

PRESIDENT OPENS FIGHT

ASKS COURT TO VOID PAYMENT OF ASSESSMENT

Joseph C. Valind to Combat Legality of Stephenson Avenue Project.

Joseph C. Valind, through his attorney, N. C. Spencer, yesterday commenced an action in circuit court, asking that the assessment roll on the Stephenson avenue paving completed in 1917, be set aside on the ground that the proceedings of the city council and special assessors were irregular.

Mr. Valind is the owner of two lots in the Cochrane Addition to the City of Escanaba. Both of these front on Stephenson avenue and the assessment against them for the improvement was \$320. This is 80 per cent of the cost of the improvement, the city paying the remaining fifth.

Work Completed.
The improvement was ordered by the council in July 1917 and the second installment of the special assessment is due.

In the declaration filed with the county clerk, Mr. Valind alleges: That before the improvement was ordered no notice was given that estimates of the expense with the plots and diagrams of the locality were deposited with the city clerk;

That no sufficient notice was given of the time and place of the meeting of the council and special assessors to review the assessment roll;

Says No Hearing Held.
That the special assessment roll was not filed with the city clerk for inspection two weeks before the time appointed by the council for the meeting of that body with the special assessors;

That the council did not meet with the board of assessors to review the assessment roll on the date appointed in the resolution ordering the improvement;

That the council did not designate the newspaper in which to publish the notice of the hearing;

That there were errors in entering the descriptions of the property.

Asks It Set Aside.
The document also states that Mr. Valind has been informed that there are numerous other objectionable features which render the assessment invalid.

He further states that the failure to pay the assessment on his property may result in a lien which would affect his title to the property and he asks that all proceedings in the case be declared void and set aside by the court.

Declare It Regular.
City officials interviewed yesterday declared that the proceedings in establishing the improvements were made according to the legal requirements.

It is understood that other property owners along the pavement, which extends from Ludington street to the intersection of Washington street and Hartnett avenue, are also interested in the action brought by Mr. Spenceh for Mr. Valind.

Effect Far Flung.
The interest in the hearing will be city-wide. In case the petition of Mr. Valind to be relieved from payment is granted, it will mean that none of the assessments were legal and the cost of the improvement will have to be borne by the taxpayers of the whole city.

\$30 AN HOUR IS BOLSHEVIK PAY

Berlin, Feb. 24.—Many prominent refugees from Russia paint fantastic pictures in which comedy mixes with tragedy. A high Russian officer who escaped today, said:

"Russian money which is the keynote of the Bolshevist power, is being printed in Berlin. Bolshevist soldiers are paid \$30 an hour during fighting. Trotsky's private guards get each \$12,500 a month.

"The Bolshevist army now numbers 1,000,000, including 25,000 well trained soldiers. I am convinced if the Allies sent 50,000 volunteers hundreds of thousands of Russians would join to overthrow the Bolsheviki.

"The Allies should install their own government in Russia and exploit the natural resources of Germany will. Even if Bolshevism is crushed, Russia will be unable for at least 10 years to govern herself. The political parties continue to fight among themselves."

TWO KILLED, 35 ARE INJURED IN TRAIN SMASHUP

Chicago, Feb. 24.—Two persons were killed and 35 injured tonight when a Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul local passenger train struck a spread rail and plunged down a 40-foot embankment, six miles west of Rockford, Ill.

Some of the injured will die. The wrecked train carried mostly passengers from Omaha and Kansas City, and was bound from Jamesville, Wis., to Davis Junction, where change of cars is made to the Chicago, Kansas City flyer, which leaves Chicago at 6 p. m.

All of the injured were rushed to Rockford on a special train.

FRANCE FEARS ANNEXATION OF AUSTRIA MOVE

Paris, Feb. 24.—The French are now coming around to the American point of view that delay in making peace with Germany is making for great unrest.

If Premier Clemenceau's condition had not improved, it was learned authoritatively tonight, the premier had intended to resign rather than cause further delay in the negotiations.

Make Way for Tardieu.
Every prospect now is that Clemenceau will soon be able to resume his work at the peace conference. If this hope is not realized, it is probable that the premier will make way for Andre Tardieu to take his place as president of the conference.

France is not objecting now to the proposal of rendering sufficient aid to Germany to enable her to resume business, stabilize the government and make certain the payments of reparation and indemnity which France must put her on her feet financially.

Annexation Causes Worry.
But France is disturbed over the prospect of Germany annexing Austria. Italy also is very much disturbed. Switzerland, too, is much concerned. A protest by Italy and Switzerland is among the possibilities.

The American view is that junction of German Austria with Germany would be self-determination and, therefore, in accord with President Wilson's fourteen points.

No Action Taken by the School Board

A meeting of the Escanaba board of education was held last night when the applications of a large number of candidates for the position of superintendent of schools to succeed F. E. King, were considered. No selection was made by the board, it was announced.

President Did Not Sign Bill in Boston

Boston, Feb. 24.—The president did not sign the big revenue bill here. It is learned that the measure is locked up in the White House safe awaiting his return.

SENATOR LEWIS SPEAKS FOR THE NATIONS LEAGUE

Illinois Senator Addresses Senate for Three Hours; Reed Answers.

Washington, Feb. 24.—The proposed league of nations had a powerful defender in Senator James Hamilton Lewis, of Illinois, the administration whip who addressed the senate for nearly three hours today.

Senator Lewis answered the attack made upon the league plans by Senators Lodge, of Massachusetts, Borah, of Idaho, and Reed, of Missouri, and declared that the league meant nothing more than that America was to fulfill her destiny in bringing peace to the world.

First to the Defense.
In the cycle of addresses on the subject to which the senate has listened since the constitution was submitted to the peace conference, Senator Lewis is the first in defense of the league. For this reason his speech had the closest attention of the senators and the crowd in the galleries.

There was another reason why the speech attracted more than ordinary interest. It was whispered among the senator's colleagues that when he arose to address the senate he would speak with authority, that he had been in communication with the president, and that his contribution to the debate would be a close reflection of the president's own views. Senator Lewis would make no comment on this report.

"No Promises in Plan."
When Senator Lewis had concluded, Senator Reed, of Missouri, one of the foremost opponents of the league, arose and stated that none of the things promised for the league by the Illinois senator are in the plan of the league of nations which has been presented. He added:

"The senator from Illinois is right, then the thing we have been promised is not in it. We were told that there would be disarmament and there is not a word in the constitution of the league to do that. Hence it appears that the chief argument for the league has been withdrawn and the chief reason for it has disappeared."

ST. PATRICK'S PLAN SPLENDID LENTEN SERVICE

Unusually impressive services will mark the observance of the Lenten period at St. Patrick's church. Lent will be ushered in with Ash Wednesday on March 5. This year the Lenten services at St. Patrick's will be held in the church auditorium, instead of the chapel as in the past. Throughout Lent Masses will be celebrated each morning at 7:15 o'clock and 8 o'clock.

Series of Sermons.
On each Wednesday evening during Lent Rev. Dr. Barth will deliver a series of sermons on the subject, "I Believe in the Holy Catholic Church." This series will have to do with the institution of a positive, infallible teaching church. The public will be cordially welcomed at each of these services.

On Friday evenings during Lent there will be the Way of the Cross and Benediction.

On Saturday, March 8 at the 8 o'clock Mass there will be the solemn opening of St. Patrick's novena to close on St. Patrick's day, which is the Titular feast of the congregation.

Devotion of Tre Ore.
During Holy week, at the close of Lent, the services at St. Patrick's will be unusually impressive as there will be observed this year, like last year on Good Friday, the great Devotion of the Tre Ore. Additional details concerning this special service will be announced by Dr. Barth later.

High Mass on Ash Wednesday, when the blessing and distribution of the ashes will take place, will be held at 8 o'clock.

BIG STRIKE IN ENGLAND IS AVERTED

London, Feb. 24.—From out of the cloud of impending strikes and civil strife developing in Great Britain this evening as the result of the miners' balloting overwhelmingly favoring a national walkout on March 15, there comes one ray of light.

Agree to George's Plan.
It is the apparent attitude of the miners' leaders to agree to Premier Lloyd George's impassioned plea in the house of commons today to postpone the strike a fortnight pending an inquiry into the demands of the workers by a government commission.

Labor Leader Adamson announced in commons that the total vote was 6,198 in favor of a strike March 15, and 104,997 against a majority of more than half a million votes.

The prime minister in his speech declared that granting concessions of a 20 per cent increase in wages and a six hour day would mean the coal at the pits would cost 25 shillings a ton compared to America's 11 or 12 shillings.

Would Affect Industries.
This the premier said would seriously affect Britain's glass furnaces as well as the engineer, shipping and building trades and the railways. He urged the men to throw themselves upon the government's inquiry and avert civil strife.

Washington, Feb. 24.—Danger of a nation-wide strike of building trades workers was averted by the action of a conference of the war department this afternoon in which representatives of the employees and workers and Secretary of War Baker and Secretary of Labor Wilson participated.

Under an agreement the men already out are to immediately return to work and the difference submitted to the conference committee of three representatives, each of employees and employers.

New trouble arose over wage demands of New York union carpenters, who demanded an increase of \$1 per day, or \$6.50.

SHEBOYGAN HAS PROTEST MEET FOR V. BERGER

Sheboygan, Wis., Feb. 24.—When Victor L. Berger was convicted and released pending appeal last week, he was placed under pledge not to continue his campaign of propaganda until the hearing of his case by a higher court.

At a mass meeting held here tonight his place was ably taken by Mrs. Berger who described the incidents of the trial and declared it was a trial of Socialism and asserted that every incident of the trial was evidence that the capitalists were determined to keep Berger out of congress.

The meeting was largely attended and was advertised as a protest against the espionage act and against the keeping of political prisoners in jail.

BRITAIN'S FOOD CONTROLLER TO OPPOSE PACKERS

London, Feb. 24.—Not only is Food Controller E. H. Roberts preparing a memorandum on the operations of the American meat trust in England for presentation to the economic section of the league of nations committee at Paris, but he is also submitting figures of the trust's present grip on Great Britain.

The British food controller stands squarely upon the report of the federal trade commission submitted to commons last July.

The sensational allegation contained in the report from an American source applies to England as well, according to the parliamentary secretary of the food ministry, in an interview today.

Sherman Whipple to Take Gregory's Job

Boston, Feb. 24.—Sherman L. Whipple, of Boston, it was learned on semi-official authority this afternoon, will be the man selected by President Wilson to succeed Attorney General Gregory.

League Must Live

Wilson Declares Nations of World Must do as People Dictate or New Governments Will Take Place of Present Rule.

HERE are some of the high spots in the speech by President Wilson in Mechanics' Hall, Boston, on his return from the peace conference at Paris. The crowd was so large that many had to be turned away.

"The proudest thing I have to report to you is that this great country of ours is trusted throughout the world.

"There is a common spirit and a common realization of the necessity of setting up new standards of right in the world.

"No man dares to go home from the peace conference and report anything less stable than was expected of him.

"I have met with the moderateness of those who have represented national claims. I can testify that I have no where seen the gleam of passion.

"There is no nation in Europe that suspects the motives of the United States.

"I have so many grounds for pride on the other side of the water that I am very thankful that there are not grounds for personal pride, but for national pride. If they were grounds for personal pride I'd be the most stuck-up man in the world.

"Men have testified to me in Europe that our men were possessed by something that they could only call religious fervor. They had a vision. They had a dream and they were fighting in the dream and—fighting in the dream, they turned the whole tide of battle and it never came back.

"Any man who resists the present tide that runs in the world will find himself thrown up on a shore so high that it will seem as if he had been separated from his human kind forever.

"I do not mean any disrespect to any other great people when I say America is the hope of the world, and if she does not justify that hope the results are unthinkable.

"The arrangements of the present needs cannot stand generations unless they are guaranteed by the united forces of the civilized world.

"When I speak of the nations of the world I do not speak of the world. I speak of the people who constitute the nations of the world. They are in the saddle and they are going to see to it that if their present governments do not do their will some other government shall. And the secret is out, and the present governments know it."

OPPOSE PLANS FOR TRAINING

National Educators Plan to Fight Military Program for Schools.

Chicago, Feb. 24.—A determined fight against the war department program for military training in the schools was launched here at tonight's opening session of the National Educational Association convention. No agreement is in sight and it is expected that the matter will come up on the floor of the convention.

The Boy Scouts of America refuse to co-operate with the war department in a scheme for the "young soldier" training in the schools. They oppose military training for boys under 18 years.

Major Supports Plan.
James E. West, national director and manager of the New York office, is here with the avowed intention to oppose the program of the war department. Dr. Ralph Perry, a major in the army and secretary of the committee on education and special training of the war department, is present to support the plan of the department.

Dr. Henry E. Holmes, professor of education of Harvard university, stated the position of the war department when he said:

"The government desires to complete a plan of military training in the school which shall be the fullest sense educational. The committee on education and special training seek the co-operation of school men, boy scout officers and other educators in order to make the regulation comply fully with educational requirements.

Remove Kaiser Taint.
Plans for revision of school histories is designed to eliminate Prussianism and remove possibilities of fostering ill feeling between the United States and England by restraining from putting undue emphasis on the revolutionary war and the war of 1812.

Advocates of the movement say it

HAD REVOLVER; HE WANTED TO SEE PRESIDENT

Boston, Feb. 24.—Considerable excitement was caused at the Copple plaza hotel this afternoon just before the president left the hotel for the Mechanics' Hall, by the arrest of a man carrying a .32 calibre revolver and a blackjack.

The man was arrested as he was trying to enter the hotel. When the police asked him his mission he replied:

"I want to see the president."

Three secret service men took charge of him and later had him locked up. He gave his name as Andrew J. Rogosky and his address as No. 1 Taylor street, Worcester, Mass. He is 35 years old.

At the police station, where he was locked up, he was charged with carrying dangerous weapons.

A throng gathered in front of the hotel and assumed a threatening aspect when the man was seized but it was quickly quieted by the police.

Authorize Pershing to Pay Off Soldiers

Washington, Feb. 24.—The war department today authorized General Pershing to make settlement in emergency cases with all men who were separated from the service in France, thus avoiding the delay which would occur if the soldiers were obliged to wait till arriving here.

Such delay would be very likely in the event the soldier had lost any of his records.

The soldier can now make affidavit as to the truth of his statements relating to his own pay and allotment, and this will be accepted as a supplementary service record on which he can draw his pay.

Bandits Force Man to Give Up \$10,000

Detroit, Mich., Feb. 24.—Two bandits shortly before noon today held up T. A. Starks, treasurer of a creamery company, and robbed him of \$10,000. He was on his way from the company's office to the bank. The men jumped from an automobile and forced him to surrender a small satchel in which he carried the money.

WILSON IS HERE TO START SCRAP FOR THE LEAGUE

Intimates Monroe Doctrine Has Outlived All of Its Usefulness.

Boston, Feb. 24.—President Wilson and his party left for Washington at 4 p. m. on a special train.

Boston, Feb. 24.—Plans for a mass meeting to protest against league of nations plans of President Wilson, already have taken a formidable front. The slogan adopted for the meeting is "America first."

Boston, Feb. 24.—President Wilson has come home to fight for the league of nations.

He believes the fight will be successful because the country is behind him. He says he welcomes the fight.

This was the high point in the president's address at Mechanics' hall this afternoon, his first public report to the American people on the deliberations of the peace conference in Paris.

Outlived Usefulness!
Mr. Wilson also uttered a strong intimation that the Monroe doctrine has outlived its usefulness, for he declared that a mere treaty of peace would be nothing but a "modern scrap of paper; no nations to defend it, no great forces combined to make it good, no assurance given to the down-trodden people of the world that they shall be saved."

"Any man who thinks that America will take part in giving the world any such rebuff and disappointment as that does not know America."

With as much force as the president could command he went on:

Not Confined to America.
"I invite that man to look the sentiments of the nation. We set this nation up to make men free and we did not confine our conceptions and purposes to America, and now we will make men free. If we did not do that all the fame of America would be gone and all her power would be dissipated."

Then the president uttered these ominous words:

"She then would have to keep her honor for those narrow, selfish provincial purposes which seem severe to some minds that have no sweep beyond the nearest horizon."

Reception is Hearty.
Therein was heard what thoughtful listeners regarded as the Wilson conception of the Monroe doctrine.

The president's reception, from the hour of which he left the George Washington at 9 o'clock this morning until he left for Washington at 4:30 this afternoon was a public demonstration.

The ride from the pier to the hotel through human lines held back from his carriage by long lines of khaki-clad soldiers with bayonets fixed, was marked by one continuous cheer. By the big demonstration came at the Mechanics' hall. Here 7,000 persons had massed themselves into the brilliantly decorated auditorium.

Tumult Meets Wilson.
The vessel George Washington arrived in the Boston harbor Sunday night shortly after dark. Joseph E. Tumulty, private secretary to the president, met the presidential party aboard the ship while she was at anchor and spent a portion of the night in conference with Mr. Wilson. He did not leave the vessel until the party came ashore today.

A marked characteristic of the decorations in Boston was the mass of flags of all nations identified with

WEATHER

TUESDAY, FEB. 25, 1919

Forecast: Tuesday, snow and much colder.

Highest yesterday, 34.
Lowest yesterday, 16.
Precipitation, .04.

GARRISON HAS JOINED REBELS

Berlin, Feb. 24.—The entire garrison of Munich has joined the Spartacus, according to latest word from the revolt swept Bavarian capital.

The "Reds" have arrested many prominent men, including all majority Socialist ministers.

Bavarian troops are in the outskirts of Munich preparing for a decisive battle with the Spartacoids.

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the United States in the war against Germany.

Gods Reception Along Way. New York, Feb. 24.—President Wilson stepped to the rear platform of his special train at 7:30 o'clock tonight as the train stopped a moment at Chateaufort station in Bronx.

Secretary Tumulty said that the reception along the route from Boston had been tremendous and had pleased the president greatly.

Unusual vigilance was taken to protect the train. A pilot engine, proceeded ahead while secret service men were constantly on guard.

CATHOLICS BACK STATE OFFICERS TO CLEAR DEATH

Traverse City, Feb. 24.—Lecelanau County officers were in Manistee tonight questioning Father Andrew Bienowski, Polish priest, and Mrs. Stanislaw Lypchinski, formerly his housekeeper, on the disappearance 13 years ago of Sister Superior Mary Johns.

In Charge of Parish. Father Bienowski was in charge of the Isadore parish when Sister Mary Johns disappeared from it in August, 1907. Mrs. Lypchinski then was his housekeeper.

Early tonight officers from Traverse City located the priest and his former housekeeper at Manistee. They were separated and questioned. In the meantime Lecelanau officers went to Detroit to interest Father Edward Goglewski, the priest who succeeded Father Bienowski in the Isadore parish and who obtained from the Detroit priest information that will bring definite developments in the investigation within the next few hours.

Church Aids Officials. The Catholic church stands back of the state officials in clearing up the mystery and causing the arrest and conviction of the guilty party or parties. It was announced Monday, every assistance is being given by the Catholic clergy.

Armageddon. Armageddon, mentioned in Revelation 16:16, was the plain of Esdraelon, the scene of Israelish victories, and hence the term is used to signify the scene of a momentous test of any kind, especially of a decisive battle. It was used by the Progressive national convention in 1912, and has been frequently used in connection with the war.

Something Worse. "Remember, son, Garfield drove nails on a tow path and Lincoln split skulls." "I know, dad; but, say, did any of these presidents ever crank a cold motor in a blizzard for half an hour before he discovered that he didn't have any gasoline?"—Richmond Times Dispatch.

Dangerous Natural Gas. One of the disadvantages of natural gas facilities is that the filtered gas is practically odorless and therefore, undetected. Gas has been discovered to be nearly always present in buildings fronting on unshelved streets.

Much Wastage of Potatoes. The annual potato crop of the United States is around 400,000,000 bushels. Government statistics show that of this at least 75,000,000 bushels are lost. This wastage is due to the cultiva-tion and freezing of potatoes in ship-

HOUSE REACHES AGREEMENT ON ALCOHOL LIMIT

One-half of One Per Cent is to be Allowed in Making of Beverages.

Washington, Feb. 24.—One half of one per cent of alcohol is the limit for beverage manufactured and sold in the United States after July 1, as fixed in the bill to provide the machinery for enforcement of war time prohibition.

The house judiciary committee reached an agreement on the measure today and it will be reported to the house tomorrow.

Decline Seizure Rights. The committee declined to include in the proposed legislation a provision for search and seizure where intoxicating liquors are held only for personal use. Some prohibitionists urge the necessity of such action to prevent users of intoxicants from laying in a supply in anticipation of the dry days to come.

As the bill comes from the committee a person having liquor stored can be convicted of violating the law only when it is proved that he has it for the purpose of sale.

Expect Early Reply. If the bill cannot be called up in the house by unanimous consent, a special rule giving it right of way will be asked. It is believed that it will be possible to get it through the lower branch before the end of the week. It is very doubtful, however, whether it can be put through the senate before the present session expires at midnight next Monday.

107,444 DEAD IS ARMY TOTAL

Report Shows 48,768 Died in Battle Overseas Since the First Landing

Washington, Feb. 24.—The deaths in the United States army from April 1, 1917, to Feb. 14, 1919, totalled 107,444.

An analysis of the totals by the statistics branch of the general staff shows that 72,951 died in American expeditionary forces, 20,829 from disease, 48,768 in battle and 3,354 from other causes.

The deaths for the United States were 34,493, of which 32,737 were from disease and 1,756 from other causes. The figures for the expeditionary force include all reports up to Feb. 16.

Wanted Patience. He was a green Scottish lad, and one of his duties was to answer the telephone. When first called on to do so, in reply to the usual query: "Are you there?" he nodded assent. Again the question came and again and yet again, and each time the boy gave the answering nod. When the question came for the fifth time, however, the boy, losing his temper, roared through the transmitter: "Man, are ye bin? I've been noddin' ma head off for the last half oor!"—Boston Transcript.

COMPANY F DRILL. Company F, M. S. T., will meet for drill at the high school, at 7:30 tonight.

RIFLE THAT BOONE CARRIED

Old-Fashioned Flint Lock Said to Have Been Brought to Wisconsin Town by Southerner.

Daniel Boone's rifle, a genuine old-fashioned flint lock, carried by Boone on many a perilous trip in the dark and bloody hunting ground of Kentucky and on his famous Indian hunting expeditions, was recently brought into a hardware store in a small town in southwestern Wisconsin for much needed repairs. It is now the property of a Mr. Rafter, formerly of Mississippi, who recently traded his 2,800 acre plantation for Wisconsin property and has moved his effects north. The rifle was given him by a doctor, to whom it had been given by an aged hermit living in the mountains of Tennessee.

The rifle is a formidable affair, a real "long rifle," one of the type that gave the nickname of the "long rifles" to our western frontiersmen. It has a barrel 46 inches long, is .45 caliber, a flint lock with a patchbox of inlaid silver, and weighs ten pounds. The end of the butt is set with a wild boar's tusk, and has the double or set trigger. On the side of the stock are carved with a jackknife the words, "Boon's Tru Fren," on the walnut stock the initials D. B. and five most significant and sinister notches, each notch standing for "one good Injun." At the lower end of the stock is a long and deeply cut gash said to have been cut by an Indian tomahawk thrown at Boone. What happened to the Indian is not recorded.

The rifle, badly broken in shipment, has been repaired and is now on exhibition.—Exchange.

ENDLESS CHAIN NOT MYSTICAL

Doctor Fighting Influenza Explains How Curative Serum Went From Patient to Patient.

The prevalence of influenza and pneumonia with their high death rate makes it imperative to resort to heroic methods of treatment rather than to follow the accepted ones only. The lack of serum or other specific remedy for influenza, writes Dr. Charles R. Humbert in the Medical Record, together with the inability to obtain antipneumococcus serum forced me to use convalescent serum.

The endless chain.—It is a well-known fact that persons convalescing from pneumonia have anti-bodies in their blood streams. As soon as the patients' condition permits, therefore, they are bled as much and as frequently as possible.

Serum is prepared and treated, and is placed in stock. When another patient comes in with pneumonia; treatment is begun. When convalescence sets in the above procedure is repeated. It is a case of one gives serum to two, two gives serum to three and so on, the procedure becoming endless.

Censor's Office Boy

It must be the censor's office boy who is responsible for some of the vagaries of the blue pencil. Not long ago some patriotic soul quoted Kipling's line from the "Recessional," "The captains and the kings depart." He had the surprise of his life when the word "kings" was struck out. But worse is now reported. Another scribe, greatly daring in the meatless days, quoted Thomas Hood's joke in an article on "Wayside Graves," or something equally solemn: "So they buried Ben at four cross-roads With a stake in his inside."

That was too much for the censor's office boy. A stake in his inside, indeed. The censor's office boy knew if he knew how to spell that the food controller would never sanction a whole "steak"—a nice, succulent, juicy steak, in anybody's inside. So he deleted the offending lines. Who shall say that we are not ardently patriotic people?—London News.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

WANTED—To rent a five or six room flat or house, modern. If you have one call 1031. 2848-56-31.

READ THE MORNING PRESS

HOUSE RECORDS ITS OPPOSITION TO EMBARGOES

Charge English Spinners Are Selling Cotton Shorts on Market.

Washington, Feb. 24.—The house went on record tonight as opposed to embargoes on exports. It adopted an amendment to the sundry bill providing that no part of the appropriations for the war trade board shall be available as long as embargoes on the exportation of American goods and farm products remain in effect.

The amended paragraph make available until the president's proclamation of peace any unexpended balance of \$3,500,000 appropriated for the war trade board for the present year. The amendment was offered by Representative Brand, of Georgia. Representative Steagall, of Alabama, offered an amendment to the amendment including peanuts and cotton seed oil. Both were adopted.

Representative Ragsdale, of South Carolina, charged that English spinners are selling cotton shorts on the American exchanges in an effort to beat down the price and this government, through embargoes, is denying its citizens their rights to selling their goods in the markets of the world. Others were prepared to show that exports from this country were controlled by Great Britain.

LANSING NOTES

Rep. Charles Evans' bill providing a state tax of 25 cents a horsepower and 35 cents a hundredweight on all automobiles operated by gasoline power and an equivalent tax on gasoline and steam trucks has passed the lower branch of the legislature.

The senate committee on public health has reported favorably Senator James Hoar's bill to make it unlawful for any person affected with a social disease to work in any establishment where food products are prepared or sold.

The senate committee on agriculture has reported out Rep. Charles Evans' bill proposing that all farm tractors sold in the state be equipped with fenders. It also has reported out Senator B. C. Davis' bill to appropriate \$100,000 for State Fair Commission to be used in payment of premium awards, after cutting the appropriation to \$75,000. The bill now goes to the finance and appropriations committee.

Asserting it would practically put the drug stores out of business if enacted into law Satinaw druggists have protested the Lewis bill, now pending before the legislature. The bill would prohibit sale of any medicine containing alcohol, except on prescription of a physician.

Faint Praise.

Speaking of doubtful compliments, a subscriber writes: "I wish to offer the following as one of the best examples I have ever seen. An accomplished musician was invited by a friend to a church service in order to hear the chorus choir render a special selection. The friend, highly pleased with the rendition, was awaiting with much interest her companion's verdict. It came thus, in a whisper: 'They sit well.'—From the Outlook.

What is in Your Heart?

It is not always necessary to make a conscious effort to help others. If we are trying our hardest to do right, helpfulness will radiate from our lives, as heat radiates from a fire. If there is kindness and sympathy in our hearts, our very silence will be eloquent. The greater part of helpfulness is the conscious sort, which is the direct result of our being what we are.

DELFT THEATRE ENID BENNETT in "The VAMP" —An Excellent Substitute. TO OUR PATRONS: Our feature attraction, "Woman" originally booked for Monday and Tuesday, we are unable to show, due to the film having been stolen enroute to Houghton, Mich. This information reached us too late to make announcement in Sunday's paper. We have substituted for today, ENID BENNETT in "The Vamp." TOMORROW & THURSDAY— Dorothy Dalton in "The Mating of Marcella"

OPPOSE PLANS FOR TRAINING National Educators Plan to Fight Military Program for Schools. (Continued From Page One.)

conforms with similar plans in England for instruction of English school children regarding early relations of America and Great Britain. Dr. Guy Stanton Ford, director of the educational program movement of the government, said 500,000 copies of different phases of the history of the war are being sent out every two weeks to every school in America. Must Rewrite Histories. "School histories will have to be rewritten," he said, "and that work is under way. And instead of praise of Germany and pictures of the Kaiser's decorating the pages, while century-old differences with England are emphasized, the reverse will be true. The history of the present war will occupy a large place in the histories. They will be placed in the public schools next year. "Other problems of the convention is a program of national education, to educate every boy and girl, as embodied in the Smith-Townsend bill; the nationalization of the school garden movement, and health education.

DELFT THEATRE Only Performance February Friday Nite 28th FRIENDLY ENEMIES A PLAY FOR THE NATION BY SAMUEL SHERMAN AND ARON HOFFMAN THIS IS NOT A PHOTOPLAY PRESIDENT WILSON Publicly endorsed "Friendly Enemies," from his box at the National Theatre, Washington. —The President said: "All that I can say has already been said most admirably in this beautiful play. All the sentiments I could express have been admirably represented—sentiments that, I hope, will soon grip the world." Friendly Enemies" is a national play, because it is a play of and for the times. But the effectiveness of its preachment lies in the fact that it is artistically one of the finest plays of the generation. "There is the fun of a 'Potash' yarn and now and then there is the pathos of a 'Music Master'."—Ashton Stevens, Examiner.

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COMING TO THE DELFT.

GRAND LARCENY TO BE CHARGED AGAINST BOYS

Four Young Men Held in Robbery Case Are to be Given Hearing.

With a charge of grand larceny preferred against them, four Escanaba young men—Erwin Metiever, Harold Gangstad, Michael Sullivan and Robert Sullivan—will be held at the county jail pending a hearing before Judge C. D. McEwen Thursday afternoon. They were arraigned Monday afternoon but requested a hearing, at which time it is probable they will be bound over to circuit court for trial.

It developed at the session in Judge McEwen's court Monday that the rough and tumble fight at the Milos S. Radmonovich pool room in North Escanaba was not a frameup, and that no robbery had been planned.

Metiever Found Roll.

Metiever found the roll of over \$400 on the sidewalk after Radmonovich fought with several of the gang of young men. It was not until the next day that Gangstad and the Sullivan brothers "got in on the deal."

A partner of Radmonovich's whom he called "Nick" reported to Radmonovich that a pool ball had been stolen. They tried to put Gangstad out of the place but he refused to go. Later, however, he went out. It developed that somebody "took a crack at" Radmonovich later and a general fight ensued. Radmonovich had several partners, but the gang of boys apparently had a little the better of the argument.

Hid Cash in Lumber.

It was during the fight that Radmonovich lost his pocketbook. Metiever picked it up, he told the police, and later he split the roll's contents with Gangstad. They hid it in a lumber pile in North Escanaba.

The following day Metiever met Robert Sullivan. While pulling out a cigarette paper he accidentally showed Sullivan a portion of the bills of money he had in his pocket. He admitted to Sullivan, he claims, that he picked up the pocketbook.

With this admission, Metiever and Sullivan proceeded to double cross Gangstad and took the share of the money Gangstad had hidden in the lumber pile. Michael Sullivan followed them. He also got a share of the cash. Gangstad refused to leave town but the other three boarded a freight for Spalding walked to Hermansville and caught a train out of that town.

Most of Cash Recovered.

It was at Rhinelander where they were caught by the sheriff of that town who had been notified by the police here. Michael Sullivan broke away from the sheriff but later turned up here and gave himself up to the authorities.

All but about \$20 of the total sum of \$440 has been recovered, in addition to a watch which one of the men purchased on the train from a news agent, paying \$20 for it.

At least one of the boys has a reform school record and is out on parole now. It is not unlikely that he will be sent back to the reformatory.

So far as Otto Smith is concerned, it is apparent he had no connection with the deal, officers insist. Radmonovich could not identify him as one of the gang with whom he had fought Wednesday night.

STATE OF MICHIGAN.

Twenty-fifth Judicial Circuit, in Chanery—Suit pending in Circuit Court for the County of Delta in Chanery, at Escanaba, on the 17th day of February, A. D. 1919.

Laura Steel, Plaintiff.

vs. Guy Steel, Defendant.

In this cause it appearing that the Defendant's residence cannot be ascertained after due inquiry, and that it cannot be ascertained in what state or county the Defendant resides, but that his whereabouts are unknown, therefore on motion of C. D. McEwen, attorney for Plaintiff, it is ordered that the defendant enter his appearance in said cause on or before three months from the date of this order and that within twenty days the Plaintiff cause this order to be published in the Escanaba Morning Press, said publication to be continued once in each week for six weeks in succession.

JOS. F. CUDDY, Circuit Court Commissioner, Delta County.

C. D. McEwen, Attorney for Plaintiff.

Business Address: Escanaba, Michigan.

46-Street.

Miss Eva Patrick of Munising is visiting at her home here.

SURPRISE FOR BOTH

By EVA H. MARTIN.

"There, now!" said Rhoda S. It's finished, and I'm glad, for it certainly has been a hard job, but it looks good, I'm proud of it, and I'm going to spend all my spare time knitting for the soldiers. They have hard jobs, too, at times. And when I stop to think of what they are doing for us, it makes me ashamed of myself for calling this a hard job. But it's the first knitting I ever did. And mother says, after I have finished two or three I'll be an expert. I wonder if I ever will; for when I look closely at this sweater I can see two drop stitches.

"Oh, dear me! I guess I'll have to rip this all out again, and pick them up, and they are fully four inches back."

"Say, Mabel, what would you do?" "If it were mine," said her sister, looking up for the first time during the conversation, "from the sock she was about to finish, I'd simply darn that place, and let it go at that. The soldier who is lucky enough to get it won't mind a little thing like that. And if he does notice it he will wonder who took the pains to mend it so neatly, and possibly try to learn who she is, and what she looks like."

"Well, to save him the trouble I'm going to write my name and address on a slip of paper and tuck it inside somewhere."

"Better still, put one of your little pictures in it, just for fun."

"No, I wouldn't like to do that. Some fellow from around here might get it, and think me a fine little goose."

"Oh, go on," teased Mabel, "it might prove romantic, and I'm sure none of the boys who know us will ever get it. But wouldn't it be fun if brother Bill were to get it himself? He certainly would think you had got to be 'some knitter' since he went to camp."

After much argument the photograph was chosen and tucked away in a little corner provided for the purpose, and the sweater, together with Mabel's socks, returned to the local branch of the American Red Cross, where it was packed in a box, with many other comforts for the boys who were to remain in a Western camp for the winter.

In due time the consignment reached camp, and each soldier received a comfort kit, in which were many useful and necessary articles.

One evening a few weeks later as Bill S. sat writing letters, he was surprised to see his old college chum, Jim W., reading a newspaper at the other end of the room, as he had heard Jim was in France months ago.

"Hello, there Jim, old man, how are you? Thought you were chasing the Huns back to Berlin long ago."

"No, I had hoped to be doing that, but our company has not gone across yet. We have been transferred here, and I can't say I like the change, for it is cold. I think I would have frozen stiff, only for this sweater I got from the Red Cross—fits like a glove; and see what I found tucked in the corner! Really, you'll think I've gone crazy when I tell you I'm in love with her. I dream of her, take this little picture out ten times a day and look at it and wonder if I'll ever have the good luck to meet her. Why, what's up, Bill? You look as though you recognized her."

But Bill only answered: "She's pretty, and I'm glad you like her. Hope she approves of you when you meet. I must get ready and finish my letters. I'm going home on furlough for eight days, starting tomorrow. I wish you could arrange it and come along with me. I've a little surprise planned for you."

"What's the surprise? No, you won't tell me? All right; I guess it's something like the pranks you used to put over on the old professor. Ha, ha!"

Two days later Bill and his friend, Lieutenant W., arrived at the S. home and were welcomed by Mrs. S., who said the girls were out, but would soon be back. Just then the doorbell rang and two bright young ladies rushed in and almost smothered Bill with embraces.

"There, there, girls! Hold off a minute until I present my old chum, Jim W." Then came the surprise. Jim at once recognized Rhoda as the girl of his dreams and darted some accusing glances at Bill, who was enjoying the joke to perfection.

"Say, what did I tell you, Jim! Some surprise, eh?"

The girls wanted to know what Bill meant by the "surprise," and Jim explained it by saying it was some of their silly college tricks he was referring to. But when he knew Rhoda better and had an opportunity to speak with her alone, he took from the corner of a certain brown sweater with a neat little mend in it the picture he had shown Bill, and told her the whole story, and more, too! Then, was Rhoda surprised also, and very happy, and she promised Jim she would continue to knit for the soldiers, but would not put her picture in any more.

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Nobility Well Housed.

Castles and palaces throughout Germany are innumerable. Karl der Grosse or Charlemagne, heroic founder of France and Germany both, had palaces at Aachen and Ingelheim, both near the Rhine, and ruins of which are still standing. Great is the number which have been erected since. The German nobility has always been fittingly housed.

SMEARS LEAVES UNDER CHARGE OF A SERGEANT

McKinley Smears, who was arrested by the police authorities here after a search extending over more than a month's time is wanted at Fort Benjamin Harrison, Ind., on a charge of desertion, according to Sergt. Conard, who came here yesterday and accompanied Smears to Fort Harrison.

When arrested Smears stoutly maintained his innocence and asserted he had been discharged, but because his papers were at a small town near Marquette, he could not get them hurriedly. However, he made no efforts to secure his papers either by telephone or telegraph communications to the place where they were kept.

According to the army sergeant, Smears has been sought since some time in December. Smears claims that he was discharged in December.

School Men Attend National Meeting

F. B. King, superintendent of schools in Escanaba, C. U. Woodport, county school commissioner; E. J. Willmer and W. M. Beals, heads of the Gladstone and Bark River schools respectively, are attending the superintendent's division of the National Educational Association's convention in Chicago.

Mr. King left Sunday night for Chicago and the other educators followed last night.

The program promises to be one of the most interesting ever arranged for a similar gathering.

Riley Returns from Phone Rate Hearing

T. J. Riley, attorney for Escanaba and the county of Delta at the inquiry by the State Railroad Commission into the increased rates proposed by the Michigan State Telephone Co., returned home from Lansing Sunday night.

The hearing was adjourned to March 25 to give the cities of Michigan more time to prepare their side of the case. The telephone company's stand was presented last week.

Mr. Riley will recommend a course of action at the next meeting of the board of supervisors and it is not unlikely that he and T. E. Strom, county prosecutor, will attend the March review of the matter.

He Cripples English Language, Says Lewis

Boldy and almost defiantly Dave Lewis, now playing in "Friendly Enemies," which comes to the Delft theatre on Feb. 28, declares that no one he English language than he has. His one has done more towards crippling attack on it started when he was an infant, and passing from the goo-goo period into boyhood, he still kept after it. Then began his stage career, and with the aid of Dutch dialect, his bombardment began in earnest, and he is still at it. "So long as I am encouraged by the laughs, the smiles and applause," says unrepentant Dave Lewis, "I'm going to keep on crippling."

Grange Meeting is to be Held Later

The meeting of the Grange at Fort River Switch, which was to have been held Sunday afternoon when George F. McEwen and C. E. Lewis of that city planned to assist in the organization of a Thrift Club, has been postponed until later in the week.

Dreadful Cough Cured.

A severe cold is often followed by a rough cough for which Chamberlain's Cough Remedy has proven especially valuable. Mrs. F. W. Olson, of Maryville, Mo., writes: "About two years ago my little boy Jean caught a severe cold and coughed dreadfully for days. I tried a number of cough medicines but nothing did him any good until I gave him Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It relieved his cough right away and before he had finished taking one bottle he was cured. I think it is just fine for children."

STOP CATARRH! OPEN NOSTRILS AND HEAD

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If your nostrils are clogged and your head is stuffed and you can't breathe freely because of a cold or catarrh, just get a small bottle of Ely's Cream Balm at any drug store. Apply a little of this fragrant, antiseptic cream into your nostrils and let it penetrate through every air passage of your head, soothing and healing the inflamed, swollen mucous membrane and you get instant relief. Ah! how good it feels. Your nostrils are open, your head is clear; no more hawking, snuffling, blowing; no more headache, dryness or struggling for breath. Ely's Cream Balm is just what sufferers from head colds and catarrh need. It's a delight.

MICHIGAN BRIEFS

OWOSSO—Physicians from the State Board of Health, addressed public meetings here, throwing light on the dangers and prevalence of social diseases. The meetings aroused little interest.

HOLLAND—The sheriff's force is investigating three robberies, which occurred here during the last few nights. At one place a quantity of footstuffs was taken. One widow reported she had been robbed of 30 cents.

BAY CITY—Postmasters of the third district, Michigan branch of the National League of Postmasters, held a conference and elected L. J. Paterson, Tawas City, president, and G. H. Moat, Twining, secretary-treasurer.

PAW PAW—Henry Quigno, of this place, is believed to have been the first full-blooded Pottawatonic Indian who gave his life for the United States in the war with Germany. He was killed in action early in November.

THREE RIVERS—Apoplexy is believed to have been the cause of the death of Lewis Lake, whose body was found in the manger of a barn near his home. Grief over the demise of his wife is believed to have hastened his death.

KALAMAZOO—County Clerk Pomroy will appoint a deputy at Camp Custer to issue naturalization papers to Kalamazoo county aliens, who are returning to the cantonments after having served in the American army abroad.

PAW PAW—Private Grant McFarlin, of this city, is recovering in a French hospital from shell shock, shrapnel wounds and chlorine gas, which rendered him totally blind for several weeks. His parents had given him up as lost.

GRAND RAPIDS—W. A. Godfrey, Henton Harbor, was elected president of the State Cannery Association at the annual meeting here. Other officers are: Vice president, E. B. Gill Central Lake; secretary-treasurer, William Vanderveen, New Era.

HOLLAND—Three farmers who refused to sell a piece of land to the Ottawa county road commissioners, to be used for extending the West Michigan pike, have had their land taken away from them at a price \$200 lower than originally offered.

HILLSDALE—The tenth annual Washington's birthday banquet, biggest social event of the year for Hillsdale college, will be held under the auspices of the senior class at Sutton's hall, Saturday evening. It will be attended by 300 students, faculty and townspeople.

CHARLOTTE—Dr. Henry S. Curtis, of Olivet, who has been in France for several months, engaged in Y. M. C. A. recreational work among the soldiers, has been asked by the French

government to take over the work of laying out playgrounds for that country.

ST. JOSEPH—St. Joseph's beacon light, dating from 1859, will probably soon be replaced by a tower light to stand on the north pier of the local harbor. The usefulness of the old beacon is past, and only the historic loyalty of mariners to their beacons has kept it where it is.

GRAND RAPIDS—Because Mrs. Stewart did not deem it proper that her husband's name be placed on the city ticket for commissioner, the name of Maj. Earl R. Stewart will not be presented to the voters. The major is now with the 32nd Division in Germany.

GRAND RAPIDS—Coroner J. B. Hilliker lies at the point of death from concussion of the brain, as the result of being struck by a bicycle and knocked to the pavement. The doctor was returning to his home from making a call when the accident occurred.

FLINT—Joseph Zabiak, who was held pending trial on a charge of slaying his mother-in-law, Mrs. Louise Machialk, and his baby daughter, last December, has been found insane and committed to the Michigan Asylum for the Criminal Insane at Ionia.

HOLLAND—That the city council may take steps soon toward establishing a municipal gas plant, was indicated when the councilmen, at a straw vote, showed an overwhelming sentiment in favor of this plan.

KALAMAZOO—The six debaters who will represent Kalamazoo Central High school in the triangular debate this year with Muskegon and Battle Creek are Marion Balch, Mary Ellen Reed, Milford Jones, Kenneth Rutler, Herbert Demoor and Sam Reuten.

August Detlaff is Held for Treatment

August Detlaff of Beaver who was placed under restraint Saturday pending examination of his mental condition, seemed to be considerably improved Sunday and Monday and will be given further medical aid before the query is held. It was hoped by officials yesterday that it would not be necessary to send him to a state hospital.

Broken Trolley Puts One Car Track Out

A broken trolley wire in the 500 block, Ludington street yesterday afternoon put the south street car track useless for several hours. The break was caused by the pole on one of the smaller cars jumping the track as it passed a hanger. Although the heavily charged wire wound around the truck of the car, there was no damage, and no one was injured.

A. S. Pearson who has been at Pike Lake for the last week on business, returned last night.

Engineer Replies to Road Bond Question

"How long would it be before roads built with the money authorized in the proposed county bond issue, are ready for use?"

This question, asked frequently by taxpayers in various sections of the county, was answered yesterday by R. P. Mason, county highway engineer.

"We are planning to complete the building program in four years," Mr. Mason said. "It is hard of course to tell exactly how long it will take because

we do not know what the labor and material situation will be during that time. Under any favorable circumstances, it ought to be completed on schedule."

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UP TO THE PEOPLE.

Escanaba has achieved the title of "Metropolis of Cloverland" largely because she couldn't help it. In other words about everything Escanaba has in a business and an industrial way was thrust upon her without hindrance from the people of Escanaba, but also without their aid or effort.

What Escanaba could become, through concentrated, conscientious effort by her people no one could prophesy because there is nothing in our past performance on which to base an estimate. It is certain, however, that the future holds tremendous possibilities for this city if the whole people can but be brought to unison in effort and thought.

To achieve this condition the whole people must know that the best interests of the humblest of our citizenry are also the best interests of our most prominent men. As Escanaba progresses the measure of success for each is proportionate. As Escanaba stands still or goes backward the interests of each suffer proportionately.

It's up to the people to determine what Escanaba's future shall be.

PLAYING UP TO THE LADIES.

The new voters have little fault to find with the manner and measure of recognition that has been given them by the major parties in the state. The Democrats, as might have been expected of a minority party, which rarely elects state officials and which does not expect to name any in the coming election, have been particularly prodigal. The Republicans nominated a woman for the state board of agriculture. The Democrats went them three better and nominated women for state superintendent of instruction; for two vacancies on the board of regents of the state university, and for a membership on the state board of education.

If office, not principle, is to be the guiding star of the new voter the Democrats offer attractive bait. But it will be the motive that will actuate the woman voters, and it will not be expected that the superior material inducements the Democrats offer will have much bearing on the manner in which the woman exercise their suffrage.

It is, indeed only to be expected that the women vote in Michigan will be preponderantly Republican. Michigan is a Republican state, although on occasions an independent one. Its press is prevalently Republican. The discussions the women hear, and most of the articles they read, have a Republican tinge. They have doubtless unconsciously absorbed a marked bias for the G. O. P. The extent to which their votes will coincide with those of their husbands, if they are married, is a question, a rather delicate one, in truth. The women profess to be actuated by an independent spirit. Popular expectation is, however, that where family relations are as cordial, pleasant and wholesome as they are expected to be in a sound American home there will be a marked tendency for the father and mother of the family to mark their ballots in the same way, mother trailing along after father. Among the unattached there may be a larger measure of independence, though even here the influence of the best man may not be negligible.

Howsoever this may be, the parties are not taking anything for granted about the new vote. They are paying assiduous court to it, witness the conventions, witness the arrangements for giving the women a voice in the organizations. They are to have a third of the members of the state committees, an adequate representation, even a generous one. They will, in effect on very close question have the balance of power. They will be able to make their voice heard and their influence potent. They will assuredly not be a submerged vote. No small part of the future is in their hands.

THE PARTING OF THE WAYS.

"From where we stand now there are two roads; one leads to Bolshevism." J. Ogden Armour told the Trans-Mississippi Readjustment Congress recently in session in Omaha, Neb. It is singular that Mr. Armour and the people who have been investigating the business of the Chicago packers should in this respect have come to the same conclusion.

It is true they arrived from slightly different angles. Mr. Armour says the source of our trouble lies in the fact that the "malcontents" do not appreciate the advantages of the "old order" which, he says, made the United States the richest of nations. Looking back over the "old order" from the pinnacle of packer success, Mr. Armour feels that any man who is not wholly satisfied with what that order has done for him and his country must be a "malcontent."

This is the same J. Ogden Armour whose business was under investigation by Judge Samuel Aischuler in Chicago just about a year ago. This hearing came about because some people were saying that the men and women who worked for Mr. Armour and lived down behind the stockyards were forced by their low wages to live under conditions which menaced their health and the welfare of the community. Mr. Armour on the stand at that time was asked if he knew that the average return in wages per man of the employes of his company was \$572 per annum, but he professed not to know. But in reply to the question whether an extra dollar added to the wages of his employes who received \$2.75 a day

would be sufficient to enable these men to support their families properly. Mr. Armour said he thought that amount would be more than enough. These answers give the point of view from which Mr. Armour arrived at the conclusion about the superlative benefits of the "old order."

Several influential persons who recently testified before the interstate commerce committee of the United States Senate concerning the tendencies of the packers' business methods have also pointed out that we are standing at the forks in the road and one branch leads to Bolshevism. These witnesses asserted that the "malcontents" were becoming more and more numerous because certain great interests such as the packers were gaining control of every necessary of life. They predicted that within less than a decade the people of the United States would not be able to buy the simplest article of daily consumption without paying tribute to the packers. And knowing the temper of the American people they predicted that this was a dangerous condition.

So, curiously, Mr. Armour and his investigators are giving the same warning, but they are prescribing quite different remedies. Mr. Armour says we should reestablish the "old order" which brought about our prosperity, but the Federal Trade Commission advises establishing an entirely new order which would prevent the kind of prosperity which Mr. Armour glories in. Meanwhile that we are standing at the parting of the ways, all are agreed.

AN INDICATION.

The second half of the school year of the University of Michigan opens with more new enrollments than ever before and this condition is healthy both in its indications as to the present and future. Many well founded criticisms are made of our university and college methods, but few persons will dispute that a college education is a good thing, despite its faults. The man trained at a well-equipped, modern university, even though he remember little of the specific things he studied, generally absorbs the ability to correlate what he does know, and that serves him in good stead in after life.

Many of the students enrolling at Michigan this semester are men who spent one or more years at the University before going to war. The fact that, after service in engineering regiments, medical units, artillery, sanitation units and others, they feel the need of further University training after testing the efficacy of the previous training, speaks well for the University.

The fact that so many are enrolling incidentally shows that the country is still prosperous, because few students are self-supporting, and in times of industrial depression enrollment falls off.

THE PIFFLE HOOK

By SLIM PICKENS.

AS WHITTIER DIDN'T WRITE IT.

Maud Muller on a summer day,
Was making a bluff at raking hay,
Tossing her pretty head, for on it,
She had tied her new sun bonnet,
Itakish and silken, something she,
Wanted the neighborhood to see.
Along came the judge with his fuzzy complexion,
Seeking some votes for the coming election.
" My beautiful little miss," he pleaded,
" A ballot from you will be greatly needed."
She replied with a smothered cough,
" You'll have to shave those whiskers off."

Doc. Williams says a Red revolution in America would make the Russian uproar look like a pink tea. Well, although we don't look for the big splash, we are willing to admit with him that America never does anything by halves.

We Hadn't Thought of That.

DEAR SLIM:—Far be it from me to correct your interesting and no doubt well-advised statement concerning the origin of the "no-beer-no-work" movement but I beg leave to inquire, with all reverence for your learned opinion, whether the brewery workers are not responsible? —SAHARA.

"Washing lace in skimmed milk gives it a creamy tone," advises a home help squiblet. If a creamy tone is desired why skim the milk?

If Americans who write about England are not more completely informed than Englishmen who are writing about America, the American journals are peddling an awful lot of spurious stuff.

Or Eating Horse Radish?

DEAR SLIM:—Concerning Machere's nose and Pere's pate with the comments of several other contributors on the weighty subject, permit me to ask them, if you please, if pink hair tonic may not have been responsible? —PECK.

"The bobbed coiffure is becoming only to the extremely young," asserts the fashion scribe. Say three years old or less.

The newspaper reports of Daniels' wireless chat with Prexie, didn't say whether the secretary had to call two or three times because the line was busy.

America is thankful that her overseas soldiers are not forced to return home over the Burlington wire lines.

Authorities in five states have announced, that they will not permit the Willard-Dempsey tango tea to take place in their commonwealths. Tex Rickard is beginning to discover that the U.S.A. is pretty well populated with "blue sky" laws.

"Willard is angry over Dempsey's statement, etc." says the news wire. Funny how quarrelsome Jess got as soon as the war was over, isn't it?

It is rumored that Tom Gibbons will be a candidate for alderman at St. Paul. We had understood that Tommy was through with the fighting game.

Again the home guard bulletins tell us when to plant carrots and once again it doesn't say why. This is the 9th time this squib has appeared in the Hook.

The news from Germany may be summed up in three words: "Dog eat dog."

CLOVERLAND and WISCONSIN

MANISTIQUE—Carl G. Ekstrom of the Ekstrom Lumber Co., upon his return to this city Friday morning stated that the news that his name had been filed with the City clerk as a candidate for mayor in the Republican primaries was in the nature of a complete surprise to him. He had refused powerful pressure from his friends to stand for the aldermanship of his ward but during absence from the city the petition for mayor had been circulated, signed and filed.

Mr. Ekstrom stated that he positively would not be a candidate for any office during the present year.

What's Sheriff Gonna Do About the Liquor?

MARQUETTE—Sheriff Newcombe is likely to be "out of luck", if the recent court decision which would release men convicted of bringing in booze and would even return them their liquor, is upheld.

Receipts at the county jail, signed by St. Luke's, St. Mary's, and hospitals in nearby towns, testify to the use of several cases of the booze confiscated from men who were imprisoned here by hospital in the flu epidemic. This was done on the advice of physicians and at the request of the hospitals, as a means of providing medicine during the emergency for the influenza patients.

And the question that worries now is, will the men come back and claim their whiskey?

Whether the sheriff or the county will have to pay for what they can't return, or whether hospitals will reimburse the owners, is a puzzle that's causing many wrinkled foreheads.

Menominee Men Hurt In Street Car Smashup.

MENOMINEE—Alfred A. Henes, traveling agent of the Henes-Keller company, and John Fehrenbach, well-known automobile machinist, narrowly escaped serious injury, when the Overland automobile owned and driven by Mr. Henes crashed into a south-bound Main street car, at the intersection of Main street and Stephenson avenue, shortly after 1:30 o'clock Friday afternoon.

Mr. Henes sustained severe cuts and bruises about the left hand. He was rushed to the office of Dr. W. A. Hicks, and several stitches taken in the injured member. Mr. Fehrenbach fared worse, for he was on the side nearest to the street car, and was badly cut and bruised about the face. He was given medical attention by Dr. R. A. Walker.

That Red Arrow Is Mark of the 32nd.

MADISON, WIS.—The distinguished mark of the 32nd division, composed of the Wisconsin and Michigan national guards will be the Bar-Red-Arrow. Governor E. L. Phillip has just received a letter from France containing a lithograph picture of the insignia of the 32nd division. One of the lithographs gives a map of the battle front, the sketch showing the points in the German line which were pierced with the red arrow of the 32d division. These points are "Juvigny, Fismes, Bantheville and Montfaulon.

Policeman Asked to Resign Quits Post.

MARINETTE—The work of Clarence Allard as a member of the Marinette police force came to an end at mid-night Thursday evening when the resignation which he handed to Chief Cook went into effect. The resignation of Patrolman Allard was asked for by Mayor Fisher under orders of the city council passed at the meeting on Tuesday evening.

The resignations which were asked for are an outcome of complaints made to several of the city aldermen. The meeting Tuesday was attended by many citizens and it was the expectation of nearly all that the action to be taken would be that of increasing the salaries of the city guards.

Instead, a resolution which was presented by Fred Edwin stated that complaints had been made and that the council demanded the immediate resignation of two of the officers. Peter Kuenlein, the other officer who was asked to tender his resignation has not done so as yet and it is intimated about the city that he will not do so.

Houghton City's Finances Are In Good Condition.

Houghton—In round numbers Houghton had on hand on February 1, \$23,900. This compares with \$27,700 at the same time last year, a difference of less than \$4,000. Mayor Ferris considers it a good showing, seeing the council paid off \$20,000 in bonds during the year and had no liquor license money to work with.

The meeting Thursday was a special one to appoint the election officials and all other matters discussed were taken up somewhat informally. It is true that the council passed a resolution opposing the Wells bill, now pending in the state legislature. This bill would tax all municipally owned property outside village or city limits and would hit the village wa-

CLOSEUPS and FADEOUTS

The Division of Films of the Committee on Public Information will soon go out of existence. Charles S. Hart, director of the division, who recently returned from Europe, says: "The Division of Films has completed the work laid out for it by the government and all of its affairs will be closed up at the earliest possible moment."

"The Lion and the Mouse" has been secured by the Rialto theatre for its initial New York run.

See Soldiers—Tip. Sam H. Harris, George M. Cohan's partner gives this tip to would-be playwrights and scenario writers—see soldiers. "See soldiers and sailors. I mean the men who have seen active service in actual war. There are hundreds of them around these days, and they're glad to relate their adventures. Talk about drama! You can get enough romance and realism out of soldier's tales for ten plays."

The acquisition of screen rights to "Secret Service," one of the biggest money-making attractions in the history of the American "legit" is one of Famous Players-Lasky's important announcements.

Among interesting events of late is the engagement of Ralph Pace by Vitagraph to direct one picture, "A Stitch in Time" starring Gladys Leslie.

No Whiskers for Theda. Theda Bara and her director J. Gordon Edwards have made a lengthy reply to criticisms of Theda's apparel, or rather lack of it, in "Salome," and to the characterization of John the Baptist as a clean shaven youth. In addition to Theda's defense, Mr. Edwards says, "We stand by the boyish John visualized by Salome. There is no romance in whiskers."

An elaborate set representing three tiers of a state prison have been constructed for the William S. Hart picture, "The Poppy Girl." In the supporting cast for this picture is Captain Walter Long, recently discharged from the service, and well known here.

Bohemian Life Feature. Glimpses of Bohemian Life in the

PRESS COMMENT

A Dirty Customer. The report from Amerongen that William Hohenzollern takes two baths each day indicates that he may begin to understand what a dirty customer he really is.—Indianapolis Star.

He Catches 'Em. Alas, that poor Wilson. Now he is catching blue blazes for not paying a visit to Belgium before hastening home to catch what Paddy gave the drum from his partisan opponents.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

Just Like the Women. Just when Frenchmen were flattering themselves that they had learned to understand Americans pretty well a party of militant prohibitionists arrived in Paris.—Birmingham Age-Herald.

That's a Big Task. If Uncle Sam doesn't want to exact a money indemnity from Germany, he might have saved somebody a pretty penny by taking over all her "Verbotten" signs and placards for the Anti-Saloon league to use when it finally completes the list of things it is not going to permit us to have or do.—Macon Telegraph.

Same Stereotyped Form. The daily communiques from the peace conference have about the same terse literary styles as the bulletins of the doctors when some millionaire packer's liver is out of order. It must make the flock of press agents peevish.—Los Angeles Times.

Don't Rush 'Em Any. Only a few more than 500 bills have been introduced in the Texas legislature. But the session is young yet, and the members may get down to business right soon.—Dallas Free News.

Get Your Gun Ready. The next thing on the program will be to get acquainted with 57 varieties of de-kicked beer. Tennessee will preside at the introductions.—Knoxville Journal.

There is That Itching. Our personal opinion is that so long as there are more than two Irishmen on earth there will be an Irish question.—Detroit Free Press.

Down with the Increased Tax on Cigarettes! We tired business men must not be goaded too far!—Washington Post.

Maybe the sweet potatoes will last until watermelons come again.—Baltimore Sun.

ter system. The council considers that if this class of property should be taxed so should court houses and schools. In any event Senator Wilcox and Representative Moore are

Just Jests

In No Danger. "I say, Jones, I want to insure my coal yard against fire. What would a policy for \$20,000 cost?" "What coal is it? Same kind as you sent me last?" "Yes." "I wouldn't bother insuring it if I were you. It won't burn."—Boston Transcript.

Successful. Landlady—I believe in letting coffee boil for 30 minutes. That's the only way to get the goodness out of it.

New Boarder (tasting his and leaving it)—You have succeeded admirably ma'am!

How Thoughtless. "I suppose your son broke himself down at college football?" "No; the doctor said what gave him nervous prostration was trying to get his lessons between the games."—Boston Transcript.

"Bliggins is always talking about making something his life work." "Yes. And while he's talking he's usually neglecting the day's work."—Washington Star.

Barber—How would you like to have your hair cut, sir? Uncle Hawbuck—Fust rate, thankee. That's just what I kem in for.—Boston Transcript.

Visitor—What a big scenario department you've got. How many writers are in it? Director (viciously)—None!

Probably Properly Valued. "I was endeavoring," says the teacher of a night school in a country town, "to install into the minds of certain of my discouraged pupils some notions of ambition."

"Do you know," I asked a disreputable-looking lad of 10, "that everybody in this country has a chance to be President?" "Is that so?" asked the boy, reflectively. Then he added, "Say teacher, I'll sell my chance for a quarter."—Pittsburgh Chronicle-Telegraph.

Little Home Helps.

A pinch of salt will improve both chocolate and cocoa.

A teaspoonful of vanilla favors chocolate delightfully.

Scalded milk is an excellent substitute for coffee cream.

Cornmeal breads are lighter when made with buttermilk.

Fold tablecloths differently from time to time and you will prevent the forming of worn lines in the creases.

Lima beans can be used for salad as well as any other beans.

Individual oyster pies are delicious and an agreeable change.

Potato salad can be carried in a school child's lunch basket.

Dried lima beans cooked tender then seasoned with finely chopped onion and parsley, can have a little chopped boiled ham added to them to advantage.

When the family gets tired of the ordinary tomato sauce try cooking the tomato a long time with a little chopped onion in it, a little bread or cracker crumb, and a little more pepper, butter, sugar and salt than usual.

Frills and Furbelows

Embroidery will, for the present be less used.

Ottoman weaves in silk ribbons are favorites.

For frocks, printed chiffons are still in vogue.

Collars come in both roll and muffer style.

For coats most chic is the three-quarter length.

A novel note in French garments is cotton ribbon.

Pink continues to be the favorite color for corsets.

Some of the new sweaters have very wide girdles.

Table ruffles edged with ostrich are charming on debutantes' toilettes.

Fought Unnecessary Battle.

Very dramatic was the conclusion of the Peninsular war. Wellington had just won his triumph at Toulouse, the casualties on both sides numbering some 15,000, and the armies were rejoicing or sorrowing, when a tired courier rode up to announce that Napoleon had abdicated five days before, and the war was over.

Publish Letters.

The Morning Press invites its readers to use the columns of The Press to publish letters on matters of public interest. All communications should be addressed to the editor and must be signed; unless they are signed they will not be published. Writer should state whether or not he desires his name to be used in publication of the letter.

Practical Recipes.

Lunch Consistion. Three-quarters of a cup of walnut meats put separately through the meat chopper, then mixed, salted, shaped into small flat cakes, and wrapped in paraffin paper, are concentrated nourishment for children and grownups who take lunches.

Orange and Walnut Salad. Select small, finely flavored oranges, pare with a sharp knife, removing every particle of white and cut into thin slices. Add half the quantity of broken English walnut meats, dress with oil, lemon juice and a very little salt, and serve on heart leaves of lettuce.

London Curry. Two cups of any kind of cold meat or poultry, one large apple, one large onion, one tablespoon flour, one dessert spoon of curry powder, two tablespoons dripping (beef preferred), pepper and salt, one teaspoon lemon juice; one-half pint of water; melt the dripping in the saucepan and let it boil; then add the onion and apple finely chopped. Let these fry till brown; add the curry powder, and stir altogether. When thoroughly mixed pour in the cold water, stir until it boils and thickens then add pepper and salt. In cooking cold meat the other things must be cooked first, as cooking meat again would make it more indigestible. It is simmered very gently, and before serving, add the lemon juice. This London curry should be served with boiled rice.

The Heroic Sacrifices of France

Never in the world's history has any nation sacrificed so heroically of its blood and treasure than has France in the present world conflict. Her great peasant population have suffered and bled for democracy with undying fortitude. America also owes these people a great debt of gratitude for a perfect remedy for stomach, liver and intestinal disorders which it is reported has already saved many American lives and prevented thousands of surgical operations.

Geo. H. Mayr, for years a leading Chicago chemist, imports and sells it in this country under the name of Mayr's Wonderful Remedy. It is a simple, harmless preparation that removes the catarrhal mucus from the intestinal tract and allays the inflammation which causes practically all stomach, liver and intestinal ailments, including appendicitis. One dose will convince or money refunded. For sale by Druggists Everywhere.

PRESS CLASSIFIED COLUMNS

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Nine room house with modern improvements. Phone 361. 519 Elm St. 2579-11-44.

FOR SALE—Unpaid storage sale on household goods after March 4th, 1916 at the Valentine warehouse, 303 South Charlotte street on all goods with one year or more storage due. 2738-35-24t.

FOR SALE—9-room house, 518 South Charlotte St. All modern. Phone 550-J. 1793-37-1mo.

FOR SALE—Lot 5 block 6 Cochrane addition in the city of Escanaba. Will sell cheap. Inquire V. DeGrand, 620 Elm St. 2598-16-1m.

FOR SALE—Light logging sleds with pole runners 2x6 half round shoes, with cord wood rack. Jos. Belanger, shoemaker, Bark River, Mich. 2877-53-2w.

FOR SALE—Hard coal heater in good condition. Inquire at 526 Maple street. 2878-54-3t.

FOR SALE—A five room house with all modern equipment in good location. Cheap if deal can be made soon. Write P. O. box 90, City. 2882-54-12t.

FOR SALE—Methodist Parsonage. Two story house of eight rooms. 244 S. Wolcott St. To be moved off the lot. Will sell cheap and given reasonable terms to responsible parties. Inquire of F. F. Davis or T. M. Judson. 1739-54-6t.

FOR SALE—22 repeater, shoots 22 bullets and long and long rifle Winchester, price \$10; three boxes of bullets included. Inquire 302 North Mary street. 2858-46-6t.

FOR SALE—Desirable residence property known as the Norton property, corner Harrison avenue and Ayer street. For particulars and price, apply to Mrs. Mary E. Norton, phone 676. 2740-36-1t.

FOR SALE—Cheap for cash—one sewing machine, 1 wheel chair, 1 hair mattress, 1 book case, 1 wash stand, books, 2 marble slabs, one settee. Inquire at Ludington hotel, 10 to 12 a. m. or 2 to 4 p. m. 1740-56-1t.

FOR SALE—Two cows and eight to select from, four stands ready to freshen inside of a week; also a cheap auto. Magnus Monson, Danforth. 2884-56-3t.

FOR SALE—A cook stove. Inquire at 303 Hale street. 2885-56-3t.

FEMALE HELP WANTED

WANTED—Kitchen girl at Delta hotel. \$30 per month and board. Apply at once. 1737-52-3t.

WANTED—Competent housemaid. Enquire of Mrs. Edward Erickson, 261 S. Harrison Ave. 1705-38-1t.

WANTED—Good girl for general house work, out-of-town position. Good pay, all modern conveniences, electric washer, mangler, etc. Call personally or write 901 Minnesota avenue, Gladstone, Mich. 2870-51-6t.

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WANTED—To hear from owner of good farm for sale. State cash price, full particulars. D. F. Bush, Minneapolis, Minn. ex-mar-29.

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MISCELLANEOUS—Cash for old false teeth (broken or not.) I pay \$2.00 to \$25.00 per set, also highest prices for Bridges, Crowns, Watches, Diamonds, Old Gold, Silver and Platinum. Send NOW and receive CASH by return mail, your goods returned if price is unsatisfactory. L. Maser, 2007 S. 5th Street, Philadelphia, Pa. 2574-51-1mo.

LOST AND FOUND

LOST—Aradale dog on Monday. Finder kindly call 737R 2873-52-3t.

FOUND—Package of dress goods. Owner can have property by calling at Escanaba Daily Mirror office and proving ownership to same. 56-1f

LOST—Pair of glasses in case, between Mary and Norris street on Escanaba avenue. Finder please return to 1019 Escanaba avenue or phone 403J. 1741-55-3t.

LOST—An order book on Ludington street between Harrison and Downtown avenue on Friday. Finder return to Helen St. Clair, 719 South Fawcett street. 2880-54-3t.

LOST—Monday, rosary between the St. Patrick church and the State Savings bank. Name engraved on back of cross. Finder return to the Press office. 2876-23-1f.

FOR RENT

STORAGE ROOM—The Schram Hide House has storage room for about six more cars. Rate \$3.00 per month. 1898-339-1f.

FOR RENT—Dwelling at 809 Washington avenue. Inquire at the Palace 1415 Ludington street, phone 126. 173852-3t.

FOR RENT—Large front room furnished over Benjamin Music store, 8.9 Ludington street. 2881-54-3t.

FOR RENT—Three furnished rooms; also cottage. Inquire at 1010 Escanaba avenue. 1736-52-3t.

FOR RENT—Three furnished rooms for light housekeeping. Inquire at 4.3 South Georgia street, phone 627-J. 2887-56-3t.

FOR RENT—Nine room house and six room flat. Inquire at 512 Wells avenue. 2886-56-3t.

MALE HELP WANTED

U. S. GOVERNMENT wants hundreds Railway Mail Clerks. Men-women. \$1100 year. Escanaba examinations March 15th. Sample questions free. Write immediately. Franklin Institute, Dept. 181 M. Rochester, N. Y. 29-6-23

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NO CLASSES AT ST. JOSEPH FOR WEEK OR MORE

It will not be possible to resume classes at the St. Joseph parochial school, partially destroyed by fire Saturday night, according to the Rev. F. X. Xavier of the St. Joseph parish. The entire school was more or less damaged by water and until it can be repaired no classes will be held. No estimate is made.

The total damage to the school has not been officially estimated thus far, but it is not believed that it will be more than \$5,000. Indications are that the damage may be considerably less than that amount. The building is covered by insurance to the extent of \$13,500.

An inspection by Fire Chief Arvid Johnson and Charles N. Johnson, city electrical inspector, ended with a report to the effect that crossed wires could not have been responsible for the origin of the blaze, as the wiring was done in conduit.

Origin Remains Mystery. The origin of the fire remains a mystery. Because no classes were held Saturday, there was no fire in the furnace, so the fire could not have started from the furnace.

It is believed fire insurance adjusters will be here in a day or two when it will be known to what extent the building was damaged in the fire.

Fishermen Lose Nets When Ice Moves Out

A movement of ice at Misery Bay Saturday as far as peninsula point, carried with it thousands of dollars worth of fish nets belonging to T. Gleason and Dan Seavy according to word received from that locality yesterday.

Although ice in this locality generally goes out into the bay at this season of the year, it has always held in years past, at the particular point where it broke Saturday night. Fishermen had felt safe in spreading their nets there.

There is little likelihood that the nets will be recovered, it is stated.

Night Air Not Dangerous.

There is still a prejudice among some against night air. For that reason some foolish people sleep with their windows closed. Night air is not dangerous. On the average it is more pure than that of the day. In malarious sections exposure at night may be dangerous, not because the air is bad but because malarial mosquitoes bite only at night. The danger is in the mosquitoes, not the air.

Getting Rid of Colds.

The easiest and quickest way to get rid of a cold is to take Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. This preparation has been in use for many years and its value fully proven. No matter what remedy you use, however, care must be taken not to contract a second cold before you have recovered from the first one, and there is danger of this. A man of middle age or older should go to bed and stay in bed until fully recovered. It is better to stay in bed three days at the start than three weeks later on.

John K. Olson, J. B. Stratton, Christian Larson, Albin Jacobson, of Stonington were here on business Monday.

Everyone Should Drink Hot Water in the Morning

Wash away all the stomach, liver, and bowel poisons before breakfast.

To feel your best day in and day out, to feel clean inside; no sour bile to coat your tongue and sicken your breath or dull your head; no constipation, bilious attacks, sick headache, colds, rheumatism or gassy, acid stomach, you must bathe on the inside like you bathe outside. This is vastly more important, because the skin pores do not absorb impurities into the blood, while the bowel pores do, says a well known physician.

To keep these poisons and toxins well flushed from the stomach, liver, kidneys and bowels, drink before breakfast each day, a glass of hot water with a teaspoonful of limestone phosphate in it. This will cleanse, purify and freshen the entire alimentary tract, before putting more food into the stomach.

Get a quarter pound of limestone phosphate from your pharmacist. It is inexpensive and almost tasteless, except a sourish twinge which is not unpleasant. Drink phosphated hot water every morning to rid your system of these vile poisons and toxins; also to prevent their formation.

To feel like young folks feel like you feel before your blood, nerves and muscles become saturated with an accumulation of body poisons, begin this treatment and above all keep it up. In hot and hot water act on the skin, cleansing, sweetening and purifying, so limestone phosphate and hot water before breakfast, act on the stomach, liver, kidneys and bowels.

OBITUARY.

William Baker.

William Baker, one of the best known woods foremen in this section passed away early yesterday after but a brief serious illness. Mr. Baker had not enjoyed good health since August, suffering from an affection of the heart. He had consulted several specialists and had planned to leave this week for Rochester, Minn., to consult the 'Drs. Mayo. On Sunday he was stricken suddenly and early yesterday morning he passed peacefully away.

For over 15 years Mr. Baker had been employed by the National Pole company and was considered one of that company's most highly esteemed employees. For many years he served as camp foreman for the company and in recent years he acted as foreman of the company's jobbers. He was widely known in lumbering circles of the peninsula and numbered his friends by the score. But a few knew of his serious illness and his death has come as a terrible shock to a host of people.

Mr. Baker was born at Buckingham, Que., 42 years ago and came to this section when a boy of 18 years, making his home here continuously since that time.

He is survived by his wife, his mother who resides at Buckingham, two brothers and two sisters. Definite arrangements for the funeral will not be made until word is received as to whether Mr. Baker's mother can come here to attend the funeral.

August Nelson.

August Nelson, aged 53 years, died Sunday after a lingering illness with rheumatism at the Delta county almshouse. The body was removed to the Alto morgue.

Mr. Nelson was a shoemaker by trade, a native of Sweden and a resident of Escanaba for many years. For the past two years he had been confined to his bed.

Impressive Service is Planned Here by St. Patrick's Parish

St. Patrick's day is to be observed with an impressive service in the morning and with appropriate exercises in the evening. Following the Solemn High Mass of the morning, the Rev. Dr. Barth, pastor of St. Patrick's church, will deliver the sermon and on that occasion will take for his subject "Ireland's Clear Title to Independence."

The evening celebration will be held at the Strand theatre and the proceeds of the entertainment will be applied on the debt of St. Patrick's church.

Members of Company G, St. Patrick's brigade, composed of the married women of the parish, will meet on Wednesday evening and at that time complete plans for the evening entertainment will be formulated.

Aggies Planning an Invasion of Upper Peninsula in Ball

East Lansing, Mich. Feb. 24.—The Aggie basketball squad will make an invasion of upper peninsula towns during the spring vacation, starting March 24, if plans now brewing materialize.

The M. A. C. basketballers will go prepared to make a cleaning, for while they expect to encounter some real court crews north of the straits, the fact that they have already succeeded in defeating a number of the middle west's best quintets has given them confidence.

Correspondence is being exchanged with Munising, Soo, Gwinn, Marquette Normal, Michigan College of Mines, Calumet "Y" and Ishpeming "Y" teams. The squad seeks four or five games for the trip to the Lake Superior country, and a booking with some southern Michigan city team enroute.

Large Crowd Hears "Shellproof's" Tale

The worst brand of weather imaginable failed to dampen the spirit of the large crowd that heard his lecture last night at the First Methodist church.

Mack is a little fellow but he makes up in vigor what he lacks in avoirdupois. His sketches of his experiences from the time he enlisted with the Canadians to his return from the firing line were most vivid and the vein of humor throughout was a back ground for the thrills that made the narrative most entertaining.

The affair was arranged by the Men's club of the Sunday School.

HOLDS CLINIC TODAY

Dr. F. E. Dayton, Escanaba osteopath, has returned from a conference in the east and a visit with his father. He will hold a clinic today for children at his office.

Indigestion.

Take a few doses of Chamberlain's Tablets as directed for indigestion, and you will soon forget about your stomach trouble. Try it.

JUNIOR SERVICE BOOKLETS READY AT HIGH SCHOOL

Not only are the "Service Books" of the Junior Red Cross a record of that enterprising organization's work during the war and since hostilities ceased but each individual book will be an individual record of each Junior's activities. The first copies are just off the press.

Most striking of all is the high quality of printing produced by the high school students who are studying the art in the manual training classes under C. S. Barns, printing instructor. The cover is beautifully done in three colors. On the back cover is an American flag in colors with Douglas Malloch's most popular poem, "What Did You Do?"

Complete Record.

Inside is a foreword by F. E. King, chairman of the chapter school committee, a certificate of membership page, a list of the officers, committee chairmen and township leaders, a retrospect of the activities of the Junior Red Cross in '918 and other interesting information.

More interesting, however, are the blank pages on which the Junior workers will record their own aid to the cause. These pages are headed:

- "Things I Made," "How I Earned," "My Soldier Relatives," "How I Saved," "My Thrift Record"

Idea is King's.

More than 5,000 copies of the book have been ordered for distribution among the schools of Delta county. Mr. Barns stated last night.

The idea for the booklet is Supt. King's, whose efforts in the county have gone a long way towards making the Delta County Junior Red Cross chapter one of the liveliest and most energetic in the peninsula, if not in the entire state.

All of the work of printing was done by the high school printing class students under Mr. Barns' supervision.

Silverman Leaves on Buying Trip to East

B. J. Silverman left last night to join Mrs. Silverman in the eastern market. They will purchase a new line of spring apparel for the Silverman store on Ludington street.

Jopling on His Last Lap to the Orient

That he is on the last lap of his journey to the Orient and was leaving for Vladivostok where he will be associated with the American consulate, is the word received Monday by L. J. Jacobs from M. W. Jopling, of Marquette. Mr. Jopling left San Francisco Dec. 28. His final destination is Siberia where he will be engaged in reconstruction work.

MARKET REPORT

Chicago, Feb. 24.—The following quotations on farm produce were issued here today:
BUTTER—53 1/2c.
EGGS—37c to 37 1/2c.
POTATOES—\$1.60 to \$1.70.
TURKEYS—30c.
FOWLS—30c.
ROOSTERS—21c.
SPRINGERS—31c.
DUCKS—28c to 32c.
GEESE—20c to 22c.
TIMOTHY—\$25 to \$26.
STANDARD—\$22 to \$23.
CLOVER—\$14 to \$22.

W. R. Smith left on a business trip to Chicago.

Too Fat?

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Camp Custer Wants Books for Soldiers

BATTLE CREEK—Michigan cannot blame the men still held at Camp Custer for kicking. The state, officially and unofficially, has set the example. Officially the state canceled its appropriation for gymnasiums, though it did complete the Roosevelt Community House. Unofficially it has done several things to indicate "the war is over" indifference.

Library is Example.

The library situation is an example. Before the armistice was signed, books came to camp regularly and from 85 to 90 bags of magazines a week. Now it is hard to get new books at all, and not more than two or three bags of magazines ever come in the same week. Yet the men need reading much more than they did before.

Assistant Librarian Scholling says the men are begging for books, especially the men who have been wounded and have nothing to do but lounge and await a sufficient recovery to permit discharge. They want new books, rather than those they read years ago.

Newspapers Also Quit.

They want newspapers, too. The next week after war ended, newspapers began lopping off the copies they were sending to Camp Custer. The bottom dropped out in less than a month.

Crossing Bay on Ice is Risk, Say Farmers

According to the Stonington farmers who are making the trip to Escanaba daily, the ice on the bay is badly broken up and the crossing has become a dangerous undertaking. Water is above the ice in a number of places and this makes it impossible to distinguish the open water from the solid ice.

Leo Gosling of Munising is visiting relatives and friends here.

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Kenneth McRae is Killed in France

Mrs. E. S. Norton has received word of the death of her nephew, Kenneth McRae at Treves, France, on Feb. 5.



Lieut. Frost Tells of His Experiences

In one of the most interesting lectures heard in Escanaba, Lieut. James Frost, who has just returned from overseas, told a large crowd at St. Stephen's Episcopal church Sunday night of his experiences as an officer in the American Expeditionary Forces.

Tom Judson Was With the Eighth Division

Tom Judson, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Judson, 412 Second street, has returned home from Camp Knox, Ky., where he was discharged from the service.

The war veteran who has just returned was captain of the high school football team in 1917, playing the fullback position.

Says Americans Are in Precarious State

Calumet, Feb. 24.—Lieut. Mortimer North, 310th Engineers, invalided home from Russia describes the position of Allied forces near Archangel as extremely precarious, and asserts that unless reinforcements are sent immediately the little band may be annihilated.

Here's Wild Tale of an Escanaba Soldier

Rimancourt, France, Jan. 20, 1919. Escanaba Morning Press, Escanaba, Mich.

Kindly publish the following item in your morning edition: As a child, several decades before he became 330th Field Artillery's most famous feminine impersonator, Carl Peterson attained historic fame in a small community. It was as a school boy in a quiet school house at Escanaba, Mich., that he won a reputation as a lover of the opposite sex.

When he was graduated from his preliminary training however, it was not his later ability as an impersonator that lured him, but trade that captivated him for at that time he knew not of his talent nor had he any idea that he was the possessor of a natural gift that could be commercialized and would after developing it, make him theatrically renowned.

Trade having claimed him he became a clerk in the jewelry store of Blomstrom & Peterson at Escanaba. His fondness for dainties and for lustrous objects, which was but a proof of his feminine traits that had developed in him from childhood, lured him to the belief that this line of business had something in store for him.

Then to the Army. His eagerness for this work and the interest he showed in his studies would have undoubtedly developed him into a wonder craftsman in this art and had not the U. S. government found it necessary to employ his service. Willing to do his bit for his country which was in need he did not claim exemption nor did he show in the performance of his duty.

MICHIGAN MEN FAVOR VOTE TO BEAT J. MANN

Opposition to Speaker Laid to His Gruffness in the House.

Washington—Michigan Republicans in the house of representatives, who declared some weeks ago for James R. Mann for speaker of the new House, are in a quandary.

The withdrawal of Simeca D. Fess, of Ohio, from the race, which appears to have insured the choice of Frederick H. Gillett, of Springfield, Mass., by the Republican caucus next Thursday, has put the Michigan delegation up a tree.

Vote Not Binding.

The word has now been passed that the previous meeting of the Michigan Republicans and the vote taken in favor of Mr. Mann are not to be considered binding. That meeting is now described not as a caucus of the delegation, but as a canvass of sentiment. It looks as if the Michigan men are getting ready to climb aboard the Gillett band wagon.

Frank James, of Hancock, who announced long ago that he would not vote for Mr. Mann, now says he will vote for Mr. Gillett. It is announced that before next Thursday the Michigan delegation will hold another meeting and decide on a course of action.

Swing to Gillett.

Michigan's delegation was the first to pledge its support to Mr. Mann. It wanted to protect Mr. Fordney's claim to the chairmanship of the Ways and Means Committee and the floor leadership. It appeared then that Mr. Mann would have enough votes to make him speaker.

Then came the swing to Mr. Gillett and in it may be seen the antagonism to Mr. Mann which has been years in developing. Mr. Mann is considered to be the abler of the two. Mr. Gillett awakens little enthusiasm among the rank and file of the Republicans. He has been in Congress since 1892 without making any great mark. He has always been "regular," however, and there can be no objection to him in that score. His war record is good, also while Gillett men have made a great point of the fact that Mr. Mann voted for the McLeure resolution.

Call Mann Discourteous.

Mr. Gillett has stepped softly and Mr. Mann has not. Mr. Gillett gives no offense, he is obliging and tactful. Mr. Mann is rough and aggressive. He has a brusque manner, partly the result of ill health, which has turned many Representatives against him. There are scores of Representatives who have said that if ever the time came when they could pay back Mr. Mann for his discourtesy they would do so.

NEW HIGH MARKS MADE FOR STOCK ON BIG MARKET

New York, Feb. 24.—New high records in nearly all departments were made for stocks today. The demand continued up to the close and final prices were slightly under the mark of the opening hours and showed gains of from 2 to 6 points in the most active issues.

"The Lexington-Frankfort line," said he, "was built with longitudinal stone sills capped with a strip of iron, and the numerous curves, which you have all noted, are said to have been purposely introduced upon the theory that they were an advantage in enabling the conductor the more easily to see the rear of his train. The coaches were two-story affairs—women and children below and men above—and the motive power was mules to the top of the hill above Frankfort. The train was let down the hill into the city upon an incline operated by a stationary engine.

"You may be interested, in passing, to learn that with the exception of a few miles near New Orleans, which antedated it about a week, this line from Lexington to Frankfort is the oldest railroad in the United States south of the Ohio and west of the Alleghenies. It was chartered in 1830—very early in railroad history, when we remember that the first railroad to the United States was built in 1825, and the first locomotive engine was operated in 1829."

Hope Lenine Greet You, Prisoner Told

Cleveland.—"I presume that the Bolsheviks would welcome you, and Lenine and Trotsky would be glad to see you back in the event the government should deport you," Judge John M. Killits told Mayer L. Nehring, convicted on a charge of violating the Espionage act, when the prisoner appeared in Federal Court to be sentenced. It is believed Nehring will be deported.

Social and Personal

COMING DANCES

Brotherhood of Railway Clerks, Delft Hall, Monday night, March 3.

Entertains for Guest. Miss Josephine Clairmont entertained at her home on South Fannie street last night in honor of Miss Eva Potvin of Munising who is visiting here. Dancing was enjoyed during the evening and refreshments were served.

Sleigh Ride Party. Martin Olson entertained at a sleighride party to Danforth Sunday afternoon. A six o'clock dinner was served and a program of amusements was carried out.

Westminster Guild Meets. The Westminster Guild of the First Presbyterian church will meet this evening at 7:30 o'clock in the church parlors. The regular business session will be followed by a social hour. Refreshments will be served.

Silver Wedding Anniversary. Mr. and Mrs. John Christoph will celebrate their silver wedding anniversary today. Special services will be held in the St. Joseph church, followed by a reception at the home.

Birthday Party. Earl Brown was the guest of honor at a birthday surprise party given at his home 212 South Mary street Sunday night. Games were played and refreshments were served.

W. C. T. U. Meets. The W. C. T. U. will meet at the home of Mrs. Peter Olson, 1109 Ludington street this afternoon. A full attendance is desired as important business will be transacted.

Card Party. Women of the St. Anne church will give a card party at the St. Anne hall Thursday night. Refreshments will be served.

Two Marriage Licenses. Marriage licenses were issued by the county clerk yesterday to the following: John McGovern of Escanaba and Vivian Smith of Flat Rock; Bill Johnson of Escanaba and Eva Beaudrie of Danforth.

Will Meet Today. The regular monthly meeting of the Ladies Aid Society of the First Presbyterian church will be held in the church parlors this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

Buy our laundered half round wood and save soap. Telephone 810. Birds Eye Veneer company.

Miss Bertha Bergman of Bark River spent the week end with friends here.

Delor Rabien of Daggett spent Sunday with relatives here.

J. J. Shancomay, who visited here Sunday, returned Monday to his home at the Soo.

V. H. Crebo and Joseph Crebo have returned from a trip to Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Gustafson left Sunday night on a buying trip to Chicago.

Mrs. F. E. Buell returned Sunday from Chicago where she accompanied her son Raymond. His condition is much improved.

Mrs. B. Gallagher left for Manistique to attend the funeral of a relative.

C. W. Johnston of Appleton, Wis., spent Sunday with friends here.

Mrs. Phil Labre and Miss Helen Hebert of Bark River were here shopping Monday.

Our Cloverland butt and split hardwood looks and smells like the first

rose of summer. Birds Eye Veneer company.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Ostberg of St. Paul returned to their home Monday after a few days' visit with Mrs. Ostberg's cousin, Miss Gladys Nelson.

Mr. and Mrs. Austin Goodman of Ishpeming are visiting at the home of Mrs. Goodman's mother, Mrs. John Degnon.

Miss Nana McCauley of Kipling spent the week end with relatives and friends here.

H. H. Luery and W. G. Thiek have returned from a buying trip to New York, Chicago and Cleveland.

Miss Katherin Burns spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. LaMarsh, Iron River.

Bill Bruley has returned from a brief visit at Iron River.

Mrs. J. Moreau and son, Harry, returned Monday morning from a trip through the Copper country.

Mr. and Mrs. P. F. Burns have returned from a visit at Ford River.

Herman Peterson of Bark River, was here on business Monday.

Miss Ida Fish of Munising is visiting friends here.

There is no beard on our half round wood. It is strictly sanitary; telephone 810. Birds Eye Veneer company.

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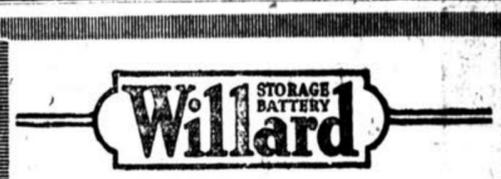
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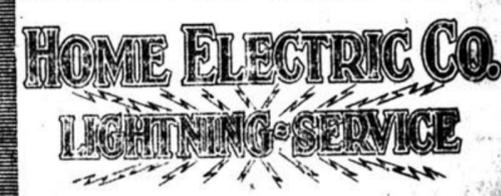
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