NEWS of

Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Coyle and son, Pat left Tuesday for Bradenton, Florida. Enroute they will visit at South Bend, Indiana with Mrs.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Taylor of Birmingham were called here by the death of his father, F .F. Taylor last

week.

Miss Rosemary Witzke is a patient at Mercy Hospital, where she was operated on for appendicitis.

Miss Donna Moore spent Saturday

in Bay City. Martin Musolf, Jr., of Bay City

E. Laidlaw of Tawas City and Mrs. Edward Graham of Whittemore and

other relatives.

James Stevens of Detroit spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. George Burnette. Tires, tires, all sizes of tires. Western Auto Store. adv. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Latter of Reno

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Latter of Reno township were business visitors in the city Thursday.

Nine Tawas City and rural teachers enrolled at the new extension course held at the Whittemore school Friday evening. The study course is under Woodward Smith, Director, Michigan College of Education at Mount Pleasant. Dr. Cuff and Don Finch are instructors. Those attending from here are R. A. Rollin, Mrs. Ellen McGuire, Mrs. Hildur Rollin, Mrs. Mable Scarlett, Mrs. Mable Bigelow, Mrs. Muriel Horton, Viola Groff and Wilbert Mueller.

Wm. G. Murray of Detroit is home for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Latter of Reno township were business visitors in the immediate future to help defray expenses in securing our new home," Harry Morley, commander of the post, stated Thursday.

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"A motion was made and carried that a Ladies Auxiliary of the Veterans of Foreign week.

"All veterans eligible to membership in the Veterans of Foreign

Wm. G. Murray of Detroit is home for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Timreck, Jr., have returned from Gladwin where Charles had been having medical attention at the Gladwin Hospital.

Mr. And Mrs. Charles Timreck, Wars are urged to oin us and help us make this undertaking a success," Commander Morley said.

Matrons of the Order of the Eastern Star on Tuesday of his week.

Irene Rebekah Lodge will hold their annual installations of officers their annual installations of officers next Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock. Reaffirm Road

Glen Hughes has sold out the Quality Market to Mr. Stevens who has been operating a lunch stand on Newman Street.

Mrs. Wiliam DeGrow attended the

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Wideman of Bayport visited relatives and friends over the week-end.

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The Parent Teacher's Association met on Monday this week at the East Tawas High School, Music was furnished by the High School Junior Band under the direction of Frank Humberger. Trooper Walling of the State Police gave a talk on Safety in its different phases. As a result the P. T. A. went on record as sponsors for a class in "Safety Driving Lessons" to be taught all teen agers under the direction of State Police. Committees were appointed to attend to organization of a class. The committee is C. J. Creaser, Howard Braden, Mrs. Bigelow, and Mrs. Heinman.

Mrs. Otto Grinkey received news for the Board and asked for a reconsideration of the matter, but a large majority of the board members maintained that appointment of members of the Board of County Road Commissioners would bring this department in closer relationship with county government. The resolution to appoint road commission last year.

Compensation for Board of County Road Commission members was raised to \$6.00 per day while attending meetings and acting on road commission business.

Supervisors Fred Brabant of Tawas City and Bert Stickney of Oscoda were named delegates to attend a meeting of the State Association and the board members of the Board of County Road Commissioners would bring this department in closer relationship with county government. The resolution to appoint road commission last year.

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her mother.

C. E. Lickfelt, of Lansing has been visiting this last week-end with his son, Eugene, and daughter, Mrs. Harry Morley.

Little Patty Bailey entertained at a birthday party for her little friends Monday afternon. It was her seventh birthday

Ruth's Dancing School is preparing a program to be held at Tawas City gymnasium February 5th, for the benefit of the High school projector to be purchased. All services will be donated. Little five year old Jo Ann Fernette will act as a little majorette and will give a demonstration.

Frank Craven of Flint was arraigned Monday before Justice H. E. Friedman charged with the distribution and operation of money bearing punch boards. Craven was bound over to circuit court.

The action followed a raid made several weeks ago by Sheriff John Moran in which a number of money punch boards were picked up in sev-

Mrs. Ann Hanson was hostess to the Past Matron's of Iosco Chapter, Order of Eastern Star, at a twelve o'clock luncheon on Tuesday of this week. Following the luncheon, the ladies held a short meeting and social least one business place by Craven.

CARD OF THANKS

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## THE TAWAS HERALD

TAWAS CITY, MICHIGAN, FRIDAY: JANUARY 24, 1947

## VFW Purchase Elks Defeat Bayvue Lodge 21 to 20 Game

Ladies'Clubs

Hold Annual

Branch school, and was greatly en-

present.

NORLD

Banquets

## South Bend, Indiana with Mrs. Coyle's parents for a week. Mr. and Mrs. Wilbert Miller and Janet Bean left Thursday for a two months visit in St. Augestine and Miami. On their way back will stop in Bradenton and St. Petersburg. Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Groff of Flint visited the week-end with their parents, Mrs. Ora Berube and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Groff. Born to Mr. and Mrs. Jack Mark of Detroit, a son on December 29. He has been named Phillip Terry. Mr. and Mrs. Carl Taylor of Bir-**County Post Fine**

JOLUME LXIII

State Veteran's Affairs Men Attend Tuesday Meeting

Martin Musolf, Jr., of 'Bay City came Wednesday for a few days visit with friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. George McCardell of Hazel Park, were week-end guests of his mother, Mrs. Rose Watts.

Mr. and Mrs. Allan Culham of Battrum, Saschkewan, Canada arrived last week for a couple of months visit. They will visit his sisters, Mrs. Rose Watts and Mrs. W. E. Laidlaw of Tawas City and Mrs.

Martin Musolf, Jr., of 'Bay City of 'Foreign Wars, has purchased the Bayvue 'Apartments and Jack Spratt Grill on Lake Street from Frank Barrett. The transaction was completed at a regular meeting of the post Tuesday evening. The decision to purchase this fine property received the unanimous vote of the members.

Among those in attendance at the Ide County Post, Veterans of Foreign Wars, has purchased the

Among those in attendance at the meeting Tuesday evening were R. W. Harms of Lansing, field service man of the orfice of Veterans Affairs and Ira Hart of Odin. Michigan, field service officer of Veterans of Foreign Wars.

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year, the Iosco County Post now has mr. and Mrs. George Myles and daughter, Kay, were at Bay City, Wednesday.

EAST TAWAS

Mrs. Eugene Hanson was hostess to a 12 o'clock luncheon for the Past Matrons of the Order of the Eastern

Organized in February of last year, the Iosco County Post now has a membership of over 80 members a membership of over 80 members from all sections of the county. The officers are: Harry Morley, post commander; Ernest Cuny, senior vice commander; Kenneth Schuster, junior vice commander; Donald Gould, guartermaster; Wilbur C. Roach, Jr., adjutant; Al Weisler, chaplain; James Frank, officer of the speakers table.

### Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Carlson returned this week from a trip to Florida. They visited relatives in Flint Decision

At the January session of the 10th District meeting of the American Legion Auxiliary held at Clare last Sunday. She is a 10th District its decision to appoint members of the Board of County Road Commis-

A delégation of citizens appeared before the board and asked for a re-consideration of the matter, but a

a meeting of the State Association of Supervisors which will be held January 28 to 30.

#### Flint Man Arraigned On Lottery Charges

Frank Craven of Flint was ar-

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ial hour.

Tires, tires, all sizes of tires, many cards and flowers received Western Auto Store.

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Auto Store adv. while I was in the hospital.

Henry J. Smith.

# Hale in

Tawas City Team Will Play at Oscoda Tonight (Friday)

Before a jam packed gym Friday night the Tawas City Elks defeated Hale, to the tune of 21 to 20 in an exciting photo-finish contest. In the Guest night was observed Wednesday night by members of the Twentieth Century Club and their guests at the Vic and Zel Restaurant in this city. A delicious three course dinner was served to 70.

Mrs. James F. Mark was toast master and the following program was proposed to the Hale defense and dropped in a backet for two big points. The score before that point had been 20-19, in Hale's favor.

Tawas City's big guns in scoring, Westcott who sank 30 points in the master and the following program was provided to the same dingerich.

Mrs. James F. Mark was toast master and the following program was presented—group singing, piano duet by Mrs. Giddings and Mrs. Nyda Leslie; Presidents greeting by Mrs. William J. Leslie with response two previous games and Gingerich, Tawas City's other high scorer were held to a minimum, with Westcott collecting five points and Gingerich six. Jim Lansky was the Elks high by Ernest Potts. Vocal selections by quartette from Methodist church, accompanied by James F. Mark. An illustrated lecture on Bermuda with colored slides was presented by Greg Lidikay, band instructor of West scorer with seven tallies. Shellen-barger led the Hale squad with eight points.

The first quarter started off as

though Coach Defiabaug'h would have a easy time of it with an 8 to 2 lead at the quarter. But then Hale came to life and came within a point of tving the score of 12 - 11 at the half. In the third quarter, The tables were prettily decorated with little snow men, white tapers and a lovely center piece of Mums and carnations. Invocation was given amid fouls galore, Hale jumped the gun to a 15 to 14 lead. In the last gun to a 15 to 14 lead. In the last quarer it looked as though Hale had beaten the Elks, but in the last minute of play, Gingerich flipped one through the nets for a one point lead. Hale rushed back down the floor shooting furiously, but to no avail, with the game ending Elks 21, Eagles 20.

The Elks reserve squad again broke away and defeated Hale 20 to 15. Bruce Myles set the pace for the The Ladies Literary Club of East Tawas held their 62nd annual an-niversary banquet at the Holland Hotel Wednesday evening with 70 Elks reserves with eight points, while Streeter and Brandall shared

The singing of America and Pledge to the flag opened the program. The report of the finance committee was given by Mrs. R. G. Schreck and Mrs. O. W. Mitton reported on the Nurses Scholarship Fund. The president Mrs. Herbert Hertzler presented each of her officers and committee chairmen with

Hertzler presented each of her officers and committee chairmen with lovely corsages. C. J. Creaser gave the main address, "The trend of the times; two vocal selections by Norman VanWormer of Hale, and the reading of the poem, "Happiness," by Mrs. F. Elmer Kunze. A toast to the men was given by Mrs. Francis Schrieber and invocation by Rev. Harold Ausbury. it a point to accompany the team.
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	last Friday and Saturday.  The new sign is one of the many	Totals 8 4 20
	improvements of this station during	Tawas City 8 12 14—21
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World's Washing

SILVER VALLEY QUEEN



Miss Patricia Bolen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bolen of Alabaster, who was named Silver Valley Queen. The Coronation Ball will be held Saturday evening, February 8.

#### Tawas Pioneer Dies Tuesday

Funeral for Henry Hosbach Held Tuesday

Henry Hosbach, well known Tawas township resident passed away

Tuesday morning.

Born at Blue Island Illinois, December 19, 1866, he had been a resident of this community since the Play at Oscoda Friday
Tonight (Friday) the team will travel to Oscoda where they will be entertained for three games. Check this date off on your list and make it a point to accompany the team.

Touch Ann (Amschuetz.)

He is survived by a son, Herman Hosbach of Tawas township; two brothers, William Hosbach of Saginaw and Chris Hosbach of this city,

American Legion Veterans Service

Electric Sign Service of East Tawas, last Friday and Saturday.

The new sign is one of the many improvements of this station during the past year, with a cement block addition to the building last fall.

Hugo Groff of Detroit is the owner of the station, while Clement Stephan of this city is the manager.

Schlitzer

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The Audie Johnson Post, No. 211 of American Legion, of East Tawas will be pleased to fill out applications for veterans entitled to Michigan Bonus as soon as forms are received. In case you have not already made application for terminal pay due you, don't overlook it. Contact Joseph Barkman, Service Officer.

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SOAP

#### Patricia Bolen Named Silver Valley Queen

Selected at Queens Ball Held Last Saturday Night

Miss Patricia Bolen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bolen of Alabaster was named Silver Valley Harrisville ..... 16 23 27—46 Harrisville ..... 11 15 21—30 Miss Patricia Bolen, daughter of Queen and will reign over the winter sport activities of the area this year.
The selection was made at the Queen's (Ball held Saturday evening at the Community (Building.

Tawas Indies
Bublitz, f
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mon and Glover Gage of Saginaw.

Miss Bolen will be presented with a beautiful Winter Sports Costume.

The Coronation Ball will be held Saturday evening, February 8.

The estimated attendance at Silver Valley was aver 4 000 people and

the estimated attendance at SII ver Valley was over 4.000 people and the receipts amounted to \$489.00. The slides and skating rink were in excellent condition. A figure skating exhibition was very much enjoyed. Frank Davis, secretary of the East Start Plastic Division Michigan Tourist Association, took photographs of the various activities

officers of the Silver Valley organization say that our wintersports area is becoming very popular with people throughout the state. Letters are being received every day applying for arrangements for the accommodation of parties and organizations. commodation of parties and orga-nizations who wish to enjoy the facilities of the area.

#### Bronson Garage Damaged by Gas Fire

fore the flames could be extinguished.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our neighbors and friends for their many acts of kindness extended to us in our be-

Mrs. Charles McKenzie, and family.

HERE'S GOOD NEWS—For 12 days starting February 17 the Big Muir's 1c Sale with bigger bargains than ever will be on at KEISER'S DRUG STORE. Watch for our big advertisement.

by Rev. R. Brocks.

Mrs. Ida Crosby.

FOR SALE—Pr. Snow Shoes. First \$5.00 takes them. Phone 183. Will-advertisement.

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### Independents Win 3, Lose 1 Over Week-End

NUMBER 4

Local Team Plays at Harrisville and West Branch Here

In four Independent basketball games over last week-end, the Tawas Indies teams came out on top in three of the contest, one team win-ning from Harrisville 46 to 30, and from West Branch 46 to 40. The first team didn't fare so well, losing to West Branch 64 to 40 and taking

to West Branch 64 to 40 and taking one from Harrisville, 48 to 41.

With only eleven men the Indies journeyed to Harrisville and there, took both ends of a twin bill. Musolf and Dubvosky sharing scoring honors for the Indies with Musolf scoring 15 points in the first and 10 in the second game; while Dubvosky meshed 15 markers in the final game. Cuyler led the Harrisville team with 17 points.

Both games were of the knock-umdown, drag-um-out type, with Bejesky, Souci, Dubvosky and Musolf leaving via the foul route. In both games, Tawas came from behind in

games, Tawas came from behind in the last half to win, scoring 19 points in the final quarter of the first game and 18 in the final game.

In Sunday's twin bill at the Tawas City gym, the Tawas Indies nosed out the West Branch squad in the

first game 44 to 42, coming from behind in the final stanba to score nine field goals and one foul shot, to West Branch's four field goals and two foul shots. R. Bublitz played another fine game at guard, on de-fense and also took high scoring honors with 12 points. Doyle, West Branch forward paced the losers

Branch forward paced the losers with 18 points.

In the main event, the superior height of the West Branch team told, with Tawas coming out on the short end of a 64 to 40 store. Six foot, four inch John Thursby led the Oil City squad with 27 points, followed by Bill Van Vleck with 16 markers. 'B. Haglund meshed 11 points for the locals.

Hosbach of Tawas township; two brothers, William Hosbach of Saginaw and Chris Hosbach of this city, and three sisters, Mrs. Thomas Mason of Reno, Mrs. Steve Dodson of Detroit and Mrs. John Zorn of Saginaw.

Funeral services were hold The state of the Community Building.

at the Community Building.

Queen Patricia's court consists of the following: Miss Audrey Ogden of Tawas Citv. Miss Dona Mae Bown of Tawas Citv. Miss Dona Mae Bown of East Tawas, Miss Jean Pipesh of Whittemore and Miss Wilma Bueschen of Hale.

The judge's arms the Community Building.

N. Thornton, g Gingerich, g R. Landon, f D. Harlund, f Musolf, c (Continued No. 2, Back Page)

### Tawas Industries to

to be used in the winter sports publicity campaign.

William Schenk operates the concession at the warming shelter this

Two assembly lines are now in operation at the commany's plant in the Case Building producing AC oil filers for the automotive industry. A plant is being established in East Tawas by this operation for the prowas by this organization for the production of plastic parts for industry.

The present installation includes a large hydraulic press just com-

The Arnold Bronson Garage in this city was quite badly damaged by fire last Monday afternoon from exploding gasoline fumes.

The accident occurred while Fred Bublitz, a mechanic at the garage was draining a car. He was under the car when the explosion filled the room with flames. Elwood Bronson was also working in the room. Both escaped with only the loss of some hair and eyelashes.

The fire department was quickly on the scene, but owing to the nature of the fire, considerable damage was done to the building and contents before the flames could be explored.

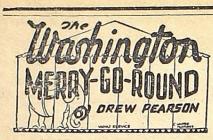
Greenwood Grange

Holds Open Meeting

Greenwood Grange held an open meeting and party at Grant township hall on Thurscday evening, January 16. Games were played after which lunch was served and all made their way homeward in the "wee small hours," reporting a pleasant sime. Twelve applications for membership were written—approximately a forty per-cent increase on our present membership. More membership were provided to the distribution of the fire department was quickly on the scene, but owing to the nature of the fire department was quickly on the scene, but owing to the nature of the fire department was quickly on the scene, but owing to the nature of the fire department was quickly on the scene, but owing to the nature of the fire department was quickly on the scene, but owing to the nature of the fire department was quickly on the scene, but owing to the nature of the fire department was quickly on the scene, but owing to the nature of the fire department was quickly on the scene, but owing to the nature of the fire department was quickly on the scene, but owing to the nature of the fire department was quickly on the scene, but owing to the nature of the fire department was quickly on the scene, but owing to the nature of the fire department was quickly on the scene, but owing to the nature of the fire department was quickly on the scene, but of the fire department was quickly on the scene of the fire department was quickly on the scene of the fire dep our present membership. More members are in prospect and Greenwood now proposes to rank among the active Granges of the state.

CARD OF THANKS I wish to extend my sincere thanks to my neighbors and friends for the sympathy and kindness shown dur-ing my recent thereavement. Also for the comforting words rendered

by Rev. R. Brooks.
Mrs. Ida Crosby.



SHIFT OF COMMANDERS

WASHINGTON. — Inside fact about the shift of U. S. commanders in Germany is that the stage was set for the change shortly after Lt. Gen. Lucius D. Clay visited the National Association of Manufacturers in New York.

Shortly before that, the senate war investigating committee's chief counsel, George Meader, had come back from Germany with a preliminary report highly critical of what went on in the U. S. occupation zone.

General Clay, then in the United States, was upset by this report and talked to Secretary of State Byrnes about resigning. He felt that Gen. Joseph McNarney, top commander of U. S. troops in Germany, was the man really responsible, although he, Clay, as head of the military government for Germany, got the blame.

On top of the unfavorable Meader report, General Clay addressed a meeting of the National Association of Manufacturers and afterwards sat down at an off-the-record meeting of NAM leaders including some of the top moguls of American industry. Their solution for the future of Germany was simple. They told Clay that they should be permitted to get in touch with their opposite numbers in German industry - the big industrialists who helped build up Hitler's war machine.

If allowed to do business with the German cartels, the U.S. industrialists told Clay, they would have Germany back on its feet in no

This shocked General Clay. He said he would retire from the army immediately if any such deal was carried out. He warned that the German people did not believe in or understand free enterprise and that Germany could only continue under strong government controls.

#### CAPITAL CHAFF

The RFC apparently thinks that the Germans are a better risk than veterans' housing. It will advance about 3 billion dollars to rebuild Germany during the next three years, but was afraid of losing money on Wilson Wyatt's prefabricated housing for veterans. . . . Wyatt, ex-mayor of Louisville, passed out golden keys to the city of Louisville to guests he invited to a farewell party... No wonder John L. Lewis is hard luck for labor. He's the "13th" vice president of the A. F. of L.

AIRLINE DYNAMITE

The dynamite now exploding inside Trans World Airlines between Jack Frye, its president, and Howard Hughes, its chief stockholder, has caused members of the civil aeronautics board to begin some careful probing of the aviation industry. Their probe indicates that things aren't going anywhere nearly as well as the airline ballyhoo indi-

Among other things, six companies operated in the red during the first nine months of 1946-TWA, Colonial, Chicago and Southern, Northeastern, Pennsylvania-Central and West-

Furthermore, the airlines have over-ordered new planes to such an extent that they will never be able to use more than a fraction of the planes supposed to be delivered.

For instance, the present fleet of civil planes has a capacity of 15 billion seat miles annually. However, when the planes now on order are delivered, capacity will be 41 billion passenger seat miles.

This is in contrast to the fact that the planes now on hand are 100 per cent in excess of the passengers now carried. Result is many unpublicized cancellations. One of the most disquieting situations is the fact that TWA has placed large orders with Lockheed, and heavy cancellations would deal Lockheed a tough blow.

#### PACIFIC MERRY-GO-ROUND

Best way to gain popularity in the Far East today is to take along a supply of Roosevelt dimes. Congressional travelers returned from China and the Pacific islands report that these were the most welcome gifts they could make to native dignitaries. . . . First general election in history of the Truk island group in the Pacific was held in January. Island chieftains and officials for the entire group were chosen. Heretofore these offices have been hereditary.... Among the voters were many who have lived under Spanish, German and Japanese control. This was their first election.

#### SCHOOLS NEED TYPEWRITERS

Schools and colleges may come ahead of veterans in getting surplus war property for educational uses, according to a plan now under consideration at the White House. At present veterans get first crack at typewriters, adding machines and all other types of equipment-and when the vets are through there isn't much left for the states, schools and colleges. This problem recently was placed before the President by ex-Sen. Joseph Rosier of West Virginia.

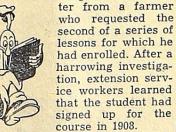
IT'S ABOUT TIME

#### Delays Sometimes Harrowing, **But Old Wrongs Finally Healed**

inclined to doubt that old adage,

Elmer L. Nolte now can call himself officially a graduate of Lewistown, Pa., high school. Unofficially, he has been a graduate since 1889. The school board finally decided that Nolte should be given the diploma he didn't get when the great June flood of 1889 halted graduation exercises.

The school of agriculture at Pennsylvania State college received a letter from a farmer



harrowing investigation, extension service workers learned that the student had signed up for the course in 1908. In 1916 George W. Austin quit high school in Stamford, Conn., and went into business. Recently he decided to obtain his high school diploma.

tions in history, science and social studies, and was awarded the certificate-30 years late. Smiling sweetly, a 94-year-old woman told Frank McAuliffe, jewelry salesman in a San Francisco

Returning to the school for a week,

Austin successfully passed examina-

"I'd like to pick up that silver gravy boat I left here to be cleaned. My sister said she'd be angry with me if I didn't get it pretty soon."

Time heals all wrongs. If you're | leave it? Several weeks ago?"

"Oh, my no—in 1902."
McAuliffe found it too—in the basement.

At New Rochelle, N. Y., an elderly woman boarded a New Haven train.

"I didn't buy it today," she told the conductor as she handed him her ticket. He looked at the ticket and blinked. It was dated September, 1898.

The passenger made her trip though. There was no time limit on such tickets back in those

George Cain, 77-year-old resident



five survivors of an expedition into Rhodesia. It took the London war office 35 years to decide on the award and another 21 years to locate Cain and deliver the decoration to him.

Back in 1930, Charles B. Borell of Champlain, N. Y., then an employe of the U.S. Immigration service, was ordered to proceed from Belfast, Ireland, to New York. He sent his household goods ahead by freighter. It was only a few months ago that congress finally got around to authorizing payment of \$163.20 to Borell for the shipping charges. His claim had been held up for 16 years because he failed to route the goods McAuliffe inquired: "When did you on an American vessel.

#### **Arduous Walk Fails** To Halt Man of 92

MOBILE, ALA. - Although 92 years old, George (Dad) Howe is still sprightly after completing a two-month, 504-mile walking trip from Savannah, Ga., to Mobile. His eventual goal is Los Angeles, which he hopes to reach on September 21, his next birthday anniversary.

"California Bound" is the legend on the little wagon which Howe pulls. His home is an army pup tent, and he says he has slept under a roof only five times since leaving Savan-

He also carries equipment to permit cooking his own meals.

Howe has a two-fold purpose in undertaking the long journey to the coast: To see if a man his age can stand the walking and to visit a grand nephew in Los Angeles.

#### Cowboy Now Rides Herd on Fur Coats

BERWICK, ME.-A former Colorado cowboy now is riding herd to 100 tiny, scampering chinchillas valued at about \$1,000 each.

Clifford H. Wilson currently does his branding on the right ear of the little creatures, whose pelts make Blind Man Testifies desirable fur coats.

With a pair of chinchillas imported from South America, Wilson and his wife started their chinchilla ranch here three years ago. By careful breeding methods, they have increased their herd to more than 100 animals. Several pairs have gone

to begin other ranches. The chinchillas thrive on dried grasses, berries and nuts. Goat's Wilson has bought a dozen goats.

#### Bane Lots of Johnsons In Northwest, By Golly

ST. PAUL, MINN.—The Jones boys are unusual in the Northwest, Veterans' administration officials decided after finding only 1,600 of that clan listed on their records.

They are far outclassed by 9,680 Johnsons and 5,600 Andersons. The Petersons and Smiths number 3,300 each.

#### 'Stuffed' Owl Hoots And Empties Tavern

CHICAGO.—To give a little life to the collection of stuffed birds which adorn the walls of James Kromar's tavern, a regular customer present-

ed the proprietor a live owl. Kromar placed the bird atop the cash register, the owl sitting almost motionless among the specimens of the taxidermist's art. Most of the customers were unaware that the bird was alive. But when the owl began to blink and hoot, many of the patrons made a hurried exit. The owl next was presented to the Anti-Cruelty society.

### People Are Honest.

DENVER. - A man approached Melvin Wasson, blind operator of the news stand in Denver postoffice, and said: "Here, I owe you four dollars." The man explained that he had given Wasson a dollar bill the night before and said it was a five "because I was short and needed the money to tide me over."

Wasson, telling the story, grinned and said: "If you give people credit milk agrees with them so well that for being honest the chances are 100to-1 they will be."



SQUIRTS FOR LITTLE DITTOS . . . Two Chinese youngsters, riding in a wheelbarrow, are sprayed with DDT as the U. S. army sprays an entire village near Shanghai as a means of combating malaria.

#### Paralyzed Woman Cooks from Bed

RIVERSIDE, R. I. - Although | odds and ends a housewife needs. partly paralyzed and bedridden, Mrs. Elizabeth Doyle, 74, runs a house and does all her cooking from her bed.

Part of the secret is strings. They run from her bed to the door latches, the fan plugs and radio dial. A small electric stove is at her side while a nearby table and cloth bag slung to it contain food and the necessary ingredients for cooking plus all the house.

Mrs. Doyle's cooking isn't confined to immediate needs. She has put up plum and apple preserves while lying in bed.

With most of the cooking accomplished in the morning, Mrs. Doyle often sews, crochets or fixes her scrapbooks in the afternoons. A district nurse calls every other day to dust and help straighten out the

#### Oft Condemned College Building Finally Doomed

GRAND FORKS, N. D. - Oldest college building in North Dakota, Old Main on the University of North Dakota campus probably is going on the last of its cat-like lives.

Condemned by building inspectors and fire marshals repeatedly for the past 25 years, the building has managed to survive through constant patching and face-lifting—mainly be-cause the university has no other place to house its administrative of-

Upper stories of the venerable structure were removed in 1924, and alumni at homecoming held a 'wake'' for the structure that year, which they thought would be its last.

"The building is deemed unfit for students, but the faculty will be kept there," the Daketa Student, campus newspaper, wrote at that time.

But now, the end really is in sight. The state board of higher education has approved plans for a \$365,000 new administration building and a legislative appropriation for that amount will be sought at this win-ter's session. The administration building is part of a \$1,386,000 speal building program sought by the university to meet space needs accelerated by a record 2,683 enrollment at the school this year.

#### Swallowed Token Accepted as Fare

WILLIAMSPORT, PA .- A token in the stomach is as good as one in the fare box, according to a ruling of Dispatcher "Peck" Wurster.

The case of a woman who swallowed her token came before Wurster when she disputed the driver's right to collect another fare. The passenger told Wurster that while boarding a bus she put the token between her lips so she could adjust several packages she was carrying. She said the driver greeted "good morning," and then there was a

Wurster ruled: "Positively no additional fare required."

#### Food Really 'Banked' In Tennessee Store

MEMPHIS, TENN.-A Memphis 'food bank" for storage of frozen food is operating like an actual bank under supervision of the Tennessee banking department.

The store, which has signs reading "your food bank," had to comply with state banking regulations in order to use the word "bank." Accordingly, it has bonded "tellers" who receive or disburse the customer's food. Customers aren't admitted to the food vaults, but are given statements of their food balance.

Accounts of each customer's food supply are tabulated the same as in a bank.

#### Wifely Poke in Eye Improves His Sight

GREENSBORO, N. C.-Charles H. Doggett's wife struck him lightly in the eye during a friendly frolicand now he can see much better. Doctors told him that the blow disto drop into the corner of his eye. Doggett doesn't recommend the treatment, however, averring "it might not work next time."



JUST A TRICK . . . The top part of this building isn't in the process

of being blown off by a North Dakota windstorm. It's just a photog-

rapher's way of showing approximately how venerable Old Main,

oldest college building on University of North Dakota campus, looked

before top stories of the structure were removed in 1924. A new \$365,000

While the army and navy ai. forces are going all-out to prepare for stratospheric warfare, another government department is working this winter for a full scale aerial offensive next summer-against a foe over which the United Nations has no control.

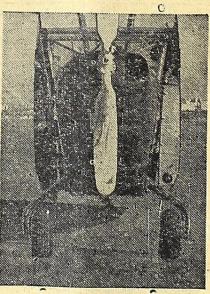
The bureau of entomology and plant quarantine of the department of agriculture is mobilizing its own air force for the greatest attack in its history on such crop and forest destroying insects as the Japanese beetle, gypsy moth, white fringe beetle, pink bollworm, spruce bug work and the lowly but greedy spittle bug.

Damage to crops and woodlands from the insects is estimated by agriculture specialists at between three and five billion dollars annually.

Planes operated in the bug blitz bear scant resemblance to the sleek modern machines of aerial warfare. Some are as old as 15 years, and their worth is measured in terms of their ability to fly slowly and at low alti-

The department will put into the air its own air force of at least 15 planes, augmented by any number of planes chartered locally. Practically every private airport of reasonable size in the country is equipping at least one airplane with spray apparatus.

Department experts contend that experiences last year proved that one plane can spray 1,000 acres in one day, while to cover that same area with ground equipment would require 70 men with seven machines five weeks.



FOLDING WINGS . feature of the L-13, America's first all-metal liaison airplane, are its folding wings, shown in the above photograph. An aerial jack-of-all-trades, the Consolidated Vultee plane is suitable for many

#### INEXPENSIVE LIGHTING Small airports can be lighted for

night flying at a cost of about \$2,600, Civil Aeronautics administration reports on the basis of an experimental installation at Lafayette, Ind., now undergoing tests. Results at Aretz airport show that the lights Doctors told him that the blow dis-lodged a cataract from which he had lodged a cataract from which he had suffered for five years, causing it of 15 to 18 miles, and in an exceptional case the lights have been seen from 30 miles away. Operating cost for current averages about 15 cents an hour.



PEOPLE WANT ABOLISHMENT OF USELESS FEDERAL JOBS

IT WAS AN ACCIDENTAL gathering of a small group, all fellow townsmen. The conversation, as usual, turned to politics, the state of the nation and what could be expected from Republican control of the legislative branch of the government.

"What congress should do first is cut government expenses," said a merchant. "Fire a million or more bureaucrats, and give us a chance to get going again.'

"Right you are, up to a point," said a local politician. "We should turn the bureaucrats out, but not abolish the jobs. We will need those jobs as rewards for party workers if we are to build and maintain an effective political organization. We cannot expect party workers to give their time and effort without some sort of compensation, and that means jobs for those who want jobs, or for their relatives and friends. With more than 200,000 federal jobs in this state filled by Republicans, we could re-ward practically all the party workers, and have a party or-ganization that would insure our continued success. Yes, turn the bureaucrats out, but do not abolish the jobs. Fill them with men and women who have demonstrated their party loyalty."

It is of such ideas that political machines, either Republican or Democratic, are made. The uproar on the part of that small group of local townspeople at the bald statement of a local politician was evidence that such methods are not approved by the majority of American citizens. They were, aside from the politician, a unit for abolishing every needless job as well as firing the bureaucrats. There was no sentiment for keeping the jobs as a pay-off for party workers.

The Republican party has men capable of real leadership and statesmanship. It also has a full share of "peanuts." If the "peanuts" are a majority and dominate party policies, rather than providing the statesmanship that will get us out of the muddle we are in, the party will lose the opportunity the voters have given it.

It is statesmanship, not partisan politics, not the paying of political debts, that the majority of the American people, who voted the Republican party into power, are demanding in payment for their votes. That little impromptu town session represented a fair cross-section of the nation, as much as would a Gallup poll.

DO NOT COUNT too much on that 20 per cent income tax reduction we have been hearing about, or the maximum economy in government we must have if such a reduction is to be made. There will be more creeks to be made into navigable streams, more dams to be built, more power sites to be developed and more postoffices to be built, despite the fact we have gotten along without them in the past. The pork barrel will continue to operate as of old. Political debts will be paid, at least to some extent. That is the way of politics.

#### WORLD-SHAKING TRIFLES SEEMINGLY SMALL incidents

can, at times, change the course of national and world events. One such occurred at the Democratic convention in Baltimore in 1912. William Jennings Bryan was a Nebraska delegate to that convention. The delegation was instructed to vote for Clark for the presidential nomination. The Tammany delegation from New York wanted to name the temporary chairman of the convention. the man who would preside for the opening session until the convention was organized. Bryan, who disliked Tammany and all its works, objected. He made an impassioned plea for the repudiation of what he considered to be the forces of political evil. With the assistance of "Gum Shoe Bill" Stone, Clark's manager, Tammany won. Despite their instructions, Bryan and the Nebraska delegation climbed off the Clark bandwagon and onto Wilson's. Bryan's action made Wilson's nomination possible. If Clark had become President-and the Democratic nominee was slated to winhe might not have led us into World War I. Without our participation in that conflict, the history of the world would have been changed. Bryan, a pacifist, was, possibly, responsible for our participation in that war.

THE POTSDAM agreement says Dresden is in Germany. Regardless of that, Russian postal authorities will accept mail for Dresden only when it is addressed Dresden, U. S. S. R.; not when addressed Dresden, Germany, Russian Zone. That is but one of the straws that shows Secretary Byrnes the intentions of the Moscow government.

THERE WILL BE a whale of a lot of big talk, and then some tax re-



#### IN FULL PRODUCTION FOR QUIZ PROGRAMS

"How now?" we asked the Man Who Built a Better Mousetrap. "What's the situation?"

'Everything's going good," he replied. "We're in full production." "Stuff getting through to the American homes at last, eh?" we

"Oh, no," said the Man Who Built a Better Mousetrap. "Nothing's getting through to the American home. Nothing at all." "Where is the stuff going?" we

asked.

"Radio programs," said the M. W. B. A. B. M. "We're just like most industries, we don't expect to get much through to the customers for a couple of years. The radio programs take everything we can turn out."

"Don't tell me that mousetraps, too, are among the prizes on radio programs."

"Why not? The radio people don't tell the winners they're mousetraps necessarily. They say they're a new ash tray imported from France, or a novelty air purifier or an electric lighter or Swiss book ends. Of course, if a master of ceremonies on a radio program sees a contestant who doesn't look very bright he may admit it's just a mousetrap but tells the radio audience it can be applied to a stiff shoulder as a poultice.'

"The quiz program has been a great thing for industry," we suggested. "In the old days a slump could not be cushioned by merely getting a lot of people into a studio and seeing if they knew the name of the bridge Steve Brodie jumped

"It must have been tough," sighed the Mousetrap Builder. 'Fancy being in the manufacturing business and not be able to supply prizes for the Queen For a Day program!"

"One thing is not clear," we said. 'Isn't there a terrific public demand for most everything manufacturers produce today?"

"Oh yes." "Then, why do the manufacturers deluge quiz programs with millions dollars worth of products hourly?"

The Man Who Built a Better Mousetrap regarded us sternly. "So you'd get stuff to the consumer and not to all those people who turn up on radio programs and tell what Washington's first name was!' he said, abruptly leaving us.

#### Presidential Campaign And Television

More bad news!

The candidates and orators in the 948 presidential campaign are oming to us by television!

The long-suffering public is going get not only alarming speeches ut alarming faces!

Just as election campaigns were irst broadcast in the Hoover era, the first big-time television performance will be put on during the next Presidential campaign.

Candidates should be heard but

not screened. Only one in a million

has a face that an interior decora-

tor would call essential. Under simple radio, there was always the comforting thought a candidate might not look as bad as he sounded. Under television he can be guilty on both counts. We predict right now that tele-

vision will cancel out the women's vote. It took 150 years for them to get the ballot. Under television they may give it back. The only candidate with a chance

may be the fellow who makes the women voters remark not "Sound, isn't he?" but "ah-h-h! What a hunk of man!" "The situation in the Democratic party

is not hopeless if new blood is infused."— Jim Farley. This is the first time anybody has classified its plight so desperate as to call for transfusion. "Seventy Per Cent of Lend-Lease Repaid," says President.—

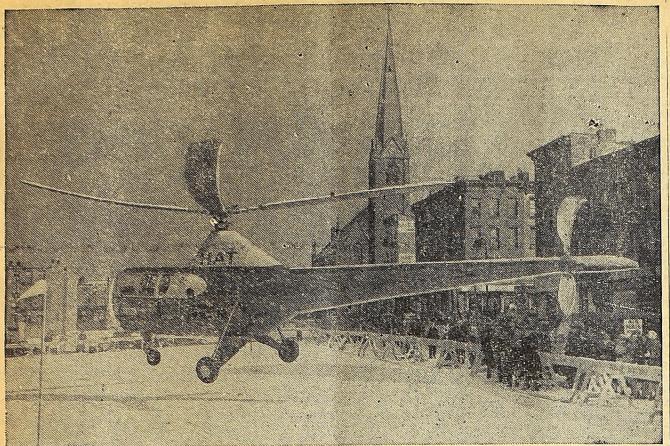
Headline. "I didn't realize," says Ima Dodo, "that we could afford to advance

the money to pay us back." New low in movie titles: "The Corpse Came C. O. D."

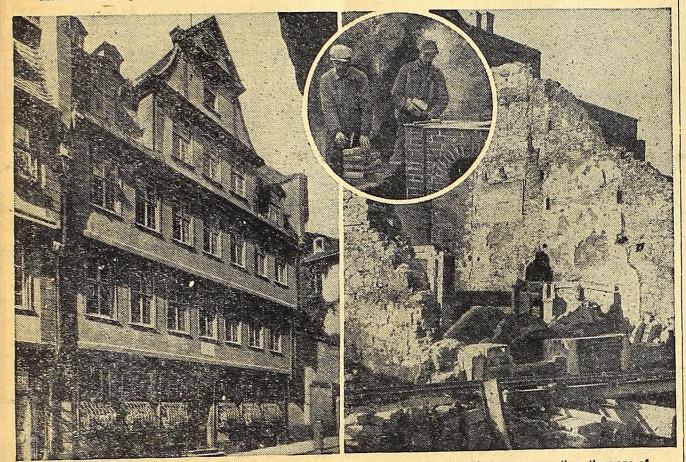
BACK SEAT PHONING The guy I label low as lice, I have no fear in owning, Are those who prompt and give advice Whenever I am phoning.

Pier.

Telegrams have gone up 10 per cent, making a total of 20 per cent in a year. Taking into consideration the high cost of postage stamps and telephone calls, the fellow who has nothing he wants to say to any-hody is in a soft spot.



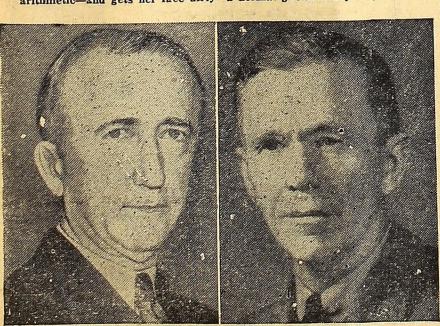
QUICK MAIL SERVICE BY HELICOPTER... Helicopter mail service on an experimental basis is started in Brooklyn as the postoffice department supervises the landing of this helicopter mail service plane called "Hat" in an empty lot. The helicopter came from LaGuardia field, shortcutting the usual mail routes and shearing many hours from previous mail delivery times. Future plans of the postoffice department call for extensive development and use of helicopter mail service.



REBUILDING GOETHE'S BIRTHPLACE . . . Bombs are no respecters of shrines any more than they are of people, and one of the historic victims of the Allies' bombs was the birthplace of Johann Wolfgang Goethe, Germany's foremost poet and philosopher, at Frankfort on the Main. Photos show the shrine before the bombs fell, and the present condition of Goethe's birthplace as work is being started to rebuild this historical landmark.



YOUNGEST PRODIGY . . . Doris Webster, 6, Fredericksburg, Va., recently gave an amazing performance of Mozart's Concerto in A Major in Washington. There is nothing "prima donna" about her. She regards her genius at the piano in about the same manner as she would superiority at ticktacktoe. She skips rope, plays with dolls and makes errors in arithmetic—and gets her face dirty—a normal girl in every way.



NEW SECRETARY OF STATE . . . Following the resignation of James F. Byrnes, 68, as secretary of state, President Truman nominated General of the Army George C. Marshall, 67, as his successor. General Marshall was born at Uniontown, Pa., and was graduated from Virginia Military institute, where he won fame as a football tackle. General Marshall became chief of staff September 1, 1939.



PACIFIC ON RAFT ... Thor Heyerdahl, 32, leader of six young Norwegian scientists who plan to drift 4,000 miles on a balsa raft from Peru to Polynesia to prove theory that the natives of Polynesian islands came there 1,500 years ago from Peru. They may be gone four months.



WEDS G.I. . . . Isobel Mary Butwell, 15, Reading, England, who came to the U. S., with parents' approval, to wed ex-sergeant, Paul Sinclair, 22, Youngstown, Ohio. They met when Isobel was 13.

UNIFORM INTERNATIONAL

OCHOOL ESSON

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Lesson for January 26

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JESUS CROSSES RACIAL BOUNDARIES

LESSON TEXT—John 4:4-10, 27-30, 39-42.

MEMORY SELECTION—Whosoever drinketh of the water that I shall give him shall never thirst.—John 4:14.

Racial and social prejudice divide mankind, although they are really one family by the creation of God. Speaking a thousand or more tongues and countless dialects; living in separated areas; suffering under or priding themselves in (as the case may be) a certain social order, and disagreeing even about the things of God, they manage to build up formidable barriers between their various groups.

The Word of God by both precept

and practical example teaches just the opposite.

I. Barriers Broken (vv. 4-9).

Contrast the woman of Samaria with Nicodemus, whose coming to Christ we studied last week. He was rich; she was poor. He was a Jew; she was of the mixed race of Samaritans. He was a man of character and high position; she was immoral and uneducated. He sought Jesus; Jesus sought her.

In doing so, he cut straight across the barriers of race, tradition, social position, education, everything. He was interested in her soul's salvation and nothing could stand in his way. We would do well to follow his example.

Every Christian is by his very calling a soul-winner. We dare not delegate this responsibility to the pastor or missionary. As soul-winners we are vitally interested in our Lord's approach to this woman who was far from God, apparently hopelessly involved in sinful associations, a citizen of a hostile nation and an adherent of another religious faith.

By asking a favor of her, Christ tactfully placed himself (as does any petitioner), for the moment, on her own plane. He was not a distant, learned religious leader deigning to cast a bit of religious philosophy to her. He was a tired, thirsty man asking for a drink of water.

But he was more! He was the gracious Son of God, declaring to her that he was ready to give to her the water of life.

II. Problems Solved (vv. 9, 10, 27-30).

The first problem this poor woman had to face was her sin problem. Is not that true of all of us?

She first tried to avoid it by raising the race problem, and the reply of Jesus told her of the water of life. Her quick desire to escape the drudgery of carrying water, gave him opportunity to face her with her sin. She could never find peace and joy until there was a frank and open

facing of sin in her life.

Let us make no mistake at this point, for the moral law of God is the same now as it was on that far-off day when Jesus brought the woman of Samaria face to face with her own sin.

Possibly in an effort to evade her moral problem by theological discussion (a common practice in our day, too!), and partly because of her ignorance of true worship, she asked a question about a controversial matter relating to outward ceremony. Is it not a singular thing how men who know nothing of spiritual life delight in the propagation and defense of organizations and in the conduct of outward religious exercises?

True worship is revealed (v. 23) as being first "in spirit." We do not cast aside all external helps to worship, but real worship goes through and beyond both place and symbol to real soul communion with God, second, "in truth."

The disciples were wise enough not to interfere with what Jesus was doing (personal workers take note!), and it was not long before the woman saw Jesus as the Christ! Observe how quickly she went to tell others.

III. Salvation Declared (vv. 39-42)

Jesus honors this poor fallen wom an by making to her his first declaration of himself as the Messiah (vv. 26, 27). He is the high and exalted One, but he is at the same time the friend of sinners. To Nicodemus, the learned ruler of the Jews, he spoke of the new birth. To the poor woman of Samaria he declared his Messiahship. He is no respecter of persons, and neither are those who truly follow him.

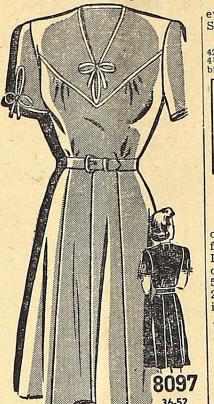
Those whom the woman brought to Jesus saw and heard for themselves, and many of them believed. Personal testimony is a wonderful thing, but the ultimate purpose of such witness is to get men to come by faith into the presence of the Lord Jesus himself.

A personal experience with Christ leads to real assurance; without which there can be no spiritual growth or usefulness.

May many who read these words, and who have so often heard and read about Jesus, come to him today so that they may say: "Now we believe . . . for we have heard him ourselves, and know that this is indeed the Christ, the Saviour of the world" (v. 42).

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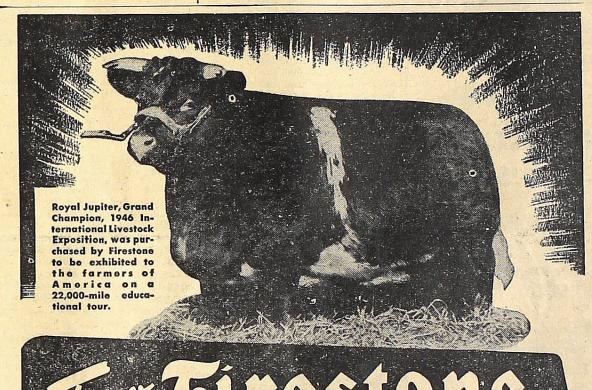
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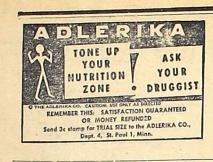
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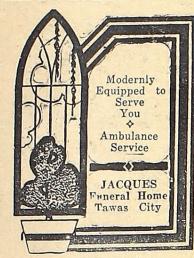
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#### Hale News

GRANGE ACTIVITIES The Grange held it's regular meeting on Tuesday night but, due to the cold weather not many members, were out. They intend to have a Valentine party at their next meeting and each member is requested to bring a valentine. Pot luck lunch. They expect to have an all day meet-They expect to have an all day meeting February 22, and hope to have a speaker. This meeting will be for Grangers and their neighbors, as they are trying for a bigger and better Grange A Father and Son hand ter Grange. A Father and Son ban-quet in April is also being planned for the Grange, so watch for their announcement in the future.

MISS WILMA BUESCHEN
BECOMES HALE SNOW QUEEN
The show last Thursday (Jan. 16)
was very well attended. Miss Wilma
Bueschehn received the most votes
for Snow Queen, with Ruth Webb
receiving the next highest number.
Velma Dillenbeck was third in the
contest. The pony was won by Mrs.
Pearl Streeter. Popcorn was popped
and sold by members of the Hale
P. T. A. to bolster up their diminished funds. On the 31st of January a
free dance to know our Snow Queen
and her court will be given at the
gommunity building. An orchestra sommunity building. An orchestra has been engaged for the evening and the Board of Commerce will serve light refreshments.

COUNTY LIBRARIAN SPEAKS
AT HALE PTA WEDNESDAY
The PTA Wednesday, January 15, wasn't very well attended due to theicy roads. Miss Leonora Hass and Mrs. Kunze were the speakers, and Mrs. Kunze were the speakers, theicy roads. Miss Leonora riass and Mrs. Kunze were the speakers, for the evening. They were trying to get the people interested in a library, and we hope they are successful. She had an interesting display of books from her "bookmobile." Lumbh was served in the Home Ec. room by Mrs. John Webb and Mrs. Fern Streeter.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Merchant have returned to their home after a

The fire department was called to the home of Kenneth Salisbury Mon-day morning. The damage was

Betty Slosser is confined to her bed with an attack of rheumatic

Elmina Chrivia is on the sick list.
Mr. and Mrs. Paul Labian, Mr.
and Mrs. Roland Nunn, of Flint
spent the week-end with their moth-

Hugh Slosser.



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## Monarch's

Men's Wear Shop

## BACKWARD

55 Years Age—January 22, 1892 A band saw in the English mill broke last Tuesday. Sawing hard- er the week-end. wood logs in sub-zero weather is hard on saws and men.

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Arrangements are being made to build a flouring mill here this year.

William Nisbet, lumbering a Killmaster has about 2,000,000 feet of logs on skids, which will be delivered to the Winona Salt & Lumber Comills in this city.

A carload of shingle bolts is ar-

Spencer Williams has gone to Chicago where he will assist putting in machinery for the plaster mill.

Kenney Bros. are banking about 1,000,000 feet of logs at Alabaster for A. Maltby of Bay City.

Fred Rollin was severely injured of Bennett's mill Tuesday.

Lawyer Sharpe has purchased one of the new Calegraph typewriters.

John Langworthy of Alpena is visiting relatives at East Tawas.

About 5,000,000 feet of lumber will be shipped from the Bearinger dock this winter according to Lumber Inspector Charles Hood. Robert Cook is building a house

for his signature or veto.

Judge Simpson is holding court at Grayling this week.

Elmina Chrivia is on the sick list.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Labian, Mr. and Mrs. Roland Nunn, of Flint spent the week-end with their mother, Mrs. Edith Nunn.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Slosser and son, Gerald, spent Saturday and Sunday with Earl's parents, Mr. and Mrs.

Hugh Slosser

17 Years Ago—January 24, 1930

At the annual meeting of the Iosco County State Bank the following officers were elected: C. W. McPhail, president; N. C. Hartingh, vice prident; J. A. Murphy, cashier and Lois Fraser, assistant cashier.

E. Irving Steinhurst, editor of the Elkton Advance, is said to be the youngest editor in the state. Steinhurst isa former Tawas Herald em-

The Development Bureau took moving pictures of winter sports at Greenbush last Sunday.

The world's largest power plant has just been opened at Butterfield,

Eugene Estoppey, Indian runner, made a 180 mile run from Fresno to San Francisco in 37 hours. Gene is 58 years old. 4 4

A hard times party was held Fri-day evening at the Lakeside Tavern. If President Hoover could have seen some of our industrial leaders at the party he would have learned the effects of our recent Wall Street crash!.

Miss Faye Yawger of Hale left Thursday for Chicago where she will take up a course in interior dec-

Fred Nellis has returned to Reno after a few months at Detroit.

Harvey Schneider of Flint is spending a few days in Sherman township.

Charles Bellville of Whittemore left Monday on a business trip to

About 45 neighbors helped Mrs.
Austin Allen celebrate her birthday last Saturday evening.

Justin Carroll of East Tawas is spending a few days at Saginaw. Engene Hanson is at Wyandotte for a few days on business.

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Born to Mr. and Mrs. Henry Burt of California, January 11, a baby boy. He has been named Robert Wayne.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Hayes entertained relatives from Detroit ov-

We are sorry to hear chae George Bamberger is ill in Saginaw.

A carload of shingle bolts is arriving daily for Bennett's mill.

William Nisbet lumbering at Killnew residence beween the Tawases and AuSable.

Twelve new members were taken into the organization. Everyone had a good time.

and AuSable.

The Icsco County Agricultural Society elected the following officers: John Sullivan, prsident; C. R. Jackson, secretary; J. M. Waterbury, treasurer.

good time.

Mrs. Russell Binder and sons, Charles and Robert, were Sunday dinner guests of Clara Smith.

Mrs. William Denstedt entertained her niece, and husband from Detroit over he week-end.

Tackson, secretary; J. M. Waterbury, reasurer.

The Rollin was severely injured at Bennett's mill Tuesday.

Ernest Crego of Reno has traded me of his horses for a voke of even.

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A steamer in the harbor at Hong Kong went down and 414 passengers were drowned.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Berry and son of South Branch spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Smith.

#### Sherman

the week-end with relatives here.
Mr. and Mrs. Victor St. James and
daughter of Whittemore visited with relatives here Sunday evening.

Jack Thornton of Flint spent Sun day at his home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Rhodes of Detreit spent the week-end with relatives here.

A. JB. Schneider was at Standish Mr. and Mrs. Frank Merchant have returned to their home after a visit in Battle Creek.

Mrs. Leona Teall is spending the week with her mother, Mrs. Vina Slosser.

The fire department was called to

A "free coinage" bill will go before President Harrison this week

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Curry of

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Curry of Tawas were callers here Sunday.

Miss Betty St. James and Bill Bamburger spent Sunday at her home at Whittemore.

Mrs. George Smith accompanied by some neighbors and friends were at Bay City Monday doing some

shopping. The surprise miscellaneuos bridal shower on Miss Margaret Fisher Thursday evening at the Rainbow Gardens was well attended.

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 16h day of January A. D. 1947.
Present, Honorable H. Read Smith, Judge of Probate.
In the Matter of the Estate of John Kobs, Jr., Deceased.
Louis H. Braddock having filed in said Court this final administration account, and his petition praying for of Iosco

account, and his petition praying for the allowance thereof and for the assignment and distribution of the rsidue of said estate,

It is Ordered, That the 17th day of Februar A. D. 1947 at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office, be and is hereby appointed for examining and allowing said account

and hearing said petition.

It is Further Ordered That notice thereof be given by publication of a copy hereof for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Tawas Herald, a newspaper printed and circulated in said County, and that the petitioner shall, at least ten (10) days prior to such hearing, cause a copy of this notice to be mailed to each party in interest in this estate at his last known address by registered mail, return receipt demanded.

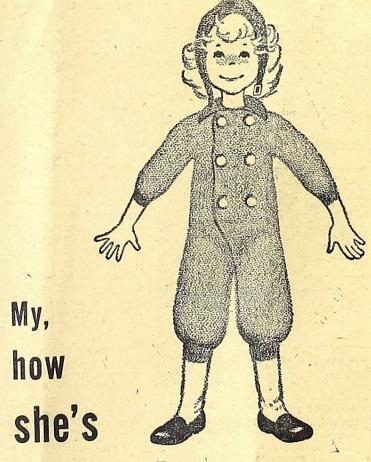
H. Read Smith, Judge of Probate.

Dorothy Buch, Register of Probate.



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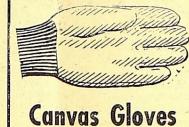
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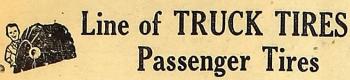


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#### Reno News

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Davis, and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Schaaf and two daugh-ters of Tawas City, visited at the Ed. Robinson home on Sunday after-

Word has been received from Mr. and Mrs. Alec Robinson that they have arrived at Kissimmee, Florida, and are enjoying the fine weather

and are emoying the line weather and sunshine.

Heldon Latter, son of the late Edney Latter of Edmonton, Alberta has been visiting his uncles, William, Harry and Arthur for the past three weeks. He left Michigan over forty yeare ago, when a baby and this is his first return.

Edward Charters arrived home from overseas last week. He has received his discharge. Welcome home,

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Sherman and the latter's mother, Mrs. Larsen vis-ited Mrs. Sherman last week. Mr. and Mrs. Williard Williams visited her father, Ed. Teal on Sun-

day.

About twenty close relatives of Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Zeagler (Shirley Waters) gathered at their home Friday evening and gave them a shower of canned fruit and vegetables. The evening was spent playing games after which a delicous lunch Tawas City.

was served. Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Robinson visited at the home of Martin Cataline on Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Clemens have

cil Bronson formerly lived.

Mr. and Mrs. Elwin Robinson visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Long on Sunday.

The attendance contest between the adults and children at the Reno Baptist Sunday School closed with the children winning. This Saurday afternoon they will enjoy a sleiging party and be entertained at the home of William Latter. All members of the Sunday school are cordially in-

#### Lower Hemlock

Billie Biggs left Tuesday for Grand Rapids, where he has employ-

Marvin Curry of the Meaow Road was an over-night visitor of Irvin

Biggs Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. George McCardell of Hazel Park, brought Mr. and Mrs. Allen Culham of Cabri, Sask. to Tawas City Saturday where they will spend several weeks with relatives

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Mr. and Mrs. Archie Graham of
Whittemore left Sunday for Florida where they will spend several weeks.
Mrs. Myrtle Koeppel visited her
sister, Mrs. George Biggs Saturday

afternoon.

Mrs. Waldo Curry Sr., Mrs. Waldo Curry Jr., and Mrs. John Katterman attended a birthday party for Mrs. Ernest Ross, at the school hall

Monday evening.

Ted Winchell of the Townline is ill with pneumonia and Wayne Biggs

is assisting with his chores.

Mrs. Waldo Curry Sr. visited her mother, Mrs. John Anschuetz in East Tawas, Saturday afternoon.
August Lorenz is the clerk at the
McArdle Sattion during John Mc-Ardle's absence.

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#### Whittemore

Mr. and Mrs. George Burlew and daughters spent the week-end in

Detroit and Fenton.

Rev. and Mrs. Whaly and daughter of West Branch attended the funral of Charles McKenzie on

Thursday.

Mrs. Bell Burlew spent Sunday
with her sister, Mrs. Henry Pake.
The W. S. C. S. will meet at the
Parish House on Wednesday after-

noon.

Mrs. Alice Barlow is reported ill at this writing.

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The Probate Court for the County

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It is Ordered, That the 11th day of February A. D. 1947, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Of-Mr. and Mrs. Howard McKenzie and daughter returned to Detroit on Sunday, being called here by the death of his father.

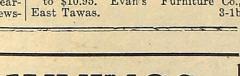
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The friends of Mrs. Felix Was-elewski who suffered a severe stroke last Thursday wish her a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. George Burlew and

Judge of Probate. A true copy.





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TAWAS CITY



#### CHAPTER I

The heat in town had been inlense, and Julia McFarlane rolled the station-wagon under the ivy covered porte-cochere gratefully.

The big old house would be cool. It was always cool, the solid brick walls built over a century since shutting out the sun with aloof dignity. Julia jerked off her hat before she opened the door and slid out of the coat of her smart gray suit. She dropped the hat and coat on a chair and was pushing the heavy, moist auburn hair off her forehead when a yell came down the curving staircase. A young yell.

"Dooley, is that you?" Julia sighed. She was so tired. It was five o'clock, and she had had no lunch. She had spent hours in an airless office, growing more furious by the moment, and then she had argued for another hour with a young government representative who quoted regulations, almost smacking his lips over them. To her desperate plea that there had to be more wiring for power and pumping on Buzzard's Hill, that there had to be more fence if they were to raise hams and bacon for the army, he had smiled a maddeningly superior smile.

To his smug vision all this had spelled wire-copper wire, steel wire-and wire was not to be surrendered, even to a handsome woman in a stylish hat. So Julia had come back to the farm, wrung out and exasperated, and now here was Jill yelling from upstairs.

"Dooley, come up here right away!"

Julia went up the stairs slowly. In the bright little room at the end of the hall Jill was standing on a stool before a looking-glass, her slim legs hidden in folds of white jersey, her face full of woe.

"It's all crooked!" she wailed. "They stretched it when they cleaned it, and it's all in scallops. It looks like the devil. What am I

going to do?" Julia dropped on the bed and looked at her child. Jill's hair was lighter than her own, taffy and sunlight and wild curling mischief, where Julia's had darkened to the hue of old cherry wood and lay back sleekly under a brush. Jill's eyes were darker, too, almost black under striking, arrogant brows; direct, demanding eyes, impatient, with little compromise in them.

"What do you want to do, Jill? Cut the hem off and even it?"

"I haven't got time. It's yards around the bottom, though it does hang so straight. Would it look awful, Dooley, if we cut off the worst places and hemmed it? It has to be right, it simply has to."
"What cooks? Something terri-

bly special?"

"Frightfully special." Jill jerked angrily at the stubborn folds. "It's Spang. And the club dance. He has a three-day pass. He's coming on the bus."

"Do I know Spang? He sounds like some kind of canned dog-ration.

#### Julia Worries About Her Son

Would Spang be outraged by an uneven hemline?"

"Don't make gags, Dooley, you're not the type. Handsome dignity is your line. No, you don't know Spang. He's a turret instructor right now, down at Ric's Field. I met him when I went down last week to see Ric. He's a lieutenant and a flier, but right now he's T.S. -technical to you. Dooley."

"But he wasn't christened Spang, surely—the font would have fallen down."

"Dooley, I ask you! His name is Spencer, and he hates it because he doesn't like some uncle or other. He won't look at my dress, but all the females on the prowl will cut their eyes down, and I'll get an inferiority complex. And this is important!"

"Is it?" Julia was gentle. "All right, turn around. But I refuse to guarantee results. Remember, I'm a pig-woman, not a couturiere. Is Ric coming with your Spang?"

Jill puckered her brow. "Mother, Ric's a private. Just a plain Joe, and a casual at that. He couldn't get a pass home unless he bought one from somebody, and he says they've hiked the price now till it isn't worth it."

"But-do you mean that he came home last time on some other man's pass?" Julia spoke between pins, sharply.

"Of course. Unless it was an emergency he wouldn't rate a pass. They might want to ship him out any minute." "But that was a foolish and risky

thing to do when he's trying to get into officer's school!" "Oh, they organize things, Ric says-get some other Joe to answer for them at roll-call or something.'

Jill turned slowly on her toes.
"I don't like it," Julia said stern-"I won't have Ric jeopardizing his chances. You should have told me before."

"Oh, Mother, you know how much attention Ric pays to maternal admonition! You only had one duti-

'Stand still, or I'll never get this

She was so tired that her legs quivered and her eyes blurred. And now worry was spinning like a dentist's drill in her brain. For now she was beginning to know what before had been only a nagging fear, a motherly apprehension. Now she knew that the thing she hated had not died, had not removed itself from her life. It was going on. Richard, her son, born in loneliness and torment-Richard was going on being another mad and reckless Mc-Farlane, irresponsible, not to be be-

You could have spared me this, God, she was thinking. I've had so much and I've tried to be patient, I've tried to do my best.

Aloud she said, "That gets it, I think. But it will probably sag somewhere else. That heavy stuff

Jill pulled the dress over her head and dropped on the stool, her naked arms round and virginal and

"Will you tack it up for me, Dooley? I've got to do my nails and press my suit, and there's a spot on the toe of one of my sandals where somebody stepped on me. Oh, I forgot to tell you, I asked Spang to stay here. He hasn't any family at all. I fixed the bed be-



"It's all crooked!" she wailed.

cause Mamie was pouty. I could only one find one hemstitched sheet, so I put a plain one under."

"Will Spang be here to dinner? If he will, you'll have to set the table. I'll fix your dress, but then I have to talk over some things with Foster and your grandfather."

"John I. rode up to mark posts in the woodlot," Jill said. "Foster had to help him on the horse, and that made him furious. He's bound to break a hip some day, and then you and I will have a lovely life."

"But he'll die if he stops wanting to do things for himself. He really doesn't believe that he's eighty. He thinks that's something somebody

"You're a pet to fix the dress, Dooley my love. But Spang is worth it, he is definitely. Maybe he's the one. About time! Here I am, crowding twenty-seven and already getting a maiden look around the chin."

"Don't be ridiculous. You look about eighteen. Don't forget about the table. Mamie's been busy all

#### Jill Mustn't Be An Army Wife

"Oh, Spang's bus won't be here till eight. I'll give him sandwiches and beer. Anyway, Mamie likes soldiers, and all the boys want is a soft chair to sprawl in and a hot But it makes it tough for the pig tub. They stand up all day, or sit on a hot curb, and they can't even in growing cucumbers or peanuts lie down on their cots till night, Ric

In her own room, dim and cool and serene, with the branches of the huge old trees rustling close to the windows, Julia shed the regimentals of a career woman, relaxed in the tub, and put on soft cotton slacks. Later she'd have to get into the denim and boots that were her farm uniform; she'd have to tell Foster, who ran the place, that there would be no more copper wire and no more fence till the government gave her a priority, and heaven only knew when that cles under your eyes."

She would have to tell her fatherin-law, too, old John I. McFarlane, and he would fume angrily and impotently for hours, to any one who would listen.

Working on Jill's dress, she hoped this young lieutenant would not be a disappointment, but all the while she nursed the secret wish that he would prove to be only another passing fancy, moving on as so many other lads had moved on, out of Jill's life.

To be an army wife-she did not want that for Jill. She wanted to save her child from that heartburning, that dreary waiting, the endless nights, the torturing silences that she herself remembered. And for her the wretchedness had never ended. There had been no finale, no period, no yellow telegram, no shock of grief-there had been nothing. Now, after twenty-five years, there

was still nothing.

But in these days, with all the young men in service, a girl, even as pretty and desirable a girl as Jill, had little choice. The world was swiftly turning to a confused

and dismal place.

She had told herself so many times, when Jill and young Richard were small and everything was very grim for her, that no child of hers should ever live through what she herself was living through. She had worked so hard: she had even done rough work with her own hands to build up this old farm. She had fought drouth and animal epidemics and insects and discouragement, to make a richer, kinder life for Ric and Jill. And she had succeeded. She looked through the window at the white fences marching over the lush green of the fields of Buzzard's Hill, and she knew that she had succeeded.

Her father-in-law had helped. She gave him his due in all loyalty. He had been a rock to lean upon, he had been a pillar—a fiery pillar, but steadfast. Through all the strange years when no word had come from Richard, her husband, when there had been only silence as baffling as the hollow sky, as deep as the sea, old John I. had stood by herthrough the grim times and good times. She had lived through it, but she would fight to save Jill from a life like that.

She heard the clump of John I.'s boots presently, heard him yelling something into the telephone. All the McFarlanes yelled, even Jill. There was so much in them that was alive and in a ferment. Patience had been left out of them. It was as if they had a yeasty brew instead of blood in their veins.

Richard, whom she had married, had yelled, too. Up three flights in that little walk-up flat in Washington-why must she think of that just Why couldn't she make herself forget, finally and forever? Last year she had determined to forget, and the year before. It irritated her that she, a strong woman, was not strong enough to conquer this thing that haunted her.

The dress finished, she laid it carefully across Jill's bed and got into the faded shirt, the rough clothes that went with being a pig-woman. She tied her hair up in a bandana and went downstairs.

#### A Sow Shows Its Teeth

John I. McFarlane-thin, mustached, with small hands and feet, and bright, hot, black eyes-was sitting on the side porch cutting tobacco into a newspaper spread across his knees. He looked up as alertly as a robin, and said, 'Hello, you back?"

"An hour ago." Julia sat down. The old man snapped his knife shut, slid the tobacco into a red tin and put the tin in his hip pocket. "Bet you forgot my bottle of bit-

"I did not. It's in the kitchen with the groceries."

"I'd better rescue it, then, before Mamie rubs it on her rheumatism. Last time you brought me some she used it to kill mites on a duck. Well, I marked about two hundred posts."

"No use, John I. They won't give us priority for any more fence. He drew his white brows together angrily. "What do they expect us to do? Teach hogs not to cross a

chalk line?" "No more wire, no more copper, no more steel. It's war, John I. business. Would you be interested or something?"

"I would not! Pickles give me the hives, and what good are peanuts when there aren't any more county fairs or circuses?"

"They use the oil for something. I forget what. Did you tell Foster to shut up your prize sow? She ought to bring a good litter."

"I shut her up myself. She's a cagy female. She bit me, and I hit her with the pitchfork before I thought, but she wasn't hurt any. What's wrong with you, Dooley? You look shot, and you've got cir-

(TO BE CONTINUED)

#### Woman's World

#### Glamorize Ugly Duckling Beds With Slipcovered Headboards

By Ertta Haley

If you're one of the thousands of war brides still waiting to see your dream home come true, there are several ways of making your life at present one of comfort and pleasantness. There's no need to put up with sad-looking family hand-medowns if you can run a sewing machine or take a needle in your hand and transform today's fabrics into things of beauty and loveliness.

A few yards of printed or plain cotton or rayon can be turned out into handsome quilted and appliqued finishes for headboard slipcovers after a few lessons at your local sewing center. You can, for example, pad a slip cover and work out a quilting design at the same time with just a little instruction and turn the white elephant of a bed into a thing of beauty.

Checked gingham, flower sprigged or striped fabrics are best for a quilted design which is easy to apply with the quilting attachment to the machine. If your heart is set on one of the lovely appliqued designs, your best choice is a plain back-ground which sets off the floral designs of the applique. The zigzagger attachment will do the job neatly and in very short order.

Outmoded wooden bedsteads

should be cut down to modern proportions before you attempt covering the headboard. Perhaps a handy carpenter or even friend husband would enjoy doing the job in one of his spare moments. If you're not quite certain of the lines to use, then check over some modern pieces before you attempt to start the remodeling.

You may even use a studio couch or box spring mattress combination if you don't have a regular bed. In this case, attach a headboard made of compo or plywood cut to bed

#### Take Measurements First When Making Covering

To determine the fabric necessary for the headboard, measure across the top of it for width and then from top to bottom for depth. Lay the material lengthwise across the front of the headboard to avoid seams down the center front. Join narrow

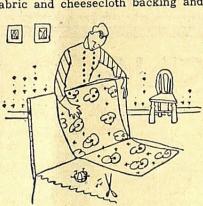


Convert old bedsteads into ...

pieces that run down the sides and across the top with heavy corded edges; sewing center instructors will show you how to master this quickly with the cording foot attachment on your machine. After finishing effects are created, the slip cover is placed over the headboard and fastened snugly at the back with a long zipper closing. If the headboard is curved, remember to shape the fabric with basting stitches before doing the final cutting and

stitching.
After taking headboard measurements for slipcover quilted finish allow at least one-quarter of a yard for take-up in the quilting process. You can quilt the entire front surface of the material or make a large center design with unquilted border

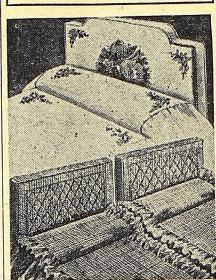
Padding is sandwiched between fabric and cheesecloth backing and



Smart bedroom pieces.

all of these are basted together. Turn basted fabric padding and backing, right side down, on cutting table and draw pencilled criss-cross diagonal lines which act as a guide for the first row of quilted stitching. After the first row of stitching is

done, the bar on the quilter attachment can be set for spacing a deSewing Trick



Makeshift sleeping set - ups such as studio couches and family hand-me-downs can be transformed thriftily into decorative assets with appliqued or quilted slipcovers for headboards.

sign of any reasonable size, assuring a uniform pattern. After the guide is set, stitch as you would any straight seam.

#### Floral Printed Remnants Easy to Use for Appliques

For an appliqued slip cover, cut out designs from a floral printed remnant and then applique to the plain fabric slip cover, using a zigzagger attachment. Both of these headboard effects can be enhanced with matching bedspreads, the quilting and applique work being done in much the same fashion as for the headboard.

Frilly ruffles that complement headboard drama can be stitched for bedspreads with the ruffler attachment. This gadget ruffles and stitches all in one operation.

If you're a career girl and housekeeper combination, then select the bedspread with care. You'll want one that fits perfectly without too much fussing-one that you can swiftly maneuver into place in the morning and snap off quickly in

A simple quilted bedspread or a cotton appliqued one will lay nicely on the bed, and will be simple as far as care is concerned.

Of course, if you want more glamour, you can go in for the frilly, ruffled types made of sheer materials like organdie and dotted swiss, but this is something strictly feminine, and you don't want to subject your brand new husband to too many fancy frills.

A gathered skirt also is acceptable if you want something feminine but tailored. This can be es fectively worked out with a floral print spread and a plain colored gather. This motif also can be carried out in draperies and dressing table skirt.

#### **Tucks and Stitches**

Remember that in planning a new dress or re-styling an old one, it is important to recognize the relationship between your pattern and the fabric you select. Moreover, the fabric may suit the pattern design perfectly, but you also must bear in mind that there is just as much relationship between the fabric and your figure. Sewing center experts guide you in differentiating between these two important factors, and at the same time recommend fabric designs that will assure figure flattery. For example, if yours is a short, stout figure, you should stay away from bold stripes and loud plaids that will tend to make you look shorter and stockier, and choose rather plain fabrics in becoming muted colors.

The dress that suddenly has become short-waisted and uncomfortable is still a "remake" possibility. The sewing center in your locality will show you how easy it is to put this dress back into circulation. All you need for this problem is a mid-riff insert strip of printed or striped fabric, if the dress is a solid color. The reverse is true if the dress is made of a print fabric. Sever bodice from skirt, determine the exact width with darts back and front. Attach to the bottom of bodice and top of skirt on wrong side. Finish off with pinked edges.

#### Fashion Flashes

Many new shades have come into being as designers and planners play

with colors. Keep your eyes open for those most flattering to you.

You may see plenty of fashions that hark back to other days and older times, but they all have that streamlined modern look and easy wearing quality that we like and so admire.

If you're dainty and demure, you'll like the portrait gowns done in pale pink or blue satin with a strapless decolletage and finished with billowing black lace.

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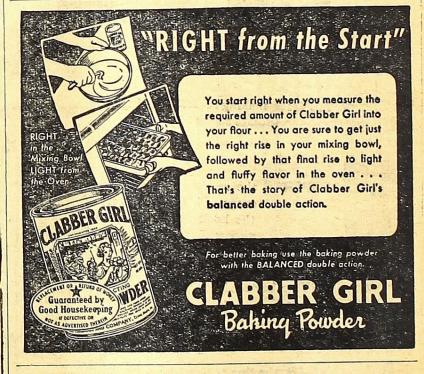


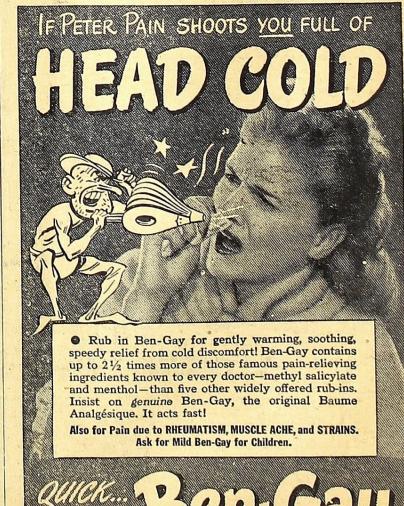
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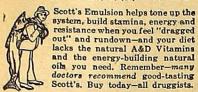
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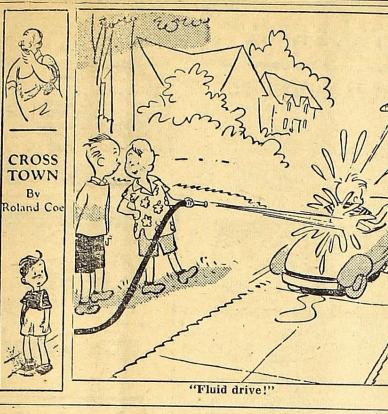
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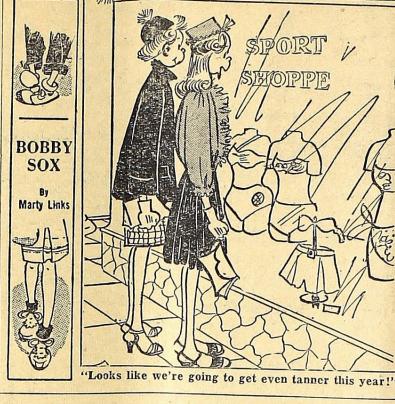
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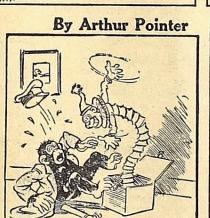
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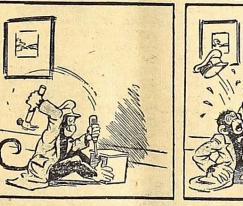












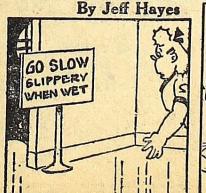








By Len Kleis





pires is, in our opinion, one of the greatest crimes in sport. Ball players in large numbers have been con-

victed in the past of selling and throwing games. Players and managers have. been indicted on other counts, outside of baseball. But no umpire that I. can recall has ever been connected with a scandal of any sort. They have been the backbone of baseball — the foundation of base- Grantland Rice



What has been their reward? The age old cry of "Kill the umpire." They have been hated and assaulted and scorned by the mob. They have been stormed at, cursed, insulted by players and managers who in the main were using these umpires as alibis for their own mistakes-for their defeats.

I can go back a long way in umpires—Tim Hurst, Silk O'Loughlin, Tommy Connelly, Billy Evans, Bill Klem (and what a guy), Cy Wrigler, Hank O'Day, Bill Dineen, Lord Byron, Arlie Latham, Charlie Morran on and on and on ran, on and on and on.

A great bunch. Dead honest. Dead game, these Big Boys in Blue. You couldn't buy one of them at any price. You couldn't scare 'em.

No one can bluff any of them.
Once in a while they may get to be overly tough everly efficience. But overly tough, overly officious. But after all they are supposed to run the game-and when they don't the game will be a farce. A complete

#### Honest and Tough

I've known umpires for over 40 years. Among the top ones, I've never known anyone who wasn't honest and fearless—and tough when he had to be. Honest, fearless and tough. For the umpire knows how the managers and the ball players use him in an attempt to cover up their mistakes.

Umpires make many mistakes. But Ty Cobb only batted .367 and Babe Ruth wasn't even close to this mark. That means mistakes for the ball player over two-thirds of the time. Who is perfect or close to being perfect in the world's most imperfect period of time?

What is the umpire's reward for the job he turns in? An outcast, as a general rule. Sure the hours are good, as Tim Hurst once said, but no better than the hours a ball player or a manager knows.

Not only a social outcast, but also the subject of vile abuse from managers and players-and from the crowd if the umpire doesn't happen to call the play in favor of the home club.

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What can the crowd in the stands see? The angles on strikes-plays at the bases-nothing at all. They don't know that slight angles can make a difference of many feet. These crowds haven't the slightest idea of what actually happened. They can miss a strike or a ball by over a foot. So can any manager sitting on the bench. He also is all out of line. He is only guessing his own way where on a general average he is completely wrong.

A vital part of an aggressive ball team, including manager and player, always concerns attacking and riding the umpire. This is supposed to mean a fighting, hustling team. Why was it, then, that Walter Johnson never protested an umpire's decision? Why was it that you rarely saw Joe McCarthy or Billy South-worth, certainly two of the best, storming from the dugout in some protest? These two let the umpires run the game.

#### Riding the Umpire

John McGraw, a great manager, came up in a different era. Mc-Graw always faced two opponentsthe other team and the umpire. You couldn't give McGraw enough opponents, including hostile stands. All Mac wanted was a fight with anybody. But the game has changed in later

years. And now we have too many managers and ball players trying to copy McGraw. They are using umpires for their mistakes—as alibis. The point I'd like to make is this here we have a group who should belong at the top of sport. And yet their reward is abuse from the crowds-abuse from the ball players -abuse from the managers. About 95 per cent abuse. In the main these umpires are picked from the best of the ball players. From the smartest and the most courageous . The wonder is that any sane citizen would ever want to be an umpire.

#### The Middleweights

The middleweights, always among the best in the ring, still dominate all divisions by a wide margin. The middleweights mean quality as well as quantity.

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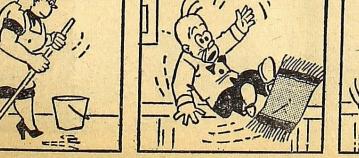
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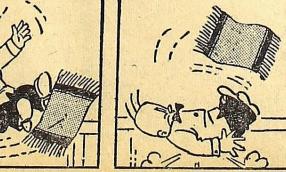
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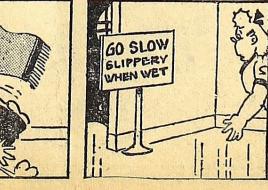
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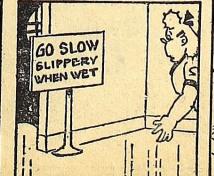
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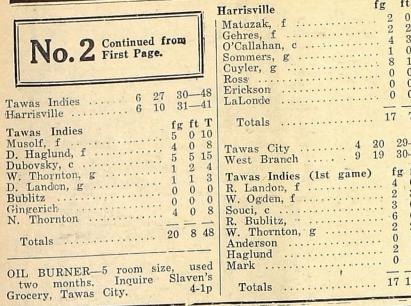
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Mr. and Mrs. John Bowen are the parents of a baby boy, born in Wayne last Saturday. Mrs. Bowen will be remembered as formerly,

Miss Greta Stonehouse.
At a meeting of the Sunday School
Board of the Methodist church officers were elected.

#### Old Age and Survivors Insurance

Federal old-age and survivors insurance benefits totaling \$52,200 are being paid to 2,662 people in 11 counties serviced by the Social Security Administration field office. These figures, compiled as of December 31, 1946, were released by Sylvia E. Paul, manager of the Bay City office, and represent an increase of approximately 5 per cent over the benefit payments made in the pre-

Total monthly benefits by county are: Alcona, \$1,431; Alpena \$8,045; Arenac, -1,350; Bay \$30,233; Gladwin, \$1,787; Iosco \$2,232; Montmorency, \$490; Ogemaw, \$1,651; Oscoda, \$470; Presque Isle, \$3,146; Roscommon, \$1,360,

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#### Navy Recruiting

The Navy Recruiting Station in Saginaw has announced that a recruiting tour of the following cities will be visited on dates stated below. Post office, East Tawas, 1:00 p. m. to 4:00 p. m. January 22.

Alpena Post office, from 8:00 a. m. to 4: 00 p. m. January 23.
Roger City post office, 8:00 a. m.
to 11:00 a. m. January 24.
Cheboygan post office, 1:00 p. m.

to 4:00 p. m. January 24. terview and enlist all men who wish to enlist in the Regular Navy and quire telephone 268-J. The purpose of the tour is to in-

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U. S. Naval Reserve (Inactive).

The recruiter wishes to remind

men who are interested in enlisting

in the Regular Navy that they must have birth certificates and if under 21 years of age the parent or legal guardian must give written consent

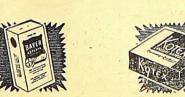
in the presence of the recruiter. For

men re-enlisting, however, must have their discharge certificate and the

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