# PEACE NEGOTIATIONS ARE BROKEN OFF

### **SEC. BAKER ADMITS** THAT STATEMENTS MAY NOT BE TRUE

Suggests to Senate Military Committee That He Be Allowed to Give Details As Prepared by Experts.

### IS UP FOR EXAMINATION

Says He Spoke On Troop Situation from General Information and Not From Reports Made by Experts.

### (BY ASSOCIATED PRESS)

Washington, Feb. 6.-Secretary Baker came up for cross-examination today before the senate military committee on his picture of the state of preparedness of the army, which condition critics attacked as "grossly ex-

But the principal part of the controversy, the question of where the army will get ships to transport a million men to France, was left untouched because Secretary Baker did not have detailed figures to show the committee on what basis he made his assertions and partly because the committee got war disclose figures publicly.

The upshot of it was that the question of shipping was left to be presented in detail in an exact statement to the committee in a secret session to be held tomorrow and the cross-examination went on to subjects of a general nature.

Senator Hitchcock, who attacked particularly the secretary's statement that the United States could put a million men in France this year in ad-(Continued On Page Pour)

### MAPLE RIDGE MAN IS HELD TO U. S. COURT

Antoni Sandbacke Arrested Here Was Held to the Federal Court in Mar-

Antoni Sandbacke, of Maple Ridge, arrested on the charge of having failed to register by the local police and who was turned over to the county board and later to Deputy United States Marshal Hurley and taken to Marquette yesterday was held to the federal court in bonds of \$500 when arraigned yesterday, 'Of the case the Marquette Mining Journal says:

"Antoni Sandbacke, of Maple Ridge, Delta county, was held to the April term of United States District court, charged with having failed to register for the selective draft. He was brought here yesterday morning and was given a hearing before District Court Commissioner F. J. Schultheis later in the day. He was held on \$500 bond and was taken to the county fail because he was unable to furnish it. He was arrested last week, and had been held in the Delta county jail a few days.

"Sandbacke is twenty-nine years of age, was born in Finland and has not taken any step to become a citizen of the United States. The officials say he is pretty intelligent and must have understood the significance of registration. He says he was drunk June 5, and so did not go to the registration

"The court officials do not believe that his excuse will hold good, as he made no effort to register after June 5. Moreover he worked for Victor Brander, whose brother was among eight or ten others who were convicted in district court last fall of failing to register. Under these conditions it looks as though the importance of registration was brought home to him. Maple Ridge is a small place, and it is unlikely that several of its residents could be convicted of a crime without all others knowing the details.

"He will be registered by the police, officials at the county jail."

### ICE BLOCKADE MAY **DELAY NAVIGATION**

Marquette, Mich., Feb. 6,-A repeti tion of the ice blockade which delayed the opening of navigation here last spring is predicted by docal marine men. The ice is nearly as thick as it was last winter and with the same unfavorable winds as last spring. great piles of ice on the south shore of the lake can be expected even after abroad. She won a knitting bag ofthe Soo Canal is open, they say. The fered to the first pupil in her school ice field is firmly set and extends far who learned to knit in a practical out into the lake and will not break way. She is shown at work on a by high winds. Only the warm sun of blanket for a wounded soldier, spendearly spring will cause it to deterior ing all her play time at this sort of

### QUESTIONNAIRES ARE STILL COMING BACK

Nearly every mail sees a number of questionnaires returned to the local board from men who are registered here, but did not return their questionnaires until after the date when they were supposed to return them. When the board had finished classi-

fying the registrants' a week ago, there were 164 registered men who had not returned their questionnaires. This number has been reduced considerably by the return of a number of the papers since a list was made out of those who had failed to comply with the regulations. There are still about 125 questionnaires missing.

### LARGE SHIPMENT OF ARTICLES BY LOCAL **RED CROSS CHAPTER**

Nearly 14,000 Pieces Were Included in a Shipment Made Last Friday; 200 Sweaters

A shipment of nearly 14,000 pieces of surgical supplies and knitted garments was made by the Delta County chapter of the Red Cross last Friday The shipment contained a large varieinto a squabble over whether it would ty of articles and went to division be proper to have the secretary of headquarters at Chicago from where it will be distributed to where it is needed.

> This shipment alone is larger than the shipments made by the Delta County chapter during the months of October, November and December, which shows that the women of Delta county are rallying to the cause with great enthusiasm. New classes being organized each week help to make the shipments each time larger than the

In the shipment last Friday there were 13,442 pieces, divided as follows: Surgical supplies: 6,320 compresses, 4 by 4; 460 compresses, 9 by 9; 440 gauze sponges; 2 T bandages; 52 abdominal bands; 14 triangle muslin bag covers; 40 pajamas; 55 bed socks; 25 bed jackets; 50 handkerchiefs; 34 towels; 7 infant layettes.

180 pairs of socks; 15 mufflers; 60 helmets; 84 pairs wristlets.

As was annnounced in The Mirror yesterday the January shipments, in which the above is included, as the articles were turned in during the month, were greater by 10,320 than the combined months of October, November and December.

### YOUNGEST KNITTER FOR THE RED CROSS



Little Edith Riggs, six-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Riggs of Brooklyn, N. Y., is the youngest knitter registered with the local Red Cross. The little girl has already knitted several sweaters for our boys

### Winter Pastime



### TROOP TRAINS IN FINLAND COLLIDE

Large Number Are Killed and Wounded When Trains Carrying Red Guards and Government Troops Clash.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS)

London, Feb. 6,—A great number were killed and wounded in a collision bands; 75 kmitted sponges; 20 bed between a train carrying Red Guards spreads. 45 pillow cases; 25 hot water and one filled with government troops sent to intercept the Red Guard train near Kemi in northern Finland ac comfort bags filled; 59 comfort bags cording to an Exchange Telegraph disempty; 60 comfort pillows; 100 hand patch from Copenhagen. The trains came together while running at full Knitted garments: 200 sweaters; speed, all the coaches being smashed to pieces.

Victory for Federals.

Stockholm, Feb. 6.-General Mannerheim's forces have defeated the Red Guard and the Russians at Ulenborg and captured the city which is the chief military depot in northern Finland. The battle lasted two days Several hundred were killed.

### **BODY TO ARRIVF IN** MARQUETTE FRIDAY

Remains of Sergeant Robert Barth, Brother of Rev. Dr. Barth of This City, Is on Way from Texas.

brother of Rev. Dr. Barth of this city, who passed away at Leon Springs. arrive at Marquette on Friday and will be taken to the home of John Connoily, uncle of the deceased. The funeral will be held in the cathedral and will

was attending the officers' training front. camp at Leon Springs. Sergeant Elmer St. Martin will accompany the soon as the body reaches that city Mrs. Mary Barth, Dr. John Barth, Charles Barth and Miss Mayme Barth ! . will go there for the funeral.

### WOOLFORD AND COLE . AT LOUISVILLE, KY.

County Clerk A. J. Pepin this morn ing received a letter from Lieut. Henry E. Woolford of Gladstone, now attached to the 335th infantry at Camp Zachary Taylor at Louisville, Ky. Lieut. Woolford writes that Lieut. Glenn Cole of Rapid River is stationed at Camp Taylor also. Both Delta counassigned soon afterwards. Lieut. Woolford says that Camp Taylor is enjoying temperatures as low as 15 below and that three feet of snow covers the ground.

the illness of Mrs. Noonan's father.

### TWO MEN KILLED IN ST. LOUIS CAR RIOTS

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS) St. Louis, Mo., Feb. 6 .- Two men were shot in the street car strike riots

## ARTILLERY ACTION FORECASTS ATTACK

Time for Beginning of Spring and Shows Both Sides Active, would be out in a few days. in Artillery Duels.

### **BOLSHEVIKI IN TROUBLE**

Decree to Separate State and Church Has Brought Storm tion would effect a permanent cure. of Protest From the Leaders or the Church.

(Associated Press War Summary) Raiding operations and artillery duels are increasing on the western front as the time for beginning spring operations approaches. Two years ago after a successful attack at Souchez, the Germans began their drive The body of Sergeant Robert Barth, on Verdun with heavy artillery fire on February 21, while last year the British captured Grandcourt on the Tex., on last Saturday, is expected to Somme on February 7 and the Germans two weeks later retired from the Ancre, the first step in the retreat to the Hindenburg line.

All official statements report great be attended by a number of Escanaba artillery activity. The big guns are busy at Ypres and before Cambrai on Sergeant Barth's death was caused the British fronts and on the right by an attack of pneumonia while he bank of the Meuse on the French

Entente airmen are active. British fliers on Monday dropped three tons body from Texas to Marquette. As of bombs and brought down eight enemy airplanes with the loss of one machine.

On the Italian front, Italian and British aviators brought down thirteen enemy machines, while the Germans (Continued On Page Four)

### DOYLE IS CUSTODIAN OF ENEMY PROPERTY

Well Known Menominee Attorney Is Selected to Be Custodian for U. P. and Northern Wisconsin.

Attorney Michael J. Doyle of Menominee, well known here, has been appointed deputy United States alien ty men were commissioned at the property custodian for upper peninsula close of the second officers training of Michigan and a portion of northern camp at Fort Sheridan, Ill., and were Wisconsin, and has accepted the appointment. He will assume his new duties within the near future.

His duties will be to take charge of all property of enemy aliens for the duration of the war. His appointment came unsolicited through the

# **ROOSEVELT BETTER**

AFTER OPERATION

Former President Is Reported As Getting Along Well; Was Operated On for Abcess Few Days Ago.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS)

New York, Feb. 6.-Theodore Rooseelt's condition was favorable today. The former president, whose operation for an abcess a few days ago was made public last night after being re-

Meanwhile he has cancelled speak-Moines, Milwaukee and Detroit,

The abcess developed from a fever contracted during the Spanish American war and became malignant on his Brazilian journey and it had troubled him since. It is said that the opera-

DR. SUN YAT SEN



lutionist, whose arrest has been or-Mr. and Mrs. Noonan left for Jeffer- recommendation of Representative F. Doctor Sun is charged with being one son today where they were called by E. Doremus, of District No. 1, of Mich- of the leaders in the recent revolt of the southern provinces.

### STATE REFORMATORY OF INDIANA BURNS

(BY ASSOCIATIO PRESS)

Jeffersonville, Ind., Feb. 6.-Five of the thirteen buildings on the grounds comprising the Indiana State Reformatory were destroyed by fire early today entailing a loss of \$1,000,000. Twelve hundred and eighty-five prisoners in cell houses and dormitories were marched quietly to the industrial school building 200 yards away. None tried to escape. The blaze was caused, it is believed, by crossed electric

## **AMERICAN GUNNERS** REPEL ATTACKS OF GERMAN AIRPLANES

Artillerymen Manning U. S. Guns Cause German Airmen to Give Up Attempts to Cross the American Lines.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS)

Tuesday, Feb. 5,-American artillery- almost made a complete agreement men kept up a continuous fire on the with the Germans and Austrians for a enemy batteries throughout Tuesday separate peace. The Bolsheviki sent and the Germans replied with a lively to Brest-Litovsk new delegates who shelling along the entire sector. At they said were the real representathe same time American anti-aircraft tives of Ukrainia. The representatives guns were busy repelling attempts of of the Central Powers, anxious to enemy airmen to cross the American make peace with the Ukrainians and lines. Two German airplanes finally gain food supplies from there, refused gave up the attempt after being shell- to recognize the new delegates who ed heavily.

A member of the military police today found three little French children, the first delegates were selected from a girl and two boys, wandering along the Ukrainian Rads, a road immediately behind the front which is shelled frequently by the enemy and considered very dangerous. He turned the children over to an ambulance driver who returned them to left Berlin last night for Brest-Litovsk their homes in a nearby village.

## MONTANA MAN WILL

moved from his Oyster Bay home, has taken into custody by Chief Danielson Russians and 200 horses crossed into rested comfortably for the last 24 of the Gladstone police department on the lines of the enemy on the lines Operations is Growing Near hours and it was predicted that he a charge by a Montana draft board that he had failed to return his questionnaire and had not reported his ing engagements in Boston. Des present address, will be sent to Camp RELIEF ASSOCIATION Custer tonight to enter training in the national army.

Upon orders of the adjutant general of Montana, Tryan was ordered released and sent to the nearest army; camp, which is camp Custer. The local board which handled the case for the Montana authorities found that Tryan was not a slacker; that he made efforts to find out his standing with the Montana board and had received no information and that he was not trying to evade military service. He was examined this afternoon and given transportation to Camp Custer.

### **COFFEE SPECULATION** STOPPED BY HOOVER

Food Administration Orders That All Trading in Green Coffee On New York Exchange Be Stopped.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS)

Washington, Feb. 6.-Speculation in green coffee on the New York coffee and sugar exchange was ordered discontinued today by Food Administrator Hoover. The prohibition is effected, tary establishments, was unanimously by forbidding the dealing in green coffee on the exchange at a price above 8½ cents for type seven on spot months. The food administration's action was taken after a conference with members of the New York coffee and sugar exchange in which the dealers voluntarily agreed to take necessary steps to eliminate coffee specu-

### THREE PLACES HAD LOW TEMPERATURES

Three stations on the weather map this morning reported temperatures below zero last night. They were: sure prevailing throughout the region Boston, Mass., 4 below; Montreal, 16 of the Great Lakes. A disturbance of below; Sault Ste. Marie, 2 below.

All other stations reported tempera tures above zero, which is remarkable, the last 24 hours rain fell in the north considering the terrific cold weather racinc States and snows in the region of the last two days. Places where the treat Lakes. Temperature has the mercury was far below zero yesterday morning today e, o . c p una io. gra, ab to ac

Train service today same une .. chedule this morning.

## PARLEY AT BREST-LITOVSK IS OVER, LONDON INFORMED

Peace Meeting Between Central Powers and Bolsheviki Has Been Near End for Some Weeks, It Is Shown.

### BERLIN STORY DIFFERENT

Dispatches From German Capital by Way of Amsterdam Are to Effect That German Officials Go Back.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS)

London, Feb. 6.-The negotiations at Brest-Litovsk have been broken off, the Petrograd correspondent of the Exchange Telegraph company telegraphs he is informed

Reports from Brest-Litovsk in the last few days are to the effect that the peace negotiations have reached a deadlock over the question of Ukrain-With the American army in France, la. After the Ukrainian delegates had represented the soldiers and workmens deputies of Ukrainia, whereas

Delegates to Front.

Amsterdam, Feb. 6.-The German von Kuehlmann and County Czernin, to continue the peace negotiations, according to dispatches from the German capital.

Three Russian army corps on the Russian-Roumanian front, the Lokal BE SENT TO CUSTER Russian Roumanian front, the Lokal cross the Roumanian frontier, but only small detachments succeeded in makoccupied by the Central Powers.

## **BE LAUNCHED TONIGHT**

The organization of the Delta County War Relief association will be perfected this evening at a meeting of a number of business and protessional men at the city hall at 7:30 o'clock.

The preliminary organization committee composed of T. M. Judson, W. R. Smith and H. W. Reade has prepared a set of articles and by-laws. which, if approved, will be those of the association. Another important matter to be dis-

cussed will be that of the organization of a company of state troops for Escanaba to be affiliated with the 552nd regiment in command of Colonel J. P.

### RELIEF BILL PASSED BY THE UPPER HOUSE

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS)

Washington, Feb. 6.-The soldiers and sailors civilian relief bill, provid-! ing a mortatorium for mer in the milipassed by the senate today virtually in the form passed by the house

### THE WEATHER

For Escanaba and Vicinity: Proba bly snow and colder tonight and Thursday. For Upper Michigan: Probably snow

tonig .. t and Thursday. colder tonight in west portion; colder Thursday. Weather Conditions.

The northwestern disturbance appears to be central over Lake Superior this morning, with generally low presconsiderable energy prevails also in the north l'acinc coast region. Within a. d considerably in all sections

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alts of the warmer temperatures. The | was and a newsday. It will be colder. mail trains were running well on remperature at noon.......15 above Lowest last night ..... 6 above

### Escanaba Daily Mirror ESCANABA, MICHIGAN

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#### HITTING IT ON THE HEAD.

without cost.

While the effectiveness of the government's new food rules depends largely on the willingness of the peo ple to comply, no mistake has been made in going right to the source of supply in order to control the consumption of wheat. If millers don't put over 74 per cent of wheat into their flour, it is certain that consumers will not get more than that.

It must be remembered that we have some millions of alien Germans and pro-Germans amongst our consumers, and an over-consumption of wheat by them would be aid to Germany, as clearly, as the burning of elevators, warehouses and ships would

But, we are also to have two porkand one meatless meal a day. For the reason that, at this season of the year, girl of the slums people can buy two or three days' supply of meat without danger of it spoil- scenic cartoon comedy, ing, the meatless order may not produce satisfactory saving. Why not, as in the matter of wheat, control the ; source of supply of meats? Anyone reading the expose of the packers made by Francis Heney and the Federal Trade Commission will be willing that the government use its clubs on the big butchers.

Fact is there's no distress whatever in the new food orders, but the con-There's no other people on earth better able than ours to get along without wheat and meat. There's no other country with so many substitutes of equal or greater food value.

The new order is simply discipline in the matter of eating with brains instead of cultivated false tastes. The wheat in his bread is like the fellow who can't get along without the "dop" in his clearests. in his cigarets.

### TWO CHANCES

If a man is drafted, he has two chances, he may either be accepted or rejected. If he is rejected, he should worry, if he is accepted, he still has two chances. He may either be put into the commissary department or into the trenches. If he is put into the commissary department, he should worry. If he is put into the trenches he still has two chances. He may either be put in the back line trenches Marinette squad by the score of 25 to to the hair. or the front line trenches. If he is 16. Marinette lead from the first and put in the back line trenches, he should worry. If he is put in the front canaba team fighting hard to score. line trenches, he still has two chances. The score at the end of the first half He may be either slightly wounded or was 17 to 5 in favor of Marinette. Esseriously wounded. If he is slightly canaba played better basketball in the wounded, he should worry. If he is last half, scoring eleven points to seriously wounded, he still has two Marinette's eight, but the previous chances. He may either get well or lead gained by Marinette could not be die. If he gets well, he should worry, overcome. B. P. Pattison was referee. and if he dies he still has two chances

The sacrifice, if any, will not be on the part of the poor. They are already on meatless meals and meatless days But the order bits people whose ideas of luxury really conflict with intel! gent eating. Intelligent eating may be one of the lasting good things growing out of the war, like government management of railroads and other corper ations of a public utility nature.

#### **|------**OPEN NOSTRILS! END A COLD OR CATAREH

How To Get Relief When Head and Nose are Stuffed Up.

Count fifty! You: cold in head or catarrh disappears. Fourclogged nostrils will open, the air passages of your head will clear and you can breathfreely. No more spuffling, hawking, mucous discharge, deyness or head-

ache; no struggling for b. eath at night Get a small bottle of Ely's Cream Balm from your druggist and apply a little of this fragrant antiseptic cream in your postrils. It penetrates through every air passage of the head, soothing and healing the swollen and inflamed mucous membrane, giving you instant relief. Head colds and catarrh yield like magic. Don't stay stuffed-up and miserable. Relief is sure.

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### THE THEATRES

AT THE DELFT.

Mrs. Vernon Castle, the best-dressed gram today is a very good one.

#### AT THE STRAND.

Essanay Perfection pictures present Little Mary McAllister in her very less and one meatless days a week best and latest picture, "Sadie Goes to Heaven." A joyful tale of a little

It will please the most critical. Also

### TREES IN BLOOM AT PORTLAND AT PRESENT

Gus Willman was feeling colder this morning than any day this winter, in spite of the fact that the temperature about by the receipt of a letter from Charles Bollman of Portland, Ore., SAGE who wrote his friend a letter to the effect that the roses were blooming just beautifully and that he was mowing his lawn at regular intervals to keep the grass from becoming hay

Mr. Bollman sent a newspaper clipthe year an dtestifies to the mildness of the Oregon winter. After that letter and reading the clipping, Mr. Willman wants to go west

## ESCANABA HIGH LOST

The Escanaba high school basketba'l quint lost the first game on the home floor yesterday afternoon to the 16. Marinette lead from the first and says it darkens the hair so naturally in maintaining the lead, kept the Es and evenly that nobody can tell it has

Read the Mirror Classified Ads | case.

### MARQUETTE TO BUILD ARMORY FOR TROOPS

Marquette, Mich., Feb. 6.-The construction of an armory to provide a and best-known woman in the United headquarters for the new company of States, will play at the Deft today in Michigan state troops to be organized "Stranded in Arcady." In addition, a here is being discussed and a committwo reel Sunshine comedy, "Damaged the has already selected a site in the No Goods," will be shown. The pro heart of the city upon which to erect a building, the first floor of which will he a skating rink and the upper floor an armory for the company.

### "Don't Monkey With Your Gun'

More guns are rulned by tinkers than all other causes combined. I make duplicate keys, repair locks, plates and key checks, etc.

Thirty Years Experience. I eater te first-class trade only; I wen't touch any "cheap" gun or revolver-they're not worth fixing.

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Don't Stay Gray! Here's an Old-time Recipe that Anybody can Apply.

The use of Sage and Sulphur for restoring faded, gray hair to its natural color dates back to grandmother's time. She used it to keep her hair beautifully dark, glossy and attrac-tive. Whenever her hair took on that dull, faded or streaked appearance, this simple mixture was applied with

TO MARINETTE QUINT Sample mixture was applied with wonderful effect.

But brewing at home is mussy and put-of-date. Nowadays, by asking at any drug store for a bottle of "Wyeth's sage and Sulphur Compound," you Sage and Sulphur Compound," you will get this famous old preparation, improved by the addition of other ingredients, which can be depended upon to restore natural color and beauty

A well-known downtown drugges been applied. You simply damnen s sponge or soft brush with it and draw his through your hair, taking one strand at a time. By morning the ther application or two, it becomes

Wyeth's Sace and Sulphur Com or those who desire a more youthful ppearance. on or prevention of



PROFESSOR HARRY ANDERSON Tenor and director with Augsburg Glee club at Swedish Lutheran church Monday evening. February 11, under auspices of the Norwegian-Danish Luth-

### MENOMINEE GIRLS TO **ENLIST IN U. S. NAVY**

Miss Margaret Trudell and Miss Bernice Blom Are First Upper Peninsula Girls to Enlist.

Miss Margaret Trudell, daughter of F. J. Trudell, chairman of the Menominee exemption board, and Miss Bernice Blom, daughter of A. W. Blom, Menominee County Puel Administrator, have made application for enlistment in the United States navy.

Both young ladies have forwarded their application blanks secured from Postmaster Juttner to Officer James J. Colby at Ishpeming. If accepted they will enter the yeomanry branch of the

It is not unusual for girls to enlist in the yeomanry branch of naval service. Chicago has boasted of several girls in the service. But the two applications for entistment of the Menominee young ladies are the first in Cloverland.

The terms for enlistment of girls in naval service is similar to those of young men. They are enlisted for a period of four years, but will be enrolled in the naval reserve forces. They will be assigned to one of the ANCHOR LINE SHIPS naval bases in this country and will ald the department in clerical work. They will not be subject to any sea

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### DAILY MIRROR **CLASSIFIED ADS**

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WANTED-Men to work in saw mill and lumber yard at Nahma, Mich. Good comfortable houses can be rented cheap. For particulars write Bay de Noquet Co., Nahma, Mich.

WANTED-Old False Teeth. Don't \$15.00 per set. Also cash for old gold, ly early this year. Ash Wednesday silver, and broken jewelry. Send by falling on Feb. 13. Fuel restrictions clean and repair all modern fire-arms, parcel post and receive check by re- may seriously interfere with some of turn mail. Will hold goods 10 days the spiritual activities of the early stamp name and address en name for sender's approval of my offer. L. days of the season if the cold weather Mazer, 2007 So. 5th St., Philadelphia,

FOR RENT

FOR RENT-Nine room house, all or call at 521 Campbell St. 318-tf

COR RENT-Rooms suitable for stor-L'OR RENT-Rooms for light house-

ton St., or 816 Ludington St. 335-tf L'OR RENT-Upper flat at 715 Lud-

FOR RENT-Office at the foot of Ludington street. Apply I. Stephenson Co. Trustees, Wells, Mich. 268-tf

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L'OR SALE-Dwelling at 610 Stephenson Ave., 8 room house, two families. A good investment, \$1,500. . M. Beggs. 323-tf

COR SALE OR RENT-A house at 510 Ruth street. 230-tf

COR SALE-Modern dwelling at 501 Wells Ave.; 10 rooms; hot water heat, gas, electric lights; full base-323-tf ment. L. M. Beggs.

FOR SALE-Overland touring car, almost new. Edwards Garage. 25tf

LOF SALE-Dwelling at 1221 Third Street, seven room house; not in very good condition: cheap at \$1100. L. M. Beggs. 323-tf

FOR SALE-Furniture and house hold goods. Leaving city. Must be sold at once. Enquire at Mrs. J. A. Zuckerman, 716 So. Charlotte St. 37

LOST

LOST-Watch bracelet, between the school house and ore dock at Wells. Finder please return to Mrs. Beaton, or phone 917-F2 and receive liberal

LOST-Silver pin in shape of fan. Finder please return to The Mirror 14tf

LOST-White silk muffler. Finder please return to Mirror office. 37

FOUND

FOUND-Rim from Ford headlight. Owner can have same by calling at the Mirror office

FOUND-A new sled in front of the Erickson store on Ludington street Saturday night. Owner may have same by proving property at the police station and paying for this Ad.

LOUND-Tire chain for auto. Owner can have same by calling at 1105 Delta avenue and paying 50c for this 37tf advertisement.

MISCELLANEOUS

WOMEN-to sell guaranteed hoslery to wearer. Salary \$15.00, full time, 25c an hour spare time. Enormous Christmas trade. Experience unneces sary. Guarantee Mills. Norristown

THE OLD SAILOR AND THE RECRUIT



## PASS UP MARQUETTE

Marquette, Mich., Feb. 6 .- The Anchor Line steamers will not make Marquette during the coming season, according to word received by local agents. The steamers Octorara, Tionesta and Juniata, comprising the company's fleet, will make direct trips between Buffalo and Duluth. The cancelling of the schedule of the Anchor Line will leave Marquette without water passenger or freight service

### ASH WEDNESDAY IS FEB. 13 THIS YEAR

Lenten Season Starts Earlier Than Usual-Pope Issues New Code to Regulate Fasting.

matter if broken. I pay \$2.00 to of the Christian world, begins unusualcontinues.

Important changes in the code of anon law in reference to fasting and abstinence have been ordered for Roman Catholics throughout this modern improvements. Phone 963,1 country. The new code, which has goes into effect immediately. In the Lenten regulations for this year there age at reasonable price. Inquire is a relaxation of some of the rigors at 420 Ludington St. Phone 250-J. 227tf of fasting and abstinence heretofore prescribed for the penitential season. which begins with Ash Wednesday, keeping. Enquire at 1406 Luding- Feb. 13.

"Mixing" Permitted.

One of the most important changes is the removal of the prohibition ington street; newly papered and against "mixing" that is, it is no painted; tollet, sewer and lights; longer prohibited to eat fish and meat \$11.00 per month. Phone 386-J. tf at the same meal during Lent. Another tion of the Lenten fast and abstinence at noon; on Saturday of holy week There is also a change in the weekly meatiess days or days of abstinence

during Lent. Saturday being substilyear, until the beginning of their sixtuted for Wednesday. Meat is not all tieth year.

lowed on the Fridays and Saturdays Men serving in the army and navy of Lent except after noon on Holy Sat- are allowed to eat meat on all days of urday, but it will be allowed on Wed- the year, except Ash Wednesday, nesday of Lent, except Ash Wednes- Christmas Eve. Good Priday and the day and Ember days throughout the forenoon of Holy Saturday.

The bishop of each local diocese may grant permission to working peo-The law of abstinence binds all who ple and their families for the use of have completed the seventh year of meat on all days of the year except age. The law of fasting embraces all Fridays, Ash Wednesday, Holy Week who have completed their twenty-first and Christmas Eve.



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### **COUNCIL WILL MEET** ON FRIDAY EVENING

for last evening was postponed until and that no more men are needed at Friday evening because of a lack of present. Delta county furnished six quorum. But seven members of the men for this branch, the recruits leavcouncil were present last evening, the ling here Saturday evening. They went others being laid up or having other to Camp Slocum, New York. A num-

### PERSONAL **PARAGRAPHS**

Miss Lillian Rasmussen has reunted her duties at the Fair store after a two weeks' vacation at Bark

eck's viit with friends and relatives Cross seldom is received by any organ-Sam Kitt, one of the pioneer sales- cials, but its twenty odd million memen of this section of the country,

wes a city caller yesterday. Henry Hagen left today for a trip Mes Rose Ruther has resumed her

duties at the Fair store after a two seeks' vacation.

J. Bergeman, N. Martin and O. Perkett, of Park River, spent the weekend in this city with friends.

cany are now exclusive distributors of Marigold Oleomargarine for this vicinity. Their first car will arrive Thursday, Feb. 7th. They will endeavor to see that every merchant is supplied with this very high class of oleomargarine. Marigold Oleomargarine contains the same food elements as butter and every package is Government

## ACCOUNTANT BRANCH

ments for a time, has been filled up Frank Osier, of Harris, is visiting will have to wait until the branch is again opened for enlistments.

### IS NOW FILLED UP fore machine g Word has been received by the local

poard that the accountant branch of the army, which was open for enlistber of others in Delta county planned to enlist in this branch of service, but

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### PERSHING PRAISES **WORK OF RED CROSS**

Head of American Army in France Says No Other Organization Has Done What Red Cross Has.

Praise such as General John J. Per-Miss Marge Riley has left for a shing recently gave the American Red ization and not only Red Cross offi bers and other millions of well-wishers appreciate his words highly.

"I want to say to you," General Pershing said to Idah McGlone Gibson, "that no other organization since the world began has ever done such great constructive work with the efficiency, dispatch, understanding, often under adverse circumstances, that has een done in France by the American Red Cross in the last six months."

That appears to be about the limit ia commendation. It was followed by nore remarks equally complimentary to the Red Cross for its work in rehabilitating the devastated homes of France and thereby improving the morale of the French army.

This work of restoring the homes crecked by the Germans so that the French soldier at the end of the war would find a reunited family and a foundation for a new life, was said by General Pershing to have helped the American army fight the Kaiser before machine guns began to fire and

Mrs. Gibson reached the conclusion from her personal investigation of Red Cross relief work in France that saw the tall form the American people could not give of the president too much for the extension of the work.

"You may well carry back such a report to the American people," General Pershing agreed.

Evolution of the Collar.

It is interesting to trace the evolu tion of the modern collar from those ancient ruffs that filled all the space between chin and chest with a mass of white ruffles. In the seventeenth century the ruffs gave place to the wide collar of lace or plain linen that rolled out over the coat. Under King James II, in the seventeenth century, the coat, which had been for a hundred years evolving from the loose tunic, became well established, but it was much longer than that worn today and was buttoned down the front to the knees, and along with this coat came into fashion the large cravat with laced ends. The frilled shirt front and the white cravat tied in a great bow at the chin, followed. This gave way, early in the last century, to the shirt with rolling collar attached.

### Cat Raises Chicks.

There is an authentic story of a cat in France that lived on terms of perfect amity with all the animals on the place-dogs, chickens and what not. It so happened, that a hen which had a brood of seven chickens was killed accidentally. The cat, which some two weeks before had been deprived of her kittens, appeared to observe the predicament of the seven little chickens. She crawled into their nest and the chickens, looking for warmth, nestled into her warm fur, peeping gratefully. The chickens, fed by their ownstrange sight was presented of their following the mother cat about the premises as if expecting her to find them food after the manner of a hen. -New York Herald.

#### A Bad Precedent. "Why do you want a divorce from

your husband?" asked a friend of the

"Because he isn't the man I thought he was when I married him," sobbed

the young wife. "My dear child, a general application of that principle would break up near ly every home in the country."

LADY READING



A new photograph of Lady Reading, wife of the lord chief justice of England. She accompanied her husband to Washington on a special financial

### Anecdotes of Lincoln

PPARENTLY the world is never weary of asking what was the true Abraham Lincoln, and er ery side light upon his character is significant, says Abram J. Dittenhoefer in "How We Elected Lincoln." He writes in the book:

A man whom I knew well discovered the president at his office counting greenbacks and inclosing them in an envelope. He asked Mr. Lincoln how he could spare the time for such a fask in the midst faf the important duties that were pressing upon him. Lincoln

"The president of the United States has a multiplicity of duties not specifled in the constitution or the laws This is one of them.

It is money which treasury department. He is now in the hospital, too sick to sign his name, and, according to his wish, I am putting a part of it aside in an envelope, properly labeled, to save it for

An eyewitness relates that one day while walking along a shaded path from the executive mansion to the war office he seated on the grass. He afterward

learned that a to Do wounded soldier,

while on his way to the White House seeking back pay and a pension, had met the president and had asked his assistance, whereupon Mr. Lincoin sat down, looked over the soldler's papers and advised him what to do. He ended by giving him a note directing him to the proper place to secure at

Driving up to a hospital one day, he saw one of the patients walking directly in the path of his team. The horses were checked none too soon Then Mr. Lincoln saw that he was nothing but a boy and had been wounded in both eyes. He got out of the carriage and questioned the poor fellow, asking him his name, his service and his residence. "I am Abraham Lincoln," be said upon leaving, aud the sightless face lighted at the president's words of sympathy. The following day the chief of the hospital delivered to the boy a commission in the army of the United States as first lieutenant. The papers bore the president's signature and were accompanied by an order retiring him ou threequarters pay for the years of helpless ness that lay before him.

"Some of my generals complain that I impair discipline in the army by my pardons and respites," Lincoln once said. "But it rests me after a hard day's work if I can find some excuse for saving a man's life, and I go to bed happy as I think how joyous the his family and his friends."

I once heard Mr. Lincoln telling number of congressmen in the aute room of the White House that in the er, throve perfectly, and every day the distribution of patronage care should be taken of the disabled soldiers and the widows and orphans of deceased soldlers, and these views were subse quently conveyed to the senate in a message which contained the following language:

"Yesterday a little indorsement of mine went to you in two cases of postmasterships sought for widows whose husbands have fallen in battles of the war. These cases occurring on the same day brought me to reflect more what is fairly due in the dispensing of patronage to the men who by fight-

ing our battles bear the chief burden of saving our country. My conclusion is that, other claims and qualifications being equal, they have the better right, and this is especially applicable to the disabled soldier and the deceased soldier's family."

## ARTHUR W. FLEMING

Escanaba Boy Spent Christmas on the Other Side and Writes of Experiences to Charles Graham.

Arthur W. Fleming, a private in Co. 3 Fifth regiment of the U. S. Infanry, an Escanaba boy, is now stationed in France with the American Expeditionary force. In a letter to Charles Graham, 1203 Hale street, he tells of his first Christmas spent in a foreign WILLS OF NYS land. The letter is as follows:

"I have not been away from home before on Christmas and it really seems queer to be in a far off country like this. I am near where a Y. M. C. A. is situated. We were all invited to attend the Y. M. C. A. today and receive a present. We were there to get our share.

"We received a bag this morning from the Red Cross and it was a surprise for us all. I belonged to the Red Cross before the Dayton flood. I saw what they can do and they are doing it over here the same as during the

"Never smoked until I came to France. Was given your box this norning. Was very glad to get it,"

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WHAT THEY MISS



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"What is that?" "They are entitled to a lot of credit

they never get."

Curlous School Customs. Mexican schoolmasters show their appreciation of pupil's efforts in a curious manner. The diligent student is allowed to smoke a cigar during the lesson. When the whole class has given satisfaction permission is given for a general smoke, and even the little Mexicans are allowed to light a cigaattentively than I had before as to rette for the occasion. Needless to say, the schoolmaster himself smokes a cigar of a size and quality proportionate to his superior position. But the pupils are not allowed to drink, this privilege being accorded to the master only. On his desk he always keeps a bottle of liquor, which, when empty, occasions much dispute among the parents of his scholars, as it is considered an honor to be able to fill the schoolmaster's bottle.

### IS NOW IN FRANCE DELTA MAN REJECTED BY CUSTER EXAMINER

Charles Carlson, one of the members of the third draft contingent from Delta county, has been rejected be-Delta county, has been rejected be which it accumulates under our prescause of physical disabilities at Camp ent mode of living. For every ounce Custer, and will be allowed to return of food and drink taken into the system home, according to word received this morning by the local board.

Our Hamburger Helps Fight the Cold. If You're Real Cold, Try Our Chili.

### 6,000 MEN NEEDED FOR FOREST WORK

Twentieth Engineers Needs Large Number of Men to Bring the Unit Up to Full Strength.

Six thousand additional men are wanted at once to bring the Twentieth Regiment Engineers (Forest) up to full strength, according to officials of the Forest Service who have been requested by the War Department to aid in securing the necessary recruits. This is the second forest regiment formed by the War Department and will be the biggest regiment in the

.The first forest regiment has been n France for several months, busy in cutting and getting out of the French forests timber, lumber and other ma terial for our army. Some battalions of the Twentieth have also gone across, and others will follow as their equipment and preliminary training are completed. Men who enter this unit are therefore assured, the officials say, of early service abroad.

Men can join the regiment by enlistment if not of draft age, and if within the age limits, which are from 18 to 40. Registrants under the selective draft law who have not been notified to hold themselves in readiness to report for duty at a camp can be "inducted" into the regiment if they can show that they are qualified for it. Applicants for enlistment or induction may apply by letter or personally to the Forest Supervisor, East Tawas, Mich., or to Mr. Thos. B. Wyman, Munising Mich., from whom application blanks may be obtained. Applications must contain a full statement of experience in any of the various lines of work involved, with names and addresses of employers

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time, feeling nervous, despondent, worried; some days headachy, dull and unstrung; some days really incapacitated by illness.

If we all would practice inside-bata-ing, what a gratifying change would take place. Instead of thousands of half-sick, anaemic-looking souls with pasty, muddy complexions we should see crowds of happy, healthy, rosy-cheeked people everywhere. The ros-son is that the human system does not rid itself each day of all the waste mearly an ounce of waste material must be carried out, else it ferments and forms ptomaine-like poisons which are absorbed into the blood.

are absorbed into the blood.

Just as necessary as it is to clean the ashes from the furnace each day, before the fire will burn bright and hot, so we must each morning clear the inside organs of the previous day's accumulation of indigestible waste and body toxins. Men and women, whether sick or well, are advised to drink each morning, before breakfast, a glass of real hot water with a teaspoonful of limestone phosphate in it, as a harmless means of washing out of the stomach, liver, kidneys and bowels the indigestible material, waste, sour bile and toxins; thus cleansing, sweetenand toxins; thus cleansing, sweeten-ing and purifying the entire alimen-tary canal before putting more food into the stomach.

into the stomach.

Millions of people who had their turn at constipation, billious attacks, acid atomach, nervous days and sleepless nights have become real craffs about the morning inside-bath. A quarter pound of limestone phosphate will not cost much at the drug store, but is sufficient to demonstrate to anyone, its cleansing, sweetening and freshening effect upon the avaiam.

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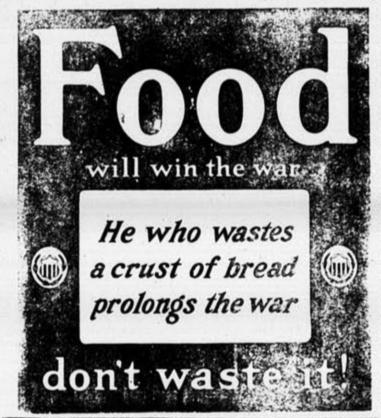
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#### THOUSANDS OF GERMAN TAKES GOVERNMENT POSITION IN THE EAST PRISONERS RELEASED

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS)

are in the Petrograd district.

London, Peb. 6. The Russian con- that "Jack" Kemmer, who has been 'Fine! says she. 'Train was on time?' mission on war prisoners announces employed as assistant auditor for the I offer brightly. 'Yes, it was,' says that the local workmens and soldiers Ma on Motor company at First for the Genevieve. councils are releasing enemy war prist past two years, left Monday morning oners by the thousands. These men for Washington, D. C., to enter the are moving towards Petrograd and civil service in the war department, great numbers, said to be about 40,000. His many friends here wish him sucle se in his new position



### He Fell Down

The popular bachelor sat down frowning, sighed deeply and refused to be comforted.

"Nothing," he observed, "nothing makes one so dissatisfied with himself as what I've just been doing-unless it is going to the train to see anybody off! I've merely been down to meet some people going through, and heaven knows that's bad enough."

"Were they here long?" sympathetically asked the girl who was trying to be especially nice to the popular bachelor. "Some people are so tiresome!"

"Oh, these weren't!" the bachelor promptly protested. "They were very nice people. And they were here just fifteen minutes. Now it does seem as though I should be able to engineer a sprightly conversation for fifteen minutes, doesn't it?" he inquired in an

"The very idea! Why, of course!" leclared the girl who was trying to be

"You know better!" he told her gloomily, "when the fifteen minutes ire spent in a railway station!

"I don't know what it is about the atmosphere of trains and tootings and engines and sultcases bumping your shins-but you know perfectly well hat it transforms the most intelligent person into a gibbering idiot!

"'My goodness!' says Genevieve as he train pulls out and John fades away in the distance, 'I think I have been mistaken in that man after all! He has no brains, intelligence or sympathy in his composition, and now I think of it his necktie was atrocious!' The ensuing crash you hear is the breaking off of diplomatic relations between Genevieve and John! Or else it is John going through town, and as Genevieve waves farewell from the platform he smiles dutifully and then retires to the smoker for two hours to meditate on why in creation he ever eanyon with me-awful pretty view thought he fancled that tiresome girl. | down there!"

"Or this is what happens. I brisk into the station spick and span and smiling and when Genevieve appears on the platform my whole heart surges in my throat, I am so glad to see her. 'Well, hello, Jen!' I cry. 'Hello, Joe!' says she. We shake hands fervently. Then we look at each other and smile.

"'Did you have a good trip?' I ask.

"We look at each other again. It's just fine you could get down here to see me!' Genevieve begins. 'Great!' I say. T've been crazy to see you!"

"'So've I!' says she. 'Awful dusty rip!' 'Was the car crowded?' I ask anxiously. 'No-not very,' says she. We walk up and down. 'My, but it's fine to see you!' I say,

"I scramble wildly, trying to think and tell her. Nothing doing. 'Simply great to see you!' 'It's just splendid you could get down here!' she counters. We walk up and down. I look at my watch.

"'Genevieve!' shrieks her mother, suddenly appearing, "if you don't hurry we'll miss that other train! Whereupon I grab suitcases and sprint, hurl Genevieve and her mother onto their train and wave sweetly at them as they pull out. I depart feeling vaguely like twenty-nine cents and actively disgruntled with Genevieve. She is not the girl I thought her and I'd hate to say what she's thinking about

when she departs for the East. There dressed up like a horse and buggy, as yet.

### AGED MAN DIES AS RESULT OF A FALL ON FLIGHT STAIRS

S. LaFleur, Believed to Be of Manistique, Met Death in igan Hotel.

S. Lafleur, 81 years of age, whose nome is believed to be at Manistique, died last night at the Michigan hotel as the result of injuries received when he fell down the basement stairs at away a few minutes after the accident

How the aged man happened to fall down the stairs is not known. His presence in a rear room of the hotel was known by the proprietor, who a short time before saw him sleeping in the room. Later he heard a thud and upon investigating found the aged man's body at the foot of the stairs. Dr. Walch was called to attend the accident victim, but by the time he served. arrived the man was dead.

The body was removed to the undertaking parlors of J. A. Allo, where it remained today while efforts were Manistique. The aged man worked attendance is desired. off and on for the hotel for several

with a huge bunch of orchids that some other fellow has sent her, beams at us all. We stand in a semicircle. "'Sure your trunk is checked?' I

asked. 'Sure your tickets are all right? inquires Jones brightly. 'Hope you have a good trip,' offers Smith enthusiastically. Long stlence. Somebody coughs.

"'Sure you don't want some magazines? I began again. 'Hope the car isn't crowded,' Smith offers dublously. 12:28 tomorrow,' says Jones, frowning say desperately. 'This train always is on time,' volunteers Jones.

"'Don't forget to write,' says Smith. "'All aboard!' shouts the conductor and we hustle Genevieve on board with a sigh of relief in spite of the fact that we're all crazy about herand then we go away and hate ourselves twice as hard as she's engaged that minute in disliking all of us! I tell you it's a sad job, going to the station-don't you ever do it!"

"Well," said the girl who wanted to be nice but couldn't help saying it. "I guess Genevieve must be a raging beauty and you're just desperate about her, or you wouldn't be so upset about it!"-Chicago Daily News.

### To Whiten Goods.

White goods that are yellow with age may be whitened by soaking in buttersullk. Change the milk occag'onelly.

exerted Persuasive Power.

Roland was a "native son" and had taken heed of the conversations of his friends with their many relatives and ings. friends who visited them in California. When a small puppy was given to him Sec. Baker Admits the little chap was much disappointed because Pat would not follow him about, but preferred to linger near the milk saucer. After having exhausted all his wiles to no effect, his distressed little face suddenly brightened once more with coaxing smiles. Certain at spring, insisted that Secretary Baker have again bombarded Padua. last that he had remembered an unfailing inducement, he cried joyfully: had to believe that there would be less favorable to the Bolsheviki. A "Come on, Pat! Come on down in the

### Ant Eater's Convenience.

South America can boast no more remarkable zoological product than the great ant eater." This interesting mammal has powerful front claws for tearing open anthills and decayed logs, tongue that is a foot in length, and a long, bushy tall which, according to native observers, is used "to sweep up the ants." In reality the tail is not employed for any such purpose. It serves for something quite different, as one may see when the animal lies down. Then the hairs of the tail fall both ways over its body in such a manner as to form a sort of roof thatch, shedding rain and keeping the owner dry in stormy weather.

A Glant in the Mountains.

Among nature's curious imitations, perhaps the most remarkable is the soof all the things I had planned to ask | called Hooded Knight, beheld with awe by many a tourist in the Gila national forest, New Mexico. Weathered out from a volcanic peak, it presents a profile grim and impressive. For untold ages it has looked sternly down into the depths of a canyon, and very likely it will still be doing so when the last human being has van-

### YOUNG WOMAN CALLED BY DEATH LAST NIGHT

After an illness of more than a year Miss Irma Pouliot, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Z. Pouliot, 401 South Charlotte street, passed away last evening "Or else I promise to see her off at the family home. Deceased was 25 years of age and had been suffering are five or six other people there do- from tuberculosis for some time. Funing the same thing. Genevieve, all eral arrangements have not been made Birch street. Enquire at 1910 Wells

### SOCIETY NEWS

O. E. S. DANCE FRIDAY.

give a Red Cross benefit dance on Friday evening, February 8, at the Mg sonic Temple to which all Masons, members of the Eastern Star and fam-Peculiar Manner at the Mich liles are invited. A limited number of invitations have been issued to friends. of both orders. The committee in charge are working very hard and hope for a large attendance.

RED CROSS MEETING.

meeting of the Washington-Web ster schools Red Cross society will be the hotel about 9 o'clock. He passed held Friday after oon at 3:30 o'clock at Webster school. Mrs. A. G. Crose will be in charge of the knitting classes. All members are urged to be present at this meeting.

Mrs. N. Derowin was delightfully surprised Monday evening at the home of her mother, Mrs. DeMars. The evening was spent at cards and in conclusion dainty refresiment

LADIES AID MEET.

The Baptist Ladies Aid society will hold their monthly meeting at the made to get in communication with a home of Mrs. Ben Burdic, 1214 Fifth daughter, who is believed to live near street. Thursday afternoon. A good

EAGLES DANCE.

The Eagles Drill Team will give nother of their enjoyable dances to morrow evening at Clark's hall. Music will be furnished by the Eagles orchestra. Dancing will be enjoyed from 7:30 to 11 o'clock.

### ESGANABA WILL PLAY ISHPEMING ON FRIDAY

The Escanaba basketball squad will play the next game of the season with He coughs. 'You'll be there at just the Ishpeming quintet on the Ishpeming floor Friday evening. The Ishat his watch. He coughs. 'Looks as peming team has played three games though a lot of people are going.' I already this season and is a fast one and will give Escanaba a hard battle. The Escanaba squad will be in good trim for the battle with the northern

### REGISTRATION WILL END NEXT SATURDAY

Registration of German allen enes mies in Escanaba will be completed Saturday night, although it is not expected that any considerable number will be registered with Chief of Police John Tolan. Thus far only about half a dozen have registered, and those who have not registered are few in number, it is believed. All male German aliens above the age of 14 years are required to register and those who do not will be subject to internment for the period of the war.

CINDERS COOLED OFF.

The fire department was called at :30 yesterday afternoon to put a stream of water on a pile of hot cin. jects in charge. ders near the lighting plant which threatened to set fire to nearby build pare such a statement to present to reported to have gained the upper

### That Statements May Not Be True

(Continued From Page One)
dition to the 500,000 to be there by show the committee what grounds he tation and supply.

Secretary Baker replied that he dtd providing for confiscation of church not have the exact figures in mind, property has aroused the opposition but that his statement was made from of Archbishop Tikhon, the patriarch figures which had been prepared by of all Russia, who has called upon his experts who took in information at the followers to defend the church. disposal of the shipping board as well as what ships might be available from neutral and foreign sources.

Secretary Baker said that the original statement which has been made the basis of attack, was unfortunate, in that it expressed a general opinion of a broad situation rather than an

"The misfortune for me," the secre tary said. "if I may call it that, lay in the fact that I attempted to give an opinion of a general situation, when the information required details, which I ought to have gotten from experts in charge for a statement giving specific facts. I was attempting to make a general survey. It was a mistake for me to do that."

Washington, Feb. 6.-When Secretary Baker came up for cross-examination before the senate military committee on his statement that there will be 500,000 American troops in France early this year and a million more before winter sets in, a hitch developed as to whether it would be proper to have the secretary answer such questions in public.

While senators discussed the question whether to continue in public session or go into private meeting. Secretary Baker explained that perhaps he was unfortunate in making

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his original statements to the com-[Polish troops who have captured mittee by giving a general opinion. Mohilev. Tartar forces are moving rather than exact facts and details towards Sebastopol, the naval base on prepared by experts having such subthe Black Sea, and have captured

He proposed to be permitted to prethe committee and to return for cross

examination later.

### Artillery Action Forecasts Attack On Western Front

In Russia the situation seems to be shipping available for their transpor- decree by the Bolsheviki government separating the state and church and

New military opposition to the Bol sheviki has arisen in the Tartars and the Poles, Ensign Krylenko, commander-in-chief of the Bolsheviki army, is reported to have been arrested by

Yalta. In Kiev, the Ukrainians are

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