

DEVELOPMENT OF CHARACTER MUST COME GRADUALLY

ROTARY GOVERNOR DELIVERS SPLENDID ADDRESS IN GLADSTONE

MAKES OFFICIAL VISIT HERE

W. E. Wagner of Sturgeon Bay Governor of the 19th District of Rotary International...

"The weakness of any Rotary," declared Gov. Wagner, "is the one weakness that is found in any organization which deals with the spiritual things, and not the material."

PREPARE FOR TOMORROW

"What a lesson in life these four lines hold, being, not seeming, and doing, not dreaming..."

ESCANABA HOLDS AMATEUR TOURNAMENT

DELTA ATHLETIC CLUB STAGES UPPER PENINSULA EVENT MARCH 14-16

The following letter tells of an amateur basketball tournament at Escanaba, Michigan, March 14 to 16:

Feb. 24th, 1928 Delta Reporter.

Dear Sir: On March 14, 15 and 16th the Delta Athletic Club is holding the Upper Peninsula Basketball Tournament here at Escanaba.

This is a strictly an amateur tournament. Semi or Professional players are not eligible.

Each team will consist of eight men and the average weight shall be 140 lbs. with no player weighing over 175 lbs.

At the end of each game the weight of each player and dividing by eight.

3rd Team will weigh in at least one half hour before playing their first game.

High school or college players are not eligible.

3th. Players who have competed in a class A tournament are not eligible.

The awards are as follows: One silver life size basketball to the winning team of the tournament.

One sportsman cup to the team conducting themselves in the most sportsmanlike manner on and off the floor during the tournament.

Individual awards consisting of miniature basketballs in gold and silver to the teams placing first and second.

The team placing third will receive the tournament ball.

A silver statuette showing a player in the act of throwing a basketball will be given to the player who is considered the most valuable man on his team during the entire tournament.

The objects of this tournament are to provide experience for reserve teams who have not had the opportunity to compete in tournaments.

To promote the organization of light amateur teams, and to better basketball conditions generally in this section of Michigan.

Any further information regarding the interpretation, rules, etc., can be secured by writing Chas. W. Byrns Box 198 Escanaba, Mich. I will appreciate it very much if you see that this information is given space in your paper, and that a copy of the paper that it is in, is mailed me. Thanking you, I remain,

Yours sincerely, CHAS. W. BYRNS

GLADSTONE BOWLERS AT HERMANSVILLE THURSDAY

Sixteen Gladstone bowlers went to Hermansville yesterday (Thursday) to meet the team in that city, made up of men from the Wisconsin Land & Lumber company.

This is a return match, the Hermansville bowlers having come to Gladstone several weeks ago, at which time a most enjoyable match was staged.

Learned Shoe-Making in Sweden

for the shoe makers when they were having repairs work sewed up...

That little shoe-shop in Soderhamn conducted by Carl Granberg was only about forty feet square...

Coming to Gladstone in July 1910, he took a position with the Soderhamn Dispatch office...

He did not find the change in customs in America hard to adapt himself to but the English language was his chosen field.

"I worked day and night with the dictionary," he stated.

Returning here in 1914, he bought out the hardware and building of Magnus Borg at 17 Central avenue and again followed the work of the shoe maker.

The fatal war days came in the spring of 1917 and he left on April 23 for the Camp Custer. In July he sailed for Sweden to visit his father, Carl Granberg, who came to this country in 1919, found quite a contrast in his shop with the one he had in Sweden.

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"TAPS" SOUNDED FOR PETRIEFIED TEAM

George Cameron is usually awake to his opportunities, and he never was any more so than last Friday night...

George is a junior and a member of the local high school band.

PEETERS AND MURPHY TO RUN

MUST ELECT TWO COMMISSIONERS APRIL 2, AND TWO PRESIDENTIAL CHOICE

Gladstone voters will be called upon to elect two commissioners at the election to be held Monday, April 2.

The terms of City Commissioners Peter Peterson and James H. Murphy expire this year, and both are expected to file nomination petitions as candidates to succeed themselves.

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MANISTIQUE AND NORWAY TO OPEN BASKET TOURNAY

GLADSTONE'S FIRST GAME IS WITH ST. JOE'S ON SATURDAY 2 P. M.

CHAMPIONS DECIDED SAT.

The Class C basketball tournament for this district will open in Gladstone Friday night at 8:15 with a game played between Manistique and Norway.

This is expected to be a well matched game, with each fighting hard to eliminate its rival.

Exciting Game Gladstone's team will get into action at 2 o'clock Saturday afternoon with St. Joe of Escanaba as their opponents.

The Escanaba school always plays hard against the locals, and this too is expected to be an interesting contest.

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This car should be instantly recognized by every resident of Gladstone.

Yet, strangely as it may seem, it is the first time that it has appeared in the columns of the home newspaper.

The picture last week is reprinted elsewhere in this issue.

THERESA BARROW HAS DISAPPEARED

FORMER LOCAL GIRL REPORTED ABDUCTED FROM HOME, IN FLINT

Miss Theresa Barrow, who left Gladstone about seven years ago with her parents to live in Flint, disappeared from the home there last week and a nation wide search has failed to develop any information.

It is said that a large reward has been posted for information extending her disappearance.

The girl and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Barrow, are remembered by many Gladstone and Kingsford residents.

Her mother was Mrs. Gladys Griffith of Kingsford before her marriage.

The Detroit Times, under date of Feb. 25, carried the following account of the missing girl:

Her grief-stricken parents are awaiting Theresa Barrow, 17, 234 Damon street, who left her home to attend a movie and did not return. Police are searching for a man who is believed to have abducted her girl last Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Barrow, father and mother of the missing girl, say Theresa had seen this man only once before her disappearance.

A telephone call from Detroit was received by the Barrows on Monday night and a man's voice told them their daughter had been married.

Detroit police are checking this call. Detective Young of the Flint Police department is investigating the case.

The girl is 5 feet 3 inches tall, had light brown hair and brown eyes. She was wearing a grey dress, tan hat and coat and gloves when she vanished.

WISCONSIN AVENUE PAVING PLANNED FOR THE YEAR

Preliminary details looking to the paving of Wisconsin street, from Central avenue west, were discussed Monday night by Commissioners Hawkins, Goodman, Peterson and Murray with City Manager E. R. Baehner at the regular meeting of the Commission held Monday night.

Property owners on all but two blocks from 10th to 13th streets have signed a petition asking for such pavement, and this was submitted last summer, but held over for action this season.

From 13th street to Railway avenue, Gladstone is composed of the project is less likely than the other street, although the city sees the advantage of a through street to the Soo Line station. Further action will be taken later.

G. E. BISHOP PRESIDENT CONSERVATION COUNCIL

At the February annual meeting of the Michigan conservation council in Lansing, George E. Bishop, Marquette, was elected president.

Other officers were: Oscar L. Lansing, Mrs. Edith C. Munger, Hart, was elected secretary. The 1928 officers were: Oscar L. Lansing, H. A. Swag, Saginaw; John M. Bush, Nequame; T. L. Hankinson, Ypsilanti; Albert Stoll, Detroit; Carl Saunders, Grand Rapids.

BUSH ELECTED PRESIDENT HARDWOOD ASSOCIATION

John M. Bush, Nequame, was elected president of the Northern Michigan Hardwood Association at the annual meeting in Milwaukee February 27.

Other principals directors of the organization elected were George E. Harder, Wells; C. Harold Earle, Hermansville; and J. S. Veirdin, Jr. Trout Creek.

IRONWOOD'S WINTER CARNIVAL SUCCESS

Ironwood's recent three-day winter carnival was a most successful sports program in this territory.

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OLD FAVORITES LIGHT OPERA REVUE

Selections from the most recent light operas together with excerpts from the older never-to-be-forgotten favorites will be presented at the last number of the local Lyceum course at the Junior High School Auditorium on Thursday night.

Since the days when Gilbert and Sullivan did so much to popularize light opera, no other form of musical entertainment has had such universal and ever-recurring appeal.

On the light opera stage, romance, comedy, melodrama, and farce and spirited action come into their own. Here hero and heroine, racial and racial, tread their gay, care-free measures and gliding the eye, transcend the pulse audience the world over.

This is the last number of the five number course presented this year.

ATTEND FUNERAL OF RELATIVES AT BARK RIVER

Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Lindblad, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Swanson, and Mrs. Robert Sjogquist drove to Bark River on Wednesday to attend the funeral of Mrs. Lindblad, a cousin of Mrs. Lindblad.

Mrs. Sundquist was 51 years of age and his death came at St. Francis hospital at Escanaba. He was one of the progressive farmers in the Bark River section.

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Chats with The Editor

DO schools go in for activities in order to win ground? Or do they aim to develop students physically, at the same time trying to inculcate a spirit of fairness and sportsmanship?

If the alternative answer is proper to the first question, then the Escanaba school, or wherever else at the school was responsible for the showing of their mascot ball team, justified in the development of their spirit which had been just Friday night. On the other hand, if the other alternative is the proper one, then the school and the students have been doing wrong, which, we mean as a hint against the active program. We never a responsible should be made to accept the responsibility in order to clear the school. Now, we would think it best to make the student understand the mistake, that the game is played for the school's sake, to be played fairly and not rather than seek an unfair advantage.

Otherwise the students may be led to believe that winning is more important than sportsmanship. A mighty bad precedent to set whether in sport or in the game of life.

Personal evidence has come to this writer's attention suggesting that too much stress was being laid on winning at Escanaba. The spirit is cultivated to a point of overbearing. Last fall after the music contest at the Soo, a student at Escanaba, asked how their band made out, replied, "we were beaten for their first place, but the judges were unfair." That is a dangerous attitude to start out in life, to assume that all of superiority that comes to you is yours.

The spirit needs to be wiped out, for the good of Escanaba students and the forbearance of its neighbors.

BACK in the days of the Romans, the Knights of England and at various times in our older history, fighting was regarded as a gentleman's job. Any other task other than combat was regarded as a menial one, good only for the old men and women. The cruples and the others not good enough to fight, our army and navy men of today are not necessarily listed among the "aristocrats" but they have been pampered by being held jobless except for drilling and other work directly concerned with their preparation for battle.

With nothing to do to occupy their time, the professional fighter became a shiftless being, whose work is greatly discounted and who is even called upon to show the staff he is made of.

Just last week there was snatched among the officers and men of the Army at Detroit whereby these men were padding pay rolls, and forging checks, stealing money from the privates, and intimidating those who complained with threats of court martial. Needless to say that investigations have disclosed that the money was being used for drinking and gambling.

A dirty mess to savor contemplate. And yet who is to blame? These men are kept in uniform food and clothing, with nothing to do except to seek mischief. There are so few worth while in peace time service that a naturally well bred soldier would be in the country, the kind that is often to be found for a living. Provision should be made to make the soldiers work, whether it is reclaiming land, building roads or something else matters little, just so long as they are not allowed to rot away, mentally. For, be it remembered, nature has provided that every living thing must fight for its existence, must have some element to combat in order to develop to its greatest possibilities. We are no longer living the days of the Roman conquerors, and we have failed to change the conditions of our service men in keeping with our present day methods.

THE problems of the editor are many, and pretty much alike in one community or in another. Over in Gaylord, in lower Michigan, Editor Paul McDonald writes that he was visited by a delegation complaining that because the paper had given to another group more publicity than had been given to their organization, they had decided to oppose the paper, knocking it at every opportunity. After reviewing the circumstances which seem to point to the worse offices as having placed within the inside pages publicity for the competing group, what another organization has been given from page space, Editor McDonald ends up with the question: "What Mr. Public, would you in a war like that?"

Well, first of all the writer would reason with such complaints, and falling in efforts to convince him of the equity of our position, would send them on their way to do their "duty." And instead of protesting their names, as Editor McDonald seems to have, we would tell the rest of the community the exact truth in the matter, raising to the farthest reaches of the public at large to see our position in the proper light. Under the circumstances, the narrow minded tactics of the boycotters would not get very far.

It is not possible for a newspaper to please everybody always. The newspaper is the product of human effort, and so long as it is "ere human" there will be mistakes made by newspapers. Sometimes even the newspaper may have been unfair. But so long as its intentions are for the best, the public must be tolerant, just as the editor must be tolerant with the persons and conditions not in accord with his own ideas. If they are public matters that seem wrong, the editor's responsibility requires that he direct attention to them, as a means of correcting whatever wrong there may be.

Every editor is familiar with the irate subscriber

who comes in to "clean up on the editor." Usually the threats are violent, indicating the temper and impetuosity of the accused. The writer has often been faced with some of that kind, and has yet to find one with the courage of his convictions.

And so we say to our editor friend in Gaylord, bring the complaint out into the open. Make the complainants do the same. The chances are their changes will not bear the daylight.

WE doubt if any previous election has been as little talked about as the one to take place on Monday, April 1. Some might intimate that this is a bad sign, that the citizens are not interested in the public affairs, but we contend that such is far from the case. The city's business has been conducted along so satisfactory a basis that there is general approval of what is being done, and consequently the thought is given to the names suggested for the city commission.

Two members, James H. Murphy and Peter Fenn, are completing their three-year terms and have been expected to be candidates in national Democratic. When questioned in the matter, both declared that they had given the matter little thought but they were willing to name their names should their names be put forward for the former office men, because they are not so much interested in the office as they are in the public affairs of the city. The Citizens Commission, which is in process of being organized, has already named James H. Murphy and Peter Fenn as its members. They have discharged their duties faithfully and merit the favorable consideration of the voters. This is not said at this time in an effort to discourage opposition, for this writer does not believe that the competition in elections, as in everything else, is good for the participants. But whatever names are brought up should be along constructive lines, to build up and not tear down whatever progress has been made. And the citizens will feel satisfied with the manner in which their public affairs have been handled.

WHENEVER some group desires to put over something "big" it seeks endorsement from other groups as a means of using pressure on the "powers that be." Take the big naval program. We note that the House of Representatives has passed the \$750,000,000 request to about one-third, but many officers of various organizations were induced to endorse the larger appropriation. Among these was the American Legion. There were many others, but we can't speak for the former service men, because we don't understand them better than, say, the Daughters of the American Revolution.

The Legion officers represented to Congress that Legions favored a bigger Navy. By whose authority? None whatever, and so far as we know the question was never brought up for a discussion, let alone a decision. Furthermore, we don't believe that men who were sent to sea to really in any way encourage preparations beyond a point saving national safety. Certainly the majority do not favor intervention in foreign countries in an effort to settle internal affairs, that the investments of private individuals may be safeguarded.

It is the old story of the leaders attempting, with the masses, to get the credit for their proposal. We would be willing to wager out month-end uniform that former service men would not, even given a vote, endorse the bigger navy program as presented to Congress.

AMONG the ballots that will be voted upon in the next November election will be one asking for a constitutional amendment for the prohibition of manufacture, distribution and sale of alcoholic beverages for home consumption. Rep. Robert D. Wardell, director of the National Association against the Prohibition Amendment has already filed with the state a petition asking for a referendum on the question.

We have a vote in Michigan, believing the state would vote "yes," such an expression would influence Congress to modify the federal law.

Perhaps Rep. Wardell is basing his estimate on the percentage of people who indulge. He should have learned that on such a question people do not always vote as they act. In this case, they might vote "yes" and abstain from drinking, for instance, or they might abstain from drinking and vote "yes" for the law. And there is the bootlegging element to contend with. Would that group want to be put out of business?

It has always been a muddled question, and will perhaps continue to be, vote or no vote. That is what comes of trying to regulate personal habits by legislation. Instead of PROVING the benefits of temperance, its advocates have tried to FORCE its advantages upon an unwilling people, guaranteed life, liberty and happiness, according to the dictates of their own consciences, so long as they did not interfere with the same privileges for their fellow citizens.

AMONG our many exchanges, none are more well known than the Cleveland Observer, and to Editor Al Weber we are pleased to extend our good wishes upon the occasion of his excellent newspaper's 49th birthday. His "Observations" have punch and merit and the reading of which must indeed be a pleasure for the family of readers which the paper boasts. Editor Weber is known for his discussions, and in the capable manner in which he writes on matters of public import serves as an inspiration to those editors of community newspapers interested in bringing light to be the kind of newspapers that mean something in the communities in which they circulate. May the Observer pass many more milestones under Editor Weber's guiding hand.

THE University of Wisconsin has attracted much attention because it has excluded some 1700 freshmen whose examination marks indicated their unfitness to benefit by education at the public's expense. The consensus seems to be that the time has now come when students must be rated according to their ability and willingness to learn, and not according to their parents' ability to see them through college. Too much attention has been directed toward the quantity rather than the quality of the output.

BEHIND THE TIMES



In this great age of progress everything that does not move along with the trend of the times is lost, including towns. Business firms that do not utilize modern time-saving devices and speed up production go down to oblivion in the great crash of today's competition. How, then, can anyone afford to dwell in the past? Yet some communities do, unconsciously perhaps. They let things slide in a haphazard fashion. They have gradually taken on all the modern public conveniences such as electricity, good roads and sewerage disposal systems, but they have ignored that very essential thing that any town must have in these times if it wishes to get anywhere, namely a spirit of progressiveness.

The city that lacks this spirit is living in the past and it cannot expect much in the future. It is traveling by stage coach, while its competitor is in the airplane class. It is out of the race completely. Gladstone is not in the stage coach class, but we want to make sure it keeps ahead of the times and that the spirit of progressiveness never lags here.

MEMORIES

Items of interest of Gladstone and its citizens of years gone by.

TWENTY YEARS AGO
Gladstone Delta, February 27, 1908
The Ladies Musical Club gives a public entertainment next Tuesday in the Gladstone Theater. Old favorite songs and airs will be rendered by a large company in Colonial costume.

An alarm of fire was sent in Tuesday from J. Podesta's when a water pipe was being thawed out. The slight blaze caused however was extinguished before the arrival of the department.

Work is rapidly progressing upon the remodeling of the Hale block into quarters for the Gladstone Athletic Association. A complete gymnasium outfit has been ordered, and it is expected to have the building ready for the game when they arrive. The date of the opening will be announced later.

John Martin, a woodman, committed suicide last Friday near the camp of E. D. Bridges at Maple Ridge.

The Young People of the Mission Church held their third annual fest Thursday evening at the church. A musical program in English and Swedish was rendered, and address given by Pres. Nyberg, and Rev. Standan.

Charles Wild returned Saturday from Chicago after finishing a thorough course of several weeks in practical embalming.

Hugo Ryden and Miss Lina Lindahl were married Tuesday by Rev. O. B. Strandin, and will spend the rest of the winter in Sweden.

Fred Anderson and John Halvorsen arrived home Monday from the Hot Springs after a splendid vacation.



THE REPUBLICAN PRESIDENTIAL CANDIDATE FOR 1928 HERBERT HOOVER

Town Talk

Published by Cloverland M. & S. Co.

Two cars original peachantone coal car blue Star and one one car Youngblood coal will be among the arrivals at the Cloverland yard this week.

Rubbering
Sam: Judge, I was just looking at this lady when she asked me on the peninsula.
Judge: What on you mean peninsula.
Sam: Well, Judge, a long narrow neck stretched out to sea.

Nothing can take the place of original third year politicians in the unchangeable opinion of our customers.

Chase: Do my daily doses every day.
Albright: Well, I don't care so long as I am out of the window.

Where there's smoke there is sure to be some fire. Original politicians give plenty of fire, but very little smoke.

Teachers: Johnny, if your father earned forty dollars and gave your mother half, what would the have?
Johnny: Heart failure.

Poor Richard says—
A great penny-worth, pause awhile.
He means that perhaps cheapness is apparent only, and not real.

Just Received
A complete and improved edition of Quaker Oats Fall-O-Pop poultry.

try books. One is yours for the asking.

Not That Kind
She: Let me take five dollars will you?
"Base See here, young lady, I'll have you strictly to understand that I make no advances to my stenographers."

Turn About
Mr. So Smith finally married his stenographer?

She: Yes, she fell that he had decided to last long enough.

Our stock of check books for young folks is now complete and at 15¢ of Fall-O-Pop type. Get the best, then watch us grow.

Head
Employee: Yes, I advertised for a good strong boy. Think you can fill the bill?

Boy: Well, I just finished looking the other applicants outside the door.

Don't forget our special mill door delivery, price on funds of all kinds and flour. You can save money by dealing with us.

CLOVERLAND MILLING
I SUPPLY CO.

CURRENT COMMENT

DON'T TELL US OUR NORTH ISN'T FINE (Detroit News)

Ten years ago, according to Dr. C. T. Ferris of Houghton, 98 automobiles carrying tourists crossed the Straits of Mackinac into the Upper Peninsula. Last year the number exceeded 93,000.

held tonight. It will take effect at once. It is not known who Mayor Jones will appoint to fill the vacancy Mr. Danielson will accept a good position with the Cleveland Cliff Hotel, managed by Kipling. He has served as chief of police for five years and has been a capable officer.

The dwelling on Cheever Buckbee's farm at Brampton burned to the ground on Wednesday night.

Neil Brown leaves tomorrow for Spanish Mills, Ont. to resume his seasons work as fisher at the mill there. His son, Marshall Brown, will leave at a later date to assist him.

Miss Naomi Forbes has accepted a position as waitress at the Dalmenico, which position she held previously to going to Cheboygan.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Fairbanks, for the past year residents of Gladstone, have tomorrow for their former home in Holland, Mich. Harvey Fairbanks will remain here for the present.

Mrs. William Madden assisted by Mesdames Brown and Cowell entertained several members of the Women's Benefit Association of Mackinac at her home on Michigan avenue Tuesday night.

Miss Effie Fitzpatrick entertained a few friends at her home on Wednesday night.

Born Wednesday, Feb. 28, to Mr. and Mrs. William Masterson, a daughter.

Employees of the Soo Line report that business is brisk and that several trains are being run east and west of this division each day.

Contractor German is making changes in the exterior of the Hilo Clothing Store. Clothing cabinets will replace the racks.

Al Peterson has resigned his position with the Gladstone Automobile Co. and taken a position as driver of the Swedish Lumbering and Electric Co.

Charles Hines today received a telegram announcing the death of his mother, Mrs. A. E. Hines, at Austin, Texas. He died yesterday. Rev. Elman was pastor of the Swedish Lutheran Church here seven years ago.

George Perry has accepted a position with the A. Larson at the Cleveland Garage.

The Paramount Play Writers Club was organized Friday evening at a meeting held at the home of D. McClellan at the Extract Plant.

Achie McClellan is president, D. McClellan vice, and Ralph Daune, secretary and treasurer. New members will be added. The club plans to place Cleveland on the map in the motion picture world. Already its present members have written several credible picture play plots which have been submitted to producing companies.

There is your answer as to the interest shown by our northern citizens in campaigns designed to build and increase the tourist traffic. During the tourist season the entire Upper Peninsula is one vast park and playground. It possesses physical and natural advantages in abundance. It is endowed with numerous lakes and water courses. It rests in the lap of the Great Lakes basin with its fascinating precipices and uncounted miles of sand and gravel beaches. In its midst is set down the finest hardwood forest found anywhere in the American continent. Its wild life runs the entire scale of the fauna known to our northern States. It is a natural recreation area, just starting to come into its own and to be appreciated by those from other States seeking new sight, recreation and pleasure, and health.

The advent of this new industry can be laid principally to the automobile and good roads. The word isolation is no longer recognized in this upper country. The woods, the waters, wherever they may be, have become so accessible, and once the stranger tastes of this treat he is bound to return and with him will come his friends.

NEW 'PHONE INSTRUMENT INSTALLED THIS WEEK (St. Ignace Republican News)

The Michigan Bell Telephone Co. is installing in the St. Ignace exchange an instrument for long distance that enables the use of one wire for two conversations carried on at the same time. It is a large and costly piece of apparatus, its cost being between \$3,000 and \$5,000, and it will be the first of its kind in Michigan, though, of course, others will quickly follow.

Messrs. W. H. Wall and R. O. Coger of Chicago are experts about the work of installing. Its wiring and connection is intricate and complicated, but they expect to complete it by March 3 and it will be placed in service as soon thereafter as possible.

The device will add materially to the promptitude and efficiency of the long distance service.

DON'T ADMIT PEDDLERS (Ionia County News)

The woman who admits a peddler into her home is taking a big chance, according to police authorities of many cities. Scarcely a day passes that the press of the city does not report some attack being made by a peddler on the life of a citizen, after having gained admission upon the pretext of selling some kind of nonchance.

At Monroe, a few days ago a young man, said to be a student at the University of Michigan, was arrested on a charge of assault committed by a woman resident in that city.

The fellow claimed to be selling magazines and in this was joined by a woman who had been introduced into a number of homes. Police are investigating his possible connection with attacks recently reported by these other women.

In these attacks become so stranger is allowed entrance to a home under any circumstances. That is a good practice to follow, especially when such a large number of peddlers are roaming the county peddling upon deluded females.

SURE WOULD GO TO—
"Dear Sir: I got your note what I owe you. Now be patient. I can't forget you, please wait. When some other fellow pay me I pay you. If this was today, I don't know you, no more prepared to meet your Maker as I am this account, you sure would go to hell. Hoping you will do this, I remain yours truly." (Rapid Ripper)



A Weekly Panorama or Events in the National Capital by Peter Keegan, Special Correspondent for Delta Reporter

PRESIDENT COOLIDGE is a strict neutral in the presidential race. He has no thought of selecting his successor, it is stated on his behalf. He will leave it to the party representatives, in convention assembled, to nominate the Republican standard bearer. Mr. Coolidge does not want to be responsible for the acts of his successor, therefore he leaves it to the party to decide. President Roosevelt dictated the nomination of William Howard Taft. Taft was a personal rather than a party selection. Four years later Roosevelt's turn came against his selection. Taft was renominated, but failed of election.

WILLIAM HOWARD Taft lost popularity as President, but he has long since regained it. Chief Justice of the U. S. Supreme Court. He is an able jurist; he was not a successful executive. Justice Taft has had more admirers than Taft. He has a friend making laugh.

SENATOR JIM REED has gone barnstorming for delegates. His speech-making trip takes him to Texas, Oklahoma, California, New Mexico, Utah, Colorado and one or two other states. Later he is to go to North Carolina and other southern states. Labeled as wet.

March 2, 1928 - March 16, 1928

STATE OF MICHIGAN. The Probate Court for the County of DELTA in the matter of the Estate of Paul B. Hammond, deceased. Notice is hereby given that after months from the twenty-seventh day of February A. D. 1928, have been allowed for creditors to present their claims against said deceased to said court for examination and adjustment, and that all creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said court at the probate office, in the City of Escanaba, in said county, on or before the sixth day of July A. D. 1928, and that said claims will be heard by said court on Monday the ninth day of July A. D. 1928, at ten o'clock in the forenoon. Dated February 27, A. D. 1928. JUDG YELLAND, Judge of Probate.

(Feb. 17, 1928—Mar. 23, 1928) STATE OF MICHIGAN, In the Circuit Court for the County of Delta in Chancery.

JOHN SCHMIT vs. CATHERINE SCHMIT. Suit pending in the Circuit Court for the County of Delta in chancery at Escanaba on the 11th day of February A. D. 1928.

In this case it appearing from affidavits on file, that said defendant Catherine Schmit is not a resident of this state, and it cannot be ascertained in what State or County defendant resides, on motion of Thomas J. Riley, attorney for plaintiff, it is ordered that the said defendant Catherine Schmit, in appearance to be entered herein, within 3 months from the date of this order, and in case of her appearance that she cause her answer to the plaintiff's bill of complaint to be filed, and a copy thereof to be served on said plaintiff's solicitor within fifteen days after service on her of a copy of said bill, and no default thereon, said bill to be taken as confessed by the said non-resident defendant.

And it is further ordered, that within twenty days the said plaintiff cause a notice of this order to be published in the Delta Reporter of Gladstone, Michigan, a newspaper printed, published and circulating in said county, and that such publication be continued therein at least once in each week, for six weeks in succession, or that he cause a copy of this order to be personally served on said non-resident defendant at least twenty days before the time above prescribed for her appearance.

JAMES FROST, Circuit Court Commissioner, Delta County Michigan, Atty. for Plaintiff, Business Address: Escanaba, Mich.

Feb. 24, 1928, Mar. 9, 1928 STATE OF MICHIGAN. The Probate Court for the County of DELTA in the matter of the Estate of Nell J. Gunn, deceased. Notice is hereby given that four months from the twentieth day of February A. D. 1928, have been allowed for creditors to present their claims against said deceased to said court for examination and adjustment, and that all creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said court, at the probate office, in the City of Escanaba, in said county, on or before the twenty-ninth day of June A. D. 1928 and that said claims will be heard by said court on Monday the second day of July A. D. 1928, at ten o'clock in the forenoon. Dated February 29, A. D. 1928. JUDG YELLAND, Judge of Probate.

consider that prohibition is not a current political issue. Democrats who may have disliked him because he trampled on President Wilson's slogan of "Nation are expected to forgive him because he was delivering hot and heavy invectives at the ancient enemy, the Republican party. Reed has a biting tongue. He is a past master at oratory. No Democrat is more capable of putting the Republicans on the griddle than the aggressive Reed. He may or may not become the Democratic standard bearer, but my word a colorful candidate he would make!

THOMAS A. EDISON'S picture flicker across the screen at local movie houses this week. The audience breaks into applause. There is no American more entitled to be applauded than Edison. The world owes much to Edison for comfort and the enjoyment of life. He is the world's "marvel man."

CALVIN COOLIDGE is old-fashioned enough to call the evening meal "supper." Others may speak of the third meal of the day as "dinner," but President Coolidge is not among em.

VICE PRESIDENT Dawes is going about his daily job of presiding over the Senate without a worry about the presidency. He has no field agents at work. He has no spies in the primaries. He will do nothing to seek nomination. And yet Gen Dawes name figures in every barber's discussion of presidential possibilities. Should he turn up as the nominee, he would be a winner without one cent of campaign expenses.

HERBERT HOOVER represents a newspaper name to most of the country's millions. Comparatively few people who make up the great population represented by this country have seen Hoover. One reason for this is that he has addressed no large audiences. He is a poor speaker. Despite his bulky figure, he has a low speaking voice. He does not like to address a crowd of more than 100 persons. Should he become the party nominee he would have to depend on others to supply the oratory. He would be no aggressive campaigner. He would make a poor impression before a large audience or from the rear platform of a train. He would likely depend on the radio which would amplify his voice. He would address unseen audiences. The radio is a boon to those who are not gifted with the art of oratory.

March 2, 1928 - March 16, 1928

STATE OF MICHIGAN. The Probate Court for the County of DELTA. At a session of said court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Escanaba, in said County, on the seventeenth day of February A. D. 1928. Present: Hon. Judd Yelland, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the Estate of Frank H. VanCleave, deceased. Walter L. Marble and Floyd W. Marble, Trustees, having filed in said court their final trusteeship account, and their petition praying for the allowance thereof and for the assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate.

It is Ordered, that the twenty-sixth day of March A. D. 1928, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for examining and allowing said account and hearing said petition.

It is Further Ordered, that public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Delta Reporter, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county. JUDG YELLAND, Judge of Probate. A true copy. May D. Peters, Register of Probate.

OUR LONG LIST of satisfied customers in every state in the union is our best advertisement. STRAUS BROS. CO. bonds have been safe for over sixty eight years. Six per cent interest. Sign coupon for full information. CHARLES E. DOLF, Agent STRAUS BROS. CO. Nester Block Marquette, Mich. Please send me more information about Straus Bros. Co. safe bonds. Signed _____ Address _____

"En Passant"

Observation and Comment by Alice Fox

SALESMEN, ESPECIALLY, IN traveling seem to strike up quick acquaintances among themselves. They know each other from a hole in the ground, but they'll start conversing as though they were meeting an old time friend and before they leave they actually feel sorry that they have to part and mean it, too.

Here's one instance where two salesmen met and didn't touch the usual degree of friendship, but rather pulled them up with the air of a man nursing an injury. Houses came into view, fence posts flashed by, and the conductor shrieked.

"See Line Depot," in the usual jocular manner, with only the "Depot" being discernible to those not familiar with the name. "Depot? Did he say See Line?" the stout hooded salesman queried as he gathered up his grips and with a side was glance at his silent friend hurried off with the same injured air. Here was one case he couldn't quite understand.

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ABOUT ONCE EACH WEEK a man rushes into our office and halts on the threshold as though the Depths of the Grand Canyon yawned before him. He'll look around inquisitively, with a questioning look in his eyes, gaze at printing press, desks and lamp.

"Isn't this the Ford Garage?" "Pines instead of cars—typewriters instead of monkey wrenches— but with nice flushed by usually in on his way next door by the time your explanation is out.

This happens on an average of once a week. Only is not the same man.

THERE WAS A GUY in one of our local groceries the other day to sell the manager a vacuum cleaner, which he especially recommended for the cleaning of record files. He insisted that some great man or other used it in his statistical department, but this groceryman couldn't find any dust on his account books, so he didn't buy.

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snow, in the sunlight. One of the little fellows was gaining an edge on the rest and claiming the "pot" in the center at regular intervals. Imaginative flight—in probably was proving the world championship. Green Bay? Ha? Bet you never been there."

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the earnest plea that it be passed in its entirety as was the criminal code last year. Howard B. Bloomer of Detroit, the chairman of the commission, suggested the codification and revision. The undertaking was approved after short discussion and George Hogarth, acting director of the department, was authorized to employ the necessary help immediately to start the work.

READ THE WANT ADS

Quality Coal Pocahontas Egg and Stove Sizes Crystal Egg Lump and Egg Sizes Litwar Egg Youghiogheny Lump Anthracite Nut and Stove Sizes Pocahontas Screenings C. W. Davis Phone 7—for prompt deliveries

Safety AT 1929 SESSION Although the sportsmen of the state are already dizzy from the multitude of fish and game laws passed by the legislature and enacted as will by the conservation commission, that commission has decided to tear down the whole structure and begin over. The decision was unanimous because of the many establishments resulting from years of legislation.

We Will Have For This Week End Fresh From The Chicago Market Liebig's Pasteurized Milk Milk, Give Your Family More of It-- Milk is an ideal food for all ages, not just pleasant drink or food merely for children. Lied's Pasteurized Milk is bottled under the highest standards of purity and cleanliness known to the dairy industry. That's one of the reasons why you should use this milk. Lied's Sanitary Milk Plant Faithful Service for 14 Years Milk—Butter—Cream Cottage Cheese—Buttermilk Gladstone Plant 2500 Escanaba Plant 438 F-1

The Judge: YOU ARE CHARGED WITH CHICKEN STEALING—DO YOU PLEAD NOT GUILTY? YAS SUH CASE DISMISSED OR LACK OF EVIDENCE DEN JUDGE, DOES DAT MEAN I CAN KEEP DE CHICKENS? SIX MONTHS—MAH GOODNESS by M.B.

Rapid River News

Miss Margaret Cavale, Editor

Pledged to Serve, not Exploit the Community

CAGE SQUAD AT VULCAN TOURNEY

COACH NELSON TAKES 9 PLAYERS TO CLASS

Coach H. E. Nelson and nine members of the high school basketball team left Thursday morning by motor for Vulcan where the team is entered in the Class D. indoor tournament. Capt. L. C. Wolfe accompanied the team as an assistant to Coach Nelson. He failed the position of coach of the high school basketball team for a number of years with credit, having secured one team in a season and several years ago which remained in the running throughout the tournament. The duties of a coach of his office in appreciation of the township schools demanded so much of his time that Mr. Nelson was engaged as Secretary and book. The season has been a successful one financially and also in the number of games won. The fans have thoroughly enjoyed the games and the approval of the school board's decision to continue the use of the gym during the winter has been shown by the large attendance at all of the school affairs.

MISS VIOLET BOUDAH WED TO ANN ARBOR MAN

In a letter to a friend here Mrs. Archie Boudah announced the marriage of her daughter Violet to an Ann Arbor man, the wedding taking place at Toluca, Ohio on a week-end, February 21. The party having returned there from Ann Arbor. The young couple left for Chicago on their wedding trip after which they returned to Ann Arbor to make their home. The bridegroom is in the employ of the city and the bride has been employed in office work for the past three years in the same city. Mrs. A. Boudah is a well-to-do woman and is well known in the community. She is spending the winter with friends and relatives in Ann Arbor and Detroit.

LOCAL POLITICAL SITUATION WARMS

TWO CANDIDATES TO CONTEST FOR CLERK PRESENT OFFICERS CANDIDATES

The political situation in the township is warming up now with the caucus only one week away. The caucus will be held next Saturday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock in the town hall. Supervisor W. J. Miller will again be a candidate for re-nomination. A. H. Wilford the present Clerk who is well known in the township is also a candidate for re-nomination. Louis Cassell was considered for the position of clerk for the township for the coming year. Making the clerkship the only office not yet considered. James McPherson completes the list of candidates with his announcement for re-nomination.

Township affairs have been in a very stable condition during the past year and with another year of successful administration it is believed that the old individuals will be waiting signed out. The High Way Department expects to be in the hands of the township.

ENTERTAINS ON BIRTHDAY IN NOVEL MANNER

Miss Jane Hamilton celebrated her birthday last Sunday in a novel and entertaining way with eighteen of her classmates of the Junior high school. "Def" kicked up the dancing team of drivers shortly after the noon hour and picked up the happy youngsters for a ride to Gladstone. The "def" was well filled with straw and a good supply of blankets assured warmth to the youngsters but the afternoon was ideal weather for the simple ride and the precautionary measures were little needed.

Returning from the ride to the home late in the afternoon games were played while a suspicious dinner was in preparation. Dinner was served at 5:30 after which two more hours of entertainment were enjoyed by the youngsters. Miss Jane was presented with a beautiful gift as a memento of the occasion.

Surprise Farewell Party

The Ladies Aid of the Congregational church were hostesses to a surprise farewell party at the home of Mrs. Clara Lefkowitz with Mrs. L. R. Messenger as the guest. Games were played and cards with prizes given. A delicious lunch was served. Mrs. Messenger is leaving for her home in Marquette where the family will make their future home. The boys, Jack, Howard and Louis will remain here for a while joining the family at Marquette later. Mr. Messenger has been employed as a guard at the branch prison at Marquette since last fall and Miss Olga is a student at the Teachers College there.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to take this means of thank you to the members of the Luther League of the Whitefish Lutheran church, those who took part in the program, those who donated to the purse, and all others who aided in the fine benefit given for our son and brother, who is confined to the hospital. Their thoughtfulness and kindness will also remain a happy memory to him and to us. Signed Mr. and Mrs. Gust Nelson and family. 653-148

FAIRNESS OF MIND

(Doc DeFay's Characteristic Republican) Governor Green's breadth of soul and fairness of mind is to be found in his two upper penitentiaries which treats to the supreme bench. The late Justice Flannagan was decorated with the Purple Heart for distinguished public service. Justice L. W. Fend of Newberry who follows Flannagan on this high court is a great grand master of Michigan Masons.

LEARNED SHOEMAKING TRADE IN SWEDEN

(Continued from Page One)

but here he found electric machinery, these sewing machines are in use in the Swedish shops. They are electric finishing machines which sew by step puts a finishing touch on every part of the shoe. Mr. Carl Granberg's shoe repairing experience had been vast and varied. He had conducted shops in London and Paris and his business in Sweden was considered one of the best of its kind but his hand method was to be compared with the speed and ease which the electric equipment turned out the work. Quality and service is the whole thing, Mr. Granberg said. Many went down on the quality in order to meet competition in price. The workmen but the grade of material and consequently lost out in the long run.

In a city of this size, he concluded you must cater to the trade as they come back. If you don't succeed in this you might just as well close up the shop. Mr. Granberg often burns the candle at both ends in order to come up to the standard of quality. He has no use for the cheap quality. A rush job on the whole is not the best work.

Foot troubles are another interesting phase of his work. He has completed a course in the American School of Podiatry using Mr. Schull's method of foot control which has been handled for the past five years.

Many ailments are traced directly to ill fitting shoes. Mr. Granberg said. Many people think they have rheumatism or lameness but they find that these pains are the result of improper shoes. Mr. Granberg stated that more women than men are afflicted with foot troubles. This he accounts for by the fact that women wear heels of varied heights. In the morning they wear bed room slippers without heels or very little height pumps. In the afternoon they wear high heels on the heel. Later in the day they wear a medium high heel which evenly balances their weight. In the evening most likely it is spike heels throwing their weight forward to their toes. Men on the other hand wear flat heels at all times. Mr. Granberg's experience has shown him one fault with the shoes that were made by hand in Sweden. They were made too short and narrow. They were made too short nine times out of ten. In the evening most likely it is spike heels throwing their weight forward to their toes. Men on the other hand wear flat heels at all times.

The folks back in earlier days however didn't have foot troubles as we have today. It was because they didn't have the cement sidewalks but walked on the soft ground which furnished a sort of cushion for the foot. The little one back home with its three sewing machines, its biggest equipment, is a great grand master of Michigan Masons.

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Style No. 155 Service-Sheer silk, with cotton feet and top, regular price \$1.50 For week only \$1.19

Style No. 70 Service-Sheer silk with hm, cotton feet and top, regular price \$1.85 For week only \$1.35

Style No. 750 Chiffon silk from top to toe, reg. price \$1.95, week only \$1.49

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At much lower prices, in all the shades.

Among savages who wear no shoes at all and use foot stumps. Mr. Granberg said, they walk on the soft ground and get natural support of every step. Many people went to Sweden to learn the shoe making trade. Mr. Granberg had one customer some time ago who wanted a cheap pair of shoes. He had just purchased a pair that were uncomfortable and wanted them cheaper ones to wear. The shoes were made in Sweden. Mr. Granberg examined his feet and noted his weak arches, the cheaper shoes didn't seem to give the mass any comfort. He brought out a pair that were marked \$10.00 but the customer waived them off. "It doesn't cost anything to try them on," Mr. Granberg told him. He put one shoe on, stood on it, and the relief and comfort that he felt was expressed in his face. "Gimme the other shoe." Some months afterward he came back to tell Mr. Granberg that he had never experienced such comfort and satisfaction in a pair of shoes before.

As far as business conditions are concerned in Gladstone, Mr. Granberg's idea is that we have had our best for a long time. The merchants in Escanaba are complaining continually about tax times, but he has not lost any of it among our home town business men. Conditions remain on a fair level and there is every little cause for dissatisfaction.

M. P. A. SUBSCRIBERS TO BE AT VANETIAN

The Michigan Press Association, whose membership includes publishers of weekly and semi-weekly newspapers in the state, has accepted an invitation to hold its annual summer outing at Van Etan Lodge next June. This will be the second meeting of the association in Michigan having been held last June at Houghton Lake. The publishers hold a three-day event, during which they discuss business, and indulge in their annual dinner and program of outdoor sports competitions. Any city, town or resort which is fortunate enough to secure for itself the privilege of entertaining the publishers has reason to felicitate itself. There is the satisfaction, pleasing every host, of entertaining an exceptionally appreciative group, and in addition the presence of the

Bill Bares

"No Miss, ocean rolls are not sea food"

Bill Bares is a well-known local character who has been making headlines in the local papers for his antics. He is a member of the local fishing club and has been known to catch some of the largest fish in the area. He is also a member of the local sports club and has been known to participate in various sports events. He is a well-known local character who has been making headlines in the local papers for his antics.

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How to Play BRIDGE

Series 1927-28 by Wynne Ferguson

Author of "PRACTICAL AUCTION BRIDGE"

ARTICLE No. 14

One of the greatest charms of auction bridge is the fact that practically all players feel that they play as well as the next fellow. Therefore they get much more enjoyment from playing on what is called the "hot" table than they do on a table where they are considered inferior. The old saying that "There is nothing new under the sun" seems to apply equally well to auction bridge. What is probably most of our readers know, is that the four corners of a bridge are held by the four corners of a hand. In the days of what is called "old" bridge, as well as now, the players thought well of their game, as is shown by the following quotation from "The Husbands Papers of the Pickwick Club."

"There" said the criminal Miller triumphantly, as he took on the odd trick at the conclusion of a hand; "that odd trick has been my best trick, better myself—impossible to have made another trick."

"Well, ought to have trumped the second, oughtn't he, sir?" said the old man.

"No, Mr. Pickwick nodded assent. "Ought I, though?" said the gentleman, with a doubtful appeal to his partner.

"Yes, sir," said the fat gentleman. "Yes, sir," said the fat gentleman. "Yes, sir," said the fat gentleman.

"What you mean that," growled the Mr. Pickwick started his travels in 1827 over that question, desirable conditions in what a century ago, shows how little human nature has changed since the days of the old world. Undoubtedly many Mr. Millers playing today who fancy their game, and as many fat gentlemen who delight in cribbling them.

In preceding articles, reference has been made to the "informative" double and its proper application. Here are two hands of a similar nature, one that brings out will further principles:

Hand No. 1
Hearts—8, 7, 3
Clubs—9, 4
Diamonds—A, K, 5
Spades—J, 7, 6, 5, 2

Answer to Problem No. 13
Hearts—J, 10
Clubs—A, 7, 5
Diamonds—K, 10, 9, 7
Spades—4, 9, 7

Hearts—K, Q, 10, 9, 7
Clubs—Q, 10, 9, 7
Diamonds—K, 10, 9, 7
Spades—none

Hearts—K
Clubs—Q, 10, 9, 7
Diamonds—K, 10, 9, 7
Spades—none

Hearts—K
Clubs—Q, 10, 9, 7
Diamonds—K, 10, 9, 7
Spades—none

Hearts—K
Clubs—Q, 10, 9, 7
Diamonds—K, 10, 9, 7
Spades—none

Hearts—K
Clubs—Q, 10, 9, 7
Diamonds—K, 10, 9, 7
Spades—none

Hearts—K
Clubs—Q, 10, 9, 7
Diamonds—K, 10, 9, 7
Spades—none

Little Newslets

Mrs. C. A. Roberts and daughter Thelma left Tuesday for Neenawee where they will visit a few days with relatives.

Mrs. James Kennedy and Mrs. A. Wilford were Escanaba shoppers Tuesday.

Rayfield Cusston of Perkins was a visitor here Saturday.

Don't forget the Special Sale next week at Buchanan's.

Joseph Patten spent the week end at his home here.

J. E. O'Donoghue of Neenawee was a business visitor here Wednesday.

Miss Andrew Pulvin of Trenay visited at the O'Deshaw home Wednesday.

Watch for the bargains in silk hose at Buchanan's.

Miss M. E. Peterson spent the week end at her home in Soudan.

A Buchanan arrived Wednesday for a week's visit here and to look after his business interests.

The condition of Mrs. L. M. Christianson who is at the Laing hospital is decidedly improved. Her daughter Mrs. O. E. Win will be remaining at the hospital with her.

For Easter offers in silk hose see Buchanan's Special Sale.

Mrs. Reba McPherson, Mrs. Maud Ewald and daughter Joan were Escanaba visitors Monday.

Henry Seymour of Trenay was a business caller here Monday.

Mrs. B. Buchanan entertained the Lady Macabees at her home Friday afternoon. Cards were played and a luncheon served.

Charles Uebach and Henry Chastell were callers at Nellie McPherson's.

Mrs. Charles E. Kirch and daughter Helma returned Tuesday evening from Ann Arbor. They have been visiting for the past four weeks with Mr. and Mrs. Arnold J. Kirch.

Miss Ellen Lind was a business visitor at Gladstone Monday.

Miss Joseph McCauley of Gladstone spent Sunday visiting at the Kirch home.

Albert Peterson and Simon Olson visited at the Stenlund camp at Turin Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. James McPherson motored to Escanaba Monday on a business trip.

Houses cracked with the cold snap of last Friday night when the thermometers registered from 20 to 35 below but the most trifling report was when the thermometer of H. J. Wilford reached the above mentioned low figure. He has the

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No score, rubber game. 2 dead, bid one spade, A doubled (informatory) and Y passed. What should B bid? B has the choice of passing the one spade bid in the hope that he and his partner can defeat the bid, or of bidding one no-trump. A great many players would probably pass and try to foot the bid but such procedure seems foolish. At most, B cannot figure his hand worth more than three or possibly four tricks. Therefore, unless B's partner can take four tricks, Z will make his bid. On the other hand, if the no-trump is bid, B's hand has possibilities of game. As better than a doubtful pass and a sure score at no-trump, there is no choice. The no-trump should be bid without question.

Hand No. 2
Hearts—9, 4, 2
Clubs—A, 7, 5
Diamonds—K, 10, 9, 7
Spades—J, 7, 6, 5, 3

No score, first game. 2 dead, bid one spade, A doubled (informatory) and Y passed. What should B bid?

This situation comes up so frequently that it should be carefully noted. When your partner makes an informative double and you hold one four-card suit and one two-trick suit, you should bid one of two things: First, if the suit is strong enough to act as a double stopper of the suit bid, you should bid one no-trump. This shows your partner the type of hand you hold and that you probably have no other four-card suit.

Second, if the suit is so weak that it contains no stopper in the suit bid or possibly only one, you should bid two clubs, or if that is the suit doubled, two diamonds. In other words, when the suit doubled is your only four-card suit and you have no other four-card suit, you should bid two of the suit doubled; if that is not the suit doubled, bid two diamonds or two clubs, whichever rule and should be closely followed.

In this example hand, the point is well brought out. Four spades to the left, so you want to bid two no-trumps, so B has no choice but to bid two clubs.

Y must make only five diamonds. His first line of attack is when effective against two hearts and two spades. It must also make five diamonds and his first line of attack is when effective against two hearts and two spades. It must also make five diamonds and his first line of attack is when effective against two hearts and two spades.

This forcing of diamonds is called the "squeeze" and when effective against both opponents, as in this problem, is called the "double squeeze." It is a pretty little problem and should be studied carefully.

Hearts—none
Clubs—A, 7, 6
Diamonds—none
Spades—10

Hearts—K
Clubs—Q, 10, 9, 7
Diamonds—K, 10, 9, 7
Spades—none

Hearts—K
Clubs—Q, 10, 9, 7
Diamonds—K, 10, 9, 7
Spades—none

Hearts—K
Clubs—Q, 10, 9, 7
Diamonds—K, 10, 9, 7
Spades—none

Hearts—K
Clubs—Q, 10, 9, 7
Diamonds—K, 10, 9, 7
Spades—none

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Spades—none

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Clubs—Q, 10, 9, 7
Diamonds—K, 10, 9, 7
Spades—none

Hearts—K
Clubs—Q, 10, 9, 7
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Spades—none

AUTOMOBILES, STEEL LEAD UPWARD TREND

By Wayne W. Putnam, Assistant Vice President, Union Iron Works, Detroit (Written for the Delta Reporter)

The general industry of the country are on the upgrade and the outlook is encouraging. Some unbusinesslike hopes that it has not reached serious proportions. Such irregularities as have occurred have caused little apprehension. Business seldom displays unusual activity in midwinter and the current season is no exception to this rule. Moderate improvement in many lines may be expected during the next two months.

Automobiles and steel are the two industries making the most satisfactory showing. Production in the steel industry is stepping up rapidly and is now 76 and 89 per cent of capacity respectively for the independent manufacturers and the United States Steel Corporation compared with 60 to 65 per cent a few months ago. Increased activity in these two basic industries will be of much benefit to the railroads and to business generally.

The outstanding event of the last few weeks was the advancement of the refinancing rate from 1 1/2 to 4 per cent by seven Federal reserve banks including the New York bank. This action, following as it did closely on the heels of the sale of government securities, the systems' bank aid in controlling bank credit, is generally regarded as a move to curb speculative borrowing and to prevent the rate increase as a means of providing adequate credit for industrial and commercial requirements. The general probability was pointed primarily in the direction of stock speculation.

Provision of ample credit for general business needs and checking of the flow of gold to foreign countries were likely secondary considerations. The Reserve bank's action in this matter is another favorable factor in the economic situation.

Car loadings of revenue freight during the first four weeks of this year were eight per cent below the corresponding period of last year. The loss occurred principally in coal shipments. Coal loadings a year ago were large and were due to the approaching strike in the bituminous coal fields. Loadings of merchandise during recent weeks compare favorably with the same period both in 1927 and 1926.

Commodity prices have experienced little change since the middle of the year and are holding close to the level of a year ago. The general level of prices is not expected to make any marked advances during the next few months in view of the comfortable supply of goods. Stability of prices is considered a beneficial element in the business outlook.

Business in Michigan is on the upward trend. Reports from all parts of the state show a low but steady improvement. Industrially, the lead is being taken by the automobile industry. Automobile manufacturers' accessory factories are being benefited by increased orders. Furniture manufacturing has experienced some improvement following the recent show at Grand Rapids. Farm implement plants at Battle Creek are profiting from the improved agricultural conditions.

CHURCHES

SALVATION ARMY
 Tuesday evening 8 p. m. Young People's meeting.
 Friday after school the Band of the Second Class meets.
 Friday evening 8:00 p. m. The officers of Escanaba in charge. Sunday school 2 p. m. Evening service 7:30.

Swedish Baptist Church
 Corner 6th and 12th St.
 John Hugo, pastor
 Sunday school 10 a. m.
 Teaching service 2:30 P. M.
 Mid-week service, Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock at this time the fourth address by the pastor on Christ's second coming will be delivered.
 A hearty welcome is extended to the public.

Swedish Mission Church
 Rev. P. E. Palmquist, Pastor
 Sunday, March 4, 9:30 A. M. Classes for all ages.
 Morning worship 10:45.
 Evening service (English) 7:30. Subject: "Foundation Destroyed."
 Tuesday, March 6, 7:45 Young People society meeting at the church. Mrs. A. S. Nelson, hostess.
 A hearty welcome is extended to everyone.

Westminster Presbyterian Church
 "The Church of Friendly Service" (Organized, Sept. 16, 1887)
 Rev. Robert Grant, Pastor
 Nels H. Sorenson, director of music. Elizabeth Kee, Organist.
 The regular services of this church are as follows:
 Sunday, 10 a. m. Divine worship with sermon.
 11:15 a. m.—Sunday school. A. D. Lewis, Super.
 6:30 p. m.—Junior Christian Endeavor. Miss Cipe, Supt.
 7:30 p. m.—Senior Christian Endeavor.
 Evening worship, 7:30. Sermon Monday 7 p. m.—Choir rehearsal. Every member urged to be present.
 Thursday 7:30 p. m.—Prayer meeting.
 A cordial invitation is extended to the public to worship with us.

Stalling in the Game of Life
 We are in complete accord with Attorney C. R. Emmon's article in the Delta on the Escanaba Basketball game, entitled "Stalling in Basketball."
 As Mr. Emmon states, "If they (Escanaba) were coached to take the long and the short game, they would display cowardice rather than courage—but, 'Stalling in Basketball' is insignificant compared to 'Stalling in the Game of Life'."
 Tens of thousands are doing this—even people in Gladstone. Rev. Robert Grant, pastor of the Westminster Presbyterian church, on Sunday at 10 a. m. in Westminster Presbyterian church. The public is cordially invited.

MAN MADE CHANGES AFFECTS ANIMAL LIFE
 Man, in changing the fauna of the upper peninsula, has undoubtedly brought about changes in the animal population of that section, according to E. A. Hyer, collector and preparator of the state county museum in Grand Rapids.
 "When the timber was cut out from the heavily wooded upper peninsula, man left behind the slashings, and 'if he had cleared up the land many of these changes would not have occurred. The result was, however, forest fires which burned off the loam and left the hard barren soil a result of this. The mouse species rabbit increased rapidly, until there are now probably more than ten times the number that there were before the land was cut over."
 "With this abundance of natural food the coyote's range expanded and they spread from the Dakotas and Wisconsin and in 25 years have spread generally all over the peninsula. This meant that they expanded their range fully 300 miles."
 "This coyote was formerly common in the prairie part of lower Michigan, but civilization drove him out. There probably has not been a coyote reported in the prairie section of lower Michigan in the last 25 years."
 "Wolves, Mr. Hyer believes, never will be entirely wiped out from the upper peninsula, no matter how difficult the state trappers result was."
 "Another change in the fauna of the upper peninsula, dating later than the state trappers result, was the chicken which Mr. Hyer declares will become a permanent part of the animal life in that section. In all probability this is due to the change in conditions there."
 "A species rapidly becoming extinct in the upper peninsula is the raven, according to Mr. Hyer. They may now be found only in the western counties, where the country is not very well settled. There has been no record of the raven in the lower peninsula for the last 30 or 40 years."
 "As he said, will never become abundant in the upper peninsula, because of the large area which is necessary to properly support the animal."

Our Reporter Observes--

THAT the snow banks in front of the fire hall are large enough to accommodate some of the city's residents, if one cared to dig in to make a winter home.

THAT March came in as a lamb, and goodness knows what's in store for the end.

THAT the Escanaba basketball team ought to be presented with baby rattles, or something to play with besides a basketball.

THAT William Skellenger has received the first delivery of a Ford car and isn't so hot so long now.

THAT men working on the telephone wires climbing up, striking their way to the top attract lots of attention. Folks watch them curiously and speculatively, as they tamper with the wires.

THAT it got so now in Gladstone that the early rising time by the railroad. If you're up by the time either of the two Licks drivers arrive on the scene, you may count your self an early riser. If not, no.

THAT already we hear discussions of presidential prospects, Smith—Dawes—Hoover—Louden.

THAT on cold days you see lots of chaps pulling down their ears lops and shoving their necks way into the depths of their coat collars.

NOW DEER ARE SHIPPED FROM GRAND ISL. PARK
 Twenty-two deer were shipped from Grand Island recently to different sections of the country. Three were shipped to Fern Glen, Pa., nine to Bartlesville, Okla., and ten to Sullivan, Mo. This is one of the largest shipments of these animals made at one time. Many deer have been shipped to ranches, parks and zoological gardens in various parts of the United States, from Grand Island. The deer are caught in traps, are not injured, and are shipped away by express as soon as possible so that the term of actual captivity is very short in all cases.
 The traps are built of lumber, are seven feet wide and about fourteen feet long and the same branches of the entrance is in front, and is nearly the full width of the trap. It is closed by a sliding door operated by a wire. Once inside, the trap door is closed in contact with a wire which releases the door and it drops. At the rear of the trap is an exit twelve inches in width which leads into a smaller cage, fourteen inches in width and just long enough and high enough for a deer to stand in. When a deer is trapped the trappers open the door to the small cage and the deer, thinking to make its escape, makes a quick dive into the small cage and door is closed on the animal. The deer is then shipped in this small space, but they cannot injure themselves as they naturally would were the cage larger.
 The bait used to lure the animals is alfalfa and the same branches of Cedar. The hay and cedar are scattered on the ground in the large cage. The traps are set in the swamps frequented by the deer. It is not necessary to place them on runways. When there is considerable snow on the ground the deer move about, browsing on the twigs and eagerly enter the traps. They are very fond of alfalfa.
 When the weather is mild and there are occasional bare spots on the ground, then the conditions for trapping deer are not so good, as the animals more easily obtain their food. Deer are easily tamed, especially when taken in captivity when they are young. They will run with cattle and quite readily adapt themselves to their surroundings in almost any part of the country.—Wright's Mousing Weekly.



THE MAYOR TALKS WITH BERLIN

New York—A new link in the telephone service connecting the continents was opened recently with the inauguration of service between Germany and the United States. Mayor James J. Walker is shown talking with the editor of the Berliner Lokal Anzeiger during the first call put through between New York and Berlin.

STATE MEN PRODUCE FINE CROP OF CORN

A production of 107 bushels of shelled corn to the acre shows like a story from the tall corn states, that amount in 1927 on his Lehigh county farm.

Mc Commercial fertilizers produced second prize in region 1, with a yield of 99 bushels per acre; Otto Wagner, Riga, with 93 bushels per acre, was third, and George Bruce Britton, with 86 bushels, was fourth.

In region 2, the placings were: Eric Manthey, Fargo, first, 121 bushels; Ferden and Son, Cheating, second; Max Deoback, St. Louis, third; and George Kolm, Fenwick, fourth.

George Rae, Bay City, was first in region 3; and Burdette Crandall, Bellare, was second.

Commercial fertilizers played an important part in the production of the high yields. Twenty three of 29 men who prize winning had used commercial fertilizers in producing their crop of corn.

Seven men who had planted alfalfa preceded the corn planted by five of the winners, and either June 20 or 25th clover seed was used as corn ground by four of the men.

MICHIGAN CUT-OVER LANDS ARE SOUGHT

The purchase of approximately 1,000,000 acres of Michigan cut-over pine lands by the government has been proposed by a bill introduced by the U. S. senate on motion of Senator Charles McNary, chairman of the committee on agriculture. It is considered virtually certain that this measure also will pass the house at the present session.

The bill appropriates \$40,000,000 for purchase of cut-over timber lands under the existing Weeks law providing for federal cooperation with the states in the work of reforestation. Seven million dollars already have been expended by the government for this work and Senator McNary stated in the senate that the land now purchased has increased in value at least \$5,000,000 since they were acquired.

The present bill does not designate any particular lands to be purchased, but the report of the agricultural committee declares that the money will be used to acquire 2,500,000 acres in the Lake States of Michigan, Wisconsin and Minnesota. An amendment added to the bill in the senate forbids purchase, from the appropriation of more than 1,000,000 acres in any one state.

The committee report estimates the cost of purchasing lands and planting Norway pine on them in the state of Michigan at \$2.94 per acre, including the cost of the seedlings.

Want Column

FOR SALE—White fur baby robe. Will sell cheap. Phone 432. Mrs. Art. Lausen. 1632-47-18.

WANTED—Sewing at home. In Lawton, Mich. Lawton, Phone 432. 1310 Michigan Ave. 1632-47-18.

FOR RENT—Lower flat at 1306 Michigan Inquire upstairs—3515 Phone 292W.

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WILL PLANT MORE FINGERLING TROUT

About 218,373,106 fish of all species were planted last year in the inland lakes, streams, rivers and bays of the Great Lakes from the State's seventeen hatcheries and nursery ponds, according to Fred A. Westerman, Fish Division, Department of Conservation, in a report to Geo. R. Hogarth, Acting Director.

An increasingly large number of fish are being developed to the fingerling stage before planting, the report shows, and these are all being naturally or artificially fed in the hatcheries and nursery ponds.

Approximately 32,500,000 of all fish planted last year were brook, brown and rainbow trout, 1,100,000 were large and small mouth black bass, 93,634,923 were perch. Approximately 1,000,000 were blue gills.

Other plantings were as follows: Lake trout, 3,900,000; Whitefish, 20,000,000; Walleye, pike, 58,500,000; Herring, 7,000,000; Grayling, 731,000; Calico bass, 50,000.

The chief function of the Division of Fisheries consists of maintaining satisfactory fishing conditions in Michigan lakes and streams. This involves the propagation and distribution of desirable species, the control and destruction of noxious fish and the regulating of season and creel limits.

The present propagation policy of the Division is directed toward providing facilities to rear brown, brook and rainbow trout for several months in nurseries before distributing them to public waters. Physical problems connected with this activity involve the selection of streams that are adapted for planting, particularly brook trout.

The Department does not contemplate introducing additional species of fish foreign to Michigan, but is concentrating all efforts in hatcheries on species that are well adapted for Michigan waters: The Department is cooperating closely with the Federal Bureau of Fisheries to improve conditions surrounding the collection and incubation of commercial species, particularly lake trout, white fish, herring and walleye pike.

Many types of oil burners designed especially for home-heating purposes have been placed on the market within the last few years. The new method of heating appeals to many home owners because of the relative freedom of choice of coal supply, from furnace attendance, dirt, etc. Oil burners are being applied to all of the types of heating plants, notably used for

home heating with varying degrees of success. Investigations of different types of oil burners by the U. S. Department of Agriculture and the U. S. Forest Service have shown requirements of many home owners on account of their convenience and ease of heat control if to obtain these advantages, the prospective purchaser is willing to pay the cost of change and possibly an increased operating cost. Before deciding whether a change to oil burning is desirable there should be a thorough understanding of the operating characteristics of different types of oil burners, and of installation and operation costs. Department Circular 405 tells all about the subject and may be had free upon request.

EARLIER DATES FOR CERTAIN PIKE LAKES

Twenty six inland lakes in which northern and well-wooded pike predominate have been exempted from the closing order of the Conservation Commission in November, closing lakes of the State to all fishing from April 1 to June 15th, according to George R. Hogarth, Acting Director, Department of Conservation.

Walleys may be caught with hook and line after April 30 in the following lakes, the opening date approximately the time when this variety of fish have finished spawning: Gogebic Lake, Sunday Lake and Cissou Chain in Ontonagon and Gogebic counties; Schlatter Lake, Keweenaw County; the two Pickering Lakes and Lake Michigan in Marquette County; Antrim Lake, Alger; North Manistiquet and Muskegon Lakes, Leelanau County; McDonald, Gulliver and Indian Lakes in Schoolcraft County; Lake George, Little Lake George, Hay and Mud Lakes in Chippewa County; Manistiquet, Whitefish and Pike Lakes in Mackinac County; Lake Charlevoix, Charlevoix County; East Twin Lake in Montmorency County; Otego Lake, Otego County; Houghton and Lake St. Helen in Roscommon County.

Trout and pike fishermen and resort business men alike will appreciate the new ruling of the Department which allows pike fishing May 1st as it will relieve congestion in streams and save many

trout that would otherwise be caught, while pike enthusiasts will be allowed to follow their favored sport, and the resorter who depends on a fair amount of his annual business from the latter group will not be deprived of his usual profit.

The original closing order, prohibiting all fishing from inland lakes from April 1 to June 15 was made with a view to protecting bass and other fish than pike during their spawning season.

Lakes that are known to be fairly well stocked with bass and other fish that do not spawn until late in the season and the closing order, but the Department is investigating others in the State to determine which are and which are not "pike lakes."

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Chaney plays the part of a master employ system, following the spirit mediums and supernatural illusions in solving a baffling murder. Unraveled the mystery of a murder that a five-year old "suicide" was also a murder and that both crimes were committed by the same person, a benevolent-looking old man, because of obstacles which stood in his path to the complete possession of a young and beautiful girl.

"London After Midnight" is super melodrama. It settles with dark superstition, extra adventure and gasp-inspiring, modern versions of black magic. It is an original by Tod Browning, who also directed "It" and "The Day After Tomorrow," the leading feature here. Others of note in the cast include Constance Tamm, Henry B. Walthall, Polly Moran and Claude Rains.

JOHNNY WALKER IS "GOOD-BADMAN" IN N. Y. PICTURE
 One of Hollywood's busiest actors is Johnny Walker, whose latest accomplishment is the exceptional portrayal of an Erie County man in A.C.A.'s latest picture, "Rose of the Bowers," with Edna Murphy in the title role.

In this picture, which comes to the Rialto theatre tonight, Walker appears as Dan McCarthy, a crook with a dominant streak of good in him and with an almost heroic ethical code.

Walker has been prominently cast in seven other big pictures the past season—"Old Ironsides," "Transcontinental Limited," "The Earth Woman," "Moosehide," "Fish," "Honesty—That Best Policy," "Lightning Reporter" and "Wolves of the Air."

His reappearance with Edna Murphy recalls their co-starring success in "Extra Extra" and "The Jolt" three seasons ago.

THE GREAT MAIL ROBBERY

by PETER MILNE
WALTER F. EBERHART

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From the Photoplay "THE GREAT MAIL ROBBERY"

SYNOPSIS

A wave of crime throughout the United States which culminates in a series of mail robberies causes the government to assign the Marines to the guarding of the mail trains. Lieut. MacReady and his helper, Sergt. Bill Smith, arrive in Yellow Canyon in the heart of the affected country and Bill is jailed for vagrancy, as he is traveling incognito. MacReady calls on Phelps, the Division Manager of the railroad who warns him against a man called Howard, who is engaged to his daughter Laura. Later Phelps discovers that Laura has found a stolen bond in Howard's coat, and he warns MacReady, who starts after Howard with a detail of Marines.

In response to her knock the door was opened. A form outlined vaguely in the gathering darkness as to be indistinguishable, but resembling Howard in its general proportions, appeared, lingered a second and then made way for Laura MacReady to enter. The form also disappeared inside the cabin.

MacReady took advantage of the situation to draw closer until he was able to command a clear, if somewhat incomplete, view through the window.

Laura had no time to waste in this emergency. Her sole impulse was to tell Howard he was being pursued by the soldiers and urge him to make his escape. The question of his guilt or innocence could be settled later. She was too sure of her love and the peril was too imminent for anything else to matter at the moment.

In spite of her determination to order him out, though she found herself arguing the question with him because he refused to budge. "But Philip, I tell you you must



go," she pleaded. "Why?" he asked coldly. "Because," she insisted frantically, "they've got the bond, they know it's one of the stolen ones and they know it was found in this cabin." Almost as if it were a stage set, Howard raised his eyebrows. "How?"

Laura threw back her head in despair. "I've told you that already I didn't mean to give you away. I wanted to give you every chance to prove yourself innocent. I still believe you are. But—"

"Go on." "Father found the bond in my room. He asked me the truth. I told him. And then I tried to stop him, but he was too far gone in his anger. Why did you want to stop him?"

"Because— Laura picked his sleeve in despair and gripped his hat from the table, pressing it into his hand. "I've told you, Philip. You must hurry. Father went for the sheriff. In such a mood as he was in that means only one thing. "And why do you want me to escape?"

"Is it because— MacReady's face flattened against the wall, peering inside the cabin saw Howard suddenly start. A worried look came over his face. He reached for the cap that he had previously rejected and thrown away. Phelps' hands fell to his side as he recognized her half-turned face in the dim glow of the table lantern.

sentence had finished, he seized his cap. At the same instant something else came to his attention, a shadowy outline of a body that was slinking in a circuitous path, well down in the underbrush. Howard had made his departure unobserved by the rear door, was doubtless around in his tracks directly to waste MacReady lay hidden.

An instinctive sympathy with Laura's confidence might have impelled him to close his eyes under ordinary circumstances. He might have been willing to give Howard the benefit of the doubt and a chance to clear himself, but the present moment demanded a more tangible reason. He waited until the stooping figure was almost on top of him before he spoke.

"Put 'em up, Howard," he commanded. "Stretch for the sky." He had nothing more deadly than a pipe to enforce his command, but for Howard, whose back was turned, the words were law.

"Got a gat?" MacReady stepped up from behind and patted both pockets. Satisfied that they were empty, he resumed his position two paces to the rear.

"All right now. Forward, march. Double around again to the front of the cabin. Remember, the first move to make a break and I'll die you." They marched back in funeral order, and the astonishment that greeted their appearance directly eclipsed their reaction when they had first pounced in upon Laura in the deserted cabin. In few words MacReady explained his presence there.

Howard, at MacReady's order, led the way into the cabin, where Laura, rebuffed by her father, was weeping silently. She looked up at Howard's entrance, and her ghost-like appearance increased her dismay. "They got you, Philip. Oh, they got you after all."

The words were superfluous, more excess emotion, but the action that went with them was real and forceful. With a sweeping motion of his arm Howard caught the lamp and sent it crashing to the floor, leaving the cabin in utter darkness, where only forms could be distinguished as they stood, silent, huddled against one of the windows.

With the same movement Howard raised the lamp base and sent it hurtling against one of the windows. "After him. Get him," MacReady shouted, finding himself helpless once that his bluff had been called, with only a pipe stem in his hand. He dashed for the window through which the lamp base had been hurled and stumbled violently against Phelps, upsetting him.

While they were both struggling on the floor a vision of sky through the opening of the rear door showed how they had been tricked. Sheriff Spofford, accompanied by the marines, rushed in. "He fooled us; got away," MacReady gasped from his doubled-up position on the floor. "Got out the back way."

The marines were there ahead of the lieutenant and sped out into the night. Only darkness greeted them on all sides. They peered for some signs of the fugitive, and the only reward was a whistling of wind in the pines and the shaking of branches.

"That's he goes," MacReady pointed to the right. Two rifles barked their vain message of reaching a target in the direction in which MacReady had pointed. But a moment later, far to the left, they saw Howard's loping form as it stood revealed for a second on the crest of a hillcock. A fleeting vision, and then it had disappeared over the other side.

The Davis home was a spacious log cabin in the middle of a clearing. More than a hundred yards from the dirt road, that was the only means of communication thereabouts, five miles from Howard's cabin, which was the nearest dwelling to it, it occupied a position of marked isolation.

Just why the Davis should have settled there would have been a puzzle to anyone who did not love rural life. They loved solitude, was one explanation. What was probably more substantial was that they eked a living out of the hundred acres that were theirs with the

best of their own hands. The degree of visibility which the building obtained or received, however, was limited by the forty yards of clearance for which it was the center. A substantial pine forest shut off the view effectively. The answer was that what the Davis domicile lacked in view made up for in shade and privacy.

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The kind of cabin was a model of its kind. On one side was an enormous stone chimney, evidence that the building had been constructed along modern lines with every eye to durability and comfort. There was a generous porch running around two sides and elevating the front, rear of any of the two side doors visible from a close approach.

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Personals

Mrs. Thomas Cannon who has been confined to her home by illness is on the road to recovery.

George Kevelin has arrived from Minneapolis and taken a position as foreman on the Soo Line. Mr. Kevelin has been employed here before.

Miss Eugenia Peterson of Escanaba spent the week end as a guest at the home of Miss Elsie Peterson.

Mrs. Thomas Jachor who has been confined to her home by illness for several months is somewhat improved.

Mrs. C. E. Wilson left last Friday for Minneapolis where she and her husband who has recently been appointed superintendent of the Two City division.

H. H. Albin left Wednesday morning for Grand Marais to spend several days transacting business.

Gene Stewart attended the Retail Convention at Milwaukee February 21 and 22.

Elizabeth, the six year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Sawyer has been removed to the St. Francis Hospital of Escanaba. She is suffering from rheumatism in her neck. Her condition remains unchanged.

Mr. Isaacson plans to return to his home in Ithaca this week and after spending a few days as a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Windahl.

Mrs. Constant VanDaele who has been visiting with her daughter and son-in-law at the home of Mrs. J. H. Peterson for the past few weeks returned to her home here on Tuesday.

E. A. Schwahn arrived last Friday from Stevens Point to take up his duties as general agent for the Soo Line at the local division point.

BLOOD OR BONDS—WHICH? (Geo. R. Averill in Birmingham Eccentric)

Your mothers and fathers of Birmingham and vicinity who are interested in the future welfare of your children, just read this letter, published in the Emporia (Kansas) Gazette, and committed upon by William Allen White, publisher of that newspaper. It shows the modern heritage of youth in the world of manhood. Please read it—and remember it. Here it is:

Here is the letter which Mr. John S. Hemphill, of Birmingham, Ala., wrote to President Coolidge. Mr. Hemphill is the father of Sgt. John F. Hemphill, deceased, of the United States marine corps. This is the letter:

Dear Mr. President: According to dispatches today (January 3) from Managua, my son, Sgt. John F. Hemphill, was killed in action against General Sandoz's loyal troops.

For the death of my son I hold no malice or ill will toward General Sandoz or any of his men, for I think (and I believe 99 per cent of our people agree with me) that they are today fighting for their liberty, as our forefathers fought for our liberty in 1776, and that we, as a nation, have no legal or moral right to liberate them from their present people in a war of aggression. What we are doing is nothing less than murder for the sole purpose of keeping in power a puppet government and acting as a collector for Wall Street, which is certainly against the spirit and letter of our constitution.

My son was 25 years old, served three years of his third enlistment, survived honorable service through the World War against Germany, and only to be officially murdered in a disgraceful war against this little nation.

My father served through the Civil war, my two grandfathers died in action in the same war, and I am in proud of their records, so this is not from the pen of a red radical but from one who loves justice and fair play.

I have four sons and if necessity arose, I would be willing to sacrifice not only all four sons, but my own life as well in a war of defense, but I am not willing to shed one drop of blood in a war of aggression, such as this one is.

You have lost a son and know the sorrow, and we as a nation mourned with you in your hour of grief. Suppose that son had fathered us as my son has, a victim to the greed of Wall Street, would you feel that the financial gain was worth the cost?

JOHN S. HEMPHILL

The stockholders of the American corporations whose property our troops are protecting in Nicaragua will not lose their money, the American flag will protect them. The men who invested their money in these enterprises knew that they were investing it in these enterprises in an unstable country. Their profits will be great when conditions are stabilized. The American nation will stabilize conditions. But is the property of their men worth as much as the son of this one father?

If you were the father of a casualty, what would you say? Is it good Americanism to force our boys to shed their blood for property invested under speculative terms in unstable foreign countries? Which is the better kind of Americanism—to save the blood of our soldiers or to protect the dollars of our investors? This is what the American people must answer in the next few years when we formulate our South American policy.

CITY CLUB NOTES

The next meeting of the club will be held Wednesday evening March 7. The hour is 6:30 and the place Cap Fisher's Hotel. Cap promises to set up a good dinner and stands pledged to accommodate all who will come—even if he must let Leonard Clapp and perhaps a few other substantial citizens in the kitchen.

Torval Strom of Escanaba will be the speaker for the occasion. He is scheduled for a "pop" talk. This will go right well with some other matters that come up at the meeting. The board of directors, who have been working for hours making up the lists of committee assignments for the year. Their recommendations will be ready for the meeting. Every club member will be assigned to one or more committees, the object being to make every member of the organization directly responsible for some phase of the work of making Gladstone a better city.

"What is the City Club doing?" demands a fellow in the scrub, following his query with a burst of vigorous laughter. Well, home wasn't it in the days just past, was a little interval of about seven or eight hundred years between Romulus and Augustus. And perhaps it was a little even in our fast moving age.

Survey committees are at work. The latest recommendations of several committees are expected to see their findings very soon. The next step is to wrap things into shape so that it can be made public. There is a special outline to be prepared for use in the public schools. It takes time and work and our members are busy men. But after all it is only the boy fellows who find time to do things.

Gladstone will have space in the Upper Peninsula Development bureau tourist folder, of which 50,000 copies are to be printed. Also a panel at the Out Door Life Exposition at Chicago. Any one having a really good print of some of Gladstone's beauty spots will confer a favor by sending it down to Mr. Hawkins. Do it quick.

The Sohlberg, Sec'y

ROCK NEWS

Lillian Larson Correspondent

Fafo Kaminen transacted business in Escanaba Friday.

Charles Larson Sr. left Sunday for Escanaba where he is employed after spending a few days at his home here.

Mrs. Fred Carlson spent a few days with relatives in Escanaba this week.

Mrs. John LaComb was a Perkins business called Wednesday.

The motion picture show, "The Big Parade," was presented at the high school auditorium, Tuesday and Wednesday evenings, Feb. 28th and 29th.

There was a matinee Wednesday with special rates for children of school age.

Leo Huukkala, thirteen year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Axel Huukkala, underwent an operation for appendicitis at the Lang hospital in Escanaba Thursday and is as well as expected.

Avid Mustonen transacted business in Negaunee Friday.

Mrs. Louis Saven visited relatives in Escanaba Thursday.

Miss Gertrude Kaminen of Escanaba spent the week end at her parental home here.

Mrs. Catherine Ealey has returned from Green Bay where she consulted medical specialists.

Arthur Willette left for his home in Saskatchewan Canada after a weeks visit with his mother here.

Ralph Stewart and George DuPraw motored to Escanaba on business Wednesday.

Ulfan Trossley and Waino Salmi attended the ski tournament held in Hespering Wednesday.

Miss Carol Sharkey of Lathrop visited relatives here Thursday.

Mrs. Avid Rivers was hostess to a number of her friends at her home Thursday evening. The occasion being that of her birthday anniversary. Cards made up the diversions of the evening and a delicious luncheon was served. All present reported a most enjoyable time.

Mr. and Mrs. Axel Huukkala and Mrs. Charles Harjo motored to Escanaba Thursday.

Charles Larson Sr. was an Escanaba visitor Friday.

Clem Tordeur of Escanaba transacted business here Monday.

Ed Johnson motored to Hermanville Friday.

Frank Salmi transacted business in Escanaba Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Valine and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Harjo and Mrs. Raula Rensfors motored to Escanaba Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Johnson were guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Bergman in Escanaba Sunday.

ENSIGN NEWS

Mrs. Blanche Tainen

Dr. Mitchell was a professional caller in Alton on Sunday.

Marion Sisko spent Sunday with his parents in the Maywood district.

Mr. and Mrs. Gust Johnson is ill at her home here.

Mrs. Nela Lindquist has returned home from a weeks visit at Stenholm camp.

Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Hovercamp were recent guests at the Tyberg home.

Harry Olson was in Ensign Monday.

Mr. Andrew Sundberg spent Sunday with Mrs. Axel Nylander.

Mr. and Mrs. Andy Magnusson and Edward and Kenneth Olson, on a trip to Nahma Junction Sunday.

Friends will be glad to know that Mrs. Hannah Weberg who was injured by a fall on an icy walk in Escanaba before Christmas, is getting along nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Magnusson spent Saturday in Escanaba.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Stenlund and Neil Weberg were guests at the C. B. Gustafson home Sunday.

A Township Caucus will be held in Ensign 1 p.m. Saturday March 10. Alfred Heimgren and Gust Lind were down from Nahma for over Sunday.

Miss Mattie of Isabella spent the week end with her daughter Mrs. Howard Johnson.

Elmer, son of Mrs. Stone Anderson is recovering from diphtheria.

Charlie Lindquist who is employed at Lamberg's camp is spending a few days at his home here.

Clyde Sisko was a Rapid River visitor Saturday.

Mrs. Geraldine Duranceau spent Sunday with friends in Ensign.

Ollie Magnusson and Mrs. Emily Olson were Saturday visitors in Gladstone.

Eta Lundberg, Evelyn Anderson, Thurston Wickstrom and Henry Lundberg spent Sunday at the Conrad Lindquist home.

Elmer Weberg visited the Ed. Rudenberg family at Wells Sunday.

Leo Pearson was a Sunday caller here.

Sylvia Pajnich and Julia Merle spent Sunday at the Steve Buker home.

Ernest Stromquist transacted business in Gladstone Tuesday.

Robert and Roy Anderson, have returned home from a visit at Stonington.

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SAVE a little each week for your vacation trip this coming summer. Have sufficient funds to enjoy your vacation

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OFFICIAL PROCEEDINGS

Gladstone, Mich., Feb. 27, 1928

Regular meeting of the City Commission. Present: Mayor Pro Tem Hawkins, Commissioners Goodman, Murphy, Peterson.

Absent: Mayor Bushong. Minutes of February 13th, 1928, were read and approved.

City Manager Buechner, submitted the Water and Light operating income statements, as of January 31st, 1928.

By Commission Peterson, supported by Commissioner Goodman, Resolved, that the following named persons be hereby appointed on the Election Board for April 2nd, 1928.

First Precinct: Alonzo Miller, E. M. Johnson, Geo. Young, Mrs. Gus Lierman, Mrs. John Stock.

Second Precinct: Walter Olson, Chas. Green, T. D. Springer, Mrs. A. L. Williamson, Albin Nelson.

Third Precinct: D. J. Calder, R. McGee, W. J. Slicks, Mrs. J. Strand, Mrs. P. L. Burt.

Fourth Precinct: Matt Miller, Gene Noble, Mrs. P. Richards, Mrs. Gene Stock.

W. Knight, M. W. Lancaster. Resolved, further that the Election board be paid \$7.00 for said services.

Resolution carried unanimously. By Commissioner Murphy, supported by Commissioner Goodman, Resolved, that the Election Polls be open from seven o'clock A. M. to eight o'clock p. m. on April 2nd, 1928.

Resolution carried unanimously. By Commissioner Murphy, supported by Commissioner Goodman, that the Commission adjourn. Resolution carried unanimously.

F. R. BUECHNER City Clerk

Gladstone Fruit Store SPECIALS

For Friday and Saturday

Fresh Strawberries, pint 50c Bananas, lb 10c Eggs, strictly fresh, doz. 36c Flood Lettuce, per bunch 10c 3 bunches for 35c

Full line of GREEN STUFF

Hot house Tomatoes, calliflower sprouts, radishes, parsley, radishes green onions, new cabbage, new potatoes.

FULL LINE OF FRUIT AND ICE CREAM

Fresh Strawberry Sundae, with whipped cream 35c

Ice Cream specials for this week and—Orange Pudding, Caramel, Maple Nut, Chocolate, Vanilla, Tutti Frutti, bulk, quart 50c Best Ice Cream, qt. 60c

CIGARETTES, all brands, two packages for 25c LUNCHES, with variety of sandwiches and home-made pies.



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NOW DO YOU KNOW?



The fellows in the above picture are Walter Lancaster and Oscar Seiderberg in the foreground and the fellow standing back is a stave mill, along about 1910, according to our informants.

THREE TEAMS WIN ALL THEIR GAMES

Three teams in the Gladstone Bowling league won all their games in the matches played at the Rialto this week. The winners being the Veneer Mill, Marble Card and Terrace Gardens, and the victims being the Florio Mill, City Club and Leeds. The Soo Line beat the Legion two out of three, the Office beat the Florio Mill one out of three, and the Rotary club beat the Consumers also by that margin.

Table with 2 columns: Team Name and Score. Lists results for Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday games between various teams like Veneer vs Rotary, Terrace Gardens vs City Club, etc.

READERS TELL READERS

Rapid River Mich. Feb. 29th 1928
Staple River Editor,
Delta Reporter,
Dear Editor:

A few weeks ago I made a remark in your paper about the South in the Fall. I mentioned Chiklance as a probable cause as to why it is so cold in any of your Northern towns if it were right or not. I do not want to state that Mr. Green's reason is wrong all that I want is to explain my own view on the matter.

The migratory actions of birds are prompted by a sub-conscious faculty that all animal life possesses to a certain extent. To my idea the cold comes from the realm of the mind, instead of the visible or physical conditions that are prevalent before they are pressed by hunger.

The naturalist's term for this faculty is instinct.
I hope that everybody understands.
Sincerely yours,
Werner J. Vietek,
R. F. D. Route 1, Box 13,
Milwaukee, Wis. 2-24-28

Dear Friend Joe:
It's been a long while since I have heard from you, or in fact heard from anyone from Gladstone.

As usual I am looking about for a suitable place to play the great American game during the summer. I still have some good memories of a successful season in your town and I certainly would like to go back there again. I haven't had the time I did up there since I left in fact not till August last season did the arm come around like it used to be and then when it did I sure had the old stuff and plenty of it.

I imagine that Gladstone will get back into baseball next year and have a club. At least I hope it's possible and I hope I am on that club. I have never been in a town that I enjoyed more and felt like playing ball in, like I did up there.

about 3 months old now and has more hair on her head than I have on mine. She weighs 14 lbs. and is really strong and active for a youngster of that age. My wife is fine, and at present is visiting her mother in Ashland Wis. I guess that such a husband for being married about 2 years, is it Joe?

I am still in school, doing senior honors here at Marquette, and a little extra work in Mount Pleasant. Well Joe, hope things are O. K. with you and your family, give my regards to the people I know up there, and let me know if we can do business. I sincerely hope we can.

Yours sincerely,
D. J. VanPatton

BRAMPTON

Mrs. Allen Tyrrell was in Escanaba shopping Friday.

Asa Shaffer has returned from Rock where he had been employed for the winter.

Mrs. Hannah Hamberg made a business trip to Gladstone Friday.

Mrs. Charles Nantell of Schaffer is visiting at the home of her son O. Nantell.

William Brouse motored to Beaver Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Trudell of Stack Mill called on friends here Saturday.

Emil Brault transacted business here Monday.

Adelore Gerou motored to Gladstone Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. H. Wellstead motored to friends in Lathrop Sunday.

Napoleon Sharkey made a business trip to Escanaba Monday.

"Clippings"—No man can produce great things who is not thoroughly sincere in dealing with himself.

MASONVILLE

Head Teinert Correspondent

Mr. Sloan, who had a frigid unquanted last week by Dr. Gross Escanaba is getting along nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Teinert and son Dale and Mrs. Duranow Jr. spent Sunday at the Jas. Teinert home.

Miss Hilda Lindberg of Escanaba spent the week end at her home here.

Mrs. O. Raymond and children of Manistig went the week end at Wm. Rousseau home.

Mr. and Mrs. Tony Marmalick and Mrs. Brow and children of Rock spent Sunday at the Wm. Rousseau home.

Mrs. Rousseau spent Monday and Tuesday visiting relatives at Manistig.

Mrs. Forest of Rapid River visited relatives and friends in Masonville Tuesday.

Jim Sloan motored to Gladstone Sunday.

The J. H. Sloan family visited at the John Williams home in Gladstone Sunday.

Mr. Massick is seriously ill. Clyde Johnson who has been in the Lower Peninsula for the past month is again home.

Leonard Nelson motored to Manistig Tuesday afternoon to get some of the Massick relatives.

FIRST WARD GUILD TO HAVE BAKE SALE SAT.

All Saints Guild of the first ward will sponsor a Bake Sale at the Mallinger store Saturday afternoon. There will be a large variety of pantry goods for sale as a convenience to housewives for the week end.

Mr. Phil Louis is the captain of the Guild of the first ward with Lieutenants Mrs. William DeKeyser, Mrs. Arthur Thivierge, Mrs. Luther LaComb, and Mrs. J. P. Louis.

TREES FOR WIND BREAK ON M-28

STATE TO PLANT TREES ALONG WEIMORE-SHINGLETON ROAD

(Municipal News)

An innovation in the protection of upper peninsula highways from snow cutting will be the planting of trees along the north side of M-28 where it runs through the Shingleton pine plains, it was announced this week by L. E. Adams, county highway engineer. Planting of a strip across the entire plains from a clump of woods at Shingleton to a swamp a short distance east of Weimore was approved in a letter received this week from B. C. Tully, of Lansing, maintenance engineer for the State Highway Department.

George Vogelstein, forester for the highway department, will be in the upper peninsula sometime before spring, it was stated in Tully's letter, and he will confer with the Alger County Road Commission and Randolph Martin of Newberry, state highway supervising engineer, for the purpose of making arrangements for acquiring trees and planting them. It has not been determined what kind of trees will be planted, but they will be of the coniferous family to insure a state highway in the winter. A strip several feet in width will be planted. County employees will do the actual work of planting.

Cost of planting the trees will be small it is thought. Funds for defraying it will be taken out of the present county maintenance budget, but if this proves insufficient, additional money may be authorized by the state, Tully declared in his letter.

The matter of planting trees along the north side of this highway to form a windbreak against some times a gale by the county road commission, which believed it more economical to have permanent protection than to expend a large amount of money every winter in an effort to keep the road open in the face of noontime snowdrifts. The project was referred to the State Highway Department which, in taking the matter up with the Conservation Department, learned that trees would be furnished providing the highway division would supervise the planting.

It is believed that the trees will be planted some time during the spring or summer.

BEWARE OF STRIFE

(Crystal Falls Diamond Drill)
The little ripple that has arisen over the city commission tends to arouse a feeling of animosity that may be enlarged into one of factional strife. That would be a bad thing for the community. No community gets far during a period of turmoil and the wise community is the one that side steps strife—especially factional strife—wherever possible. It sometimes happens that conditions get into such a rut that strife has to be resorted to get rid of conditions but that is a rare happening. Generally strife comes from the organization of factions with personal aims or ambitions at the bottom of them. When public business is being honestly and conscientiously carried on, when public servants are giving each person respectable hearing and their complaints consideration, public affairs cannot be said to be in a state that necessitates community strife.

Crystal Falls has been progressing nicely in its public affairs and the city is rapidly being improved to a point where it is spoken of frequently by tourists as the "prettiest town in the peninsula." The affairs of the city have been well handled, in the main. Mistakes have been made of course, no man who progresses avoids mistakes. And then, what are called mistakes are frequently just a different or opinion between persons as to how a piece of work should have been done. So, it's a mistake to get all "het up" and cause any interruption of the program of improvements and progress that is being carried out. Beware of strife, neighbors. It never got a community anywhere and never will.

Society Notes

First Ward Bake Sale

The Catholic Guild of the First Ward will give a bake sale at Mallinger's Electric Store Saturday afternoon, March 3. The Ladies will have a fine line of baked goods for sale to the general public.

Pot Luck Supper

The Eastern Stars will give a Pot Luck Supper at the Masonic hall Tuesday night. All Stars and their husbands are invited. Coffee, cream and sugar will be furnished. Tuesday night is the regular meeting night of the Eastern Stars.

Aid Business Meeting

The Ladies Aid Society of the Presbyterian church held their regular monthly meeting at the church parlors Wednesday afternoon. Mesdames Danvers, Hawkins and Grant were hostesses.

Party For Mrs. Barstar

A birthday party was arranged last Friday afternoon by Mrs. R. I. Simpson for her mother, Mrs. Kat. Barstar, the occasion being the latter's birthday. Nine close friends were invited and enjoyed a social afternoon. The home was decorated in a pink and white scheme and a large birthday cake was served in pieces. The guest of honor was presented with a lovely gift.

Hostess on Birthday

Miss Irene Keel entertained a group of friends at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Keel last Friday night on the occasion of her thirteenth birthday anniversary. Games furnished the diversion of the event, with a delicious luncheon served. Miss Keel received many pretty remembrances of the happy occasion.

Entertains Club

Miss Beatrice Pilotte entertained the Q. T. Club at her home on Monday night. The girls enjoyed enjoying a luncheon served at the close of the evening by the hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Norton returned on Tuesday from a trip to New Orleans, La., where they witnessed the Mardi Gras celebration. From Milwaukee Mr. Norton drove a new Ford coupe for local delivery.

Atty. G. R. Emson and Charles Green spent Monday in Manistig on business.

Fresh caught Monominee White Fish, 25c per pound. Model Cash Market. 47-1.

Jan. T. Jones returned Thursday morning from a business trip which took him to New York, Pittsburg, Boston and other eastern points.

Gene Stewart has been on the sick list for the past few days.

Jack Kerr, organist at the Rialto left for his home in Chicago Monday.

J. A. McCauley is ill at Loring's hospital at Escanaba.

Mrs. Max Neveaux, who was in Green Bay for medical attention, was called back home last Tuesday by the illness of her son James who has since shown improvement.

Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Solberg were to Bark River Wednesday to attend the Sundquist funeral.

UPPER PENINSULA FARMERS AWARDED DAIRY TROPHIES

The Duluth Stock & Dairy Farmer has announced the names of three upper peninsula winners of the Tri-State dairy achievement contest of 1927. Victor Gann, Crystal Falls, is first in the four to nine cow herd class, earning the Land of Lakes trophy. Carl P. Hanson, Wallace, has been awarded the Blue Ribbon steership trophy for the best medium sized herd in the upper peninsula. C. E. Johnson, Ironwood has been selected as the owner of the best large herd in the territory, and is entitled to receive the Bridgeman Russell trophy.

The winners have been invited by the Duluth chamber of commerce to attend a conference in Duluth Thursday, March 15, where representatives from northeastern Minnesota, northern Wisconsin and the Michigan upper peninsula will receive their awards for efficiency.

NO LEGAL HUNTING TILL NEXT AUTUMN

Hunting in any form became illegal February 1 in the upper peninsula, and February 15 in the lower peninsula. No person is now permitted to carry a gun in game cover unless he possesses a permit from the Conservation Department attesting that the permission is for purposes of trap setting, or for other reasons of a nature meriting official endorsement.

There is no more legal hunting until the coming of the open season late next autumn.—Negaunee Herald.

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Kidney Beans 25c
Seedless Raisens 25c
Star Soap 57c
Pure Lard 15c
Monarch Coffee, extra special 47c
Kaffee Hag 75c
Swifts Premium Salt Pork, lb. 30c
Green Cooking Peas 20c
Sun-kist Oranges 33c
Full Cream Cheese 40c
Old Style Brick Cheese, lb. 40c
Celery 20c
Fancy Head Lettuce, 15c
New Carrots 10c
1 can of Monarch Corn, 1 can of Monarch Beans 39c
Dill Pickles 25c
Picnic Ham 17c

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Friday and Saturday March 2-3 1928

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COLEO SOAP, reg. 10c per bar, special 25c
3 bars and a trial bar for 2.48
FLANNEL SHIRTS, Men's fancy patterns, reg. \$3.00 and \$3.25, special 2.48
FLEECE LINED UNIONSUIT, for boys size 6 to 16 years, special 98c
JERSEY GLOVES, brown stripe, special per pair 19c
WORK SOCKS, for men, wool, colors white and gray, special per pair 39c
WORK SOCKS, for men, heavy ribbed wool, special per pair 49c

SHOE DEPARTMENT

- BOYS DRESS SHOES, colors black or brown, English last, odds, per pair 1.00
One lot of Ladies PATENT PUMPS, cuban heel colored trim, pair 2.98
Childs first step Shoes, black or brown colored trim, pair 1.19

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