

## GERMAN REPLY IN PRESIDENT'S HANDS

### DECISION NOT LIKELY BEFORE TOMORROW IT IS ANNOUNCED IN CAPITAL

Obscure Passages in German Reply Received by Wireless Believed to Be Cleared up by the Official Text Which Was Delivered Today Through the Swedish Legation.

### "CAMOUFLAGED INSINCERITY" IS THE INTERPRETATION OF GREAT BRITAIN

Paris Finds the Reply Is "Equivocal" Tortuous and Platitudinously Phrased" for the Purpose of Leaving Open the Door for Further Quibbling on the Part of Central Powers.

BY ASSOCIATED PRESS

Washington, D. C., Oct. 22.—The official text of Germany's latest note to President Wilson was received by cable today at the Swedish legation. Frederick Oederlin, Swedish charge, arranged to deliver it to Secretary Lansing as soon as it is decided. The Charge's appearance at the state department was delayed several hours as the task of decoding and translating the note proved to be long and tedious.

Considerable difference in verbiage may be shown and it is understood that the official text will likely clear up the obscure passages in the wireless version received yesterday. Indications are that no announcement of a decision by the President can be expected before tomorrow. Secretary Lansing was with him until near midnight last night discussing the wireless version but there must now be further conference and, it is assumed, an exchange of information with all the allied capitals.

Official comment continues to be withheld awaiting an indication of President Wilson's views. Everyone expects the decision to be made quickly whether or not, with its plea for an armistice and assurances that the government at Berlin is no longer responsible to an arbitrary power, creates a new situation requiring action.

#### "Camouflaged Insincerity"

London, Oct. 22.—The German reply to President Wilson's note is regarded here as "not business" but mere argument in government, diplomatic and political circles the view is that it is not a reply but simply a resort to verbiage designed to cover the absence of a reply. One official, highly placed, describes the reply as "badly camouflaged insincerity." The government has not considered the reply in detail although Premier Lloyd George and his colleagues held a protracted deliberation yesterday.

With reference to the paragraph, that the German navy in sinking ships had ever purposely destroyed lifeboats and their passengers, it is pointed out today that many cases could be cited in reply to this denial. Two of the most recent cases concern the sinking of the *Landovey Castle*, a Canadian hospital ship in the Atlantic and the sinking of the French steamer *Lydhana* off the northern coast of Spain on July 16.

#### Not Worth Consideration.

Paris, Oct. 22.—The German reply to President Wilson's note was received here today too late for the afternoon papers but it was eagerly discussed in official circles and in parliament. As a whole the note was found to be "equivocal, tortuous and platitudinously phrased, so as to leave the door open for all sorts of quibbling." The general belief is that the reply is not likely to be considered in Washington.

### DRAFT CALLS TO GO FORWARD AGAIN IN THE USUAL MANNER

Washington, D. C., Oct. 22.—The draft calls which were temporarily suspended by Provost Marshal General Crowder because of the influenza epidemic, are again going out and men will be sent to such cantonments as the Surgeon-General decides are safe.

### THE HONOR ROLL

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

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS)

Washington, D. C., Oct. 22.—The following casualties are reported by the commanding general of the American Expeditionary forces:

Killed in action	144
Missing in action	116
Wounded severely	372
Wounded slightly	45
Died of wounds	48
Died of accident or other cause	6
Died of disease	64
Prisoners	21
Wounded, degree undetermined	322
Total	1128

### Wisconsin Men Are In Casualty List Issued by Canada

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS)

Ottawa, Ont., Oct. 22.—The names of the following Americans appeared in the Canadian casualty list issued today: Died of wounds, H. Rideenough, Fremont, Wis.; missing in action, F. W. Brudery, Grand Rapids, Wis.; Edward Bowen, Bark Falls, Wis.

### FARMERS IN BURNED DISTRICTS ARE TO BE GIVEN AID NOW

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS)

Washington, D. C., Oct. 22.—The Federal Farm Loan board will approve the plan of the St. Paul Federal Land bank to extend farmers in the burned area of Minnesota, financial aid.

### 25 NEW CASES OF INFLUENZA IN 24 HOURS

Disease Affects May More Persons But Only Nine New Families are Invaded By It.

### EXPECT VACCINE TODAY

Shipment From Mayo Hospital Did Not Arrive This Forenoon as Had Been Expected.

Twenty-five new cases of Spanish influenza were reported to the local board of health from noon yesterday to noon today. On the surface that looks like a good many, but under the circumstances it is not regarded as a serious condition, as the number of cases effects but nine new families. Five cases, for instance occur in families in which cases already existed. Six of the new cases were taken to the hospitals. Two families have four cases and others have two or three cases, so that the number of new cases reported may not be taken as an indication of a spread over any considerable amount of new territory.

Particularly Grave Case. One of the most aggravated conditions in the city developed this morning when Norbert, the two and one-half year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Vetal Roadau, 1521 Stephenson avenue, developed diphtheria in a most virulent form. The boy's condition is considered extremely grave, as indicated by the fact that 5,000 units of anti-toxin were administered this morning. In this family there are four cases of influenza and the health department is keeping a particularly vigilant eye on this situation.

Dr. A. J. Carlson, city health officer today received instructions from Dr. R. M. Olin, secretary of the state board of health, to report at noon each day the number of new cases developing from the noon of the previous day.

#### Vaccine Expected Tonight.

The vaccine which the board expected to arrive from the Mayo hospital today, had not arrived this afternoon but was expected at any time. Since announcements were published that this is to be administered free of any charge, a great many people have signified their intention of taking the preventative treatment. Local health authorities are loud in their praises of the qualities of this vaccine and the majority of them intend using it themselves and on the members of their families.

Rev. Father Jacques has returned from a visit in St. Louis.

### People Deported From Belgium May Return by Monday

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS)

Rome, Oct. 22.—Baron von der Lancken, chief of the German political department at Brussels, has informed Cardinal Mercier, Primate of Belgium, that when Germany evacuates that country, deported Belgians and political prisoners will be released. According to The Romano, the semi-official Vatican organ, he told Cardinal Mercier that those deported would be permitted to return by Monday.

### DEATH STRIKES SECOND TIME IN THE SAME FAMILY

Spanish Influenza Takes Frank Colexkey and Wife Within 48 Hours and Leaves Five Small Children Orphans.

Mrs. Frank Colexkey, of Whitney, whose husband died Sunday night of Spanish influenza, passed away this morning of the same disease. Mrs. Colexkey died without having the knowledge that her husband had preceded her into eternity. The body was brought to this city today and placed beside that of the husband at the Alto undertaking parlors. A double funeral will be held but the arrangements have not been fully completed. It will be a strictly private affair, the bodies not even being taken into the church. This is a particularly sad case as the death of the parents leaves five children, the oldest eight years and the youngest 400 days.

### FIVE BIG TOBACCO COMPANIES CHARGED WITH BEING UNFAIR

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS)

Washington, D. C., Oct. 22.—Five big tobacco corporations and a number of their officers and directors were charged in a formal complaint by the federal trade commission today with price discrimination in the sale of cigarettes and other tobacco products, tending to create and maintain a monopoly and the interlocking of directorates.

The defendants are ordered to appear in Washington on Dec. 7, and to show cause why they should not dispose of their stock in other companies held in violation of the Clayton law.

### ADVISORY BOARD GOES IN ACTION AT CITY HALL

Assignments Have Been Made For This and Other Cities in the County Covering Period To Nov. 13th.

### WORK IS IMPORTANT REGISTRANTS SHOULD DO THEIR OWN THINKING AND DEPEND ON ADVISORS ONLY FOR ASSISTANCE ABSOLUTELY NECESSARY.

The legal advisory board of Delta county, will again go into action this afternoon and this evening. As usual the city hall has been designated as the central station for giving registrants questionnaire aid in this city. The draft board has begun sending out more questionnaires and this bunch will probably be heavier than the last. It is expected that at least two or three weeks will be necessary to complete the work of filling out and returning the questionnaires to the local board and the same conditions apply as have applied in all other work of this kind. The legal advisory board is to render assistance, not to do all the thinking for registrants.

The following schedule has been arranged by the advisory board for the county:

- Escanaba, City Hall; Evening Assignments; Monday, Joseph Cuddy; Tuesday, T. J. Riley, Judd Yelland; Wednesday, T. E. Strom, C. D. McEwen, Henry Dotsch; Thursday, A. P. Pierson, N. C. Spencer.
  - Friday, S. M. Matthews, J. E. Carey; Saturday, C. E. Lewis, J. C. Baker, A. H. Ryall.
  - Afternoon Assignments; Tuesday, Oct. 22, J. C. Baker; Wednesday, Oct. 23, H. J. Rushton; Thursday, Oct. 24, T. J. Riley; Friday, Oct. 25, N. C. Spencer; Saturday, Oct. 26, Joseph Cuddy; Monday, Oct. 28, A. P. Pierson; Tuesday, Oct. 29, Judd Yelland; Wednesday, Oct. 30, H. R. Dotsch; Thursday, Oct. 31, J. P. Carey; Friday, Nov. 1, C. E. Lewis; Saturday, Nov. 2, A. H. Ryall; Monday, Nov. 4, J. C. Baker; Tuesday, Nov. 5, S. M. Matthews; Wednesday, Nov. 6, H. J. Rushton; Thursday, Nov. 7, T. J. Riley; Friday, Nov. 8, N. C. Spencer; Saturday, Nov. 9, Joseph Cuddy; Monday, Nov. 11, A. P. Pierson; Tuesday, Nov. 12, Judd Yelland; Wednesday, Nov. 13, T. E. Strom.
- If the work extends over and beyond November 13th, subsequent assignments will be made.
- Gladstone, City Hall; Thursday and Saturday evenings, Glen W. Jackson; Monday and Wednesday evenings, A. W. Wolfe; Tuesday and Friday evenings, G. R. Empeon.
  - Rapid River; Every evening, W. J. Miller.

### German Craft Have Escaped From Ports On Belgian Coast

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS)

London, Oct. 22.—Speaking in the House of Commons, yesterday, James T. McNamara, financial secretary of the British admiralty, said that he had good reason to believe that all German destroyers and torpedo boats, with their base in Ostend or Zeebrugge, have escaped to German ports. All steps have been taken to intercept them, but seeing the passage could be made at night and Dutch waters used, there was no certainty that the measures taken would be efficacious.

### Heavy Rains Doing A Work of Mercy In Fire Swept Zones

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS)

Duluth, Minn., Oct. 22.—A heavy, soaking rain which had it fallen 11 days ago, would have averted the northern Minnesota conflagration, is falling today putting out what remains of the embers of destruction and letting the city fire companies return to their regular work.

Rev. O. C. Dahlberg, pastor of the Norwegian Lutheran church, has returned from an extended trip through Kansas and Missouri.

## VALENCIENNES ALMOST WITHIN THE GRASP OF THE BRITISH ARMIES

### Temporary Capital Of Roumania Swept By the Mob Spirit

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS)

Paris, Oct. 22.—(Havas' Agency) Violent demonstrations have occurred in Jassy, the temporary capital of Roumania, according to advices received here. A mob broke into the office of the Issilor Gazette, the government organ, and the printing plant was demolished.

### CLINTON SHARP WINS STRAPS AS A LIEUTENANT

Former Escanaba Boy Has Made Good In Officers' Training School and Will Be Stationed at Atlanta, Ga.

H. C. Sharp, formerly of Escanaba, but now living in the Flat Rock vicinity, received a message today stating that his son Clinton Sharp, who is well known here, had just received a commission as second lieutenant and will be stationed at the officers' training school where he earned his straps, at Atlanta, Ga. Clinton Sharp enlisted in the Infantry in Detroit early in the war, being sent to a southern camp as a private. Gradually his devotion to duty and intense earnestness won him promotions as corporal and sergeant and he was finally selected to be sent to the officers' training school, where he has demonstrated the judgement of those who gave him his opportunity. His many friends here will be glad to learn of his advancement and predict for him still further advancement if the opportunity offers.

### Aircraft Strikers Returning to Work

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS)

Springfield, Mass., Oct. 22.—Employees of the aircraft corporation who yesterday struck for a readjustment of wages and hours, returned to work this morning pending an award by the federal labor bureau.

### Dr. Dube's Son Is Seriously Ill Of The Spanish "Flu"

Dr. P. C. Dube has been called to Amery, Wis., by a telegram announcing the serious illness of his son, Dr. D. F. Dube, who is suffering from pneumonia following influenza.

### SCOPE OF PROBE IN THE SENATE TO BE EXTENDED GREATLY

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS)

Washington, D. C., Oct. 22.—The senate committee investigating the purchase of the Washington Times, by Arthur Brisbane with money admittedly secured from the brewery interests, has decided to extend the scope of the investigation to include all charges of illegal acts by the Brewery interests. Hearings have been postponed until the members of the committee return to Washington.

### Wisconsin Bandit Is In Custody In Brainerd, Minn.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS)

Brainerd, Minn., Oct. 22.—Leslie Kruger, one of the brothers who figured in a sensational shooting duel with a posse near Owen, Wis., recently, is in custody here. He has confessed his identity and that he is a drift oar.

Mrs. T. Provost and son of Schvedor are guests in the city.

Allies Troops in Northern France Driving Into German Line to the West of Ghent On Sheldt River Line.

### ADVANCE IS CONTINUOUS

Progress Made by Allies in Last Twenty-Four Hours Is Eminently Satisfactory To Military Critics.

(Associated Press War Summary)

Allied troops on the northern end of the front in France and Belgium today are driving into the German line from west of Ghent past Tournai to Valenciennes. This is the line of the Sheldt river, and two of the important points on it—Tournai and Valenciennes—are almost within the grasp of the British.

German resistance has stiffened between Tournai and Valenciennes, the southern end of the 80-mile line from Valenciennes to the Dutch border. The British army continues, however, to progress. Orca has been captured and the British hold La Sentinelle, one mile west of Valenciennes.

North of Tournai the British are along the Sheldt on a front of 5 miles and north and south of this sector are gaining ground on the west bank of the river. Between Valenciennes and LeCateau the British are maintaining their pressure and have reached the Ecaillon river southwest of Valenciennes.

The French continue their pressure on the front from the junction of the Oise and Serre, eastward to Vouziers.

#### British Near Valenciennes.

London, Oct. 22.—The British have advanced their line to the left bank of the Ecaillon river and have captured the western part of Ghiant, five miles southwest of Valenciennes. It was announced officially today. The British after sharp fighting, have advanced to within one mile of Tournai.

#### French Progress.

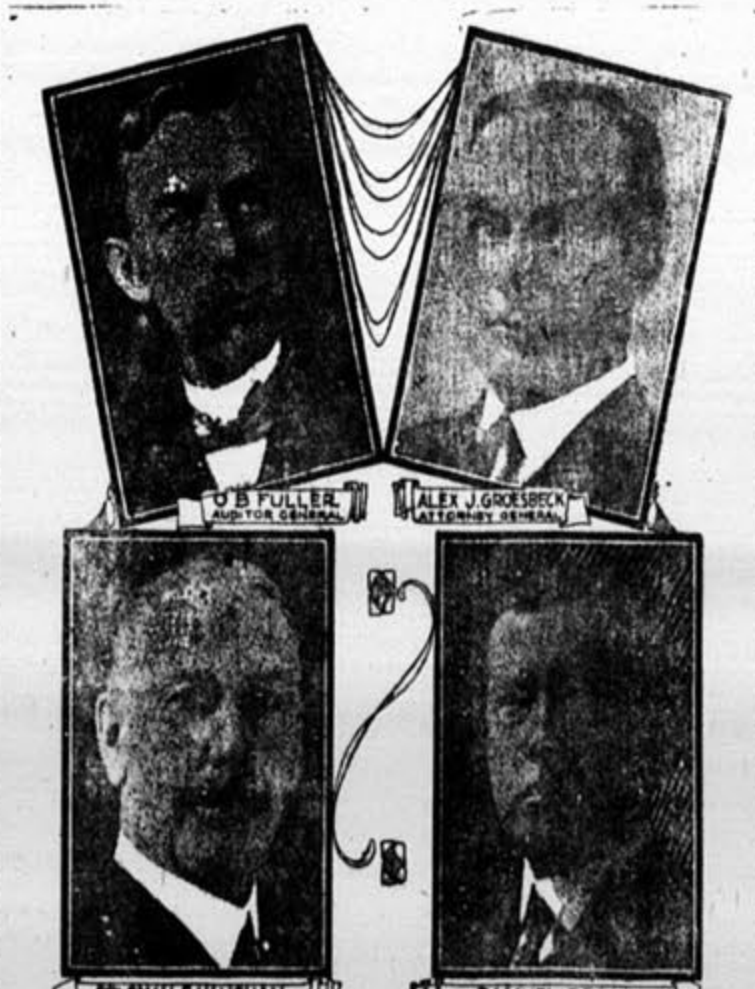
Paris, Oct. 22.—Further progress was made last night by the French on the Serre front, according to today's war office report. The French reached the railway northeast of Assisur-Ferre and also the St. Jacques farm, northeast of Chalandry.

#### Allies Slowing Up.

Washington, D. C., Oct. 22.—The situation in Belgium shows that the allied armies are at more or less of a pause. German resistance stiffened appreciably during the night along the Sheldt river.

### MYRON W. LEGG TELLS FATHER OF PORT INTO WHICH HE IS RUNNING

P. R. Legg, former county commissioner of schools is in receipt of a most interesting letter from his son Myron W. Legg, who is on Car Ferry No. 2 of the Marquette-Bessemer line plying between Conneaut, Ohio and Port Stanley, Ontario. The young man is undergoing training as a lieutenant in a naval ship and is particularly interested in Port Stanley for the reason that it was there just 50 years ago that his father saw the Great Lakes for the first time.



### G.O.P. CONVENTION RE-NOMINATES FOUR STATE WAR BOARD MEMBERS

The above four state officials, in addition to performing the regular duties of their offices in the past two years, have made a splendid record on the State War Preparedness Board. Their efficiency and energy has made Michigan a leader among the States in War Work. The Republican State Convention re-nominated them unanimously so that they may continue their excellent services. With Governor Sleeper as Chairman, and with Superintendent of Public Instruction Keeler, these men make up the personnel of the Michigan War Board. They will come before the voters of the State for reelection on November 4th.



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LETTER RECEIVED FROM JOHN BEMIS AMONG MISSING

Delay in Transmission and Facts Mentioned in Letter Throw Very Little Light on Present Whereabouts of Escanaba Boy.

A letter received last week from John Bemis rather adds to the mystery surrounding the present whereabouts of that man than having a tendency to clear it up. Bemis is an Escanaba boy who was reported missing in action and nothing has been heard from him by the war department apparently since that report was issued several weeks ago.

The letter received here was written on August 6, but was not mailed until Sept. 22. It was written on Salvation army paper and as it speaks of the writer snatching a cup of coffee and a doughnut as he writes, it is assumed it was written in one of the huts the Salvation army maintains in the trenches.

The writer speaks of a long siege in the trenches and of having recently drawn a new outfit of clothing which he needed badly.

Whether the young man is alive or whether he is a prisoner of the Germans is unknown. A movement has been set on foot by the Red Cross to investigate, if possible and establish the fact of his death, capture or life.

WILLIAM MANLEY IS NOTIFIED OF DEATH OF OLDER BROTHER

William Manley, of Wells avenue, a pioneer resident of this city, received information yesterday of the death of his brother, John Manley, at Dublin, Ont. It was stated that the brother of the local man, who was about 80 years of age, had been in failing health for a long period.

LT. CHAS ELLSWORTH HAS ARRIVED SAFELY ON SOIL OF FRANCE

Albert Ellsworth, has received a card from his son Lieut. Charles Ellsworth, announcing his safe arrival overseas. He sailed about three weeks ago. Charles won his commission in a southern training camp and his many friends here will be glad to know that he made the trip safely.

DRUGS EXCITE YOUR KIDNEYS, USE SALTS

If your Back is aching or Bladder bothers, drink lots of Water and eat less meat.

When your kidneys hurt and your back feels sore, don't get scared and proceed to load your stomach with a lot of drugs that excite the kidneys and irritate the entire urinary tract. Keep your kidneys clean like you keep your bowels clean, by flushing them with a mild, harmless salt which removes the body's urinous waste and stimulates them to their normal activity. The function of the kidneys is to filter the blood. In 24 hours they strain from it 600 grains of acid and waste, so we can readily understand the vital importance of keeping the kidneys active.

Drink lots of water—you can't drink too much; also get from any pharmacist about four ounces of Jad Salts; take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast each morning for a few days and your kidneys will act fine. This famous salt is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for generations to clean and stimulate clogged kidneys; also to neutralize the acids in urine so it no longer is a source of irritation, thus ending bladder weakness. Jad Salts is inexpensive; cannot injure; makes a delightful effervescent lithia-water drink which everyone should take now and then to keep their kidneys clean and active. Try this, also keep up the water drinking, and no doubt you will wonder what became of your kidney trouble and backache.

NOTICE OF SPECIAL ELECTION

WHEREAS, At a session held on the eleventh day of October, A. D. 1918, at the council chambers in the City Hall, Escanaba, Michigan, the council of the City of Escanaba adopted the following resolution:
WHEREAS, the North Michigan Water Company, has offered (subject to the approval of the electors) to sell to the City of Escanaba, for the sum of Two hundred ninety-eight thousand six hundred fifty (\$298,650.00) Dollars all of the property of that company, in said city or waters adjacent thereto, including any franchise rights, and excepting only such stock of fuel and supplies on hand at the time of purchase, cash then on hand, treasury bonds, bills and accounts receivable, office furniture and fixtures and books of account, which said property so excepted from the purchase price is to be taken over by the city, at its fair appraised value at the time of purchase. And

WHEREAS, said company has given the City the exclusive right and option to purchase said property at the price aforesaid, provided that the City shall submit the same to the electors at the General Election to be held in said City in November, 1918, if possible, and in any event, to submit said question not later than January, 1st, 1919. And

WHEREAS, said option, amongst other things, gives the City the right to purchase said property by permitting the bonds and mortgage, amounting to One hundred thirty-eight thousand (\$138,000.00) Dollars, now outstanding against said property, to remain in full force and to further secure said sum by the City mortgaging said plant and property and the revenues therefrom. Said bonds and mortgage for One hundred thirty-eight thousand (\$138,000.00) Dollars shall not incur any general liability on the part of the city, but shall provide for the payment at the rate of \$5,000.00 annually on the first day of March of each year beginning with the year 1919.

WHEREAS, said option likewise gives the city the right to pay all or any part of the balance of said purchase price over and above said sum of One hundred and thirty-eight thousand (\$138,000.00) Dollars by executing and delivering to the Company, the valid, direct obligation 5 1/2 per cent, 20 year bonds of said City with serial maturities beginning not later than January 1st, 1923, at the rate of \$10,000 per year.

WHEREAS, the aggregate general liability bonds of the City, which can be issued for that purpose, is One hundred fifty-nine thousand five hundred (\$159,500.00) Dollars par value. And

WHEREAS, the council has heretofore authorized the representatives of the City to enter into said negotiations with the said Company and to execute on the part of the City, a contract of the nature herein described for the purchase of said property, and the Council does hereby approve the action of the City Officials in securing said option, and now deems it advisable to exercise said option so secured by it, and to purchase said water-works plant and system under certain of the terms and conditions of said Option. And

WHEREAS, the Council has heretofore, as required by law, estimated the expense of a water-works plant for the City, by the purchase of the plant, property and franchise of the North Michigan Water Company, and has estimated the expense thereof to be Two hundred ninety-eight thousand six hundred fifty (\$298,650.00) Dollars as appears of record in the office of the City Clerk, and recorded in Record "J" of the Proceedings of the Council of said City. And

WHEREAS, the Council deems it advisable for the City to acquire said water-works plant and system by purchase, and also deems it necessary for the City to borrow the money by issuing its General Liability 5 1/2 per cent 20 year serial bonds in the sum of One hundred fifty-nine thousand five hundred (\$159,500.00) Dollars, to become due as herein set forth and to be used for the purpose of purchasing said plant, property and franchise of said North Michigan Water Company and also to mortgage said utility and its revenues, by placing thereon a mortgage in the sum of One hundred thirty-eight thousand (\$138,000) Dollars, by the City taking and accepting as its own an existing mortgage against the plant and property of the North Michigan Water Company, and that said existing mortgage against said property to be the debt of the City to the holders of the mortgage bonds; Said mortgage bonds being in the amount of One hundred thirty-eight thousand (\$138,000) Dollars, but without thereby incurring any general liability on the part of the City for payment thereof, further than making and retaining said mortgage a lien on the property and revenues of said water-works system, and by creating and maintaining a sinking fund amounting to 75 per cent of the net earnings of said water-works system, said sinking fund to amount to at least \$5,000 per year, and to be used for the payment of said mortgage bonds at the rate of \$5,000.00 per year, and to be maintained until all the bonds herein referred to have been paid.

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, by the Common Council of the City of Escanaba, at a meeting duly held in the Council Chambers in said City this Eleventh day of October, 1918, that said City for the purpose of purchasing said plant and system, does hereby determine to borrow the sum of One hundred fifty-nine thousand five hundred (\$159,500.00) Dollars on the general credit of the City, and issue its General Liability Bonds therefor. Said bonds to be its 5 1/2 per cent 20

that: subject to the approval of the electors, as by law and as herein provided, the City of Escanaba does hereby accept the proposition of the said North Michigan Water Company, and does hereby purchase said water-works plant and system for the said sum of Two hundred ninety-eight thousand six hundred fifty (\$298,650.00) Dollars, and Year Serial bonds dated the First day of November, 1918, to become due and payable at the rate of \$10,000.00 per year, beginning January 1st, 1923, and annually thereafter, with the right in said City to pay one-half of said bonds at par at any interest period after five years from the date thereof, and to pay the remaining one-half at par, at any interest period after ten years from the date thereof; and that said bonds be in such form as shall be approved by the representatives of the City executing the same, and that said bonds be used by the City for the purpose of purchasing said water-works plant and system.

And that the City do also execute and deliver, in such form as may be satisfactory to the representatives of said City, executing the same, a mortgage on said plant and system, including the revenue therefrom; and that said mortgage shall secure bonds in the total par value of One hundred thirty-eight thousand (\$138,000.00) Dollars, and under which said mortgage the City shall, amongst other things, take over and accept as its own and recognize as a lien on said property, a mortgage now outstanding against said property, dated September 1st, 1913, given by the North Michigan Water Company to the Lackawanna Trust & Safe Deposit Company, as Trustee, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Delta County, Michigan, in Liber 10 of Mortgages on Page 161, under which there are now outstanding bonds of One hundred thirty-eight thousand (\$138,000.00) Dollars par value. Said mortgage bonds, secured by said plant and property shall be made payable at the rate of \$5,000.00 per year, beginning with March 1st, 1919, and as additional security for the payment thereof, an d for the purpose of retiring said bonds, at least 75% of the net earnings of said water-works plant and system shall be set aside annually and appropriated as a sinking fund for the payment of said mortgage bonds now outstanding against said property, and the annual balance of said sinking fund, if any, shall be applied on the general liability bonds of said City hereinafter referred to, and said sinking fund, as herein provided, shall be maintained until all of such bonds, both mortgage and general liability, have been fully paid at par; and the said net earnings shall be maintained so as to produce at least \$5,000.00 per year for said sinking fund. Said mortgage and bonds in the sum of One hundred thirty-eight thousand (\$138,000.00) Dollars shall not incur any general liability on the part of the City for the payment thereof, further than making and retaining said mortgage a lien on the property and revenues of said water-works system, and creating the sinking fund hereinafter mentioned. Said mortgage in the sum of One hundred thirty-eight thousand (\$138,000.00) Dollars hereinafter mentioned shall be in such form as shall be satisfactory to the representatives of the City executing the same. The Mayor and City Clerk are hereby authorized, as representatives of the City, to execute and deliver all of the foregoing instruments herein provided for.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the question of the purchase of said water-works plant and system, on the terms and conditions hereinafter mentioned, be submitted to the votes of the electors of said City, and for that purpose a special election be and the same is hereby called and appointed to be held on Tuesday, the fifth day of November, A. D. 1918, in all the wards and voting precincts of said City, said special election to be held and conducted under election laws of a city of the fourth class, and the general election laws of the state in so far as applicable.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the form of the ballot containing said proposition to purchase said property shall be as follows:
Shall the City of Escanaba acquire by purchase, the water-works system of the North Michigan Water Company, for the sum of Two hundred ninety-eight thousand six hundred fifty (\$298,650.) Dollars, and pay therefor by issuing its general liability 5 1/2 per cent Twenty Year Serial Bonds in the sum of One hundred fifty-nine thousand five hundred (\$159,500.00) Dollars, and by mortgaging said utility, its revenues and franchises, as hereinafter described, by taking and accepting as its own the mortgage dated September 1st, 1913, given by the North Michigan Water Company to the Lackawanna Trust & Safe Deposit Company, as Trustee, record in the office of the Register of Deeds of Delta County, Michigan, in Liber 10 of mortgages, Page 161, under which there are now outstanding bonds of One hundred thirty-eight thousand (\$138,000.00) Dollars par value, and by modifying the same to conform herewith, but without there-in incurring any general liability on the part of the city for the payment thereof, further than making and retaining said mortgage a lien on the property and revenues of said water-works system, and providing for the annual payment on account of said mortgage bonds, of at least \$5,000.00 per year, beginning March 1st, 1919, A sinking fund shall be created and maintained from the earnings of said plant to consist of 75% of the net annual earnings thereof, and to amount to at least \$5,000.00 per year, and said sinking fund shall be used to make

said annual payments of \$5,000.00 on account of said mortgage bonds, and also to pay the general liability bonds hereinafter provided for, and shall be maintained until all the bonds herein mentioned, both general liability and mortgage bonds have been fully paid, all in accordance with the resolution of the Council calling this election.

Those desiring to vote in favor of the proposition will put a cross (X) opposite the word Yes.
Those desiring to vote against the proposition will place a cross (X) opposite the word No.

RESOLVED FURTHER, that the City Clerk be required and directed to give notice hereof and of said special election and of the registration therefor as required by law, and

RESOLVED FURTHER, that the special election for the City of Escanaba to be held on the fifth day of November, A. D. 1918, for the purpose hereinafter stated will be held at the following named places, to-wit:

FIRST WARD—City Building on First Avenue, North, (Escanaba Avenue) and Fourth Street, (Royce Avenue.)

SECOND WARD—Carnegie Public Library Building, Corner of First Avenue South, (Wells Avenue) and Seventh Street, (Campbell Street.)

THIRD WARD—City Hall Building, Corner Eleventh Street, (Mary Street) and First Avenue, South, (Wells Avenue)

FOURTH WARD—City's Building, Corner Tenth Street (Charlotte Street) and Fourth Avenue, South, (Jacob Street.)

FIFTH WARD—City's Building on grounds of Washington School Annex First Avenue, North, (Escanaba Avenue.)

SIXTH WARD—City's Building in the 600 Block on Fourteenth Street (Sarah Street.)

SEVENTH WARD—Fire Station No 3 on Hartnett Avenue.

The polls to remain open from 7:00 o'clock A. M. to 5:00 o'clock P. M., and the City Clerk is hereby instructed to cause the required notices to be given.
THEREFORE NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT ON NOVEMBER 5TH, A. D. 1918, BY VIRTUE of said resolutions and proceedings, a special election will be held in the City of Escanaba, Michigan, at the place or places in the different wards, and precincts hereinafter in this notice stated, for the purpose of voting upon the proposition hereinafter fully stated, in this notice.

UPON THE PROPOSITION HEREBY STATED EVERY WOMAN WHO POSSESSES THE QUALIFICATIONS OF MALE ELECTORS, AND HAS PROPERTY IN THE CITY ASSESSED FOR TAXES, OR HAVING THE QUALIFICATIONS OF MALE ELECTORS, AND OWNS PROPERTY JOINTLY WITH HER HUSBAND, OR OTHER PERSON, OR WHO OWNS PROPERTY ON CONTRACT AND PAYS THE TAXES THEREON, IS ENTITLED TO VOTE.
Dated October 17, 1918.
CARL E. ANDERSON,
City Clerk.

GIVING OUT

The Struggle Discourages Many a Citizen of Escanaba

Around all day with an aching back. Can't rest at night; Enough to make any one "give out." Doan's Kidney Pills are helping thousands.

They are for kidney backache; And other kidney ills. Here is Escanaba proof of their merit:

Mrs. C. F. Kimber, 1321 Wells, Ave., says: "Several years ago I was troubled awfully with my back and kidneys, were weak, causing great annoyance. I had frequent dizzy spells, too. I got Doan's Kidney Pills at The Hill Drug Store and they soon cured me of the trouble. Since then, I have always kept this medicine on hand for emergencies."

Price 60c at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mrs. Kimber had, Foster Milburn Co., Mfrs., Buffalo, N. Y.

DRAFT BOARD SENDS OUT QUESTIONNAIRES TO MEN OF 36 TO 46

Subjects of Great Britain in Jurisdiction of Local Board Are Also Receiving Questionnaires Now Under the Treaty Arrangement.

The Delta County Draft Board is now busily engaged in mailing out questionnaires to registrants of Sept. 12, who had not already received them. This will take in all men between the ages of 36 and 46, who were not included in the provost marshal general's order which resulted in the sending out of the first questionnaires to the men who registered Sept. 12; men between 19 and 35.

All the men who filled out questionnaires under that order have been fully classified and the second batch is being taken up. The local board will also send out questionnaires to all British subjects in Delta county under the provisions of the treaty negotiated between the allied nations some time ago.

Use The Mirror Want Ads.

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.

ESCANABA MEN MEET IN FRANCE AFTER A LONG HIKE BY ONE
Wanted!
MEN AT PULP MILL
Wages \$3.50 to \$4.20 Per Day
Enquire at Escanaba Traction Company's Office

The Strenuous Life
DR. CHASE'S Blood & Nerve Tablets
Iron, Nux Vomica, Gentian
The women who are so deeply interested in the recreation movement in this city are awaiting with great eagerness, action of the ordinance and finance committees of the city council this evening, when reports are to be made on the proposal to establish a recreation commission here which will provide for a paid superintendent and other features which are doing so much for the improvement of moral and physical standards in many other cities.

—these times take no chances with what you wear. Buy a hat that will last.
The GORDON



# Butter Substitues

Have you ever tried any of the "butterines" that are so popular with people who wish to save on their food expense? The making of these substitutes has reached a science that places them in the foremost ranks of money saving food products.

## See What You Save

- Good Luck ..... 39c
- Swift's Premium ..... 37c
- Mistletoe ..... 37c
- Gem Nut ..... 32c

## Peanut Butter

Monarch Brand **23c**  
bulk

Prune Butter, **18c**  
pound

Grape Marmalade, glass jar **35c**

Apple Butter, **25c**  
glass jars

# Scandia Co-Opp. Co.

United States Food Administration License Number G-32537  
North Escanaba Branch Phone 153  
1210 Ludington St. Phone 372

## 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) Rock and Groos.)
  - 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. Leo Minor \$1.20
  - James Laraby, Perkins \$2.50
  - James B. Laurde Oscar Saterstrom \$3.00
  - Fred Beach \$7.00

Look for the Ad That Tells You Who Wants to Find the Job You Have to Offer.

## Real Estate

- One 5-room house and lot price ..... \$1350
- 40 acre farm, 7 miles from Escanaba, price ..... \$1000
- One 6-room house and lot price ..... \$1600
- 80 acre farm; machinery, live stock etc. price..... \$4500
- One 7-room house and lot, heat and lights, price... \$2375
- 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
- 160 acre farm; live stock machinery; modern .. \$16,000
- 40 acre farm 25 acres cleared, price ..... \$1200
- 160 acre timbered land price ..... \$4000
- 160 acre farm, 60 acres cleared, price ..... \$5000

For particulars inquire or write  
**J. S. DOHERTY**  
ESCANABA, MICH.

## PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS

John Bergeman, who is stationed at the Great Lakes, is enjoying a ten days' furlough at his home at Bark River.

Mrs. George Labre and daughter, Miss Irene, motored to the city this afternoon to spend a few days.

Mrs. La Rock is ill at St. Francis hospital.

Fred Stonehouse has left for Marquette, where he will attend the normal for the coming year.

Mrs. A. A. Wells, of Ralph, is an Escanaba guest.

Benjamin Douglas has left for his home in Bark River after a week-end visit with friends here.

Miss Catherine Harris returned yesterday from a visit with relatives at Harris. She was accompanied to her home by Miss Genevieve Harris.

Mrs. J. H. Bergeman, of Bark River, was in the city yesterday visiting with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Clermont have returned from Channing where they spent the summer.

Miss Gladys Ohman has returned to her home at Gladstone after a week's visit with Escanaba friends.

Mrs. P. Amundson has returned from an extended visit in Chicago, Hortonville and Marinette.

Miss Carrie La Captain, of Casco, who has been ill in the city, is reported to be slowly recovering.

Bernard Kemp left last night for a week's visit with relatives in Chicago.

O. L. Raymond, of the Raymond Log Loader Co., left yesterday for a business trip to Buffalo.

J. H. Warner has returned to his home in Minneapolis after a few days in the city.

Harold Nearman, who has been confined to his home with blood poisoning for the past several weeks, is able to be out again.

Miss Edna Belanger has returned to her home in Bark River after a several days' visit here.

E. Polsson, who several weeks ago submitted to an operation at St. Francis hospital, is able to resume his duties as manager of the shoe department at the Young & Fillion store again.

G. Viau, of Eustis, is visiting in the city.

P. R. Legg, of Gladstone was in the city today.

Mrs. T. E. Strom and son have returned from a visit with her parents in Menominee.

## DON'T NEGLECT A RHEUMATIC PAIN

Go after it with Sloan's Liniment before it gets dangerous

Apply a little, don't rub, let it penetrate, and—good-by twinges! Same for external aches, pains, strains, stiffness of joints or muscles, lameness, bruises. Instant relief without mussiness or soiled clothing. Reliable—the biggest selling liniment year after year. Economical by reason of enormous sales. Keep a big bottle ready at all times. Ask your druggist for Sloan's Liniment.



## WANTED

Immediately  
600 Carpenters.  
50 Electricians  
At Camp Custer.  
Good Wages.  
Apply at U. S. Employment office.  
Post Office Bldg.  
Escanaba, Mich.

## Large Car Service

I have bought out the business of G. I. Beal who has gone to Camp Custer and will continue to do large car repairing at Edwards Garage. The usual good service and reasonable prices will continue.  
**HARRY MEAD**  
Edwards Garage

## GLADSTONE IS CLOSED UP BY HEALTH BOARD

Restriction There are Same as In Escanaba Excepting That Public Schools are Not Ordered Closed.

## ONLY FEW MILD CASES

No Deaths Have Occurred So Far and Movement Is Started to Secure Rosenow Vaccine For Use of Public.

Through an order issued yesterday all public places in Gladstone were ordered closed by the board of health. The plan followed in the upper bay city is precisely the same as that followed in Escanaba and the same restrictions apply as here, with the single exception that the public schools have not been closed.

Gladstone officials read Governor Sleeper's proclamation carefully and did not gain the impression from it that public schools should be included, and as there was considerable sentiment against this feature, it was eliminated. It is contended in Gladstone that children are safer in the schools than being permitted to be idle and run the streets. A visiting nurse visits the schools daily and the teachers keep in close touch with the situation. It is claimed the children are subjected to a more strict supervision in the school than they are at home and are under greater control than if they were out of school. In other respects the closing order in Gladstone is the same as it is here.

Very Few Cases.  
Mayor Miller stated this morning that there were not to exceed a half dozen cases of influenza, and these were all in a mild form. There have been no deaths so far, although one Gladstone boy has succumbed to the disease at Ann Arbor. He is Carl E. Quartsrom. His body was brought home last night and funeral services are to be conducted Wednesday afternoon from the Swedish Lutheran church.

There are said to be a number of cases at Brampton and Ensign. Mayor Miller said today that the Gladstone board of health would take up the matter of securing some of the Rosenow vaccine from the Mayo hospital and give the people an opportunity to further safeguard themselves against contracting the disease.

## SEEKING EXEMPTION FOR SCHOOL HEADS

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS)  
Lansing, Oct. 22.—Assistance of Fred L. Keeler state superintendent of public instruction to secure exemption or at least deferred classification for school executives in several cities of the state has been sought by local boards.

## OUT OF TOWN COUPLE MARRIES IN ESCANABA

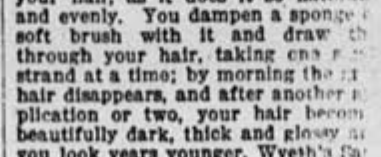
Oliver Ferrier, of Foster City, and Mrs. Della Sweeney, of Homerville, Conn., were united in the holy bonds of matrimony by Rev. Fr. Barth, pastor of St. Patrick's church, Monday afternoon.

## GRAY HAIR BECOMES DARK AND BEAUTIFUL

Try Grandmother's Old Favorite Recipe of Sage Tea and Sulphur.  
Almost everyone knows that Sage Tea and Sulphur, properly compounded, brings back the natural color and lustre to the hair when faded, streaked or gray. Years ago the only way to get this mixture was to make it at home, which is messy and troublesome.

## GRAY HAIR BECOMES DARK AND BEAUTIFUL

Nowadays we simply ask at any drug store for "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound." You will get a large bottle of this old-time recipe improved by the addition of other ingredients at very little cost. Everybody uses this preparation now, because no one can possibly tell that you darken and evenly. You dampen a sponge with soft brush with it and draw it through your hair, taking care to strand at a time; by morning the gray hair disappears, and after another application or two, your hair becomes beautifully dark, thick and glossy as you look years younger. Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound is a delicate toilet requisite. It is not intended for the cure, mitigation or prevention of disease.



**ECKMAN'S Calceberb**  
FOR COUGHS AND COLDS  
A handy Calceum compound that safely fights against chronic lung and throat troubles. A tonio-restorative prepared without harmful or habit-forming drugs. Try them today.  
50 cents a box, including war tax  
For sale by all Druggists  
Eckman Laboratory, Philadelphia

## SOCIETY NEWS

### PARTY LAST NIGHT

Donald Shape delightfully entertained a number of his friends at his home last night. The guests enjoyed an evening of music and dancing, after which dainty refreshments were served.

### HIKE TO GLADSTONE.

The Misses Marie Turner, Virginia Roeder, Lucille Hemminger and Donna and Harriet McGuire left yesterday afternoon for a "hike" to Gladstone. The girls walked the entire distance leaving early in the afternoon and returning at 6:00 in the evening.

### INJURIES LEG.

Miss Catherine Ryan injured her leg several days ago while on a "hike" with a number of her friends. The young lady has been obliged to go about on crutches for the past several days.

## CAMP CUSTER HAS AN AIR SQUADRON NOW

Camp Custer, Oct. 22.—For the first time in its history, Camp Custer has an air squadron attached to it. Three airplanes have been sent from Hantou Field, Ill., to be used in connection with the senior staff school. The machines will be used in signalling and wireless work and each is equipped with wireless sets.

## CLASSIFIED ADS DAILY MIRROR

WANTED—A girl for general house work. Apply at Mrs. Emerson's, 611 Ogden ave. Phone 626. 297

WANTED—A second hand bird cage. Phone 714-FL. 296

WANTED—Girl for general kitchen work at the Garfield house. 296

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. Kratzke Bros.

WANTED—At once, man and wife to work on farm. Good proposition. Address G., care of Mirror. 296

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

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. 11

WANTED—If you have a small soft coal heater to sell. Call for O'Brien at 814 Wells. 11

WANTED—Work by the day or hour Lottie Gillen, 212 N. Mary street, upstairs. 11288

WOMEN—to sell guaranteed hosiery to wear. Salary \$15.00, full time, 25c an hour spare time. Enormous Christmas trade. Experience unnecessary. Guarantee Mills, Norristown, Pa. 323-11

FOR SALE—Big bay team weight 3,100, sound 11and 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

FOR SALE—Ford Sedan; will exchange for Liberty Bonds, address M, care of Mirror. 296

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms with all modern conveniences. Inquire 809 Wells ave. Phone 466-N. 1297-1f

FOR RENT—Rooms for storing stoves and furniture. Reasonable terms. Enquire at 420 Ludington St., or phone 250J. 781f

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

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

SALESMAN—Capable specialty man for Michigan. Staple line on new and exceptional terms; vacancy now. Attractive commission contract; \$35 weekly for expenses. Miles F. Bixler Co., 136 Carlin Bldg., Cleveland, O.

LOST—A small black pocketbook containing about eight dollars. Reward is offered if returned to the Mirror office. 296

LOST—Small tortoise shell hair pin on Elmore or Ludington streets, Monday evening. Reward is offered if returned to this office. 297

Look for a New Stenographer in the "Want Ad Way"—Engaging Her Upon Your Own Judgment, and Not Upon Some Friend's Recommendation.

## FOREIGN-BORN MICHIGAN MEN STRONG IN WAR

Facts Show They Have Done Much Toward America Pre-dominant in Battlefield and Factory.

Detroit, Mich., Oct. 22.—Michigan's foreign born population has done much more than the white at large will ever realize, to help win the war, in the opinion of the observers here. Coming from every land on the face of the globe these people have taken to themselves the American ideals of liberty. They have shown their willingness to work for the land of freedom to give their money for the cause of liberty, to fight and to lay down their lives for it, even in the present war. In Detroit, in Saginaw, in Grand Rapids, in the great mining districts of the north, the foreign-born is today given greater consideration, perhaps, than ever before and because of the patriotism he has shown in the greatest crisis the nation has known.

In Detroit's business center there stands a sixty-four replica of the statue of liberty, a temporary affair erected as part of the advertising campaign of the fourth liberty loan. As advertising the statue has done its part and now is held as a memorial to the Detroit soldiers who have died in the world war, their names appearing on its base.

These lists of names contain a list of number of foreign-born or of men whose parents were foreign-born, and there is a movement afoot among the foreign born population of this city to raise a sum of \$200,000 for the building, in bronze, of a permanent statue of liberty to replace the figure now standing there. Already the money is coming in.

## POLICE RUN ACROSS CHICKEN THIEVES IN SOUTH PARK REGION

Find Company of Boys Playing Bandit in a Swamp and They Are Well Supplied with "Foodstuffs."

While Officers McCauley and Jarvis were investigating another case yesterday, they ran into a situation which promises to develop into something interesting. A Mrs. Rubens, who lives near the entrance to South Park, has been missing some of her thoroughbred Plymouth Rock chickens recently. Yesterday afternoon the officers ran across four small boys in the swamp between this place and the Escanaba brewery. They found five chickens with their heads cut off and wings and parts of other chickens in a boat that was tied up on the shore.

Further investigation showed that the boys had been playing bandit to a certain extent and they will be brought up this evening for investigation in connection with some other things that have been happening in that vicinity. The birds destroyed yesterday were valued at approximately \$20.

## ESCANABA BOYS ARE TOGETHER IN LAND OF GREAT ADVENTURE

Word has been received in the city that Joseph Blanchette is now in France and that he is stationed near Paris. The young man also states that he is with Fred Beaudre of this city and Albert Constaneau of Schaffer. He tells in his letter of meeting many of the home boys, all of whom are looking fine and enjoying life in the service.

Mrs. W. J. Embs, of Iron River, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. J. H. Foulkes.

## Apples and Pears!

Better get some to use the balance of your canning sugar.

- Fine Pears, 10 lbs for ..... 55c
- Wealthy Apples 10 lbs. .... 35c
- Michigan Green Apples, 10 lbs. .... 35c
- Dry Yellow Onions 10 lbs. .... 39c
- Hubbard Squash, per lb. .... 4c
- Pumpkin, per lb. .... 4c

## Railway Co-Opp. Store

JEPSON BLOCK  
PHONE 1023 and 1024

Use Mirror Want Ads.

**"Spokes"—and the Swift "Wheel"**

What would you consumers think of a wheel without spokes?  
What would you think of a man who would take any or all of the spokes out of a wheel to make it run better?  
Swift & Company's business of getting fresh meat to you is a wheel, of which the packing plant is only the hub. Retail dealers are the rim—and Swift & Company Branch Houses are the spokes.

The hub wouldn't do the wheel much good and you wouldn't have much use for hub or rim if it weren't for the spokes that fit them all together to make a wheel of it.

Swift & Company Branch Houses are placed, after thorough investigation, in centers where they can be successfully operated and do the most good for the most people at the least possible cost.

Each "spoke" is in charge of a man who knows that he is there to keep you supplied at all times with meat, sweet and fresh; and who knows that if he doesn't do it, his competitor will.

How much good would the hub and the rim of the Swift "wheel" do you if the spokes were done away with?

**Swift & Company, U. S. A.**

Local Branch, Stephenson Ave., and E. & L. S. R. R. Escanaba, Mich.



# WHAT IS A High Price?

That one store advertises a certain piece of merchandise at a price, does not necessarily make it a bargain, unless you have seen the goods and know absolutely beyond a question of doubt that the store's statements can be relied upon. When Escanaba's big store makes a statement—every man, woman and child in Escanaba knows beyond a shadow of doubt that goods advertised are exactly as represented.

## Look Back Upon the Years of Our Dealings In Your City

—always a fight against unjustifiable high prices on quality merchandise. With us it is not a spasmodic expediency, but a year in-and year out policy.

What every man and woman wants is at least a full hundred cents in value for each dollar in the price. Unless you are reasonably sure you are getting quality for your outlay—you have gotten very little for your money.

## Right in This High Price Market, the Opportunities you have Here in Value-Getting Is Out of the Ordinary.

We prepared well for your clothes needs by great purchases. The advantages gained are reflected in the exceptionally fine quality goods at prices very low under prevailing conditions. IF YOU NEED ANY NEW CLOTHES FOR FALL, COME HERE FOR THEM—A comparison will prove that quality for quality—here biggest values are obtainable at all times.

## Come For These To-Morrow!

**Big Bargain in Good Towels**  
Full 18x36-inch Towels, good heavy quality of linen finish; no starch, all hemmed. **15c**  
A regular 20c value, each

**Big Bargain in Men's Shoes**  
Strong, well made Dress Shoes in Mahogany colors, new English last, with double sewed sole. **\$5.95**  
While lot lasts, per pair

**Big Bargain in Silk Waists**  
Beautiful line of Crepe de Chine Silk Waists in all the newest Pastel colors, news trimmings. **\$3.45**  
Regular \$3.98 seller, now

**Big Bargain in Union Suits**  
Men's Natural Wool Union Suits, ribbed or flat sizes, 36 to 46, last year's purchases. **\$3.98**  
Special while lot lasts

**Big Bargain in Suit Cases**  
Full sized Japanese Fibre Cases, reinforced corners, Strong handle and lock. Big value. **\$1.45**  
While lot lasts, special at

**Big Bargain in Table Tumblers**  
Not cheap, second grade glass, but the finest white crystal glass; medium heavy fluted bottom. **39c**  
While lot lasts, six for

## Beautiful "Poke" Hats

Very Tastefully Trimmed—Styles to Please Every Woman  
For women who rather have a small shape—these Pokes ought to be about right. In this special showing are found any number of skillfully designed hats. Many have the distinction of being prize creations of Fisk & Hyland Bros.—most skillful designers, while others were originated in our own work room. Every color you can think of is represented in the group. **\$6.50**  
Prices are . . . . .  
And Up

**BEST DYE SOAP**  
Received a new supply, all colors in stock now. Will dye and wash waists and other light materials in one operation. Our price always **25c**  
3 for . . . . .

**PURE OLIVE CASTILE**  
The well known Bochebelle Olive Oil Castile Soap in cut bars. White or green. Best for infants or grow ups. **25c**  
Our Price today, 3 for **25c**

## Sale of White Crockery Continues

## War-Time Money Savers In Good Dependable Groceries!

- Our Grocery Department is Operated Under the United States Food Administration License No. G-33290.
- |  |     |  |     |
|--|-----|--|-----|
| National Oatmeal—1 large package, fresh packed goods. Our price. . . . .     | 29c | Sweet Mixed Pickles—1 large bottle Hiawatha brand. Special at . . . . .  | 33c |
| Pure Apple Cider—1 quart bottle Red Wing Brand. A big bargain at . . . . .   | 29c | Yellow Peaches—1 can, 2 1/2 size Red Feather Brand Free Peaches          | 23c |
| Sweet Spiced Pickles—1 large bottle Hiawatha brand. Big bargain at . . . . . | 33c | Winter Onions—10 lbs. good keeping winter stock Big Bargain at . . . . . | 39c |
| NOISELESS MATCHES  |     | STOVE CREAM  |     |
| 1 package Special at . . . . .   | 37c | 1 can Special at . . . . .   | 12c |



## STATE TROOPS SAVE U. S. AND MICHIGAN MANY TIMES COST

Two Big Achievements Stand To Credit of Body Up to Present Time.

### I. W. W. QUICKLY CHECKED

State War Preparedness Board Has Won Great Credit Through Constabulary Work

One of the most effective steps taken by the Michigan War Preparedness Board since its creation by the legislation when the United States entered the world war, was the formation of the state constabulary, or Michigan State Police. These troops have been an insurance against disorder and already have saved the government and the state many times their cost.

The state war board realized when the call for troops came that the departure of the national guard would leave Michigan unprotected against home troubles and immediately planned the formation of a body of state police, 200 strong. The work of the constabulary has more than vindicated the judgment of Gov. Sleeper, Secretary of State Vaughan, Attorney General Groesbeck, Auditor General Fuller, State Treasurer Odell and Superintendent of Public Instruction Keeler, the elective state officers who make up the war board, and all of whom except Superintendent Keeler, are candidates for reelection on Nov. 5.

Two big achievements stand to the credit of the state police up to date. The first was ridding the state of the I. W. W. menace. The other was the suppression of booze smuggling after Michigan joined the ranks of dry states. But besides those two jobs the state police have done a huge amount of other most important work.

Stamped Out I. W. W.  
The constabulary disposed of the I. W. W. so promptly and so effectively that many people in the state did not know Michigan had been threatened with the same serious trouble that many western states experienced. But one of the first aboriginal efforts of the disloyal elements in this organization was to hamper the production of ordnance in this country by tying up copper and iron mines and mills in the upper peninsula. Lawless leaders of this organization who respect no government, sought to spread a reign of terror through the mining district and prevent peaceful and law abiding miners from continuing their work, thereby crippling the government in its manufacture of munitions and other war necessities. Had it not been for the organization of the constabulary it would have been necessary to have federal troops sent into the upper peninsula—troops that the government was anxious to send to France as rapidly as possible. The state saved the government from that, thanks to Gov. Sleeper and his aides on the war preparedness board.

Without firing a single shot and almost without striking a single blow a detachment of 15 mounted troopers quelled the disturbance in Gogebic county, assured the citizens that they were on hand not only to protect their lives and their property, but the lives and property of striking members of the I. W. W. as well, and with in a comparatively short time brought order out of threatened chaos. Because of the opportunity for alien enemies to spread their vicious propaganda among ignorant foreigners employed in the mining regions the troops have remained on duty north of the straits and will continue to patrol the district for the duration of the war.

The troopers are out only to assure law and order. They are not maintained to break strikes, but have impartially protected men at work while strikes were in progress and strike pickets who were attacked by others. So well have they done their work that when it was proposed last fall to have them withdrawn from the upper peninsula for the winter months a howl of protest went up from all elements of the population.

Nab Booze Smugglers.  
The constabulary has done splendid work in preventing whisky smuggling from Ohio and Wisconsin into Michigan. Only recently it had put out of business a gang of whisky runners of nation-wide notoriety. Not only has it captured scores of actual law violators, but its work has deterred hundreds of others from attempting to violate the dry laws of the state.

At the request of federal authorities another troop of state police was sent to Detroit to guard the big docks where millions of dollars worth of war supplies are handled. This troop has been on duty in Detroit for a year now, dividing its attention between the docks and the big grain elevators and food storehouses. During the long and bitterly cold nights last winter the snooters never relaxed their vigil. The Michigan Central tunnel and the Detroit stockyards also have been protected by these same troopers.

Eight men are stationed at a big factory in Muskegon where munitions are manufactured. Twelve others guard the Grand Trunk tunnel and power house and the big terminal wheel elevator at Port Huron. Troopers have been kept away from the great power plants at Menominee by the state police. At Niles they are guarding the Michigan Central bridge. At Flint twenty men are patrolling the entire industrial district and affording protection to the many plants engaged on government contracts.

Under direction of the food administration the troopers have confiscated wheat which greedy owners were trying to hold from market. They have distributed coal in cities during the fuel famine; have policed foreign sections of cities where there was much disloyalty rampant. In suppressing disloyalty and rounding up

## 1,001 Men Lost In Sinking of U. S. Ship By Enemy Submarine

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS)  
Washington, D. C., Oct. 22.—Two officers and 999 enlisted men were lost in the sinking of the U. S. S. S. Ticconderoga by a German submarine in mid-ocean on Sept. 30 it was announced by the navy department today.

Germany the troopers have ably cooperated with the American Protective League.

At various points throughout the state small detachments are guarding isolated power plants.

Must Be Able Men.  
In picking out 200 men for the state police more than 800 candidates were put through rigorous examinations at the training station in East Lansing by Col. Roy C. Vandercook and other former national guard officers. Later they were carefully trained and disciplined. Many of the present command are men who have seen service in the Canadian Mounted Police. Some are veterans of the regular army while others have been in the national guard or members of police forces.

Not only are the men drilled in military maneuvers, but they are schooled in civil procedure as well and must acquire practically as much knowledge of the law as the average prosecuting officer. They know their own rights and also must know when others are within the law. They are taught surgical dressing and must learn how to administer first aid appliances. Above all they must possess an abundance of common sense and good nature.

"Pay no attention to insulting remarks and never pick a quarrel," are among the first instructions given a recruit. "Never make a threat you do not intend to carry out. A bluff is no good in this organization. We want men who mean business. Never draw your gun except in the direct extremity when your own life is threatened. So thorough a success has this branch of the state's war work been that it is entirely likely the next legislature will make it a permanent part of the state's protective system."

## MOLLUSKS MAKE GOOD SOUP

Thrown Up on Florida Beaches by the Waves They Are Collected and Sold to Hotels.

Along the Florida beaches a very common and familiar kind of rock is wholly composed of the shells of a small species of mollusk, oval in shape and half an inch long. It is called "coquina," and is hard on the feet if one walks over it without shoes.

In beds below the line of low tide are mollusks of the same kind, alive. Their bivalve shells are pink, blue and of other colors, quite brilliant, so that in places the beaches are beautiful to the eye, great numbers of them being thrown up by the waves along the shore.

Under such circumstances they soon die, of course, leaving their pretty shells to adorn the strand. But there are always plenty of live ones at the water's edge, and these are gathered in quantity at some of the winter resorts by boys who collect them with rakes and carry them in baskets to the hotels for sale.

They are used for soup, being pressed to a pulp in order to extract their juice. The latter, strained and heated, affords a very delicious table beverage known as "coquina broth." It is particularly recommended for invalids and persons with weak digestion.

## WHERE GREAT EMPEROR DIED

Longwood, the Prison House of Napoleon, is Maintained Much as He Knew It.

Longwood Old House, the prison home of Napoleon, is about four miles from Jamestown, the capital of St. Helena. Dismally unattractive, the place is in about the same condition that it was in the emperor's time. A low rambling one-storyed farmhouse, once the dwelling of a peasant farmer of the island, it is hard to connect the place with the one-time master of the Tuilleries and Versailles. But Longwood has an air of romance and mystery of its own, for it was the death place of Napoleon.

The house is badly lighted and ill ventilated. The rooms are tiny and musty. The so-called billiard room could never have held even the smallest table and the players at the same time. The reception room into which the emperor was moved when dying, is the pleasantest spot in the place, for it boasts of more than one window. It was in the space between the two windows that the death bed was placed. Here today is a bust of the emperor. Visitors to Longwood sign the ancient visitors' book in this reception room, while the aged guide tells the story of Napoleon's last days.

Above the first floor are the garret rooms, little more than cubby holes, where former statesmen and marshals of France lived during their exile with their master. Outside is the tiny garden and the emperor's favorite arbor. Here is the fishpool built by his own hands. At the foot of the plateau is Geranium valley, and the emperor's tomb. It was by Napoleon's own request that he was buried here. The famous willow tree of fiction and history still shadows the emperor's tomb.

In 1858 Queen Victoria presented Longwood to Napoleon III, who restored the old place to the condition in which the great emperor knew it.

Saving the Pink Cup.  
Three-year-old Biddle had a passion for pink. His latest craving had been for a pink cup out of which to drink his milk. Indulgent auntie got such a cup for him, and he used it for days with great delight.

One morning, however, he was late for breakfast, and some one had used the "sacred" pink cup. Biddle said not a word; his silence was significant. Later when his mother was washing the dishes, he came close to her and murmured:

"Mother, jes put pink cup on top o' dat."

## Austra-Hungary Is Becoming Anxious About Wilson Note

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS)  
Berne Switzerland, Oct. 22.—The Austrian propagandist bureau sends the following announcement from Vienna:

"The Austro-Hungarian government will reply soon to President Wilson's note, more so as the President has not replied to the question of conditions under which peace negotiations are possible."

## DIFFER OVER ORIGIN OF DOG

Whether All Kinds Had a Common Ancestor Has Long Been a Matter of Dispute.

The ancestry of the dog has been the occasion of much controversy, according to Leo S. Crandall's book, "Pets." Many naturalists have considered that it is descended from a single ancestor, such as the common wolf of Europe. Darwin, however, leans toward the theory of multiple origin, and advances much convincing proof in support of his belief. It is widely known that many savage tribes have dogs, which appear to be simply half-tamed representatives of the particular wild doglike animals inhabiting the same regions.

The dogs of the American plains Indians closely resemble the small prairie wolf, or coyote; the husky of the north country is plainly not far removed from the gray wolf; the German sheep dog and the Samoyede are strikingly wolflike in appearance. Whether our present dogs are the result of crossing these many simple derivatives of wolves and jackals among themselves, or whether there was an original ancestral dog, now extinct, with which the blood of other species has become mingled, we have not yet been able to determine, though so many primordial animal remains have come to light.

According to St. George Mivart, the dingo is the only wild dog still existing which meets the requirements of an ancestor of our modern breeds. This species is found throughout Australia and fossil bones which have been found show its presence there from very early times.

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## ORDINANCE NO. 257—An Ordinance to Amend Section 6 of an Ordinance Entitled

"An ordinance providing for the inspection, weighing and measuring of coal, fire wood, hay and other articles of merchandise within the City of Escanaba," to read as follows: "The City of Escanaba Ordains: Sec. 1.—For each load or parcel of coal, hay or other merchandise, and for each cord of wood which shall be weighed or measured by the city weighmaster, a fee of twenty-five cents shall be paid by the person requiring such weighing or measuring to be done. Sec. 2.—This ordinance shall be in force and effect 10 days after its passage and publication. 295

## MEETING POSTPONED.

The regular meeting of the Escanaba Women's club, scheduled for Wednesday, Oct. 23, has been postponed indefinitely because of the present health conditions in this city and in conformity with the order of the local board of health forbidding public gatherings.

## What About This?

Did you ever make jam or jelly out of cranberries? If you have not, you ought to do so now, the more so that it is next to impossible to get any kind of jam at all. There is poor prospect of your 60c creamery butter coming down much in price before the grass coming up once more. Play safe, put up jam, cranberries as jam and jelly are excellent. What is more they are within reach of your pocket book. 25c buys a pound of fancy cranberries at the

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