
Special music: Solo, "Love Leads the Way" by Miss Ruby Evans and anthem, "O Take the Road to Bethlehem" by the Choir.
Sermon subject, "Joy and Peace as Marks of a Christian."
7:00 P. M. Christmas by the Church school. Play, "Let Us Go Into Bethlehem," by a group of young people. Pageant of the Nativity by a group of children. Recitations, duets and solos.

WILBER METHODIST CHURCH
Frank F. Benish, Minister
1:00 p.m. Church school for all.
2:00 p.m. Morning worship and Sermon.
Community Christmas celebration will be held on Friday, December 21, beginning with a pot-luck supper at 7:00 p. m. followed by a Christmas program of singing and recitations. With lighted Christmas tree and Santa Claus. Bring sandwiches and hot dish and table service for the supper. Families of the Community are invited.

Emanuel Lutheran Church
J. J. Roekle, Pastor
Sunday, December 9—
10:00 A. M. English Services
11:45 A. M. German service with holy communion.

Christian Science
Sunday, December 16—
Subject—God the Preserver of Man. All are welcome.

LOOKING BACKWARD

40 Years Ago—December 15, 1905
Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Whittemore leave next week for their new home at Buena Vista, Colorado. George L. Cornville leaves for that place Friday.

Will Kobs left Tuesday for South Branch to remain for the winter.

Hale Lake K. O. T. M. will hold a dance New Years Eve.

Japan's gain of warships and a lot of glory in the war with Russia, but that will not help her starving people.

Lyle Belknap and Russell Cumming of Whittemore spent a few days at Rose City.

Ernest and Henry Vance of Reno are spending the winter up in the woods.

Al Cripps of Rose City spent a few days here this week.

Rev. J. Brainard Brown of Bay City is spending a few days in the city.

The Kneeland-Bigelow Co. of Bay City have purchased a tract of timber in Cheboygan on which there is an estimated 15 million feet of timber.

John Robinson and A. C. Herbel of Alabaster were in Bay City Wednesday.

The marriage of Miss Bessie Wade and Ralph Clute will be solemnized December 19.

J. K. Crissman of the Hemlock road is spending a few days at Alpena.

Samuel Curtis of Lupton is spending a few days at Hale.

Miss Maggie McGill, teacher in the Sherman schools, spent a few days at her home in Tawas City.

For Christmas portraits see Hutchinson, the photographer, East Tawas.

L. A. Chichester, cashier of the new bank at Whittemore, reports that business is good.

Arthur Hobart of Hale is spending a few days at Whitford Center, Monroe county.

25 Years Ago—December 17, 1920
On Tuesday evening of this week this locality enjoyed a fifty mile gale accompanied by rain.

George Basso of Calumet has purchased the old Pangborn place.

Walter Campbell, agent for Agricultural Life, was held up at Bay City and relieved of \$400.00.

John Goldsmith of Monroe and Frank Goldsmith of South Bend are spending a few days in Sherman.

The Iosco County Pomona Grange will serve at an oyster supper Tuesday with the Sherman Grange.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Waters have been appointed delegates to the State Grange.

Charles Smith of Sherman has enlisted in the army and will go to Washington.

Theodore Lang left Monday for a visit with his sister, Mrs. John Dommer, at Cleveland.

Mrs. L. B. Smith leaves this week for Ironwood where she will spend the winter.

Joseph Sempliner is holding a "Going Out of Business" sale this week.

New 16-inch coast defense guns have been emplaced at Forts Terry and Wright in Long Island Sound. The guns will fire about 35 miles.

The Department of Labor is investigating labor conditions and unemployment.

The Ford-Newberry election recount will begin January 1.

Fred Murphy of Flint is visiting his mother, Mrs. Mary Murphy.

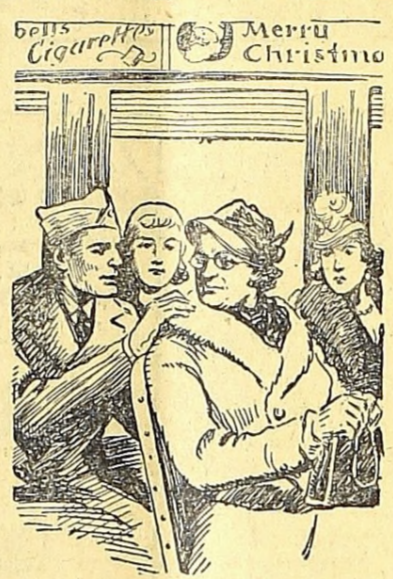
The following were elected officers of Tawas City Lodge, F. & A. M.: Jas. E. Ballard, W. M.; W. J. Robinson, S. W.; John Myers, treasurer; John A. Mark, Secretary; Isadore Friedman, S. D.; P. N. Thornton, J. D.; Clark Tanner, Tiler.

Hale Baptist Church
Rev. James C. Switzer, Pastor
Sunday, December 16—
10:30 A. M.—Sunday school and morning service combined.
7:00 P. M.—Young People's Fellowship.
8:00 P. M.—Evening evangelistic service.
Tuesday Night—
8:00 P. M.—Prayer meeting, Central War Time.
Thursday evening 8:00 P. M. Prayer meeting at Church.

Zion Lutheran Church
Ernest Ross, Pastor
Sunday, December 16—
9:00 A. M. Sunday school.
10:00 A. M. English Services
Tuesday, December 18—
8:00 P. M. Mens Club.



IN THE streetcar crowded with holiday shoppers Mrs. Weston couldn't see the couple behind her but their words added to her mounting despair and fury. Overhead, tinsel-wreathed placards exhorted to buy fur coats, diamonds, perfume. She shut her eyes to them but she could not shut her ears.
"That was one swell party last night," sighed the man. "Oh, boy!"
The girl squealed. Mrs. Weston cringed. The high laughter was like the whistle in Puppo, the rubber dog they'd given Harvey Jr. his third Christmas. Puppo had become more than a toy. He still lived in glory, a kind of household god enshrined in the whatnot in Harvey's room. "Love to Puppo," Harvey ended his letters. Puppo always topped the



"Lady, you have the wrong angle." Christmas tree. There'd be no tree this year. It was worse than childish of Harvey to want one. She wouldn't have it. A package had been sent to Harvey Jr. overseas in October, but there'd be no Christmasing at home.
Wicked, horrible, thought Mrs. Weston, that people are going through all the old motions of a Merry Christmas. No one has a right to be merry.
"You looked super last night," said the man. "You are super, honey. You're so beautiful." Mrs. Weston turned slightly and caught a glimpse of a flat pretty face surrounded by blond curls. "You rate orchids, honey," the man went on, "and you're goin' to have them."
The constant ache in Mrs. Weston's heart sharpened to a stab. For such fools her Harvey was risking his life. Another block of their chatter and Mrs. Weston would say, "The money squandered on orchids, young man, would buy a good many war stamps," or, "This is no occasion for whoopee."
"Jack thinks the Army is going to get him this time." It was the girl speaking. "And is he scared!"
The woman next her got off and another squeezed in. "Certainly going to be a big Christmas," observed the newcomer cheerfully. "Were you downtown Saturday? Worst jam I ever saw."
"I was not." Mrs. Weston felt compelled to explain. "I am going to town now only to select a wreath for my mother's grave."
Behind her the young people were still shrilling about Jack and the Army. "Tell him we'll give him a farewell party. Tell him if he gets shot he'll have a pretty nurse." The man was chortling. "Let's get off next corner, beautiful. You can buy me a drink."
Liquor, thought Mrs. Weston furiously, that explained their incessant giggling over nothing. She raised her voice. "I don't see how people can think about Christmas. How they can drink and laugh and waste money on silly things. Life is so terrible—" her voice broke. Heavens, people were staring! "My son—somewhere in the Pacific," she added hurriedly in a low voice. "I'm thinking of him."
She felt a hand on her shoulder. "Lady you have the wrong angle." The man behind her leaned forward. Her eyes met compassionate blue ones in a face curiously pale. "It don't help your boy any for you to have no Christmas. Be as merry as you can. Like as not he'll be back, fit as a fiddle—like me." He lurched to his feet.
Something caught in Mrs. Weston's throat. He was limping to the door. The car jolted to a stop and the girl thrust a steady little hand under his arm. Drunk, thought Mrs. Weston, drunk with the joy of being alive. She sprang to her feet, without apology pushed through the crowd. "Wait!" But they were getting off.
She was halted by the crowds on the sidewalk. Standing on tiptoe she saw the couple turn in at the dairy bar. A drink. They'd laugh and make love over an ice cream soda. "Merry Christmas, soldier," she whispered. "Be as merry as you can."
Misty-eyed, she walked to the corner rimmed with Christmas trees. "A small tree," choked Mrs. Weston. She wiped her eyes and picked one up, testing its weight. "It must be strong," she told the vendor firmly. "Strong enough to hold up a good sized rubber dog, and— and our spirits."

State of Michigan
The Probate Court for the County of Iosco
At a session of said Court, held at the Probate office in the City of Tawas City in said County, on the 7th day of December A. D., 1945.
Present: Hon. H. Read Smith, Judge of Probate.
In the Matter of the Estate of Mary E. Herriman, Mentally Incompetent.
Herbert Herriman having filed in said Court his petition alleging that said Mary E. Herriman is a mentally incompetent person, and praying that Herbert Herriman or some other suitable person be appointed as guardian of her person and estate.
It is Ordered, That the 2nd day of January A. D. 1946 at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, he and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.
It is Further Ordered, that notice thereof be given by personal service of a copy of this order upon said Mary E. Herriman and upon such of her nearest relatives and presumptive heirs-in-law within said County, at least fourteen days previous to said day of hearing;

And it is Further Ordered, That notice thereof be given to all others of her nearest relatives and presumptive heirs-at-law by a publication of a copy of this order for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Tawas Herald, a newspaper printed and circulated in said County.
H. Read Smith,
Judge of Probate

A true copy.
Dorothy Buch
Register of Probate.

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State of Michigan

The Probate Court for the county of Iosco.

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Tawas City in said County, on the 14th day of November, 1945.

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

In the Matter of the Estate of Madeline Glovich, Minor.

Henry Bronson having filed in said Court his petition, praying for license to sell the interest of said estate in certain real estate therein described,

It is ordered, that the 11th day of December 1945 at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office,

and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition, and that all persons interested in said estate appear before said Court, at said time and place, to show cause why a license to sell the interest of said estate in said real estate should not be granted:

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 said County.

H. READ SMITH,
Judge of Probate.

Dorothy Buch,
Register of Probate.

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State of Michigan

In the Circuit Court for the County of Iosco.

IN CHANCERY

O. James Crews and Florence B. Crews, Plaintiffs, vs.
David Solomon and his unknown heirs, legatees, devisees and assigns, Defendants.

At a session of said court held at the court house in the city of Tawas City in said county on the 11th day of October, A. D. 1945.

Present: Hon. Herman Dehnke, Circuit Judge.

On reading and filing the bill of complaint in said cause and the affidavit of H. Read Smith attached thereto, from which it satisfactorily appears to the court that the defendants above named, or their unknown heirs, devisees, legatees and assigns, are proper and necessary parties defendant in the above entitled cause and:

"The North half (N $\frac{1}{2}$) of the Southwest quarter (SW $\frac{1}{4}$) and the Southwest quarter (SW $\frac{1}{4}$) of the Southeast quarter (SE $\frac{1}{4}$) of Section one (1), Township Twenty-two (22), North Range Six (6) East."

H. READ SMITH,
Attorney for Plaintiff.

Business Address
Tawas City, Michigan.

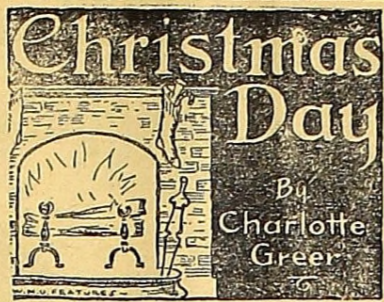
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Christmas Day
By Charlotte Green

"THE trouble with having such an all-fired modern family and trying to keep up with them," Alice told herself as she looked around the hotel dining room on Christmas Day, "is that modernism and Christmas just don't go together."

Her face felt as stiff as a hardened jelly mold from holding the smile she was determined not to relax, and internally she was positively wound up from the effort to emulate the rest of the gay, noisy people who were here instead of being at home where Alice thought they should be on that day above all others that has made your own fireside the place you most like to be.

While they waited for the entree she and William were alone, sitting at opposite ends of the long table watching their children dance. Each one had been permitted a guest of his own age, but Alice's eyes were focused on her tall, dark-haired Bill and his slim, golden-haired girl, Rosemary. Bill would soon be eighteen, that was why he fixed her attention.

William came over and sat beside her. "Happy, Alice?" he said, and covered her hand with his.

She returned his smile. After all, this spree was costing enough to have bought three or four turkeys for home consumption. "You were right, dear," she said. "The youngsters love it."

"Rosemary told me this is the one orchestra of all on the air that she'd choose to see," he said proudly. "It's a holy wonder her folks would let her out of the house on Christmas Day."

"The Custers are pretty old-fashioned people," said Alice, feeling that she was complimenting the girl's family.

"We're good for the Custers," said William. "They need stirring up. It's a fine thing for Rosie to get out and see a bit of the world."

"They're having their Christmas dinner tonight," said Alice. "Mrs.

It further appearing that after diligent search and inquiry it can not be ascertained, and it is not known whether or not said defendants are living or dead, or where any of them may reside if living and, if dead, whether they have personal representatives or heir living, or where they or some of them may reside, and further that the present whereabouts of said defendants are unknown, and that the names of the persons who are included therein without being named, but who are embraced therein under the title of unknown heirs, devisees, legatees and assigns, can not be ascertained after diligent search and inquiry.

On motion of H. Read Smith, attorney for plaintiff, it is ordered that said defendants and their unknown heirs, devisees, legatees and assigns, cause their appearance to be entered in this cause within three months from the date of this order, and in default thereof that said bill of complaint be taken as confessed by the said defendants, their unknown heirs, devisees, legatees and assigns.

It is further ordered that within twenty days plaintiff cause a copy of this order to be published in The Tawas Herald, newspaper printed, published and circulated in said county, such publication to be continued once in each week for six weeks in succession.

HERMAN DEHNKE,
Circuit Judge

Countersigned:
Effie Mallon,
Deputy Clerk of Circuit Court.

Take notice, that this suit, in which the foregoing order was duly made, involves and is brought to quiet title to the following described piece or parcel of land situate and being in the Township of Grant, county of Iosco, State of Michigan, described as follows, to-wit:



"Happy, Alice?" he asked.

Custer has invited Bill before the young people go to the dance.

"Come on, Alice, let's show these kids what for." In spite of the crowd, William covered the ground as he had in college when she fell in love with him. She was glad that she had managed to have her hair done Saturday. The gardenias the children had given her to wear to church yesterday were still fresh. She'd let Sister wear them tonight if her date didn't crash through. Bill had bet Sis fifty cents he wouldn't.

The orchestra melted into "White Christmas," and young Bill tapped his father on the shoulder. "Mom's favorite, Dad. Let's change."

Alice said, "You dance almost as well as your Dad."

"Look at him, will you?" said Bill. "Quite the old boy."

Before long everyone was helping Bill and Sister dress for the dance. Bill lost his wager, and whistled over the red roses that were just right on the turquoise blue of Sister's frock.

She said Bill looked simply gorgeous in his tuxedo and when his father saw him he said, "Too bad they don't wear 'em in the army, son."

They heard Bill call Rosemary's number on the phone downstairs and then he closed the door for privacy. "Wouldn't you think," said Sister, "he'd give the poor girl a chance to take a bath? I bet she gets good and sick of him."

Suddenly Alice remembered a call she had forgotten to make about the baskets the church distributed yesterday. She flew to the upstairs' extension, and when she heard Bill still talking in leisurely fashion, she opened her mouth to say, as she often did when necessary, "Hang up, you two. I need the phone."

But she didn't say those words or any others. She listened a few moments and her eyes filled with tears. The disappointment and hurt at the way her family had preferred to spend their Christmas vanished as her very best Christmas present of 1945 was received on the wire.

"Heck no," Bill was saying. "I can hardly wait for an old-fashioned Christmas dinner. That hotel business was all Dad's idea so Mom wouldn't have to cook and wash dishes all day. None of us liked it at all. Mom had a good time, though."

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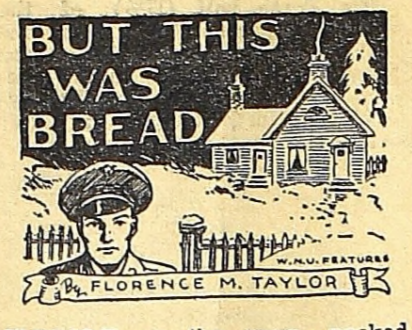
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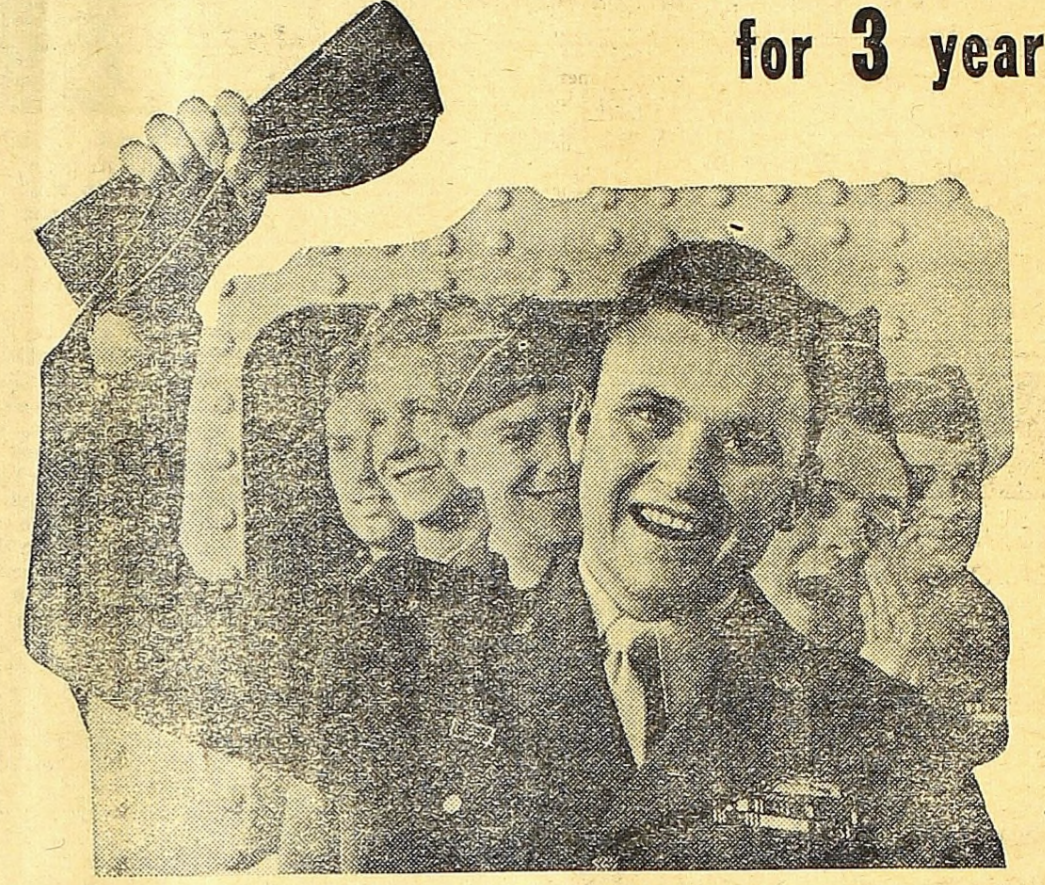


BUT THIS WAS BREAD
 PEOPLE on the snow-packed downtown streets were scurrying home. Wretchedly Private Kane hunched his shoulders deeper into his Army coat. It was Christmas Eve—and his last furlough. What should he do with himself? And he didn't even have a bed.
 A sign on a door read "Bundles for America," and he went in. At a desk a woman was warning, "Miss Rigsby, don't shove the candy into these stockings too hard. The net tears."
 "I'm sorry," Miss Rigsby's hands fluttered. "I guess I don't do much good." Private Kane figured she must be seventy.
 The young woman urged, "You'd better go home now. It's dark. You've helped a lot, really." She informed Private Kane, "Homes Registry—244 Market Street—will get a room for you." Then added, "Merry Christmas."
 At the door he stood looking out. Merry Christmas! That was a laugh. Christmas meant home and he'd never had one. Not that he hadn't appreciated the orphanage. But he was to be shipped soon and perhaps—perhaps he might never know what a home was like.
 His Army buddies wore mittens knitted by mothers, sweaters by aunts. They whisked out family pictures, pictures of sweethearts. And he—he had nothing! His chest hurt him, and his cough was harsh.
 "Liniment's good for that, soldier."
 It was the little lady. Her black hat sat high on her head. He thought, Her ears will be cold.
 "Rub your chest and put flannel over it." Her hands made a darting gesture to push his collar close about his neck. She was the kind who mothered everybody. "You—you could sleep at my house," she said timidly. "You—maybe have an engagement first—"
 What could he lose? But as he

RECONVEYANCE NOTICE
 To the Owner or Owners of any and all interests in, or Liens upon the Lands herein described. . . . Take Notice, that sale has been lawfully made of the following described land for unpaid taxes thereon, and that the undersigned has title thereto under tax deed or deeds issued therefor, and that you are entitled to a reconveyance thereof, at any time within six months after return of service of this notice, upon payment to the undersigned or to the Register in Chancery of the County in which the lands lie, of all sums paid upon such purchase of this notice, to be computed as upon personal service of a declaration as commencement of suit, and the further sum of five dollars for each description, without other additional cost or charges: Provided, That with respect to purchasers at the tax sale held in the years 1938, 1939, and 1940 the sum stated in such notice as a condition of reconveyance shall only be all sums paid as a condition of the tax title purchase, together with ten per centum additional thereto. If payment as aforesaid is not made the undersigned will institute proceedings for possession of the land.
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 H. E. Thompson, Whittemore, Michigan, Iosco county.
 Myron E. Horr, Whittemore, Mich. last grantee in the regular chain title of such lands or any interest therein as appearing by the records in the office of the Register of Deeds of said County.
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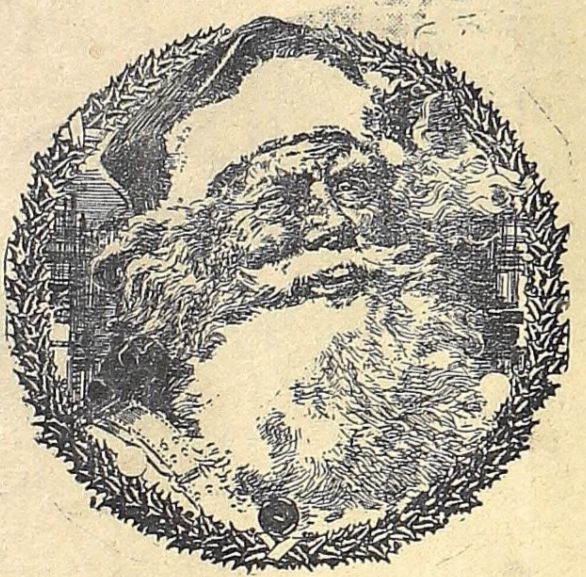
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"You could sleep at my house," she said.

helped her into a taxi he regretted his impulse to accept.
 The driver stopped in front of a toy of a house. Snow peaked the fence posts and was like crushed diamonds on the walk. She opened a door into the kitchen, and Private Kane looked around at the fancy lamp with glass prisms, the elegant silver canister on the worn red and white checked tablecloth. "Where's everyone?" he asked.
 "I live alone." Her blue eyes were apologetic. "I told you you'd better go on and have a jolly Christmas Eve."
 He lifted a stove lid on the range. A red glow flickered. He dumped in coal and opened the drafts with an authoritative flip. "It'll be cozy in no time. Better getcha some coal."
 "You shouldn't have all this trouble," she protested.
 "Trouble!" A wry grin twisted his lips. "Say, don't take off your coat. We're going to shop."
 Private Kane and Miss Rigsby selected carefully. He stopped before a fir. "Let's buy it." Private Kane smiled as he set his purchases down at the door. "You wait here a minute." Of course, he reminded himself, this was only make-believe having a home. Just the crumbs.
 He had bought her a fleecy blue scarf when he asked her to wait. Back at the house he set the table. The silverware was carved with cherubs. "Gosh, that's swell hardware."
 After supper they trimmed the tree. "Tinsel's a little tarnished," she said. "Oh! The angel!" She held it tenderly. "Pa always fastened it on the very top."
 His eyes lingered on the lamp, the tree, the silverware. Gosh, the quiet of it! Crumbs to remember. "You—could have a room of your own—" she stopped. Then, "If—if you wanted to come back here. After the war, I mean." She pushed a round fat object into his hand. "It was Pa's. I want you to have it."
 Private Kane sat up. "Me?" he breathed. "Me!" The watch was heavy and solid. He turned it over, observing the grand manner in which it was carved. "Thanks. Aw, gee—"
 "Merry Christmas," she beamed. "Merry Christmas to you!"
 Once more his eyes swept the room. Home! Why—this wasn't crumbs. This was bread!



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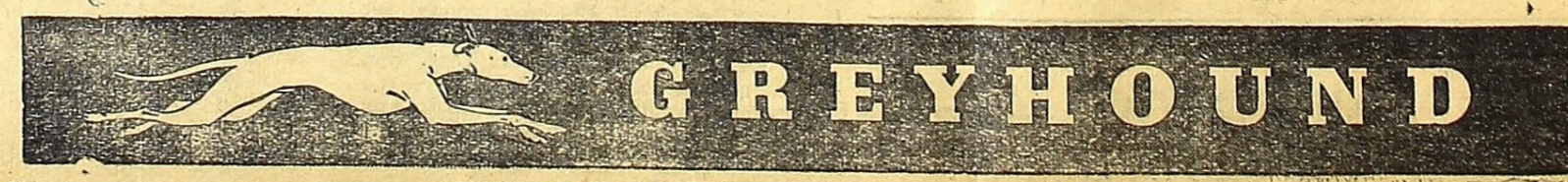
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State of Michigan

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 19th day of November A. D. 1945.

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

In the Matter of the Estate of Cora Barnard Deceased.

Russell H. McKenzie having filed in said Court his final administration account, his petition praying for the allowance thereof and for the assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate.

It is Ordered, That the 18th day of December A. D. 1945, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office, be and is hereby appointed for examining and allowing said account and hearing said petition.

It is Further Ordered, That 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 said

County, and that the petitioner shall at least ten (10) days prior to such hearing, cause a copy of this notice to be mailed to each party in interest in this estate at his last known address by registered mail, return receipt demanded.

H. Read Smith,
Judge of Probate.
Dorothy Buch,
Register of Probate.

State of Michigan

In the Circuit court for the County of Isoco

IN CHANCERY
Order of Publication
Violet M. Roussin, Plaintiff, vs. D. A. VanValkenburgh, H. P. Smith, Luther Westover, Christiana Smith, widow of H. P. Smith, their unknown heirs, devisees, legatees and assigns, Defendants.

At a session of said Court held at the courthouse in the City of Tawas City in said county on the 11th day of December, 1945.

Present: Honorable Herman Dehnke, Circuit Judge.

On reading and filing the bill of complaint in said cause and the affidavit of Herbert Hertzler attached thereto, from which it satisfactorily appears to the court that the defendants above named, or their unknown heirs, devisees, legatees and assigns, are proper and necessary parties defendant in the above entitled cause, and

It further appearing that after diligent search and inquiry it cannot be ascertained, and it is not known whether or not said defendants are living or dead, or where any of them may reside if living, and if dead, whether they have personal representatives or heirs living or where they or some of them may reside, and further that the present whereabouts of said defendants are unknown, and that the names of the persons who are included therein, without being named, but who are embraced therein under the title of unknown heirs, devisees, legatees and assigns, cannot be ascertained after diligent search and inquiry.

On motion of Herbert Hertzler, attorney for plaintiff, it is ordered that said defendants and their unknown heirs, devisees, legatees and assigns, cause their appearance to be entered in this cause within three months from the date of this order, and in default thereof that said bill of complaint be taken as confessed by the said defendants, their unknown heirs, devisees, legatees and assigns.

It is further ordered that within forty days plaintiff cause a copy of this order to be published in the Tawas Herald, a newspaper printed, published and circulated in said county, such publication to be continued therein once in each week for six weeks in succession.

Herman Dehnke,
Circuit Judge.

Countersigned:
R. H. McKenzie,
Clerk of Circuit Court.

Take notice, that this suit, in which the foregoing order was duly made, involves and is brought to quiet title to the following described piece or parcel of land situated and being in the City of East Tawas of Isoco County, Michigan, described as follows, to-wit:

The North thirty-five (35) feet of Lot One (1) of Block Eight (8) of the Original Plat of East Tawas.

Herbert Hertzler,
Attorney for Plaintiffs.
Business Address: Tawas City, Michigan.

State of Michigan

In the Circuit Court for the County of Isoco

In the Matter of the Petition for the Correction of the Supervisors Plat of Jose Lake Resort.

Notice of Hearing

Notice is hereby given that a petition has been filed by Fred B. VanHartsveldt and Maude M. Hartsveldt, his wife, in the above entitled matter and is pending for correction of the Supervisor's Plat of Jose Lake Resort in the Township of Plainfield, Isoco County, Michigan as recorded in the office of Register of Deeds of said County in Liber 3 of Plats on page 44 and that application will be made to grant said petition to the above named court in the court room of the Courthouse in the City of Tawas City, County of Isoco and State of Michigan on the 16th day of January, 1946 at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon of said day or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, and that anyone who opposes such petition shall be required to appear at such time or have his appearance filed on or before said date, in accordance with the rules and practice of said court.

The correction of said plat prayed for in said petition affects Lots 10 and 11 and the 20 foot private alley shown to be between said lots and extending from the shore of Jose Lake to the private drive which lies at the rear of said lots and the petition sets forth that such alley as shown has never been used as an alley either public or private and has never been dedicated to the use of either the public or to the owners in said subdivision for private use and that said plat is in error in showing such alley thereon and prays that the plat may be corrected deleting any showing of such alley and extending Lot 10 easterly and Lot 11 westerly to the center line of the area comprising such erroneously described alley.

Dated: December 8, 1945.
Herbert Hertzler,
Attorney for Petitioners.
Business Address: Tawas City, Michigan.

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N. CAVANARY

Tawas City

Wilber News

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Simmons made a business trip to Mikado on Tuesday.

Hollis Abbott of Flint called on relatives here on Saturday.

Mrs. Bertrum Harris and baby who had been visiting in Bay City returned home on Saturday.

Lewis Rodman is on the sick list.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Alda were supper guests at the Francis Dorey home on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Phelps visited in Detroit and Midland recently.

Mrs. William Phelps visited Mrs. Vernon Alda of Ypsilanti and Mrs. S. Bradford and Mrs. Anna Cornette on Saturday.

William Gackstetter of East Tawas has purchased the farm home of Frank Hardy.

Mrs. Ray Kops called on her sister Mrs. Francis Dorey on Wednesday.

The Ladies of the church will hold their annual Christmas party at the home of Mrs. Allen Schreiber on Wednesday, etoon hshrdln on Wednesday, December 19, a pot luck dinner will be served, and each lady attending is asked to bring a 25 cent present to be exchanged.

Birds in North America

There are about 1,500 kinds of birds in North America, north of Mexico.

The Tawas Herald

PHONE 68
Want Ads, per line 10c
Cards of Thanks, per line 10c
In Memoriam, per line 10c
Classified ads, one insertion, 10c per line. Additional insertions by month or year, phone 68 for additional information.
Average line six words. Minimum ad 25c.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Seasoned hard wood @ \$3.50 per cord. Also spring chickens. Matt Jordan, Melvor 14-4p

WANTED—Office desk. John J. Murphy, Leaf's Real Estate office. Phone 499 or 559. 30-1b

MALE HELP WANTED—Opportunity of lifetime supplying DDT and other profitable products to farmers in Isoco county. No experience or capital required. Must have auto and good references. Permanent. Write or wire McNess Company, Dept. T, Freeport, Illinois. 12-14-2p

FOR SALE—Potatoes. Howard Remper. Star Route, East Tawas 12-7-2-p

ORDER CHRISTMAS FOWL NOW—geese dressed ready for stuffing Also a thoroughbred guernsey bull just past 1 yr. old. Would make a good herd sire. Lyman Willis, 3 mi. south of Melvor, turn east first house. 12-14-1b

FOR SALE—8,000 feet of used lumber. Herbert Oates, Alabaster. 12-14-1b

FOR SALE—9x12 Wilton rug with pad. Telephone 268M. 12-14-1b

FOR SALE—100 bushed of oats, 12 ton hay, 22 sheep. Call or write 481. East Tawas. 12-14-1b

AIRCRAFT OBSERVATION TOWERS—FOR SALE

Sealed bids will be received until 3:00 P. M. Thursday, December 27, 1945, when they will be publicly opened, by the Clerk of Isoco County at his office in the Court house in Tawas City, for purchase for cash of each of the three Aircraft Observation Towers belonging to the County and located in Tawas City, Whittemore and Hale. Purchase shall require removal of the building, foundation and footings. All bids are subject to the right of the owner of the land where each tower is situated, at the time the bids are opened, to elect to purchase by equaling the highest bid. The right is reserved to reject any and all bids.

R. H. McKenzie,
County Clerk
Tawas City, Mich.

REAL ESTATE
FOR RENT—Three room upper apartment, furnished, shower bath. Enquire W. H. Pringle. 12-14-1b

FOR SALE—80 acre farm, new barn and 6 room house. Chester Roberts Tawas City 16-1-b

LOTS FOR SALE—In "Waltstown." Cabin for sale at Bass lake. Walter Anschuetz, Tawas City.

HELP WANTED

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LOST—FOUND

ESTRAYED—Large brown and white fox hound pup came to my place. Owner can have same by calling Julius Steinhurst and paying costs. 30-1b

MONUMENTS

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

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

DEFAULT having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made the 6th day of October, 1944, by Albert W. Allender and Bessie B. Allender, as mortgagors, to Ralph Stonewall, as mortgagee, and recorded on the 13th day of October, 1944 in the office of the Register of Deeds of Isoco County, Michigan in Liber 30 of Mortgages on page 605 and in the condition of an extension agreement dated the 11th day of July, 1945 and recorded the 27th day of November, 1945 in said office in Liber 31 of Mortgages on page 106, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due and unpaid at the date of this notice \$1676.88 principal and \$12.74 interest; no suit or proceeding at law or in equity having been instituted to recover the debt, or any part of the debt secured by said mortgage, and the power of sale in said mortgage contained having become operative by reason of such default.

Notice is hereby given that on the 6th day of March, 1946 at 11:00 o'clock in the forenoon, at the front door of the courthouse in the City of Tawas City, Isoco County, Michigan, that being the place for holding the Circuit Court for the County of Isoco, there will be offered for sale and sold to the highest bidder, at public auction or vendue, for the purpose of satisfying the amounts due and unpaid upon said mortgage, together with the legal costs and charges of sale, including an attorney fee provided by law and in said mortgage, the lands and premises in said mortgage mentioned and described, as follows, to wit:

The East half of the Southeast Quarter of Section Nineteen (19), Township Twenty three (23) North, Range six (6) East, excepting that part approximately 25 acres thereof, lying West of Smith Creek, and excepting therefrom the minerals or mineral rights expressly reserved to Grantor's predecessors in title as appears in a certain deed recorded in Liber 85 of Deeds, page 329, in the office of the Register of Deeds, Isoco county, Michigan in the Township of Plainfield, Isoco County Michigan.
Dated: November 27, 1945

Ralph Stonewall,
Mortgagee.
Herbert Hertzler,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Business Address: Tawas City, Mich.

TOYS ..

at MAKER to YOU PRICES!
Glen K. Harwood
EAST TAWAS

Hemlock Road

Mrs. Lester Biggs is spending some time in Saginaw with her daughter and family.

Miss Erma Lou Pfahl was called back to work in Saginaw.

Clair Long of Detroit came up and took his brother, Lyle Long back to Detroit for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Van Sickle entertained 16 at dinner Friday evening. A good dinner and fine time was had.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Pfahl were Thursday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Brown.

Mrs. Walter Miller and mother, Mrs. Coats and Mrs. Irene Lorenz called on Mrs. Charles Brown Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. Lorenz, Mrs. Miller and Mrs. Coats and Judie were at Whittemore on business Tuesday.

L. D. S. Church
Elder Frank Slye
Sunday, December 16—
10:00 A. M. Morning Service.
10:45 A. M. Church school and classes. Harrison Frank, Supt.
8:00 P. M. Sunday evening service.
8:00 P. M. Wednesday Prayer Service.

Notice
Winter taxes are now due payable at my home. Dog taxes are also due.
Mrs. Margaret Lansky,
City Treasurer.



Get Ready for Winter

FULL SUPPLY
Mobil Freezone
RAINBOW SERVICE

TAWAS CITY
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The Gift of Beauty \$1.75*

Unrestrained, pure red . . . Chinese Red, the color to wear with every color.
Say "Merry Christmas" to a lovely lady with the Chen Yu Chinese Red Smart Set.
Chinese Red long lasting nail lacquer, matching lipstick, and Lacquer stand in the lovely box, The Smart Set Gift Box is also available in Frozen Fire. Chen Yu Gift Sets are priced from \$1.75 to \$25.00.*

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TAWAS CITY

Gift Shop NOW

There is only 8 shopping days until Christmas--Stop in and look over our selection.

CHILDREN'S WEAR

LADIES' SLIPS

MEN'S SHORTS

ELECTRICAL GOODS

HARDWARE ITEMS

HOUSEHOLD ITEMS



TOYLAND
Snap Pistols
Lumber Wagons
Bubble Sets
all kinds of toys and games. Visit our Toyland today.

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TAWAS CITY

BIELBY'S BEST BUYS

40 Acre Farm with large buildings and orchard. \$2,500.00

100 acre Farm on M-65 near Loon Lake with good buildings Fertile soil. \$5,000.00.

Cottage near Sand Lake. \$800.00

Log Cottage on river. With five acres. Nicely timbered. 80 rods from lake, furnished. \$3,000.00.

Large Stock Ranch. Buildings almost modern. Fertile soil. \$20,000.00

260 Acres by Long Lake, including sub division. 13,500.00.

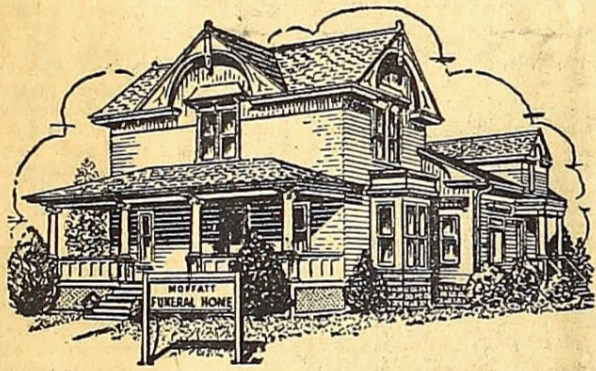
Six Room House in Hale on main street.. \$2,000.00.

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McCormick-Deering Electric Cream Separator

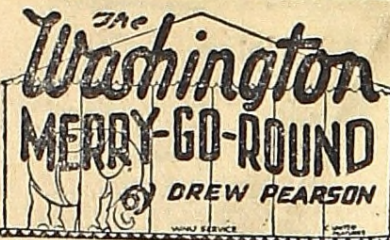
McCormick-Deering 2-Horse Cultivator

McCormick-Deering Soil Pulverizer

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TAWAS CITY



PRESIDENT'S MOTHER IS 93
WASHINGTON. — The President's mother is 93 years old. It's been a long 93 years of taking knocks and enjoying good times since her birth November 25, 1852.

That was just two years after the famous Missouri compromise which historians claim contributed to the Civil war. In the years that have passed, the Jackson county farm where Martha Ellen Truman was born has become 33rd and Indiana avenue in Kansas City, while her son, whom she never expected to be President, now sits in the White House.

Like her son, Mrs. Truman is a friendly person who likes company, including newspaper reporters. And if it wasn't for her maiden daughter, Miss Mary Jane Truman, who lives with her, and another son, who lives not far away, the President's mother would be a mecca of news interest. But whenever her son and daughter see a reporter approaching, death lurks in their eyes. The newsman is treated as a carrier of bubonic plague.

If you are fortunate enough to meet Mrs. Truman, however, you can understand where her son gets his energy. Except for being slightly hard of hearing, she is exceptionally hearty. Her voice is crisp, her observations pointed, and she possesses a poise and calmness of spirit rare in women of her age.

Like her son, who likes to get up early, Mrs. Truman is up with the dawn and about her household tasks. The house in Grandview, Mo., is a one-story affair, which enables her to get about without climbing stairs. A half-acre yard, enclosed by wire, surrounds the house. Four rocking chairs are in the front room.

HELPED HARRY'S CAMPAIGN.

Mrs. Truman reads with interest, occasionally attends the Baptist church, knows everyone in Grandview and until recently took an active part in the affairs of the community.

Back in 1934 when she was a relative youngster of only 82, Mrs. Truman even took an active part in Harry's campaign for the Democratic senatorial nomination, making frequent trips into Missouri counties visiting old friends in behalf of her son. Then, during the last Presidential campaign, she opened her home to women of Washington township communities and served as chairman of county group meetings for women party workers.

When Truman first was mentioned as vice presidential nominee, his mother didn't want him to be vice president.

"Harry is doing a good job in the senate," she said. "And he ought to stay there."

But listening to radio returns the night of the election, she switched chairs frequently and refused to go to bed until definite word of a Democratic victory was received.

"If Harry doesn't win," she commented then, "he won't be disgraced. After all, it won't kill him to lose."

Months later, when Truman was elevated to the Presidency by the death of the late Franklin Roosevelt, she said: "I never thought Harry would be President some day, like most mothers think. I never thought he would be vice president—nor senator, for that matter. But whatever he is—I'm for him."

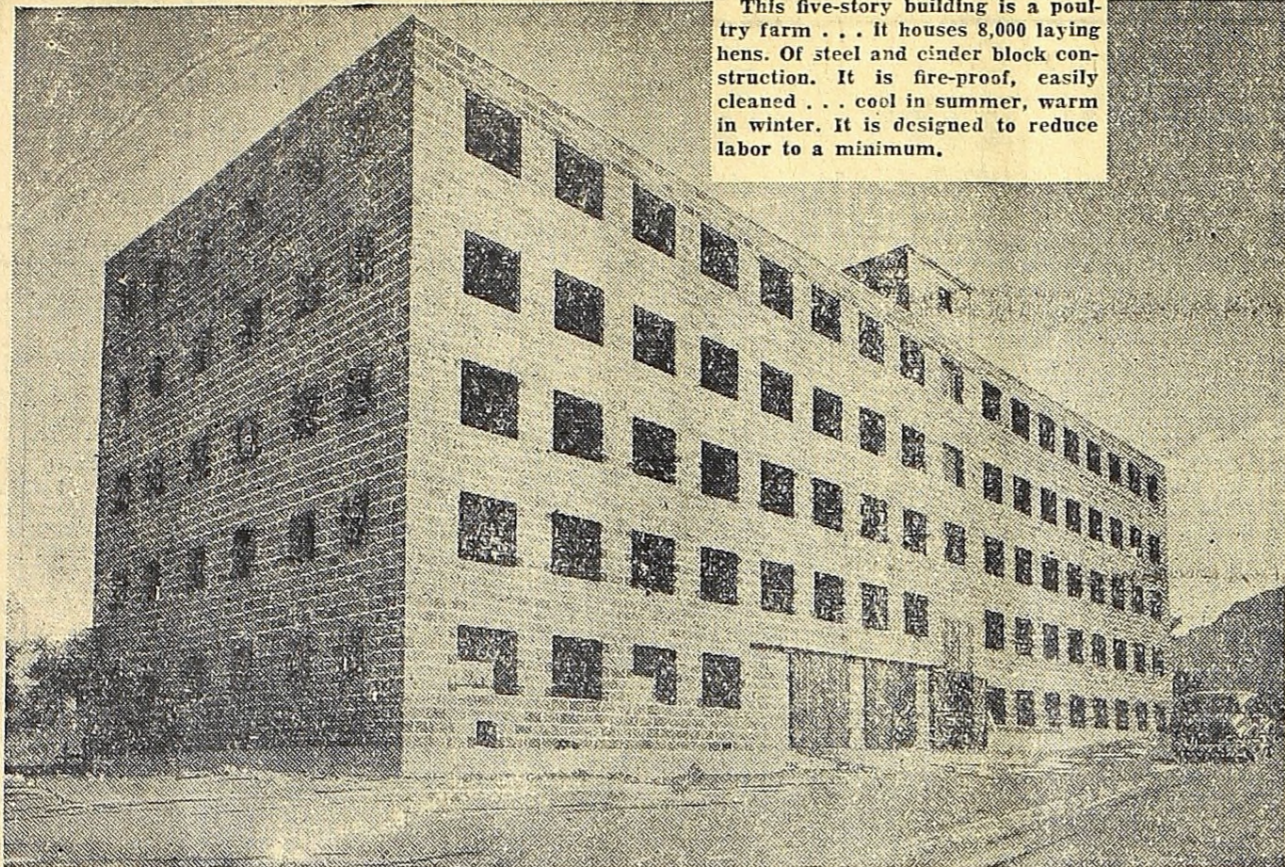
And anyone who has ever talked with Mrs. Truman cannot deny that. Her eyes never fail to twinkle when someone mentions her son.

Mrs. Truman has enjoyed good health since her recovery from a fall in April, 1944, when she slipped on a rug and suffered a broken left hip and left shoulder. When she attends community activities she usually wears a black dress and hat, and a dark wool shoulderette to keep her warm.

Secret service men who have found it difficult to keep up with the pace of President Truman undoubtedly will agree with her statement describing her son when she said: "He is no slow person. He gets where he's going in short order."

CAPITAL CHAFF

After flirting with various law firm offers, Franklin Roosevelt Jr., finally decided to team up with New York's ex-Lt. Gov. Charlie Poletti. The firm is Poletti, Diamond, Rabin, Freidin and Mackay. . . . Young Roosevelt has been doing a swell job pushing housing for veterans dumped off the boats from Europe. He is roaring mad at Mayor LaGuardia for neglecting this. . . . "The mayor knew way last summer that these men were going to be coming back," says young FDR, "but did nothing about it. Most of the men can't afford to stay in New York hotels, even if the hotels had any rooms, which they haven't." . . . Kentucky Republicans view 269-pound Ed Pritchard (he reduced from 300) as one of the smartest political organizers in the state. But they don't like having him around. He is trying to mould split-up Democratic factions, and as long as they remain split, the Republicans can win.



This five-story building is a poultry farm . . . It houses 8,000 laying hens. Of steel and cinder block construction. It is fire-proof, easily cleaned . . . cool in summer, warm in winter. It is designed to reduce labor to a minimum.

Five-Story Chicken House!

"THE Empire State Building of the Chicken World" may revolutionize poultry housing. At least many curious poultry raisers are taking considerable interest in a unique building that houses some 8,000 laying hens. It was designed by Merle Bantock of Salt Lake City, Utah, a poultry farmer.

The structure is a five-story building, 120 by 40 feet, with a capacity to take care of 8,000 layers. It has 24,000 square feet of floor space. All the labor-saving and time-saving operations known by the experienced poultryman have been built in.

This cinder block building has steel and lumber supports, with plate glass windows on all sides—assuring adequate ventilation and light. A wide hallway runs across the building. Upper floors are reached by elevator.

Entrance to each nest, as far as gathering of the eggs is concerned, takes place from the rear of the nest (sides of the hallways) without disturbing the layers. All feed and water facilities and their locations have been expertly planned.

Cleaning Is Easy.

Cleaning of the coops has been thought of in advance, too. The droppings and litter removal job can be performed with ease and speed. It is done this way: A dump passageway is found on each floor directly in line. Consequently at cleaning time all refuse can be scraped (by tractor) to passageway trap door, where it falls through the corresponding outlets and as a final result ends up in a truck waiting under disposal chute outside bottom floor.

Visitors at Bantock's unique poultry ranch are not there very long before they become fully aware that the entire setup was designed with labor and time-saving operations in mind. Savings in construction costs also were conceived before the building actually became a reality. And the savings in construction cost add greatly to the operating efficiency.

Minute Make-Ups

By GABRIELLE



Crown yourself with a Coronet of Curls! It's charmingly young. Brush the hair back into a low pompadour. Spray the ends with lacquer and comb over your finger, fastening each ring curl with hairpins. Use a bow at the back and you really have "written a headline!"

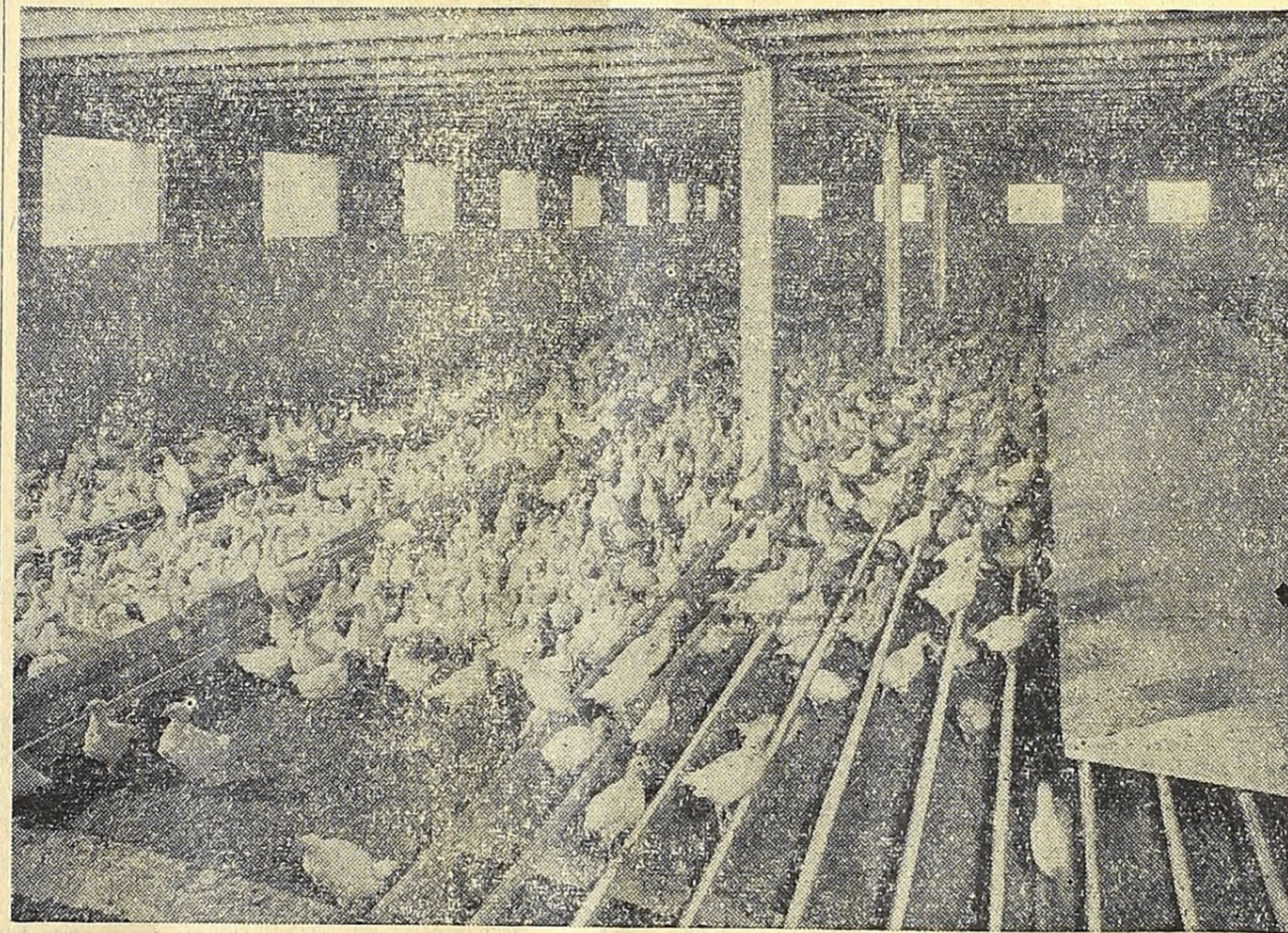
Ledger Syndicate.—WNU Features.

Longer Courtships and Engagements Will Curb Divorce, Claims Author

Better marriages, not more involved divorce techniques, are the solution to America's growing divorce problem, according to an article by James H. S. Bossard appearing in National Parent-Teacher. One out of every five marriages now ends in divorce—and the rate of divorce per 1,000 marriages in the United States increased from 110 in 1912 to 212 in 1940, and that rates approximating 400 divorces out of every 1,000 marriages are predicted for the immediate postwar period. Many answers to the divorce question have been offered, ranging from the legal abolition of divorce to plans for a sort of novitiate in marriage.

Mr. Bantock points out that in one building there is only one roof. Well, it would take five roofs ordinarily to house the layers soon to find a home under this one roof. It can be readily seen that roof costs alone on five buildings, 120 by 40 feet, would run into sizable figures, not mentioning other additional cost, investment on several acres of ground, etc., necessary in establishing five separate buildings. Then, too, there is the labor saving angle. A good deal more time would be required to care for chickens housed in five separate buildings than in one. The elevator service makes the egg gathering and feeding much easier.

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Here is one of the spacious "living rooms" for layers. Each is 40 by 60 feet. Wide windows admit plenty of light and air. The feed racks are suspended from the ceiling so that they can be hauled up for cleaning the floor.

'Jedburghs' Co-Ordinated Underground for Allies

The decoration of Capt. Harvey A. Todd with the Distinguished Service Cross and the Purple Heart with three Oak Leaf clusters gave the first public announcement of the dramatic and important part in the European victory played by the "Jedburghs," code name for a secret international unit that parachuted into France on and after D-Day.

In teams of three, the "Jeds" dropped ahead of the advancing Allied armies in France, Belgium and Holland, before and after D-Day to provide liaison between the members of the underground armies and the Allied high command; arm the resistance forces by parachute drops; organize and train them, and in many cases to lead them in action against the Germans.

The Jedburgh plan was implemented jointly by the office of strategic services and its British counterpart, with the help of the French, Belgian and Dutch governments in exile. The plan was based on the theory that the resistance movements behind the German lines would play an important part in any Allied victory on the continent, if they were properly controlled and their actions were integrated with the plans of the regular armies. The Jedburghs thus became one of the principal means used by OSS and comparable British organizations to integrate the efforts of the resistance with the over-all plan.

"GAY GADGETS"

Associated Newspapers—WNU Features.

By NANCY PEPPER

SWEATER SLICKERS

Sure, everybody wears sweaters. That is, everybody who's teen aged. But not everybody wears 'em with a flourish. It's the little tricks that make all the difference between drippy and droolsome. Here are some new ones that should glamorize every sweater collector.

Putting on the Dog—We mean, the Dog Collar. We don't have to tell you how bewitching and bewildering you look in the velvet ribbons you tie around your neck with date dresses. Well, how about plaid Dog Collar sweaters with your sweaters? Bet you'd never think of that all by yourself!

Stars With Bars—Those silver barrettes look lush when pinned to your sweater shoulders like a lieutenant's bars.

Alpha Bait—That's a good name for the newest swoonsation in jacquard sweaters. Letters of the alphabet are knitted in all over it in scrambled-anagram effect. Be the first in your class to wear one.

Take My Word For It!

By FRANK COLBY

ENGLISH AS SHE IS SPELLED

Q.—Several times you have remarked that "English is a completely unphonetic language." Are you rash enough as to suggest that English spelling does not represent sounds?

Answer:

"In English, sounds are seldom spelled,"

The foreigner exclaims. "One never knows how he should say the simplest words and names."

For instance, take -o-u-g-h, An easy combination, Until you try to say it, then It's pure abomination.

Rough rhymes with cuff, bough rhymes with cow, But through must rhyme with woo.

And cough is like the sound of doff, It's loony, entre nous.

Now right, and rite, and write, and wright,

With anguish fill my dome. But stranger still, to make me ill, Are bomb, and tomb, and comb.

If do and to must rhyme with coo, What rule applies to go? If now and how resemble frau, Why "oh" in know and flow?

I find that meat and mete and meet My shattered wits dispel. I'm off the track! Please lead me back

Into my padded cell. Bell Syndicate.—WNU Features.



FORTY-FIVE years ago it was inevitable that another big league baseball club would come along to divide patronage with the National that had been in operation for 24 years. So the American League arrived.

It has been just as inevitable that another new football league would come along the same road. Now the battle of the pro leagues is already under way, although the new All-American outfit won't take to the field until 1946.

In the earlier and perhaps the later milling of this gridiron war, a large number of pocketbooks are going to be badly dented or flattened out.

Only four teams have ever made any money to date in the National—New York, Washington, Chicago Bears and Green Bay. The others together have lost well over a million dollars.

But in spite of this there is no longer any questioning or doubting the fact that the new league is already here. Jimmy Crowley's circuit has signed up many smart coaches who couldn't have been lured away by anything less than protected financial guarantees. The new circuit has already signed up too many good college football players—Bertelli, Bill Daley, George Franck, Glen Dobbs, Otto Graham and others, to back out now. The new league has paid out too much money already to quit.

What will happen later, you might ask? For one thing the good college football players will benefit tremendously in a financial way.

Battle of Pocketbooks

For another thing, with greatly increased salaries, bonuses and what not, there will be a big drop in profits all around. Even as things have been, it takes an attendance of some 20,000 to break even.

It will be a battle of pocketbooks and bank accounts for some time to come. The National League can't afford to let its rival grab all the leading stars, for such men as Hutson, Baugh and Luekman have been largely responsible for big crowds. There will be enough good football players to go around, but there are never enough outstanding stars or actual gate builders.

What will happen later on? It is our opinion that after a series of painful sorties on the bankrolls involved, there will eventually be two major football leagues with eight teams in each circuit.

Some cities now on trial may fail to stand up or to show their enthusiasm for pro football on the needed scale. This is still true of big league baseball today where more than one or two big league cities should be replaced by others and where there should be some shifts in two-club centers that can only carry one club. New York, Chicago and Philadelphia can handle two major league football clubs. Granted the new league intends to hustle and put up a hard fight, there will probably be a football civil war for about a year, as there was in baseball when the young American League raided the National and took away many of its better players.

Bonanza for Players

Neither league can afford this type of competition long. It will be a wonderful thing for the players and coaches, but more than most of the club owners can face without going broke. Any number of good football players will be emerging from war service this winter and spring and many more will be graduating from college next June. Most of these will go with the team which offers most.

There is one point that both leagues should watch. This is, taking good care that they don't cross up the colleges or start raiding college teams. The colleges are now far stronger than the pros, considering the entire map, and they should remain that way. They are the foundation of football. There are or will be less than 20 pro league teams. There are over 200 college teams that appeal to more than 10,000 college players.

The present National League arrangement of taking in no player until his college class has graduated should be maintained by both leagues. After all such teams as Army, Navy, Pennsylvania, Southern California, Ohio State, Michigan and Minnesota, to mention only a few, far outweigh any professional outfit. Army and Notre Dame, Army and Navy games could each play to 300,000 spectators if there was only space enough.

Overlooked Old-Timers

During Ty Cobb's recent visit east the talk got around to some of the great ones of the past who are generally overlooked.

"For example," Ty said, "there was Kid Nichols of Boston, St. Louis and Philadelphia. Kid Nichols was one of the greatest pitchers of all time, but how many even remember his name today?"

I happened to recall some 40 years ago the admiration Christy Mathewson had for Nichols.

Smart Face-Framing Fascinator to Crochet



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FASCINATORS are beginning to pop out—all sizes, shapes and colors, but for sheer charm and face-framing effect the triangular fascinator, crocheted in soft, open-work stitch still takes the cake. You need just two ounces of yarn—try one in fuchsia, turquoise, Chinese jade green, soft beaver brown, yellow or rose-pink. Wear them unadorned for daytime, heavily sewn with sequins for dinner and theater wear.

To obtain complete crocheting instructions for the "Fascinator" (Pattern No. 5491) send 16 cents in coin, your name, address and the pattern number.

SEWING CIRCLE NEEDLEWORK 530 South Wells St. Chicago 7, Ill. Enclose 16 cents for Pattern No. Name Address

To Save Money, Mix Your Cough Relief at Home

So Easy! No Cooking. Quick Relief.

Even if you're not interested in saving good money, you surely want a really effective relief for coughs due to colds. So try mixing it yourself in your kitchen, and be ready for a surprise.

It's so easy to mix, a child could do it. Make a syrup by stirring 2 cups of granulated sugar and 1 cup of water a few moments, until dissolved. No cooking is needed. Or use corn syrup or liquid honey, instead of sugar syrup.

Put 2 1/2 ounces of Pinex (obtained from any drugist) into a pint bottle. Then fill up with your syrup. This makes a pint—about four times as much for your money. It tastes good—children really like it. It lasts a family a long time, and never spoils. But what you'll like most is the way it takes the right hold of a cough. It loosens the phlegm, soothes irritation, and helps clear the air passages. Eases soreness, and let's you sleep. You'll say you've never seen its superior.

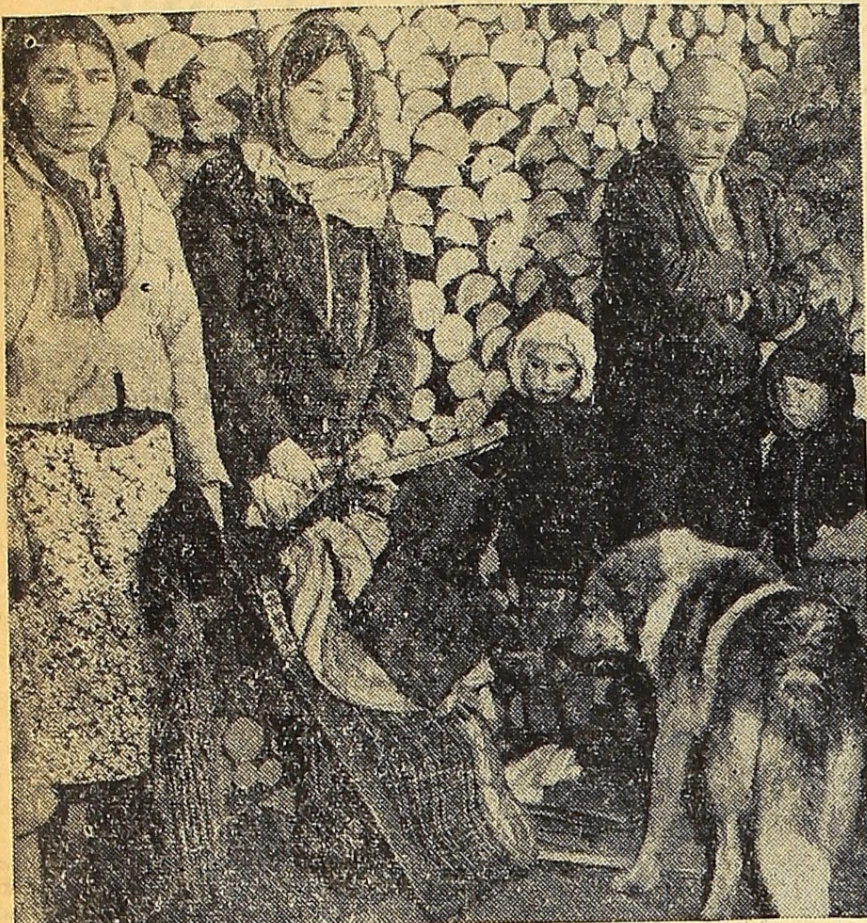
Pinex is a special compound of proven ingredients, in concentrated form, well known for its quick action on throat and bronchial irritations. Try it, and if you're not really delighted, your money will be refunded.—Adv.

Advertisement for Congress Hotel featuring 'African in Africa' and 'is the world famous CONGRESS HOTEL'.

Advertisement for 'TOMORROW ALRIGHT' featuring 'All-Vegetable Laxative' and 'Nature's Remedy'.

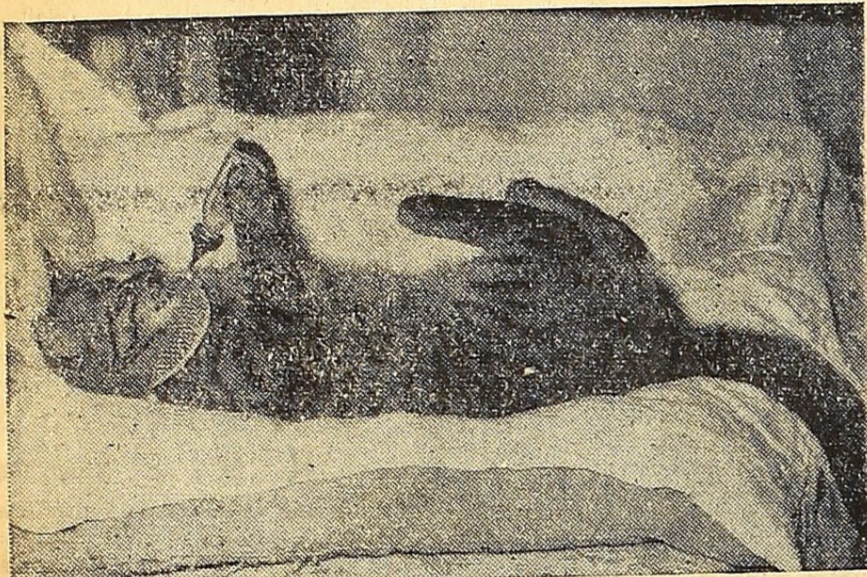
Advertisement for 'PAZO for PILES' featuring 'Relieves pain and soreness' and 'PAZO IN TUBES!'.

Like Their Sisters They Await Pay



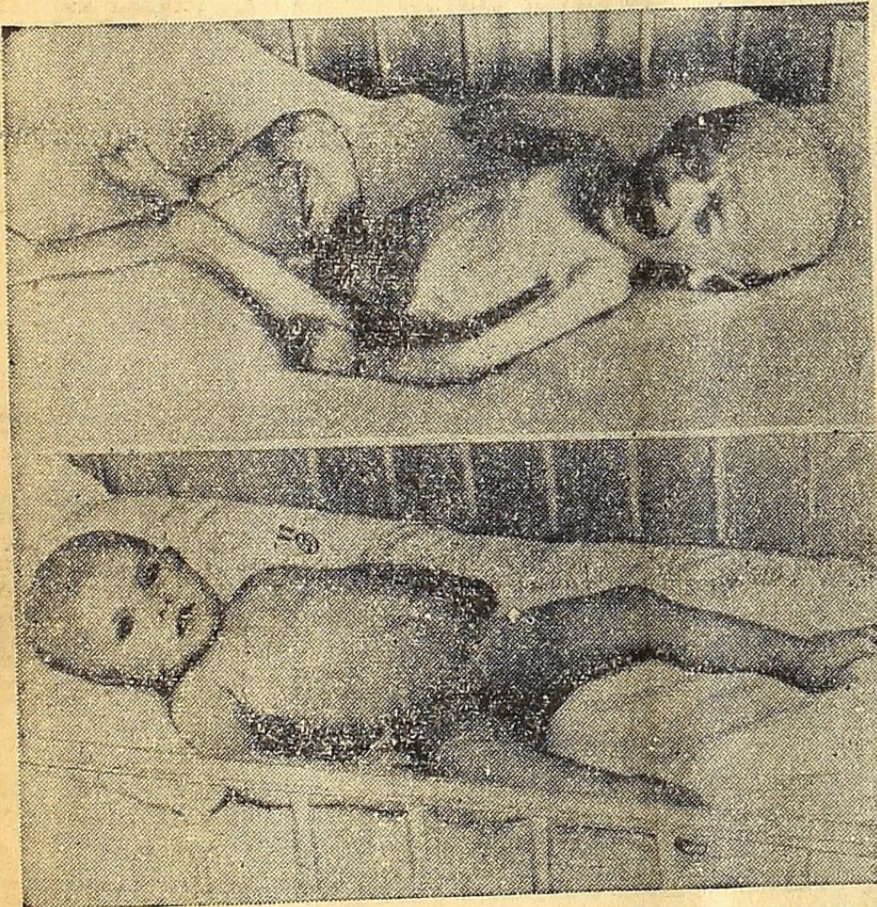
As is the habit of women the world over, these Indian women, whose husbands are employed at the Pickle Crow gold mine in Canada, await their husbands with their pay checks. Indian workers are paid at the same rate as white men, average base pay of \$47 per week, but it is said many prefer credits at local stores to actual cash.

Bottle Pussy Has Dinner



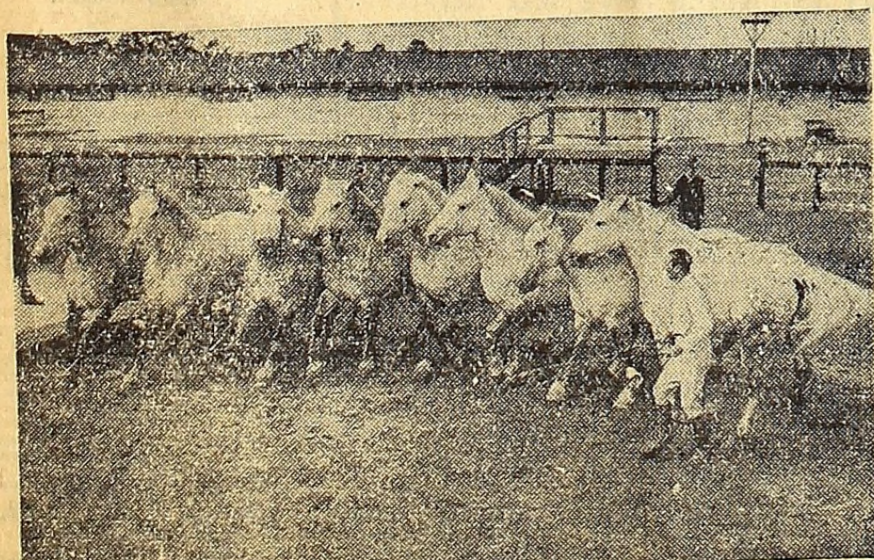
When it comes to putting on the feed bag, Muggsy just won't stand for interruptions. So the photographer's presence didn't stop him from keeping "on schedule." Photo shows Muggsy in a grade A session as he juggles the bottle at the Marilyn Williston home at Weymouth, Mass. It is impossible to get the cat to drink out of a saucer or pan.

UNRRA Rebuilding Youth of Europe



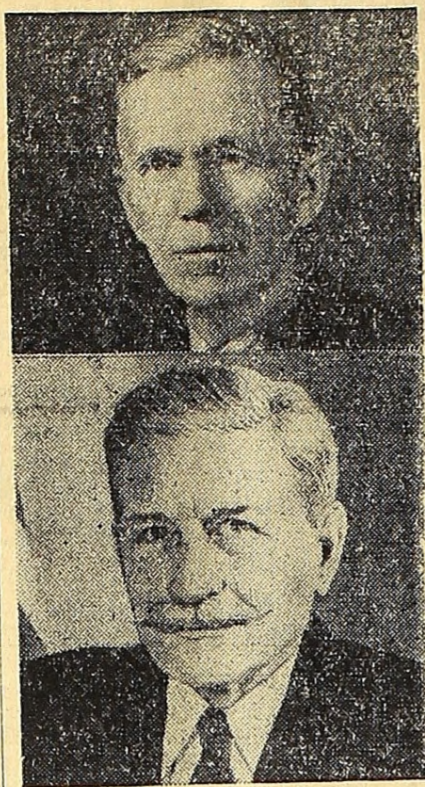
A UNRRA doctor took these two pictures of the same baby. Last July this nine-month-old little skeleton, just liberated from a Nazi concentration camp, was turned over to the UNRRA. By the end of October, after months of excellent care in Sweden, he was a normal healthy baby demonstrating the success of building up Nazi starved children.

Percherons Become Circus Stars



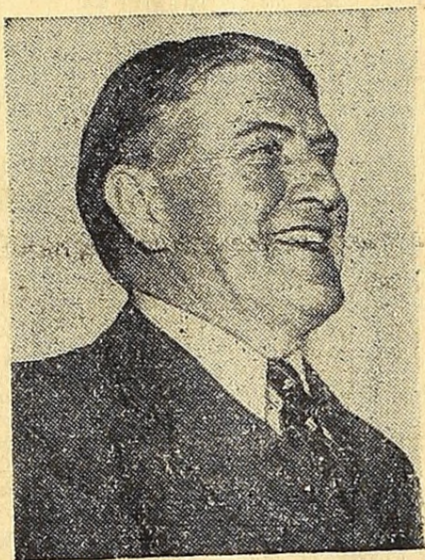
For the first time in the history of the circus, Percherons are being trained to become sawdust ring stars. Sometimes known as the Percheron Norman, named from La Perche, a French district, this type of horse is ordinarily a work horse. These magnificent specimens are being trained at the Sarasota, Fla., circus winter training headquarters.

New Envoy to China



General of the Army George C. Marshall, upper, who steps into the world's No. 1 postwar trouble spot, China, due to his recent appointment as ambassador, succeeding Maj. Gen. P. J. Hurlley, lower, who resigned in protest against policies in China.

Legion Commander



John Stelle, ex-governor of Illinois, who will serve as commander of the American Legion during 1946. With hundreds of thousands of veterans of World War II joining with veterans of World War I in the Legion, it becomes the largest organization in U. S.

Barefoot Tennis Ace



Binny Pails, Australia's favorite tennis player, shown in his favorite footwear — nothing — as he took the measure of some of United States' new top-ranking stars when they visited Australia as G.I.s and G.I. morale builders.

General Follows Son



Lieut. Gen. Alexander M. Patch, veteran of World War I, who also fought against both the Germans and Japs in World War II, recently died at San Antonio. He lost his son in this war.

'Hansel and Gretel' Join Procession

Engelbert Humperdinck wrote the original score of "Hansel and Gretel" as a Christmas piece to be given at a party for his sister's children.

The musical fairy tale created such a sensation that Humperdinck and his sister, Mrs. Adelheid Wette—who wrote the words—elaborated the "piece" into a complete opera which has delighted music lovers of all ages since its first production in 1893.

Since Humperdinck was one of Richard Wagner's most intimate assistants, his harmonies have been dubbed "nursery rhymes—Wagnerian style" and since fairy tales and nursery rhymes are appropriate at Christmas time, "Hansel and Gretel" has joined the procession of traditional Christmas music.

Waif Zed Finds Out About Love and Sells Jewel to Buy a Mother

By DOROTHEA WAITZMANN
Once upon a time a homeless waif was adopted by a band of Nomads who plundered caravans traveling the highways of Judea.

We shall call the waif Zed. His story was written by Mrs. Perry.



Santa may miss some this year.

who made him the central character of her Christmas story "The Jewel." Although we have forgotten the proper names of the characters and lost trace of our friend Mrs. Perry, "The Jewel" has become as traditional with us as Dickens' "Christmas Carol."

Zed was useful to the Nomads, so they did not abuse him too much. In those days, when everyone was ordered by Caesar's decree to go unto his native city to be enrolled for taxation, Zed was sent scouting among the travelers—the bandits awaiting his report on who was worth robbing.

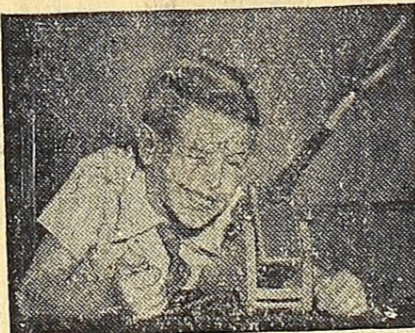
The boy "fell in" with Eleazar and his family. The family was a happy household in comfortable circumstances. Surrounded by her own children, the mother embraced the ragged child and, for the first time in his life, Zed realized the existence of love and kindness.

Zed did not dare to remain in this new found paradise too long, lest his masters think he was awaiting an opportunity to assist them in plunder.

Returning to the Nomad camp, he reported Eleazar's outfit to be poverty stricken; then he slipped away and sought "his tree" within whose hollow crook he had secreted a jewel held out from a previous robbery.

Zed fondled the precious stone. He knew what he would do; he was going to run away to Jerusalem and there, having sold his jewel, he would buy himself a mother.

Electronic Toys



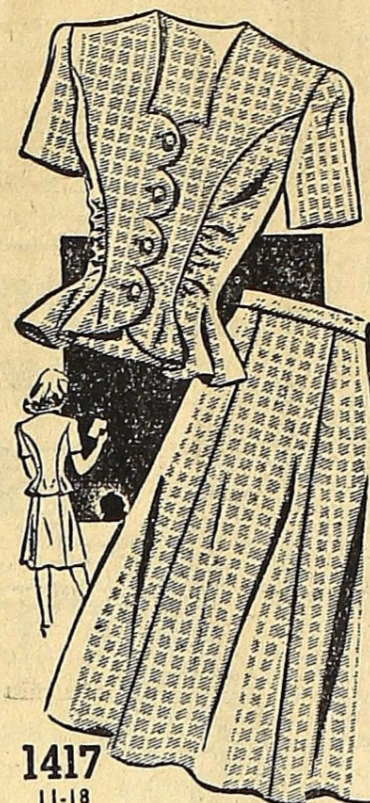
Something new in toys is being displayed by Gunner John McPaul, 10, of Brooklyn. The new toy cannon, fired by electro-magnetism, expels wooden shells with just enough force to make it interesting but not dangerous.

'Putyeas' of Dutch

The Pennsylvania Dutch convert their living rooms into elaborate scenes during the holiday season. Families hand the scenes down from generation to generation, and pack them carefully away in cotton from one year to another. These people make the rounds during Christmas week ringing door bells and admiring each others' "Putyea." Along with the manger there is a great snow banked landscape, with the figures all in scale.

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County has Huge Job Ahead on Home Repair

More than \$643,000 is expected to be spent during the next five years by Iosco county home owners on remodeling and repair work.

The year 1946 promises to inaugurate one of the greatest eras in American history for home repairs and modernization, according to estimates released by the Building Council of America. "Few developments will contribute more to employment and general prosperity in any community," according to R. E. Jordan, chairman of the Council's Residential Construction Committee.

Because of lack of materials and manpower during the war, majority of the county's 3,651 dwelling units are in need of some kind of repair or remodeling work. Kitchen improvements and modernization of bathrooms, installation of tiled showers and in some homes addition of a second bath top the nation's list of most wanted major improvements, Jordan said.

Outside paint jobs are needed on more than 50 per-cent of homes, and addition of rooms and construction of porches also rank high in remodeling plans, according to the report. New roofing and heating plants are required by many dwellers.

Hottest Man-Made Flame
The hottest man-made flame in existence is found in the nitrogen electric arc and reaches a temperature of 18,300 degrees F., says Collier's. The heat is developed by the separation and recombination of the two atoms of each molecule of nitrogen as the gas flows through the arc at a pressure of 14,000 pounds per square inch.

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ANDY DEVINE
BUSTER KEATON
ALSO
"FOOTBALL THRILLS"
with Pete Smith
Color Cartoon and Sports

School Notes

Primary Room
Donna Simons, Henry McCorkick, and Jeanette Koenske visited in our room during the week.

We still have a great many absences due to colds. The second graders have organized a "Good Readers Club." Bob Morley is the president. We meet on Friday afternoons. At our first meeting, Joyce Russell read "The Three Little Kittens," Donna Kendall read a story called "Too Big," and Cleo Brunning read a story called "A Birthday Party."

The second graders who received "A's" in the weeks spelling test are Alvin Arnold, Cleo Brunning, Patsy Clements, John Engle, Kaye Frank, Donna Kendall, Donald Lake, Bob Morley, Phyllis Nelson, Joyce Russell, Judy Rapp and Carol Simmons.

We are planning a short program and Christmas party with the Kindergarten.

Kindergarten
A great many of our boys and girls are absent on account of sickness.

We are planning a Christmas program with the Primary room. Ruth Lossing's birthday was the 3rd and Jeanne Olex the 10th. Their mothers gave nice birthday parties for them.

Grades 3 and 4
We finished selling Christmas seals yesterday. We had two teams, the Reds with Kay Brunning for leader, and the Blues with Neal Hughes for leader. Neal's side won. They sold \$9.19 worth, Kay's team sold \$8.10 worth. Our total was \$17.29. All our boys and girls sold ten or more so each one won a badge to wear.

Those who had "A" on last week's spelling test were: third grade; Dwight, Louise Marvin, Judy, Neil, Lois, Carol Toms, Melvin, Carol Frank, Kenneth and Bobby. Fourth grade; Kay, Nancy, Shirley, Christine, Charles, Roland, Neal, Ronald, Tommy, Roxanne, Marilyn, Larry, Jimmie Clements and Dickie.

Commercial Room
The first year typing students are beginning to make a booklet entitled "Man Conquers the Air." They are planning an attractive cover for it. They have also started a new section called "Arrangement and Selective recall."

The second year typists have started adoption three. They are working for the Cunningham Dept. Store. The Shorthand class had a test over unit ten and eleven and are preparing for a test over unit thirteen and fourteen. They have started to study the diphthongs.

Bowling

TAWAS CITY RECREATION Commercial League—Monday

Weaver Radio	28	16
Moeller Grocery	28	16
Gingerich Feed	21	23
Jordan's Grocery	20	24
Hi-Speed	19	25
Tawas Bar	16	28
Ind. high 3 game—J. Hammell, 694. Ind. high single game—H. Neumann, 272. Team high 3 game—Moeller Grocery, 3048. Team high single—Gingerich Feed, 1079.		
Ladies League Tuesday Night		
Wickert's Lunch	26	10
Dann's Beer	23	13
Sis's Dress Shoppe	25	15
Family Theatre	22	22
Hammell Fishery	20	20
Mueller Block	18	18
Gingerich Feed Mill	18	22
Blue Water Inn	4	36
High average—Shirley Anschuetz. High game—S. Anschuetz, 272. High three games—Shirley Anschuetz 676. High team game—Mueller Block, 1044. High team three games—Wickert's Lunch, 2922.		
Major League—Wednesday		
Peoples State Bank	31	13
Mueller Concrete	25	19
St. James Electric	20	24
Bronson & Goupil	20	24
Barnes Hotel	18	26
Holland Hotel	13	26
Ind. high 3 game—F. Lomas 722. Ind. high single—G. Shattuck 286. Team 3 game—Bronson & Goupil 3044. Team high single—Bronson & Goupil 1049.		
Minor League—Thursday		
Brook's Auto Parts	29	11
Buckhorn Inn	29	11
Rainbow Service	21	19
Barkman Mercantile	20	20
Bernatowicz Drugs	12	28
Myles Insurance	9	31
Ind. high 3 game—J. Lonsbury, 697. Ind. high single game—B. Miller, E. Anschuetz, 257. Team high 3 game—Buckhorn Inn 3008. Team high single—Buckhorn and Brook's Auto 1089.		
Inter-City League—Friday Night		
Reid's Grocery	30	16
Kitty & Ed's Bar Tavern	29	11
AuGres Cubs	26	14
AuGres Tool No. 2	23	17
AuGres Tool No. 1	7	33
Hartwick & Son	5	35
Ind. high 3 game—J. Clevers 696. Ind. high single—J. Clevers 254. Team high 3 games—AuGres Tool No. 2, 3168. Team high single, AuGres Tool No. 2, 1113.		

Origin of 'Vaudeville'
The word "vaudeville" is derived from the gay French songs called "Voix-de-Ville"—voices of the city—which originated in Normandy, in the valley of the Vire (Vaux de Vire).

Notice
Winter taxes are now due payable at my home. Dog taxes are also due.
Mrs. Margaret Lansky,
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State of Michigan
The Probate Court for the county of Iosco.
At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Tawas City in said County, on the 5th day of October, 1945.
Present: Honorable H. Read Smith, Judge of Probate.
In the Matter of the Estate of Minnie Pomerantz, Deceased.

It appearing to the Court that the time for presentation of the claims against said estate should be limited and that a time and place be appointed to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against said deceased by and before said court.
It is ordered, That all creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said Court at said Probate Office on or before the 17th day of December, 1945, at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon, said time and place being hereby appointed for the examination and adjustment of all claims and demands against said deceased.

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