

ESCANABA DAILY MIRROR

THE WEATHER
Generally fair tonight and
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MARY MILES MINTER "HAS TOLD ALL"

SCENES OF POMP ATTEND PIOUS CORONATION

Blesses Nearly 200,000 People Who Cheer Him Heartily.

Cathedral Packed With Princes and Dignitaries of the Church.

ROME, Feb. 11. (The XI) The coronation of King Vittorio Emanuele III, king of Italy, took place yesterday at the cathedral of St. Peter in Rome, in the presence of nearly 200,000 cheering people.

The ceremony was one of the most magnificent ever witnessed in the history of the world. The king was crowned by Pope Pius XI, who blessed the people and gave them the sacrament of Holy Communion.

The king and queen, Elena, were crowned with gold and precious stones. The ceremony lasted for several hours, and the cathedral was packed with princes and dignitaries of the church.

Checkers Cook's Co. is looking for a chef for its restaurant. The chef should have experience in French cooking and be able to handle a large kitchen. The salary is \$400 per month and board.

Men of High Ideas are needed for a large building project. The project involves the construction of a new school building and a hospital. The men should have a high school education and be interested in public work.

The Evacuation Of British Troops In Ireland Suspended

DUBLIN, Ireland, Feb. 11. The evacuation of British troops from Ireland has been suspended until further notice, according to a statement issued by the British government today.

The suspension is due to the fact that the Irish government has agreed to a new arrangement regarding the troops. The arrangement provides that the troops will be stationed in the British Isles instead of Ireland.

The suspension of the evacuation is a significant step in the process of resolving the Irish question. It shows that the British government is willing to work with the Irish government to reach a peaceful settlement.

NAME SLATE FOR CONSIDERATION OF THE PUBLIC

Citizens Committee Selects Five Men Who Are Well Qualified for Public Service.

One month from today is the last day on which petitions may be filed with the city clerk for consideration by the city council for the election of the city clerk in April.

The citizens committee has selected five men who are well qualified for public service. The names of the men are: W. F. Hasbrouck, F. D. Beck, G. H. Cotton, H. H. Lebeck, and J. N. Wood.

The committee believes that these men are the best qualified for the position of city clerk. They have all been active in public life and have a wide knowledge of the city's affairs.

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Chief Justice Of Wisconsin Court Is Called By Death
The chief justice of the Wisconsin Supreme Court, William W. Blair, has died. He was 82 years old and had served as chief justice for many years.

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DENBY THINKS NAVY SHOULD BE 96,000 STRONG

Expects to Save Fifty Millions Within the Next Year.

Recommends Retirement of One Hundred Destroyers and Makes Other Suggestions.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 11. Secretary Denby, appearing before the House committee on naval affairs today, announced that he expects to save fifty million dollars within the next year.

Denby recommended the retirement of one hundred destroyers from the fleet. He also suggested other measures to reduce the navy's budget, including the elimination of certain types of ships and the consolidation of the navy's operations.

Denby's proposals are part of a broader effort to reform the navy and make it more efficient. He believes that these measures will allow the navy to maintain its strength while reducing its costs.

CHINESE TONG WAR BREAKS IN WEST

Two Killed in San Francisco and One in Seattle While Another Is Slain in San Jose.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 11. (AP) - A Chinese tong war broke out in the West today, resulting in the deaths of three men.

Two men were killed in San Francisco and one in Seattle. The deaths are the result of a conflict between two rival Chinese tongs, who are engaged in a struggle for power in the West.

The tong wars are a serious problem for the Chinese community in the West. They are often violent and result in the deaths of many innocent people. The Chinese government and the U.S. government are working to bring an end to these wars.

DENIES RUMORS OF SALE OF E. & L. S. TO THE ST. PAUL

General Manager Kates, Says On Contrary, His Road Has Just Made Big Contract With St. Paul.

PERVENECE, Pa., Feb. 11. (AP) - General Manager Kates, of the Erie Railroad, today denied rumors that his road had sold to the St. Paul Railroad.

Kates said that the Erie Railroad has just made a big contract with the St. Paul Railroad. The contract involves the purchase of several locomotives and other equipment. Kates believes that this contract will strengthen the Erie Railroad's position in the market.

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"Uncle Joe" Cannon Is Not Going to Run for Congress

WASHINGTON, Feb. 11. (AP) - Joe Cannon, oldest member of the House of Representatives, today announced that he will not run for Congress in 1922.

Cannon has served in the House for over 40 years and has been a prominent figure in American politics. He has held several important positions in the House, including Speaker of the House.

Cannon's decision not to run for Congress is a significant one. It marks the end of his long and distinguished career in public service.



ROBERTS WILL BE LEGION GUEST AT IRON RIVER MEET

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Railroad And Ore Business Showing Some Improvement
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Here's Opportunity To Sell Blue Sky

LONDON, Feb. 11. (AP) - The British government today announced that it is selling blue sky bonds to raise money for the war effort.

The blue sky bonds are a type of war bond that is sold at a discount to its face value. They are a safe investment and will pay off at the end of the war.

The British government is offering these bonds to the public as an opportunity to support the war effort. The proceeds from the sale of these bonds will be used to purchase war supplies and other war materials.

DECLARES SHE CANNOT ADD TO HER EVIDENCE

Says Taylor Was Always Courteous and a Wise Counsellor.

LONDON, Feb. 11. (AP) - Mrs. M. J. Taylor today declared that she cannot add to her evidence in the case of the murder of William Desmond Taylor.

Mrs. Taylor is the wife of the man who was accused of the murder. She has been called to the witness stand by the prosecution, but she has declined to give any further testimony.

Mrs. Taylor said that Taylor was always courteous and a wise counsellor. She believes that Taylor was innocent of the murder and that the police have framed him.

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The funeral service will be a simple and dignified affair. It is expected that a large number of people will attend the service.

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'WAY DOWN EAST' OPENS FOUR DAY RUN HERE TODAY

Delt Theatre Will Present Griffith's Masterpiece Matinee and Night for Four Days.

The backbone of February was broken—that the 1920 winter of New England was grim with us. February has a treacherous month, and so it was toward the end of last February that Lillian Gish was taken out into that New England snowstorm from the home of Square Bartlett. And the greatest of all winter climates had been with this trait of strong features at "Way Down East" as she was in

erally swept out into night's highway by God's elements. That directing low-commanding voice of Griffith could scarce be heard above the howl of wintry blasts and the blinding snow, swayed the air like a thick London fog. But out and on went Lillian Gish, inspired with the staunch soul of Anna Moore within her own. So great was the upheaval of the elements that signals had to be used between Griffith and his brave little star. That magic word from the lips and voice of D. W. Griffith of Canada placed the howl of the winds and with an uplifted hand through the blinding snow, raised Lillian Gish staggering in her thin, raincoat of black. Little Anna was weak. She was homeless, deserted. In the picture there is registered in every frame the look and face what misery and pain can be wrought upon the human being in this world. The struggle which she undergoes in the picture will be felt from her feet and she will cry to God and try to move in to some undisturbed place where there

might be entrance of strife from soul and body. What you will see upon the screen of the cinema art at the Delt Theatre of Lillian Gish as Anna Moore was no make-believe suffering. It had to be done and Lillian did it that we might all realize it.

Big Highway Meet Goes Into Session at Ann Arbor Today

(By Associated Press) ANN ARBOR, Mich., Feb. 12.—The annual meeting of the Michigan Road Commission in this state here to deal with the problem of road building and maintenance will be included in discussions to be held during the Elkhart annual conference on Highway Engineering this afternoon at the University of Michigan today. The meeting will continue through tomorrow.

The Michigan Road Commission, which is the state's highway authority, will be in session at the University of Michigan today. The meeting will be held in the University building. The commission will discuss the state's highway program and the need for additional funds. The meeting is expected to last several days.

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ARE SYMBOLS OF AFFECTION Nicknames Never Bestowed on Those Who Prove Unpopular or Are Unduly Dignified.

The selection of a name for the baby is a very important matter in most households, and of course it should be considered sufficiently to insure the poor helpless babe of humanity having a label that it will not be ashamed to sign the rest of its life. Any good plain English name will do that. But a mother even more important and not so easily disposed of is that of the nickname. What names will this young person acquire as he goes through life? That depends largely on himself and the kind of associates he has. The very last thing to be wished for him is that he should never be nicknamed. Usually the only people who are never nicknamed are either very unpopular or very dignified, though there are exceptions. But the nickname is a sort of expression of affection, and those who accumulate many as they go through life should regard them as insignias of friendship and hence of honor. The final word on nicknames was written many years ago by Oliver Wendell Holmes:

Who takes at length our lineage day, Who cares what postage mortals pay, Read on the hearts that love us still, 'All faces bear the face of Bill'.

WORLD HAS CHANGED LITTLE Electioneering Methods in Old Pompeii Much Like Those in Vogue in Our Own Time.

Archaeologists have uncovered at Pompeii a barroom singularly reminiscent of the neater sort of drinking places that were to be found in American cities before the days of prohibition, and they have found the dried feet of the liquor in the jars.

The outside walls of the saloon are covered with appeals to the voters of the city to "Vote for Lucius for duumvir." The duumvir was a sort of selectman or half mayor, an official whose powers or prerogatives made the office one that was much coveted. The election notices are everywhere to be found on the walls of Pompeii, usually in red paint, sometimes in black. They seem to have been the customary means of notifying the citizens of nominations that had been made.

The crafts seem to have acted in place of party expenses. "The barber Pompeius Trebellus for duumvir," says one placard. "All the golden-haired Pompeius C. Caelius Pappus for duumvir," says another. Sometimes a candidate is referred to as a "b," which means vituperator, or a good man. One is referred to as "the honest young man" of another. It is said that "We will save the people's money."

Dump Animals Pay Taxes. It will be surprising to some people to learn that all domestic animals are not exempt from taxes, and that some of the Communist governments' income is derived from pet animals, whose owners and benefactors protest for their future comfort and enjoyment. Such is the case at London, Ont., where several such pets are annual contributors to the city's coffers. One large dog in that city receives an annual license that many small families would appreciate, due to the fact that the animal's legacy was a large one and grew from year to year by the accretions of puppies. Gold boxes, deposited in trust, keep him in comfort and insure a small return to the city's tax office in income tax. A beautiful Boston cat, now sleepily rounding out a life of idleness, also receives an income left by an eccentric master. There is a parrot, too. All these are contributors, though some one else has to pay the tax bill for them. There are doubtless many such animals in other countries.

Horseshoe Myth Universal. The horseshoe in its many pettitive forms is of great antiquity. An old and very popular superstition, whose university precedent among peasants ascribes to the horseshoe, especially to one which has been found in the road by chance, the power of barring the passage of witches. For this purpose the shoe is nailed to the door of the threshold, and hence to the "Year Book," says "Nutting of horseshoes" seems to have been practiced as well to keep witches in as to keep them out. In Monmouth street, London, many horseshoes nailed to the thresholds were to be seen in 1797. In 1813 Sir Henry Ellis counted seventeen horseshoes in that street, but in 1822 only eleven remained. The great Nelson was of a superstitious turn, and having great faith in the luck of a horseshoe had one nailed to the mast of the "Victory."

Meridian of Greenwich. The meridian of Greenwich is generally accepted as the starting time from which to reckon longitude and time all over the earth. But objections are from time to time raised against the universal adoption of the Greenwich meridian for such purposes. Recently Italian savants have emphasized these objections by pointing out that on the meridian of Greenwich clouds and bad weather are frequent, interfering with astronomical observations. They suggest that the civilized world should agree to adopt the meridian of Jerusalem as a common reference line, because there the skies are clearer, and the possibility of making Palestine neutral territory would eliminate political objections.

Look at the For Sale Ad— and at some of the things that are advertised for sale.

GOOD WHISKEY IS GROWING SCARCE

State Board of Pharmacy Warns Against Danger in Drinking Substitutes.

LANSING, Mich., Feb. 12.—Unless the practice of drinking illicit liquor be checked in Michigan, the number of cases of nephritis, a type of kidney disease, will be alarmingly large by 1925, is the opinion of Herbert H. Hoffman, secretary of the state board of pharmacy and in charge of the state horticultural department's bureau for enforcement of drug laws. The rate of death from this disease will set a new record within three years unless a means is found to prevent the use of "home made" liquor, Mr. Hoffman said. The amount of good whiskey in Michigan has become relatively small, he said. Mr. Hoffman explained that by the term "good whiskey" he meant just liquor manufactured under government supervision before the advent of prohibition. The larger percentage of good whiskey is in government warehouses and therefore is not available to "home" drinkers. As a substitute for the former kind of whiskey, bootleggers have turned to manufacture of liquor. Indeed alcohol is difficult to obtain, Mr. Hoffman said, and as a result bootleggers have turned to producing grade alcohol from which the poisonous ingredients have not been eliminated by rectifying. Alcohol of the higher grade is produced usually from grains, first distilled and then redistilled, to eliminate the impurities. By aging whiskey in barrels every particle of fusel oil can be eliminated. Fusel oil has no medicinal value whatever, exists only as an impurity and is exceedingly detrimental to the tissues of the body, causing, if continually used, nephritis.

Don't forget the Valentine Supper given by the Ladies' Aid of the First Baptist Church, Feb. 14. The public is cordially invited. Price 25¢. Sweet Peas, Violets, Roses, Tulips, Daffodils for Valentine's Day, Feb. 14. Get them from the Peterson Green House.



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The car, containing four men, was run repeatedly back and forth upon improvised tracks—two planks from which 5,000 thirty-penny nails protruded, points upward.

Twenty-four keen-bladed butcher knives, edge up, formed part of the track. Fifty pounds of broken glass and 100 yards of barbed wire littered the approaches.

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- 4—Remember, we are ready to do our part by making terms to suit your convenience.
- 5—For quick installation, Phone 89-W.

ECONOMY LIGHT COMPANY

Look at the For Sale Ad— and at some of the things that are advertised for sale.

House Cleaning Is Indicated Among District Attorneys

(By Universal Service) Washington, Feb. 2.—The United States Attorney General's office is awaiting official confirmation of charges said to have been made in Chicago that Federal court records there have been tampered with.

The fact assertion was made at the Department of Justice today that the tampering has been reported in the office of the District Attorney at Chicago. Recently a Chicago attorney, whose name is not disclosed, appeared at the office of the United States Attorney General to interview for Dan Schoyer and Charles W. McLaughlin, both of Chicago. They asked that charges against the two men of making improper income tax returns be dismissed.

To Prosecute Cases At Washington, the report also made it known that the men had been indicted. In Chicago, it was stated that the court had been tampered with. The Attorney General's office received the charges and it is understood that they have an opinion from the United States Attorney in Chicago as to whether or not there are to be prosecuted.

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Advertisement for Dalton Adding and Calculating Machine, featuring an illustration of a man operating the machine and text describing its benefits for retailers.

Advertisement for F. E. Shaman, District Sales Agent, located at 514-515 Palladio Building, Duluth, Minnesota.

GOOD AND BAD WEDDING DAYS

Many and Varied Are the Superstitions That Have to Do With the Marriage Altar.

The superstitions that cluster round the altar are as many and as mysterious as the stars of a maid with a maid.

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WORTH MAKING A FIGHT FOR

There are two ways in which the state tax levy, a formidable matter in the workings may be made less onerous to the average taxpayer. The appropriations may be cut until every non-essential and every concession to waste is eliminated.

Exact figures are unobtainable but an expert recently estimated that the value of tax exempt securities held in this state is at least one billion dollars, and that the total may be nearer two billion.

Suppose a tax levy of some sort could be made on property to the value of a billion which is now outside the reach of the assessors. How it would help the farmer! How it would help business! How it would help the small property owner!

The elimination of course, be changed all of a sudden because a situation cannot be taken away from bonds that have been issued.

Also it is life to pretend that the elimination of tax exemption of securities, bonds and mortgages will be an easy or simple job under any circumstances, because the whole of the United States is in the one boat in this matter, and it is going to take considerable time for a single state to make a start toward reform until the federal government at least shows the way.

We believe, however, that a state ought to have authority and that Michigan ought to undertake some of the necessary pioneering work. If it does, it will have friends, but that probably will be much smaller than the enemy, however, as policy. And anyone, a chance to tax even a small estate tax on a billion dollars of property, is worth fighting for a little.

A FRENCH COMPLAINT

French complaint upon the passage of the debt refunding bill is reported in several instances of complaint that the terms are too hard upon France. The financial calculations say that in order to pay interest and amortize the debt to the United States in twenty-five years France will be compelled to pay all of the annual reparations payments from Germany and a part of the value of what Germany pays in goods and services.

It is not easy to see why Germany should lay out for the purpose of increasing French expenses for ready money. The German government is doing its best to have the burden of reparations reduced. At the same time it pursues a policy which will certainly harden French resolution to demand the last franc at the earliest possible moment, it will be working squarely against itself.

There is no evidence in this country that Germany is following that highly momentous course and is there evidence that foreign propaganda of any kind entered into the policy behind the refunding bill.

After prolonged consideration, which took into account a variety of schemes for handling the foreign debt the United States decided to regard the whole transaction as a business proposition. This country does not feel that there is anything which is asking for the repayment of a debt used to finance a war out of which it took not a penny of tribute and no new territory. Moreover, the United States does not feel that there is anything harsh in asking for the payment of a debt owed by the country which maintains the most powerful army in the world for purposes which could be adequately met by a much smaller force.

A BROAD MARKET BUT LOW PRICES

It is customary to refer to the depression in Europe as one of the principal reasons for slow business in the United States. This explanation is valid but if one were to study the figures showing exports of American farm products for the first year and consider nothing else, he would reach the conclusion that the world must have been in unexampled good year for American agriculture.

These exports were nearly twice as great as they were the year before the war and much larger than in 1920. In fact, no other year in the history of the country has shown so large a total. Unfortunately, the big sales did not produce agricultural prosperity.

Americans increased shipments were due to the fact that this country took the place of Russia as a food provider, but the Russian disappearance from the list of producers did not make a shortage sufficient to keep prices up. However, it is certain that the large European demand helped to moderate the farmer's plight, and since the restoration of Russia will be a slow process at best, American farmers may still look forward to a good European market for a long time.

The fewer capital ships we have the more capital we can put into the development of the country.

It begins to look as though Will Hays were not getting on the job a minute too soon.



At the Debt Theatre, Four Days, Starting Tonight.

Grading in Storage Gars.
Johnson W. L. ... in his interesting book 'Storage Gars' ...

Darken Gray Hair, Look Young, Pretty.
Sage Tea and Sulphur ...

Tragedy in Silence.
The tragedy in silence ...

Blackmail Theory Being Considered In Taylor Murder

By A. Chester Kent
(Continued from page 1)
LOU ANGELO ...

Another important matter which strengthens the blackmail theory was the discovery by the public ...

That is the question the district ...

Triad Woman.
The identity of the triad woman ...

Other witnesses who testified to night were Captain W. A. Robertson ...

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Hotel Fort Shelby Detroit. Lafayette Blvd. at First Street. Three Blocks from Detroit Busier Corner. Earning for Detroit fame for hospitality.

The Colonial. Lemens. Michigan. The Gateway to Health. THE benefits of the baths and treatments, the charm of pleasant surroundings and the delights of varied recreations are yours to enjoy at the Colonial Hotel.

What Do You Think About It?

Should the city of Escanaba purchase the water front purchased by the Chamber of Commerce from the S. Stephenson Company...

In these columns will be given from day to day the opinions of representative citizens as to the advisability of the purchase...

Escanaba, Mich., Feb. 12, 1922. Mr. C. H. Johnson, Mayor, Escanaba, Mich.

It is my pleasure to reply to the question of the day, and to give you my opinion on the purchase of the water front...

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MONDAY, Feb. 13, 1922. "WAY DOWN EAST" If your Phone Number is 506-W This is Good for Two Tickets Tonight Only.

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NOT EASY TO CRIPPLE CRAB

Nature Has Provided That Lost Leg or Claw May Be Replaced in a Short Time.

"For you yourself, sir, should be as old as I am, if like a crab you could go backward." True, Handler, true, but a crab can also walk forward and sideways...

One of the most remarkable things about the crab is his ability to throw off or drop his legs and claws and grow them again...

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SOO COURT MILL GRINDING SLOWLY

Three Plead Guilty and Pay \$500 Fines; One Is Jailed.

The first session of the Municipal Court in the Soo, Mich., was held in the city of Sault Ste. Marie...

The first case was that of the Harbinger brothers, John and William, who were charged with selling whisky in a restaurant...

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Queer Names Coming Out of World War

By Associated Press. "AMERICAN" was the name of a young man who was killed in the war...

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 fail and your back feels sore, don't get scared...

Governor Orders Prison Finances To Be Untangled

(By Associated Press) LANSING, Mich., Feb. 12. (AP)—The prison finances which were found to be tangled up months ago appeared to have been untangled...

OBITUARY

BETTY SJAQUIST

Betty, the two-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ebbel Sjaquist, passed away Thursday at the home of the parents in Ningsopolis, according to information received here Friday.

THE WEATHER

For Escanaba and Vicinity: Group any our tonight and Tuesday, with what today, tonight, moderate snow and northwest winds.

Lincoln's Birthday Is Observed Here As Legal Holiday

Today was observed as a legal holiday in city and county offices, both the city hall and county offices being closed for the day.

ATTENTION, K. OF C.

All members are requested to bring to the club house together for the purpose of the annual meeting for the year 1921-22.

Caracul Fur Adds Charm to the Wearer on All Occasions



Of course, everyone is not fortunate in the matter of possessing abundant means to keep up with the ever changing fashion in fur, but a charming makeshift of angora, for sport wear at least, may be found favorable.

YELLOW FEVER IS BEING DRIVEN OUT OF SOUTH AMERICA

Fish Being Propagated to Do Away With the Mosquito Which Carries Germs of Disease

RECOMMENDATION has been made by the health authorities of South America to drive yellow fever out of the continent.

GIRLS MEN MARRY

Many young girls are getting married in the city, and the number of marriages is increasing.

LOCAL SCHOOLS TO OBSERVE NATIONAL 'WEEK OF SONG'

Supt. Olds Asks for Co-operation of All Local Organizations in Carrying Out Project

Addressed to All People, the following is the subject of the National Week of Song.



Lincoln Had a Bank Account and during his whole life he talked, argued and practiced thrift. He believed that the future of the country was closely related to the THRIFT of the people.

This Simple Mixture Helps Weak Eyes. Escanaba people are astonished at the quick results produced by simple, common, natural, medicinal.

SWEDISH SOCIETY MEETINGS. The North and Evening Star societies will hold a meeting at the North Star hall on Friday night, Feb. 17th.

VALENTINE BIRTHDAY. The home of Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Curney, 410 South Fourteenth street, was the scene of a pleasant party of Valentine's birthday.

BIRTHDAY PARTY. Little Miss Lucille Stecker, on Saturday a company of friends at her home on South Fifteenth street.

WANTED: Trained nurse. Inquire in person, ask Mrs. H. J. Cannon, Taylor Hospital.

WANTED: To rent from owner, long term or unimproved land for sale. John J. Black, Chicago Falls, Wisconsin.

FOR RENT: Three furnished rooms for light housekeeping, inquire of 210 N. 11th street.

FOR SALE: Fine Singer sewing machine, in first class condition. Sold cheap if taken at once.

FOR SALE: Lot of corner of 15th St. and 3rd Ave. For further information call 334 W.

Mrs. Alfred Vermeil of Wash. is a fine resident in Michigan for a week.

Advertisement for The Fair Savings Bank, offering guaranteed savings plans with interest rates of 33c, 95c, and 37c.

Advertisement for PLANKINGTON GLOBE Butterine, featuring a demonstration and introductory sale.

Advertisement for TRY SULPHUR ON AN ECZEMA SKIN, highlighting its effectiveness in treating skin conditions.

Advertisement for Michigan Sixth In Use of Electricity, discussing the benefits of electric power.

Advertisement for ANN ARBOR, Michigan, Feb. 12, mentioning local events and news.

Advertisement for WANTED: Young man, woman, over 17, desiring government positions, with contact information.

Advertisement for GIRLS MEN MARRY, discussing marriage trends.

Advertisement for LOCAL SCHOOLS TO OBSERVE NATIONAL 'WEEK OF SONG', detailing the project's goals.

Advertisement for SWEDISH SOCIETY MEETINGS, listing upcoming social events.

Advertisement for VALENTINE BIRTHDAY, celebrating a child's birthday.

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Large advertisement for GAY AND GLUM, featuring cartoon illustrations and a contest to win prizes by submitting ideas for the magazine.