

PALMER TELLS SOLONS ABOUT MEAT TREATY

Sharp Clashes Feature the Testimony of Attorney General.

Washington, Jan. 7.—More was accomplished through the government settlement of anti-trust proceedings against the five big packers than could have resulted from a court decision adverse to the packers, Attorney General Palmer told the senate agricultural committee today. He appeared before the committee in connection with its consideration of what legislation is yet required for the industry.

The government, he declared, surrendered no right to further prosecution of the packers, eliminated the packers from the conduct of industries not directly related to meat packing, and does not at present contemplate further proceedings, civil or criminal, as "the cases against them have been won."

Many Sharp Clashes. There were a few sharp interchanges between Mr. Palmer and committee members. The suggestion of Senator Norris, Republican, that criminal counts against the packers past and prospective had been "forgiven" brought a flat denial.

Senator France, Republican, intimated that by bringing civil proceedings against the packers, the department of justice had "laid itself open to the charge of failing to prosecute multimillionaires while its agents were spying upon members of labor unions and making summary arrests."

"It doesn't lay in the mouth of any man, high or low, to say that the attorney general of the United States is a respecter of persons," retorted Mr. Palmer, his ire plainly aroused. Explains the Agreement. Commenting on the general effect of the agreement, Mr. Palmer said he saw no immediate hope of lowering of food prices by reason of it.

In the settlement, Mr. Palmer said, the packers agreed to accept a court decree perpetually enjoying them from monopolistic or other unlawful trade practices, from engaging in the wholesale grocery and other businesses not directly in their line, and from control of yards and stock yard railroads. The government had not insisted that they release poultry, eggs and cheese business, he said, believing that there was economic advantage in their system of handling these products in refrigeration along with meat products.

HINES OUTLINES VIEWS ON RAIL CONTROL LAWS

Compulsory Mergers Are Advocated by Director.

New York, Jan. 7.—Compulsory consolidation of the railroads into a few great corporations before they return to private control with the public and labor as well as capital represented in the management was advocated tonight by Director General Hines in an address before the bar association of New York City. Without this "fundamental reconstruction" the result will be progressively disappointing and in a few years the dissatisfaction of the public will manifest itself through a demand for a different plan which is no less than "outright government ownership," he declared.

"We make a grave mistake in assuming that the representatives of capital can manage the situation," Mr. Hines said. "The scheme of the past has been on that false theory and the result has been that the public has injected itself into the management through all sorts of agencies and labor has injected itself into the management through its organizations. We have all three interests participating in all sorts of ways and yet there is no common ground on which the three can meet and exchange views and endeavor to reach conclusions."

DETROIT REDS LINED UP FOR DEPORTATION

Detroit, Jan. 7.—Examination of 200 alleged radicals taken in raids here was completed tonight and more than 200 prisoners were turned over to immigration officers. Including those arrested in November raids, 499 prisoners are now held here for deportation.

A manifesto of the Communist Party found last Friday by department of justice agents indicated that the government's move against radicals forestalled an attempt to tie up industry here.

The plan outlined was similar to that in other cities, the officers stated, contemplating a series of strikes that ultimately would be welded together into a general walkout.



TWO ACCUSED IN DANSEY MURDER MYSTERY RELEASED ON BAIL—Photograph shows Chas. S. White accused of the murder of Little Billy Dansey, and Mrs. Edith Jones, charged with being an accessory, immediately after their release from jail at May's Landing, N. J. on bail.

SAYS DAILEY'S MOTIVE IS NOT FREE OF BLAME

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ing a purpose for a crime, if any existed," declared Mr. Littleton. Contends U. S. Has No Authority. His argument from the beginning was that congress is without authority to regulate elections, and especially primary elections, in the state, and he went to the very fundamentals of the legislation governing these points in an effort to establish just what the intent and purpose of congress was in framing this law. He referred to arguments and interrogations on the floor of congress when the so-called general election law was framed and amended, and asserted that its application in this case constituted a clear infringement upon the rights of sovereignty of the various states.

He made a special point of the fact that congress never exercised or sought to exercise any jurisdiction of control over nominating conventions. He argued that in the application of the law and the constitution there could be no material difference between a nominating convention and a primary election, since both were devices for the nomination of candidates and both clearly outside the jurisdiction of congress. He quoted other authorities on points having no direct bearing on the case at issue, but as illustrative of the intent of congress to keep away from interference with state sovereignty.

Claims No Fraud of Mail. In discussing the sixth count based on the charge that the mails were used to defraud, in connection with Senator Newberry's nomination and election, Mr. Littleton took the position that by bringing in this law it would be possible for the postmaster general and the department of justice to take a hand in the regulation of elections when congress expressly had adopted the policy of keeping hands off. He characterized the resort to this law as part of the machinery of prosecution as a wanton effort to tear down, at least by indirection, the safeguards thrown about the rights of the various states to govern themselves and regulate their own elections.

In one or two of his interrogations, Judge C. W. Sessions called the attention of counsel for the defense that the charge was not confined to a conspiracy to violate the laws of the United States, but in the mail fraud law count it represented a charge of conspiracy by use of the mails to violate the laws of the state. Attacks "Assumed Power." Mr. Littleton maintained his position that to place authority to issue a fraud order in the hands of the post-office department, through the application of mail fraud act to elections in states, would be to give officers not even elective but appointive, and representing the personnel of the administration in power, jurisdiction over the regulation and conduct of elections in states that congress had not attempted to assume for itself.

Protective League Blocks Child Singer

Chicago, Jan. 7.—The Chicago opera company tonight changed the production from "Norma" to "Hercules" after Rosa Raisa refused to appear in "Norma" without 5-year-old Helen Berg on the stage. The child's parents had been arrested at the instance of the Juvenile Protective association for allowing the child to appear on the stage.

Reds Occupy Port in Cossack Region

London, Jan. 7.—The Bolsheviks have occupied Taganrog, in the territory of the Don Cossacks, on the north shore of the Sea of Azov. Republican women of Kansas are to hold a State conference in Topeka at the end of January to consider plans for their participation in the approaching campaign.

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OPPOSITION TO RAIL BILL BY BIG SHIPPERS

Fixed Return Among the Sections that Are Attacked.

Chicago, Jan. 7.—Guaranteed earnings for the railroads, appropriation of surplus profits by the government, thereby "penalizing efficiency," and compulsory consolidation of the roads are proposed in an address to congress by the National Shippers' conference.

Representatives of shippers in 16 states met here December 30 and appointed representatives to draft the memorial, which attacked many provisions of the Cummins railroad bill. Copies were mailed to every member of congress. The shippers urge legislation for early return of the roads and favor retention of the state commissions to fix intrastate rates. Creation of the proposed "transportation board" is opposed because it could invade the interstate commerce commission's field and make recommendations in rate advance cases "without the necessity of conducting hearings."

RAILROAD MEN TO ENTER INTO "CO-OP" FIELD

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Under the heading "rights of labor" the plan declares the measure of what a worker shall receive "depends entirely upon the amount of service he renders. He is entitled to receive an equivalent amount in value of the services of others. The wage system disregards this human right."

In its conclusion, the resume declares "the existing industrial system is crashing around our ears," that wages bear no relation to the value of services rendered and that "profits are wrongfully exacted."

To correct this system, says the plan, "there must be absolute equality between the three interests—the public, capital, labor. To accomplish this end, I submit to the American people the true foundation for the reconstruction of our industrial system. This requires that the grant of society existing in privilege, monopoly or grant shall be deemed the investment society makes in that industry benefited by the grant; that the capital required to support the industry shall also be deemed an investment. Labor, the creative power of individuals employed, shall be deemed an investment."

"Society shall receive profits on its investment in better, cheaper and more service. Capital shall receive its share in guaranteed protection of investment and that current rate of return which in the market of the world procures the acceptance of par of securities which represent invested capital."

"Labor shall receive as its return upon its investment of human effort, that rate of wages which in the free markets of the world, procures the service of that class of labor and in addition to wages, shall receive its share of all the savings which labor can effect in production."

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THIRD OF STEEL MEN STILL OUT

Leaders Say They Are Now Merely Biding Their Time.

Pittsburgh, Jan. 7.—Fully one-third of the estimated 350,000 steel workers, who obeyed the order of the National Steel Strike committee Sept. 22 last, are still on strike, say the strike leaders. Yet the employers assert that the mills and furnaces of the Carnegie Steel company, the principal interest against which the strike was directed, as well as mills and furnaces of independent companies, are in steady operation with virtually a normal force of workmen.

In recent weeks strike headquarters in this city has devoted its time to keeping in line the men who had not gone back to work, and to caring for the destitute, while the steel companies have been busy building up their forces and increasing production.

Unions Bide Time. "We have dug in and are biding our time," say the union leaders when asked concerning their plans for the future.

"We are going along as usual, making and selling steel," say the employers in answer to a similar question.

W. Z. Foster, secretary of the National Steel Strike committee, is in charge of headquarters here, and receiving reports from organizers in all parts of the district, who are charged with the duty of preventing desertions.

Another section has been organized to provide food for needy strikers and their families. Canteens have been opened, and every week food is distributed. As the strike lengthens the number of persons in need of relief increases, but officials of the committee insist they have met every call made upon them.

Number Out Uncertain. Efforts to obtain the exact number who are still out have been unsuccessful, as the strike leaders have been unable to determine the exact number of men who have entered other industries, the number who have returned to their old places in the mills, or the number who have returned to their native lands. Their best calculations, however, place the number still on strike at more than 100,000.

This position is supported by leading independents who declare that the unskilled labor situation in the industry is serious, and men for this class of work is hard to find.

The Carnegie Steel company, however, has no complaint on this score. Its records for the third week in December, the last reports available, showing 51,000 men on the payrolls as against a normal force of 52,000. Meetings of strikers now are permitted if sanctioned by local authorities.

Denikine's Forces Accused of Excesses

New York, Jan. 7.—The army of General Denikine is characterized as a "bloodthirsty rabble" guilty of "brutish outrages and a mob which revels in the most abominable crimes and shrinks from no infamy" in a communication given out by Dr. Nordap, Jewish publicist and leader, made public here tonight.

Missouri Editor Is Released from Jail

Leavenworth, Jan. 7.—Jacob Frohwerk, of Kansas City, editor of the Missouri Staats Zeitung, a German language newspaper, and serving a sentence in the federal penitentiary here for violation of the espionage act, has been granted a presidential parole. Twenty-four others also have been paroled, it was stated.

Crosby Liner Lost Off Michigan Coast

Muskegon, Jan. 7.—Coast guards and all Lake Michigan steamers were today instructed to keep a lookout for the Crosby line steamer Potoskey, 24 hours overdue from Milwaukee. The ship was reported to have been sighted off Muskegon harbor late last night but it was believed ice floes forced her back.

Brazilian Aero Club to Found a School

Rio de Janeiro, Jan. 7.—The Brazilian Aero Club intends to found in this city a school of civil aviation, the graduate pilots of which will be a natural reserve for army and navy pilots. Steps are now under way to raise the \$150,000, which it is estimated it will cost to inaugurate the school.

In California the women are forming leagues, the members of which will wear mourning bands on their sleeves on the date of execution of each murderer in the State, in protest against capital punishment.

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VIENNA WORST FAMINE VICTIM

Conditions So Deplorable as to Almost "Beggars Description."

LONDON, Jan. 7.—Sir William Goode, the British Director of Relief, declares that Vienna is the worst of all the famine-stricken places that he visited on a recent tour through Central Europe.

Although more than 2,400,000 tons of foodstuffs, at a cost of nearly \$500,000,000, have been delivered in Europe since the signing of the armistice, by far the greatest share of which he said, had been furnished by the United States under the direction of Herbert Hoover, conditions are still so deplorable as almost to "beggars description." A distinguished British army officer who had been in Vienna for some time, implored him before he left the Austrian capital: "For God's sake go home and tell them what it is like." Sir William told his experiences to the American Luncheon Club here.

Was Depressed. "I felt upon leaving Vienna," said he, "as if I had spent ten days in the cell of a condemned murderer who has given up all hope of a reprieve. I stayed at the best hotel but I saw no milk and no eggs the whole time I was there. In the bitter cold hall of the hotel, once the gayest rendezvous in Europe, the visitors huddled together in the gloom of one light where there used to be forty. They were more like shadows than representatives of the rich. Vienna's world-famous opera house is packed every afternoon. Why? Women and men go there in order to keep themselves warm and because they have no work to do.

"In my office I made several experiments at working in overcoat and with blankets for the staff when the thermometer inside was only one degree above freezing point. Finally I determined to get wood enough to light the one small fire for two days. It cost me 970 crowns, which, to the Viennese, is equivalent to about 30 or 40 pounds.

Burn Furniture. "Do you wonder that the well-to-do people in Vienna are burning their furniture to light their stoves? Can you imagine how the poor live or try to live? It is not unusual to see the traffic in one of the main streets which leads to the cemetery held up by hearse. Nine-tenths carry the bottles of children.

"In Vienna, in the palace of a former archduke, I saw thousands of children being fed with American Relief food under the control of a young naval officer, whom I was proud to recognize as one of those Americans who did excellent work in the early days of the Commission for Relief in Belgium. Our own British Relief Missions, both in Austria and Hungary, and a number of unofficial British workers are doing everything possible to stem the tide of distress." In Serbia alone, Sir William declared, there are 500,000 fatherless children, most of whom are suffering from hunger and exposure.

Can't Trifle With Starvation. "It seems to me that you cannot trifle with starvation and privation in Central Europe such as prevails today in Vienna without running the risk of a carnival of Bolshevism which would probably not be confined to this continent. I do not want to cry 'wolf' and I am rather inclined to think that Bolshevism has been used too much as a bogey, but anyone with half an eye must realize that if, as a result of apparently legitimate grievances, forces of unrest are loosed in the heart of Europe, the whole world, the United States as well as ourselves, will be menaced."

Sir William declared that "first and foremost among the causes of the present situation in Central Europe is the delay in making peace.

"It scarcely seems to be realized in the United Kingdom," he continued, "isolated from the continent of Europe by a narrow strip of water, and still less in the United States, iso-

lated by the Atlantic ocean, that Austria, Hungary, Bulgaria and Turkey are still technically at war with the allies and, what is more important, at war with most of their neighbors.

Packed with Soldiers. "As one approaches the frontiers one finds every little wayside station packed with soldiers, bayonets fixed and railway sidings congested with ammunition wagons. War and all the wasteful effect of preparedness for war upon economic and industrial progress are visualized for miles as one travels through these countries.

"In many corners of Central Europe today the inhabitants do not even know their own nationality. Until universal peace is ratified, until boundary commissions are able to get to work and until plebiscites can determine the future of democracies, Central Europe will be a patchwork of ethnological dislocation. An over-prolonged armistice, following upon four years of war, has knocked away almost every fundamental prop—political, financial and economic.

"States on the Danube—the main avenue of traffic—fear to send barges out of their own territorial waters lest they should be appropriated by their next door neighbor. Just as on land, the British Tommy is the only safeguard for a train of supplies, so on the Danube one of Admiral Troubridge's British mine-layers, with a little British midship in command, is the only guarantee of safe conduct.

Food Enroute. "The other day, on the Jugo-Slav frontier, trains of food supplies arranged by the allied relief missions and all paid for by the Austrian government were on their way to mitigate starvation in Vienna. At the last moment the Jugo-Slav government clapped on an export duty of 40 per cent and refused to permit the trains to go forward unless that tax was paid in foreign exchange. I ventured to take international law into my own hands and, thanks to the resourcefulness and intrepidity of a couple of young British army officers, those trains arrived in Vienna.

"Another interlocking difficulty as between food and transport is the persistent flocking of peasants with eggs, sacks of flour, live geese and ducks and all kinds of agricultural produce into the towns. In snow, rain or any-kind of weather, you can see not only the inside but the roof of every railway carriage thronged with this quacking crowd of food speculators. Their traffic has assumed such proportions as to make legitimate railway traveling almost impossible. What it means in the problem of food distribution will be apparent when I tell you that a train of 40 carriages full of these picturesque profiteering peddlers can only carry as much food as could be put into four ordinary railway trucks."

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The list comprised more than 3,500 names and the chart accompanying it tells a graphic story of the fate of each recommendation as it passed through the hands of the board. As another development in the situation, Republican members of the house naval committee today went on record tentatively as opposing an inquiry of medal awards, holding that instead Congress should give attention to legislation fixing the peace time personnel of the navy and the annual appropriation bill.

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IMPLICATED IN THE DISPOSAL OF WHISKEY WHICH CAUSED A HUNDRED DEATHS—Adolph Paraneil, 31 years old, a liquor dealer of New York, who was arrested by federal agents in connection with the distribution and disposal of the wood alcohol whiskey.

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OTHERS CARRY ON FOR KOLCHAK

All-Russians to Fight As Long As It May Be Necessary.

New York, Jan. 7.—Prince Cantacuzene, who married the granddaughter of President Grant, and who is in this country on a military mission for the Kolchak government of Russia, said today concerning the reports that Kolchak had given up the command:

"Whether or not Kolchak has been forced to resign active command of the all-Russian armies because of illness, the military situation is not seriously altered thereby. There are other men in the Russian army who will carry on the fighting as long as there is a foot of ground left. There is vast territory between the Russian front and the Pacific Ocean and even if Irkutsk has fallen into the hands of the Bolsheviki, which I myself find hard to believe, the all-Russian army will carry on.

Supplies Needed.
"The Kolchak armies have the men and they have many and excellent officers. What they need is supplies. They have no shoes, no clothes, very little ammunition, and very little food. If the Allies wish to stop the spread of Bolshevism throughout the world, they must come to the rescue of Kolchak and Denikine. Semenov is a Cossack. He is an honest and strong man. I do not believe that he is playing into the hands of the Japanese as people in America are inclined to believe. He is a Russian and a patriot. His methods are ruthless, but his purpose is to fight the Bolsheviki and save the world from their clutches.

"The Kolchak armies are fighting on the defensive. Until they are given supplies by the Allies, they will not be able to take the offensive. Their great contribution to the peace of the world at present is that they are preventing the spread of Bolshevism into the Orient.

Bolsheviki Failed.
"The Bolsheviki in Russia have failed. They know that they have failed. It is only a matter of time before the peasants, who are disillusioned and bitter, uprising once more and annihilate the Bolsheviki government. When that happens what will the leaders of Bolshevism do? Russia is already looted and impoverished. There is little more to gain by holding the power in Russia. Their obvious aim is to find new worlds to conquer. There is great opportunity for them among the ignorant masses of China and India. Once the leaders and the propaganda of the Bolsheviki have entered the swarming lands of the Orient, there is no estimating the suffering and horror that will descend upon the world. Nothing stands between the Western nations and such a catastrophe except the thin wavering line of the Kolchak forces.

Chinese in Bolsh Armies.
"There are Chinese in the Bolsheviki armies. These men were paid 10,000 rubles a piece in paper money for taking Amisk. The city presented a picture of desolation and horror unmatched in the entire war, after it had been looted by the Chinese mercenaries. These men are anxious to return to their own homes and they have been taught to believe that the only thing which prevents their returning is the Kolchak armies. Once they break through they will return to China to spread Bol-

Nineteen Ships Lost On Lakes In Last Season

Following is a list of the 19 boats lost on the Great Lakes during the last navigation season:

Steamer	Lives Lost	Tonnage	Value
Cherokee	1,800	25,000	50,000
P. Schmeisser	2,500	50,000	100,000
D. R. Hanna	10,250	430,000	860,000
Vulcan	2,100	100,000	200,000
Landis	2,200	37,500	75,000
Muriel W.	2,500	20,000	40,000
D. W. Mills	1,500	22,000	44,000
Capt. Dan	1,800	20,000	40,000
Tolten	1,100	40,000	80,000
F. O'Connor	2,000	40,000	80,000
City of Muskegon	19	100,000	200,000
Homer Warren	9	500	1,000
H. E. Runnels	1,200	40,000	80,000
John Owen	22	2,500	5,000
Myron	17	250	500
Toga	3,200	175,000	350,000
Barre	2	700	1,400
Lundurs	2	700	1,400
Quebec	5	1,200	2,400
Chickamauga	4,200	50,000	100,000
Totals	74	472,500	945,000

Will Audit Accounts of County Officers

The accounts of all county officers will be audited before the installation of the state's uniform accounting system, the board of supervisors decided yesterday. Arrangements were placed in the hands of the auditing committee.

WHITNEY MAN BUYS 40 ACRES FROM L. STEPHENSON COMPANY

John Antikain, of Whitney, has purchased 39 acres of land from the L. Stephenson Company, in Wells township, immediately adjoining the Soo Hill school. Mr. Antikain recently moved to Delta county from Whitney and will build a home on his new farm.

Fifty years ago Rev. Phoebe Hanford was chaplain of the Connecticut legislature, the first woman to serve in such a capacity.

shievik doctrines from one end of the Orient to the other.

"If Bolshevism can be kept isolated in Russia, it will wear itself out by its own excesses. Bolshevism is like a sickness preying upon the weak and ignorant. By cutting off the territory occupied by the Bolsheviki by means of military force, the disease will wear itself out. Governments are slow moving, but there is one thing which can be done by the people of America immediately. Behind the Kolchak army there is another pitiful army of refugees. Hundreds of thousands of people have fled out of Bolsheviki Russia into Siberia. They are under the protection and care of Kolchak and the military authorities, and Kolchak has neither the supplies nor the equipment to care for them properly. They are scattered all the way across Siberia on the line of the railroad.

Live in Box Cars.

"They are living in box cars—25 and 30 women and children in one car. They have nothing between them and weather which is at 45 degrees below zero, except the thin board walls of the car. Their only heat is from small stoves in these cars, which they keep supplied by pulling down old snow sheds and gathering fagots. This fuel makes a hot fire for a few moments but soon burns out. They have insufficient clothes to protect them against the weather and no shoes or medical supplies. I helped to carry out 18 corpses from one car and to bury them. Only those in the prime of life are living today. The old people and the young children have all died.

"They cannot survive the hardships, and these people are the educated classes of Russia. Among them are the professional classes, the tradespeople, clerks and skilled workmen. The villages cannot care for them. Little towns built for a few people are already overcrowded, and the peasants have all they can do to feed and warm themselves and the people in their homes. If America will but help to care for this army of refugees a terrible responsibility will have been lifted from the shoulders of the Russian armies and thousands of valuable lives will be saved for the future.

"The American Central Committee for Russian Relief has undertaken the work of rescuing this pitiful remnant of a once great nation. If supplies can be sent quickly, a great service will have been rendered to Russia and to humanity."



Secures Site for Ice Skating Area

Alderman Fryal, to whom was referred the matter of looking up a suitable location for flooding, so that the youngsters of the city may have a smooth piece of congealed aqua for skating, announced yesterday that he had virtually completed arrangements for securing the lot on the northeast corner of Ludington street and Stephenson avenue. If the deal is closed, Fire Chief Arvid Johnson will probably flood the lot today and a fine piece of skating will be at the disposal of the youngsters of the city who wish to go there rather than the bay.

NEW YORK MAY TRY THE SOCIAL PLAN OF CINCY

New York, Jan. 7.—A community experiment similar to the one which has been carried on in a section of Cincinnati the past two and a half years by the National Social Unit Organization, will be conducted here in 1920. If plans for a merger of that organization and the Community Councils of greater New York, recently formulated by the executive boards of both bodies, are consummated.

Miss Sara Graham-Mulhall, Mrs. Edgarton Winthrop and Dr. Albert Shiel, director of the Community Councils of greater New York, are prominent in the proposed enterprise. Wilbur C. Phillips, executive secretary of the National Social Unit Organization, explaining the project, said:

"The work of the Community Councils, already established in 80 sections of New York City, has demonstrated their ability to awaken civic interest, increase neighborliness and promote co-operative endeavor. The Cincinnati unit has shown that the organization of people by small population units, with a representative for each unit, has been extraordinarily successful as a means of enabling the discussion of community needs and programs.

"Development of the work in New York," said Mr. Phillips, "may first center around some common problems, such as infant welfare, the reduction of the cost of living or recreation. This work is to be undertaken insofar as possible by the women of the city acting as volunteers. An effort also will be made to waken the intelligent interest and co-operation of important groups in the population such as business men, wage earners, physicians, nurses, social workers, clergymen and city officials."

"LISTEN LESTER" SHOWS AT DELFT THEATER TOMORRO

There's a brand new expression in usage, "Listen Lester," which for an entire year has gone the length and breadth of New York, brought into favor by John Cort's musical comedy success of that name which for a year was the attraction at the Knickerbocker Theatre in New York, and comes to the Delft on Friday, Jan. 9th with the entire New York cast. Chorus, Production and special company orchestra. The uses of this expression are myriad but as a preface to advice, good or bad, to some remark which requires strict attention on the part of the listener, or simply as an exclamation. It was originated by Harry L. Cort, George E. Stoddard and Harold Orlob, in the case of this play Lester listens to any number of people, from one Arbutus Quilty, a "live wire," to the Daintest, Danciest of Choruses, including a flip hotel clerk, an artfully dodging Colonel, a female detective and a pair of lovers all of whom are bent on a search for some letters which are of great importance to certain parties. But Lester himself is well worth paying strict attention to for his conversation is snappy and entertaining, his costuming gorgeous, the crop of melodies he offers tuneful and catchy, and he brings with him a company of artists that were seen in this musical attraction for over seven hundred performances, all of unmatched ability including Miriam Folger, Florida Bellaire, Frances Anderson, Florence De Barr, Betty Kirkbride, Cecil Williams, Ann Ott, Henrietta Lee, Gus Shy, William Sellery, Delano Del, William Wayne, John L. Lyons, Murry Hart, Mark Thompson and Andrew Leigh.

Board Gives Lift to St. Joseph Orphans

The Delta county board of supervisors yesterday appropriated \$300 for the support of the Michigan Children's home at St. Joseph.

To the Dyspeptic.

Would you not like to feel that your stomach troubles are over, that you can eat any kind of food that you crave? Consider then the fact that Chamberlain's Tablets have cured others—why not you. There are many who have been restored to health by taking these tablets and can now eat any kind of food that they crave.

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LIBEL CASE TO BE CONTINUED; ATTORNEY ILL

The Baldwin-Anderson Case Can't Be Heard Next Week.

M. J. Doyle, Menominee attorney, who visited Escanaba yesterday as a member of the Menominee county delegation which discussed the joint tuberculosis sanitarium project with the Delta county supervisors, expects to ask for a continuance in the Johnson-Baldwin libel case, which is scheduled to be tried at the January term of circuit court.

"I've just spent four weeks in a hospital following an operation, and while I'm feeling a little better every day, I'm not in condition to tackle a strenuous siege of work in a courtroom."

The case had promised to attract wide attention, because of the sensational nature of the charges against the plaintiff, Ed Johnson, in the alleged libelous editorial, written by F. L. Baldwin for his weekly newspaper.

The case was called up for trial at the October term of circuit court and work of selecting a jury was progressing when the illness of Judge Flannigan forced adjournment of the court term.

Chairman to Attend State Convention

On motion of Supervisor O. P. Chatfield, the county board yesterday named its chairman, Richard E. MacLean of Wells, as delegate to the convention of the state association of supervisors to be held at Lansing February 10-11-12. The board had previously authorized Mr. MacLean to appoint a representative of Delta county at the meeting but Mr. Chatfield's motion settled the matter.

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WORTH CONSIDERATION.

A committee representing the Menominee county board of supervisors came to Escanaba yesterday to confer with members of a committee of the Delta county board relative to the construction of a joint tuberculosis sanitarium by Menominee and Delta counties for the care of tuberculosis patients of the two counties.

Experience has proven that tuberculosis has been most successfully fought where sanitariums, especially designed and constructed for the care of patients suffering from the disease.

If the remaining counties of the peninsula cannot be induced to support a joint Cloverland sanitarium then Delta and Menominee counties should proceed with their plans. The original cost of a sanitarium of sufficient size to care for tuberculosis patients from 13 counties, prorated among the 13 counties would not be excessive on any single county.

HOME LIFE ASSURED.

Remarkable progress has been made in legislation providing for mothers' pensions, since the first mothers' pension laws were passed in 1911 in Illinois and Missouri.

This rapid spread of legislation in so brief a period is indicative of the widespread conviction that no child should be deprived of home life and a mother's care because of poverty alone.

All mothers' pension laws provide for the payment of a stated weekly or monthly sum for each child under a certain age to mothers who are dependent upon their own efforts to support their children and are morally and physically fit persons to bring up their children.

THE CENSUS TAKERS.

The census taker is at hand. Nearly ninety thousand men and women have taken the oath of office as enumerators and are going forth not only to count but to question all residents of this big country.

For a variety of reasons, therefore, it is better to help than to hinder the census takers. The more cheerful and prompt the answers the quicker an unavoidable business will be over.

"The trouble with this city is that it needs a manager so badly that it hurts"—member of the city council. Well, why not? Why stand the hurt?

Just possibly, in the end it may turn out that the dictum as a Newberry leader is a badge of honor.

"Shortage of Small Coins is Serious," says a headline. But even more serious, affirms the chronic kicker, is the shortage of larger ones.

If the evidence should finally show that real, old fashioned whisky was used by federal agents to get some of the witnesses in the Newberry case to talk, there will be some people who will regret deeply that they were not interviewed.

"Mississippi marbles" is what they call it in New York. But "craps" is a whole lot easier to say.

Jim Willard is charged with profiteering in the sale of cordwood. What do they call what he did at Toledo?

A Paris dressmaker is of the opinion that "andress" styles have about reached their limit. That statement is axiomatic.

Congress may cease publication of the Record to save paper. How would members circulate speeches they do not deliver?

The Chicago condemned man who received a reprieve as the death march was under way should appreciate the importance a few minutes may possess.

Having survived a would-be murderer's bullet, a little thing like a broken rib doesn't worry Premier Clemenceau.

With civil war threatening below the Rio Grande, Mexico must feel that the old days are returning.

The closing of eating houses in Berlin by a strike leads to the wonder if anything the allies can do to Germany can equal what Germany is likely to do to herself.

New Zealand will go dry next June, but it is so far away that even were it to remain wet it could do nothing to relieve the American thirst.

Berlin's board of education will clean the school libraries of all books "contradictory to the new spirit of the times." If the "spirit of the times" is interpreted correctly, that will help.

The deported Reds who took about \$500,000 in American currency with them will discover the difference between good money and worthless stuff when they reach Russia. When exchanged for the soviet brand there will be a lot of millionaires in that crowd.

It is not unpatriotic now to put on another shovelful of coal.

"Two More American Killed by Mexicans" headline. Oh Lord, how long, how long?

The price of marks isn't interesting the average citizen half so much as are the pricemarks.

Nowadays you must be awfully private and mysteriously still about that mysterious still.

If that movie party could have filmed their trip from Miami to Nassau they would have had a real thriller.

THE PIFFLE HOOK

BY SLIM PICKENS.

THE SAGE ACROSS THE TABLE has a method of disposing of the political argument before it starts. When the conventional query, "Well, who's going to be the next president?" comes floating along he dolls up with a vacant stare and asks listlessly, "President of what?"

AFTER LONGFELLOW

The day is cold and dark and dreary, My eyes are dim and my dome is weary, I'm lamping the gas from the campaign guns Of the latest crop of favorite sons And the day is dark and dreary.

At any rate it is fortunate that the United States senate doesn't hire the president. The 1912 "electee" would still be a matter of weekly (and weakly) discussion.

William Jennings Bryan's hat is going into the ring and the last time we saw it, we ventured the remark that it was about time something happened to that garment.

Our candidate is Mr. George Ade of Brook, Ind. George writes a language everybody understands. When it comes to crippled English, George is there—First Ade.

Although George Barr McCutcheon, who columbused Granstark, ought to be able to settle the Balkan problem, that is if there wasn't too much balkin'.

We wonder if we are the first paragrapher to discover the fact that Bryan rhymes with tryin'? Probably no other paragrapher would admit the discovery.

If Wilson decides to try for a third term, all we'll have to say is that he is a glutton for punishment. Interpret this remark to suit yourselves. We're neutral.

Except that we have an idea that the peace treaty has been kicked around long enough without becoming a campaign issue. We're afraid the document won't be able to stand the strain.

"Silence is golden," some one remarked. The silence around the camp of J. Frank Hanley is also studded with diamonds. However, Frank may be counted on as a candidate for something.

The candidacy of Elihu Root will not be catalogued in the campaign text books as "dry humor."

An Indiana furniture manufacturer is said to be out for the vice presidential job. He wants to be assistant cabinet maker.

We are unable to state just now, who will be elected to succeed Lawrence Y. Sherman. We don't know who the Chicago papers are going to oppose.

Republican political experts told the women of the national committee how to force a Democratic editor to print Republican propaganda: There were three important words in the formula, it is presumed. "Cross-galm-gold."

TO ALL CAMPAIGN SPELLBINDERS—Now is the time to begin practicing the trick of thrusting the right hand into the front opening of a frock coat, slipping from a glass of ice water in the middle of a sentence and framing original opening sentences, beginning something like this—"Fr-r-riends and Fellow Citiz-z-zenzuz."

Oratory will be the only stimulant available at campaign banquets.

The harmony at harmony luncheons will be supplemented by jazz orchestras.

What's the fare to Havana?

DELAYED!



AT THE THEATRES

At the Strand.

Charles Ray has an entirely new character in his latest Paramount photoplay which will be displayed at the Strand theatre today. In this story, written by Julien Josephson, Mr. Ray appears as a county youth who undergoes the adversities of training at a modern military camp.

The story has the atmosphere of camp life and Mr. Ray portrays the character of a youth who bears the name of Ulysses S. Grant Briggs and is expected by his grandfather to live up to all the moral standards of the great American general.

When Ulysses hits the camp armed with his grandfather's musket of '61 and all ready to go after the Kaiser, he is the butt of many jokes by his more sophisticated comrades, and when he lets drop the remark that he once took a correspondence course in sleight-of-hand he is prevailed upon to appear as a performer at the camp theatre.

"Pollyanna," Mary Pickford's first film for United Artists, has been completed and will have its first showing January 15. Paul Powell directed the picture.

Jack Pickford has left the Goldwyn studios at Culver City for New York to visit his wife, Olive Thomas.

With Draws Suit.

Following the rumor that Lottie Pickford Rupp had sued for divorce from her husband, Albert G. Rupp, comes the report from Los Angeles that the suit has been withdrawn.

Mildred Harris Chaplin has finished "The Inferior Sex," her special feature for Louis B. Mayer, and is now taking a brief rest at Coronado Beach before starting work on her next production.

On Location.

Katherine MacDonald and her company have gone to Monterey, Calif., for location scenes. They are now working on "The Guests of Hercules," Miss MacDonald's coming picture.

Eugene Pallette who left the screen for military service, will be seen in the part of "Red" Joelynn in support of Bert Lytell in "Alias Jimmy Valentine," a Metro special.

French Story for Farrar.

The next Goldwyn picture starring Geraldine Farrar, is "The Woman and the Puppet," by Pierre Louys, French author of "Aphrodite," the stage sensation. "The Woman and the Puppet," it is said, created a furor when it was published as a novel in Paris.

One of the smallest casts ever assembled in a five reel picture will be seen in Goldwyn's production of "Two Cents Worth of Humanity," starring Madge Kennedy. Only five players are in the production.

Don't You Forget It.

Bear in mind that Chamberlain's Tablets not only move the bowels, but improve the appetite and strengthen the digestion. They contain no poison or other digestive ferment, but strengthen the stomach and enables it to perform its functions naturally.

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TALKING IT OVER WITH SADIE

BY IMOGENE

"SAY," SAID SADIE WITH A huge yawn, "take a tip from your little Sadie an' steer clear of sleigh ride parties, if you're particular about what you calls your idea of a good time. Hopes I ain't gonna be able to keep my lamps open an' my understandin's ain't gonna warm for a week."

"Settin' in the dark with a baby you likes suits your little Sadie alright, but when she's choosin' her pick you don't lamp her passin' up the parlor sofa for a breezy bus that's gonna freeze you out sooner or later an's takin' its time about it."

"Say, if you knows anythin' that beats a bunch of simps gettin' started on a sleigh ride, just slip it to this little baby an' she'll feel better. They stalls an' fuses an' then stars in an' does it all over again a couple dozen times before they finely gets paired off an' packed in, an' take it from somebody that's had the cool experience, when it comes to packin' that's the real thing."

"Me an' my frien' gets jammed in the middle with a desperate case on one side an' a long drink of water with elbows like twin spikes on the other side, an' take it from Sadie, you couldn't be holdin' no ladies' aid meetin' in the space between us. Honest it's gonna take me a couple days to get used to settin' up alone without bein' held up on both sides."

"An, say, if there ain't a law against birds that's hard up for amusement carryin' flashlights on sleigh rides, there oughta be. Your little Sadie might be a lovin' baby, but she likes it private an' the darker it is the better, an' just when she lays her head on his manly shoulder an' he looks into her eyes, she don't want no lime-light stuff flashed her way."

"Honest the only thing your little Sadie's in love with about a sleigh ride's the dancin' an' eats in the middle an' she ain't on yet to the big idea of riskin' your young life with a man in the dark an' the speed of them poor old horses, to get there."

WOMAN'S CASE AMAZES ESCANABA

A business man's wife could not sew or read without sharp pains in her eyes. For years her eyes were red and weak. Finally she tried simple witchhazel, camphor, hydrastis, etc., as mixed in Lavoptik eye wash. The result produced by a single bottle amazed everyone. We guarantee a small bottle Lavoptik to help ANY CASE weak, strained or inflamed eyes. Aluminum eye cup FREE. In this city by Ellsworth's Drug Store at Garden by Herman J. Saladin.

The Best Cough Medicine.

When a druggist finds that his customers all speak well of a certain preparation, he forms a good opinion of it, and when in need of such a medicine is almost certain to use it himself and in his family. This is why so many druggists use and recommend Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. J. B. Jones, a well known druggist of Cubrun, Ky., says: "I have used Chamberlain's Cough Remedy in my family for the past seven years and have found it to be the best cough medicine I have ever known."

Jan. 1-1 mo.

The women of Spain are generally credited with being the best dancers of any women in the world.

Advertisement for Black Silk Stove Polish. Includes image of a bottle and text: 'Does Not Rub Off, Lasts 4 Times as Long as Others, Saves Work. Get a Can Today.'

PRESS COMMENT

It is not known just how the historians learned that Cortez discovered Mexico—whether some one told it on him or whether he broke down and confessed.—Nashville Tennessean.

If we understand the Commoner, its real mission is to make Bryan so conspicuous that when the nomination goes to seek the man it will not be able to evade duck or sidestep him.—Houston Post.

Bryan may have his ears to the ground; if he has he has not heard a noise sounding like a demand that he should make a fourth trial.—Knoxville Journal and Tribune.

Germany's trouble is a shortage of butter fats, while ours is a deficiency of elbow grease.—Greenville (S. C.) Piedmont.

No longer can one gain distinction by ostentatiously mounting the water wagon.—Chicago News.

A fashion magazine announces that "cuffs on men's trousers are rapidly disappearing." So is the seat.—Detroit News.

In Quebec women are still denied the privilege of practising law.

TODAY'S EVENTS. Louisiana have a holiday today in celebration of the one hundred and fifth anniversary of the battle of New Orleans. The activity of commercial labor and the participation of women will add interest to the civic elections to be held in Vancouver today. Elaborate preparations have been made in Omaha for the reception and entertainment of Gen. Pershing, who is to be a guest of that city today. The main body of the Atlantic Fleet, including eight dreadnaughts, 18 destroyers and a number of other craft, will leave Eastern ports today for the winter maneuvers in Cuban waters. Pursuant to the call of Chairman Homer S. Cummings the National Democratic Committee will meet in Washington, D. C., today to select the time and place for holding the national nominating convention. Scores of Democratic leaders of national prominence, including all of those who are considered potential candidates for the presidential nomination, have been invited to attend the Jackson Day banquet to be held in Washington tonight.

TODAY'S ANNIVERSARIES

1828—The Duke of Wellington became premier of Great Britain. 1848—Steamboat Belle Zane capsized in the Mississippi River, with a loss of 49 lives. 1876—Sixty-eight persons were killed in a railroad accident at Odessa, Russia. 1888—Duke of York (King George V.) promoted to be a midshipman in the royal navy. 1917—Supreme Court of the United States upheld the constitutionality of the Webb-Kenyon law prohibiting the shipment of liquor from "wet" into "dry" states.

TODAY'S BIRTHDAYS

William A. Clark, millionaire mine owner and one-time U. S. senator from Montana, born at Connsville, Pa., 81 years ago today. Augustus Thomas, author of numerous successful plays, born in St. Louis, 61 years ago today. Rt. Rev. Sheldon M. Griswold, suffragan bishop of the Episcopal diocese of Chicago, born at Delhi, N. Y., 59 years ago today.

THE WAR ONE YEAR AGO

Ebert Government appeared to be holding in check the Spartans' revolt in Berlin. Large Bolshevik army reported again defeated by loyal Russian forces from Siberia.

No Great Act of Heroism Required.

If some great act of heroism was necessary to protect a child from croup, no mother would hesitate to protect her offspring, but when it is only necessary to keep at hand a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and give it as soon as the first indication of croup appears, there are many who neglect it. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is within the reach of all and is prompt and effectual. Jan. 1-1 mo.

Cured His Rupture

I was badly ruptured while lifting a trunk several years ago. Doctors said my only hope of cure was an operation. Trusses did me no good. Finally I got hold of something that quickly and completely cured me. Years have passed and the rupture has never returned, although I am doing hard work as a carpenter. There was no operation, no lost time, no trouble. I have nothing to sell, but will give full information about how you may find a complete cure without operation, if you write me, Eugene M. Pullen, Carpenter, 245F Marcellus Avenue, Manassas, N. J. Better cut out this notice and show it to any others who are ruptured—you may save a life or at least stop the misery of rupture and the worry and danger of an operation.

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Advertisement for Kemp's Balsam. Includes image of a bottle and text: 'Sleep? Does a dry cough keep you awake? KEMP'S BALSAM will stop the tickle that makes you cough. GUARANTEED.'

English Promotor Stands Bat

PETITION ASKS FOR HEARING ON CLOSED SEASON

Supervisors Are in Favor of Some Action to Save Game.

In a petition signed by more than two-thirds of the members of the Delta county board of supervisors, the state game and fish commissioner is asked to hold a public hearing in Escanaba, at which the people of the county may express their opinions concerning the advisability of closing the killing of deer during 1920.

Sentiment expressed when the petition was presented by Deputy Game Warden Herman Leisner, indicated that while there is considerable difference of opinion as to methods, the supervisors are practically unanimous in favoring some sort of action to protect the venison supply of the north-state.

Leisner For Buck Law. "I don't think I'd favor the closing of the season entirely," said Supervisor Fred Good of Nahma. "Deer hunting is largely a matter of recreation with nine out of ten hunters. It furnishes an excuse for getting them into the woods. The actual killing of deer is secondary. Some other plan ought to go a long way towards conserving the venison supply, than that of closing the season entirely."

Warden Leisner, a stalwart partisan of a buck law, which would prohibit the killing of any deer without antlers, found many of the members who were willing to support his contention.

"Seventeen states now have buck laws," Mr. Leisner stated. "All of them are satisfied. In Maine, especially, it has been highly successful. More hunters than ever before are shooting deer in the Maine woods and after many years of this intensive hunting, the state has more deer than it had when the law became effective."

Action in All Counties. Some other members of the board expressed their opinion that a shorter season would solve the problem. "Ten days ought to be long enough," said one of them. "That is longer than the average hunter stays in the woods, anyhow."

The date for the hearing will be advertised in the papers of the county and an effort will be made to present the case thoroughly before the commissioner when the time arrives.

The petition is in the form suggested by the state commission. Similar ones are being presented to all of the boards in the upper peninsula and it is believed that the commission will sift the sentiment of sportsmen at the hearings and take whatever steps the majority of the up-state hunters think advisable.

Hope For Uniform Action. The lower peninsula counties have been closed by similar action and while it is possible that the action of the counties north of the Straits will not be uniform, most sportsmen hope that some plan can be arranged to make it nearly so.

BRADY'S THUMB, NOT HIS WING, WAS FRACTURED

Soo News: Now comes a report from Calumet to the effect that Jimmy Brady, Michigan lightweight champion, did not break his arm there on New Year's but rather his thumb was broken.

A Calumet News report follows: "Jimmy Brady, the Michigan lightweight champion who appeared against Joe Jawson of Milwaukee in the principal mill of the Cavalry Boxing's New Year's tournament in the armory, has been forced to cancel several big bouts booked for the latter part of the month, owing to an injury which he sustained in the third round of Thursday's go. While the Detroit man displayed no sign of distress during the bout, he carried on for seven rounds with a thumb that was so badly splintered that he was unable to get in telling blows with his right."

"Brady announced just before his departure from Calumet that he would go to Chicago to have an x-ray taken of his thumb to determine the extent of his injury for he feared that it might incapacitate him for two or three months. Incidentally, he claimed that the injury cost him \$1,000 representing his share of purses offered him for bouts in January."

The women of Greece in the third century were not allowed to wear silk. The husbands of those who violated this law were heavily fined, on the theory that a husband ought to be able to control his wife's taste for finery.

Sure to sell it. Press For Sale ads.

TODAY'S SPORT CALENDAR.

Wrestling—Ad Santel vs. Jack Harbertson, at Ogden, Utah.
Boxing—Jimmy Wilde vs. Babe Asher, 5 rounds, at St. Louis.
George Brown vs. Johnnie Drummie, 5 rounds, at Jersey City.
Joe Leonard vs. Tommy Elm, 5 rounds, at Passaic, N. J.

HERRMANN MAY QUIT HIS JOB IN MEET TODAY

No Formal Statement Is Issued by Baseball Czar.

Cincinnati, Jan. 7.—August Herrmann, chairman of the national baseball commission, would not say tonight whether he would resign at tomorrow's meeting. When asked if he contemplated resigning he said: "All I can say is, you be at the meeting." Herrmann has repeatedly announced that he was willing to vacate the chairmanship in view of the opposition.

St. Paul Takes Two Games from Saults

St. Paul, Jan. 7.—The St. Paul Athletic club tonight made a clean sweep of the two game series with the American Soo club of Sault Ste. Marie, Mich., defeating the visitors in a roughly played hockey game 7 to 4.

Fitzsimmons Wins from Patsy Cline

Detroit, Jan. 7.—Eddie Fitzsimmons, of New York, scored a technical knockout over Patsy Cline, of Newark, in the sixth round of a scheduled 10-round bout here tonight.

Earl Caddock Flops Boston Mat Artist

Boston, Jan. 7.—Earl Caddock, Omaha heavyweight wrestling champion, successfully defended his title tonight by winning from "Cyclone" Burns of this city, in two successive falls.

In 1873 the high school girls of Portland, Maine, unanimously decided to discard jewelry and expensive articles of dress while attending school.

Market Report

INDUSTRIALS.	
C. & O.	55.50
Car Foundry	140.00
C. F. & I.	42.12
General Motors	336.00
Inter Paper	36.00
Locomotives	101.87
Midvale	50.37
Smelters	70.90
Steel Common	106.00
BOSTON COPPERS.	
Ahmek	76.00
Anaconda	63.37
Calumet & Arizona	65.00
Calumet & Hecla	400.00
Centennial	15.50
Chino	40.00
Greene	37.25
Inspiration	60.50
Lake	4.00
Miami	25.12
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North Butte	17.50
Oscoda	54.00
Quincy	62.50
Seneca	17.00
Utah Copper	77.50
Wolverine	21.50
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Cons Copper	5.25

Ishpeming, Mich., Jan. 7.—The action of the market today indicated an oversold condition, stocks rallying on light trading. Apparently yesterday's selling was by the shorts, and we understand that there is a very large short interest in all the active stocks.

Reports from the Steel Industry are very favorable and many, in a position to know, maintain that earnings are showing a marked improvement. Copper shares today acted in sympathy with the balance of the list. It will probably be the latter part of next week before Seneca's mill test is announced. There is some talk of Union Land starting development on their tract adjoining the Mayflower. New Baltic and New Arcadian shareholders can now exchange their present stock for shares in the consolidated company. Midvale Steel announced dividend today of \$1.00 payable Feb. 1st of record Jan. 17th.

Allz, 355; C. & A., 110; Inspiration, 2,800; Miami, 400; North Butte, 260; Ray Cons, 500; S. & B., 310; U. Metals, 880; Anaconda, 4,200; Steel Common, 60,600. Total daily sales in New York, 804,500.

J. A. Minnear & Co.

CHICAGO PRODUCE.

Chicago, Jan. 7.—Butter, unsettled, creamery 53 at 63 1/2.
Eggs, higher, receipts 1,408 cases, firsts 71; ordinary firsts 65 at 68; at mark cases included, 65 at 70.
Poultry unsettled, springs 27; fowls 25 at 30.
Potatoes strong, Northern Whites, sacked, \$4 at \$4.15; bulk \$4.

CHICAGO GRAIN.

Chicago, Jan. 7.—Corn, Jan. 1.39 1/2; May 1.25 5/8; July 1.23 3/4.
Oats, May 84 1/2; July 77 1/2.

GOPHER MENTOR TAKES POSITION FOR HIS AIDES

New Regulations of Big-10 Would Bar Baston and Hauser.

Dr. H. L. Williams, Gopher football coach, does not believe Minnesota should or will suffer the loss of several of its assistant coaches through making retroactive the "simpler" conference rules, in accordance with decisions made by officials of the "Big Ten" conference in the annual meeting at Chicago.

Under one interpretation of the rules, Bert Baston, George Hauser and Mert Dunnigan, three of Dr. Williams' most valuable assistants, who learned the Williams ethics of play in Gopher uniforms, would be ineligible for future service at Northrop field.

Williams Gives Views. In adopting stringent rules to combat the effects of "pro" football in Chicago, the officials voted these provisions should be retroactive. However, it was also ruled, according to some interpretations at least, that violators of the rule adopted in 1916 tending to curb professionalism should come under the ban.

Dr. Williams is, and always has been, for "purity" in college athletics and is willing and anxious to live up to any and all conference rules, but he said he does not believe it fair to suddenly decide to delve back into the past and enforce rules that have been overlooked.

Believes in Fairness. Dr. Williams is of the opinion that the retroactive feature of this 1916 rule will be nullified by the conference in the spirit of fairness. He chooses to believe a "mild law" will not be dug up and enforced because it happens to hit Minnesota. Baston, Hauser and Dunnigan would be barred from further coaching if the rule is made retroactive, it is pointed out, because they have played in all star games, a professional team.

Some point out that "Big Ten" coaches also are paid and therefore are professionals, while those who take the faculty rules committee view retort that this is necessary, but that, nevertheless, a conference coach like Dr. Williams has had connection only with non-professional athletics.

Hugo Predicted World Union in 20th Century

PARIS, Jan. 7.—In the Victor Hugo Museum here which was reopened the other day, after having remained closed during the war, is a prophecy in the poet's handwriting declaring: "I represent a party which does not yet exist—the Revolution-Civilization party; this party will make the twentieth century. First of all will emerge the United States of Europe and then the United States of the World."

Soundings have been obtained over all parts of the ocean, even in the two Polar seas.

In the English language there are more surnames beginning with "W" than any other letter.

SAYS CONTRACT WITH GEORGES IS IN EFFECT

Declares That \$200,000 Is to Be Limit for Dempsey.

Chicago, Jan. 7.—That Jack Dempsey could not meet Carpenter at Tia Juana, Mexico, July 4, was the statement made today by Charles B. Cochran, the London promoter, who said that Carpenter was already under contract to him. He reiterated that he would not offer Dempsey more than \$200,000, plus 10 weeks of vaudeville at \$50,000.

OKLAHOMA IS BUSY

Los Angeles, Jan. 7.—Jack Kearns today announced he had received a message from J. C. Miller of Oklahoma City, asking if he had closed with J. W. Coffroth for Dempsey to fight Carpenter at Tia Juana and advising Kearns that it would pay him to wait for Miller's offer.

Kearns said he had asked Miller to forward his proposition, but added that if Coffroth has signed Carpenter the offer would be ignored.

Bill Brennan Beats Brooklyn Battler

Kenosha, Jan. 7.—Bill Brennan, Chicago heavyweight, outpointed Bartley Madden, of Brooklyn, in a 10-round no decision contest here tonight.

The Woman's Medical College of Pennsylvania is establishing a new course for the training of young women as health doctors and health educators.

ACTRESSES' PAY DRAWS TEACHERS FROM SCHOOLS

Attendance at Western Normals 55 Per Cent of Regular.

Chicago, Ill., Jan. 7.—Of 500 young women who left, or graduated from Chicago high schools in 1918 twenty-one are on the stage or in moving pictures, as compared with four in 1913 of the same number who left or graduated.

A survey just completed by workers for the school teachers' "better pay" campaign indicates Chicago high school girls are aspiring careers as teachers for the stage and screen.

The reason for this, members of the high school teachers' committee say, is that chorus girls receive an average of \$30 a week, while primary teachers get an average of \$100 a month in a year of ten months. Moving picture salaries for the so-called "extra girls" (not in the regular cast) run as high as \$50 a week.

Tobacco Habit Easily Conquered

A New Yorker of wide experience has written a book telling how the tobacco or snuff habit may be easily and completely banished in three days with delightful benefit. The author Edward J. Woods, TA-692, Station F, New York City, will mail his book free on request.

The health improves wonderfully after the nicotine poison is out of the system. Calmness, tranquil sleep, clear eyes, normal appetite, good digestion, benefits reported. Get rid of that nervous feeling; no more need of pipe, cigar, snuff or chewing tobacco to pacify morbid desire.

SCANDAL EASY TO SET GOING IN SPORTDOM

Unconscious "Tip" Enables One Gambler to Clean Up \$80,000.

Chicago, Jan. 7.—It's mighty easy to set in motion scandal stories involving professional sports and exceedingly difficult to flag them, once they have been noised about amongst the fans. In a recent gabfest concerning the allegations about the late world's series Ban Johnson told a story illustrating how easily scandal mongers could place upon a harmless event a misinterpretation.

During the world's series involving the Red Sox and the Phillies, Frank Navin, owner of the Detroit club, was in an Eastern hotel lobby. He was introduced to a prosaic appearing man, Arnold Rothstein. This gentleman was much interested in base ball. Naturally, he conversed on that subject with Mr. Navin, who is a great student of the game.

Tips Off Leonard. It seems that the impression prevailed that Grover Cleveland Alexander was to oppose "Dutch" Leonard in the next game, and Mr. Rothstein sought Mr. Navin's views on the outcome.

"Do you think that Leonard can beat Alex?" Mr. Rothstein inquired. "I do," replied Mr. Navin, and went into detail as to how he thought this might be accomplished. This, in spite of the fact that Alexander was at the height of his fame and was much favored by Philadelphia and New York fans, who naturally were National Leaguers because of frequent successes of the Giants.

The game was played in due course of time and that evening Mr. Navin met up with his affable acquaintance.

Gives Navin Thanks. "I wish to thank you, Mr. Navin," he greeted. "Your sound judgment put me in the way of winning \$80,000 on the Red Sox today."

"Well!" exclaimed Navin in astonishment. Then he began sniffing about, making inquiries, and discovered that Mr. Rothstein was a betting man of vast proportions.

"Do you think he won that much?" Navin inquired of the friend who was supposed to know. "Did he say he did?" "Yes."

How Scandal Starts. The point of the yarn is this: Had it become known that Mr. Navin advised Mr. Rothstein to favor the Red Sox, against the prevailing odds, and Mr. Rothstein won so heavily and somebody lost and started a "squawk," suspicious persons might have alleged that Mr. Navin had inside information which he imparted to his new-made friend.

EXPORT TRADE WITH INDIA IS ON INCREASE

LONDON, Jan. 7.—The United States and Japan have taken over since the beginning of the war, virtually all of the big export trade which the Central Powers had with India, says an official report which adds that, undoubtedly, American competition in India has come to stay.

The place of the Central Powers has been taken by the United States so far as iron and steel, machinery, hardware, and instruments are concerned. Japan has taken the trade heretofore held by Central Powers in such articles as electrical accessories, copper, paper, glassware, textiles, beer, and clothing. The bazaar trade in cheap, showy goods has been entirely captured by Japan.

The primary reason for the increased shipments of American manufactured goods to India has been the inability of the established British exporters to supply the market owing to war conditions, says the report. Improved shipping facilities between the United States and India are declared to have very largely contributed to the expansion.

"There is no doubt," adds the report, "that American competition in India has come to stay. A determined effort is being made to secure a large share of the trade of this valuable market in steel and steel work, machinery of all kinds, including machine tools, mill stores and hardware; canned provisions; motor-cars, lorries and cycles, and lumber.

Japan now occupies the second place in India's import and export trade. It is in Great Britain's staple trade of India, namely cotton yarns and piece goods, that the most serious inroads have been made and that Japanese competition in the future is expected to be most permanent and insistent.

CLASSIFIED COLUMNS

NOTICE!

The Classified advertising rates in the Morning Press are as follows: First insertion, one cent per word. Subsequent insertions, one-half cent per word. NO ADVERTISEMENT ACCEPTED LESS THAN 25 CENTS.

The Morning Press reserves the right to classify all advertisements according to its own rules and regulations. TELEPHONE YOUR WANT ADS when it is more convenient to do so. The bill will be mailed to you, and, as this is an accommodation service, the Morning Press will expect prompt payment on receipt of bill.

Persons whose names do not appear in either the city directory or the telephone directory must send cash with their advertisements. PHONE 693.

WANTED

WANTED—Errands to run after school and during holidays. Phone 930-W. 549-1.

WANTED—Experienced blacksmith, man who can also act as millwright. Also experienced team man. Inquire at Johnson Lumber Company's mill. 835-241-1.

WANTED—Young man for delivering and helping in store. Must have ambition. The Palace, phone 124, 1113 Ludington St. 1012-1-1f.

WANTED Position as nurse. Inquire 308 S. 7th St. 1067-3-31.

SITUATIONS WANTED—Two places for country boys to work while attending business college. Call phone 877-W. E. W. Daak. 1041-5-31.

SITUATION WANTED in a garage, by experienced auto radiator repair man. Address "H." care Press. 1053-3-31.

WANTED TO RENT—Small furnished house, or rooms suitable for light house-keeping. By young couple without children. Reliable tenants. Before Jan. 20. Write AU, care Escanaba Morning Press. 1054-3-31.

WANTED TO RENT—Two or three light house-keeping rooms with modern conveniences by refined couple. Address "T. Z." care Press. 1055-3-31.

WANTED One experienced sawyer, lumber piles and other mill hands at my Tailor Mission mill. James R. Andrews. 1055-7-61.

WANTED To do sewing and fancy work. Call Mrs. La Brash, 305 N. Saranac St. 1041-5-31.

FEMALE HELP WANTED

WANTED—Girl for office work. Must write plain hand. Short hours, easy work. Apply at once. The Globe Employment Agency, corner Stephenson and St. Clair. Phone 697-R.

WANTED Dishwasher at once. Apply Ludington Hotel. 1022-3-31.

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Wages \$8.00 per week. Mrs. Geertchins, Chemical Plant. Phone 408. 1009-1-61.

WANTED Girl for general housework. Inquire of Mrs. Abenstein, 323 Ogden avenue. 1050-6-31.

WANTED Experienced girl for general housework. Good wages. Inquire Mrs. Wm. Riley, 215 South Elmora St. 1036-4-1f.

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms. Inquire 1221 First avenue North. 914-351-4f.

FOR RENT—Seven-room house at 1331 Nineteenth St. Inquire 1291 Ludington St. 1044-5-31.

FOR RENT—Furnished room, steam heat, gentleman desired. Four blocks from Post Office. Phone 972-J or call 416 8th street. 1046-6-31.

FOR RENT—North side of double house at 523 S. Jennie St., five rooms and bath. Inquire of G. F. McEwen, phone 286-J. 1057-7-31.

FOR RENT—North side of double house at 523 South Jennie St., five rooms and bath. Inquire of G. F. McEwen. Phone 286-J. 1023-3-31.

FOR RENT Rooms. Inquire of F. W. O'Brien, 422 Ludington street, upstairs. 1041-1-1f.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Horse, 7 years old, weight 1100, sound, good for delivery or farm work. New set of sleighs with box, also harness. Sold cheap if taken at once. Inquire 1721 1st Ave., South. 897-350-1f.

FOR SALE—Oak dresser, kitchen range, dishwasher, refrigerator, dining chairs, rockers, old ivory bed room suite, piano, music cabinet. Inquire at 1411 Fifth Ave. South or phone 136-J. 106-364-1f.

WOOD FOR SALE—8 ft. long, laminated and sanded. \$1.00 per cord. Call 211 S. 11th or phone 315-W. A. F. Fredrickson. 1061-7-71.

FOR SALE—Household furniture. Inquire afternoons at 1411 Fifth avenue south. 971-361-1f.

FOR SALE—One six H. P. Titan gasoline engine in first class condition. Will sell cheap if taken at once. Write to H. Gagnon, St. Jacques, Mich. 862-344-3mo.

FOR SALE—Reel go-cart, in good condition. Inquire 215 N. 13th St. Phone 672-J. 1019-6-31.

FOR SALE—Farm, 160 acres, one-half mile from Park River station. Beautiful home and good farm buildings. Address Frank Deaton, West DePere, Wis. 1018-6-1f.

FOR SALE—Coal heater, 16 inch fire pot. Call 45-J. 106-364-1f.

FOR SALE—A good kitchen range. Inquire 112 S. 10th St. 1052-6-41.

FOR SALE—House, two apartments; stone basement. Owner leaves from West. Will sell at big sacrifice for quick sale. Call 541 Murray Ave. Phone 698-W. 1056-7-61.

FOR SALE—Large cook stove, in good condition. Inquire at 1409 Escanaba Ave. 1045-5-21.

FOR SALE—Household furniture at 111 S. Birch. Phone 446-2.

FOR SALE—House and 100 ft. front, ready up to date, at 227 Twentieth St. 1043-4-31.

LOST AND FOUND.

LOST—Beaver sock, scarf on Ludington St. Finder return to Mrs. Emil Beyer, 1135 6th Ave. S. and receive reward. 999-364-1f.

LOST—Snow shovel. Party is known who took it. Return to 204 Maple street. 1059-4-31.

LOST—Child's light fox neck piece, Sunday. Finder return to 706 S. Birch St. 1018-5-31.

LOST—Auto chain. Return to 1222 Ludington St. for reward. 1043-3-31.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Woods Cook desires position in woods or boarding house. Inquire Commercial Hotel. 1051-4-31.

FOR SALE OR RENT—Sewing machines on small monthly payments. Singer Sewing Machine Co., 506 Ludington street. Phone 1046. 601-621-1no.

ESCANABA NEW AND SECOND HAND STORE pays highest prices for Furniture and Stoves. See our first. Upholstering, stove repairing. New parts ordered. Joe Pelin, 1012 Ludington St., Phone 1033.

STRAYED—Black steer, about year old. Owner can have same by paying costs of advertising. Inquire O. Reno, R. F. D. No. 1, Gladstone, Mich. 989-1-1.

JIM THORPE IS MAKING ANNUAL BRUSH JOURNEY

Jim Thorpe, the greatest of all athletes, is making his annual pilgrimage from the majors to the minors. Jim has just been sent by the Boston Braves, with whom he finished the 1918 season, to the Akron International league club. Thorpe has been "up and back" three times now. The first time was several years back when Thorpe was declared a professional by the amateur athletic body. He was signed by the New York Giants, remained with them a season or two and then farmed out to the International league. He was recalled and then sent to Milwaukee and back again to the Giants. Last season the Giants sold him to Boston. The Indian is a good base runner and fielder but has always had a weakness at the plate. He is said to have overcome this as he finished the season with a percentage of .327. It is reported that Thorpe asked to be sent to Akron as he is very popular in Ohio where he has for several years had an undefeated professional football eleven.

Federal Barge Line to Operate in April

St. Louis, Mo., Jan. 7.—The Federal barge line on the Mississippi will have its entire fleet of 40 barges in operation by April 1, according to J. P. Higgins, special agent. Ten of the carriers are working at present.

Plans have been made, Mr. Higgins explained, to double the service shortly by inaugurating a two-sailings a week schedule between here and the Gulf. In addition there will be a packet service between St. Louis and Arkansas points, to expedite shipments to those destinations, Mr. Higgins said.

First Socialist To Hold Mayor's Office

BERLIN, Jan. 7.—Alfred Scholz, who has been elected mayor of Neukoenig, will be the first Socialist to occupy such a position in any of the municipalities composing Greater Berlin. Herr Scholz was editor of Vorwaerts, a socialist newspaper.

Save Money on Canned Goods

Let us save you some money on canned peaches, apricots and pineapple. Fruit was hard to get last summer—worse so the sugar. Your stock of preserves cannot possibly be as complete as of old. You will want some canned peaches, apricots or pineapple. We have them in rich sweet syrup—they are bound to please both you and your pocketbook.

YOUR Central Cash Market

Board and Room By the Week. 324 So. 7th St.



In MT. CLEMENS AUTO MURDER.—J. Stanley Brown, wealthy Detroit clubman, was shot to death in his automobile on a lonely road near Mt. Clemens, Mich., on December 23. Mrs. J. Stanley Brown (right) was at first held as a material witness, but afterward freed. She was being sued for divorce when her husband's body was found dead in the motor car.

MEN WANTED!

Cabinet-makers, woodworkers, machine hands, bench hands for large woodworking plant. Good wages, steady employment. Good opportunity to learn trade; many good positions open. New dormitory to accommodate 140 men now completed. Two hundred homes under construction; will be sold at cost on installment plan. No labor troubles.

The Hamilton Mfg.

BOARD IS NAMED TO SELECT SITE FOR SANITARIUM

H. W. Reid, Escanaba; Geo. Craven, Wells; and C. A. Clark of Gladstone.

In a resolution adopted yesterday by the county board of supervisors, H. W. Reid of Escanaba, C. A. Clark of Gladstone, and George Craven of Wells were named members of a special committee to confer with a committee from Menominee county for the purpose of selecting a site for the proposed Menominee-Delta tuberculosis sanitarium.

A delegation of Menominee citizens came to Escanaba yesterday to aid the partisans of the sanitarium project in their efforts to keep things moving in Delta county but little opposition to the plan developed and the method of procedure was about the only thing on which there was a difference of opinion.

Some Favor E. P. Project.
Private conversations among several members of the board, however, developed a strong opinion favoring a larger institution than the proposed bi-county building and hope was expressed by several that the entire peninsula could be combined to put the movement across.

A committee of Menominee county men, vested with the same powers given the committee from Delta, will be named at the next meeting of the Menominee board and immediate steps will be taken to arrange a joint session.

Names Three Members.
The resolution passed by the board yesterday provides:

"That the counties of Delta and Menominee cooperate for the establishment and maintenance of a joint county sanitarium for the treatment of tuberculosis.

"That the board now appoint Herbert W. Reid of Escanaba, C. A. Clark of Gladstone and George Craven of Wells township, a committee of three citizens, taxpayers who are not members of the board, to confer with a like committee similarly chosen from said county of Menominee, for the purpose of selecting and agreeing upon the site for such joint county sanitarium and procuring an option."

The Visiting Men.
Members of the delegation of Menominee men who visited the court house yesterday were: M. J. Doyle, C. H. Crawford, F. J. Elmwood of Menominee and Dr. W. W. Earle of Hermansville.

BETTER POTATO SEED URGED AS MICHIGAN NEED

East Lansing, Mich., Jan. 7.—A campaign to raise the present low average yield of potatoes in Michigan by improvement of the seed has been launched by a committee of county agricultural agents who are located in the potato sections of the state. The Michigan Potato Growers' Exchange, the U. S. Bureau of Markets and the Extension Division of the Michigan Agricultural college will cooperate in the effort to secure high class seed potatoes for farmers of the state.

According to the plan outlined, each local association of the Potato Growers' Exchange will grow a plot of five acres or more of seed, under the supervision of some competent man appointed by the Board of Directors of the Association. This man will co-operate with the local county agent and the extension specialists from the agricultural college in handling the work.

When the seed is grown it will be offered to the members of the local association for their following season's planting stock. Members of the association will exchange number one table stock of their own production for the improved seed when they market their potatoes. In this way every grower in the county will have an opportunity to get a hold of the "pedigreed" seed stock.

"In view of the fact that the very low average yield of potatoes in Michigan is due to a considerable extent to the use of poor seed, this movement to improve the seed stock of the state growers is expected to result in a substantial addition to the average production," says C. W. Waid, potato specialist at the Michigan Agricultural college.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

WANTED—Young lady bookkeeper, one with grocery experience preferred. Also want girl to clerk in grocery. Apply Mr. Beck, Scandia Co-operative Store, 1219 Ludington street. 1062-8-3t

FOR RENT—Furnished room, Inquire 1519 Ludington street. 1064-8-6t

FOR RENT—Furnished room, hot water heat. Inquire 214 First avenue South. 1065-3-1f



TWINS, 80, THEY WANT TO DIE TOGETHER—Photograph shows Amanda and Amelia Esterbrook, 86 year old twins, reunited in the Oak Forest infirmary, Chicago, after years of separation. Both are widows. They have talked, dressed and acted alike since childhood. The two were born in Chautauqua County, New York.

LEGION ELECTS OFFICERS AND TALKS BUSINESS

Will Strive to Get State Commander Here for Meeting.

One of the most enthusiastic meetings held by the American legion in several months was that at the city hall last night when new officers were elected for the ensuing year. W. C. Janson was re-elected Post Commander, the other officers being as follows: Vice Commander, James Frost. Post Adjutant, Dr. H. J. Defnet. Post Financial Officer, Edward L. Moersch.

Post Historian, L. D. Goddard. Member executive committee for three years, B. J. Kratz.

It was determined to make the third Wednesday evening of each month the regular time for meeting.

A committee of two composed of Dr. E. M. Hirt and Gordon Corcoran was appointed to look after the organization of a basketball team to represent the legion.

Want Kratze To Continue.
The report of the post finance officer showed that about \$75 was cleared on the Legion dance and in this connection it was announced that every pressure is to be brought to bear on Benjamin J. Kratze to continue as chairman of the entertainment committee. Mr. Kratze refused the place last night because of a press of business matters but legion members think he can still be persuaded to accept. They are strong for him because of the signal success of the dancing party and he is to be asked again to continue to serve.

It was announced that the annual dues of \$2.00 includes a subscription to the American Legion Weekly and at the same time it was explained that all those who had not yet received their copies would get them in a short time, as there has been considerable delay because of changes in the location of the printing plant.

Want State Commander Here.
It was stated at last night's meeting that another effort is to be made to get State Commander Augustus H. Gansser, of Detroit, to come here for a talk with the boys and also to address a public meeting in which efforts will be made to correct some erroneous impressions which seem to exist regarding the aims and purposes of the legion.

In a letter recently sent to all legion posts Commander Gansser says in part:

Foundation Of Legion.
"The foundation of The American Legion is now definitely and firmly laid. It remains for us to build the superstructure as wisely and definitely. Here in Michigan let us conduct first of all a campaign of education through publicity and public gatherings in all places where our Posts are located, on the aims and objects of the Legion. Let the world know our Declaration of Principles, our national and state constitution. Then will all the world know that The American Legion has nothing to do with industrial disputes; is not a reserve police force; its members are not specially subject to military service; that primarily we are banded together to continue the good comradeships of the world war; to help disabled comrades; to commemorate our hero dead and to aid their widows and orphans. Then we stand for 100 percent Americanism, with all that this implies in this era of reconstruction, world wide. In our zealous efforts toward the accomplishment of these our principles we must proceed in a manner consistent with the responsibilities which our power for good entails. This is a government of law and order, maintained through the orderly process of government of, for and by the people

PEACE TREATY IS LIKELY TO GO TO PEOPLE

Democratic Leaders Intimate That This Course May Be Taken.

Washington, Jan. 7.—The peace treaty, as a campaign issue, loomed conspicuously on the political horizon today as Democratic party leaders, gathered here for the quadrennial meeting of the Democratic national committee, laid preliminary plans for the presidential contest.

Discussion of the treaty got an additional impetus when it became known that tomorrow the committee would be asked by its officers to formally put itself squarely behind President Wilson in his stand in the treaty controversy.

A resolution making such a declaration was prepared, and Chairman Cummings of the committee predicted it would be adopted. It is understood to be, in general terms, an endorsement of the President's course, without advocating unreserved ratification.

Stirs Up Speculation.
The announcement stirred up endless speculation when it was coupled with unverified reports that William Jennings Bryan would advocate a different course in his speech at the Jackson day banquet Thursday.

Involved in the possibilities of this situation was another unknown quantity—the message which President Wilson is to send to the banquet. It generally has been assumed that he will touch on the treaty, but there has been no intimation as to how far he may go or whether he will urge that ratification be made an issue in the campaign.

Fight for Meeting Place.
Occupied with these reflections, the committee members have given little attention to the subject of possible candidates, several of whom will pronounce their views on public questions at the dinner. Although San Francisco and Kansas City apparently were well in front tonight in the race for the convention, it was declared by the leaders that the matter was by no means settled and that there still was a chance for Chicago or St. Louis.

and through their constituted agencies. In any of our efforts to assist in the maintenance of law and order we must ourselves set the example of lawful and orderly action.

Follow Up Campaign.
"Then let us follow up this campaign of education on the aims and objects of The Legion by an energetic drive for new members during January and February.

Double your membership. Be satisfied with nothing less. Let every comrade bring in at least one other service man.

"Having strengthened The Legion from within, let us proceed with a state wide Americanization campaign, in which every Post and every Comrade will have a part. The strength of our Legion and our influence and service to the Nation will be measured finally by our ability to cooperate effectively with the 100,000,000 of patriotic and loyal citizens who are just as keenly anxious to promote 100 percent Americanism as we are."

Social & Personal

COMING DANCES.

Dance at North Star Hall Saturday evening, Jan. 10th.

Dance Saturday night at North Star Hall. Ladies free.

Auxiliary Meeting.

The Woman's Auxiliary of St. Stephen's Episcopal church will meet with Mrs. McMartin, 1015 6th avenue S., this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. This is the regular annual meeting and all members are requested to be present.

Election Of Officers.

At a meeting of the Christian Endeavor society of the First Presbyterian church, held Tuesday evening in the church parlors, the following officers to serve during the coming year were elected: Wesley Tennis, president. Gertrude Forrester, vice president. Myrtle Stude, secretary. James S. Davidson, treasurer.

Joseph Anderson, of Beaver, was a business caller yesterday.

F. W. Good, of Naima, was an Escanaba business caller Wednesday.

Charles Peterson, of Stonington, was here on business yesterday.

George W. Merrill, of Beaver, transacted business here yesterday.

Paul Wagner has returned from a visit with Twin City friends.

Fred Cherney, of Chicago, is a guest at the St. Cyr home, 703 S. 16th street.

Miss Hannah Anderson is visiting at the home of her parents, Bark River.

Mrs. Fred Nelson has returned to her home in Chicago, after a visit with relatives and friends here.

Roy L. Muskat has returned to Marquette, after a brief visit with friends here.

Andrew Brandt and Arthur Gagner, of Danforth, were business visitors yesterday.

Eugene Charles, of Chandler, is spending a few days in the city on business.

Mrs. E. Carlson has returned to Perkins, after visiting here with her daughter, Mrs. Casper Olsen.

Edward Sivertsen has returned from Pensaukee, where he was the guest of his sister, Mrs. J. N. Olsen.

Mrs. A. S. Pearson has returned from Iron Mountain, where she has been visiting relatives and friends.

William Kauthen, of Garden, member of the Delta county poor commission, was in the city on business yesterday.

Mrs. Val Follo will leave tonight for Akron, O., to join her husband, Mr. Follo, who has been located there for some time.

A. Beaudoin, who was called here by the illness of his brother, Frank Beaudoin, has returned to his home in Perkins.

Miss Jennie Johnson will return tonight to Chicago, after spending a few weeks here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Johnson.

Mrs. Ernest Papineau and daughter, Lois, and son, Ward, have returned to Duluth, Minn., after visiting Mrs. Papineau's mother, Mrs. H. Aldrich.

Miss Cecelia Ettenhoffer left last night for Green Bay, where she is engaged as a nurse, after spending two weeks here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Michael Ettenhoffer.

Mrs. Richard Seymour, who has been ill at the St. Francis hospital,

following an operation for relief from appendicitis, is reported to be recovering.

Officers Installed.

Open installation of officers was held in Grenier's hall by the Woman's Relief corps, followed by a dainty luncheon. The following officers were installed, Mrs. A. H. Rolph acting as installing officer:

President, Mary Eastwood. Senior vice president, Mary Farrell. Junior vice president, Stella Rolph. Chaplain, Alice Walters. Secretary, Julia Maigatter. Treasurer, Bessie Auerbach. Conductor, Carrie Ramspeck. Assistant conductor, Emma Embs. Guard, Laura Primeau. Patriotic instructor, Alice Roland. Press correspondent, Lillian Embs. Musician, Catherine Ramspeck. Color bearers, Cecile Leighton, Maude Blackwell, Mathilda Soper, Lauretta Embs.

Installation was followed by initiation of new members. Mrs. Catherine Ramspeck rendered several vocal solos, which were enjoyed by the members and their guests. A dainty luncheon was served, which closed the afternoon's program.

Mrs. H. A. Ostran and sons, Junior and Robert, have returned to their home in Chicago, after spending the holidays with relatives and friends here.

Mrs. E. J. Atkinson and daughter, Miss Lorena, left last night for South Bend, Ind., where Miss Atkinson will resume her studies at St. Mary's college.

Miss Rosemarie Sanders has returned to Menominee, where she is engaged as a teacher in the public schools, after visiting at her home



Report of Condition of

THE ESCANABA NATIONAL BANK

ESCANABA, MICHIGAN

December 31, 1919

RESOURCES		LIABILITIES	
Loans and Discounts	\$1,212,761.56	Capital Stock	\$ 100,000.00
U. S. and Other Bonds	193,568.95	Surplus	50,000.00
Real Estate	3,500.00	Undivided Profits	57,586.07
Federal Reserve Bank Stock	4,500.00	Circulation	100,000.00
Banking House	60,800.00	Deposits	1,370,619.20
Cash and Exchange	403,074.76		
	\$1,887,205.27		\$1,887,205.27

here during the holiday vacation.

Mrs. George Dionne and son, Francis, have returned from Marinette, where they visited Mrs. Dionne's mother, Mrs. Oliver Gagnon, who has been ill following an operation.

Entertains Friends.
Miss Viola Kirkpatrick pleasantly entertained a company of young lady friends at her home, 216 North Fourteenth street, Tuesday evening. Music and dancing were features of the evening, and a dainty luncheon was served during the enjoyment of the various social diversions.

OBITUARY.

STELLA LAMARCHE.

Stella, eight-months-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Omar LaMarche of Danforth, passed away early yesterday morning after a brief illness of brain fever. Funeral services are to be held Saturday afternoon in the Holy Family church at Flat Rock with burial in Flat Rock cemetery.

Of the world's population there are between three and four millions who are always on the sea.

Jamaica Ginger Jag Bought in Gladstone

Frank Bacon was arrested yesterday, charged with drunkenness. When arraigned in justice's court he claimed he had been drinking Jamaica ginger which he purchased in Gladstone. He was given a suspended sentence.

Fox Ranching Grows to Profitable Game

Charlotte, Prince Edward Island, Jan. 7.—Fox ranching on this island province is steadily growing and this season it is estimated that about 5,000 will be shipped from here. The prices range from \$1,000 each for silver fox skins down to \$10 for the cheapest reds.

Ranchers are giving up the breeding of the cheaper grades of foxes as they cost just as much to feed as the others and domesticated reds are now a rarity. A number individual farmers in this province are starting small fox ranches.

Buckles of tortoise shell are used on small hats.

Statement of Condition

OF THE

First National Bank

ESCANABA, MICHIGAN

December 31st, 1919

RESOURCES

Demand Loans	\$ 527,327.65
Time Loans	845,739.62
Municipal and Other Bonds	332,975.36
United States Bonds	194,200.00
War Savings Stamps	830.49
Stock in Federal Reserve Bank	6,000.00
Internal Revenue Stamps	30.00
Overdrafts	2,075.40
Real Estate	14,726.87
Banking House	25,000.00
Cash Means:	
Call Loans	\$135,000.00
Exchange	305,475.44
Cash	115,114.91
	\$2,504,495.74

LIABILITIES

Capital	\$ 100,000.00
Earned Surplus	100,000.00
Undivided Profits	17,792.64
Reserve for Unearned Interest and Discount	50,000.00
Reserve for Taxes	5,619.24
Reserve for Interest on Deposits	8,100.00
Circulation	99,000.00
Deposits	2,123,983.86
	\$2,504,495.74

Statement of Condition of

THE STATE SAVINGS BANK

Escanaba, Michigan

Dec. 31st, 1919

RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts	\$ 714,107.72
Bonds and Mortgages	624,900.55
Real Estate	43,722.45
Furniture and Fixtures	5,000.00
Overdrafts	314.96
Cash Resources	129,797.17
Total	\$1,517,842.85

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock	\$ 100,000.00
Surplus	20,000.00
Undivided Profits	11,904.90
Bonds Borrowed	131,550.00
Deposits	1,254,387.95
Total	\$1,517,842.85