

SUSPECTED RUM RUNNER PROVES A HERO

TO CONSIDER BONUS BILL BEFORE TAX

LEGION ASSURED IT WILL PASS EVEN OVER VETO.

BY DAVID LAWRENCE.

(Copyright, 1923, by The Escanaba Press) Washington, Dec. 20.—The American Legion has been assured by Chairman Green of the House Ways and Means Committee that the bonus bill will be considered along with the tax revision measure, with the prospect that congress will have an opportunity to vote first on the bonus, thus indicating to the framers of the tax bill how much revenue will be needed to meet the payments to the ex-service men.

Until the bonus bill is disposed of, the total expenses of the government for the next fiscal year can not be accurately estimated. Nor can congress determine how the income tax shall be revised until it knows how much money has to be raised.

Passage of the bonus by both houses is at the moment assured and the American Legion is confident of adoption over a presidential veto. In the face of these facts, and also with a majority of the ways and means committee itself favorable to the bonus, the situation now turns on what is the actual cost of the bonus.

What Will It Cost? There have been varying estimates and differences of opinion due largely to the fact that there are five separate methods of payment and each veteran is given the right to avail himself of any one, but only one of the following plans:

1. Adjusted service pay. This plan is limited to veterans whose adjusted service credit is not more than \$50. A veteran who has served one hundred days on this side of the Atlantic, being paid at the rate of \$1 a day, would have a credit of \$100 but this \$100 paid him when he was discharged so that the cash outlay would be \$40. Those with longer service would not get more than \$50 in cash so the total cash payment is known definitely to be in the neighborhood of \$16,000,000. Overseas veterans have a higher credit but the total cash is about the same. Popular impression seems to be that the cash payments can go higher than sixteen million but under the bill introduced by Senator Curtis of Kansas which is the American Legion measure the cash payments are limited.

2. Adjusted service certificates. This permits the veteran to receive a paid up insurance policy payable at the end of twenty years. To induce veterans to take this plan, a twenty five percent increase in the amount of his adjusted service credit is given, that is he is paid on the same basis as if he had served one fourth more than he has actually been in service. An interest payment of four and a half percent compounded annually for twenty years is also included and if the veteran dies before the end of the twenty years, his family or estate gets the full value of the certificate.

3. Vocational training. Vocational training is given at the expense of the government to an amount equal to his adjusted service credit plus 40 percent at the rate of \$1.75 per day. 4. Farm or home aid is given for the purpose of enabling the veteran to make improvements on city or suburban home or farm or to purchase the same. An amount equal to his adjusted service credit plus twenty five percent is given to the veteran to do this. 5. Land settlement is to be arranged where preference is given veterans when public lands

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Murder Suspects Granted Release

(By The Associated Press.) Detroit, Dec. 20.—Mrs. Ella Connors and John Hoey, arrested in connection with the death of Thomas Brennan, believed to have been murdered in a lonely spot on Grosse Isle last Friday, were released by Sheriff George A. Walters today. Walters stated that he was satisfied that neither Hoey, a neighbor, or Mrs. Connors, formerly landlady, had any part to play in the killing of Brennan.

Old Newsboys Of Detroit Break Former Records

(By The Associated Press.) Detroit, Dec. 20.—With \$25,336 taken in through the sale of newspapers on the streets, Detroit's Old Newsboys broke all records Thursday in their drive for a fund with which to send Christmas cheer into the homes of the poor.

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Believe Mexican Trouble Is Nearing Its End Now



Rev. W. S. Hayward of Syracuse, N. Y., has petitioned Congress to enact a constitutional amendment recognizing the authority of Jesus Christ. He has devoted much of his time for nearly 40 years toward compilation of an Indian grammar that would enable the Iroquois to translate the Bible into their own language.

KIN OF DEWEY NEAR TO DEATH

Rescued From Flying Boat Which Plunges Into Sea.

(By The Associated Press.) New York, Dec. 20.—Robert L. Dewey, said to be a second cousin of the late Admiral Dewey, and two of his crew were saved from drowning today after their flying boat plunged into the ocean off Jones Inlet in the heart of a storm.

Captain Joe Rainey who arrived at the hulk of the seaplane when Dewey and his two aids, one of them already divested of all his clothing, were preparing to plunge into the icy water, found the wrecked plane amid a small flotilla of cases of whiskey bobbing about in the water. The plane sank.

Taken to Freeport and later to the Rockaway naval air station, Dewey denied ownership of the whiskey and asserted he had made his flight to test an electric device he had intended to use for advertising purposes.

Dewey's escape today was his second within a year in New York waters. Last April, he and five others narrowly escaped death when his plane became disabled and wallowed in the ocean for two hours off Coney island.

SAYS HUSBAND SOLD HER TO A JUAREZ NEGRO

(By The Associated Press.) Los Angeles, Calif., Dec. 20.—Federal officers today began an investigation of the case of Elsie Lamala, whose wife, Helen, yesterday, instituted divorce proceedings, charging him with having attempted to sell her to Lou Harris Baker, said to be a Negro character of the Juarez, Mexico, underworld.

Mrs. Lamala declared that Lamala told her yesterday he would fight her suit and advance the defense that the story of the negro and the half million offer was a myth.

She said that her husband still was "somewhere in Long Beach" and that he had engaged attorneys to reply to her complaint. She charged him with forcing his way into her home yesterday and with removing a trunk.

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South Dakota Ford Men Keep Up Political Work For Detroit

(By The Associated Press.) Watertown, S. D., Dec. 20.—Undismayed by the declaration of Henry Ford yesterday that he would not be a candidate for the presidency against President Coolidge, the South Dakota Ford-for-president club is going ahead with plans to put Ford's name on the primary ballot here, according to a statement made tonight by James F. Houlihan, chairman of the club.

"As far as the South Dakota Ford-for-president movement is concerned the only thing that will keep Mr. Ford's name off the South Dakota primary ballot will be the direct refusal of Mr. Ford himself," Houlihan said.

To Continue Campaign. In the absence here of a refusal on the part of Ford to accept the nomination if tendered to him, the state campaign in his behalf will be continued, Houlihan asserted.

Explaining his reasons for believing that Ford may accept a presidential nomination despite his statement yesterday, Houlihan declared: "Think Time Will Tell. A careful perusal of the full statement attributed to Mr. Ford, reveals the fact that he refers only to the present situation and his attitude regarding the candidacy of President Coolidge. It is approximately six months until the national conventions and a year until the next presidential election. No one knows at this time who the candidate of either party will be and Mr. Ford makes a statement regarding the candidacy of Mr. Coolidge exclusively."

Costs Mrs. Ford \$1,241.50 To Go To Metropolis

(By The Associated Press.) New York, Dec. 20.—Mrs. Henry Ford spent today shopping in this city. It cost her \$1,241.50 in carfare to make the trip. She came in the Ford private railway car, Fair Lane, which in addition to Mrs. Ford carried her maid, her secretary and several guests.

Although Mr. Ford is president of a railroad, he did not ask that his private car be carried free by the roads and paid 25 full fares from Detroit to New York and back.

Mrs. Ford declined to discuss her husband's support of President Coolidge. She said she would be glad to talk about it if she wasn't so tired after her day's shopping.

FIRE WIPES OUT BUSINESS BLOCK IN FLINT, MICH.

(By The Associated Press.) Flint, Mich., Dec. 20.—Fire, believed to have originated from a cigarette being thrown into a pile of excelsior, Thursday threatened to wipe out an entire city block in the heart of the business district here. The damage, late today, was estimated at \$400,000.

The flames were discovered in the three story building of the Doty-Salisbury Furniture Company. Firemen kept the fire from spreading although the furniture plant was a complete loss.

Flint's entire fire-fighting equipment was called out, and it was several hours before the flames were quenched. Thousands of people assembled, and for a time threatened to hinder the work of the firemen. Interurban and city car service was interrupted.

An investigation will be made, it was said.

Makes Sacrifice For Friend But It Doesn't Pay

(By The Associated Press.) Detroit, Dec. 20.—Ernest McVittie was found guilty in federal court today of violating the Mann Act by bringing two girls, each 16 years old, from Toronto to Detroit.

His accomplice, George E. Vallin, pleaded guilty and has been sentenced to two years, when to the surprise of the prosecution, he asserted on the stand that he alone was to blame and McVittie was innocent.

After an hour's deliberation the jury found a verdict of guilty against McVittie also and the judge sentenced him to 18 months at Atlanta. "It is the usual thing to let the man who pleads guilty go easier than the one who stands trial," said the judge, "but in this case I think Vallin is the greater criminal."

WAYNE COUNTY TO CONTINUE STATE FIGHT

(By The Associated Press.) Detroit, Dec. 20.—Having failed in its effort to obtain proper representation in its appeal to the state legislature, Wayne county will go direct to the people of the state with a referendum bill, the common council of Detroit decided today.

A bill will be prepared and submitted to the attorney general for approval, and the 45,000 signatures required to place it before the people at the fall election "will be obtained."

Pope Creates New Cardinals

(By The Associated Press.) Rome, Dec. 20.—Pope Pius XI, at a secret consistory today created two Italian cardinals. They are Evaristo Lucidi, papal auditor, and Monsignor Aurelio Galli, director general of the vatican museum.

BOTH SIDES IN EFFORT TO GET REAL SOLUTION

NO NEW MOVES OF IMPORTANCE MADE THURSDAY.

(By The Associated Press.) Vera Cruz, Dec. 20.—Military and civil leaders of the revolutionary movement are said to be of the impression that solution of the controversy is near. For several days negotiations have been going on by telegraph between the military chiefs of both the opposing camps in an effort to find a formula which would bring about a termination of hostilities without further bloodshed and assure the re-establishment of national peace.

In certain circles here today the belief prevailed that it was because of these negotiations that no new military operations have been initiated.

No New Movement. The military situation is stationary. There has been no movement of importance of the troops today.

The only new phase in the situation is the branching out of the revolutionary movement on the Isthmus of Tehuantepec, where rebel forces are attacking Santa Lucetia, but have not yet been able to dislodge the Obregon forces.

Hot Time in Tabasco. It became known today through revolutionary sources that the rebels in Tabasco have attacked Villa Hermosa, capital of the state, which is held by a strong federal garrison.

General Maycotte, in a communication to revolutionary headquarters here from Tepic, says that various federal military chiefs in the states of Puebla and Guassero have joined the rebel movement.

Casualties Reported. An official statement given out today at revolutionary headquarters regarding the fighting at San Martin and Texmelucan Wednesday says the rebel casualties were eighteen men killed and twenty-two wounded. The federal losses were estimated at one hundred killed or wounded. The rebel General Fernando Reyes was among the wounded.

Cuban Police Think Beer Is Poisoned

(By The Associated Press.) Havana, Dec. 20.—The government today seized all the bottled beer bearing the labels of a certain brewery that could be found in cafes and bars in Havana because two men have died and five others have been made seriously ill by drinking what the police declare to have been poisoned beer from bottles marked with this brewery's labels.

The police are working on the theory that because of a strike in the brewery, sympathizers substituted bottles of poisoned beer for the original brand.

Willys-Overland Official Is Dead

(By The Associated Press.) Toledo, O., Dec. 20.—Isaac R. Kinsey, 63, a vice president of the Willys-Overland Automobile Company, is dead at Winter Haven, Fla., according to word received here today. His body will be brought here, advisers said.

Girl Bandits, Glass Pistols; Reform School

(By The Associated Press.) New York, Dec. 20.—Convicted of having held up thirteen taxi cab drivers at the point of a glass pistol while accomplices robbed them, Anna Osterlein, 16, known to the police as the "girl taxi bandit", today was sentenced to the House of the Holy Family by Judge Gibbs in Bronx county court.

Edward W. McCabe, 17, convicted as an accomplice, was sent to Elmira reformatory. Both testified they always left their victims five cents for car fare.

State Dinner At The White House

(By The Associated Press.) Washington, Dec. 20.—President and Mrs. Coolidge had the members of diplomatic corps as their guests at a state dinner tonight at the White House. The ranking diplomatic representatives of forty three nations were present.

More than half the men in Newfoundland are engaged in the fishing industry.

SOVIET RUSSIA SAYS EXPOSE OF COMMUNIST PLANS IN U. S. IS ABSOLUTELY "FRAMED UP"

Ruthenberg Speaks For The "Workers' Party"

(By The Associated Press.) Chicago, Dec. 20.—Charges that the letter issued yesterday by Secretary of State Hughes, exposing an alleged plot by soviet Russia to overthrow the American government for communism, was a forgery, and part of a frameup on the part of the Coolidge administration against the recognition of Russia is contained in a statement issued here tonight under the name of the Central Executive Committee of the Workers' Party of America and signed by C. E. Ruthenberg, executive secretary.

"The secretary of state has had published a letter supposed to have been sent by Gregory Zinoviev, chairman of the communist international, to the Workers' Party of America," the statement said. "The letter from the first to last is a falsification."

Declare Letter False. "The frame-up of the secretary of state sets forth that the communist international instructs the Workers' Party to practice shooting and 'sapper' work. The Workers' Party declares that it has never received such a letter.

"The only armed shooting groups in this country are the gang men employed by the employers' private detective agencies and the department of justice to smash the labor and farm organizations.

"The communist international never sent out such stupid and insane instructions. The whole idea was conceived by mad men who are professional spies living off fake exposures of an alleged 'red menace.' We publicly accuse the department of state and the department of justice with having forced this letter to mislead the people of the United States."

TRIO OF BOYS IN FOUL CRIME

Rob Aged Recluse and Tie Him Up To Die Slowly.

(By The Associated Press.) St. Joseph, Mich., Dec. 20.—A jury in circuit court tonight found Alvin Keller, Leon Long and Rhinehold Treichel guilty of manslaughter in connection with the death of Henry Gerling, 85 year old recluse farmer. The body of the man, bound and gagged, was found in his home almost three years ago.

For three weeks the boys, none of them more than 17 years old, have been on trial. The state sought their conviction on a charge of murder.

The finding of Gerling's body, which occurred the first week in April, 1921, caused much excitement in the county at the time. The man was attacked while asleep, gagged and left to die in his bed after his home had been ransacked.

Ten days after the attack the body was discovered by a neighbor but the killing remained a mystery until about two months ago when Sheriff Bridgman arrested the boys and a fourth boy, Howard Leon, 15 year old brother of Leon. They all confessed, according to officers, but repudiated their confessions, with the exception of Howard, who took the stand against his brother and the other two youths.

Howard told the jury he stood outside the Gerling residence while the other boys entered. The three other boys took the stand and denied both the crime and the alleged confessions. The boys testified the confessions were obtained by "third degree" methods and through relatives offered an alibi.

Motor Bus Law Being Enforced

(By The Associated Press.) Lansing, Mich., Dec. 20.—The state public utilities commission today started to put into effect its ruling that the operation of common carrier motor vehicles, upon which the insurance to protect passengers and freight has lapsed, will be halted. Peter Fagan, secretary of the commission, instructed police officers in Lansing and Williamston that a line operating between those points should be stopped. The policy of the commission is fixed, Mr. Fagan said, and will be applied throughout the state.

Make Triangle Of Johnson in Pierre

(By The Associated Press.) Pierre, S. D., Dec. 20.—The state supreme court tonight decided that Senator Hiram Johnson, if he would file as an independent candidate for president in the South Dakota Republican primary next March, will have to appear separately on one petition, his delegates to the national convention on another and the presidential electors on a third.

PLUNGES INTO HEAVY SEA TO SAVE BROTHER

BROTHER A BLAZE FROM FUEL OIL EXPLOSION.

(By The Associated Press.) Atlantic City, N. J., Dec. 20.—Ablaze from head to foot in consequence of the explosion of a fuel tank on a 35-foot speed launch four miles from shore tonight, Charles Driscoll, 33, jumped into the sea and was saved from drowning only through the heroism of his brother Jake, 31, the only other occupant of the launch.

Seizing two life belts Jake jumped in after his brother. Forcing one under Charles' arms, he fastened the other about his own waist and then, with a knife cut his brother free of his smoldering garments.

Sea Running High. The sea was running high, and the brothers swam desperately to get away from the motor boat, fearing a second explosion if the flames reached an emergency fuel tank.

The explosion and burst of flames were seen by coast guards and hundreds of holiday visitors along the board walk. The federal dredge Abscon, in charge of Captain Ostenson, was the first craft to head for the scene.

"Dry Navy" Helps. Captain John Holdzkow, of the coast guards, called for volunteers among the speediest of the fishing boats. Two of these hurried out followed by the coast guards in their slower boat. A few minutes later speed boats used by rum runners and vessels of the "dry navy" commanded by Chief County Detective Frank Harlow also started.

The dredge, with a half mile start, was the first to reach the brothers. Charles, when picked up, was unconscious and Jake completely exhausted. They were hurried ashore and taken to the City Hospital. The younger man was later removed to his home, but Charles was so badly burned that his condition was reported as grave.

Jake Driscoll was captured with a load of liquor on December 16 aboard a vessel similar to that destroyed tonight. On Wednesday he was held in \$1,000 bail for the federal grand jury on a charge of rum running.

Farley Knocked By Senate For Commerce Post

(By The Associated Press.) Washington, Dec. 20.—An adverse report on the nomination of Edward P. Farley, of Chicago, as a shipping board commissioner, was voted unanimously today by the senate commerce commission. Immediately afterwards, President Coolidge sent to the senate a message withdrawing the nominations of Frederick L. Thompson, of Mobile, Ala., and Bert E. Hanes, of Portland, Oregon, which had been approved by the committee.

President Sends Christmas Word To The Children

(By The Associated Press.) New York, Dec. 20.—Christmas greetings from President and Mrs. Coolidge to the children of the United States were sent out tonight by the Santa Claus association which announced receipt of the following message: "Through the Santa Claus Association Mrs. Coolidge and I wish the children of the United States a very merry Christmas."

WEATHER

(By The Associated Press.) UPPER MICHIGAN — Partly cloudy Friday and Saturday; slightly colder in northwest portion Friday.

Temperatures At 8 P. M. Alpena ... 44 Marquette ... 40 Atlantic City 52 Medicine Hat 24 Boston ... Memphis ... 64 Buffalo ... Milwaukee ... 44 Chicago ... Minneapolis ... 44 Cleveland ... 54 Montreal ... 32 Denver ... 52 New Orleans ... 60 Detroit ... 52 New York ... 48 Duluth ... 38 Port Arthur ... 42 Escanaba ... 40 Saginaw ... 44 Galveston ... 62 St. Louis ... 54 Grand Rapids 44 Salt Lake ... 30 Jacksonville, 68 S' Francisco 50 Kansas City, 50 Soc. Mich. ... 49 Los Angeles, 58 Tampa ... 70 Louisville ... 58 Washington, 56 Ludington ... 42 Winnipeg ... 28



3 Days to Christmas

Modernists Score Victory Of Fundamentalists

IS GOVERNOR THIRD TERMER?

Belief That He Is Not But Is After Big Game.

(By The Associated Press.) Lansing, Mich., Dec. 20.—Official Lansing was speculating today upon the effect recent occurrences may have upon the 1924 gubernatorial campaign. Wednesday, Governor Groesbeck issued a statement lauding Henry Ford's endorsement of President Coolidge. Herbert F. Baker, former state senator, and candidate for the United States senate, in a Grand Rapids interview, declared that he will not be a candidate for congress and indicated that he probably will not be in the United States senatorial race. And the state legislature, with the outstate majority dominating the situation, adjourned without acceding to the demands of Governor Groesbeck and Wayne county that the state's legislative districts be reapportioned.

Groesbeck's Ambition.
In the minds of some state officials Governor Groesbeck has verified to some extent rumors that he will not be a candidate for a third term. There is the strong possibility, they assert, that he will be more or less directly in charge of the Coolidge campaign in Michigan, and that he is slated, if the president is re-elected, for the attorney general's post in the next cabinet.

Baker for Governor.
The Baker interview, officials believe, probably means that he will seek the gubernatorial nomination. Whether or not Governor Groesbeck is in the race observers profess to foresee a continuance of the out-state-Wayne conflict, which has shattered two sessions of the legislature, in the coming campaign. They believe that a candidate will be placed in the field with the support of Wayne, and the endorsement of the governor and that the answer to the fight between the majority and Wayne county members of the legislature over the gasoline tax, reapportionment and other controversial matters, will finally be written at the polls.

Noted Scientist Is Seriously Ill; Blood Transfusion

(By The Associated Press.) Washington, Pennsylvania, Dec. 20.—Dr. William C. Farabee, of the faculty of the University of Pennsylvania and one of the most noted anthropologists in America, underwent a blood transfusion for pernicious anemia at the Washington hospital today. While he rallied after the operation, his condition at the hospital was declared to be serious.

Dr. Farabee's condition was said to be the result of his most recent exploration in South America where he contracted a tropical fever from which he never recovered. On that expedition he discovered two previously unknown tribes in Peru.

For the last three months Dr. Farabee had been living a primitive life in the rural sections of Washington and Greene counties in an effort to regain his health.

Germany's mercantile fleet has increased from 500,000 tons in June, 1920, to 2,500,000 gross tons today.

Leakage in the gas mains, due to the ground being undermined by a coalfield, cost Abertillery, Wales, a quarter of its gas supply last year.

Thirty-seven miles of carpet were required to cover the floors of the corridors and guest rooms of a new hotel recently opened in Buffalo.

Diplomatic Circles Startled By Russian Soviet Disclosure

(By The Associated Press.) Washington, Dec. 20.—The state department's charges of revolutionary soviet propaganda in the United States started diplomatic circles here today, launched the new senate upon its first debate over foreign affairs and resulted in a promise of further disclosures that will bring the whole problem of Russia once more into review before the American public.

Senators who repeatedly have urged formal recognition of the

YOUNG BANDIT SENTENCED TO 15 TO 30 YEARS

Admits Robbing 3 Banks and Other Places

(By The Associated Press.) Detroit, Dec. 20.—Paul Perritt, 26 years old, who, in pleading guilty on a charge of robbery armed, recently, declared that during the past two years he participated in holding up and robbing three banks, two oil stations and a bank messenger, will serve from 15 to 30 years in the Marquette state prison.

Judge Harry B. Keidan sentenced Perritt today at the same time sending Wilton Lee Robertson, 25, confessed accomplice of Perritt, to from 7 1/2 to 15 years in Jackson state prison. In each case the shorter term was recommended.

The specific charge on which Perritt and Robertson were brought to trial was the holding up of a branch of the Detroit Savings Bank, Oakland and Woodland Avenues December 4. In the holdup was taken \$714 from Albert L. Herminier, an employee of the bank.

Both men heard themselves sentenced without evincing the slightest emotion. Perritt, who says his right name is Hoag, and that he also used Larrick as an alias, had told the court on arraignment that his robberies netted him and his accomplices \$45,000. He said he specialized on banks, "because that's where the money is," and found accomplices in gambling dens.

Two Killed and One Injured In Street Car Wreck

(By The Associated Press.) Toledo, O., Dec. 20.—Two men are dead and a boy is in a hospital with a broken leg and other injuries as the result of the derailling of a street car at a crowded business corner here early tonight.

The dead are: Louis Schwartz, 40, Toledo, who was beheaded when the car crushed him against a trolley pole. Schwartz was connected with the United States Shipping Board during the Wilson administration.

Fred Rosenfeld, 70, Chicago, crushed by a falling trolley pole. The injured boy is Robert Zkahlé, 15, Toledo.

He was struck by the same pole against which Schwartz was crushed and fell upon Rosenfeld.

Honduras is completing a motor highway from the Atlantic to the Pacific.

Although mummified apes of ancient Egypt show evidence of rickets, no definite evidence of this disease has yet been found in the numerous human bodies examined from ancient graves of that land.

More than two million fir trees are used every Christmas in the British Isles.

BISHOP URGES TRUCE IN WAR OF OPINIONS

Suggests That Controversy Be Dropped Until After Christmas.

(By The Associated Press.) New York, Dec. 20.—Modernists scored a technical victory over their conservative opponents tonight when Rev. Charles Francis Potter, pastor of the West Side Unitarian church, was awarded the judges' decision over Rev. Dr. John Roach Straton pastor of Calvary Baptist church, in a public debate on the question, "Resolved, The Bible is the infallible word of God." Rev. Mr. Potter upheld the negative.

Asks for Truce.
Bishop William T. Manning today forwarded a letter to the rectors of all churches in the Protestant Episcopal diocese of New York asking that a truce be observed in the religious controversy between the conservatives and modernists until after the Christmas season.

The letter was accompanied by individual memoranda to the rectors, requesting them to read the diocesan communication at their services next Sunday morning. "Serious questions," the letter declared, "are before the church at this time. But no one should be unduly perturbed. We have our Lord's promise that the church shall be guided by the Holy Spirit and to the full truths of Jesus Christ this church has always steadfastly borne witness. The position of the church has not changed. No new statement of doctrine has been made by the house of bishops."

Touching on Differences.
"The bishops have reaffirmed the teaching of this church as set forth plainly in her creeds and in her worship. The recent pastoral letter is the answer made by the house of bishops to an important question formally presented by a large number of laymen. Any differences or questions which may be felt in any quarter should have full and careful consideration."

"The present questions are serious and must be met faithfully, but as Bishop of the diocese, I ask that controversial discussion of them shall be suspended during the Christmas season, and that all of us, clergy and laity alike, give our thought to the message of peace and good will and brotherly love which the festival of our Saviour's birth brings to us."

"A little time of silence and thought and prayer will be of help to all of us and at the end of such a period we shall be better able to meet these questions rightly in a spirit of truth and love, having in us that mind which is also in Christ Jesus."

The population of the Philippine islands has increased from 700,000 to 10,000,000 or more than fourteen-fold since 1891.

Sale of absinthe is barred by the French government. But in "American" bars in Paris, it is dispensed as tubes of "tooth-paste."

DEMOCRATS TO OPPOSE TAX PLAN OF SECRETARY MELLON AND GIVE SUPPORT TO SOLDIER BONUS BILL

Simmons to Handle Both Pieces of Legislation.

(By The Associated Press.) Washington, Dec. 20.—Notice was served in the senate today by Senator Simmons, of North Carolina, that there will be Democratic opposition to what he characterized as Secretary Mellon's "millionaire tax" program. At the same time he said the Democrats would support the soldiers' bonus.

Mr. Simmons is the ranking Democrat on the finance committee, which handle both of these pieces of legislation. He declared the Democrats on that committee would vote to cut off taxes, "but not in the ways Mr. Mellon and the millionaires and the profiteers want to take them off." He then declared specifically for reductions in the rates on small incomes and for repeal of the so-called nuisance taxes.

Bonus Solved.
As Senator Simmons was outlining his position, the house way and means committee, proceeded with consideration of the treasury's tax bill under a program calling for a temporary shaving of the soldiers' bonus until house Republicans in party conference after the holiday recess have decided whether a bonus measure is to be reported.

Senator Simmons told the senate that the \$300,000,000 surplus announced by the treasury represented "just so much illegally filched from the pockets of Americans," explaining that congress could only affix taxes sufficient to supply money necessary to meet ordinary expenses of the government.

Should Be Returned.
"This money should be returned as soon as possible," he said, "and we will gladly join with you in its return, but not in the manner which President Coolidge or Secretary Mellon apparently desire it returned. The same element opposing the bonus is demanding that taxes on large incomes be cut to the bone. You will have to give us some better reason for agreeing than that the Republican party promised to put it through."

SAILSTAD AND SUNSHINE GIRL PLEAD GUILTY

(By The Associated Press.) Superior, Wis., Dec. 20.—Following arraignment of E. J. Sailstad and Dorothy Anderson before Judge F. S. Parker in municipal court on charges of arson today, Sailstad announced that he will go before Judge Archibald McKay in superior court either tomorrow or Saturday and plead guilty to the charges. Mr. Anderson will pursue the same course he said.

Judge Parker read the complaint and the prisoners waived examination. Bail was fixed at \$2,500 for each. Sailstad announced that he would not furnish bail and the two were taken back to the county jail.

"Big Business" To Distribute \$50,000 Bonus

(By The Associated Press.) New York, Dec. 20.—More than \$50,000 has been raised by members of the three principal exchanges for distribution among the employees in the form of Christmas bonuses.

Thomas Hale, secretary of the New York Cotton Exchange, played the role of Santa Claus this afternoon when he distributed \$11,000 in cash to the 180 employees of the exchange.

Costly Report Made By Head Of Shipping Board

(By The Associated Press.) Washington, Dec. 20.—The shipping board makes no allowances for entertainment of guests on board government vessels and no alcoholic beverages are carried except for medicinal purposes, Chairman Farley informed the senate today in a voluminous report requested by a resolution of the last session. Names of persons who had been given free transportation and data upon the organization of the various departments operated by the board was asked in the resolution.

Senator Jones, Republican, Washington, estimated preparation of the report in response to the resolution, "which is one of a number we pass in a routine way", cost the board not less than \$50,000. It occupied the attention of a special force of employees from January 1923 to the present month.

GOOD BUSINESS HEAD BRINGS IN COIN IN JAIL

Woman Preys Upon Weakness Of Her Sex

(By The Associated Press.) Detroit, Dec. 20.—Donzella Cooper, held in the woman's detention home as a government witness in the narcotic case, has a keen business sense.

Seeing the girls arrested in night raid go into court in a dazed condition, she purchased a quantity of rouge, perfume, lip-sticks, powder and other accessories. Every girl who could produce 50 cents or a dollar was fixed up by Donzella to look her prettiest.

Police officials stated to Judge Charles C. Simmons that the woman has made \$100 profit in 68 days.

Donzella was arrested in a raid October 8.

Ottawa, Ont., is threatened with a strike of laundry workers, who declare they are receiving "starvation" wages.

After twenty years' research, a Londoner has devised a method of creating textile designs by means of photoplay without a lens.

LOVES THE SEAS



Mrs. Emily Ashcroft, senior matron for the Canadian Pacific steamships, is just beginning her 24th year in that company's service. She starts on a cruise around the world on the Empress of Canada in January.

DELFT TODAY And Tomorrow

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WAR FINANCE BODY REPORT IS PLEASING

Improved Farm and Banking Condition Shown

(By The Associated Press.) Washington, Dec. 20.—Improved agricultural and banking conditions throughout the country were reflected in operations of the War Finance Corporation in the past years, directors of the corporation declared in their annual report sent to congress today.

Since January, 1921, when the first advices were made, the corporation has loaned a total of \$287,739,668 for agricultural financing. Of that sum the report showed, more than \$211,000,000 had been repaid on November 30, the end of the corporation year, with additional repayments since then aggregating about ten million dollars.

The corporation directors, the report showed, have pursued a policy of extending every assistance possible to the intermediate credit system created under the agricultural credits act. As the law under which the corporation operates expires early next year, it was the purpose of the directors, the report added, to give the credit banks as permanent institutions the full benefit of the corporation's experience.

England's only state newspaper, the London Gazette, is 258 years old. Publication was inaugurated during the reign of Charles II. It was then known as The Oxford Gazette, the court having fled to that city because of the plague.

The famous Gobelin's textile establishment in Paris has been producing wonderful tapestries for nearly 500 years.

Twenty-eight days are required to hatch the eggs of a turkey.

Sweden was the first country to recognize by statute that a wife's services in the home had a legal value. Miss Hilda Marshall, a 20-year-old stenographer, has written a novel which is attracting considerable attention in London.

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WINS SCHOLARSHIP



This beautiful girl won a contest recently—but through her brains and not her beauty. Dorothy Louise Roberts of Harlan, Ky., 17 years old, took first honors in the H. S. Firestone scholarship contest with her essay, "The Influence of Highway Transportation Upon the Religious Life of My Community." She was chosen by the Highway Education Board.



Free Style Book Shows latest knitted outerwear styles. Beautifully colored—a valuable book for every one. Send your name, address and your dealer's name to the Jersild Knitting Co., Neenah, Wis.

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ADDED

Snowy Baker in "The Better Man"

CITY BRIEFS

Scotch Heather in bloom, for Christmas, we have it, Peterson's Flower Shoppe. \$166-11.

Sauer's Cream Taffy sold at 50c per pound at 210 South 8th St. \$131-350-6t.

Mrs. William Doyle is seriously ill at her home, Second avenue south, having suffered from a stroke of paralysis yesterday morning.

Jaded appetites perk up—praise flows freely—over desserts made with Van Duzer's—the absolutely pure flavoring extracts. -1t

It makes a lovely Christmas gift. A singing canary in a gilded cage. Prices reasonable. Barrett's Bird Store, 416 Ludington street. \$139-352-4t.

Bertil Anderson, Wendell Lund, Herman Nelson, and Tecla Carlson are expected to return to the city today to spend the holidays here. They have been attending Augustana College.

Fraternal Column

Knights of Columbus Meeting. The Knights of Columbus held one of the most interesting meetings of the year at their club rooms last night. A business session followed by a smoker constituted the program. The feature of the evening was an interesting account of his three years sojourn in Palestine given by Rev. Father Conidine.

Auto Owners Must Have Title

Instructions have been received by the State Savings Bank, where automobile license plates for 1924 will be issued again issued to car owners who do not hold a certificate of title in their own name. The department has ruled that no license can be issued upon an assigned certificate if being necessary for holders of such certificates to forward assigned titles to Lansing with a filing fee of \$1 and receive from that office an individual certificate of title. Definite orders have been issued by the department against the issuance of licenses to any car owners not holding original titles, and because of this fact, it is feared that many purchasers of used cars will be unable to secure their license promptly when application is made.

Doll Style Show In Local Window

Ever attend a "doll style show? There's one in the window of the Delta Insurance company, at 801 Ludington street.

For the last six weeks, Girl Scouts of the city have been working on these dolls for the Woman's Club-Salvation Army baskets. For this—the third annual display—there are dolls for outdoors, dolls going shopping, dolls with aprons on, doing the house work, Chinese dolls, over-all dolls, vamps, Pierrots and Pierrettes.

Preparation of dolls for Christmas baskets is one of Escanaba's Girl Scout traditions. This is the third year in which the custom has been carried out.

An actor has had six wives, a dancer three husbands. Three or four of this kind really equal one.

"Dear Santa: Please bring us another month in which to do our shopping before Christmas."

WESTWARD, HO!



Mrs. Calvin Coolidge, wife of the president, released a carrier pigeon from the White House grounds. The pigeon, owned by a Cleveland, O., man at once flew for home, carrying a message of greeting from Mrs. Coolidge to a convention of pigeon fanciers meeting in the Ohio city.

OBITUARY

MISS SARAH KENNEALLY. The funeral of Miss Sarah Kenneally, daughter of James Kenneally, 330 South Ninth st., who died at a local hospital Wednesday, will be held at 9 o'clock this morning from St. Patrick's church. Burial will be in St. Joseph's cemetery.

EASY TO CHOOSE.

Mullarky was very proud of the athletic abilities of his son Tommy, and never let a chance pass of extolling them. One day a friend, after listening to him expatiating, inquired: "If he's so good as that, Mullarky, which would you rather he'd be when he grows up—an acrobat or a contortionist." "Well," said Mullarky, after studying the thing over, "if it came to them two things, I'd rather have the lad grow up to be an acrobat, for then I could wring his neck when so inclined. But if he was a contortionist, now, where the devil would his neck be?"

THE LIFE-SAVER.

The aristocratic looking stranger who had boarded the train at Montreal was chatting with a friend.

"Yes," he said, "I was in the camouflage corps during the war and—"

He was interrupted by a tap on the shoulder from a worried looking fellow-traveler in the seat behind.

"Beg pardon, stranger," said the latter, "but I couldn't help hearing you and you're just the man I've been looking for. Say, now, what would you do with this here flask when we cross the international line?"

Average man can see why girls wear silk stockings with one eye shut. He often looks that way.

A hypocrite is a man saying he can't see why women wear silk stockings.

A London firm has four workmen named Dove, Wren, Duck and Bird.

Press Want Ads Get Results.

SOCIAL

Class of '23 Reunion. A reunion at which the past and the present will be discussed, at which memories of high school life will be recalled to mind, at which old friendships will be renewed and strengthened, a reunion which will live in the minds of all attending—such will be the reunion of the class of '23 to be held at the Delta Hotel next Wednesday night, beginning at 6:00 p. m.

A chicken dinner will constitute the first part of the reunion. This will be followed by a short program, and an opportunity will later be afforded for an exchange of reminiscences.

It is thought that about eighty or ninety members of the class will be present. There is no need to promise a good time as that is assured without being mentioned.

North Star Society. The regular meeting of the North Star Society, will be held at the usual meeting place to-night, when officers for the ensuing year will be elected.

Birthday Party. Miss Helen Lequal, 207 North Fifteenth street, was hostess to a number of her friends Wednesday night at a birthday party, given at her home. The evening was spent in games and other diversions, and a luncheon was served.

Christmas Party at Wells. A Christmas party will be given at the Wells Clubhouse Sunday evening for the employees of the I. S. Co. and the E. and L. S. Railroad and their families. The program will start at 8:00. The clubhouse will be decorated in Christmas colors and there will also be a large Christmas tree.

The Alps have been at the bottom of the sea two or three times, according to scientists.

The swiftest winds are encountered in temperate latitudes at an altitude of from five to seven miles, while above that the speed of the wind decreases.

BOY FARMER



Maurice Lux, 12-year-old Shelbyville (Ind.) boy, is a regular farmer, all right. He won first prize in a field of 200 entrants, from 43 states, in a boys' corn raising contest held in connection with the International Live Stock Exposition in Chicago.

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"Mail Early" Is Slogan Followed By Escanabans

The Christmas rush is on at the local postoffice. For four days already, an endless flow of mail has been received and sent out of the city and likewise a similar flow has come in from out of town. The "Mail Early" slogan is being heeded as never before and already 25 per cent more outgoing mail has been handled up to date than during the similar period last year. The incoming mail is likewise heavier than in any other year over the same period.

It is expected that the largest portion of the local mail will be delivered before Christmas and it will be necessary to deliver very little on Christmas day. Two trucks are busy all day long making deliveries, and have been working at full capacity for four days already, while last year the rush did not begin until about the twentieth.

It was reported last night that about one out of each 200 letters that are received at the local post office are unstamped. This, as can readily be seen, causes a great deal of delay. Therefore, Escanaba citizens are asked to be sure that every letter they send out is stamped.

Between Samoa and New Zealand runs a submarine mountain range 1500 miles long.

The oldest of all London churches, All Hallows, at Barking-by-the-Tower, recently celebrated its 1238th birthday anniversary.

THE SNAPPY COMEBACK.

"Say," demanded the lone diner of a group of chatting waitresses, "Who's waiting at this table?"

"Why, you are, of course," they retorted as one woman.

SPECIALS!

FOR TODAY
We will have on the early express this morning

Fresh Trout and Fresh Selected Oysters

PHONE YOUR ORDER EARLY.

- Smoked Molesters, per lb. 25c
- Salt Herrings, per lb. 18c
- Cranberries, per lb. 18c
- Dill Pickles, large size, doz. 29c
- Peanuts, Jumbo, per lb. 18c
- Globe Pork Sausage, 14c
- 1 lb. carton 27c
- Coffee, Golden Cup, per lb. 36c
- Toilet Paper, The Waldorf, 3 large rolls for 25c

FRESH VEGETABLES In This Morning
Head Lettuce, Celery, Sweet Potatoes, Ripe Tomatoes, Radishes, Green Onions, Parsnips, Bagoes, Cabbage.

St. Jacques's Grocery
210—Phones—211

SANTA CLAUS IS ON PROGRAM AT ST. JOSEPH'S

One of the liveliest and most complete Christmas programs in the schools of the city, was that given yesterday at St. Joseph's. The auditorium was tastefully decorated for the occasion. In the center of the hall stood a Christmas tree, 20-feet tall, from which hung hundreds of beautiful ornaments and colored electric lights.

High school pupils produced an impressive tableau on the auditorium stage, representing the various scenes at Bethlehem on the first Christmas morning, while the high school orchestra played Christmas carols. At 10 o'clock Santa Claus arrived and was given a tremendous ovation

by the several hundred youngsters, who listened with wrapt attention to the kind words of the gentle and affable old gentleman. Santa sang to the children, who in turn sang to him, and the good saint then distributed presents to all of the children.

Selections by a "Little German Band" closed the morning portion of the celebration. In the afternoon, the children viewed a free motion picture consisting of an "Aesop's Fables" comedy, an "Our Gang" comedy, and a two-reel Harold Lloyd picture. This show was repeated last night, free, for the ladies of the parish.

Airplane service in the interior of Alaska has cut the time to make the trip from Fairbanks to Livengood from fifty hours by trail to fifty minutes.

THE NEW STRAND Saturday Morning 10 O'clock & 11 O'clock

Oh! Listen, Kiddies

You Are Invited To The Nicest Party

SATURDAY MORNING

AND you are going to be so happy, and you are going to make a lot of other little children happy by going. But you must bring something for the party. Ask mother for an egg, an apple, an orange or a potato or anything else that will please some poor little girl or boy who will be so glad when he gets it at Christmas time. Bring any one of these articles to The Strand Saturday morning and the man at the door will let you in to see a regular picture program. Won't that be lots of fun?

FEATURE ATTRACTION—BABY PEGGY

"Hansel and Gretel"

It Will Be Children's Morning At The Strand Saturday.

The Admittance Fee Will Be Turned Over To The Salvation Army For Distribution.

Parents are urged to send their children so they may enjoy the morning with others. They will be well cared for.



That Xmas Gift for the Wife is a Problem

But it shouldn't be—at least this year. Take our suggestion—Buy her a MAYTAG. You can't go wrong on this choice, and you are sure to win her appreciation. You will not only be giving her something useful, but it is a gift of permanence as well, to serve constantly as a reminder of your thoughtfulness.

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Lucrezia Bori | 967 \$1.50 |
| {L'Amico Fritz—Non mi resta che il pianto
(Must I Ever Thus Be Sadly Craving) In Italian
Lucrezia Bori | |
| {Quartet in D Major—Adagio (Mozart) Flonzaley Quartet
Quartet in A Minor—Adagio (Schubert) Flonzaley Quartet | 6425 2.00 |
| {Somewhere in the World
(Where the Rainbow Ends) John McCormack
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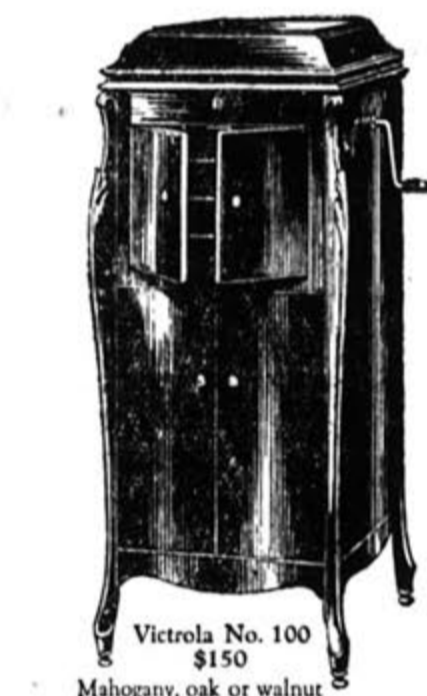
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(Lindy Lady) Sterling Trio
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(Fox Trot) David H. Silverman
and His Orchestra | 19195 .75 |
| {Wonder If She's Lonely Too—Fox Trot
(From "Topsy and Eva") Charles Dornberger and His Orchestra | 19196 .75 |
| {You—Fox Trot
(Love Me Too—Fox Trot) Benson Orchestra of Chicago | 19197 .75 |
| {Lonesome and Blue—Waltz
(When Lights are Low—Waltz) Benson Orchestra of Chicago | 19198 .75 |



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Seven New Yorkers Are Champs

RING HONORS MUCH SOUGHT; OFTEN EARNED

Majority of Fistic Crowns Held in The East.

(By The Associated Press.) New York, Dec. 20.—The close of pugilism's championship program for 1923 finds seven of the eleven recognized crowns in possession of products of New York's fistic school.

Johnny Dundee, veteran Italian boxer, holds two titles, the featherweight and junior lightweight, while other New Yorkers at the top of various classes are Frankie Genaro, American flyweight; Joe Lynch, bantamweight; Benny Leonard, lightweight; Mike McTigue, world's light heavyweight; and Gene Tunney, American light heavyweight.

Pancho Villa, world's flyweight king, resides in New York, though he began his fighting career in the Philippines, while Mickey Walker, of Elizabeth, N. J., won his welterweight title here.

The far west claims Jack Dempsey, heavyweight king, while Harry Greb, middleweight champion, puts Pittsburgh on the list.

Billy Evans Honor Roll

ALL-WESTERN

Ends—Eklund—WISCONSIN, Hancock—OHIO, Roluisek—ILLINOIS, Irish—WISCONSIN, Lampe—CHICAGO, May—OHIO, Rhodes—NEBRASKA, Rhodes—NEBRASKA

Tackles—Below—WISCONSIN, Muirhead—MICHIGAN, Pelcoff—OHIO STATE, Oberst—NOTRE DAME, West—NEBRASKA, Bach—NOTRE DAME, Bassett—NEBRASKA, Gowdy—CHICAGO

Guards—McMillen—ILLINOIS, Bieberstein—WISCONSIN, Abrams—MINNESOTA, Bondell—CHICAGO, Slaughter—MICHIGAN, Brown—NOTRE DAME, Katz—IOWA, Bulley—INDIANA, Beckwith—NEBRASKA

Centers—Blott—MICHIGAN, Claypool—PURDUE, King—CHICAGO, Green—ILLINOIS, Young—OHIO STATE

Quarterbacks—Stuhldreher—NOTRE DAME, Ueritz—MICHIGAN, Wolfman—OHIO STATE, Duran—MAQUETTE

Halfbacks—Grange—ILLINOIS, Martinesu—MINNESOTA, Kipke—MICHIGAN, Pott—CHICAGO, Noble—NEBRASKA, Miller—NOTRE DAME, Zott—CHICAGO, Cobley—NOTRE DAME, McEwen—INDIANA

Fullbacks—Tolman—WISCONSIN, Layden—NOTRE DAME, Jlevi—WISCONSIN, Thomas—CHICAGO, Britton—ILLINOIS

CAPTAINS FAIL TO MAKE GOOD

Most of Them Prove Real Sportsmen; Hammer Fails.

By BILLY EVANS "Football is no game for the weakling. It is a strenuous sport that calls for real men, not only physically but mentally. It is the typical college sport. The individual, no matter how great, must be subordinated to the team, if success is to be achieved."

A prominent western football coach, who has tutored many championship teams, recently expressed himself to me in discussing football pro and con.

Football is no game for the selfish. That point was driven home by the famous coach during our conversation. He pointed out that no one player was bigger than the game or college. The player who failed to learn such a lesson had failed from a football standpoint.

The 1923 season, replete with football thrills, was not without its pathos. To be elected captain of a college football eleven is an honor cherished by every athlete. It is one of the greatest tributes that can be paid a player.

Thrills in Last Games. The final game of every college player's career is one of the big moments of his life. There are certain emotions that go with the final game that characterize no other contest. Usually the final game of every college schedule is the all-important affair, the dash with an ancient rival, the big game of the year.

Every captain playing his last game looks forward to that contest as the climax of his football career. Such being the case, it is easy to imagine the feelings of a college captain who, because some other player is superior at the same position, is kept out of the lineup.

The 1923 season produced three decidedly unusual happenings in this respect. The final game of the year to three football leaders carried with it nothing but disappointment. Two of the captains met the situation with the courage of a brave soldier. One of the captains, if reports are true, failed to learn the big lesson of football, that selfishness has no place in the game.

Army Leader Out. When the Army met the Navy, Captain Mulligan of the Army was not in the lineup. He sat on the sidelines throughout the entire game with the exception of a few fleeting moments when the Army coach sent him into the lineup, feeling his title of captain deserved such consideration. The coach believed he had a better man than Mulligan. The discipline of the Army, and the lesson that he had learned from football, caused Mulligan to accept his fate with a smile. He had learned the big lesson.

Pennsylvania's big game is with Cornell on Thanksgiving. Captain Hammer of Penn failed to get into that game for even a single moment. Brokenhearted, he is reported to have turned in his uniform and left college without waiting for even his degree. Hammer failed to learn the big lesson. From Texas comes the third episode of the gridiron. After eight years in the Southwest Conference cellar, the Southern Methodist College won the championship by defeating Baylor College.

Daniels Beat Sportsman. Captain Bill Daniels, center on the Southern Methodist eleven, failed to get into the game. Instead of being peevish, Daniels, prior to the game, called the team together and told them that King who was to take his place was a far better man and he wanted the team to give its best. "Win the

CAR REPAIRERS DEFEAT ROUND HOUSE BOWLERS

Freight House Pin Smashers Beat Storekeepers

Victories were hung up by the Freight Office and the Car Repairers in the contests between the Freight House and Storekeeper fives and the Round House and Car Repairer quintets in last night's round of the Chicago Northwestern maple smashing tournament.

The Freight House crew won the first game from the Storekeepers by one point, and the third game by rolling 798 to 769. In the second game, however, the Freight House showed their ability and came back strong, swatting 833 to 678, thus winning the night's series.

The Car Repairers, after losing the first game, won the succeeding two by heavy margins.

The scores for the night's play are as follows:

Freight Office.	
Williams	169 163 163
Gonlet	150 187 151
Woolen	139 142 127
Johnson	150 165 140
Barish	118 176 179
Total	726 833 769

Storekeepers.	
C. Johnson	111 111 187
Schwartz	120 120 120
O. Johnson	180 153 169
Deslites	160 141 162
Morau	156 153 160
Total	727 678 798

Round House.	
Feller	162 124 125
Morton	124 148 125
Berens	146 146 146
Jensen	172 145 156
Frister	164 172 131
Total	768 735 683

Car Repairers.	
H. Moreau	177 186 180
J. Decker	149 149 149
N. Evans	148 136 166
J. Bosve	161 154 152
H. Blake	195 182 172
Total	740 807 819

Joe Lefleur Back from Big Pro Year

Joe Lefleur, Escanaba griddler who played with the Chicago Bears, one of the country's leading professional football teams, has returned to this city. Lefleur had a wonderful season at thatback and guard with the Bears.

Bud Finch in City for His Vacation

Wallace "Bud" Finch, of the Notre Dame football squad, arrived in Escanaba yesterday for his Christmas vacation. Finch was one of the quarterbacks on Rockne's aggregation.

TODAY'S BIRTHDAYS.

David A. Reed, United States senator from Pennsylvania, born in Pittsburgh, 43 years ago today.

Janusz Jan Padarczewski, famous pianist, is a keen billiard player, although he is 63 years old.

WESTERN GRID MEN RANK HIGH

500 Coaches Pick All-American Team for "Athletic World"

Five-hundred coaches, balloting in an All-American selection compiled by the editors of "Athletic World," selected the following teams:

FIRST ELEVEN.

End—McLure, Syracuse.
Tackle—Milstead, Yale.
Guard—McMillen, Illinois.
Center—Blott, Michigan.
Guard—Hubbard, Harvard.
Tackle—Below, Wisconsin.
End—Eklund, Minnesota.
Quarterback—Pfann, Cornell. (Capt.)
Halfback—Grange, Illinois.
Halfback—Wilson, Penn State.
Fullback—Levi, Haskell.

SECOND ELEVEN.

End—Bomar, Vanderbilt.
Tackle—Sundstrom, Cornell.
Guard—Welch, Colgate.
Center—Garbisch, Army.
Guard—Benden, Penn State.
Tackle—Muirhead, Michigan.
End—Berry, Lafayette.
Quarterback—Workman, Ohio State.
Halfback—Kipke, Michigan. (Capt.)
Halfback—Nichols, California.
Fullback—Mallory, Yale.

THIRD ELEVEN.

End—Tallman, West Virginia.
Tackle—Bassett, Nebraska.
Guard—Aschenback, Dartmouth.
Center—Horrell, California.
Guard—Farwick, Army.
Tackle—Waldorf, Syracuse.
End—Luman, Yale.
Quarterback—Stuhldreher, Notre Dame.
Halfback—Tryon, Colgate.
Halfback—Martineau, Minnesota. (Capt.)
Fullback—Nevers, Stanford.

TO CONSIDER BONUS BILL BEFORE TAX

(Continued From Page One)

or Indian lands are opened to entry. The American Legion estimates the cost of the various plans based on the idea of 75 percent taking the certificate plan, 23 1/2 percent taking the farm, home and land settlement and 1 1/2 percent taking vocational training as follows:

Certificate plan \$3,364,309,481.
Farm, home and land settlement \$412,425,000.
Vocational training \$52,325,000.
Cash \$16,000,000.
Total \$3,845,059,481.

Spread Over 48 Years. This, of course, is to be spread over a period of forty three years of which \$1,126,741,670 would be paid now to 1943 and \$2,708,317,811 from 1943 to 1966.

If all the ex-service men took the certificate plan, the legion estimates the total cost would be \$4,486,545,975. If all took vocational training, the cost would be \$2,093,000,000. If all took the farm and home aid and land settlement plan, the cost would be \$1,833,000,000.

No estimate, therefore, can be regarded as final except the one with respect to immediate cash payment. It would be possible, of course, for the men holding advanced service certificates to borrow at least half of the face value of his certificates. All sides seem to agree that passage of the bonus would add at least three and three quarter billions of dollars to the public debt of the United States.

TOLAN RETAINS PISTOL HONORS

Chief of Police Leads Star Field of Police Marksmen.

Chief of Police John J. Tolan again is the champion pistol shot of the Escanaba police department.

Maintaining an average of 93.6 per cent throughout the month of December, in the tri-weekly range practice sessions, the chief led Motorcycle Officer Phil Bruce by a 2.4 per cent. Patrolman Erick Pearson was third with 90.4. The average for the ten members of the force was 81.1 per cent.

The police maintain pistol practice the year round, each officer turning in at least three target cards of 12-shots each weekly. Most of the men, however, have been visiting the range more frequently than that. Scores are kept on a percentage basis. The bullets are 3 1/2 inches in diameter, and the range includes an equal number of shots at forty, fifty, sixty and seventy-five feet. Service "six-shooters" are used.

Competition Keen. The final four weeks of the year are those which are registered as the "finals" in the departmental championship match. As the scores indicate, competition has been unusually keen and the men are closely bunched. A marked improvement has been noted for the last six months of the year, the average of the department having been raised 11 per cent since June 30.

Marked Improvement. Chief Tolan, at that time led the field by a margin of 14 per cent. The improvement all down the line is an outstanding feature of the comparison of the scores with those of a few months ago. The chief for many years has been counted as one of the crack pistol shots of the Upper Peninsula.

"It isn't individual honors we are working for," the chief said yesterday. "It is departmental efficiency. The average scores of all the men is something to be proud of. I don't think a department in an American city of similar size can equal it."

Individual averages in the finals follow:

Tolan	93.6
Bruce	91.2
Pearson	90.4
Ettenhoefer	83.2
Fin	79.7
Sandborn	76.5
Papineau	75.3
Carlson	74.7
Peterson	74.7
Van Eckfortre	71.3
Average	81.96

SOCCER TEAM BUMPS INTO A MEX. REVOLT

(By The Associated Press.)

New Orleans, La., Dec. 20.—They went to Mexico from Guatemala to play soccer and basketball, bumped into a revolution and today found themselves in New Orleans. That was the story told by a score of amateur athletes from Guatemala, here as guests of President Obregon of Mexico, who spent most of the time today beseeching offices of the United Fruit Company and other shipping concerns in the hope that they might find transportation back to Central America. The athletes reached Mexico City, December 5, and played one of four games when Adolfo de Larrea launched his rebellion at Vera Cruz. The visitors were scheduled to play at Guadalajara, but when fighting began in that vicinity the great fair to be held was called off with it, the athletic events.

The Obregon government could not send the Guatemalans home directly from Mexico City, so it put them aboard a train for New Orleans.

GOLF COMBINE GIVEN DENIAL

(By The Associated Press.)

Chicago, Dec. 20.—Publication in a Chicago newspaper of a story to the effect that consolidation of the United States Golf Association and the Western Golf Association might be considered at the annual meeting of the U. S. G. A., at New York next month, today brought denial from the presidents of both bodies.

A committee composed of representatives of the various golf associations has been considering possible plans for changing and unifying control of golf in America, but what the committee will report has not been intimated by the members.

BRAMMEL TO TRAIN BROWNS

(By The Associated Press.)

St. Louis, Mo., Dec. 20.—Tommy Brammel, trainer of Abe Attell and sparring partner and manager of Terry McGovern, has been signed by the St. Louis Americans as trainer. He succeeds William Bierhalter, who has gone to the Boston Red Sox.

A Swiss inventor claims to have produced a typewriter which will automatically type words as they are dictated to it by the human voice.

MARKET NEWS

STOCK PRICES START UPWARD

Trading, However, Is On Reduced Scale Due To Holiday.

(By The Associated Press.)

STOCK SALES SUMMARY. Total stock sales, 947,300 shares. Twenty industrials averaged \$4.97; net gain .1053; low \$5.78.

Twenty railroads averaged \$2.61; net gain .52. High 1923, 90.51; low 79.53.

New York, Dec. 20.—Stock prices started upward again today with business on a reduced scale, due to the approaching holiday. Speculative confidence in the long side was restored by the decision of the house ways and means committee to take early action on the administrative features of the Mellon tax program and by reports of special dividend distribution by several companies before the end of the year.

The demand for stocks covered a broad list with the leather issues giving one of the best demonstrations of group strength. May Department Stores and Computing, Tabulating and Recording, which established new high records for the year and closed at net gains of 4 1/2 and 2 1/8 points, respectively, were the individual features.

Strong Issues. Good buying was noted throughout the day in the sugars, oils and tobaccos.

Standard industrial shares recovered all or most of the ground lost in the last two days. United States Steel common closed nearly a point higher at 94 1/2, Baldwin advancing 1 3/8 to 124 7/8 and Studebaker moved up 1 1/8 to 105 1/2. American Can improved fractionally.

New low records for the year were established during the early part of the session by Omaha common, Barnett Leather, Consolidated Clear preferred and National Canners, the transactions in each case being small.

Eric Is Strong. Continued strength of the Eric issues was the feature of the railroad list, Eric common crossing 22 and then dropping back to 21 3/8, where it was up 5/8 on the day. "Soo" preferred recovered 2 points of a 15 drop yesterday and "Katy" advanced 3 points.

Trading in the foreign exchange market was on a small scale with French francs touching another new low record for all time at 5.15 cents, but rallying to 5.18 later. Demand sterling dropped off more than a cent to \$4.50 1/2. Call money opened at 4 1/2 percent and then dropped to 4 1/4 percent where it closed. Commercial paper and time money rates were unchanged with trading quiet.

CHICAGO GRAIN. Chicago, Dec. 20.—Increased offers of wheat December delivery, particularly weighed down prices here today in all the grain pits. Wheat closed unsettled 1/2 to 1 1/8 net lower, May 1.08 1/8 to 1/4, and July 1.06 1/8 to 1/4. Mixed and provisions varying from unchanged figures to 1/2 decline.

Wheat buyers were generally believed to have led the selling of wheat, especially in the last part of the day. The fact that deliveries in December contracts here were some larger than heretofore had the further effect of bringing about numerous orders to let go of small holdings. Corn, Cop and timothy were relatively weak.

Favorable weather for the harvest in Argentina attracted a little more average to the wheat market, as did weakness of foreign exchange.

Downturns in the value of corn and oats were more or less the result of sympathy with wheat weakness. A decrease in the volume of corn receipts here failed to act as an offset.

Provisions tended downward owing to a setback in hog values.

CHICAGO LIVESTOCK. Chicago, Dec. 20.—Cattle receipts 11,000; uneven; weighty market steers mostly 15 to 25c up; lower grades dull about steady; no choice yearlings here; few about 10.00; best calves and heifers steady; about 1,500 pounds; bulk short fed bullocks 8.00 at 9.50; canners and cutters active strong; best canners upward to 2.25; lower grades beef butchers very dull; bullocks steady to higher; good to choice handy weight yearlings closing 2.50 higher; bulk 9.00 at 9.50; best steers and heifers steady.

Hogs, receipts 6,000; closing mostly 10 to 15c lower to big packers; practical top rate 7.00; bulk 2.48 to 3.00 pound average; best country hams, 12.00 to 12.50; fat 6.75 at 7.00; packing notes 6.35 at 6.50; stocker pigs 25c lower; best bids late 5.75 downward; estimated total of 22,000 sheep; best grade fat lambs 12.00 to 12.50; practically no feeding lambs on sale; good and choice mutton lambs 12.75 at 12.90; top 13.00; one load good to choice fat clipped lambs 10.65; bulk fat ewes 6.00 at 7.25.

CHICAGO BUTTER. Chicago, Dec. 20.—There was little change in the butter market here today. Supplies were moderate and demand only fair.

CHICAGO POTATOES. Chicago, Dec. 20.—Potatoes weak; receipts 27 cars; total U. S. shipments 245; Wisconsin and Idaho, U. S. No. 1, 90 at 91.50; bulk 91 at 91.10; fancy 91.15 at 91.25; Minnesota and North Dakota sacked round whites, 37, 38, 39, 40 and partly graded 35 at 37.50; sacked River Ohio, 31.00; Michigan sacked round whites 31.00 at 31.05.

NEW YORK STOCKS. (Last Sales)

Allied Chemical & Dye	68.87
American Can	104.37
American Car & Foundry	164.00
American International Corp.	22.75
American Locomotive	78.50
American Smelting & Refg.	57.25
American Sugar	24.50
American T. & T.	125.00
American Tobacco	148.50
American Woolen	71.87
Anacosta Copper	24.50
Atchafalaya	85.12
Aul, Gulf & W. Indies	17.00
Baldwin Locomotive	124.57
Baltimore & Ohio	82.25
Behlen Steel	82.25
California Petroleum	20.75
Central Leather	13.62
Cerro de Pasco Copper	45.75
Chandler Motors, ex-div.	68.00
Chesapeake Ohio	62.82
Chicago & Northwestern	41.87
Chicago, Mil. & St. Paul, pfd.	21.37
Chicago, R. 1 & Pac.	27.50
Chile Copper	17.25
China Copper	17.25
Consolidated Gas	54.37
Consolidated Zinc	21.50
Cosden Oil	88.25
Cruible Steel	61.12
Cuba Cane Sugar, pfd.	58.87
Delaware	24.87
Famous Players-Lasky	67.25
General Asphalt	37.87
General Electric	144.87
General Motors	14.25
Great Northern, pfd.	64.25
Gulf States Steel	24.50
International Paper	21.87
Inspiration Copper, ex-div.	78.00
International Harvester	78.00
Int. Mer. Marine, pfd.	29.87
Interstate Paper	14.25
Invisible Oil	14.75
Kelly-Springfield Tire	30.87
Kennecott Copper	33.52
Lima Locomotive	33.00
Louisville & Nashville	90.00
Mac Truck, ex-div.	87.25
Maxwell Motors	25.50
Maxwell Motors R.	18.25
Middle States Oil	7.00
Missouri, Kan. & Tex. (new)	26.75
Missouri Pacific, pfd.	104.00
New York Central	13.87
N. Y. N. H. and Hartford	103.50
Norfolk & Western	52.87
Northern Pacific	47.12
Pan American Petroleum Co.	60.12
Pennsylvania	142.87
Petroleum	46.75
Producers & Refiners	31.00
Pure Oil	30.62
Reading	48.00
Republic Iron & Steel	45.00
Sears Roebuck	57.00
Standard Oil	25.75
Southern Pacific	86.00
Southern Railway	36.50
Standard Oil of N. J.	37.25
Stewart Warner	33.00
St. Louis Corporation	105.25
Texas & Pacific	45.12
Tobacco Products A.	90.75
Tobacco Products B.	7.75
Union Pacific	126.12
United Retail Stores	3.00
U. S. Ind. Alcohol	36.37
United States Rubber	94.75
United States Steel	63.75
Utah Copper	69.50
Washington Electric	9.75
Willy-Overland	9.75

BOSTON COPPER LIST. (Closing Quotations)

Arctand	2.00
Aric. Cons.	43.00
Cal. Cons.	18.75
Cal. & Hecla	18.75
Chile	27.50
Chile Cons.	62.37
Davis West	2.50
East Butte	1.50
Franklin	14.50
Grainy	13.87
Greene Can.	13.87
Hancock	17.50
Isle Royale	1.25
La. Cons.	.75
Mass. Cons.	21.25
Melaw	31.00
Melaw	31.00
Nipissing	11.87
Nipissing	22.25
Old Dom.	16.50
Quincy	21.00
Shannon	42.00
Sup. Boston	.50
Sup. Copper	1.50
Utah Cons.	20.00
Winnona	5.00
Wyandotte	50.00
La Salle	1.00

NEW YORK CURBS (Closing Quotations)

Standard Oil Ind.	63.62
Standard Oil	13.00
Canario Copper	1.12
Cop. Mining	1.12
U. Verde Ext.	101.87
Anacosta 6c	94.00
Public Service 8c	92.25
Swift & Co. 5c	91.25

Cudahy Packing Company to Pay Up Old Dividend

(By The Associated Press.) Chicago, Dec. 20.—The directors of the Cudahy Packing Company today decided to pay up the arrears of dividends on preferred stocks, declaring a six per cent dividend on the six per cent cumulative preferred stock and seven per cent dividend on the seven per cent cumulative preferred stock. The dividends are payable December 31, to stockholders on record on that date.

When these payments are made, dividends on preferred stocks will have been paid in full, a announcement said. The directors also declared a dividend of one per cent on common stock, payable January 15, 1924, to stockholders of record on January 4, 1924.

Wolverine Motor Co. Decorates for Santa

Beautiful Christmas decorations that have received much favorable comment have been placed by the Wolverine Motor company in their show windows on Ludington street. A beautiful Christmas tree all adorned with beautiful decorations and lights, making a typical Christmas scene, the floor being all bedecked with artificial snow and other trimmings, producing a realistic and effective setting. Employees of the company planned and completed the setting a few days ago and since then it has been the admiration of hundreds of passers

ORATORY MARKS HOLIDAY RECESS

Senate Urged To Settle Railway Chairman-ship Row.

(By The Associated Press.)
Washington, Dec. 20—Congress got away today on a wave of oratory for a Christmas recess that will end on January 3.

Partisan politics held the center of the stage, but taxes, the recognition of the Russian soviet government and farmers' aid figured in the debate, which, in the senate, at least, was the most extended of the session.

Senator Harrison, Democrat, Miss. appl. opened political discussion there by twitting the Republicans upon what he characterized as their apparent inability to act upon the "really courageous" message of President Coolidge.

Coolidge is Anxious.
"The president, with burning words, urged speedy legislation on railroad rates," he said. "And yet you cannot even agree upon the chairman of the committee which must handle that legislation."

Urging prompt attention on Muscle Shoals, Senator Harrison said this subject had not yet been mentioned in the senate, but added that "we may hope for something after yesterday's revelations."

Too Much Politics.
In the house, Representative Howard, Democrat, Nebraska, urged Republican insurgents to form an alliance with Democratic "progressives," for the purpose of liberalizing house rules and of supporting progressive legislation.

On the other hand, Representative Longworth of Ohio, the Republican leader, pleaded with Democrats and Republicans alike to "play politics" as little as possible so that the house might function efficiently.

Congratulating the house that it was organized and functioning, Mr. Longworth contrasted this situation with that in the senate, where the deadlock over the chairmanship of the interstate commerce committee remains unbroken, and expressed the belief that from now on "the house will be the real theater for transacting into legislation the hopes and desires of the people."

Cantata To Be Given Sunday by M. E. Choir

The "World's Redeemer," a cantata, will be rendered by the choir of the Swedish Methodist Episcopal Church on Sunday evening at 7:45.

Those participating are as follows: Sopranos, Mrs. E. Turnquist, Mrs. O. Berglund, Ebba Berglund, Miami Nye, Ruth Carlsson, and Olive Gidland; Tenors, Mr. W. Flank, Mr. L. Turnquist, Mr. E. Turnquist, and Mr. Warner Gardner; Altos, Ina Wedell, Ruth Berglund, Dora Sodergren, Alma Nelson, and Eleanor Falk; Basses, Wesley Erickson, Lambert Peterson, Leslie Gauvin, Arne Nelson, Walter Hogman, Carl Wedell and Chester Erickson; Violinist, Mr. Edward Anderson; Pianist, Miss Evelyn Hall; Director, Mrs. Ivan Stromberg.

A great deal of time and effort have been expended to make a success of it, and it is expected that the cantata will be highly appreciated.

Andrews Victor in High Court Suit

The Michigan Supreme court yesterday announced a decision reversing a judgment, handed down in Delta county circuit court, in the case of the Kelly Lumber Company of Detroit vs. James R. Andrews of Escanaba. The trial court had awarded the Kelly company \$1,000. G. R. Empson of Gladstone and Stanley Matthews of Escanaba, were attorneys for Mr. Andrews.

London's famous Tower Bridge possesses a double set of hydraulic engines for raising and lowering the bantacles. This is to avoid the risk of a breakdown.

Washington At A Glance

(By The Associated Press.)
Congress recessed over the holidays.

The census bureau announced that cotton ginned to December 15 totalled 9,548,805 bales. A bill to create a \$50,000,000 fund to be loaned to farmers of the northwest was introduced by Representative Burnett, Republican of North Dakota.

An investigation of Governor General Wood's Philippine administration was demanded by Representative Frear, Republican, Wisconsin.

Representative Cramton, Republican, Michigan, introduced a bill to create a separate prohibition bureau under supervision of the treasury.

The shipping board submitted to the senate a list of attorneys employed and their compensation, in response to a resolution requesting the information.

Senator Simmons of North Carolina, ranking Democrat on the senate finance committee, declared the Democrats favored a soldier's bonus.

Decision of the American Bar Association to travel to London next July on a British ship brought criticism on the senate floor and at the shipping board.

Edward P. Farley's nomination as chairman of the shipping board was ordered adversely reported by the senate commerce committee and President Coolidge withdrew nomination of other members.

The non-appearance of Jesse Livermore, Wall Street operator, as a witness caused another postponement of the senate investigation of leasing of naval oil reserves.

Secretary Hughes' disclosure of a soviet movement to overthrow the American government caused a debate in the senate during which the authenticity of the secretary's evidence was questioned.

Investigation by a house committee of the administration of the Alaska fish reserves assembly the bureau of fisheries was proposed in resolution introduced by delegate Underland of Alaska.

The War Finance Corporation in its annual report to congress declared that repayments received on advances reflected improvement in agriculture and banking conditions throughout the country.

Being famous has its drawbacks. Just when you are getting used to a husband it's time to change.

PAY DIRT HIT IN MORE RAIDS

Masonville Township Is Setting For Sheriff's Activities.

Further raiding activities by Sheriff Joe Carney and his deputies yesterday afternoon, maintained the official baiting average at 1,000 per cent when two raids were conducted and liquor found in both places.

Masonville township was selected as the setting for yesterday afternoon's party and between five and six o'clock, the sheriff's forces swooped down on the Charles Zinc soft drink parlor in Rapid River, where Norman Neveau was on duty behind the bar.

Officers claim Neveau dumped two glasses of liquor, but they were able to salvage about a half pint from the drain tank into which the fluid was dumped. Neveau also became obstreperous and it was necessary to bring him in and place him in jail, where he is charged with resisting an officer and attempting to destroy evidence.

The officers, acting under a search warrant made a thorough search of the place and found a number of bottles containing what is believed to be moonshine. This aggregated about one and one-half gallons.

Zinc and Neveau will both be arraigned before U. S. Commissioner McEwen today charged with sale and possession.

The next visit was made at the home of Mrs. Matt Majezeck, who lives at the foot of the Whitefish hill. Here they found one jug and two small bottles of liquor. Mrs. Majezeck's case is peculiar in that she was in a similar difficulty at the April term of circuit and at this time is under parole to Attorney William Miller of Rapid River. Mrs. Majezeck will be arraigned under the federal act, before Commissioner McEwen, charged with sale and possession.

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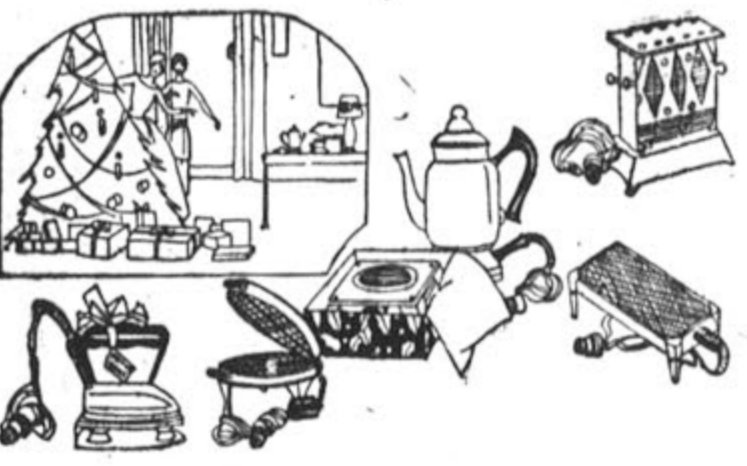
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 - Casseroles, nickel plated fill-gree base, with glazed earthen baking dish **\$1.48**
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- Toilet Water and Powder Natural—in satin lined gift boxes **\$2.98**
- Face Powder, Natural and Brunette, small size **.32c**
- Cold Cream and Vanishing Cream, large size jars **.75c**
- Skin Cream, large size jars **.98c**
- Talcum Powder, white only **.25c**
- Bath Salt, large size bottles **.98c**
- Rouge, orange tint and medium **.48c**
- Double Compact, medium and natural rouge **\$1.45**
- Lip Stick, dark, large size **.75c**
- Small size **.25c**
- Compact Sets, rouge and lip stick in satin lined boxes **\$2.45**
- Brilliantine, cream foam in glass jars **.50c**
- Bath Soap, large size bar **.48c**
- Complexion Soap **.32c**
- Double and Single Compact refills **.48c**

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- 1 lb. box Cambridge Chocolates **\$1.25**
- 1 lb. box Blue Package Chocolates **\$1.15**
- 1 lb. box Woodlawn Chocolates **\$1.48**
- 1 lb. box Popples Buttered Chocolates **\$1.48**
- 2 lb. box Blackstone Chocolates **\$3.00**
- 2 lb. box Boscraft Chocolates **\$2.75**
- 2 lb. box Top O' the Heap Chocolates **\$2.60**
- 2 lb. box Home Made Assorted Chocolates **\$2.50**
- 1 lb. box Home Made Assorted Chocolates **.80c**

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The Art of Gift Giving

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- Greystone, Deckle Edge, box **\$1.20**
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Beautiful Jap designs in red, rose, purple and copen blue.
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40 inches wide, wonderful quality, in black only.
- SILK FLAT CREPE, YD. **\$3.59**
40 inches wide, best quality, black only.
- CREPE SATIN, YARD **\$2.98**
40 inches wide, a wonderful value, black only.
- SKINNERS TAFFETA, YD. **\$2.49**
Yard wide and every yard guaranteed for two seasons wear.
- COTTON BACK SKINNERS SATIN, YARD **\$2.49**
36 inches wide, durable and good appearing.
- SKINNERS MESSALINES, YD. **\$2.49**
36 inches wide, a quality sold for \$2.75 the world over.
- SILK MOIRE, YARD **\$3.98**
- CHIFFON VELVET, AT \$5.95, \$5.15 **\$4.95**
36 inches wide, black only.
- COSTUME VELVET, YARD **\$2.98**
36 inches wide, for heavy garments.
- BROCADED CANTON, YD. **\$4.98**
40 inches wide, extra heavy quality, black.
- WIGGLY CREPE, YD. **\$3.59**
40 inches wide, the fabric for stout people, very soft and drapery, black.
- PUSSY WILLOW, YARD **\$3.45**
40 inches wide, black only, for stout people.
- GLOVE SILK JERSEY, YD. **\$2.98**
40 inches wide, black only.
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Three Days More to Xmas

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Come in today. If you can't shop during the day, call in the evening—as our store will be open every evening until Christmas—giving everybody a chance to shop around.

Don't Delay, assortment best—right now you are sure to find what you want here.

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Standard Bissel's world famous sweepers. Regular \$5.00 value.

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Brass, Steel and Wood beds—in any style or size you may wish. **\$7.50 to \$35.00**

Do Your Christmas Shopping Early



Davenport Suites

Overstuffed leather, velour and mohair—beautiful new styles—plain and fancy. **\$125.00 to \$315.00**

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Make wonderful gifts—We have a big line of them in all sizes and shapes. **\$35 to \$82**



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A big line in Walnut finish—including newest period designs. **\$110.00 to \$275.00**

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Chocolate Cream Drops, 1/2 lb. 10c	Jelly Beans, assorted flavors, per lb. 10c
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The Candy Gift Box of a nation—3 delicious pounds of highest quality Superfine Assorted Chocolates, 3 pound family box for 1.19

Monogram Assorted Chocolates coated with rich smoothly blended chocolate and packed in handsome flaming orange colored box, 1 lb. 59c

Morse's Chocolate Cherries, Juicy Cherries, in milk chocolate; very fine and very popular package, 1 lb. box 98c

Brach's Fancy Chocolate Cherries, coated with an extremely heavy coating of the smoothest, richest chocolate you ever tasted, 14 ounces 69c

Tender Fresh Marshmallows, choicest obtainable, 400 marshmallows to the box. You can get them here at box \$1.10

Candy Pop Corn Balls, no Christmas complete without a generous quantity of them. Come assorted with white and pink ribbon, 12 for 18c

Morse's Best Preferred Assorted Chocolates, 5 Pound Holly Box for **\$2.25**

Special Prices Christmas Nuts

Mixed Nuts—Fresh new stock, of as nice select Nuts as you ever saw, here per lb. 28c

Fresh Peanuts—Choicest fresh roasted—and evenly roasted, too—not the usual burned ones—1 lb. 19c

Drake Almonds—Extra choice soft shell Almonds, nice sweet meat, a real bargain at lb. 25c

Jumbo Walnuts—New fresh stock, large Jumbo, choicest eating, while 2,000 pounds last, per lb. 19c

Washed Brazils—Every child wants their "Nigger Toes" for Xmas. Here's a chance to get them, lb. 25c

Fancy Nut Meats

Walnut Meats, new imported Bordeaux, halves, per lb. 59c

Almonds, new Valencia Shelled Almonds, special per lb. 59c

Filberts, new, shelled, very fine and sweet, per lb. 49c

New Irish Mackerel, very choice fine flavor, special each 10c

New Holland Herring, just in from across, here per keg \$1.25

Note Prices on Fresh Fruits

New California Sunkist brand Navel Oranges, 250 size, per dozen 25c

New California Sunkist brand, Navel Oranges, 216 size, per dozen 39c

New California Sunkist brand, Navel Oranges, 150 size, per dozen 49c

New California Sunkist brand, Navel Oranges, 176 size, per dozen 45c

Grape Fruit, best Florida's, certified and labeled, 96 size, dozen 60c

Grape Fruit, best Florida's, certified and labeled, 80 size, 4 for 25c

Grape Fruit, best Florida's, certified and labeled, 64 size, each 10c 3 for 25c

PICNIC HAMS—Extra fine Sugar Cured Lean Hams, Today, Per Pound **10c**

REGULAR HAMS—Choicest Obtainable Fancy Sugar Cured Regular Hams, per lb. **20c**

Sugar, Ten lbs. **95c**



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The Piffle Hook

TWO CHRISTMAS packages already have reached our desk. One was a hand-colored picture of a saxophone from Bingo Bean; the other a pair of carrots from an anonymous source. We shall reserve comment for the asbestos edition.

SIR—Chugging along the Ford River Road near the Escanaba Ford plant, I was astonished by the approach of a portly pedestrian who carried an auto robe and cushion on his shoulder. "What's the big idea?" I asked him. "Took my girl out joy-riding last night," he replied, "and some smart guy stole the car."
 —H. H. S.

This Summer Weather Is Not Without Its Hazards.

THE OTHER quarterly dividend on the opposite side of the table is utterly opposed to Bingo Bean's suggested picnic. "Let's wait," he urges, "until July or August when we can count on cooler weather."

AFTER AN exhaustive study of the subject, we are now prepared to announce, definitely, that civil service is something energetically advocated by the minority political party.

SIR—Back in 1831 when Walter Camp first began his All-America football hallucinations, I asked him why he did not give some consideration to Western players. Walter was greatly surprised. "Why," said he, "if you'll read my dope you'll find that I have given the West great deal of consideration. I selected two Westerners, a quarterback from Penn State and a tackle from Cornell."
 —IRA CALL

Yale's Geography Books Show Ohio Bounded on the West by the Hawaiians.

NEW YORK hearse drivers are on strike, so if you take a chance on a bottle of Christmas poison, you'd better arrange for parking space in a morgue in some other state.

"Michigan Man Held for Recklessness," says a headline. The charge against him, probably, was that he bought a new snow shovel.

BOOTLEGGERS in Pittsburgh saved a customer's life last week. He sold him kerosene labeled "Gordon Gin."

SIR—I hope you won't permit The Dresden Doll to go any further in her unscrupulous campaign of deception against the heart of poor, lovesick Pled Piper. She poses for a hosiery ad? Huh! I can show you in the cologne where she admits she has brown eyes! The cat!

Oh Dear, When We Finally Succeeded in Palming a Romance, Somebody Has to Ruin It.

FAMILIAR QUOTATIONS
 "But pa, how can a big fat man like Santa Claus get in through such a little chimney?"
 —C. S. T.

IT'S A GAMBLE
 When you allow yourself only ten minutes in which to mail an arm-load of Christmas packages.
 —JAYK

BITTER HALVES
 Husbands are persons who never remember to mail one's letters.
 —LIL.

POPULAR FICTION
 "I sincerely wish you a merry Christmas."
 —G. A. B.

The calendar has one small consolation for us.
 Only three more last lines before Christmas.
 —H. K. R.

ty will recall "The Love Nest" as an old song. Acquiesce.

Do not display your memory with that one "For You a Rose." That was in the sentimental period of the popular song. If you do the party will make mental reservations of your age. Keep your eyes open when they begin to draw you out by asking what was the first jazz song. As soon as you mention one a young woman in the party will exclaim that she does not remember a time when there was no jazz.

Do not let the voice of the alien lure you. Steer the singing to the enduring melodies of all time such as "Flow Gently, Sweet Afton" and "My Old Kentucky Home." For the person past 30 who is just beginning to be sensitive about his age the only sure path of wisdom lies in learning the new songs. Sing early and late of the widespread scarcity of bananas and let who will be historical.

TODAY'S EVENTS.
 Today is the last day of Autumn.

It is also St. Thomas' Day, in olden times the beginning of the Christmas holidays.
 New Englanders observe this as Forefathers' Day, the anniversary of the landing of the Pilgrims.
 Greetings to Charles P. Taft, Cincinnati newspaper publisher and brother of Chief Justice Taft, on the occasion of his 80th birthday.

BRINGING UP FATHER



By George McManus

SALESMAN SAM



Real Friendship



5 AND 10¢ STORE



By Swan

DOINGS OF THE DUFFS



Danny Was on the Lookout



By Allman

FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS



Believers



By Blosser

"THE REVELATIONS OF A PAID COMPANION"

BY JANE PHELPS.

MR. ELLWOOD SEES JIM BOND
 Chapter XXXVIII.
 My talk with Mrs. Ellwood did me good. I tried to surround myself with some of the ease that always enshined her, and to think only of all the good that had come into my life. So much more than had seemed possible that night when in the Hollywood Bowl I picked up the newspaper containing Mrs. Ellwood's advertisement.
 How very much I owed her. Never could I repay her in any way save by my devotion. That I could give her, a whole-souled, unselfish attention, and as far as I could, that she should have. I silently breathed a prayer that God would help me never to let anything interfere with my vow.
 Twenty-four hours passed and I ceased thinking about any further danger from Jim Bond, although I could not dismiss him, the feeling that he had made Barton Ellwood, and perhaps Guy, think there was, or had been, more between us than I admitted.
 I heard Mr. Ellwood come in, then almost immediately the bell rang. A maid rapped on my door, told me there was a gentleman in the reception room waiting to see me.
 I had schooled myself never to question the servants, but asked: "Did Mr. Ellwood—let him in?"
 "I think so, Miss Hall, he came in just ahead of him."
 "I'll be down immediately," I told her. I must have a moment alone in which to compose myself. I was trembling, afraid. I dared not keep him waiting

excused and I'll hear what you have to say to me. Go, Rita." Then, as I hesitated: "Go at once, I'll attend to Mr. Bond."
 I left them. But so frightened, so embarrassed I could scarcely reach my room. What would Bond tell Mr. Ellwood, and would he believe his story? Would I lose my position, the place I had striven so hard to keep?
 I listened, every nerve quivering. Fifteen minutes passed when I heard voices in the hall. I crept to the top of the stairs.
 "Now remember, Bond," I never had heard Mr. Ellwood's voice so stern.
 "I shall keep my word. Unless you leave the vicinity at once, if you ever approach Miss Hall again I shall send for an officer, have you arrested. Miss Hall is one of my family now, not a poor friendless girl whom you can browbeat. Now go!"
 I wept unhappy tears. Mr. Ellwood had told him. Love and gratitude for the man who always had treated me so kindly swept over me. I ran down the stairs and intercepted him.
 "I heard—I listened—I stammered."
 "I couldn't help it. And I can't tell you how grateful I am. He has frightened me so, and nothing he says is true."
 "I know that, Rita, and he will annoy you no more."
 Mr. Ellwood laid his hand on my shoulder in a comforting way. "Never think of him again. I shan't."
 Again I asked God to help me keep my vow of devotion, this time including Mr. Ellwood.
 Tomorrow—Mrs. Ellwood Confides in Rita.
 The Rt. Rev. John J. Nilan, Catholic bishop of Hartford, today celebrates his 45th anniversary in the priesthood.

THE OLD HOME TOWN

By Stanley



BACK THE PLAN.

Escanaba is join the growing list of cities in the Great Lakes district in a vigorous campaign against goiter. Plans for placing in immediate effect an iodine treatment, approved by eminent international authorities as well as by local physicians. In the schools of the city, were fully explained at a mass meeting at the high school on Wednesday night. The interest displayed by that audience in the subject and the equally deep interest that cannot be shown by all parents of the city who were not present, marks the movement as one of the most important ever inaugurated in this city. The plan proposed is not an experiment. The use of iodine in the manner planned for Escanaba has already accomplished amazing beneficial results in every city in which it has been tried. It can have no harmful results and is bound to accomplish an inestimable good as a good health movement.

As viewed by eminent authorities who have given years of study to the matter, it, in fact, would be little less than criminal did not the city of Escanaba take the steps now planned to check a disease so prevalent in this territory and which can be successfully combated by so simple a treatment.

Before the plan is to be placed in effect and treatment administered weekly to pupils in the schools of the city, the written consent of every parent in Escanaba must be obtained. The parents of Escanaba owe it to their children to act promptly when this request is made, that valuable time may not be lost in placing the plan in actual operation.

KNOWLEDGE OF OLD SONGS HELD REVELATION OF AGE.

One of the surest methods of revealing your age when you wish to conceal it is to recall past popular melodies. Beware of the popular song if you are sensitive about your age. As a historical record of periods in recent American history nothing can compare with the songs of the hour. You may hide your birthday spoon, you may hush your sister's too revealing reminiscences, but temptation will whisper in your ear when someone begins to recall "In the Good Old Summer-time." The time will come when the banana famine just now rampant in the song world will reveal just as certainly the age of these fair flappers who today are singing at work and play, at dawn and twilight.

Contemporaneous memory will cheat them of the woman's heritage of prolonged youth just as "Sweet Adeline" has spoiled many woman's plans. You sit around after dinner in a party of friends. Some one tells how his father used to sing "My Darling Mollie Gray." He pictures poor Nellie on her way to Georgia, "these to wear her life away." You note he has left out the part you always liked so well—that about her floating down the river in a little red canoe. Beware. You will want to contribute. Keep your wits about you. In a moment someone will recall "Hello Central, Give Me Heaven," which came in the rear guard of the popular use of the telephone.

And then the painful story of the girl who was only a bird in a gilded cage. That pitiful figure and the "restless throng" comes up vividly, and you remember how it hurt you to think of the poor thing, with all her jewels and her belted, yet in a cage, and how you resolved as a girl to forego the pleasures of this unhappy world. You will want to say this. But remember! This will only lead you on to that one about, "Tessie, you make me feel so badly, why don't you turn around?"
 Songs that you sang just at the time you entertained your first beau are the most revealing, for the popular songs of the prior piano are as surely a historical record as the hieroglyphics of Egypt. They pass even as the epochs of the cave man passed. The younger members of the par-

YULE TREE IS ERECTED AND LIGHTS ADDED

Community Christmas Program Will Be Sunday Night.

Manistique's community Christmas tree was brought to the city Wednesday, and was erected in the triangle park in front of the Park Hotel, where it was made ready for the addition of decorations and lights. The committee in charge of the tree arrangements had planned to experiment with the transplanting of an evergreen, so as to make a permanent Christmas tree, but later decided that such an operation would entail much expense, and was not certain of success, so they abandoned the idea.

The tree as it has been erected stands about 25 feet in height, and has a very symmetrical growth. Light bulbs of green, blue, white and green have been added, and will be lighted every evening after they are installed on the tree.

Band music, leading the singing of Christmas songs, will be a feature of the community tree program, which is to be held on Sunday evening, December 23.

Enjoyable Party Wednesday Night

The new recreation rooms in the Methodist church basement were the scene of an enjoyable party Wednesday evening, when the members of the choir were entertained at a social session, following the regular choir practice.

The party was given by Mrs. C. E. Kaye, choir director, and she was assisted as hostess by Mrs. D. Ward and Mrs. H. Cockran, who prepared the lunch which was served after the choir practice.

You'll make no mistake if you go to the Grapheos' Sweet Shop to get your Christmas candies. He has the biggest line in the city to choose from, both home-made and box candies.

Rufus Thornton, local Western Union operator, left Wednesday night to spend his Christmas vacation at Chicago, where he will join his wife.

LOCALS PLAY OPENING HOME GAME TONIGHT

Faculty Seeks Revenge in Preliminary Battle

One of the largest basketball crowds of the season is expected at the Manistique high school gymnasium tonight, when the local high school squad will clash with Munising for their first home game.

Munising, it will be recalled, held the U. P. championship last year, and are said to have an equally strong team this year. In spite of that, the locals figure that what it takes to win they have, and will give the Alger county boys a hot battle.

The line-up which will probably start for Manistique high tonight is: Chudacoff, f; Orr, l. f.; Highland, center; Gonyea, l. f.; Besner, g.

The preliminary is one that may prove as big a drawing card as the final. In this tilt, the Faculty team will attempt to get revenge from the Legion steers for a 30 to 19 defeat administered two weeks ago. The faculty squad includes practically every man on the high school force, while the Legion team includes some former high school basketball stars.

The festivities begin at 7:30, and a dance will follow the final game, music to be furnished by the popular high school orchestra, under the direction of Russell Wilson.

NEW MACHINERY WILL BE READY IN THIRTY DAYS

New machinery at the Blaney quarry of the White Marble Lime company is expected to be ready for operation in about 30 days, according to officials of the company.

With oil burning motors, complete generating system, and other modern lime making machinery, the plant now has the best equipment possible, and will be the main lime producing plant of the local concern.

The stone available at the Blaney quarry has been found to have a higher percentage of lime, and the product can be manufactured at that plant more economically than at the Manistique plant, where operations have been curtailed to some extent recently.

Taxpayers can't get a reduction because the tax-exempts have it.

ANGUS THOUGHT 'T WAS SPRING; SO DID WORMS

This Banana-belt Yarn Is a True Story, Too.

At least one Manistique man was momentarily fooled into believing it was spring by the warm weather 'which was prevalent here on Thursday.

This man was Angus McLeod, local truant officer, and veteran fisherman, and here's how he fooled himself, according to the report current here yesterday: Mr. McLeod was aroused from a deep and peaceful slumber early Thursday morning by the patter of rain. Instantly, and naturally, for he is an inveterate fisherman, his half-awakened thoughts turned to fishing. It seemed to him that he must have planned a fishing trip for that day. He looked at his Big Ben, "Gracious," he mused, "must have overslept; but I probably can make it to the 'Little Fox,' if I hurry."

So, the report goes, he hurried and dressed, armed himself with his rubber boots, and started to select his arsenal of fishing tackle. It was not until then, the story says, that he became fully awake, and realized his mistake: that it was now December, and that fishing trips were regarded as "passees."

This story of Mr. McLeod's first fishing trip was furnished by one of the fisherman's closest friends, who vouches for the veracity of the story, though Mr. McLeod stoutly denies that he got his fishing tackle out. He added, however, that he wouldn't be sorry if it was fishing time.

But Angus was not the only one that was fooled by the sprinkling weather. They say that the bugs and the worms and the birds and things can tell intuitively when spring is here, but here's an occasion where the weather even fooled the worms into thinking that December was April. Following the rain yesterday morning, Manistique pedestrians noticed hundreds of angworms on the sidewalk along Walnut street near the Elks' Temple. The worms had felt the warm rain, and come up out of the ground, thinking that spring was here. If you don't believe this, ask E. Jewell.

65 SCRUB BULLS IN THE COUNTY; 14 PURE BREDS

Schoolcraft county farmers own 65 scrub bulls and 14 pure breds, according to data on a map prepared by County Agent Shane for the dairy sire campaign, which has for its object the weeding out of every scrub sire in the county during 1924.

The score by townships is as follows:

Township	Scrubs	P. Bs.
Inwood	20	2
Thompson	10	0
Hiawatha	2	3
Manistique	8	4
Doyle	17	2
Mueller	1	1
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Germfask	7	2
Total	65	14

No accurate figures were available for Seney township, on account of the fact that dairying is carried on there only to a very small extent. The above figures are not claimed to be exact, but are near enough so that they give a correct indication of the percentage of pure breds and scrubs, showing the extent of the work which will have to be accomplished in the weeding out process.

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Aaron Orr Dies At Muskegon Heights

Aaron Orr, brother of Albert Erastus, Walter and Fred Orr of this city, died at the home of Clayton Allen at Muskegon Heights on Thursday morning after an illness of about ten days. The body will be brought to the home of his brother, Walter, and interment will take place probably on Saturday. Definite announcement will be made later.

Mr. Orr was a resident of Manistique for many years, but for the past three years has lived in Muskegon.

The soldiers can't get their bonus because the profiteers have it.

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Apply 552 Manistique avenue, or phone 270-S. 5048-355-61.

FOR SALE—Household goods, including modern electric stove. All in the best of condition. Mrs. S. Oser, Manistique. 5041-354-41.

HOUSE for sale or rent. Very reasonable terms. Mrs. S. Oser, Manistique. 5039-352-41.

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Manistique, Michigan
Hours: 9 to 12, 1:30 to 5

LEGION READY TO ANNOUNCE ESSAY WINNER

Parochial School Wins One of Main Prizes

Judges in the Manistique American Legion's essay contest reported this week that their work had been completed, and that the winning essays on "American Ideals" had been selected, the winners to be announced as soon as their names were ascertained.

Entries in this students' essay contest were received from every school in the city, also from Cooks and Whitdale. According to the rules of the contest, none of the essays carried the name of the writer, and they are known to the judges only by number. In order to name the winner, those in charge of the contest will confer with the teachers who have kept a list of the essay writers in their classes, as corresponding to the numbers.

Legion officials were not entirely satisfied with the essays as a whole, and reported that many of them show a lack of originality, and that some show evidence that the material in them has been copied. However, the contest aroused a wide interest among school students, and the winning themes are said to be very creditable conceptions of the subject, American Ideals.

Arrangements will be made for a short presentation service in the Legion meeting rooms here at which time the two cups and medal will be given to the three essays scored the highest by the judges. Several others will receive honorable mention, and the winning compositions will be published after they have been edited.

CITY BRIEFS

Wm. Wilson has arrived from Ann Arbor for a holiday visit at his home on Cedar street.

Mrs. Herbert Cutler underwent an operation at the Rutledge hospital this week.

Get that delicious Butterkist popcorn for the holidays at the "Big G."

Miss Edith Dredahl arrived in Manistique Wednesday night from Marquette, where she is attending Normal school, and will spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Dredahl, Arbustus avenue.

How are you fixed for winter footwear? You can save money if you buy now at Sib's Shoe Store. Christmas Cooperative sale now on.

To date, the leaders in the doll contest being conducted by the Putnam Drug Store in Manistique are: Nan Gayar, Dorothy Tucker, Beatrice Olson, Thelma Bauers.

Maybe you'll be wanting a home picture taken of the family group when they're all home for the holidays. If so, call Braut, the photographer.

Miss Zada Fitzgerald is expected home today from Detroit, where she is a teacher in the public schools. She will spend the holiday vacation at her home in this city.

Russell Wilson left yesterday for Traverse City, where he will spend the Christmas vacation with his parents.

Shoe bargains that you'll appreciate at Sib's Shoe Store during the Christmas Co-operative sale. Mr. and Mrs. Walter Scott of Blaney arrived yesterday for a week-end visit in Manistique. Mr. and Mrs. Adolph LaBeau have returned from a visit to Iron River.

Error In Mention Of Fund Donation

An error was made yesterday in the published report of donations to the Manistique Christmas Cheer fund. An item of \$25 credited to the St. Francis Society was really given to the fund by the Catholic Ladies' Aid of St. Francis church, and a corrected report of the donations credits them with this amount.

More than 70 have now been received to the cheer fund, with all subscription voluntary, and none of them solicited.

Fine Program At High School

An unusually interesting assembly program has been prepared for presentation at the high school auditorium this afternoon, preceding as it does the first home basketball game and the holiday vacation.

Musical numbers, singing by the glee clubs, speaking, and "pop" singing by the student body are included in the outline of the program today.

It is expected that a large number of parents and friends will attend.

A THOUGHT

Let not your heart be troubled; ye believe in God, believe also in me. I will not leave you comfortless; I will come to you. John 15: 1-8.

Comfort, like the golden sun, dispels the sullen shade with her sweet influence. And cheers the melancholy house of care. —Howe

LETTER TELLS ABOUT FRANCE INTERESTINGLY

Rev. John Kinkead Writes to John Mattson Here.

The following Christmas letter, describing France today, received by John Mattson from the Rev. George Kinkead of Christ Church, New York, formerly second lieutenant and chaplain of the Twenty-seventh Engineers, will be of interest to Gladstone service men and especially those who were members of the Twenty-seventh, including Louis Daley, George Nebel and Mr. Mattson of Gladstone and Clarence Needham of Escanaba:

"To the Officers and Men of the Twenty-seventh Engineers: Dear Sirs:

This year in writing you a Christmas letter I can tell you something that I know will be of interest to you all. Last summer I went to France to wander over the ground where our regiment operated. My plan was to motor with Lieutenant Edmondson, who had his car with him, but we unfortunately failed to meet and I went around alone.

"The first refreshing reminder of the good old days occurred within an hour after I landed at Cherbourg. It rained in sunny France. I know I am inviting doubt on all the rest of my statements by saying this, but it is really true. I could go further still and say it rained practically every day I was there, sleeting and snowing in Verdun (all the last half of June).

"Fires were as scarce (that is, they didn't exist) as they were the winter we were there and all in all I don't think I was much more uncomfortable in 1917-1918 than this June. I took the train from Paris to Chalons sur Marne, staying over night and dreaming of those charming little villages of LeChateau and Givry not many miles away. The next day I went by train to Verdun, passing through Les Leettes, Clermont and Dombasle. In every town men were working like ants to rebuild the ruins or replace them with new buildings.

"Verdun had had less work done than any other place—a new roof on the Cathedral and a new house here and there, and several fine hotels. The battle field of Verdun was almost the only second that showed no return to the days of peace, where shell holes still remained and all the debris of war. Everywhere else fields were levelled, trees replanted, war huts pulled down or used for peaceful purposes.

"I got a car at Verdun and drove along the Voie Sacree, Verdun holy road, running from Verdun to Bar Le Duc, every kilometre marked by a low stone pedestal with a bronze French helmet upon it, through Dombasle, nearly restored, on to Clermont. Clermont was quite amazing. Our old headquarters was again the Mairie, a fine new hotel not many doors away, spic and span new buildings, homes and stores on every side.

"Then on to Neuvilly—all restored—and Bourville. This village, as you remember, was completely wrecked and is being rebuilt a bit further on—no trace of our bridge over the crater, nor any sign of the crater itself. At Varennes they were busy as bees, even the ruined church was partially restored. The dugouts were still in use against the hillsides. The one house that used to stand in good repair at the end of the bridge fell down and is being rebuilt.

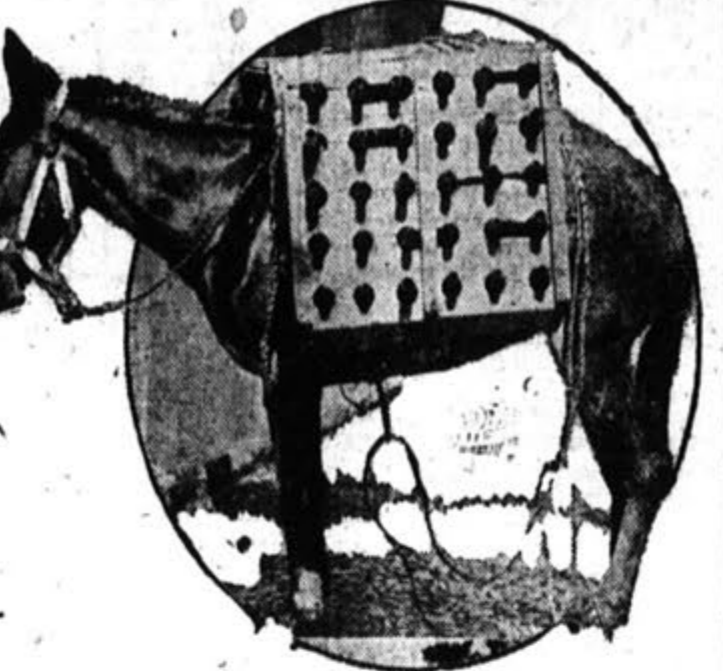
"Montblainville is rising again and to my amazement Apermont is beginning to thrive. Our famous bridge there is replaced by a fine stone one. Bahnhof Klein Zwickau, which sheltered A Company was all gone and a wheat field vored our camp. Only a cement abut remained along the railroad, the very abut that sheltered a more or less quaking group of A men and a chaplain one night during an air raid. The bridge at Chatel Chenevry stands firm still. Marce is quite lively now and Chenevry, which I watched being shelled into oblivion, is a nice new village. At Grandpre two of our bridges have been replaced by stone ones and they were just beginning the third one. At a little inn at Grandpre I had as fine a lunch as I could get in New York. Vin blanc helped to wash it down. Then around via St. Juvin—less restored than most—its fortified church still untouched in its ruins. Across the river there is little trace of the famous dump, only a section of headquarters. All the other German buildings are gone.

Remains Standing.

"Montfaucon remains untouched, the Kronprinz Observatory being the only building standing. Its famous periscope has been sent to West Point. France keeps the ruins of Montfaucon as a memorial and the new village will be built at some little distance down the valley.

"Then to Romagne, our greatest American cemetery with its fourteen thousand graves. I was very much disappointed at its present condition. The soldiers on duty told me that its unkempt appearance, flower beds with no

RIGHT TO YOUR DOOR



This is the way they deliver beer in La Paz, Bolivia. And in fact everything else, too. Streets are too hilly for trucks to negotiate. So all goods are carried on the backs of burros or pack mules.

PROGRAMS TO BE HELD TODAY IN ALL SCHOOLS

Parents Invited to Attend Christmas Entertainments.

Marking the close of the schools for the holiday vacation, Christmas programs will be held this afternoon in practically all grades of the parochial and public schools.

In the ward buildings and in All Saints' Catholic school each grade will have its own program, in observance of the spirit of Christmas, the Sisters of St. Joseph and the instructors directing their pupils in each program. Many of the rooms will also have Christmas trees and the custom of giving gifts as remembrances will be observed.

Two programs will be given at the Gladstone high school, both beginning at 2:30 o'clock. One will be given by the Junior high school in the Junior high school auditorium and the other by the Senior high school in the Senior high school auditorium in the Central building.

The program to be given by the Junior classes under the direction of Miss Ethel Hanson, Mrs. Victor Mallongree and Miss Anna Nebel, is as follows:

Gift Giving.
There is Joy in the World Today—Song.
The Christmas Sign—Playlet.
Wreaths Drill.
The Bethlehem Babe—Song.
The Show Man.
Reading.
O, Holy Night—Song.
Character Dance.
Dickens' Christmas Carol—dramatization.
Monologue.
Carols.

The senior high school program is said by those in charge to be filled with interest and to present the most talented members of the Senior high school, also the numbers of it will be kept a secret until tomorrow afternoon. The names of those to take part are also being kept a secret, the following characters being announced: Australia Wiggs, Jimmy Johnson, Belinda Kelly, Amanda Rugg, Elmer Brown, Abbie Snuffles, Mehitabe Short, Hulga Kelly and Oswald Degunderville.

Following the entertainments, a Christmas tree program with gifts will be held and baskets will be prepared and delivered to the Child's Welfare club headquarters for distribution. Parents and friends of the high school students, all patrons of the school and all interested, are cordially invited to attend these programs or the programs to be given in the grade rooms.

ST. IGNACE GIRL, BRIDE OF CARL OLSON

Among the pretty holiday weddings was that performed Thursday evening when Miss Marie St. Onge, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John St. Onge of St. Ignace, became the bride of Carl Olson of this city.

The ceremony was performed at 7:30 o'clock in the parsonage of All Saints' Catholic church, the Rev. Father Sebastian Maier, pastor of the church officiating. The attendants were Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Olson.

Following the ceremony the members of the wedding party went to the Olson home where a wedding supper was served, followed by a reception.

Mr. and Mrs. Olson will postpone their wedding trip to a later date and immediately take up their residence in Gladstone.

The bride has visited in Gladstone a number of times as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. John Bourasaw and is well known here. Mr. Olson, who is a barber at the Olson-Becker barber shop, also has many friends and the young people have the sincere wishes of all who know them for continued happiness.

Miss Cecelia Devet, a student at the Northern state normal at Marquette has returned to her home at Kipling for the holidays.

Start Brick Work On New Garage

Foundation work on the new Ford garage which is being erected by H. J. Norton on Ninth street at the location of the building destroyed by fire, has been completed and a big crew of men has started on the brick work. Construction of the building is going ahead at a rapid rate. Mr. Norton said yesterday, and if present weather conditions continue it may be possible to finish the new garage sooner than was first thought.

To Accomodate Christmas Shoppers!

THE BUCKEYE STORE

Will be open each week day evening until Christmas

CONDUCTORS AND AUXILIARY WILL INSTALL

High Officers Here For Ceremony; Turkey Banquet.

One of the biggest fraternal meetings to be held in Gladstone in some time will be that of Sunday when officers of the Order of Railway Conductors, Gladstone Division, 340 and the Ladies' Auxiliary to the Order of Railway Conductors will hold a joint installation of officers.

The installation will be in charge of high officers of the lodge, G. P. Barton, general chairman of the Order of Railway Conductors coming from Minneapolis to act as installing officer for the order and Mrs. Alice McCarthy of Stevens Point, Wis., district grand officer, coming to take charge of the Auxiliary installation.

In addition to these officers a large number of out-of-town members of the organization will be here to attend.

The meeting at which the joint installation will be held will begin at 2:30 o'clock at the Eagles' hall. Following the ceremonies, from 5 to 7 o'clock an elaborate turkey banquet will be served. Music during the banquet and for the after-dinner program will be furnished by a Gladstone orchestra.

Preparations under way will provide a most elaborate program in honor of the new officers the visiting officials and other guests and the affair will be one of the biggest meetings of its kind ever held in Gladstone.

The following are the officers to be installed:

Order of Railway Conductors.
J. A. McDill, chief conductor.
George Rawson, assistant conductor.
J. C. Tittsworth, secretary and treasurer.
V. E. Tillman, senior conductor.
H. T. White, junior conductor.
F. L. Trayer, secretary of accident and insurance department and of independent association.
Edward Boyle, inner line.
William Galbraith, outer line.
Fred Hoover, legislative representative.
J. C. Tittsworth, alternate legislative representative.
J. C. Tittsworth, Clifton Cor.
J. A. Mackie, William Masterson and S. L. Trayer, trustees.
Fred Hoover, J. A. McDill and J. A. Mackie, membership committee.

Auxiliary.
Mrs. F. L. Trayer, president.
Mrs. V. E. Tillman, vice president.
Mrs. J. C. Tittsworth, secretary and treasurer.
Mrs. William Masterson, senior sister.
Mrs. J. A. Mackie, junior sister.
Mrs. Fred Hoover, chairman of executive committee.
Mrs. Jerry Neville, first member of executive committee.
Mrs. H. H. Albin, second member of executive committee.
Mrs. Joseph LaFramboise, guard.
Mrs. George Rawson, correspondent.
Mrs. Hector McAuley, insurance secretary.
Mrs. J. C. Tittsworth, musician.

SCHOOLS TO CLOSE TODAY FOR VACATION

Public and parochial schools of the city at the end of today's classes, will suspend activities, closing for the annual holiday vacation.

The regular vacation will be two weeks long this year, neither All Saints' school or the public schools, including the ward buildings and the high school, reopening until January 3, the Thursday following New Year's day.

A large number of the teachers are planning to leave for their homes for the vacation taking advantage of the two weeks' closing for real holiday visit.

Miss Avis Johnson will leave Christmas night for a holiday vacation visit with relatives and friends at Kenosha and Chicago.

NOTICE

My wife having left me, I will not be responsible for any bills contracted by her in my name. Signed, Adolph Wikstrom 7839-352-61

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Boys' Heavy Wool Sox 50c	Men's Heavy Shirts, Each \$1.00
Girls' \$10 Hi-Top Shoes, 14 inch tops \$4.85	Men's Heavy Wool Sox, \$1.25 val. 50c
Men's Heavy Sweaters at \$1.25	Ladies' Morning Slippers, all colors 98c
Men's and Young Men's \$35 Suits, cut this week to \$18.00	Army Leather Vests Each \$3.75
	Men's Heavy Union Suits \$1.25
	Men's Wool Mixed Union Suits \$1.98

FINE LINE OF LADIES' DRESSES AND COATS, CUT TO HALF PRICE

Fox's Bargain Store

LOCALS PLAY STEPHENSON HERE TONIGHT

Game Will Be Called Promptly at Seven O'clock.

Stephenson's band of big fellows will arrive here today ready to meet the Gladstone quintet this evening at 7 o'clock on the floor of the Junior high school gymnasium.

Tonight's game will be the first home game of the season and with a good hard fought tilt in sight is certain to attract a big crowd of fans, particularly those who were unable to make the trip to Munsing for the first game of the year and are eagerly awaiting an opportunity to see the basketball in action again.

No certain dope on just what Stephenson is bringing for the contest tonight is on hand outside of the fact that it is coming with a team that has been practicing basketball, to the exclusion of all other athletics, since the opening of the term in September.

The regulars have been having stiff workouts through the week, however, and Coach Gordon has picked a line to open his game that should show some real strength.

Tonight's game, according to predictions will be no one-sided affair. Both teams are primed for a battle and a good game will be the result.

Attention is again called to the time of the opening of the game, 7 o'clock; to give the players an early start on their trip home.

Juniors Play Basketball

First games of the Junior basketball teams recently organized under the direction of Principal C. C. Strickland, played Wednesday night in the gymnasium, resulted as follows: Pirates 7, Fighting Five 1. Mohawks 9, Eagles 2, Gorke Anse, 7, Cubs 0.

Henry Barbeau of Escanaba parted with \$56.50 of what might have been good Christmas money, when he was found guilty in justice court yesterday morning of driving while intoxicated. He was arrested Thursday night by Officer Jerry LeClair.

Miss Margaret LaPine, who is a student at the Northern state normal at Marquette, is spending the holidays at her home here.

CITY SECURES THREE NEW ALARM BOXES

Installation of three new fire boxes in the city, to further the campaign of the city administration to cut down fire losses, and at the same time give better protection to persons living in various parts of the city, will be made in the near future under the direction of a committee appointed to take charge of the work.

The new boxes are Number 13, Number 33 and Number 44. Box 33 will be placed at the corner of Dakota avenue and Eleventh street.

Number 29, which is now at that corner, Dakota and Eleventh, will be moved to the Buckeye addition and placed at the corner of North Seventh and North Court streets.

Box 44 will be placed on the Brampton road close to the Buckeye school.

Box 13 will be placed at Minneapolis and Fifth streets.

Wires have been strung and the work of installing the new fire boxes will be completed within a short time.

The installation of three extra alarm boxes will mean a considerable addition to the city equipment and will furnish additional fire protection where it is needed.

PRACTICE FOR CAROLS TURNED INTO PARTY

Girls Scouts of Rainbow and Star troops were given a surprise last evening when they arrived at All Saints' parish hall for joint practice of Christmas carols and found that the troops leaders had arranged a party for them.

The early part of the evening was devoted to the practicing of the carols, as had been planned, while later games were played and refreshments served.

In addition to Scouts, their leaders and commissioner, Mrs. J. P. Bushong, a number of the sponsors were present.

Send Out Pink and Blue Slips

Blue slips, indication of excellent work, and pink slips, which denote failure in studies, are being sent out this week from the high school principal's office as a report to parents on the work of the first half of the second term.

PERSONALS

Miss Lulu Mahoney, who teaches at Iron Mountain, will be here today as the guest of friends, while on her way to her home where she will spend the Christmas vacation.

Miss Ethel Bennett will leave tonight for Aberdeen, S. D., to spend the holidays at her home.

George Olson has arrived from Lansing for a Christmas vacation visit at his home here.

Mrs. James Kennedy of Rapid River is the owner of a light six Studebaker, recently purchased.

J. P. Parmentier, district manager of the Western Union, was a visitor at the Gladstone office this week.

Miss Eva Blake, who has been attending the Marinello school at Chicago will arrive here tonight to spend the holidays at her home.

Mrs. Fred Kampeff of Ishpeming is visiting relatives here.

Miss Dorothy Knight and her brother, Roy Manning, have left for Chicago where they will visit friends.

Miss Agnes Olson, who teaches at Marensico, will arrive here tonight to spend the holidays with her parents.

Loyce LaFaver will leave tomorrow for Detroit where he will visit friends.

Miss Elviera Lindblad and Miss Adeline Larson, nurses at the Swedish Covenant hospital, Chicago, will arrive here Sunday to spend the holidays with relatives and friends.

Clement Foye, student at St. Lawrence college, Mount Calvary, Wis., will arrive here tonight to spend the holidays with his parents.

The Rev. Fred Olson, who has been the guest here of his brother, John, has returned to his home in Wisconsin Rapids, Wis.

Melvin Westberg of Kalamazoo is visiting here at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Claus Swenson.

Mrs. Virgil Hoy, who has been visiting at Sturgeon Bay, has returned to her home here.

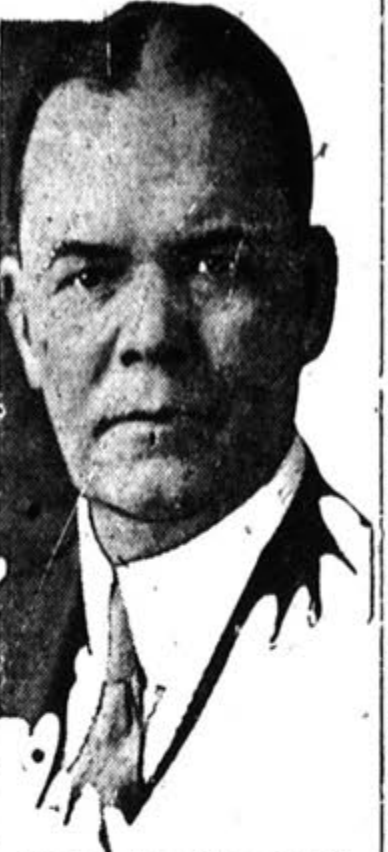
Place Windows in Community House

Construction progress on the Cooperage community building is going ahead with rapidity, each day seeing the big building neared to its completion. The roof has been completed and the chimney work, as well as the installation of windows in all but the lower front offices which will have plate glass fronts.

Charles P. Taft, eminent Cincinnati newspaper publisher, born in Cincinnati, 80 years ago today.

Walter Hagen, one of the foremost among American golf experts, born in Rochester, N. Y., 31 years ago today.

CITY MANAGER



Directing the affairs of a \$40,000,000 corporation is a mighty big job. But William R. Hopkins, successful lawyer, engineer, realtor and railroad builder, is used to working hard. So he has no hesitancy in assuming his duties as Cleveland's first city manager on Jan. 7. Proportional representation advocates the country over are watching with interest the Fifth City's experiment in this form of municipal government. It is the largest city yet to adopt it. Hopkins' salary probably will be around \$25,000 a year.

AS AUNT SUSAN SAW CHRISTMAS

By ETHEL COOK ELIOT

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Great-Aunt Susan chuckled. She said: "Well, I'm not done for yet, even if I have been pretty sick. They needn't take it for granted I'm a spent old woman. Why, I'll go to Europe, come spring."

But nobody answered Aunt Susan, for there was only the canary to hear. Not being interrupted by the canary, a wise little bird who knew Great-Aunt Susan's ways, she went on, all to herself, sitting bolt upright among her many lace pillows in the rich, big bed. "Not much fun going alone, however. Wonder how Jessica or Polly, now, would like traveling around with a cross old woman? Guess I'll think it over pretty well, though, before I ask either of 'em."

Then silence fell while Great-Aunt Susan thought this question over—should she ask one or two great-nieces to see Europe under her care?

The canary, swinging on his perch, began to sing.

Had either Jessica or Polly heard what the canary had heard, they would have begun to sing, too. For neither of these girls had ever been to Europe, or ever traveled at all. And with both it was the fondest dream.

They were cousins, but how different!

Jessica lived on Elm street in a fashionable little house with her widowed mother, and went to Miss Fisk's finishing school. Polly lived "way down below Church hill on a street named 'Pearl'."

It was a decent enough street, but far from fashionable; and Polly was a sophomore in high school. Her father was a teacher in that same high school, and the smallness of his salary explains the smallness of their little house and its location.

While Great-Aunt Susan was sitting in bed in her dark old mansion away in the city, thinking about Polly and Jessica, both those girls, strange to say, were thinking quite concentratedly of her, too. For it was only a few days to Christmas and it was their yearly habit to send this rich, haughty old aunt a Christmas present.

Jessica cried, "Oh, mother, what a bore! Well, I'll go out and get the old thing her present right away and have it over with. But what can I give her, she has so much?"

Jessica's mother answered wisely. "Well, dear, it isn't the gift that will matter to Aunt Susan. It's the thought. She has everything in the world, of course. It's only to let her know you remember—and so she won't forget you, you know. All our hopes are on her not forgetting us, remember."

"Oh, yes, of course," Jessica pouted.

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the was up and dressed and downstairs for Christmas dinner. There, all in her grim solitude, she surveyed her presents. There were dozens and dozens of them. A table heaped and running over with parcels from her hopeful relatives. She smiled a trifle wryly.

She came to her great-nieces' presents the very last of all. They happened to be lying together at the bottom of the pile. A footman was at hand ready to help with the strings and the unfolding of paper. But now Aunt Susan waved him away. "I'll undo these myself," she said. In her hardened old heart there had always been a spark of affection for these two young pieces whom she had not seen since they were children. She would like to undo their presents with her own hands—to get the personal flavor.

Jessica came first. Off she tore the brown paper wrappings with its postmarks and address. Out rolled a white paper parcel tied with everyday white string. The white paper was rather wrinkled and certainly slightly soiled. Aunt Susan slipped the string. Into her lap rolled a pair of soft gray silken boudoir slippers, hand-embroidered with lavender flowers and edged and lined with soft gray fur.

Lying in the bed of one of them was a calling card—Jessica's. The surname was crossed out, of course, and scrawled in a careless, artistic

hand at the top was written, "Merry Christmas."

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Christmas Basket Workers Request Toys and Jellies

TOYS and jelly are needed by the Woman's club and the Salvation Army for the Christmas baskets to be sent out in Escanaba Monday, jointly by the two organizations.

All other supplies for the baskets will be provided by the Rotary, Lions and Kiwanis clubs. Those who have toys or jellies to offer, are asked to communicate with Miss Martha Green, chairman of the Woman's Club charity committee. Checks for this purpose also will be acceptable, it was said.

Motorists who will lend their cars for the delivery of the baskets are asked to meet at the Carnegie Public Library at 9:30 a. m. Monday.

The American Federation of Labor is preparing for a great organizing campaign, designed particularly to bring steel, textile and office workers into the ranks of organized labor.

TODAY'S ANNIVERSARIES

1620 Pilgrims left the Mayflower and landed at Plymouth Rock.

1706 Public meetings in Scotland to protest against the signing of the articles of union with England.

1788 Act of the first legislative council of the Northwest Territory creating the office of governor.

1920 The Irish Home Rule measure was adopted by the British parliament and sent to the King for his signature.

North Carolina manufactures the most tobacco of any of the States.

Lyman J. Frazier, United States senator from North Dakota, born in Steele county, Minn., 49 years ago today.

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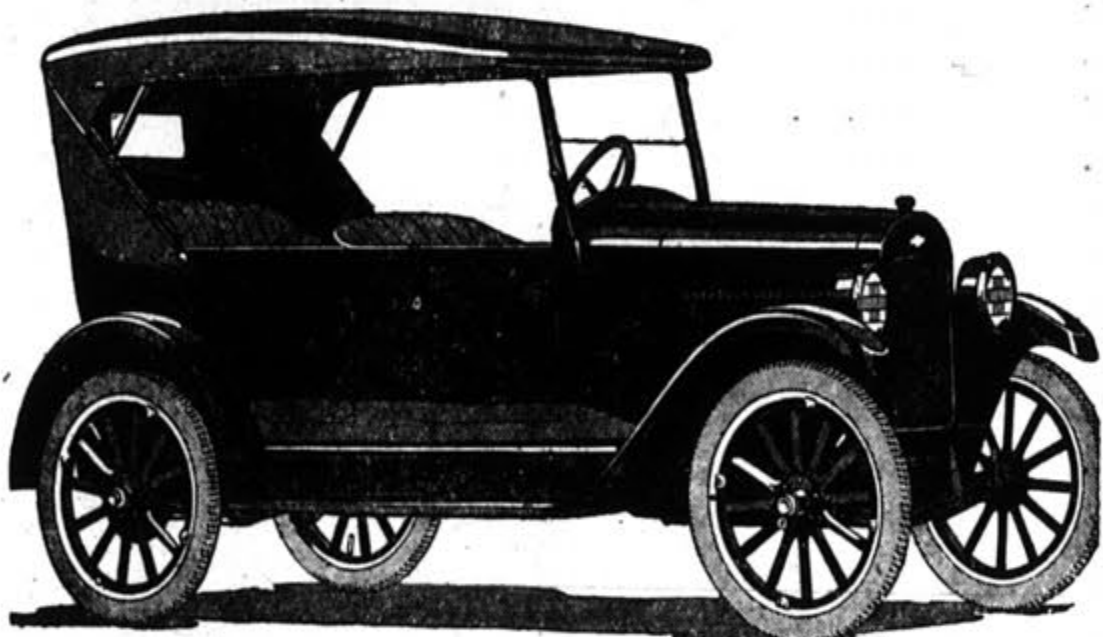
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"Well, Dear, it isn't the gift that will matter. It's the thought that counts."

"That's an idea—boudoir slippers. You are clever, mummy." And Jessica ran off to her Christmas shopping for Great-Aunt Susan.

In the little brown house on Pearl street the same question was being asked and answered.

"Poor old thing!" Polly cried. "What's it to her if she is so rich and all that! She's not got a soul to love her, and it's almost Christmas. Imagine Christmas without love! Well, I can't spend over fifty cents, even though I am so sorry for her. I gave a whole dollar for the Girl Scouts, and after Christmas I won't have a cent of my allowance left."

"Well, get something cheerful, whatever you do!" Polly's mother exclaimed. "Nothing to remind her that she's an invalid, I'd say. It's the thought, not the gift, that counts."

But though this last was what Jessica's mother had said, the motive was entirely different. Polly's mother was not practical-minded, like Jessica's. She was just a simple, kind-hearted woman.

So Polly ran away to Christmas shop for Great-Aunt Susan.

Come Christmas day, and Great-Aunt Susan was keeping her word. She was "showing 'em." She had begun with her servants. They were the only ones to observe the fact



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THE DAILY PRESS

GIRL SCOUTS TO CAROL MONDAY

Program for Christmas Eve Music Is Made Public.

Plans of the Girl Scouts for a caroling program on the street corners and under the municipal Christmas tree next Tuesday night, have been announced in the following statement from local headquarters of the organization:

"The Girl Scouts will carol at the municipal Christmas Tree Christmas Eve at 8:00 P. M. Make this a center of community spirit. The tree will be beautifully lighted and with the singing of old time carols, Merry Christmas greetings ringing through the air, what a joyous time it will be for all. The Girl Scouts will gather around the Christmas tree directly after singing their carols and ballads in the down town squares.

"The boy scouts have been invited and this is a general invitation for you all to come to the Christmas tree and carol.

"Mrs. L. A. Erickson, chairman of the Activities Committee, with Mrs. George Harder and Mrs. E. A. Hubbard planned the following program for the Christmas carols: Troop 4, Miss Hendry leads; Troop 5, Miss Nee leader; Troop 6, Wells, Miss Cass leader; Troop 7, Mrs. Bandeen leader; Troop 8, Mrs. Dimmik leader; Troop 9, Miss LaCombe leader; Troop 10, Miss Johnson leader; Troop 11, Mrs. H. Johnson leader; Troop 12, Miss Rode leader.

Troop 5, Miss Nee leader, will carol at the Mead Drug Store and Strand theatre.

Troop 6, Wells, Miss Cass leader, will carol at the Wells Community House.

Troop 7, Mrs. Bandeen leader, will carol at the Ludington, Delta Hardware Store and Delft theatre.

Troop 8, Mrs. Dimmik leader, will carol at the Fair Store and Woolworth's.

Troop 9, Miss LaCombe leader, will carol and sing an old English ballad, "Oh No John" at the Delta Hotel and the Boston Store.

Troop 11, Mrs. H. Johnson, will carol at the North Star Store, City Drug Store and Lehmler's Jewelry.

Troop 12, Miss Rode leader,

THEY WORK TO CHEER OTHERS



The main postoffice in New York City, the biggest in America, is now going through the throes of the annual Christmas rush. See how the mail is piling up. Day and night the fireless workers sort out the packages that Christmas may be lightened—for you and me.

will carol at 5:00 P. M. at the Lang Hospital and St. Francis Hospital.

Troop 13, Mrs. LeMire leader, will carol and give a Scout Law Ceremony at the Poor Farm at 4:00 P. M.

Troop 14, Miss Rinner leader, will carol at the Penny Store, the Sample Garment Store and Bloomstrom's Jewelry Store.

Troop 15, Miss Engdahl leader, will carol and give an old English Hunter's Song, "The Keeper" at the Wolverine Garage and Hoyler's Tea Rooms.

"The girls will start their carols down town between 7:00 and 7:30 and fit the troops will meet at the Christmas tree promptly at

8 o'clock. The carols will be those that nearly everyone knows: "Silent Night," "Hark the Herald Angels Sing," and "O, Come All Ye Faithful."

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AMUSEMENTS

AT THE DELFT.

Mystery and fun have been combined in Thomas H. Ince's new production, "A Man of Action," now running at the Delft theatre, said to be as full of surprises and sure-fire laughs as his screen version of "The Hottentot," which has scored a tremendous success.

With a half million dollars in diamonds and a beautiful fiancée at stake, the unexpected happens at every turn of the reel in this rapid-action story. Bewildering situations crowd one another until finally the most astounding of all arrives with the real owner of the diamonds mistaken for a master crook and locked up in his own house with the bunch of gangsters who have elected him to be a principal in robbing himself. Sliding panels and secret exits that work at the most unexpected moments add to the hilarious fun while the mystery element produces thrills in rapid succession.

Douglas MacLean has never been funnier than in his characterization of Bruce MacAllister, a poor little rich boy to whom life has been "just one darn servant after another," until his fiancée takes a hand in the game and taunts him into becoming "A Man of Action." His determination to stop out and see life "as is" results, in an excursion into the underworld with a sequence of adventure that are as funny as they are startling.

Raymond Hatton and Marguerite de la Motte are featured in the excellent cast.

AT THE STRAND.

Complete financial ruin faced Col. John Armstrong, the head of the company of ranchers trying to float and construct a new railroad through the San Marcos Valley. Mar Zabel, railroad wizard and high-handed transportation financier, had determined that the San Marcos road should fail.

Col. Armstrong was at his wits' end when Judith, his attractive daughter, conceived the idea of calling in Bruce Boyd, the country's most noted railroad construction engineer.

How this young engineer, inspired and aided by a beautiful girl, fought the railroad barons to a standstill and built the San Marcos road, foot by foot, through hills, over canyons and down the pleasant valley, is a romance that thrills with excitement. It is the story of "The Steel Trail," the Universal chapter picture made and starred in by William Duncan, with Edith Johnson, which comes to the Strand Theatre today and tomorrow.

1804—Earl of Beaconsfield (Benjamin Disraeli), famous novelist and statesman, born. Died in London, April 19, 1881.

1919—United States Army transport Buford sailed from New York with 249 deported Russian and other radicals aboard for Russia.

December 7, 1923. December 21, 1923.

STATE OF MICHIGAN.

The Probate Court for the County of Delta.

At a session of said court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Escanaba in said county, on the twenty-seventh day of November A. D. 1923.

Present: Hon. Judd Yelland, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of Robert Goodman, deceased.

Sylvia Goodman, widow and heir at law, having filed her petition praying that said court adjudicate and determine who were at the time of his death the legal heirs of said deceased and entitled to inherit the estate of which said deceased died seized.

It is ordered, that the thirty-first day of December A. D. 1923, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

It is further ordered, that public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Escanaba Daily Press, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

JUDD YELLAND, Judge of Probate.

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December 7, 1923. December 21, 1923.

STATE OF MICHIGAN.

The Probate Court for the County of Delta.

At a session of said court, held at the probate office in the City of Escanaba, in said county, on the third day of December A. D. 1923.

Present: Hon. Judd Yelland, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of Henry Wilke, deceased.

Elizabeth Wilke, administratrix having filed her petition praying for the allowance thereof and for the assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate.

It is ordered, that the thirty-first day of December A. D. 1923, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

It is further ordered, that public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Escanaba Daily Press, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

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December 14, 1923. December 28, 1923.

STATE OF MICHIGAN.

The Probate Court for the County of Delta.

At a session of said court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Escanaba in said county, on the tenth day of December A. D. 1923.

Present: Hon. Judd Yelland, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of Louis A. Dausy, deceased.

Frederick Dausy, son, having filed his petition, praying that an instrument be filed in said court, be admitted to Probate as the last will and testament of said deceased and that administration of said estate be granted to said Dausy or some other suitable person.

It is ordered, that the seventh day of January A. D. 1924 at ten A. M., at said Probate Office is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

It is further ordered, that public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy hereof for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing in the Escanaba Daily Press, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

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STATE OF MICHIGAN.

The Probate Court for the County of Delta.

At a session of said court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Escanaba in said county, on the seventh day of December A. D. 1923.

Present: Hon. Judd Yelland, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of Earline F. Larsen, Misor.

John M. Olson, guardian having filed in said court his petition, praying for license to sell the interest of said estate in certain real estate therein described.

It is ordered, that the seventh day of January A. D. 1924, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition, and that all persons interested in said estate appear before said court, at said time and place, to show cause why a license to sell the interest of said estate in said real estate should not be granted.

It is further ordered, that public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Escanaba Daily Press, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

JUDD YELLAND, Judge of Probate.

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December 21, 1923. January 4, 1924.

STATE OF MICHIGAN.

The Probate Court for the County of Delta.

In the Matter of the Estate of August Detloff, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given that four months from the 17th day of December A. D. 1923, have been allowed for creditors to present their claims against said deceased to said court for examination and adjustment, and that all creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said court, at the probate office, in the City of Escanaba in said county, on or before the 25th day of April A. D. 1924, and that said claims will be heard by said court on Monday the 25th day of April A. D. 1924, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated December 17th A. D. 1923. JUDD YELLAND, Judge of Probate.

December 7, 1923. December 21, 1923.

STATE OF MICHIGAN.

The Probate Court for the County of Delta.

In the Matter of the Estate of Peter M. Peterson, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that four months from the 17th day of December A. D. 1923, have been allowed for creditors to present their claims against said deceased to said court for examination and adjustment, and that all creditors of said deceased are required to present in said county, on or before the 11th day of April A. D. 1924 and that said claims will be heard by said court on Monday the 11th day of April A. D. 1924, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated December 17th A. D. 1923. JUDD YELLAND, Judge of Probate.

December 21, 1923. January 4, 1924.

STATE OF MICHIGAN.

The Probate Court for the County of Delta.

In the Matter of the Estate of Victor Oman, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that four months from the 17th day of December A. D. 1923, have been allowed for creditors to present their claims against said deceased to said court for examination and adjustment, and that all creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said court, at the probate office, in the City of Escanaba in said county, on or before the 25th day of April A. D. 1924 and that said claims will be heard by said court on Monday the 25th day of April A. D. 1924, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated December 17th A. D. 1923. JUDD YELLAND, Judge of Probate.

1922—United States senate confirmed the nomination of Pierce Butler of Minnesota as an associate justice of the Supreme Court.

STATE OF MICHIGAN.

The Probate Court for the County of Delta.

At a session of said court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Escanaba in said county, on the seventh day of December A. D. 1923.

Present: Hon. Judd Yelland, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of Frank Lauscher, Mentally Incompetent.

Joseph Lauscher, brother, having filed in said court his petition, praying that said Frank Lauscher is a mentally incompetent person, and praying that Joseph Lauscher or some other suitable person be appointed as guardian of his person and estate.

It is ordered, that the twenty-first day of January A. D. 1924 at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

It is further ordered, that notice thereof be given by personal service of a copy of this order upon said Frank Lauscher and upon such of his nearest relatives and presumptive heirs-at-law as reside within said county, at least fourteen days previous to said day of hearing; and it is further ordered, that notice thereof be given to all others of his nearest relatives and presumptive heirs-at-law by a publication of a copy of this order, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Escanaba Daily Press, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

JUDD YELLAND, Judge of Probate.

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December 21, 1923. January 4, 1924.

STATE OF MICHIGAN.

The Probate Court for the County of Delta.

At a session of said court held at the Probate Office in the City of Escanaba in said county, on the thirteenth day of December A. D. 1923.

Present: Hon. Judd Yelland, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of Charles Proulx, Deceased.

Aurille Boos, sister and heir-at-law, having filed her petition praying that the administration of said estate be granted to Aurille Boos, or to some other suitable person.

It is further ordered, that public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, once each week for three successive weeks to said day of hearing, in the Escanaba Daily Press, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

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December 7, 1923. December 21, 1923.

STATE OF MICHIGAN.

The Probate Court for the County of Delta.

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Escanaba in said county, on the thirteenth day of November A. D. 1923.

Present: Hon. Judd Yelland, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of Hans C. Jacobson, deceased.

Marie C. Jacobson, widow and devisee, having filed her petition praying that an instrument filed in said Court be admitted to Probate as the last will and testament of said deceased and that administration of said estate be granted to Marie C. Jacobson or some other suitable person.

It is ordered, that the thirty-first day of December A. D. 1923 at ten A. M., at said Probate Office is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

It is further ordered, that public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy hereof for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing in the Escanaba Daily Press, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

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STATE OF MICHIGAN.

The Probate Court for the County of Delta.

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Escanaba in said county, on the fourteenth day of December A. D. 1923.

Present: Hon. Judd Yelland, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of Henry R. Dotach, Deceased.

Leslie Bell Dotach, widow, having filed her petition, praying that an instrument filed in said Court be admitted to Probate as the last will and testament of said deceased and that administration of said estate be granted to Leslie Bell Dotach, or some other suitable person.

It is ordered, that the fourteenth day of January A. D. 1924 at ten A. M., at said Probate Office is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

It is further ordered, that public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy hereof for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing in the Escanaba Daily Press, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

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December 21, 1923. January 4, 1924.

STATE OF MICHIGAN.

The Probate Court for the County of Delta.

At a session of said Court held at the Probate Office in the City of Escanaba in said county, on the thirteenth day of December A. D. 1923.

Present: Hon. Judd Yelland, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of Charles Proulx, Deceased.

Aurille Boos, sister and heir-at-law, having filed her petition praying that the administration of said estate be granted to Aurille Boos, or to some other suitable person.

It is further ordered, that public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, once each week for three successive weeks to said day of hearing, in the Escanaba Daily Press, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

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At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Escanaba in said county, on the thirteenth day of November A. D. 1923.

Present: Hon. Judd Yelland, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of Hans C. Jacobson, deceased.

Marie C. Jacobson, widow and devisee, having filed her petition praying that an instrument filed in said Court be admitted to Probate as the last will and testament of said deceased and that administration of said estate be granted to Marie C. Jacobson or some other suitable person.

It is ordered, that the thirty-first day of December A. D. 1923 at ten A. M., at said Probate Office is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

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LEGION CAN AID IN ENDING WAR

British Veteran Says Fighting Hate Is the Method.

London.—"Get rid of the hate complex." That is the slogan General Sir Ian Hamilton, a fighting soldier for 50 years, would like to see adopted and taken to heart by the members of the British Legion and the American Legion.

"That old enemies should cease to hate each other," said Sir Ian to me, "is far more important than conferences about the war damage Germany shall pay."

"Europe especially is suffering from the hate complex. You see it where the French face the Germans, where the Hungarians face the Rumanians, where the Serbs face the Bulgarians."

Fought in Many Wars.

Few have a better right to talk this way than Sir Ian. He's been a soldier for nearly half a century. He has seen hard active service in all England's wars in that period—the Afghan campaign, the first Boer war, the Nile expedition, the Boerese war, the Chitral relief force, the second Boer war, and, finally, in the great war as commander-in-chief of the army at Gallipoli.

He was chief-of-staff to Kitchener in the last years of the Boer war. He became a great friend of the famous Boer statesman—Jan Smuts. Theodore Roosevelt was another friend. The

last few years he has been devoting much of his time to the affairs of the British Legion.

One of the jobs he has set for himself is to fight hate. He says our propagandists during the war did their work too well. Many people still have their war-time conceptions of Germans.

"I am a friend of a great American editor I know who the day after the armistice said to his men that from that time on Germans ceased to be 'Huns' and 'Boches,' but were simply Germans again."

"That is splendid," said Sir Ian. "It illustrates the point exactly."

"I am striving by all the means in my power to show that the German of today is entirely different from the propaganda German of yesterday. My audiences have been mainly veterans of the war—men who went to the front and suffered in what they fully believed was a war to prevent future wars."

"The fact that I was unanimously re-elected president for the London metropolitan area of the British Legion by 224 delegates from all branches, is evidence that the fighting men coincide with my viewpoint. They were fully apprised of my ideals before the election—'war on hate was my platform.'

The Legion's chance.

"I wish the American and British Legions could get together—not for athletics and after-dinner speeches—but for a serious effort to bring about a better world."

"If we want Europe and the world to settle down we must give the Germans a chance."

"The American Legion—with its million members—men who will become the leaders of the United States, can, if it so chooses, become a wonderful organ for restoration of good feeling and peace and order in the world."

TOM SIMS SAYS

There is a cry for a candidate for president who can raise the bonus money by reducing taxes.

Mellon's plan to reduce taxes reduces the Treasury income. All such plans have this great fault. Coolidge's stand against the soldier bonus will cost him votes, but standing is better than lying.

The war vets deserve a bonus. The taxpayers deserve a reduction. And the sun deserves a rest.

Make it legal for all war vets to shoot craps with loaded dice and they will collect their bonus.

Every man knows how to reduce his own taxes. This is so simple. Put them on the other fellow.

Let every war vet throw rocks at a war profiteer two hours. It would be better than a bonus.

Teach the cops to lay bricks. They could make millions in their spare months. Collect it for taxes.

Rent the congressmen out to garages for blowing up tires by mouth. The income would cut taxes.

If allowed to bootleg, our navy could be self-supporting and pay off the national debt in a week.

Give an ex-private a squad of ex-sergeants to drill and he would forget all about his bonus.

Give a war vet a bugle to batter to pieces and he will enjoy it more than a soldier bonus.

Stand one major in the rain.

"If the American and British Legions would join hands they could come very near to framing a platform for a new era of things and the first plank in that platform would be: 'Eliminate the hate stuff.'

Let war vets see him eating bread. Better than a bonus to them.

Put all ex-second looys in uniform and invite war vets to cuss them. Call it a soldier bonus.

Make all except war vets wear knitted socks in shoes a mile too big, as a bonus substitute.

Order the street cleaners to turn in all the dimes they find. This would cut taxes a little.

Let every war vet chase a flag-waving politician three blocks. It is a swell bonus substitute.

Put mail boxes in cellars and make postmen pay to deliver mail. It would reduce taxes some.

Find the army raincoat makers. Make them wear the coats they made. This would tickle any war vet.

Put cooties on all ex-company clerks and tie their hands. Then other war vets will forget the bonus.

Maybe the firemen could play poker and give their winnings to the tax collector to cut taxes.

Man who can cut taxes and pay a bonus will be as famous as Babe Ruth.

ON THE SOFA.

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GOING THE LIMIT.

I went ten rounds with Dempsey And I am feeling fine. For it was on a Ferris wheel—His seat was next to mine.

A call has been issued for the biennial national convention of the United Mine Workers of America, to be held at Indianapolis, beginning Jan. 22.

Miracles and the Christ Child

By KATHERINE EDELMAN

IN THE far-fung land of the West the early winter had been unusually mild and, although it was nearing Christmas, now the weather was bright and clear, almost springlike in its mildness.

Everywhere that the message of the Christ Child had reached, men and women were busy and happy preparing for the great day, a new and added joy of life surging within their hearts. Into each home there had come a strengthening and rekindling of family ties and a new birth of love and service that reached out even beyond the home.

Out on the reservation, however, the Indians went about their tasks as usual, for no hint of the wonder and the glory of the Christmas time had yet come to them. And if they felt a mysterious something in the air at this time, they understood it not all, for the brightness from the Star of Bethlehem had not yet burst upon them.

Moonlight Brook was very lonely—she had only little Silver Star, her daughter, with her now—the big chief had sent Strong Oak, her husband, with other braves, on a mission to a distant village. And Moonlight Brook had missed him every hour, for their love was still burning as bright as the big camp fire that blazed near the tepees at dusk.

Her love of the great open spaces helped to cheer her during the long hours of his absence. Every day with little Silver Star she wandered afar. In these lonely places that she went there always came to her the sense of some unknown presence—the hand of some great power.

Early one morning Moonlight Brook called little Silver Star to her and told her that they would go for a long walk, away up to Roaring creek. Moonlight Brook was lost in wonder at the beauty of the scene, but a great and sudden change had come over the day. Now, looking at the lowering, threatening sky, she decided that she must make all possible haste back to the village. For with the darkness and the gloom that had come over the prairie a low menacing wind, that carried with it at times small, dry snowflakes.

With Silver Star in her arms, Moonlight Brook started in the direction of the village, walking with the swift, strong stride of the woman who lives much in the open. The snow now was coming down in large flakes and the wind had grown blizzard-like in its velocity. Hope was fast dying within her, for she was trembling from exhaustion. Then overwrought nature did the thing which she had tried hard to keep from happening—she sank upon the snow—her last thought as she felt consciousness leaving her, to wrap the blanket closer about little Silver Star and to wait a prayer to the Great Spirit to take care of Strong Oak when she was gone.

But the prairie has many stories to tell of strange things that have happened there, and on this day there was added to the list another of those coincidences which happen oftener in real life than some would have us believe.

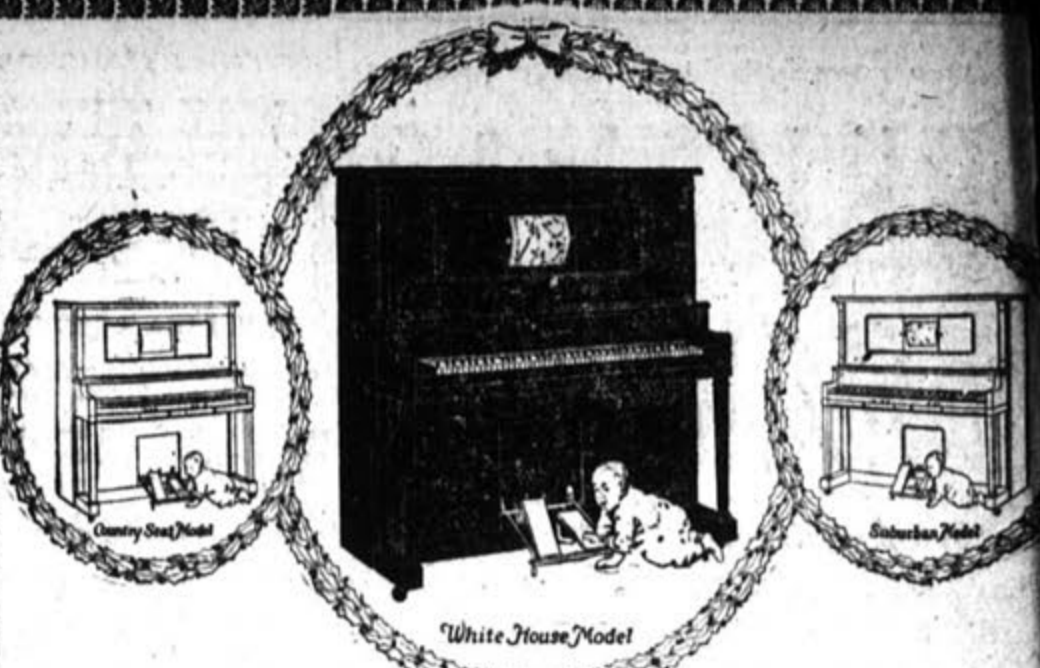
For Strong Oak and his party came by the very spot where Moonlight Brook and Silver Star lay a short time after they had sunk exhausted. Some of the men had tried to take the other trail, but something within him, that strange, unknown force which comes to all at times, made him choose the Roaring Creek trail instead, and he found his loved ones and with the help of the guides they reached the village in safety.

A few hours later, Moonlight Brook and Strong Oak sat hand in hand, the ecstatic happiness of being reunited surging within them. Moonlight Brook whispered over that it was a miracle that the Great Spirit had wrought that Strong Oak should have found her. And Strong Oak told her that while he had been gone he had heard of the Christ Child who had come upon earth on this day, which ever since has been called Christmas. As Moonlight Brook listened to the beautiful story that has been told so much, but which keeps its thrill through the ages, she felt that this day was indeed a day of miracles, for, like her bronzed brave, the story brought her a wonderful peace and stilled the restless longings which had come to her so often in the past. (© 1923, Western Newspaper Union.)

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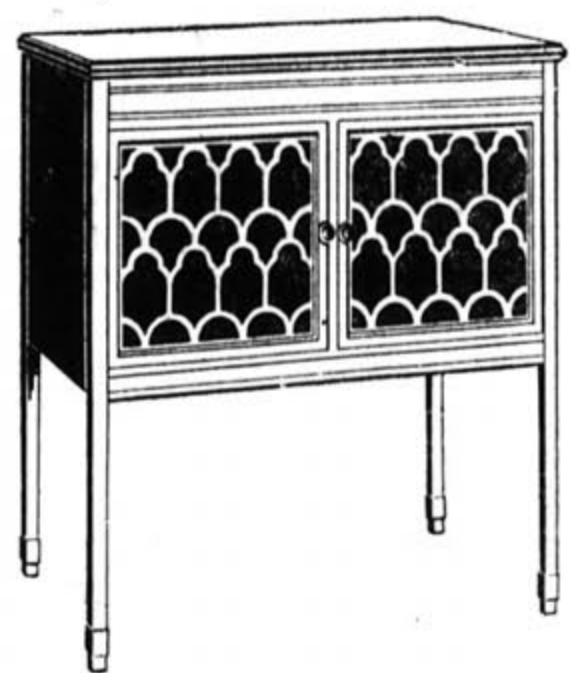
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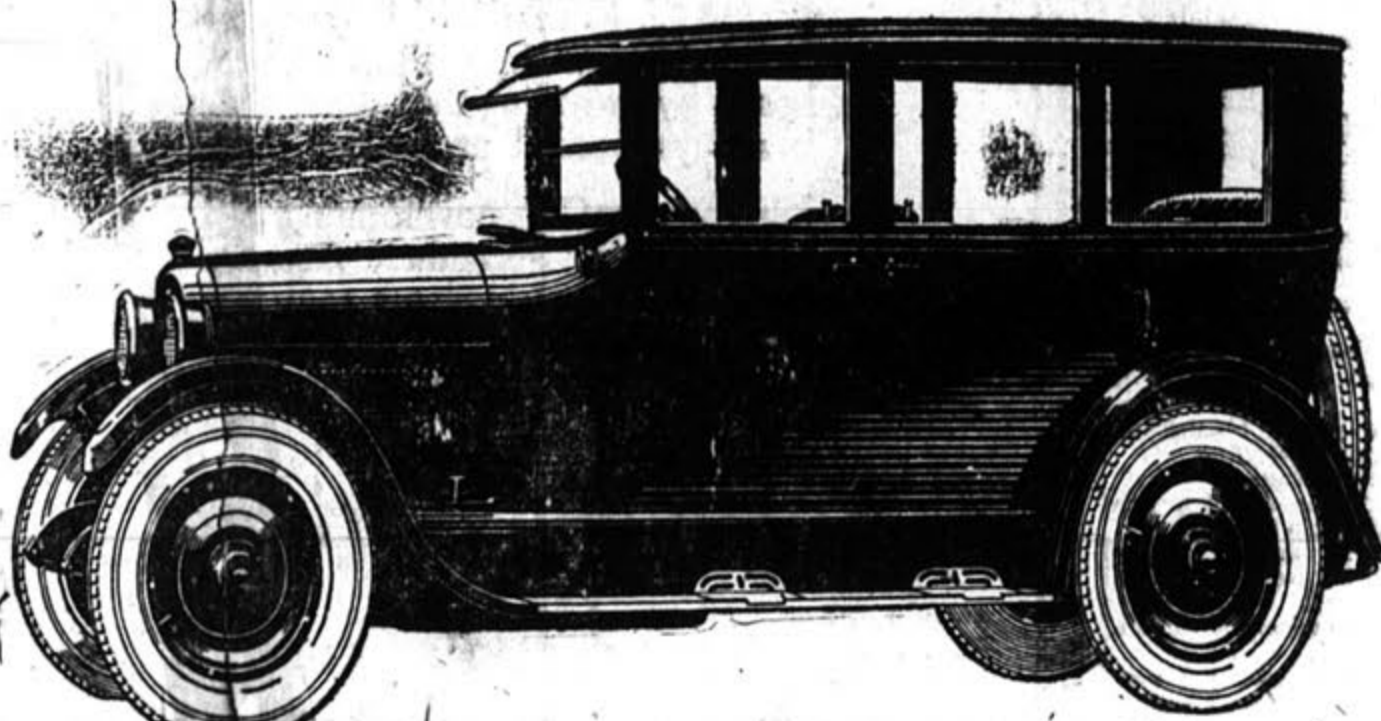
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WHY THE SOBER MAN DID SMILE

By MARTHA B. THOMAS

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IT WAS Christmas Eve at Mrs. Cummings' boarding house. In the interval between two string beans, Miss Billings observed to the rest of the diners that it was nice to have friends at this season. No one denied it. Of the seven places at the table one was vacant, that belonging to Vesta Blaine.

"Miss Blaine," continued Miss Cummings, a little wistfully, "always has such a delightful time at holidays. She has so many pleasant acquaintances. And of course," she hesitated to give emphasis to what was coming, "she is getting a good deal of attention from that young man."

No one had any comments to make. But a serious-faced man at the other end of the table seemed to be very grave indeed; he bent a concentrated regard upon his plate, as though the contents might yield some secret which he hunted. But just then in came the girl herself. "A real Christmas Eve!" chanted Vesta Blaine. Her eyes were like stars, her cheeks bright with color; she looked like a flower set down in a vegetable garden. The other boarders were a bit older, a bit more tired, a bit disillusioned; they drank their sunshine from the exuberant girl, and wondered how she could come home at night still bubbling with high spirits and fun.

"It's snowing!" continued Vesta, darting a smile at the sober man, who apparently was not aware of his good fortune, for he never looked up. "That soft sift of feathers that comes down like . . . like"—she hunted for an adequate simile—"like prayers of the angels! Only prayers are supposed to go up, aren't they?" she laughed at her own conceit. "The trees are like dreams behind white veils, and the street lamps are orange moons! I love it. Do pass me the butter, somebody. I'm hungry enough to eat shredded hairpins!"

Everybody did their best to make Vesta comfortable, even the scrap of a maid who waited on the table. Miss Blaine offered her pepper and salt twice, and the landlady asked if she preferred her roast beef well or medium done.

"I'm going to a party tonight!" announced Vesta after a few mouthfuls to fortify her wants, "the very best party ever perpetrated."

Miss Billings smiled her interest and asked where.

"Oh, not very far from here; and"—she paused, looking around the table with a curious glance—"you're all invited! That's why it's the best party—because it's got the nicest folks coming to it!"

What a hubbub there was then! Everybody asked questions at once and none found out the answer. Miss Billings quivered with excitement. Mrs. Cummings waved the carving knife and nearly took off a slice from the sober man's nose. Finally, Vesta stood up, commanded silence, tapped importantly on the table with a silver spoon, and began:

"Ladies and gentlemen, you are earnestly requested, cordially invit-



Vesta Blaine Went to the Front Door, Opened It.

ed and definitely ordered to clothe yourself in radiant raiment after dinner, and then wait for me in the hall. No one shall be allowed to say 'no.' Penalty for disobedience is so horrible I can't even mention it!"

And ready they were as soon as they could jump into their best and assemble in the hall. The sober man was the last to appear. He looked as though he did not dare stay away. That's the best that could be said about him. But the rest were laughing and talking in happy expectation.

Vesta Blaine went to the front door, opened it, made strange signs with her hands, and in there tramped a big, blustering giant of a fellow dressed like Santa Claus. He had a nobby pack on his back, and appeared to have every intention of unloading it at Mrs. Cummings' boarding house.

"This way," said Vesta and led him into the parlor. The rest followed.

"For mercy's sakes!" exclaimed Miss Billings.

"Gracious me!" breathed Mrs. Cummings. She did not know her own parlor—and no wonder. There was a big Christmas tree standing in the middle. It reached to the ceiling and blazed with small electric bulbs. More than that, there were seven single stockings suspended in a row from the mantel. Everybody squealed when they discovered their own.

Santa heaved down his pack and untumbled a bushel of breath, each wrapped up in paper and marked with a name.

"Each person pick up seven parcels and put them in the stockings."

You'll find the names to correspond!" called out Vesta Blaine. "No lagging! A fine for being the last one!"

That parlor full of boarders resembled a small army of squirrels scrambling about in a heap of nuts. Everybody got in everybody's way; everybody laughed—even the sober man was guilty of a happy look around his eyes.

At last the seven stockings were bulging with gifts; they swayed gently back and forth in all the energy of their recent filling.

"Select your own stockings!" shouted Vesta Blaine, like a general ordering his troops into battle, "and open your presents."

It just happened by the merest chance that Vesta and the sober man were seated on the sofa together. They shook out their stockings into a mutual heap and began to untie the strings and rip off the seals.

"Look here," said the sober man, sternly, "how did anyone know I wanted that book?" and he held out



"How Did Anyone Know I Wanted That Book?"

a thin, leather-bound volume toward Vesta.

"You said you did, once last summer," answered Vesta a little shyly.

"Caesar's ghost!" he whistled, "and you remembered?"

"Yes," nodded Vesta.

This affirmation seemed to concern the sober man very much.

"Oh," replied the girl, "I just wanted you to have what . . . you wanted to have!"

This afforded the sober man more food for thought.

"I didn't even know you were aware of my existence. I used to bet with myself that if it came to a pinch and you had to introduce me, you could not tell my name. You're so popular, and that sort of thing, that I thought—" he was unable to finish.

Vesta made a gesture as if she threw caution to the winds. "Listen to me," she said. "You're the most interesting person here; I hated not ever having a word with you about books. That's one reason I had this party. I hoped you'd talk to me a little. You always looked so bored when I came in, and I was sorry. I'm not so frivolous as I seem. My father—the man playing Santa Claus—is owner of the London Book Shop here; I'm working there just to learn something of the business. It's Dad who's really back of the party. I just did the suggesting. He's a ner-



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spread upon his face.

What happened after this is almost too confusing for description. Santa unmasked and was introduced to everybody. Such a thanking and explaining! Such a happy, laughing group! Miss Billings discovered she could play the piano and Mr. Blaine swung out first with Mrs. Cummings. Vesta fluttered like a girl at her first party. The rest whirled in with great fervor.

If anyone had been looking sharply for the happiest couple, I think Vesta and the sober man would have been selected. What he said to her is nobody's business; nor what she answered—and yet they seemed to have settled something very happily.

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Snow Is Needed by Loggers; Local Mill Awaits Log Supply

Snow is needed immediately, if the Steep-Wallace plant in this city resumes operations Jan. 2, as planned. It was announced from the company's local offices yesterday.

Loggers, it was explained, have cut a large amount of lumber in this region, but snow is necessary to permit them to get it out of the woods. Until delivery of a supply of logs, large enough to insure steady operation of the plant, the suspension will continue, it was stated.

Several other industrial plants in this vicinity, dependent upon logs for raw material, also are said to be eager for winter weather to set in.

The criminal proceedings against ex-Governor J. C. Walton of Oklahoma are docketed for a hearing in the district court at Oklahoma City today.

Only a few more shopping months before June apples.



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MORTGAGED CAR KEPT BY BUYER

Jury Renders Verdict in Favor of Joseph Sturgeon.

Joseph Sturgeon, Gladstone newspaper man, will be permitted to keep the automobile he purchased from L. F. Papin, former local automobile dealer, unless Judge Driscoll, who has under advisement a motion to direct a verdict, sets aside the decision of the jury which yesterday brought in a verdict for the defendant in the suit brought against him by the First National Bank.

Judge Driscoll, under the terms of the Empton act, will be permitted to take such action before Nov. 23.

The bank held a chattel mortgage on the automobile, which had not been lifted when Mr. Sturgeon bought the car and which Papin did not "square up" before he left the city. The bank took steps to recover the automobile.

If Judge Driscoll sustains the verdict of the jury, the bank will be in a position, it was said yesterday, to proceed towards recovery against other property it holds as security for the loan.

Hoff Gets Verdict in Wood Ash Suit

The jury in the case of John N. Hoff, of New York, who brought suit against Gust and Louis Cretens of Gladstone for payment for wood ashes purchased by the defendants four years ago, returned a verdict early last night for \$1,447.13, in favor of Mr. Hoff. The case was the last on the docket of the present term of court.

Notice of Trustee's Sale of Real Estate.

In pursuance of an order of me directed, I, James C. Baker, Trustee of the bankrupt estate of James McCauley, will receive at my office, 614 Ludington Street, Escanaba, Michigan, up to 2 o'clock P. M., on Wednesday, November 14th, 1923, bids for the purchase of an undivided one-half (1/2) interest in real estate belonging to James McCauley, Bankrupt, known as 213 South Nineteenth Street, in the City of Escanaba, Michigan, and more particularly described as follows:

An undivided one-half (1/2) interest in and to the dwelling house and lot described as Lot Five (5) of Block Thirteen (13) of the S. H. Selden Addition to the City of Escanaba, Michigan.

Terms of sale to be cash on confirmation by the Court. Trustee reserves the right to reject all bids.

JAMES C. BAKER,
Trustee in Bankruptcy.
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Fraternals Column

Evening Star Program.
All is in readiness for the musical program which will be given at the North Star hall this evening under the auspices of the Evening Star Society. Order of Vasa, who will celebrate the ninth anniversary of their organization today.

An excellent program has been planned and an orchestra from Gladstone will furnish the music for the dance which will take place after the program. A delicious luncheon will also be served and a good time is assured all who attend.

Axel Rydahl, of Marinette, will speak. Mr. Rydahl is district president for the order.

Fine Program At Sanatorium Tues., Auspices E. W. C.

A most interesting program was rendered at the Powers sanatorium Tuesday evening under the auspices of the Escanaba Women's Club. A large number from this city attended the affair which was highly appreciated by the patients and members of the staff at the sanatorium.

Refreshments consisting of doughnuts, cider, apples and cake was served after the program and all reported having spent a most enjoyable evening.

The following is the program rendered:

Reading—Miss Alda Robb.
Vocal Solo—Mrs. George Casey. Accompanied by Mrs. Wm. Ramspeck.
Selection—Mrs. H. J. Defnet.
Oriental Dance—Mrs. D. A. Mascoe accompanied by Mrs. J. McGee.
Vocal Solo—Mrs. M. Gunter accompanied by Mrs. M. Fernstrom.
Vocal Solo—Miss Lorraine Kemp accompanied by Miss Leone Dunn.
Dialogue—Robert Pryal.
Vocal Duet—Mr. and Mrs. Hammar accompanied by Mrs. Ed Lucas.

Thirteen Criminal Cases Are Dropped

Thirteen additional cases were removed yesterday from the criminal calendar of the Delta county circuit court. Most of them were liquor law charges and the evidence in several had been turned over to federal authorities.

"Nolles" were entered by County Prosecutor George Carr.

The defendants were: Arthur Leinert, Emil Anderson, Axel Johnson (two cases), Mose Hardwick, Charles Kujala, L. J. Cretens Charles Birch, Dora Schimberg, John Rasmussen, Vincent Kozinski, Hector Gauthier, Frank Shoemaker, Mrs. Fred Lafave.

ATTENDANCE AT CARNIVAL LARGE

Hundreds Participate in School Event Last Night.

Principal R. E. Cheney, of Escanaba high school, announced late last night that the proceeds from the carnival given last night for the athletic fund, not including tickets sold in advance, was \$254.13. The total fund for this field, including contributions and tickets sold in advance, is now about \$2,000. Definite figures will be made public within a day or two, as soon as checkups with the student salesmen can be completed.

Hundreds visited the high school last night, ate hot dogs, drank pink lemonade, saw the wild animals and the darkey minstrels, tossed balls at the dolls, had their fortune told—did everything which one expects to do at a carnival.

The gymnasium and many of the class rooms and corridors on all three floors were utilized for the event. Each class put on four shows or attractions—making a total of 40—and there were special features, particularly a vaudeville show, put on at 10 o'clock by the boys of the Orange & Black society.

The crowd began to gather early, it stayed late, and it enjoyed itself to the maximum.

Every show, every booth was well patronized and described by those who saw it as worthy of the patronage given it.

Taken altogether the carnival was one of the most successful events of its kind ever staged in Escanaba.

Hay Movement Slow, Price Up Little

The price of hay to the grower, which started off early in the season at \$13 has advanced to \$15 or \$1, a local dealer said yesterday, but the crop is not moving rapidly, due to a lack of demand in the nearer shipping centers and a reluctance on the part of the producers to sell at the prices quoted. The price is considerably more than was paid last year.

The oats movement out of this part of the country has been about normal, it was said.

ST. JOSEPH'S HIGH SCHOOL

Are Ghosts—and Ghosts?

St. Joseph's High School pupils are ghosts—and ghosts. Only a royal ghost would satisfy the Junior Class of St. Joseph's High School this year. A class motto "Semper paratus" would not permit this wish to remain unfulfilled. Accordingly they secured the presence of a royal ghost, and on Tuesday afternoon entertained the pupils of St. Joseph's High School with a splendid eight-reel film of "Hamlet."

For those familiar with Shakespeare's great tragedy, the picture held an added charm, but even the latest comer felt the touch of the master hand in the portrayal of the great characters.

Lovers of Shakespeare would have been gratified to note the sympathetic attention with which the great drama was followed—a sympathy which found vent in one great burst of applause at Fortinbras' announcement: "Bear Hamlet, like a soldier, to the stage."

The Halloween entertainment of 1923 will surely be remembered by those who were privileged to take part in it.

Annual Auction Sale.
The Ladies Aid Society of the Swedish Mission Church will hold their annual auction sale Friday evening at 8:00 o'clock; many useful articles will be on sale. Refreshments will be served after sale. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

Miscellaneous Shower.

A number of girl friends of Miss Margaret Wroblewski took her completely by surprise Tuesday evening when they came to her home at 1008 Second avenue south, and spent the evening in playing various games which was followed by a musical program. Miss Wroblewski was the recipient of a large number of pretty and useful gifts. She will be married in the near future and the party was arranged as a miscellaneous shower. A dainty luncheon was served. All enjoyed the party.

Surprise Party.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Greenfield, of Soo Hill, were pleasantly surprised at their home Saturday evening by a party.

GETTING UP NIGHTS
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Indigestion, nervous acidity or abnormal sleepiness may be the cause of getting up nights. It is a common complaint. It is caused by the use of indigestible food, or by the use of too much alcohol, or by the use of too much coffee, or by the use of too much tea, or by the use of too much sugar, or by the use of too much fat, or by the use of too much salt, or by the use of too much spices, or by the use of too much stimulants, or by the use of too much depressants, or by the use of too much narcotics, or by the use of too much poisons.

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7 Chester White Brood Sows; 5 Chester White Boars; some Chester White Stock Hogs.

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The Piffle Hook

CADENZA FOR TUBA
There's a face at the window. The face of a man who expects something and is apprehensive in the expectation. Eyes that are shifty, weary of their never ending vigil; surveying with misgivings all strange faces which turn curiously towards his. Ears that hear eternally, the resonance of strange voices; fingers which toy restlessly at his watch chain or drum monotonously on the arms of his chair. Never moving, never faltering, never remitting for an instant in his scrutiny of the scurrying pedestrians who pause an instant before his door and then proceed upon their devious courses. My bootlegger has just learned that there's a federal agent in town.

There's a face at the window!
—THE AIREDALE PUP

THE NEW YORK boxing commission announces, again, that champions will be required to defend their title at least once each six months but it can scarcely be expected that professional fighters will fight as often as that if they can avoid it.

Dr. Frederick A. Cook declared, on the witness stand at his trial on a charge of conducting an oil swindle, that the newspapers robbed him of the credit for discovering the North Pole. The newspapers also robbed Papyrus of the credit for defeating Zev, and stripped Von Luendorf of the glory he deserved for winning the war.

A VILLAGE BOARD in Kansas has passed an ordinance prohibiting the use of saxophones in dance orchestras. This column retracts and humbly apologizes for some of the things it has said about Kansas.

SIR—I have just learned that an Escanaba surgeon recently performed his two-thousandth operation. When you are governor, don't you think he might be a good secretary of the interior?

—BINGO BEAN

We Want Serious Men; He'd Be Entirely Too Much of a Cut-Up.

A MAN WHO preferred to spend three rainy nights under a tree in the woods of Bark River township is declared to be sane. We've been in homes where the head of the house would be insane if he didn't do something like that occasionally.

Heaven, if we may be permitted to quote without using quotation marks, is on the side of the biggest battalions; luck is on the side of the athletes who do not wait for the breaks but make them; justice is on the side of the man who employs the cleverest attorneys, but one never knows whether Cupid is going to cast his influence with the strong or weak, the worthy or the unworthy.

MICHIGAN plays Iowa Saturday for the first time in 21 years. Iowa, it is hoped, will also remember the 1923 drubbing, for another 21.

FABLE: Two men went to Europe to study economic and political conditions. They came back to America with identical ideas as to what is needed over there.

MORAL: See heading.

SIR—As a patriotic, public-spirited citizen who has the best interests and the future of our city and county at heart, I ask you how anyone can expect Escanaba and Gladstone to flourish and prosper when the city administrations, police department, the sheriff and the federal authorities conspire and plot to stamp out what formerly was one of the chief industries of the region.

Will you pause with me to shed a pair of tears? —P. J. V.

We Will Pause With You to Shed Three Tears!

NOTHING'S IMPOSSIBLE But did you ever try to swim to Little Lake?—G. H. M.

POPULAR FICTION "I thought I paid that last summer."—B. A. M.

FAMILIAR QUOTATIONS "Shut that door!"

If it were not entirely improper, we might parody that The Creator must love poor losers.

He made so many of them. —H. K. R.

compelled to pass, but so long as it endures there will be no war involving many nations and millions of combatants. It is the warlike mind that is most to be dreaded, and the sanest reporters do not discover it now in Europe. The signing of the treaty with Turkey at Lausanne is one of the clearest proofs that Europe desires no more war at present. The statesmen concerned would never have consented to put their names to that document unless they had been convinced that the people of their countries would put up with almost anything rather than resort to arms again. So long as there is this prevailing mind to peace in Europe, peace will prevail.

COPY OUR METHODS.
If Gov. A. J. Groesbeck is serious in his desire and intention to enforce the prohibition law in Michigan, he could not do better than to send some of his investigators to Delta county, and get methods used in this county copied throughout the state. Delta county has been one of the few, if not the only county in Michigan, where city, county, federal and state authorities have fully cooperated, in a war against moonshiners and the sale of illicit liquor. This fact has resulted in more arrests being made in this county for violation of the prohibition laws, probably, than in any other county in Michigan. It has created an esprit and a wholly erroneous opinion through the remainder of the state that Delta county has been one of Michigan's most flagrant violators. Any resident of Delta county who has visited any other county in Michigan knows this is not true. It is the fact that city and county officers here have cooperated with state and federal officers in making wholesale arrests, while officials of other cities and other counties in Michigan have winked at prohibition law infractions, equally as flagrant and equally as numerous as ever found in Delta county, that this unjust impression has been established.

TOLERATED AND DESPISED.
The time has gone by since the average American citizen could get excited over the agitation for Communism. The agitator has cured him.

This agitator maintains an adjustable set of principles. Addressing an audience of sympathizers he thunders against the government and paints the soviet system as an improvement upon the institutions of paradise. In the presence of the police or in court he paints himself as a worshipper of the Declaration of Independence and a soldier for the Constitution. The preaching of violence is denied. As for advocating any change of government through the ballot box, he claims his right hand and solemnly swears that the charges are a pack of lies.

Promoters of socialism who are constituted partly of bluster and partly of cowardice are never going to get any distance in this country. They are like the coyote of the western plains—an animal that is tolerated because he is despised. Had the coyote a thimbleful of courage his race would have been killed off a generation ago.

THAT SUGAR SQUAWK.
Our Democratic friends have been sounding the tocsin over the high price of sugar. The sugar question seems to have dissolved itself satisfactorily without rushing the Democratic party back into power. One can buy a 100-pound sack of good granulated sugar now for \$8.75, or 8¢ per pound. Under the best of Wilsonism in attending to C. L. a sack of such the buyer back about \$4.25 on 100 pounds under Republicanism against Democratic subject our Democratic willing to drop.

SPAN WAR IN SIGHT
The no-sign of superior thoughts of most today are turning to have had their fill they are now longing rather than destroy. The more of crops are. All this may be a reaction of terror and desecration which they were



SALESMAN SAM



Hot Air Is Right



DOINGS OF THE DUFFS



FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS

"A WIFE'S STORY"
BY JANE PHELPS.

SUSPICIONS THAT WILL NOT BE DENIED.
Chapter LXVI.

The girls back in their own room, and my suspicions aroused—in spite of my reiterated assertions that it was impossible that Paul was plying so unwholly a trade—I watched from the rear window as soon as they were in bed. I saw no rockets, but the dim form of ships still stood out faintly against the horizon. I recalled all I had read of the fleets carrying illicit liquor, of the rum runners, the dock with the awkward row-boat showed plainly in the moonlight. Was the dock built for a purpose other than pleasure? Was the boat big and roomy for any other reason than the safety of the girls? Vainly I tried to banish such thoughts, to make myself really believe Paul incapable of such a thing as they suggested.

But the money, its source. All I had read or heard of the immense sums made by bootleggers came to me. Of poor, ignorant men, heretofore living in poverty suddenly amassing great riches, of men high in club and social life being tempted by the great monetary rewards gained by breaking the law and dealing in liquors—good if they could get them, bad, poisonous, if they could not. Some, a few had been arrested, were either out on heavy bail, or languishing in jail.

The picture frightened me, and intensely I longed for Paul's return from Canada. Wasn't that where much of the liquor came from? Now Paul's visits to Canada took on a sinister meaning. They had been increasingly frequent of late, and thinking this I

remembered that always, a few days after such visits, he had been unusually opulent, giving me more money than usual, or spending more extravagantly.

Paul had brought no liquor into the house, of that I was certain. I had been pleased that he had not kept even his usual small supply because of Joan, who when she had it was obliged to get it elsewhere than in our home.

Thoughts of Dave Logan came to me. Oh, why had he done as he had? Habit was strong upon me, and I longed to talk with him as I so often had done, to question him—there was no one else. My quiet retired life had given me no opportunity to make close friends, although I had many new acquaintances. I thought of Evelyn Markham, but dismissed the idea at once. I knew she never had approved of Paul, that George thought him a visionary without stability. Finally in despair I sought my bed, only to lie wide awake until morning brought its duties, and the necessity of hiding my anxiety from the girls.

"Perhaps Paul will come today," I said to myself as I went about my work. Had I known where to find him I should have sent for him, so impatient was I to have him refute the horrible charge Clem Saunders had made. But he had given me no address, I was helpless. So the long day passed until late afternoon: Joan was in her room. Laura had gone to call on friends. I heard the whirr of a motor and rushed to the door, Paul at last.

But instead of seeing Paul, three strange men were in the motor. They came up the walk



THE OLD HOME TOWN



Putting Over a Hot One



The Evils of Credit



A HALF HOUR LATER

STATION AGENT DAD KEYES WAS SMOTHERED
BAGGAGE THIS MORNING AND HALLOWEEN
HAD PUT HIS TRUCK IN A VERY UNHAND

