

EXPOSE "RED" PLANS FOR U. S. CONTROL

FRANCE MAY PAY WAR DEBT IN 140 YEARS

MEANTIME SHE IS LOANING MONEY TO OTHER NATIONS.

BY DAVID LAWRENCE. Copyright, 1923, by The Escanaba Press. Washington, Dec. 19.—Although the French foreign office told American newspaper men several days ago that a proposal to pay the United States the war debt of approximately three and a half billion dollars by payments extending over 140 years at two percent interest was being considered, no such offer has been made to the United States government.

While the offer on its face conflicts with the provisions of the existing law whereby congress empowered the World War Funding Commission to make arrangements for payments extending not over 25 years, the French suggestion has attracted considerable interest here largely because it is the first time the French have presented anything concrete.

Semi-Official. There is some doubt expressed here in well-informed quarters that France will ever make the proposal officially to the United States government. The disposition of those who have followed French policy closely is to believe that the French offer was made for newspaper consumption and in recognition only of the rising tide of sentiment in the United States with respect to the French attitude toward the American debt.

The French have been criticized for declining to discuss their indebtedness to America. The fact of the matter is that the French have never acknowledged their obligation to pay the United States in explicit negotiations with the American government. Some newspaper statements have suggested that the French of course would some pay pay their debts and had no idea of repudiating them but the truth is there is nothing official on record to show that the French government means to pay the debt.

No Provision Made. No provision has been made in any French budget since the war for interest or sinking fund on the American debt. Meanwhile the French have loaned money to some of the smaller countries in Europe and have insisted that Germany pay to the full amount of her reparations.

Congress is going to discuss the French attitude extensively. The executive branch of the government and the world war funding commission is not pressing France. On the contrary no move is being made in that direction though Senators Smoot and Borah have indicated that the United States should make it clear to France that American public opinion does not favor the cancellation or repudiation of the debt.

They Don't Answer. The funding commission has indicated to the French a willingness to forego the interest accumulated to date on the French debt and make a new deal but even this did not meet with any response from the French. The money loaned to France during the war was raised from the American people who have to be repaid either by the French or by the American government. At present the United States government is taxing its citizens to raise the money to redeem the bonds issued during the war for the benefit of the French loans. The interest alone in the American budget on all war debts including the French, amounts to more than a billion dollars a year or more than one fourth of the entire receipts from taxes. If the French, like the British, were to begin paying interest the burden of taxation would be reduced and some of the new expenses like the bonus could be taken care of.

What officials here are wondering is how France can continue to lend money to other nations and decline even to pay interest on the debt to America. Congress will debate the matter at an early date.

Rebels Claim Federals Lose Apizaco

DETERMINED FIGHT ON GOITER IS OPENED BY LOCAL CITIZENS AT MASS MEETING HELD LAST NIGHT

"CHRISTUS"



Anton Lang, the "Christus" of Oberammergau Passion Plays, arrived in New York recently with other players to participate in an exhibit of art objects made by Oberammergau folk for sale in this country. There will be no Passion Play staged by them in this country. It is said.

Plan Has Backing of All Physicians Of City.

The use of iodine for the eradication of goiter among the school children of Escanaba was unqualifiedly endorsed by leading physicians of the city before a mass meeting held at the high school auditorium last night. As a result of the endorsement of the movement by members of the medical profession, action will be taken immediately to supply chocolate-coated iodine salt tablets to all pupils in the schools of the city, whose parents consent to such treatment. The plan for the application of the iodine treatment was exhaustively explained at last night's meeting by Dr. H. J. Defnet, city health commissioner, after the plan had been strongly endorsed by Dr. G. C. Bartley, representing the Delta County Medical Society, Dr. A. S. Kitchen and Dr. John J. Walsh.

Get Parental Consent. Dr. Defnet announced that it is proposed to give one iodine tablet, containing one tenth of a grain of iodine salt, each week to each pupil in the schools, as soon as written permission for the beginning of the treatment can be secured from the parents of the city. Dr. Defnet and all of the physicians appearing before last night's mass meeting gave assurance that the taking of iodine in the small quantity proposed could have no harmful results, but that the adoption of the plan cannot but produce most beneficial results.

Plan is Endorsed. The city health commissioner and other physicians speaking before last night's meeting announced themselves as fully convinced that the application of the iodine treatment as planned, will prevent the development of goiters where they have not yet appeared and will either eradicate or check the growth of goiters in all children who are now affected. The treatment proposed will be supplied by the school nurse without charge and under the direction of the city health commissioner.

A preliminary survey that has been conducted has shown that approximately 60 per cent of all girls between the ages of five

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Steps To Reinstatement Suspended Employees

Washington, Dec. 19.—Steps were taken by the administration today to terminate the controversy originating from the discharge, by President Harding, of thirty officials of the bureau of engraving nearly two years ago. Reappointment as director of the bureau was tendered by Secretary Mellon to James L. Wilmett, who was among those ousted by the president's executive order, but he declined to accept the offer. The secretary's action, taken after two conferences with Mr. Wilmett today, was accepted not only as serving to vindicate the deposed director but to presage a change in the administration of the bureau as it is now constituted. Treasury officials were silent as to the next moves, but there were indications that Mr. Mellon desired to place a new official at the head of the bureau, now in charge of Louis A. Hill, who succeeded Mr. Wilmett. It was said that the treasury planned to offer reinstatement to all of those ousted with Mr. Wilmett but the secretary declined to comment on this possibility.

WOMAN PLANS BANK ROBBERY

(By The Associated Press.) Detroit, Dec. 19.—Miss Marjorie Callahan, 31 years old, admitted here today, police say, that she planned the robbery of the Tuxedo Bank at Indianapolis, Ind., November 23, when \$9,000 was obtained. She is quoted as saying she received ten per cent of the loot for her part in the planning of the holdup.

Gasoline Prices Go Up In Detroit

(By The Associated Press.) Detroit, Dec. 19.—Gasoline prices advanced here today when the White Star Refining Company and Detroit Independent Oil Company announced an increase of two cents per gallon in the price of ordinary gasoline. The price was raised from 12.8 to 14.8 cents.

Tenants of a property-owner in La Rochelle, France, receive a "bonus" of three months' rent on the birth of the first child and six months' rent on the birth of the second.

OBREGON SAYS FEDERAL ARMY STILL LOYAL

CLOUD OF OBSCURITY HOVERS OVER SITUATION.

(By The Associated Press.) The cloud of obscurity still hovers over the military situation in Mexico. No authentic news has come through as yet which would serve to throw sufficient light upon the governmental and rebel accounts of events and make clear which is right. Both the federal and the de la Huerta camps are claiming success for their respective forces in the maneuvers east of the capital in the region of San Marcos. Nothing has come through to clear up the report of one of the Vera Cruz correspondents with the rebel army on this sector, that attempts were being made to arrange an armistice preceding efforts to bring about cessation of hostilities.

Decisive Battle Near. To the west of the capital, in the state of Jalisco, the federal forces are declared in official advices to be advancing against the rebels. The report asserts that a decisive battle between the federal troops and General Estrada's forces in this region is imminent.

From Mexico City President Obregon has sent a message to The Associated Press saying that the greater portion of the federal army has remained loyal and is "fighting energetically against the traitors." The president adds that he has reason to believe peace will be restored very quickly.

OBREGON LOSES APIZACO. Vera Cruz, Dec. 19.—Revolutionary headquarters here announce a general retreat of the Obregon forces from Apizaco. The new line of defense of the federal

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JOHNSON WILL FIRE OPENING GUN ON JAN. 3

(By The Associated Press.) Cleveland, O., Dec. 19.—Senator Hiram W. Johnson's campaign for the Republican presidential nomination will be launched in Cleveland on the night of January 3, when he will address a mass meeting at the Masonic auditorium. At the same time, the California senator's Ohio organization will be formed. His campaign, in a measure, will be centered in this locality.

It is not impossible that the Johnson national campaign headquarters might be moved from Chicago to Cleveland, but this will not be decided immediately, Mr. Hitchcock said.

Says Ford Action A "Fine Tribute" To The President

(By The Associated Press.) Lansing, Mich., Dec. 19.—Governor Grosbeck in a statement today described Henry Ford's endorsement of President Coolidge as a "fine tribute which will be welcomed by the nation."

The governor's statement follows: "Mr. Ford's support and advocacy of President Coolidge for re-election clarifies the political situation immensely and to my mind settles the whole business." "Mr. Ford has a large following, is justifiably popular with the common folks and undoubtedly is being given a strong contender for presidential honors had he been a candidate. While in some quarters his ability to handle political and public matters has been questioned the fact is that he has a genius for organization on a large scale and that he is well-intentioned, sure-footed, and full of practical ideas that would work for better government." "Most everything he has undertaken has been well and thoroughly done. He would do the same as an official." "His decision to stand by the president was undoubtedly made a careful survey of the country's needs." "It is a fine tribute to Mr. Coolidge and will be welcomed by the nation."

A volcanic eruption is caused by the huge masses of steam generated under the volcano.

Country Is Safe With Coolidge; Ford Refuses To Be A Candidate

(By The Associated Press.) Detroit, Dec. 19.—Declaring that he believed the country "safe with Coolidge," Henry Ford, automobile manufacturer here, whose name has been mentioned as a possible candidate for president in 1924, today declared that he would not oppose President Coolidge.

A. F. OF L. TO AID GERMANS

WILL START RELIEF WORK FOR GERMAN LABOR BODIES.

(By The Associated Press.) Washington, Dec. 19.—The American Federation of Labor today decided to undertake relief work for the support of labor organizations in Germany. A general appeal to union members for funds to assist in this purpose was issued by Samuel Gompers, president of the Federation, and members of its executive council, and announcement was made that a large committee of officers of American unions had been created to direct the drive for funds and their disposition.

Summarizing reasons actuating the decision, the general appeal, as signed by Mr. Gompers, declared that the economic distress in Germany was leading to the break-up of the entire union organization. This would result not alone in the distress and deprivation of German laborers, the appeal said, but also in a lowering of living standards that would influence world labor prices which American unions "would have to meet in our collective bargaining conferences."

German workers also would be left to "the terrific onslaughts of Bolshevik propaganda with direct backing of the machine at Moscow." It was stated, "If aid is to reach Germany it must come from America."

"The American Federation of Labor is undertaking to raise a relief fund for the German trade union movement—to be used only to maintain that organization."

Reports from Major General Henry T. Allen, retired, former commissioner of the American occupation forces in Germany, now heading the friends' movement for relief of German children and others, the appeal said, had painted a picture of distress and poverty among the laboring classes.

Police Raid Home Of Convict's Wife

(By The Associated Press.) Jackson, Mich., Dec. 19.—Sheriff Stoddard and his men raided the home of Anna Herbot, late today and confiscated 26 gallons and one quart of alleged moonshine and ten gallons of red wine. Most of it was found in a pit under the garage. Mrs. Herbot is the widow of "Brownie" Herbot, who recently ended his life in Michigan state prison, where he was serving a term for violation of the liquor law.

Electric Company Adds Motor Busses

(By The Associated Press.) Jackson, Mich., Dec. 19.—J. F. Collins, vice president and general manager of the Michigan Electric Railway Company, successor to the M. U. R. announces that fast passenger busses and freight trucks have been authorized to connect its lines from Flint from Owosso. Two freight cars and 15 trailers will be added to the service and a \$50,000 freight station will be built at Lansing.

Greek King Sails Away To Oblivion

(By The Associated Press.) Athens, Dec. 19.—King George, in accordance with his not to the government that he would comply with its request to leave Greece, departed from the royal landing stage at Piraeus this afternoon in a naval launch to the Daphne, which will carry him and his party to Rumania.

Wheat Growers Reduce Acreage Twelve Percent

(By The Associated Press.) Washington, Dec. 19.—Wheat producers here have heeded to some degree the warnings of agricultural experts to reduce their acreage, it was indicated in today's report of the department of agriculture which announced 40,191,000 acres had been sown to winter wheat this fall. That is a reduction of 3,759,000 acres, or 12.6 per cent, from the acreage sown a year ago, but the area is 19.1 per cent above the pre-war (1909-13) average annual sowing.

PROLETARIAN REVOLUTION IN AMERICA TO RAISE RED FLAG OVER THE NATIONAL CAPITOL

(By The Associated Press.) Washington, Dec. 10.—Intercepted soviet communications to the Workers' Party of America, outlining detailed plans for a proletarian revolution in America to "raise the red flag over the White House," were made public today by the state department, in support of Secretary Hughes' refusal yesterday to enter into any negotiations with soviet Russia.

The department's announcement said that the department of justice "had assured the state department of the authenticity of these instructions." Part of the program outlined provided for the organization among industrial workers in the United States of "fighting units."

The members of the fighting units, in addition to all other matters, "the instructions said, must once a week be given instructions in shooting and receive some instruction in pioneer work (sapper work)."

The results sought. Summarizing the results to be obtained, the document said: "We are firmly convinced that work in the direction designated by us will give enormous results in the sense of preparing thousands of new propagandists, future leaders of the military forces of the party and faithful fighters during the social revolution."

The communist instructions were made public at the state department without further explanation than was necessary to show the direct connection of this revolutionary project with the soviet government at Moscow. The publication was intended by Secretary Hughes to disclose the definite basis upon which rested the charge made in his communication to Tchitcherin, the soviet foreign minister, that the Moscow government was continuing to conduct revolutionary propaganda in the United States.

Test Of Announcement. Following is the text of the announcement: "The department of state made public today the text of instructions given by Zinoviev, president of the communist international and president of the Petrograd soviet, to the Workers' Party of America, the communist organization in the United States. The department of justice has assured the department of state of the authenticity of these instructions. The communist international, with headquarters at Moscow is the organ of the communist party for international propaganda. The soviet regime in Russia is the organ of

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BONUS SET BACK BY TAX MEASURE

Mellon Says Cost Will Be Over Five Billions.

(By The Associated Press.) Washington, Dec. 19.—Soldiers' bonus legislation received a setback today with the refusal of the house ways and means committee to give it right of way over administrative provisions of the treasury's tax bill. The committee declined, however, to sidetrack it until a decision is reached as to what changes should be made in tax rates.

The bonus was given another jolt by Secretary Mellon who declared in a letter to Representative Andrews, Republican, Massachusetts, that if the compensation measure vetoed by President Harding were enacted, the direct cost would total \$5,400,526,144, and would average \$225,000,000 for the first four years.

Several Weeks' Delay. Under the program adopted at a two-hour session of the ways and means committee, which must approve revenue legislation before it can be taken up by the house, several weeks will be devoted to committee consideration of the tax bill's administrative features. Then the question of whether a bonus bill is to be

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A Lone Bandit Holds Up Train In Milwaukee

(By The Associated Press.) Milwaukee, Wis., Dec. 19.—A masked bandit held up passengers of the Pioneer Limited train on the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul road as it was entering the city limits tonight and escaped after obtaining \$650 from passengers.

When the train was nearing Allis, a stop in the southern outskirts of Milwaukee, he appeared in the smoking compartment in the rear car. He covered the men in the car and after obtaining their money pulled the bell cord and dropped off the train. The brakeman was forced to give up his money. Passengers were reported too frightened to make an outcry and the bandit got away.

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# State Legislature Adjourns

## MUCH HEAT IS SHOWN DURING FINAL HOURS

### Governor Submits Message To Act Now or Go Home.

(By The Associated Press.)  
Lansing, Mich., Dec. 19.—The state legislature ended its special session tonight. Final adjournment was taken after a proposal to make a last minute fight for apportionment by cramming a house bill through the senate was sidetracked when the senate apportionment committee refused to agree to the plan.

The assembly was in session two and a half weeks. No measures were passed and it was believed to be one of the most unproductive sessions in the history of the state.

Upon motion of Representative Eugene J. Kirby, of VanBuren, the house after it had turned down several efforts to reopen the apportionment matter, adopted a resolution directing that a message be sent to the senate informing it that the house has concluded its business and is ready to adjourn. The Kirby motion followed an unsuccessful effort to put the members on record as "refusing to finish the business before them."

Representative Patrick J. O'Brien, of Iron, offered a motion for adjournment. Representative Ari Woodruff, of Wayne, submitted an amendment suggesting that in the adjournment resolution the statement be made that the "house has refused to complete its business and is therefore ready to adjourn." Representative O'Brien accepted the amendment. Immediately the atmosphere of the house became heated. Representative Wade declared that the statement that the house has refused to complete its business is absolutely untrue.

## ALL LOOK ALIKE TO HIGH COURT

### No Distinction Between Society Women and "Magdalenes."

(By The Associated Press.)  
Lansing, Mich., Dec. 19.—In an opinion written by Justice Grant Fellows, and concurred in by three other members of the bench, the supreme court today held that there must be no discrimination between "pink tea" attendants and scrub women, or between society women and magdalenes, in the application of the law. The decision was in the case of Nina D. Bennett, of Burnips Corners, Allegan county.

She charged that in June, 1921, while her husband was away several men and women, some of them masked, visited her home, pulled her through a narrow window, stood her against the wall and pelted eggs at her. She was given a verdict of \$2,000 damages in circuit court, which the supreme court affirmed.

"The community took the law into its own hands to administer it according to the ethics of the stone age," Justice Fellows wrote. "When called to account they seek, by able and adroit counsel to besmirch her character under the pretense of mitigating her damages. It is our proud boast that all are equal before the law. If we deviate from this we must adopt one measure of damages for the attendant of pink teas and another for the scrub woman; one for the society women and another for the magdalenes."

The defendants named in the case were Henry Fleser, John Brower, Jacob, Elizabeth, May and Fred Hildebrand and others.

## Uncork the Vitriol.

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It was impossible, he said, to pass a bill which would be constitutional under the present constitution. The O'Brien motion was finally tabled on motion of Representative Ming.

## Governor's Message.

The end of the session, so far as the house was concerned, came with the submission of a special message from the governor. It urged the members to try and reapportion the state, but held them to that subject. It effectively closed the way to the consideration of resolutions proposing constitutional amendments to change the apportionment basis, one of which had just been reported out by the apportionment committee, by saying that "there is nothing wrong with the constitutional provisions." Speaker George Walsh ruled the resolution, which was sponsored by Representative Manwaring, out of order, in the absence of permission, in the governor's message, to consider constitutional amendment proposals. The message, in effect, directed the

## Death Report On Raisuli Is Given Denial

(By The Associated Press.)  
Tangier, Morocco, Dec. 19.—The reports in circulation of the death, by poison, of the bandit leader, Raisuli, are not credited in official and military circles here nor by the Arab information sources. It is known, however, that Raisuli has been ill with dropsy since the beginning of November and is said to have been growing steadily worse, with public prayers being offered for his recovery. The Spanish authorities offered to send him a physician but he refused, preferring a native doctor.

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## Ford Refusal To Be Candidate Of Major Political Importance

(By The Associated Press.)  
Washington, Dec. 19.—Political camps here were visibly stirred today by the declaration of Henry Ford in support of President Coolidge for 1924.

It brought unconcealed elation to administration leaders interested in Mr. Coolidge's cause, and Democratic leaders said there was satisfaction at least in the fact that Mr. Ford was out in the open and apparently self-limited as a presidential possibility next year.

## STATE COURT AIDS COMISH

(By The Associated Press.)  
Lansing, Mich., Dec. 19.—The ruling of the state public utilities commission that the question of public necessity and convenience need not altogether guide the issuance of permits for the operation of motor vehicle bus lines, was upheld by the state supreme court today.

## OBITUARY

### CHARLES DRWIECKI.

Charles Drwiecki, 50 years of age, whose home is believed to be in Detroit, passed away late on Tuesday night at a local hospital after a prolonged illness from tuberculosis. The body was removed to the Allo Funeral Home where it will be held, pending the receipt of instructions as to the disposition of the remains, from his sister in Detroit. The deceased had been employed in this section for the past year and while little was known of his private life, it is believed that in addition to a sister, he is survived by his wife and three children in Detroit.

### DEATH OF INFANT.

The one-day-old child of Mr. and Mrs. Noah Marcoe, 525 South 18th street, passed away yesterday afternoon at a local hospital. The body was taken to the Allo Funeral Home and prepared for burial. Funeral services will be held today at St. Joseph's church and burial will be made in Hermansville.

## BONUS SET BACK BY TAX MEASURE

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reported in order and tax rates to follow.

After receiving Mr. Mellon's letter, Mr. Andrew, who formerly was assistant secretary of the treasury, declared in a statement that "the secretary's estimates of the cost of adjusted compensation are greatly in excess of the previous estimates of his own actuary which were published by a senate committee a year and a half ago and which have not been questioned heretofore."

"Figures Is Figures," continued Mr. Andrew, "of the estimated deficit of \$650,000,000 which motivated President Harding's veto of the adjusted compensation bill, and which proved after the veto to be one billion dollars in error, as the deficit was transferred into an actual surplus of more than \$300,000,000."

"According to the estimates of the government actuary, the treasury official who is charged with such calculations, the adjusted compensation bill will not cost more than \$81,000,000 yearly for the next three years, or less than a quarter of the secretary's proposed reduction in taxes."

## MIND BABIES AND CASH CHECKS ON BUDD'S RAILWAY

Chicago, Ill.—Warming milk for a baby, wrapping a passenger's mashed finger, even cashing a check for a worthy-looking person who must ride—these are part of the day's work for Britton I. Budd's conductors, just as much as collecting tickets.

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Both Sides Help.

The company is doing its share in co-operation, too. Recently, the conductors and motormen were given a pay increase not called for in the wage agreement effective until June. "The company is doing well," was the explanation given. Stock is sold employees on installment payments, in addition to the usual student loan funds, clubs, classes, etc.

A \$1000 prize went with the Coffin award. It went into the employees' benefit fund. And so it goes, with good will on both sides.

"The service which won the Coffin medal is the result of team work all along the line, and not any individual starrings," Budd informs those who would praise him. "A company may have all the money it can possibly spend on improvements, etc., but it can't succeed unless it has the co-operative spirit of its employees in their work."

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**"DOWN TO THE SHIP TO SEA"**

**The "Kiddies" Are Busy Getting Ready For Picture Party**

"Oh! It is going to be so much fun Saturday morning when we all can go to the Strand Theatre and see the picture of 'Hansel and Gretel'!" remarked several little boys and girls as they were coming from school yesterday. Each one had chosen their admission fee, which was either an orange, a small bag of candy, a potato, or an egg. One little girl said she had a little "dolly" that she was going to bring. Another pair of good stockings she had outgrown. So you see, the youngsters are making every preparation for a good time Saturday morning. Manager Jacobs wishes to impress upon every parent that he will see to the safety of the youngsters and urges the mothers to see that their children are present. Nothing will be acceptable that is fit to give to the less fortunate people at Christmas time. If you have no kiddies about the house, call the neighbors' kiddies or, better still, if you have children let them call for the neighbors' youngsters and take them along. Manager Jacobs wants ALL the children to come, regardless of class. It will give you a genuine Christmas thrill to know that you have sent some unfortunate child to see a picture show he or she will appreciate with a donation toward a worthy cause. If the mother cannot spare the youngster an hour, which is the length of time for the show, let the kiddie come down and peek in and have the satisfaction of feeling she has contributed something to make others happy at Christmas time.

All donations will be turned over to the Salvation Army, which organization will see to it that proper distribution is made. Parents as well as other grown

**Girls Give Play to Sell Seals; Program Today**

Red Cross Christmas seals amounting to about \$26 were distributed at the high school yesterday as a result of a one-act play, "The Kleptomaniac," presented by members of the Girls' League under direction of Miss Struck of the faculty. Miss Mallory was business manager of the affair. Tickets were sold at whatever price the students were able to play, and the league paid back the amount in seals. The play was exceptionally well-presented. There will be a Christmas musical program today, consisting of songs by the Girls' Glee Club under the direction of Miss Duff, and music by the high school orchestra, Mr. Shanklin conducting. The concert will be held at the ninth period.

**Glycerine Mixture Prevents Appendicitis**

Simple glycerine, buckthorn bark, etc., as mixed in Adlerika is excellent to guard against appendicitis. Most medicines act only on lower bowel but Adlerika acts on BOTH upper and lower bowel and removes all gasses and poisons. Brings out matter you never thought was in your system. Helps any case gas on the stomach in TEN minutes. Ellsworth's Drug Store, Escanaba. Adv.

ups can leave any small donation they wish in passing by for some unfortunate child who just couldn't find a thing to give for admission fee.

**THE NEW STRAND Saturday Morning 10 O'clock & 11 O'clock**

**Oh! Listen, Kiddies**

You Are Invited To The Nicest Party SATURDAY MORNING

AND you are going to be so happy, and you are going to make a lot of other little children happy by going. But you must bring something for the party. Ask mother for an egg, an apple, an orange or a potato or anything else that will please some poor little girl or boy who will be so glad when he gets it at Christmas time. Bring any one of these articles to The Strand Saturday morning and the man at the door will let you in to see a regular picture program. Won't that be lots of fun?

FEATURE ATTRACTION—  
**BABY PEGGY**

"Hansel and Gretel"

It Will Be Children's Morning At The Strand Saturday.

The Admittance Fee Will Be Turned Over To The Salvation Army For Distribution.

Parents are urged to send their children so they may enjoy the morning with others. They will be well cared for.

**SHERIFF AND MEN GET STILL**

**Two Fruitful Raids in Fairbanks Township Last Night.**

Sheriff Joe Carney and five deputies last night continued to bat 1000 per cent, raiding two places and getting the goods in each. The first visit of the evening was paid to the home of Oliver LaSalle in Fairbanks township, about seven miles back of Garden. Armed with a search warrant, the officers landed on the premises unexpectedly and without trouble found a 20-gallon copper still in full operation. The still gave evidence of having seen a lot of usage, it is stated. Two hundred gallons of mash was destroyed after samples had been taken, nine gallons of moonshine were secured and together with the still was brought to this city. In Fine Operation. The plant was found in full operation in a small building on the LaSalle premises. A short distance from the house and it was indicated that quite a thriving business had been done. There seemed to be more or less openness about the conduct of the still, two stoves being in operation and a considerable amount of distilling apparatus being found in the place, which seemed to have no other use. Just to make it a perfect day, the sheriff and deputies dropped into the soft drink parlor of Alec MacDonald in Garden where they picked off two gallons of "moon" in the building and a quart bottle behind the bar. Charges of possession and sale will be made against MacDonald.

**Old Santa Is Back At Fair Savings Bank**

After having been absent for a week, Old Santa Claus returned to the Fair Savings Bank last night and stated that he would be there off and on between now and Christmas. Yesterday he sent out about 1,000 cards acknowledging receipt of letters from little folks and inviting them to the big Christmas party at the Fair Store on Christmas morning. All those who wrote letters and do not receive these post card acknowledgments, are to understand that they also are invited to Santa's party Christmas morning.

This forenoon, Santa will visit St. Joseph's church where he will be a popular feature of the program to be carried out by Fr. Daniel.

1922—United States senate in deadlock on ship subsidy bill.

**AMUSEMENTS**

**COMING TO THE STRAND.**

"There is no reason why the actor in pictures should not put his profession on a business basis. There is as much business basis to art as there is to selling cotter-pins for automobile fly-wheels." This is the rather startling view of William Duncan, one of the most noted players in the motion pictures, for years a reigning favorite and the dominant figure in "The Steel Trail," the great Universal chapter play of railroad construction, starring Duncan and Edith Johnson, which comes to the Strand theater Friday and Saturday.

"I am a business man," says Duncan. "My business is selling my ability to act—at retail, I have to sell Mr. and Mrs. America and their children—and it is a simple problem. Supply the right kind of goods—and apply sense to the sale—that's the answer to the problem of merchandising suspenders, as a matter of fact."

That this formula succeeds is shown by "The Steel Trail," in which he heads a large cast in a series of thrilling episodes centered around a great construction camp. The play features a forest fire, spectacular construction scenes, thrilling plunge in an automobile over a high cliff and many other exciting details, merged into a gripping story of modern pioneers of America—the railroad builders of today.

**Santa Claus Will Visit St. Joseph's Auditorium Today**

Today will be a gala day at St. Joseph's school, for on that date a special Christmas program will be presented in the auditorium and Santa Claus will personally appear on the scene to give presents to all the children. The auditorium will be elaborately decorated for the occasion.

In the afternoon a free motion picture show, consisting of a five-reel comedy will be shown to the children. This picture program will be repeated for the benefit of the ladies of the parish at 8 o'clock tonight. All the ladies, married and single, are included in the invitation and there will be no admission charge.

A detailed program for the Christmas program at St. Joseph's will be announced Sunday. A solemn midnight mass will be celebrated Christmas morning. Next Sunday's photoplay at St. Joseph's will be "Broken Hearts of Broadway."

The President and Mrs. Coolidge are to give a dinner at the White House this evening for the members of the foreign diplomatic corps and their ladies.

Anything can happen now. French football team played a German team in Germany without any damage.

**DEPARTMENT OF WELFARE ASKED**

**Mayor Suggests New Plan in Handling Poor Relief Work.**

Establishment of a municipal welfare department, which would take relief work for the city's poor entirely out of the hands of the police department, and which would enable many of those now receiving aid from the city to earn at least a portion of their livelihood, was suggested to the city council last night by Mayor T. M. Judson.

Contemplates Workshop. Mr. Judson's plan contemplates the installation of a municipal workshop where the thousands of dollars worth of clothing, shoes, furniture and other household goods wasted annually in Escanaba, could be repaired, reclaimed and sold to needy persons at the cost of the repair.

This work, it was suggested, would be done either at the workshop or at the homes of the workers.

The idea is a new one in Michigan, it was developed, but it has been found to work successfully in some cities of other states. Whether it would reduce the amount of city taxes now levied to carry on the poor relief work about 6 or 7 per cent of the total amount raised—was touched upon

**CITY BRIEFS**

Harland Yelland who is a student at the University of Michigan is spending the holidays at the home of his parents, Judge and Mrs. Judd Yelland.

Good Christmas trees for sale. Call Schram's, phone 597. 8148-353-21.

Thomas Rice has returned from Ann Arbor where he is a student at the University of Michigan and is spending the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Rice.

Sauer's Cream Taffy sold at 50c per pound at 210 South 5th St. 8131-350-6t.

The Misses Loretta and Catherine Le-Mire will return to the city this morning from St. Mary's College to spend the Christmas holidays at the home of their parents, Dr. and Mrs. W. A. Le-Mire, 600 Lake Shore Drive.

Beautiful alligatorette covered buffet trays with cover of same material free with each set of Community Silverware, today. Friday and Saturday. The Fair Store. 8158-354-1t.

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Mrs. D. N. Harvey, daughter Nana, and grandson, Sammy Mills motored to Menominee Sunday to spend the day with relatives.

It makes a lovely Christmas gift. A singing canary in a caged cage. Prices reasonable. Barrett's Bird Store, 416 Ladington street. 8139-352-4t.

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**COUNCIL GIVES ITS APPROVAL TO CURB MART.**

Approval of the Escanaba city council of the proposal that a farmers' retail curb market be established here, was given last night, and the Chamber of Commerce, which also is interested in the plan, was assured of the administration's willingness to cooperate.

The action was taken after Councilman C. J. Burns had reported on his recent trip to Petoskey, Grand Rapids, Ann Arbor, Ypsilanti and Detroit, where he and Fred J. Earle, representing the Chamber of Commerce, investigated retail curb market conditions.

They had found that the markets in these cities had the enthusiastic endorsement of merchants, farmers, officials and consumers, Mr. Burns said.

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	DOUBLE-FADED	Number	List Price
L'Amico Fritz—Son pochi fiori	Lucrezia Bori	967	\$1.50
(Here Are Some Flow'ers) (Musical) In Italian			
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(Must I Ever That be Sadly Crying) In Italian			
The Metropolitan revival of "L'Amico Fritz" gives special timeliness to these lovely numbers.			
Quartet in D Major—Adagio (Mozart)	Fronzaley Quartet	6425	2.00
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If you would know the inner beauty of great music, shut out the sounds of the street and listen to these two numbers.			
Somewhere in the World	John McCormack	968	1.50
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Two songs in catchy popular style, sung as McCormack knows how to sing them.			

**Melodious Instrumental**

Bright Moon—Waltz	Hawaiian Gaiters	Ferera and Franchini	19088	.75
Hawaiian Nights—Waltz		Ferera and Franchini		
These numbers may be danced to, or just listened to—with the thrills that come with the "Hawaiian waltz."				

**Light Vocal Selections**

Friend o' Mine	Royal Dadmun	45371	1.00
Trade Winds	Royal Dadmun		
Two songs of the milder emotions. They are good things for youth to know. Spiritually sung in this record.			
Dear Old Lady	Sterling Trio	19194	.75
Lindy Lady	Peerless Quartet		
Three men's voices give tribute to the "Dear Old Lady." In "Lindy Lady" they add a fourth, perk up and begin to strut.			

**Dance Records**

Mamma Goes Where Papa Goes	David H. Silverman and His Orchestra	19195	.75
Fox Trot			
Mean Blues—Fox Trot			
An organization new to the Victor—its first two contributions will please the epicure in jazz.			
Wonder If She's Lonely Too—Fox Trot	Charles Dornberger and His Orchestra	19196	.75
I Never Had a Mammy—Fox Trot	The Manhattan Merry-makers		
(From "Topsy and Eva")			
These are smooth fox-trots, though you may jazz them up to the limit if you choose. The second has a vocal refrain.			
You—Fox Trot	Benson Orchestra of Chicago	19197	.75
Do You, Don't You, Will You, Won't You			
Love Me Too—Fox Trot	Benson Orchestra of Chicago		
These records will meet every demand of the fox trotter. No matter how well, or how badly, you dance, they are for you.			
Lonesome and Blue—Waltz	Benson Orchestra of Chicago	19198	.75
When Lights are Low—Waltz			
Waltz well, and anything else on the dance-floor will be utter child's play to you. These records will help.			

**THE NEW STRAND**

Starting Friday for two days and every week thereafter for fifteen successive weeks.

**A Breath-taking Rescue!**

Matching the speed of his fleet horse against the mad rush of a runaway dynamite train, he rescued the girl he loved from certain death in the most daring, gripping scene ever in pictures! See this hair-breadth escape; see countless other thrills that make this picture

"The Mightiest Thriller of Them All"

**WM. DUNCAN**  
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**"The STEEL TRAIL"**

This is the picture that you have been waiting for! Here it is, the biggest, the newest, the most thrilling, most spectacular picturization of life in the open ever presented to motion picture audiences. See the world's greatest chapter play star, William Duncan, in the greatest picture he has ever made!

ADDED  
Snowy Baker in "The Better Man"



# Willie Hoppe Is Still Cue King

## LOSES IN LAST BLOCK BUT THE TITLE IS HIS

### Cochran Recovers Form and Outplays Champ Last Night

(By The Associated Press.) Chicago, Dec. 19.—Willie Hoppe of New York retained his world's championship at 18.2 ballline billiards tonight when a 500 to 255 score in the third block of their playoff of a tie in the international tournament at New York gave him the match 1-500 to 1,161 over Weiker Cochran of Hollywood, California.

Cochran, for two nights badly off form, suddenly found himself late in tonight's play, when Hoppe began missing, and outplayed the champion taking the final blocks by 225 points, but being unable to overcome the tremendous lead Hoppe piled up on the first two nights when he won 500 to 263 and 500 to 233.

Tonight's block went 16 innings, that last night 13, and the opening five. Score by innings, high runs and averages: Cochran—5 2 33 74 89 50 2 34 0 2 0 0 4 69 20 13 30 1 45 51 40 22 92 197 0 81 79 44 0 96 0 97—1.161.

Hoppe—150 34 45 211 x 64 2 2 1 1 9 0 2 52 182 3 207 2 106 0 206 4 144 4 0 28 4 0 23 0 10 0 7 1 16—1.504.

X—unfinished first night, Z—unfinished second night. High runs—Hoppe 211; Cochran 107. Grand Average—Hoppe 44%; Cochran 34.5-34.

## POOR COWBOY WINS FAME WITH BRUSH

Missula, Mont.—A cowboy genius. Out of the obscurity of a Montana prairie rises Charles M. Russell, a rider of the range, to an eminent position in the art world as a painter of frontier life.

The story of this man who was found wandering over the prairie 42 years ago, hungry and alone, is as striking and as spectacular as his pictures, one of which has been purchased by the Prince of Wales for \$10,000.

The Duke of Connaught also has bought one, as has a California millionaire, who paid \$10,000 for Mr. Russell's "The Salute to the Robt Trade."

Hoover Finds Him. More than two score years ago, Jake Hoover, known then as one of the best hunters in the Montana territory, came upon a 15-year-old boy seated beside a camp-fire in eastern Montana.

"What're you doin' here?" asked Hoover. "Campin'," replied the youth. "Campin' here? Where's your grub?"

"Aint got any." "Then come with me," directed the trapper. "I've got grub and a camp a short ways from here. I've got lots of elk meat and it will feel pretty good in that empty belly of yours."

Without a word the youth arose, put out his fire and followed his new-found friend, and thus Charles M. Russell found a real home in the west and became a citizen of Montana.

In Hoover's cabin Russell began his paintings. He had only school water colors and his work was crude. He did his painting at evening, after his day's work was done, and he did it for the fun he got out of it.

Russell was born in St. Louis, March 19, 1865. He hated the city and was delighted when his parents removed to the country to live. He was downcast again when they returned to St. Louis and he ran away from home.

Self Taught. He is a self-taught artist—an example of genius developed through perseverance and love of his theme. His first picture to bring him national prominence was "The Last of 5099," a title which has become a by-word in Montana.

It depicts a lone cow about to die of hunger and exposure and a coyote waiting for her to drop. It represents the last of 5099 head of cattle which perished in a series of blizzards which struck eastern Montana in the eighties.

When he was just beginning to get recognition, he met Nancy Cooper, then 17. Both were living at Cascade, Mont., and Miss Cooper became his nurse when he was taken ill. They were married as soon as he recovered.

He had to borrow \$10, half of which he paid to the minister and half to set up drinks for "the boys."

## Detroit Will Get Motor Boat Races Again

(By The Associated Press.) New York, Dec. 19.—Detroit once again will be the scene of the big motor boat racing classic when the speedy power craft of the country meet in the annual Gold Cup race, August 30 to September 1.

This was made known today by the American Powerboat Association in announcing the schedule of important motorboat racing events for 1924. The first big event of the year will come June 25 in the express cruiser championships to be held under the auspices of the Middletown Yacht Club at Middletown, Connecticut. The annual regatta of the Mississippi valley powerboat association will be staged July 2 to 6 at Oshkosh, Wis., and the annual Chicago regatta has been set for July 27 to August 3. The Gold Cup race at Detroit, which includes the 1924 schedule, will be held under the auspices of the Detroit Yacht Club.

## RED FLAGGERS ARE EXPOSED IN AMERICA

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the communist party for the governing of Russia. As Steklov member of the Russian communist party and of the all-Russian central executive committee and editor of the Izvestia, official organ of the soviet regime, has stated in this official paper:

"The close organic and spiritual connection between the soviet republic and the communist internationale cannot be doubted. And even if this connection had not been admitted many times by both sides, it would be clear to everybody as an established fact, x x x This connection is not merely of a spiritual, but also of a material and palpable character. x x x The mutual solidarity of the soviet republics and the communist internationale is an accomplished fact. In the same degree as the existence and the stability of soviet Russia are of importance to the third internationale, the strengthening and the development of the communist internationale is of great moment to soviet Russia."

"Communist Instructions." "The communist internationale notes with great satisfaction that the work of the W. P. A. for the past year has been expressed in a satisfactory broad and real revolutionary work. Particularly pleasing to us is the fact that all dissensions existing up to the present time in the ranks of the party have finally been liquidated and we hope that the W. P. A. the advance guard of the revolutionary proletariat of the United States of North America, will now more successfully conduct its revolutionary work among the millions of American proletarians.

"For more intensive revolutionary work we suggest that the following instructions be adhered to: "1—All the activity of the party must at the present time be directed among the workers of the large industries, such as the railroad workers, miners, weavers, steel workers and similar workers engaged in the principal industries of the United States.

"2—Among these workers in the factories, mills, plantations, clubs, etc., there must be organized units of ten. The head of this unit of ten must, insofar as possible, be an old trusted member of the party, who must once a week, together with his ten, study the communist program and other revolutionary literature.

"3—These units of ten must be organized by occupation and nationality.

"4—The head of the unit must know intimately each individual member of his ten—his character, habits, the degree of his revolutionism, etc., and report everything direct to the central committee of the party.

"5—Each of these units of ten must have their own fighting unit of not less than three men, who are appointed by the leader of the unit with the approval of the central committee of the party. The members of the fighting unit in addition to all other matters, must once a week be given instructions in shooting and receive some instruction in pioneer working (sapper work).

"6—All the unit leaders of each district must meet once every two months to discuss the progress of their work and their plans for further activities in the presence of a member of the central committee of the party.

"7—We are firmly convinced that work in the direction designated by us will give enormous results in the sense of preparing thousands of new propagandists, future leaders of the military forces of the party and faithful fighters during the social revolution.

"8—With reference to the organization of the W. P. A., of the Federated Farmer Labor party, the communist internationale expresses its complete satisfaction and its approval to the central committee of the party for its boldness and tact in putting this idea into effect. We hope that the party will step by step conquer (embrace) the proletarian

## OLYMPIC GANG TO TOUR EAST

### Fancy and Speed Skaters Ready To Start For France.

(By The Associated Press.) New York, Dec. 19.—After making their farewell exhibition appearance in New York tomorrow night, candidates for the American Olympic fancy and speed skating team will depart for a brief tour of New England prior to going to Saranac and Lake Placid for the elimination trials.

The speed skaters, including Joe Moore, William Steinmetz, Harry Kasky, Duke Donovan and Valentine Blais, will engage in their first outdoor contests at Pittsfield, Mass., on Friday. There they will be joined by Charles Jewtraw, the international champion, and Charles Gorman, of St. John, N. B., who will represent Canada in the Olympics. Proceeds of the Pittsfield meet will be donated to the Olympic fund.

The skaters will appear in Boston Saturday and then go to Saranac Lake, where on December 26 the semi-final elimination trials at 500; 1,500 and 5,000 meters will be held. The final Olympic trials are scheduled at Lake Placid December 28. From there the team will go to Newburgh to take New Year's Day in the middle Atlantic states championships. They will sail on January 2 for France, where the Olympic events will start January 25.

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and 17 years are afflicted with goiters in this section and that 30 per cent of the boys of the same age are similarly affected. Last night's mass meeting at the high school auditorium was arranged under the auspices of the Escanaba Parent-Teachers' Association, L. M. Beggs, a member of that organization, served as chairman of the evening. At the opening of the program several excellent selections were given by the high school orchestra.

## SOVIET RUSSIA STILL HOPEFUL

(By The Associated Press.) Moscow, Dec. 19.—"We are continuing to fix our hopes on a change in public opinion in America," Foreign Minister Tchitcherin told the correspondents tonight in commenting on the statement of Secretary of State Hughes in Washington that there seemed to be no reason at this time for negotiations with Russia and suggesting that she admit her obligations to the United States and its citizens.

"For the peace of the world," said M. Tchitcherin, "it would be of great advantage if the United States came to an agreement with us, a great step toward the settlement of world conditions; but Mr. Charles Hughes is still using his influence against such a result."

M. Tchitcherin said that further overtures from Russia at present seemed impossible, and other officials, to whom the Hughes' statement seemed to come as a startling shock, after the expression in President Coolidge's message, took the view that there was little hope of dealing with America under the present administration.

## Brothers Meet for First Time After 60 Years

Salt Lake City.—The Dalton brothers—A. A. and Joseph A., both well above the 60 mark—are just beginning to get acquainted.

Although they always have lived only a few miles apart, they met for the first time the other day.

And here is how the reunion was effected: R. J. Alder, a Salt Lake salesman and brother-in-law of Joseph A. Dalton, 63, of this city, was out in Sandy, a Salt Lake City suburb, calling upon prospects.

And one of those he happened to see was A. A. Dalton, who admits 65 years.

Alder asked Dalton if he had any relation to Dalton of Salt Lake City. And Dalton of Sandy ventured that he did have a brother named Joseph A. Dalton, whom he never had seen.

"Maybe the Salt Lake Dalton is my brother," he said.

"Well," replied Alder, "he's my brother-in-law."

Alder arranged the meeting. It occurred during a noonday court intermission while Joseph A. Dalton was serving on a jury.

Few Railroads Had. Here is the story Joseph had to tell: "My sister was keenly disappointed when I was born, because I wasn't a girl. So mother told sister she could rear me. In 1875, when she moved to Montpelier, Idaho, she took me with her."

But his brother's story was even briefer. "When I was a baby," he related, "Father moved to Springville and took me along. I grew to manhood in that part of the state, and afterward moved to Sanpete county."

"Nobody traveled much those days, for we had to depend almost entirely on horses and oxen, for there were few railroads. So I guess that's how we lost trace of each other."

But now the Dalton brothers are making up for lost time. They are visiting one another just as often as they can.

forces of America and in the not distant future raise the red flag over the White House."

## Eight Games On E. H. S. Schedule for Next Year

The Escanaba high school football schedule for 1924, contains five "home" games and three contests out of town. The card is one of the best the locals have had in several years.

It follows: Sept. 20—St. Joseph's. Sept. 27—At Newberry. Oct. 4—At Gladstone. Oct. 11—Marquette here. Oct. 18—At Menominee. Oct. 25—Manistique here. Nov. 1—Sault Ste. Marie here. Nov. 8—Negaunee here.

## Joe Dundee Beats Teddy Marchant

(By The Associated Press.) Baltimore, Md., Dec. 19.—Joe Dundee, Baltimore lightweight, defeated Teddy Marchant, of England, in a 12 round bout here tonight. Marchant rocked Dundee in several rounds but was unable to follow up his advantages.

## COLLEGE BASKETBALL

(By The Associated Press.) South Bend, Ind., Dec. 19.—Notre Dame 25; Northwestern 16.

## GOITER FIGHT OPENED HERE

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Physicians are Unanimous. Dr. G. C. Bartley, president of the Delta County Medical Society was the first speaker of the evening and announced that the society which he represented, without qualification had endorsed the iodine treatment plan for goiter in Escanaba. Dr. Bartley explained the nature, cause and effect of goiter and showed that the disease is prevalent in both North and South American, Europe and Asia, with the Great Lakes district in the United States and Switzerland in Europe showing the greatest number of cases according to population.

Dr. A. S. Kitchen explained the function of the thyroid gland, the enlargement of which constitutes goiter, explaining that it is thru this gland that hormone is secreted and by which oxygen is absorbed by the tissues from the red corpuscles in the blood. Dr. Kitchen asserted that the iodine treatment for goiter was known and probably practiced 2000 B. C. and carefully traced the rediscovery of the treatment and the remarkable progress made in recent years. Dr. Kitchen referred especially to the experience of Akron and Cleveland, O., and Grand Rapids, Mich., where by the use of the iodine treatment, goiter has been practically eradicated in the children of those cities in a comparatively few years.

Walsh Tells of Prevention. Dr. John J. Walsh read a most interesting paper on the prevention and treatment of goiter, in which he traced the first appearance of iodine in history for combating the disease and the progress made in successive years. Dr. Walsh insisted that the results in a few cities of the Great Lakes district have proven conclusively that the iodine treatment as now practiced is certain of producing beneficial returns.

Methods Explained. Dr. H. J. Defnet, local "omniscient," told of four methods for applying the iodine treatment. One method is to hang an open bottle of iodine in a school room but that method was discouraged for Escanaba because of the efficient ventilating systems now in use in the schools. Another method, he explained, is to place a definite quantity of iodine in the city water supply each day, but that plan is not acceptable because the amount of water consumed each day varies with each individual. A plan by which iodine is placed in table salt was also held objectionable for the same reason. The chocolate tablet method for giving iodine to children was strongly urged by the health commissioner as it is pleasing to the taste and the small quantity in each tablet can produce no harmful results, while the amount taken by each child consuming one tablet each week, during the 40 weeks of school, cannot but have a most beneficial effect in preventing the development of goiters in children not yet afflicted and in checking and reducing goiters already developed.

Dr. Defnet pleaded for the cooperation of the parents of the city that the plan may be placed in complete effect as quickly as possible in Escanaba and a definite step taken for combating the disease.

It will soon be time for new resolutions. We call them new, but they are old ones made over.

If hell is paved with good intentions it will be repaved New Year.

# MARKET NEWS

## STRONG BUYING MARKS THE DAY

Market Closes Irregularly But Gains Are Recorded. (By The Associated Press.)

NEW YORK STOCKS (Last Sales) Allied Chemical & Dye 69.00 American Can 104.12 American Car & Foundry 155.75 American International Corp. 21.82 American Locomotive 72.82 American Smelting & Refg. 87.87 American Sugar 57.00 American T. & T. 127.12 American Tobacco 148.00 American Woolen 56.82 Asacoda Copper 71.75 Atchafalaya 18.79 Atchafalaya 18.79 Atchafalaya 18.79

STOCK SALES SUMMARY. Total stock sales 1,092,000 shares. Twenty industrials averaged 93.61; net loss 10; High 1923, 105.33; low 85.76. Twenty railroads averaged 82.09, net loss 07. High 1923, 90.51; low 78.53.

New York, Dec. 19.—Strong buying support came into today's market and checked the reactionary movement which developed yesterday. A renewal of selling pressure against Union Pacific in the final hour, with sympathetic recessions in some of the other rails and industrials, gave closing prices an irregular appearance.

The sudden reversal in speculative sentiment was based on Washington advices setting forth that the house ways and means committee had decided to defer action on a soldiers' bonus until after it has considered administrative features of the Mellon tax program, and a statement by Jesse L. Livermore, one of Wall Street's most famous operators, denying that he had sold stock, and asserting that his position in the market was unchanged.

Bullish Tone. Bullish demonstrations were successfully conducted during the day in a number of specialties, including National Lead which was pushed up 10 points to 137-7/8, a new high record for the year; May Department Stores which moved up 3 points to 83-3/4, also a new high, on reports of record breaking holiday trade; and Cuba Cane Sugar preferred which climbed more than 3 points to 61 5/8. All these top prices were shaded before the close.

Selling pressure was concentrated in the early dealings on such speculative favorites as Baldwin, American Can and Studebaker, each of which sold several points below Monday's high figures although all made good recovery later and showed little change from yesterday's final prices at today's close. Steel shares were slightly reactionary.

Rails Irregular. Considerable irregularity developed in the railroad list with the northwestern carriers inclined to stiffen on the announcement of the Northern Pacific report quarterly dividend, that stock touching 53 1/2 and then easing to 52 5/8, where it was off 1 1/4 on the day. The Erie issues were again heavily bought on further confirmation of high current earnings.

Call money opened at 4 3/4 per cent and dropped to 4 1/2 before the close. Commercial paper was slightly firmer and fairly active at 4 3/4 to 5 per cent. Time money was unchanged and business quiet.

A record low of 5.16 cents for French francs feature the foreign exchanges.

CHICAGO POTATOES. Chicago, Dec. 19.—Potatoes were receipts 45 cars; total U. S. shipments 443; Wisconsin sacked round white, U. S. No. 1, 35 at \$1.10; Minnesota sacked round white, U. S. No. 1 and partly graded, 30 at \$1; sacked Red River Ohio, \$1.15; Idaho sacked russet, U. S. No. 1, \$1.25 at \$1.75; poorly graded \$1.50 at \$1.65.

CHICAGO LIVESTOCK. Chicago, Dec. 19.—Cattle receipts 9,000; beef steers and yearlings very uneven; fed steers at 9.00 and above 15 to 25c higher; others steady; top yearlings 11.50; fed matured steers 10.75; fat stock uneven generally dull; canners and cutters strong; vealers steady to 25c lower; bulk 8.50 to 9.00; light kind 8.00; stockers and feeders narrow.

Hogs, receipts 35,000; desirable medium and strong weight butchers steady; bulk 10.00 to 11.00; 7.25 to 7.50; 225 pound average 8.00 to 7.00; bulk desirable packing sows 6.40 to 6.60; desirable strong weight pigs 6.00 at 6.25; estimated sold over 8,000.

Sheep receipts 3,000; fat lambs strong to around 25c higher; sheep mostly 25c higher; feeding lambs steady; bulk woolled 1.00 at 1.15; light and heavy wethers and handly ewes 7.25 at 7.75; bulk feeding lambs 11.25 at 11.75.

CHICAGO BUTTER. Chicago, Dec. 19.—Moderate supplies and an indifferent demand for butter left the market here steady today. Fresh butter 82 cents; 84; Centralized carlots: 99 score 49 1/2.

CHICAGO GRAIN. Chicago, Dec. 19.—Although wheat averaged a little higher in price the greater part of the time today, values underwent something of a setback during the last hour. The decline was accompanied by considerable selling here against purchases at Winnipeg. Closing quotations were: Wheat 1.18 at 1 1/2 lower, May 1.08 3/4 and July 1.06 5/8 at 3/4 to 1.06 3/4. Corn finished at 1-5/8 off to 3-5/8 at 1/2 up, oats varying from 1-5/8 decline to 1/2 up, and rye 1.00 to 1.05 up.

Upturns which took place in the wheat market prior to the late sag were apparently based on accurate forecast that the government crop report issued after the close would reduce to a material extent the estimated acreage of domestic winter wheat, as compared with last year's total.

In connection with the lower prices which ruled for wheat in the final dealings, talk was current that Canada this season has so much wheat on hand that it is reasonable to expect a good deal would be brought into the United States throughout the winter months.

Improved weather in Argentina likely to facilitate the harvest there was a further bullish influence. Cane receipts reacted with wheat and as a result of profit taking sales. Cash demand for corn, nevertheless, continued good, and spot prices were relatively firm owing to unfavorable weather. Offerings of provisions were light, and eastern houses bought hard.

Bakers bake pies, pastries and cakes. Van Duzer's Certified Flavoring Extracts make them delicious and wholesome.

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FOR RENT—Furnished room, all modern conveniences, 148 First Ave. So. \$200-351-31.

FOR RENT—Furnished room, all modern conveniences, 221 & 12th St. \$125-350-31.

FOR RENT—Furnished room with lights and water. Inquire 211 N. 18th St. \$145-350-41.

FOR RENT—Red striped mitten with leather facing. Finder phone 645-M. Reward. \$125-350-31.

FOR RENT—At Wells, good sized kitchen, light grey and white; house pet. Reward for information as to its whereabouts or its return. Call Press. \$125-350-31.

FOR RENT—Ladies blue knit garment mitten. Finder return to Press office. \$125-350-31.

FOR RENT—A small pocketbook, containing \$15.00. Mrs. Wm. Smith, 430 N. 18th St. \$125-350-31.

FOR RENT—Part of fountain pen. Finder call 745-W. Reward. \$125-350-31.

MISCELLANEOUS. FLEATING, Hemstitching and Footage work. Cloth Covered Buttons, Button holes. Mail orders solicited. Prompt service. All work received before noon finished same day. H. A. Reynolds 704 Lexington St., Escanaba, Mich. Lock Box 107. 7973-Dee.

SINGER Sewing Machine for sale or rent. \$10.00. 704 Lexington St. Phone 1944. 7973-Dee.

HEMSTITCHING and Footage. Orders may be left at the Fair Store, in Art Dept. Laura Lavietto, 302 N. 18th St. Phone 347-W. 7973-Dee.

HEAVY TRAINING—Sigmund Hill, 626 N. 19th St. Phone 625-R. \$125-350-31.

ally without opposition Monday morning.

Rebel Reinforcements. General Cesarino Castro, commanding the forces which occupied Puebla after its evacuation by the federal army, was instructed to send all available troops to cooperate in the San Marcos engagement. The message likewise informed General Gonzales that General Mayotte had announced that he was sending two contingents from the Oaxaca district and that reinforcements had been ordered from Oriental, and from Manantlan.

Available information at the war department, according to an unofficial statement indicated that the de LaHuertistas were unable to muster more than 2,000 effectives at San Marcos, although possible reinforcements might swell the total.

## OBREGON SAYS FEDERAL ARMY STILL LOYAL

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forces now runs from Munoz, with the base of operations at Irolo station, about 35 miles northeast of Mexico City.

The retreat of the federal forces was caused by the rebel troops of General Mayotte proceeding from Puebla and renewing the attack on Apizaco, flanking the Obregonists.

The forces which attacked Apizaco are the same as those which on Sunday came to the rescue of the rebels at San Marcos, but arrived there after the Obregonists had been routed from the railway junction town. The Mayotte forces then returned to Puebla, to attack the flank of the Obregonists operating there.

FATE OF REVOLUTION. Mexico City, Dec. 18.—(via Laredo, delayed)—The fate of the revolution is being decided upon the battlefield of San Marcos where, according to official statements, federal troops under General Audenio Martinez engaged with the greatest force that the de LaHuertistas rebellion has been able to muster, under the command of General Pedro Gonzales.

General Guadalupe Sanchez from Vera Cruz, and President Obregon from Mexico City, have taken general command of the operations of the opposing armies.

Wireless messages exchanged between Sanchez and various rebel commanders, which were intercepted at Chapultepec station, indicated that Adolfo de LaHuerta was making a desperate effort to recapture San Marcos, which General Martinez occupied virtu-

## Junior Class Gives \$115 to Field Fund

From the proceeds of the Junior class play, staged last week, members of the Junior class of the high school have contributed \$114.50 to the high school athletic field fund, it was announced yesterday by Principal R. E. Cheney. The total amount now in the athletic field fund is \$2,526.22.

## ESCANABA LODGE NO. 98

Knight Rank Every Wednesday

## Delta Lodge No. 195

Election of Officers Dec. 20th, 1923.

## DELTA CHAPTER No. 118, R. A. M.

Regular Meeting Second Thursday of Each Month.

## FOR SALE or RENT

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### Committee Can Supply Seals

Announcement was made yesterday by Mrs. C. M. Frost, head of the Womens Club committee in charge of the sale of Christmas seals in Escanaba, that the committee still has a large supply of seals in its possession and those desiring to replenish their supply will be gladly accommodated. No request for seals can be too small or too large to please and receive the immediate attention of the committee from now until Christmas. A large number of Escanaba people are this year using Christmas seals, in place of the usual Christmas stickers, in sealing their gift packages and the committee in charge of the seal sale desire to endorse and encourage that practice.

### Post Office Boys Ask Cooperation; Get Mail Sunday

To prevent the accumulation of a tremendous amount of Christmas mail in the Escanaba post office for delivery on Monday, announcement was made yesterday by Postmaster John A. Semer that the delivery windows will be open from 10 to 12 o'clock on Sunday and all of the carriers will be on duty during those hours to deliver mail to patrons on their regular routes.

Under a new ruling by the department no mail delivery will be made on Christmas day on the Rural routes and to make possible the delivery on Monday of all Christmas mail on that route, the rural carrier will be on duty, with the city carriers, on Sunday forenoon and any patrons who call at that office can have their mail delivered to them.

It is pointed out by Postmaster Semer that with the proper cooperation of the people both in the city and on the rural routes on Sunday, a great congestion of mail in the Escanaba office can be prevented on Monday.

A State-wide conference is to be held at the Alabama Polytechnic Institute today to prepare a permanent program for the development and safety of agriculture in Alabama.

Mellon announces paper money designs will be changed. Let's hope the new bills last longer.

Average auto uses 425 gallons of gas a year, barring accidents.

### SOCIAL

**"Lucky Foot" Party.**  
A big crowd is expected at the Coliseum rink this evening when the novelty "Lucky Foot" party is to be staged for the first time in this city. Four prizes are to be awarded and it is said that this novelty affords more excitement and amusement than any of the others put on by the management during the season. There will also be the usual matinee this afternoon and the Saturday matinee for children.

On Christmas night, a big tree with presents underneath, will be one of the features.

**Nordby-Berthume.**  
A marriage license has been issued at the court house to Adolore Berthume of Danforth and Agnes Nordby of Hendricks.

**Am. Legion Auxiliary Meets.**  
An interesting meeting of the American Legion Auxiliary was held last evening in the Legion club rooms, 607 Ludington st.

A large attendance greeted a delegation from the Walter Cole Unit, Rapid River, and many topics of interest were discussed.

After a short business session, the meeting adjourned for a sewing hour, which was followed by a musical program. Several piano selections by Miss Anna Nelson, were enthusiastically received, and Mrs. C. W. Flannigan pleased her audience with some fine vocal numbers, among which were "Who Knows" and "She's an Old-Fashioned Dear," accompanied by Miss Nelson.

Following the program, a social and lunch were enjoyed, members of the 1923 board acting as hostesses.

### High School Boys Are in Big Demand

The office of Principal R. E. Cheney, at Escanaba high school, is filling orders every day for boys to do odd jobs after school and on Saturdays. Many citizens are finding the plan very satisfactory in securing a worker for the job they have to be done about the house, and as quite a number of the lads are working their way through school, they are glad to get in touch with the job.

Interest in the secret consistory to be held in Rome today has been lessened by the official announcement that no foreign Cardinals are to be created at this time.

### PAVING PLANS PUT ON FILE

#### Property Owners May Inspect Them At Clerk's Office.

Plans, specifications, maps and other data and information concerning the pavement to be laid in First avenue South between South 14th st. and Lake Shore drive, and in South 3rd, South 5th, 7th, South 9th and South 11th streets between Ludington and South First avenue, were filed by City Manager Fred R. Harris with the city clerk yesterday, and the city council, by resolution, last night set the date for hearing objections to the plans for Wednesday night, Jan. 2.

The plans and specifications are on file at the clerk's office and may be inspected at any time by property owners who are interested. The type of paving will be either sheet asphalt or Warrenite bitulithic.

**May Change M-12.**  
North 14th Street, from Ludington street to Third avenue North was included in the original plan, but it was revealed last night that the state highway department is contemplating early action on the council's request that this portion of the street be designated as a part of Trunk Line M-12. H. I. Davies, district highway engineer, believes that such a designation would serve to relieve the Stephenson avenue - Ludington street corner and the 14th St. - Ludington st. intersection of much of the traffic likely to cause accidents, and has recommended that the M-12 routing be changed.

#### ST. FRANCIS HOSPITAL.

Betty Jane Raymond has been taken to her home at Northland, having fully recovered from an infection of the eyes.

Miss Helen Bridges has returned to her home after making a complete recovery from her recent illness.

Mrs. C. Aberle will return to her home on Friday after being confined to the hospital for some time.

Mrs. A. Anderson has returned to her home after making a nice recovery from her recent illness.

A daughter was born on Tuesday at St. Francis hospital to Mr. Mrs. C. Devost, who ran a needle in her hand while washing clothes on Tuesday, was rushed to the hospital, where the needle was located by X-Ray and was promptly extracted. She was able to return to her home immediately after the needle had been cut from her hand.

#### SCHAFFER NEWS.

Mrs. Louis Racicot who has been ill the last two weeks is recovering nicely.

Miss Edith Gauthier left for Escanaba Friday evening to visit her sister, Mrs. Joe Brown for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Theo. Bouchard are the parents of twin daughters.

O. H. Lavolette of Perronville was a business caller here one day last week.

Mrs. Omer Seymour of Escanaba is visiting at Schaffer.

Rev. Fr. Thomas Drengarz of Perronville was a visitor at the home of his father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. George Drengarz of Schaffer.

Mrs. Arthur Potvin gave a surprise party last Thursday at her home in Schaffer, complimentary to her sister, Mrs. Richer. A very enjoyable afternoon and evening were reported by those who attended. Mrs. Richer received many beautiful and useful gifts. Those present were: Mrs. St. Cyr of Escanaba, Mrs. Joseph Crepeau, Mrs. Cecil Leroux, Mrs. Elmer Potvin, Mrs. Charles Seymour, Mrs. Joseph Seymour, Mrs. Henry Seymour, Mrs. Joseph Auger, Mrs. James Keny, Mrs. Clara Bouchel, Mrs. Leo Guindon and Mrs. Gene Simon.

Springfield (Vt.) couple have a house on wheels. It's the best way, if you talk about the neighbors.

### SPECIALS!

- FOR TODAY**
- Whole Walnuts, No. 1 fancy budded ..... 40c
  - Shelled Walnuts, fancy Bordeaux halves ..... 65c
  - Oranges, new Sunkist per dozen ..... 35c
  - 75c, 55c and ..... 35c
  - Figs, California black figs, pound ..... 18c
  - Sayrna layer figs, pound ..... 26c
  - Candles, red Christmas candle with holder ..... 50c
  - Pop Corn, Tin Top, 2 pkgs. for ..... 25c
  - Grape Fruit, Seal Sweet, large size ..... 12c
  - Heinz Christmas basket, 12 articles in a very fancy basket ..... \$4.75
  - Chocolates, eight favorite selections, 3 pound box, special ..... \$1.10
  - Cigars, box of 10 ..... \$1.25
  - Box of 25 / cigars ..... \$2.75

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**COLISEUM ROLLER RINK**  
**TONIGHT**  
Matinee This Afternoon  
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If you can walk, you can learn to skate.

## Save Mother



Buy Her An Electric Washer

What Better Gift Can Be Suggested

## Western Electric

Washers Take the Blue Out of Monday—

This Christmas we have a gift for you—a NEW WESTERN ELECTRIC Washer, combining all the sound principles of construction which have made this machine the favorite of thousands of housewives.

Not only do the new additions and improvements make the WESTERN ELECTRIC more convenient and easier to use, but it is more pleasing to the eye.

Both the revolving, reversing cylinder and the wringer are electrically driven at the same time.

The whole family will enjoy the benefit of an Electric Washer—If you're going to buy one, might as well come here—where dependable washers are sold. Not only will it be a Merry Christmas—but 1924 will be a happy one for the whole family. Save Mother! Save Wife! Make reservation at once for Monday afternoon delivery—Only a limited number of machines in stock—A small payment down—the balance can be taken care of within the next 12 months—Liberal discount for cash. Come in and let us demonstrate.

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Solve your gift problems by bringing your list to the Boston Store, "The Store of Practical Christmas Gifts," and select from our complete assortments.

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## Dress Up For Christmas

WHILE YOU'RE HAVING SO MUCH FUN GETTING ALL SET TO PLAY SANTA CLAUS TO OTHERS—DON'T FORGET TO CHECK UP YOUR OWN WARDROBE NEEDS FOR CHRISTMAS.

Perhaps you should have a new overcoat, or a suit (or both), or perhaps only a fresh tie and a couple of collars. Whether your need is a pair of garters, or a whole top-toe outfit, or any part thereof, the Boston Store is ready to serve you—REMEMBER—we're open every evening until Christmas.

## In O'Coats Our Suits

We show the largest, most complete and best grades ever offered in Northern Michigan, namely:

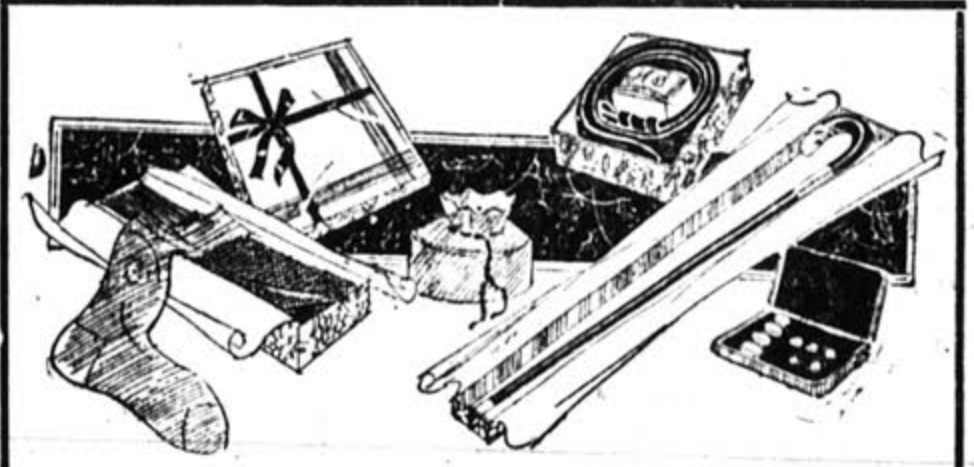
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O'Coats \$25 to \$80  
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**Boxed Gift Hosiery for Ladies**  
**La France Hose**  
Finest quality silk, most popular shades, 3 pair in a box. Regular \$2.50 value.  
Now, box ..... \$7.00

**Bobolink Silk Hose**  
A strong favorite in ladies' silk stockings—all new shades, 3 pair in a box. Regular \$1.25 a pair.  
Now, box ..... \$3.25

**Thread Silk Hose**  
An exceptionally fine quality hose, all best shades wanted, 3 pair in a box. Regular \$2.25 a pair.  
Now, box ..... \$6.25



## What Would He Like?

Some people claim it is difficult to select Christmas gifts for men. Really it is quite simple. First of all—and above all—every man likes and wants something to wear.

Something not "loud," but in good taste, and of course, in the latest style. He is particularly anxious that it comes from a man's store—then he is sure it is "he-man" style. For three Christmas times the Boston Store has been permitted to assist in making Christmas a really merry day. Our long experienced buyers, with knowledge of what men and boys wish, together with our high standard of quality, style, dependability and moderate prices, makes the Boston Store the ideal and favorite Christmas shopping place for men's wear in Escanaba.

COME IN! LOOK AROUND--GET SUGGESTIONS--WE SHALL BE GLAD TO ASSIST YOU

## Escanaba's Toy Headquarters

Of course they're going fast—but you will find splendid assortments of interesting foreign and domestic toys, the last four days, at the Boston Store.

Bring the youngsters! They'll declare they never had such a good time looking at all the lovely things Santa has brought for Christmas. Most any kind of a toy or doll you want can be found in our mammoth Christmas Toy Stock.

Basement



**Wendell Lund Places On Augie Debating Team**

Wendell Lund, former star Escanaba high school debater and orator, and 1922 champion orator of the state of Michigan, has been chosen as one of the regulars of the Augustana College debating team. He is the only freshman on the team. Twenty-four tried out for the team, amongst which were sev-

eral stars of former years. Out of these, nine were chosen—six regulars and three alternates. The fight for a place on the 1924 team was one of the most hotly contested in recent years and it speaks well for the ability of the Escanaba boys to place on the regulars. Wendell Lund graduated from the local high school in 1922, after serving for two years on victorious Escanaba high school debating teams, and winning the state oratorical championship in 1922.

**THRILLS OF COLLEGE LIFE.**  
Farmer—Well, son, what are you doing up in that tree?  
Son—Just got a letter from the sophomore in correspondence school telling me to haze myself.

Christmas story: The family has had dad's swell present charged.

**HEAD—NOSE—THROAT—EARS**  
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**GASMAN COW LEADS LIST IN NOVEMBER**

**Figures for Cow Testing Association Are Made Public.**

John Gasman Jr., of Bark River, is the owner of the prize butter fat producing cow in the Delta County Co-operative Cow Testing Association, for the month of November, according to the record for that month made public yesterday by Joseph Tur-

ner, county agricultural agent. While the record shows the Gasman cow in the lead, it was only by the narrowest possible margin, over a cow owned by Ferguson Bros., the Gasman cow producing in November a total of 58.4 pounds of butter fat while Ferguson Bros. cow produced 58.3 pounds of fat.

**I. S. Cows Near Top.**  
The I. Stephenson Co., herd of 16 cows, led all herds in the association for herd production of milk, with an average of 733 pounds per cow, and in spite of the fact that the cows owned by that company were fed during the month neither silage or clover hay, two cows in the herd ranked third and fourth in butter fat production.

The number of herds in the association is 25 and the total number of cows being tested is 291. The average milk produc-

tion per cow in the association for November was 396 pounds while the average butter fat production was 16.1 pounds.

Following is the official record for November in the association: **Ten High Herds' Production for the Month.**

I. S. Co., Trustee, No. cows 16 G. H.; Average milk per cow, 733.0; Average herd test, 3.6; Butterfat, per cow 26.2.

Ferguson Bros., No. cows 19 G. H.; Average milk per cow, 699.0; average herd test, 3.7; Butterfat, per cow, 25.8.

Jno. Gasman, Jr., name No. 15; Mixed; average milk per cow, 648.0; average herd test, 4.0; butterfat, per cow, 26.5.

Theo. Duford & Sons, No. cows 16 P. B. H. G.H.; average milk per cow, 573.0; average herd test 4.2; butterfat, per cow, 23.8.

Hodgkins Bros., No. cows 18 G. H.; average milk per cow,

529.0; average herd test, 4.3; butterfat, per cow 21.5.

Lee Wodard, No. cows 9 Mixed; average milk per cow 492.0; average herd test 4.3; butterfat per cow 21.4.

Wesley Knaus, No. cows 6 G. H.; average milk per cow 554.0; average herd test 3.6; butterfat per cow 19.9.

Frank Barron, No. cows 9 P. B. J.; average milk per cow 300.0; average herd test 6.5; butterfat per cow 19.5.

Edwin Bergman, No. cows 16 GG & PBG; average milk per cow 375.0; average herd test 5.0; butterfat per cow 18.6.

Robert Lesway, No. cows 9; G. H. J.; average milk per cow 478.0; average herd test 3.9; butterfat per cow 18.5.

**Ten High Cows' Production for the Month.**

Jno Gasman Jr., name No. 15; breed, Native; age, 5; pounds

milk, 1269.0; per cent fat, 4.6; pounds fat, 58.4.

Ferguson Bros., name, Minny; breed, G. H.; pounds milk, 1665.0; per cent fat, 3.5; pounds fat, 58.3.

I. S. Co. Trustee, name, G. H.; breed, No. 3; age, 8; when fresh, 18-27; pounds milk, 1494.0; per cent fat, 3.4; pounds fat, 50.8.

I. S. Co., Trustee, name No. 8; breed, G. H.; when fresh, 9-11; pounds milk, 1440.0; per cent fat, 3.5; pounds fat, 50.4.

Frank Barron, name, No. 5; breed, P. B. J.; pounds milk, 654.0; per cent fat, 7.6; pounds fat, 49.9.

Jno. Gasman Jr., name No. 13; breed, G. Ayr.; when fresh, 10-8; pounds milk, 1206.0; per cent fat, 4.1; pounds fat, 49.5.

Aug. Severinson, name No. 9; breed, Native; when fresh, 10-25; pounds milk, 1146.0; per cent fat, 4.3; pounds fat 48.1.

Aug. Severinson, name No. 11; breed, G. H.; when fresh, 10-17; pounds milk, 1131.0; per cent fat, 4.0; pounds fat, 46.2.

Hodgkins Bros., name Nancy; breed, G. H.; when fresh, 10-30; pounds milk, 1032.0; per cent fat, 4.3; pounds fat, 44.6.

Theo. Duford & Sons, name No. 11; breed, G. H.; age, 7; when fresh, 10-21; pounds milk, 1032.0; per cent fat, 4.3; pounds fat, 44.4.

Total pounds of milk, 12,153.0. Total pounds of fat, 49.0.

**Police Station Now "Dry," Evidence Is Taken to Marquette**

The Escanaba police station has been emptied of its store of "evidence" liquor. The second lot of the two tons of federal seizures which had been there, was taken to Marquette yesterday, and the automobile confiscated from Joseph Seymour also was taken to that city.

Liquor held in state cases already disposed of in court was destroyed Tuesday by state troopers.

One cell at headquarters had been filled almost overflowing, with whiskey, wines, beer and non-descript liquid explosives, stills, filters and glassware.

**Burglars Ransack Winde Postoffice**

Burglars entered the post-office at Winde on Tuesday night and after rifling the stamp and cash drawers of approximately \$50, ransacked a quantity of parcel post mail in the office and made their escape without leaving any clues as to their identity. The office was entered between the time the place was closed on Tuesday night and the opening hour yesterday morning. The robbery was discovered by Postmaster T. C. Richards, who at once reported the matter to the authorities and officers were at once sent to the scene. Until a complete check is made at the office it will be impossible to determine definitely the amount taken by the burglars.

**BRING OUT THE OLD ONES!**  
The best argument for the styles of the present day is the family album.—Life.

**THE BATTLE FACING THE DRYS**

By WAYNE B. WHEELER  
General Counsel, Anti-Saloon League of America.

Washington.—The Anti-Saloon League will continue on the job every minute to safeguard and strengthen prohibition and its enforcement. We will fight to the finish every so-called light wine and beer amendment or any scheme to raise the alcoholic content of permitted beverages under the eighteenth amendment. As long as more than two-thirds of the states maintain the one-half of one per cent standard on their own initiative, it is unsound policy and unwise politically to attempt to legalize what the states prohibit. Should a majority of the states ever adopt a one or two per cent standard for beer, then only should Congress give the brewers' schemes serious consideration.

We shall oppose any reorganization of the prohibition unit, which will decentralize its activities. Further centralization would mean more efficiency; and any further decentralization would mean demoralization for law enforcement.

**Politics.**  
We shall not only fight the attacks of the opposition to the law but will endeavor to strengthen law enforcement lines. Federal prohibition agents ought to be put under Civil Service. As long as they are political appointees, the worst states will continue to have the most inefficient agents, and the work of those who are appointed will be crippled constantly.

Aliens who come to the United States and refuse to become citizens and violate the constitution, should be deported to the countries from which they came. Legislation will be urged to this end, private warehouses at large cost, and where it is in constant danger of being stolen, lost or consumed, should be put into government warehouses or on government property. This will make for economy and efficiency.

**Seizures.**  
Seized automobiles and other rum-running vehicles which have no claimants and which are now stored at large cost to the government, should be utilized by the Enforcement Department. The government pays from 10 to 15 cents per mile for agents' automobile hire. Legislation should authorize the use by the department of vehicles of this kind.

The league will back any treaty provision that will aid law enforcement and smite the rum-smugglers who are the offspring of pirates.

The dry forces accept the challenge of the wets, "Enforce or modify," and will urge a relentless battle for maintaining, strengthening and enforcing prohibition. Every election since the eighteenth amendment was substituted has demonstrated anew that the overwhelming majority of the people are for national prohibition and its enforcement, wet organizations and wet minorities to the contrary notwithstanding.

**CARD OF THANKS.**  
We wish to extend our sincere and heartfelt thanks to all our friends who were so kind to us at the time of the death of Mrs. Jos. Rheume. Particularly are we thankful to all who sent floral offerings and to the members of the Royal Neighbors.  
Signed, Rheume Family.  
And Bond Family.  
1513-354-11.

**Stop and Shop**

- Veal Shoulder, lb. 18c
- Fresh Spareribs, per lb. 12c
- Sauer Kraut, per lb. 8c
- Bacon Squares, lb. 18c
- Veal Stew, per lb. 10c
- Fresh Eggs, dozen 55c
- Fresh Pig Heads, per lb. 12c
- Pork Butt Roast, by the whole, per lb. 15c
- Dill Pickles, dozen 25c
- Miss Minneapolis Flour per 49 lb. sack \$1.85
- Tip Top Pop Corn, 3 packages 25c
- Oranges, per dozen, --- 60c, 50c and 25c
- Cranberry Jelly, Pint jar 22c
- Fruit Salad, large can 55c
- Plum Pudding, Heintz's 50c
- Apples, per bu. \$1.95
- NUTS.**
- Large Walnuts, lb. 35c
- Brazils, large fine, per lb. 28c
- Mixed Nuts, per lb. 23c
- Hazel Nuts, per lb. 18c
- Peanuts, per lb. 15c
- Soft Shell Almonds, per lb. 25c
- CANDY.**
- Brilliant Mixed, lb. 20c
- Brilliant Cut, lb. 20c
- Chocolates, assorted, per lb. 23c
- Chocolate Creams, per lb. 27c
- Fudge, per lb. 18c
- Creams, per lb. 25c
- Gum Drops, very good, per lb. 22c

**Jolly Old Santa!**  
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Western or Excelsior Bevel Edge Irons—highest grade guaranteed family size iron. \$4.95

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Assorted lot of full jointed sleeping eyes, bobbed hair, bisque head. Values to \$3.50—Sale at \$1.75

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**The Crowds Are Coming**

From Everywhere and in Greater Number Every Day

No trouble of getting what one wants from our unlimited selection. Appropriate things for young and old here in greatest variety. If you want your Christmas money to buy the very utmost in value, come to Headquarters where better things cost less.



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**Better Toys**

If you are looking for better and different kinds of toys—you'll find them here and ingenious assortments.

- Imported Mechanical Toys ..... 19c to \$2.50
- Dressed MaMa Dolls at ..... 48c to \$5.45
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- Dressed Imported Dolls at ..... 48c to \$0.50
- Humpty Dumpty Sets at ..... 98c to \$15.00
- Ten Pin Games, big size ..... 48c to \$1.45
- Metal Wheel Toys here at ..... 48c to \$5.45
- Electric Trains here at ..... \$3.95 to \$15.00
- Toy Books here at, each ..... 9c to 95c
- Rubber Toys—Ball, Dolls ..... 5c to 95c
- Moving Picture Machines ..... \$5.95 to \$11.50
- Doll Cabs, metal and reed ..... 18c to \$15.00
- Musical Instruments, at ..... 5c to \$6.95
- Unbreakable Doll Heads ..... 55c to \$1.25
- Bisque Doll Heads ..... 45c to \$2.95
- Toy Air Guns, here at ..... 25c to \$2.25
- Steering Coaster Sleds at ..... 85c to \$2.95
- 12 in. MaMa Dolls ..... 48c 15 1/2 in. MaMa Dolls \$1.00

**A Useful Remembrance—A Dinner Set or an Odd Piece of Fancy China.**

Supremely useful is a gift of Chinaware. Here you'll find special selections in design and quality, vastly enlarged for your convenience in choosing.

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- China Salad Bowls ..... 49c to \$5.95
- Fancy China Plates ..... 25c to \$7.95
- Odd Pieces of China ..... 25c to \$4.45
- China Cream Sets ..... 95c to \$6.95
- China Tea Pots ..... 85c to \$4.95
- China Cups and Saucers ..... 25c to 95c

Thanks to our generous purchases, our assortments will be complete up to the last—although it shows good judgment—to complete Gift Buying at earliest possible time—Why not—make a day of it Thursday?

**Why Not? Gift Certificates.**

Enables the recipient to purchase any article desired. Made out in any denomination at the cashier's window—office main floor, balcony. Certificates good at any time in any department in the store.

**Gifts of Brilliance GLASSWARE**

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**Prize Letter Writers**

Five Prizes Awarded Instead of Three As Announced.

In checking over letters—judges found so many excellent letters—that it was pretty hard to judge which one should be awarded prizes—So as to do justice to some of the youthful writers—5 prizes were awarded.

These Are The Prize Winners

**PRIZE LETTERS—FAIR STORE CONTENT**

Ruth Pillon, 422 So. 16th St., Escanaba, Mich.  
Robert Olsen, Emsiga, Michigan.  
Laura Du Nord, 625 No. 20th St., Escanaba, Mich.  
Morise Pirlot, 314 So. 11th St., Escanaba, Mich.  
Edna Nelson, 610 16th St. So., Escanaba, Mich.

Prizes will be mailed to addresses as given. Winning letters will be published elsewhere in this paper.

**Sale of Table Lamps**

Beautiful Electric Table Lamps—in antique metal stands—glass shades with metal overlay—or leaded art glass shades.

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Large Hair Brushes, Powder Boxes, Hair Receivers, Perfume Bottles, Buffers, Etc.—Very fine grade. Values to \$1.75 95c

**Ivory Set Special**  
3 piece sets put up in box—large mirror, brush and comb. Plain or Princess shape—in fancy box, \$7.00 to \$8.00 value \$4.98

**Toilet Water Special**  
A new fancy French Christmas novelty, fancy tall bottle with long silk tassels—assorted odors—in fancy box \$2.50 \$1.00

**Percolator Special**  
9 cup Aluminum Electric Percolator, fully guaranteed, complete with cord—Colonial shape, \$7.50 \$4.45

**Pocket Knives Special**  
Imported small Pocket Knives, with black and white handles, with two blades, assorted sizes—brass lined. Values to 75c 25c

**Kewpie Dishes Special**  
Children's Dishes with Kewpie decorations—Mugs, Bowls, Creamers, Plates, Cups and Saucers. Values to 50c 25c

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**NOTICE!**

A meeting of the Knights of Columbus will be held in their Club Rooms tonight at 8:00 sharp. Rev. Fr. Considine, who has just returned from Palestine, will be the speaker of the evening.

(Signed):  
JOHN LEMMER, Grand Knight.



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A Page of Features and Comment.

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### RIGHT ACTION.

The announcement made yesterday that members of the Delta county board of road commissioners have completed definite plans for maintaining a considerable stretch of county highway mileage for winter traffic, will meet with general approval. In addition to equipment used for the past several years for snow plowing work, an additional road cleaning service than ever before. It is generally agreed that such a winter road maintenance program as announced will be of good omen to the fact that it is a matter for general satisfaction.

### HELP THE CLERKS.

The remaining days before Christmas are bound to be days marked by hectic rush at the stores catering to Christmas shoppers. Buyers can best serve their own interests and become valuable allies to over-rushed clerks, by visiting the stores during the morning hours. In those hours the crowds of shoppers are bound to be less, more time can be given to the making of selections and clerks will be permitted to show many courtesies that are impossible in the late afternoon and evening hours. The early in the day shopper is bound to find both service and satisfaction at any store selected for Christmas shopping.

### TRIED AND TRUE.

The political situation has been clarified by the message of President Coolidge and the announcement that he will be a candidate for the nomination next year. The message contains the first official statement the President has made on national issues, and the people now can compare that statement with that of Senator Johnson and any other individual who may seek the favorable action of the Republican convention. Expressions of opinion among Republicans seem to indicate an almost unanimous approval of Mr. Coolidge's views. Americanism is the keynote of that address, and every recommendation it contains is dictated by experience and sound judgment as being for the best interests of the people. Other candidates will entertain different views, of course, but the policies of Mr. Coolidge are those of Mr. Harding. They have been on trial for almost three years, and have thoroughly proved their work.

### NO POSTPONEMENT OF TAXES.

Secretary Mellon states that no proposal for the funding of the French debt has been received from France since August of last year. And at that time he was frankly told that it was the desire of the French to postpone all further reference to the debt question until the financial situation had become clearer, particularly as to reparations receipts from Germany. Unfortunately it is impossible for American taxpayers to postpone their taxes until their financial situation clears up. They have got to put up the interest on the Liberty Bonds that represent the French loan every time it falls due, as well as provide an annual sinking fund for the retirement of the principal. What would happen to an American administration that refused to meet its loan obligations, but other standards prevail in other countries.

### THEY REST IN PEACE.

After a personal inspection, General Pershing has given his approval to the progress of permanent improvements in the American cemeteries in France. His report should allay any misgivings on that score. Some travelers abroad have stated that the cemeteries were in a most unkept condition and have sought to leave the reason for such apparent neglect. When thousands of bodies were brought to the United States in response to requests from relatives, the cemeteries were badly cut up, and the rearrangement of the bodies that remained contributed further to

## The Piffle Hook

COL. TEXAS RICKARD, the entrepreneur of the Madison Square Garden glove industry, is reported to have decided to give Mr. Eugene Tunney the first opportunity to cuff M. Georges Carpentier for an acre of tube-roses. The honor rightfully belongs to Mr. Thomas Gibbons, the well known Lake Oskos bass fisherman, and we don't propose to sit idly by while it is bestowed upon another. We are writing to our congressman.

**TO THE PIED PIPER.**  
 Your love, my sweet singer, is not unrequited. You need not seek longer in vain. The flame of your ardor can soon be relighted and gleam like a Yule tree again. You say 'twas a magazine hosiery adorning Whose smile made you joyous and glad; Just meet me at eight on the library corner: 'Twas I, dear, who posed for the ad.

**—THE DRESDEN DOLL.**  
 WHAT HAS BECOME OF the old fashioned Socialist who used to quote Karl Marx and "The Appeal to Reason?"

**THE OTHER** sealed bid on the opposite side of the table, who has been reading Joseph Conrad, announces he now is in a position to explain to any uninformed land mariner, the difference between the taffrail and the mizzenmast.

**SIR**—Don't you think we ought to have a picnic on Christmas day, seeking some shady spot along the Escanaba river, far removed from the heat of the blistering city sun, where we could splash around in the cool water or lounge in the grass or hunt for orchids and wild tangerines? Perhaps, if it became chilly after night had fallen, we could build a fire and roast weiners or something. You tell 'em.

**—BINGO BEAN**  
 Salts Us, if the Ants Will Promise to Stay Away mizzenmast.

**KING GEORGE** of Greece has been requested to leave the country. "Thanks," he is said to have replied to the notification committee, "them's the first kind words I've heard in a coon's age."

**SEVERAL LOWER** Peninsula counties are seeking Cloverland's banana belt title. The Lower Peninsula never did want to let us have credit for anything except the Iron River Rumbellion.

**THERE IS NO** truth to the rumor that Harvey Spindler is thinking of giving the weather a dose of laban or zoolac, although it is likely that he's keeping that remedy in mind.

**SIR**—I wish to correct the impression that my husband is an active member of the Window Club. I have tried repeatedly to get him by telephone there, but I've never succeeded, for he never stays there long enough. The man on the phone invariably tells me: "He was here a moment ago but he just left."

**—MRS HUNDU MIKE**  
 "If That's For Me, Tell Them I'm On My Way;" (Quick Exit).

**BITTER HALVES**  
 Wives are persons who think the world will never be an ideal place in which to live as long as there are dishes to wash three times a day.—K. K.

**UNSUNG HEROES**  
 The birds who have matches when I haven't.—G. A. B.

**POPULAR FICTION**  
 "It fits you beautifully, and it's 80 becoming!"—VIO.

**NOTHING'S IMPOSSIBLE**  
 But did you ever succeed in coaxing the radio to work as it should, when "company" wants to hear it?—L. J. B.

**FAMOUS WISE CRACKS**  
 "I'll see you in the next life, if you don't get out of here."—S. A. L.  
 Have you completed y. C. s.? Same here. —H. K. R.

their rough appearance. That work has been completed, and the surface has been graded, and planting of sod, shrubs, and trees is well under way. Gen. Pershing states that they will probably all be in good condition by next Memorial Day, although lack of help is causing some delay. Appropriations for permanent headstones for all the graves is to be asked of Congress.

Noting that a Democratic congressman declares that the Democratic party will insist on placing the government on an economical basis, why didn't the Democratic party think of leaving it on an economical basis when it was turned over to the Republican party?

Peace has taken French leave of Central Europe.

Long debates are expected in Congress. It's a bitter session. Our language will suffer heavily.

## BRINGING UP FATHER



## SALESMAN SAM



## Sam Used a Saw



## DOINGS OF THE DUFFS



## There Is a Certain Girl



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## Right in the Opry House



## "THE REVELATIONS OF A PAID COMPANION"

BY JANE PHELPS.

RITA HAS A HEART TO HEART TALK WITH MRS. ELLWOOD. Chapter XXXVII.

"Now I'll go back and attend to him," Guy said as he opened the door for me. "Please Guy," I laid my hand on his arm. "You will annoy me very much if you have anything more to say to him. I never want to see or hear of him again. He is a poor, common sort of a fellow and doesn't realize his presumption." "I'll soon make him!" Guy jerked away just as the nurse appeared in the hall with a message from his mother. She had heard his voice, wanted to see him. "You must go to her, Guy," I said, thankful for the interruption. I could not let Guy meet Jim Bond. I dared not think what the result might be if he did. Sulkily Guy followed the nurse, while I hurried to lay my hat off, then flew down the stairs ready to intercept him, should he make an attempt to leave the house.

Oh, why had Bond appeared to spoil my peaceful life? I had tried so hard not to let anything disturb the faith my employers had in me, the trust I felt I really deserved. I waited for some time but Guy did not appear, and feeling that Jim Bond would be surely gone I returned to my room. "But I was terribly upset. Try as hard as I would to look at the affair sensibly, Bond's remark to Barton Ellwood came back to me with all its sinister meaning. He had declared I was his sweetheart, had said it in such a way

## THE OLD HOME TOWN

By Stanley

swearing then when I saw him. I told him plainly I wanted nothing to do with him or his money." "I wished the subject would be dropped. I couldn't quite understand Mrs. Ellwood's seeming interest in it. I wondered what Guy had told her—how much?" "I should hate to have you leave me, Rita," she said after a silence. "Unless you send me away I never shall go as long as you need me," I replied softly, smoothing the white hand that lay on the coverlet. "I don't think it will be long—now, I suffer a good deal, and haven't the strength to go on—much longer. You are like one of us now, and it would be hard, very hard to lose you." I reiterated my promise, then sat beside her until the nurse came in to relieve me. I did not read but talked quietly of Mollie, Guy, her husband, her love for them all, and their unvarying kindness to her. "It is hardest on Mr. Ellwood," she said. "Try and make up to him as far as you can for the cloud my illness has cast over him." Tomorrow—Mr. Ellwood Sees Jim Bond.

**TODAY'S ANNIVERSARIES.**  
 1847—First line of telegraph between St. Louis and the east completed.  
 1880—Electric street lighting was first introduced in New York City.  
 1898—American steamship "Starry Banner" wrecked off coast of Ireland with loss of more than one hundred lives.  
 1873—Joseph Melcher, first Catholic bishop of Green Bay, died at Green Bay, Wis. Born in Vienna, Austria, March 13, 1805.  
 1891—Freston B. Plumb, United States senator from Kansas, died suddenly in Washington. Born in Delaware county, Ohio, Oct. 12, 1837.





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## DONATIONS TO BASKET FUND TOTAL \$40.00

Good Cheer Committee Gets Pledges For 24 More.

Donations to the good cheer Christmas fund totalling \$40, in addition to 34 Christmas baskets, was reported yesterday by the Good Cheer committee at Manistique.

The committee was well pleased with the progress of the community Christmas plans, and reported the following donations: St. Francis de Sales So. - \$25.00  
A Friend ..... 50  
A Friend ..... 2.00  
A Friend ..... 1.00  
A Friend ..... 50  
Received last week ..... 11.00  
Total ..... \$40.00

Thirteen more baskets were also donated, besides the 21 promised last week. Added to the list of those who will furnish a complete basket for Christmas distribution are: Mrs. Miles, Mrs. K. Nicholson, Presbyterian Ladies' Aid, Mrs. O. G. Quick, Mrs. Kettauer, Baptist Sunday School, Miss Costello, Mrs. Jewell, Mrs. Putnam, Mrs. Ekstrom, Mrs. Griffin, Mrs. Hixson and Mrs. Moulton.

## Benefit Party Is For Sisters' Home

A card party was given at the home of Joseph Martin on Thursday evening for the benefit of the St. Francis Sisters Home on Lake Street.

Five-hundred and Pedro furnished the evening's entertainment and the following prizes awarded for high and low scores: Five-hundred, high ladies prize, Mrs. George Gorsche; low prize, Mrs. L. Thomas. Gentlemen: high prize, Mr. Chas. Martin; low, Mr. Thibault. In Pedro, the first ladies' prize was won by Mrs. Latebom, the low prize by Miss Gertrude Arveson. Ernest Couryna and Wm. Norton were the winners of the men's Pedro prizes.

After the serving of refreshments, chances were offered on a pair of pillow cases donated by Mrs. Joseph Martin, which were won by Mrs. A. Thibault.

Send the Classified ads.

## TIMES IS DULL: YES, WE HAVNO JAIL BOARDERS

Times certainly are dull. They can't even get boarders at the jail.

For several weeks now the large and pleasant rooms at the Schoolcraft county jail, steam heated, and with all modern conveniences, have been without regular occupants, and the steady odd-job positions reserved for those who visit at the jail are unfilled.

There's a bright side to these dull times at the jail, however, according to Fred Berger, Assessor. Mr. Berger points out that the boarders are really needed only during the summer for running the lawn mower on the large court house lawn, and in the winter for shoveling snow. Right now, there is no grass-cutting to be done, and with the absence of snow, there is no snow-shoveling to do, so the assistance of the jail boarders is not needed. There remains only a little wood-piling, and Mr. Berger has professed his willingness to do that alone, certain that the first snow fall will also bring the first jail boarder to help shovel snow.

## Present Vase To Retiring Officer

The Pythian Sisters held their annual meeting in the K. P. Hall, Manistique, on Tuesday evening. Following the reading of some excellent reports of the past year's work, the retiring Most Excellent Chief, Mrs. A. B. Waters, was presented with a beautiful cut glass vase.

The remainder of the evening was devoted to a social session and refreshments.

## W. O. W. Will Hold Initiation Tonight

Another class of candidates will be initiated tonight into White Pine camp 25 of the Manistique W. O. W., it was announced yesterday by officials of the camp.

This is the second initiation held by White Pine Camp this month, and will add several young men to their membership. Good attendance is desired, and refreshments will be served after the initiation.

Manistique stores were open after supper last night, a practice that will continue until Christmas. Most of them reported an unusually heavy volume of business for the beginning of this week.

## MISS WATERMAN IS MARRIED TO HARRY BRIMMER

Will Reside At Petoskey; Groom Is Bank Cashier.

A quiet wedding was performed at the Baptist Parsonage, Manistique, last Thursday noon, when Miss Ferno W. Waterman was united in marriage to Harry L. Brimmer of Petoskey.

The ceremony was solemnized by Rev. H. A. Webster, and the couple were attended by Mr. and Mrs. Ira Crawford of this city. Mrs. Crawford is a sister of the bride.

The bride wore a grey crepe gown, with silver lace hat to match, and a corsage of white roses. Mrs. Crawford wore cream colored crepe, with pink roses.

After the ceremony, the couple left for Milwaukee on their honeymoon, Mr. and Mrs. Crawford accompanying them by motor as far as Escanaba.

Mrs. Brimmer is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. Waterman of Manistique, and has many friends in this city. Until recently, she had been employed as a stenographer with the Dime Savings Bank at Detroit.

Mr. Brimmer is cashier of the First State Bank of Petoskey, and prominent in both business and social circles. The newly-married couple will be at home to their friends after January 20, at Petoskey Mich.

## Masons Absorb Oysters By the Gallon Tuesday

About four gallons of oyster stew were consumed Tuesday night by about 30 Masons at the Manistique Masonic hall.

The occasion was the annual joint installation of the Lakeside lodge, Manistique Chapter, and Hiawatha Council, and the oyster supper was served at the completion of the installation work.

Following are the officers installed: Lakeside Lodge, W. M.—A. O. Drevdahl, S. W.—Jan Winn, J. W.—Chester Currie, S. D.—Roy Anderson, S. J.—Walter Drevdahl, Treas.—W. S. Crowe, Sec.—Harry Adams, Tyler—Angus McLeod, Representative to Grand Lodge—James Christensen.

Manistique Chapter, H. P.—W. T. S. Cornell, K.—H. G. Thomas, S.—R. S. Sidebotham, C. H.—W. E. Wright, P. S.—H. L. Mead, Treasurer—E. H. Jewell, Secretary—Harry Adams, R. A. C.—Omer Olson, 3v.—C. Currie, 2v.—H. Ahlstrom, 1v.—Wm. Nystrom, Sentinel—A. McLeod.

Hiawatha Council, T. I. M.—James Christensen, D. M.—Sherman McNeil, E. C. W.—Harry Thomas, Treasurer—E. H. Jewell, Secretary—Harry Adams, R. A. C.—W. T. S. Cornell, C. C.—V. O. Remell, Steward—J. N. Forsbar.

## JUNIOR CLASS KEEPS TO TOP OF HONOR ROLL

With nine students on the honor list, the junior class at Manistique high school has again demonstrated its scholastic superiority, according to standings made public yesterday for the third five weeks period at the high school. In comparison with the juniors, the seniors have but two honor students, the sophomores three, and the freshmen three.

Following is a list of those who have received a mark of "B" or better in all subjects during the third five-weeks period just completed:

Seniors, Arvid Erickson, A A A A A, Joyce McKenzie, A B B A B, Juniors, Harry Anderson, A A B A B, Edith Anderson, A A B B B, Catherine Adkins, B B B, Charles Cox, A B B A, Lillian Carlson, A A A A B, Loris Gayar, B B A B, Geraldine Millar, A B B A, Ewald Nelson, A A A A, George Yoder, A A A B B, Sophomores, Violet Dalton, B B B B, Robert Quick, A A A A, Florence Tucker, A A A A, Freshmen, Frances Bower, A A B B, Dorothy Mathews, A A A B, Fae Strong, B B B A.

## FOR SALE—Household goods, including modern electric stove; All in the best of condition. Mrs. S. Oser, Manistique, 5041-354-41.

HOUSE for sale or rent. Very reasonable terms. Mrs. S. Oser, Manistique, 5039-352-41.

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First National Bank Building, Manistique, Michigan. See Advertiser, 11-12-13-14-15-16-17-18-19-20-21-22-23-24-25-26-27-28-29-30-31-32-33-34-35-36-37-38-39-40-41-42-43-44-45-46-47-48-49-50-51-52-53-54-55-56-57-58-59-60-61-62-63-64-65-66-67-68-69-70-71-72-73-74-75-76-77-78-79-80-81-82-83-84-85-86-87-88-89-90-91-92-93-94-95-96-97-98-99-100.

## CITY BRIEFS

The steamer "Nell" of the Hines Lumber company fleet left Manistique yesterday afternoon, bound for Chicago, having taken on a full cargo here.

Dr. E. R. Westcott is confined to his home with illness. Mrs. Omer Olson and children of this city are holiday guests at the home of Mr. Olson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. August Olson, at Chicago.

Get that delicious Butterkist popcorn for the holidays at the "Big G."

John Bradley of Gould City and William Edwards of Engadine are receiving medical treatment at the Rutledge hospital.

Lloyd Quinn, who has been in the employ of the Manistique Dray and Transfer co., for the past two years, left Monday evening for Appleton, Wis., where he will visit friends until after the holidays and will then resume his former work with the Appleton Wire Works.

Lloyd Gould, 13 year old son of Earl Gould, underwent an operation for appendicitis at the Rutledge hospital Tuesday.

Ladies of the local Presbyterian church will hold a bake sale at the People's Auto and Tractor Co., garage on Saturday, when many appropriate Christmas dainties will be placed on sale.

Miss Hibel McDonald, who is attending Ferris Institute at Big Rapids, will arrive Friday with the U. P. "students' special," and will spend the holidays with her mother, Mrs. A. R. McDonald, Manistique.

Thomas Conarty, member of the Schoolcraft county road commission, was confined to his home with illness this week.

If it's footwear you need, you can save money at Sib's Shoe Store. Annual Christmas Co-operative sale now on. It.

It was announced yesterday that the Parent-Teachers' Association of Lakeside school had secured the high school gymnasium for a holiday dance, which they will stage on December 25, with dancing from 8:00 to 11:30. Music will be furnished by Hamilton's orchestra.

You won't find any better footwear bargains than those at Sib's Shoe Store. Take advantage of his annual Christmas Co-operative Sale.

A mail box labeled "Santa Claus Post Office," has been placed on the fence next to the Thorborg print shop, and is being frequently visited by the youngsters who are making their wants known to Christmas gift headquarters.

Mrs. D. W. Roos will leave Manistique this morning, enroute to New York for a holiday visit.

## LIBRARY HOURS CHANGED SOME FOR HOLIDAYS

Changes in the library hours at the Manistique Public Library, effective only during the holiday vacation, were announced yesterday by Mrs. Gordon Shipman, librarian.

The local library will be closed all day on Christmas and New Years. On other days, beginning Monday December 24, and ending Thursday, January 3, the library hours will be from 2 p. m. to 5 p. m., except on Saturday, Dec. 29, when the library will be open from 2 o'clock in the afternoon to eight in the evening.

After January 3, the regular schedule will again be resumed.

## Few Men Attend First Gym Class

Only a small group of Manistique men attended the first business men's gymnasium meeting held at the high school Tuesday evening.

It is believed that the early starting hour of the class proved inconvenient for many who would have attended, and this accounted for the small attendance. The class was originally scheduled to start at 6:30 but there are indications that this may be changed to 8:30 for the next session.

Those present at the first meeting chose basketball for their exercise, and enjoyed an interesting session, following the usual calisthenics.

## P. T. A. Plans A "Question Box"

A question box for those who want to learn more about the Manistique school system will be conducted at the next meeting of the Lakeside school Parent-Teachers' Association meeting, it was announced yesterday. These meetings are held the second Thursday of every month, and all folks interested in education have been invited to attend.

The last meeting was held on Thursday afternoon in the Lakeside school building. Little folks in the kindergarten department, under the direction of Miss Olive Moulton, furnished music for the afternoon. Two excellent readings were given by Mrs. Holbein, and Mrs. Pawley and Mrs. Ryan read very fine papers, the former on "Self-Reliance," and the latter on "Pre-School Training."

The town of Groesbeck today celebrates its 50th anniversary as county seat of Limestone County, Texas, by laying the cornerstone for a \$300,000 courthouse.

## NO CHRISTMAS DELIVERY ON RURAL ROUTES

Department Ruling Announced by Postmaster Frank Miller.

Notice of an amendment to the postal laws and regulations by which all rural carriers will be granted Christmas Day as a holiday has been received by Postmaster Frank A. Miller from the post office department at Washington.

The announcement, coming from the fourth assistant postmaster general, Division of Rural Mail, makes it thoroughly clear that no mail will be delivered on rural routes on Christmas Day and that the entire day will be given as a holiday for the carriers of those routes.

This will mean that gifts, to reach their destination before Christmas day must be mailed earlier than they would be if the Christmas delivery were in effect.

The letter received by Postmaster Miller and announced for the benefit of all whom the ruling concerns, is:

"To Postmasters and Rural Carriers: "The Postmaster General has approved an amendment of the post laws and regulations, as the result of which rural carriers will be granted Christmas Day as a holiday.

"He did this in following out his generous policy of consideration for the welfare and happiness of the postal employees.

Mail Early. "Postmasters and carriers are requested to notify patrons of rural delivery as generally as possible, without incurring expense to the department, that there will be no delivery on rural routes on Christmas Day so that they may arrange for the early mailing of Christmas packages or other matter."

H. H. BILLARY, 4th Ass't. Postmaster General."

## CARD OF THANKS.

We wish to extend our sincere thanks to all those who so kindly assisted us during the time of the illness and of the death of our beloved father and husband, especially do we wish to thank those who sent floral offerings and who donated the use of their cars and the Northwestern Co-operative company.

Signed, Mrs. Mary Balangie and family, 7841-354-11.

## TODAY'S EVENTS.

Only one more day of Autumn. Centenary of the birth of Dominic Manuay, Catholic bishop of Mobile.

Prince George, youngest son of their British Majesties, comes of age today.

Bishop Garrett of Dallas, ranking bishop of the Episcopal church, today enters upon his 50th year in the episcopate.

A Federal by-election is to be held today in Kent county, New Brunswick, to fill the vacancy in the Dominion house of commons caused by the death of A. T. Leger.

Bids are to be opened at the Mare Island navy yard today for the sale of the seven United States destroyers which were wrecked off the southern California coast recently.

## Express Auditor Is Visitor Here

E. C. Franch of Marquette, traveling auditor for the American Express company, spent a short time here Tuesday, in conference with E. C. Dayton, manager of the Gladstone office.

## Radio Owners Hear Santa Claus

A Santa Claus program broadcast from Pittsburgh was one of the features of the radio programs received Tuesday night by Gladstone fans. Santa read letters from children living in various states, sang a few songs and then said good-bye after telling the children he would see them next Tuesday.

## Many Will Be At Dance Tonight

A number of Gladstone people are planning to attend the carnival dancing party which will be given at Kipling tonight. Bohr's Kittens will play.

There are more autos than houses in New Hampshire. Many people have more autos than money. Also, more autos than sense.

A whistling buoy was washed across the ocean, so maybe it whistled to keep its spirits up.

Some call it a race between Mr. S. Bonus and Mr. L. Taxes.

## TO OUR READERS.

The quarantine of a number of homes throughout the city because of cases of diphtheria has affected the Daily Press delivery system to the extent of a temporary loss of the services of some of its carriers.

It is asked that consideration be given this fact if irregularities are noted in the delivery of the paper during the next week. Every effort will be made to get the Press to its readers at the accustomed time. In cases where it is not delivered cooperation is asked, especially during this time, in reporting to the office.

## HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS HELP WITH BASKETS

Material assistance in the preparing of Christmas baskets to carry cheer into the homes where it otherwise would be wanting, will be given by the students of the Junior and Senior high school classes.

Baskets are being prepared by each home room, in charge of a committee appointed to direct the work, and every student in the various rooms is contributing toward the filling of the baskets.

The baskets will be taken Friday afternoon, following the Christmas programs, to the rooms of the Child's Welfare club on Minnesota avenue, and will be given to the club for distribution.

## Services For Peter Belangie Held Wednesday

Impressiveness and sorrow marked the funeral services held Wednesday morning for Peter Balangie, well known resident of Gladstone, who passed away at the family home Sunday night following an illness of some time.

The services were conducted at All Saints' Catholic church at 9 o'clock, the Rev. Sebastian Malar, pastor, officiating. Interment was made in the family lot at Fernwood cemetery.

Pallbearers were close friends, Louis Tardiff, Fred Moran, Ernest Jardin, George LaRoche, Sr., Henry Royer and Axel McAuley.

Mr. Balangie was known to many people in Gladstone and the beautiful floral offerings and expressions of sympathy received at the home testified to the sorrow his death had caused.

## Gladstone Men to Serve as Jurors

Among the jurors drawn for the January term of circuit court, which will be held at Escanaba, are the following Gladstone men: George W. Pease, Anthony Johnson, Swan W. Nelson and Frank Kargel. Justice of the Peace A. W. Wolfe, assisted in the drawing of the jurors.

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## STEPHENSON PLAYS HERE FRIDAY NIGHT

Purple and White to Battle Huskies in First Home Game.

Gladstone basketball fans will see the first home game of the year Friday night when the purple and white quintet meets Stephenson on the Junior high school gymnasium floor.

The game Friday night will begin promptly at 7 o'clock so as to permit the visitors to leave early enough to return to their homes.

But little is known of the calibre of the Stephenson outfit and this particular fact, according to the dope now about, is what is going to make the clash interesting. What is known, however, is that Stephenson has been practicing basketball since September. The big fellows cut football from their athletic activities this fall and since the opening of the term have been putting their basketball aggregation in shape.

Those fans who think they are coming out to see Gladstone roll up something like an 80 to 0 score, had better change their minds and be prepared to see a fight for every point gained," said Coach Gordon yesterday.

The coach and his regulars have been working hard at practice during the week and are ready to give a good account of themselves Friday night.

The probable lineup is: Gerardeau, Capt., and Kercher, g.; Bjork, c.; Feeney and Murdock, f.; Murphy, Barry, Empson and Karjola, subs.

## PERSONALS

Mike Papadakis and daughter, Miss Mary, are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Rouman.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Stevens are the parents of a daughter, born Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Bunker, who were here to attend the funeral of Peter Balangie, have returned to their home at Wausaukee, Wis.

Mrs. Antoine Dupers of Green Bay is visiting Mrs. Mary Balangie of this city.

## Freshmen To Hold Contest This Afternoon

Freshmen students of the Gladstone high school will hold their home room declamation contest this afternoon in the various rooms, beginning at 3:45 o'clock.

Following this contest, two winners will be selected from each room, making six in all and these six will compete for first place. A contest between the winner of this and the Sophomore winner of the literary society contest, will be held on January 30 to determine the representative of the school in declamation.

Parents and others interested are invited to attend the contest this afternoon.

## Pastor Attends Presbytery Meeting

The Rev. J. M. Bolton, pastor of the Presbyterian church at Escanaba, attended a called meeting of the Lake Superior Presbytery, held Tuesday at Escanaba, to take action on the release of the Rev. F. A. Kuder, of Menominee, who had announced his desire to answer a call to the Presbyterian church of Napoleon in the Presbytery of Toledo. The Rev. Mr. Kuder will assume his new duties on January 1.

A boy of 15 led Harvard in his exams and attracted almost as much attention as a football player.

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## HOLIDAY RUSH IS CAUSE OF TRAIN DELAY

Heavy Shipments for This Time of Season, Is Report.

With trains loaded with the annual holiday rush of mail and freight, arriving and departing on scheduled time is becoming an increasingly hard matter.

Number 3 the Manistique passenger and Number 15 the Soo line local were both late to half an hour behind time this morning because of the heavy shipments.

Christmas is beginning to rush season later this year than ever before, according to estimates made of the amount of shipments being handled. Christmas gift shipments are about the same as former years but more Christmas stock for various stores is being sent through than ever before at this time of the year.

Weather conditions which have had their effect on the buyers and sellers alike are held partly accountable for this circumstance.

## DAUGHTER PASSES AWAY AT DETROIT

John Garry left Tuesday for Detroit, called by a message telling him of the death of his daughter, Mrs. Daisy Gillingham.

Mrs. Gillingham passed away on December 17, just one year from the day on which Mrs. Garry, her mother, had died. She had been ill for only two weeks.

The sudden death of the young woman came as a shock to the father, who is the only survivor and the sympathy of the community is extended to him in his loss.

## Will Give Program On Sunday Night

A change in the time of the program which will be given at the Presbyterian church in observance of Christmas, was announced yesterday by the Rev. J. M. Bolton, pastor. The program, instead of being held Christmas eve, will be given Sunday evening. The change is due to the fact that so many members of the congregation are leaving the city for the holidays and would not, on that account, be able to attend Monday.

Frank LaFrombols has returned to Green Bay after attending the funeral services for Peter Balangie.

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**Garden Bay News**

**Garden, Dec. 15 (Special)**—One of the first things that a visitor to the new cancer hospital here will notice, is the small slab of granite placed right over the imposing archway entrance. And there lies a tale, and we venture to state, a very pleasant tale.

Before placing in position, a niche was chiseled out of the block. In that niche was placed with due ceremony, a small bottle. The latter contained a document consisting of several pages of very fine handwriting, descrip-

tive of the building and the facts which were responsible for its erection. The bottle was sealed and to Dr. Ed. LaMotte, one of Garden's oldest and most highly respected citizens was accorded the honor of placing it in its permanent resting place.

**Record of Family.**  
The record contains a most interesting history of the family tree. Dr. LaMotte's ancestors are traced away back several generations. With this family record is also a history of the cancer record which is at this time famed beyond the limits of where "Old Glory" waves. It is a well known fact locally that the oldest son in

each generation and the famous remedy are inseparably conjoined. A history of the one without the other would be altogether inconceivable. For years back, far before any of our readers saw the light of day, Mr. LaMotte's ancestors were administering "help to cancer sufferers, the perhaps in a crude and very limited way. It is only within very recent years that outsiders have come hither for the "cure." Previous to the establishment of the first hospital in this place, the present Dr. LaMotte travelled widely over this state and often into other states. He has ample evidence, today of cures effected between thirty and forty years ago and where there has been no recurrence of the dread malady. During recent years however, the doctor has been compelled to absolutely refuse to attend patients away from this hospital because to do so would be to neglect the increasing numbers entering the institution here. Since starting work on the present building, there has been such an influx of patients that other plans have been made to double the capacity of the new building. The "bottled" record carefully traces the growth of the practice. The new hospital will be dedicated to the memory of the late Mrs. Ed. LaMotte who passed away a little more than a year ago and who could not see the complete development of the cherished plans of her husband and son.

**Names of Workmen.**  
The name of every individual who has done any work on the job, even those who have lived outside and hauled in material, and those who have done less than a day's work has been placed on record. A statement is made as to where practically every bit of material has been purchased. Special mention is made and the names recorded of one or two firms and individuals who have been specially interested in helping forward the development of the project. One or two of the rooms will be dedicated in their memory. The aforementioned facts as well as a number of facts herein unmentioned are all placed on permanent record in the little sealed bottle in the slab over the entrance. Centuries down the ages of time when the place is dismantled, our progeny will no doubt view the contents of the bottle without as much interest and possibly awe, as did the discoverers of the relics of the tomb of King Tut a few months ago.

**Son Complex Record.**  
A remarkable feature about the old hospital was the large number of visitors attracted there. This will undoubtedly be a feature of the new building and practically

**AMUSEMENTS**

**AT THE DELFT.**  
A humidifier plays an important part in "A Man of Action," Thomas H. Ince's mystery-comedy now opening at the Delft theatre today.  
"Humidifier?" questioned a puzzled property man who was told to get one for the filming of a scene in the picture.  
"Yes, go down town and ask the Hollywood Property Rooms for a humidifier," repeated the Ince director. "We haven't a humidifier in the studio and we need one for the diamond robbery scenes in 'A Man of Action.' Douglas MacLean is already on the set and made up and we'll be shooting the scene with the humidifier in it within a half hour. So get a studio car and heat it."  
An hour passed. Finally the property man returned in a cloud

every one who enters therein will glance upward and see the place of concealment as he enters.

The "record" was the work of Edward LaMotte, Jr. who has spent many hours and much painstaking labor in gathering the necessary data.

**Fox Farmers' Troubles.**  
Fred Ansell has experienced his difficulties in his fox farming enterprise. Some weeks ago, two of the animals managed to escape from their pens and while it is believed that they have not gone far away, it was an utter impossibility to catch them alive. Others of the fox family engaged in a free for all fight so that one was hurt so badly that he had to be shot. He still has six left. These are all hale and hearty and he is looking forward to better luck next year.

Fred Bowen has gone to Manistique where he expects to spend the winter.

Mrs. John Folio has returned to her home at Fayette after a vacation spent with relatives in Manistique, Escanaba and Stonington.

Oliver Bourlize, Theodore Hazen and Harry J. Greene are doing carpenter work on the hospital building.

The Young people of the Grade and High Schools are doing a good business in the sale of Tuberculosis Christmas Stamps. A number of Christmas entertainments are being given by local schools and other organizations this Yuletide. We shall be glad to publish reports of these if some reasonable person will report to the writer.

Oscar Russell and son were Escanaba visitors at the week-end.

dust. Presumably he staggered toward the director on Stage Three at the Ince studios.  
"Here they are," he panted. "I didn't know whether you wanted a big brass baby or one with sawdust in it, so I brought both."  
"Why neither of those is a humidifier," laughed the director. "They're cuspidors."  
"That's what I told that feller down to the property house," panted the property man. "but them guys don't know nothing about real class. They tell me the humidifiers is only used in Spanish picnchers with toredors, matadors and picadors."  
"It ain't a Spanish picaber," I says.  
"Well, then, what you want is a cuspidor," they tells me. I done the best I could."

**AT THE STRAND.**  
To Evelyn Irving, aged seven, has been given the role of "Peaches" in support of True Boardman, who plays "Mickey," the manly little newsboy of "Michael O'Halloran." Gene Stratton Porter's personally supervised production of her novel of that name, at the Strand the last times today.

There are many baby stars and ingenues on the screen, but Evelyn Irving is the first child leading woman to actually play opposite a boy star.

The charming Miss Irving is a beautiful blonde, having bobbed golden curls, grey eyes and a cream and roses complexion. She is a strong advocate of the short skirt, wearing her's four in-

ches above the knee. Her gowns are designed very simply after the Lanvin models—having extremely full skirts and short bodices. She refuses to wear long, draped creations now so much in vogue—and admits that she prefers half socks to hose.

Consenting to an interview, she assumed a graceful but informal attitude, with her legs thrown carelessly over the arm of a chair and her hands locked behind her back.

"Yeth, I am a dancer," she said. "I can dance almost as good as Pavlova."  
"I just love 'Mickey,' but on Thursdays another blonde comes to the studio and steals him away from me."

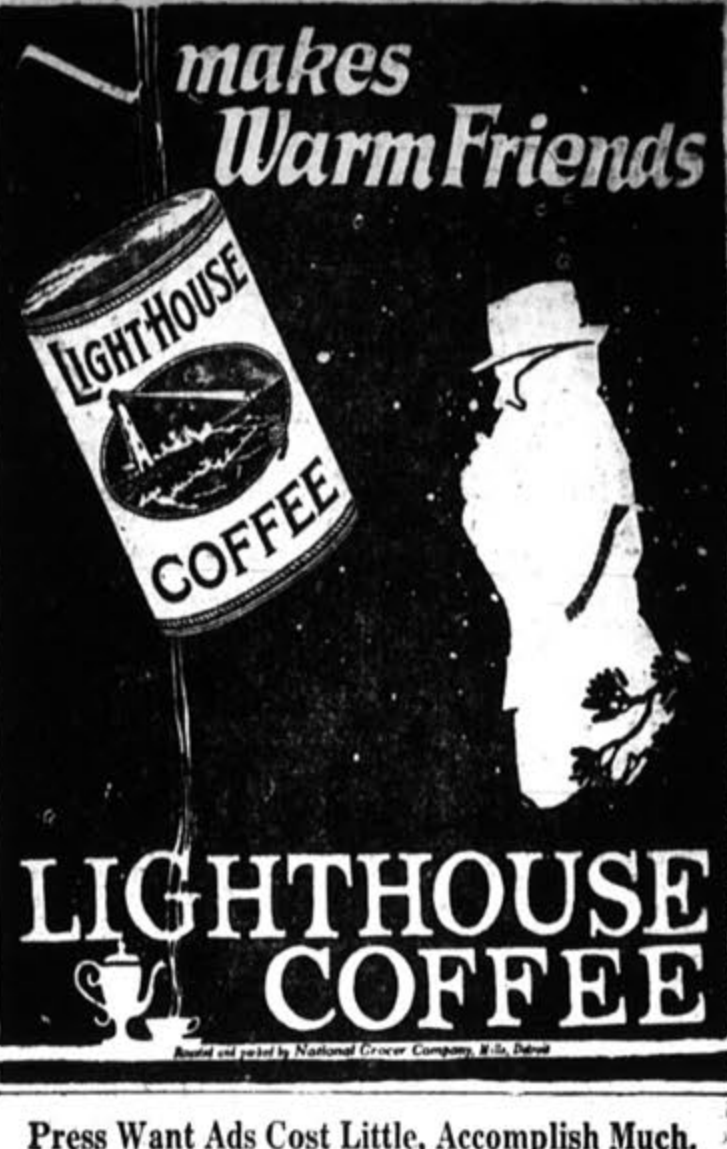
"When I make enough money, I'm going to have a fur coat, a thick dretch, a diamond comb for my hair and a limothpe like Mrs. Porter's."

"My dog had puppies behind the bath-tub the other day—and she hasn't brought them out yet."  
"Yeth I like to be in the movies—and I'm going to be a star some day."  
"Good bye."

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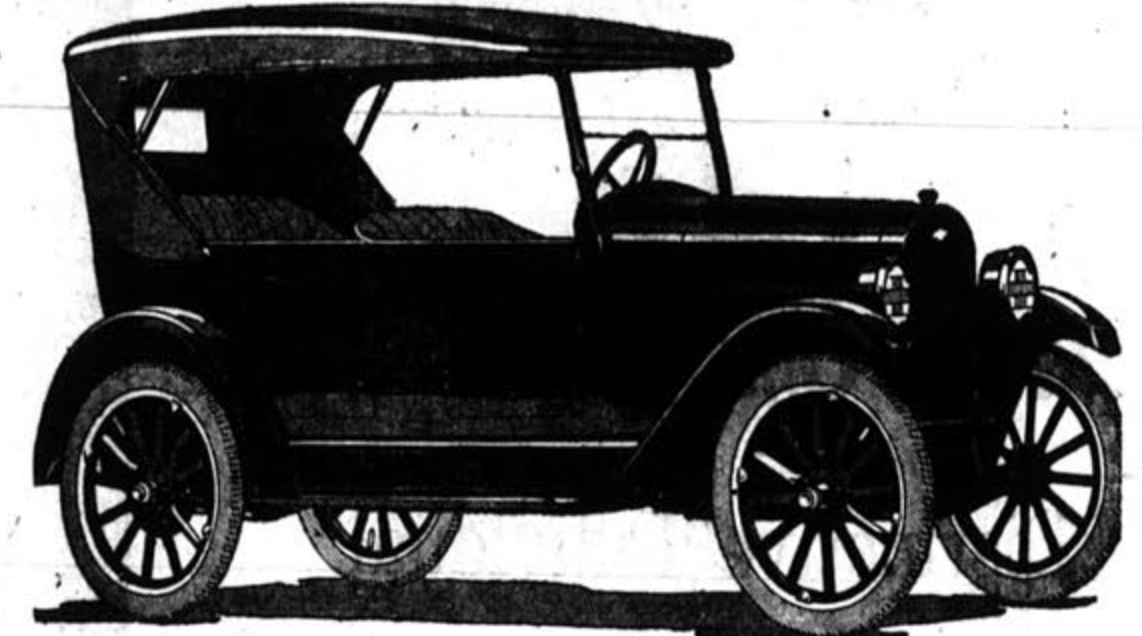
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We are ready to relieve you of the burden of this week's washing. You may send it to us. We Wash, Starch and Dry all wearing apparel for 10c per pound, and will wash and iron all your linen for 50c per dozen, including four large pieces in the dozen.

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Our curtain department is extremely busy this week, so we kindly ask our patrons to favor us with their curtains wanted for Christmas, not any later than Friday, Dec. 21st.

**DYEING**  
Colors that are faded, tiresome or undesirable, or separately made articles that do not match, may be made pleasing, fresh and harmonious by our scientific dyeing process. We dye almost everything in men's and women's wear, house-furnishings, etc.; no matter what the shade, or circumstances, if successful dyeing is possible, we can accomplish it.

**REPAIR DEPARTMENT**  
We do all repairs on ladies' and gents' garments, competently and at moderate cost. Re-lining, ladies', and gents' garments our specialty.

**RUGS**  
If your rugs need cleaning for Christmas, now is the time to let us call for them.

**PLEATING**  
All pleating orders left in our establishment at 9:00 A. M. will be pleated the same day.

*We do not experiment with your garments. We do while others try.*

**The Escanaba Steam Laundry & Dye Works**

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The Largest Establishment of Its Kind North of Milwaukee—Established in 1900.  
Members of The National Association of Master Dyers and Cleaners.  
Goods Left in Our Establishment Are Insured Against Fire, Theft and Burglary.  
PARCEL POST ORDERS GIVEN PROMPT ATTENTION.



Garden Bay News

Lonnie McPhee of Rochester, Minn., arrived in town Thursday. He states that he did not like the famous city and has long been longing for home. He intends to stay here. He was a former resident of Van's Harbor. He expects that his father, Pat McPhee also of Rochester will be over to Garden for a visit early in Jan.

One of Martin Birk's cattle, a red and white cow with mark on the right ear has, it is believed fallen on evil ways. In company with her calf and the rest of the herd, she was seen several weeks ago. Her calf has been brought home but no trace whatever can be found of the cow. It is feared that she has met an untimely death.

Fayette is producing a number of skilled mechanics. Walter Smith and Leslie Birk have dismantled a Ford car, taken out the engine and fixed it up with a pulley and other necessities, placed it on runners and assigned it a place in the regular routine of farm life. The engine, like most others of its kind, has an excellent record and given the best of service to its owner. It was felt that it was far too good to relegate it to the scrap heap. It was found that the bearings were as good as new and it is safe to say that it will continue to give a number of years of faithful service.

The Ladies Aid Society of the Fayette Congregational church held their regular meeting at the home of Mrs. Jas. Watcher on Thursday last. The weather was bitterly cold which no doubt did not add to the numbers of those present.

Mrs. Gaffney, Mrs. McCashum and Inez Wickland were Fayette visitors on Sunday.

Emil Anderson and wife, Wm. Winters, Sr. and Ed. Von Boroskey were Cooks visitors on Sunday.

Edward Boroskey had the misfortune on Sunday to pinch his hand by a closing door. While badly hurt and very painful, no bones were broken. It is remarked that he did not express his feelings "with flowers."

Bernie Pizala and wife, Ben Pizala and wife all of Sac Bay were visitors in Manistique on Monday. Mrs. Bernie Pizala had dental work done. She is far from feeling well.

Ben Pizala and wife and daughters Florence and Alice were Escanaba visitors on Thursday and Friday.

Ben Pizala and his companions have closed up the government lighthouse on St. Martin's Island. Mr. Pizala will spend the winter with his companions at Sac Bay.

About a dozen individuals are at work on St. Martin's Island. A regular camp is being operated there this winter. Jack Foon, Bill Jesson, Abe Jesson and Mr. Frieze have purchased about four hundred acres of land there.

C. W. Brett, of Manistique, representing the Red Wing Shoe Co. was a visitor at the Ed. A. Laux home on Saturday.

W. W. Gomer of Des Moines, district manager of the Western Silo Co. made a business trip last

week calling on Ed. A. Laux of Fayette.

Roy Laux, 5 year old son of Ed. A. Laux and wife is quite a little hero. During the Christmas festivities, he fell on a horn, breaking three of his front teeth. It was impossible to get to a dentist quickly so that his father was compelled to take the case in hand. Armed with a pair of pliers he started on the unpleasant task. As he snapped off a piece of one of the teeth, he laid down his instrument, his little son took it up again and urged the reluctant father to persevere with the job. With great difficulty he finally managed to pull out the three broken stumps, and with never a squeal from the little patient.

Paul Lamkey and daughter Nora, Luell Walsch and Mrs. McCashum made a business trip to Manistique on Friday.

John LeMarbe and son of Fayette Hillf made a business trip to this village on Saturday.

Robert McDonald is very much interested in rearing and caring for a blackbird at his home. Little delicacies are thrown out frequently for the little visitor who does not fail to show his appreciation and gratitude. Mr. Donald declares that he has never before seen a bird of this species here as late in the season as this little chap.

The Wizard Orchestra of Escanaba gave a dance in the Town Hall on Friday night. The lunch naba gave a dance in the Town Garden High school class of '24. From various reports, the crowds present were not of the record breaking character.

Louis Walsch, an old civil war veteran and one of Garden's oldest pioneer residents, is quite sick at his home.

Aristide Thibault has just received a Christmas greeting from Miss Leora Brault who is now a trained nurse in a Montana hospital. Miss Brault saw the light of day when her parents, Stephen Brault and wife, now of Escanaba, were residents of the village. Mr. Brault was at that time the village barber.

The infant son of John Christensen was quite sick on Saturday. Dr. Foote was called to prescribe for him.

A card party was given in the St. John's hall last week by the Sodality Girls.

A mason at work on the cancer hospital called out to the writer and reminded him not to forget that they had started work on the last story of the building. So, here goes, gentlemen. This is a fact as witnessed by his own eyes. The work is progressing beyond the hopes of the most sanguine. Wonderful weather is hastening on the work.

Dr. LaMotte is not afraid of wearing out a little shoe leather. On Saturday, he footed it down to the Devil's Turn, over to his farm, thru the swamp, lither and you so that by the time he arrived home he had tramped eighteen or twenty miles. A part from one or two painful blisters on his feet, he was little the worse for his hike.

During a recent session in the Fairport school, the big globe suspended from the ceiling gave way and dropped with a tremen-

WORKER



Miss Janet Fish, daughter of Hamilton Fish, former speaker of the New York State Assembly, and sister of Hamilton Fish, Jr., representative in Congress, has been appointed superintendent of nurses at St. Marks Hospital, New York.

dous force and noise to the floor. Momentary consternation reigned in the building. Fortunately no one was standing immediately underneath at the time, or there would have been serious consequences.

Residents of Fayette village are moving out for the winter, leaving just the respective families of Fred Van ReMortel and Angus McDonald. At times, during the depth of winter, this is a very isolated spot but Mr. Van ReMortel is determined to have fellowship, and is installing a radiophone in his residence. He expects to be "listening in" long before this announcement is read by our people.

Mrs. Jennie Laux and daughter Ida of Escanaba were visitors in Fayette last week.

Fred Van ReMortel and wife of Fayette were Escanaba visitors on Tuesday.

A recent report was given in the Press of a Gladstone automobile, that it travelled seven thousand miles before any tire trouble had developed. It was wondered who could go one better. An Essex coach owned by Fred Van ReMortel of Fayette has gone eight thousand and five hundred miles without a sign of any tire trouble and she is still going and judging from the appearance of the tires will very considerably increase that mileage. This record is more wonderful still when it is considered, what sort of roads the car travelled on in contrast with the roads around Gladstone. We have known the owner of this car to go out and exhibit a public spirit by personally patching up the worst spots in order to make the young just a little smoother. And further, observers have noted that Mr. Van does not limit his speedometer to twenty miles per hour. Furthermore the battery

of the car has just as much on as on the day the car was delivered. The writer went into the Van garage recently on a very cold morning and witnessed how the engine was started up immediately, without any fussing or cussing whatever. The battery has never been recharged since the day of purchase.

Henry Stratton of Fayette was quite sick with stomach trouble last week end.

The Misses Mattie and Adelle Elliott of Sac Bay were business callers in town on Friday.

The following article, clipped from a North Carolina newspaper will be of interest to many local readers:

"Mr. and Mrs. Sam F. Thorndyke arrived here last Friday from Chicago and are visiting at the home of Mr. Thorndyke's brother, Mr. Jos. F. Thorndyke, Wasauaga street.

Mr. Thorndyke is a chief petty officer in the U. S. Navy and has been stationed on the west coast since 1919, this being his first visit here in four years. He lived here prior to his enlistment in the Navy in 1915 and has many friends here who remember him. Previous to this arrival, he visited relatives in Michigan and Illinois during three weeks, and while in Chicago was married to Miss Hil-dred Stratton of Fayette, Mich., who was employed by the Western Electric Co. in Chicago. She had followed teaching school in Michigan for three years prior to this position in Chicago. She has also accomplished talent in piano playing.

Mr. and Mrs. Thorndyke will visit in and around Lumberton for about three weeks after which they will continue their journey to California, where they intend to establish a home in Los Angeles. Mr. Thorndyke says that his dearest companion during his stay in the Navy was his home paper, the good old Robesonian and says that he will continue to have it in his home."

Mrs. Mary McPhee of Fayette was quite sick last Friday. She made a trip to see Dr. Foote of Garden.

Mrs. Mary McPhee shipped her crop of turkeys on Monday to Norway, Mich.

An old Overland automobile, model 75, recently owned by Geo. Plucker of Fayette and reputed to have run, or we should say, hopped on one cylinder for the last ten years, and Archie McDonald of Fayette are receiving much notoriety these days. The car in question was sold to Lawrence Eggert who does not seem to have been quite so successful in navigating this wonderful piece of antiquity. In the meantime, Mr. McDonald has been making use of his mechanical skill in making up a "home made" tractor. A five horse power gasoline engine was used to furnish the power. Several sets of wheels were secured from another relic of bygone days in the nature of a binder, and the community was ransacked in order to find other very necessary "parts" before the thing was ready to "go." These were finally secured, with the exception of the steering wheel. Our mechanic friend made some sort of a dicker with Mr. Eggert whereby he became proud owner of what was once a brand new automobile with all its shining glory. But My! what words of admiration and wonder was this machine the subject of in her early days, at a time when, he remembered, a new Ford car, was a thing to be admired and respected. But she was robbed of her steering wheel to satisfy the needs of the slower moving vehicle. And now Mr. Anderson is looking for a buyer for the rest of the car. The writer also made a bargain

CHAMP!



"Silver Lane Fekson." Kitten held by Mrs. Fernie B. Reyder of Binghamton, N. Y., won first prize at the cat show in New York City.

to take it as a part payment on a six months subscription to the Escanaba Daily Press, but on the refusal of the owner to deliver the car, the deal was not consummated. The car is still for sale. Any prospective motorists should lose no time in getting into touch with Mr. Archie McDonald of Fayette.

P. S. We believe that easy terms can be arranged.

Supervisor Wm. McNally has just completed an estimate of the timber on Garden Bluff. He was surprised to find such a valuable piece of property.

Richmond Stewart and his much talked of collie Scottie of Manistique were visitors at the John Watchorn home at Fayette last week.

Chas. Watson and wife and family of Marblehead were week end visitors at the home of supervisor John Follo and wife of Fayette.

George Joque had a peck of trouble on Sunday. He made a trip to Nahma, arriving there without a mishap. On his way home he had various mishaps including a blowout and burnt out

bearings. He hailed a good Samaritan who was passing by, and then remembered that he had left his tow chain at home. This he states he had always been very careful to carry along with him on his journeyings but finally came to the conclusion that it was scarcely to be considered a necessity. The first time he went off without it, he found out his need for it. He left his own car on the road, jumped in his friend's car, went and got his chain. Back again. Hitched up his own car to the other one and so he arrived home. He was accompanied by other members of his family. He considers it was an expensive day. George Joque is lonesome these days. He has sent his radiophone to Detroit for repairs. After it had been gone for some time, he found to his dismay, that he still had a part in his home. It was necessary to send this also, thus causing further delay.

Ed. A. Laux, wife and family made a business trip to Escanaba on Monday.

Reports are being received here of snow in near by cities. Garden is still without the white blanket. For the most part, we are not

worrying about its absence. Dayton Beardsley and wife motored to Escanaba on Saturday with a trailer load of Christmas turkeys. They were accompanied by Miss Meata who paid a short visit with her parents in the city.

A THOUGHT

Be ye angry, and sin not; let not the sun go down upon your wrath.—Eph. 4:26.

A woman moved is like a fountain troubled, muddy, ill-smelling, thick, bereft of beauty.—Shakespeare.

1919—Lloyd George announced new plan for Ireland, providing for separate parliaments for Ulster and the rest of the country.

TODAY'S BIRTHDAYS

Prince George, youngest son of their British Majesties, whose engagement to Lady Alexandra Curson has been rumored, born 21 years ago today. Harry Pratt Judson, president emeritus of the University of Chicago, born at Jamestown, N. Y., 74 years ago today. Dr. Walter S. Adams, director of the Mt. Wilson Observatory, born at Antioch, Turkey in Asia, 47 years ago today. Robert Lee Williams, former governor of Oklahoma, born at Brundidge, Ala., 57 years ago today. Theodore E. Burton, representative in Congress of the Twenty-second Ohio district, born at Jefferson, O., 72 years ago today. 1860—South Carolina passed an ordinance of secession.

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