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CZECHO-SLOVAKS IN BALTIMORE PURCHASE WAR SAVINGS STAMPS

Subscribe for Over \$75,000 Worth of "Baby Bonds" in a Single Day at Meeting Recently Held.

The Czechoslovaks have been buying war savings stamps. On the occasion of Professor Masaryk's recent visit to the Czech people of Baltimore, \$75,000 worth of the baby bonds were subscribed in a single day by them. And this was not all. The campaign in Baltimore is not ended, and new subscriptions are pouring in regularly.

According to available figures, the Czechoslovaks hold third place among our foreign-born people for subscriptions to government loans. They bought about \$31,000,000 worth of Third Liberty Bonds, exclusive of the subscriptions of workmen in mines and other outlying places. So it appears that the Czechs are not willing to rest on the laurels won by their fighting men in Russia and Siberia. They are making their work too.

QUEEN MARY'S PIG WILL BE AUCTIONED FOR RED CROSS FUND

Many British Women Have Donated Their Pearls and Other Jewelry to be Sold for War Purposes.

London, Sept. 23.—The pig which Queen Mary presented to the Red Cross and the thousands of pearls given to this society for disposition by raffle will have to be disposed of at auction as the result of the rejection by the House of Commons of the Lotteries of War Charities Bill, which would have legalized lotteries and raffles for charitable purposes.
Sir George Cave, at the second reading of the bill, said that between one and two million pounds would have been realized on the pearls had they been disposed of in the manner proposed by the bill, whereas by sale at auction they will only bring about 200,000 pounds.

Inquire Into The Demand For Postum

A few years ago one could safely assume that most every family was drinking either tea or coffee.

Now-a-days it's different. People from every walk of life in increasing numbers are drinking

POSTUM

The first users were impelled by reasons of health, but in the newer form, Instant Postum there are qualities of economy and serviceability in addition to health value and splendid taste which makes it the paramount table beverage for discriminating people.

"There's a Reason"

WILL YOU HELP BOYS ABROAD TO GET THE NEWS?

Everyone in This City Can Join in Sending Escanaba News Into the Front Line Trenches.

CAN BANISH ROLITUBE

Our Heroes "Over There" are Calling for News From the Home Town About the Home Folks.

Every citizen interested in the boys of his home town now at the front, and in the brave women who equally are serving their country abroad, has an opportunity to show his appreciation of the sacrifice they are making. The opportunity comes as a result of the generosity and thought of Colonel William Boyce Thompson of New York, who has conceived and put into execution what is known as the Home Paper Service.

Under the plan, every man and woman in foreign service will receive the town newspaper, and so be kept in constant touch with the places and the people they know and love.

Every branch of the United States Government is interested in the plan. The Government realizes the importance of keeping those in the service happy and constantly in touch with their home ties and associations. Nothing is more depressing in a national emergency than the spirit of loneliness in those serving their country, and officials know that nothing can dispel this feeling more effectively than reading the home town newspaper.

Publishers of newspapers in all parts of the country—this newspaper included—have grasped with pleasure the plan outlined by Colonel Thompson, and they have agreed to co-operate in every way.

Under the ruling of the War Industries Board newspaper publishers are forbidden to send their newspapers free, even to soldiers. The newspaper must be subscribed for in the regular way, the only exception being soldiers who formerly were in the employ of the newspaper and who left that service to enlist. Colonel Thompson therefore proposes that the public in each community contribute to a fund so that the home newspaper (in our case this newspaper) may reach every man and woman now in the service of his country.

Anyone may contribute to the fund, and any sum may be contributed. It is not necessary to contribute the entire amount of one subscription. It does not matter whether the rich man sends in one hundred dollars or the poor boy or little girl sends in five cents. Each gift will be a message of love and helpfulness to the home town folks "Over There." The money will be lumped into one fund, out of which subscriptions will be entered as fast as the money is received.

Contributors who send in the full price of a year's subscription may, if they wish, designate to what particular person they wish the newspaper sent, but if the name given is already listed as receiving the paper, then the publisher reserves the right to apply the subscription to some less fortunate soldier boy or noble woman who is just as lonely for news of home and home folks.

The name of every contributor to this home paper service will be published in this newspaper, and the name of everyone entered for a subscription will be published as well as the number of those remaining whose subscriptions have not been covered.

If the amount of money received shall be more than is necessary to send the paper to every person from the town now in the service, then the balance will be turned over to the Red Cross.

The plan is endorsed by the publisher of this newspaper without any thought of profit, either directly or indirectly, but with a sincere desire to help keep the home fires burning and to send to our heroes and heroines news of our town, to keep their hearts warm for us and to let them know they are constantly in our minds.

The publisher, of course, cannot make a profit on circulation, and additional circulation such as this will be circulation from non-purchasers sent far across the sea—can have no added value to the advertiser.

These facts are stated so that every contributor may feel that every cent contributed goes to the good cause.

The mothers of our boys are facing an ordeal with a bravery that commands respect and admiration. Here and there where tiny stars are turned from blue to gold, where anguish grips the heart, the nation stands in silence and honors the women who have given of their blood, the very bone of their bone, to their country. To them, home has lost its meaning—the soul of it has fled—there is no home, it is just a place, and no place is quite so lonely, unless it be within the hearts of those brave sons in far off France who long for just a word of home. There cannot be a man, there cannot be a woman, no, not even a child, who will fall to contribute just a little to make the hearts of these patriots lighter. Not one. Not in our town.

OPENING GUN IN CAMPAIGN FOR A SOCIAL UPLIFT

Municipal Recreation Is No Longer Being Looked Upon As a Fad of the Moment.

UNCLE SAM BACKS WORK

Wholesome, Intelligently Directed Recreation Strongly Influences the Community Health and Morals.

Cities no longer look upon municipal recreation as a fad; today on the contrary providing play facilities is considered quite as much a function of city government as providing schools. In fact education and recreation go hand in hand, for play in its deepest significance may be the most important educational factor in community life.

Because wholesome recreation exerts the strongest sort of influence upon the health and the morale of a community, during the period of the war it is of utmost importance. Victory depends quite as much upon the standing of our people here at home as upon the strength of our army abroad. Utmost efficiency is required of every man, woman and child; each individual, therefore, must try to fit himself in body, mind and spirit by living a normal well balanced life. To this end, we must capitalize leisure that is instead of wasting play time by spending it in ways that tend to tear down rather than to build up efficiency, the community must see to it that each individual not only has an opportunity, but is actually encouraged to spend his leisure hours in wholesome recreation that will make better fitted to do his bit.

The government not only approves of this phase of social service as a war measure, but is making every effort to promote it. The broad policy of the War and Navy Departments in regard to the recreation of soldiers and sailors in the camps and in the adjacent communities indicates of what importance military authorities regard the leisure time problem. Moreover the Federal Children's Bureau and the Bureau of Education have inaugurated a war time drive for community recreation.

When one realizes how closely the misused leisure time is associated with the faults and failures of society as a whole, and that a large part of crime and misery has its beginning in lack of proper play and recreation, a plan for all, and that will substitute constructive for destructive interests, certainly deserves the support of good citizens of every community.

ESCANABA, IRON MOUNTAIN AND WESTERN RAILROAD COMPANY.
NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING
The annual meeting of stockholders of the Escanaba, Iron Mountain and Western Railroad Company will be held at the office of the Company in Escanaba, Michigan, on Thursday, October 10, 1918, at 10:00 o'clock a. m. for the election of directors and the transaction of such other business as may be presented.
JOHN D. CALDWELL, Secretary.
Dated September 9, 1918. 1259-233

NOTICE
Dancing party at Golf Club on Wednesday evening, September 25th. Members desiring dinner can be accommodated. Please make reservations in the usual manner.
267 House Committee
Use Mirror Want Ads

WANTED

- 4 Watchmen
 - 12 Lumber Pilers
 - 12 Chainmen
 - 4 Teamsters
 - 20 Lumber Handlers
 - 12 Laborers
 - 50 Woodsmen
 - 1 Toolmaker
 - 3 Lathe Hands
- U. S. Employment Service
Postoffice Bldg.
Escanaba, Mich.

Eagles Drill Team!
Patriotic Dance
Will Be At
Clark's Hall
Instead of South Park
Every Thursday Night
Music By
Olmsted's Orchestra
Tickets 75 Cents
All Cordially Invited

6-4 Disappointment and After Disappointment, Try
The Panitorium
CLEANING, PRESSING, REPAIRING
Look for the Ad That Tells You Who Wants to Find the Job You Have to Offer.



The Kaiser Wants You to Spend

Make That Old Suit Do For a While Yet

"This is addressed to you, Mr. American Citizen. It is also addressed to your family. It is up to you whether the war is won or lost. Some will tell you that ships will win the war. Some will tell you that food will do it. Some will tell you that coal is the thing that is going to save the day. But it is neither of these, nor is it all of them taken together, although each and every one of them will contribute its bit to the cause of Democracy. There is only one factor in the struggle that counts—YOU.

"You count just as much as the boys at the front. You have to make yourself count by practicing the closest economy. Take, for instance, the matter of clothing. We all know that clothing is necessary to civilized man. But during these war days it is not necessary to expend the amount of money for them as in the past. Think what it would mean if every man, woman and child in the United States today should buy heavily of clothing. It would mean depriving necessary war industries of much needed labor.

"Battlefront indications are that the war is to come to an end within the next year—when our boys get into full stride 'over there!' Now, we can win this war for the side of Justice just as easily as not. Providing, of course, we do just one thing, practice economy. Therefore, we say to you Mr. American Citizen, don't buy unnecessary clothing this year. Send your old garments to a first class cleaning and dyeing establishment and put the difference between the cost of furnishing up old clothing and the cost of new into

"War Savings Stamps and Liberty Bonds"

PATRIOTICALLY YOURS,

The Escanaba Steam Laundry & Dye Works

E. A. GRABOWSKI, Prop.

STRAND THEATRE — **To-Day and TO-MORROW**
 W. A. TAYLOR, Lessee

The Silent Witness

—WITH—
GERTRUDE McCOY


A Picturization of the play of that name by Otto Hauerbach, which was pronounced by the New York newspaper critics during its Broadway run to be the greatest triumph since "Madam X."

ADDED — UNIVERSAL CURRENT EVENTS.

WEDNESDAY
 A Wm. Fox Production **'We Should Worry'**
 Matinee, 2:30—5c and 10c.

THURSDAY and FRIDAY
IRENE CASTLE
 In "The Girl From Bohemia"
 Night, 7:15 and 9:00—5c, 10c and 15c

Mary Pickford
 —IN—
"Amarilly of Clothesline Alley"



She is a scrub girl, her mother a washer-woman, and her brothers are newsboys. She has refused an offer of marriage from a gilded society youth, and is going to marry a bartender.

Can you imagine "America's Sweetheart" in a more entertaining production?

In Addition—SIDNEY DREW COMEDY.

DELFT THEATRE
TO-DAY And TO-MORROW

Matinee—5c, and 15c.
 Night—5c, 10, 15c, 20c.
 Shows at 2:30, 7:15, 8:40



Use our **Correct Stationery**

Fine **Leather Goods**

Is your stationery as nice as you would like it to be? Use our fine stationery for your correspondence. A letter has more EFFECT when written on rich paper.

Don't you need a new purse or hand bag? Look at yours and see.

Buy our stationery and leather goods and KNOW they are right.

THE WEST END DRUG STORE
 G. B. FARRELL, Prop.
 1221 Ludington Street Escanaba, Mich.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS

Miss Pearl Bell is visiting her parents in Menominee for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Girard of Green Bay are the guests of Escanaba friends.

Mrs. M. Couillard and two sons of Cornell are visiting friends here this week.

Miss Ozana Chenil of Oser is the guest of her many Escanaba friends for a few weeks.

A. S. Person of the Person Steam Boiler Works is spending several days at Lathrop.

Richard View of Bark River is spending several days with Escanaba relatives.

Carl Olson from Camp Custer is enjoying a furlough with his parents at Gladstone.

George Anderson of Kipling is in the city to attend the teachers convention.

Erick Halberth of Duluth is visiting relatives in the city this week.

Alfred Anderson of Maple Ridge is attending the teachers institute in the city.

Carl Person of Rapid River is spending the week in Escanaba.

John Skopp left Saturday night for a weeks visit with relatives and friends in Milwaukee, Waterloo, and Columbus, Wis.

L. C. Schrader left today for a motor trip to Ishpeming.

Ewald Erickson has left for Hancock after a several days visit at his home in this city.

Donald Sharp has returned from a weeks visit in Chicago and Racine.

Miss Nana McCauley of Kipling is in the city to attend the teachers institute.

Joseph Potvin has returned from a visit at Green Bay.

The Misses Eva Potvin and Ida Fish returned to Munising 1 is afternoon after a weeks visit with their parents in this city.

Miss Nellie Fleming has returned from a week-end visit at Spalding.

John Olson has returned to his home at Ponsaukee after a weeks visit at the Sivertsen home in this city.

Miss Cretta Hartho of Wilson is attending the teachers convention in the city this week.

Miss Ida LeMieux of Menominee spent the weekend in Escanaba.

W. J. Hanrahan has left for Milwaukee where he will spend his vacation.

Frank Seidl left this afternoon for Calumet where he will transact business.

Miss Mable Salter of Do Pere arrived in Escanaba yesterday to spend the week.

George L. Horey of Manistique is among the outside visitors in the city.

W. D. Utter of Marquette is spending the week in the city.

Mrs. J. H. Newhouse will leave tomorrow for her home in the Soo, she has been visiting in the city for the past week.

Miss Vina and Joseph LaChapelle left yesterday for Harris where they will attend the funeral of Thomas Ozier.

UNPATRIOTIC

The following parties have failed or refused to join our association and in so doing they decline to support our soldiers and sailors for the reason that our funds are for Red Cross, Y. M. C. A., K. of C., and other patriotic endeavors.

Signed:
DELTA CO. WAR RELIEF ASS'N.
 Route No. 1, Emery Reno
ESCANABA GARDEN
 (Ford River and James Adams Danforth)
 Fred Beach
 Isaac Caron
 Chas. Juskwitz
 Peter Derouine
 Jacob Roberts
 Albert Messenger
FAYETTE
 Peter Ennard
 William Folio
 M. Sundwick
 Oliver LaSalle
 Coarles Kather
RAPID RIVER
 Elie Schram
 Fred Laifresh
 Werner Vietzke
GLADSTONE - Albert Prohl
 (Route No. 1, Flat Frank Forest
 Rock and Groos.)
 Fred Deiter
SCHAFFER
 Columbus Deiter
 The following reported as having refused to contribute and are all well able to give:
 Louis Duby
 Isad. DeGrande
 Winka Filip
 Jerry Goodwill
 W. H. Little
 Jos. Pavlak
ROCK
 John Nockell

The following parties subscribed to our association, but now refuse or have failed to pay the amounts they owe. We give names and amounts. To subscribe and not pay is as bad as not subscribing at all. It amounts to the same thing.

Signed:
DELTA CO. WAR RELIEF ASS'N.
 Escanaba R. 1 Earle Parer \$6.00
 Fred Lang, \$5.00 Bark River
 Rock Daa Mc'askill
 Mike Mahl \$6.00 \$5.00
 Elbert Sorgerquist Joseph Stinor \$7.00 \$1.50
 Aug. Tys, \$5.00 Ensign
 Rapid River Gladstone.
 James Laraby, And. P. Johnson \$2.50 \$10.
 James B. Laurde Chf. Richards, \$3.00 \$3.
 Henry Martin Perkins \$1.75
 Fred Martin \$7.00 Thomas Gerou \$6.00
 Leo Minor \$1.70
 Chester Wetberg Oscar Sat.strom \$3.50 \$7.00

OCTOBER COURT TERM POSTPONED FOR TWO WEEKS

Judge Flannigan Orders a Delay Because of War Work Activities of Attorneys and Officials.

The opening of the term of circuit court has been postponed from Oct. 7 to Oct. 23, by Judge Flannigan, who sent out notices to that effect which were received by local attorneys Saturday afternoon.

Attorneys all over the country are just now busily engaged in assisting registrants in the filling out of questionnaires and the performance of other war work, while county officials themselves are head over heels in draft board activities. This is particularly so in this county, where County Clerk Popin has been devoting every energy to the furtherance of government activities.

The docket for the October term is quite heavy, a large number of jury cases having been carried over from the July term and at the same time there are many criminal matters which will be handled by Prosecutor T. E. Strom.

CHURCH WOMEN BEAT THE MEN ON OFFERINGS

Ladies of Swedish Lutheran Church Turn in \$1,219 Sunday For Reduction of the Church Debt.

Under the new plan being tried by the Swedish Lutheran church, Sunday was designated as the day on which the women of the congregation were to make their offering for the purpose of reducing the church debt. That they arose to the occasion magnificently is attested by the fact the sum of \$1,219 was turned in and there is still more coming. An several instances members were absent from the city and it is known that they intend to contribute their portion to this fund.

Incidentally the ladies showed greater ardor in their contribution than did the men on the Sunday previous when

the sum of \$1,060 was contributed by the male members of the congregations.

Rev. C. A. Lund is highly pleased with the showing of the two Sundays and is assured that considerable further sums will be turned in shortly. With other funds available, it will approximately \$3,000, leaving a balance of about \$6,7000 unpaid.

HIGH SCHOOL NOTES

The second meeting of the Girls' League for the school was held last night in the high school auditorium. The purpose of the meeting last night was for the election of officers for the coming school year. The girls' League has been recognized by the townspeople as one of the important organizations of the city, and is known for its patriotic work since the beginning of the war. The officers selected Friday were as follows:
 President—Nina Vezina.
 First Vice President—Elizabeth Rice.
 Second Vice President—Antia Gallagher.
 Third Vice President—La Verne Newmann.
 Secretary—Helen Sedenquist.
 Treasurer—Ora Faille.

Football Season Opens.
 The tickets for the football game here next Saturday between Ishpeming and Escanaba, are now on sale. This promises to be a fine game and should be especially well attended, being the first home game of the season.

Coch Waton has the high school boys who are trying for place on the team are on the field every night after the dismissal of school, and he promises a fine team for the coming football season.

Juniors Select Officers.
 At an important business meeting of the Junior Class held Thursday evening at the dismissal of school the officers for the coming term were selected. The meeting was presided over by William Manley, president of the class last year. The officers selected are as follows:
 President—Elizabeth Rice.
 Vice President—Ralph Brotherton.
 Secretary—Madeline Burke.
 Treasurer—Olga Peterson.

AT THE DELFT.
 Comedy holds full in "Amarilly of Clothes Line Alley," the next Artercraft picture following "Stella Mars," which stars Mary Pickford, and which will be exhibited at the Delft Theatre, today and tomorrow.

While in every picture presenting Miss Pickford there has been more or less comedy and the star has time and again proven herself a comedienne of rare ability as well as an actress capable of any neight of emotional acting, it is said that there has never before been a Pickford photoplay wherein humor predominated to such an extent as in tale new story of the alums.

There are many moments of genuine pathos and any number of thrills in the course of the picture, but laughter will hold sway, overcoming momentary predisposition to tears. Throughout the story "Our Mary," winsome, dainty withal, presents a convincing figure of the little tenement girl straying far afield into the realms of the idle rich, lured by the blandishments of a scion of wealth, but returns at last to her natural environs, where she finds happiness.

HAROLD STRONG ASPHYXIATED IN HIS BATH ROOM

Marquette Man Found Lifeless With Gas Found Instantaneous Heater Turned on But Not Burning.

A message was received in this city yesterday announcing the tragic death, in Marquette, of Harold Strong, a prominent business man of that place. Mr. Strong, in some manner which has not been fully explained, was asphyxiated in the bath room at his home Saturday night. He had apparently lighted an instantaneous heater to heat his bath water and something occurred which resulted in his death.

When he did not come out of the bath room after having been there for much longer than usual, an investigation was made and his body was found cold in death, after entrance to the room had been gained.

He is a cousin of Hodgins Brothers, residing in Hyde neighborhood. Funeral services were to have been held this afternoon in Marquette.

SMALL BLAZE CALLS GLADSTONE FIREMEN TO JACKSON HOME

The Gladstone fire department was called to the home of Mrs. Jackson mother of Lieut. Jackson, Friday afternoon to extinguish a blaze which originated from a defective fire place. About 50 percent damage was done to the house but the furniture and interior of the home was not damaged.

MUST PLAN AHEAD TO CONSERVE SUGAR FOR THE WINTER SUPPLY

Food Administrator Prescott Gives Some Idea of The Problems Confronting the County Now.

State Food Administrator George A. Prescott says:
 "An additional factor which complicates our sugar situation is the physical extent of our country. It is possible that there may be an excess of sugar in the country as a whole, and at the same time severe shortages in particular localities far away from centers of distribution. Thus it has been stated there will be considerable supplies of sugar available in the South and West, but because the gateway to the Atlantic seaboard through the Alleghenies and the Potomac Valley will be congested by the movement of munitions and War supplies for our overseas forces, it is extremely problematical whether any considerable tonnage can be moved East."
 "It is therefore not only necessary to make certain of sufficient supplies for the country taken as a unit, but it is also necessary to plan ahead with a view to having sugar available in all parts of the country even in the face of transportation difficulties. This of course involves building up of large stocks than usual."

Escanaba Boy Given An Important Post

F. A. Nelson of North Fannie street has been notified that his son A. R. Nelson has been assigned to a U. S. submarine chaser as a wireless operator. He completed his radio course at Harvard University two weeks ago and notice of his assignment was received by his father in this city yesterday.

Charles Priester Signally Honored

Charles Priester, son of Mrs. Matthew Priester, of this city, has demonstrated his ability in no uncertain manner at the Great Lakes Naval Training station. He has been selected as one of 12 men out of a class of 188 to be sent to Pensacola, Fla. for a special course of training in the naval aviation service.

PROFESSIONAL AND BUSINESS CARDS

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 Practice Confined to Surgery and Disease of Women.
 Office at Laing Hospital, 806 South Mary Street.
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 Office Hours: 9 to 12 a. m.; 2 to 5 p. m.
GLASSES FITTED
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 DENTIST
 Office Hours: 9 a. m. to 12 m. to 6:30 p. m. Evenings by appointment
 Olson Block, 1109 Ludington St.
 Phone 63

Joseph F. Cuddy
 ATTORNEY AT LAW
 Corcoran Bldg. Telephone 333
 Escanaba, Michigan

MARINETTE WOMAN LOCATES BUSINESS ON LUDINGTON ST.

Miss Margaret Archie, of Marinette, has purchased the kodak department of the Robbs studio, and will shortly be located in the room at 1011 Ludington street. This store room is now undergoing a remodeling process to fit it more specifically for the kodak business. Miss Archie comes to Escanaba fortified by a long experience in her line and promises to develop a flourishing business here.

Hotel Oakland To Be Named The Edgar

The name of the Oakland hotel, 513 Ludington street, which was purchased by Mrs. I. Edgar, has been changed to the Hotel Edgar. Mrs. Edgar has started off business in brisk fashion and promises to popularize her place greatly through service and personality.

Special Sale on AUTO TIRES

It is getting late in the season and we want to get rid of our stock of tires.

For the next 30 days there will be a special discount on every tire in stock.

Northern Vulcanizing Co.

Let your taste pick the winner. If you have been eating common corn flakes, try POST TOASTIES A TASTE TELLS

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GREAT MEETING OF EASTERN STAR IN ISPHEMING

Mrs. C. M. Frost, of Escanaba, Re-Elected President of the Cloverland District Organization.

The Cloverland District Association meeting held at Ishpeming last Wednesday by the Eastern Star organization of the Upper Peninsula, was one of the most patriotic, inspirational and interesting in the history of the organization. The great credit for the unqualified success of the meeting is due to the tireless work of Mrs. C. M. Frost, of this city, who was re-elected president of the organization.

CONVENIENCES FOR RELATIVES VISITING WOUNDED HEROES

American Red Cross to Build Small Information House to Assist Large Numbers of Visitors.

For the convenience and comfort of relatives visiting sick or convalescent soldiers and sailors at the big base hospitals in this country, the American Red Cross will build small information houses near the hospitals at each big cantonment.

FINE INSTITUTE IN PROGRESS AT THE HIGH SCHOOL

Institute Is Being Attended by Largest Number of Teachers in the History of the Organization.

The Delta County Teachers' Institute opened at the high school at 9 o'clock this morning with one of the largest attendances in the history of the organization.

WAR BRIEFS

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS)

Amsterdam, Sept. 23.—At a meeting of the Russian Duma and the Russian Imperial council at Kiev, it was resolved to send a telegram to issue an appeal to the public opinion of European and allied governments to put an end to the Bolshevik terror. The Ukrainian council has decided to send a protest to all countries against the arrest and shooting of Ukrainian subjects in Russia and the "inhuman" form of the political struggle now in existence.

AT THE STRAND

Well maintained suspense, events that hold the spectator and a dramatic climax are elements that make "The Silent Witness" a picture worthy of the Hoffman-Foursquare brand. It will be shown at the Strand theater today and tomorrow.

According to experts who have had the privilege of seeing "The Silent Witness," it is based on a story of marked originality. A picture version of Otto Hauerbach's play of the same name which had a Broadway (New York) run two years ago, it is reputed to be as strong dramatically as "Madame X" and to have a number of situations that lift audiences from their seats at crucial moments.

The star of "The Silent Witness" is Gertrude McCoy, who will be recalled as a player of much beauty and charm and one whose sense of dramatic values is highly developed. The remaining members of a singularly well balanced cast are well known on the screen, and several appeared in the original play.

The story concerns the trial of a young man who imagines he has killed a college-mate in defending the good name of his mother. Brought to trial, the defendant faces the district attorney not knowing that it is his own father.

The author has handled the story with skill and discretion and the result is said to be a feature of the highest quality.

P. J. Lindblad, of Gladstone, has sold his Flat Rock farm to Charles Wick, of this city.

SERG. RELATES TALE OF BATTLE OF AMERICANS

Member of Company L. Visits Escanaba After Being Thru Hot Fights at Chateau-Thierry.

IS MADE A LIEUTENANT

Americans Go Seventy-Two Hours Without Food or Water Rather Than Yield Ground Gained.

First Sgt. E. H. Spörke, of Company L, the Menominee-Marquette company which was stationed in Escanaba last summer, is the first American soldier from the Upper Peninsula to return from the battlefields of France with first hand information of what the boys have gone through there.

Sergt. Spörke participated in the big fight at Chateau-Thierry, where American forces first began to flatten out the nose of the salient driven into the allied line, and they have been progressing steadily ever since.

"We fought for 72 hours without food or water," Sergt. Spörke said to the Mirror this afternoon. "There wasn't a man in the divisions who would not rather have starved than give up the ground we won there. The Escanaba boys were in Company K fighting close to our own company and you can tell your readers that the Michigan and Wisconsin boys whipped two of the Kaiser's very best divisions—the Prussian Guard and the Fourth German Guard division."

Recall Escanaba Hospitality. He says the members of Company L all hold the most pleasing recollections of Escanaba and as a matter of fact talk more about the hospitality of this town and its people than they do of Menominee. Sergt. Spörke relates that when he was on his way back through Paris he was told that the Crown Prince had ordered his dinner in Paris, while facing the Americans at Chateau-Thierry but it was still waiting.

This young man also participated in the fighting when the Americans captured Fismes, Cergals and the Vesle river. On the second day of the big fight, the Americans lost practically all of their Red Cross men, stretcher bearers and doctors, the Germans making a special effort to pick them off for the purpose of forcing the American wounded to endure greater suffering.

Red Cross Abused. At Cergals the Germans are said to have had a large Red Cross prominently displayed on a church steeple, so the Americans were ordered not to fire on the church. When the town was taken 14 machine gun nests were found established in the steeple of this church from which they had poured a hot fire into the Yanks.

German prisoners said they had been told if they retreated they would be killed by their own officers, and also that Americans were killing, not taking prisoners.

Near Cergals, the Americans passed over the ground where Quentin Roosevelt is buried, many of them seeing his grave, properly marked. Many German prisoners fully believe that Germans in this country are holding New York and Chicago, as well as other large cities.

Sergt. Spörke leaves Wednesday for Camp Sherman, at Chillicothe, O., where he will be commissioned a second lieutenant and remain for six weeks or two months as an instructor. This promotion was won through gallantry in the fighting at Chateau-Thierry.

GERMAN SUBMARINE REPORTED SUNK BY UNITED STATES SHIP

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS) An Atlantic Port, Sept. 23.—A large German submarine 500 miles off the American coast is believed to have been put out of commission and perhaps sunk by the United States Shipping Board steamer Nasonmond. The encounter occurred last Thursday, according to the statement of the Nasonmond's master, Capt. William McLeod and lasted for 45 minutes.

Fine Service Flag Dedicated Sunday

A most appropriate and patriotic service was held at St. Stephen's Episcopal church Sunday morning when a big service flag was dedicated. A special sermon was preached by the Rev. W. J. Dutton, whose theme naturally was a patriotic character and the congregation was larger than usual.

Miss Harriet Barney of Washington has left for Gered Bay where she will visit enroute to her home in Washington. She has been spending the past month at the Mallman home.

SOCIETY NEWS

EPWORTH LEAGUE.
Mrs. Ivan Stromborg and daughter Lillian and Mildred will entertain the Epworth League of the Swedish Methodist Church, at 1507 Ludington street tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock.

W. T. C. U. MEETS.
The W. T. C. U. will meet at the home of Mrs. J. F. Compher, 316 South Oak street tomorrow afternoon. All members are urged to make a special effort to attend the meeting as its purpose is to determine how much work has been done for the Red Cross.

LADIES AID
The Ladies Aid of the First Presbyterian church will meet in the church parlors Tuesday afternoon at 2:30.

Demand Grows For War Books At the Library

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Brooke's sonnets as an expression of spiritual attitude of England's educated and gifted young men." Another librarian has said that it is the finest war book that she has read. "Over There" with the Austrians, by Hugo Knayvet, Captain Knayvet is very well known in the United States through his lectures. Of his book, the North American Review says: "Blunt and somewhat boyish in style, astonishingly effective in phrasing now and then Captain Knayvet's narrative possesses a raw realism and a bare sincerity that go right to the heart. The author writes in an absolutely simple, conversational manner. He does not carefully work up anecdotes; he does seem to try for jocularity or for the effect of atmosphere or flavor in describing a soldier's life. In consequence no other narrative of personal war-experience so insistently though undesignedly, suggests to the reader the searching question, Am I capable of such devotion to duty?"

Gunner Dewey, by Albert Dewey. Gunner Dewey portrays the war from many angles of vision. As an experienced seaman he fought the Turks with the French Navy, and later was taken prisoner and kept in German prison camps for months undergoing every kind of German cruelty. He thinks the Turks decidedly humane beside the Germans, and says that the German women are even worse than the men in their treatment of prisoners. The author is only a boy and his book is written in a boyish but realistic style. His story reads like a romance.

The Cross at the Front, by Thomas Tiplady. The author is a chaplain with the British forces in France, and "though the entire book radiates whole some feeling, love and trust and a manly and servicable but not ecclesiastical faith."

Theory and Practice of Mysticism, by Addison. Intimate, simple talks, which lead one to wonder if the lack of mystical element here described may not account for the church's present failure to hold a large group of people.

On the Threshold of the Unseen, by Barrett. A survey of the evidence for survival after death and of the phenomena of spiritualism. He answers the objections of sceptics boldly, but the book may leave the reader mystified and dissatisfied.

Human Nature and its Remaking, by Hocking. A book of religious philosophy by the Professor of Philosophy at Harvard University.

Boys Volunteer To Harvest Potatoes

Supt. F. E. King of the local schools announces that of farmers who need help in harvesting their potatoes at this time will notify him, he will probably be able to supply boys for that work during the first three days this week, when there is no school in session.

CLASSIFIED ADS DAILY MIRROR

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- WANTED**—Woman cook. Wages \$55 a month and board. Delta hotel. 287
- WANTED**—A nurse girl at Mrs. R. E. McLean's, Wells. Phone 234. 1334-2690
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- WANTED**—Waitress at the Ludington Hotel. 1345-267
- WANTED**—Girl wants work in some home for board while going to high school. Inquire of F. E. King, superintendent of schools. 247
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Fall Display Days

Today, Tuesday and Wednesday

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GERMAN POSTER IS TO BE USED IN LOAN DRIVE

Cartoon Used to Bolster Failing German Spirits to Be Reproduced and Distributed in America.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS) Washington, D. C., Sept. 23.—A poster issued by the German government to belittle the United States' contribution to the war, and to bolster up the falling spirits of the German people, will be reproduced by the Liberty Loan bureau to be widely circulated in the Fourth Liberty Loan campaign. The poster, which was intended for consumption in Germany alone, will thus get a wide circulation than intended and the guns of the Germans will be turned upon themselves. Two million of these posters are to be distributed. The original of the poster was forwarded by an American in Switzerland. "Can America's Entry Make a Decision in the War?" is the title of the poster. It pictures a small American army and a weak American navy, and then answers its query with the glaring word "No."

LT HUGH COUGHLIN HAS A FINE CHANCE TO RECOVER QUICKLY

It now appears that there is a possibility that Lieut. Hugh Coughlin, who is seriously ill in a base hospital in Hoboken, may recover. His father arrived here Saturday and wired relatives here that his son is believed to passed the crisis in an attack of what is termed Spanish influenza. Unless complication ensue, it is stated, the young man will recover speedily now.

Miss Eunice Jacobson, of Gladstone, has accepted a position in the crockery department of the Fair Savings Bank.

Harold Cleary is spending a brief furlough with his mother in this city.

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