

ITALIAN ROYAL DECREE ISSUED TO WORLD

MONSTER CROWDS THROUGH STREETS AS ITALY'S EDICT IS GIVEN TO THE PUBLIC

Mobilization of Italian Army Going Forth at Rapid Pace As Hurried Conferences Are Held Among the Cabinet Heads to Prepare For Mighty Conflict.

PEOPLE EAGER FOR BATTLE

German and Austrian Ambassadors Strive Vainly To Stop Issuance of Final War Declaration

BULLETIN

Rome, May 22.—The royal decree was issued tonight and it declares: "A state of war exists in the provinces of Sondrio, Brescia, Verona, Vincenza, Belluno, Udine, Venice, Treviso, Padua, Mantua and Ferrara and also in the island and coast towns of the Adriatic and all forts of which have been declared in state of defense by the Minister of War."

BULLETIN

Rome May 22.—The royal decree is accepted by the populace as a declaration of war. Frenzied crowds are wildly thronging, twenty deep, through the streets. A dispatch from Vienna says: "The Italian Ambassador, Duke of Avarna, leaves today for Rome." Austria has asked the United States to take over the protection of Austrians in Italy.

(Special to The Press.)

Rome, May 22.—The mobilization of Italy's army and navy began tonight, following the issuance this afternoon of a general mobilization decree and the imperial manifesto recalling all classes of reservists under the colors and the signing by King Victor of a bill conferring extraordinary powers on the Government in the event and during the war.

The hour just preceding the publication of the decree was one of great activity at the foreign office. Short decisive conferences were held in which it is understood the German and Austrian Ambassadors made eleventh hour advances to forestall the one act which aside from the formal declaration, means war. New concentrations of large forces of Austrians along the upper Adige river are reported. It is believed the first blow will be struck here. That the Vatican looks upon Italy's entrance into the war as inevitable, is evinced by the official announcement that the Pope soon will issue an encyclical letter, defining the neutral attitude of the Holy See regarding the Italo-Austrian war.

Roumania's entire army is being mobilized, according to private dispatch from Bucharest.

(Special to The Press.)

Paris, May 22.—An official statement says:

"The British repulsed an attack on North of La Bassee. North of Arras the enemy bombarded our positions with extreme violence and we replied successfully. Despite this bombardment we captured several more houses north of the northern part of Abiair. North of Neuville our artillery stopped an attempted German attack."

(Special to The Press.)

Washington, May 22.—The state department announced that because of "Differences" the negotiations between the trade advisers of the department and Sir Richard Crawford, the commercial cargoes have broken off. The tangle which has already developed in negotiations regarding cotton cargoes is not straightened. Bryan is awaiting formal admission by the British government of its error in assuming that the agreements of the trade advisers is binding.

(Special to The Press.)

Petrograd, May 22.—An official statement says: "The Austro-German attacks on the Galician front are some what weaker in several districts where the enemy is resuming the offensive. On the left bank of the lower San the Russians are advancing from the direction of the Vistula. After fighting they occupied

DR. CHENOWETH RETURNS TO CITY

Dr. Rodger Chenoweth returned to the city yesterday after spending two months in the hospitals of Chicago and the east.

The great Chicago clinics are coming to be recognized as the most valuable in the country and yearly more doctors gather there from all sections of the globe. Much enthusiasm is manifested in Chicago over the departure of doctors and nurses from the Mercy hospital for London where they will operate for the American Red Cross Society.

CHILD FOUND IN DITCH

The two year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Olgat Olson of Groos, narrowly escaped drowning yesterday noon when he fell into a ditch at the side of the road, head first. That he is alive now can only be attributed to the fact that Mrs. Biehler, who was passing that way, saw the feet of the lad and took him from the water and secured medical attention immediately. The attending physicians now fear pneumonia.

The lad was evidently playing on a bridge near his home, over the ditch in the bottom of which was about six inches of water. Becoming overbalanced he tumbled in and just how long he remained fast in the mud and water at the bottom of the ditch before the arrival of Mrs. Biehler, is not known. Upon taking the child from the water, Mrs. Biehler rushed him to the nearest telephone where Dr. M. P. Fenelon of this city was called.

Before the doctor arrived, however, the child had partially regained consciousness. He was still terribly weak from exposure and was taken to his home where it is feared that he will contract pneumonia, as a result of his experience.

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Miss Mida Corcoran, a teacher in the Norway public schools, is in the city visiting with her parents.

Valentine Folio of Bark River was in the city yesterday.

ple four villages, repulsing the counter attacks by the enemy toward Nisko. On the right bank of the San the Russians occupied Ignatse. East of Goussakow the fierce enemy attacks continue."

"On the remainder of the Galician front attacks of the enemy are becoming weaker. In the region of Shavli (Courland) the Russians continue to press the Germans on the left bank of the Windaw. On the narrow front the enemy attempted only partial attacks in which they experimented in the use of asphyxiants."

AGED WOMAN IS CALLED

MRS. HARRIET VALENTINE DIES SUDDENLY AT HOME OF DAUGHTER LAST EVENING

While she was being prepared for bed by her daughter and without any previous illness, Mrs. Harriet Valentine, pioneer resident of the city, passed away suddenly last evening at 7 o'clock at the home of her daughter, Mrs. E. V. Cotterill at 408 South Wolcott street. Though Mrs. Valentine had not been feeling well for the past several weeks her illness was not thought to be of a serious nature.

Last night she ate supper with her daughter and appeared as well as usual. She expressed a desire to retire and while being assisted to do so, suddenly fell to the floor. Realizing that her mother was critically ill Mrs. Cotterill immediately called for assistance to place the woman on the bed, where she passed peacefully away 10 minutes later.

Eighty-two years ago Mrs. Valentine was born at LaCote, Providence of Quebec and in April, 1873, she came to Escanaba and has continuously made this city her home since that time. Through the long period of years she has watched the development of this district with keen interest.

She is survived by two sons and two daughters. The daughters are: Mrs. R. F. Armstrong, Mason City, Ia., and Mrs. E. V. Cotterill of this city. The sons are: M. M. Valentine, Seattle, Washington and Ezra Valentine of 308 South Oak street of this city. Mrs. Valentine is also survived by 10 grandchildren and 10 great grand children.

The daughters and sons who reside out of the city were immediately notified and Mrs. Armstrong is expected in the city this evening or tomorrow morning. It is not believed that Mr. Armstrong of Seattle will come here because he is now confined to his bed there with a fractured limb.

Mrs. Valentine was an active member of the First Methodist church of this city and until her advanced age compelled her to give up church work, was an earnest supporter of the churches' aid societies. She was of a sweet and loving disposition and the announcement of her sudden death will bring sorrow to the hearts of the scores of local people who numbered her among their acquaintances.

No funeral arrangements have as yet been made.

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ST. ANNES TEAM DEFEATS SCOUTS

St. Anne's applied the brush to the Scout machine when they gave them a 6 to 4 trouncing on the mars field. The fray was 11 session battle with Frost an Perrin on the hill, engaging in a pitching duel, the latter having a shade. The game was one of the fastest tilts ever battled out on the local sand lots for many moons. Frost, Roy and Youngquist did the heavy work for the Scouts while Perrin and Deslites acted as the battery for the St. Annes team.

OPERATE AT FULL CAPACITY

Announcement was made yesterday that for the first time in four years the ore crushing plant, of the Oliver Iron Mining Company, at North Escanaba, will be operated at full capacity this season. For the past few years but one side of the plant has been operated but under orders now received, the entire crusher will be operated at full capacity throughout this season. Two additional grades of ore are to be handled at the local plant this season, making possible the great increase in its output.

The operation of the plant at full capacity will give employment through out the summer and fall season to practically double the usual number of men.

The announcement of yesterday is but one of many local indications given for a marked revival in industrial conditions here.

ELKS CAFE GOES TO ONE PARTY

Margaret Morrison is now the sole proprietor of the Elks Cafe. By a deal that was consummated yesterday she purchased the interests of Margaret Pearson in the business and last night was given formal possession.

Mrs. Pearson has served as cook at the cafe since the two women purchased the business and with her retirement because of ill health, David Harwood has been engaged to fill that position. Mr. Harwood is recognized as one of the foremost restaurant cooks in the city.

The two women have conducted the business along thoroughly business like lines and have given utmost satisfaction. With the transfer of yesterday the cafe will be conducted along the same lines.

Baseball News of Day Tersely Told

DETROIT LOSES AGAIN CHAMPS LOSE TO CHICAGO

American League		
Chicago 11, Boston 3.		
Detroit 5, Philadelphia 2.		
Washington 6, Cleveland 1.		
St. Louis 6, New York 2.		
National League		
Chicago 5, Boston 4.		
Other games rain.		
American League		
	W. L.	Pct.
Chicago	21	12 .536
Detroit	20	12 .625
New York	17	11 .607
Boston	13	12 .520
Washington	13	14 .481
Cleveland	12	13 .414
St. Louis	12	20 .375
Philadelphia	10	20 .333
National League		
	W. L.	Pct.
Philadelphia	17	11 .607
Chicago	19	12 .613
Pittsburg	15	15 .500
Boston	14	15 .483
Brooklyn	14	15 .483
St. Louis	15	17 .469
Cincinnati	13	16 .429
New York	11	16 .407

TWO MEN NEAR DEATH

COMPRESSED AIR TANK EXPLODES AT GUNDERSON'S GARAGE WRECKING REAR OF BUILDING

H. A. Gunderson and Otto Wagner escaped death by a narrow margin at about 1:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon when a compressed air tank, in the machine shop in the rear of the Gunderson garage in the rear of the street, exploded, practically wrecking the rear portion of the building. Mr. Gunderson and his assistant had gone from the rear of the building to the front to work on an auto but a few minutes before.

The tank has been used for some time by Mr. Gunderson to inflate auto tires and had believed it to be in good repair. At 1 o'clock yesterday the proprietor and his helper returned to the Garage and for a few minutes were in the machine shop, where the tank was situated, in the rear of the building, but later both went to the front of the building where they were working when a deafening crash came from the machine room. As the men looked to the rear of the building they saw wreckage flying in all directions and rushing to the scene found that the bottom of the big tank had been blown completely off and at the same instant it was hurled into the roof and after turning completely over the tank crashed to the floor again, completely wrecking that portion of the shop. The brick walls on that side of the building were badly damaged and every window in the machine shop blown out.

The tank was made of heavy sheet iron and it is believed that the great air pressure to which it was subjected, caused it to give way in a defective part. The bottom which was riveted in place with heavy iron rivets was blown off as if made of paper.

The explosion was heard for three blocks up Ludington street and a great number of people flocked to the building believing that some great disaster had occurred.

Had not Mr. Gunderson and his helper left the machine shop just before the explosion occurred there is little doubt but that they would have been instantly killed by the flying wreckage.

MISS HELEN WINEGAR IS CRITICALLY ILL AT HOME

The condition of Miss Helen Winegar, who has been ill for the past two weeks at her home on South Campbell street, was last night said to be critical. Throughout the day yesterday her condition became more serious and physicians were last night bending every effort to bring about a change for the better.

FLORIST FIRM HAS BIG ARRAY

The firm of C. Peterson and Sons has prepared a most imposing array of potted plants and cut flowers, in anticipation of the Memorial Day rush. The local florist firm has prepared this year on a scale never before attempted and those who fail to see the display, whether contemplating or not, will be missing one of the big opportunities of a life time.

Orders for Memorial Day should be placed soon as it is anticipated that they will be exceeding voluminous.

TOURNAMENT AUGUST FIRST

The executive committee of the Upper Peninsula Firemen's Association passed through the city last evening, after having been in session at Manistique yesterday when the first week in August was named for the holding of the annual Upper Peninsula Firemen's Tournament at the Lake Michigan city.

The committee composed of President Lacy of Ishpeming; T. J. Flynn of Negaunee, O. E. Alo of Munising and P. H. Exley of Hancock, were highly optimistic when interviewed last evening in regard to the coming tournament. They believe that the coming annual event will surpass all others held in the peninsula by a wide margin if the preparations now in progress at Manistique, are carried out. A total of \$2500 has been subscribed for the staging of the tournament by Manistique people and more will be secured before the opening of the big annual meet.

In every fireman's camp in the upper peninsula, from this time forth, preparations will be rapidly going forward.

TO CELEBRATE AT SCHAFFER

The Corpus Christi celebration, one of the most solemn feasts of the Catholic church, which has taken place the last years with a great splendor in the little parish of Schaffer, promises this year, to eclipse all previous celebrations. An elaborate program is being prepared and no doubt that when the feast comes on the sixth of June, a very large crowd from the surrounding country will be in Schaffer to witness this most imposing feast of the Catholic worship. It will be heightened this year by the pealing of chiming bells, which will be heard for the first time, when the procession comes out from the church.

The program, which will last for the whole day, will begin with the solemn High Mass at 10 o'clock sharp. The members of the Ancient Choir of St. Ann's church of this city will be present, the sermon will be in both French and English. Special singing and music, etc will be on the program. After Mass the procession will go around the village, streets, residences, stores being decorated with flags, evergreen, flowers and bunting. Several arches and repastorium will be built.

Then will follow a big chicken dinner in the Parish hall. There will be races in the afternoon. Supper will be served and an entertainment, under the management of the popular Deloughery boys, will be given in the evening.

The proceeds of the whole day will go to help pay for the chiming bells.

LADIES AID SOCIETY MEET ON TUESDAY AFTERNOON

Members of the Ladies Aid Society of the First Baptist church will hold a meeting at the home of Mrs. T. F. Whitney on Tuesday afternoon when a lunch will be served from 4 to 5 o'clock.

Miss Lusardi of Yrombley passed through the city yesterday enroute to Green Bay where she will submit to an appendicitis operation.

DEATH TAKES A PIONEER

FRANK KRAUS SR., PASSED AWAY EARLY YESTERDAY MORNING. DEATH CAME SUDDENLY

Frank Kraus, Sr., pioneer of Escanaba and one of the first to introduce modern farm machinery in the upper peninsula of Michigan, passed away yesterday morning at St. Francis hospital. Although Mr. Kraus' condition was serious, it was not believed to be critical on Friday night and his sudden death early yesterday morning came as a terrible shock to members of his family and wide circle of friends throughout this city and district.

For the past several years Mr. Kraus had suffered from a chronic affection of the liver and kidneys and he traveled extensively in an effort to rid himself of the ailment. For the past five weeks he had been confined to his home and on Friday he was removed to the hospital that he might be given every possible care.

Mr. Kraus was born in Bavaria, Germany in 1849. When three years of age he came to this country with his parents, locating with them at Watertown, Wis. He remained in that city until 1887 when he came to Escanaba and continuously made this city his home and headquarters since that time.

Shortly after coming to Escanaba Mr. Kraus became the district representative for the McCormick Harvester Company, later the International Harvester Company. He came to this district when the agricultural possibilities were unknown. He traveled through the sparsely settled farm communities of the peninsula and gradually introduced among them labor saving machinery. Early in his residence here Mr. Kraus recognized the agricultural advantages possessed by this district and it was the encouragement given by him to farmers and his interest in their work that much of the early progress in this district, in an agricultural way is due.

He retired from the farm machinery business about six years ago and entered the real estate and insurance field. He had built up an extensive business in that line and up to the time of his final illness gave it his personal attention.

Mr. Kraus was religiously honest. His strict integrity and eminently high character were attributes possessed by him that were recognized by all with whom he came in contact. He was actively interested in the affairs of this city and but recently closed a term of service as city assessor. In his death the city of Escanaba loses a most useful citizen and scores of people in his death lose a sincere friend.

Mr. Kraus is survived by his wife, three sons and four daughters. The surviving sons and daughters are:

Mrs. Catherine Roemer, Mrs. Henry Roemer, Mrs. Michael Hirn, Clara Kraus, Frank Kraus, Jr., Oscar and Victor Kraus. One brother, Henry Kraus and a sister, Mrs. John Finger, are residents of Humphrey, Neb., while the other brother, Joseph Kraus resides in Johnson's Creek, Wis.

Mr. Kraus was a member of Escanaba council Knights of Columbus and it will be under the auspices of that organization that the funeral will be held at St. Joseph's church at 9 o'clock on Monday morning. Interment will be at St. Joseph's cemetery. Those who will serve as pallbearers at the funeral are: Henry Abenstein, Timothy Magher, Q. R. Hessel, M. Perron, Matt Fillion and J. S. Doherty.

FISH HOOKS IN BOYS FACE

Everett Wells, a Wells lad suffered a painful accident yesterday morning while fishing with a playmate at the Wells lumber docks. In attempting to throw out his line to which was attached three fish hooks, the playmate struck the Wells lad squarely in the face, with all three hooks taking effect.

The boys at once gave out an alarm and going to his home, the Wells lad was brought to this city where the hooks were removed by a local physician.

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

Local Office Weather Bureau

Escanaba, Mich., May 23, 1915.
For Escanaba and vicinity: Sunday fair; moderate west winds.
Highest temperature yesterday 55 degrees.
Lowest temperature yesterday 44 degrees.
Precipitation yesterday 0 inches.
Temperature sat even hours yesterday:
2 a. m. 45 12 noon 52
4 a. m. 44 2 p. m. 53
6 a. m. 45 4 p. m. 55
8 a. m. 48 6 p. m. 53
10 a. m. 49 8 p. m. 51
Temperatures at even hours one year ago yesterday:
2 a. m. 57 12 noon 54
4 a. m. 52 2 p. m. 54
6 a. m. 47 4 p. m. 55
8 a. m. 48 6 p. m. 55
10 a. m. 51 8 p. m. 51
Precipitation one year ago yesterday 0 inches.

From where we sit it's hard to tell whether Portugal is practicing or just bull moosing.

If Elbert Hubbard could speak, it would be interesting to know what he has to say about it in the Phillistine.

The sunny south is getting used to snow an dice daily. All that Michigan gets is a snow storm, mostly before we're up.

Italy has finally splashed into the great war tragedy. And her people act just as though their country was doing something commendable.

A lot of people are wondering where Portugal got enough chips to sit in this game.

An eminent authority is advocating less clothing for women; if they dare go an inch further we'll open a fig leaf shop on Ludington street.

Gov. Ferris went about the state in the last campaign praising the Republican legislature. It's a safe bet if he

takes the stump in 1916 what he has to say of the present legislature will be nothing particularly nice. He's now convinced there are legislatures and legislatures.

This is about the season of the year that the girl invites the man whom she jilted to act as usher at her wedding—that is unless she drained his purse well during their engagement and can have little hope of an elaborate wedding present.

POLAND.

The cry of the Belgian women and children for bread was awful. It was heard. America answered with shipments of food.

There now goes up a stiller more terrible, more pitiful cry—the cry of the homeless and starving millions of Poland, that land freshly sown with shot of invaders and skeletons of men, that pitiable demonstration of the brutality of monarchical greed.

Poland? There is no Poland. There is but a Polish victim under the talons and claws of the eagle and the bear. Once great among the greatest, Poland is a mere memory, a nation ground into the dust by foreign heels, subdued, smothered by the merciless powers of foreigners, her territory the prize of foreigners, her nationality perishing under the oppression of foreigners, her sons slaughtering each other in behalf of foreigners, nothing hers save submission, hopeless.

Again is that fair land red with the gore of fratricidal strife, fratricidal strife FOR THE FOREIGNERS.

Westward, across hill, valley and steppe, comes Russia's horde, and in the can Poles to slaughter Poles, Eastward comes Prussia and Austria, joint partakers of Polish spoil, with Poles in the van to slaughter Poles. The Pole fights well, dies willingly at command. When Britain grapples Germany, the civilized world shudders, weeps, cries out against the crime and folly of it. When nation-

less Pole takes his brother by the throat at command of those who outraged, divided Poland, the devil puts his hands before his eyes to shut out the monstrous infamy.

Already Poland was a cemetery but today they're putting corpse on corpse. Here's a trench of Polish dead. Prussian Poles. Here's a mound of corpses half-covered. The torn limbs protruding are those of Austrian Poles. Over there is a cemetery containing the bodies of 2,000 little children who were shot to death or starved to death; from east to west, west to east, south to north, north to south war's bloody scythe mowed and mowed again. And, today, 10,000,000 Polish workmen, and women, and children gnaw roots and the bark of trees, and shiver in caves, swamps and thickets.

American sympathy shot forth like the glare of an electric searchlight at the outrage upon Belgium. There's Poland, outraged, drawn ad quartered, her quivering limbs used as food for foreign cannon, brother slaughtering brother while millions of their women and children starve.

It has been argued that all America's relief of victims of the European war has been poor policy. Without it the war would sooner end, and there is plenty of suffering at home. It may be good argument. More Belgian misery may be the cure for Belgian misery. But that 10,000,000 cry of poor Poland for bread must make the last spare cent in every American pocket burn with white hot heat.

WAR

London, May 22.—The entrance of Italy and possibly some of the Balkan states into the war explains the tremendous efforts that Austria and Germany are making to complete the defeat of the Russians, who, having been force out of western Galicia and the Carpathians, now are offering stubborn resistance to the further advance of the Aeonitic allies behind the San river and around Przemysl.

Although the Germans have crossed the San north of Przemysl and the Austrians have advanced to the southeast of that town, they appear at last to have been brought to a halt, as today's report from Gerlin does not claim any further progress.

Just to the north, in Poland, the Russians are carrying on a strong offensive, and, driving the Germans back have at least partly exhausted the German flank in Galicia. However, after the way they have been driven back and the heavy artillery bombardment they have had to undergo, the Russians must take some time to regain the initiative.

Since foggy weather has stopped the battles in the west the allies have confined themselves to attempts to improve and organize the positions gained, and in this they claim to have been successful, although the Germans state that all the allies' attacks have been repulsed.

Unofficial dispatches from Athens continue to report successes for the allies, but official quarters remain still

ent—an attitude which meets with some criticism.

Paris, May 22.—Telegraphing from Bucharest the correspondent of the Havas agency says:

"Ten Turkish officers of field rank have been brought back from the Dardanelles to be court martialled for refusing to obey their German commanders."

"The Turkish cruiser Goeben, badly damaged, has been towed into the Golden Horn by the cruiser Breslau."

"The authorities at Constantinople Wednesday night arrested a number of Christians and foreigners and even some Mussulmans. They are charged with plotting against the Young Turks."

"General discontent in Constantinople is increasing; but the existing reign of terror makes outward manifestations impossible."

"The reports that Italy is about to declare war on Turkey and assist in the attack on the Dardanelles has brought about deep gloom in Constantinople."

Petrograd, via London, May 22.—Admiral von Essen, commander of the Russian Baltic fleet, has succumbed to pneumonia at the marine hospital at Royal.

Berlin, via London, May 22.—The Lokai Anzeiger in its issue of today says it learns from Vienna that a great patriotic demonstration has taken place before the war ministry there. The crowds sang patriotic songs and greeted the officials with outbursts of tremendous cheering. All Vienna is in high spirits. The people, the newspapers assert, feel that war with Italy is inevitable and their confidence in victory is higher than at the outbreak of the war with Serbia.

Paris, May 22.—A news agency dispatch from Rome says that Prince Victor, head of the house of Bonaparte, Prince Louis Napoleon, his brother, and Prince Alfonso, of Portugal, brother of the late King Carlos, have applied to the Italian war ministry for permission to join the army. Prince Victor and Prince Louis Napoleon are grand nephews of Napoleon I. Their mother was Marie Clotilda, a princess of Savoy, the reigning house of Italy.

CZAR GETS CLOSER TOUGH WITH SUBJECTS

Odessa, Russia, May 22.—The Emperor's trip to Southern Russia, the latest of the remarkable series of journeys which the Russian ruler has been making into various parts of his empire in a Democratic effort to get closer in touch with his people, was a complete success.

In Odessa his reception was tremendously enthusiastic, although the city is strongly Liberal and has never been noted for any perfervid loyalty to the Empire.

The Emperor drove through streets lined with cheering crowds. He wore a simple service uniform, with the khaki-colored blouse of a Russia officer of ordinary rank. He rode in an automobile, attended by a single aide. During his progress across the city he threw etiquette and tradition to the winds and stood up in his car, hat in hand, bowing and smiling to the cheering crowds.

In a central square the Emperor stepped out of his automobile and inspected the local troops. It was no perfunctory ceremony. At a brisk pace he walked along the entire front, stopping now and then to exchange a word with one of the privates. Then he walked back thoughtfully to the center of the line and made a brief extempore speech. It was without oratorical embroidery, simply worded and matter-of fact in delivery, but wonderfully effective. He reviewed the history of the war, reminded the men of Russia's glorious past and spoke of the splendid deeds of the army in the present army in the present campaign.

"Do as your brothers have done," he said in closing. "Do as they have done on the battlefields of East Prussia, Galicia, and Bukovina. God will watch over you, and Russia will remember you."

There was absolute silence for a full minute after he had finished. Then the silence was broken by the crash of a thunderous chorus of cheers: "Long live the Emperor! Long live the Little Father!"

During his visit the Emperor had an opportunity to show his mastery to English. The British consul-general, accompanied by a delegation of English residents, presented their congratulations, expressing on behalf of England admiration and appreciation of the Russian army's work. The Emperor replied in English:

"I thank you sincerely for what you have said. We do not forget how much we in Russia owe to the brave English and French. We are now on the high road to victory, and with these aid of our allies, the common cause shall speedily triumph."

Some idea of the manner in which the emperor's trips through the country aim to reach the workmen and common people may be gained from an account of his visit to the Briansk factory at Bielitz. The whole working population, numbering nearly 40,000 turned out to meet him, and a delegation consisting of workmen who have been employed in the factory for at least twenty years, presented him with bread and salt, the traditional emblems of hospitality.

"We are happy that you have come,"

said the leader of the delegation. "We wish you to see our labor, which we are performing joyfully for you and for our dear country, while our children and brothers are fighting on the field of battle."

The Emperor spent four hours in the factory going through all the workshops and carefully inspecting the progress of the work. Later he visited the workmen's quarter, going into several houses and talking with the men's families.

DENIES HE CHARGES U. S. PACT

St. Louis, May 22.—Prof. Roland G. Usher, Washington university, author of Pan-Germanism and Pan-Americanism, emphatically denied a statement which recently appeared in The Fatherland, pro-German war periodical, that he has positive knowledge of an existing understanding between the allies and the United States against Germany.

"If it were not so obviously to the interest of certain groups in this country to embarrass the administration at Washington," said Prof. Usher, "and if they had not chosen to do so by making the most of the 'assistance' which Americans are giving the allies by the sale of provisions and munitions of war, this statement would be too absurd to notice, but under the circumstances I am anxious to state most emphatically that it in no respect accords with fact. I do not know of a present existing understanding between the United States and allies hostile to Germany."

"I did make in Pan-Germanism and Pan-Americanism the statement that before the Spanish-American war there was an understanding between the United States and England and probably France relating to the situation as it then existed. Everything written in that chapter was meant to apply to the situation from 1897 to 1900."

Miles of Film. It has been calculated that nearly three hundred million feet, or more than fifty-five thousand miles, of film are used up yearly to satisfy the world's demand for moving pictures.

NOTICE

Sealed proposals will be received by the undersigned Commissioner of Highways of Wells Township, at his residence, until May 29th, 1 o'clock p. m., for grading, according to plans and specifications, which may be examined at my residence, three and one fourth (3 1/4) miles of road, running as follows: Commencing at the 1-4 stake between sections 18 and 19, thence running east 1-2 miles to corner of sections 17, 18, 19 and 20, thence south 1 1/2 miles to 1-4 stake, between sections 29 and 30, thence east 1-2 mile to center of section 29, thence south along 1-4 line, 3-4 mile to county road. All in town 39 north of range 23 west.

I reserve the right to reject any or all bids.

Dated this 16th day of May, A. D. 1915.

AUD. SEVERINSEN, Commissioner of Highways, Wells Township. 1935-138-71

MORTGAGE SALE

Whereas, Default has been made in the payment of the money secured by a mortgage dated the 6th day of December, in the year 1912, executed by John LaRose, Sr., and Gertrude LaRose, his wife, of Fairbanks Township, Delta County, Michigan, to John LaRose, Jr., of the same place of residence, which said mortgage was recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of the County of Delta, in Liber 7 of Mortgages, on Page 555, on the 28th day of January, in the year 1913, at 9:30 o'clock a. m.

And Whereas, the amount claimed to be due on said mortgage at the date of this mortgage is the sum of five hundred sixty-eight and 70/100 (\$568.70) dollars, of principal and interest, and the further sum of twenty-five and no one-hundredths (\$25.00) dollars as an attorney fee stipulated for in said mortgage, and no suit or proceeding having been instituted at law to recover the debt now remaining secured by said mortgage or any part thereof, whereby the power of sale contained in said mortgage has become operative.

NOW THEREFORE, Notice is hereby given that by virtue of the said power of sale, and in pursuance of the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises therein described, at public auction to the highest bidder, at the front door of the court house in the City of Escanaba, in said County of Delta, on the 30th day of June next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day; which said premises are described in said mortgage as follows, to-wit: The East one-half (E 1/2) of the North West quarter (N. W. 1/4) and the West one-half (W 1/2) of North East quarter (N. E. 1/4) of Section Thirty-five (35) Township Thirty-Nine (39) North of Range Nineteen (19) West. Dated at Escanaba, Mich., April 3, 1915.

JOHN LAROSE, JR. H. R. Dotsch, Mortgagee. Attorney for Mortgagee. 1711-94-12-sun.

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T. R. THE MASTER LIBEL MOULDER

Philadelphia, May 21.—The captain of the American steamship Wyco, which arrived here yesterday from Stockholm, Sweden, believes he ran down and sank a submarine in the North sea in his last voyage to Stockholm. Captain Gibson said today the vessel quivered from bow to stern and the blades of her propeller were found to be badly damaged. He first thought the ship had struck a submerged rock, but as there was no land near he believes the Wyco ran into a submarine which was maneuvering to get into position to fire a torpedo.

Syracuse, N. Y., May 21.—Summing up today in the Barnes-Roosevelt case, Attorney Ivins for Barnes criticized Attorney Bowers for delving into politics. He urged that the jury forget politics and remember that "this is not a political controversy." He referred to part of the story by Roosevelt as a "fairy tale."

"The question in this case is," said the lawyer, "has any man the right to ro another of his honor? A man must fight for his honor as he would fight for his life."

Ivins referred to Roosevelt as "the master mouler of libel," and said: "There is not one iota of evidence that showed corrupt and machine-ruled government."

Ivins concluded his address by assailing Roosevelt as being the real possessor of a "Jekyll and Hyde personality" instead of Barnes.

"The example of control was the control Platt exercised over the defendant," said Ivins.

In concluding his address yesterday afternoon, Attorney Bowers described Col. Roosevelt as closely following President Wilson as "a guide of the nation." Then he referred to his client and his case in this manner:

"Ex-president, ex-governor, the people's true representative. Jurors, will you let him be broken down and destroyed? Stand for him, stand for the people. Give no vote to accomplish the purpose sought by this action. Meet the responsibility that rests upon you with a clear conscience and Theodore Roosevelt will remain a power for good."

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MUSKEGON MAN IS CHOSEN

Elmer E. Rosenberry, of Muskegon, was elected grand patriarch at the session of the sixty-seventh annual grand encampment of the Michigan I. O. O. F., in Detroit. Rosenberry succeeds Richard Lindsay, city clerk of Detroit, who is named with Thomas Conlin, of Crystal Falls, as grand representative to the national encampment in San Francisco, the week of Sept. 19. The other officers named are: J. Henry Horn, of Detroit, grand high priest; Judge Frederick W. Mayne, Charlevoix, grand senior warden; Dr. Nathan C. Rose, Detroit, grand junior warden; I. G. Reynolds, Ann Arbor, grand scribe; Frank Shepherd, Cheboygan, treasurer. Mr. Shepherd takes the place of Andrew Harshaw, of Delray, who has held office for 25 years and who refused to be a candidate for re-election.

The several hundred delegates participated in the parade, the encampment feature. The line of march was in Woodward avenue, from High street to Michigan avenue; in Michigan avenue to Washington boulevard, and in Washington to Park boulevard.

The drill teams, after the parade took part in prize competitive drills, in Bagley avenue, between the Hotels Tuller and Statler.

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LIVE ITEMS of INTEREST

Ely Perlot of Harris was in the city yesterday on business.

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Wilbrod Nault of Danforth was here yesterday attending to some business matters.

Bruce Irving of Ford River was in the city yesterday on business.

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Appropriate services will be held today at the Norwegian Lutheran church at 1650 Ayer Street. Evening services will be held at 7:45 o'clock.

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Miss Marguerite Smith of Hermansville is visiting with her aunt, Mrs. A. Gazette at Wells.

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COMMISSION BALKS AT THE METHODS

Washington, May 22.—Just before John D. Rockefeller Jr., resumed his testimony before the Industrial Relations commission today all the commissioners met in executive session to consider the "round robin" sent last night to Chairman Walsh, calling for the more considerate treatment of witnesses.

Some of the commissioners did not conceal that they thought Walsh's questioning of Rockefeller yesterday should have been modified.

After the executive session the commissioners did not make public their letter to Walsh, which it is understood they would do should their suggestion go unheeded.

Walsh said he did not know what happened in the executive session. "The examination of Rockefeller has and will be conducted with due consideration and the truth will be arrived at," said Walsh.

Rockefeller began today by reading a prepared statement, which relate to Walsh's questioning on his view of the regularity of the conviction of John R. Lawson, a Mine Worker's leader. Rockefeller spoke of "sinister reflections" and said Walsh's questions had been framed to make it appear that Rockefeller conceded that there had been a wilful tampering with the courts.

Rockefeller said, in his statement, that justice should be administered as to be above suspicion, and that the appeal should carefully consider every ground and a new trial granted if material ground was sustained.

Despite protests, led by Mrs. J. Bor den Harriman, one of the commissioners, Walsh evidently was not inclined to reduce his vigorous attitude, and repeatedly pined Rockefeller with questions which the latter declared improper.

Whooping Cough.

"When my daughter had whooping cough she coughed so hard at one time that she had hemorrhage of the lungs. I was terribly alarmed about her condition. Seeing Chamberlain's Cough Remedy so highly recommended, I got her a bottle and it relieved the cough at once. Before she had finished two bottles of this remedy she was entirely well," writes Mrs. S. F. Rimes, Crooksville, Ohio. Obtainable everywhere.

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BROTHERS JAR IN THE MAJORS

Brother acts in the major leagues have been revived by the Schangs. They look like the most talented members of one family that have been in the majors since the days of the Delehanty's.

Wally, of the Athletics, and Bob of the Pirates, have made good, and should stick in the fast set indefinitely. The brothers Schang have many things in common. Both are catchers and both ways. For speed they are faster than the average mashmen, with the Athletic star having the advantage.

Both have steel whips and hit the ball savagely. Wally is the younger. He will be 25 years old next Aug. 22, while Bob is about four years his senior. The brothers come from Wales, N. Y., and started to play baseball in Meadville, Penn., and surrounding territory.

Two other brothers who have gained fame in the majors are Bill Killifer, conceded to be the best catcher in the National league, and Wade Killifer, who is a handy man on Herzog's team. Brooklyn has two brothers. They are Outfielder Zach Wheat and Catcher Mack Wheat of the Dodgers. The former is a star but his brother has yet to make a name for himself.

Besides the Delehanty brothers who were in baseball at the same time and made good were the famous O'Neil twins of Minooca, Penn., and Buck and John Ewing. John and Charley Ganzel, and Pat and George Tebeau of earlier days. This does not end the list. Marty and Bill Bergen were great catchers; but Marty died by his own hand before his younger brother gained fame.

John and Walter Clarkson, brothers and pitchers, came into the major leagues in different decades. Several stars have had brothers to receive trials in the major leagues, but failed to make good. Hank Mathewson was not near so good as Christy Mathewson, so John McGraw found out. Paul Cobb could never make the fans forget his brother, Ty, while Ven Gregg had a brother that fell some points shy in making good.

Grover Cleveland Alexander has a younger brother who was tried out at Broad and Huntington, but he never got in a game. Not many seasons ago John McGraw gave a brother of Johnny Evers a trial, but he never survived the Southern training trip.

Sherwood Magee had a brother who entered a brief trial with one of the St. Louis clubs but he never demohed any fences like his remarkable brother. Judging from this record, it is easier, for a star's brother to get a trial than to make good.

The Schangs are exceptions. Both rank high as catchers and should last a long time in the fast set.

ENTRANCE OF ITALY MAY HASTEN PEACE

Washington, May 22.—Peace is brought nearer by the imminent entrance of Italy into the war, say officials and diplomats in Washington. They base their opinion, writes John Callan O'Laughlin to The Chicago Herald, on the aggregate strength of the combination against Germany and on the discouragement certain to prevail among the people of that country and her allies.

It is regarded as impossible for Germany to carry on an offensive campaign against the allies. Germany must pursue an aggressive defensive with the hope that division will spring up among the allies. Only then can Germany hope to make peace on her own terms.

With Italy participating in the war, Mr. O'Laughlin continues, the Balkan states unquestionably will jump in to be on the side of the winner, and thereby share the fruits of victory which for them means European Turkey.

AMONG THE THEATRES

THE DELFT
For today the famous Charles Chaplin appears at this house in the picture called "The Champion." This comedian attracted much attention on his last appearance at the Delft on last Sunday and doubtless he will draw even a larger crowd for today.

A picture called "The Millionaire's Hundred Dollar Bill" is the name of the picture here today while the "Vindication" is a most striking drama.

On Monday, afternoon and evening, William Farnum appears at this house in the celebrated and much touted picture "The Sign of the Cross."

THE BIJOU
J. Warren Kerrigan is appearing at this house today in "The Guardian of the Flocks." This is a Victor two reel feature that should attract an immense amount of attention.

Frances Nelson appears here today in "The Story the Clock Told." The Nestor comedy for today is "Eddie's Little Nightmare."

GERMAN MAKERS OF MUNITIONS GETTING RICH

Berlin, May 22.—The annual reports of a number of German companies manufacturing arms, ammunitions, automobiles, and machine tools, have been issued, showing to some extent the business resulting from the war.

The Ludwig Loewe company of Berlin, which produced machine-tools of American type, has just declared a dividend of 30 per cent, after having paid 18 per cent for 1913.

The Deutsche Waffen and Munitions-Fabriken (arms and ammunition trust) which is in close business relations with the Loewe concern, is distributing \$1,430,000 in dividends, as compared with \$1,200,000 for the previous year. But this does not tell the whole story of its business success, for it increased its bank balances and outstanding claims by \$8,000,000.

The Daimler Motor company, which has a much smaller capital than the company just mentioned, doubled its bank balances and other reserves, raising them to \$3,750,000, and made a very large increase in its dividend. This concern subscribed \$1,200,000 to the new war loan.

Some criticism has been called forth in the press by the annual reports of these companies, it being claimed that they left some matters involved in obscurity so as not to show what huge profits they are making from army contracts.

Miss Patricia Kidd has returned from a visit in Iron Mountain and Iron River.

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BRITISH UNABLE TO SHOOT

London, May 22.—The piercing of the German line is thus described by a Times correspondent in northern France, under date of Sunday.

"Last night hell broke loose and before sunrise this morning the British army had stormed the German lines at Festubert and Richebourg L'Avoue. After the failure on the ninth, the situation was reconsidered and it was finally decided for good and sufficient reasons to risk a night attack.

"It was necessary for Gen. French to act in order to support his allies, and, as he was unable to emulate their example and smash the German parapets with high explosives, it was to the British bayonets that the task of overthrowing the enemy was confided.

"He had not only to provide troops for the projected assault, but to hold a long length of trenches and consider the situation at Ypres, where the German guns had been causing us heavy losses. In the late afternoon Gen. French rode out amongst the troops to wish them good luck addressing to all a few inspiring words.

"The night was not very dark, but there was no moon and scarcely any wind. The dispositions were made silently after dusk. We were anything from 70 to 300 yards from the enemy's front trenches and many nasty obstacles had to be overcome. We had to depend on bayonets and grenades. It was too dark for shooting.

"Our left attacked at 11:30 o'clock

and succeeded in storming the German line and overthrowing the defenders. Before long our left center was dashing in with cold steel. It penetrated two lines of German trenches and killed or wounded most of the defenders and made good a front of about 800 yards in the German position.

"Our extreme left attack was less fortunate, as a Maxim fire on this flank was severe and accurate. But the Indian troops on this side eventually penetrated through the opening made by the left center and soon began to outflank and break down the defenses in front of the original left of our attack.

"As the morning dawned, a severe fire was opened from supporting positions in the rear of the German line, and against these our heavy guns replied as soon as the light served us, greatly aiding our advance.

"Our artillery work was better than that of last week. At 3 o'clock in the morning a fresh and formidable line, and then penetrated the reserve our right against the German trenches in the direction of Festubert. The man stormed the German lines with the utmost gallantry and soon made themselves master of a front of 1,400 yards. They overwhelmed the second line and then penetrated the reserve trenches, causing the enemy heavy loss.

"By 11 o'clock this attack had penetrated for a mile into the German lines and promised to extend round the Germans who still held on to their front trenches between our right and our center attacks. We had, in short, by noon, overthrown almost completely the German to our front and when the writer left the scene there seemed good hope that the inevitable German counter-attack would prove costly and ineffective."

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SOLONS CLASH WITH FERRIS

Lansing, Mich., May 22.—In order that the republican members of the legislature may have an opportunity to pass the Nank primary bill over the veto of Governor Ferris in case the chief executive declines to approve the measure, the legislature suspended its rules and rescinded its resolution for a final adjournment at noon Thursday and extended the working time until Tuesday.

Governor Ferris declines to inform the members of the legislature as to the action he intends to take on the Nank bill. Democratic leaders throughout the state have urged the governor to veto this bill and the republican members of the house and senate are emphatic in their declaration that it will be enacted into law even though the governor declines to sign it.

The bill that is now creating such a furor in legislative circles was drafted with a view to preventing democrats from participating in republican primaries and to prohibit republicans from assisting in the nomination of democratic candidates. The law passed two years ago whereby the names of all the candidates are printed on a single ballot is repealed by the Nank bill and the candidates of the various political parties are printed on separate ballots.

If a voter wants to vote the republican ticket under the provisions of the

Nank bill he must ask the election inspector for a republican ballot. It also provides that where there is a vacancy on the ballot and the name of a candidate is written in, such candidate must receive five per cent of his party vote. This section is designed to prevent the name of a man appearing on the general election ballot, who received but one or two votes in the primary.

Owing to the fact that the Nank primary bill was not sent to the executive office until May 12, the governor has until next Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock to pass on it. By that time the bill must either be vetoed or signed or it automatically becomes a law. Republicans who traveled a long distance in order to amend the highway appropriation bill and incidentally to pass some of the vetoed bills over the governor's signature were anxious to clear the decks and leave Lansing today, an ad committee consisting of Lieutenant Governor Dickinson and speaker Smith was appointed to ask the governor this morning what he intended to do with the Nank primary bill.

The chief executive informed the committee that the bill was still under consideration and that he had until Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock in which to decide the matter. Convinced that the governor intended to veto the measure the committee reported and after a hasty conference the rules were suspended and the adjournment date changed. Eighty republicans in the house and 27 republicans in the senate signed an agreement to be present Tuesday to pass the bill over the governor's veto, if necessary.

However, it was decided by the senate to send a respectful message to the governor asking him what he intended to do with the measure. It being the idea of the republican members that it would be a good idea to put the governor on record.

In response to this request Governor Ferris sent the following message to the senate:

"I am in receipt of a concurrent resolution which has been agreed to by both houses of the legislature in relation to a certain bill pertaining to the primary law, asking me to either sign or veto said bill before 12 o'clock May 20.

"I asked the members of the legislature to return to Lansing to correct a mistake in senate bill No. 96, file No. 69, entitled 'A bill making an appropriation for the state highway department for the payment of the additional state reward on trunk line highways—etc.' a mistake for which the legislature was solely responsible. No other reasons were specified in my request. In complying with this request, the legislature has simply performed a duty that it owed to the state of Michigan.

"This morning, when the speaker of the house and lieutenant governor called on me inquiring as to what my probable action would be in relation to the said primary bill, I answered that the bill is still under consideration. That statement still holds good. The bill is under consideration and I have, according to law, until Monday May 24, in which to sign or veto the bill. This right I still reserve. Furthermore, I am informed that the house has already passed a resolution adjourning until Tuesday, May 25, and that resolution has gone to the senate and is still awaiting action."

Ninety members of the house and 30 senators responded to Governor Ferris' call, and returned to Lansing for the purpose of repairing the defect in the appropriation for the state highway department so the money for road construction will be available this year, and after remedying the error in the highway bill they proceeded to pass five bills over the veto of the chief executive, thereby establishing a precedent without parallel in the history of Michigan.

Some 25 years ago the legislature adopted the system of a business adjournment about three weeks before the final quelling time in order that the governor might have an opportunity to review the closing hours. Since then it has been the custom for practically all the lawmakers to desert the state house on the day of the business adjournment and less than a dozen generally returned for the final windup. Therefore it has been possible for

governors to veto bills passed during the latter part of the session and no attempt has been made heretofore to pass them on the date of the final adjournment.

This year, however, a new situation was presented. In order to show their loyalty to the state the members of the legislature were morally bound to return and rectify the mistake in the highway appropriation bill. They paid their own car fare this time as they had previously received their mileage. The entire upper peninsula delegation with the exception of Representative Symonds, of Menominee, and Representative Nelson, of Gogebic, was present.

By having a two thirds majority present in each house and voting on strictly party lines, the republican members could pass any bill over the veto of the democratic governor, and the only measure that smacked of partisan politics they proceeded to pass with great gusto.

The governor vetoed his disapproval of Senator DeLand's bill providing that the secretary of the senate and clerk of the house should devote all their time to these positions and should be compensated at the rate of \$2,500 per annum. The governor was of the opinion that this bill was designed to give good jobs to a couple of republicans and on the ground that it was an unnecessary proposition he declined to sign it. However, Senator Jas. A. Murtha, of Detroit, the democratic leader in the senate, was one of the authors of the bill and he defended it Wednesday afternoon as a meritorious measure.

Murtha pointed out that the governor could take no offense if the legislature refused to agree with him on all propositions, and he urged his colleagues to support the measure. Twenty-four of them rallied to the support of the bill, two more than the required number and it was hastily sent over to the house where it was passed by a vote of 79 to 10. Representative Moore the democratic leader in the house branded it as a political measure and urged its defeat, but the republican machine was in good working order and the bill was quickly placed on final passage.

Both Pierce and Alward are veterans in their respective positions, and each has been prominently identified with the affairs of the republican party. Each has been secretary of the republican state central committee and Alward served several years in Washington as one of the assistant secretaries of the United States Senate. It is claimed that the De Land bill will facilitate the work of the next session, as much of the work of preparation will be accomplished by the secretary and clerk before the arrival of the lawmakers.

Although Governor Ferris vetoed Representative Daigneau's bill exempting fresh fruit and vegetables from the provisions of the net weight law, Daigneau succeeded in mustering 81 votes in support of the bill and it was put through the house in whirlwind style. The senate approved it by a vote of 27 to 2, and it will become a law despite the objection of the governor that it conflicts with a recently enacted federal statute.

As the result of the action of the legislature passing Senator Covert's bill over the executive veto, Oakland and Lapeer counties will be separate and judicial circuits. After this bill had passed the legislature, it was vetoed by the governor on the ground that there would not be sufficient work for a circuit judge in each county. He said that under the provisions of the Foster bill providing for a presiding judge with power to send a judge from one district into another, the condition in the Oakland-Lapeer circuit, where it is claimed there is too much work for one judge, would be remedied.

However, Senator Covert said that the entire bar of Oakland county had endorsed the proposition, and Speaker Charles Smith of Lapeer made a strong appeal for it in the house. The senate overrode the governor's veto by a vote of 25 to 5 and the house passed the bill 8 to 1. Representative Moore, of Lenawee, registering the only dissenting vote.

Representative Ashley's bill taking the appointment of members of the Detroit board of health away from the governor and returning it to the

mayor of Detroit, was vetoed by Governor Ferris on the ground that the appointment of members of the Detroit health board should be removed from local political influence. Representative Ashley said that the present law was a relic of the old ripper legislation, passed to prevent Hazen S. Pingree, as mayor of Detroit, from naming some of his friends on that board. He told how the delegation of anti-Pingree men from Detroit came to Lansing, during a session of the legislature 20 years ago when the constitution permitted the passage of local acts and put the bill through in a few hours before forces knew what was going on.

The argument made by Representative Ashley in the house and Senators Ogg and Verrier in the senate was to the effect that the present law violated the traditions of home rule. Evidently these arguments had effect, for the house put the bill through 86 to 1, and the senate approved it 26 to 3. Senator Murtha made a fight to prevent its passage through the senate, but his republican friends refused to heed his arguments.

By a vote of 79 to 10, the house passed over the governor's veto, Representative O'Brien's bill making repairs on an automobile by a garage owner a lien against the machine, and the senate concurred in the action of the house by a vote of 23 to 5. The governor refused to sign Representative O'Brien's bill on the ground that it would place motorists at the mercy of unscrupulous garage owners.

Representative Culver's bill providing for a school board of seven members in the city of Detroit passed the house 81 to 6 over the governor's veto, but it was tabled in the senate and it is said that it will not be passed by the upper house. Representative Clark's bill making a technical amendment to the drain law was vetoed by the governor, but the representative from the second Ingham district succeeded in getting it through the house again by a vote of 83 to 1. No action was taken on this measure by the senate.

After Representative Robertson succeeded in getting the house to pass his bill over the governor's veto the senate refused to concur and as it received only 3 votes in the senate it is officially dead. This bill provided that permits for plumbing could be issued by the board of public works of a city listed of the local board of health.

Senator Damon, of Isabella, and Senator Woodworth, of Huron, were the only members of the senate, who did not respond to the roll call, while the absentees of the house were Sheridan Ford, of Detroit, Geen of Isabella, Oakley of Bay, Root of Allegan, Symonds, of Menominee, Van Antwerp of Kent, Warner, of Ionia, Nelson, of Gogebic.

BOY IS KILLED BY HIS BROTHER

Eau Claire, Wis., May 22.—Park Monroe, 13 years old, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Monroe, near here, is dead as a result of being shot by his 6-year-old brother, Ruggles. The shooting occurred as the two boys were starting out after the cows. The elder brother suggested that they take a rifle along to shoot gophers. Both boys ran for the gun. In the tussle that followed the younger boy shot his brother in the chest.

History of Linen Manufacture.
The Scots in Ulster first established linen manufacture during the reign of James the First, and from that beginning has the business of the present day developed.

school at 12 m. Young people's meeting at 6:45 p. m. Prayer meeting every Thursday evening at eight o'clock.
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Services held Sundays at 11:00 a. m., 4:00 p. m. and 8:00 p. m. Sunday school at 2:30 p. m. Services, Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday evenings at 8:00 p. m.

Swedish Lutheran Church.
Morning service at 10:30 a. m. Evening service at 7:45 p. m. Sunday school at 9:15 a. m.
Rev. C. A. Lund, Pastor.

Methodist Episcopal Church, Wells.
Sunday School at 10:30 a. m. Young People's Meeting 6:30 p. m. Evening Worship at 7:30 p. m. Tuesday evening the District Superintendent, Dr. Dystant, will be with us to hold the Third Quarterly Conference. He will preach a very helpful and interesting sermon before the conference.
Prayer Meeting Thursday at church at 7:30.
Friday evening the young people of Wells will entertain the Gladstone Epworth League.
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Sunday School at 11:45 a. m. Evening prayer and sermon at 7:30. Subject: "Enoch."
You are kindly invited to these services.
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Christian Science Society.
325 So. Fannie St. Services at 10:45 a. m. Subject: "Soul and Body."
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Sunday School at 9:30 a. m. All are welcome.

The First Methodist Episcopal Church.
Corner Hale and Wolcott Sts. Sunday School at 9:30 a. m. The Men's class also meets at this hour. Public Worship at 10:30 a. m. Sermon: Wrestling With the Devil. Epworth League at 6:30 p. m. Leader: Miss Eloise Judson. Evening Worship at 7:30 p. m. Sermon: The Man Who Died the Day.
All are invited to attend and enjoy these services.
Rev. Guy V. Hoard, Pastor.

First Presbyterian Church.
Sabbath School at 9:30. Divine worship at 11:30. Widweek prayer and Bible study service is Wednesday evening at 7:30. We have begun a study of the leading Old Testament chapters. Our study last week was "The Ancestors of Israel" Gen. 1-11. This week the study will be "Abraham, The Pioneer of Faith," Gen. 12-25. There was a good attendance at this first meeting. We hope that many more of our people will avail themselves of this opportunity of prayer and Bible study with God's people. We extend a hearty welcome to all who desire to worship God in the services of our church.
There will be no Sabbath evening service for a few weeks.

First Baptist Church.
Sunday School at 9:45 a. m. B. Y. P. U. at 10:45 a. m. A cordial invitation is extended to any one not affiliated with other Escanaba churches to be present at these services.
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London, May 21.—At a critical point in the fighting near Jasio, Galicia, according to a dispatch to the Daily Mail from Petrograd, Grand Duke Nicholas in person, rushed to the front with ammunition, making the last 50 miles at top speed in an automobile. His car was followed by a string of 13 other automobiles loaded to capacity with ammunition.
The arrival of the commander-in-chief is said to have turned the tide inspiring the coosacks to retake, Jasio, which the Germans had occupied. During their brief occupation the Germans are reported to have changed the mayor for displaying a Russian flag.
During the recent fighting one end of the Empress Alexandra's Red Cross train was splintered by shrapnel.

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GIRL IS PUZZLE TO AUTHORITIES

Janesville, Wis., May 21.—You can't send a girl to a place that isn't.

Court and police officials in Janesville say this is the only conclusion they have arrived at in the case of Agnes Baumgart the young Detroit girl who confesses she has forged checks, all the way from Chicago to Los Angeles, and from Los Angeles to Minneapolis, and then into Wisconsin.

While she is waiting to find out her ultimate sentence, this very attractive young girl, who has won her way into the hearts of everyone who has met her, is at the county poor farm and asylum for Insane of Rock county, three miles out of Janesville, where she is in charge of Cassius S. Whipple, known to all Janesville as "Cash," the superintendent of the home, a slight, very pretty young girl met me. She had a delicate, colorless face, with large grey blue eyes, that one can hardly describe except as being the distinguishing feature of her face, which was small and patrician in every feature. Her nose was well shaped, and her pretty mouth smiled pathetically as she talked to me, and she showed splendid teeth, beautifully cared for. It was easy to see she had come from a good home, where the mother had done her best for her children. Her soft, blonde hair was parted in the center and waved to each side, and done in a simple knot at the back of her well formed head.

As I started to take a seat on a couch, she lifted a rocking chair and brought it to me, saying "Wouldn't you prefer the rocking chair, it is far more comfortable than the couch."

Later, when Mr. Whipple came into the room she lifted a heavy arm chair for him. It was evident she was determined to make herself liked, and to try to repay in part the kindness Mr. Whipple and his family have shown her since she has been with them.

And, so far as I could find out, she doesn't lie. That, at least, was a point in her favor, beside her pretty manners and soft, well modulated voice.

"Yes," she told me. "I've done all the things the papers have said, or rather most of them, but I haven't been quite as bad as they said. I have forged checks and cashed them—but I didn't do it for \$7,000. I am sure that it did not amount to more than \$800. I won't be 21 until August, and I have ruined my life. Of course I knew I was doing wrong, but I had

read of others doing this same sort of thing, and tried it—once. It was so easy until I was going so fast, I got caught. I really didn't spend any of the money I got here in Janesville. I forged a check for \$40, but I only got a few doors away from the bank, where it was cashed, when someone ran after me, and told me I must return it. I did, and they gave me the check. I never tried very big checks—they ranged from \$30 to \$50."

When I asked her how it happened her mother allowed her to leave home, she said that she had told her she was going to Chicago, to go into the movies, and that her mother insisted that her sister, Lucile, 19, accompany her.

"My sister is a good girl," she said. "She didn't know I was getting those checks cashed. I managed to keep that from her. You see, we left Detroit Jan. 11, for Chicago. When we got there, I had only \$2. We went to the Sherman house, and I left there three days later. I had forged checks there, but wanted the money to get to Los Angeles, so I told the manager I would send him the money, and he let us go. When I got to Los Angeles I forged other checks, and sent him the money. Then we went to Portland, Seattle, Minneapolis and other cities and in each I forged enough to take us to the next place. When we got to Milwaukee, where I lived with my sister, at Mrs. Guy Pelton's, on Murray avenue. I didn't know anyone in Milwaukee, except friends of Mrs. Pelton, and she introduced me to them. I am ashamed that this shame of mine should embarrass her, and I hope all her friends will forgive me for the imposition."

Before she left Detroit, Agnes worked in an employment agency until it went out of business, but had not worked recently. Her sister Lucille has returned to Detroit to her parents, and has taken up a nurses course. She has two other sisters, one married, the other younger than herself.

"O, dear! I don't think I'll ever get home. I know I'll go to Waupun," she wept. "And my father and mother have written me such lovely letters. They have forgiven me everything and have offered to take me back home when I have served a sentence, which of course I know I must do. They say it all seems like a dream to them, and that they cannot believe I could be so wicked."

"Everyone here is very kind to me. Mr. Whipple does not put a guard over me, for I am sure he knows I am too grateful to him to add ingratitude to my other faults."

"Cash" Whipple came into the room then, when he sent Agnes out and talked to me about her case. "I don't know what to do with her"

he replied. "She doesn't really belong out here. The district attorney asked me to care for her, and I am doing my best. I have made all sorts of inquiries about the girl, from Detroit and other places, and I find not one thing against her except the forgeries. I was a policeman in Beloit twenty years ago, and have been sheriff of this county, so I've had a vast experience with all kinds of human nature. But the girl puzzles me. You couldn't have her in the house and not like her."

"It's a hard case, but I suppose she'll stay here until someone tells me what to do with her. I was told to take her to Milwaukee, which I did Friday. I went to the Industrial school, where I was sent, but the commitment was for the Wisconsin Industrial Home for Women, at Taycheedah, Wis., what was I to do when the Milwaukee institution was the wrong place? I brought her back to the county farm. Then, Tuesday, the district attorney of Rock county, the city attorney of Janesville, and I went up to Madison, to see the board of control."

"They couldn't seem to agree as to what should be done with Agnes, so decided, that as the attorney general of the state was in town, the case should be put up to him."

"And there it is. And here Agnes stays until he decides what shall be done of her."

"It isn't true that society women here have interested themselves in the case. There are some curious women who have been here to see her—but I haven't known any of them to offer any real help. I wish some of these ministers who have preached about the prodigal son would give a little attention to the prodigal daughter. I would like some real help for this girl—she has done wrong, but I want her reformed—not committed with old offenders and murderers. Maybe the attorney general will help out."

Notice of Meeting of Board of Review.

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Review for the Township of Baldwin, Delta County, Michigan, will meet at the office of the Supervisor, at Perkins, in said Township of Baldwin, on Tuesday, the 8th day of June at 9 o'clock in the forenoon and remain in session at least six hours of said day and the day following, also on Monday, the 14th day of June and the following day. All persons interested are invited to attend.

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SENATOR SMITH SEES GOOD END

Detroit—Stories of 19 years of "war" upon the white plague, told by officers and members of the Detroit Society for the Study and Prevention of Tuberculosis, led Senator William Alden Smith, to give his personal views on tuberculosis, war in general and the war in Europe in particular at the luncheon of the society in the Hotel Pontchartrain Tuesday afternoon in celebration of the tenth anniversary of the organization.

After congratulating the society on the work it has done, and telling briefly of what Michigan, the United States and the several states are doing to fight the dread disease, the senator swung into the subject that holds the attention of all the world today.

"There never was a calamity that has not pushed mankind forward," Senator Smith declared, "and I took with no especial regret upon the effect of the war today. I do not wish to be misunderstood, but I think the present war will mean much for the advance of civilization."

"I have my own views as to how it started, but I believe it dates from the Franco-Prussian war and the exactness made by Germany in taking the provinces of Alsace and Lorraine. It was up to Germany to see that there was no balance of power, and getting France interested in overseas conquests would prevent an alliance with England."

"For many years this theory of Bismarck's prevailed. Then, when the blow was not struck against Kitchener, France and England found themselves on common ground. Germany found herself encircled; if she were to get out to sea she must strike a blow."

"But out of the maelstrom of war, some good will come. If Poland alone should have her liberty it will be honor enough. Yet the good, in my opinion will be a new republic."

"I should not be surprised if the most autocratic European government would become the most sympathetic republic."

"Now the king of England is giving out Victoria crosses for valor; the emperor of Germany gives Iron crosses to those who face death, and the Czar of Russia confers the cross of Saint Michael upon his loyal subjects; but this first of the new republics is passing out its Red Cross to help mankind."

"When we send our Christmas ships across the seas, with little gifts for unknown children, or when we bind the wounds of soldiers, we have exemplified the most God-given trade. And in the work which you are doing in this society, you will find comfort and reward beyond any effort you can make."

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BACK FROM CONVENTION

A portion of Escanaba's delegation to the annual convention of the Upper Peninsula Dental Society at Menominee, returned to the city last night.

All were enthusiastic over the success of the convention of this year, pronouncing it to be one of the best ever held by the organization.

The entire program, as arranged by the officers, was carried out to the letter, a number of instructive addresses on topics of interest to the profession being delivered.

Ishpeming was chosen as the next place of meeting for the association and officers for the coming year were elected as follows: Dr. John A. Runge Houghton, president; Dr. Main, Ishpeming, secretary and treasurer and Dr. Robins of Ishpeming, vice-president.

Members of the local delegation of dentists who returned to the city last night were: Dr. R. E. Hodson, Dr. F. T. Long, Dr. A. J. Connelly and Dr. G. A. Cotton.

Dr. C. J. B. Kitchen, who attended the annual convention of the Upper Peninsula Dental Society at Menominee, left that city last night for Chicago on business.

Dr. C. M. Cuthbert left Menominee last night, after attending the annual convention of the Upper Peninsula Dental Society, for Waupun, Wis., where he will visit with relatives.

SAYS INVENTOR HAS NO CHANCE TO IGNORE A NEW LAW

New York—"An inventor hasn't one chance in a hundred to make any money. I never made a cent inventing in my life."

This statement was made by Thomas A. Edison, who was talking from the heart of a huge plant that represented hundreds of thousands of dollars of investment; and all about him were hundreds of well-paid employees, as busy and contented as birds dogs.

"But none of it came out of inventing," he insisted. "It can't be done. It is a hopeless proposition to make money out of an invention. That is why so many great inventors have turned from their natural fields and gone into manufacturing, as I have done."

"I'll tell you of the incandescent light," he went on. "There is a good example. I invented the incandescent light. As soon as it was perfected and brought forth the pirates got after it right away. You know who I mean by the pirates? Well, there are men, manufacturers and those who are willing to be manufacturers, who just wait around for something like that to come along."

"Then they steal it—just barefacedly steal it. They know that it will mean at the worst, about fifteen or twenty years of lawsuits and that the chances are about 10 to 1 that the courts will sustain them, and rule against the inventor."

"That is about what happened with the incandescent light. I won a suit in a district court in New York, and it was promptly knocked out by another decision in St. Louis, and so it went. Under our legal system, where every different district and state is like a foreign country, they can keep on fighting you forever."

"You have no idea," he said, with a grim little smile, "you have no idea how many ways there are to knock out an invention. In the first place, the judge can always hold that it isn't an invention at all. If this doesn't happen, then it's about 10 to 1 that the inventor will get the worst of it by references—that is, by harking back to other experiments in the same field."

"About all the pirate has to do is prove that somebody else at some time or other tried to make the invention which has been perfected, and the successful inventor is thrown out of court."

"Now," his eyes twinkled—"when you figure that there isn't a thing in the world, past or present, and probably to come, that somebody hasn't tinkered with at some time or another, you see what kind of a chance the inventor has."

"That is the worst injustice of this phase of the law," he went on. "It puts the failure on the same level with the success. Who is the man who has helped society with his machine? Is it the man who tried and failed, or the man who tried and succeeded? And if the man who tried and failed got something out of it for his good intentions it would not be so bad. But he doesn't. His failure merely supplies the pirate with a club to knock down the real inventor."

TO IGNORE A NEW LAW

That the city of Lansing and other municipalities of the state will ignore the new law, giving to members of paid fire departments one day off in every four and a leave of absence of 20 days in each year, is the report that comes from the capital city.

It is likely that the same plan will be followed in this city. The Lansing Journal says:

That Lansing will not comply with the new state law giving firemen one day off in four and an annual vacation of 20 days, unless forced to do so, is apparent from expressions made by members of the board of police and fire commissioners in session, Wednesday night.

Commissioner Edmonds stated that from his communication with other cities, he is convinced that practically every city in the state will ignore the law. As there is no penalty attached, its enforcement is possible only through mandamus proceedings to compel the fire boards to obey its provisions.

Commissioner Black intimated that there is some question as to the constitutionality of the law, in that it interferes with the powers granted the city under the home-rule act. The city council can also stop its enforcement in Lansing by refusing to vote the department sufficient money to pay additional men which would be needed under the new law. It has been estimated that its adoption would increase the cost of operating the fire department \$8,000 a year.

The ways and means committee, composed of Commissioners Edmonds and Watson, are preparing an estimated budget, including the additional salaries should the city decide to adopt the one day in four plan. The board likely will meet next week to pass on the budget recommendations to the city council, and at that time probably will make a definite decision on the course the board will pursue relative to the new law.

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SCIENTISTS KICKING OVER RELIEF

Washington, May 22.—"Scientists are now convinced that the moon has no more influence on crops than it has upon the temperature, or the amount of rain, or the winds, or any other weather element," say experts of the agricultural department.

"The growth of plants depends upon the amount of food in the soil and the air that is available for them, and upon temperature, light and moisture. The moon obviously does not affect the character of the soil in any way; neither does it affect the composition of the atmosphere. The only remaining way in which it could influence plant growth therefore is by its light."

"Recent experiment, however, show that full daylight is about 600,000 times brighter than full moonlight; yet, when a plant gets 1-100 part of normal daylight it thrives little better than in absolute darkness. If 1-100 part of normal daylight is thus too little to stimulate a plant it seems quite certain that a 600,000th part cannot have any effect at all. It is, therefore, a mere waste of time to think about the moon in connection with the planting of crops."

"The moon has nothing more to do with this than it has to do with the building of fences, the time for killing hogs or any other of the innumerable things over which it was supposed to exert a strong influence."

LITTLE HOPE OF REVIVING LEAGUE

Little hope is now entertained that "Bobby" Lynch, manager of the Green Bay, will be able to revive the Wisconsin-Michigan baseball league for this season. It is reported that Mr. Lynch has been able to arouse some interest in the league plan in Calumet but reports have been received that it will be impossible for him to induce the fans of Houghton and Hancock to enter a team.

A Copper Country correspondent says:

R. G. Lynch of Green Bay, who arrived in Calumet Thursday for the purpose of taking up the baseball evangel where C. F. Moll of Milwaukee left off a few weeks ago, has received some encouragement. He met the Calumet Businessmen's Association Thursday night and yesterday a committee helped him to canvass the Calumet-Lalumet-Keweenaw district in hope of financing a team.

Mr. Lynch will be in Houghton and Hancock today on a similar mission. He hopes to organize a league composed of Calumet, Houghton-Hancock, Menominee-Marquette, Escanaba, Green Bay and Oshkosh.

It is doubtful if he will have success in Houghton and Hancock.

SCHOOL TEACHER WAS POISONED

Of an unusual attack made on a school teacher of Marquette county, the Ishpeming correspondent for the Mining Journal says:

Miss Charlotte Russell, music teacher in the Tilden township schools at the National Mine location, and temporary superintendent following the release of K. C. Inselman, is the victim of a plot to seriously injure her by means of a poisoned letter. It is believed. Miss Russell was rendered unconscious when she opened an envelope which contained two pieces of

cardboard, between which was spread cotton saturated with a highly poisonous solution. The exact nature of the substance has not been determined, but several physicians are investigating and the matter will be called to the attention of the government postal authorities for investigation.

The missive was brought to Miss Russell by one of the pupils. It had been sent through the postoffice at the National. The young woman had no sooner opened the letter than the fumes from the poisonous substance overpowered her. The board of education has been aroused over the incident and will make every effort to discover and prosecute the guilty persons. Considerable bitterness has been displayed by the people of the township as a result of Mr. Inselman's dismissal, and it is the idea that somehow the fumes from the sending of the letter to Miss Russell lies in this feeling.

The condition of Miss Russell has improved, but she is still confined to her room. After she lapsed into unconsciousness, following the opening of the letter, it required more than two hours to revive her.

LOCAL FIRM LANDS BIG CONTRACTS

W. H. Needham was yesterday awarded the contracts for wiring both the new Rex theater and the new States Savings Bank building. Both contracts were let by bid and that the local man was awarded the contract with the lowest proposal in competition with a number of outside bidders, will be a matter for local satisfaction.

WILL GRADUATE FROM ST. ANNE'S

Announcement is made today of the graduation exercises of Miss Evelyn Marchand, from conservatory grades of St. Anne's Convent in this city. The exercises will be held Thursday evening May 27, at St. Anne's hall at eight o'clock. Invitations for the event have been sent out. The following program will be presented by Miss Marchand at that time.

- Part I (Rendered)
- The Nun and the Fountain
 - E. H. Sherwood
 - Prelude Op. 3 No. 2 S. Rachmanoff
 - Fugue in C Minor J. S. Bach
 - Sonata Op. 27. No 2 C. Sharp Minor
 - L. V. Beethoven
- Part II
- Adagio Sostenuto
 - Allegretto
 - Presto Agitato
 - Polonaise in A Op. 40 No. 1. F. Chopin
 - The Last Hope L. M. Gottschalk
- Part III
- Rhapsodie Hongroise No. 12. F. Liszt
 - Rigoletto (Verdi) F. Liszt

BIG CUT COMING IN ALL LEAGUES

Cleveland, May 22.—All of the major league club are likely to cut their teams to eighteen or twenty players before the close of the present season, according to Charles W. Somers, owner of the Indians and Cleveland American association squads. Somers said today he plans to reduce the Indians from twenty-five to twenty players at once.

"The era of big salaries has passed," he declared. "The player who gets more than \$300 a month will be considered lucky next year. Both the Feds and organized baseball stand to lose huge sums."

FINNS TO FILE STRONG PROTEST

Leading Finns of this district are preparing to circulate petitions to be presented to the peace conference which ultimately will be convened to adjust affairs in Europe. The petition will contain an appeal on behalf of the people of Finland for the reestablishment of their status as a nation. Similar memorials will be circulated in various parts of the United States.

The Finns in America are incensed at the oppressive tactics of the Russian rulers of Finland and they hope that when peace is declared the province will be separated from the Muscovite empire. It is said that within the last two months the government has taken from the Finnish people the right to conduct their affairs in the courts in their own language. It is also forcing the Finnish children to learn the Russian language. All school boards are under control of Russians, as are public affairs in general.

The following appeal for signatures to the petitions is addressed to the people of the United States:

"Upon the conquest of Finland by Russia in the year 1809, Czar Alexander II solemnly promised in his 'Act of Assurance' that the Russian government would forever secure the people of Finland in their civil and religious liberties. Every successor of Alexander, including the present czar, Nicholas I, has ratified and reaffirmed that solemn assurance on his accession to the Russian throne. Under that union with Russia the grand duchy of Finland was a nation; not a mere province of Russia. The people of Finland enjoyed the blessings of self-government and consequently progressed in material well-being and advanced in civilization."

"Without justification and in violation of said 'Act of Assurance' the present czar, on Feb. 15, 1899, by an imperial ukase abrogated the fundamental laws of Finland and established over her people an absolute and tyrannical despotism."

"To the peace conference which will convene to adjust the issues of the present European war, an appeal will be made in behalf of the people of Finland for the reestablishment of their status as a nation. It may be that the president of the United States will be chosen as the chief mediator at that conference, in which event the Finnish-Americans will petition him to use his good offices to the end that the people of Finland may regain their civil, political and religious liberties."

"Therefore, we, the undersigned, a committee appointed at a general mass meeting of the Finnish-Americans held at Duluth, Minn., on the 27th day of March, 1915, in the name of liberty, justice and humanity appeal to the people of the United States to manifest their sympathy for the people of Finland in their struggle for the regaining of their lost liberties by signing this memorial, which at an opportune time will be presented to the president of the United States."

Miss Margaret Conahan will leave on Monday evening for a visit at Chicago.

Mrs. Charles F. Jackson, who for the past seven weeks has been visiting with relatives in lower Wisconsin, returned to her home in this city last evening.

Henry McFarland of Turin was in the city yesterday on business.

SENATOR MURTHA IS MENTIONED

Senator Murtha, of Detroit, is being prominently mentioned as a candidate for the bench, to succeed Judge Phelan, who recently passed away. Mr. Murtha is recognized as one of the most forceful members of the Michigan senate and the conspicuous part played by him in all of the important work of that body, has won for him signal recognition.

In reference to the candidacy of Mr. Murtha the Mining Journal of Marquette says editorially:

Senator Murtha is being urged by friends in the legislature, and in Detroit as well, for the bench, for the vacancy caused by the death of Judge Phelan. Whether or not he takes a place among the judges, the approval given the suggestion is something he is able to take much satisfaction in, and to the public it must appear to bear testimony to considerable personal worth, as well as to popularity.

Senator Murtha, though a Democrat in a body that was overwhelmingly Republican, was regarded as the strongest man in the senate in the last legislative session. He was a frank wet, too, and managed the interests of the wets in the body of which he was a member so effectively that they scored most of the points made during the session. His identification with the wet side of the perennial controversy does not appear to have impaired his usefulness or popularity.

Lame Back

Lame back is usually due to rheumatism of the muscles of the back. Hard working people are most likely to suffer from it. Relief may be had by massaging the back with Chamberlain's Liniment two or three times a day. Try it. Obtainable everywhere.

HIS ENGINE HAD POWER TO THINK

Brooklyn—After thirty years at the throttle, Sylvester P. Ames, locomotive engineer, retired recently and prepared to loaf. He found it impossible to loaf, however, and yearned for something that would compensate him for the loss of rattle and roar so long a part of his existence. A friend suggested a study of telepathy. Engineer Ames surrounded himself with works of Lodge and Podmore and soon became known as a telepathic "fan."

An old time friend allied at the Ames flat and thought to spend an hour or two in a game of cribbage of which the old engineer was at one time very fond. No use, Ames was surrounded by a wall of thought transference, hallucinations, haunted houses and phantasms.

The visitor touched on old times on the railroad hoping to get Ames away from the spirits. He got him away—but in an odd fashion. The old engineer closed up his books and turned to his friend with the following:

"Do you know, Bill, since I been studying these telepathy books I'm more'n ever convinced that locomotives are alive the same as we are alive."

"When I was running the old 826 I often noticed that just before we met and passed 827 my locomotive would act in a peculiar way. She wouldn't run so steady. Cort of nervous in her drivers. She and the 827 were turned out of the shop the same day, and were put on the same run, only working in opposite directions."

"So whenever I, on the 826, neared

the 827 coming the opposite way I noticed a queer quiver all through her. When we got within a quarter of a mile of each other the 826 hissed and chugged a blame sight more'n she ought to and so it kept up till we had passed each other, when my locomotive settled down to her regular common sense average way of behaving.

"I know now, since I've read these books that 826 was just sending a message to 827 through space. I remember I wrote a letter to Pete Riley, who ran 827, asking him—of course in a joking way, as I didn't want to be joked—if 827 acted queer on him at any time. He answered me, and sure as you live he declared that 827 acted like an old fool dummy whenever he neared and passed me on the line. Without a doubt these locomotives were communicating with each other."

"I recall that whenever on a stormy night old 826 pulled us into the terminal right on the tick of the clock as per time table I used to swell up with a sort of gratitude toward her. Often at the end of a trip I've gone up alongside that old engine, making believe I was going to oil her. I'd look around to see if any one was looking and if there wasn't I'd pat the old loco motive on her boiler, the same as you'd pat a fellow on the back. And I'd whisper:

"You turned the trick fine, old girl, turned it fine. You're the stuff, all right!"

"And do you know, although there was no reason at all for it, old 826 would thump in her exhaust twice as loud as she had been thumping? I wasn't sure what it meant then, but now I know she realized that I was praising her and that she was tickled over the praise."

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