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Chats with The Editor

THE most far-reaching undertaking in the direction of universal peace is the proposal now being advocated by the American Legion...

GRAND MARAIS gets a lot of publicity, all because it was snowed under openly. That is an annual occurrence up in that section of the peninsula...

AROUND this section of the national map is splashed around freely, while in the national capital it is oil.

Gladstone--Present and Future

ALL SAINTS RECTORY Gladstone, Mich., March 19, 1928

A. T. Schiberg, Sec'y. Gladstone City Club. Gladstone, Michigan. In your recent letter you asked me to express my frank opinion in regard to present conditions and also to project my prophetic glance into the future...

Many a citizen is primarily an egoist. He believes in the common place philosophy, "love begins at home." And gives that true reason, a rather too literal interpretation. There is the citizen who leads a parasitic existence, who believes that the city and its machinery exist entirely for his benefit...

I agree with John when emphasizing the material aspects of this phase. Truly Gladstone has unusual advantages, if we ourselves would only utilize them. We must make an interest outside our own city. I do believe, however, that John was carried away by his own exuberance...

Let others debate on the material side of our city. There are other factors that enter into the stability and well-being of the community. A city is nothing else but the cumulative reflection of the lives of those who constitute it. In other words, a city is what its inhabitants make it, and therefore deserves its complexity from the people themselves.

Do not lose your poise nor equilibrium for the things that I am about to say may jar some of our residents. They may deem me extremely bold but I have been asked to express my candid opinion. Consider into contact with the moral side of the city's life, we are in a position to pass a verdict that is based on facts and not conjecture.

There is another people in the Gladstone complex that could be removed. Our community harbors individuals of many nations, tongues and religions and everything should be done to weld them together into one harmonious corporate body.

Now these are some of my observations, told with a benevolent spirit. If Gladstone is to grow and prosper, we must put our hands to the plow and not contemplate the passing cloud.

Yours truly, S. MAIER



THE REPUBLICAN PRESIDENTIAL CANDIDATE FOR 1928 FRANK B. WILLIS

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

TEN YEARS AGO Delta County Register: Thursday evening, March 22, 1917 J. P. Platten of the Northern Michigan Pulp Co. arrived in the city...

Elk S. Eaton returned Tuesday night from Ohio where he has been engaged in the operation of a wood camp. Many of the men employed in this district were daily coming to the city. Many of the camps were forced to suspend operations...

The Delta County Reporter Thursday evening, March 22, 1917 By a deal which closed Saturday in Minneapolis the port of Gladstone is to be reopened. An independent line of boats to be operated under the management of the Minneapolis Shippers and Packers...

The first wedding of the season made their appearance on the streets of Gladstone this morning. Although there is still some snow at the sides of the streets the atmosphere is here.

Twenty Years Ago Gladstone Delia, Dec. 26, 1908 A. H. Powell revisited Gladstone this week, and will remain until Sunday evening, when he leaves again for the west.

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Town Talk

Published by Cloverland M. & S. Co.

April will soon arrive and with it a possible reduction in coal prices.

A Sedative Doctor: "Your husband, madam must have absolute quiet. Here is a sleeping draught."

The very best time in all the year to stock next season's supply of coal is in the spring—no outdoors in the way, we protect the lawn by planking where necessary.

God liver meal is just the right proportion, adds to the efficiency of every other ingredient in full open chick starter.

We note a great deal to do, in the papers about Detroit, Mich. Detroit was a village when the U. P. was still a howling wilderness.

Epitaph: Turning a corner on two wheels, landed him in the Elysium fields.

Words of Wisdom "To be gored to death by a bull," said Oscar B. is not half as bad as being bored to death by it."

GLOVERLAND MILLING & SUPPLY CO.

Will be busy for nearly a month. William Petters and Miss Grace Sargent were married Tuesday evening by Rev. G. C. Emison at the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. John...

more new features! next Sunday! BEGIN READING- RAINBOW ISLAND!

and! EXPLORE THE WORLD OF THE LIVING DEAD! Love and Adventure in the South Seas! John Nichol woke up one morning... frigate her plans!

and! INTO THE BLACK HAUNTS OF VOODOO! An unusual American recently emerged from the jungles of Haiti where he was the first white man ever admitted by blood rite to the Legba man ever admitted by blood rite to the Legba man ever admitted by blood rite to the Legba man...

and! CLARA BOW in "Looking at the Stars" What are the intimate loves—the lives of your favorite movie stars and all the famous? Clara Bow's story will be related for your next Sunday—beginning a whole series of interesting articles about Gilda Gray, Adolph Menjou and other famous film idols in "Looking at the Stars" in The Sunday Journal.

and! AHMED ABDULLAH Another fascinating oriental story, "A Woman of the Benni Fuhara"—in a series by this remarkable author—will entertain you next Sunday.

Coming Sunday, April 1—1928 The Best Short Stories of 1928—selected by a group of world famous authors and editors!

The Sunday Milwaukee JOURNAL FIRST-by Merit

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Annual Tax Sale

STATE OF MICHIGAN

This Circuit Court for the County of Delta in Chancery...

In the matter of the petition of O. H. Fuller, Auditor General of the State of Michigan, for the sale of certain lands...

It is ordered that said petition be granted on the following terms...

Your petitioner further shows that in all cases where lands are included in "Schedule A"...

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GRAMEL B. FULLER, Auditor General of the State of Michigan...

SCHEDULE A TAXES OF 1923

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# THE GREAT MAIL ROBBERY

**PETER MILNE**  
Created by  
**WALTER R. EDGARDAH**



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From The Playlet "THE GREAT MAIL ROBBERY"

### SYNOPSIS

Lieut. MacReady and Sergeant Bill Smith are detailed to duty at Yellow Canyon. Sergeant Bill is jailed for vagrancy, and MacReady, who is doubtful of everyone in town, is told that Howard, a stranger in town, and the sweetheart of Laura Phelps, daughter of the railway manager, is in possession of one of the stolen bonds. MacReady goes to arrest Howard but he escapes due to Laura warning him, and goes to the Davis homestead. He and Mrs. Davis refuse to help him, and he is captured and taken to jail in Yellow Canyon, where Bill is imprisoned.

Sergeant Bill, who had steadfastly refused to talk, had been an honored guest ever since his arrival in Yellow Canyon. Howard's arrest made the second, a record for a long while.



"One more prisoner, Sheriff, an' we'll have a poker game."

The result was that as soon as the prisoner-bearing Ford reached the town limits one whop from the first person who took in the sight was sufficient to draw a crowd. They followed the automobile to the jail entrance, racing and tearing along the streets to witness the first formal arrest in many a month. Howard was prepared for publicity, but the gruesome interest aroused disgusted him.

"For God's sake get me in quickly and get this over with," he urged as the sheriff fumbled with his keys. "Finding it a bit unpleasant, eh?" Spoilard retorted. "Fine time to be thinking of that now. All right; here you go."

He swung open the iron barred gate, waited for Howard to precede and then entered after slamming the door in the face of the curious crowd.

As they reached the gate an unkempt figure rushed toward them from a nap to take in the sight.

For a moment he refused to believe his eyes, but then he let out a whoop of delight as he realized that another prisoner was being introduced.

(Mar. 9, Mar. 30, 1928)

To Frederick J. Merriam or any person acting as executor, administrator, trustee, or guardian of Frederick J. Merriam, or any heirs of Frederick J. Merriam, and

To the owner or owners of any and all interests in, or liens upon the land herein described:

**TAKE NOTICE** That sale has been lawfully made of the following described land for unpaid taxes thereon, and that the undersigned has title thereto under tax deeds or deeds issued therefor, and that you are notified of a reconveyance there of, any time within six months after return of service of this notice, upon payment to the undersigned or to the register in chambers of the county in which the lands lie of all sums paid upon such purchase, together with one hundred per centum additional thereon, and the fees of the sheriff for the service or cost of publication of this notice, to be computed as upon personal service on each additional copy of charges. If payment as aforesaid is not made, the undersigned will institute proceedings for possession of the land.

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desired to share his confinement. "Whomsoever, at last," he howled. "Now we can make a game. Sheriff, if you've got even the heart of a red injun you'll bring us a deck of cards so we can at least play gin-rummy."

He showed that to sink in and there added: "And sheriff, if you'll only fetch in one more prisoner we may let you sit in on a real poker game." But Sheriff Spoilard was in no mood for humor. He had spent the greater part of the night without sleep, harassed by taunting innuendoes that he had let a prisoner escape. He was none too kindly disposed to any one of the breed at the moment.

"Get in," he ordered Howard, pointing through the cell door. Sheriff Spoilard slammed the door and turned the huge key. Without



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another word he did an about face and stalked out of sight down the corridor. The two prisoners heard him slamming the gate as he left the building.

"Nice social suit, ain't he?" remarked Sergeant Bill, studying his new mate.

"Howard nodded.

"Stranger?" Bill asked. "He knows his company in his time, mostly of the hobby variety. A clean-cut, gentlemanly jaw companion, who had apparently a good education was something of a novelty."

"Seems like I've seen your face before," Bill added. "He was puzzled. There was a memory lurking in his mind that was proving elusive."

"Ever been in the army?" he inquired.

Howard turned, startled. "What do you know about the army?" he demanded.

It was Bill's turn to be taken by surprise. He tried to cover up his awkward slip by rising. As he did so his shirt, which was wide open at the front, revealed his arm and a signification tag hanging around his neck.

Howard stepped forward and examined it closely.

"Sergeant Bill Smith," he read. "Haugh! What are you, a deserter?" "None of your business," Bill shouted.

Howard realized the risk he was running. But if his name was right there was a good deal that this man could do for him.

"I'll bet the sheriff doesn't know about this," he ventured. "And Bill's startled expression showed that the shot had gone home. 'You don't want me to tell him, do you?'"

"G'wan, go ahead," was the surly response.

"Ye-ah!" Bill droned, opening his mouth in a wide yawn. The handcuffed moved with lightning rapidity from behind Howard's back to Bill's throat. The sergeant spluttered and coughed until he was unable to do either longer. Then Howard pronged on him. Given equal conditions, and the soldier would probably have been a match for Howard, but he was weighted down by blankets and overwhelmed by surprise. The gag in his mouth was choking him. He fought back desperately, but Howard had him on his back and was tying his wrists behind him with the bedding.

"Nice baby," Howard muttered facetiously as Bill lay gagged and bound.

Then he carefully replaced the blankets so that it looked as if the captive were merely sleeping. A great joke it would be on the sheriff, Howard thought, to find a prisoner taken prisoner.

He waited patiently for Spoilard's arrival, but he heard the rattle of the key that announced the jailer's approach. As he turned the gate lock to bring breakfast Howard called his attention to the immaculate form.

"I think there's something wrong with him, sheriff," he said truthfully enough. "I haven't been able to get him to say a word for the last twenty minutes."

Sheriff Spoilard stopped to examine and in that moment Howard jumped. Muscles of steel caught the sheriff in a neck embrace, straddling his hind. He fought against the pressure, the thickening veins in his neck attesting to the intensity of his efforts. He bore it until he was all but unconscious and then sank limply to the ground.

The minute he felt resistance Howard released his strange hold. He still kept one hand over the sheriff's mouth to prevent outcry and worked rapidly with the other. Unlike the treatment he had given his first prisoner, he used the method he used on the sheriff. A tight bandage, drawn taut around the mouth, served as a gag. He bound the sheriff's arms and tied his legs to the post of the iron cot.

Quickly he took an inventory of the surroundings. He would need his escape arms and food to make his escape effective. He was thankful to the sheriff for having been thoughtful enough to have provided all of these things.

He made a meal of the breakfast the sheriff had brought, hastily, for there was always the danger of interruption and discovery. Then he fumbled in the sheriff's pocket and produced the large ring of keys that would insure his liberty in case the sheriff had been cautious enough to

lock the outer door after him. A weapon was necessary, too. There was an old blunderbuss visible in the corridor from where Howard was standing but he needed something that could act more quickly. His right hand felt over the sheriff's clothing steadily. He could read reason spitting out from the eyes

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**DAYS RIVER NEWS**  
Correspondent, Hazel Teinert  
Mr. and Mrs. Jurgles visited at the John Larson home Thursday night.  
Mrs. Seronko and sons visited at the Kolsen home in Brampton on Friday.  
Mr. Rosow and children Mildred and Jack were Escanaba shoppers Monday.  
Mrs. Norstrom and Mrs. Teinert visited at the John Larson home Thursday night.

**Mrs. Seronko and children Josephine and John visited at the Kolsen home Thursday night.**  
Mrs. Hazzel Norstrom of Wells visited in Days River Monday.  
Mrs. Norstrom and son Hilding were Escanaba shoppers Tuesday.

**It's Always Recognizable**  
Bill—Bill has changed so much I didn't know her face.  
Ted—How did you recognize her?  
Bill—By my ring.

**MICKS BROS.**  
Gladstone Phone 47 Kipling Phone 63  
**SPECIALS FOR THIS WEEK END AT BOTH OUR GLADSTONE AND KIPLING STORES**  
FRESH From the Chicago Market  
A Good Place to Trade, Ask Your Neighbor

Rhubarb, Calif. choice, per lb.	15c	Spinach, Texas. Clean stock, 3 lbs.	25c
Asparagus, Calif. fancy, bunch	35c	Brussels Sprouts, fresh stock, qt. box	40c
Head Lettuce, large green heads, two for	25c	Shallots, fresh stock, bunch	10c
Calif. Cauliflower large heads, each	35c	New Cabbage lb.	6c
New Beets, green tops	10c	Hubbard Squash lb.	6c
Calif. New Carrots green tops, bunch	10c	Jersey Sweet Potatoes lb.	10c
Green Peppers, clean fresh stock, each	8c	Hot House Cucumbers fresh and green, each	10c
Washed Celery bunch	20c	Bread at	10c
Radishes, Hot House, fancy, bunch	10c		

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**SAM, YOU ARE CHARGED WITH RAIDING A POULTRY YARD - DID YOU EVER STEAL ANY CHICKENS?**  
NO SAH!

**YOU HAVENT STOLEN ANY GEESE OR TURKEYS?**  
NO SAH!

**THE CASE IS DISMISSED FOR LACK OF EVIDENCE**

**FÒ DE LAWD, JEDGE, IF YO'D SAID DUCKS YO'D 'A HAD ME**

# Rapid River News

Miss Margaret Travella, Editor Pledged to Serve, not Exploit the Community

## COMMISSIONER IS OPENING STREETS

CREW OF MEN DIVERTING SPRING WATERS AWAY FROM MAIN STREET

Highway Commissioner J. M. Christianson with a crew of men started Wednesday morning to open the main street of this town and divert the water to the water's edge and the work is proving to be a successful task. The water is being diverted along the creek on the right side of the street and the water is being diverted into the water's edge and the work is proving to be a successful task. The water is being diverted along the creek on the right side of the street and the water is being diverted into the water's edge and the work is proving to be a successful task.

## MICHIGAN TELEPHONE CO. MAKING IMPROVEMENTS

The Michigan Bell Telephone Co. is making improvements to its lines in the village. The present telephone lines have been put in where the wires are low and the work is being done in a systematic way. The work is being done in a systematic way. The work is being done in a systematic way.

## CURRENT COMMENT

### EARLY SPRING

(Delta Rapids Journal)  
There is a sign in the world! The temperature of water in one of the streams here was taken this morning and was found to be the warmest of the year and even though the snow is still on the ground, the water is so warm as to be almost unbearable to the touch. This is a very unusual occurrence and is due to the fact that the snow is melting so fast that it is almost impossible to find any snow left in the country.

### St. Patrick's Bridge Party

St. Patrick's Bridge Party was held at the bridge on Monday evening. The party was very successful and was attended by a large number of people. The party was very successful and was attended by a large number of people. The party was very successful and was attended by a large number of people.

### Entertains at Bridge

Mr. George E. Shroy entertained at bridge on Monday evening. The party was very successful and was attended by a large number of people. The party was very successful and was attended by a large number of people.

## LITTLE NEWSLETTERS

Miss David A. Wilson of Grand Rapids was with friends here this week. Mr. E. J. Johnson and wife of Escanaba spent the week end here with friends.

## FARM DEPARTMENT

By A. J. Johnson

Two Jones is the name of the general manager of Whitney Farms, formerly owned by the National Farm Company. Mr. Jones is a white collar superintendent, but he knows his way around and his way, and indications are that it will soon begin to pay dividends for its owners. Tom is a real farmer. He gets on with his crop and stands well with his neighbors. The farm comprises about 2500 acres and is divided into several sections under plow and in meadow. A forty acre orchard covers the hill back of the buildings. There are today sixty seven head of cattle on the place and the big cow barn is being remodeled to accommodate a herd more. There are about forty pigs. There are over a hundred acres in alfalfa, hay, potatoes, barley, and corn for silage are the main crops. The soil is a clay loam, soil too heavy with a mixture of small stones in the process of decay the happy hunting ground of hares, especially alfalfa. Four acre covered beds of potatoes were grown last year. Mr. Jones brought out a new strain of alfalfa, the alfalfa, a kind of spring tooth, cultivator is used on the meadow after the first cutting. It turns up the surface and pulls out weeds and exposes it to the sun and has the effect of keeping the fields clean of weeds. The alfalfa grows to within three weeks of its maturity.

A NATIONAL shrine—a George Rogers Clark memorial—is to be constructed at Vincennes, Ind., site of old Fort Sackville. It was Clark's capture of Vincennes from the British that made the old northwestern territory a part of the United States. The novel, "Alice of Old Vincennes" is based on the life of the American heroine. Senate has just authorized an appropriation of \$1,500,000 for the Clark memorial. The House is expected to act favorably.



Washington Inside Out

A Weekly Panorama or Glimpse of the National Capital by Peter Knappa. Special Correspondent for Delta Reporter.

THE RESOLUTION, sponsored by Senator Norris, Nebraska, to submit to the states a proposed amendment to the constitution to change the date for the inauguration of the President and also for having each Congress convene within a few weeks after a new President comes in, met with defeat in the House. It had passed the Senate, the House is now considering it.

CHARLES F. HILLES, head of the Republican Campaign League in New York, says that the campaign of Davis for the presidential nomination is regarded as a very risky business. He predicts that Davis will lose the election.

BOULDER DAM an actor on the Arizona. And because Herbert Hoover is in the United States, Hoover's delegates to the U. S. P. national convention.

THE SCRIPPS-Howard chain of newspapers, which have been recently bought by the Curtis administration, is supporting Hoover for the Republican ticket.

HERBERT HOOVER would have Republicans forget that he supported Woodrow Wilson's League for Peace and Democracy when he was in charge of the U. S. P. national convention.

CHARLES EVANS Hughes is being decided by Governor Al Smith as the expert in government and a most experienced politician to this station who has repeatedly rendered suspicious advice in his state and national.

"The S.A. peculiar kind of an institution. That is said of Senator Frank B. Rowland. He is an unusual person. Taken everything into account, and apparently hasn't the slightest grain of humor. And an Irishman without humor is indeed a peculiar case."

THE HOOVER trustees last night. The Vice President isn't making a move to get delegates. He is performing his daily duty as presiding officer of the Senate, as a believer in agricultural legislation, the Vice President is supporting a long time friend and a fellow Illinoisan. But if Rowland should drop out, what out for a seat to Deane. And what chance for the Hooverites is a reflection of the 1928 national convention.

The convention nominated Rowland for Vice President against his wishes. Rowland declined the nomination. Then the contest between Hoover and Deane. Hoover lost; Deane was nominated. And that might happen again.

IT IS being urged as a sign of weakness that Hoover choose to keep out of the primary in the agricultural states of the southwest. It is being said his failure to enter these primaries is an admission that

agriculture does not favor him. But Hoover believes it better to let the states choose their own candidates for a couple of weeks. It was the only issue she has experienced in several years.

THAT it takes the women to usher in the style of the season. They have to wear straw hats for at least three months before you see the men donning them.

## Gladstone Fruit Store

SPECIALS FOR FRIDAY AND SATURDAY  
Stange Creamery, 1 lb. 50c  
Local Lemons, each 10c  
GREEN STUFF  
Hot House Tomatoes, Celery, Green Peppers, Parsley, New Onions, Cucumbers, Green Onions, Spinach, Endive.  
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the famous Bellevue Ice Cream From Green Bay  
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## NEW HAT STYLES To Top Easter Turnouts MALLORY CRAVENETTE

IT ISN'T only the women who make Easter the date to show the new spring hat. Custom decrees the same for men. And in our fine assortment you'll find every shape and color correct for the new season—well edged, bound edge snap brim, and derby models.

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## OLSON & HANSON

Stop in for a sandwich, or a sunny dish of Ice Cream, and a nice cup of coffee.



## CONCERNED ABOUT SALARY Sederberg Case MAY BE PRESSED

M. H. DeWitt in Charlotte, N. C., the Republican professional day leader in the state, made a speech at Lansing the other evening in which he was particularly emphatic in his denunciation of the proposed law. He said that it takes a great deal of time to criticize any prohibition matter and especially one of Mr. Sederberg's integrity, honesty and ability, but we think that the facts alone are sufficient to keep the bill out of the conference and that the attempted bolstering of the case by false promises weakens the case and strengthens the argument. Following this explanation, Mr. DeWitt believes prohibition to be a great thing for this nation and that the 18th amendment should be retained and enforced but we are not so logical as to believe that every man who ever touched liquor is a villain and that every man who disagrees with us on the matter of enforcement is an enemy of the state. We do not agree with many that the 18th amendment is the only law in the land that all other citizens of the people should be made secondary to it. And that is a good point to be in mind. We have stood by and allowed the Anti-Saloon League to draft our laws on prohibition. We think now we look back through the long time that the average professional reformer is more concerned about his job than he is about the success of his work. It would be interesting to see the alarm in the ranks of the anti-dry if the time ever comes when the country is actually as dry as the law says it is. In other words, prohibition, as we now have it, is a satisfactory thing for the professional dryers on one side and the bootlegger on the other. The real question for the future of the country at large would be a complete elimination of the profits now going to reformers and violators. Which comment calls up the fact that a citizen with four violations of the liquor law draws the same punishment in Michigan as a Hotelier. And yet we are compelled to confer a friendship with several fairly respectable citizens who on occasion have been known to take a dignified drink of liquor. The Trouble With Him Charlie: That rich uncle of yours must have lots of vision to get where he is. Dick—Yes, but not much di-vision!



## SPECIAL LADIES COATS and SUITS \$1.50

For 2 More Days, Friday and Saturday we will clean and press Ladies Spring Coats or Suits for the SPECIAL low price of \$1.50 per coat or suit. Regular price \$1.75 to \$2.50. (Ensemble suits not included in this special price.) This is our Annual Special Week, preceding Easter to avoid the rush of the last few days, and we urge you to send in your coat right now. Phone 141 and our driver will call for and deliver your garment to any part of the city.

Dress Up for Easter Your last summer's coat or suit can be made to look just like new again with our process that removes all spots and puts the newness back into the material. We do not experiment with your garments.

## Escanaba Steam Laundry Cleaning & Dye Work Gladstone Branch

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VANDEWEGE HAS HIGH AVERAGE

Walter Vandeweghe has the highest individual average in the Gladstone Bowling League...

CHURCHES

St. Paul's Ev. Lutheran Church, Theophil Hoffman, pastor. 1:30 Sunday in Lent...

be a Christian? Do science and religion conflict? What are the olive trees and the two candlestick symbols of the Revelation...

BURT SAYS, NOTHING UNLUCKY ABOUT FRI. 13TH

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BRAMPTON

Helen Lancelot has returned from Hack Thursday where he has been employed for the winter...

ANNOUNCE HONOR FOR SENIOR-JUNIOR HIGH

Announcement of the honor students of both the Junior and Senior High Schools for the first term of the second semester...

June Rosenblum a. b. b. b. b. b. Jack Steple a. b. a. a. b. b. Junior Secord a. b. b. b. b. b. John Simpson b. b. b. b. b. b. 7th Grade...

Miss Eugina Peterson of Escanaba spent the week end as a guest of Miss Elsie Peterson.

GUNTER'S Cash Market

Phone 87 107 So. 10th SPECIALS FOR SATURDAY Choice savings on choice meats. Let this list help plan your dinner.

BOY SCOUTS MET

A meeting of the Boy Scouts of the Alice Memorial Methodist church was held Monday night in the parlors of the church...

The Model Cash Market

B. M. Ames 719 Delta Ave. Phone 8 "Model Meats is a Treat to Eat" More and more housewives insist on Model Meats...

SWEDISH LUTHERAN CHURCH

Rev. P. E. Palmquist, Pastor Sunday, March 25, 10:00 Morning Service. Special Music and singing by the choir...

ALICE MEMORIAL METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Rev. H. W. Colston, Pastor 10:00 Morning Service. Special Music and singing by the choir...

Want Column

FOR SALE: Lumber. Inquire Schavale Bros. at 1635-50-15. FOR RENT: Lower flat at 1500 Michigan. Inquire upstairs—53-01 Phone 292V.

SATURDAY Specials

No. 1 Fancy Santos Coffee, lb. 45c Old Time Coffee 1 lb. pkg. 48c Monarch Coffee 53c Hoffman Oats 25c Butter Krust Toast 45c...

Want Column

WANTED—Ambitious, industrious person to introduce and supply the demand for Rawleigh Household Products. Good openings everywhere. Make sales of \$150 to \$500 a month. Rawleigh Methods get business everywhere. No selling experience needed. We supply Sales and Advertising Literature and Service Methods. Profits increase every month. Low prices, good value, complete service. W. T. Rawleigh Co. Dept. MC2763, Minneapolis, Minn. 1633-49-34

SATURDAY Specials

Seedless Raisins 2-lb. pkg. 25c Good Prunes 2 lbs. for 25c Choice Apricots 35c Peaches, partly peeled 25c Eggs, dozen 35c 3 dozen for 1.00 LARD 5 lbs. for 73c Star Soap 10 bars for 57c Navy Beans, 1/2 lb. 12c 10 lbs. for 1.10 Campbell's Pork & Beans, 3 cans for 29c...



Buckeye Store

Phones, 57, 58, 59

Smart Sport Coats

Decidedly new for Sport or Travel With their wide self bolts, multiple pockets yoke shoulders and seamless backs.

THE HOOVER The World's Greatest Sweeper. Strictly Self Bearing. It must sell itself or don't keep it. Two sizes. See them on display or phone for demonstration.

GINGHAM DRESSES For girls, sizes 6 to 14, reg. 1.25 values. Special 99c and \$1.09

APRON PERCALE Fancy patterns, 36 inch wide, light and dark colors, special per yard 17c

DAISY MUSLIN, bleached, good grade, 36 in. wide, reg. 25c, special per yd. 21c OIL MOPS, good value, reg. \$1.00, 67c PLUTO WATER, reg. 25c, special per bottle 19c COOKIE CUTTER, improved Rotary style, reg. 35c, 29c TATTING EDGE, any color, makes attractive trimming for aprons or dresses, pkg. 7c KRINKLE CREPES, colors, white, yellow, pink, blue and Peach, special yd. 24c PUMPS, a patent strap pump, low heel, reg. 3.25 32.89 SHOES, for girls, colors brown or black, reg. 2.98, special 2.48 ELK SHOES, colors brown, a good work shoe solid leather sole and heel, reg. 2.45 \$1.98 HI-TOP SHOES, for men, color, white, leather heel and sole, reg. 4.95 \$3.98

NEW SPRING STYLES ARRIVING DAILY Come in and look them over. O'Donnell & Peters Make FIRST STEP SHOES, colors brown, black and tan, reg. 1.19, special 98c PUMPS, Patent Leather, with colored lining reg. 3.15 \$2.89

Home-Crest Floor Coverings ATTRACTIVELY beautiful living rooms are assured in HOME-CREST Floor Coverings. These superior rugs and carpets offer a wealth of exclusive patterns and rich color combinations to harmonize perfectly with your furnishings. You'll enjoy seeing some of the most recent effects now featured in our showing of these rugs and carpets.

SWENSON BROS. GLADSTONE, MICH. PHONE 37

Elof Hanson "Best Place to Trade After All" PHONE 48

### "En Passant"

Observations and Comment by Alice Fax

ONE OF OUR clergymen says he's just like an old steam engine. It takes him a long time to get started—no get his steam up—no get on the way. But when he does—look out! He's a high powered locomotive then. Guess they're all like that.

IT'S SPRING FEVER time, and soon the spring poets will be blossoming forth with their annual crop of masterpieces about the birds and the bees and the dandelions. The spring poet is just the opposite of the autumn poet. He can't control his eager spring thoughts any longer. He drifts along through the puffers all a single with the eye of spring time, even glad that there's a slash for him to slip in. He doesn't even know he's getting his feet wet as he is on his finding a word that will rhyme with spring, and means something to complete his latest outburst.

It's just an acute case of spring fever, that's all, so let's be more tolerant of the spring poet. The next time some friend who never writes any poetical, language before hands you a spring poem, think of his case of spring fever before you tell him you think of it. He's just putting his thoughts into print, while the rest of us are thinking the same things between our spring fever years.

DRUG STORES are about the nastiest place to while away moments while you're waiting to be waited upon. Folks read the headlines of the daily papers, look over the pictures on the covers of the magazines, extract a penny from the depths of their pocket and get weighed, wander about reading the notices of books and the poems on the framed mottoes.

In a grocery store it's different. There's everything to sharpen your appetite and you find yourself wondering how you're going to enjoy your next meal. If you pause there very long by the time you leave you feel like one of the sufferers in the "seven years of famine." A dry goods store, with its clothing displays, is bound to remind you of your own, scattered stockings that got speckled when you stepped in the last big puddle.

In a hardware store if you catch sight of a camp stove, or a picnic outfit with paper plates you've got spring fever for the rest of the day. Nope! A drug store's the place to do your waiting.

IT WAS BAD enough to have perfect strangers inquiring if our office was the Ford Garage, but now even the employees from Neptune stick their heads in and want to know if this is the Ford Garage, and when we're gonna get some Fords.

SCIENCE IS GETTING MORE wonderful all the time. Now it is predicted that in the far off dim future, (mostly dim future), coal will be burned right at the mines, and the heat piped to our homes. And to think that now we even have a hard time heating the upstairs. Science is more than wonderful.

"I WANT YOU TO STOP the paper," our subscriber called over the phone the other morning. Stop the paper? Nope, it can't be done. We can stop that one subscriber, but the paper—NEVER!

A MAN JUST RETURNED from a Chicago visit has it in for all taxi drivers, and one in particular. He thought because he had a passing acquaintance with this taxi driver, he would be entertained right royally.

And he was too. The driver descended to tell him funny stories as he watched the meter in the taxi mount, up and up forever upwards. Just as if any story could be

## Annual City Election

THE QUALIFIED ELECTORS OF THE CITY OF GLADSTONE WILL TAKE NOTICE THAT THE ANNUAL CITY ELECTION WILL BE HELD

**April 2, 1928**

between the hours of seven o'clock A. M. and eight o'clock P. M. at the polling places in the respective election precincts in the City of Gladstone, for the election of the following officers:

Two Commissioners to serve for terms of three years.  
One Constable to fill vacancy—one year.  
All as provided in the City Charter heretofore adopted. The following is a list of the persons duly nominated for the respective offices as heretofore certified by the City Clerk.

**FOR COMMISSIONERS—**  
JAMES H. MURPHY     PETER PETERSON

**FOR CONSTABLE**  
VACANCY—ONE YEAR

At the places in the several Precincts of said City as indicated below, viz:

1st Precinct—Polling place on 5th Street  
2nd Precinct—Polling place at City Hall on Minnesota ave.  
3rd Precinct—Polling place on 9th St. N. of Delta Ave.  
4th Precinct—Polling place on 16th St. between Michigan and Wisconsin Ave.

F. R. BUECHNER, City Clerk

### ROCK NEWS

Lillian Larson Correspondent

Mr. and Mrs. Alden Trombly transacted business in Escanaba Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Alaska were Escanaba visitors Tuesday.

Mrs. A. M. Nelson of Brimpton visited relatives here Tuesday.

Miss Olga Kivasto spent an Escanaba business caller Friday.

George DuPra left Saturday for Chicago where he will be employed.

Mrs. John Emberg and Mrs. Victor Alaska have returned from a week end visit with relatives in Escanaba.

Miss Olga Kivasto spent Wednesday and Thursday with relatives and friends in Negaunee and Marquette.

Miss Marguerite LeVan was a week end visitor in Ishpeming.

Burton Nelson of Brimpton was a local visitor Friday.

A large crowd attended the motion picture show entitled "40,000 Miles with Lindbergh" staged at the high school auditorium Friday evening.

Miss Olga Larson spent Sunday with relatives in Escanaba.

Rev. and Mrs. Otto Kaarto of Negaunee, Rev. and Mrs. W. J. Koken of Republic, Rev. K. Ekonen of Wakarusa, Miss Martha Mattson of Ishpeming and Miss Laula Kaleva of Republic were local visitors Tuesday.

Miss Dorothy Cahoon of Perkins visited friends here Saturday.

Mrs. Otto Larson and daughter were Escanaba callers Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. August Aalto and son Leslie left Saturday for Kalama-zoo where they will spend the summer months.

Miss Florence DeCramer has returned to her home in Perkins after spending a few days with her daughter here.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Brehmer entertained a large number of friends at their home Saturday evening. Cards were the chief diversion, high honors in five hundred going to Otto Larson and Mrs. Ed. Johnson, while consultations were awarded to George Weingartner and Mrs. Mike Kirby.

A delicious luncheon was served at midnight.

Mr. John LaCombe was an Escanaba caller Friday.

### ENSGIN NEWS

Mrs. Bianche Tammert

Mrs. Sigvald Kallasten entertained the members of the Home Economics Club at her home on Tuesday.

Ulle Magnusson was a Sunday caller from Nahma.

Sadie, Ruth and Roy Anderson visited at Sigfrida in Stoughton Sunday.

Miss Chas Parkman was in Escanaba this week to receive medical aid.

John Hardwick was among the Monday callers in Ensing.

Mr. and Mrs. Archer Forest of Rapid River were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Anders Barken on Thursday.

Herman Weber has returned home from a visit in Stoughton.

Mr. Halvorson of Gladstone is busy packing at Magnusson's this week.

The Andrew Johnson family spent Sunday with relatives in Alton.

Josephine Burczakowski entertained friends at her home Sunday.

Margaret Louman of Escanaba spent the week end at her home here.

## A Plain Talk About House Paint

For three years we have been having a moderate priced White House Paint—we have kept careful check on the soles of this material and have had absolutely no complaints from customers who have used it but have had many compliments regarding its covering capacity and durability.

This paint is not sold as a strictly Pure Lead & Zinc paint—it contains a small percentage of Silica which is really a finely pulverized white rock which has good spreading and wearing qualities when mixed with Linseed Oil. The exact formula is printed on the label of each can so that you know exactly what you are paying for.—The good reports that customers gave regarding this paint induced us to stock it for this year in six popular colors and we now offer

**White Seal Mixed Paint**  
in the following colors in quart, 1/2 gallon and 1 gallon cans

**IVORY** 75¢ per quart  
**CREAM**  
**MEDIUM YELLOW**  
**LEATHER BROWN** 75¢ per quart  
**TRUE GRAY**  
**LIGHT GREEN**  
**WHITE** \$2.75 per gallon

Come in and look at a color card.  
"You'll be surprised."

## H. W. Blackwell

HARDWARE

WE STATE it as our honest belief that the tobaccos used in Chesterfield cigarettes are of finer quality and hence of better taste than in any other cigarette at the price.  
LEGGETT & MYERS TOBACCO CO.

### HARRY DARLING, 13, GETS BOUNTY ON TEN RATS

Harry, thirteen year son of Lyman Darling, 434 1/2 Superior St., called at the City Office Monday afternoon with a shopping bag that contained ten big rats, and he was after his ten cent bounty. He said he'd been catching rats in traps.

Capital might do more business if he would exchange his low for a popgun.



TONIGHT and FRIDAY  
**"LOVES OF CARME"**  
Comedy:  
"Horns and Orange Blossoms"  
Novelty: "Six South"



SATURDAY NIGHT  
**TOM MIX**  
and Tony, the wonder horse, in

SUNDAY—Matinee and Evening  
The Leap Year Picture  
**MARION DAVIES in "The Patsy"**  
with **MARIE DRESSLER, LAWRENCE GRAY**  
A KING VIDOR production  
When Marion Davies remembered it was leap year, all bets were off in the great heart-throb handicap. You'll laugh your head off at the way she gets her man.  
Comedy: "JOLLY JILTERS" Crazy Kat Karstoon: On the Trail  
Matinee 2:30—10:25¢ Eve. 7:15-9 p. m. 10c-30c

MONDAY and TUESDAY



ONE OF THE WORLD'S GREAT ROMANCES  
Lawless men, elemental passions—and yet in the far reaches of the North woods flowers a great love.  
You'll be moved and thrilled by the film as were Broadway audiences for two solid years by the musical play.  
with **JOAN CRAWFORD, JAMES MURRAY, HOUSE PETERS**



Also Comedy: "Please Don't" and Paramount News  
7:15-9 p. m. Prices 10-35c  
WEDNESDAY **BILLIE DOVE in "The Heart of a Follies Girl"**  
Comedy: Spanish Omelet Novelty: Yosemite  
COMING NEXT THURSDAY and FRIDAY The Original "PASSION PLAY"  
The Life of Christ Added Attraction  
"WHEN DAWN CAME"

**BILL THE BARBER SAYS**

The appeal women love is "checks appeal"

## IN 13 MONTHS... NEARLY A MILLION MEN HAVE CHANGED TO CHESTERFIELD!

AND HERE'S WHY:

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TOWNSHIP 48 NORTH OF RANGE 2 WEST

TOWNSHIP 48 NORTH OF RANGE 3 WEST

TOWNSHIP 48 NORTH OF RANGE 4 WEST

TOWNSHIP 48 NORTH OF RANGE 5 WEST

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