

Settlement of the present anthracite controversy; and

Whereas this plan meets the requirements of the situation demanded by the operators in that it fully protects the interests of the public, and

Whereas this plan has been endorsed by the public in the anthracite consuming territory, therefore

Be it resolved, by the joint conference that the plan of the governor of Pennsylvania be and is hereby adopted as the basis of settlement and a sub-committee is hereby created, both sides to appoint two members for the purpose of writing a contract upon the governor's proposal.

The operators voted "No." The miners voted "Yes." You have asked for our suggestion as to the next move. There is a difference of opinion between the two sides which cannot be settled unless there is a basis upon which to refer to others to settle. In the present situation we have proposed to do this by arbitration. You still object to arbitration. In such case we feel the public looks to us to compose our differences by continuance of negotiations.

Replying, Mr. Lewis stated that the miners were willing to remain in the conference and that he would regard a breakup of the meeting without an agreement as a public calamity.

At the suggestion of Chairman Alvin Markie, the conference adjourned at 10:30 p. m. to meet at 11 a. m. tomorrow.

Scranton, Pa., Jan. 6.—(P)—A demand that the anthracite suspension be ended and that miners and operators settle their differences was contained in a telegram from publishers of the leading newspapers of the hard coal field this afternoon after a conference here.

The telegram was sent to the operators and miners' representatives now in conference in New York. The telegram follows:

The undersigned, responsible heads of the newspapers published in cities of the anthracite coal regions, desire to add their voices to the great chorus that has gone up to the joint conference of representatives of the United Mine Workers of America and the Anthracite Coal Operators association, now holding sessions at the Union League club, New York, to compose their differences to put an end to the calamitous incubus that now hangs over the anthracite coal regions.

Recall Distress Cases. "It should not be necessary to call your attention to the conditions that exist in the counties producing anthracite coal; you are as close to the heart-breaking situation as we. Stories of distress in which women and children are the chief sufferers, of special movements in many communities to relieve the public press, of soup services, of appeals for aid, of sickness among the children, of homes for want of fuel, have all been told to you in the past. The anthracite coal regions are in a state of privation bordering on desperation.

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OSAGE MURDER PROBE DELAYED

Lawyers in Investigation Busy With Routine Matters.

Guthrie, Okla., Jan. 6.—(P)—Investigation of the Osage murder cases by a federal grand jury marked time here today while United States district court officials busied themselves with routine matters.

After excusing of witnesses subpoenaed from the Osage country until tomorrow morning, Judge Clegg had in mind the way of the government's prosecution, but Doy Lewis, United States district attorney, later explained that equity cases had required his presence in the courtroom, making it impossible for him to appear before the grand jury.

Rumor of a break between state and federal officials over the custody of W. K. Hale and Ernest Burkhart arrested Monday in Osage county on state warrants charging murder, appeared to have originated from an order by Federal Judge Cotterel directing the county jailer to permit their attorneys to confer with them. The rumor apparently was dispelled by Lewis' statement following a conference with Judge Cotterel, that the men are the state's prisoners.

Many Indians who had been sitting most of the day with stolid faces broke into smiles when word was borne to them that the grand jury would delay the beginning of its inquiry into the mysterious deaths of nearly a score of their tribesmen and neighbors.

The grand jury investigation is intended to sift to the bottom a host of rumors accumulating for more than two years that a powerful conspiracy, existing in the Osage country to obtain Indian money, resulted in about \$2,000,000 through the deaths of a long line of scattered heirs.

Mrs. Mollie Burkhardt, wife of Ernest Burkhardt, is said to be the one surviving heir to a large part of this money. She is here as a witness.

Notre Dame Coach on European Tour

New York, Jan. 6.—(P)—Knute Rockne, Notre Dame football coach, who sailed today on the steamer DeGrasse for a tour of Europe, declared the present development of individual stars and their subsequent acquisition by professional teams was "something we coaches cannot help."

"After a player get through school, what he does is more or less his own business," he said.

BECOMES CATHOLIC. South Bend, Ind., Jan. 6.—(P)—A priest of the Sacred Heart church today confirmed reports that Knute Rockne, coach of football at the University of Notre Dame, has become a member of the Roman Catholic church.

Rockne was baptized in the Sacred Heart church November 18; was confirmed by the Right Reverend John Noll, bishop of northern Indiana, on November 20, and took his first communion with the entire Notre Dame football team on November 22.

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HOUSE STARTS RUBBER PROBE

Foreign Monopoly Threat to World Progress, Says Hoover.

Washington, Jan. 6.—(P)—Investigation of the situation growing out of the British rubber monopoly was started today by the house commerce commission.

Opening the inquiry, Secretary Hoover assailed "intrusion" by any government into trading operations on a vast scale.

The foreign monopolistic control of the crude rubber price, he said, threatens "not only the same progress of the world but contains in it great dangers to international good will."

In addition to the committee's hearing, the rubber situation was discussed in the house by Representative Frear, Republican, Wisconsin, while in the senate a resolution was introduced by Senator King, Democrat, Utah, to direct the judiciary committee to investigate alleged manipulations of rubber prices by foreign and domestic "monopolies."

Mr. Frear asserted that the rubber investigation "appears to have been based on high rubber prices and American press reports alleged to be propaganda," and that the Tilson resolution providing it seems "to be made on a basis for commercial reprisals."

Secretary Hoover, on the other hand, told the committee that the rubber situation could not be solved by acquiescence or acceptance and that it would only be compounded and aggravated by retaliatory action.

Favorite Daughter of Lloyd George to Go Under Knife

London, Jan. 6.—(P)—Megan Lloyd George, daughter of David Lloyd George, England's war premier, and his favorite, will undergo an operation for appendicitis tomorrow at her father's residence, Cheryne, Walk, Chelsea. She has been ill for a week.

Mr. Lloyd George, who has been on a vacation in Italy, is hastening to London, and will reach here tomorrow.

Lord Dawson, physician in ordinary to the king, is attending the patient.

Pittsburg jail has a radio. Bet weather reports and time signals make the prisoners mad.

ARMS PARLEY FUND FAVORED

Recommended to House by Foreign Affairs Committee.

Washington, Jan. 6.—(P)—Appropriation of \$50,000 to defray expenses of American delegates to the preparatory disarmament conference to be held at Geneva was unanimously recommended to the house today by its foreign affairs committee in compliance with a request from President Coolidge.

The administration's plans for participation in the discussion, meanwhile, were pressed forward. Secretary Kellogg conferring with Secretary Davis of the war department and presumably getting in touch with Secretary Wilbur respecting the selection of army and navy technical personnel that will aid the American delegation.

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Sauerman Convicted for Entering Saloon

Detroit, Jan. 6.—(P)—After deliberating eight hours, a jury tonight found Leo Sauerman guilty on a charge of breaking and entering. Sauerman was charged with having entered the saloon of W. L. (Buck) Postler, where he was found by police on the morning of August 8.

In his defense, Sauerman claimed he was intoxicated and remembered nothing of the events on the night in question. He said Postler had permitted him to sleep in the basement of the saloon and that this accounted for his presence there.

Sauerman was freed from the penitentiary at Marquette some time ago where he was serving a life sentence for the slaying of Alex Dombrowski. He was released when Harry Hill was convicted and sentenced to life imprisonment as the actual Dombrowski slayer.

Deny Larger Golf Ball Is Rejected by British Clubs

New York, Jan. 6.—(P)—Denying that a larger and lighter golf ball, recommended by the United States Golf association, has been rejected by English officials, W. Norman Hooper, chairman of the championship committee of the Royal and Ancient Golf club of St. Andrews, today asserted that there was "no difference of opinion" on the subject between the ruling links organization of America and England.

Classified Ads Cost Little.

Get Distress Calls From Unknown Ships

Wilmington, Del., Jan. 6.—(P)—An SOS call intercepted here through great interference reported the steamship Angus in collision with an unknown steamer off Delaware breakwater at 4:15 o'clock tonight. The only other information gleaned was that the Angus was proceeding toward Philadelphia listing badly.

Available shipping records list no vessel under the name Angus.

HEARS NO CALL. Philadelphia, Jan. 6.—(P)—The radio operator at the United States coast guard station at Lewis, Del., said tonight that he had received no SOS call reporting the steamship Angus in collision with an unidentified vessel off the Delaware breakwater.

He reported, hearing a message that the Port Worth, a freighter, had collided early tonight with an unnamed vessel just off the Delaware capes.

It was assumed the coast guard station said, that as there had been no further news of the collision, it was not of serious character.

TRAFFIC HALTED BY PARIS FLOOD

Situation Is Extremely Critical in French Capital.

Paris, Jan. 6.—(P)—Paris is in an extremely critical situation; a further rise of 30 inches, in the Seine would precipitate a catastrophe. Despite protective works hastily thrown up on both sides of the river, the waters are invading the city. The first effect of this is the closing of the Invalides railroad station, directly across the street from the ministry of foreign affairs.

Traffic Suspended. Traffic to Versailles, Rambouillet, Dreux and Granville has been suspended. The island of St. Denis was abandoned this evening by the residents, who took refuge in the city barracks, while Fort Vincennes, set aside for the accommodation of the refugees in the eastern part of the city, already shelters hundreds.

The Seine has risen from two to four feet in the last 24 hours and weather officials who predicted yesterday that the peak of the flood would be reached tonight, say now that it will continue to swell until Friday.

BELGIUM HARD HIT. Brussels, Jan. 6.—(P)—Belgium now is confronted with the task of restoring her flood-devastated regions. The damage estimated at \$200,000,000 is probably as much as that caused by fire and sword in 1914. It will reach hundreds of millions of francs. Certain regions like the valley of the Sambre and the Meuse, the restoration of which from the devastation of the war has just been concluded, present a pitiful aspect.

Parliament, which meets January 12, will be asked to vote funds for the rehabilitation and relief of the stricken districts.

BOOTLEGER NABBED

Detroit, Jan. 6.—(P)—Glen Thomkins, of Napoleon, Mich., was arrested today by customs liquor patrol officers in Ecorse, who seized 16 cases of ale, which they say Thomkins had in the rear compartment of his automobile. He will be arraigned before Judge J. Stanley Hurd, United States commissioner, on the charge of violating the prohibition law.

PRIEST DENIES BEING FANATIC

Founder of Sect Repeats She Felt His Evil Influence.

Bombon, Department of Seine et Marne, France, Jan. 6.—(P)—The denial of Abbe des Noyers that he ever belonged to the fanatical "Order of Our Lady of Tears," and Marie Mesmin's claim that even last night she felt the priest's evil influence marked today's developments in Bombon's Dark Ages scourging case. Father des Noyers, hardly able to hold a pen in his hand, prepared a report for his hierarchical chief, the bishop of Meaux, of his flogging by 12 members of the fanatical sect, who sought to exorcise evil spirits from his body. He denied he had ever belonged to the order, but admitted having been in correspondence with some of its members. "I conclude that I have come in contact with visionaries and fanatics," he wrote.

Meanwhile from Bordeaux came Mme. Mesmin's statement that last night she felt Father des Noyers gripping her throat. She said she called to her husband, who, by sprinkling her with holy water, and reciting the gospel, caused the pain to cease.

One of Mme. Mesmin's followers at Bordeaux said that Christmas night a young girl, inspired by Father des Noyers, tried to strangle the head of the sect, but the faithful of the order rescued "our saint." This girl now is in an insane asylum.

Legal authorities of the Bombon region are taking little heed to these accusations, confining themselves to the fact that a citizen has been attacked, beaten and insulted in a private office. They intend to call "Mother Marie" and all her disciples who took part in the flogging as witnesses.

\$1,000,000 Judgment Against Chapman Is Awarded Government

New Haven, Conn., Jan. 6.—(P)—The United States government today was awarded a judgment of \$1,000,000 against Gerald Chapman, murderer and bandit, in a suit for recovery of property stolen by Chapman and others in a mail robbery in New York City on August 24, 1922, in a decision filed by Federal Judge Edwin S. Tjybas. The action, begun when Chapman was transferred to Connecticut from Atlanta penitentiary a year ago was uncontested.

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Railroads Handle Greatest Traffic on Record in 1925

Washington, Jan. 6.—(P)—The American Railway association tonight announced that the railroads in 1925 handled the greatest freight traffic on record, and the bureau of railway economics disclosed that for the first 11 months in the year, class one railroads earned on the basis of their own property valuation figures, an annual return of 4.83 per cent. The bureau, which is maintained by the carriers, placed the net operating income for the 11 months at \$1,041,659,000 against \$899,866,000 during the

corresponding 1924 period. Returns filed by the railroads with its car service division of the railway association showed that cars in 1925 totaled 51,477,963 cars, an increase of 2,642,539 over 1924 and 1,934,849 over 1923, as well as an advance of 683,392 over the division's estimate for the year, in last spring.

NOT QUALITY. Hewson: I failed to marry Helen because of her past. Humphreys: What was the matter with her past? Hewson: Too long.—Answers.

Muslin curtains, rinsed in alum water, are rendered non-inflammatory. The alum will not spoil the color.

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7:15 and 8:55—10c and 25c.



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WELL KNOWN WOMAN DIES

Victor Blomstrom Passes; Mother Died Two Weeks Ago.

Many sentiments of genuine sympathy were expressed about the city Wednesday when the sad news of the death of Mrs. Victor K. Blomstrom, which occurred at 9 o'clock Wednesday afternoon, was heard.

Many of her friends were not aware of her illness as she had only been ill since December 31, Saturday, January 2, she was removed to St. Francis hospital where an operation was performed for a ruptured appendix. All that medical science, love and gentle nurses could do to save the life of the young wife and mother was tried but Death won in the race and she passed quietly away surrounded by members of her family and two of the pastors of St. Joseph's church of which she was a devout member.

Mrs. Blomstrom, formerly Miss Anna Walch, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Peter Walch, was born in this city November 3, 1881, and was reared in this city. She received her education at St. Joseph's school and was a graduate of the music department of St. Mary's college at Prairie du Chien, Wis. Mrs. Blomstrom was baptized, made her first holy communion and was confirmed at St. Joseph's church and was married there July 26, 1906 to Victor K. Blomstrom, a prominent business man of this city.

Mrs. Blomstrom leaves to mourn her besides her bereaved husband, five sons and one daughter, Victor, Jr., Ellis, John, Joseph, Robert and Mary Janette, one sister, Mrs. L. N. Schemmel, of this city. Ellis, John and Joseph are students at St. Francis seminary at Cincinnati, Ohio, and Victor is a student at Marquette university at Milwaukee. The sons had left Saturday for their schools after spending the holidays at the parental home and had been called to Escanaba two weeks ago by the death of Mrs. Blomstrom's mother, Mrs. Peter Walch, who passed away suddenly at St. Joseph's church during the 8 o'clock mass, December 20. Mrs. Blomstrom's death occurred two weeks after her mother's death.

Mrs. Blomstrom was a member of the Third Order of St. Francis and the Married Ladies' Altar society. The body was prepared for burial at the Alto Funeral Home and will be removed to the family home, 901 First avenue south today. No definite funeral arrangements have been made, pending the arrival of the sons who have been notified of their mother's death, but it will probably be held Saturday morning at 9 o'clock at St. Joseph's church.

Members of the St. Joseph Holy Name society will meet at the St. Joseph club rooms at 7:30 o'clock tonight to go to the Blomstrom home to recite the rosary.

Sophomore Class of St. Joseph's Offers Program

The sophomore class of St. Joseph's high school gave a program in honor of the feast of the Epiphany Wednesday afternoon as follows:

- Entrance March—High School Orchestra.
- Adeste Fidelis—Leslie Sullivan.
- Poem "The New Year"—Donald Rutherford.
- Bible Story, "The Three Kings"—Victor Moreau.
- Clarence Moreau and Francis Brotherton.
- Thought for Little Christmas—Alice Newitt.
- Selection—High School Orchestra.
- "Just One Christmas"—John Zoelner.
- Selection—High School Orchestra.
- Casey at the Bat—Roy Farrell.

The program closed with a devotional act by Wilfred Dupont and Leonard Racine.

GOLD THREADS

Black satin slippers have gold threads running through the fabric in a spider web design.

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Mile. Suzie Vernon has become a French film star over night. She got her start when she won a 50,000-franc beauty contest.

TAX RECEIPTS ABOUT NORMAL

No Confusion or Jam at Office of City Treasurer This Year.

State, county and school taxes are being received at a rate described as "average" at the office of City Treasurer A. J. Manley. It was said yesterday and the amount paid in by the end of the freeze-free period, January 11, will be about the same as that in other recent years.

The period closes on January 10, normally, but that date this year falls upon a Sunday and Mr. Manley announced last week that the time would be extended twenty-four hours to give tax payers the usual number of working days in which to make their settlements.

The lack of confusion and "jam" which in the past often characterized the final week of the tax periods is missing this year. No one has had to wait more than five minutes for a receipt. The reason is the excellently trained and efficient personnel of the treasurer's office, and a more modern system of handling the accounts.

Tax receipts are made out in advance and only the signature by the clerk accepting the money is required to complete the transaction. Until a year or two ago, the entire receipt was copied while the customer was at the window.

NOTICE K. OF C.

All members of the Knights of Columbus are requested to attend the weekly meeting at the clubhouse tonight.
(Signed) J. P. KENNEALLY, Grand Knight.
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Eggs covered with boiling water and allowed to stand for five minutes are more digestible than those allowed to boil for three minutes.

FRATERNAL

Rebekah Installation.

The Phoebe Rebekah lodge will hold its installation exercises at the I. O. O. F. hall Friday evening, January 8, at 8 o'clock. A social hour will follow and refreshments will be served. A large attendance is desired.

R. N. A. Meeting.

Arbutus Camp, Royal Neighbors of America, will hold their regular meeting this evening at the usual hour at Grenier's hall. A good attendance is desired.

Officers Elected.

St. Anne's Branch of the Holy Name society held their election of officers at a meeting which was held at St. Anne's hall Monday evening. The following officers were elected:

- Spiritual Director—Rev. Fr. R. G. Jacques.
- President—Pat Newitt.
- Vice President—Matt Eilison.
- Secretary—Thos. J. Tousignant.
- Treasurer—Gust Trotter.
- Directors—W. J. Roberge, Med Beaudoin, A. D. Richer and Thomas St. Jacques.

To Hold Monthly Meeting.

The Ladies' Aid society of the Swedish Methodist church will hold their monthly social this afternoon (Thursday) in the church parlors at 2:30 o'clock. Rev. Swan Magnuson of Ishpeming will speak. Everyone is cordially invited.

B. A. of R. E. Card Party.

Members of the B. A. of R. E. held a most enjoyable card party at the Eagles' hall last night. The committee in charge had provided everything possible to make the affair a success. Prizes were awarded to those who won highest honors at cards and refreshments were served.

Some confusion was caused by a statement in yesterday's Press.

that the event would be under auspices of the Eagles. This was an error which The Press regrets exceedingly.

Kiwanis Band Boys Working on Solos

Thirty or forty boys will compete, January 30, in the solo contest to be staged at the high school by the Kiwanis boys' band. Another gold watch will be awarded to the boy who, joining the band as a novice six months ago, shows the greatest improvement in his playing. Tickets for the contest will be offered to the public and it is expected that a large crowd will attend.

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Tailor tells how to overcome stiffness in hands

A Philadelphia tailor has found a quick way of getting rid of stiffness in the hands and arms caused by constantly using a hot iron.

"I have been using liniments for a long time," he says, "but I find that Sloan's Liniment is the best. It always gives me instant relief." (Name and address given on request.)

No matter how many other remedies you may have tried—Sloan's will help you. Just pat it on lightly, without rubbing. Right away Sloan's sends a healing tide of fresh, new blood right to the stiff, aching joints. The first thing you know the aching and stiffness are gone. Get a bottle today! All druggists—35 cents.

Civic Secretaries to Plan Peninsula Advertising Drive

Secretaries of chambers of commerce, civic associations and luncheon clubs in the Upper Peninsula are invited to an evening meeting at Sault Ste. Marie, January 13. The meeting is called on the joint invitation of the Soo Civic and Commercial Association and the Upper Peninsula Development Bureau.

The object of the meeting, according to G. E. Bishop, Secretary of the Development Bureau, is to discuss a plan of closer co-operation on the part of all such organizations, with a view to making the tourist and resort trade in 1926 the largest in the history of Cloverland.

"I believe the perfecting of such an Upper Peninsula Secretaries' Association will be a forward step," said W. J. Cummings, Secretary of the Soo Association. "Meetings should be held annually or semi-annually where we can make plans to co-operate on objectives common to all. The Development Bureau has taken the initial steps in building up tourist and resort business and advanced most of the money. I believe, however, that the program of attracting the tourist will be made more effective if all our organizations would co-operate with the Bureau in this effort."



Ogden H. Hammond of Bernardsville, N. J., is slated to be the new American ambassador to Spain. He will replace Ambassador Alexander P. Moore.

SIGHTSEEING

"Did you visit Venice on your honeymoon?"
"I really don't know, Jack bought all the tickets."

CIRCUIT COURT OPENS MONDAY

Only Six Criminal Cases on Calendar for Term.

Sixty-one cases are listed in the calendar for the January term of circuit court, which will be opened at the courthouse Monday morning.

Only six criminal cases are listed. Two or three others probably will be added to the list, it was said yesterday. There is no indication, however, as to how many will require services of the jury. Four of the six cases involve alleged violations of the prohibition laws.

The remainder of the calendar consists of 35 law cases and 18 chancery cases. Of the chancery group, 10 are petitions for divorce. Two cases in which no progress

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has been made for a year are listed. It is probable that the entire day, Monday, will be given over to naturalization matters, a good-sized class of applicants for citizenship being ready for "second papers."

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MARKET NEWS STOCK MARKET IS IRREGULAR

STOCK SALES AVERAGES. Date: Wednesday 142.84, Thursday 142.39, Friday 141.55, Saturday 141.93, Sunday 142.93, Monday 144.31, Tuesday 143.80.

New York, Jan. 6.—(P)—The stock market offered better resistance to selling pressure today, but price movements disclosed considerable irregularity.

Commodity markets were irregular. Wheat advanced 1/2 to 3 cents a bushel after an early period of irregularity.

Coffee sagged 4 to 12 points and raw sugar eased 1-32 of a cent a pound. Steel shares displayed a strong undertone with buying influenced by prospects of another favorable tonnage statement by the United States Steel corporation this week.

Heavy liquidation of the Pan-American issues in further reflection of the adverse federal court decision in California brought about a sympathetic reaction in some of the other oil shares. General Asphalt common and preferred, however, advanced to their highest prices since 1922.

Rails were reactionary although special strength developed in Delaware and Hudson, the stock showing an extreme gain of nearly 5 points at 141 1/2, the highest price since 1913.

Pacific coast was the outstanding strong spot including the specialties soaring 12 1/2 points to 48, a new high record. Other outstanding strong spots included Remington and Underwood Typewriter, Consolidated Gas, Standard and Electric, American Smelting, Intertype corporation and Weber and Heilbronner, the net gains in which ran from 2 to 7 points.

SKY - SCRAPER CUTS OFF LAST BIT OF LIGHT

Dorothea Antel May Never See Sky Again.

New York — Dorothea Antel may never see the sky again. New Year's Day, 1926 (finds her at the beginning of her seventh year of existence since the fall that made her a helpless cripple, sentenced to sit upright 24 hours a day, encased in a steel jacket, unable to move her body.

For six years the square of sky framed by her window has been her only reassurance that a world outside her sickroom existed. In the green space below, the children of the neighborhood, forming a Dorothea Antel club, gathered to watch her and play their games where she can watch.

They planted gardens of bright flowers that she could see from her window far above. Though they could not see the invalid, they knew that she was looking at them in her little hand mirror.

But the square of light is being cut off. A huge apartment building is going up next door, so close to the building in which Dorothea lies that she will not have a gleam of outdoors light when it is completed.

The crash of dynamite blasts and the throbbing of steam shovels, day after day, tell the story. The blasts are so violent that Miss Antel has fainted many times from the pain caused by the vibrations. For the slightest motion of the bed causes her to lose consciousness.

The nurse has to give her a general anesthetic every time her body is moved, for the changing of bed linens or of clothing. Six years ago Miss Antel fell down the stairs in passing from her dressing room in a theater in Hartford, Conn. Since that time her life has been perpetual torture.

GOLDEN BEAUTY OF PARIS



Golden curls and pearly teeth have won for Andree Rabant the title of "the sun girl of Paris." She's an actress.

OBITUARY

MRS. CASSIE ROBERTS. Funeral services for Mrs. Cassie Roberts were held at her home 120 No. 5th street Wednesday afternoon at two-thirty o'clock when Rev. R. C. Williams, pastor of the First M. E. church officiated at the services.

WILLIAM CARLSON. The body of William Carlson who died suddenly at his home Tuesday afternoon was removed from the Anderson Funeral Parlors to the family home, 224 No. 14th st., Wednesday afternoon.

THE traditional friendliness of stage people for each other has been verified in Miss Antel's case. Dozens of actors and musicians make the long trip to the Bronx every week to visit her.

Where an American hangs his hat

Once a hat was not just a hat; it was also a badge of sectionalism. That was when the broad-brimmed Stetson and the nobby derby seldom met. When South, East, North, West lived differently, dressed differently, thought differently. When a traveling American could feel like a stranger in his own land.

Before advertising— But now Mrs. Green of Boston and Mrs. Brown of El Paso use the same vacuum cleaner, face powder, soap; Adams of Boston and Sims of Seattle are alike in the cut of their clothes. And where an American hangs his hat, within the borders of these United States, he feels at home. Advertising did that.

Advertising is still at work helping to make these states united. Here is a better bed, a handsomer shoe, a more delicious food. Let it be known from Maine to California, from Washington State to Florida! Here's a healthier way to live, another safeguard for your family, a new service of self-improvement. Spread the news everywhere!

Advertisements. Read them. They are Couriers of Progress and Unity. Without them you'd lack half the comforts you now have. Ignore them and you'll miss many a good thing to come.

To keep pace with the times, read the advertisements every day.

SOCIAL

Mid-Week Service. In the time of Christ many interesting things took place on the housetop and in the market place. These, which have a special relationship to the proper interpretation of the New Testament, will be treated in the talk at the mid-week service in the chapel of the First Presbyterian church, which will be given tonight at 7:30 o'clock.

Norwegian-Danish Ladies' Aid. The Ladies' Aid of the Norwegian-Danish church will hold its annual business meeting Thursday afternoon, January 7, in the church parlors. All members are requested to be present.

Iron Mountain Man Is Arrested Here

George Gilbeau, a former resident of Escanaba who has lived in Iron Mountain for the last two years, was arrested here Tuesday night at the request of the Dickinson county sheriff's office. He was taken back to Iron Mountain yesterday by a deputy sheriff from that city who said Gilbeau was charged with having stolen \$70 from another man.

THE NEW PINK. "Enfant Pink", the new shade, is sharing honors almost evenly with white at every important social event. Pink and gold lace scarfs and black hats seem to form the natural complement to gowns of this shade.

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DELTA CHAPTER ORDER OF DE MOY Regular Meeting Every Second and Fourth Wednesday.

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DELTA CHAPTER No. 118, R. A. M. Regular Meeting Second Thursday of Each Month.

FOR SALE 16 inch dry softwood. 50 per double dump cart load. Phone 88. 7545-247-1mo.

FOR SALE CHEAP—12 spring seat, leather cushions, solid oak arm chairs; 6 foot quarter sawed oak plate glass show case with plate glass shelving; one medium size office safe; large roll top office desk; one single drawer National Cash register. O'Leary & Finley Co. or phone 120-W. 7732-3-21.

FOR SALE—1925 Tudor Ford Sedan, Bargain for quick sale. Address Box 7726 c/o Press. 7727-3-61.

FOR SALE—80 acre farm, 30 acres cleared, all equipment. Erick Carlson, Box 50, Perkins, Mich., or Phone 1221-W, Escanaba. 7759-5-31.

FOR SALE—Library table. Mrs. E. C. Voght. 7761-5-31.

FOR SALE—Household furniture. Priced very reasonable. Call 984-F2. 7772-6-4.

FOR SALE—White birch, big load, \$8.50, maple clippings, the slabs, Virginia lump coal, \$8.50 ton. Phone 589-J. 7773-4-31.

FOR SALE—Edison disc photograph with records. \$50. 302 South 19th Street. 7782-2-21.

FOR SALE CHEAP—Hand made slush 25 x 65, 2 overcoats, hat and cap. Good as new. Inquire 716 B. 14th St. 7774-7-41.

FOR SALE—Slightly used radio parts at sacrifice. 1406 Ludington Street. 7783-7-31.

FOR SALE OR RENT—Modern furnished or unfurnished home. Phone 842-W. 7778-7-31.

FOR SALE—Dry birch wood, 2 and 4 feet and also 16 inch. Quick delivery. Phone 1224-W. 7793-3-14.

WANTED—Competent maid. Mrs. E. J. Deiter, 824 South 9th Street. 7763-5-4.

WANTED TO BUY—Second-hand dresser or chiffonier. Phone 1416-W. 7743-4-41.

WANTED—Partner with \$500 to \$1000 for light mfg. business to locate in Escanaba. Address Box 7777 c/o Press. 7777-7-21.

WANTED—Girl. Hoyler's Tea Room. 7754-7-31.

GHOST ON HORSE.

Warnaby, Enc.—This little town owns a ghost which rides horseback. One witness said that he was terrified by an apparition on horseback which rode "through" the town.

FLAPPER FANNY says



The easiest way is to let him talk about himself, but who wants one who does?

WHICH NIGHT? CUSTOMER: When you sold me this medicine you said it would cure me in a night. CHEMIST: Yes, but I didn't say what night!

LUCKY. MRS. LEWIS: My maid left me without any warning. MRS. SMITH: Some folks are lucky; mine left me without any jewelry.

Jake Schaefer Regains 18.2 Balkline Title, Defeats Horemans

FINAL SCORE 1500 TO 890

Jake Makes Average of 93 12-16 in 16 Innings.

Chicago, Jan. 6.—(P)—Young Jake Schaefer, twice former champion, today regained the world's title at 18.2 balkline billiards to the United States when he defeated Edouard Horemans, Belgian titleholder, 1500 to 890, after three 500-point blocks of play.

The score for the final 500-point block today was: Schaefer, 500; Horemans, 318.

Schaefer averaged 93 12-16.

Schaefer compiled the phenomenal average of 93 12-16 for his 16 innings during the two nights and afternoon of play. It has not been long, however, since the loser's average of 55 10-16 would have been considered excellent.

From the opening inning Monday night Horemans was forced to fight an uphill battle and virtuously he once credited him with a chance after Schaefer took the first block, 500 to 375.

When the little champion emerged from last night's play with a deficit of 428 points his chance to retain the title virtually was nullified.

Horemans Runs Highest.

Despite Horemans' extremely poor showing when his total is compared with Schaefer's, he twice scored runs higher than the American. Horemans' 445 in the final inning of the opening block was the high run of the match, and his 231, scored today in his dying effort to retain the championship, was better than anything Schaefer could do. The winner's best was a run of 210, scored last night.

It was with consistency and grim determination that Schaefer prevailed over Horemans, who defeated Schaefer for the title only a month ago by a meager five points after Schaefer scored 432 points in a final effort.

In eight of his 16 turns at the table, Schaefer counted more than 100 points, while in only two efforts did Horemans reach triple figures.

Have New Referee.

The contest was forced upon Horemans by Schaefer, who threatened to quit in the middle of their last contest unless the little Belgian would agree, winner or loser, to meet him again inside a month.

Schaefer became enraged over a decision by the referee, J. Herbert Lewis, of Chicago. He would not agree to Lewis for the match coming this afternoon and Charles Peterson of St. Louis, the trick shot expert, was the third man at the table.

Turns in challenging were decided by the order of the finish in the round-robin tournament for the championship last winter, and, reverting to that order, Erich Hagelbacher, the German champion who finished second, will meet Schaefer next month.

Score by Innings.

The scores by innings for the three blocks: Horemans—17, 15, 8, 0, 1, 2, 23, 242, 37, 89, 91, 24, 44, 1, 18, 231—890.

High run, 243; average, 55 10-16. Schaefer—37, 135, 1, 0, 85, 138, 52, 170, 19, 310, 125, 140, 128, 7, 190, 33—1500.

High run, 210; average, 93 12-16.

FAMOUS LEATS
COLLEGE STARS
ART CARLSON

TWICE IN SUCCESSION To Dexter Cummings, prominent known golfer, goes the honor of being the only pasttime to win the intercollegiate title twice in succession.

Cummings gained the championship at St. Lawrence in 1925. And successfully defended it the next season over the Greenwich Country club layout.

Cummings finished fourth in the qualifying round with a card of 153. This was eight strokes behind Lauren Upson's medal score. Taft, Dartmouth, and Comstock, Williams, also tripped in ahead of Cummings.

Cummings got down to real work, however, whipping Clough, Harvard, in the opening session without much difficulty. In the next round he best Cannon of Pittsburgh, Yale, 7 and 5.

The Yale player was given his toughest fight in the third round when Davis, the Princeton star, had Cummings two down at the thirteenth. Cummings squared the match at the fifteenth, though, only to drop back again on the following hole.

They were all even on the seventh, Cummings getting a par 4; halved the next, with Cummings finally winning out on the nineteenth.

Cummings then went on to defeat Mapes of Harvard, 4 and 3, in the semi-finals, and Taft, Dartmouth's ace, in the deciding match. The intercollegiate tournament has been held almost annually since 1897.

LONG STEPS. CHEMISTRY TEACHER: This gas is deadly poison. What steps would you take if it should escape?

STUDENT: Jolly long ones, sir!



LLOYD HAHN

Lloyd Hahn, Boston A. A. runner and holder of the world indoor records for the ½-mile and 1500-meter runs, who has sailed for New Zealand on a mission somewhat similar to Nurm's invasion of America last winter. At Honolulu Hahn is to meet Jackson Scholz, star sprinter, and the two will then proceed to the Antipodes. Hahn has been running only three years but in that short interval has come to the front rapidly.

The NUT CRACKER
by Joe Williams

While half a loaf may be better than none, Mr. O'Goofy is the type of bird who prefers to loaf all the time.

Knute Rockne says he wants to get as far away from football as he possibly can. . . . We suggest he spend the winter at Harvard.

Major Griffith, chief of the Western Conference, presents figures showing 70 per cent of the nation is engaged in some sort of athletics. . . . This includes, no doubt, the important element interested in African golf.

Mr. Yost writes Grange was great only as an offensive player. . . . There were times, in fact, when Grange must have been terribly offensive to Mr. Yost.

Willie Striding announces he will keep on fighting, though married. . . . Which proves Willie is wise beyond his years.

Tex Rickard lost \$15,000 on a charity boxing show. . . . Now Tex is looking for the philosopher who said charity began at home.

Society Note: The Dempseys are going to move to Florida, and will be home to their friends after the middle of January. (This does not include Gene Tunney or Harry Wills.)

SAPPY SO-LONGS (Being the first mess of what threatens to be a horribly nauseating list.)

"Don't take any wooden nickels." "Keep your talk-light burning." "Remember me to your Aunt Emma."

"See you in church." "Don't do anything I wouldn't." "Be good—if you can't be good, be careful."

(There's the plot, squirrels. Now send your in. We'll print 'em. And oh, yes, good-bye now.)

The old-fashioned guy, who used to spend his time doping out perpetual motion, now has a son who devotes his winters to trying to define an amateur.

The business of snow shoveling is easy once you get the drift of it.



Love laughs at locksmiths but it often only has a sickly grin for bill collectors.

SPORTS HEROES TO BE HONORED

Bishop Manning's Cathedral to Establish "Sports Day".

New York, Jan. 6.—(P)—The memories of such notable figures in athletics as Christy Mathewson, Walter Camp, Hobey Baker, of hockey fame and Robert D. Wrenn, former tennis champion, will be preserved in the "sports day" of the Cathedral of St. John the Divine if plans outlined today are carried out in connection with the contribution of the sports world to the construction of the edifice.

The suggestion was put forward at a conference of leaders in athletics and newspaper men with Bishop William T. Manning and Julian S. Myrick, head of the sports committee, seeking to raise \$150,000 to build the "day" or window.

As explained by Mr. Myrick, the day will be symbolic of sports in general with tributes to such famous figures he mentioned, occupying appropriate places. It is possible that the inclusion of living performers such as Paavo Nurmi, William T. Tilden, Bobby Jones or Man O' War will be considered.

Bishop Manning reiterated his assertion that he sees no harm in Sunday sports such as baseball, golf, tennis, so long as they do not interfere with Sabbath worship or church attendance.

The impression that "religion is suspicious of sports" or that it frowns on athletic activities, particularly on Sunday, is erroneous, the bishop declared, and serves only "to give religion a black eye."

ST. PAUL WINS.

St. Paul hockey team evened up the two-game series by defeating the Everett-Hibbing sextet, 3 to 1, here tonight, in a United States Amateur Hockey League contest.

INDIES DEFEAT POWERS, 25-8

Will Play Strong Upbay Team at Community Gym Tonight.

Powers, Mich., Jan. 6 (Special)—The Powers, quiet of basket hoopers suffered their first defeat of the season here tonight when the Escanaba Independents scored the top heavy count of 25-8 against them.

The Escanaba team played a brilliant defensive game and the Powers forwards were unable to get anywhere near the basket with the ball. The local four baskets were gained by long shots from around the middle of the floor. McNelis, forward, did the best work for the Powers five.

Scoring Divided.

Christenson, playing his second game with the Escanaba Indies, was a big factor in keeping down the Powers score. In addition he shot two field baskets and a free throw. Scoring honors among the visitors was pretty evenly divided, Blomstrom, Andrews and Gafner each getting three field markers, Christenson adding five points and St. Louis two.

Blomstrom started the game for Escanaba at center; Gafner and Andrews held the forward berths with Christenson and Vandenberg at the guard position. St. Louis substituted at center and forward. Schram got in for a time at guard and Tolan at forward.

PLAY GLADSTONE TONIGHT Fresh from a 25 to 8 win over Powers and confident of their ability to continue on the winning side of the ledger, the Escanaba Independents will travel to Gladstone tonight to do battle with the Gladstone city team.

In their game with Powers last night, the Indies showed a world of improvement and should give the Gladstone quint a stubborn battle. Both teams are in tiptop shape for the encounter.

Soderberg, indeed, guard, will be back in the line-up tonight and will probably start the game. Christenson and Vandenberg will also get in as guards. Blomstrom and St. Louis will divide the center position and Schram, Gafner and Andrews will fill the forward berths.

BRAVES PLAN GRID ELEVEN

Boston, Jan. 6.—(P)—The Boston National League baseball club has applied for a franchise in the National Professional Football League and plans, if successful, to place a salaried eleven in the field for the next two seasons. Secretary Edwin Riley announced today.

The project was planned partly as an economic addition to the Braves Field baseball park. Riley said, as the leaders of the National League club hoped to make up for many months of baseball idleness by filling the stands in the fall and winter months.

The Braves are the first major league club to throw its lot in with professional football, although the New York Giants last season lent their name and grounds to a club promoted by outside interests.

NEW FASHIONS.

Paris.—Dead-white hair, only to be achieved by a coating of liquid powder, and blood-red nails are the newest manure fashions.

Learned a Lot.

"We've got an insight into America that you can't get any other way," says Miss Kelly. "Our health has been splendid. We've learned something of life and something of humanity and a whole lot about the United States of America on this trip."

"We don't know how long it's going to last. Maybe another year. Or we may get tired now, anytime, and start for home. But we wouldn't have missed it for anything."

First saxophone was made in 1846 and there are those who will claim it was a serious mistake.

BILLY EVANS SAYS

DIGGING FOR OIL.

Heard an interesting golf story recently as related by Walter C. Kelly, the Virginia judge, whose name is familiar to all those who care for vaudeville.

Like a great many of the professional people, Kelly resorts to golf as a means of relaxation, also for the exercise he gets out of the walking.

Kelly is no Walter Hagen. His caddy this day was Irish, and it was his first experience totting a golf bag. Most caddies are able to offer bits of advice but this one was deaf and dumb over the entire route. He didn't know what it was all about.

It so happened that Kelly was in bad form. He was all over the course, in every trap. It took him five shots to get out of several of the bunkers and he dug up plenty of turf and sand.

Kelly, after 18 holes, paid the caddy, much disgusted with the game. He tipped him liberally and the caddy, after thanking him, said:

"When yer-oom round here agin to dig oil, I'd be mighty glad to carry yer tools agin."

Kelly said he put the golf clubs away for a month after that crust comment on his play. But he came back like all other golfers.

TRICK SHOTS.

Joe Kirkwood is the world's greatest golf trick-shot player. In his exhibition matches it is uncanny the things he does with a golf ball. The little white pill seems to obey his every whim.

Yet, when he plays in championship matches, Kirkwood never resorts to any of his tricks in order to get himself out of trouble.

A number of times I have seen him in just the position he would take to illustrate some of his golf magic. But on every occasion he has played straight-away golf.

No doubt it is the psychology of the thing that guides Kirkwood in his play. The trick shot is easy when there is no strain, when nothing depends upon its success or failure.

Recently I heard Kirkwood say that the only hole in one he ever made came as a result of one of his trick shots. As I recall it, the incident took place at Cedar Rapids, Iowa.

One of his standard tricks is playing a ball off the face of a watch. Hitting the ball from the first tee with no particular care as to direction, he got a good 250 yards and held out on the first green. It was unintentional; no part of the trick.

FOR PRO GOLFERS.

January, by the way, is going to be a big month for the professional golfers. There will be plenty of real money to shoot at.

Long Beach, Cal., starts the ball rolling with \$2000 in prizes for tournament play, scheduled for January 3 and 4.

This event serves as an excellent conditioner for the California open, which is to be held at Los Angeles January 7 to 9. The various purses offered will aggregate \$10,000.

Then the players shift to San Antonio for the Texas open January 14 to 16, worth \$6000; the Dallas open follows, January 21 to 23, with a similar purse.

TOPS PREPARE FOR GLADSTONE

Plenty of Pep on Both Sides Friday Night.

Excitement is running high in the Escanaba high school because of the fact that Friday night in the local gym one of the most exciting of all basketball games is going to take place between Escanaba and Gladstone. The local quint is determined to make amends for the fact that they only tied Manitowish and lost to Gwin. Gladstone as well as Escanaba is being tuned to perfection for the game. They are coming over here with one of the peoplet teams and the largest crowd that ever came from the Uphay city to Escanaba for a basketball game. A real treat is assured for those who attend.

The Gladstone reserves will play the Escanaba reserves in a preliminary game that starts at 7:15. No charge will be made for reserved seats. Tickets for students may be purchased before 6 o'clock on Friday night at the principal's office at the high school. Only 50 cent tickets will be sold at the door.

THOUGHTFUL.

MOTHER: What, Bobby? You ate all of that cake without thinking of your little sister?

BOBBY: I was thinking of her all the time. I was afraid she would come before I had time to finish it.

Sell It the Classified Way.

"NURMI OF ICE"

NEW CHAMPIONS HELP INTEREST IN BOXING GAME

1925 Season Saw Many Champs Dethroned.

The past season was eventful in boxing. Every division produced a colorful chapter, if not a new champion. Death claimed Pancho Villa, the flyweight champion, on the coast, following an operation for an infected tooth.

Frankie Genaro, thrice victor over Villa, claimed the title, and went to the coast to defend it against a school-boy fighter, one Fidel LaBarba, a product of the amateur rings. LaBarba produced a genuine surprise by out-pointing Genaro and winning the title decisively. LaBarba thus becomes the youngest titleholder in the game.

The bantamweight title shifted heads again. Cannonball Martin, winner over Abe Attell Goldenstein last year, bowed to Charlie Phil Rosenberg, present holder. Rosenberg made two notable defenses of his title. He knocked out Eddie Shea of Chicago in four rounds. Subsequently he went to the coast, met California Joe Lynch in a no-decision fight and was badly beaten.

California, a reborn power in boxing, was ever prominent in the boxing dispatches of the year, producing a number of stars, including Mushy Callahan, a former Jew's pay newsboy, who handed Pal Moran his first knockout, and Tod Morgan, who knocked out Mike Ballerino to win the junior lightweight championship.

Louis Kid Kaplan, winner of the featherweight championship in an elimination tournament at the old Madison Square Garden, went through the year with his laurels intact, though Babe Herman, his eternal Nemesis, gave him a great fight. Kaplan won the title by beating Danny Kramer in the tournament finals.

The lightweight division was left without a champion when Benny Leonard, who had already outgrown the division, announced his formal "retirement." This provoked another elimination tournament and the winner proved to be Jimmy Goodrich, a young New York state boy. Goodrich didn't last long, and was dethroned the first time he took on a tough opponent. His conqueror was Rocky Kansas a veteran of 14 years' campaigning in the ring, and a boxer many thought

THE REFEREE

Where did the White Sox obtain Ted Blankenship?—D. F. G.

Record is 11 ft. 4 1/2 in., made by Ray C. Evry at St. Louis, Aug. 23, 1904.

Who won the public links golf title in 1924?—W. E. R.

Did Ken Williams of the Browns ever play in the National League, if so, when and with what team?—D. W. A.

Yes, playing with Cincinnati in 1915-16.

How many times did battling Nelson and Joe Gans fight and what were the results?—F. G. W.

Three, Gans winning the first on a foul in the 42nd round and Nelson knocking out the colored scrapper in 18 and 21 sessions in the other clashes.

ABANDON IMPERIAL GAME ACRES.

Tokyo.—Three of the large royal game preserves are being abolished because the Imperial family wishes them to revert to public use, and also to eliminate the rather heavy expenses of keeping them up.

Their abolition is expected to effect a saving of about 200,000 yen yearly in the household department.

The only thing worse than Christmas cigars is the jokes written about Christmas cigars, including this one.

LOUGHNAN WINS

Grand Rapids, Mich., Jan. 6.—(P)—Tommy Loughnan, Philadelphia light-heavyweight, defeated Joe Packer of Toledo in a ten-round bout here tonight, winning every round by a clear margin.

Quaker City fighter, entering the ring at 171 pounds, a seven-pound advantage over Packer, displayed superior skill and effectiveness, landing blows to the head and body almost at will. Packer, although out-classed, stood up gamely under terrific punishment and lashed out with telling left punches at intervals.

Get Ready For Skating!

Take those tubulars to Dube for sharpening. Special equipment. Work guaranteed.

PETER C. DUBE 608 So. 11th Street, Escanaba.

DANCE
At North Star Hall Saturday, Jan. 9
GIVEN BY NORTH STAR SOCIETY
Music Furnished by
Johnson's 5 Piece Orchestra
You will enjoy this peppy music.
The Public is Invited. Admission \$1.00. Ladies Free.

IF BIG LEAGUE PITCHERS CAN USE RESIN, PITY THE POOR ARBITRATOR

UMPS, GIMME THAT RESIN!

Y' TRYIN' T' SLIP SOMETHING OVER ON ME, HUH? YOU'RE FINED 50 BUCKS FOR USING SLIPPERY ELUM!

ONCE RESIN IS PERMITTED, THE UMPES WILL HAVE A TOUGH TIME KEEPING THE REST OF THE TRICK STUFF AWAY FROM PITCHERS

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN—Owing to the fact that the umpire suspects something OTHER THAN RESIN IS BEING USED, THE GAME WILL BE MOMENTARILY HALTED WHILE HE EXAMINES THE BALL AT THE LABORATORY

IT MAY EVEN GO THIS FAR.

THE CLASS WILL NOW RECITE ORALLY

SHUCKS!

UMPIRES MIGHT BE COMPELLED TO TAKE A COURSE IN CHEMISTRY IN ORDER TO PROPERLY ANALYZE FOREIGN MATTER USED ON THE BALL.

I HAVE A TERRIBLE TIME TOLERATING THAT RESIN!

WELL, PROFESSOR, HOW DO YOU LIKE YOUR NEW WORK?

JUST A COUPLE OF FUTURE UMPES.

WOMAN, 104, IS MARRIED AGAIN

Has Been Married Four Times Already; Husband is 74.

Shawnee, Okla.—Marriage is generally considered an institution. But sometimes it's a habit.

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The husband, who signs his name as "L. Hamrick," is only 74. But this is his fifth marriage, too.

"Getting a husband is the easiest problem I ever solved," says Mrs. Hamrick.

"I hope I can live another century," she says, and Mr. Hamrick does. "I will immediately seek out another husband. And if I die first I want—and expect him to marry again."

A Frontier Woman. Mrs. Hamrick is a product of frontier days, and proud of it. She lives in a three-room house on the edge of town and for all her 104 years does all her own work as efficiently as a woman half her age.

She was born in Tennessee, and was only 28 when first married. The second husband came along 12 years later, the third husband a decade after that, and the fourth a scant twenty years ago. She has been dead four years.

Hamrick, the present incumbent, broke his courtship with gusto.

"I was picking cotton on Salt Creek and some of the boys told me about Mrs. Wellfelt" (Mrs. Hamrick's name when he met her first).

"They said she had plenty to keep her and that she was on the carpet. I immediately became interested."

"It happened that I was visiting a friend who lived near her when she came over for a visit, looked at her and she looked at me—then we both laughed. It was love at first sight. And, it was only a few days until she set the date for the wedding."

"Divine Providence had a hand in bringing them together, Hamrick asserts.

Fixed for Life. "She has plenty to keep us," he says. "On the other hand, I had nothing. I will take care of her and she will take care of me. We will both have a comfortable home and be company to each other."

"Mrs. Hamrick plumes herself on her vamping abilities. "I have never yet failed to get a man that I went out after," she remarks. "I spot 'em; then get 'em into the house—and, well, I just don't lose 'em."

Although Mrs. Hamrick can neither read nor write, she has composed a number of verses. When she was asked her views on bobbed hair, for instance, she recited the following: "Combed by herself without assistance:

"God made the forehead; A temple of thought; The devil made bangs; To send it to naught."

LONG DISTANCE LOVE. Mary: What's the matter with Bob? Beth: Eye-strain. The poor boy has fallen in love with a chorus girl and can't afford anything but salty seats.—Answers.

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CITY BRIEFS

Leo Young, traveling salesman for the Goodyear Tire company in the upper peninsula, with headquarters in this city, has returned from a visit with relatives in Los Angeles and other western cities.

LEATHER CLOTH COAT TRIMMER. CLOTH COATS \$39.50. VALUES NOW \$24.50 AND \$23.50. OSHINS REMODELING SALE. 7781-7-31.

Joseph E. Turner, county agricultural agent, is expected to return today or tomorrow from Rochester, Minn., where he was called by the illness of a relative.

Charles Stoll has returned from a business trip to Chicago.

CHOICE ANY CLOTH COAT IN THE HOUSE \$110.00-\$125. VALUES NOW \$50.00. REGULAR SIZES AND STUTTS. OSHINS REMODELING SALE. 7781-7-31.

E. F. O'Leary, who recently returned from the retail shoe business in this city, has accepted a position as local agent for the New York Life Insurance company. Mr. O'Leary has already assumed his new duties and will devote all of his time in the future to that business.

STILL GOING STRONG—OSHINS GREAT REMODELING SALE. BUY NOW—YOU CAN SAVE. 7781-7-31.

Allen Tyrrell of Brampton was a business center in the city yesterday.

Get Voco, the cold breaker. 7704-5-Jan.

Mrs. Ralph Olson has returned to her home at Chicago after a visit at the home of her parents. Mr. and Mrs. John Holmgren, Ludington street.

Miss Mary Holmgren has returned to Chicago after spending the holidays in this city.

OUR ENTIRE STOCK OF FINE CUT VELVET DRESSES—NOW BEING SOLD—ONE-THIRD TO ONE-HALF OFF. OSHINS REMODELING SALE. 7781-7-31.

William Perryman of Detroit, who has been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Beaudin, 612 So. 15th street, has returned to that city.

Miss Marie Scherriff left Tuesday evening for Prairie Du Chien to resume her studies at St. Mary's college after spending the holidays at the home of her parents.

OSHINS ENTIRE STOCK OF FINE FUR COATS REDUCED ONE-FOURTH AND ONE-THIRD. 7781-7-31.

Mr. and Mrs. John Nelson of Michigan have returned to their home after a brief visit with friends in the city.

Mrs. Fred Frasher is ill at her home on North Tenth street.

Gene O'Leary sells New York Life Insurance. 7779-7-1mo

The feature at the Coliseum Roller Rink tonight will be the Lucky Circle for which one to 25 prizes will be given away. There will be the usual machine in the afternoon. Agnes Daboff won the "kitty" last Sunday night.

Regulate Danoo every Saturday night at Terrace Gardens. 7770-6-61.

NOTICE K. O. C. All members of the Knights of Columbus are requested to attend the weekly meeting at the clubhouse tonight. (Signed) J. P. KENNEALLY, Grand Knight. 7782-11.

WALES FALLS AGAIN. London—The Prince of Wales resumed his pastime of hunting and falling off horses at the same time in a recent hunt at Whaddon Chase. His horse fell in taking a gap in a fence. The prince was not injured and resumed the hunt.

FIRST TIME



For the first time in history a rabbi opened a session of the Senate. He was Rabbi E. J. Jack.

THE DAY IN WASHINGTON

A senate inquiry into the aluminum case was brooked. Secretary Hoover explained the rubber situation to a house committee.

Legislation to prevent chaos in the radio field was urged by Secretary Hoover.

A senate committee began consideration of the question of long and short haul railroad rates. Objections to the senate report was voiced by Senator Brookhart before a committee considering the Iowa contest.

The senate refused to order an investigation of propaganda in favor of the world court and debt settlements.

The house foreign relations committee approved a \$50,000 appropriation for American participation in the preparatory disarmament conference.

City Council Will Convene Tonight

The Escanaba city council will have the new uniform traffic ordinance and several other important items of business before it when it convenes tonight. The session is likely to be a lengthy one, it was said yesterday.

Our idea of a radical is a man who thinks he deserves his neighbor's ear because he can run it.

Weak, cold tea is excellent for cleaning tarnished paper. Apply with a cloth and dry with a soft duster.

MOVE TO CURB WATER "STEAL"

Bandeens Named Delegate to Drainage Meet at Detroit.

Lansing, Jan. 6.—(AP)—An effort to consolidate the activities of the state in opposition to the further excessive abstraction of water from the Great Lakes through the Chicago drainage canal will be made in Detroit on January 14 and 15. According to an announcement from Governor Groesbeck's office today, delegates to the Great Lakes Harbor association will meet there and take a decided stand in favor of halting the diversion of water. An organization of some sort, which will have as its major aim the concentration of Michigan cities and communities behind the fight to prevent injurious abstraction, probably will be formed.

The delegates include: Atty. Gen. Andrew H. Dougherty, A. C. Carlton, Lansing; Fred Z. Paullind, Grand Rapids; George L. Bishop, Marquette; Burney E. Brower, M. L. Moon, Jackson; John H. Russell, Detroit; W. E. Davidson, Sault Ste. Marie; O. I. Bandeen, Escanaba.

Midland Co. Board Decides to Carry Case to High Court

Midland, Mich., Jan. 6.—(AP)—The Midland county board of supervisors, without a dissenting vote, today decided to carry to the supreme court of the United States, if necessary, the case involving the payment of old drain orders from the general fund. This is in the event the board is unsuccessful in its second attempt to have the supreme court declare act 365 of 1925 unconstitutional.

Coupled with this action was a special motion by Mayor John A. Whittam that all counties of the state be requested to furnish information regarding the number of old unpaid orders outstanding which would be payable from the general fund.

SOLD, NOT SOLED. Nundaeton, Ind.—"If boot repairs are not called for within fifteen days they will be sold to my expense." Timothy Payne, shoe repairer, exhibited this sign in his shop and acted on the warning. A magistrate, however, sent him to prison for a month on a charge of stealing, while bailing a pair of women's shoes.

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UNDER ARREST



Clyde Seckner, deputy county clerk in Washington, Pa., and secretary of the American Legion post there, has been arrested charged with embezzlement of \$25,600 of county funds. He was married only three months ago.

RHEUMATISM, NEURITIS, PAIN

"Heet" Relieves Instantly



With applicator attached to cork, just brush "Heet" over the pain area, whether in knees, feet, legs, hands, shoulders, back, neck or body. Instantly, you feel this harmless, glorious, penetrating heat draw the pain, soreness and stiffness right out of the aching or swollen joint, muscle or nerve. Besides, "Heet" scatters the congestion and establishes a cure. "Heet" contains two soothing, penetrating ingredients, too expensive to use in ordinary liniments or analgesics. "Heet" is a clean, pleasant liquid, doesn't stain, and doesn't irritate the skin and costs only 60 cents at any drug store. Adx.

TAKE STEPS TO PREVENT CRIME

Lansing, Jan. 6.—(AP)—In an effort to curb the alleged prevalent disregard for laws and reduce crime in Michigan, leaders of the state house of representatives plan to lay definite proposals before the next assembly designed to bring swifter trials and surer punishment to offenders. The house steering committee, appointed in the 1925 session, probably will meet soon to consider what Speaker Fred B. Wells believes is a serious situation, he announced today.

Both the speaker and Representative John Eaple of Clinton, a member of the steering committee, have conferred with Governor Groesbeck.

FRATERNAL

L. A. to O. R. C. Meet. The Ladies Auxiliary to the Order of Railway Conductors will hold its regular meeting at Eagle hall at 8 o'clock Friday evening. Installation of officers will be held, followed by a social hour and the serving of refreshments. All members are urged to attend.

A PREVENTION.

HE: Seems like common sense would prevent many divorces. SHE: It would prevent just as many marriages.

Protect yourself when you buy a used car

Buy it from a Buick dealer. All of our used cars were traded in on Buicks. We sell them as we do our new Buicks, honestly and without misrepresentation. Protect yourself when you buy it from a dealer of integrity and standing—a Buick dealer.

BUY YOUR USED CAR FROM A BUICK DEALER.



USED CARS

- 1-1925 Dodge Sedan \$750
1-1925 Sterling-Knight Sedan \$1250
1-1924 Ford Coupe \$300
1-1924 Ford Touring \$150
1-1922 Buick-6 Roadster \$325
1-1924 Studebaker Spec. 5 Sedan \$650
1-1923 Buick-4 Sedan \$650

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"Store of Quality Goods—Better Values Always."

PRE-INVENTORY



EVERY department in the Store Clearing Out Thousands of Dollars Worth of Desirable Wanted Merchandise at Remarkable Low Prices

It will pay you to be a daily visitor at our store—these pre-inventory days—Reductions 1-4, 1-3, 1-2 in effect here and there throughout the store.



New Bedroom Furniture

NEW designs and finishes enhance the beauty of these arrivals in bedroom furniture. Walnut and many others find popular favor in these distinctive suites, and they give maximum beauty and convenience.

They are as interesting in price as they are interesting in appearance.

We want you to see them.

Furniture is purchased once in a life-time. It is a real investment. Look over this fine stock—you are bound to find the suite that will add to the attractiveness of your home.

ANDERSON & BONEFELD

3rd Floor Fair Store.

Phone 586.

When

When the water system's on the bum And the pipes are frozen tight, Get Moersch & Degnan on the line. If you want 'em fixed up right.

When the furnace refuses to roar And the family's cold as ice, Get Moersch & Degnan on the line, Soon, the home will be cozy and nice.

Moersch & Degnan

PLUMBING, HEATING AND SHEET METAL WORK.

110 N. 10TH ST. ESCANABA, MICH.

EDITORIAL

THE ESCANABA DAILY PRESS
A Morning Newspaper Published by The Escanaba Daily Press Co.

Preserved its beauty. Announcement that the state highway department is completing plan for the construction of six miles of concrete highway.

SALESMAN SAM By Swan

SALESMAN SAM (Continued)
CLOSER AND CLOSER CAME TH' BIG MONSTER
HELP! SHE CRIED AS A RIFLE BARKED AND ANOTHER REDSHIN BIT TH' DUST

SALESMAN SAM (Continued)
SHALL I SHUT UP FROM NOW ON?
YES YASS YES
YUP YES YAS YUP YES YES YES YES YES YES

SPINSTERHOOD
BEGIN HERE TODAY.
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AMUSEMENTS
AT THE DELFT.
One of the most elaborate productions of a show within a show is seen in "Sporting Life."

AT THE STRAND.
The principal scenes of "Without Mercy," the George Melford Production, presented under the Metropolitan banner which is now playing at the Strand theatre, are laid in England, in the city of London, and on a huge English country estate.

TOM SIMS SAYS
Three's company, and two's an argument.
Most of us are too lazy to worry about being too lazy.

THE FOREST OF BABYLON.
Denouncing the huge city, Prof. Law Barrett of Northwestern uni-

iversity decided to hide himself in the wilds of northern Wisconsin. He will seek happiness in the quiet and vastness of the deep forests, the first of all temples, the first abode of man.

While most of us who live in the city are unwilling to desert it for the "forest primeval," and many, perhaps a majority, of those who dwell on farms and in hamlets prefer to remain where they are, there is a substance in the philippic which all of us might munch, speaking figuratively, in our brains.

The farmer has his troubles, too, especially if his farming is a business. But his burdens are lighter than the city man's, and happiness is easier to procure.

The public's thirst for grape juice, not wine, caused the high prices paid to Michigan grape growers, according to a Detroit expert. Now you tell one.

Mickey Walker's boxing bout with Tommy Milligan has been postponed because Walker has a sore toe. Mickey, it seems, fights also with his feet.

Lansing will have a flying field but steps will be taken to keep at least one of the legislature's feet firmly on the ground.

Bobbed hair was worn 3,000 years ago by the flappers of ancient Greece, according to historians. That's when they started reblocking hats—to make them fit the advanced styles.

There is no truth in the rumor that vibrations of the new Ford cars will be planned to keep time to Uncle Mello's fiddling.

A THOUGHT
I will lift up mine eyes unto the hills, from whence cometh my help.—Psalm 121:1.

Hope will make thee young;
For Hope and Youth are children of one mother.—Shelley.

LYRICS OF LIFE

By Douglas Malloch
LET THEM BE CHILDREN.
No doubt they're "cute," the way they're dressed. Perhaps they're smart in grown-up things, but childhood is so brief at best.

BRINGING UP FATHER



SALESMAN SAM



OUR BOARDING HOUSE



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SPINSTERHOOD

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BARBARA HAWLEY (Continued)
The call from headquarters came half an hour later. "We're taking him back to Escanaba tomorrow afternoon. He's waived extradition."

BARBARA HAWLEY (Continued)
Barbara hung up the receiver, rushed to the desk in her room, wrote the story of Manners' capture for her paper and hurried down to the telegraph office.

BARBARA HAWLEY (Continued)
She was awakened at eight o'clock by the telephone. Mollie Perkins' querulous voice came over the wire. "Why, what became of you, my dear? You said you'd go down to the cashier and come right back. I waited and waited, but you didn't come. Couldn't get you by phone, either. Do you think that's a nice way to play?"

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Some people are always surprised when things don't turn out worse.

OUR BOARDING HOUSE

EGAD, GRIDLEY, I WIGHT THAT YOU REMAIN FOR DINNER, THEN I WILL SEE YOU AWAY ON THE TEN O'CLOCK TRAIN TONIGHT! — ER—AH— THE MADAM APOLOGIZES FOR THE MENU THIS EVENING, — A GIMPLE BUT PALATABLE REPAST, — HAM HOCKS AND CABBAGE, — I TRUST YOU WILL RELISH IT!

OUR BOARDING HOUSE (Continued)
AH— MY FAVORITE DISH! — TAKE A MAN LIKE ME, THAT TRAVELS AROUND TH' COUNTRY, EATING IN DINERS AN' HOTELS, HA— I TELL YOU MAJOR, THERE IS NOTHING LIKE A SWELL HOME COOKED MEAL, — NO SIR!

OUR BOARDING HOUSE (Continued)
IT'S GOING TO BE A CAGE OF MAN TH' BEST MAN WIL, AT TH' REACH AN' GRAB TONIGHT! — I KNOW HIM— HE'S TH' GUY PEOPLE MEAN WHEN THEY SAY, "THEY ATE WITH 'GREAT GUSTO'!"

OUR BOARDING HOUSE (Continued)
TAKING THREE GLANCES AT HIS LOADING ZONE WILL CONVINCCE YOU THAT TH' HAM HOCKS AN' CABBAGE ARE IN FOR A FAST AN' FURIOUS EVENING!

OUR BOARDING HOUSE

OUR BOARDING HOUSE (Continued)
JUST DROPPED IN TO SAY "GOOD-BYE," WITH THE ACCENT ON THE MEAL!

OUR BOARDING HOUSE (Continued)
AMUSEMENTS (Continued)
The London scenes are the background of a close and exciting political battle, while the scenes on the estate form the backing for the equally exciting and dramatic battle of love, which is being waged between two powerful social and political leaders.

AMUSEMENTS (Continued)
These settings, which were built in Hollywood, are most realistic in every detail.
The cast of "Without Mercy," which is released through Producers Distributing Corporation, includes Dorothy Phillips, Rockcliffe Fellows, Vera Reynolds, Robert Ames and Lionel Belmore.

AMUSEMENTS (Continued)
TOM SIMS SAYS (Continued)
Every time a state passes a bill against betting, the bets are two to one that it can't be enforced.
Be a tightwad and the chickens won't hang around you because they'll think you are a dead end.

L. A. DANIELSON, Manager

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Phone 23 19 TENTH ST.

RESIGNS POST IN MACCABEES AFTER 19 YRS.

Mrs. Ida T. Scott, commander of Hlathwa Hive of the Lady Maccabees for the past 19 years, tendered her resignation at a regular meeting of the organization held in Manistique Tuesday evening.

Stage Party at K. C. Hall Tonight

Announcement has been made of a card party and dance to be held tonight at the K. C. hall in Manistique.

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE SALE

WHEREAS Clayton F. Packer and Margaret, his wife, of the City of Escanaba, Delta County, Michigan, and now of the City of Milwaukee, Milwaukee County, Wisconsin, made and executed a certain mortgage bearing date the thirteenth day of October, A. D. Nineteen hundred and twenty-four, in favor of Margaret Morrison of the City of Escanaba, Delta County, Michigan, which was recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds, of the County of Delta, Michigan, on the twentieth day of October, A. D. Nineteen hundred and twenty-four, in Liber 317 of Mortgages, on page 101-102 thereof;

HI SQUAD IN ACTION AGAIN THIS FRIDAY

Re-opening their basketball schedule, the Manistique high school squad will play Munising at Manistique on Friday evening, January 8. This is the first game of the new year, following the holiday vacation, during which the local crew has adhered to a regular practice schedule.

MOTION TO QUASH IS PRESENTED IN STATUTORY CASE

A motion to quash information in the case of The People vs Ethel Ward Blooming was offered before Judge Louis H. Fead at the opening of the trial in Schoolcraft county circuit court Wednesday morning.

Food Market Moves; Will Occupy Culver Shop January 11th

A removal of the Oser Food Market from the People's Store building to the Culver Electric shop building was announced yesterday by Saul A. Oser, proprietor of the store.

CLASSIFIED ADS

KONDON'S CATARRHAL JELLY FOR Colds. Get a tube today. Makes your head and nose feel fine. Easy to apply. Quick to act.

SORE THROAT STOPPED IN 15 MINUTES

A remarkable new prescription for sore throat called Thoxine is guaranteed to relieve the most painful throat in 15 minutes or money back. Works on different principle. Not a gargle Thoxine acts from within—eliminates the cause, kills the germs. One swallow does the work. 35c. 60c. \$1.00. City Drug Store. Adv.

GERO. TONIGHT Fred Thompson. "Killing the Wind". Comedy. Added. 10c and 25c.

JOHN A. GOSS IS ACQUITTED OF VIOLATION

Shortly before the noon recess yesterday, a jury of ten men and two women brought in a verdict not guilty in the case of John A. Goss of Manistique, who was charged with illegal possession of intoxicating liquor.

Judge Levies \$17 Fine for Contempt

Failure to arrive in circuit court on time for the continuance of his trial Wednesday morning cost John A. Goss \$17, or \$1 a minute.

CITY BRIEFS

Having recovered from a severe case of tonsillitis, Miss Helen Kefauver has resumed her duties as teacher in the Manistique public schools.

THEATRES

AT THE LYRIC. Another instance of Ernst Lubitsch's genius for screen entertainment has come to town. It is "Kiss Me Again," the latest Warner Classic of the screen, which opened last night at the Lyric Theatre and was received with all the enthusiasm of a first-night audience.

CLASSIFIED ADS

COMMUNITY THEATRE. LYRIC THEATRE. "KISS ME AGAIN". "CYTHEREA".

JURY WORK IS COMPLETE FOR JANUARY TERM

With the acquittal yesterday afternoon of Ethel Ward Blooming, charged with statutory rape, the jury work in Schoolcraft county circuit court was completed for the term, and jurors were dismissed at the adjournment of court yesterday.

SERVICES TO BE HELD HERE THIS AFTERNOON

The funeral of Benjamin Blodgett, father of Edward Blodgett of this city, who died at 12:25 o'clock Monday morning will be held here this afternoon.

CITY BRIEFS

Mr. and Mrs. Louise Reese of Argonne are the parents of a nine-pound daughter, born Sunday at the Schram home here.

CITIES A S K INFORMATION ON GOVERNMENT

Requests have been received by City Manager F. R. Buechner within the past several days from two cities, Mishawaka, Ind., a town of about 15,000 population, and Oconto, Wis., asking for information on the workings of the manager-commission form of government in Gladstone.

CLASSIFIED ADS

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PROGRAM ON "THRIFT" AT P-T MEETING

A program on "Thrift" in honor of the birthday anniversary of Benjamin Franklin which is January 17, and in observance of National Thrift week, January 17 to 23, will be given tonight at the regular meeting of the West Parent-Teacher's association.

CITY BRIEFS

Attorney G. R. Empson returned Tuesday morning from Chicago.

CITY BRIEFS

Mr. and Mrs. Kaempf returned Tuesday afternoon from Ishpeming where they went to close up their affairs, preparatory to leaving for Wausau, Wis., where they will make their home.

At Opening Of Elks Club Rooms

A number of Gladstone Elks attended the opening of the Elks' club rooms Tuesday evening at Escanaba. Those who were present from her included Phil Louis, Otto Haberman, Alfred Anderson, N. J. LaPine and Shirley Davis.

CLASSIFIED ADS

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MRS. HETRICK IS HOSTESS TO COTERIE

The Coterie held its regular meeting Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. James A. Hetrick, 4116 Minnesota avenue.

TEAM MEETS INDEPENDENTS HERE TONIGHT

Fans will be out for a fast, scrappy basketball tilt tonight when the Gladstone city team at the Community building gym.

Sewing Circle Holds Meeting

A meeting of the East End Sewing circle was held Tuesday evening at the home of Miss Madeline Vanderwee.

LAST MINUTE RUSH TO PAY WINTER TAXES

A last minute rush by property owners who wish to pay their assessments before the time limit of January 10, after which date the four per cent penalty will be added, is the prospect facing the city office.

Auxiliary Will Meet Friday

The Ladies' Auxiliary to the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen will meet Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock in the Eagles' hall for a social time.

CLASSIFIED ADS

GOOD SOLES HELP TO KEEP FEET WARM. ELECTRIC SHOE SHOP. JOHN WAKOWIAK.

PLANNING FOR CHARITY BALL FEBRUARY 12

Plans are going ahead rapidly for the Charity Ball one of the big annual social events in Gladstone which will be given Friday evening, February 12, by the Child's Welfare club.

JANUARY 10 LIMIT FOR DOG TAGS

Fifteen dog licenses have already been issued at the city clerk's office with the prospects that a large number of applications will be made within the next few days, before the limit set for securing the tags, January 10.

CLASSIFIED ADS

FOR SALE—Five room house. Complete bath, hot and cold water. Basement. One full lot and 1/2 lot. Inquire on premises, 518 Wisconsin. G97-5-41.

Henry Rosenblum. Starting Thursday Morning Jan. 7th. Starting Thursday Morning Jan. 7th. JANUARY CLEARANCE. Dresses Silk Crepe and Satin Faced Crepe. UP TO \$39.75. January \$16.95 \$12.95. Millinery Hats up to \$1.95 to \$6.95. Hats up to \$12.95 - \$2.95. \$2.95 Fancy Dress Flannel - \$1.95. \$3.95 Fancy Dress Flannel - \$2.95. Men's Overcoats 1/4 Off. 1-4 Off on all Men's and Boys' Sheep Lined COATS. 10% Off on all Men's, Women's and Children's DRESS RUBBERS. 10% Off on all LEATHER TOP RUBBERS. 10% Off on all ARCTICS. 10% Off on all Men's FELT SHOES. READ OUR BILL FOR OTHER ITEMS ON SALE! HENRY ROSENBLUM, GLADSTONE

1,380 FOREST FIRES IN U. P.

Chief Warden Makes His Annual Report Summarizing Work.

(BY ED. A. NOWACK)
Lansing, Mich., Jan. 7.—(Special)—Dismissal and demotion for five district game wardens, arrest of 128 men for careless and incendiary forest fire setting, a total forest fire loss and suppression cost of \$827,927.90, depletion of the 1925 legislative appropriation for forest fire work and two per cent of Michigan's area swept by forest fires constitute the high lights in the 1925 fire report filed by Charles A. Peterson, chief forest fire warden.

Briefly, Chief Peterson's figures are as follows:
No. of fires 3,855
Acreage burned 725,928
Estimated damaged submitted by wardens \$474,449
Cost of impressed labor, meals and cartage \$126,042
Expense of regular force and all operations \$227,435

Total loss to state \$827,927.90
In Upper Peninsula.
The upper peninsula suffered from 1,589 fires, the lower peninsula had 2,475 fires. Total acreage burned was two per cent of Michigan's area.

Numbers of fires by area were:
Under one-quarter acre 354
One-quarter to 10 acres 1,084
Over 10 acres 2,417
Causes of fires are given as:
Unknown 1,299
Campers 446
Incendiary 121
Lightning 39
Miscellaneous 196
Clearing 623
Railroads 694
Smokers 424
Lumbering 13

Total 3,855
The 1925 legislative appropriation of \$225,000 for the 1925 season. The federal government gave the department \$37,050 more. Figuratively speaking this money went up in smoke and Director Baird authorized expenditure of \$191,398.45 of sportsmen's license fees to fight fires. The department undoubtedly will go before the 1927-8 legislative and ask for increased appropriations.

Fine Discipline.
Dismissal and demotion of five district wardens by Chief Peterson is made for the "good of the service," he says. Districts affected are District 3 (Marquette, Maraga, Houghton counties); District 5 (Dickinson, Delta, Menominee); District 6 (Schoolcraft, Alger, Luce); District 9 (Osego, Chéboygan, Montmorency); District 14 (Newaygo, Muskegon, Oceana, Ottawa).

Fire losses in District 11 (Kalkaska, Milwaukee, Crawford, Roscommon) are given by Representative John Gillett, Kalkaska-Milwaukee district, as the basis for a proposal to launch an investigation of district warden John Speck's work. Representative Gillett is reported to have the backing of his supervisors and a number of other representatives. Speck was called to Lansing last week. He supplanted former district warden R. S. Rabbit, dean of Michigan's fire fighters, a year ago. Eight percent of the area of that district was ravaged by fire.

Two Show Decrease.
Two of the 15 districts show less of a fire loss than for 1924. District 12 (Benzie, Grand Tr.

erse, Leelanau, Wexford), under Mark Crow, recorded 168 more fires in 1925 than for 1924 yet the total loss was \$819 less than in 1924.

Dist. Ward. William Baird, son of Director John Baird, and head of District 16 (Bay, Saginaw, Clare, Midland, Isabella, Arenac, Gladwin), show a fire loss decrease of \$7,818 over 1924 although his district had 39 more fires in 1925 than in 1924. He also shows 30,653 acres saved from fire marks for 1925 over the previous year.

The fire loss in District 1 (Gogebic and Ontonagon) was 33 times greater in 1925 than for 1924. District 17 (Mackinac and Chippewa) suffered 18 times as heavily over 1924 while District 11, which promises to have a distinct bearing in Representative Gillett's proposed investigation, suffered about 10 times the loss in 1925 than for 1924 with 111,355 acres burned last year as against 22,685 a year ago.

Collection of Fines.
The state collected in fines and costs, imposed on men who carelessly or deliberately set forest fires, \$3,140 and several sentences from 10 to 90 days were imposed. What careless cost Michigan in the case of Andrew Ramano, St. Ignace, is set forth by Chief Peterson as follows:

The state spent upwards of \$1,500 in fire suppression of the blaze started by Ramano. The Soo-Cadillac Co., lost \$25,000 in merchantable timber and equipment. Wardens rescued five men and women from a flaming death trap. Many tourists were turned back from the straits regions because of heavy smoke and Governor Groesbeck moved to ascertain the facts in the fire.

ST. FRANCIS HOSPITAL.
Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Ferrari are the parents of a daughter. Abe Gardner was admitted for treatment. Jos. Reno was admitted recently. George Burton, who submitted to an operation is resting easily.

PROCEEDINGS OF JAPANESE DIET MAY BE RADIOCAST
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SAYS PRAYERS WORKED CURES

Episcopal Church, New York, Claims Success with Faith Healing

New York—"If we pray and have faith, the hospitals may be turned to some other use and doctors will seek another profession. Prayer can heal all our ills, of body or of spirit."

This is not the pronouncement of any of the creeds usually associated with faith healing. It is the statement of the Rev. Elliott White, of that most conservative

of churches, the Episcopal. At Grace Episcopal church, one of the oldest in New York, Rev. White each week conducts a prayer group for the recovery from physical or spiritual trouble. Simply and earnestly, more than a hundred persons gather each week at the church to pray for relief from suffering. And their prayers are answered, they declare.

Service Simple.
The service is simple. The group gives an hour to a lesson illustrating the healing of the sick and maimed by Christ, as told in the New Testament, and to discussion of the lesson or to personal experiences with prayer. During this period a short time is given over to silent prayer.

Then the actual prayer service begins. Nearly four hundred names are in the "remembrance book" which lies on the altar—names of persons who wish prayers said for them, or who have anxious friends. Each evening adds many names to the list. The appeals for prayer come from all walks of life and from all sources. Many come from friends or relatives of persons suffering from disease or accident. Some from persons who have lost relatives and are sorrowing. Others from those who have suffered financial reverses.

The prayer group itself is made up of every type. Many of them are there for the assistance they can give others. The remainder are seeking assistance for themselves. An aged woman, scarcely able to walk, a young girl with a withered leg, an old man, whose eyesight is failing and who is the

sole support of his wife. Some with complete faith, others doubtful but hoping for a miraculous interposition of the power of God, they all kneel at the altar after the prayer service, for the "laying on of hands" by Rev. White.

Miracles Happen Today.
"There are doubters, always, who have an explanation for everything, based on terms of the material. Why should we have to explain things. God still is on earth. Miracles happen today, just as they happened before, and I know that God has the power to cure our ills, and will cure them if we pray honestly and sincerely for his help. But we must have faith."

A man was struck by a truck recently, and terribly injured. The woman telling the story,

his former employer, was called, and asked by the man to pray for him. She did so and also asked the prayers of the group and of the church.

Although doctors are said to have abandoned his case as hopeless, the man now is able to walk and soon will completely recover.

A young woman had been suffering for years from pain. One leg was shorter than the other, and she was forced to use a cane. She prayed, earnestly, and received the laying on of hands. One day she dropped her cane at the altar and has been free from pain ever since.

Use of prayer to effect cures was approved by the Triennial Convention of the Protestant Episcopal church at New Orleans last year.

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