

WILSON KEEPS HIS LAST LONELY VIGIL

STORM CENTER PAST, WEATHER BUREAU SAYS

TRAIN SERVICE IS DEMORALIZED BY SNOW.

Relief from the two-day blizzard which had isolated Escanaba from the south as far as train and telephone service was concerned, was in sight last night, Harvey H. Spindler, of the United States weather bureau, said.

Although Mr. Spindler was cut off from his usual sources of information concerning weather happenings elsewhere, upon which the progress of a storm is traced, the barometer last night was showing a rising tendency, the snow was showing signs of passing out, and the observer was confident that today will bring better weather.

Steps were being taken by city and county officials to get the plows in operation for opening auto trails just as quickly as there was any assurance that the storm had passed over.

Only four trains were operated on the Peninsula division of the Chicago & Northwestern, Numbers 121 and 122—Ashland to Escanaba and Escanaba to Ashland made their usual trips.

The Michigan State Telephone company had a line open as far south as Appleton last night. Commercial telegraph companies were in virtually the same condition.

Again the "old reliable" Associated Press came through by routing its circuit through Lower Michigan and the straits into this city.

Better Today. Many newspapers in other parts of the country, however, were in a less fortunate position and radio fans again reported many attempts of news distributing agencies to read clients' papers through the ether.

There were no mail arrivals from Chicago during the day. A railroad telegraph and telephone officials expected, however, that the situation would be greatly relieved today and that unless another severe storm comes along on the heels of the one which has just passed, there will be a great improvement in communication arteries by night.

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1856 Woodrow Wilson 1924



ONCE more we weave a wreath for one of our dead great. Woodrow Wilson has passed. He had touched the spark that make men live. Today they bury a corpse within a plot of ground, but they cannot bury a tradition.

WE mourn him today—though Woodrow Wilson is not dead. Generations yet unborn will write his name large. Time will slip off the cloak that hid a heart brimming full for humanity, so all may see and know.

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LAST HONORS TO GREAT DEAD TO BE SIMPLE NO MILITARY PAGEENTRY TO MARK FUNERAL.

Washington, Feb. 5.—Lonely in the inscrutable majesty of death, Woodrow Wilson kept his last vigil tonight in the quiet room where life ebbed away. Eternal calm and a great peace brooded over the still, strong face.

Dear ones will have looked their last on those chiseled features when another sun has set. The broken machine, the valiant spirit that ruled it fled, will have been laid tenderly away amid sculptured marble to sleep forever.

There was little more of preparation necessary today for the funeral ceremonies tomorrow. They will be doubly stricken by their utter simplicity. Even the double religious services will be brief and lack much of the cadenced sorrow of church ceremonials for the dead.

Three times in less than three years the national capital has been called to witness the solemn ceremonial attending the funeral rites of men to whom the nation would pay the highest honors at its command.

Profound sorrow marked the funeral of President Harding. He also had been struck down in the full time of his service to the flag and men mourned his untimely death. Again, but with utterly different note underlying, the military and civil pageantry of fullest national honors will be mustered.

Strangely Different. Tomorrow comes the third day of national mourning, a day that will be strangely different from those that went before. Again the nation stands eager to lavish the full splendor of its sorrow about the bier of a faithful servant.

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STATE AT MERCY OF STORM KING; GREAT FIGHT ON

Rain, Sleet and Snow Combine to Demoralize Business. Detroit, Feb. 5.—The weather triumvirate—rain, sleet and snow, which fell in copious quantities yesterday and continued throughout the night into the dawn of day, still was holding Michigan and its environs at its mercy.

No Warning. There was no extended warning; just "a rumble like a thousand automobiles roaring down a distant road" one survivor said.

Sorrowful Vigil. Most of the victims were young men, many of them married, and most of the children that took up the sorrowful vigil with their mothers were tiny tots, clutched in wonderment at their mother's skirts, awed by the thing that had made them orphans.

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BOTTOM FALLS OUT OF POND; MINE FLOODS

Forty-two miners perished when the bottom fell out of a small pond and flooded the workings of the Milford iron mine near here late today.

Caught in the lower levels of the small mine, only seven of the crew of 49 at work were able to gain the safety of the shaft and ascend to the surface.

Like rats in a trap their comrades died suffocated by the slimy mud and water that gushed through the workings, seeping in the shaft within a few feet of the top within fifteen minutes.

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Washington, Feb. 5.—William G. McAdoo, a candidate for the Democratic presidential nomination is expected to appear next Friday before the senate oil committee at his own request to testify of his employment as counsel by the Doherty oil interests after his retirement from the office of secretary of the treasury in the Wilson administration.

Mr. McAdoo, who is to arrive tomorrow from California, to attend the funeral of former President Wilson has taken issue with E. L. Doherty that he has received "all told" \$250,000 in fees fixing the amount at \$150,000.

To Recall Fall. Before McAdoo takes the stand, Albert B. Fall, who as secretary of the interior granted leases to the Teapot Dome reserve to Harry F. Sinclair and the California reserve number one to the Doherty interests, will be recalled and asked to submit himself for examination.

Senator Walsb, Democrat Montana, who has been the dominant figure in pressing the oil inquiry, said today the committee also would hear George Creel, chairman of the committee.

Revolution In Honduras Seems Inevitable Now. New Orleans, Feb. 5.—General Tiburcio Carías, the Honduran presidential candidate who received the highest number of votes in the recent election but not enough to assure his election, has launched an uprising against the continuance in office of former President Lopez Quiroz, whose term expired February 1, and has established headquarters near Cholula according to advices received today by the Honduran consulate here.

State Delegates To G. O. P. Meet Going To Statler. Cleveland, Feb. 5.—Three state delegations today were assigned their hotel accommodations for the Republican national convention to be held here beginning June 10, according to Secretary James Jappe of the local convention committee.

Jackson Public Library Robbed. Jackson, Mich., Feb. 5.—Jackson public library was entered by thieves and \$55 stolen from a drawer, local police announced today, saying that the intruders must have been well acquainted with the interior of the building and must have known which one of the many drawers held the coin.

WEATHER

Table with 2 columns: Location and Temperature. Includes entries for Alpena, Atlantic City, Boston, Buffalo, Chicago, Cleveland, Denver, Detroit, Duluth, Escanaba, Galveston, Grand Rapids, Jacksonville, Kansas City, Los Angeles, Louisville, Ludington.

BULLETIN. St. Cloud, Minn., Feb. 5.—Ten men miraculously escaped death, one was slightly injured, and property damage running between \$75,000 and \$100,000 was done here late today when a 3,000 unit turbo-generator in the plant of the St. Cloud Public Service Company exploded.

State Going After "House Of David" Earnestly

GRAND JURY TO PROBE FORBES

Facilities Ahead For Former Veteran Bureau Head.

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But Four Percent Of Michigan Cattle Are In Pure Bred Class

(By The Associated Press.) East Lansing, Mich., Feb. 5.—All interests of today's season of farmers' week centered in cattle or livestock, except as the session of the Women's Congress led up to the opening of the new home economics building.

DIPLOMAS FOR BALL PLAYERS

American League to Honor Most Valuable Man Annually.

(By The Associated Press.) Boston, Feb. 5.—A diploma will be presented each season to the player in the American League who is named as the most valuable for his season's work.

EVOLT LEADER FLEES ON SHIP

(By The Associated Press.) Mexico City, Feb. 5.—Evacuation of Vera Cruz, chief rebel stronghold, and flight by steamer General de La Huerta and other revolutionary leaders, to an uncharted destination, was officially affirmed in a statement issued by the war department this evening.

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(Continued from Page One) man of the committee on public information during the war. Mr. Decheny testified that he advanced \$5,000 to J. Leo Stack of Colorado, who told him it was for Mr. Cheel who was endeavoring to prevent leasing of the reserves to Republicans after the change of administrations.

Grand Rapids Digs Out Of Giant Drifts

(By The Associated Press.) Grand Rapids, Mich., Feb. 5.—This city tonight was digging out from under a coat of sleet carried in the wake of northeastern gales, while other sections of western Michigan were still held in the grip of the blizzard that hit the state Monday night.

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ENDEAVORS TO DISBAND CULT; CUT PROPERTY

Vigorous Action in Next Two Weeks Is Indicated. (By The Associated Press.) Lansing, Mich., Feb. 5.—The state will attempt to throw the House of David colony into a receivership, disband its membership and secure a division of the reputed vast properties held by "King" Benjamin Purnell and his wife, Mary, probably within the next two or three weeks.

STORM SENDS BUSINESS MEN TO RADIO USAGE

(By The Associated Press.) New York, Feb. 5.—Storm demoralized wire service, cut off Wall Street commission houses from direct connection with Chicago and many other western cities today.

MAN KILLED RIDING ON A RUNNING BOARD

(By The Associated Press.) Jackson, Mich., Feb. 5.—Jack Reynolds tonight, while riding on the running board of an automobile, was probably fatally injured when the car crashed into a machine that was parked at the side of a street.

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REPUBLICANS COMPLETE DRAFT OF THEIR 1924 REVENUE BILL

Carries 25 Per Cent Cut On Personal Income Tax This Year. (By The Associated Press.) Washington, Feb. 5.—Republicans of the house ways and means committee today completed their draft of the 1924 revenue bill which carries a reduction of 25 per cent to apply on all personal income taxes payable this year.

CANADA READY TO CO-OPERATE

New Hope Is Seen For Deep Waterway Project. (By The Associated Press.) Washington, Feb. 5.—The Canadian government in a note transmitted to the state department through the British embassy has declared its readiness to act without delay on certain proposals made by the International Joint Commission for improvements in the St. Lawrence River between Montreal and Lake Ontario to make possible deep water navigation into the Great Lakes.

What Congress Did Yesterday

(By The Associated Press.) The house approved an appropriation of \$10,629,770 for prohibition enforcement. The senate oil committee met but adjourned because witnesses were late in arriving.

TWO CONVICTS DIE IN TREES DURING BATTLE

(By The Associated Press.) Little Rock, Ark., Feb. 5.—Emory Connell and Eulos Sullivan were shot to death in a gun battle with a posse near Redfield today.

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Ten Millions To Enforce The Volstead Law

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DELFT TODAY Last Times. It's for you as well as the children! Jackie Coogan "Circus Days" Also "WILDERNESS TREASURES"

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Service in Library. The family service at the "S" Street home will be held in the library, just below the room in which the dead was laid out.

Miss Cecelia Seldi. A large crowd attended the combination skating and dancing program at the Coliseum last night in spite of the inclement weather.

Miss Magnuson Surprised. Miss Helen Magnuson was delightfully surprised at her home at 214 Stephenson Avenue, by a large number of her friends, last night.

Between Love And Duty. Who knows what mental anguish was his as he thought of the day when his command would send the countless sons of America to render up their lives for the flag on the bloody fields of France?

Tomorrow tender hands will lift him down again for his last short hour in that memory-peopled room. They will bear him gently before the great fireplace where he so often sat and about him is the sacred privacy of the family circle.

His Favorite Hymns. There will be no music or hymns in the home service, although in life he had great love for three of the old, solemn melodies that have taught men courage and patience.

Strangely Small Escort. From the library of his home, Woodrow Wilson will be carried out by the soldier and sailor comrades of his strangely small escort—under whose command the greatest armed forces of the nation men in the millions had served—to be lifted in the waiting hearse and the last journey begin.

The very full skirt joined to the simple close-fitting bodice is the type of frock most noticed in the evening at smart dancing parties.

THE NEW STRAND TODAY And Tomorrow.

Matinee Today and Tomorrow—2:30—10c & 20c  
Nights—7:15 & 9:55—10c & 25c. Tax Extra.

Remember Those Happy Days of Childhood in the Small Town by the River?

The spring freshets and the flood. The boy with a shack on the shore where he invented the wireless boat and the little girl who was in love with David and how she stood by and saved his life during the flood.

You Do? Then—



You will enjoy this classic of the screen inspired by Paul Dresser's famous song.

"ON THE BANKS of the WABASH"

WITH A CAST OF STARS INCLUDING

- Mary Carr Burr McIntosh
James Morrison Madge Evans
Mary MacLaren

—ADDED—

"Fearless Flanagan"—Comedy

MANY ITEMS ARE EXEMPTED IN TAX RETURN

Collector Enumerates Additional Income Exemptions.

The collector of Internal Revenue for this district has issued a statement calling the attention of income tax payers to tax free items that should not be included in income tax returns.

"The Cat And The Canary" Started As One-Act Sketch To Be Used At Club Frolic

To the ambitious young playwright the true story of how John Willard wrote and sold "The Cat and the Canary," the famous mystery play, now in its second season in New York City and coming to the Delft Theatre on Thursday, Feb. 7th, is as full of thrills and surprises as that play itself.

LEGION MEN TO HONOR WILSON

Short Services Will Be Held At City Hall Today.

The memory of a buddy during the strenuous days of the World War will be honored today by Cloverland Post, American Legion, when a short memorial service will be held for Woodrow Wilson, former president and commander-in-chief of the American armies.

AMUSEMENTS

AT THE DELFT. In Sol Lesser's presentation of the boy genius, Jackie Coogan, in "Oliver Twist," the dominant note of the star's portrayal is that of pathos.

OBITUARY

MRS. E. C. STROMBERG. Impressive funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon at two o'clock at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Stromberg, 1507 Ludington street for Mrs. Eva Christina Stromberg, mother of Mr. Stromberg who passed away Saturday.

AT THE STRAND.

James Morrison, who made such a hit in "The Man Next Door" by Emerson Hough, will be seen at the Strand Theatre today in the leading juvenile role in "On the Banks of the Wabash," a Vitagraph special production.

LAWRENCE PEPIN.

Lawrence, the three-weeks-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Pepin died at the family home, 500 South 19th St., at 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon. The body was taken to the Allo Funeral Home where it will remain until time for the funeral, which will be held Thursday at 2 p. m., in St. Anne's church.

MRS. JOHN LAUSARDI.

Mrs. John Lausardi, 28, died at her home in Trembley at noon yesterday, according to word received from that city late yesterday afternoon. No arrangements for the funeral have been announced.

Legion "Round Up" Is Postponed One Week—Feb. 14-17

Postponement until February 14-15-16 of the "Round Up" to be staged by Cloverland Post, American Legion, was announced yesterday.

Contestants In Seventh Grade Contest Picked

Contestants in the Orange & Black grade school declamatory contest to be held at the High school Feb. 20, have been selected as follows:

SOCIAL

Women's Club Luncheon. The Escanaba Women's club will give a luncheon and bridge party at the Ludington hotel Wednesday noon, Feb. 13th.

Activities at St. Joseph's. Owing to the fact that no trains came into this city yesterday the film which had been promised for last night did not arrive.

Wife Said, "Finish It." When Mr. Willard read this to his wife, she agreed with him that it was a "thriller," but insisted that he had more than a playlet there.

Maniac In Room. Willard rapidly drafted the outline of a short sketch that he thought would startle even the blasé Lambs.

The Willard family was in the throes of moving from one apartment house to another, but in spite of the fact that he had to do his writing in odd minutes and for the most part using his lap for a desk, he finished it in less than a week making many radical changes to meet the new form.

Shubert Liked It. Lee Shubert took it under consideration and had about decided to begin rehearsals before Christmas when a press of other productions made that inadvisable.

Pythian Sisters Card Party. Members of Justice Temple, Pythian Sisters, will this afternoon hold a card party in the Pythian hall.

Entertains For Guest. Miss Marian Beaumier entertained a company of friends at her home, 429 South Ninth street, Monday evening, complimentary to Miss Grace Smith on the occasion of that young woman's birthday anniversary.

Card Party at St. Patrick's. A card party will be held tonight at St. Patrick's hall under the auspices of the ushers of that church. A large attendance is anticipated.

M. E. Sunday School Party. All children attending the First Methodist church Sunday school are invited to attend a party to be given tonight at the church basement beginning at 7:30.

CAMP SAVINGS CARDS GIVEN TO BOY SCOUTS

"Scout camp cards," similar to the familiar Christmas savings cards, are being distributed to members of troops identified with the Delta-Schoolcraft council.

Stamps will be used instead of punch marks. There are spaces for 24 twenty-five cent stamps and the six dollars thus registered will be sufficient to take a boy to camp a week for the 24 weeks between now and the opening of the camp season.

Centenary of the birth of Gen. Nathan G. Evans, who commanded the Confederates at the battle of Ball's Bluff.

One Reason for Nervous Disorders

YOUR doctor can tell you that nervous disorders are very common among Americans. One reason for this is found in the fact that they are great coffee drinkers.

Coffee contains caffeine, a drug, prescribed by doctors as an emergency stimulant for the heart and nervous system. It has a tendency to increase blood pressure, develop heart irregularities and cause digestive disturbances.

If you feel that coffee is not good for you, serve Postum as your meal-time drink.

Postum is a pure cereal beverage that refreshes and satisfies. It is absolutely free from caffeine or any other irritating drug.

Try a cup of Postum with your dinner or supper tonight. Postum is sold everywhere.

Postum for Health

"There's a Reason"



Postum comes in two forms: Instant Postum (in tins) prepared instantly in the cup by the addition of boiling water.

HONOR ROLL

The following pupils of the Jefferson school have been neither absent nor tardy. Seventh Grade—Milton Carlson, Walter Coolman, Harriett Fragile, Lilly Johnson, Dorothy Kelly, John Makosky, Elizabeth Pfister, Clarence Swanson.

Brower Out For Treasurer

Announcement has been made at Big Rapids of the candidacy of John K. Brower, of that city, for the Republican nomination for the office of state treasurer at the party convention early this fall.

BARR SCHOOL.

The pupils neither absent nor tardy in first semester are as follows:

Fourth Grade—Dorothy Cass, Mary Ann LeFleur, Vivian McMonagle, Elmer Nelson. Third Grade—Margaret Bloomberg, John Genlesse, Ethel Hakes, Harold Luick, George Lallo, Hubert McMonagle, Alice Nelson, Melvin Ostman, Paul Sundquist.

CARD OF THANKS.

We, the undersigned wish to express our sincere gratitude and appreciation to our friends and neighbors for their practical sympathy and help tendered to us during the sickness and at the subsequent death of our husband and father, the late John Dotseh.

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BRINGING UP FATHER



By George McManus



The Piffle Hook

AMNESIA. "What a wonderful thing a man's memory is..."

EDITORIAL

BEANS AND FLOORING.

Large co-operation to stabilize the bean market is urged upon Michigan farmers by their bean growers' association...

SALESMAN SAM



Money Talks



By Swan



By Swan



FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS



By Blosser



OUT OUR WAY



By Williams



THE VERY PLACE FOR IT.

The Democratic Governor of Colorado urges that the Bok plan be made a part of the Democratic national platform...

THE OLD HOME TOWN



By Stanley



"The Doctor's Story"

BY JANE PHELPS. HORACE VISITS LAURETTA. Chapter XXII. My mind in a tumult, I made my call on Mrs. Fowler as short as possible...

Application Received, Referred to Lizzie.

ALEX DZEWALA, Hamtramck bartender, told a federal judge he never had heard of the eighteenth amendment...

THE OSCILLATING CHAMP.

"Strangler" Ed Lewis jumped out of a ring the other night when "Battling" Siki, the Senegalese, attempted to kiss him...

RADIO IN NEW FIELD.

Radio was pressed into service in a new field Monday night when all wire communication with Chicago was cut off by wire from the storm stricken section of Wisconsin...

BUSINESS IS BUSINESS.

It is rather disconcerting to learn that the man who won the Bok \$50,000 prize for the best plan to insure peace, wrote what is held to be Democratic propaganda...

RUMMAGE SALE NEWS - NINTH DAY

JOE WELLER JUST DISCOVERED TODAY THAT HIS WIFE SENT HIS GOOD SUIT TO THE SALE EARLY LAST WEEK -







