

ENGLISH PUBLIC TAKES PROTEST IN GOOD SPIRIT

Ambassador Page Says Sentiment Toward Note Is Generally Friendly Throughout the Empire, But in Some Quarters a Motive for Message Is Sought.

Suggestion That President Willson Yielded to Influences Brought to Bear By Congressmen, Ridiculed—It Was Not "For Home Consumption."

Washington, Jan. 1.—Ambassador Walter Hines Page, in a long report from London, received today, following conferences with high officials there, describes the general attitude of the British government and people toward the American note of protest concerning shipping as entirely friendly. He said a reply had been promised within a very few days. The ambassador details the British press criticism, whose tone he regarded as on the whole reasonable and amicable. In some quarters, not among officials, he found a disposition to search for a motive behind the American note, some Englishmen suggesting that the Washington administration had been compelled to yield to pressure from members of congress representing constituencies finally affected by the interruptions of trade. This portion of English public opinion seemed to think the American note was intended to some extent for home consumption. Officials of the Washington government pointed out tonight that there was not the slightest foundation for such a suggestion, as the note was not originally intended for the press. It is understood that Ambassador Page had anticipated such mistaken impressions, by assuring the British government informally that the United States was thoroughly in earnest.

WAS NOT FOR PUBLICATION.

The note was phrased in a candid and frank manner, he is understood to have explained, particularly because it was not written with the idea of publication. As the synopsis leaked out, however, the ambassador had been instructed to arrange for the publication of the complete text to satisfy the desire for more information in both countries. Incidentally the ambassador cabled that the British government had corrected some English newspaper reports which spoke of a discourtesy in premature publication. Mr. Page reported that Lord Haldane, in charge of the foreign office, was informed of the purport of the communication before even the first intimation of the contents of the note was published. The views in the English press were read with much interest by officials. The argument that England was fighting what she believed to be a life-and-death struggle, it was pointed out, was fully recognized in the American note, but it was contended that some of the delays and detentions of cargoes exceeded the manifest necessity of a belligerent.

GIRL'S BODY, QUARTERED, FOUND IN BURLAP BAGS SUNK IN FROZEN MARSH USED TROUSERS TO PLUG HOLE.

New York, Jan. 1.—Two burlap bags were discovered tonight imbedded in ice in a marsh in a suburban section of Brooklyn. One was found to contain the torso of a human being, and the other the arms and legs. Wrapped about the torso was a newspaper of date of Dec. 21, a petticoat, a skirt and other clothing. In the second bag was a newspaper printed in Italian.

MAYOR HARRISON GETS HIS WIFE'S CONSENT TO MAKE HIS SIXTH RUN

Chicago, Jan. 1.—Mayor Carter H. Harrison, who said recently that his candidacy for re-election was contingent upon obtaining his wife's permission to make the race, announced today that she had consented to his becoming a candidate and that he would make the race. Mayor Harrison is concluding his fifth term. His father, Carter H. Harrison, Sr., also served five terms.

PROPOSED PEACE PACT FOR MEXICAN BORDER STILL HANGING FIRE

Naco, Ariz., Jan. 1.—The Mexican border proposed peace pact is still hanging fire. Efforts to secure the final agreement of Governor Maytorena, the Sonora Villista leader, to the terms approved by both Villa and Carranza, have stalled thus far.

BRITISH SHIP TORPEDOED AND SUNK WITH 600

Battleship Formidable Sent to Bottom in North Sea By Submarine—Of Crew of 750 Only 150 Are Known to Have Been Saved—Stragglers Being Found

Vessel Was of Same Class As Bulwark, Sunk Some Weeks Ago—It Was Launched in 1898, One of Great Britain's Oldest Fighting Craft—Cost Only \$5,000,000

London, Jan. 2, 3:42 a. m.—The Daily Chronicle states that survivors of the battleship Formidable report that the vessel was torpedoed both fore and aft early Friday morning and sank almost immediately.

London, Jan. 1, 10:20 p. m.—The German war of attrition found another victim this morning and robbed the British navy of the battleship Formidable, of the same class as the battleship Bulwark, which was blown up a few weeks ago off Sheerness.

The destruction of the Formidable by a mine or a submarine boat, although one of those events Englishmen now realize must be expected so long as the British navy is compelled to keep the seas, has caused widespread grief. This is due not so much to the loss of the ship, which was fifteen years old, and cost about \$5,000,000, as it is for the men—six hundred in number—who went down with her. About 150 of the Formidable's crew of 750 were rescued.

The British admiralty has not given the locality where the disaster occurred, and declares it is unable to say whether the ship struck a mine or was torpedoed; but as the British fleet again has been active in shelling German positions on the Belgian coast and as German submarines have been more and more using Zeppelins as a base, the inclination here is to believe that a submarine again has been successful in an attack.

RESCUE WAS DARING.

London, Jan. 1.—The trawler Providence has landed seventy survivors from the battleship Formidable. They were rescued by the trawler during a terrific storm this morning. This makes the aggregate number of saved, as far as is known, 150.

The others rescued were picked up by a cruiser. The rescue was made under dangerous and exciting circumstances. The crew of the trawler were amazed while running before the gale for shelter to find a small open boat driving under their lee through mountainous seas, with an oar hoisted, bearing a sailor's scarf. After desperate efforts those on the trawler succeeded in getting a rope to the cutter, and brought her with great skill to their stern. The naval men began to jump aboard, but even then there was danger of losing men, as the seas were running thirty feet high. After a half hour's work, however, all were safely rescued. One lad of nineteen was so exhausted that he required immediate treatment to save his life.

USED TROUSERS TO PLUG HOLE.

When all had left the cutter the rope was cut, as she was full of water, having a hole under her hull which had been stuffed with a pair of trousers, of which one man had divested himself for the purpose.

Some of the rescued men had little clothing, and they were cared for in the warm engine room. The naval men had been in the cutter for nearly twelve hours. The crew of the trawler distributed hot coffee, food and tobacco among the benumbed sailors. When they landed the residents brought blankets, clothing and boots for the survivors and housed them in comfortable quarters.

The experience of these survivors from the Formidable is almost indescribable. For hours before being rescued they had been battling against the storm, hoping against hope, until the brown sails of the Providence hove in sight.

THINKS OTHERS WERE SAVED.

London, Jan. 2, 3:47 a. m.—The captain of the trawler Providence states that other fishing boats were close at hand. The captain expresses the belief that other survivors have been rescued and taken to Dartmouth. He saw no other boats belonging to the Formidable.

DATA ABOUT SUNKEN SHIP.

The Formidable had a displacement of 15,000 tons. She was 430 feet long, and carried a complement of 750 men. She was heavily armored, and carried

four twelve-inch guns, twelve six-inch guns and sixteen twelve-pounders. She was provided also with four submerged torpedo tubes.

The Formidable was launched in 1898 and was a sister ship to the Irresistible and the Implacable.

The Formidable had assigned to her, according to the British navy list for December, various fleet officers, and consequently she undoubtedly was acting as a flagship at the time of her destruction. Her captain was Arthur N. Loxley and her commander Charles F. Ballard. Captain John C. Deed was in command of the marines on board, while the fleet surgeon was Geoffrey Taylor and the fleet paymaster P. J. Ling. The chaplain is given as Rev. George B. Robinson.

On board the Formidable were also sixteen midshipmen.

NEW YORK'S IDLE FIGHT WITH POLICE

Refusal to Furl Objectively Worded Banners in Parade Starts a Riot.

New York, Jan. 1.—Unemployed men and women in this city began the new year with an outdoor demonstration, which culminated in a fight with policemen who interfered when an attempt was made to hold a parade with objectively worded banners flung aloft.

About seven hundred idle men and women gathered in Union Square to listen to discussions in several languages of their problem of welfare through the winter. The police did not interrupt the meeting, which was orderly throughout, but later ordered the dispersal of marchers, who apparently intended to parade to the Harlem headquarters of the "League of the Unemployed." The inscription on one banner read: "Homeless men, revolt." Another announced, "To H— with charity." This banner George Drew, twenty-two years old, a cook by trade, was told to haul down.

The police said Drew was reluctant to obey. Witnesses declare the police clubbed Drew. He was arrested, charged with assault and disorderly conduct. Men and women attacked the police in an effort to liberate Drew, but were driven off by reserves.

300 IN DENVER ASK WORK.

Denver, Colo., Jan. 1.—Three hundred unemployed men marched to the quarters of the Denver chamber of commerce today, when the annual New Year's reception to city and state officials and their wives was being held, and asked for work.

The spokesman of the unexpected visitors assured the officials that no demonstration was contemplated, but that they desired to discuss with the proper authorities the question of providing work for the unemployed.

A conference followed at which the city commissioners arranged to meet with a committee of the men in a few days. The crowd then dispersed.

SAY BILL WILL PASS WITH LITERACY TEST

Senate Leaders Confident—Wilson May Veto Immigration Measure, Though.

Washington, Jan. 1.—When congress meets tomorrow after the New Year's holiday, the paramount subject of legislation will be the immigration bill pending in the senate. It is the purpose of senate leaders to bring the measure to a vote on its passage before adjournment. That it will be passed, including the literacy test, is assured, although the test provision is still open to amendment.

Strong indications came from the White House today that President Wilson would veto the measure if congress submitted it to him in its present form. President Taft vetoed a similar measure in 1913 because of the literacy test. The senate passed the bill over the veto, but in the house the motion to re-pass the measure failed by a few votes to get the necessary two-thirds majority. Whether the president is to veto the measure seems to make little difference now to its champions, and there are many who predict that the bill can be passed this time in both houses over an executive disapproval. The vote of 47 to 12 in the senate yesterday against eliminating the literacy test was generally accepted as a test vote.

House leaders do not anticipate much trouble in the conference on senate amendments thus far adopted, including the Reed amendment accepted yesterday to exclude persons of African blood or of the negro race.

BELGRADE BOMBARDED BY AUSTRIAN SHIPS; NO DAMAGE REPORTED

London, Jan. 2, 2:21 a. m.—A dispatch to Reuter's Telegram company from Belgrade says: "Four Austrian monitors bombarded Belgrade Thursday. Their fire did slight damage. Reports received from Sofia, Bulgaria, of a serious clash between Serbian and Bulgarian frontier guards are officially denied."

One of Great Britain's Battleships Sent to the Bottom by German Torpedoes; See-Saw Struggle Both East and West.

FIGHT IN WEST REACHES STATE OF STALEMATE

NEITHER SIDE IS ABLE TO MAKE ANY CONSIDERABLE PROGRESS.

WAIT FOR REINFORCEMENTS

STRUGGLE CONFINED FOR MOST PART TO HEAVY ARTILLERY BATTLES.

GERMANS GAIN IN ARGONNE

FRENCH CLAIM THEY HAVE CONTINUED THEIR ADVANCE IN ALSACE.

London, Jan. 1, 10:29 p. m.—The news from the front was dwarfed today by the latest loss to the British navy, although battles of considerable proportions are taking place along the two lengthy fronts.

The fighting in Flanders and Northern France has been confined largely to artillery engagements, except near Bethune, where the Germans claim they have taken a British trench. They admit, however, the loss of St. Georges, near the Belgian coast, which the official report from Berlin said it was decided not to attempt to retake owing to the high level of the water there.

In the Argonne region, where the battle has been almost continuous for weeks passed, it has been the Germans' turn to make a little progress, as an offset to which, however, the French declare they have continued their advance in Upper Alsace.

On the whole the situation seems virtually to have reached a position where neither side has been able to make any great impression on their antagonist's line. Both being very strongly entrenched, it is considered unlikely that either the Germans or allies will attempt another general offensive, until superiority in numbers is obtained by reinforcements.

The growth of the British army is shown by an army order issued tonight constituting six armies of three corps each. Thus, several generals who commanded army corps at the beginning of the war now find themselves as the heads of armies.

There are, however, no illusions in London as to the difficulties confronting the allies. It is recognized that the task of recovering the territory seized by Germany is little less formidable than the undertaking of Germany when she found herself engaged in warfare against a multiplicity of enemies. Hence the postponement of the allies' offensive on a grand scale until such time as the allies are able to put more men in the field.

British commentators today call attention to the fact that the initiative for the moment seems to be in the hands of the allied commanders, and the recent German public utterances to the effect that Germany is waging a defensive war to save her territory from invasion is accepted here as an indirect admission that to battle on two fronts a thousand miles apart has caused an unanticipated strain on even the great resources of the empire.

EMPEROR WILLIAM NOT IN AS GOOD HEALTH AS IS GENERALLY REPORTED

London, Jan. 2, 3:38 a. m.—The Amsterdam correspondent of the Express says that the condition of Emperor William of Germany, who recently was reported as having recovered from an illness, is worse than generally is supposed. The correspondent says he is informed that sooner or later the emperor must return to Berlin for an operation on his throat, but is deferring the trip because he is anxious to return only after having secured a crushing victory.

DUNKIRK VISITED AGAIN BY PLANES

Paris, Jan. 1.—Dunkirk, on the northern coast of France, again was bombarded by four German aeroplanes Thursday, according to reports which reached Paris during the night.

SUMMARY OF THE WAR NEWS

The outstanding feature of the war news continues to be the sinking by a mine or a torpedo in the North Sea of the British battleship Formidable, with a probable loss of six hundred lives. Only 150 men of her crew of 750 are known to have been saved.

There is a paucity of news concerning the fighting on land. In the entrenched lines in Flanders and France artillery duels and infantry attacks continue, but without decisive result. In Poland the Germans are trying to get through to Warsaw and the Russians are disputing vigorously their every move. North of the Vistula and along the East Prussian frontier fog envelops the armies and hinders their actions.

In Galicia and the Carpathians, the Russians and Austrians are battling hard for supremacy. Four Austrian monitors bombarded Belgrade, Serbia, but with slight damage.

Emperor Francis Joseph received the New Year greeting of the imperial family and presided over the family dinner.

A cargo of American copper, which, it is alleged, was to be smuggled through Denmark into Germany, has been seized in Copenhagen.

RUSSIA MUST STAY DRY SAY COUNCILS

Petitions Asking Permission to Sell Light Wines and Beers Flatly Refused.

Petrograd, via London, Jan. 1.—The last appeal against Russia's prohibition decree failed Thursday when the councils of Petrograd and Moscow rejected a petition to authorize the resumption of the sale of beer and light wines. The recent final order to discontinue the sale of all alcoholic drinks was issued with the reservation that the city council should have the right to appeal for an authorization of the resumption of the sale of three per cent. beer and light wines.

The final prohibition order was so unexpectedly issued that there was no opportunity to provide a stock against the coming period of abstinence. Between 6 and 8 o'clock in the evening the merchants received instructions that next day there would be absolute prohibition, and hence there was no chance to give warning to eager customers, who on a false alarm previously spread abroad, lined the streets for hours, awaiting their turn to squeeze into the crowded wineshops.

The formerly popular restaurants, which managed to weather the vodka edict, are now almost without patronage. The liquor dealers, restaurant keepers, wine growers and distillers brought all possible influence to bear on the city council for authorization to sell beer and light wine, assisted by theorists, who, while approving of general sobriety, thought that abstinence should come more gradually and that the sudden cessation of the use of all alcohol would have an injurious effect. But despite these influences and the fact that not one per cent. of the members of the city councils were teetotalers, the councils rejected the petition by a vote on the ratio of more than four to one.

POINCARÉ PREDICTS NEW YEAR WILL SEE END OF TITANIC WAR

Paris, Jan. 1, 2:01 p. m.—The belief that the year now beginning will see the ending of the war was expressed by President Poincaré in an address today to members of the diplomatic corps who went to the palace of the Elysee to present New Year's congratulations to the president.

PANIC REIGNS IN TURK CAPITAL SAYS REPORT

London, Jan. 2, 3:25 a. m.—The correspondent of the Express in Athens reports that a state of panic exists in Constantinople and that the Turks have abandoned all idea of taking the offensive.

"The holy relics," the dispatch continues, "have been removed to Brusa, Asia Minor, whither the sultan and the porte are preparing to follow. All available forces, about 150,000 men, are concentrated in the city."

"Adrianople has practically been evacuated and the heavy guns there removed to Techatalja, which is near the Turkish capital. Frenzied intrenching is in progress around the shores of the Dardanelles and the Bosphorus and preparations are being made to resist the passage of a hostile fleet."

"The attacks on Egypt have been definitely abandoned and the troops have been recalled to defend the Asiatic side of the Straits of Brusa. "Everything points to Constantinople being the first enemy's capital to fall."

HEWLETT CLAIMS HE HIT SHIP WITH BOMB

Aviator, Thought Lost in Aerial Raid on Cuxhaven, Is In Holland.

London, Jan. 1, 3:16 p. m.—The experiences of Flight Commander Francis Hewlett, during the recent aerial raid on the German naval base at Cuxhaven, are described in an interview with the aviator, transmitted to Reuter's Telegram company from Amsterdam. Commander Hewlett, who was believed to have lost his life until it was learned yesterday that he had been picked up by a steam trawler and landed at Muiden, Holland, says he believes that he hit a German warship with one of the bombs he dropped.

"I led the airship squadron," said Commander Hewlett. "I ran into a thick fog and after a time found myself near the coast of Schleswig. I flew over German territory and eventually came near Cuxhaven."

"When the mist had cleared I saw that I had lost my direction. I descended at a certain point, ascended again and flew over the great German fleet and the trawlers which were lying under steam behind Helgoland. A formidable fire was directed at me, and I reeled with several bombs. It is my opinion that I hit one of the German vessels, because soon afterward dense smoke arose from her."

"I was unable to find the British fleet. My motor was running hot and I was compelled to descend. I was picked up by a Dutch trawler, but destroyed my motor and sank the hydroplane before I boarded the trawler at 10 o'clock on Christmas morning. I stayed aboard the trawler six days, during a terrible storm."

WILHELM SENDS WORD OF CHEER TO HIS MEN

In New Year's Message He Urges Them to Face 1915 Unflinchingly.

Berlin, via London, Jan. 1.—Emperor Wilhelm in a New Year's message to the army and navy asks them to face the new year unflinchingly and to look forward to new deeds and new victories for the beloved fatherland.

The message, which was made public at main headquarters here, is as follows:

"After five long months of heavy and hot fighting, we enter the new year."

"Brilliant victories have been gained and great successes achieved by the German army almost everywhere on the territory of the enemy, while repeated attempts of our opponents to swarm on German territory have failed."

"My ships have covered themselves with glory on every sea, and the crews have proved not only that they know how to fight victoriously, but to die like heroes when overwhelmed by superior forces."

"Behind the army and the fleet the entire nation stands in unexampled harmony, prepared to sacrifice its heart's blood for the sacred domestic hearth which we are defending against outrageous invasion."

Much has come to pass in the old year, but the enemies are still firmly kept low. Always fresh hordes are rolling up against our army and the army of our faithful ally, but these numbers do not frighten us. Although the times may be serious and the task before us a heavy one, we look forward to the future with the firmest confidence."

"Next to God's wise guidance, I trust to the matchless bravery of the army and navy and know myself to be as one with the entire German nation. Therefore, let us face the new year unflinchingly, looking forward to new deeds and new victories for our beloved fatherland."

(Signed.) "WILHELM."

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CZAR'S ARMIES REPULSED

VIENNA CLAIMS MUSCOVITES SUFFERED HEAVY CASUALTIES IN GALICIA.

London, Jan. 1, 10:20 p. m.—In Northern Poland the Germans are reported to have found it impossible to get across the Bzura and Rawka rivers and have been equally unsuccessful in advancing along the Pilica river. They are said to be digging themselves in preparatory to remaining until the hardening of the ground by the frost makes the movement of troops less difficult.

The Russians are disputing vigorously their every move.

Vienna says conditions in the Carpathians are unchanged, but that in Galicia the Russian attacks have been repulsed with heavy casualties to the Muscovites, and a loss of 2,000 prisoners and six machine guns.

FIERCE FIGHTS NEAR KARS.

Petrograd, Jan. 1.—The following statement from the general staff of the army of the Caucasus was given out here tonight:

"Fierce encounters have taken place around Sarikamysi (in Trans-Caucasia, thirty-five miles southwest of Kars)."

"We have stopped the Turkish offensive toward Olti, fifty miles west of Kars."

"In the region of Ardahan (a fortified town forty-five miles northwest of Kars) the situation is unchanged, and it is not modified on the other fronts."

SIX ARMY CORPS WITHDRAWN.

London, Jan. 2, 4:18 a. m.—The Warsaw correspondent of the Times sends a report that six German army corps have withdrawn from that point, supposedly to guard against the rumored plan of the Russians to make an attack across the Vistula on the German line of communications between Lodz and Thorn.

RUSSIANS INVADING HUNGARY.

London, Jan. 2, 3:29 a. m.—The Daily Mail's Rome correspondent sends a telegram received there from Budapest, which says that the Russians are invading Hungary from four points.

"Refugees are flocking into Budapest," the dispatch adds. "There is a panic throughout Hungary as a result of the rapid retreat of the Austrian army before this new Russian advance. All public meetings have been prohibited in Budapest."

TURKS ENTER CZAR'S DOMAIN.

Petrograd, via London, Jan. 2, 3:15 a. m.—The Novo Vremya states that a strong Turkish force has succeeded in entering Russian territory in the Caucasus near Kars and Ardahan.

The paper adds that the plan to envelop the Russian rear, however, was upset by the Russian artillery.

CARGO OF COPPER SAID TO BE DESTINED FOR GERMANY IS SEIZED

Copenhagen, via London, Jan. 1, 8:20 p. m.—A large cargo of copper, which is said to have been shipped to Denmark by a German-American, in an attempt to smuggle it through this country to Germany by means of a false bill of lading, was seized today by Danish authorities.

NEGRO WORKMEN TRY TO LYNCH ONE OF OWN NUMBER FOR STABBING

Charleston, Mo., Jan. 1.—A gang of negro levy workmen attempted to lynch one of their number today because he had stabbed the foreman, a white man. A passing train crew interfered and saved the negro, after the gang had placed a rope around his neck.



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A STORMY NEW YEAR.

Yesterday introduced what will prove one of the stormiest years that this old, hard driven world has ever known.

And five months of fighting, with this loss of men and treasure, has not brought the issue appreciably nearer to solution.

Out of these things the world has deduced the formula that Germany cannot win this war.

But beyond this it is difficult to see, prophecies as to the duration of the war are idle.

THE COMMITTEE PLAN. At its session last week the Republican state central committee formally decided to recommend the pre-primary convention plan.

Commenting on the assertion of Mr. Lougher, the former chaplain of the Jackson prison, that the charges against him are a "frame-up," the Detroit Free Press says: "His appeal for vindication in popular opinion has been handicapped at the outset by this act (resignation).

Among the men who have recorded themselves as opposed to the change is Lieutenant Governor-elect Dickinson, New Representative Cramton, a former state legislator, who was one of the authors of the Warner-Cramton law.

As to the main idea of a convention, I am confident that it would not be truly representative of public sentiment," he says. "Either the length of the campaign would be increased for several months—April to August—or the rank and file of the party men would let the

matter of a convention choice go by default. Of course, the people who make politics a business, using the old machine methods, would see that their candidates were endorsed at the pre-primary convention.

"The chief argument for this proposal is that party unity is thereby to be secured and candidates nominated who can be sure of united party support at the polls. They may, and do, call attention to the fact that two years ago the Republican candidate for governor was defeated.

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FAMINE NEAR IN MEXICO. Soberly written statements by American consuls and other foreigners who know the state of affairs in Mexico report a condition of extreme destitution in that country which is already taking a heavy toll in death.

Perhaps this is a hopeful condition. It may foretell a change in the attitude of the Mexican people toward war. They may lose their stoical indifference to the quarrels of military chieftains and the endless succession of revolts and revolutions.

At Menominee petitions calling for an election on charter revision are being circulated. For a number of weeks Mayor Lloyd sought to have the council authorize the proposed election, but in vain.

Just ask the people at Whitby and Scarborough what they think of Hague agreements and twenty-four-hour no-strikes! We wonder also what Mr. Bryan and Mr. Carnegie and all the rest of the millionaires are thinking nowadays about the job of regulating war by printed rules.—Adrian Telegram.

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VOICE OF THE PEOPLE

To the Editor of The Mining Journal—According to the White Book issued by Great Britain, that country has gone to war over the violation of the neutrality of Belgium, which they and other nations had guaranteed.

Germany invaded Belgium because it was necessary to her program, and then she thought she could get away with it. England is seizing these ships because it is part of her program, and because she has thought she could get away with it.

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Next Christmas, it is predicted, there will be a million orphans in Europe as a result of the war. The military monarchs will probably permit the orphans to live and grow up into food for slaughter in the wars twenty or thirty years hence.—Pittsburg Dispatch.

A nation which exposes its military weakness to the world is likely to accelerate the ambition of some other nation to "beat it up."—Day City Times.

Senator Lodge proposes to increase the efficiency of the army by adding 1,000 officers. In that way we can at least keep our private from deserting.—Grand Rapids Press.

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giving them away. See advertisement." That solved the difficulty. She was presented as the daughter of an eminent philanthropist.

Big Sale on FURS

Advertisement for Reckmeyer's January Clearing Sale, featuring fur garments and a woman in a fur coat.

TIMELY QUIPS

Cheer up! The English are buying our old storage eggs.—Indianapolis News.

Mexico, like Europe, finds the working out of her own destiny productive of very little else worth having.—Cleveland Leader.

If Congressman Candler thinks the United States could be licked single-handedly by the celebrated Swiss navy he should hasten to submit his proofs to the king of Denmark.—Philadelphia Ledger.

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A LAUGH OR TWO

Feminine Perversity. At a dinner-dance, after the maxixe, the girl's partner, a bespectacled young man, said to her:

"Let's go and walk in the sunken garden." "I don't want to go into the garden," the girl said shyly, "without a chaparron."

"Oh, we don't need a chaparron, I assure you," said the bespectacled young man.

"Then," said the girl, "I don't want to go into the garden."

He Saved the Day. A green brakeman on the Colorado Midland was making his first trip up the Pass. The train was going up a very steep grade, and with unusual difficulty the engineer succeeded in reaching the top.

Exactly What He Wanted. Wilton Lackaye, the player, is a stickler for correct English on and off the stage, and he never loses an opportunity to put the erring on the right path in this respect.

One afternoon Mr. Lackaye walked into a New York drug store and stated to a clerk his need—a man's comb.

"Do you want a narrow man's comb?" was the inquiry addressed to him.

"No," said Mr. Lackaye, with the utmost gravity, "What I desire is a comb for a stout man with rubber teeth."—Lippincott's.

"See Advertisement." A young American woman was anxious to be presented at a European court, but the high officials, having inquired into her social standing at home, objected. They represented to her that the king could scarcely receive the daughter of a man who sold boots and shoes.

The federal union safeguards the land against aggressions from without. The states form forty-eight centers of mental and political activity within it. It is in no small degree a direct result of this arrangement that the American people have shown an intellectual activity never before maintained by so large a nation for so long a time.

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There'd Be Preachers.

There was an old Scottish pagan in a small village who could be by no means persuaded to attend church. One day the minister met him and began: "How is it, John, you are so persistent in your absence from church?"

"Well," replied John, "it's just like this—the sermons are over long for me."

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LOWER STATE NOTES

FLINT—A new motor car company, capitalized at \$500,000, has been launched. The company will be known as the Dorr Motor Car company and will make two models, a roadster and a five-passenger touring car.

BATTLE CREEK—The "frat war" which has been waged for several weeks between President Wells, of the local board of education, and members of secret societies in the local high school, reached a climax when Mr. Wells declared he would "set" the fraternities if it cost him his job.

KALAMAZOO—At a hearing before Referee in Bankruptcy W. J. Banyon, of St. Joseph, it developed that Victor J. Palmer, former secretary and treasurer of the Michigan Buggy company, has liabilities amounting to \$1,500,000 and assets of only \$1,425.

GRAND HAVEN—Coroner John J. Boer, acting in the capacity of sheriff, arrested Sheriff Hans Dyckhuis, Jr., on warrants sworn to by Thomas Mahan, sentenced to Ionia Monday of this week after being convicted of kidnapping Allison, complainant in the case in which he was convicted. Mahan was taken to Ionia by Deputy Sheriff Del Fortney thirty minutes after the court had passed sentence on him.

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Classified Want Directory

REMOVAL. Dr. Thomas M. Cunningham has moved his office to the new Bessie block, over Westlake's store. 1-2-15

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Enquire 912 North Fourth street. 1-2-15

WANTED—Man with real sales ability, capable of earning \$100 or more per month. Fine opportunity for man acquainted with trade in Michigan to build up permanent and profitable business. Sietson Oil Co., Cleveland, Ohio. 1-2-15

WANTED—Girl to help in kitchen; go home nights. Apply 625 Pine, corner Hewitt. 11-29-14

WANTED—A cook. Mrs. Austin Farrell, 521 E. Arch St. 12-29-14

FOR RENT—Two apartments on the second floor of the Coles block, corner Third and Hurst streets. The corner apartment has one very large room and two small ones, finely decorated for lodge purposes, and would be very desirable for business use. Marquette County Savings Bank, or Charles T. Geill. 3-4-15

FOR SALE—Three heavy horses. For cash at once, H. E. Bittner. 12-7-14

FOR SALE—Two-seated cutter; plush lined; as new; cost \$150.00; will sell for \$75.00. A. E. Archambault, Marquette, Mich. 10-25-14

ANNUAL MEETING. Notice is hereby given that the annual stockholders' meeting of the Marquette City & Presque Isle Railway company, for the election of directors and the transaction of other business, will be held at the office of the company, 136 Washington St., in the City of Marquette, Michigan, on Tuesday, the 19th day of January, 1915, at ten o'clock.

NOTICE OF STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING. The regular annual meeting of the stockholders of the First National Bank of Alcona County will be held at its banking room in the village of Munising on Tuesday, the 12th day of January, 1915, between the hours of ten and four p. m., for the election of directors and the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

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mandated an examination, while Allison and Mrs. Mahan have not yet appeared for trial in the circuit court during the January term.

DETROIT—A plan to build a school of education at the University of Michigan for the training of high school teachers from among the University graduates was endorsed by the Michigan state board of education at its meeting here. It proposes to ask the next legislature to appropriate \$300,000 for the purpose.

ONAWAY—The three and four-year-old sons of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cross, who live on a farm south of here, were burned to death when fire of an unknown origin completely destroyed the family home. Mr. and Mrs. Cross were in the barn doing chores when the fire broke out. As the house is some distance from the out buildings, they did not notice the fire until it had gained considerable headway.

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## The Fourth Installment

A Great Mystery Story by HAROLD MacGRATH

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### SYNOPSIS.

Zodora is left an orphan at an early age. Her father is killed in a gold mine. She is brought up by her mother, Zudora's mother, a tight-rope walker with a circus—a seized with vertigo, falls, and is killed. Zudora and the fortune from the mine, which grows to be worth \$200,000,000, are left in the guardianship of Frank Keene, a circus man. Zudora's mother, another Zudora, giving promise of great beauty, reaches the state of a Hindu mystic and is known as Hassam Ali, decides in his greed that Zudora must die before she can have a chance to come into possession of her money, so that it may be left to him, the next of kin, and he reveals upon the girl to leave her money in his hands three years longer and say nothing to any one about the trust. Zudora, seeing an obstacle to his scheme in the person of John Storm, a young lawyer, who would have taken a fancy, and he commands the girl to put the man out of her mind. Storm comes to ask Hassam Ali for the hand of his niece. At first the girl will not listen to the proposal, but Zudora insists that if she marries Storm she will marry no one. "Well, well," says Hassam Ali, "if you take such a stand, I'll compromise. Solve my next twenty cases and you can marry him; fall in a single case and you must renounce him."

Zudora, using the knowledge gained from years of association with her uncle, unravels a baffling mystery and wins her first case—a case in which John Storm saved from being convicted of a murder investigated by Hassam Ali himself. Following this success, John solves the mystery of the sleeping room, and saves her lover, Storm, from a terrible death, greatly to the chagrin of Hassam Ali. After an additional success Zudora has to solve the mystery of the haunted hills, as outlined in this chapter.

### CHAPTER IV.

#### The Secret of the Haunted Hills.

Perhaps a month elapsed without any puzzling case coming under Hassam Ali's notice. Zudora and Storm had their meetings, always previously arranged by the carrier pigeons, about which Hassam Ali pretended to know nothing. Besides, he was busy with numerous clients who wanted to know about their business investments, their own futures, and somebody else's past. And he continued to build his pyramids of phantom gold. The one mistake he had made was to acquaint Zudora with the knowledge of her immense fortune. The trustees had always addressed their letters to him, and it would have been an easy matter to have kept her in ignorance. But, evil as he was himself, he had a profound respect for Zudora's word. She had given it; and there was three years' grace. If in that period of time he could not rid himself of that meddling attorney he would tear down the black velvet curtains with his own hands and make a bonfire of them. Storm had urged Zudora a dozen times to marry him secretly; but she steadfastly refused to accede to his wishes. Of what use to marry if they could not have a home of their own? Of what use to bind themselves with a secret which would interfere with their pursuits and hang threateningly over their heads? More than that, she reasoned, her friends would always look askance at her, after some months, it became known that she was married and was not living openly with her husband. No; she had given her word, and she would not break it. John understood gracefully. But he was always feeling that mysterious cloud which hung lowering over them both.

Many a night while alone he tried to figure out the basic cause for Hassam Ali's attitude. Some day, when work's case up a bit, he determined to call back over Hassam Ali's past, with all the searching inquiry of a first class lawyer. There was something more than mere physical antagonism. He never confessed this belief to Zudora, however. It did not look quite fair to her to put doubts in her heart when she had nothing back of these doubts but instinct. But there was no getting around the plain fact that he feared Hassam Ali, feared him for Zudora's sake. One day Storm received a letter from his mother, and the contents first surprised, then alarmed him. His parents were well to do country folk in the South. Their forebears had been Southerners of wealth and position up to war times. Piece by piece the fine double inheritance had vanished, and at the time of John's birth they had sunk from affluence to the ordinary comforts of life. There had been enough money to let them live in ease, but not to let him for his own battle in life. He was a good son, writing home once a month and making holiday visits whenever there was opportunity. Often he had sent checks home, but invariably they had been returned. They did not need the money they had had enough for their simple wants, and when they died all they had would be his.

His mother had written that an alarming mystery had confronted them, one that promised to decimate the negro servitors on the various farms and estates. And just now, when all the crops were ripe, it meant ruin for a great many whose sole income was derived from their crops. The negroes were not dying; they were fleeing. This mystery was no idle fancy, no idle rumor; it was a living fact, visible to the eye. She and her husband had seen the thing themselves, and many more, and many minded people. Something must be done soon or there would not be a servant left in the county. The hill back of the Storm place was haunted. Night after night, against the side of the hill, there appeared the heroic skeleton of a human hand with a black spot in the center of the palm, as if it had been made by an enormous bullet. No one could get close to it. Invariably it vanished at the approach of any living being. This ghastly thing waxed and waned something after the manner of the coil of a snake. One could not impress the excited negro mind with this fact; and more than this, there were many white people who were quite assured that this skeleton hand presaged the coming of the end of the world. Something must be done at once. Would her dear son come im-

mediately and see if he could put this mystery where it belonged? He wired back that he would. Of course there was no doubt in his mind that some one was playing a practical joke of a gruesome sort; but he also realized that it might turn into a serious affair if it was permitted to continue. There was no evidence of phosphorescence, no footprints except those made by the negroes some two or three hundred yards below the hill. John was puzzled and irritated at the same time. This joke was being perpetrated by some one who had brains. Meanwhile the crops lay ungathered and were beginning to rot in the fields. Something must be done in a hurry, else he would be compelled to send to the city for emigrants, who would doubtless take to their heels after the same manner as the negroes. So he telegraphed for Zudora. And Zudora came. The Storm family had heard about her, but she was assured. But until she appeared in the flesh they had entertained some doubts about this niece of a man whose business they held in supreme contempt. They fell in love with her at once. John Storm, who was just like any other girl, nothing mysterious whatsoever. "It's really serious," Zudora said. "I've tried my hand at detective work, but I haven't gained an inch. I admit that I am totally at sea. I've seen the thing once at a great distance, and I don't wonder that the natives are hating for other parts."

"Have you any old time enemies?" she asked. "I come back once or twice a year for a day or two. I seldom go into the village. I've been in New York for nearly fourteen years and have quite forgotten the neighbors here. How the deuce could I have any enemies?" "I mean your father. He may have discharged some one who aims at having revenge," she suggested. "There hasn't been any one discharged from this place since I was a lad; and you can't take it from me that the chap who is playing this game has a brain better educated than the run of help hereabouts."

"I am going to make some investigations, and you must let me go my own way. No tagging after me when I want to go into the village. Some one in the village will know what is going on. No one would come to the outside to play a game like this."

"All right, if any one can get to the bottom of this muddle it will be your lovely self. Good luck, sweetheart!" "Three or four days passed. Zudora went about her work systematically. One day she came upon a list of news that startled her profoundly. It was of such a character that she dared not impart this news to John. He must be kept in total ignorance. The brain that had instigated this really criminal joke was in New York. It was the tool of this cunning brain she must bring to light, and confusion her uncle! The man hated John, to play so despicably a jest upon his people! The old suspicions returned, stronger than ever. She was growing a bit afraid of this uncle of hers; she was beginning to understand that flesh and blood did not always count. But why? Why should he wish to harm John Storm? It was an unanswerable question. She realized that from now on she must be on her guard. Her uncle must never learn that she entertained the least suspicion. That night they all received a shock. The hand suddenly appeared on the side of the house, and even as they rushed out to look at it, it slowly faded. Zudora gave a quick circling glance, but there was no spot of light in the distance to confirm her suspicions that a "magic lantern" was being focused against the side of the house. The result of this visitation was the final exodus of the help, with the exception of the housemaid. The old man accused her; but John intervened. The poor girl had only been curious to see how near she could get to the specter. She was fortunate to have escaped with her life.

Latter, John began to show preoccupation, and when questioned by Zudora he admitted that there had been an episode of his younger days that he had all but forgotten. The dark spot in the palm of the hand had finally brought back the scene vividly. "I used to come home during college days to hunt a little. There's a quail and partridge galore in November. I used to take young Jimmy Bolton along to carry the game. He was only a kid. Well, to make a long story short, I was careless in handling the gun, and some of the charge went into Bolton's hand. The best thing we can do, then, is to locate him. He wasn't always quite right in the upper story. But how the dickens he should come to think up such a hoax and spring it after all these years gets me."

Zudora said nothing. There was nothing for her to say. "So we'll take a look into Jimmy's affairs," concluded John. But Jimmy had not been seen by any and both Storm and Zudora concluded to return to town, but to return secretly the first time the hand made its appearance again. Oddly enough Storm also had vague suspicions regarding the brain behind Bolton, but, and perhaps foolishly, he

refrained from confiding to Zudora. He had become reasonably sure that Hassam Ali was somewhere in the background. Jimmy Bolton was incapable of perpetrating a hoax of this peculiar order without capital. At any rate he was determined to put the matter boldly to Hassam Ali. Amed was not going to admit him at first. Orders were orders; but when Storm declared that he would come face with a policeman, Amed concluded to accept the lesser of two evils. Storm found himself in the familiar drawing room. Zudora seemed everywhere, in the arrangement of the flowers, the pictures, the music rack. "Well, sir," said a cold voice from behind him, "this is not the place for you. I have forbidden you the hospitality of this house."

"I am well aware of that," returned Storm, quite as coldly as Hassam Ali. "I have not come for hospitality. What I demand to know is, what the devil do you mean by setting me back by my up to such a beastly game as that spectral hand?" Storm shook his fist under Hassam Ali's nose. All the fury against this young man bubbled up in Hassam Ali's heart, and incautiously was permitted to overflow the lips. He wanted John Storm dead, dead at his feet. He suddenly drew back his hand; but Storm was too quick for him. Amed, seeing his master in danger, seized a vase and stole up behind Storm. But from her boudoir above Zudora had heard the whole scene. She held her breath only a moment. She flung it with more accuracy than is generally credited to the feminine arm. It hit Amed squarely on the shoulder; and the vase clattered to the floor. John flung Hassam Ali from him and faced Zudora. "I am sorry, dear, to have a rumprump like this; but I lost my temper."

"And perhaps I lost mine," said Hassam Ali, recognizing the need of a bit of diplomacy. "I had forbidden him the house, Zudora. He pushed his way in with threats of police."

"John swallowed hard. He was not expecting a rebuke from such a quarter. He apologized again and left the house. At his apartments a telegram awaited him. The spectre had returned, and the farmers were patrolling the county with shotguns. A carrier pigeon acquainted Zudora with the fact. The next morning the two left for the south. Zudora and John returned to the row with Hassam Ali. "Let me work alone. The sight of you may scare away this boy," she said. "All right," he agreed; but with the mental reservation that he would follow her and remain with a call. Zudora found Jimmy Bolton; and Jimmy Bolton found her, much to her discomfort and alarm. She had gone far opposite to where the spectre had usually appeared; and she discovered in a window of a shack, on the opposite hill, the Cyclopean eye she had hitherto hunted for in vain. Without the slightest hesitation she sought the shack, knocked impetuously, and was suddenly dragged in and securely bound.

dim light she could see that Bolton was not untouched with insanity. Storm had promised not to follow; but she never went out at night without his being somewhere near. He too had seen the flashing eye. A brief tableau of Zudora struggling in the doorway was enough. He was nearly as mad as poor Jimmy Bolton. He used the fellow roughly and left him exhausted and thoroughly cowed in a corner, and then retreated to Zudora. In the attic of the shack was a giant stereopticon, capable of throwing a concentrated ray a thousand yards or more. The plate projected was really an X-ray exposure of Bolton's hand. John threatened and cajoled and even offered money to Bolton if he would confess who had set him up to this trick. But Jimmy refused to divulge his secret. He feared the threats of Hassam Ali far more than the threats of his victim. A week later the crops were being harvested; and Zudora and John returned to the city, each secretly wondering what the next ordeal would hold for them. [To Be Continued.]

## GIVE VIEWS ON HOW U. S. CAN HELP IN WAR

### Diplomats of Four Belligerent Countries Make Statements to An American Magazine.

New York, Dec. 30.—Representatives of four countries engaged in the European war contribute to a current issue of World's Work views on how the United States, as a neutral nation, can be of the most service to humanity. The statements, which follow, embrace the personal views of Sir Edward Grey, secretary of state for foreign affairs of Great Britain; Count Okuma, premier of Japan, and Dr. Von Bethmann-Hollweg, chancellor of the German empire, and the official Austrian view, submitted by Dr. Constantin Theodor Durnea, the ambassador of Austria-Hungary to the United States. Sir Edward Grey: "If the World's Work wants a contribution to its central idea of enquiring how the United States may best serve the interests of civilization at this period of our time, and in addition, how best their humanity may be used; and what is their opportunity, not only selfishly, but altruistically, the only thing I can say is that a great nation standing outside this European conflict should use what influence it can on the side of right and against wrong. Perhaps I may explain how impossible it is for a member of a government who believe that they are fighting for the independence of their country, and that all they care for and believe is at stake, to do anything except plead the cause of their own country, at least for sympathy. Count Okuma: "While it would be both unwise and premature to express at this time any opinion as to where and how the present war should be or will be terminated, and peace be restored, I feel certain and, therefore, safe to say that the present European struggle will bring most forcibly home to us all a sense of the weighty burdens and the horrible waste of war. There and then will be an opportunity for an impartial wise counsel to prevail. I mean the counsel for a reduction of armaments and for the cessation of the spirit of mutual toleration and respect among peoples of different races and creeds, with consequent adherence on the part of all nations to the principle of reciprocal freedom and equality in their intercourse with each other. As long as nations of the world live in armed peace and as long as they permit their peoples to be ruled by social animosities or national prejudices there can be no real peace and the world will have to suffer forever. Dr. Von Bethmann-Hollweg: "I have been asked by the editor of the World's Work to give an answer to the question, how the United States could best make its neutrality serviceable for the purpose of helping the cause of humanity during the present terrible war. The answer seems obvious. The people of the United States will best serve the cause of peace and humanity by being the neutral as far as possible, according to the letter of President Wilson's proclamation, but also impartial in the spirit of his further utterances. This is the only way to gain the confidence of the whole world, and without this confidence the United States cannot hope to render the important services which the cause of humanity which it wishes to render. Germany hopes that peace will come soon. After the great sacrifices which the German nation has made, with an unanimity and devotion without parallel in history, no peace can, however, be acceptable which does not guarantee Germany against a second attack from its present enemies. Germany does not wish to dominate the world, or like British navalism, to 'rule the waves.' All that wants is equal opportunity, open door politics, and open commerce throughout the world. Least of all does Germany desire to seek expansion on the American continent. This, however, has been said so often officially by the imperial government, that I need hardly repeat it here. Official Austrian View: "When, after the deadly slaughter of hundreds of thousands, countless signs of lassitude, a lackening of the fiery warlike spirit amongst the nations in arms will be perceptible, the moment will have come for President Wilson to propose once more his mediation to the belligerent powers. His intervention warranted in the name of all neutral powers suffering severely through the war to exercise strong moral pressure upon the governments of the powers at war, which might be more ambitious and determined to prolong the struggle than the people themselves. But which side ought this pressure to be brought to bear? I do not hesitate one moment to state most emphatically that the duty of the United States will be to stand up, during the mediation, for the weaker part, to prevent the effort of the victorious powers—whatever they may be—from entirely crushing the

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### Dresses in Princess and Simi-Princess Effect the Season's Latest Mode

## A BELGIAN HAT

New York, Jan. 1.—The Horse Show has been the attraction of a week in New York. The horses groomed into their show and in the pink of training came first of course in the minds of the people, but the clothes worn by the women came a close second. Designers from all over New York assembled there to note what the society women favored for the event of the early winter, and to temper their new designs accordingly. The boxes were filled with a crowd of people dividing their attention between the horses and the clothes worn by other women. With fewer parisian styles the trend of fashion is a question much more interesting to the greater number of people that it has ever been.



A Dress in Semi-Princess Effect of Sand-Colored Broadcloth.

The suits which were the most prominent were those made with a coat having a long and rippling tunic. These were usually worn with the fuller skirts which rippled out beneath them. On all were deep bands of something, usually, and broad sometimes, to border the bottom of the tunic and skirt. This fur was often skunk, sometimes fitch, kolinsky or sable, but the most popular was beaver. The fuller skirts were in evidence, showing that there is no doubt about the revival of the straight, full skirts of crinoline days, and among the coats was one which reminded me of the old-fashioned dolmans. A semi-fitted effect is to be seen in dresses that is a distinct reminder of the princess dress. The illustrated dress, developed in sand-colored broadcloth, though far from being a princess, shows a combined yoke and giraffe which fits around the waist and hips in a princess manner. The dress is made without trimming, the only variation in its simplicity being the chiffon sleeves and the flaring collar of chiffon. The skirt flares out in the accepted fashion at the ankles, showing the new breadth skirts are taking. Cloth-covered buttons trim the yoke under the arms. The second illustration shows a dress made on lines more similar to the princess. The dress is made of blue chambray, with skirt and waist in one. At the waistline it is shirred into the outline of the figure. A sash of a darker shade of the same material is brought around the front of the waist and tied at a low waist line and serves to break the princess effect. Buttons covered with the same material as the sash fasten the dress down the front. Sand color was the shade of many of the most stylish suits. One suit of sand color had a jacket that was rather close fitting, quite tailored in its effect, the skirt was mediumly full, cut circular and without any trimming. It was truly short and showed shoes with the

A Princess Dress With Fullness Shirred from Bust to Hips.

Some of the serge frocks for wear at school are especially good for the little girl under twelve. They are often made with waist and skirt in one and unbelted. The waist is cut away beneath the arms, and the front and back is cut-in U-shape. The edges of this dress are bound with wide black silk braid, and a cunning little shirt of linen is worn beneath the dress in place of the conventional gaiters. The sleeves of this shirt are long, finished with turned back cuffs which fasten with cuff links. A collar is made to turn over also and is finished with the links. The coat which is made to button straight down the front, with a wide rolling collar, is decidedly suitable for a youngster. It is warm, comfortable and most becoming to the childish face.

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# City Brevities

Additional Local on Page 5.

A. B. Eldredge left last evening for Chicago.

Miss Mary Lauterman, of this city, is visiting with relatives in Laurium.

Frank Cleary, of Ishpeming, was a Marquette visitor Thursday evening.

J. B. Williams left yesterday afternoon for Detroit on a business mission.

Miss Nettie Thomas, of Calumet, is in the city for a holiday visit with friends.

Ed Green is here from Duluth, for a few days' visit at the home of his parents.

The Misses Lucille and Dorothy Mulaly are visiting with relatives in St. Ignace.

Miss Ruth Hayward of Lathrop, is in the city for a few days' visit with friends.

Peter Pavaglio has returned from Iron Mountain, where he spent a week with relatives.

W. J. Garrett, of Newberry, has been a Marquette business caller for the last few days.

Frank Sherry, of Menominee, who has been visiting at the home of M. M. Stierle, has left for his home.

Jack Berry, of Manistique, is here for a few days' visit. He is linotype operator for the Pioneer-Tribune.

Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Watts have returned from Escanaba, where they visited with friends for several days.

Will O'Reilly has returned to Manistique, after a holiday visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James O'Reilly.

Earl J. Pomeroy, of Flint, Mich., has arrived in the city to continue his studies at the Northern State Normal school.

The Misses Lauretta and Leonora Ryan are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Donohue for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. John J. McCarthy have returned from Escanaba, where they have been visiting with relatives for the last week.

Thomas Treloar, district manager of the Massachusetts Bonding & Insurance company, left last evening for Escanaba on business.

J. T. Kaye, who spent the Christmas holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Kaye, has left for Freda, where he teaches school.

Mrs. George LaBranch and children have returned from St. Ignace, where they spent the holidays with Mrs. LaBranch's parents.

Allie Bishop, who is employed by the Michigan State Telephone company here, has returned from Manistique, where he visited at his home for a short time.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Rose and sons, Harvey and Clinton, have arrived home from Two Harbors, Minn., where they visited with relatives during the holidays.

Miss Anna Onada, chief operator for the Bell Telephone company, has returned to Marquette from her home in Menominee, where she visited during the holidays.

L. E. Blowers, the electrician at the Marquette Opera House, left Thursday for Munising to install the electrical apparatus in the new Delft theater there, which will be opened today.

Miss Nellie Nelson has returned from the Soo, where she visited for a short time with friends. She was accompanied home by Miss Helen Monkman, of the Soo, who will visit with Marquette relatives.

The Misses Helen Moran and Fritz Yoehy, of Escanaba, were in Marquette Thursday and yesterday, having come

here to attend the New Year's eve party given by the orchestra of Arab patrol in Masonic hall.

Miss Edith Werner has returned to the city from an extended visit with relatives in Escanaba.

Horace Riopelle, who is now employed by the Calumet News, is in the city for a visit at his home.

Miss Myrtle Gauthier has returned from Houghton, where she visited with friends for two days.

James H. Rough, Jr., of Negaunee, was in Marquette Thursday night, attending the trainmen's dance.

Stanley Schoch left Thursday night for Lafayette, Ind., to resume his studies at Purdue University.

Joseph Leffer, of Ishpeming, spent Thursday night in Marquette, in attendance at the trainmen's ball.

George Barnes, Jr., of Colorado Springs, Colo., has been in the city for a holiday visit with friends. He is a former resident of the city.

E. R. Bellows, who recently resigned as manager of the Marquette branch of Grinnell Bros., will leave this week for Gladstone, where he will take a responsible position with a large publishing house. His resignation with the music house took effect yesterday.

Many Bounties Paid—Sparrows to the number of 980 have been turned into City Clerk Donovan by Marquette boys who claimed the bounty of two cents a head. One hundred and fifty-eight were turned in Thursday.

Today at the Delft—"The Best Man," a two-part Edison drama, with Marc McDermott in the leading role, will be exhibited today at the Delft theater. The other pictures will be "The Reparation," a Selig drama, and "Snakeville's Reform Wave," an Essanay comedy.

Responded to Chimney Blaze—The No. 2 fire department was called out at 10:15 last evening to the home of Louis Grabow, 316 East Arch street, to extinguish a chimney blaze that was caused by the high wind. It was but a few minutes work for the firemen.

Will Take Down Tree—The community Christmas tree, which graces the roadway in front of the city hall building on West Washington street, will be taken down this morning. It was erected several days before Christmas and has been lighted each evening since Christmas eve. The tree was greatly appreciated by the Marquette public.

Entertained for Miss Green—A number of the friends of Miss Helen Green, who will be married shortly to Walter Durocher of Sault Ste. Marie, entertained in her honor this week. Miss Irene Bush gave a shower the forepart of this week, at which were present a large number of guests, and the girls at the courthouse entertained at a dinner the latter part of the week.

"Zudora" Today—The fourth episode of the feature play "Zudora," Thanhouser's greatest photoplay, will be shown today at the Marquette Opera House. The installment is entitled "The Secret of the Haunted Hills." Other pictures to be included in today's program will be "Everything Against Him," a Vitagraph drama, and "He Made His Mark" and "Dobs at the Shore," Lubin comedies. There will be a continuous matinee at 2:30 o'clock.

Returns to Marquette—Frank Trombley has returned to Marquette from Fort William, Ont., where he has spent the past several months, and will resume his orchestra and musical instruction work here. He is prepared to give lessons on the violin and can be reached for the time at the Hotel Brunswick, Fort William. Mr. Trombley says, is hard hit by the war. Employment is difficult to obtain and old men are selling newspapers to eke out a living. Mr. Trombley was director of the orchestra in the principal theater, but it will be closed from now on, owing to lack of



# THE TOLL OF THE YEAR

AS the old year closes and the new year begins—where do you stand? Have you progressed? Are you no better off now than you were twelve months ago?

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# DELFT THEATRE

TODAY

# "The Best Man"

Two-Reel Edison Drama  
featuring Marc McDermott.

# "THE REPARATION"

A Fascinating and Thrilling Selig Drama.

# "Snakeville's Reform Wave"

Essanay Comedy.

business. Fort William was a busy and prosperous town when Mr. Trombley arrived here, but the war has put a decided damper on it.

Big Feature Booked—"Lola," a five-reel production of the Vitagraph company, and perhaps the biggest feature ever made by that company, has been booked by the Delft theater for Tuesday, Jan. 5. This picture features Miss Clara Kimball Young, one of the Vitagraph stars. Miss Young is now one of the most accomplished actresses playing for the movies and her work has attracted nationwide attention. In addition to being a capable actress, Miss Young is a writer of no mean ability.

Death of M. O. Turner—M. O. Turner died Tuesday at Walker, Minn. The funeral was held from St. Charles Catholic church at Walker and the remains were brought to Marquette, arriving Thursday evening. They were interred yesterday afternoon at Holy Cross cemetery.

Mr. Turner is survived by his wife, Mrs. Anna Turner, of this city, and five children, Mrs. B. D. Johnson of Chicago, Miss Noreen, of the Michael Reis hospital, Chicago, and Loretta, Hazel and Mortimer, who live here.

New Cafe Opens.—The Baltimore cafe, with Mr. and Mrs. McCann, formerly proprietors of McCann's cafe, of Negaunee, in charge, was opened in the Vierling block, Front street, the latter part of last week. Modern equipment has been installed. The rooms in the Vierling block are admirably suited for a cafe, as they were remodelled at the time the Cloverland cafe occupied the building. The tables and other furnishings are in quartersawed oak, and the dining room presents an attractive appearance. Mr. and Mrs. McCann are experienced restaurant people, having been engaged in that business for several years past. INSURE WITH PETER WHITE & CO.

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Bankrupt Sale

Entire stock of men's furnishings, constituting the estate of Nathan D. Fergostein bankrupt, will be sold at private or public sale by John Robertson, trustee, Room 8, Harlow block, Marquette, Michigan. The said stock of goods are now in the store formerly occupied by the bankrupt at No. 103 W. Washington St., Marquette, and may be examined on application to the trustee. Bids are solicited. 12-22-14.

Don't you want a special fund for LIFE INSURANCE, TAXES, or a SPECIAL HOLIDAY TRIP next December? If so take a CHRISTMAS MONEY CLUB membership at the MARQUETTE COUNTY SAVINGS BANK. 12-29-14.

NUMBER OF DEATHS WAS LESS IN 1914

Record Shows That 178 Persons, Some of Whom Were Well-known, Passed Away.

There were fewer deaths in Marquette during 1914 than during any year since about 1900. Many prominent residents passed away during the year, but the number was not as large as in 1913. The showing during the past year is considered to be creditable, as twenty-nine of the year's deaths were those of persons who had come to Marquette hospitals from outside points. In all there were 178 deaths, and there were seventy-one interments in Park cemetery, seventy-eight in Holy Cross cemetery, and twenty-one burials occurred in other towns. The record shows the following deaths by months:

Table with columns: Month, Park, Cross, Outside. Rows: January (11), February (7), March (10), April (8), May (10), June (6), July (5), August (3), September (9), October (8), November (3), December (3). Total: 71.

Among the well-known Marquette residents who died during the year were: William A. French, Jan. 14; Frank W. Hathway, Feb. 3; Aurelia H. Burtis, Feb. 9; Henry Blomhuber, Feb. 21; Julia E. C. Higbee, Feb. 24; James Everett Ball, March 4; Frederick W. Murray, March 6; James Anthony, May 9; Carl Windloft, May 9; Josephine Donckers, May 16; Harriet M. Murray, June 1; Alfred Meads, June 27; Francis X. Brissette, July 1; William Fassbender, July 19; Albert J. Trethewey, Aug. 9; Stuart Byrne, Jr., Aug. 9; Thomas C. Smith, Aug. 17; James Sinclair, Aug. 20; Susan Kearney, Sept. 22; Gladys Frances Eldredge, Sept. 22; William McClelland, Sept. 25; Herbert E. Cole, Oct. 7; Annie F. Stewart, Oct. 30; Carl Robb, Dec. 30; and Mrs. Caroline Hart, Dec. 26. To date 297 births have been recorded for the year by City Clerk Donovan. There still remain ten days in which birth certificates may be filed, so that the number will be somewhat above three hundred.

City Brevities

George B. Whittington, of Negaunee, was among the New Year's eve visitors in the city. William Forlman has returned to the city from Milwaukee, where he spent the holidays. Mrs. William Robinson, of Escanaba, is visiting at the home of G. A. Werner, Third street. Al Thomas has returned from Calumet, where he spent several days on a business mission. The Misses Helen Hickey and Ida Martin, of Ishpeming, were in Marquette Thursday evening. Mrs. Richard Cheynoweth and son, Robert, have gone to Calumet for a visit with Mrs. Cheynoweth's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Seth Medlyn. Mr. and Mrs. Stanley B. Bowron, who have been visiting with relatives in Superior, Wis., during the holidays, have returned to their home. Frank Cook has returned to Lafayette, Ind., after having spent Christmas week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Cook, West Ridge street. Choir Will Sing—The carol choir will sing an attractive program at the Salvation Army hall this evening. The public is invited to be present. A silver offering will be taken. Skating in Harbor—For the first time this winter there were skaters on the ice of the harbor yesterday afternoon. The cold weather has made ice of a safe thickness, and it now extends well into the bay.

DIRE DISTRESS

It Is Near at Hand to Hundreds of Marquette Readers. Don't neglect an aching back. Backache is often the kidneys' cry for help. Neglect hurrying to the kidneys' aid. Means that urinary troubles may follow. Or danger of worse kidney trouble. Here's Marquette's testimony. Mrs. Dan Reynolds, 524 E. Hewitt St., Marquette, says: "For a long time my back ached constantly. When I tried to straighten after stooping, sharp pains caught me in my sides. When I got up in the morning I always felt tired and I ached all over. I had severe headaches and dizzy spells and I was extremely nervous. The action of my kidneys was irregular. Whenever I caught cold, it settled on my kidneys, making me feel worse. Someone advised me to try Doan's Kidney Pills. I took them after I had used several other kidney remedies without benefit. A couple of boxes greatly relieved me and I have had very little trouble since." Price 50c at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mrs. Reynolds had—Foster-Milburn Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y.

Sunday at the Churches

Presbyterian—Sunday school at 9:45. We should like to direct attention to the work in this department. Never before has there been so much interest, so much good work. Come and join us. There are classes for all ages and special efficient teachers for each class. Morning worship at 11 o'clock. Sermon, "Incentives to Prayer." This sermon is intended to initiate the "Week of Prayer, Junior C. E. at 4 o'clock. Senior C. E. at 6:30. Evening worship at 7:30. Sermon theme, "The Elements of Prayer." There will be special music at all these services. A cordial welcome will be given all residents of Marquette not affiliated with another church. Strangers in the city are especially invited. There will be service in the church each evening next week in observance of the "Week of Prayer" in which all the evangelical churches of the country are united. These services will last just one hour—from 7:30 to 8:30. Come and get the "Prayer Habit."

First Baptist—Sunday school, 10 a. m. Bible class in the pastor's study. Morning worship at 11 o'clock, with sermon on "The Christ Image," followed by the celebration of the Lord's Supper. Junior B. Y. P. C. at 3 p. m. Senior young people's meeting at 6:45 p. m. Evening service at 7:30 o'clock, with sermon on "How Do You Plan Your Life Story?" The week of prayer will be observed as follows: Monday, 7:30 p. m. Brotherhood night Professor S. S. Stockwell, leader. Tuesday, 7:30 p. m. Young People's night Bruce Failing, leader. Wednesday, 7:30 p. m. Ladies' night, Mrs. Stockwell, leader. Thursday, 7:30 p. m. general rally. Pastor E. M. Martinson, leader. There will be special music for all of the services. All are invited to attend them all. These will be followed by two weeks' evangelistic services.

Methodist—Morning worship at 11 o'clock. Sermon, "On the Threshold of a New Year." Evening worship at 7:30 o'clock. Sermon subject, "A New Year's Resolution." The church chorus choir will render special music at each service. The Bible school and adult Bible class will meet at 9:45 a. m. The young people's devotional service will be held at 6:45 p. m., under the auspices of the Epworth league. Everybody is cordially welcome to all of these public services.

Swedish Lutheran—Morning worship, 10 a. m. Sermon by the pastor, Rev. Carl E. Lundgren, on the theme "The Baptism of John and the Baptism of Jesus." Sunday school at 11:20 a. m. Instead of the usual evening service, the cantata "Bethlehem" will be sung by the choir, assisted by the Ishpeming Swedish Lutheran choir.

CLEVELAND WINS IN HOCKEY. Cleveland, O., Jan. 1.—Cleveland Athletic club hockey team tonight defeated Ottawa University, 3 to 2.

GERMAN NEWSPAPER DENIES KAISER ASKED PEACE IN SEPTEMBER

Berlin, by Wireless to Sayville, L. I., Jan. 1.—A dispatch under Paris date to the Journal de Geneve, of Geneva, Switzerland to the effect that Germany was willing in September to conclude a separate peace with France, elicited today a categorical denial from the Norddeutsche Allgemeine Zeitung. The report is to the effect that the basis of peace was to be the restitution of Alsace and Lorraine to France and the acquisition of Belgium by Germany. The paper declared Germany never thought of restoring Alsace and Lorraine to France.

GERMAN-AMERICAN, IN KAISER'S ARMY, DUELS WITH SNEERER AT U. S.

Wichita, Kas., Jan. 1.—The story of a duel fought in Germany "for the honor of the United States" was told in a letter received here today from Werner Philipp, a German lieutenant of sharpshooters. Philipp, the son of Dr. Herman Philipp, of this city, is a lieutenant in the army, and returned to Germany at the outbreak of the war. When a fellow German spoke slightly of the United States Philipp challenged him to a duel, according to the letter. He split his opponent's cheek, and received a cut on his sword hand, the letter said.

PRESIDENT NAMES THREE OF FIVE MEMBERS FOR THE TRADE COMMISSION

Washington, Jan. 1.—President Wilson was understood tonight to have decided tentatively on three members of the federal trade commission. The names are Joseph E. Davies, commissioner of corporations; Edward N. Hurley, president of the Illinois Manufacturers' association, and George Foster Peabody, a New York banker. Two members remain to be selected.

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FRANCIS JOSEPH WELL, SITS AT HEAD OF TABLE FOR NEW YEAR'S DINNER

Vienna, Jan. 1, via London, Jan. 2, 3:31 a. m.—Emperor Francis Joseph today personally received the congratulations of the members of the imperial family and presided at the family dinner. "SEEMS MORE SAD." Geneva, Switzerland, via London, Jan. 1, 11:05 p. m.—A Swiss diplomat, who returned here today from Vienna, where he saw Emperor Francis Joseph Christmas day, says the monarch looked physically well, but seemed sadder and more anxious than usual.

7 KILLED WHEN TRAINS COLLIDE NEAR LONDON

London, Jan. 1.—Seven persons were killed and many others injured in a train collision this morning on the Great Eastern railway near Ilford, five miles from London. 16 HURT IN MISSOURI. Liberty, Mo., Jan. 1.—Sixteen persons were injured, two seriously, today, when Burlington train No. 4, from Kansas City, collided head-on with Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific passenger train No. 57, which left Chicago last night, a half mile west of Liberty.

UNION MACHINISTS MUST STOP TEACHING INMATES OF PRISONS

Savannah, Ga., Jan. 1.—All union machinists employed as instructors in state prisons will be withdrawn at a date to be named soon, William H. Johnston, president of the International Association of Machinists, announced here tonight after a meeting of the association's executive board. This decision approves a recent committee report to the American Federation of Labor declaring against competition between prison factory products and the output of free labor.

JOHNNY KLING SAYS HE MAY PLAY BALL AGAIN NEXT SEASON

Springfield, Mo., Jan. 1.—Johnny Kling, until two years ago catcher of the Cincinnati Nationals, and since then "business man" of Kansas City, may return to the baseball diamond during the coming season. Kling made this statement while visiting here tonight. "I have received an offer recently from Cincinnati and several from the Federal League," he said. "If I ever return to baseball it will be to play with Cincinnati."

R. H. THOMAS, HUSBAND OF MRS. HELEN GOULD, IS DEAD.

New York, Jan. 1.—Ralph Hill Thomas, assistant treasurer of the American sugar refining company, who in 1910, married Mrs. Helen Kelly Gould, who some time before had been divorced from Frank J. Gould, died at his home here last night. It was learned today, Mr. Thomas had been ill for several days with pneumonia. He was thirty-two years old.

SMITH AND LEVINSKY DRAW.

Waterbury, Conn., Jan. 1.—In a slow featureless bout Gumbert Smith and Battling Levinsky, heavyweights, fought twelve rounds to a draw here tonight. Ak'arr-Dillon Honors Even. Philadelphia, Jan. 1.—Honors were about even at the end of a fast six round bout between Young Ahearn of Brooklyn and Jack Dillon of Indianapolis here tonight.

FORECAST OF THE WEATHER.

Washington, Jan. 1.—The following is the weather bureau's forecast for Upper Michigan: Local snows and colder Saturday; Sunday partly cloudy.

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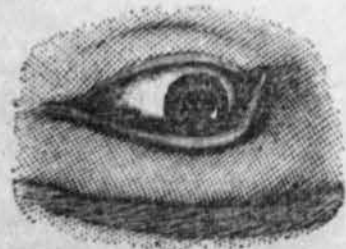
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**DIAMOND DUST**

Chick Gamill is a bowler of note in Washington, and has a team of his own that is rolling a series of matches with an all-star team from Baltimore.

Germany Schaefer is not exactly young, but he can deliver the base hits oftener than most of the youngsters trying to break into fast company.

Johnny Evers is well enough again to entertain friends at his home in Tr. y. He believes he will be as rugged as ever when the training season arrives.

Slim Sallee has been turned into a recruiting agent by Miller Huggins of the Cardinals. It is not long ago since Sallee needed a guardian for himself during the winter season.

Ping Bodie is looking for a notice any day now that he will have to play in Milwaukee next year. Since the big leagues cut down the player limit to twenty-one men there is very little room on the payroll for bench warmers.

The \$6,000 draft that was refused by Charlie Weisburger looked mighty good to the Chief owner, but he was a good soldier and obeyed orders from his lawyers, who expect to get most of it before they are through with the case.

Larry McLean, the elongated backstop of the Giants, is holding out because he is sore over the drink clause in his contract. He is satisfied with the salary offered him, but resents the intimation that he has to have a bonus for sticking to the wagon.

The All-Nationals won the final game of the series from the All-Americans, 1 to 0, at San Diego. Alexander pitched against Bush. The National leaguers won twenty-nine out of the fifty-six games played in Hawaii and the United States.

Roger Bresnahan has been working faithfully to make a trade of some kind with the Cincinnati club, and it begins to look as if he would be successful. Garry Herrmann has been suspicious of the Cub offerings ever since he was bawled out of Harry Steinfield and Orvie Overall.

Rowland is described by one of his friends as a manager who jollies his men like Jennings, gets the goats of the opposing players like Griffith, and plays like John McGraw. If Clarence falls down after such boasting he will not be blamed, for it is a pretty big reputation to live up to.

The winter term of the day and night school at the Ishpeming Business College will open Monday, January 4. Special inducement will be offered to students who enroll that week. 1-2-15.

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**Ishpeming Department**

**ISHPEMING MAN WEDS LAURIUM GIRL**

Joseph H. Gill, Jr., and Miss Dolina Virginia MacKenzie Married in Copper Country.

Joseph Gill, Jr., who is associated with his father in conducting a confectionery and ice cream business in this city, was married Wednesday evening to Miss Dolina Virginia MacKenzie of Laurium, at the home of the bride's parents. Of the wedding the Calumet Evening News said:

"The home of Mr. and Mrs. Murdoch McDuff, 209 Ironquois street, was the scene of a very pretty marriage at 7 o'clock last evening when Miss Dolina Virginia MacKenzie became the bride of Joseph Gill of Ishpeming. Rev. Daniel D. Stalker, D. D., pastor of the First Presbyterian church, officiated, a pretty ring service having been used.

"The bride was attended by Miss Fessie Morley of Laurium, as maid of honor, and by Miss Olive Gill of Ishpeming, sister of the groom, as bridesmaid. James MacKenzie, a brother of the bride was best man. The bride was given away by her father, William MacKenzie of Calumet. The wedding march, with violin obligato, was played by Miss Helma MacDuff and Albert Eddy. The twin children of Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo Nicholas of Centennial, Alonzo, Jr., and little Miss Laura, were the ringbearer and flower girl, respectively. Mrs. MacDuff sang a beautiful solo, "Pronize Me."

"The bride was beautifully attired in a gown of white satin, with overdress of crepe domino with a train. She wore a long veil, attached to a dutch cap of gilt trimming and carried lilies of the valley with a shower bouquet of white roses. Miss Morley, maid of honor, was dressed in pink voile and carried pink roses, and Miss Gill, the bridesmaid, wore voile and carried white roses. Mrs. MacDuff, who played the wedding march, wore yellow messaline covered with yellow voile.

"The ceremony was solemnized in the living room of the MacDuff home, before an arch of yellow and white roses on a background of evergreen. In the dining room, pink and white roses were effectively used on a background of evergreen.

"The ceremony was witnessed by about forty guests.

"Mr. and Mrs. Gill will depart this afternoon for Chicago, Detroit and Niagara Falls, where they will spend their honeymoon. They will be at home in Ishpeming after February 1.

"The bride is a very well known and popular Calumet young lady, a native of this city. Mr. Gill is a popular young businessman of Ishpeming.

**MARRIES DETROIT MAN.**

Miss C. E. Steinbrecker, who for two years or more has been employed as teacher in the public schools at Sault Ste. Marie, was last week united in marriage to C. A. Shunk of Detroit. They are now in Canada on their wedding trip. They will visit in Toronto and other cities of the Dominion before returning to Detroit, where they will reside.

The Misses Margaret Gleason, Henrietta Peterson and Emily Van Bocklin, who teach school at the Soo, returned yesterday, after spending their holiday vacation at their homes here.

**DATE CHANGED.**

Nat C. Goodwin, America's foremost comedian, who is booked for appearance at the Ishpeming theater, has changed his date from Monday, the 11th, to Wednesday, the 13th. The company opens a four days engagement tomorrow in the Davidson theater, Milwaukee, and after leaving there will play one week of one-night stands between Milwaukee and St. Paul. It was found that the company could not go from Hancock to Duluth without losing a night, hence the reason for changing the date here. Mr. Goodwin's engagement is regarded as the most attractive booking that the managers of this section have made since Maud Adams was here two years ago. The scale of prices will be \$1.50 and \$2 on the ground floor; \$1 and \$1.50 in the balcony and fifty cents in the gallery.

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**A Bad Case of Nasal Catarrh Cured By Pe-ru-na.**



That any case of nasal catarrh can be cured by an internal medicine is denied by some. Only a glance at our files would be necessary to convince any sane person that catarrh can be cured by the internal use of Peruna.

Mrs. Victoria Pickel, of Columbus, is a case of this sort. She had nasal catarrh very badly, and was cured by Peruna. We will let her tell her own story. Mrs. Victoria M. Pickel, 130 E. Mound Street, Columbus, Ohio, writes:

"I have been using Peruna for catarrh, having had a very aggravated case, so bad that it clogged the nasal organs. When I did get the nasal organs opened, the mucus would drop into my throat and make me very sick.

"A friend advised me to take Peruna, and after using four bottles I was cured. I have no trouble now, and am happy to say that I am enjoying the best of health and attending to my lodge duties, being a member of the Rebecca Lodge of Odd Fellows.

"I would recommend Peruna to those suffering with the same obnoxious trouble."

**TRAVELING MEN ARE OPTIMISTIC**

Retail Merchants Everywhere Are Beginning to Place Good Orders for Spring Delivery.

It is several months since commercial travelers making this territory have felt so sanguine over business prospects as during the past week or so. Their orders are increasing, and this is the best sign that prosperity is returning.

A commercial man in Ishpeming Thursday said that the feeling is general among the traveling men that the year 1915 will be one of the best they have ever had. For a time they were greatly discouraged, and many traveling men were laid off temporarily. But the first of the year will see most of them back on their former jobs. Merchants everywhere are now beginning to purchase their spring stocks.

Many of these concerns have called their representatives during the past few weeks to discuss with them trade conditions and prospects for 1915. The wholesalers look for a good year, if not a record breaking one. "The millions of dollars worth of orders received during the past two months from the European nations at war has stimulated trade for a large number of American concerns. In many factories extra hands are employed and some concerns working on foreign orders are running day and night.

As a result of the conferences between the traveling men and their employers the former will go out on the road with a thorough understanding of conditions. Trade prospects in the upper peninsula are said to be much brighter than at any previous time since the war broke out. As soon as the mines begin to put on additional men, if only on a small scale, the retailers will order more freely, the public will begin buying more liberally, and optimism will spread far and wide. It can be expected during a period when new work is not opening up. The iron industry should hold its own with other sections.

Marquette county has not been as hard hit as some other mining districts in the Lake Superior region. The percentage of failures in business is large in many other places, where merchandising has been overdone. There are a good many substantial merchants in Marquette county who can withstand a long run of slack business. This class will be the big winner in the end, as it will be a long time after conditions are normal before new business houses will be established.

**MONTHLY MUSICAL SERVICE.**

The following program of music will be rendered at Grace church at the regular monthly musical service Sunday evening at 7 o'clock:

- Processional, "O, Come All Ye Faithful".....Reading
- Psalter, 20th Selection.....Quasley-Rimault
- Magnificat.....Stark
- Nine Ditties.....Hayes
- Hymn, "Hark! the Herald Angels".....Mendelssohn
- Anthem, "There Shall Come a Star".....Baritone solo.....Selected
- Baritone solo.....Selected
- Antiem, "O God Our Help in Ages Past".....Grieg-Custance
- Organ solo, Adagio from Organ Sonata.....Mendelssohn
- Organ solo, Gung Sancto.....Mozart
- Anthem, "Behold I Bring You Good Tidings".....Vincent
- Recessional, "A Few More Years Shall Roll".....Elvey

**MICHIGAMME MAN PASSES.**

Peter Anderson, who had been a resident of Michigamme for the past forty-two years, and who was well known and highly respected in the western end of the county, died New Year's eve at 11 o'clock, after a comparatively short illness. Mr. Anderson had been in the employ of the Duluth, South Shore & Atlantic Railway company for thirty-two years, most of the time as section foreman in Michigamme. He was a native of Norway, where he was born sixty-three years ago. Besides the widow there are two daughters, the Misses Alma and Zera, surviving him. Two sisters and two brothers are also living, the former Mrs. Martha Olson, of Michigamme, and Mrs. Hanson, of Montana, and the latter Emil Anderson, of Montana, and Axel Anderson of Lake Umbagog. The funeral will be held Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from the

Norwegian church in Michigamme, Rev. O. Hill, of Ishpeming, conducting the services. Burial will be in Lake View cemetery.

**CLASS REUNION.**

Class of 1913 of the Ishpeming High School Met New Year's Eve.

The class of 1913 of the Ishpeming High school held its second annual reunion in the high school parlors New Year's eve. Covers for the banquet were laid for forty. The decorations in the dining room were in yellow. Mr. Gray catered and the menu was as follows:

- Roast Turkey with Dressing and Brown Gravy
- Mashed Potatoes
- Corn a la Gravy
- Olives
- Cranberries
- Hot Rolls
- Pickles
- Fruit Salad with Mayonnaise
- Wafers
- Ice Cream with Hot Chocolate Sauce
- White Cake
- Coffee

After the banquet toasts were responded to, Miss Eleanor Blanchard presiding as toastmistress. Each member of the class was heard from, either by toast or song or letter. As the bells were ringing for midnight the class drank a toast to the new year. After a short business meeting the rest of the evening was spent in socializing. Much credit is due to the president of the class and to the others who had the affair in charge, for the occasion was most delightful.

**TO ENGAGE IN CHURCH WORK.**

Ishpeming Young Men to Have Charge of Congregations in Ontonagon County.

Edward Hoeking and W. H. Warrington, Ishpeming young men who have been prominent members of the First Methodist Episcopal church, will leave this morning for Ontonagon county, the former for Ontonagon and the latter for Bergland. Mr. Hoeking will have charge of the Methodist church in Ontonagon, and Mr. Warrington will be pastor for the Methodist churches in Bergland, Lake Geogebie and Topaz.

Mr. Warrington has been first vice president of the Epworth league of the Ishpeming church for the past eighteen months, and he has also been Sunday school teacher for the members of the Wesley club since the club was organized, two years ago. He has resided in Ishpeming for three years, and Mr. Hoeking has lived here two years.

At the conclusion of the entertainment given in the church Wednesday evening by the Epworth league, Mr. Warrington was presented with a gold watch by Sidney Rose, on behalf of the Wesley club. Mr. Warrington, he said, has been a most faithful and effective instructor and the members of the organization greatly regret his departure from the city. Mr. Warrington responded to the presentation.

**"GIRL OF MY DREAMS."**

In "The Girl of My Dreams," the atmospheric musical comedy, which will be the attraction at the Ishpeming theater strong Thursday evening, there will be a next Thursday evening, not only in costumes but in language. "The Girl of My Dreams" is in two acts and is the work of Wilbur D. Nesbit, of the Chicago Evening Post, and Otto Hauerbach. The late Karl Hoschina is responsible for the music, which he confidently asserted is even more alluring than that of his two former successes, "Three Twins" and "Madame Sherry."

The management has engaged an exceptionally well-balanced company of twenty-five, among whom are Carl H. Hatfield, Harold Briggs, Irving Brooks, Marie Garnier, Jules Pally, Adele Boulaise, George Carpenter and Harry Humphreys. Besides a big beauty chorus, the De Luxe Harem-Scarem Pony Ballet will be seen.

**ENTERTAINED FRIENDS.**

Tom Williams, president of the McCabe class, entertained a party of forty-five friends at a watchlight party New Year's eve at his home on Fifty street. The home was decorated for the occasion. The early part of the evening was spent playing games and a lunch was later served. At midnight short toasts were given by Rev. Karr, Ed Hoeking and William H. Warrington.

**ISHPEMING IN BRIEF**

Miss Krust Flax has returned to Sault Ste. Marie, where she is employed as a school teacher.

The Misses Lourett and Lenore Ryan are visiting relatives and friends in Marquette for a few days.

Gordon Trengove, who spent a week visiting Ishpeming friends, has returned to his home in Eveleth, Minn.

Miss Louise Matthews departed last evening for Madison, Wis., to resume her studies at the Wisconsin university.

Nathaniel Rowe, who teaches school in Canby, N. D., left for there Thursday night after a visit over the holidays with his parents.

Harold Shadlick, who spent the holidays at his home here, left last night for Cleveland, to resume his studies in Case Technical college.

Miss Verna Mohr left last night for Chicago, to resume her musical studies, after a ten days' visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Mohr.

Miss Borghild Braastad left last night for New York, to resume her studies in music, after a week's visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. Braastad.

The Misses Mary Small and Angela Schumacher, who teach school in Gilbert, Minn., will leave for there tonight, after a two weeks' visit with their folks here.

About forty of Captain Thomas Walters' Ishpeming friends among the prominent mining men here called at his home and gave him a social supper New Year's eve.

Edward Johnson and family, of Virginia, Minn., who spent the holidays with relatives here, will leave today for Iron Mountain, where they will spend a few days before returning to their homes. The Knights of Columbus basketball team will meet the Marquette Hibernal five at Marquette tomorrow night in a return game. The Marquette Normals will play the K. of C. team here on the evening of the 10th.

The City basketball team, composed of former players of the Ishpeming high school teams, was badly defeated by this season's high school five Wednesday evening in the Y. gymnasium, the score being seventy-two to ten. The city team was made up of Cooley and Potter,

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forwards; Chapman and Rudy Johnson, guards, and James and Fla. center. The high school team was composed of Urquhart, Olds, Magnuson, Gustafson, Hennickson, Anderson, Swanson and Smoberg, the latter playing center.

At the Fireside club's meeting tomorrow afternoon at 3:30 o'clock in the Y. M. C. A. building, Rev. C. F. Edwards will give a talk. Ray Thomas will be heard in a piano solo. Art Scholchneberg will render a cornet solo.

"The Man Who Came Back," the piece of the Woodmen Tuberculosis sanitarium, will be shown this evening at the Ishpeming Theater. Another notable picture on the program will be "The Private Officer," with Francis X. Bushman in the leading part.

Iver Jallerstadt has been made manager of the Peninsula Bank's insurance department, succeeding H. E. Hryn. Mr. Jallerstadt has been the active insurance man of the bank for many years past, and he is well qualified to manage the business.

Oscar Nicholls, who a few weeks ago, was operated upon in Augustana Hospital, Chicago, arrived home New Year's eve. "It will be a few weeks before he will be able to resume his work as head chemist for the Cleveland Cliffs iron company at the Neganue mine.

The Marquette city indoor baseball team defeated the Ishpeming city team by a score of 11 to 5 in the Broadland Amusement hall New Year's eve. Barnes and Dunlavy were the battery for Marquette and Erickson and Martin filled the points for the Ishpeming nine. In the sixth inning the score was five to four in Ishpeming's favor.

Thomas F. Francis, who will represent the Second district of Marquette county in the state legislature, has gone to Lapeer, Mich., where he will spend a few days visiting Rev. J. G. Haller, formerly of this city. The legislature will convene on Wednesday, Mr. Francis' son Percy, who spent Christmas here, has returned to Asbestos, Quebec, where he is employed as a mining engineer.

**Mining News**

**HANCOCK CONSOLIDATED.**

As yet no plans have been made for renewing active mining operations at this property and much depends on the metal market and financial conditions in the East. About two years ago, the Hancock management was very fortunate in closing arrangements with some Eastern bankers to finance the property, and all the funds necessary to place this mine on a self-sustaining basis will be, it is understood, forthcoming. It is generally expected that no further assessments will be called and that just as soon as times are more propitious Hancock will resume operations and open up a sufficient tonnage to allow for continuous milling.

**ARIZONA COMMERCIAL.**

According to advices just received from Globe, Arizona Commercial is look-

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## Copper Country

### CALUMET IN TRIM FOR OPENING GAME

First Hockey Match of Season Will Be Played at Houghton Monday Night.

The Calumet hockey team management has announced the lineup of its team for the opening game of the season, with Portage Lake at Houghton Monday night, as follows: Goal, Savinini; point, Ransome Treglone; cover point, Hogan; center, Stroud; right wing, St. George; left wing, Skinner; rover, Monroe.

There are several new men on the team and the lineup seems to be stronger than that used last season. Savinini, in the net, is the peer of any amateur goal tender Calumet has ever had. Savinini, Hogan and Skinner are the new men on the team this year.

Ransome Treglone proved his worth to the Calumet team last year. Paul Hogan is too well known to need special mention. Stroud is one of the trickiest center ice men in the league, but if Reynolds is with the team he will play center and Stroud will play at rover. Reynolds has not yet consented to play with Calumet, although he has voluntarily withdrawn from the Portage Lake team. St. George is doing good work this year. He is a fast skater and handles the puck well. Skinner playing at left wing, opposite St. George, shows much improvement over last year, when he was with Houghton, Monroe at rover is shooting well this year. A special car will run to Houghton Monday evening for the benefit of the Calumet-Laurium-Mohawk fans. It will leave the Red Jacket end of the line at 6:30 and will leave Houghton, on the return trip, at 11:15.

### FATALITY AT THE QUINCY.

Jacob Koskela Killed by a Fall of Ground in No. 6 Shaft.

Jacob Koskela, a miner employed at No. 6 shaft, Quincy mine, was killed yesterday morning by a fall of ground caused by an air blast. He was married and resided at Coburntown. Victor Linner, another miner, was hurt slightly by the fall of ground.

### CHANGE IN MILL SCHEDULE.

Employees Will Have Only One Day Off a Week in Future.

Employees of the Calumet & Hecla mill at Lake Linden have been notified that, starting with the first of the new year, a new schedule of working days goes into effect. The change will benefit the men, as they will work a greater number of shifts than under the arrangement that has obtained since early last fall.

Starting shortly after the war broke out, the employees worked four days one week and five the next. The new schedule calls for Saturdays only.

### TRY THIS FOR NEURALGIA.

Thousands of people keep on suffering with Neuralgia because they do not know what to do for it. Neuralgia is a pain in the nerves. What you want to do is to soothe the nerve itself. Apply Sloan's Liniment to the surface over the painful part—do not rub it in. Sloan's Liniment penetrates very quickly to the sore, irritated nerve and allays the inflammation. Get a bottle of Sloan's Liniment for 25 cents against Colds, sore and Swollen Joints, Lumbago, Sciatica and like ailments. Your money back if not satisfied, but it does give almost instant relief.

## Negaunee Department

### WELLKNOWN RANGE MAN PASSES AWAY

Word Received Here of the Death at Eveleth, Minn., of Thomas Dillon Carey.

Word was received here Thursday of the death Wednesday at Eveleth, Minn., of Thomas Dillon Carey. Mr. Carey was well-known in Negaunee, and the news of his death was received with regret by his friends here.

Mr. Carey spent several days in Negaunee three weeks ago visiting with friends, and except for a severe cold he was in good health. He was taken to his bed with pneumonia on Christmas day and passed away at 10 o'clock Wednesday morning.

Mr. Carey was one of the best known hotel men on the Mesaba range, having for the past seven years been employed as clerk for his brother-in-law, John Globe, at the Globe Hotel, Eveleth. He was a brother of Municipal Judge Carey, of Virginia, Minn., and he was interested in a number of mining properties with him.

Mr. Carey was born at Republic thirty-six years ago and he left this section for Minnesota eighteen years ago. Prior to locating at Eveleth, Mr. Carey was for a number of years in charge of the Dupont Powder company's offices at Virginia and Hibbing. He once served as special municipal judge at Eveleth. He was unmarried and besides his brother, James, is survived by three sisters, Mrs. John Globe, of Eveleth, Mrs. Iver Wested of Ely, Minn., and Mrs. T. C. Avery, of Milwaukee. The funeral will be held today at Eveleth under the direction of the Elks.

### LOCAL LACONICS

Miss Fanny Hogan is visiting with friends at Detroit.

L. N. Theobald spent New Year's at his home at Marquette.

Abel Levine spent yesterday visiting with relatives at Marquette.

Frank Willman has returned from a business visit at Houghton.

Matt Aho, of Humboldt, was a business visitor in the city Thursday.

Miss Nellie Gaffney has returned from an extended visit in Chicago.

Ben Neely, of Crystal Falls, is here on a few days' visit with his folks.

Henry Levine, of Republic was the guest of Negaunee relatives yesterday.

Alfred Ollila is here from Watton, Mich., on a few days' visit with relatives.

Norman C. Wakefield, of Chisholm, Minn., is here on a short visit with friends.

Charles Sporley, Jr., has gone to Escanaba, to spend a few days visiting with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Torrono have returned from a week's visit with relatives at Calumet.

Fred Thomas will leave today for Lansing, where he will spend the next three months visiting with relatives.

Howard Gundry, who spent a few days here visiting with his mother, Mrs. John Gundry, has returned to Iron River.

George Metherell, who conducts a moving picture theater at Diorite, spent yesterday in the city visiting with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. John Lang and Mrs. M. DeLair, of Marquette, spent yesterday here as the guests of Mrs. C. Martell and daughter, Myra.

Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Maitland are the parents of a son, last week at Chicago, where Mrs. Maitland has been spending the past month.

John Helmsdorf, son of Louis Helmsdorf of this city, was married on Christmas eve to Miss Nellie Peterson, of Red Wing, Minn., at that place.

Sheldon C. Crane, who spent Christmas in the city visiting with his folks, has returned to Ann Arbor, where he is a student at the University of Michigan.

Mr. and Mrs. Chris Boucier, who spent a week in the city visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Boucier, have returned to their home at Virginia, Minn.

Henry Johnson has returned from Calumet, where he spent several days visiting with his son, Herman Johnson, who is employed by the Western Express company.

Fred Ware has resigned his position as clerk with F. E. Tompkins and will leave shortly for Big Rapids, where he will take a course in pharmacy at the Ferris Institute.

Mr. and Mrs. Clark Kirkpatrick, who spent a week in the city visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James H. Rugh, have returned to their home at Park Falls, Wis.

Eugene Houle, who is a student at the University of Michigan, will leave tomorrow for Ann Arbor to resume his schools until Jan. 11, one week later than usual. This action is taken to give the children an opportunity to be vaccinated. There are a number of cases of smallpox in the city.

NO CAUSE FOR ACTION VERDICT.

The jury in the John Suttich case against the Tamack Mining company was out all night Wednesday night, and yesterday morning brought in a verdict of no cause for action. This was the last case of the November term. Judge O'Brien discharged the jury from further attendance upon the term.

FOR MEN AND WOMEN.

Baekache! Feel tired? Not so spry as you used to be? Getting old? Many persons mistake kidney trouble for advancing age. Kidneys out of order make you feel old before your time. Foley Kidney Pills tone up and invigorate the kidneys, banish baekache, rid your blood of acids and poisons. Sold by All Dealers.

### SEDLACK SEEING SERVICE ON BORDER

Former Negaunee Man Is Serving With U. S. Troops Stationed at Naco, Ariz.

Joseph Sedlack has received a letter from his brother Emercyk Sedlack, who is a member of Company H, Eleventh Infantry, U. S. A., and who is on duty with his company at Naco, Ariz., where the soldiers were sent to prevent Mexican soldiers from firing into American territory.

Mr. Sedlack is a former resident of Negaunee and he left here two years ago for Columbus O., to enlist. He is twenty years old and came to this country when he was sixteen. In Negaunee Mr. Sedlack was employed at the Maas mine. He has already won a medal and better pay for excellent target shooting. He writes that if the trouble on the border ceases within the next few months the soldiers are going to be given an opportunity to win experts' medals for range shooting, and he is going to do his best to gain this added distinction.

The Mexican factions now at war close to the American border and the two armies are entrenched about 5,000 yards apart. "I was over on the Mexican side of the border one day last week and I had a good view of the Villa trenches. All the time I was near them the soldiers kept firing at each other." Mr. Sedlack writes. "They keep it up both day and night and we watch them fight every day."

Americans Anxious to Fight.

"I don't know if we will get a chance to get into the fight. Our forces are a little over 5,000 strong and we are made up of the following: Eleventh, Eighteenth and Twenty-second Infantry, machine gun platoon, artillery, ninth and tenth cavalry and the hospital corps."

"I raised all day Christmas and we had to stay out in it. I am writing this on my knee as it is the only thing I can find to use for a desk."

Upper Peninsula

Makes Last Report.

Prosecutor Torval E. Strom, prosecuting attorney of Delta county for the past four years, has prepared the final report he will make to the state legal department. During his incumbency in office, Mr. Strom has handled over two thousand criminal cases. The report for the last six months shows a total of 185 criminal cases handled, 155 of that number resulting in convictions.

New Clerk Elected.

On the first ballot, by a vote of 9 to 4, John Follo was named by the members of the Escanaba council to fill the office of city clerk for the unexpired term of Albert J. Pepin, county clerk-elect. The ballot showed nine votes for John Follo and four for Frank H. Atkins. Other applicants for the office were: H. L. Spooner, William Yockey, Emil Stuth and R. Schwartz. Four years ago next April Mr. Pepin was elected for the first time to the office of city clerk. Since assuming the duties of that office he has proved to be one of the hardest working and most conscientious clerks ever elected in the city of Escanaba.

Newspaper Man Wedded.

Miss Anna L. Carroll, daughter of Mrs. Mary Carroll, 1203 Park avenue, became the bride of John P. Norton at Escanaba this week. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Father Barth, of St. Patrick's, at the church. Following the ceremony the young people left over the Escanaba for Minneapolis, and St. Paul. On their return Mrs. Norton will be at home to their friends at 508 Campbell street. They are well and favorably known to Escanabans. The bride has been engaged in teaching in the Escanaba public schools for several studies. Mr. Houle spent the holidays here visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cyrille Houle.

Miss Clara LaMer has gone to Munising to be absent for about two weeks.

Word has been received that Mr. and Mrs. Ted Freiberg, of Oshkosh, Wis., are the parents of a daughter, Mrs. Freiberg is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. Leininger of this city.

Mr. Charles Thoren, Sr., one of the city's junior residents, has been sickly ill at her home on Iron street for the past few days. Mr. Thoren has also been sick for some time.

Herman Saladin, of this city, who has been employed as druggist in Detroit for the past eight months, has returned to his former position as pharmacist with L. Clemens.

John Gaffney and Walter Willman, who spent the past two weeks here visiting with their folks, will leave Monday for Lansing to resume their studies at the Michigan Agricultural college.

Mr. and Mrs. Cyrille Houle will leave Wednesday for a visit of two or three months with their sons, Fred, of Fort Worth, Texas, and Arthur, of Bisbee, Ariz., and daughters, Mesdames Sturgeon and Hanna at Globe, Ariz.

William A. Denette, who for the past two months has been employed as operator, electrician and stage carpenter at the Star theater, has gone to Munising, where he will take a position as operator at the New Delta Theater.

"Club" Chaput, of Houghton, who was playing manager of the Negaunee baseball team during the latter part of last season, spent yesterday in the city on a visit with friends. Mr. Chaput is a member of the Portage Lake Hockey club.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank U. Nelson, who have been visiting Negaunee and Lansing relatives for the past week, will leave today for a brief visit at Bay City. They will also spend a few days at Milwaukee and Chicago before proceeding to their home at Pueblo, Colo.

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"The Motion Picture Cowboy"  
This picture is without a doubt the best Western comedy feature ever shown in Negaunee. Don't fail to see it — today only.

"THE GREATER LOVE"  
Vitaphone Drama with DOROTHY KELLY and JAMES MORRISON

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NOTICE OF STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING  
The regular annual meeting of the stockholders of the Gwin State Savings Bank will be held at its banking rooms in the town of Gwin, Michigan, on Tuesday, the twelfth day of January, 1915, between the hours of ten a. m. and twelve a. m. for the election of directors and the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

CHESTER D. MASTERS, Cashier.

Home Wireless Station.

Raymond Brodahl, of Wells, has finally completed the installation and erection of a wireless station at that village. He has been a student of wireless telegraphy for some time and has placed the apparatus in his home. He will hold communication with Oscar Roskie of Flat Rock.

Goes to Escanaba.

William J. Williams, formerly of Iron Mountain, who managed the Gately-Wiggins store here and who has managed the Gately company's store at Marquette for several years, has resigned his position to accept the management of the Klassen store at Escanaba. He will move his family to that city immediately.

Sought Supreme Court.

A writ of certiorari, asked for by Attorney Ryall in connection with the recent local option fight in Delta county, has been refused by the supreme court. Amounting virtually to an appeal from the decision of Judge R. C. Flannigan, the state supreme court was sought as a final resort. The decision, refusing the writ was made December 19, and copies were received by Prosecutor Strom on the present week.

New Chief of Police.

After ballots had been taken on two other men, John J. Tolon was named by the Escanaba council to be the chief of police for the unexpired term of Andrew Iverson, who resigns to take the office of sheriff, to which he was elected last November. Before the regular meeting of the council a star chamber session was held in the mayor's office. The city clerk appointment evidently met with the approval of practically all, but when the votes were taken on Mayor Chaffield's selections for chief they were voted down until the last name was presented, that of John J. Tolon. Following the election of the city clerk Mayor Chaffield arose and announced that in light of a number of petitions that had been presented to him signed by business men of the city, he would present the name of Adam J. Henry. Like a flash, Alderman Smith was on his feet moving for an adjournment. With that Mayor Chaffield said: "We are here to appoint a chief of police and I believe it is our duty to do so before the meeting closes." Again there was another motion for adjournment. A vote was then taken on the Henry appointment, the result being ten nays and three ayes. The mayor then presented the name of Alexander Parisien for the office, the vote being ten nays and three ayes. At this juncture there was another motion for adjournment. A vote was taken with a result of nine nays and four ayes. Again the name of Adam J. Henry was brought up by the mayor and again it went down to defeat by a vote of eight to five. At this point the mayor presented the name of John J. Tolon. Alderman Pryal moved that the mayor's appointment be confirmed. The motion was supported by Alderman Stratton and with the taking of the vote, Tolon was elected, the vote being ten to three.

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# FEWER LIVES LOST ON LAKES

### 1914 Season of Navigation Was Marked by Only Two Disasters on Lake Superior, the Foundering of the Noble, the Curtis and Consorts Near Grand Marais.

### The Crews of All Four Vessels Perished—Tendency Has Been Shown by Captains to Observe More Closely the Warnings Issued by the Weather Bureau.

All lake marine disasters in which lives were lost during the last season of navigation occurred on Lake Superior, the loss of the steamer Benjamin Noble, with a crew of nineteen persons, early in the season and the steamer Curtis and her consort, the Martin and Peterson, with crews aggregating twenty-eight persons, in November, having been the only ones recorded. In comparison with the preceding season, when several hundred lives were lost, the showing is a remarkable one. It appears that the large number of wrecks in 1914 made the masters more cautious. Weather warnings were watched closer here than during any previous season. Many captains, even though their barometers indicated probably clear weather, did not clear until they had talked over the pressure areas of the country at large with the weather man. As a result, few vessels were caught out in severe blows. The shore line and water from Marquette to Sault Ste. Marie is considered perhaps the most dangerous part of Lake Superior, as there is no protection for vessels other than that of Grand Island and Whitefish point, which are difficult for the vesselmen to make in rough weather. There is now agitation for further harbor improvements at Grand Marais, near where the steamer Curtis and her consort foundered. This portion of Lake Superior is commonly known as "The Graveyard of the Lakes."

#### The Year's Accidents.

A list of accidents occurring on the great lakes during the 1914 season of navigation follows:

The wooden barge Dorcas Pendall was destroyed by fire while stranded at Harbor Beach, Mich., Jan. 3, 1914. Damage by fire to the amount of \$20,000 was sustained by the steamer Robert L. Pryor at Marine City, Mich., on April 21. The Pryor is now being rebuilt at a Canadian port.

A week later the Benjamin Noble, of Detroit, foundered a short distance from Duluth. Her crew of nineteen persons was lost.

On May 7 the steamer City of Rome burned to the water's edge in Lake Erie, near Ripley, N. Y. The crew was saved.

The steamer W. H. Gilbert, of the Pittsburgh Steamship company's fleet, collided with the steamer Caldera, before Thunder Bay island in Lake Huron on May 22. The crew of the vessel was saved. Ten days later the steamer Berthier burned to the water's edge at Montreal. On the 29th, the steamer Emma E. Thompson was destroyed by fire near Ennis island, Georgian bay. The crew was saved.

The passenger steamer Manistee was burned at Ferrysburg, Mich., June 28. The loss was \$200,000.

At Ludington, Mich., on August 23, the steamer Tacoma was totally destroyed by fire.

In September, the steamer Montana, of Detroit, was destroyed by fire off North Point in Lake Huron, on the 7th; the canal steamer Graham of the Buffalo & Rochester Packet line, was burned on the 16th with a loss of \$50,000, and on the 29th the Canadian steamer John Harper was sunk in the Detroit river.

The wooden steamer Mary N. Bourke, near St. Mary's bay on Sept. 26.

On Nov. 13 the steamer Colonial was beached near Paros, Ont., and was wrecked by the storm that swept Lake Erie Nov. 15-16.

The steamer Ozoda was stranded near Manistique on Nov. 10, and was wrecked in a storm on Lake Michigan. The crew of the vessel was saved.

The steamer C. F. Curtis and her

# BREITUNG REPORTED TO BE SHIP-OWNER

### But Marquette Man Denies Story That He Has Purchased Hamburg-American Liner.

#### A WELLKNOWN CONCERN.

Adler & Gray, Alleged Bankrupts, Operated in Dickinson County.

Adler & Gray, the Dickinson county logging concern which filed a voluntary petition for bankruptcy here last week, is one of the best known lumbering companies in that part of the peninsula. Frank D. Adler and Frank B. Gray, the partners in the company, have been operating in Dickinson county for the last thirteen years. They came to the upper peninsula from Indiana, where Adler was engaged in the newspaper business at Greencastle and was prominent in Democratic politics. The first operations of the concern were confined to the cordwood business, with Mr. Gray as the active partner, and were successful.

Later the partners engaged in a general logging business and at one time operated a mill at Carey's Spur. Several years ago Mr. Adler purchased the timber on a large tract of land east of Randville, Dickinson county, near the graveland mine, and conducted operations on his own account. Mr. Gray engaged in the laundry business in Chicago. Later Mr. Gray again became associated with Mr. Adler and was in charge of the camps. The operations of the concern were conducted on an extensive scale. Large camps were erected and a logging road built to a connection with the graveland mine spur track of the St. Paul road. At one time several hundred men were employed by the firm.

The cause of the firm's financial troubles is said to have been a slump in the market for forest products. The liabilities of the partners, total more than \$200,000, not including their personal liabilities.

# WELLKNOWN RESIDENT PASSES TO REWARD

### Henry J. Wolf Had Been Proprietor of Lake Superior Carriage Works Twelve Years.

Henry J. Wolf, proprietor of the Lake Superior Carriage Works, and who had been a resident of Marquette the greater part of the past twenty-eight years, passed away yesterday.

Mr. Wolf was born in Prussia Sept. 24, 1847, and came to this country with his father in 1848, the family locating in Fond du Lac county, where Mr. Wolf's boyhood was spent and where he was a resident until 1887. Mr. Wolf was married in Fond du Lac in 1870 to Amalia Gentz, a native of Wisconsin, and two children of the union survive him. They are Theodore L. Wolf, of Marquette, and William J. Wolf, of Milwaukee, the latter having been called to the city recently because of the serious condition of his father.

In 1887 Mr. Wolf moved to Milwaukee, but Mrs. Wolf died there within a short time, and he came on to Marquette, where he resided several years, having been engaged in the carriage making business, a trade he followed all his life. After residing here a few years, he left for Superior, Wis., and later spent some time in Stevens Point, Wis., and Milwaukee, returning to Marquette again some sixteen years ago, when he associated himself with J. E. Richardson in the Lake Superior Carriage Works. The past twelve years he has been the sole proprietor of the business.

Mr. Wolf was a good business man and an exemplary citizen, and his death will be generally regretted by his friends.

What is the answer to this? \$600 per ton worth \$500, no soot, no smoke and very little ash. Saves 1-3 of winter's fuel. 10-21-21w-4t.

# TEACHERS WILL URGE PENSION BILL

### Measure to Be Introduced This Year Said to Have United Support of Fraternity.

Marquette teachers are greatly interested in the plans for the concerted campaign of Michigan teachers to secure the adoption by the legislature at its forthcoming session of a bill providing annuities for those who retire after 25 to 30 years of teaching in the state's public schools. A similar "teachers' pension" bill was before the last legislature, but was not adopted, largely because of disagreement among the teachers themselves as to its provisions. This time the proposed bill will have practically solid support from the teachers, it is said.

The proposed law would provide that teachers may retire after 25 years of service if they wish. Those who do not retire until after 30 years of teaching will be entitled to the highest annuity, which is one-half of the salary average of the last five years of teaching. It is provided that the annuity in no case shall be more than \$500 a year nor less than \$240 a year. Teachers retiring after 25 years would receive twenty-five per cent of the full annuity. Teachers incapacitated, either physically or mentally, after 15 years of service also would be cared for with an annuity.

The fund for the pension payments will be supported by the teachers, those teaching less than five years contributing one-half of one per cent of their monthly salaries, the year's total not to exceed 5; those teaching between 5 and 15 years to contribute one per cent, but not to exceed \$10 a year; those teaching more than 15 years to contribute two per cent, but not more than \$20 a year.

The bill provides that no teacher shall be compelled to come under the bill's provisions, and that no retirement shall be compulsory. Those who quit teaching before they are entitled to a retirement annuity may secure a refund of one-half what they have paid in. The bill will provide that the retirement fund be managed by a board appointed by the governor, at least one member of which shall be a woman public school teacher.

The bill's supporters declare that its passage will lift the teacher's profession to its highest level in Michigan and will enable the state to keep its strong teachers instead of losing them to other states.

# ICE HARVEST WILL BE LARGE

### Lake Superior Ice Company Begins Its Operations at Lake Michigan.

Prospects for a large ice harvest in 1915 are excellent, according to L. E. Reindinger, manager of the Lake Superior Ice company, which today begins its harvest at Lake Michigan, forty-five miles west of this city. The company will employ a larger force in its operations than for several years past, in order to fill a number of contracts that have been made recently. Mr. Reindinger returned the early part of this week from Lake Michigan, where he found everything in readiness for the harvest. The quality of the ice is of the best, he says, and the average thickness is fifteen inches. It is very clean and there is no snow-ice, such as frequently forms on inland lakes.

With twenty men, Mr. Reindinger leaves this morning for the lake to begin operations. The equipment is now on the ground, and the harvesting will begin without delay. The Lake Superior company has a contract with the South Shore railway for 1200 cords, which will be filled at once.

The harvest for the season will be about 3,500 cords, Mr. Reindinger expects, which amount will be from 500 to 600 cords more than that cut a year ago.

The exceptionally cold weather during the last few weeks has greatly favored the ice men. It is believed that ice can this year be cut from Lake Superior near the city, as it has been forming rapidly during the last few days. Should the weather conditions change so that it will not be possible to cut on Lake Superior, ice will be taken from another inland lake. In addition to the harvest from Lake Michigan, the company will harvest about 1,200 cords.

# BREITUNG REPORTED TO BE SHIP-OWNER

### But Marquette Man Denies Story That He Has Purchased Hamburg-American Liner.

Has E. N. Breitung bought an ocean liner and does he propose to extend his large business interests in still another direction?

A director of the Hamburg-American line says he has, so does dispatch from Washington relating to the question of registry.

But Mr. Breitung says he hasn't, and there you are. The New York Times says:

"The Hamburg-American Line's freight steamer Dacia, which was sold in Port Arthur, Texas, was put under American registry, it was learned yesterday, so that she might carry cotton to Germany. Word was received from Washington that the purchaser was Edward N. Breitung, the banker and mine owner. William G. Siegel, a director of the Hamburg-American Line, said last night that the Dacia had been sold to Mr. Breitung, Mr. Breitung, who was in Chicago, denied this, but after hearing of this denial, Mr. Siegel said: 'Technically, Mr. Breitung's denial may be true. The ship was purchased through an intermediary, but I understood that Mr. Breitung was the principal.'

"This is the second steamship which the Hamburg-American Line has sold since the war started. The first was the Alexandria of 5,500 tons, which was sold to the North and South Steamship company at San Francisco. I understand that Mr. Breitung intends to use the Dacia for shipping cotton abroad, probably to Germany. The Dacia will carry between 10,000 and 11,000 bales of cotton.

"There should be no difficulty in obtaining American registry for the ship. The sale, however, was not conditional upon obtaining permission to fly the American flag, and that part of the transaction does not concern the Hamburg-American Line, which has received payment for the ship. I have heard that the preliminary papers for the change of registry, putting the Dacia under the American flag, have already been granted at Port Arthur.

"Mr. Breitung, who lives at the St. Regis, was expected to return here today. He was born at Negaunee, Mich., in 1871; is of German blood on his father's side, and of French blood on his mother's side. He is one of the foremost mining operators in America, and is at the head of a number of camps, but this is his first venture into the shipping business.

"The amendment to the Panama Canal act admitting foreign-built ships to American registry was signed by President Wilson on Aug. 18, and it provides that in order to obtain the American flag for a foreign-built or foreign-owned ship its sale to Americans must be bona fide and unconditional, so that the ship could not be returned to its former owners after the close of the war.

"It was reported, when the amendment was signed, that Great Britain had given assurances that it would recognize the neutrality of ships so transferred if no suspicion attached to the unconditional quality of the sale. Since that time Great Britain has made the announcement that cotton would be made free of the seas, so that neutral ships carrying cotton to Germany would be exempt from seizure.

A Chicago dispatch printed in connection with the foregoing says:

"Edward N. Breitung, who is at the Congress Hotel, said tonight: I have not bought the Dacia or any other Hamburg-American boat; I have not bought any other steamer or sailing vessel; I do not contemplate buying any such vessel. My boat I own is a private yacht. I am not shipping any cotton to Germany. I have none to ship. I have a great quantity of goods I would like to ship, but cannot get bottoms for."

From Washington comes this report:

"The Department of Commerce was notified today that the Hamburg-American steamship Dacia had been sold to Edward Breitung of Marquette, Mich., that papers making application for transfer of the steamship to American registry were being forwarded for full examination, and that representatives of the purchaser were coming to Washington. It is understood here that P. O. Schumder and Harry S. Hoeker of New York represented Mr. Breitung in the purchase."

# WELLKNOWN RESIDENT PASSES TO REWARD

### Henry J. Wolf Had Been Proprietor of Lake Superior Carriage Works Twelve Years.

Henry J. Wolf, proprietor of the Lake Superior Carriage Works, and who had been a resident of Marquette the greater part of the past twenty-eight years, passed away yesterday.

Mr. Wolf was born in Prussia Sept. 24, 1847, and came to this country with his father in 1848, the family locating in Fond du Lac county, where Mr. Wolf's boyhood was spent and where he was a resident until 1887. Mr. Wolf was married in Fond du Lac in 1870 to Amalia Gentz, a native of Wisconsin, and two children of the union survive him. They are Theodore L. Wolf, of Marquette, and William J. Wolf, of Milwaukee, the latter having been called to the city recently because of the serious condition of his father.

In 1887 Mr. Wolf moved to Milwaukee, but Mrs. Wolf died there within a short time, and he came on to Marquette, where he resided several years, having been engaged in the carriage making business, a trade he followed all his life. After residing here a few years, he left for Superior, Wis., and later spent some time in Stevens Point, Wis., and Milwaukee, returning to Marquette again some sixteen years ago, when he associated himself with J. E. Richardson in the Lake Superior Carriage Works. The past twelve years he has been the sole proprietor of the business.

Mr. Wolf was a good business man and an exemplary citizen, and his death will be generally regretted by his friends.

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- 88c will buy a fine Negligee Shirt, Percale or Madras, attached cuffs.
- 88c will buy a heavy weight suit of Union Underwear.
- 88c will buy a suit of Wool Process Underwear.
- 88c will buy one piece of heavy weight Wool Underwear.
- 88c will buy pair Men's Felt Slippers, felt or leather sole, broken lines.
- 88c will buy a Boy's Flannel Blouse.
- 88c will buy a Boy's heavy weight Knee Pants.
- 88c will buy your choice of a lot of Boys' and Children's Sweaters.
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# Clara Kimball Young

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### MATCH GAME TONIGHT.

Marquette Bowlers Will Contest With Dierite Pin Artists.

At the Elks' bowling alleys tonight there will be a match game between the Marquette and Dierite bowlers. It will be the first match game on the new alleys and will draw out a large number of spectators, it is expected. One of the men to fill the Marquette team has not yet been chosen, but the following are engaged in the carriage making business tonight: Ralph Eldredge, Orie Mains, Oskar Levine and Robert Lowe.

The Dierite bowlers will be Fred Corneil, Saline, Vittila, Talo and McCulloch.

The match will be called at 8 o'clock. Ishpeming bowling fans will come to the city with the Dierite men. Ladies are especially invited to attend by the manager of the alleys.

Dr. Van Iderstine now has the high score record, having rolled 244 pins yesterday. "Doc" Porter formerly held the record, his high score having been 243.

### ROYAL ARCANUM.

Members Will Be Entertained at Tango Supper Monday Evening.

Following the annual initiation of officers of McKinley council, Royal Arcanum, Monday evening at 8 o'clock, the members will adjourn to the Baltimore cafe in the Vierling block, where an elaborate tango supper will be served. Plates will be reserved for each of the members of the lodge.

The committee in charge has arranged novel entertainment features.

### MUSICAL COMEDY MONDAY.

"The Girl of My Dreams" Will Be Presented at the Opera House.

"The Girl of My Dreams," the musical comedy to play at the opera house Monday, deals with the adventures of Harry Swifton, a bachelor motor enthusiast, who has a mania for breaking speed records.

Before the play opens he meets with an auto accident, and is taken to the home of a Quaker, where he is cared for

### TRAINMEN'S DANCE NEW YEAR'S EVE WAS A DECIDED SUCCESS.

The New Year's ball given in Fraternity Hall Thursday night by Marquette local, Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen, attracted several hundred persons, many of whom came here from points between Michigan and Marquette, and the hall was filled to its capacity throughout the evening. Dancing was continued until 3 o'clock, and an excellent program of music was furnished by the Calumet & Hecla orchestra. The programs were a decided novelty, being in the form of mileage books.

At about 11:30 o'clock supper was served at the Clifton hotel by Mrs. Sullivan.

Red, white and green streamers decorated the hall. Coupled with the numerous Japanese lanterns and a number of electric signs, the effect was a novel one.

### MARQUETTE TEAM WON.

Defeated Ishpeming Indoor Nine at Ishpeming Thursday Night.

The Marquette city indoor baseball team defeated the Ishpeming city team Thursday evening in a game played at Marquette's Amusement hall in Ishpeming. The score was 11 to 5. The hitting of Messier, for Marquette, was one of the features of the contest, he having secured six hits out of six times at bat. Barnes, the Marquette pitcher, held the Ishpeming boys to six hits, and struck out eighteen men.

The Marquette team lined up as follows: J. Dunlavy, catcher; G. Barnes, pitcher; B. Lamere, left short; L. Riv-

ers, right short; W. Dunlavy, first base; J. Smith, second base; P. Messier, third base; D. Scanlon, left field, and B. Corbett, right field.

More than two hundred persons were in attendance. A return game will be played in this city in the near future.

### AUXILIARY OFFICERS.

Ladies of Wolverine Lodge Installed Those Elected for 1915.

Wolverine lodge, No. 341, Ladies' auxiliary to the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen, installed their 1915 officers at a meeting of the order this week. They are:

Past President—Kate Deegan. President—Agnes L. Raymond. Vice President—Mae Dorie. Secretary—Mary A. Grimshaw. Treasurer—Anna Pollette. Conductress—Marie Messier. Chaplain—Olga McLean. Warden—Mary Fraser. Inner Guard—Agnes Carlton. Outer Guard—Olive Parker.

The retiring officers were presented with gifts by the members of the lodge.

Supper was served following the installation, and dancing was then enjoyed.

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