

MAKE READY FOR MESSAGE

CONGRESS ORGANIZES AND SETS STAGE FOR RECEIVING PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE TODAY

(Special to The Press.)
Washington, D. C., Dec. 6.—The sixty-fourth congress of the United States met and organized today in a flurry of political and legislative excitement. The formal organization of both houses was accomplished and arrangements made for the joint session tomorrow when President Wilson will submit his message, which is expected to be the most important communication of the administration.

In the House some 2,100 bills and resolutions were introduced during the day's business. Six hundred were public measures and the remainder were private and pension bills.

The Democrats re-elected speaker Clark in the House and President pro Tempore Clark in the Senate.

Congress received from the secretary of the treasury, estimates which contemplate the greatest governmental expenditures ever planned for the year of 1917. The estimates call for total appropriations aggregating \$1,285,857,808.16. About \$375,000,000 of this is chargeable to the self supporting postal service and the sinking fund on public debt. The total amount to be provided out of current funds is \$908,765,929.16, and this must be secured through some sort of taxation or by the issue of bonds.

CHILD WAS NEAR DEATH

Little Jane Jacobson, the two and a half year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Jacobson, 321 South Wolcott st., narrowly escaped being burned to death at the home of the family yesterday. While it is believed she was playing with matches taken from the pocket of her father's overcoat, that had been thrown over the foot of the child's bed, the little tot set fire to the bed clothing. The bed was equipped with high sides but in some manner the child managed to climb over the side to the floor with but the curls at the back of her head being singed, and sustaining a slight burn on one leg. Mrs. Jacobson was engaged in the basement at the home and when the child reached the mother she continued to repeat something about "Daddy's coat." Mrs. Jacobson detected the odor of smoke and rushed to the second floor, where the bed where the child had been sleeping was a mass of flames.

The upper floor of the house was filled with a dense smoke and it was only with difficulty that Mrs. Jacobson was able to make her way to an adjoining room where another child was sleeping. Firemen were called and the flames in the sleeping room were extinguished with chemicals.

HELD FUNERAL HERE YESTERDAY

The funeral of Harry Penn, who was found dead in his berth aboard a boat here last week, was held at the undertaking rooms of J. A. Allo yesterday afternoon. Rev. W. J. Dutton, rector of St. Stephen's Episcopal church, officiated at the service. Interment was at Lakeview cemetery.

FINNS BOUND OVER ON ROBBERY CHARGE

Yesterday afternoon the three Finns, Andrew Hill, Paul Seola and Victor Halberg who on Thursday night, it is alleged, beat up and robbed Frank Maka, were taken before Justice McEwen and bound over to circuit court. The three men were taken to the county jail to await the January term of court.

TRAVELING MEN MAKING PLANS

Plans for the big booster meeting of the traveling men of the surrounding district were discussed on Sunday morning when about fifty of the Knights of the Grip held a meeting at the Del's hotel. The meeting will be held during the holidays. The committee was appointed and will again meet next Sunday when the final arrangements will be perfected. The committee members are: A. G. Lenz, Frank Barnhart, and A. T. Hoffman.

DEATH CAME SUDDENLY

Leaving the home of her parents at Gladstone two weeks ago with her husband to spend the winter in Florida, Mrs. Clyde Yoakam was enjoying perfect health. On Sunday a telegram was received by the parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Gagner, of Gladstone, announcing her death, after being ill for but a few hours, at Washington, D. C. A telegram was received on Saturday announcing that she had been taken suddenly ill and that her condition was serious but the parents were wholly unprepared to receive the announcement of the death, which followed.

The body will be received at Gladstone this morning and will be taken to the home of the parents. Definite arrangements for the funeral will be made today.

Mr. Yoakam is engaged as chauffeur for George Shiras, of Marquette, and he with his wife, were enroute for the south to remain for the winter, when they visited at the Gagner home two weeks ago. They also stopped enroute at Lima, O., to visit Mr. Yoakam's parents and then proceeded to Washington to remain for a short time.

They had been in the national capital for but a few days when Mrs. Yoakam became seriously ill and her death followed in a few hours in spite of the efforts of eminent physicians to save her life.

The body will be accompanied here today by Mr. Yoakam together with his father and sister.

WILL REPEAT BIG MINSTREL SHOW

The St. Anne's Minstrel show that played to a banner house a week ago will be repeated for the benefit of the Christmas committee of the St. Anne's school. Thursday is the day for the encore of the performance and it will be held in the St. Anne's Hall.

The purchasing committee for the Christmas tree celebration is as follows: chairman, Miss Lillian Grenier, Miss Grace Cassette and Adelle Houle. The decorating committee for the event is chairman, Miss Irene Villemure. She will be assisted by the following young women: Misses Della La Rose, Helen Moreau, May Greene, Emma Beaudoin, Eva Clement, Blanche Pintal, Loretta Belanger, Evelyn Marchand and Burnadette Joint.

E. & L.S. TEAM TAKES SERIES

The Escanaba & Lake Superior Railway company's bowling squad last night ran away with the newly organized Bankers' bowling team, coping a series of three games by a margin of 85 pins. The total scores for the two teams were as follows: E. & L. S. 2529; Bankers 2444. The individual scores were as follows:

E. & L. S.		
LeMire	203	155
Desnoyers	145	119
Jensen	197	175
Haberle	146	180
Wicking	200	186
Totals	891	815
Bankers		
Nelson	162	169
Schmit	165	152
Wickman	172	158
Noreus	150	128
Moersch	194	179
Totals	823	816

PARTICULARS ARE SET UP

GOVERNMENT HAS MUCH INFORMATION AGAINST BOY-ED AND PAPPEN HANDLED MILLIONS

(Special to The Press.)
New York, Dec. 6.—The International News Service is enabled to present the government's bill of particulars against Captain Boy-Ed and von Pappen. From the forest of facts furnished by official sources, the following epitome of the situation can be given:

First—The government has established by documentary evidence that the accused attaches and captain Franz von Rintelen together planned and partly executed enterprises involving tens of millions of dollars.

Second—Those enterprises included the instigation of widespread labor disorders and of a Huerta-directed revolution in Mexico.

In a statement today United States Attorney Marshall, charged that the labor national peace council was financed with money "supplied by von Rintelen through David Lamar." Lamar is the notorious "wolf of Wall Street."

Huerta, according to the informant, was to gain a footing in Mexico, and Germany planned to establish a submarine base there.

KID WILLIAMS HELD TO DRAW

(Special to The Press.)
New Orleans, La., Dec. 6.—Kid Williams, bantamweight champion of the world, and Frankie Burns, the former rival, fought twenty hard rounds to a draw here tonight.

The Boy Scouts will hold an important meeting at Mr. Davidson's room at the high school on Wednesday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

TWO TEAMS WILL BATTLE TONIGHT

The outcome of the bowling match between the Dentists and the Druggists of the city is being awaited with much interest. A few days ago the Dentists defeated the Doctors by a large majority of pins in three games. The Druggists claim that they will spring a surprise on their rivals when they clash in a three game series at the Deift Club tonight. It is expected that a large crowd will be in attendance to cheer their favorites on to victory.

LECTURER WILL COME

"Schools as Social Centers," will be the subject of an address delivered before members of the Escanaba Woman's Club at the Pythian hall tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock by Mrs. H. Purvin of Chicago. Mrs. Purvin was formerly president of the Jewish Aid and Relief Society of Chicago, one of the most prominent charitable organizations of that city and is at present chairman of one of the committees of the Chicago Woman's Civic Club. She is a speaker of ability and will have an interesting message to deliver to members of the local club. Guests may be invited to the meeting of tomorrow by the club members but the customary fee of 25 cents will be charged for each guest.

Dominick Boyle and Hugh Burke returned from Marquette Sunday after attending the funeral of Michael Boyle who was killed at Big Bay, Mich.

Francis Thurtell, father of W. Thurtell of this city, died yesterday morning at Traverse City, according to a telegram received yesterday.

SITUATION IS AGAIN GRAVE

U. S. REFUSES TO GIVE GERMANY RECALL OF NAVAL AND MILITARY ATTACHES

(Special to The Press.)
Washington, D. C., Dec. 6.—The gravity of the issue between the United States and Germany over the recall of the recall of Captain Boy-Ed and Captain von Pappen, naval and military attaches of the German embassy, was increased today when the state department let it be known it would refuse Germany's request for evidence on which it based the demand for the removal of the officers.

Ambassador von Bernstorff raised the point of national honor, in requesting the information, and his representations to the state department were particularly urgent. He insisted that Germany is entitled to have all the facts, so that it can judge whether the action of the United States constituted an "unfriendly act" or whether the desired banishment of the attaches was justified by their alleged "improper activities in military and naval matters."

It was learned at the state department today that both the United States and Great Britain agree that the United States would not be compelled under international law or tradition to provide safe passage for the attaches any farther than the "frontiers of the United States."

MASONS GO TO MARQUETTE TODAY

A number of Escanaba's consistory Masons will go to Marquette this morning to attend the ceremonial sessions of the Francis M. Moore consistory, which opens today in the Lake Superior City and continue through Thursday meeting of Ahmed temple No. 4 of the Mystic Shrine will be held.

BASKETBALL SEASON IS LOOMING UP

Prospects for a fast basket-ball team for the Escanaba high school are exceedingly bright this year. About thirty candidates were on the practice yesterday afternoon. Coach Hutto started out by teaching the lads the rudiments of the game and will continue to do so until such time that the game is so well known by the boys that they can begin some real team work. Several of last year's team are out and the chances for a successful season are exceedingly bright.

A PIONEER IS CALLED

John Carroll, a resident of Delta county and the peninsula for more than a half a century, passed away yesterday at a local hospital after being critically ill for the past week. For the past few years Mr. Carroll had not enjoyed good health, and his condition gradually grew more serious and a week ago he was moved from his home at 208 South Fannie street, to the hospital that he might receive every possible care. The aged patient gradually lost strength and yesterday morning he passed peacefully away, succumbing to a complication of diseases caused by advanced age.

Mr. Carroll was born in Ireland 76 years ago. He came to America with his parents when a child of two years. The family located in New York and he remained in that state until in 1862 when he came to the peninsula. He was a master carpenter and for a number of years was engaged as superintendent of the mine "Imbering work at Republic, later at Vulcan and at Hurley and Ironwood.

He came to Escanaba about 20 years ago and since that time he had made this city his home continuously. For a number of years he was engaged as a carpenter in this city but his advanced years finally forced him into a life of retirement a few years ago.

He had a host of friends in this city and throughout the peninsula, where he had resided. He enjoyed the esteem of all who knew him and his death is sincerely mourned by a host of people.

Mr. Carroll is survived by his wife, and two daughters, Mrs. Marshall Brooks of Missoula, Mont., and Miss Naomi Carroll, of this city. In addition he is survived by one sister, Mrs. Albert Dodge, of Negaunee.

Funeral services will be conducted over the body at St. Patrick's church at 9 o'clock on Thursday morning.

PHONE BOOTH AT STATION ROBBED

Between Saturday night at 10 o'clock and 4:40 Sunday morning the telephone booth of the North Western station was broken into and the contents taken. The money was taken out of the box for the last time on Nov. 29, so it is believed the night prowler got away with about \$10. This is about the tenth time that the booth was broken into and in each case the man has made his getaway. After this a strict watch will be kept on the station and any suspicious characters hanging around will immediately be escorted to the police station.

WORKING HARD FOR SCHOOL PLAY

The high school play, "A Modern Cinderella," which is to be given on the afternoon of Dec. 17th, is being rehearsed each evening after school.

The different roles seem to be very well taken and much interest is being shown by the student body in the final presentation.

Miss Frances Ryan, Miss Henry and Mr. Mark Bailey are the sponsors for the play.

The H. S. Basket Ball team are endeavoring to book a series of games which will take them on an extended tour during the holidays.

HIT ALLIES IN BALKANS

BULGARS AND GERMANS OPEN STIFF OFFENSIVE AGAINST ANGLO-FRENCH FORCES

(Special to The Press.)
London, Dec. 6.—The Bulgarians and Germans are furiously attacking the Anglo-French troops in southern Serbia, according to Saloniki dispatches tonight. The main offensive is being concentrated on the Valandovo sector, where the Bulgarians are operating with large forces. Two German divisions have arrived at Strumitza and are co-operating with the Balkan allies.

(Special to The Press.)
London, Dec. 6.—A revolutionary movement has been initiated among the socialists of Saloniki, according to a Berner Tagwacht report, transmitted from Bern, Switzerland, to the Exchange Telegram company here.

COUNTY PIONEER WAS SUMMONED

After residing in this vicinity for the past 50 years, Peter Budinger of Flat Rock died yesterday at the St. Francis hospital. Gangrene was the cause of death.

Mr. Budinger came to the district about 50 years ago from Germany and has lived on his farm at Flat Rock for the past thirty years. The deceased was well known throughout the county. He is survived by three daughters and two sons. They are Mrs. Charles Hamilton of Rapid River, Mrs. Robert Murray of Hibbing, Minn., Mrs. Ida Hoffman and John and George of this city. The funeral will take place at 9 o'clock Thursday morning at the St. Joseph's church.

The body has been prepared for burial at the undertaking rooms of J. A. Allo and will remain at that place until the hour of the funeral.

MRS. YOUNG HAS A PLAN

Aroused by a statement recently made in press dispatches that the government might be forced to seize the iron mines and steelplants should a sudden necessity for steel products confront the nation, Mrs. George Young of this city, proposed a novel plan to Joseph Daniels, secretary of the navy. Mrs. Young proposed that the government take over ore bearing lands in this vicinity, now idle and erect iron and steel plants here to provide for any future contingency that might develop. Mrs. Young has received the following letter from Secretary Daniels:

Dear Madam:
I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 23rd ultimo, suggesting that the government acquire iron mines in the Upper Peninsula of Michigan, and control their output with a view of utilizing the ore in connection with government owned armor plate and blast iron furnaces.

I thank you for bringing this matter to the department's attention and for the interest you have manifested.

Sincerely yours,
Joseph Daniels,
Sec. of Navy

"Judge Not That Ye Be Not Judged"

The following communication was received by the Press yesterday:

The unhappy premature death of a member of the crew of an ore boat, through a protracted spree, alleged to have started at Ashtabula, Ohio, and to have ended in this harbor, gives the editor of the Escanaba Journal occasion to gloat over the unfortunate victim and consign him to Hell. As usual instead of blaming the sad occurrence on the lack of self-control of the individual, the Journal reviles the men engaged in the liquor traffic.

Forgetting that similar occurrences are the natural product of an age when many parents, and even many religious teachers, waste their time in useless political agitation, and neglect the training of children and youth in true temperance which is self-control, not the forcible restraint imposed from the outside.

Presumably the only authority on which the editor of the Journal relies in pronouncing the sentence and judging his fellow man is 1 Cor. 6:9:10 "drunkards shall not inherit the kingdom of God." But we would respectfully entreat the editor to read the entire passage. It ends "Nor drunkards, nor revilers nor extortioners, shall inherit the Kingdom of God." If drunkards go to Hell so do the revilers, the little puts them in the same class.

"NO SALOON MEANS GIVING THE CHILDREN A SQUARE DEAL"

If a statement revealing greater ignorance or a more sinister attempt to deceive the public, has ever been put in cold type, than the above which appeared as a boldhead-line on the front page of the Journal, I have escaped our notice.

The people of Maine, who have been cursed with prohibition for 64 years, can testify to the "Square Deal," as the Journal calls it.

Wm. H. Pennell of Portland, Maine, Sheriff of Cumberland county, in his last report, said "Closing the saloon simply scatters the liquor traffic throughout the tenement districts and there the children of the poor come in closest contact with it. It is to this class of children, above all others, that the greatest amount of protection from evil influence should be given; children who could not enter a licensed saloon become active factors in the illegal traffic carried on in the houses."

IS THIS THE SQUARE DEAL THE JOURNAL REFERS TO?

Hampton's Magazine for September also throws some light on the "square deal" for the children in Maine where they have banished the saloon.

"Strict enforcement doubles the number of bar-rooms. The liquor goes into the homes of the poor. Women sell to men and little children become agents. Young men become peddlers of poisonous spirits. A split is a mixture of bad alcohol sometimes wood alcohol, water, a dash of rum and some coloring matter. It results in blind, crazy drunkenness."

"On the ground floor of the house you will find a trap door just large enough for a little child to be let down into the cellar and pass up the planks."

CAN THIS BE THE JOURNAL'S "SQUARE DEAL"?

"It is peddled in dirty glasses to the families in the tenement, to laboring men on their way to work, and to fellows with girls. The children peddle to passers-by, direct them to rear rooms, pick up empty bottles, and watch for deputies."

"During one year and four months of enforced prohibition the principal of the Center street public school estimated that 1,000 children were engaged in the liquor traffic as peddlers, announcers and look-outs."

TALK ABOUT YOUR "SQUARE DEAL" FOR CHILDREN

The police matron of Portland reported 654 boys and girls arrested in one year for peddling whiskey and for drunkenness.

IS THAT GIVING THE CHILDREN A "SQUARE DEAL"?

Rev. Pierre E. Dupont of St. Joseph's church, Bangor, Maine, writes: "Those who speak of the prohibition law and its efficacy in prohibiting the sale of liquor, either know not what they are talking about or willfully misrepresent the facts."

Rev. Leonard W. Lott of Bangor, Maine, writes of condition in Maine. "Last year I accepted my charge here after ministering to a church in New Orleans for twenty years. In all of the time of my pastorate in that city I never saw so much intoxication as I have since last May in Bangor."

And they have not had a licensed saloon for sixty four years.

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

Local Office Weather Bureau

Escanaba, Mich., Dec. 7, 1915.
For Escanaba and Vicinity: Tuesday partly cloudy and warmer; moderate variable winds.

Highest temperature yesterday 33 degrees.
Lowest temperature yesterday 27 degrees.

Precipitation yesterday 0 inches.

Temperatures at even hours yesterday:

2 a. m. 27	12 noon 30
4 a. m. 26	2 p. m. 33
6 a. m. 27	4 p. m. 32
8 a. m. 28	6 p. m. 30
10 a. m. 29	8 p. m. 29
Temperatures at even hours one year ago yesterday:	
2 a. m. 30	12 noon 33
4 a. m. 30	2 p. m. 36
6 a. m. 29	4 p. m. 36
8 a. m. 29	6 p. m. 35
10 a. m. 32	8 p. m. 35

Precipitation one year ago yesterday 0 inches.



You've just 16 more days in which to spend your money.

We have with us this morning—but why go into details—it's the sixty-fourth congress.

Something more than 18,000,000 people attended the Panama Pacific exposition; definite proof that a lot of people had some money to spend in spite of this little business depression through which we have been passing.

It develops that "Auntie" even made a mighty poor guess in predicting what Judge Flannigan's decision would be in the Menominee county jury case.

ASSURANCES THAT DON'T ASSURE
Lucien Henry, a French diplomat and publicist who is now in this

country, joins with Lord Roseberry in deploring America's tendency to prepare herself for self-defense. Arguing that the demand for increased armament is without reason, M. Henry asserts that "the United States has only one thing to do, and that is to mind her own internal affairs."
America, it seems to us, has been closely minding her own affairs, and certainly she has tried to keep out of the affairs of the nations now at war. But while she was not interfering with them, they have been interfering in marked measure with her. Her rights on the sea have been violated by the chief nations on both sides in utter disregard of international law. Her sons and daughters have been killed; her ships have been captured and her commerce has been molested and partly destroyed. Earnestly desiring to remain at peace, this country has been compelled to face the threat of war in one quarter, and, it may be said, she now faces the threat of war in another quarter. If she think twice before committing any serious act against her honor or her rights.
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GALT-WILSON WEDDING DEC. 18.

Washington, Dec. 6.—President Wilson, and Mrs. Galt will be married December 18, in Mrs. Galt's home here, was the formal announcement made today.
The only guests will be Mrs. Galt's mother, her brothers and her sister, the President's brother and sister, his daughters and members of his immediate household. No invitation will be issued.

THINK BULGARS WILL SOON HIT AT ALLY FORCES

London, Dec. 6.—The Amsterdam Havas agency from Athens dated Thursday says:
"Monastir was occupied at 3 o'clock this afternoon."

London, Dec. 4.—The second phase of the Balkan campaign is developing slowly. It is expected, however, that with the conclusion of the operations against Serbia and the occupation of Monastir, the whole Bulgarian army, when the weather permits, will attempt to drive the British and French forces out of southern Serbia, while the Austrians continue their efforts to overrun Montenegro, and the Germans, with the aid of the Turks, and what Bulgarians and Austrians can be spared, turn their attention to the Russians, who again are reported to have entered Roumanian territory on their way to Bulgaria.

A report from France that part of the German army is going to the Gallipoli peninsula to assist the Turks in a great effort to drive the entente allies from the peninsula is hardly credited in military circles here, where it is not believed that they can spare the men, guns and ammunition for such a venture. The Turks, it is true, have been displaying more activity recently in the Dardanelles, but this they are believed to have been doing more with ammunition which they have been collecting during the quiet period than with any fresh supply from Germany.
Rustchuk, on the Danube, west of the Roumanian border, in the opinion of well-advised persons here, is to be the point of concentration for the Germans, both as a warning to Roumania that it would be dangerous for her to join the entente allies and to meet any Russian advance.

There is conflict in the speculation here regarding the position of Greece. Some dispatches say a satisfactory agreement has been reached between the entente allies and the Hellenic Kingdom, while others aver that the situation is so unsatisfactory that the entente allies have reestablished their restrictions on Greek commerce.
There have been no important developments on the Russian, Italian or French fronts, although the Italians claim some minor successes in their campaign against the Austrians.

Naturally much interest is displayed in the peace talk emanating from neutral countries and the proposed debate in the reichstag next week, when the imperial chancellor is to be asked whether he is prepared to state the terms on which Germany would suggest placing the question of future Europe in the hands of diplomats.
From neither the press nor public does the talk of ending the war find any encouragement. The daily newspapers and the weekly reviews in discussing the matter, reiterate that the war must continue until Germany is defeated.

REPORTS STATE WHITLOCK CAN'T GO BACK TO POST

Paris, Dec. 6.—A dispatch to the correspondent of the Exchange Telegraph company, sends the following:
"Advices from Rozeendaal (Holland) state that Belgium newspapers and the German censorship has been ordered to announce that Brand Whitlock (United States minister to Belgium) will not return to Brussels. The news has been received with consternation throughout Belgium. It is believed that Gen. von Bissing (German governor general of Belgium) desired to have Mr. Whitlock ousted and that he is also pressing for the immediate removal of the American and Spanish legations from Brussels to Havre, where the Belgium government is."
Not known in Washington
Washington, Dec. 4.—Secretary Lansing announced several weeks ago that the German military authorities had given assurances that the departure of Minister Whitlock to return to his post at the expiration of his leave and so far as is known there has been no change in this plan.

SON ATTENDS FUNERAL OF BANKER IN CHARGE OF DEPUTY SHERIFF.

Longmont, Cal., Dec. 6.—Benzie C. Dickens, son of William H. Dickens, wealthy banker, killed by a shot fired through a window of his home Tuesday night, was taken into custody in connection with his father's death. Young Dickens attended the funeral of his parent in custody of Deputy Marshal Miller.

Bear This in Mind
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NEAL OF THE NAVY

LAST EPISODE

Other Selected Reels

ITALY FAVORS WARRING UNTIL OBJECT IS WON

Rome, Dec. 6.—The chamber of deputies today discussed the statement made yesterday by Baron Sonnino, the foreign minister, all the speakers being in favor of it. Even Deputy Treves, representing the intransigent Socialists, delivered a moderate speech. Some parts of Deputy Treves' address drew applause from all sections of the chamber. He was applauded when he said that the Socialist propaganda for the moral, intellectual and economic uplifting of the standard of the people had been one of the factors which contributed to give the nation such brave soldiers, backed by such discipline and by such determined masses at home.
The speaker deplored the deaths and the ruin caused by the war. He declared that only the capitalists profit by the conflict, especially Americans, who will become master of the European markets.
Baron Sonnino expressed the hope that the re-establishment of cordial relations with Greece would insure safety and liberty in the movement of the troops of the entente allies in Macedonia. At another point in his speech the foreign minister made this declaration:
"The existence of the political and economic independence of Serbia is a vital necessity for Italy's existence as a great power. In accord with our allies, we consider the restoration of the heroic Serbian people in the fullness of its independence as an unavoidable condition to the end of this great war."
Italy, therefore, said Baron Sonnino, would do all possible to help the Serbian people, awaiting a moment favorable for its resurrection.
The presence of the Italian flag on the eastern side of the Adriatic, he said, also would confirm Italy's policy toward Albania, Italy wishing to preserve Albanian independence.
Baron Sonnino, concluded his speech as follows:
Italy is firmly determined to continue the war vigorously with all her forces, facing any sacrifice until she reaches her sacred national aspirations as well as those general conditions of independence, safety and mutual respect between peoples, which alone can be the base of a lasting peace and being also the essence of the pledge which unites the allies."

WILLARD NAMED CO-RESPONDENT

Detroit, Dec. 6.—"Who is this Jess Willard?" asked Judge Hosmer after Frank L. Folsey, five feet in height and weight 120 pounds, was mentioned several times as his wife's ideal. There was a big laugh in the courtroom. Then Judge Hosmer remembered, smiled and said:
"Oh, you mean Big Jess, the prize fighter."
Folsey said the court was right and continued his story of how Jess Willard unconsciously broke up his home. The husband said that his wife was out to "101 Ranch" every day it showed, with her camera.
"She was constantly trying to get a picture of the big prize fighter," said Folsey "She told me that she went out in parties with Jess and that she had a great time. I didn't believe it though."
Folsey said that his wife would come home, look down on him and say:
"You little runt, you're the most disgusting thing I ever looked at."
"I can't understand why I married you. Why can't other men be as big and good looking as dear Jess. He is a fine looking fellow—big shoulders, wonderful chest, powerful arms and many face. Oh how he resembles the old Grecian athletes—big, bold and brave."
Folsey said that his wife would then stand and gaze at a picture of Willard with her hands clasped across her chest and then close her eyes as she murmured something about a big powerful and good man.
A degree was granted.

CRISIS NOT OVER ACTION IS URGED

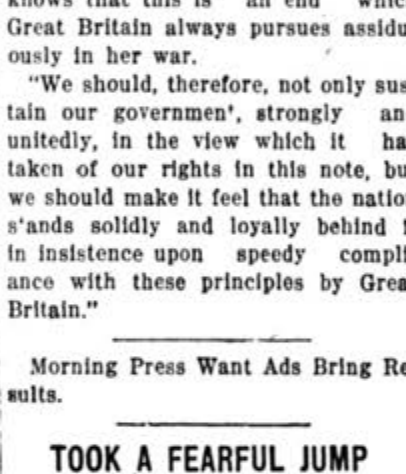
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U.S. NOTE TO LONDON CALLED IRREFUTABLE

New York, Dec. 6.—America has the right to trade with all the belligerent, says John W. Burgess, authority on international law and former Roosevelt professor of American history at the University of Berlin, writing in The Evening Mail.
Dr. Burgess believes the last note to England to be "entirely correct in form and irrefutable in substance," but holds that it underscores our right.
"This country has always upheld the principles of the note and the contention of the British government that we compromised them, even in the slightest degree, through our practice

TOOK A FEARFUL JUMP

Mounted on a horse, "Art" Davis, appearing in the film version of "Carmen," rode off a precipice 83 feet high into Au Sable chasm in the Adirondacks. The wild leap terminated in a pool of water dotted by sharp crags of rock. Both horse and rider struck the water together, turned two complete somersaults, and one of the five cameramen assigned to cover the daring scene fainted as horse and rider fell. Davis received a broken leg and many bruises and lacerations. The horse was uninjured and swam ashore.



SOMERS MAY SELL HIS CLUB

Cleveland, Dec. 6.—It was admitted today by George P. Steele, head of the bankers committee, which is handling the affairs of C. W. Somers, owners of the American League Baseball club here, and by Somers, that Ben Johnson, president of the league, is coming to Cleveland next week from Chicago to confer with the bankers with Somers as to financial matters which are confronting the club, and that the club may be sold.
"We have asked Johnson to come to Cleveland to talk over the situation," Steele said today, "If Johnson can convince us that better things are in store for the club all well and good but we must be shown. If it can be demonstrated to us that it should be fair to Somers to sell the club, the bankers' committee will give it due consideration."
Somers voiced the same sentiment. He said: "I would hate to part with the club, but would do so if the right kind of an offer were made."

AMERICAN DYE PLANTS ARE GROWING RAPIDLY.

Pittsburgh, Dec. 6.—Dr. Raymond F. Bacon director of the Mellon Institute of industrial research of the University of Pittsburgh, declared that the 100 most essential dyes and the 100 most essential drugs, the supply which had been cut off by the war, are now being made in the United States. He said America did not intend at present to make the thousands of coal tar dyes and medicinal products which have been made in Germany, but the most important ones would be manufactured here. As an instance of the rapid growth of the chemical industry he said that four companies have recently been formed in the Pittsburgh district, and that two of the plants have already been opened. He advised tariff protection for the dye industry.

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People You Know; Things You Don't

Miss Agnes Fisher of the high school faculty returned this morning from Iowa City, Iowa where she was called by the serious illness of her brother.

Herbert Hughitt left this morning for Osler on business. See the country either on business or pleasure in one of our new comfortable Overland cars. Our rates are exceptionally reasonable. Phone 981 2508-267-4

John M. Millar left Sunday evening for Minneapolis, Minn., where he was called on business.

Mrs. Albert Dodge, of Negaunee, arrived in the city yesterday called here by the death of her brother John Carroll.

Charles Marcus is ill at his home on South Jennie street.

A Victrola, the ideal Xmas gift, Order yours now. Sold on convenient terms. Grinnell Bros. 274-318-4

Miss Genevieve Carroll arrived from Marinette last evening to visit at the home of her mother, Mrs. Mary Carroll. Louis Rousseau, who submitted to an operation at St. Francis hospital three weeks ago has sufficiently recovered to be moved to the home of his sister. He will go to his home at Garden in a short time.

Wait! In a few days we will have a complete line of Edison diamond disc phonographs. See these before buying anything else. Benjamin Music company, 819 Ludington street. 2882-329-4

Mr. and Mrs. Waterstach of this city left yesterday for Cheboygan where they will visit for a few weeks.

Mrs. H. Deslites of this city who has been visiting in North Dakota for the past several days has returned to her home here.

Wait and do your Xmas shopping at the Christmas shop to be conducted the first week in December by the Womens Guild of St. Stephens church. 294-4

Clarence Giffworth of Gladstone underwent a serious operation at the Laing hospital on Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Dufour of Schaffer are in the city visiting at the home of Mrs. F. O'Des.

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Mr. and Mrs. Frank Aronson left yesterday afternoon for Ishpeming, where they will visit for a few days.

George Avers was down from Lathrop yesterday on business.

M. D. Cox has returned to his home in Menominee after spending a few days in this city on business.

We have for sale four coal heating stoves in good condition. Cheap—See them at Kratz Bros. store. 2881-338-4

Miss Mayme McGrav of this city has returned from a few days visit in Negaunee.

Reuben Eagen of Menominee is in the city for a few days visit with friends.

Remember, ten per cent is added to the total of your savings from now until Christmas, if deposited on the purchase price of any article in Farrell & Lohmeyer's jewelry store. Call for a saving bank at that store today. 2650-299-4

John Murphy of Manistique arrived in the city last night on a few days visit with friends.

Charles Riddins of this city left last night for Marinette where he will visit for about a week with relatives.

Dr. E. D. Shevler of this city returned last night from Manistique where he spent the day on business.

Wm. Coffey of this city returned from a three months business trip in Green Bay.

Home Visitors
Misses Jane and Emma Campbell returned at home by Campbell Street, 714 W. Ave. Phone 848
2882-329-4

H. H. Helm has left for his home in Minneapolis after visiting in this city for several days.

N. W. Hansen of Green Bay is in the city for a few days visit with friends.

Mrs. Dotch of this city returned last night from the Soo, where she spent a few days visiting with friends.

Mrs. Joseph Mero of Lathrop is in the city visiting with friends and relatives.

George Thomson of this city returned last night from Manistique, where he spent the past few days on business.

Theatrical . . . Gossip

THE GRAND

Tonight at the Grand theater, Bruce McRae, the distinguished dramatic actor, makes his first appearance on the screen in the popular story of love and politics, "The Ring and the Man," by Cyrus Townsend Brady. It is produced by the Famous Players Film Company under the direction of Daniel Frohman. The commanding personality and splendid poise of Bruce McRae fit him peculiarly for the role of Gormly, the man whose bravery and self-possession in the face of crucial circumstances enables him to successfully oppose the corrupt forces of the gigantic political ring that is trying to ruin him. This feature picture tells the tale of a courageous man's triumphant battle with the corrupt forces of a gigantic political ring. It is a story big in its political and civic appeal, and touching in its tender heart-interest.

The power of the big political scenes is softened by the sympathetic love-interest and contrasted by the glorious freedom of the plains. It is a production of such superiority as the stage seldom sees. This will be the first time in Northern Michigan of a Famous Players Production shown for five cents. Special music will be furnished by the Grand Orchestra.

THE DELFT TODAY

Frank Daniels may act in pictures for a long while without finding a character more to his liking than Crook, Convict No. 9999. He may star in many comedies before he finds another so skillfully devised to keep his humorous personality in the foreground and present to picture patrons a Frank Daniels no less individual in his method, no less laugh-provoking in his antics than the renowned comedian of a long list of comic operas. Paul West wrote the scenario for this excellent V-L-S-E offering, and C. Jay Williams made it into a five-reel production. In addition to Mr. Daniels, he had a first-rate company of players to direct, starting with Charles Eldridge as Colonel Bob Roberts, a wealthy rancher, who comes East to invest his money, and continuing through a cast numbering Harry T. Morey, Edwina Robbins, Anna Laughlin and Evert Overton. A representative aggregation of Vitagraph actors appears in the Blue Ribbon feature and results are of the best.

PLAN FOR MEET FAR IN ADVANCE

With the avowed intention of making of the 1916 interscholastic meet the most pretentious ever held on Ferry Field, Manager Ray J. Mills yesterday began laying his plans for the event which is still half a year away. He has already selected his assistants, and in the course of a month or so, the prep schools of the whole middle west will begin to hear from this enterprising manager.

Manager Mills is determined that the Michigan interscholastic shall be as big and important a meet as that annually conducted by the illustrious Alonzo A. Sagg of Chicago, whose annual interscholastics are the mecca of hundreds of prep school athletes. The states of Michigan, Ohio, Indiana, Illinois, Pennsylvania, Wisconsin, Iowa, Kentucky and even distant localities are to be thoroughly canvassed in the endeavor to bring to Ann Arbor the very best high school and preparatory school track men.

The Michigan Interscholastic presents many advantages over other events of a similar nature, and those are to be emphasized by Manager Mills in his campaign for an entry list of at least 500 athletes. The track on Ferry Field is one of the fastest in the country, as was shown on the day of the 1914 interscholastic, when no less than six records were either broken or equalled. The expense entailed in attending the Michigan interscholastic is smaller than that connec'd with any other similar event, and the prizes and trophies given are of the best. Special preparations are to be made for this coming spring's event, and these will be announced by the officials in a short time.

NEW YORK HOUSE NETS \$25,000 A YEAR FOR ONE SUITE.

New York, Dec. 4.—Fifth avenue's most expensive apartments will arise on the site of the old Progress Club house the northeast corner of Sixty-third street. The rental for each single apartment will be \$25,000 a year. There will be just \$25,000 a year. There will be just 12 in the new structure—one on each floor of 16 to 20 rooms, with eight baths. The house alone will represent an investment of \$2,500,000, the land having been bought at a little less than \$1,400,000.

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GRANGERS CLOSE NOTABLE MEET

Marquette, Mich., Dec. 6.—The third annual meeting of the Cloverland Grange Association closed last week after one of the most successful sessions in the history of the organization. The session last week began with an address by W. F. Raven, field agent of the Michigan Agricultural college. Mr. Raven's remarks dealt chiefly with a defense of the state agricultural authority against the criticisms made by the association of the state experimental farm at Chatham. At its last meeting the association passed resolutions criticizing the methods employed at the state farm. Mr. Raven contended that members of the association were misled by false reports of conditions at the start.

Following Mr. Raven's address Col. C. W. Mott spoke relative to aiding new settlers in Cloverland.

Frank H. Vandenberg, proprietor of the Marquette city dairy was the next speaker. He took as his topic "The Farmer vs. the Booster," and told how the may help and inspire each other. Mr. Vandenberg spoke in his usual forcible manner and his arguments were convincing.

Next, a general discussion of agricultural topics in Cloverland was led by W. A. Thompson, a prominent farmer from Menominee county. He said "Farmers must be boosters and no knockers, but God bless the knockers, for we need them."

Mr. Thompson was followed by Secretary Steward of the association. His topic was "What is the Matter with Cloverland Grangers?" His speech was followed by a lively discussion led by several of the members of the association and it seemed to be their general opinion that Cloverland grangers are greatly in need of a "rough" method of supervision in their work.

"Farm Markets in the Upper Peninsula and How the Grangers Can Help," was the topic of an address by M. H. Welch, of Sault Ste. Marie, and in the discussion which followed it was emphasized that farmers must grade and prepare their products if they expect it to bring market price.

State Senator A. T. Roberts was the

next speaker and his topic was "That in his experience in the state legislature he observed that the farmer in general, is slow to realize his power in the state and has a tendency to look after the other fellow's business rather than his own."

The last speech on the program was a synopsis of the dairy and beef situation in the Upper Peninsula given by W. F. Raven.

Election of officers was next in the order of business and it resulted in the re-election of all of the officers as follows:

W. F. Raven, President.
F. H. Vandenberg, Vice-President.
R. S. Steward, Secretary.
F. L. Baldwin, Treasurer.

Pass Resolution.

At the close of the meeting the delegates passed a resolution requesting the state board of agriculture to give the state farm at Chatham more publicity, so that Cloverland farmers might know more about the work that is being done.

The association also passed a resolution favoring the organization of a national marketing body, copies of which will be sent to Michigan members of congress. The final resolution was a request of John C. Ke'cham, master of the state grange, that he appoint a deputy state master for Cloverland to further promote the grange interests in this section.

The meeting closed after it had been decided to hold next year's session in Iron River.

BABY DENIED OPERATION PASSES TO BEYOND.

New York, Dec. 3. Margaret Roberts, the deformed and paralyzed baby whose birth caused a discussion here similar to that over the defective baby died today in the Babies' hospital. No operation was performed. The infant was born Nov. 23. Its lower limbs were paralyzed and its feet deformed, but its mental condition was thought to be normal. Dr. Maurice Rosenberg, the physician who attended Mrs. Roberts, asserted after the child's birth that a simple operation could save its life and mentality, although it would be a lifelong cripple. He offered to perform the operation, but after considerable controversy it was decided to leave the child's fate to a board of physicians. This board decided against the operation.

HERE'S THE LATEST GERMAN JOKE

New York, Dec. 6.—Karl K. Kitchen of the New York World, who has just returned from a visit to Berlin, Vienna and Budapest, says that the Germans and Austrians are having a lot of fun guying each other about the war, and tell this joke that is current in Berlin: "The habitual introduction of Austrian officers begins, 'Ich habe die Ehre'—I have the honor. To this the German officers reply 'Und ich die Arbeit'—And have the work."

"Another pe Berlin story," says Kitchen, "is of a German General saying to an Austrian Colonel, 'Colonel I wish you to occupy yonder hill with your regiment this evening.' Whereupon the Austrian protests, 'But, General the Russians are occupying it.'"

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Mrs. Jennie Miner, Davidson, Ind., writes: "I cant truthfully say Foley Cathartic Tablets are the best I ever used. They are so mild in action, I feel like I had been made over again." They keep stomach sweet, liver active and bowels regular. They banish constipation, indigestion, biliousness, sick headache. Sold every where.

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LAW HITS SHIPPING

Oaksh, Wis., Dec. 6.—If the Seamen's law is to be modified or repealed it will have to be through the efforts of the merchants and business men of the United States. Unless such action is taken American shipping will sustain a severe blow and in fact already the last United States merchant man plying to the Orient has been withdrawn from service and will register under a foreign flag.

The statements are made in a letter received by William J. Wagstaff of this city, written by Robert Dollar, the head of a great lumbering and shipping company of San Francisco. This letter is into considerable detail as to the hardships which will follow the law which has already gone into effect so far as American ships are concerned and will effect foreign ships March 4, 1916. In his letter to Mr. Wagstaff, Mr. Dollar said:

"The part of the Seamen's law which effectively put all the American ships out of the Pacific coast and oriental trade was the language test. It works out this way: The law practically says that the language of the officers shall be the language of the crew, so the American ships may not have American officers and Chinese crews who can't understand the English language.

This would be all right, provided all the crews treated alike. The Japanese seamen coming in here with their officers and having Japanese language exam. Therefore it works out that Japanese pay on their vessels \$16 to 12 a month to sailors while we on American ships are compelled to pay the full union wages of \$50 a month. This makes it an impossibility for us to operate our vessels in competition.

The following wireless message came in yesterday from the steamship Minneapota as she was passing San Francisco: "To the good people of San Francisco care of the San Francisco Chronicle: The Great Northern Steamship Co. of the Minnesota, the best ship in the world, is now on the coast and the largest flag the American flag, is now flying down by your beautiful city bound for a foreign country. I expect to return with Old Glory floating from the stern. The reason for this is well known to the business interests of the country. I bid you all farewell."

The Minnesota is the last American ship of the Pacific ocean that was engaged in the Asiatic trade. So far the ship owners have been blamed for trying to stop the operation of the women's law for their own personal ends. It is up to the merchants of the United States to take up the fight. Your very truly, W. J. Wagstaff, Esq.

Pay Honor to Pasteur.

The birthplace of Pasteur, at Dole, France, has become a place of pilgrimage for the people, who go to contemplate with respect the dwelling where, on December 27, 1822, this illustrious man was born.

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PARENTS DEMAND FIRE PROTECTION

Lansing, Dec. 6.—According to information John T. Winship, parents and scholars throughout the state are taking an interest in the question of the fire protection of the school buildings since the recent panic at Peabody, Mass., when a score or more children lost their lives.

"The parents in Michigan," says Mr. Winship, "and in fact the parents all over the country, are demanding that the schools be made safe and are insisting, inasmuch as they themselves are paying for the protection, that fire escapes be installed as the state law requires. The recent disasters in Peabody, Pittsburgh, Brooklyn, New York and other cities clearly demonstrate that in case of fire or panic such buildings are seldom equipped with adequate exits and fire escapes.

"The Michigan law is plain in that all schools, auditoriums, etc., must be equipped with fire escapes, to be constructed under the supervision of the state fire marshal's department. It is the duty of local officials, including the fire chiefs, as well as the state fire marshals, to enforce the law, and in case of a violation, any person board or corporation shall be punished by a fine of not more than \$100 or by imprisonment in the county jail not more than 90 days, or by both such fine and imprisonment."

BROTHER JOINS U. S. MARINE CORPS; PROSTRATED SISTER INQUIRIES CAUSE OF DEATH

Portland, Ore., Dec. 6.—Never having used the final e in her own spelling of the word corpse, Mrs. Marcelline Germain, Donaldson, Mich., was prostrated with grief on receipt of an official communication announcing that her brother, Joseph E. Jellouner, had joined the United States marine corps and had named her next of kin to be notified in case of death.

"If my brother is a corpse of what did he die?" she wrote to Carl H. T. Swain, in charge of the recruiting station.

The recruiting officer bade the sorrowing sister to cease mourning and assured her that the corps to which her brother had lately attached himself was on the contrary a greatly allied organization.

CHICAGO WORRIED BY 'SIGN OF THE SEVEN.'

Chicago, Dec. 6.—Chicagoans are keeping sharp lookout lest the unlucky "sign of the 7" be chalked over their door bells. Some time ago the figure 7 was found marked over the door bells of several residences, and a few days later these homes were robbed. Yesterday, the same kind of mark was discovered on several houses. The residences, fearing they may be the victims of burglary, have notified the police.

FRIEND OF T. R. SPY SUSPECT.

Hartford, Conn., Dec. 2.—It was learned today that one of Col. Roosevelt's hunting companions, the Rev. Frederick Krieger, has been arrested by the British, in British East Africa on suspicion of being a German spy. Word was received at the Minister's former home, New Britain, that he is in a concentration camp in India pending an investigation.



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MICHIGAN THIRD IN POTATO CROP

Grand Rapids, Mich., Dec. 6.—Michigan was given third place in potato growing at the potato congress which came to a close here last night.

The Badger tubers which carried off the honors were the same ones that were shown at the Wisconsin congress held at Marinette last month. They won chiefly because of the excellent manner of grading and standardizing which the Wisconsin growers used. So far as the actual quality was concerned Michigan led, but the other things necessary were lacking.

Dr. Carl Vrooman assistant secretary of agriculture, mildly scored Michigan potato growers for their evident lack of care in grading and marketing their product.

"Michigan quality is second to none," he said, "but Michigan is as far behind Wisconsin in the important matters of grading and standardizing potatoes as Oregon is ahead of Michigan in apple grading, packing and shipping."

"One of my happiest moments was when I shook hands with Howard LaFrant, 14 years old of Hersey, state champion potato grower. The boy raised 420 bushels on an acre of ground this last season. Practically everybody in this neighborhood lost their crop by an early frost. He remained up all night on that fatal night and kept fires burning around his whole field in order to save his crop. He succeeded."

Today the boy's club of Oscola county, 32 in number, came here as the guests of the Grand Rapids and Indian road and attended the show. Professor E. C. Lindemann of M. A. C., chief of boys and girls' club work told how boys and girls are being made effective in the work of the farm outdoors and indoors.

MUST UNDERGO QUIZ FOR ACTS

Washington, Dec. 6.—Captain Franz von Pappen, military attache of the German embassy, came here from New York today, and, with Captain Karl Boy-Ed, naval attache, had a long conference with Count von Bernstorff, the German ambassador.

It is probable that the two attaches, whose immediate withdrawal has been requested by the state department on account of objectionable activity, will remain in Washington for several days. Some announcement concerning them is expected at any time.

Requests for safe conduct for the officers from the German government and not reached Secretary Lansing today. It is taken for granted that the withdrawal will be ordered in due time officials pointing out that it is the right of any government to determine when foreign diplomatic officials accredited to it become undesirable. There were indications that the state department would devote considerable time next week to evidence and suspicion regarding the Teutonic diplomatic and consular officials.

Secretary Lansing so far, has come to no decision in the case of Alexander von Nuber, Austro-Hungarian consul general at New York, which has been under consideration for some time.

HUGHIE JENNINGS MAY LEAD NEW YORK FEDERALS.

Chicago, Dec. 3. Harry Sinclair, leader of the team which the Federal league proposes to put in New York, said today here he would offer the management of the team to Hughie Jennings of the Detroit Americans, and had also bid for the services of Frank Baker of the Athletics. He said he believed Jennings was not bound legally to the Tigers for the coming season and that he considered him the man to round up a winning nine. If Jennings does not accept, Mr. Sinclair said he might make an offer for Fielder Jones of the St. Louis Federals or might retain George Stovall, who is to be transferred with the rest of the Kansas City team.

THINKS MAN OF 60 IS "FOOLISH OR IRRITABLE." 80 QUITS \$20,000 JOB. Binghamton, N. Y., Dec. 6.—Lamont M. Bowers, until recently manager of the Colorado Fuel & Iron Co., announced that he will resign Jan. 1, a \$20,000 post with the Rockefeller interests because he believes that men past 60 are "either foolish or irritable." Mr. Bowers is past 70.

"Men of 60 or 70," said Mr. Bowers, "often run automobiles at a forty mile clip, dance the tango and wedge themselves in among young people."

CURED BOY OF CROUP Nothing frightens a mother more than the loud, hoarse cough croup labored breathing, strangling, choking and gasping for breath demand in stant action. Mrs. T. Neureur, Es Claire, Wis., says: "Foley's Honey and Tar cured my boy of croup after other remedies failed." Recommended for coughs and colds. Sold everywhere.

AT KAPPER'S SPUR

The Walters' ranch was the largest on the mountain, and they had a good house in the little town besides. But Rita Henty had been at school for four years down at Laramie, and Len Walters had never gone beyond the course he had right there at Kapper's Spur. It had been part of the fun of coming home summers to tease him and show him the decided difference between a person who has studied at Laramie and one who has spent the best years of his 'teens herding cattle.

Miss Baxter, the new schoolteacher, was to arrive on a Saturday, and just for nonsense Rita went to the station to meet her. Len was there, too. There had been some correspondence and it was settled the teacher was to live at the Walters' house. But Rita was mighty sweet to the stranger when she stepped from the westbound train, clad in brown, with a white felt hat on her soft blonde hair. And she took her away from Len with a laugh. Rita's father, the chairman of the committee, should meet her first. She would take her home to supper, and take her to Mrs. Walters' later.

Len stood and watched them pass down the street from the station. Just for a minute he had looked into Sidney's eyes and they had been diverting. In the weeks that followed they never lost that first charm for him. Twice a week he rode in from the ranch, and Sidney grew to look for the visits.

"My father was a ranger," Sidney told him. "I'm named for him. I was born in the forest, so I guess it's natural for me to feel at home there and love it best. That's why I wanted to come up here and teach school."

"Would you like to stay?" He blurted it out clumsily, but she did not seem to understand what lay behind his words. How could she know that he pictured her living out at the ranch, his wife, and all the world turned golden. Sidney shook her head doubtfully. Perhaps if she could go back East sometimes. Rita had told her how tiresome Kapper's Spur became. If her brother could come out and take up ranching, then she would like it.

"Send for him. I'll take him on with me," promised Len. And the next few weeks Kapper's Spur thrilled at the small drama enacted under its very nose. Big Al Baxter, fresh from college, with a halfback record behind him, a sense of humor and plenty of good intentions, not only came on and went after ranching as if it had been trout fishing, but also after Rita Henty.

"The trouble with you western girls is that you're trying to be like eastern girls," he told her flatly. "Why don't you drop these latest style flub-dubs and get into a short skirt and flannel waist and ride over to see us with Sid? After we're married, some day I'm going to teach you how to enjoy life."

"I wouldn't marry you for anything, Mr. Baxter," Rita told him teasingly. "Well, maybe not," said Al easily. "Did you know Len and Sid are engaged?"

"Really?" "Certain sure," he nodded his head solemnly. "Last night. This big gold moon of yours does wonders. I saw how things were going as soon as I came West, so I rather hurried them up. Told Sid she'd have to go back with me; that I didn't like the place, or Len, or the ranch. If you want a girl to go a certain way, you pull the bride opposite."

Rita's brown eyes flashed at the big, complacent fellow. He was so serenely sure of himself and his power to win. It was fearfully slow at the Spur. Somehow Miss Henty began to find interest in teaching the Easterner western ways. She was hospitable to him and comradely. The captain liked him, and Rita invited him to the house often. Sidney would not be married until spring.

"Then I'll be going back East," said Al. "When?" She almost whispered it. Her back was turned from him. Not for worlds would she have let him see her eyes, filled with tears, after she had laughed at him and been so self-sufficient.

"Any day after the first wind of spring blows this way. Still, it's some time to wait till spring. I can't help looking forward, though. I'm going to be married in April, long about the 10th; that's my birthday."

"Perhaps she would rather be married on her birthday." "When is it, Rita?" "She turned on him passionately. "I think you are the most—" "No, you don't," he caught her up. "You've just been spoiled, that's all. Every able-bodied man in twenty miles wishes he had a fighting chance to win you, and I haven't wished. The first time I saw you I made up my mind to marry you. If you don't like April 10, make it your own birthday. I'll tell you. I asked the captain and he told me to go ahead and win with his blessing. So I have."

Captain Henty came strolling leisurely up from the corral. "I just heard about Len getting the schoolmarm," he called up. "You can teach if you want to, Rita." "She's engaged, Cap." Baxter answered genially. He put out his hand as Rita tried to rise. "You'll have to advertise." (Copyright, 1915, by the McClure News-Syndicate.)

The Latest News in the World of FINANCE AND TRADE

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FOR SALE-100 acre farm 1-1-1 miles from Harris 50 acres cleared and in high state of cultivation, splendid frame dwelling house good barn and out buildings. Price for a quick sale \$3200.00. Inquire Jas. McGeary, Harris, Mich. 141-1f.

FOR SALE-Lot on west end of Ludington street. Cheap at \$500.00. Inquire of Jas. S. Doherty. 248-1f.

FOR SALE-40 acres timbered land 2 miles from Harris. A good investment. Timber on land is worth more than the price asked. This is within the reach of a poor man. Price \$600. Inquire of Jas. S. Doherty. 171-1f.

FOR SALE-A few more 10 acre lots inside city limits, unsurpassed for truck or vegetable farming. Inquire Jas. S. Doherty. 195-1f.

FOR SALE-Two 9-room houses and two lots, 1405 and 1407 Van Cleve street, North Escanaba. Price \$1,000 each or \$1900.00 for both. An A No investment. Inquire Jas. Doherty Morning Press. 122-1f.

FOR SALE-80-acre farm, 2 miles from Harris, 20 acres cleared balance cut over with considerable small timber. This land is level and very productive. Price \$1500.00. This land would make a splendid farm and is offered at a very cheap price. Inquire Jas. S. Doherty. 171-1f.

FOR SALE-3 room house with lot 140x85 ft corner Park avenue and Jennie streets. This is one of the most desirable residence locations, is beautifully situated, room for two more fine residences. Price if taken at once \$4,000.00. Terms 1-2 cash balance on easy payments. Inquire of Jas. S. Doherty, Morning Press.

FOR SALE-One of the finest residences in the city with beautiful lot. Anyone desiring a modern home in most desirable residence locality should look this up. The above property will be sold at a very cheap price. Inquire Jas. S. Doherty. 239-1f.

FOR SALE-Blacksmith, wagon making and general repair shop, this is the only shop in one of the best locations in the northern peninsula constant work for from three to five men. Good reason for selling. This is a splendid opportunity for a capable, energetic man. Terms reasonable. Inquire Jas. S. Doherty. 236-1f.

FOR SALE-Three lots on Third street, two blocks from street car. Best residence district in city. Two hundred and fifty dollars, each if taken at once. Inquire at Press office. 2145-190-1f.

FOR SALE-160 acre farm, 60 acres cleared, balance timbered with maple, basswood, elm, hemlock. The land cannot be beat anywhere, the timber is worth the price asked, could make two good farms, good log house and out buildings, good orchard. Good reason for selling. 3-1-2 miles from Harris. Price \$3000.00. Inquire Jas. S. Doherty, Morning Press. 141-1f.

FOR SALE-Choice 70 ft. front lot on Michigan avenue. This lot is beautifully situated overlooking the waters of Green Bay, and is one of the most desirable locations in the city. For further particulars, inquire Jas. S. Doherty. 195-1f.

FOR SALE-Two 9 room houses and two lots 1405 and 1407 Van Cleve street. Price \$900. Inquire James S. Doherty, Morning Press. 101-1f.

FOR SALE-House and lot, all modern with exception of heat in one of the best residence sections of the city. A good proposition for the man who wants to own his own home. Address H. Morning Press. 312-1f.

FOR SALE-40-acre farm at Harris station. Splendid 8-room frame house, good barn, stables, sheds, granary, etc., 2 draft horses, 3 cows, 3 heifers, 2 pigs, 50 chickens, 1 heavy wagon, two buggies, one heavy sleigh, one cutter, cream separator. All farm machinery and small tools. Sickens of owner reason for selling. A great bargain at price \$2400.00. Inquire of Jas. S. Doherty. 171-1f.

FOR SALE-Four forty acre tracts of heavily timbered land, 10 miles from Iron River two miles from Beechwood on the Iron County and Gogebic county road. Will sell in parcels of 40 acres. Right on the mineral range, 1-4 mineral rights given with land. A rare chance for a man of moderate means to run a chance to acquire an interest in an iron mine. For further particulars, address James S. Doherty. 234-1f.

FOR SALE-Second hand Harley Davidson and Excelsior motorcycle for sale cheap if taken at once. Escanaba Electric & Garage Co. 2464-360-1f.

FOR SALE-10-room house, built for two families. Part cash and balance in yearly payments. Will sell cheap if taken at once. Inquire at 327 May St. 126-1f.

FOR SALE-Household furniture which has been used about three months. Must be sold before Monday. Will sell cheap if taken at once. Inquire at this office 2874-338-3f.

FOR SALE-70 foot front lot on Michigan avenue. This is one of the best residence lots in the city. Inquire Jas. S. Doherty, Morning Press. 157-1f.

MONEY TO LOAN on improved farms in Delta county. Write to Cox & Roper, Menominee, Mich., Real Estate Loans. 2399-241-1f.

W. THURTELL, The Optometrist, is here for a short time, cor. Wells and Wolcott. Telephone 393 for private calls. Eyes carefully and scientifically examined and glasses made to fit. All work guaranteed. 2878-338-1f.

LOST-On Tuesday morning a cameo ring between 500 block of South Georgia street and Fair store. Finder return to millinery department Fair store and receive reward. 335-1f.

LOST-On Saturday evening, star shaped brooch, valuable as keepsake, between 310 North Mary street and Gunner's meat market. Finder return either to 310 North Mary street or the Press office and receive suitable reward. 339-3f.

PETITION ASKS EQUAL RIGHTS

Washington, Dec. 6.—Hundreds of woman suffrage workers from all parts of the country reached Washington on tonight ready to welcome tomorrow Mrs. Sarah Bard Field, of Oregon, and Miss Frances Jolliffe, of California, the two envoys of western women voters who have motored across the continent with a mammoth suffrage petition to the incoming congress asking for a federal suffrage amendment. After the presentation of the petition to a hundred congressmen on the steps of the capitol, the envoys, escorted by a parade of more than a thousand women, will go to the White House to be received by the president.

The arrival of the petition and the reception at the White House will mark the opening of the first national convention of the Congressional Union for Woman Suffrage, which will hold daily sessions throughout the week. Mrs. Field and Miss Jolliffe were in Baltimore tonight.

When it started from the Women Voters' convention at San Francisco in September, the petition was 18,000 feet long and had about 500,000 signatures of voters in enfranchised states. During the transcontinental trip thousands of signatures from non-suffrage states have been added.

IF YOU ARE TROUBLED WITH HEARTBURN, GASES AND A DISTRESSED FEELING AFTER EATING TAKE

Rexall Dyspepsia Tablet before and after each meal and you will obtain prompt relief. Sold only by us, 25¢.

Ellsworth's Drug Store.

NAB CROOKS WHO GOT \$150,000

New York, Dec. 6.—Three men who traveled in their own motor cars and drank lavishly of Broadway life were arrested yesterday, charged with trying to rob the Colonial bank at Eighty-first street and Columbus avenue. Detectives say they saw one of the trio push a hooked can into the teller's window in an attempt to attach a portion of the \$75,000 that happened to be lying there.

They were scared away when the teller turned toward the window, and left in a hurry to visit the New Netherlands at 41 West Thirty-fourth street, where the detective decided to arrest them while the arresting was good. Previously they had visited the Gotham National bank.

Back of the three fruitless visits which the prisoners paid to New York banks yesterday, the police, Pinkerton detectives and postoffice inspectors say there stretches a long string of robberies committed by these men amounting to between \$100,000 and \$150,000. At Police Headquarters two of the three were identified as having been the fostlers among the throng in the Dime Savings Bank of Brooklyn on February 3, the day that the bank was robbed of \$50,000. Through the teller's window, and as having been the man who robbed postal substations of \$600 on four occasions.

The three prisoners as they gave their names to the police and as the police in turn gave aliases as William Elliott, alias Evans, alias Spilly, a machinist, 27 years old, living at the Hotel Edicott; Charlie Hoffman alias Letherman a clerk 22 years old, of 300 West Forty-eighth street, and William Clark, alias Downed, alias Dade, 24 years old of 640 Riverside Drive.

Further historical items furnished by the police are that Elliott got out of the Elmira Reformatory in September after having served a sentence for larceny and that he bought an automobile two months later, on November 10 just five days after the Bronx Borough bank, at 400 Tremont avenue, had been robbed of \$9,700, also that Clark not only had his own automobile but that his wife, a pretty young blonde with plenty of jewels had a machine of her own to carry her to and from their expensive apartment on the twelfth floor of 610 Riverside Drive.

J. D. ASSESSED FIVE MILLIONS

New York, Dec. 6.—John D. Rockefeller's personal tax assessment of \$5,000,000 remained on the tentative roll when the period for swearing off the assessments ended last evening. A representative appeared for him, for his son, John D. Rockefeller, Jr., assessed for \$500,000, or for his brother, William Rockefeller assessed for \$300,000.

Nearly eight hundred persons appeared at the offices of the commission during the day. Andrew Carnegie, R. A. Frank, his personal representative swore off his entire personal tax of \$5,000,000. Charles M. Schwab's assessment of \$5,000,000 was reduced to \$200,000.

ON WAY TO PRISON, LEAPS FROM TRAIN AND ESCAPES.

Lawrence, Kan., Dec. 6.—Fred Top, a full-blooded Indian, confined in Wyoming on a statutory charge and en route to the United States penitentiary to serve twenty years through the window of a freight train near St. Joseph, Mo., escaped. No trace of him could be found. A few years ago he was a prominent athlete at the eastern Indian school.

Do You Read Labels?

Domestic science teachers and food authorities are urging the housewife to carefully read the labels on all food articles.

The laws of most States compel food manufacturers to print the ingredients of their products on the label, and this enables consumers to distinguish healthful foods from those which may be deleterious.

High-grade baking powders are made of pure cream of tartar, derived from grapes. Royal Baking Powder is a type of the highest grade. It is healthful beyond a doubt and the safest and best to use.

The low-grade baking powders are made from alum, a mineral acid salt, or phosphate of lime.

Consumers can learn the character of the baking powder by referring to the label, which must state whether the contents include cream of tartar, alum or phosphate.

ROYAL BAKING POWDER CO.
New York

GREECE SENDS SHIP TO INVESTIGATE

Washington, Dec. 6.—Greece officially informed the United States government today that a destroyer had been sent to investigate a wireless call picked up at Athens yesterday, saying that an American ship was being attacked by a submarine, south of Crete. The cablegram from Athens said the name of the ship had not been made out by the wireless receiver.

The American naval collier Caesar, mentioned in press dispatches yesterday as having been in the vicinity from which the calls for help came, reported her safe arrival at Alexandria to the navy department tonight. The cruiser Des Moines, on her way to Cyprus, probably was near the scene, but navy officials attached no importance to the suggestion that she might have sent out the call.

CARLISLE TO DROP OUT OF GAME

Washington, Dec. 6.—The Carlisle team will not be a contender in future intercollegiate football games, as a result of a decision by Secretary Lane today, after a conference with Commissioners Sells of the Indian service and Superintendent Lipps of the Carlisle Indian school.

Secretary Lane held that in the future football must be subordinated to the educational features of the school, deciding that while the game could be continued it would be impossible for the team to make the showing that it should in the intercollegiate games owing to the large number of men now being educated in industrial and manufacturing establishments.

It developed that of seventeen Carlisle Indians employed last year in one of the automobile factories, thirteen were on the team or have been on previous teams. All returned to the school during the football season at a sacrifice of educational opportunity as well as wages.

NINE LIVES SEEMS CROWN PRINCE'S LOT

Berlin, by Wireless to Sayville, L. I., Dec. 6.—The Over-Seas News agency today gave out for publication what it says is a history of the German crown prince during the war, as compiled by a Danish newspaper from reports given out by Germany's enemies. The history follows:

Aug. 5, 1914.—Victim of an attack against his life in Berlin.

Aug. 15.—Severely wounded while on French front.

Aug. 20.—Second attempt against his life in which he lost one leg.

Aug. 24.—Third attempt against his life.

Sept. 4.—Committed suicide.

Sept. 13.—Died in a Brussels hospital.

Sept. 15.—Commanded an attack near Verdun.

Sept. 16.—Wounded by shrapnel in Poland.

Sept. 18.—Once more wounded while on the French front.

Sept. 20.—Is on his deathbed.

Oct. 24.—Buried in Berlin.

Oct. 25.—His body found on the battlefield.

Nov. 3.—Once more buried.

Nov. 8.—Insane. Taken to a lonely castle.

Nov. 15.—Appointed chief commander on the east front.

Nov. 17.—Once more killed.

Jan. 16, 1915.—Once more wounded.

Feb. 3.—Sent home.

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"I owe my good health to Chamberlain's Tablets," writes Mrs. R. G. Neff, Crookston, Ohio. "Two years ago I was an invalid due to stomach trouble. I took three bottles of these Tablets and have since been in the best of health." Obtainable everywhere.

AUTOISTS SMOTHER TO DEATH IN MUD.

Gary, Ind., Dec. 6.—Two men and a woman were smothered to death in the mud under their automobile, which overturned and ground its occupants into the muck of the West Gary marsh.

The fire department was called to extricate the bodies of the three victims, which have been identified as those of Mrs. Almit Adkin, 25, Hammond, Ind.; M. H. Goodrole, 38, Chicago, and J. Thompson, 45, Needles, Cal. Another man seen in the automobile has not been heard from. R. M. Schofield, Griffith, Ind., a pedestrian noticed the tall light of the car standing at the side of the road. He investigated and saw one of the woman's feet sticking out of the mud.

MISS THEODORA BOOTH



Miss Booth is the daughter of Ballington Booth, founder of the Volunteers of America, and granddaughter of the late William Booth, founder of the Salvation Army. Miss Booth has had success for three years with unfortunate men and women through the Volunteers of America in the congested portion of New York.

MEDALS HAVE THEIR DUTY

Champion Crop Raiser Uses Them as Paper Weights in His Mill Office.

Hiawatha, Kan.—Gold medals for prize crops are so numerous with S. G. Trent of Hiawatha, who has just been designated as the Panama-Pacific exposition champion corn grower for Kansas, that he uses the prize medals as paperweights in his mill office.

Trent has no formula of secret practice that enabled him to raise the 117 bushels to the acre and win the prize. The corn was grown on his father's farm five miles southwest of town. In a field of 18 acres Trent measured off an acre, planted Boone County white corn, cultivated it just as he would an ordinary crop, and gave it no special attention of any kind. The corn grew and made him 117 bushels.

WOMEN REPAIR THE ROADS

While Husbands Are Busy Harvesting Crops and Doing Other Farm Work.

Hammon, Okla.—Their husbands busy harvesting the crops and attending to other farm work, the women of Spring Creek neighborhood, near here, got out and repaired the roads, and did a good job.

Luke Trent, the mail carrier, complained about the culverts and bridges being out. The men were too busy with other work. Trent said he would have to quit carrying the mail if the roads and bridges were not fixed.

The women used a plow and a scraper and in two days had the work done. They fixed two bridges and a culvert.

KEEP FOOD FOR ARMY HOT

Italian Device Is Used to Supply the Soldiers in the Mountain Camps.

London.—One difficulty of the Italian commissariat is to get food from the valleys to the camps in the mountains. The difficulty has, however, been solved and twice a day hot food is carried on the backs of mules in "cooking cases" designed by an Italian.

The food is contained in a huge pan of aluminum with a circular opening, which can be closed hermetically by screws. The pan is inclosed in a case lined with cotton and cork and the food keeps hot for more than ten hours.

CELL KEY DID THE TRICK

Escaping Prisoner at St. Louis Police Station Thought It Was a Gun.

St. Louis, Mo.—Using a tin spoon and a shoestring to open the door of his cell in police headquarters, J. J. Hartwell, bandit suspect wanted in Butte, Mont., was subdued by a guard using a brass key as a pistol and put back into his cell.

Hartwell had picked the St. Louis lock and opened the door and was about to make for a rear window when he was captured by Parker Thompson.

As Hartwell left the cell Thompson pounced upon him, pointing his big brass key at the prisoner and ordering him to hold up his hands. The prisoner thought he was "covered" with a revolver and raised his hands.

Found \$100 Pearl in His Lunch.

Toledo, O.—J. C. Wanamaker received full value for his money in a restaurant at South Bend, Ind., when he found a pearl worth more than \$100 in a 25-cent dish of raw oysters. One of the waiters contended the pearl belonged to him but the Toledo man refused to give it up.

THE GOOD JUDGE MEETS BOOSTERS OF THE REAL TOBACCO CHEW.

JUDGE, I'VE SWITCHED FROM ORDINARY TOBACCO TO W-B-CUT—THE NEW CUT REAL TOBACCO CHEW. IT MEANS HALF THE SIZE CHEW, HALF THE NUMBER, HALF THE COST AND FULL TOBACCO SATISFACTION.

HE TOOK, JUDGE, THE SALT BRINGS OUT THE RICH TOBACCO TASTE THAT SATISFIES.

MANY men seem surprised when they find out for themselves that W-B CUT Chewing—the Real Tobacco Chew, new cut, long shred—is really much better than ordinary tobacco; to find that a small chew satisfies; that they don't have to grind it; and that it lasts longer than the ordinary kind.

Get a pouch and give it a quality test.

"Notice how the salt brings out the rich tobacco taste"

Made by WEYMAN-BRUDEN COMPANY, 59 Union Square, New York City

PLAN NATIONAL PAY-UP WEEK

What promises to become an annual national event has been inaugurated as National Pay-Up Week, February 21-26, inclusive.

Credit is one of the great assets of our present-day system of business, but also many another good thing, it is sometimes abused and overused, and because so many people are careless about paying their accounts, there are outstanding accounts in this country today that could be paid without inconveniencing the debtor, and if all these millions of dollars were put into circulation during one week, there could be the greatest week of prosperity ever known in this country.

While credit is a great thing, it at the same time becomes a tax when abused. The man who does not pay his debts pays a penalty or tax every time he buys a dollar's worth of merchandise, but not only must he pay his tax, but the man who pays his bills is compelled to bear his share of this unjust tax—a tax collected in increased price on the commodities of life occasioned by the failure of the debtor to pay his bills.

It is often said that the customers of the retail merchants who pay cash pay more for their merchandise than they should, because they have to pay for what a deadbeat gets without paying, and there is much truth in the statement, too—the man who pays his bills, pays cash, does really pay more for the commodities of life than he should pay because so many do not pay.

National Pay-Up Week had its beginning in the little city of Waukon, Iowa, a county seat of but little over 2,000 population at the end of a little railway in the northeastern part of the state of Iowa. Waukon is a beautiful little city, and a busy business center, but the people of that community are like the people in many another town and community—that is, some of them have, during the past years, bought goods for which they never paid, until the week of January 9-15, 1915, the principal of the high school, who happens to be secretary of the Commercial Club, suggested that it would be a good thing for Waukon to have a day of reckoning, or rather, a week of reckoning. The idea appealed to the business men of Waukon, more particularly to the merchants who had considerable money in outstanding accounts. So the week of January 9-15 was advertised as Pay-Up Week, and during that time in this little city, over \$50,000 in old accounts was wiped off the books of the local business houses.

Everybody seemed to join in the spirit, and consequently all found it easy to pay their debts. And it is needless to say that prosperity reigned in that town, for it means something to a town of 2,000 population to life a debt of \$50,000 in one week's time, and especially when part of the debt is so old that it has been considered uncollectible.

The results of Pay-Up Week at Waukon were so good that the Merchants Trade Journal, a national magazine read by retail merchants in every town of any consequence in the entire country, told its readers of the success of the Waukon people in paying their debts and urged business men in other towns to give greater attention to their collections, and soon other towns began trying the plan—all with splendid results. And now the entire country seems ready for this extraordinary event of National Pay-Up Week.

Our credit is national in its scope. The manufacturer extends credit to the jobber, the jobber carries the retail merchant, the merchant in turn extends credit to his customers, and, therefore, every business interest should be interested in a National Pay-Up Week. If local people in towns would make it a point to pay the doctor, the preacher, the grocer and all other merchants, and the merchant made it a point to pay the wholesaler and the jobber, and the wholesaler to pay the manufacturer,

BANDITS GIVE POSSE THE SLIP

Rhineland, Wis., Dec. 6.—The three bandits, who Wednesday, shot and wounded two deputy sheriffs, have escaped from the woods where they took refuge after robbing a saloon at Starks, and are endeavoring to work their way through the patrols of officers established at all railway stations and villages within fifty miles. The men have separated and abandoned their rifles.

When militiamen, volunteers and a few officers returned to Rhineland this morning, they said the bandits evidently had abandoned their shack in the center of the marsh land near Gagen immediately after the shooting and by tramping all night, had reached the edge of the woods and gained the railroad track.

All freight and passenger trains in that section have been searched and officers are now convinced that the bandits have determined not to attempt to escape by railroad. By walking at night and hiding by day they may get clear in two or three days.

Once escaped from the region of the shooting Wednesday, it will be difficult to follow them, as even the officers who exchanged shoes with them at that time are unable to give good descriptions.

At least two of the men are wearing spiked shoes of lumbermen.

WENT TO THE HOSPITAL.

C. E. Blanchard, postmaster, Blanchard, Cal., writes: "I had kidney trouble so bad I had to go to the hospital. Foley Kidney Pills completely cured me." Men and women testify they banish lame back, stiff joints, sore muscles and sleep disturbing bladder ailments. Sold everywhere.

It Glanced Off

Mrs. Wickleigh looked into a room which the maid had just finished. "Mary Ann, you will take a sweep around this room I think that you have given it a sweep."—Ladies' Home Journal.

during this week, February there would be more dollar circulation in this country than ever started moving during the length of time.

A good slogan to be used until National Pay-Up Week: "You pay your bills—I will sweep."—February 21-26.

Purity Always

THAT'S what you get in this healthy, delicious confection. Dripping with richness. Made in a factory where every foot of floor space is spotlessly clean. When you buy

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Try Gunz-Durler Chocolates. Take a box to your wife, sister, sweetheart. Try them yourself. Thick, rich coating—a joy to bite into. Get a box today. In 50c, 60c, 80c and \$1 boxes.

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Don't Wear Yourself Out!

USE SKITCH

Easy on the clothes—easier on you.

If your grocer doesn't sell Skitch send his name to Hans Pichtenberg, Milwaukee, Wis. and a free sample will be sent you.

7 WASHINGS WITHOUT A WASHBOARD 10¢

WILL RUSH STEEL FOR U. S. VESSELS

Washington, Dec. 6.—There will be no delay in the delivery of steel for battleships, Nos. 43 and 44 if the government undertakes their construction in its navy yards. Bids from 11 steel companies were opened today and all offered to begin delivery within six months and to complete it within two years.

Prices show an increase of from 30 to 40 per cent over the material purchased for the battleship, California, which was bought more than ago.

Private bidders indicated that there would be a delay in deliveries of the steel and conditioned their proposals on this circumstance. The private bids were rejected because they exceeded the limits fixed by Congress.

The Carnegie company was the lowest bidder for the majority of the steel, pounds.

Ripe Bananas.

Fruits undergo marked changes in chemical composition as they grow to their full size and ripen. In some fruits ripening increases the sugar content and decreases the acid, whereas in some others, both sugar and acid content decrease in the ripening process.

Rexall

Dyspepsia Tablets

Will Relieve Your Indigestion

Ellsworth's Drug Store.

THREE FIRES KEPT FIREMEN BUSY

At 117 North Campbell Street a fire was narrowly averted when a pipe, which the owner had been smoking, was laid on the top of a dresser.

When the owner returned he found the bureau scarf and several handkerchiefs in flames.

Not long after this blaze had been put out by the department, they were called to the Hansen and Jensen Fish house. Chris Chris'anson, who owns a gasoline tug, tried to thaw out gasoline pipe and the boat caught fire. The department put out the blaze before great damage was done.

At about 7:30 Sunday evening the fire department were called to the

home of Mrs. Jessie Wright at 1421 Third street, to put out a fire which almost resulted in the complete loss of the entire home. A pall of ashes were left standing on the wooden floor in the cellar of the home, and the red-hot ashes burned their way through the floor. The flames went up through the rear of the house and came out at the roof. Several holes had to be cut in the roof to get at the fire. The house was damaged to the

extent of \$300.

In each case the new fire truck was used and made record time. The big searchlight was used for the first time and the firemen worked with ease on the roof of the burning building.

Members of the charity committee of the Escanaba Women's Club will hold an important meeting at the Carnegie public library at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon.

NO FORK FOR CONGRESS.

Washington, Dec. 6.—No new river and harbor projects will be provided for during the coming session of congress, in the opinion of Chairman Sparkman of the house rivers and harbors committee, who discussed the question today with President Wilson. Estimates for continuing old projects call for \$46,000,000, he said, but it is probable the amount will be cut.



Talk It Over With Your Wife

SEE what she says, before doing anything that concerns your home—especially in money matters.

A man's wife has much to do with his success or failure. If she is thrifty, his success is assured.

Many housewives have accounts here, independent of their husband's account. This practice affords double security to the home and family.

We'll be glad to explain the advantages of banking to thrifty women of this community.

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Smartest, Newest Models In

Women's, Misses' & Girls' Apparel

Most drastic reductions on season's newest and best garments--In fact reductions as low as in any January Clearance Sale--Can only give a slight intimation in this ad of the sensational reductions--All apparel marked for immediate disposal at the lowest prices ever quoted in the beginning of December.

This Important Event Coming at the Very Beginning of the Winter Season, Offers a Most Opportune Time for Practical Holiday Gifts of Extensive Reductions



All Women's and Misses' SUITS ONE-HALF PRICE

SUITS THAT SOLD FOR \$12.50	NOW GO AT	\$ 6.25
SUITS THAT SOLD FOR \$15.00	NOW GO AT	\$ 7.50
SUITS THAT SOLD FOR \$18.50	NOW GO AT	\$ 9.25
SUITS THAT SOLD FOR \$22.50	NOW GO AT	\$11.25
SUITS THAT SOLD FOR \$25.00	NOW GO AT	\$12.50
SUITS THAT SOLD FOR \$27.50	NOW GO AT	\$13.75
SUITS THAT SOLD FOR \$30.00	NOW GO AT	\$15.00
SUITS THAT SOLD FOR \$35.00	NOW GO AT	\$17.50



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ALL WOMEN'S & MISSES'

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One lot of Coats in Warm, Heavy Weight Materials, Good Selection of Sizes. Choice From the Lot . . . \$5.00

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DOUBLE STAMPS

With all purchases made before 12 o'clock noon from now until December 18th

Shop in the forenoon, avoid the big afternoon rush--our double stamp offer should be an incentive for shopping in the forenoon.

COMPETITORS WITH FAILING MEMORY WILL FIND--By referring to back files of this paper -- that Double Stamps in the forenoon is an annual offer by this store every month of December--not new, or original with our worthy competitor--as we have made the same offer for the last 9 or 10 years. If you see anything good, please copy--you're as welcome as the flowers in May.

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ON ALL LADIES'

Skirts

Season's Newest Models.

DEATH TAKES A DANFORTH PIONEER

After an illness of four years from a complication of diseases Mrs. Mary Lamarche died on Sunday morning, at her home in Danforth. A husband and several children survive to mourn the death of a wife and mother.

LAY BODY OF GIRL TO REST THIS A. M.

Funeral services will be conducted this morning at the All Saints church of Gladstone over the body of Rose LeRoux, 15-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph LeRoux of Gladstone, who passed away on Saturday. The girl was a student at the All Saints school at Gladstone and had a wide circle of friends in the Upper Bay city who this morning will attend the funeral.

CHICAGO OFFICER WAS REINSTATED

George Curran of Chicago, a veteran member of the Chicago police force and well known in this city, has been reinstated at his old post in the department after being deposed for a short time in the recent shakeup of the department by Chief Healey. Officer Curran, who has spent his vacations in Escanaba for several years, was stationed at the Ninety first street station of the Illinois Central road for years and in the course of his service has distinguished himself in saving lives on a number of occasions.

He wears a medal given to him by residents about his post for his action in saving a party of little girls from death under a train. His re-instatement was recently accomplished through petition signed by thousands of names and which was presented to the Chicago police chief by a delegation of prominent men who had become interested in Mr. Curran's case and had had become satisfied that he had been seriously wronged.

OUR JITNEY OFFER--This and 5¢

DON'T MISS THIS. Cut out this slip, enclose with five cents to Foley Co., Chicago, Ill., writing your name and address clearly. You will receive in return a trial package containing Foley's Honey and Tar Compound, fo coughs, colds and croup, Foley Kidney Pills, and Foley Cathartic Tablets sold everywhere.

KINGS' SONS MAKE PLANS FOR BANQUET

Members of the Kings Sons Society last night held a meeting at the home of Dr. H. W. Long, 420 Elmore street, and made plans for the annual New Year banquet of the organization to be held at the Delta hotel. Following the regular business session of last night a social program was enjoyed and before the members departed the society members were served with a delightful luncheon by their hostess.

PLEASANT PARTY GIVEN SATURDAY

A party of 35 young people enjoyed a delightful party at Grenier's hall on Saturday evening. The function was arranged by John Greis, Raymond Toled and Edward Krueger and everything possible had been accomplished to make the evening an enjoyable one. Games were played and later a dancing program was enjoyed with Edward Krueger furnishing the music. An elaborate luncheon was served at 12 o'clock, bringing the happy affair to a close.

RECEIVES WORD OF MOTHER'S DEATH

David Harwood yesterday received the announcement of the death of his aged mother, Mrs. Andrew Harwood, at the family home, at Tara, Ont. Mrs. Harwood had been ill for some time with a complication of diseases caused by advancing years.

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