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## HAPPENINGS OF THE WEEK

Local, Personal and General News Furnished in Condensed Paragraphs for the Convenience of the Busy Reader

Potatoes. McCaskey. Call 120.  
Fire insurance, W. C. Davidson. adv.  
Henry Kane was in Detroit over the week end on business.  
Domestic lump coal, \$3.00 per ton.  
Thos. Robinson, Phone 138. adv.  
Carl Kreuger Jr. spent a few days in Bay City, returning Wednesday.  
Sheriff Robinson returned Tuesday from a trip to Lansing and Detroit.  
Get your baked goods at the Baptist bake sale at Ferguson's store Jan. 25.  
Ask your grocer for Iosco Bread Shop bread. It's brim full of nutrition.  
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Bramwell Bowen on Tuesday, January 15, a nine pound girl.

John Dempsey left for Detroit on Monday after a week's illness at the home of Geo. L. Thomas.

The Baptist Ladies will hold a bake sale at Ferguson's store, Saturday afternoon, January 25. adv.

Elgin Ujman is at the American Legion hospital at Battle Creek. His friends hope for his speedy recovery.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. P. N. Thornton on Tuesday, January 15, an eight and one-half pound boy.

The county treasurer reports that 509 auto licenses have been sold so far this season. It is estimated that about 1300 licenses will be sold here this season.

Universal presents, Hoot Gibson in "Blinkie," big western, Saturday and Sunday, Jan. 19-20. Also comedy, "The Darkest Hour." Admission, 10 and 25 cents.

Louis Klish had the nearest number, 726009, and so received the set of dishes given at the store of M. E. Friedman & Sons, Wednesday afternoon. The number was 726046.

Through the efforts of the Intermediate class of the L. D. S. Sunday school, the walls of the church have been newly decorated in a figured and plain delft blue. A new rug purchased for the vestibule, also varnish for the interior woodwork while other improvements are now being planned.

The heaviest fall of snow of the season came Wednesday. The moderate temperature of 28 degrees allowed the snow to pack well and many sleighs were soon in evidence.

On Tuesday of this week the Baptist parsonage was the scene of a double wedding, when Irvin Teal of Hale and Miss Rose Humphrey of South Branch were united in marriage and William Caves and Miss Anna Byce, both of South Branch. Rev. H. Z. Davis performed the marriage ceremony.

Last Sunday forenoon while Orval Dearth and Edgar Cramer were skating on the bay near the John T. Trudell fish house, Orval broke through the ice. His companion broke one end of his sweater to him and tried to pull him out. This he was unable to do. Their cries for help were heard by Clark McCormick and Clark Tanner, and they hurried to the scene and assisted the boy to shore. He was then taken home. Outside of a severe chilling, Orval has felt no ill effects from the accident.

The board of supervisors met Monday and Tuesday. Among the things that came up before the session was the sending of a delegate to the convention of supervisors at Lansing. The board decided not to send a delegate this year. An appropriation of \$1,000 was made for improving the Iosco county fair grounds. A motion was made by Crego, supported by Conklin and carried by the board that a more economical means of publishing the proceedings of the board be found and a committee was appointed to investigate the matter.

Milo Stevens is very ill and has been confined to his bed for the past three months with sciatic rheumatism. His many friends are sorry to learn that his condition in health is not improving very rapidly.

The Tawas City Independent boys and girls played the Oscoda teams at the Auditorium last Wednesday. The first game with the girls resulted in a victory for Oscoda by a large score. The boys teams were well matched and played one of the fastest games that has been staged on the home floor for some time. At the final close of the game the scores were tied 24-24. Five minutes overtime was played and Oscoda won by a 25 to 26 score.

Apples for sale. A. N. Murchison. Wanted—Roomers or boarders. Mrs. Stephen Brabant. adv.  
Dancing party will be given by the O. E. S. at Masonic Temple annex on Wednesday evening, January 23.  
Mrs. A. Steinhurst left Thursday for Detroit where she will spend a couple of weeks with relatives and friends.

Wednesday and Thursday, Jan. 23 and 24, special winter scene with Jane Novack in "The Snow Shoe Trail." Also comedy. Admission 10 and 25 cents. adv.

### PHYLLIS NAOMI CASE

Phyllis Case, age 14 years, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. H. W. Case of this city, died Saturday, January 12th at Ann Arbor, following an operation. She had been ill for about six days. Dr. and Mrs. Case and Herbert, who is attending the University, were with her.

The remains were brought home Sunday morning and the funeral was held Tuesday morning at the St. Joseph church. Rev. Brogger officiated. Interment was made in the Catholic cemetery.

Phyllis attended the St. Joseph's parochial school where she had the high respect and love of her teachers and classmates. She was a diligent pupil and had held high honors in her class.

She was loved by everyone in the community and the family in their sorrow have received the deep sympathy of their many friends.

### BOYS AND GIRLS POULTRY CLUB ORGANIZED

In order to encourage the growing of better poultry in Iosco county, the officials of the Iosco County Fair organized a boys and girls poultry club. The following is a communication from J. D. McCrum, superintendent of the poultry department.

Wanted—One hundred boys and girls of the schools of Iosco county to join our Poultry Club.  
Would you like to have a setting of pure bred eggs from one of the many fine State College flocks at a low club price? Would you like to own a pure bred flock of chickens which would be a pleasure and profit to yourself and a credit to your community? Would you like to win some of the many dollars premium money offered on them at our county fair, or some of the fifteen special prizes offered by the business men of our county?

All you have to do to join this club is to send your name in for enrollment and agree to get one setting of pure bred eggs, hatch and grow them the best you can and show some of the best ones at our County Fair.

Watch for the price of eggs and lists of prizes which will be published soon. Watch the newspapers and hand bills that come into your home, they will all tell you something about the Iosco Boys and Girls Poultry Club.

Write J. D. McCrum, Tawas City to get your name enrolled and name the kind of eggs preferred.

### TAWAS CITY BAPTIST CHURCH

H. Z. Davis, Pastor  
Sunday, 10:00 a. m.—"What is the difference anyway?" will be the pastor's topic for the morning service.  
Bible school—11:15.  
Christian Culture class—6:00 p. m.  
Preaching at 7:00. Theme: "The bread problem."

Wednesday, 7:30—Prayer meeting and Teachers Training.  
"The right way to begin traveling the right way is to begin right away."

### Hemlock Church

1:30 p. m.—Bible school. Do we believe in the Bible school? Are we supporting as though we believed in it?  
2:15 p. m.—Preaching. Theme: "Advantages of walking with God."  
8:00 p. m.—B. Y. P. U.  
Thursday, 8:00 p. m.—Prayer meeting and Teachers Training.  
"Taking the line of least resistance makes rivers and men crooked."

### CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank the people of the Tawas for their many acts of kindness extended to us in our hour of sorrow. Also for the beautiful floral offerings. Dr. H. W. Case, and family.

## Slippery Going



### THE JENNINGS PARTY VISIT ST. AUGUSTINE

Our first night in Florida was unbroken, except by a few Florida hogs grunting around our tent. We can hear the roar of trains as they pass and repass in the night, entering and leaving the large city of Jacksonville.

In the morning Fred and Mr. Merchant went into the city to look for our freight which we had shipped on in advance of us from Cave City, Kentucky. While they were gone we strung up a line and washed a few articles. The men returned and had found the freight alright and re-shipped it to Ft. Ogden, Florida.

After dinner we started again on our way or rather out of our way to the historic city of St. Augustine.

We did not see much of Jacksonville, the streets are narrow and traffic is heavy so we drove slowly and then over the St. John's river over a toll bridge. There are some large ocean vessels at the docks in the river.

It is fifty miles to St. Augustine, over a good brick pavement and through the same kind of country as the day before, in the same respects like our pine plains, only instead of sweet fern, they are covered with palmetto, and which have large coarse leaves with sharp edges. It is impossible to walk through them, and as they harbor rattle snakes, we do not care to try.

The last twelve miles of our journey is through swamp, very dense and thick with lots of trailing moss, and we can hardly believe our eyes when we suddenly come out to St. Augustine, that old Spanish city, founded in 1565.

This is the oldest city in the United States and we cannot understand why we pass through undeveloped country right up almost to the city gates, but we have learned since that Florida is old in settlement but new in development.

This city was once a walled city, part of the wall still stands and the old city gates are there and we drove through them and into a street of exceeding beauty. Our first view of Florida's beautiful cities.

As we enter the city Ft. Marion lies to the left of us and we can hear the roar of the ocean. We drove up and parked our cars near the fort, and with feeling's that can be better described, we cross to this old historic place.

The fort is made of coquina rock, just like the walls around the city. This rock is very peculiar, it is composed of tiny sea shells and is used for roads in Florida at the present time. When crushed and used for building roads it makes a hard road bed, I believe unequalled.

There is a moat around the fort and we cross the draw-bridge and stand before the great iron gates of the fort, above is a Spanish inscription partly obliterated.

We enter a wide hall, register and pass into the museum on our right. Time or space is not mine to tell of (Continued on last page)

### STATE MAY STEP INTO DISPUTE ON RIPARIAN RIGHTS

The state may intervene in a case before the supreme court to settle the riparian rights dispute which has been involved in several litigations. Arguments were heard in the high court Wednesday afternoon in the case of Anna Dortha Brown against Louis Trudell, a Saginaw bay fisherman. Mrs. Brown's husband, now deceased, rented Trudell some property in Iosco county and also leased him the fishing rights in the waters adjacent to the property. Trudell paid one year's rent amounting to \$1,600 and part of another year's. He refused to pay after that claiming that the 1921 legislature, when it invested the water rights in the state, automatically repealed all riparian rights acts. The Brown estate sued, claiming that the 1921 act was unconstitutional and that it did not repeal a local statute, enacted in 1905, giving property owners in Iosco and one or two other counties, riparian rights. Attorneys for Trudell argued that since the riparian rights are in the state Brown had no more right to lease the water adjacent to his property than to lease the entire lake.

At the conclusion of the arguments John Baird, commissioner of conservation, asked the state to study the case and file an intervening brief, asking the high court to settle the constitutionality of the 1921 laws.—Bay City Times Tribune.

### ANNUAL MEETING OF THE NORTHEASTERN MICHIGAN DEVELOPMENT BUREAU

Notices are out for the annual meeting of the Development Bureau, to be held 2:00 p. m., January 22, at the offices in Bay City. Election of officers—three directors and one member of the Executive Committee from each county.

A conference of everyone interested in tourist and resort advertising for Eastern Michigan is called for 3:00 p. m. Every community in Eastern Michigan is asked to send delegates.

At 7:00 p. m. the Annual Get-Together dinner is given at the Wenonah hotel.

Secretary Marston states the organization is in better shape than ever before. More members, greater interest and most satisfactory results being achieved.

See your invitation for additional particulars.

### REPORT OF PROSECUTING ATTORNEY

Report of Prosecuting Attorneys office for six months, ending December 31, 1923.

Total No. of cases tried 57  
No. convictions 56  
No. Acquittals None  
No. settlements None  
No. dismissed 1

Respectfully submitted.  
John A. Stewart,  
Prosecuting Attorney for  
Iosco county, Michigan.  
Dated Jan. 14, 1924.

### POMONA GRANGE MEETS AT ALABASTER

The Iosco county Pomona Grange met with the Alabaster Grange on Tuesday, January 8. The Federal Farm Loan Association met on the same day, dividing the crowd. However, a splendid address by Brother Taylor and fine dinner were enjoyed.

Brother Taylor in his outline of the work which the State Grange has done and is trying to do, spoke on the following points:

Ten men have been promised for Grange work for two weeks after February 1. Any Grange desiring a Grange "revival" should write State Master Cook at Owosso and he will send Grange workers free of charge.

Nine years ago the Coon Insurance Co. was organized at Roscommon. Every loss has been paid by this company except one and in this case it was clearly proven that the house was burned by parties to get the insurance. The executive committee of the State Grange is the arbitration board of the Coon Co.

The Grange is behind the Sunday schools and the churches, and every good thing. Cooperation in all things. You must join some organization. The legislature wants to know what the farmers want in general. Organizations express the will of the people.

Taxes are burdensome. Personal and real estate are paying most of the taxes. Foremen and industrial workers receiving large incomes pay little or no tax. People receiving large incomes in other lines pay very little tax. Presidents of railroads, getting very large salaries perhaps pay no tax. Every man should pay taxes according to his ability. The income tax is a just tax. A necessary tax. Proposes a net income tax. Incomes under \$4,000 to be exempt. From \$4,000 to \$20,000, 5 per cent to be charged. The petition will require 60,000 signatures. Labor unions, Cleaners and farmer's clubs all should work for it. If this is put across \$10,000,000 will be gathered from those who pay little or no tax now. Anyone wishing to start circulating petitions should write to Wm. Latter, Whittemore, or A. B. Cook, Owosso, for same.

Brother Taylor promised to be with us for a two day meeting in March. We also have another speaker. Dates and places given later.

### REPRESENTATIVE LITTLE EXPLAINS ACTION OF LEGISLATORS

I would like very much to bring before your subscribers the real facts regarding the special session just ended in Lansing. I am sure that it will go down in history as one of the most important sessions Michigan Legislature has ever had. Some of the larger details would have you think we were a do-nothing bunch of men and they did go as far as to say we were on the par with the highwaymen.

Detroit was asking for 32 Representatives and 10 Senators. This (Continued on last page)

## EAST TAWAS DEPARTMENT

Devoted to the General and Personal News of the Week From Our Neighboring City on the East

Mrs. J. Dimmick went to Bay City Monday.

Mrs. E. Hanson spent Monday in Bay City.

Fred Halberstadt spent Saturday in Bay City.

Mrs. John Owens spent Saturday in Bay City.

Chas. Conklin left Thursday for Lansing on business.

Mrs. Wm. Boldt and son spent Saturday in Bay City.

Miss Margaret Pinkerton spent Saturday in Bay City.

R. G. Roby went to Grand Rapids Monday on business.

Wait for the bake sale, January 25th at Ferguson's store. adv.

Rudolph Applin left Tuesday for Elkhart, Ind. on business.

Miss Annabell St. Martin left on Thursday for Bay City.

Miss Sarah North of Alpena spent the week end with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Anschuetz spent Wednesday in Bay City.

Mrs. Chas. Hewson left Thursday for a few days visit in Bay City.

H. N. Butler, who was in Detroit on business returned home Friday.

Mike Toski and Richard Look left Wednesday for Toledo on business.

James Swales left Wednesday for Cleveland and other cities for a visit.

Warren Philips, who was at Detroit and Toledo, returned home Monday.

F. Kline went to Alpena Saturday to spend the week end with his family.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Haglund and children returned home from Detroit during the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Rueben Quarters are the proud parents of a daughter born on Tuesday.

Earl Pinkerton of Saginaw spent a few days in the city with his parents.

Miss Grace Stang of McIvor spent the week end in the city with her parents.

Mrs. Chas. Sinclair, who has been in Saginaw on account of the illness of her sister, returned home Tuesday.

Mrs. Clare Grant and daughter, who have been in Detroit, returned home Tuesday.

Capt. Johnson, who has been visiting in the city, returned to his home in Flint Monday.

Mrs. D. Nelem and baby of Roger City spent a few days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. Nelem.

Mrs. F. Ballottman left Tuesday for a few days visit with her daughter, Mrs. V. Schaffer in Bay City.

Dr. and Mrs. C. F. Klump left on Wednesday for Washington D. C. for two weeks visit with relatives.

Miss Edith Ludzke, who has been visiting in the city for a week at the home of Mrs. Bolan, returned to Flint, Monday.

Mrs. Emil Schrum and daughter were called to Detroit Saturday on account of the serious illness of Mrs. Schrum's brother.

A farewell party was given Miss Jane McHarg, who will leave Tuesday with her parents and family for Jamaica to spend the winter.

Mrs. James Fraiser, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. North for several weeks, left Saturday for Hart, Mich. to join her husband.

Mrs. B. Moss entertained sixteen ladies at her home Friday evening. Bridge was played. Mrs. E. Schreck and Mrs. Chas. Dimmick won the prizes. A delicious lunch was served.

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. David Correy died Wednesday of pneumonia at the home of his parents. The child was seven months old. The funeral will take place from the home Friday afternoon.

The East Tawas Board of Commerce will hold a Booster Meeting on Thursday night, January 31. A banquet will be held at the Holland hotel and upwards of 300 are expected to be present. Guests from out of the city are being invited. President Butler and Secretary R. G. Schreck are planning on making this meeting a big success. A special musical program has been arranged. After the banquet the election of officers for this year will be held. J. Kennard Johnson, Manager of the Bay City Board of Commerce will be the speaker of the evening.

The Tawas Herald \$2.00 per year.

### PRESBYTERIAN CONCERT A BIG SUCCESS

The concert given at the Presbyterian church, Wednesday evening, for the benefit of the Gang class, was a success, both financially and as a splendid musical treat. The class realized about \$50 from the concert.

The program was given by the M. E. quartette of Tawas City. The numbers were well received and heartily applauded. The participants were Mrs. J. F. Mark, soprano and piano, Mrs. Ira Horton, contralto, J. F. Mark, tenor and piano, Hesea Bigelow, barytone and trombone and Mrs. Hosea Bigelow, piano accompanist.

The church was decorated with streamers of red and blue, the Gang colors, with the Gang pennant in the center. Parlor floor lamps and parlor chairs gave a cozy appearance to the platform.

Before the close of the program, Richard Hewson, president of the class, gave a short address in behalf of those who patronized the class and to those who gave the entertainment. Refreshments were served after the program.

### AUXILIARY OF THE AMERICAN LEGION ELECT OFFICERS

The Auxillary of the American Legion met Monday evening at the Carleton's hall. After the regular meeting the following officers were elected:

Past President—Miss Helen Applin  
President—Mrs. Hazel King  
1st Vice Pres.—Mollie Dillsworth  
2nd Vice Pres.—Mrs. Ed. Miller  
Sec'y—Clara Barkman  
Treas.—Fedora Nelem  
Exec. committee members—Edla Applin, Mary Anderson, Mrs. Mc Murray.

Chaplain—Allah Alford  
Historian—Sarah Morley  
Guard—Kate Dease  
Installation, Monday, February 4. Dues will be paid at this meeting.

### KANOTIN CLUB ELECTED THE FOLLOWING OFFICERS FOR THE COMING YEAR

At a meeting of the Kanotin Club on January 10th the new Directors elected were, R. Schreck, H. N. Butler, Fred Adams, J. K. Osgerby, Norman Salsbury, W. B. Piper, Anthony Anschuetz, Arthur Evans and Robt. Elliott.

At a meeting of the new directors, January 15th, the following officers were elected:

R. G. Schreck—President  
H. N. Butler—Vice President  
Anthony Anschuetz—Secretary  
W. B. Piper—Treasurer  
The next meeting of the club will be held January 24 at the Holland hotel and will be laides night. An outside speaker will be obtained.

### ELECTION OF OFFICERS PRESBYTERIAN SUNDAY SCHOOL

The following officers were elected at the Presbyterian Sunday school last Sunday morning.

Supt.—Rev. L. G. McAndrew  
Asst. Supt.—Mrs. L. G. McAndrew  
Sec'y—Miss Lillian McMurray  
Asst. Sec'y—Miss Esther Johnson  
Treas.—Richard Hewson  
Pianist—Miss Helen Applin  
Rev. and Mrs. McAndrew were presented with a purse. At this time the Sunday school organized classes and members in appreciation of their services to the Sunday school for the past year.

### LUTHER LEAGUE ELECT THEIR OFFICERS

The Luther League held a business meeting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Victor Floyd on Monday evening, January 14. The following officers were elected.

President—Lillian Johnson  
Vice President—Sadie Floyd  
Rec. Sec'y—Hilma Bygden  
Fin. Sec'y—Emma Anschuetz  
Treasurer—Sanford Jacobson

### TRUCKING

Local and long distance trucking of all kinds, any distance. Load insured. Rates reasonable. R. Kindel, Tawas City, R. D. 2.

### MONUMENTS AND MARKERS

Place your order now for spring delivery. See our new sand blast designs. A. A. Bigelow, Tawas City.

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**WHITTEMORE**

Ask your grocer for Losco Bread Shop bread. It's brim full of nutrition.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Price of East Tawas spent Sunday in town.

H. M. Belknap of Tawas City was in town Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hary McCrum drove from Indiana Tuesday and are visiting at D. R. Hurford's.

Word was received last week of the death of John Fortune of Petosky. He was formerly of this place.

H. J. Jacques was at Saginaw on business Tuesday and Wednesday.

Mrs. John Offarrel is seriously ill at this writing.

Dr. Weed of East Tawas was in town Tuesday.

Dr. Smith and Miss Annabelle McLean were at Tawas City Tuesday.

James Werely has purchased a new coupe.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Watts, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Fahselt and Geo. Culham visited at the home of Ed. Graham on Sunday.

Elmer Colby purchased a new Star this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Pfahl and Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Culham visited at the home of Wm. Herriman Sunday.

Harry Graham went to Lansing Friday and drove up a Star Special touring car.

**Why Pawnbrokers Are "Uncles."**  
The original pawnbrokers were the bankers, and the epithet "uncle" is said to be from the Latin *uncus*, a hook on which the brokers hung their pledges.

**Removes Obstruction.**  
If a child should put a pea or a bean up in his nose, a little cayenne pepper on his upper lip will cause him to sneeze and thus remove the obstruction.

**Just So.**  
Jud Tinkins says that a man who loses a hundred thousand dollars on a horse race generally isn't as honest-to-goodness, unlucky as the one who couldn't afford to bet but two.

**"What's in a Name?"**  
By MILDRED MARSHALL

*Facts about your name; its history; meaning; whence it was derived; significance; your lucky day and lucky food*

**RHODA**

AMONG the flower names which have been under discussion appears one name which is not generally recognized as belonging to the list. It is Rhoda, the graceful Greek name, which has completely lost its identity under importation and is now regarded as purely English and American. The name signifies "Rose." It is taken from the Greek word for the flower.

It was apparently transplanted intact to English shores, as there is no record of its evolution from a Greek root. The Rhodals which appeared in France and named the wife of Gilbert de Gaunt is thought by etymologists to have arisen from the Latin "rhos," meaning fame, rather than to have been taken from the flower. Indeed, most of the derivatives of the feminine name, Rose, are believed to have come from this source.

Thus Rhoda is almost unique in her place and significance; likewise it has never suffered contraction.

The ruby is Rhoda's talismanic gem. It possesses the deep red color which is likewise her talisman, and promises her the fulfillment of her ambitions, bodily and mental health, and peace of bearing. Tuesday is her lucky day and 5 her lucky number.

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**YOUR HAND**

How to Read Your Characteristics and Tendencies—their Capabilities or Weaknesses That Make for Success or Failure as Shown in Your Palm

**CARRIAGE AND MOTIONS OF THE HANDS.**

WHILE the characteristics, tendencies, propensities, etc., of a person may be read best from the lines, the mounts and the signs of the hands, all taken together and to each assigned its proper significance, much may also be learned from the manner in which the subject carries his or her hands and moves them.

For example, when the person is of an open, frank nature, he will have little to conceal, and will open his hand or palm freely to the gaze. The hand of one whose thoughts and life need concealment will close more or less tightly, and the fingers will endeavor to hide the palm, as it were. Note, therefore, whether the subject seems bent on hiding his palm, even before he knows that he is under observation, and deduce therefrom a secretive nature.

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If you have an article which you wish to sell, why not advertise it in the Herald want ads, adv.

**DOG HAS SENSE OF DIGNITY**

What in Man is Known as "Bluff" Is Quite Highly Developed in the Canine Race.

Once past their puppyhood all dogs have a sense of dignity and self-respect.

The other day I watched a small boy tickle a terrier's nose with a straw, says a writer in the London Daily Mail. The dog sniffed, sneezed and turned his head aside. When the operation was repeated he rose, stretched himself languidly—as if he was moving merely of his own accord—and slowly walked away. There was contemptuous disdain in every movement.

It is this ever-present sense of dignity which induces "bluff" in a dog, a quality which one might think belonged solely to man.

The arrant cowards of the canine race, with the exception of "pampered darlings," and broken-spirited pariahs, are not so shameless as to ignore the opinions of others. Even though clearly anxious to avoid a fight, they make some pretense of bravery or disdain.

All this may be seen any day in the street when dogs meet to "take stock" of each other. But the best illustration possible was afforded recently by a litter of beagle puppies.

Rajah, a big, strong puppy, was severely tickled chicken-hearted. Restless was small and weak, but indomitably ferocious. In the first clash of arms Rajah "put up a show" and got severely handled. Now, if Restless openly covets Rajah's bone the last named seems suddenly to lose interest in it. He deserts the bone but retains his dignity.

No one who gives a dog's nature the smallest amount of study can fail to be struck by its resemblance to man's.

The value set on public opinion is only one example of many. A dog can be anxious, amazed, hopeful, frightened, inquisitive, ashamed, sad, loving, jealous, interested—even amused. The human gamut of emotions is not much greater.

That a dog has a sense of humor is most widely doubted. But there has been a terrier who could actually smile, baring his teeth in a manner quite different from a snarl.

He was chained up in a yard where a number of fowls infuriated him by stealing his food.

One day their feeding time coincided and he had cleaned out his high pot before the fowls arrived. He then lay motionless in the sun with one eye half open, watching a cockerel nervously approach. At last, with great effort and much trembling, the cockerel craned his neck and looked down into the pot.

The terrier tapped the ground twice with his tail, smiled and closed his eye.

**Mind's Power Over the Body.**

There is no doubt of the existence of a certain basis of scientific knowledge for the present vogue of the assumption of the importance of mind's influence over body, and of the importance of the unconscious element in mind. But, of course, this vogue is chiefly the result of extravagant claims unjustified by the facts yet known. Vernon Kellogg writes in the North American Review. These claims are pressed by persons who are not even acquainted with the scientific facts that give any basis at all to them. Too often they are deliberate attempts to exploit the popular interest. In other cases they are not dishonest in intention; only dishonest through careless disregard of the obligation resting on any one who offers to point the way to health of having scientific fact as a basis for his advice. When I asked M. Coue for some proofs of his claims to be able to do what he thinks—probably quite honestly—he drew from an inner pocket a small packet of letters, evidently much used, and handed me one or two to read. Each writer said that she had got well. It was a naive reply on M. Coue's methods. M. Coue considers them to mean everything. I cannot.

**In State of Ignorance.**

A tall, smiling negro, who said he lived in Chicago, stood before Judge Delbert D. Wilmeth in city court a few days ago to answer to a charge of vagrancy.

"On what street do you live?" Judge Wilmeth asked.

"I just can't remember the name of that street, your honor," replied the prisoner.

"Well, does it run east and west or north and south?" queried the judge.

"Well, sir, I'm not positive which way it does run. I never was no good on directions."

"You should be in vaudeville," Judge Wilmeth said when he ordered the man discharged.

"Just where is that town, judge?" asked the negro. "Seems like I don't remember I ever heard of that place before."—Indianapolis News.

**Blind People Read Much.**

People who have lost their sight read more as a class than their sighted neighbors, according to records of the book exchange department of the California state library, which were made public by Milton J. Ferguson, state librarian.

Despite the fact that many of the blind have never learned to read by the raised-letter system and hence do not read at all, Ferguson stated the state library collection of 14,937 books for the blind is insufficient. The 1,200 blind people in California keep the collection constantly in circulation.

Many of the blind patrons of the library take out an average of five books a week, the state librarian said.

**HOW TO SAVE MONEY WHEN SHOPPING**

By MRS. HARLAND H. ALLEN

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**CHILDREN'S CLOTHES**

"I wonder what was the matter with Mary's last dress? It simply didn't wear at all." How often we hear mothers making statements like that.

Clothes for children, when you consider the hard wear to which they are subjected, and the frequency with which they must be replaced, are just as significant an item of expense as our own, and a few suggestions about their choice and care may help you to buy wisely.

Material for children's dresses should be chosen for endurance and fast color. A child's dress needs frequent washing, and for that reason most mothers prefer cotton to many other materials. As a general rule, materials that are yarn-dyed, such as gingham, chambray, and some cotton crepes, will be less likely to fade than "print" goods, unless they are especially well woven and printed in very fast colors.

Little children are apt to get spots on their clothing, and so a fabric that can be easily and quickly sponged off with soap and water is much better than one where the whole garment has to go into the laundry each time. In making or buying a child's dress you should always consider the amount of time it will require in the tub. Light-weight goods are easier to wash than heavy ones, and loosely-woven materials than those solid and tightly woven; fancy trimmings and cheap lace take time and soon wear out. In general, wool does not wash so easily as cotton, but all-wool serges of firm weave wash well. To cut down the laundry, mothers are using to an increasing extent the attractively simple and crinkly seersuckers and crepes, which do not require ironing after washing.

A child's clothing should never be too good to play in, but this does not mean that the frocks should be ugly. Children are very sensitive to gay colors and pretty clothes, and if dressed in ugly, drab garments are sure to grow timid and sullen in company with their bright, prettily dressed playmates. As little folks outgrow their garments quickly, only a few at a time, to be worn frequently, is the best plan. Dresses for little girls should have bloomers of matching material to allow her the same freedom as her brother.

Until a few years ago, any ready-made clothing for children was too elaborate and flimsy for every-day wear, but now you can find on the market garments of the best material, that are both simply and well made, and you can even rely on ready-made clothes if you are otherwise employed and haven't time to sew.

Provincetown and Nantucket, Mass., have, clung to the Pilgrim fathers' plan of having a town crier.

**Never Too Late.**

It is never too late with us, so long as we are still aware of our faults and bear them impatiently—so long as noble propensities, greedy of conquest, stir within us.—Jacobi.

**LAILDLAWVILLE**

Ask your grocer for Losco Bread Shop bread. It's brim full of nutrition.

(To late for last week)

Miss Hazel McLeod of East Tawas is spending an indefinite time at her parental home.

Mrs. Chas. Wojohn is spending a few days this week with her daughter at East Tawas.

Mrs. Helen Beauchamp returns this Saturday to her home at Ann Arbor after a few weeks visit at her parental home, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Laidlaw.

Mr. and Mrs. George Fahselt are visiting this week with relatives and friends in the neighborhood.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wood visited with relatives at East Tawas Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Nesbit of Indian Lake visited at the Laidlaw home last Friday.

Mrs. John Dommer and Mrs. Anna Birnbaum of Saginaw, who came to attend the funeral of their mother, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Lang and family spent Sunday at the home of their brother Theodore Lang and family.

George Culham visited on Wednesday at the home of his daughter, W. E. Laidlaw and family.

Grandma Lang, who has been a pioneer resident of this place, passed from this life last Wednesday, Jan. 2nd at the age of 84 years, at the home of her daughter in Saginaw where she went to spend the winter months. The remains were brought to Tawas on Thursday where the funeral services were held from the Zion Lutheran church on Monday. The family has the sympathy of the community in their sad bereavement.

more than likely. If satan's janitor were anything like the average apartment house brand his tenants would soon be kicking for more heat.

**Man's Private Theater.**

Man carries under his hat a private theater, wherein a greater drama is acted than is ever performed on the mimic stage, beginning and ending in eternity.

**Heaping Up Taxes.**

In heaping up proposed taxes, no ardent propagandist thinks for a moment that his is going to break the camel's back.

**Wants, For Sale, Etc**

10c per line

FOR SALE—Ford coupe, one year old. Apply to Frank F. Taylor.

FOR SALE—Green hardwood. Arthur Allen, Tawas City. Write or phone 196-F32.

FOR SALE—Fifteen tons hay. Four geese, one gander. There's money in geese. \$2.50 each. C. Nelem.

**Hall's Catarrh Medicine**

Those who are in a "run down" condition will notice that Catarrh bothers them much more than when they are in good health. This fact proves that while Catarrh is a local disease, it is greatly influenced by constitutional conditions. HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE consists of an Ointment which Quickly Relieves by local application, and the Internal Medicine, a Tonic, which assists in improving the General Health. Sold by druggists for over 40 Years. F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio.

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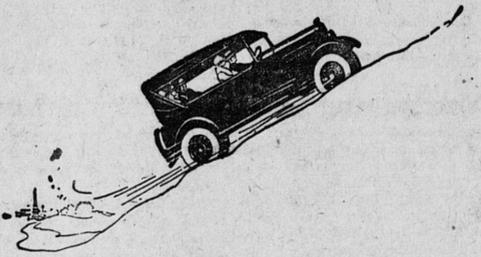
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When baby needs a pair of shoes, I wonder what store ma will choose, that partic'lar size! When father must dress up his folks in Easter hats or all-wool cloaks, who wins this gladsome prize? What lucky dealer gets the cash people spend for plows and hash; for clocks and luscious pies? Just look these very columns o'er each week; you'll find an ad by Tradesmen wise. They offer things you want to buy at prices low for prices high; their goods delight the eyes. Their plan is not new; they learned the trick when Pharaoh had but just one brick --- "Be Prudent--- Advertise."

**The Tawas Herald**



**Final Clean-Up**

**WE are anxious to make a good Clean-Up on all of our Winter Merchandise to make room for our spring line of goods which will begin coming in now.**

**Men's Flannel Shirts Mackinaws**  
**Sheep Lined Coats**  
**Ladies' Outing Flannel Gowns**  
**Ladies' House Dresses and Aprons**

The above we offer at half the cost of production but we want them to go and you need them---plenty of cold weather ahead of us yet.

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# COURT UPHOLDS PATENT SALE

U. S. Suit Against Chemical Foundation Dismissed by Judge Morris.

## CONSPIRACY CHARGE FAILS

Conduct of Chemical Foundation Praised in Use of Former German Patents for Benefit of American People.

Wilmington, Del.—In a sixty-two page decision which swept away every one of the Government's major contentions as being without basis in fact or law, Federal Judge Hugh M. Morris dismissed its suit to set aside the sale of seized chemical and dye patents by the Allen Property Custodian to the Chemical Foundation, Inc.

The decision rebuked the Government for including in the bill of complaint a series of conspiracy charges unsupported by evidence at the trial and refuted by the defense as well as by documents filed by the Government.

In declining to compel the Foundation to restore the disputed patents, numbering some 4,700 and bought for \$271,000, from the Government, Judge Morris held there was no evidence bearing out allegation of a conspiracy by American manufacturers to effect a monopoly through the Foundation.

The court ruled that there was no evidence of fraud or deceit practiced on President Wilson, Mr. Polk, Under Secretary of State, Attorney General Palmer and other high officials of that Administration.

Garvan's Course Upheld  
The opinion praised Francis P. Garvan, president of the Foundation, and its trustees, as having met the most severe of tests in their conduct of the Foundation—"the test of actual trial."

They were declared by the court to afford, through their high integrity and unquestioned patriotism, a thorough assurance of loyalty to their trust. "It has kept the faith," said the court of the Foundation's work.

Judge Morris found without merit the Government's contention that the criminal laws were violated in that Mr. Garvan, as Allen Property Custodian and thereby a public trustee, sold to himself as president of the Foundation the patents in question.

As to allegations that the sale was not to obtain a fair value, but to promote the interests of the chemical and dye industries and that the transaction was in legal effect granting a subsidy to private industry, the court commented, "this challenge to the motives of the officers making the sale is supported, I think, neither by the facts nor the law. Mr. Polk determined the public interest would be best served by a wide use of the inventions covered by the patents. If the property was sold under terms and conditions that assured its being devoted to the public use it matters not what benefits or detriments may have flowed as incidents therefrom."

"The property is in the keeping of men who have in its management no selfish interest to serve and whose devotion to the public interest has been established," continued the opinion. "No better plan for devoting the property to public use has been suggested. The plan has stood the most severe of all tests—actual trial. The defendant has kept the faith. This it has done, not only by granting licenses in furtherance of the purposes for which it was chartered, but also at its great expense, by distribution of books and pamphlets showing the national necessity for practical development of chemical science in America. If, perchance, those heretofore engaged in the industries have derived an incidental advantage from the plan, that incidental result cannot invalidate a transaction lawfully consummated in the public interest. The same charge would lie against the validity of every tariff act."

The sale was in effect to America and its citizens, not to those then engaged in chemical and allied industries.

Judge Morris ruled that if the executives entrusted by Congress with power of sale acted within the scope of that power "their acts are not subject to judicial nullification or review, invasion by the courts to determine whether the public interest required the property be sold otherwise than under the statutory conditions prescribed and to set aside the sale should the judgment of the court be different from that of the President would be a judicial nullification not only of the President's act but also of the act of Congress conferring on the President the power to determine what the public interests required. What the public interest requires depends upon the conditions existing in the nation. Courts do not understand the 'state of the Union' and as I apprehend, are not equipped to ascertain it."

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quires the President to consider the public interest. Public interest is not a synonym for money."

In this relation Judge Morris quoted from President Coolidge's message to Congress on the Muscle Shoals problem, that "while the price is an important element, there is another consideration even more compelling. . . . If this main object (low-priced nitrates for farmers in peace and the Government in war) is accomplished, the amount of money received for the property is not a primary or major consideration."

Referring to German-owned property, the court said: "Much of this property was not innocently held or held solely for trade and commerce. Information acquired by German-owned companies had been transmitted to Berlin, and there indexed and made available to German competitors and the German Government. The files of one company were filled not with business papers, but with pan-German literature. It was a distribution centre for propaganda in this country."

Upholds Confiscation of Patents  
Judge Morris pointed out that when America entered the war she adhered to the international convention forbidding poison gas, "but it soon became apparent that America would be fighting on disastrously unequal terms unless she should make use of all the dread weapons being used against her by the foe. When Germany persisted in her attempts to destroy her opponents with poison gas in contravention of all international agreements, she made it manifest that America's future safety lay in America's chemical independence. The amendment to the act was passed in the darkest days of the war (allowing the sale of seized properties). It was thought Paris was about to fall and the Channel ports be taken." These were the circumstances, said the opinion, "which impelled Congress to grant the President the broad powers of almost absolute ownership. It was the intent of Congress to subordinate mere property rights to the welfare of the nation."

Of the value of the patents sold, Judge Morris held, in accordance with the testimony, that while Dr. Carl Holderman, a German, asserted the Haber patents were worth \$17,000,000 to the Germans, "the evidence is overwhelming that they were and are without substantial affirmative value to American citizens. Had these patents been sold to Americans at public rather than private sale and only the net proceeds paid to their former enemy owners these owners would have suffered an almost total loss in the value of their property."

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## THE SANDMAN STORY

### BUTTON IS RESCUED

PEARLY BUTTON was a plump round little fellow and he was very sober and quiet, too, while he remained securely fastened on the white apron which he helped to keep in its place with the aid of Buttonhole.



"Mr. Fat Rooster Swallowed It"

One day, however, he found himself gaily swinging by a thread as the clothes on the line in the yard danced and flapped in the wind. "Oho!" thought Pearly Button. "What fun it would be to free for once to roll where I like and see a bit of the world. Now I remember the wind rustled around the clothes-line. And off jumped Pearly Button and rolled down the hill. But it wasn't such fun as it thought, resting against a cold stone with the dust blowing over it, and Pearly Button was beginning to wish itself back on the white garment when something happened.

"Pick, pick," went Madam Hen. She thought she had found a nice bite to eat. "Too hard," she clucked and Mr. Fat Rooster, thinking she had something good to eat, ran up and grabbed Pearly Button and before it could slip back on the ground Mr. Fat Rooster had swallowed it.

Oh, how dark it was for a long time! The next thing Pearly Button knew it dropped on the floor in the kitchen. "Well, well," laughed the cook. "If the fat rooster didn't swallow that pearl button that came off your apron," she said to a little girl. "I looked everywhere in the yard for it because your mother did not have another like it."

Then she let the water run over Pearly Button and the little girl took it to her mother who sewed it on the apron. "I hope she sews me fast this time," thought Pearly Button. "I can't see anything jolly about running away. And come to think of it I can see a great deal of the world fastened where I am; and besides I must be a very fine button when they could not find another to take my place."

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## MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made by Hannah J. Parker to Stella Van Camp, dated November 10th, 1919, and recorded in the office of the register of deeds, for the county of Isosco and state of Michigan on January 12th, 1920, which said mortgage was duly assigned on June 1st, 1920 to Ealy McKay and Co., said assignment being recorded in Liber 26 of assignments on page 284, in the office of register of deeds for Isosco county, and was again assigned on the 10th day of October, 1923 to Oreste G. Purdy, said assignment being recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in Liber 26 of mortgages on page 286, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date of this notice for principal and interest the sum of four hundred sixty-seven and thirty-six one hundredth dollars (\$467.36), and an attorney fee of fifteen dollars, as provided for in said mortgage, and the further sum of forty-seven and five one hundredth dollars (\$47.05), for taxes which have been paid by mortgagee to protect his interests in said land.

Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and the statute in such case made and provided, on Saturday the 12th day of January, A. D. 1924, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, the undersigned will sell at public auction to the highest bidder at the front door of the court house in the city of Tawas City, that being the place where the circuit court for the county of Isosco is held, the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the amount so due as afore said on said mortgage also taxes paid upon said land by assignee, together with said attorney fee, interest and all other legal costs, to-wit: The southeast quarter (1/4) of the southwest quarter (1/4) of section twenty-three (23) in township twenty-two (22) north of range five (5) east.

Oreste G. Purdy, Assignee of Mortgagee  
John A. Stewart, Attorney for Mortgagee, Tawas City, Michigan.

Don't Give Them Nitrogen.  
It has been found that the house-fly, whose term of life is commonly believed to be about six weeks, can live twice as long if its food contains nitrogen.

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That Well-Known Motto.  
The motto, "E Pluribus Unum," was taken from the title page of the Gentlemen's Magazine, at the time of the Revolution, having a very large circulation in the colonies.

How Man Could Equal Mole.  
In order to perform equivalent work of the web-footed mole, a man would have to excavate in a single night a tunnel thirty-seven miles long and of sufficient size to admit easily of the passage of his body.

No Laundries in China.  
Laundries are unknown in China. This is strange when it is considered that an overwhelming proportion of the Chinese in America are engaged in laundry work.

## PROBATE NOTICE

State of Michigan, The Probate Court for the county of Isosco.  
At a session of said court, held at the probate office, in the city of Tawas City, in said county, on the 9th day of January A. D., 1924.  
Present, Hon. David Davison, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of estate of Henry McKiddie deceased, Mrs. Grace McKiddie having filed in said court her petition praying that said court adjudicate and determine who were at the time of his death the legal heirs of said deceased and entitled to inherit the real estate of which said deceased died seized,  
It is ordered, that the 1st day of February A. D. 1924, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition;  
It is further ordered, that public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Tawas Herald a newspaper printed and circulated in said county. David Davison, A true copy. 4 Judge of Probate.

## MORTGAGE SALE

Default having been made in the payment of the moneys secured by mortgage, dated January 3, 1918, executed by Rinaldo Allen and Hattie Allen, his wife, of Hale, Michigan, to Stella Van Camp; said mortgage being recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Isosco county on January 8, 1918, in Liber 21 of mortgages on page 241, which said mortgage was duly assigned on January 11, 1918, to Margaret A. Pratt, said assignment being duly recorded in Liber 20 of mortgages on page 412, on March 19, 1918; said mortgage being again assigned on January 19, 1923 to Hattie M. Talbot and said assignment being recorded February 19, 1923 in Liber 26 of mortgages on page 279. The amount claimed to be due on said mortgage at the date of this notice is the sum of five hundred dollars, principal, and one hundred dollars and thirty cents interest, and the sum of forty-seven dollars for taxes paid, and an attorney fee of twenty-five dollars, making a total of six hundred seventy-two dollars and thirty cents. No suit or proceedings have been instituted at law to recover the debt now remaining secured by said mortgage or any part thereof, wherefore the power of sale contained in said mortgage has become operative.

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of said power of sale and in pursuance of the statute in such case, made and provided, said mortgage will be foreclosed by sale of the mortgaged premises therein described a public auction to the highest bidder, at the front door of the court house, in the city of Tawas City, County of Isosco, State of Michigan, that being the place where the circuit court for the county of Isosco is held, on the 29th day of March, 1924 at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon of that day.

The premises to be sold are described in said mortgage as follows, to-wit: The S. E. 1/4 of the N. E. 1/4 of section 11, township 23, North, Range 5 East, excepting therefrom a strip of land four rods wide along east side heretofore deeded to Consumer's Power Company.  
Hattie M. Talbot, Assignee of Mortgagee  
13 Dated January 8, 1924  
John A. Stewart, Attorney for Assignee  
Business address, Tawas City, Mich.

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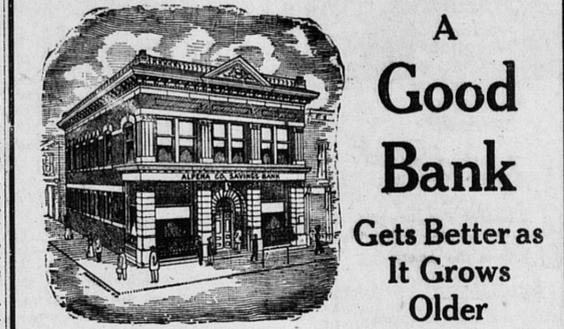
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THE UNIVERSAL CAR

# Looking Ahead

LAST Spring a total of 350,000 people were disappointed in not being able to obtain deliveries of Ford Cars and Trucks, as orders were placed faster than cars could be produced.

The demand for Ford Cars and Trucks this Spring will, according to all indications, be far greater than last Spring.

Winter buying has been increasing at a greater rate than ever before.

Actual retail deliveries the past 60 days totaled 308,170 Ford Cars and Trucks, an increase of 1,961 a day over a year ago.

Over 200,000 people have already ordered Ford products on our purchase plan, the majority of whom will take delivery in the Spring.

The above facts are given with the suggestion that you list your order promptly with a Ford dealer if you contemplate the purchase of a Ford Car or Truck for use this Spring or Summer and wish to avoid delay in delivery.



Detroit, Michigan

You need not pay cash for your car. You can arrange to make a small deposit down, taking care of the balance in easy payments. Or, you can buy on the Ford Weekly Purchase Plan. This puts you on the gradual order list and insures delivery of your car at a time to be determined by yourself.

## HENRY KANE

**RENO**

Ask your grocer for Isoco Bread Shop bread. It's brim full of nutrition. adv.

Mr. Dobson visited relatives in Detroit a few days last week.

Mrs. Chas. E. Thompson is suffering from bronchial trouble.

Mrs. Louis Harsch spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Seafert.

James Charters Sr. and James Jr. were business visitors at Tawas on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Katterman of the Hemlock were Saturday visitors at the Seafert home.

Albert Seafert had the misfortune to break his right arm while cranking a car Sunday.

Mrs. Josiah Robinson, who was confined to her bed for several days, is able to be out again.

Mrs. Boulder and Mrs. Frockins visited Mrs. Roy Leslie Wednesday evening of last week.

Rev. and Mrs. Grabill were at Saginaw last week attending a district meeting of their church.

Mr. and Mrs. Boulder were at Tawas Tuesday of last week where the latter received medical treatment.

Walter Reimer and Clarence Goodspeed of Saginaw autoed up Friday and spent the week end at the Charters home.

Jas. Charters, Jr. accompanied his sister, Mrs. Shellenberger and sons, Roy and Rex to West Branch Friday where they left for their home near Lewiston.

Mr. and Mrs. McAuliff and Miss Marion Latter of East Tawas were callers at Harry Latter's Saturday. They were enroute to Turner to attend the funeral of Miss Leone Clark.

Fred C. Latter attended the board meeting of the Agricultural Society of Isoco county at Tawas City Monday. Extensive plans are being made for the 1924 meeting, being the 50th anniversary of the society.

**MEADOW ROAD**

Ask your grocer for Isoco Bread Shop bread. It's brim full of nutrition. adv.

Archie McArdle is in the vicinity baling hay this week.

Mrs. James Chambers visited Mrs. G. W. Ferrister last Friday.

Mrs. Allen is spending the winter with her daughter Mrs. Joseph Rapp.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert K'ish spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Fisher.

James Chambers returned Tuesday from a three weeks visit in Ridgeway Ont. and Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. John Rapp and children spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Edward Young.

The young people of the vicinity enjoyed a skating party on the Scarlett creek Tuesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Anschuetz, Theodore Anschuetz, Cecil McArdle and Miss Sophia Blust of East Tawas spent Sunday afternoon with Miss Margaret Fisher.

**Mrs. Malaprop's Husband.**

Mr. Brown was calling on an old friend.

"I declare," he remarked to the friend's wife, "it quite cures me of home sickness to drop in here and see a little of your home life—er—er—not that your home life is anything but the—what I mean to say is that it makes me all the fonder of my own home—er—er—rather, that on the homeopathic principle, a hair of the dog that bit you—which isn't of course, what I mean. But when a man is lonely he can enjoy the society of almost anybody."

"Sir," said the lady, icily.

"I mean," returned Mr. Brown, as he mopped the perspiration from his face, "that, be it ever so humble—no, no, yours is not that—but there's no place like one's own—but, I mean—well, I must be going, good day!"—Detroit Free Press.

**Animals Easy Prey to Hunters.**

The advisability of breeding big game animals in captivity for the purpose of restocking covers is questionable, due to the fact that big game species become so tame when propagated artificially that they fall easy prey to both the hunter and predacious animals when liberated.

Twelve mountain sheep were recently presented to the United States bureau of biological survey by the Canadian national parks service, to be liberated on the Montana national bison range.

The sheep were brought to the range from Rocky Mountains park, Banff, Alberta, without accident. They arrived in splendid condition and their future will be watched with a great deal of interest by big game enthusiasts.—Exchange.

**Self-Solution.**

The best way to cure some folks of their surplus conceit is to give them a little authority and let nature take its course.—Fayette Advertiser.

**Read the advertisements appearing in the Herald each week.**

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**MICHIGAN RANKS 17th PLACE IN CROP PRODUCTION**

The various crops, not including live stock or live stock products, produced in Michigan during 1923 have a total estimated value of \$242,472,000 as compared with \$214,899,000 in 1922 and \$183,685,000 in 1921. This represents a gain of nearly 13 per cent over 1922 and 30 per cent over 1921. The valuations were computed on the basis of the December 1 price except for such fruits as were out of season. In those cases the price was that received in the marketing season. Wheat, barley, rye and beans commanded lower prices on December 1 than on the same date in 1922, all other crops showing total return than in 1922, and winter wheat, corn, buckwheat, potatoes and hay returned a larger value per acre than in 1922. These larger returns were mainly due to better prices rather than larger yields as only winter wheat, barley, beans and apples showed a greater production, as shown by the annual report prepared by L. Whitney Watkins, State Commissioner of Agriculture and Verne H. Church, U. S. Agricultural Statistician.

Notwithstanding this apparent improvement in the general agricultural situation, Michigan farmers, were compelled to pay approximately 20 per cent higher wages for their hired labor than in 1922. On October 15, the average farm price of crops and live stock was 21 per cent higher than in 1913, but the wholesale cost of all commodities was 53 per cent higher than in 1913. Therefore, the purchasing power of farm products on that date was only 75 per cent of that in 1913. This is seven per cent higher than it was at the beginning of 1923 and 11 per cent higher than lowest point, which was touched in August and September, 1922. The trend being upward, conditions may be said to be improving but the increase has been discouragingly slow especially to those farmers having heavy financial obligations. The farmers that secured better than average yields generally realized a little profit this year, but practically all whose yields fell below the average received no adequate return for their labor and investment, and many suffered a direct cash loss.

The spring was backward and the planting of early crops thereby delayed. A heavy snow covering over the northern half of the State delayed the arrival of warm weather. Freezing temperatures occurred on several dates during May. However, extremely warm weather in June hastened growth and nearly all crops attained a normal development by the middle of July. The low temperatures in May did some injury to fruit in the southwestern counties where a portion of it was in bloom at the time, but practically no harm was done elsewhere in the State and there was a good crop of nearly all kinds of fruit. The season was unfavorable for the development of fungous diseases, and all fruit and root crops were unusually free from them. Drought was particularly severe in Mason and adjacent counties during July and August, causing considerable damage to crops in that region and lesser injury in other localities. Good rains in September helped late crops, and the absence of a general frost until October permitted practically all crops to mature well. The fall was mild and pleasant which enabled farmers to complete the harvesting of crops and to do more than the usual amount of fall plowing for next year's planting.

For 1923, the State ranked 17th among the states in the production of all crops. Last year it held 22nd place although it usually holds 18th place.

**Drawing the Line.**

An actress who had retired from the stage and bought a little house in the country, decided to start a chicken farm.

Accordingly, acting on the principle that all big businesses have small beginnings, she bought a hen and a setting of thirteen eggs.

As she had no knowledge of poultry at all she wrote to a poultry journal asking how long the eggs would take to hatch out. The paper replied: "Three weeks for chickens and four weeks for ducks."

Some weeks later she again wrote to the paper:

"Many thanks for your advice. However, at the end of three weeks there were no chickens hatched out, and, as I did not want any ducks, I took the hen off!"—Poultry Journal.

**At This Distance.**

Today we spent an hour picking the woolly aphids off of grapevines, alternately scratching chiggers from black-berrying.

And, we reflected, how foolish, at this season, to worry about sprinkling ashes on the icy sidewalk!—From the Richmond Times-Dispatch.

**Dreadful Situation.**

Boatman—"An" there was in the water, me 'n' the shark, a-staring into one another's faces." Holiday Maker—"How dreadful—for both of you!"

**REPRESENTATIVE LITTLE EXPLAINS ACTION OF LEGISLATORS**

It would be one-third of the vote in both houses of the legislature.

A candidate for Speaker must have the Wayne crowd with him now, for to be elected Speaker, with only 14 members, what would he do if they had 32, we would have to give Wayne county 32 chairmanships on the most important committees. Therefore, an upstate Representative could take what was left and could never get a measure through both branches of the Legislature with the important committees headed by Wayne county members.

Again I wish to call you to the danger of 10 Senators when in 1923 Michigan will draft a new Constitution. Delegates are drawn three from each Senatorial district. If Wayne had 10 Senators, she would be entitled to 30 delegates to revamp a Michigan Constitution and when they got through with it we would have a Wayne county made product.

Suppose Wayne county had 32 Representatives. Do you think we would ever be able to put through a Gasoline Tax measure? Wayne can always swing several counties with her, such as Genesee, Jackson, Kent and those larger cities, who have things in common with her.

On the other hand, Governor Grosbeck let it be reported, he would bring up a Gasoline Tax or a road program at this special session, but frankly refused to do it when the time came. He also refused to let us allow the people to vote on giving Wayne county more representatives as he knew those farmers in Detroit don't vote, and the measure would suffer defeat.

I want to say again that the special session has made history for the state of Michigan and the 51 members, who like sturdy pioneers, stood by their guns and declared that the monarchy created by Wayne county and directed by the Governor, should not make any further advances in Michigan, are as great heroes as any soldiers could be, for I do not think anyone has any idea of the tactics that were used or the pressure that was brought to bear to force this thing across.

I earnestly hope my people in the Isoco district will see the wisdom of keeping Michigan for Michigan people where it rightly belongs.

L. S. Little,  
State Rep. Isoco District.

**EMPLOYER SIZED UP HIS MAN**

Incident Which Occurred on Road Revealed Character of Prospective Employee.

A successful Maine business man was sitting on his porch one day talking with a visitor. An automobile in which a party of young friends rode, passed the house and then swung into the side of the highway. The young man who was driving got out and looked at the tire on the front wheel. It was flat. He walked to the rear of the car, looked at the spare tire and then said something to one of the other young men who had gotten out. The other made a reply and both got into the car. It was turned around and driven down the street. The business man watched the operation but said nothing.

Half an hour later the party came back along the road and proceeded out of sight.

"I suppose you noticed that?" said the business man to his guest.

"I don't know as I understand," replied the other.

"That car which just passed had a flat tire the first time they came by here. They turned around and went back and now they have passed again."

"I remember that car now, but did not notice that it was the same," was the reply.

"It was," said the business man. "I had a particular reason for noticing it, as the young man driving it has been seeking a place with me. I had about made up my mind to give him the chance, but I wouldn't take him on after watching this incident."

His friend expressed surprise and the business man went on to explain. He called attention to the type of car the party was using and said that the work of changing the tire would not have required more than twenty minutes while it ought to be done in considerably less time. The car should have all the necessary equipment for making the change. If it didn't, the young man showed carelessness in not having his tools in place when he started on the trip. "It is true," said the business man, "that he might have gotten a bit of dirt on his hands and trousers, but the one could have been washed and the other brushed. By making the change himself, he would not have lost the time necessary to go back to a garage to have it done and would have saved that expense, but he wouldn't take the chance of the little dirt. It is unfortunate for him that this took place in front of my house for it cost him the place with our firm; I don't want that sort of youngster working for us."

**It Takes Time.**

One who is a radical and wants to violently change the world should remember that the world is millions of years old and takes its time.

**THE JENNINGS PARTY VISIT ST. AUGUSTINE**

All we saw in these great rooms or chambers; instruments of torture, queer fire arms of all types, swords and implements of warfare used ages ago and many were marked with the officer's names, who once owned them and some were familiar as "Menendez," the founder of St. Augustine, and we wondered if it was with this sword that he helped to kill the French on the St. Johns river over 300 years ago.

From these rooms we wander into other rooms with the tiny windows of the fort high above our heads and from these into a room with a fire place, this was a guard room for opening from this is a dungeon. Here is the "wishing chimney," and we all wish. If it were too the anvil on which the iron of the fort was welded and it is called the "King's forge."

Opening off of this room is a dungeon dark and gloomy even with the iron door open, at the back of this is another entrance known as the secret entrance of the old fort. It is an opening 30 inches in height and three feet wide, we did not venture in, but we heard the story of how the people in the days of Spanish "misrule" were confined here, of how when the door was closed they gradually died, for no fresh air can enter.

Years passed, three flags of different countries had floated over Ft. Marion, Spanish, English and United States, the latter the last to gain possession and then one day a part of the wall fell away and revealed the secret dungeon. In the dungeon they found the skeletons of two people chained fast, near to each other, one a man and the other a woman.

We turned away and go back through the guard room, to the wide hall way and on to the end of the hall, out into an open square. On all sides are the high rock walls but above the blue sky.

There are cannons here in the open space and great chambers within the walls enough to hold an army. One can only speculate on the activity once seen here within this great fortress.

There is a stair way to our right, leading up on the wall and where cannons were once taken up and we go up and the city lies like a picture before us. We cross to the Watch Tower, which commanded a view of approach by sea and land. Here we have our first view of the ocean, forgotten for the moment in our interest in the fort, but now we drink in the beauty of it all.

There are other museums in the old fort and one of the large chambers have only relics of the Seminole Indians, now almost an extinct race.

Another room shows two figures made by a famous sculptor of an Indian chief and his squaw, it shows their dress, thatched hut and many other relics that look very life-like.

It was getting late and we getting tired so we left the fort and drove to the tourists camp nearby.

With the ceaseless roar of the old ocean near by, not loud but soft and quieting to tired nerves, we fell asleep.

We were up early to see the city, but I shall never be contented until we go back and see more of this historic town, centuries old.

There is the usual square in the center of the town, near this is the old slave market where slaves were auctioned off in slavery days.

This square is as large as a small park is some of our northern towns and very beautiful, flowers and rustic seats are here, a bronze tablet to Confederate soldiers, and other interesting things. Around this on four sides are streets and on three sides, fine buildings open into the streets, some business places, churches, most office, hotel and banks. The other side of this square that is not built up opens to the sea.

We leave the car and walk around the square. The first building of interest is the Spanish Cathedral, is very old and was erected by the Spaniards in 1791. It has two sets of chimneys, and some time we hope to hear them, perhaps on our return trip. There is a sun dial over the main entrance which accurately tells the time.

We then entered the church and silently gazed on the beauty surrounding us, the paintings are fine but the sculptor work we feel is that of some great artist. This church shall always be remembered by me as one of the wonders of our trip.

From the church we went to the post office to mail some cards. It is a large building and we find our way to buy stamps and then down a long corridor into another hall we find a place to mail them. Then going out we read a bronze tablet and we learn that this building was the palace of the first Spanish governor.

We went into another old church, the first Episcopal church of St. Augustine, it is very fine within and also very old.

We have walked nearly around the square and we turn off on Charlotte street, one of the oldest streets in St. Augustine. The street is very narrow, not much wider than a good sized nine foot walk. There are several old houses with over hanging balconies in old Spanish style. One has been pointed out to us as the oldest house in the United States and we believe this is the one for it looks older than any of the others. There has been nothing built to it and it is reinforced with iron rods, showing great care has been taken to preserve it.

There are other very old houses on some of the other streets and we feel as if we have entered a foreign land or that time had turned backward in its flight taking us with it.

Our delusions, however, fade as we enter the street we left and find our Ford car parked and ready to start.

We have spent two half days here but a week is a small portion of time to spend in St. Augustine.

We turn about and leave the city, taking a last backward look at the old fort, with its silent story of crimes committed there within its grey stone walls. Rusty with age are its instruments of torture. Let us forget the wrongs of this old fort and remember only the good it has accomplished, when it was used as a protection for the people in times of Indian out breaks. Truly a place of safety under its massive walls. Under three flags, Spanish, English and American, it was never destroyed and still stands in excellent condition, as a silent reminder of a grim and warlike past.

Nellie M. Jennings,  
Ft. Ogden,  
Florida

**What College Did for Him.**  
Educational sharps claim that college life makes a man more alert mentally. The proposition is that you don't go to college to absorb a mass of general information—you go there to learn to think.

A couple of magnets were having an argument about it. To end it, one of them sent to the outer office for a college graduate in his employ. They asked him to state frankly if college life had made him a quicker thinker.

"Yes," said he, without hesitation, "the two years I spent on second base did me a world of good."—Pittsburgh Chronicle-Telegraph.

**A Soft Spot.**  
Mrs. N. Parker—Ave you taken a constitutional, Granney?  
Old Lady (who has a confirmed habit of appropriating other people's property)—You mind your own business; I ain't taken nothing belonging to you.

**Economics.**  
"Why were you separated from your husband in Paris?"  
"I thought it would be a saving," replied the artist, "to get my gowns and my divorce on the same trip."

**Comforting Thoughts.**  
The fellow who has no money has at least one consolation. He cannot be criticized for spending it foolishly. —Scottsville Citizen-Times.

**ALABASTER**

Ask your grocer for Isoco Bread Shop bread. It's brim full of nutrition. adv.

School opened in our new building Monday.

Rev. Engdahl of Bay City expects to hold Swedish services here Monday evening, January 21.

The Community Laides Aid is to be held at the home of Mrs. Sanderson, Thursday, January 17th.

The U. S. Gypsum Co. office, which was damaged by a freight car, is being repaired this week, while the interior of the store is receiving a new coat of paint, which improves the appearance greatly.

**A Cold Wave.**

Cold wave is a term commonly used in the United States to denote a fall of at least 20 degrees in temperature in 24 hours, bringing the temperature below the freezing point.

**SHERMAN**

Ask your grocer for Isoco Bread Shop bread. It's brim full of nutrition. adv.

Mat Smith, returned home from Detroit Saturday.

John Jordan was at Whittemore on business Monday.

Chas. Schneider was at Tawas City on business Sunday.

Howard Hilderbrand went to Flint last week for employment.

Pete Sokola and Jim Schean attended the sale near Turner Tuesday.

Mrs. John Crosby and Miss Mary Hittle, while driving out for a cutter Amil Scharett was called home from Detroit Tuesday by the illness of his son, Charles.

Three of our sportsmen were out hunting fox last week and had the luck to get three of them.

Carl Dairy of Detroit came here on Tuesday to enjoy a few days hunting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Arn.

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- 30 inch Wood Saws we are selling at . . . . . \$9.00
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- 3 1-2 ft. Simons' One-Man Saws at . . . . . 5.00
- High Grade Double Bit Axes . . . . . \$2.75
- High Grade Single Bit Axes . . . . . 2.25
- Best Grade Ax Handles, single and double bit . . . . . .50

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Tawas City, Mich.

**Wilson Grain Co.**  
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Effective Monday, Jan. 14

- Corn, per bu. . . . . \$1.15
- Cracked corn, per cwt. . . . . 2.35
- Corn meal, per cwt. . . . . 2.35
- Corn and oat chop, per cwt. . . . . 2.20
- Oat chop, per cwt. . . . . 2.15
- Bran, per cwt. . . . . 2.15
- Middlings, per cwt. . . . . 2.25
- Domestic lump coal, per ton . . . . . 8.00
- Wash nut coal, per ton . . . . . 8.00
- Red Turkey Bread Flour, 24½ lb. sack . . . . . .95
- Red Turkey Bread Flour per bbl. . . . . 7.20
- Blue Bird Flour per 24½ lb. sack. . . . . .90