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Second Floor

Escanaba, Michigan

NOT RIPE FOR INDEPENDENCE

BELIEVED ADMINISTRATION WILL TELL FILIPINOS THEY ARE NOT TO BE SET FREE AT ONCE.

GEN. WOOD WILL INVESTIGATE

Islanders Have Advanced Wonderfully, It Is Declared, but Have Not Yet Reached Plane to Enable Them to Be a Self-governing People.

By EDWARD B. CLARK.

Washington.—Maj. Gen. Leonard Wood has been ordered to the Philippines to study conditions in the islands, and to make a report thereon for the benefit of the government. The general, as the country knows, has been offered the governorship of the Philippines, but the understanding is that as soon as his study of the situation is over, he will return to the United States and make his report, retire from the service, and become provost of the University of Pennsylvania.

The administration seems to be convinced that things are not altogether right in the Philippines. By this it may, it is definitely known that the Filipinos expected that the United States soon would release them from what they probably look on as bondage, and make of them an independent people. Bluntly speaking, there seems to be no such thought in the part of the officials in Washington. They do not believe that the Filipinos are ripe for independence, and that it will be some time before he can be turned loose with safety to care for himself.

It is charged in Washington that American officials in the Islands in the last eight years have encouraged the Filipinos in their belief that soon they were to be set free. Already this encouragement, it is said, has had the effect of producing unquiet evolution. There have been troubles in various parts of the possessions, and the constant assertion is that the words of the government are being in advance as if they were no longer subject to American rule. These are the charges made, and General Wood is going over to find out all about it.

Wood May Break News.

When the United States government, as it is almost certain to do, breaks the news to the Filipinos that they are not to be set free at once, the breaking of the news must be done diplomatically, and with every precaution to avert serious trouble. If the job of telling the Islanders the truth shall fall to General Wood, he probably will be able to do it in a way which will reduce to the least possible minimum the resentment which is sure to follow. Wood has a way with him. Normally, he is exceedingly gentle, but if duty demands he is stern.

Washington officials, legislative and executive, when they talk about the subject at all, say that the main reason for not turning the Philippines loose as they are in the Islands, freedom would bring instant disorder. They go on to say that ever since Dewey's day the United States government has been conducting an upholding work in the Philippines, the people themselves, and the institutions forming the material for the labor of construction. It is declared here that the Islanders have advanced wonderfully, but that they have not yet reached the plane of efficiency, self-restraint and temperament which will enable them to be a self-governing people. The argument of the opponents of immediate liberation is that it is better to go on with the work until success is assured rather than to turn a people loose who cannot complete the work for themselves.

There is also some fear in Washington that if the Islanders are released from United States control, they may be gobblled up by some pretense or other by another power. It is probable today that the Islands would be overrun if we had war with a great power which might succeed in overcoming our navy, but of course this is a matter aside from the main present issue.

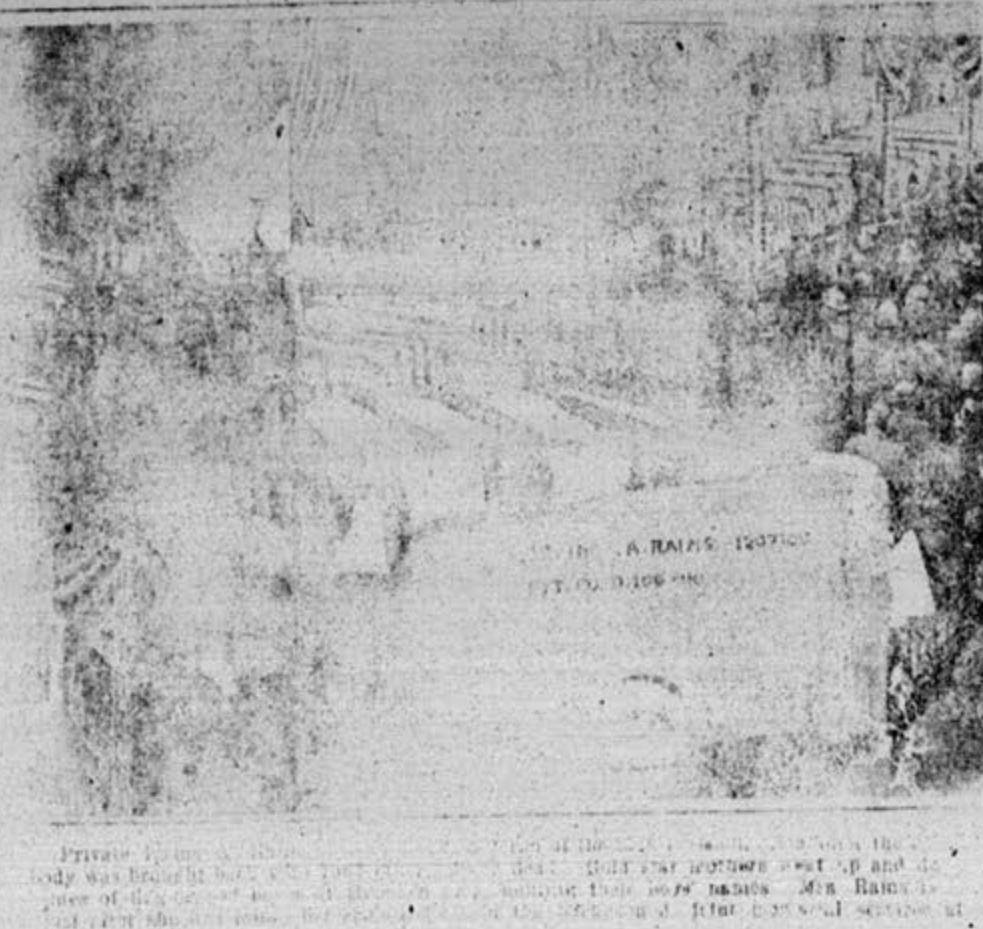
Strong as Gibraltar.

Officials of the War department realize that because of the isolation of the Philippines ordinary fortifications would be of comparatively little use if there should be a sudden attack by an enemy. Corregidor, fortified as it is, has changed the whole face of affairs as far as view of approach to Manila is concerned. If the Spaniards years ago had been given the sense to fortify properly this rock island at the entrance to Manila bay, Dewey might never have shut out from his victory of May, 1898. Army officers and naval officers have said that Corregidor is as strong as Gibraltar.

All the work that the United States has done in the Philippines in the way of constructing fortifications has come on with comparatively little notice. All the work has been done by Americans, no foreigner ever having been allowed to take part in it, even to the extent of digging a spadeful of earth or blasting a rock. If the American fleet should meet with disaster in eastern waters, Manila bay would prove to be a safe place for refuge for the vessels that manage to escape destruction.

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LABOR UNREST IN BRITAIN

General Idea That Wage Struggle on a Large Scale Is About to Be Inaugurated.

All signs point to the colliery industry as the first which will be engaged in a wage struggle on a large scale, in the British Isles. There will be a new development soon following upon the defined inquiries by both parties in the wage negotiations to discover what the general body of both owners and miners desire.

In the meetings in the various coal fields, the miners have declared for a new standard wage, embodying nearly all present earnings, while the owners declare that unless wages are substantially reduced, many collieries must close. The attitude of the miners will be decided at a coming national conference, and in the subsequent renewed negotiations a decisive stage will be reached. A struggle is regarded as almost certain, and the fact that many colliery owners, especially in South Wales, are giving notice to terminate contracts in fourteen days so that thereafter the mines may be closed at one day's notice, is regarded as an ominous portent.

Labor's Exodus From Ohio Farms.
According to a recent survey made by an agricultural statistician of the United States bureau of crop estimates and the Ohio bureau of agricultural statistics, there was a decrease of 62,000 men and boys over 15 years of age working on farms in Ohio for the year ended June, 1920. The survey covered from 100 to 300 farms in every county of the state. For every man who came back to farm life during the year covered, seven left farms for other work.

It is estimated from the returns that at present 410,000 men and boys are actually working on farms as compared to 470,000 a year ago and approximately 500,000 three years ago. Seventy thousand were reported as having been hired for wages while a year ago there were nearly 100,000. About one-half, therefore, of those who abandoned the farm during the twelve months covered by the survey were hired men.

METAL MINERS WORKING UNDER POOR CONDITIONS

State law's regulating working conditions in metal mines are lax and indefinite, especially in regard to ventilation, said testimony before the bureau of mines, based on 6,000 of metal mines in Montana, Colorado, Utah, Nevada, Arizona and other states by Daniel Harrington, a mining engineer of the bureau, and by engineers and surgeons of the public health service. "The better health of coal miners as compared with metal miners probably is due to the better ventilation of coal mines," the statement said.

SUCCEEDS BONAR LAW



AUSTEN CHAMBERLAIN

Austen Chamberlain, British chancellor of the exchequer, has been Unions (conservative) party leader in the House of Commons to succeed Bonar Law, who resigned on account of ill health.

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While wavy, gray, faded hair is not sinful, we all desire to retain our youthful appearance and attractiveness. By darkening your hair with Wyrth's Sage and Sulphur Compound no one can tell, because it does it so naturally. You just dampen a sponge or soft brush with it and draw it through your hair, taking one small strand at a time, by means of which all gray hairs have disappeared, and after another application or two, your hair becomes beautifully dark, glossy and luxuriant.

Lloyd's Register reports 111 tank steamers in process of construction. The United States is building 73, the United Kingdom 32, and other countries three.

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months of study of authenticated prints portraying styles of different periods. It is said to be one of the best of its kind in the world.

In a specially furnished room, armories of the dark ages, contemplation belles of the Renaissance and sprightly debutantes of our ante-bellum and modern days. Eve also has a place in the fashion review, but merely as an example of how clothes make the woman.

One of the most interesting costumes is that of a fisherman from the Firth of Fourth. Tailored suits and peek-a-boo waistlines have had no effect on the lusty Scots who live on that arm of the sea, for their dress standard has remained unchanged for 500 years.

Shifts in American styles are illustrated by eight waxen faced beauties starting with the street gown of 1850. In this display are an afternoon frock of 1857, a calling costume of 1863, full gown of 1869 and spring wear of 1869. The opera gown of 1910 stands haughtily erect in the extremely tight skirt of that year.

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Ladies in dazzling costumes at the Japanese from the time of their introduction to the Western world. Late pieces of American cost in French markets are causing much comment. The United States is now a complete picture of feminine life making deliveries at \$14 a ton or \$200 a ton.

and skins. A large group of Chinese mannequins, arrayed in heavy silk fabric, sleep from beneath coin like Oriental sunshades.

Hats have received particular attention in the collection. There are round headgear popular in the year 1200, the monster mitre hats and the sugar loaf hats with clusters of hair dressed high against the supporting head shaped device.

In analysing the various styles, Miss Wright who is an author and the wife of the district attorney of Belknap and Carroll counties, says women at all ages apparently cared less for material and more for the cut than the world over.

The use of motion pictures to demonstrate trade possibilities of foreign countries is proving a success. A special representative of the Cuban Government is using this method in New Orleans to convey an accurate impression of the natural resources and opportunities awaiting the American investor in that country.

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ELECTRIC CHAIR BILL TO COME UP AGAIN TODAY

Was Defeated March 18
by But Two Votes;
Members Absent.

If the Bill Goes Through, the
Electric Chair Will Be In-
stalled at the Jackson
Prison.

LANSING, Mar. 28.—The Hart capital punishment bill was defeated in the House March 18, when it received two of the necessary 51 votes for passage. Five members of this house, comprising the prior committee investigating conditions at Marquette were absent.

The following day the bill was referred reconsideration with a motion filed by Representative Edwin Real, of Kalamazoo, carried. To prevent its consideration at once, with several members absent, and its second de-
fined, it became necessary Rep. Real followed with a motion to table the measure. This also carried. Rep. Charles Culver, an active opponent of the bill, then attempted to force its consideration by moving that it be taken from the table. His motion was lost and he moved to reconsider the vote by which it was defeated. The house adjourned with the latter motion pending.

When the house reconvened March 21, the Culver motion was on the calendar as under advisement. It was defeated and before a vote could be taken on the new motion to take the bill off the table the house again adjourned. The following day the Michigan legislature apparently gave up the effort to vote, for it announced its would withdraw the motion on which the vote was interrupted the previous day, because it did not "wish to force the house into another adjournment."

The capital punishment bill on its return again on the floor of the house and its fate from peaceful re-
pose on the table was at last settled.

debate and the most complicated parliamentary tangle of any bill before the lower branch in years. When the members of the bill apparently had decided to let the measure take, it's entire members of the prison committee had returned, and there appeared to be a prospect of assembling the full house membership. Representative Hart announced he would ask to have his bill taken from the table for final consideration today.

The Hart bill provides for capital punishment at the discretion of the jury or the court. Its supporters contend that this double optional provision giving the jury power to recommend whether the sentence shall be death and the court power to review the jury's findings would eliminate all possibility of executing innocent men or those convicted on circumstantial evidence.

Women are included with the prisoners of the bill, and several anti-death rights have raged around attempts to eliminate women from the previous bill, to make women who increase numbers after capture have been passed appear in a separate class over which the governor could inflict an imposed sentence by his discretion, and to add a clause exempting persons convicted partly on circumstantial evidence from the death penalty.

The bill provides for the execution in an electric chair at Jackson prison. Persons sentenced to death would be confined in a "death chamber" and all medical expenses by physician and relatives to the prison authorities may grant petition should be defined action to the governor.

The bill was the subject of one of the most picturesque public hearings of the present legislative session. Among the opponents of the measure who spoke before the committee were former inmates of a number of penitentiaries. They dramatically exposed prison conditions and pleaded for legislation to make prison life more comfortable than for the passing of legislation to impose additional penalties.

Suggestions of the speakers have done much to stimulate interest in further legislation, and by no means what they do not believe the "old ways" in administration. They have dispelled many a misconception that even the best prisons were death penitentiaries than in Michigan or have been, and the recent attention to the state.

Edna K. Wilcox Speaks to Eastern Star Members

Mrs. Edna K. Wilcox of Menominee, Grand Conductor of the Order of Eastern Star gave a school of instruction to the members of the order yesterday afternoon. At 5:30 o'clock a banquet was served in the dining room of the Masonic Hall. In the evening a large number of candidates were initiated into the order.

Following the initiation of candidates a reception and dance was enjoyed.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our friends for the kindness shown during our recent bereavement. Special thanks to the Sisters and children of St. Joseph's school.

Mr. and Mrs. John Wenk
and Family

Why did the Kid give \$110 for a twenty dollar gold piece? You may guess to read Arthur Somers Roche's story in April Cosmopolitan. To-day Escanaba News Agency.

Mrs. Louis Danielson, of Gladstone, has returned from Rochester, Minn., where she submitted to a serious operation. Mrs. Danielson is feeling considerably better and expects soon to regain her former good health.

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MRS. BECK SURPRISED
Mrs. Ewald C. Beck was the honored guest at a surprise party arranged by Mrs. E. C. Sullivan at the latter's home in the Jepson building yesterday afternoon, the occasion being Mrs. Beck's birthday anniversary.

The twenty-five guests presented Mrs. Beck with a beautiful luncheon set. A delicious luncheon was served by the hostess after an afternoon spent playing cards.

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MICHAEL RYAN

Michael Ryan, aged 72 years, died yesterday afternoon at the Fenelon home on Second avenue south from a complication of disease. He was well known to a number of people of this city and surrounding territory for he has made his home in Escanaba, Foster City and Nequana for the past 42 years. The body was removed to the Alto undertaking parlor and funeral arrangements will be made later.

Mrs. H. C. Kamathick is at her home on 511 So. 11th street.

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THE WEATHER

For Escanaba and Vicinity: Light rain or snow tonight. Thursday cloudy and colder.

Temperatures recorded are as follows:

Lowest

	7 a. m. Last Night
Escanaba	31
Green Bay	31
Houghton	38
St. Joe	39
Washington	38

It you know that the man you want to marry could not make you happy, would you still marry him? Sam Garlin offers a solution in "Not a Marrying Man" in April Cosmopolitan now on sale, Escanaba News Agency.

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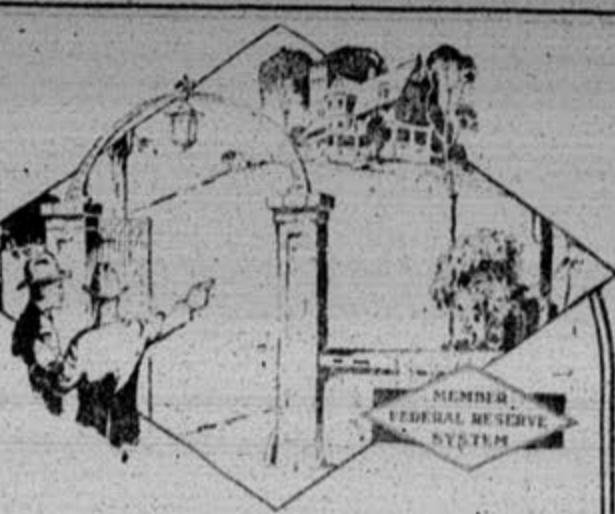
GIRLS! YOU CAN CHANGE SOX NOW

Several girls who have complained about having stockings from a salesman, and then not getting the stockings, can get them if they will call at the post office. The socks or rather stockings are there now, have been there for some time, and what is more will be there long time enough if they are not called for.

The salesman was in town last night and was surprised to learn that he was under suspicion. He went to the post office and found out that the stockings had been here for a year time. It's up to the buyer to go and get them and forever hold their peace, *SOX-HIS*.

MRS. ANNA ANDERSON

Funeral services for Mrs. Anna Anderson will be held tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock at the home, 316 No. Eleventh street. Burial will be made in Lakewood cemetery. The body was sent to the home this afternoon from the Anderson-Duchampen undertaking parlors.



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No. 2 can	
Monarch Baked Beans, 15c value.	10c
No. 2 can	
Pure Dyco Jells, 45c value;	29c
per jar	
Choice of Value, Monarch and Resco Milk,	12½c
per quart	
Fancy High Grade Shelled Walnuts.	15c
(not broken) put up in 1½ pound package.	
A very fine selection of Preserves, 60c value.	27c
now going at	
Galanine Soap,	6½c
per bar	
Butter,	47c
per pound	
Eggs, Strictly Fresh,	29c
per dozen	
Pure Lard,	17c
per pound	
Good Luck Oleomargarine,	27½c
per pound	
Sunkist Oranges,	25c
per dozen	
Salmon, good,	9c
per can	
Jell O, All Flavors,	10c
per package	
Dried Peaches,	23c
per pound	
Dried Apricots,	25c
per pound	
Dry Onions,	5c
per pound	

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