

GERMAN REPLY PARTIAL ACCEPTANCE

NATION WARNED AGAINST BELIEF THAT GERMANY IS ABOUT TO "SURRENDER"

Copenhagen Advances Indicate That German Answer Makes Far-Reaching Advances Which May Bring World Peace.

WASHINGTON IS TENSE

Reply Is Said to Have Been Sent From Germany Last Night and America Is Eager For Knowledge of the Text.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS) Washington, D. C., Oct. 12.—German reports that Prince Maximilian's reply to President Wilson's inquiry has been dispatched and indicates that it is "in a sense" an acceptance of the President's conditions of peace, led to an authoritative statement today that the public should be warned against a belief that Germany is about to end the war by an unconditional surrender.

"Far Reaching Advances"

Copenhagen, Oct. 12.—The North German Zeitung says the German answer to the Wilson note of inquiry is ready and believes it will be handed to the Swedish government today. The newspaper says it understands the answer will make far-reaching advances and hopes that the discussion will bring a durable peace for the entire world.

Forwarded Friday Night

Basel, Oct. 12.—The Frankfurt Gazette says the German answer to President Wilson's note has been completed in principle and was forwarded Friday night. There is reason to believe, it is stated, that the answer of Germany expresses adherence of Germany to the demands of President Wilson.

Swiss Report.

Berne, Switzerland, Oct. 12.—The Wolf bureau, semi-official German news agency is circulating a dispatch from Berlin stating that the German reply to the Wilson note was sent last night and that in a sense is an acceptance of the terms of the President.

Nicholas Wurth went to Fayette today on a business trip.

THE HONOR ROLL

Americans Who Have Been Killed or Wounded in Fighting for Human Rights.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS) Washington, D. C., Oct. 12.—The following casualties are reported by the commanding general of the American Expeditionary Forces:

Killed in action	153
Missing to action	25
Wounded severely	258
Died of wounds	101
Died of accident or other cause	17
Died of disease	107
Total	673

PLAY FESTIVAL CLOSES WEEK OF WELFARE WORK

Child Welfare in Escanaba has Been Given an Irresistible Impetus During the Past Seven Days.

MOTHERS ARE DELIGHTED

Value of Supervised Play is Shown at Ludington Park This Afternoon to a Great Crowd of Interested Parents.

All the forces of nature combined today to give the children of Escanaba a radiantly beautiful day for their great play festival which was staged at Ludington park this afternoon following a parade through some of the downtown streets, thereby bringing to a close a movement which has perhaps more largely benefitted the babies of this community than anything ever before undertaken.

Up to a late hour this afternoon approximately 700 babies had been weighed and measured during the week at the headquarters. Some idea of the quickness with which the idea spread may be gained from the figures which show 109 babies measured the first day, 117 the next day and over 200 on the third and fourth days and a large number today.

Valuable Knowledge Gained. Many mothers learned for the first time that their children were undersized of under weight for the age. They got a new insight into better methods of caring for the baby and developing his little body along more rational lines. Many things learned about good foods and those which were improper and the play festival this afternoon clinched the week's work by flashing the white light of truth home to hundreds of maternal hearts regarding the best forms of play for the children.

The women in charge of this week's activities may rest assured that they have rendered the community a service of the very highest order and aside from the stimulation of their own deeper interest in child welfare activities have brought home to the mothers of this community directly, and indirectly to the fathers, the burning necessity for rational, supervised, intelligently directed development of the future fathers and mothers of the nation.

A Pleasing Feature.

The serving of coffee and sandwiches to the visiting mothers at headquarters during the week was a most pleasing feature which evoked the warmest commendation.

The parade this afternoon was witnessed by great crowds on the main streets and the park was crowded by parents later on to see what can be done in the way of developing children along better lines through supervised play. The program announced in Friday's Mirror was carried out practically as printed and the day proved one of the greatest in the lives of the little folks as well as a revelation to their elders.

EARTHQUAKE SAID TO HAVE DAMAGED PORTO RICO BADLY

Havana, Cuba, Oct. 12.—Widespread damage from an earthquake occurred in Porto Rico last night according to an unconfirmed report from Santiago de Cuba. Many buildings are said to have been destroyed but no loss of life is reported. Cable communication is badly hampered today.

Pleasant Evening.

Miss Susan Saben delightfully entertained a number of her friends at her home on Mary street last night. The girls enjoyed an evening of music and other recreations, with a luncheon in conclusion.

NEARLY 400 U. S. SOLDIERS PERISH IN SEA FATALITY

British Armed Mercantile Cruiser Otranto and Transport Kashmir Collide in Furious Storm.

DEATH LIST UNFINISHED

Ships Papers are Lost and Some Time Must Intervene Before List of Those Lost Can Be Accurately Determined.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS)

An Irish Port, Oct. 12.—American soldiers to the number of 364 or 365 perished when the British armed mercantile ship Otranto and the transport Kashmir collided in the north channel between Scotland and Ireland last Sunday. Three hundred American soldiers, thirty French sailors and 266 members of the crew of the Otranto have been landed at a port in northern Ireland. Sixteen other survivors have been picked up at Islay. More than two hundred bodies had been recovered this morning. Many of them have already been buried.

The Otranto is a total wreck off the island of Islay. The Kashmir landed its troops at a Scottish port without loss of life. The two ships collided while a heavy storm was raging. The Otranto, with a gaping hole in her side, drifted toward the rocky coast and caught on the shelving rock which held the steamer in a vise-like grip and the tragedy moved quickly to its climax.

The storm and fury of the sea began tearing the boat to pieces. The ship had struck about a mile from shore and islanders on the cliffs could not send aid. A terrific wind prevented getting out line. Many men jumped for it and some were swept off by the waves. About noon, the Otranto was lifted on the crest of a high wave and dashed against the rock and broke in two. The remaining men aboard the vessel were left struggling in the water and could not get to shore past the wreckage. The cliffs were so steep the men could not get up. The loss of the Otranto's papers prevents army authorities from learning the names of the missing. All names of the survivors are being cabled to Washington and checked against the full list kept at the port of departure. In this manner the list of dead will be ascertained.

AUSTRIANS BUY LIBERTY BONDS QUITE EAGERLY

Fourth Liberty Loan Showing in North Escanaba Is Gratifying to Those Who Had Charge of That District.

A gratifying condition which has been found by some of the canvassers for the sale of the Fourth Liberty Loan bonds is found in the way in which the Austrian population of this city has arisen to the occasion and come through with subscriptions.

These sales, to be sure, were not in large amounts but the spirit shown by the representative of a race which is at war with the United States is an unmistakable indication of the loyalty of local Austrians to their adopted land. They know Uncle Sam is the best friend they ever had and they are manifesting their appreciation of the opportunities he has given them, by buying as heavily as they can of the present bond issue.

BROTHER OF LOCAL WOMAN PASSES AWAY IN GREEN BAY, WIS.

Mrs. Joseph Moreau, of this city received a message today announcing the death of her brother Joseph Doloria, in Green Bay, of a complication of diseases. The young man was quite well known in this city. Arrangements have been made for funeral services and burial to be held at Negaunee tomorrow.

According to the ruling of the Federal Trade Commission, delivered Sept. 9, 1918, it is contrary to law for any merchant to give employes of customers, or prospective customers any cigars, entertainments or other gratuity for the purpose of influencing the purchase of supplies. All stores will, of course comply with the order of the Federal Trade Commission.

DELTA COUNTY IS PROGRESSING IN HER LOAN DRIVEN

Indications Now are That the County Will Reach Its Allotment Although Many Persons Will Still Have to Buy Bonds.

CITY IS ABOUT FINISHED

Banks Continue to Sell Bonds Every Day and Committees of Solicitors are Still Making Some Progress.

With the Liberty Loan campaign about closed, so far as the city of Escanaba proper is concerned, it begins to look as though this city was going to make a good showing, although Chairman M. K. Bissell is emphatic in his statement that many persons ought to purchase bonds who have not yet done so. The fact that each day sees a fair sized bunch of business done by the local banks is helpful but the next week will have to witness an increase in this sort of business if the city is to get into the list of cities which over-subscribed their quota heavily.

Township Reports Encouraging. Reports from the townships are rather late in arriving in such form as to be useful for official estimates, but in a general way it is known that the drive is progressing every day and those townships which have not yet reached their quotas give promise of doing so before the end of the campaign.

Chairman Smith, of the county campaign committee, is in receipt of information from Chairman Black of the Upper Peninsula district which indicates that virtually all upper peninsula counties will go over the mark set. In a general way it is now known that the Upper Peninsula counties, which are called on for \$8,822,000 have already subscribed approximately ten million dollars. This may mean, however, that the over-subscriptions in some counties are offset by the failures of others to reach their allotment.

Think County Safe.

However the drive in Delta county may be said to be progressing favorably and when the final figures are announced it is pretty safe to guess that this county will be found up to the mark and in all probability considerably over it.

Dr. Lemire's Brother Is Seriously Ill Now

Dr. W. A. Lemire received word this morning of the serious illness of his brother at Washington, D. C. The young man has been in the service for some time, but nothing was known of his illness until today.

Afternoon Entertainment

Mrs. Mc. Cauley entertained a number of friends at her home on South Fannie street this afternoon. The guests reported a most enjoyable afternoon.

Clifford Pulver of Norway is spending the week end at the Crebo home.

Austrian Premier Resigns Position; Pacifist In Saddle

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS) Zurich, Switz. Oct. 12.—Baron Von Hussenak, premier of Austria, has resigned, according to the Vienna correspondent of the Vossische Zeitung. He has been succeeded by Heinrich Klammerick, a pacifist.

PURCHASE OF THE WATER PLANT TO BE VOTED ON NOV. 5TH

City Council at a Special Meeting Last Night Authorizes a Special Election Same Day as Regular Election.

FIX PRICE AT \$298,850

Burden of Purchase of Plant Is Put Upon Citizens Who Now Have Chance to Record Their Sentiments on Bond Issue.

Mr. Voter you are to be given an opportunity to register your sentiments on the matter of issuing bonds for the purchase of the plant of the North Michigan Water company, at a price of \$298,850.

This determination was reached by members of the city council in special session last night, when a resolution was adopted authorizing the submission of the question at a special election which is to be held in conjunction with the regular election in November.

Big Vote Expected.

It is believed by the council that by holding this election at the same time the voters are out for the regular election, a true expression of the sentiment will be recorded and all chances for complaint that the action did not represent the will of the majority of the voters will be eliminated.

The council has had the matter under advisement for some time and has from time to time taken such action as was necessary to bring the proposed purchase to such a point that it could be submitted to a vote. And now the people have the chance to say whether or not they are willing to pay \$298,850 for the plant. It is up to them. The council has prepared the way and the water company is willing to accept that price if the people will endorse it.

Very Little Discussion

The resolution was passed without much discussion as all its points had been carefully gone over before and it was merely a matter of taking the vote. The burden of owning the plant now rests with the people. They are the final arbiters. If they want the plant to be owned by the city, their votes will say so. If the price is considered too high and citizens would rather continue along as they have, the votes will say so.

REV. P. B. FERRIS IS RECOVERING FROM INFLUENZA

Former Pastor of Presbyterian Church in Escanaba Is Stricken and Was Seriously Ill in Petoskey.

Ike Schram returned from Petoskey, this morning and says he is certainly glad to be away from there. Spanish influenza has hit the town hard. Six deaths occurred there yesterday forenoon and six were swept away the preceding day. Schools, churches, theatres and other public places are closed and there is a great deal of sickness from the disease in the city.

Mr. Schram also brings news in which Escanaba people will be deeply interested. In the statement that he met Rev. P. B. Ferris, former pastor of the Presbyterian church here, on the street bundled up in a big ulster and very weak. Rev. Ferris said he had just gotten out of seven days' confinement in bed with influenza and was mighty glad to meet the Escanaba man. Rev. Ferris said conditions in Petoskey were quite serious but with his usual optimism and cheerfulness he was looking on the bright side and thought he saw an improvement in the situation.

Expect McCarthy Body Here Soon

The body of Raymond McCarthy, who died at Conneaut, Ohio, a few days ago, following a brief illness, is expected to arrive here this evening or tomorrow morning. Funeral services have not been arranged as yet and will not be until after the body has arrived in the city.

GERMANS ATTEMPTING STAND ALONG THE SELLE RIVER NEAR LE CATEAU

RECREATION ALL YEAR ROUND IS TO CITY COUNCIL

Movement for the Establishment of Such a Condition Under Trained Superintendent Is Gaining Force.

A COMMUNITY BENEFIT

Body, Brain and Morality Building of Youth of City Largely in Hands of the City Council.

What is all this agitation for "year round recreation" in Escanaba? That is a question which is frequently asked in the last day or two, now that the proposition of providing for such a condition, is to be presented to the city council next Tuesday evening. This week's child welfare activities have been leading up to it. The play festival at Ludington park this afternoon afforded a slight illustration of what is to be undertaken if council sees the light. The whole idea is to afford wholesome, body building, brain building, morality building rest, or play or recreation for old as well as young. This is achieved through community centers where the activities of the participants are directed rather than allowed to run along loosely in their own course. The plan is designed to persuade children to think along right lines and to develop along lines which will make them better, more resourceful, more dependable, more efficient citizens.

Plenty of Playgrounds. Escanaba doesn't need play grounds. She has an abundance of them. But (Continued On Page Four)

GIRLS ARE NEEDED IN MUNITION PLANTS IN CITY OF DETROIT

Work is not Particularly Easy but It Affords Girls an Opportunity to Serve Country at Good Pay.

Mrs. C. R. Hutcheson, chairman of placement, has received the following information from the state chairman. "There is a great need in Detroit for girls in munition factories, wages usually \$3.00 per day. The Packard plant takes no one over 35 years of age and other factories require women under 30. The hours are from 7 to 5. The work is not particularly easy, but it is a splendid opportunity for our girls to play a part in the winning of the war, and we must have munitions. Hundreds of girls are needed at once. Application must be made to Miss Theresa Haley, U. S. Employment Service, E. Adams Ave. Detroit.

CIVIL SERVICE QUIZ FOR CLERK-CARRIER HELD HERE NOV. 9TH

A civil service examination will be held for clerks and carriers in the local post office on Nov. 9, according to instructions sent out yesterday from the headquarters of the seventh civil service district in Chicago. Wives of soldiers and sailors will be admitted to this examination.

St. Joseph's School Class Has Election Of Officers Friday

The election of officers for the coming year at St. Joseph's school was held yesterday. The following officers were chosen: President—Clara Roeser. Vice Pres.—Lawrence LaBelle. Secretary—Malina Beauchamp. Treasurer—Harry Ehnerd. Reporter—Foster Beyers.

Enemy Has Hastily Dug in but Defense is Described as a Mere Scratch on the Surface.

ALLIED DRIVE CHECKED

However, Progress Will be Resumed as Soon as Guns and Transports Catch up to Advanced Allied Elements.

(Associated Press War Summary)

The Germans have paused in their flight before the Anglo-American advance along the Cambrai-St. Quentin line long enough to attempt to make a stand along the Selle river, south from the tip of the allied wedge at Le Cateau. Momentarily the line appears to be stationary along this front where the enemy has hastily dug in. Field Marshal Haig's report mentions no new forward progress on this line. The line is extremely unstable, however, and the German defense is described as a "mere scratch on the surface." There seems every probability that the great allied drive will be resumed as soon as guns and the transports catch up to the advanced elements for a powerful push at the improvised German positions.

British Continue Advance.

London, Oct. 12.—The British last night continued their advance north of the Vrange river, a statement from Field Marshal Haig says today. Advancing in the direction of Douai, the villages of Hammel and Berziers, less than two miles from Douai, were captured. Further north the British pushed to the east of Henin, northwest of Douai and they are now in the environs of Ennany.

French Progress.

Paris, Oct. 12.—Continued progress was made last night by the French along the Champagne front, according to today's war office report. The French penetrated the important railway town of Vouziers. This morning the French were holding the general line of the Retourne river and the road from Pauvres to Vouziers.

Americans go Forward.

Paris, Oct. 12.—The Americans are closing in on Dun-Meuse, while the left wing is within five miles of Bazancy, says Marcel Hutin, in the Echo de Paris. Continuing, he says important events which it is expected will change the face of things, are expected in this part of the Woerre front.

Germans Burn Towns.

With the French in Champagne, October 12—Vouziers and Guise, as well as all the villages in the region south of Laon are reported to be on fire.

FOOTBALL FANS GO TO NEGAUNEE WITH LOCAL TEAM TODAY

All football fans who were unable to accompany the Escanaba team to Negaunee today are anxiously awaiting the returns of the game. Our boys left this morning for Negaunee on the train, and expect to return this evening. In spite of the fact that Escanaba has not been victorious in the two previous games, many Escanaba people accompanied the team to Negaunee and will do everything they can to help Escanaba win.

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LIBERTY DAY.
Today is the four hundred and twenty-sixth anniversary of the discovery of America. President Wilson has proclaimed it Liberty Day and requests the citizens of every community in the United States—city, town and countryside—to celebrate the day.

"We now know more certainly than we ever knew before why free men brought the great nation and government we love into existence, because it grows clearer what supreme service it is to be America's privilege to render the world."

October 12, 1918. October 26, 1918.
ORDER FOR PUBLICATION—Probate of Will.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, the Probate Court for the County of Delta.
At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the city of Escanaba, in said County on the tenth day of October, A. D. 1918.

In the Matter of the Estate of Hugh B. Reynolds, Deceased.
Minnie Reynolds, sister, and heir at law, having filed her petition, praying that an instrument filed in said Court be admitted to Probate as the last will and testament of said deceased and that administration of said estate be granted to herself or some other suitable person.

It is ordered, That the fourth day of November, A. D. 1918, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition;

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

JUDD YELLAND, Judge of Probate.
ROSEZITA CORCORAN, Register of Probate.

October 12, 1918. October 26, 1918.
ORDER FOR PUBLICATION—Final Administration Account.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, the Probate Court for the County of Delta.
At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the city of Escanaba, in said County, on the seventh day of October, A. D. 1918.

In the matter of the Estate of Daniel Olson, deceased.
Hilda Olson, Administratrix, having filed in said court her final administration account, and her petition praying for the allowance thereof and for the assignment and distribution of said estate.

It is ordered, That the fourth day of November, A. D. 1918, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for examining and allowing said account and hearing said petition;

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

JUDD YELLAND, Judge of Probate.
ROSEZITA CORCORAN, Register of Probate.

October 5, 1918. November, 16, 1918.
SHERIFF'S SALE.

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a writ of fieri facias, issued out of the Circuit Court for the County of Delta, in favor of Allyn G. Adams, against the goods and chattels and real estate of Richard A. Henry and Adam J. Henry in said county to me directed and delivered I did on the 30th day of August, A. D. 1918, levy upon and take all the right, title and interest of the said Adam J. Henry in and to the following described real estate, that is to say the North 67 1/2 feet of Lot Seven (7) of Block Forty (40) of the Original Plat of the Village (now City) of Escanaba, Delta County, Michigan. Also Lot Three (3) of Block Fifty (50) of the Original Plat of the Village (now City) of Escanaba, Delta County, Michigan. Also Lot Four (4) of Block Fifty-three (53) of the Original Plat of the Village (now City) of Escanaba, Delta County, Michigan. All of which I shall expose for sale at public auction or vendue to the highest bidder at the front door of the Court House in the City of Escanaba, in said County, on the 19th day of November, A. D. 1918, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated this 4th day of October, A. D. 1918.
ANDREW IVERSON, Sheriff in and for Delta County, Mich.
G. R. EMPSON and S. M. MATTHEWS, Attorneys for Allyn G. Adams.

SUNDAY AT THE CHURCHES

Notice to Pastors.—Copy for church notices for publication in this column must be in this office not later than 5:30 o'clock a. m. Saturday morning to insure publication.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Corner Wells Ave. and Georgia St.
Public Worship, 10:30.
Sabbath school, 11 m.
Junior Christian Endeavor at 2:30.
Senior Christian Endeavor at 6:30.
Evening Service at 7:30.
Sermon: "The Call of the Hour to the People of God."
Prayer and Bible study Thursday evening at 7:30.

The Communion of the Lord's Supper will be celebrated in the service Sabbath morning. It is expected that a number will unite with the church at this time. It affords the people of the church great pleasure to welcome all who desire to become a part of the great work of God's Kingdom within the circle and communion of our church. If there are any parents who desire Baptism for their children they will be welcome to bring their children to receive the Holy Sacrament at this special service of the church. It is earnestly urged that every member of the church try and be present Sabbath morning. Our Lord has appointed the undertaking of the Communion at a time of very special privilege and obligation. The communion is something that many a "Soldier Boy" has found necessary as he has been going into battle. Surely we in our part of the struggle for the right have need of any thing that may help the soldier. There will be special music. Come and enjoy this hour of Fellowship with God.
REV. R. STANLEY BROWN, Pastor.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH.
Corner Hale and Wolcott Streets.
9:30 Sunday School Session. Men's Bible Class at the same hour. Special invitation extended to men.
10:30—Morning worship. Sermon by the Pastor.
6:30—Epworth League Devotional Service. Special invitation to young people.
7:30—Evening worship. Sermon by the pastor.
7:30—Thursday evening. Prayer and studies in Bible prophecy.
The general public is extended a hearty invitation to enjoy these services with us.
REV. FRANK H. COOKSON, Pastor.

ST. STEPHEN'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH
Corner Ayer and Wolcott Streets.
Morning prayer and sermon at 10:30.
Commencing Sunday morning, there will be a series of discourses on "The Philosophy of Religion."
Sunday School at 11:45 a. m.
Evening Prayer and Sermon at 6:30.
You are kindly invited to these services.
REV. W. J. DATSON, Rector.

SWEDISH METHODIST CHURCH.
Corner Wells Avenue and Fannie Street.
Preaching service at 10:30 a. m.
Sunday school at 11 noon.
Evening service at 7:30.
Prayer meeting Thursday evening at 7:45.

GERMAN LUTHERAN CHURCH.
Corner of Jennie and Jacob Streets.
No services tomorrow.
REV. O. HOHENSTEIN, Pastor.

NORWEGIAN LUTHERAN CHURCH.
Corner Wells Ave. and Morris St.
Morning Services at 10:30 a. m.
Sunday School at 9:15 a. m.
Evening Service at 7:45 p. m.
REV. O. C. DAHLGREN, Pastor.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH.
Corner Sarah and Ayer Streets.
Sunday School at 10 a. m.
Preaching at 11:00 a. m. Sermon by the pastor.
Preaching at 7:30 p. m. Sermon by the pastor.
Wednesday evening, Prayer service.
A cordial invitation is extended to all.
REV. IVAN V. LARSON, Pastor.

SWEDISH EV. LUTHERAN BETHANY CHURCH.
Corner Mary St. and Wells Ave.
Sunday School at 9:15 a. m.
Sunday School, Chapel, N. Escanaba, 2 p. m.
Morning Services at 10:30.
Evening Services at 7:45.
Luther League meets regularly every other Friday evening at 7:30.
Dorcas Society meets once a month.
Bury Box Society meets once a month.
C. ALBERT LUND, Pastor.

SCANDINAVIAN SALVATION ARMY.
1213 Ludington Street.
Prayer meeting Thursday at 7:30 p. m.
Young People's Meeting Saturday at 7:30 p. m.
Sunday School at 2:30 p. m.
Sunday Service at 7:30 p. m.
M. OLOPSON, Captain.
Phone 465-W.

SWEDISH MISSION CHURCH.
Corner Wells Ave. and Sarah St.
Sunday Services at 9:15 a. m.
Sunday School at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.
Thursday—Prayer meeting at 8 p. m. A hearty welcome to the Scandinavians of the city is extended.
I. HOYER, Pastor.
Residence, 524 S. Sarah St.

ST. JOSEPH'S CHURCH.
Low Mass at 8:00 a. m.
Children's Mass at 9:15 a. m.
High Mass at 10:30 a. m.
Vespers and Benediction at 2:00 p. m.
Week Day Mass at 8:00 a. m.
REV. FR. RAYMOND G. JACQUES, Pastor.
REV. BENEDICT, Asst.

ST. ANNE'S CHURCH.
Low Mass at 8:00 a. m.
High Mass at 10:00 a. m.
Baptisms at 2:00 p. m.
Vespers and Benediction at 3:00 p. m.
Week Day Mass at 8:00 a. m.
REV. FR. RAYMOND G. JACQUES, Pastor.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SOCIETY.
235 South Fannie St.
Services at 10:45 a. m.
Wednesday Evening Services at 7:45.
Sunday School at 9:30 a. m.
Reading Room, 235 South Fannie Street.
Open every Wednesday afternoon from 2:00 to 5:00 o'clock.
All are cordially welcome.

ST. PATRICK'S CHURCH.
Early Mass at 7:00 o'clock.
Mass at 8:00 o'clock.
Children's Mass and Instructions, 9:15 a. m.
High Mass and Sermon at 10:30 a. m.
Vespers and Benediction at 2:00 p. m.
Brigade Meetings—Sunday evening at 7:30, Co. "B." Monday evening at 7:30, Co. "C." Tuesday evening at 7:30, Co. "D." Tuesday evening at 7:30, Co. "E." Wednesday evening at 7:15, Co. "F."
Holy Hour, Friday evening at 7:30.
REV. F. X. BARTHE, Pastor.
REV. K. N. FELDHAUS, First Asst.

October 5, 1918. October 19, 1918.
NOTICE OF HEARING CLAIMS BEFORE COURT.
STATE OF MICHIGAN, the Probate Court for the County of Delta.
In the matter of the Estate of John Raman deceased.

Notice is hereby given that four months from the Thirtieth day of September, A. D. 1918, have been allowed for creditors to present their claims against said deceased to said court for examination and adjustment, and that all creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said court, at the probate office in the city of Escanaba, in said county, on or before the seventh day of February, A. D. 1919, and that said claims will be heard by said court on Monday, the Tenth day of February, A. D. 1919, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated, September 20, A. D. 1918.
JUDD YELLAND, Judge of Probate.

BUT ONE PARCEL TO THE SOLDIER THIS CHRISTMAS

Postal Service Issues Instructions Which Must Be Followed if Your Boy Abroad Receives His Package Properly.

RED CROSS CO-OPERATES

Will Look After the Mailing and Distribution of Standard Size Carton to the Men in Europe This Year.

The postal department has issued a set of instructions which it will be well for relatives of soldiers to study closely. It is the desire of the government to expedite in every way the delivery of Christmas parcels to the boys at the front, and to this end it has hit upon a system of distribution and standardization which everybody must observe.
Because of transportation and distribution difficulties but one parcel of standard size and weight can be sent to each soldier. To this end arrangements have been made with the war department whereby Christmas parcels can be mailed to members of the American Expeditionary Forces in Europe under the following conditions:
Each soldier or other members of the American Expeditionary Forces in Europe will be allowed to receive one Christmas parcel. No Christmas parcels will be furnished, through army channels, a "Christmas Label" bearing the correct name and address of the soldier or member and also the name of the person designated to mail the parcels. The labels will be prepared to serve as address labels for the parcels. The label furnished each member of the American Expeditionary Forces will be sent to him by the person who is to mail the Christmas parcel. No Christmas parcel, for members of the A. E. F. in Europe will be accepted for transmission without such label.
All Christmas parcels must be of standard size, 3 inches by 4 inches by 9 inches and shall not exceed 3 pounds in weight, for which purpose cartons of the size prescribed will be distributed through local Red Cross Chapters throughout the country. No person will be furnished a carton except upon presentation of a "Christmas Parcel Label" received from abroad.
The parcels must contain no prohibited or unmailable articles and perishable food products are not permitted.
After the cartons have been filled by the persons who receive them, they shall be returned to a Red Cross receiving station where inspectors appointed by the Red Cross will carefully examine each parcel and supervise its wrapping and the affixing of the "Christmas Parcel Label" and the necessary postage stamps, the latter to be furnished by the sender of the parcel. When the parcels have thus been packed and wrapped and otherwise prepared for transportation, the Red Cross will affix to each parcel a certificate in the form of a seal showing that the parcel has been inspected and contains no prohibited or unmailable matter. Such certificates will be accepted by the postal service and army authorities as evidence that the parcels conform to the conditions prescribed and obviate the necessity of subsequent examination.
Christmas parcels must bear the name and address of the sender and will be addressed substantially as follows:
"Christmas Box Department, Port of Embarkation, Hoboken, N. J.
For..... Organization.....
American Expeditionary Forces."

The Kaiser says: "America Won't Fight"
Wilson says:
"TO HELL WITH THE KAISER"
A Story of Romance and Daring on the Side of Right
This is Positively The Best Picture of Its Kind Ever Produced!
The story of "To Hell With the Kaiser" is too good to spoil by coming in during the progress of the picture. See it from the beginning. Owing to its length no extra reels will be run.
Shows each day—2:30, 7:10, 9:00.
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War Tax Extra
DELFT THEATRE 3--BIG DAYS--3 Commencing MONDAY Oct. 14

THE THEATRES

AT THE DELFT.
The romance and fun of the average Central American revolution are admirably brought out in "Less Than Kin" the new Paramount photoplay, starring Wallace Reid and featuring dainty Ann Little, which will be shown at the Delft theatre today.

In this excellent picture, Mr. Reid plays two roles—that of a ne'er-do-well, who is disowned by his family, and the other that of a man who has accidentally killed a man in defense of a woman, and who escapes from jail and finds refuge in Central America, where he drills a motley army of revolutionists. The resemblance between these two men is so startling that on the death of the ne'er-do-well the refugee decides to change his name and station and returns to New York, where his imposture brings about many highly diverting situations. In the end, however, he is pardoned and finds happiness and love in a charming girl.

The photography in this photoplay is of exceptional merit and lends much to the attractiveness of the subject. The story was written by Alice Duer made by Marion Fairfax. Mr. Reid and Miss Little are admirably supported by live screen players, chief among whom are Raymond Hatton, Gustav Seyffertitz, Charles Ogle, James Cruze and Jane Wolf.

GERMANY WEAK INTERNALLY AND ALLIES STRONG

Cologne Gazette Contrasts Conditions in Which It Points Out "Gaps" in Solidarity of Central Powers.
(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS)
New York, Oct. 12.—Internal political weakness in Germany is contrasted by the Cologne Gazette with the solidarity of the Entente allies on the Western front. The paper bemoans the lack of "something like the steel wall" along the German front.
"our interior front has always showed gaps," says the Gazette. "It seemed as if we lack a certain spiritual cement which kept the others together in spite of the blows our victors gave them in these four years.
"The English interior front, as soon as an external enemy has to be fought is gapless and without weaknesses.
"Danger of a moral collapse in Germany evidently is foreseen, for the Gazette says, "only one thing could rob us of victory; the crumbling up of the interior front.
"The most serious menace of this interior front is declared to be the doctrinaires to be found in all parties and classes of society. The paper declares that such men as Prince Lichnowsky, formerly German ambassador to London who wrote a memorandum accusing Germany of beginning the war, and Maximilian Harden, editor of Die Zukunft, whose paper was suppressed for defending Prince Lichnowsky, as well as some of the Socialist leaders in the Reichstag should be removed from political positions.

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. Frank Forest
ESCANABA . . . GLADSTONE
(Ford River and Route No. 1, Flat Danforth) Rök and Gjos.)
Peter Einar Fred Deiter
Albert Messenger Columbus Deiter
RAPID RIVER Chester Deiter
Elle Schram GARDEN
Albert Prohl Fred Beach

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.
Rapid River. Perkins
James Laraby, \$2.50 Oscar Saterstrom
James B. Laurds \$5.00 Rock
Leo Minor \$4.00 Mike Maki \$6.00
Use The Mirror Want Ad.

INFLUENZA HAS NOT HIT CITY TO ANY EXTENT

Board of Health Takes Precautionary Measures and Health Officers Says No Typical Cases Have Developed Thus Far.

The local board of health is having printed and distributed about 500 cards containing instructions for the prevention of Spanish influenza which is ravaging so many sections of the country, but from which Escanaba has fortunately been free to a greater extent than could have been reasonably expected.
City Physician A. J. Carlson says there are a good many cases of the old-fashioned grip but not a single typical case of influenza has been reported so far. However, this is good fortune rather than any splendid preventative measure, and with that idea in mind, the board of health is putting up the cards mentioned.
The board feels that it can do much to prevent the disease from getting a start here and it is much easier than combating it after it has once been established in the community.
So far not a single death has occurred from this disease in Escanaba and that is the pleasing condition which the board of health wants to see maintained.

Eagles Drill Team! Patriotic Dance

Will Be At DELFT HALL Instead of South Park
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Music By Oimsted's Orchestra
Tickets \$1.00
All Cordially Invited

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Olson Block, 1109 Ludington St.
Phone 43

Joseph F. Cuddy
ATTORNEY AT LAW
Corcoran Bldg. Telephone 593
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One 5-room house and lot price.....\$1250
40 acre farm, 7 miles from Escanaba, price.....\$1000
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80 acre farm; machinery, live stock etc. price.....\$4500
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80 acre farm; machinery, live stock, price.....\$4000
One 5-room house and lot price.....\$ 850
80 acre farm, 4 miles from Escanaba, price.....\$1500
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The management of the Strand Theater gives its personal approval of this play. And is one that will be appreciated by all who see it.

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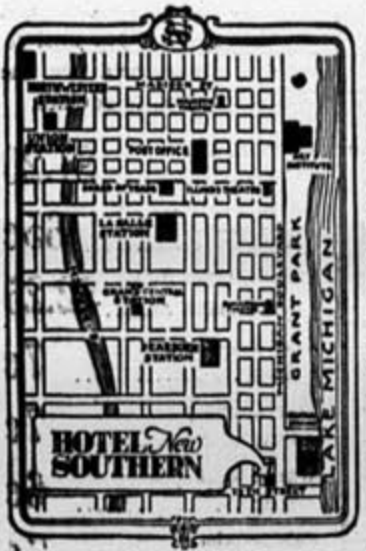
WANTED—Saleswomen, all or part of the time. If you can help us out part of each day it will help some. Come in and see us. Kratz Bros.

WANTED—A nurse girl at Mrs. R. E. McLean's, Wells. Phone 284. 1334-2601f

If you have a modern house, with furnace, and wish to rent it at a fair price to a first class tenant before November 1st. Phone 773-J at once. 280

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WANTED—Has any one a roll top desk they are not using, which they would like to donate for the use of the Woman's Committee, Council of National Defense, in their work. Call Mrs. L. A. Erickson, 404-J. 1f



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WANTED—Everybody to attend the Eagles Drill Team dance at Delft hall Thursday night, Oct. 17. Tickets \$1.00. 1397-290

STOCKS AND BONDS — WE BUY LIBERTY BONDS FOR \$50 TO \$35.00 cash by return mail. HENDERSON & CO., 118 North LaSalle street. Chicago. 317

WANTED—Live owner Ford car, truck or tractor every county to represent exclusively Liberty Starting Primer; \$50 weekly; starts motor instantly in zero weather; first compression with crank or self-starter. Price \$7. References requester. Liberty Starting Primer Co., 676 Woodward, Detroit, Mich. 285

SALESMEN—For general mercantile trade in Michigan, to sell a new proposition of merit; vacancy now; attractive commission contract; \$35 weekly for expenses. Miles F. Bizler Co., Wholesale Jewelers, 136 Carlin Bldg., Cleveland, O. 285

WANTED—If you have a small soft coal heater to sell. Call for O'Brien at 814 Wells. 1f

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Big bay team weight 3,100, sound 11 and 12 years old. One black mare weight 1,400, sound, 11 years old, colt, 2 years old, sound and one sorrel mare. Inquire Louis Kaufman, 1406 Ludington St. 13761f

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FOR SALE—1918 Dodge Touring car; fine mechanical condition. Price reasonable if taken at once. Call 789. 276-13721f

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FOR RENT—Furnished rooms for light housekeeping; all modern conveniences. 212 N. Mary St. Inquire at 210 N. Mary st. 1390-283

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms for rent, all modern conveniences. Inquire 1221 Escanaba ave. 1387-286

FOR RENT—Furnished room with all modern conveniences. Inquire at 809 Wells ave. Phone 466-N

FOR RENT—Rooms for storing stoves and furniture. Reasonable terms. Enquire at 420 Ludington St., or phone 260J. 781f

WOMEN—to sell guaranteed hosiery to wearer. Salary \$15.00, full time, 26c an hour spare time. Enormous Christmas trade. Experience unnecessary. Guarantee Mills, Norristown, Pa. 323-41

LADIES—Earn \$15 weekly in spare time at home addressing and mailing circular letters. Send 20c (silver) for 50c sample outfit and full particulars. Buffalo Music Publishing Co., Brisbane Bldg., Buffalo, N. Y. 305

Pneumonia Victim Begins Showing A Change for Better

Charles, the young son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Haglund, of Sixth St., is considerably improved today after having been seriously ill of pneumonia. It was feared for a time that the little fellow would not be able to weather the storm but his recovery now seems to be assured.

Look for the Ad That Describes the Place You Would Like to Own.

D. Arnold has returned to his home in Menominee after a weeks visit in Escanaba.

WAR DEVELOPS NEW SYSTEM OF BUYING GOODS

Importing Syndicates Formed Which are Now Known as "Consortiums" For the Purchase of Raw Material.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS) Washington, D. C. Oct. 12.—What amounts to co-operative, syndicated buying in foreign markets has been adopted as a war measure by French manufacturers who get raw materials abroad. Commercial Attache Pierce Williams, at Paris, points out that French industries, therefore, are rapidly being centralized in syndicates acting on behalf of the French government.

These importing syndicates are known as consortiums. Their capital stock is fixed by the government and each manufacturer requiring the raw material is permitted to take a certain amount based on his pre-war imports. The consortium is permitted to distribute the material to the members, at a price determined by the Ministry of Commerce. It is expected that waste competition will be prevented in markets which also must supply France's associates in the war, and that profiteering by mushroom firms will be eliminated.

MANY GROCERS IN NEW ORLEANS WILL QUIT BUSINESS SOON

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS) New Orleans, Oct. 12.—More than one hundred grocery stores in New Orleans will go out of business after the manufacture of beer is discontinued on December 1 according to A. A. Larose, secretary of the New Orleans Retail Grocer's Association. Of the more than 2,000 groceries in the city about half are operated in connection with saloons. Mr. Larose states, and of this number about ten per cent almost entirely are supported by revenue from the bar.

TAYLOR IS LEADING BOWLERS IN PRIZE COMPETITION NOW

Interest in the Delft club prize bowling competition which comes to a close Oct. 15, is increasing. Earl Taylor now holds high score with a total of 244 while Sam Papadakis is second with a score of 236. Olmsted is now organizing his winter league and hopes that all men interested in bowling will have their names in so that the teams can be made up and schedules arranged for opening the season on November 1st.

Bordeaux Eating Houses Closed By An American Order

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS) Paris, Oct. 12.—Two of the leading restaurants at Bordeaux have been closed to American soldiers by their military authorities because of exorbitant prices. One cafe is said to have charged two American officers \$3.50 for four eggs and two small glasses of beer, while another exacted \$1.50 for coffee. Sentries were placed at the doors to warn all men in American uniform that they were not allowed to enter either establishment.

Mrs. F. McCauley left Thursday night for Alma, where she will visit her daughter, Miss Belle. She will also visit in Chicago and Detroit.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS

R. H. Bacon of Fon du Lac is spending the week-end in the city with friends.

Miss O. Pascoe of Calumet is spending the week-end in the city.

Miss Emma Groth has left for Perkins where she will spend the week-end with her parents.

Mrs. Isaac Bonafas of Bonifas, Mich., is spending a few days here.

Miss Dymna Stok left this morning for Negaunee where she will attend the football game.

James McCarthy of Toledo is enjoying a furlough with relatives here.

Miss Kathleen Ramspeck left this morning for Negaunee where she will attend the football game.

Fred Stegath left last night for Ann Arbor where she will attend school for the coming year.

The Misses Margaret Christenson and Roe Mae Wurth will leave Monday night for Milwaukee where they will accept positions.

Mrs. J. Lees of Hancock is in the city.

Mrs. O. R. Tridney of Munising is in the city this week.

Harold Johnston left this morning for Negaunee where he will attend the Negaunee-Escanaba game.

Mrs. Donna Durancieu has returned from Minneapolis where she has been spending the past two weeks with relatives.

Miss Minnie Maves is spending the week-end at Hermanville.

Miss Nellie Johnston motored to Negaunee this morning to attend the football game.

Miss Irene Tobin of Nahma who has been visiting in the city left this morning for Duluth where she will visit before leaving for France. Miss Tobin leaves the 15th for an eastern port, and from there she will leave for France to take up the duties of the Red Cross nurse.

Mr and Mrs. B. J. Douglas of Bark River visited their daughter Miss Ethel in the city yesterday.

George Nesbitt has returned to the Great Lakes after a fourteen day furlough with his parents at Cedar River and relatives in the city.

Miss Leah Jolly left last night for Duluth where she will accept a position as nurse. She will leave early in December for overseas service.

James Johnson attended the football game today.

Miss Violet Gardner who is a student at the Cleveland commercial college has gone to her home at Whitney to spend Sunday.

Clyde Buchanan motored to Negaunee this morning to attend the football game.

Thomas Bolton arrived in the city this morning from the Great Lakes to spend a brief furlough with his parents.

Miss Kathleen O'Brien will leave tomorrow for Shawano, Wis., where she will teach the coming year.

Miss Alice Mc Martin was among those who attended the football game at Negaunee today.

Mrs. Mary Deasy, of Marquette is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Arthur Peterson.

Miss Vida Crozier is ill at her home on South Mary street.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Breatht and Fred Griffin of Manistique have returned to their homes in that city.

SHOES BRINGS \$15.00 A PAIR IN ROME NOW

Rome, Oct. 12.—Fifteen dollars a pair is being demanded here for an ordinary pair of shoes which only a few months ago could be bought for half that price.

One of the measures adopted by the government to regulate the price of cloth is a decree compelling manufacturers to stamp the cost price on the material every three yards and prohibiting the retail price from being more than 35 per cent above cost.

ROAD BUILDING

FACTORS IN ROAD BUILDING

Necessity Emphasized in Giving Greatest Consideration to All Local Conditions.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

Theory is simply the sign post that points the way in road building, while judgment is the vehicle on which the journey is dependent, says a publication on "The Design of Public Roads" by the United States department of agriculture.

The publication emphasizes the necessity of giving the greatest consideration to all local factors in road construction. In order to furnish the kind of roads that a community wants and to furnish them with the least possible drain on the public treasury, the person who designs them must be thoroughly familiar with local conditions and must possess the judgment necessary to weigh the importance of all considerations. The publication makes no attempt to state definite and exact rules for designing roads to suit every locality but takes up separately the important features of the problem with a view to showing the variations in current practice and the influence of some special conditions with regard to each feature.

In order to select the type of surface best adapted to the need of a particular road, it is necessary to consider first, the class of traffic to which the road will be subjected, and second, to compare the estimated ultimate cost of the different surface types which would be capable of satisfactorily caring for that particular class of traffic. The number of roads for which accurate traffic and efficiency records have been kept is said to be insufficient to warrant definite conclusions as to the best type for any particular class of traffic, but the following summary is said to contain about as definite information on this point as can be drawn from available records.

(a) Earth roads, when properly maintained, are satisfactory in dry weather for a light volume of all kinds of highway traffic.

(b) Sand-clay roads are the same as earth roads, except that the surfacing material has been selected carefully with a view to increasing the stability of the surface in both wet and dry weather. They are satisfactory for a moderate traffic of horse-drawn vehicles and a light traffic of automobiles. They seldom are satisfactory for even a light traffic of heavy trucks unless the roadbed material is very stable.

(c) Gravel roads, when well built, are satisfactory for a heavy traffic of horse-drawn vehicles and heavy trucks. In all cases they require constant maintenance.

(f) Bituminous roads are suitable for a heavy traffic of both automobiles and horse-drawn vehicles and a moderate traffic of heavy trucks.

(g) Concrete roads are adapted to the same general class of traffic as bituminous roads, and generally are capable of withstanding the traffic of somewhat heavier vehicles without injury.

(h) Brick roads are adapted to the same general class of traffic as concrete roads. Either brick or concrete roads, however, may be economical for only moderate traffic where other road-building materials are scarce.

COSTS LITTLE TO FIX ROADS

Expense of Beautifying Highway in Front of Farm Buildings is Comparatively Small.

It costs comparatively little to fix up, or even beautify the road in front of the farm buildings—and how much it helps the looks and general appearance of the place! It costs but little more to have the road so far as it borders the farm not only free from unsightly weeds and rubbish, but well graded.

WORK ON JEFF DAVIS MEMORIAL STOPPED BY LACK OF MEMORIAL

Louisville, Ky., Oct. 12.—Work on the great obelisk being reared at the town of Fairview, the birthplace of Jefferson Davis, as a memorial to the Southern Confederacy's one president has been ordered stopped because of a scarcity of material.

The obelisk is being built of poured concrete and when finally completed will be 351 feet high. It already has been carried upward nearly 200 feet. Because of the demand for that material for war purposes the contractors have been refused priority orders for the further delivery of cement. It is expected that work on the structure will be resumed when peace is declared.

TUBERCULOSIS TEST FOR COWS ORDERED BY BOARD OF HEALTH

All cows from which milk for use in Escanaba, whether the owners of the cows live in the city or not, must be tested within a reasonable time for symptoms of tuberculosis. The local health board has issued an edict to that effect and it will be strictly enforced. The local board is determined that disease shall not be spread through impure milk and after a reasonable length of time has expired, it will check up and see just what owners have failed to comply with the ruling. Those who have failed will be given a fair opportunity and then drastic action is promised if further evasion is attempted.

BOOST MISS RANKIN FOR SEAT IN SENATE

Helena, Mont., Oct. 12.—Supporters of Miss Jeannette Rankin, representative in congress from Montana, already have begun an active campaign in her behalf as a nominee for the United States senate. Miss Rankin recently accepted the nomination of the National Party for United States senator from Montana after her defeat for the Republican nomination in the August primaries by Dr. O. M. Lanstrum, of Helena.

Use the Want Ads to Find Lost Articles, for Any Honest Finder will Look for Your Ad.

DELFT THEATRE TO-DAY WALLACE REID -IN- "Less Than Kin" VAUDEVILLE McMahon and Schorner ALSO The Summer Girls Max Bennett Comedy Matinee 5c and 10c. Night 5c, 10c, 15c, 20c Shows at 2:30, 7:10, 8:50. SUNDAY ANNA Q. NILSSON in "In Judgment Of"

BATTLE OF WITS AS WELL AS GUNS ON YANK FRONT

Germans Move Batteries Nearly Every Night in Hope of Deceiving the American Intelligence Officers.

With the American Army in France, Oct. 12.— There is a battle of wits as well as guns along the American front in the mountainous Lorraine country near the southeastern end of the western front. Germans try to deceive the American intelligence officers by moving their machine guns and batteries to new positions every night.

The Americans solved this problem by using a series of tracing devices which may be made daily and imposed upon one another. When they are compared, the various points which the guns have been moved are indicated.

Then comes the opportunity for the American artillery to do their work upon them. This system has proved very reliable in locating the heavy batteries behind the German lines.

Miss Myrtle Fitzgerald and Miss Edith Ashford have returned to their homes in that city after a visit with friends in this city.

Expert Car Laundry At EDWARD'S GARAGE

Bring in your automobiles and have them washed in the approved method. Keep your car looking like new. Edward's Garage

SPECIAL CHICKEN DINNER ... AT THE... Home Cafe

Sunday, Oct. 12 Price50 Cts. Regular Dinner 40c

"TO HELL WITH THE KAISER" DELFT THEATRE 3 DAYS COMMENCING MONDAY OCT. 14

IMPORTANT

In Order to Combat the Epidemic of SPANISH INFLUENZA Which is Now Most Prevalent in Our State, and in Compliance With the State Board of Health, the Local Board of Health Requests That the Following Precautions be Observed.

1. It is especially important to beware of the person who coughs or sneezes without covering his mouth and nose. It also follows that one should keep out of crowds and stuffy places as much as possible, keep homes, offices and workshops well aired, spend some time out of doors each day, walk to work if at all practicable—in short, make every possible effort to breathe as much pure air as possible.

"Cover up each cough and sneeze, If you don't you'll spread disease."

2. Where crowding is unavoidable, as in street cars, care should be taken to keep the face so turned as not to inhale directly the air breathed out by another person.

3. In guarding against disease of all kinds, it is important that the body be kept strong and able to fight off disease germs. This can be done by having a proper proportion of work, play and rest, by keeping the body well clothed, and by eating sufficient, wholesome and properly selected food.

4. It is very important that every person who becomes sick with INFLUENZA should go home at once and go to bed. This will help keep away dangerous complications and will, at the same time, keep the patient from scattering the disease far and wide. It is highly desirable that no one be allowed to sleep in the same room with the patient. In fact, no one but the nurse should be allowed in the room.

5. Call a physician and take only such medicine as is prescribed by the doctor. It is foolish to ask the druggist to prescribe and may be dangerous to take the so-called "safe, sure and harmless" remedies advertised by patent-medicine manufacturers.

6. The ordinance relative to spitting on the sidewalks and in public places, will be rigidly enforced.

F. H. ATKINS,

JOHN J. TOLAN,

A. J. CARLSON,

Board of Health.

GERMANS RETIRE BEFORE BRITISH IN DOUAL REGION

Every Evidence of Preparation For Stand Against Anglo-Americans on the Valenciennes Line.

CITY ABOUT EVACUATED

German Prisoners Taken Today Say They Were Ordered to Hold on to the Last And Kill as Many as Possible.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS) London, Oct. 12.—Germans in the region of Douai have retired behind the Seneze canal. The British have reached a line two miles west of Douai. The withdrawal of the Germans across the Seneze canal has been more or less completed. The enemy has fallen back rapidly in Champagne and the French have advanced for a distance of four miles. So swiftly is the French line changing that it is difficult to follow the advance from point to point.

Foe Prepares to Stand. With the Anglo-Americans on the Valenciennes front, Oct. 12.—There is every indication today that the Germans are preparing to make a strong stand on the Valenciennes line, which now has been reached by the Americans east of the River Selle. The evacuation of the city of Valenciennes itself was started three weeks ago. Prisoners captured today say they were ordered to hold on to the last and kill as many British and Americans as possible.

British Nearing Douai. British headquarters in France, Oct. 12.—British advanced posts have now been pushed to within one mile of the outskirts of Douai. The advance from here must be cautious, however, as many ground mines have been encountered and there is good reason to believe that the town itself is honeycombed with death traps.

HOW TO PREVENT AND TREAT INFLUENZA

Some Instructions Issued by Army and Navy Physicians—File Away for Reference.

Avoid contact with other people so far as possible. Especially avoid crowds indoors, in street cars, theaters, motion picture houses, and other places of public assemblage.

Avoid persons suffering from "colds," sore throats, and coughs. Avoid chilling of the body or living in rooms of temperature of below 65 degrees or above 72.

Sleep and work in clean fresh air. Keep your hands clean and keep them out of your mouth.

Avoid expectorating in public places and see that others do likewise. Avoid visiting the sick. Eat plain nourishing food and avoid alcoholic stimulants.

Cover your nose with your handkerchief when you sneeze, your mouth when you cough. Change handkerchiefs frequently. Promptly disinfect soiled handkerchiefs by boiling or washing with soap and water.

Don't worry, and keep your feet warm. Wet feet demand prompt attention. Wet clothes are dangerous and must be removed as soon as possible.

What to do for influenza and colds. Oftentimes it is impossible to tell a cold from mild influenza. Therefore:

If you get a cold, go to bed in a well ventilated room. Keep warm.

Keep away from other people. Do not kiss any one. Use individual basins, and knives, forks, spoons, towels, handkerchiefs, soap, wash-plates, and cups.

Every case of influenza should go to bed at once under the care of a physician. The patient should stay in bed at least three days after the fever has disappeared and until convalescence is well established.

The patient must not cough or sneeze except when a mask or handkerchief is held before the face. He should be in a warm, well ventilated room.

There is no specific for the disease. Symptoms should be met with as they arise.

The great danger is from pneumonia. Avoid it by staying in bed while actually ill and until convalescence is fully established.

The after effects of influenza are worse than the disease. Take care of yourself.

Strictly observe the state and city rules and regulations for the control of influenza.

Great Britain Is Making 12,000 Tons Of Shells Daily

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS) London, Oct. 12.—Winston Spencer Churchill, British minister of munitions, speaking at Leeds yesterday, said the output of shells in Great Britain is now 12,000 tons daily.

"LIBERTY DAY" IS EXPECTED TO BRING HEAVY SUBSCRIPTION

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS) Washington, D. C., Oct. 12.—Today was the busiest day of the Fourth Liberty Loan campaign. Judging by the returns to headquarters, national workers starting with a total of less than \$2,500,000,000 hoped to raise it to above three billions by tonight. With such a record, the loan is still far behind the rate it should have reached with the three week's campaign two-thirds gone.

WILSON HEADS GREAT PARADE IN EAST TODAY

Man Who Breaks Through the Lines to Shake His Hand is Held Under Arrest Until Intentions are Shown to Be Harmless.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS)

New York, Oct. 12.—President Wilson today marched in the front line of the Liberty Day parade, taking his place in the line at Seventy-Second street. At the head of the American division and amid a continuous roar of cheers he led the parade down to the Altar of Liberty at Madison Square Garden.

During the march a man broke through the lines and attempted to shake hands with the President. Secret service men quickly had him in custody and he was taken to a police station where he was held for disorderly conduct. It was learned that the man's intentions were harmless. The incident failed to disturb the President's calm.

ONLY CHANGE IN MACHINERY

Hand Knitting Now Done in Exactly the Same Manner as It Was Many Centuries Ago.

There are a few touches of humor in the countryside revival of knitting, such as the over-large and the envious feminine group about the lady who, with practiced skill, deftly turns the heel of a sock, but behind it all is a fine display of service, says a writer in the Detroit Free Press. When you see a sweater or muffler in process of evolution it may interest you to know that the work is being done just about as it was when the art was in its infancy. There have been great improvements in knitting machinery, however, and the first of them was directly due to a somewhat common malady—unreciprocated love.

The Rev. William Lee of Cambridge university, as the story goes, was deeply smitten with a maiden of his native town, Woodborough, Nottinghamshire, but in spite of his ardent wooing could make no impression. The fair one calmly kept on with her knitting, then the common occupation of English women.

In revenge Reverend William swore he'd invent a machine which would destroy the market for hand work. He kept his word, but Queen Elizabeth refused to grant a patent and to give her financial support because too many of her subjects would be deprived of their means of livelihood. So the inventor took his machine to France. This story may be entirely fanciful, but in 1589 William Lee did revolutionize hosiery making by producing the knitting frame or stocking frame. American names in the list of those who have labored to perfect knitting machinery are W. C. Gist, Almet Reid and Griswold.

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HARRY MOREY HAS A GREAT ROLL IN NEW VEHICLE "ALL MAN"

In "All Man" Harry Morey is said to have a role that is superior to the one of Joe Garson, that which won him fame in "Within the Law," Albert E. Smith, president of Vitagraph, speaking of this production, said: "Including even the sociological message which 'Within the Law' carried, I believe that 'All Man' measures up to that great play from every angle. It is a crook play but a different kind. For one thing, the hero is a hard-working man who goes wrong and then turns right again. A new era detective, a police official with a soul, is introduced, and a new kind of heroine is presented.

"We think very highly of the story, because it is filled with novel situations and is away from the 'usual.' It was adapted from 'Fiddler's Green,' an engrossing story by Donn Byrne which attracted great attention and interest when it ran in the Saturday Evening Post. 'All Man' will be seen at the Strand today and Sunday.

Patriotic Dance To Be Given At the Beech Grove Hall

For the purpose of raising funds to buy Liberty Bonds, a dance is to be held at the Beech Grove Grange hall Monday evening. A great crowd is expected to attend this affair which is given quite as much through patriotism as for the pleasure of those attending.

K. of C. Initiation At Marquette Sunday

Several members of the Escanaba Knights of Columbus will go to Marquette tomorrow to attend a big meeting there when a large class of candidates is to be initiated. Menominee is scheduled to send a particularly large delegation.

Miss Eva Nelson has returned to her home at Manistique after motoring to this city to visit friends.

Teas and Coffees

Beat it if you can and care to have choice tea and coffees at but 2c a pound over wholesale. Tea 20c, 25c, 35c, 40c. per lb. Coffee, 15c, 18c, 23c, 30c per lb. We fear not on the contrary we invite inspection of our bills as to our wholesale cost.

Central Cash Market

"THE PEOPLE'S STORE"

Many German Papers Are Suspended Since Starting of the War

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS) New York, Oct. 12.—Since the beginning of the war 3,582 German newspapers and magazines have discontinued publication either permanently or temporarily. This is officially announced by the German postal authorities, says the Berlin "Tagblatt." In the same period 1,745 new publications were begun. The total number of newspapers and magazines in Germany was estimated at 19,000.

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As soon as you read this, call up and get what you need to-night. Be prepared for the Monday washing in advance.

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- Star Laundry Soap 7c
- Ward's Best Soap 6c
- Fels Naptha Soap 7c
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RECREATION ALL YEAR ROUND UP CITY COUNCIL

(Continued From Page One)

It will take Escanaba man power and the support of Escanaba citizenship and the authorization of the Escanaba city council to make these playgrounds and community centers of the greatest use to the community. It is planned, for instance, to have the usual summer playgrounds at the Washington, Webster Barr and Franklin schools and the park.

It is absurd to say that the city has a playground and children who want to play there will go there of their own volition. For instance, no North Escanaba child is going to come down to Ludington park to play. The playground influence does not and should not extend for a radius of more than a quarter of a mile, statistics show.

"Sunset Leagues."

The movement also contemplates the organization of "Sunset" leagues, where volley ball, indoor ball, and kindred sports may be indulged in, in order to encourage outdoor activities among older boys and girls, and men and women who are employed during the day.

Through the establishment of such a condition as is sought, interest in games and sports outside of school hours would be stimulated through co-operation of school authorities with the trained superintendents of recreation. This would benefit all school children, not just the few who are members of school teams and who, nine times out of ten, are the ones who least need the forms of exercise which it is sought to provide in order to build up their health and efficiency to the highest possible point.

Use Of Schools.

The use of the high school, Webster and Washington schools as community centers in the evenings during the winter, places for parties, gym classes, games, clubs, music, lectures, etc., is a part of the plan. In other words this would provide a species of municipal club house.

Community celebrations, celebrations of special days, holidays, etc., would fall within the scope of the activities planned under the scheme of recreation for young and old.

But the first thing and the most vital thing needed is the appointment of a Recreation Commission. The Michigan state law provides for the appointment of such a commission by municipal councils. Under this commission it would be necessary to employ a trained superintendent of recreation who would be employed throughout the year and a trained play leader on each play ground during the summer.

Winter Activities.

During the winter a great deal of the club work can be carried on with the assistance of volunteer leaders under the direction of the superintendent who is employed the year

RED CROSS SCHEDULE FOR THE COMING WEEK

Monday a. m.—Dressings, Mrs. Reade.
Monday, p. m.—Dressings, Mrs. Moe, Mrs. C. Hewitt.
Monday evening—Dressings, Mrs. R. E. Hodson, Mrs. Hillyer.
Desk—Mrs. Buell.
Tuesday a. m.—Dressings, Mrs. W. W. Oliver.
Tuesday, p. m.—Mrs. Geo. Shipment, J. R. Rodgers.
Tuesday evening—Dressings, Mrs. Nee, Mrs. Brennan.
Desk—Mrs. W. J. Hodson.
Wednesday, a. m.—Dressings, Mrs. Clarke.
Wednesday, p. m.—Dressings, Mrs. McCaulay, Mrs. Corcoran.
Wednesday evening—Mrs. A. T. Hoffman, Mrs. Brackett.
Desk—Miss Hess.
Thursday, a. m.—Dressings, Mrs. W. A. Cotton.
Thursday, p. m.—Dressings, Mrs. Young, Mrs. Carr.
Thursday evening—Dressings, Mrs. Winegar, Mrs. Fillion.
Desk—Mrs. Andrews.
Friday, a. m.—Dressings, Mrs. Atkinson.
Friday, p. m.—Dressings, Mrs. Beggs, Mrs. O. N. Hughitt.
Friday evening—Dressings, Mrs. Gustafson, Mrs. Lemire.
Desk—Miss Oliver.
Saturday, a. m.—Dressings, Mrs. C. Fisher.
Saturday, p. m.—Mrs. Dewey, Mrs. Harris.

WILL GROW ONE VARIETY EXCLUSIVELY

Delta County Farmers Organizing to Grow only Green Mountain Potato.

The farmers of Delta County are organizing to grow one variety of potatoes known as Green Mountains. This variety has been thoroughly tried out in Delta County and other counties in the Upper Peninsula and has proven its worth when grown side by side with other varieties.

The Green Mountain was introduced into the County three years ago and since that time has gained in popularity until at the present time several fields are growing here. It is a round white potato of excellent quality containing a large amount of starch, making it an especially good potato for table use.

Some of the reasons given for choosing the Green Mountain variety are as follows:

1. They mature medium early.
2. They are round and white and an excellent seller in the market.
3. They do not grow hollow.
4. They are adapted to a majority of the soils in Delta County.
5. They are good producers.
6. They can be popularized and made uniform throughout the Upper Peninsula of Michigan.
7. They produce well on sandy land.

The reasons for growing one variety of potatoes in the County are obvious. However, the main object is to be able to ship in carload lots the same kind of potato and secure a higher price for a uniform product.

Meetings are being held in different parts of the County this week starting Tuesday evening at Gust Anderson's farm, Lathrop, Wednesday evening—Perkins town hall, Thursday evening—St. Nicholas school house, and Friday evening—Town hall at Cornell.

These meetings will be continued next week, and farmers are urged to attend the one nearest home and boost the movement. Those unable to attend a meeting can get information as to where seed may be secured by writing the County Agricultural Agent, Escanaba, Mich.

DISCOVERY DAY AND AMERICA'S FOUNDER ARE HONORED TODAY

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS)

Washington, Oct. 12.—Set aside as "Liberty Day" in a proclamation by President Wilson, today is expected to be marked by a great outpouring of subscriptions to the Fourth Liberty Loan. By virtue of it being "Discovery Day" it is being observed as a legal holiday in many states and in others it is being observed in recognition of the proclamation. Subscriptions to the loan were announced today as being \$2,269,876,200, which is less in comparison with the amount to be raised, than at similar periods of previous loans.

His Favorite Dish.

"No wonder women go into politics," ventured Mistress Malloch; "men are such brutes and devoid of sentiment. The other night I asked Will, in my sweetest way, what his favorite dish was, and he said, 'The ash-tray.'"

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