

HUNS FAIL TO GAIN AN INCH OF GROUND

PROGRAM IS TO BE READY IN FEW DAYS

Details for War Conference Program Here June 12 and 13 Soon to Be Announced by Chairman Byrns.

ESCANABA HONORED

Definite announcement of the complete program for the Michigan War Conference, the first meeting of its kind ever arranged for the upper peninsula, and to be held in this city on June 12 and 13, will be made within a few days.

A few details remain to be fixed before General Chairman J. E. Byrns will be able to make public complete plans for the big gathering, which will bring to Escanaba the largest number of prominent men of Michigan ever gathered in a Cloverland city.

Sheep and Victory Meeting In connection with the conference a big "Sheep and Victory" meeting will be held as a part of the second day's program. That sectional meeting will bring together all of the Cloverland boosters who have been working for years to secure recognition for this district and who now are succeeding in bringing this district a large number of western sheep and cattle men with their flocks and their herds.

Plays for that meeting are in charge of Roger M. Andrews of Menominee and complete details of which will be announced within a few days.

Meetings At Delft Theatre. All of the general meetings of the conference will be held at the Delft theatre, which has been leased for two days. Sectional meetings will be held at the Masonic temple, Pythian temple Elks club rooms and the city hall. A public reception to Governor Sleeper and his staff will probably be staged at the Coliseum.

Big Percentage Of Eighth Graders Passed The Tests

Out of a total of 120 Eighth graders enrolled in the rural schools of Delta county over 100 of the number passed the final Eighth grade examinations and diplomas were mailed to their addresses yesterday. Owing to the illness of County School Commissioner C. U. Woolper the exact number of Eighth grade diplomas to be issued could not be announced yesterday but Prof. J. H. Kinney of Schaffter and Prof. J. H. McDonald of Rapid River were in the city and signed up a total of 100 certificates that were mailed. Others likely will be signed up as soon as Commissioner Woolper is able to be about.

In addition to the eighth graders who took the examination a total of 40 Seventh graders also took final tests in two subjects and within a short time the result of these tests will be announced.

Plant Stone Flag At Local Park

Announcement was made in all the public schools Friday by Superintendent F. E. King asking all children in the grades to bring rocks three or four inches in size and as smooth as can be found to the Greehoot residence on Michigan avenue. These will be used under the direction of the women of the Woman's Relief corps to lay out a large flag on the green slope of Ludington park.

The stones will be painted red white and blue. This representation of the flag will be a permanent an interesting feature of the park.

BASEBALL RESULTS

National League. New York, 2; Pittsburgh, 0. St. Louis, 9; Brooklyn, 2. Philadelphia, 5; Cincinnati, 2. Chicago, 4; Boston, 2. American League. Washington, 11; Cleveland, 6. New York, 4; Chicago, 2. St. Louis, 3; Philadelphia, 5. Detroit, 4; Boston, 3, (13 innings).

Death Calls Both a Wife and Husband

Fred Darling, Formerly Member of Delta County Board of Supervisors Follows Wife In Death.

Following his wife in death, two days after her demise, Frederick Darling former member of the Delta county board of supervisors and former resident of Rapid River, passed away late on Friday night at a hospital at Twin Falls, Idaho.

The bodies of Mr. and Mrs. Darling will be brought east together and the funeral will be held either in this city or at Rapid River. Mr. Darling was a patient at a Twin Falls hospital suffering from pneumonia when his wife passed away on Wednesday. Mr. Darling's condition was most critical at that time but hopes for his recovery were entertained. Plans for shipping body of Mrs. Darling to her home here were being made when Mr. Darling suffered from a sinking spell and his death followed before body of his wife had left that city.

Bring Bodies Here.

George Valind, a brother of Mrs. Valind, who recently left Escanaba to locate at Twin Falls, will accompany the bodies of Mr. and Mrs. Darling to this city.

Arrangements for the double funeral will not be made until after the bodies of the couple have arrived here. Mr. and Mrs. Darling resided at Rapid River for a number of years, both being widely and most favorably known throughout that section of the county. Mr. Darling represented Masonville township on the Delta county board of supervisors for three years and won recognition as an able and conscientious member of that body.

In West Seven Years.

Seven years ago the couple left for Idaho locating near Twin Falls where they purchased a farm. They were prospering and both had enjoyed excellent health. On Monday of last week a letter was received from Mrs. Darling in which she told of the excellent health enjoyed by both herself and Mr. Darling and told of plans being made by them to visit their old home this fall. On Wednesday night a message was received announcing her death from pneumonia and yesterday the second message came telling of the death of Mr. Darling from the same cause.

Escanaba Golfers Win In Inter-Club From Menominee

Team of players representing the Escanaba Golf club yesterday defeated the Menominee Golf club team at the latter's court in an inter-club match by a score of 9 to 3. Considering the high wind that was blowing all of the members of both teams played good golf, representatives of the Escanaba club making an especially strong showing against the Menominee veterans.

Following were the point winners. Escanaba—Harney, 0; Driscoll, 0; Boyce, 3; Corcoran, 3; Banks, 2; Kates, 1; Smith, 0. Totals, 9.

Menominee—Kerwin, 2; St. Peter, 0; Wall, 0; Peltier, 0; Gander, 0; Carpenter, 1; Harmon, 0.—Totals, 3.

NAHMA LADS ENLIST FOR MILITARY SERVICE

Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Forbes motored over from Nahma yesterday bringing with them Joseph Turek, Wilfred Bedard and Everett Dotson, all of whom enlisted for military service at the local recruiting station.

Junior Red Cross

Two Red Cross blankets were delivered at the Auxiliary headquarters yesterday. One from the pupils of the Eighth grade at the Franklin school, made under the direction of the Misses Bryan, Stern, McCoyrt, and Mrs. Semer. The other came from the pupils of the Second and Third grades of the Jefferson school, made under the direction of the Misses Sullivan and Peller.

The Cornell school yesterday gladdened the hearts of the officials in charge at the auxiliary headquarters when the pupils of that school sent in a contribution of \$8.46, together with a fine shipment of finished articles.

CAMPAIGN IS MADE READY BY McEWEN

Announcement of Delta County's Quota Brings Realization of Big Task Ahead—Opens June 20.

USE CARD SYSTEM

County Treasurer George F. McEwen, campaign director for the big War Savings Stamp drive to open in every county of Michigan on June 20, was busy yesterday laying plans for a systematic canvass of every section of this county.

The total of Delta county's quota proved a surprise to even those who have been concerned with the promotion of War Savings Stamp sales up to this time.

Delta's War Savings Stamp quota is equal to the Liberty Loan quotas of Delta in each of the second and third issues, forcing directors of the stamp campaign to face a more stupendous work than they had anticipated.

Extends Seven Months.

Past Liberty Loan quotas have been required to be raised in a drive of a few days while the War Savings Stamp quota will extend through the remainder of the present year.

While a definite plan has not yet been outlined it is considered probable that every eligible in the county will be solicited to purchase a certain number of Thrift Stamps or War Savings Stamps each week or month for the remainder of the year to produce by the end of December the total quota of this county.

May Use Card System.

Whether the card index system will be adopted for the War Savings Stamp drive, as for the third Liberty Loan campaign, which produced such magnificent results, has not yet been decided by Campaign Director McEwen but it is likely that an plan modeled after that system will be brought into play.

Wage Increase Is Easy To Compute

The interest taken in the proposed wage increase for railway employes in Escanaba is keen. One of the rail-roads after spending several sleepless night wondering how much his increase would be and what he would do with the additional money evolved the following method for computing the increase.

"Take the first three figures of your 1917 automobile license and add the size of your shoes; subtract the number of buttons missing from your last summer's suit and then divide by the size of your collar. To the figures obtained this way add the amount of your unpaid taxes and laundry bills; divide by 80 per cent of your telephone number, add the total weight of your family, plus your serial number in the military draft and divide this sum by all the speeches on increase to railway employes that Secretary McAdoo has made. The result is your additional pay.

May Both Cold And Wet Month

According to the monthly meteorological summary for May issued yesterday by Observer H. H. Spindler, every day of last month averaged five tenths of a degree colder than the normal for May in this district. The average daily temperature for last month was 50 degrees. The entire year up to June 1 has been cooler than the normal, there being an accumulated deficiency in temperature of 184 degrees since Jan. 1. May also had far more precipitation than the normal, the rainfall for the month being 5.77 inches while the normal rainfall for May here is 3.42 inches.

May had 12 clear days; 10 were partly cloudy and on 9 days the sun failed to appear at any time.

WARNS MOTORISTS

County Motorpolice Early Bourdies, announced that final warning is now given to all automobiles regarding the law for the use of dimmers when approaching other vehicles. Mr. Bourdies said that arrest will follow any future violation.

The Casualties

Washington, June 1.—American casualties in the expeditionary forces abroad announced today by the war department carried 57 names divided as follows:

Table with 2 columns: Casualty type and count. Killed in action: 3. Died of wounds: 6. Died of disease: 10. Severely wounded: 17. Slightly wounded: 11. Missing in action: 9.

Among those who died of disease, Private Russell P. Thompsepp of Soo, Mich.

Get A Flag And Fly It

On June 12 and 13, Escanaba will entertain the governor of Michigan and many other prominent men of the state.

Escanaba's record of accomplishment in patriotic war work is a proud one—second to that of no other city in the United States.

But in patriotic display Escanaba is a disgrace to herself.

In spite of the fact that Delta county produced more men for military service than any other county in Michigan, of equal population—

In spite of the fact that Delta county has the most efficient Red Cross organization in 5 states—

In spite of the fact that Delta county has the best organized war relief association in Michigan—

Escanaba has fewer flags flying from business places and homes than any city in Michigan.

GET A FLAG, AND FLY IT.

Let a display, as well as back up the colors.

Powers Man Will Recover Doctors Say

X-Ray of Edward Olson, Automobile Accident Victim, Shows He Has Good Chance To Get Well.

Physicians in charge of Edward Olson, who is confined to St. Francis hospital suffering from injuries sustained when his automobile was struck by a train at Power, announced yesterday afternoon that he would recover.

Olson, who resides about one mile from Powers, was driving along the county road, and attempted to cross the railroad tracks ahead of the train. The engine struck his Ford car, turning it turtle, throwing two children—the only other occupants—out to escape without injury, but pinning Olson underneath the car. Before the train was brought to a stop, the automobile with the unfortunate man pinned underneath, was dragged about three car lengths.

Olson was placed on an Escanaba bound train and taken to this city where he was given medical attention at the St. Francis hospital. First reports were that his condition was serious, and physicians doubted his recovery. An x-ray picture of his injuries was taken yesterday afternoon and the development showed that he was not internally injured and stood good chances of recovering.

Olson's first words after recovering consciousness was to ask for his children, who miraculously escaped injury. Luckily the top of the automobile was down, and the two children were pitched clear out of the car when the train collided with it.

Large Classes Confirmed Today

St. Rev. Bishop Els, of Marquette, will today officiate at the confirmation of large classes of children at St. Anne's, St. Patrick's and St. Joseph's churches. At 7:30 o'clock this morning confirmation ceremonies will be performed at St. Anne's church; at St. Patrick's church at 10:30 o'clock and at St. Joseph's church at 7:30 o'clock this evening.

Corpus Christi To Be Observed

With fair weather conditions prevailing today a number of Escanaba people will go to Schaffter to participate in the observance of Corpus Christi. Each year the day is made the occasion for an impressive observance at the Schaffter church, and each year a large number of people from this city are attracted. An unusually interesting program has been arranged for the entire day and evening under the direction of Rev. Father Blin, pastor.

WEATHER

Forecast: Sunday probably occasional thundershowers; cooler; fresh southwest to west winds. Maximum yesterday, 81. Minimum, 56.

MANY BOOKS TO BE BOUGHT BY LIBRARY

Council's Appropriation of \$1,000 Made At Last Meeting, Will Be Used For Purchase of New Periodicals.

\$5,000 IN 1918

Books, library supplies and other essentials will be purchased out of the \$1,000 appropriation awarded the local library by the city council at its meeting last week.

One supply of books, more than 200 in number, has already been received. This supply contains a variety of books, including fiction, children, war, and household economic numbers.

Buy Fewer Books.

The appropriation was awarded after the matter had been before the council for some time. Last year the library appropriation was cut from \$4,000 to \$2,500. Because of the general rise in all prices due to the war it was necessary for Miss Lara Brubaker, the librarian to purchase fewer books.

The librarian appeared before the council and pointed out the situation and after consideration on the part of the city fathers, an appropriation of \$1,000 was awarded the library at the last meeting.

Many Books Loaned.

The great demand for books during the year, has resulted in about 50 per cent of the number purchased being worn out in a year's time. Last year the percentage was even greater as there were fewer books purchased and more loaned, than in previous years.

The council has decided to allow an appropriation of \$5,000 for the library next year, and this will well take care of all purchases of books, Miss Brubaker feels.

Fire Damages Local Concern

Fire breaking out in the engine room of the Escanaba Manufacturing company's plant on Stephenson avenue, yesterday afternoon caused damage estimated at \$500.

The blaze was caused by a back-fire from the boilers, which did not have enough draft, catching on some waste in the fire-hole.

The fire was discovered shortly after 3 o'clock, and it took the combined efforts of the fire department men and the workers of the plant for fully two hours before the blaze was extinguished.

Chief Arvid Johnson, of the local department pointed out that the length of time taken to put out the fire was due to the fact that there was a great amount of waste which caught on fire and which was hard to put out.

Departments No. 1 and No. 2, the entire city fire brigades responded to the fire.

MADDOO DOESN'T EXPECT OPPOSITION TO RATES

Washington—Director General McAdoo today telegraphed chairman of the state railroad commissions notifying them of the increased rates and asking them to co-operate by suggesting readjustments or changes. The director-general does not expect state authorities to overrule any of his rate orders, however. Mr. McAdoo believes no state commission can overrule any of the new rates. Any changes ordered by the interstate commerce commission will be made promptly and willingly by the director-general, however.

MARKET

BUTTER—41 1/2c. ROOSTERS—20 1/2c. EGGS—29c to 29 1/2c. FOWLS—27c. POTATOES—90c to \$1.20. CLOVER—\$9 to \$12. TIMOTHY—\$23 to \$24. STANDARD—19 to 20. SPRINGERS—25c.

Sliger Signs Up Seven Men In U. S. Army

Monthly Report Filed by Local Recruiter Shows That May Was a Big One—50 Accepted.

Seven men were accepted for enlistment in the regular army through Corporal Roy J. Sliger yesterday and left last night for Chicago to take the second physical examination and then be assigned to a training camp.

The men were

Elmer Gager, 29 years, Manistique, coast artillery.

John Gager, 21 years, Manistique, coast artillery.

William Taylor, 29 years, Manistique, coast artillery.

Joseph Turek, 18 years, Nahma, quartermaster corps.

Wilfred Toland, 19 years, Nahma, quartermaster corps.

Everett Dotson, 29 years, Nahma, quartermaster corps.

Victor Markkanen, 37 years, Negaunee, infantry.

None of the men accepted by Corp. Sliger yesterday were subject to draft and therefore could be accepted without a violation of the new ruling.

Many Enlistments In May.

Corporal Sliger will leave Monday morning for Manistique where there are several applicants which are being examined. He will be at that city for two days returning here again on Wednesday.

The past month has been one of the busiest in regard to accepted applicants of any of recent date. A monthly report which Corporal Sliger filed with the headquarters at Chicago Saturday had a total of 50 men accepted through the Escanaba office during the month. All of the accepted applicants are now in training. Only men outside the draft age can be accepted for service in the regular army.

Our Conservation Strengthen sAll

The enormous importance to the morale of our allies of a continued supply of meat and wheat from America was emphasized by Mr. Hoover at the recent conference of the National committee of the Council of National Defense in Washington. His statement brought vividly to the mind of the delegates the connection between their own efforts toward the conservation of food and the great issues facing our allies abroad. Mr. Hoover said:

"The most question has been and remains a serious one. The English critical situation and had to reduce their consumption to one and one-fourth pounds per week per capita, as against a normal consumption of about three pounds. Now they are able to increase the ration. This has been not only of physical importance but of enormous importance to the morale of the nation, because with the short bread and meat ration existing in the early part of March, if some alleviation could not have been had in the face of the discouragement of the German drive, the results might have been serious."

"I like to think that my state helped make possible the increase in the English ration," said one of the chairmen, in discussing Mr. Hoover's talk. "And why should I not think so, since our women have followed the instructions of the food pledge card, have planted gardens, canned and preserved. In thousands of our homes a complete revolution has been made in the family diet, so that there might be a saving of the food stuffs that are needed by our allies abroad. I am going home now and tell our women that they must put all their energy into the saving of wheat, since the wheat loaf has become a symbol of life of all western European nations." We are not to feel that we can abandon our program of conservation because we hope for an abundant harvest. The food problem is not ended—it may become more severe. We cannot rely that psychology of devotion in food matter throughout the whole period of the war. Mr. Hoover said so and I heard him!"

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STONE-WALL RESISTANCE BY ALLIES

Paris Smiles When Huns Fail to Annex Any Territory Yesterday—Enemy Artillery Far Behind.

U. S. SECTOR QUIETS

Paris, June 1.—General Foch, Premier Clemenceau, Lloyd George and a distinguished staff of allied military chiefs had a long conference today. They left the conference room smiling. It is written on all sides that there are some surprises in store for the Germans. Despite the serious situation, Paris is remarkably confident.

"The men in the street were smiling," and the slogan is "Keep your eye on Foch." Gigantic attacks by the French, reports of which are just reaching here, are taken in Paris to mean a counter offensive. In a strong though unofficial report, has it that the Germans have made no progress anywhere on the front line yesterday. The enemy was unable to devouch Soissons, and has been forced to yield ground in this section.

Failed to Cross Marne. The enemy has not crossed the Marne at any point up to late this evening. All bridges are cut. The enemy is avoiding a counter attack in the Chateau Thierry, and in fact trying to pass around the town by way of Epreilly.

The wounded arriving in Paris from the front are suffering from bullet wounds only. The enemy is using rifles and machine guns solely; his artillery being far in the rear. The French losses are remarkably slight. American ambulances have returned from an evacuated town, empty.

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The little son of Chester Sebram narrowly escaped being struck by a falling tree while playing on Langley street. In many parts of the city signs were blown over and limbs were ripped from trees.

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Save On Wheat!

Ed. Kraemer saw the great light. There are still two Delta county men whose eyes have not yet been opened.
Wednesday is registration day for all young men who have attained the age of 21 years since June 5 of last year.

Delta county has purchased some \$30,000 in war Savings stamps while this county's quota is over \$600,000. For Shame Delta.

A FIGHT TO A FINISH

Will the war be over if the Allies succeed in repulsing the present German drive on the west front and forcing back the Kaiser's armies across the boundaries of Belgium and France and into their own territory?
The course of Germany in that contingency is easy to foresee. At earlier stages of the war, when admittance of the possibility of defeat, she has attempted to set on foot negotiations looking toward a cessation of hostilities.

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REPORT BY THE WAR RELIEF OF DELTA COUNTY
Under the by-laws of the association it is provided that any individual, firm or corporation in Delta county, who being able refuses to support the association and co-operate with it shall be published.
The following is a partial list:
CHARLES MATSON, Stonington.
Refused to contribute.
OLE NYGARD, Stonington, Refused to contribute.
This list will be published from day to day and other names will be added as the investigation progresses.
DELTA COUNTY WAR RELIEF ASSN., Inc.

George Moreau Sr. Passes Suddenly

Funeral arrangements for the late George Moreau Sr., who passed away early Friday morning at St. Francis hospital, where he had been confined for some time, are till pending awaiting the arrival of Mrs. Moreau from Canada, where she has been visiting.
The death of Mr. Moreau came as a shock to his many friends in this city. He had been confined to the hospital for some time past while recovering from a fractured ankle. Thursday he spent a very restful day and retired in apparently the best of health and spirits. Early Friday morning he was found dead in bed by the sisters.
Mr. Moreau was born in Three Rivers, Eastern Canada. Surviving him are his widow, three sons, William, Joseph and George, and one daughter, Miss Emma Moreau.
It is expected that Ms. Moreau will return here on Sunday night, and arrangements for the funeral will then be completed.

peace proposals from Germany in view that the Earl of Denbigh made his recent notable address at Leeds.
Lord Denbigh began by saying that what is needed at the moment is courage and confidence. He deprecated a tendency to permit the tremendous conflict on the West front to obscure the dangers in the near East. Germany, he declared, even now, looks upon war as a paying business. The whole of Germany has been made by war, and the successes gained in the three short wars of 1864, 1866 and 1870, has so intoxicated Germany that it has never been sober since.
Describing Germany's Middle Europe scheme, he said its object is to divide East and West, and to occupy positions from which to dominate the whole of Europe and the world. Simultaneously with the construction of railways to the Orient, Germany greatly developed her inland waterways. Should she be allowed to proceed, it would shortly be possible for her to take destroyers and submarines across the country to the Sea of Marmora, and at the crucial moment to threaten navigation in the Eastern Mediterranean. Germany's next step would be to bring strong land forces through Palestine, and to keep them on the Suez Canal Great Britain would have to transport her forces through a sea infested with submarines. If Great Britain lost the Suez canal all the bands of the Empire would be loosened. The Allies are fighting Germany for their existence, and the defeat of German war aims in the East as well as in the West is essential to the safety of the other nations.

This setting forth is not new, but it is clear, and it embodies facts which need to be kept freshly before the minds of the people in all the countries of the Allies. Germany's policy, aggressive expansion, must be ended, and the system which supports it altered. This is what President Wilson asserted in other words when he proclaimed America's entry into the war "to make the world safe for democracy."

Local Gun Club Placed On Map

H. O. Brotherton, a member of the Escanaba Gun & Game club, placed the local club on the map on Memorial Day when shooting in company with grand American handicap winners, past and present, he landed well up in the money.

Among the shooters participating in the Wausau meet were Charles Larson, winner of the Grand American in 1917; Capt Jack Wolf of Milwaukee, winner of the Grand American in 1916, and F. C. Richards, winner of the mid-winter handicap at Pinchrist, N. C., last winter.

W. A. Brown of Minneapolis shot high gun at the Wausau shoot in the 150 bird event with a record of 146. In the second event of 50 birds, H. O. Brotherton of this city and A. N. Matson of Grand Rapids, Wis., were tied for honors with a record of 43 each.
On the total of the 150 bird event Mortinson, Richards and Brotherton tied up with a record of 145 each.
In a special 25 bird event Capt Jack Wolf shot high gun with a record of 23; Brotherton was second with 22 and

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FOR SALE—80 acre farm, 20 under cultivation, rest in pasture and timber, timber consists of hemlock, cedar, birch; good buildings, first class shape; fine orchard; farm machinery, practically new; located close to school; good road on main route. Will take part cash and rest on time to suit buyer. Good reason for selling. Call Andrew Englund, Phone 614F15 or address Bark River R. F. D. No. 1.

FOR SALE—Fairbank's standard Granger warehouse scales; 2 large rectifying tubs, capacity 1,000 gallons each; large flat top office desk; one double high office desk; 1 Remington No. 10 typewriter, nearly new; 1 Smith Premier, No. 2 typewriter; 1 large office safe; 1 typewriter desk; 1 Burrough's adding machine; 1 small filing cabinet; 1 check protectograph; 2 cash registers; 1 foot-power grindstone; 1 syrup percolator and filter combined; two 5-gallon all copper measures; four 3-gallon all copper measures; two 2-gallon all copper measures; one 1-gallon all copper measure; two half-gallon all copper measures; 1 direct current one-sixth horsepower motor; two warehouse trucks; one platform package truck; 1 long store counter. Enquire of Cleary Brothers Company. 146-1f

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FOR RENT OR SALE—Building at 1623 Ludington St., corner Ludington and Maple streets. Inquire Jos. Hess. 438-128-1f

Dr. Carner of Rhineland was third with 21.

Thirty shooters were present at the meet from Wisconsin, Minnesota, Illinois and Michigan.

THE HONOR SYSTEM.
Of "The Honor System" which comes to the Delt on Monday and Tuesday the Minneapolis Journal said:
At the heart we all are criminals. If you disbelieve at, watch audiences chuckle at the escape of the convicts in "The Honor System." There is a sudden uprising, the prisoners turn on the guards, shoot them, beat them into insensibility and then make a frantic dash for liberty. As each guard falls the audience laughs heartily. There is instant sympathy with the convicts in their break for liberty.
This curious manifestation of joy on the part of audiences at the New Lytle is one of the most interesting things in connection with the showing of "The Honor System," a long and detailed photoplay with the subject of prison reform as its basis. Joseph Stanton, a young inventor goes to one of those border towns of the movies where wild women lurk and lure the innocent stranger, where everyone is hard as nails and where a look brings death. Young Joseph, fresh from his mother's farewell, takes a drink of whiskey and then seeks to convert Fritzie Bennett, the fairest wanton of the dance hall. As a result he kills her partner in a framed up fight. Before this, however, we have seen a raid on the town by Mexicans, with some of the fastest riding and most exciting scenes the camera yet has disclosed.
Joseph, of course, goes to prison

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Plans Observed For Big Feast Day

Sunday, Feast of Corpus Christi will be celebrated with great pomp and solemnity by the people of the Sacred Heart parish at Schaffer. Beautiful gifts for this occasion have been received, and donated to Rev. F. Blm, the pastor. Among these gifts is a statue of the Sacred Heart specially made for the church and donated by the men of the parish. A beautiful St. Anne de Beauport Holy Water Fountain and Adoring Angels were also given. Dinner and supper will be served in the evening the girls and boys will give an entertainment for the benefit of the church.

Diver To Work At The Beach Sunday

A diver on Sunday will undertake the work of removing the old dock piers from the bathing beach, in preparation for the opening of the swimming season.
A diver of Gladstone has been secured to do the work and it is expected that a great crowd of people will be attracted to the beach to watch him at work. The piers are under 8 feet of water and efforts to remove them without the aid of a diver have proven futile. Last season many of the swimmers at the beach sustained severe scratches and bruises in striking the sunken piers and as a safety measure it has been decided to remove them before the swimming season is opened.

Why Ferris Is Out Of The Race

Big Rapids.—Former Governor Ferris proposes to end his life as he began it—a farmer, and to end his professional career as he began that, a schoolmaster. This is the meaning of his final refusal to become a candidate for the United States senatorship.
Within the past few weeks Mr. Ferris has been approached by many prominent Democrats, who urged reasons for a candidacy on his part. His reply was that there was no reason to suppose that he could perform a public service which could not be rendered by another; that he could conceive not exigency which might later arise to necessitate his candidacy.

Assault Case Is Adjourned

The assault and battery charge against Peter Reiffers, William Reiffers, James Klein and Lucien Klein, in which the four men were scheduled to be arraigned for trial yesterday was adjourned until Tuesday, June 4 at 2 o'clock, to be tried before Judge C. D. McEwen.

ALLIES WILL PAY OUR DEFICIT, BOAST HUNS

London.—Because the war indemnity which German will demand from Great Britain and the United States "will cover the deficit," the German minister of finance is opposed to an income tax in Germany, similar to the one in Great Britain.

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State Sends 624 Doctors To War; 750 More Asked

Owosso, Mich.—Although the shortage of doctors in Michigan resulting from the call to service is becoming acute, the present condition is not to be compared with that which must be expected as the war goes on, according to Dr. A. M. Hume of Owosso, president of the Michigan State Medical society.
Dr. Hume declares 624 doctors from Michigan have entered service, and that on July 1, 100 more will be asked for the army and fifty for the navy. Further, before the year is over, more than 1,300 will have been called, for under the plan of raising the army to furnish 750 more, or at the rate of \$125 per month.

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ROCKFORD MAN LEAVES FOR CUSTER AFTER WAIT

Aaron Hermanson, of Rockford, Ill. a piano tuner who has been employed in this district, left last night for Camp Custer to report for military service. Repeated efforts both by Hermanson and by the local board to secure his order for induction from the Rockford board, proved futile until yesterday. The necessary papers arrived and Hermanson left for the cantonment last night.

Hon. and Mrs. M. B. Harris and daughter, Miss Genevieve of Harris came in by auto, visited with relatives here and returned to their home.

A Good Future Investment

Property of Escanaba Delivery Co. For Sale

A GOOD BUY FOR SOMEONE... To wind up the affair of Escanaba Central Delivery Co. Building located at foot of North Norris Street—near the C. N. W. R. R. tracks—will be very cheap. It's a 2 story new brick building in finest of condition—with cement floor—100 foot frontage on Norris St.—depth 160 feet. Building suitable for wholesale store room—would also make ideal location for manufacturing plant—no better location in Escanaba.

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How Railroad Men May Figure Their Increase In Wages

The railroad wage increases may be summarized as follows:

Monthly rate in 1915	Increase Above 1915 Pay
\$ 46 to \$ 50	\$20.21 to \$21.50
50 to 75	21.60 to 30.75
75 to 100	31.16 to 31.70
100 to 125	31.60 to 22.40
125 to 150	22.11 to 16.17
150 to 175	15.95 to 11.71
175 to 200	11.56 to 8.38
200 to 225	8.26 to 5.78
225 to 239	5.69 to 4.56
239 to 250	Enough to make \$250 flat.

To figure the increase they will get, each employe should determine the pay which his present position position carried in December, 1915, or if he has been promoted or demoted his new wage is based upon the 1915 pay for the position which he now holds.

Back pay due under the retroactive increases will be sent to any man who has been dismissed from the railroad service since January 1, or who has entered the army or navy, but not to an employe who quit voluntarily.

No U. S. Pensions Go To Hun Lands

Washington—United States pensioners living in Germany and Austria, who have been drawing money from the United States government by reason of their services in the Civil war or for other reasons, have had their allowances cut off because of their residence in enemy territory. Payment of pensions will not be resumed until peace is declared, congress has been told, although allowances are sent regularly to those residing in the countries allied against Germany and Austria or in neutral lands.

A report submitted to congress shows that in the fiscal year ended June 30, 1917, there were 371 Americans residing in Germany entitled to pensions under the laws of this country, and that in Austria-Hungary there were 27 American pensioners. These facts were discussed in the house recently when a bill increasing the pension of Civil war veterans to a minimum of \$25 a month was under consideration.

Veterans of the Civil and Spanish wars entitled to pensions from the United States are living in all parts of the world, and a bill is now pending in congress to exclude pension privilege to all except those living in the United States possessions.

Offenders Draw Little Comfort

Delta county men who are facing trial in the circuit court on charges of violation of Michigan's new prohibition law, will not be able to draw any considerable amount of comfort from sentences meted out to Marquette county offenders in the circuit court there this week.

The Mining Journal says: Judge Flannigan made clear in the first two cases of violation that have come before him since Michigan entered the dry column that violators can expect scant consideration at his hands by sentencing James Battal, a former Negaunee saloon man, and Frank Sargo, a Negaunee cobbler, arrested for possession of liquor in Negaunee, to thirty days in the county jail and fines of \$200, with \$12 costs.

The sentences were accompanied by characteristic comment from the judge who made clear that if stiff punishment will avail to that end he will see that the prohibition law is strictly observed in his circuit, which comprises the counties of Marquette, Menominee, Iron, Deba and Dickinson. In the other counties of the district many similar cases are awaiting disposition by Judge Flannigan, so his action in the Marquette county cases will be learned of with keen, and by violators with pained interest. A number of additional Marquette county cases remain to be disposed of.

HORSES AND MULES TO WEAR NEW GAS MASKS

Washington, D. C.—Every horse and mule in the American expeditionary forces soon will be equipped with a new type of gas mask which it is declared will make them impervious to gas attacks. The masks are coming from a specially equipped factory at the rate of 5,000 a day, the gas defense service announced today, and are going rapidly to France.

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Escanaba Boy Is Montdidier Hero?

The article follows in part:

Private Carl Kris of Fargo, N. D., is mentioned in orders for his coolness in working in the open under shell-fire while bandaging the wounds of a commanding officer and comrades until he himself became unconscious from gas. Though he saved the lives of the other he was removed with them to a hospital. Privates Vernon Mossman of Mount Vernon, Ind., Ralph Miller of Wabeno, Wis., Murph J. Brown of Dyersburg, Tenn., and Carlo Davis of Escanaba seem to bear charmed lives. On the front west of Montdidier one night all started out at the same time during a barrage to go to different parts of the front line. Though it was apparently impossible for a human being to penetrate that curtain of death, all returned in safety, though bruised from being knocked down by concussion.

U. S. Will Have A Big Surprise For The Enemy

Washington—President Wilson within another week, acting under the authority conferred upon him by the Overman bill, will amalgamate all the motor transportation of the country for war under one head. As a part of the motor service the fighting tanks used by the army will be included and in this respect a surprise is in store for the enemy. Already new tanks are well under way which are declared by experts to be better in every way than any heretofore used on the fighting front.

At the present time the authority to be concentrated is scattered about in the quartermaster's corps, the signal service bureau the ordnance bureau and three or four other bureaus. In all probability the service will be commanded by a colonel, who will have full authority to administer the intricate problems of the whole motor transportation problem.

One Hurt; \$100 Damage In Smash

The motor truck of the Delta Hardware company, driven by Fred Coyer, salesman of the company and the automobile of P. N. Peterson met amidships on the corner of Stephenson avenue and Langley street Thursday, damaging the Peterson car and inflicting slight injuries to the little daughter of Mr. Coyer, who was riding with him at the time.

Coyer was driving north on Stephenson avenue and Peterson was driving west on Langley, and when both cars approached the crossing they met with the Peterson car being skidded around in the street.

GYPSIES GET BANK ROLL OF HURONTOWN MAN

Houghton, Mich.—Albert Sibilsky, Hurontown, complained that a band of gypsies had worked him for \$1,775. The band, headed by Charles Fryer, has been camped, till last Monday, near the Isle Royale mine, where Sibilsky had worked for twenty-five years. They told him he had a large fortune coming from Germany and with the aid of spirits they would get it for him. He drew the savings of a lifetime from the Houghton bank and give it to them. The gypsies said the money would be used to stimulate the spirits and it would then be returned to Sibilsky. Sheriff Trudell has sent out a call through the upper peninsula to found up the band.

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Army Aviators Practice Mass Flying In Texas

Dallas, Texas—The aviators have given Texas another spectacle. For massed flying which now is being practiced in all aviation camps, is so "different," so impressive and so thrilling to witness that it has overcome the ennui with which the average citizen has viewed a sky flecked with individual aviators, and the epidemic of "arched neck," which was common when the aviators first came south to practice, again threatens.

There is something about the appearance of airplanes in formation, each flyer rigidly keeping an exact distance from the others that impresses one with the feeling that these men actually have control of the air. The single airplane may respond to conditions in the air, rising and falling to take advantage of the atmospheric situation, but in formation flying each must maintain his proper place, and the sight of a fleet of machines, flying in a triangle or in a square, causes the realization that conquest of the air had advanced to a point heretofore unrealized.

The formation flying usually starts in the evening, at about the civilian dinner hour, when the air is generally quiet. This adds to the worries of the housewife because when there is a fleet of war planes just over the house, dipping, turning, rising and soaring in perfect union, no normal son, daughter nor husband or father is going to "come in to dinner." The total number of cold meals eaten in Dallas alone since this new development in the process of developing American aviators, would startle statisticians, housewives say.

Too Late To Classify

LOST—Between Sarah street and Ludington hotel, lady's hat. Finder return to Ludington hotel. 534157-3t
FOR SALE—Excelsior motorcycle in good condition; price reasonable. Inquire Box 9, R. F. D. No. 1. 535-152-4t

WANTED—Two electricians. Apply at Economy Light Co., 1312 Ludington St., Escanaba. 152-3t

FOR RENT—5-room house; water and lights, at 326 North Mary St. 152-3t

WANTED—To purchase second-hand bath tub. Address C, Press office. 152-3t

LOST—Gold bar pin between 420 South Campbell street and cemetery or at cemetery. Finder please notify Mrs. A. O. Syverson, 420 South Campbell street. Phone 222M. 152-3t

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished room in private family. Inquire at 429 So. Campbell or Phone 138J. 153-3t

LOST—Tan belt from child's coat. Please return to 1515 Ludington St. 541-153-3t

LOST—Purse containing sum of money by woman who greatly needs the money. Finder please notify this office. A suitable reward will be given. 544-153-3t

FOR RENT—Building located at 1307 Ludington St., size 25x90; steam heat and electric elevator. Inquire at 1407 Wells Ave. 542-153-3t

WANTED—A single man to work on a farm near Fairport; must be able to go ahead with farm work and care of cattle; good chance for right man. Apply Leslie French, Escanaba. 540-153-3t

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Parade Plans Near Completion Registration Day

Preliminary plans are rapidly being completed for a big Red Cross parade to be held on June 5, as a part of the observance of national registration day.

J. E. Byrns, secretary of the Delta county chapter, American Red Cross is chairman of a special committee that has been named by County Chairman T. M. Juson to assume charge of the plans for the parade. Tentative plans for the big event have already been outlined by Mr. Byrns and within a few days a complete official announcement will be made.

It is planned to have all of the Red Cross workers of the county appear in a parade line that will lead to Ludington park where a patriotic address will be delivered by a prominent speaker.

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