

## LOSS OF LIFE ESTIMATES DIFFER TODAY

### HALF A MILLION DEAD SEEMS A BIT TOO MANY

**American Ship Said to Have Been Lost in Upheaval.**  
**Many Foreigners Declared to Have Died in Osaka; Reports Agree on Million Homeless.**

(Associated Press Summary)  
As the stories of the Japanese disaster is unfolded in the fragmentary messages from newspaper correspondents, Japanese newspapers and the individuals, it is apparent that the magnitude of the catastrophe has not been overdrawn.  
In only one dispatch has there been a suggestion that the death list will not reach the number already indicated. This was a message from the Radio Corporation of America, in Japan, which said the Japanese home office estimated the dead in Tokio at 10,000, and in Yokohama at 100,000.

On the other hand, Admiral E. A. Anderson, commanding the United States Asiatic fleet, says the latest unofficial report gives the casualty list of the two cities as 240,000 dead and 450,000 injured.

A wireless message from Admiral Anderson to Rear Admiral Aberle, commander of the Pacific battle fleet, conveying this information was picked up in San Francisco.

Another estimate, this one coming from the Eastern News Agency, says that 320,000 persons have been killed in the entire stricken district.

**Food and Water Scarce.**  
Fresh calamities have overtaken Tokio and the panic-stricken remnants of its population. Nearly 10,000 people seeking refuge in the yards of a military clothing factory, located in a suburb were burned to death when the factory caught fire. Food and water are scarce.

Two hundred and fifty earth shocks were felt in Tokio last Saturday, followed by 57 on Sunday. The most severe tremor was of six minutes' duration and the flames that swept the capital burned for fifty hours, leaving ruins and desolation.

Fire and earth explosions together have devastated an area of twenty-one square miles in and about Tokio, demolishing 350,000 houses.

**Many Foreigners Die.**  
PEKING, China, Sept. 5.—One hundred foreigners are believed to have perished in Yokohama, says a Reuter's dispatch from Osaka, received here this afternoon. The dead include the American and British consuls.

**Babbitt Family Wiped Out.**  
NAGASAKI, Japan, Sept. 6.—The family of the American commercial attaché at Yokohama, E. J. Babbitt, are all dead. T. C. DeJardin, the French consul at Yokohama, also was killed, according to the latest reports.

**Million Homeless.**  
NEW YORK, Sept. 6.—Two official messages received today at the offices of the Japanese consul general estimate the casualties in Tokio and the vicinity from the earthquake at 160,000 with a million persons homeless.

**New American Ship Lost.**  
NEW YORK, Sept. 6.—The steamship, Selma City, reported to have run ashore near Yokohama during the upheaval of the harbor, is owned by the United States Steel Products Company of New York. She is of 3150 tons net register and carried a crew of between 40 and 50 men.

**Rioting Reported.**  
From Shanghai it was reported that rioting had broken out in the destroyed city and that police were arming citizens to aid in maintaining order.

**The river Sumida, which flows through Tokio, is declared to be clogged with bodies. Many men and women are said to have thrown themselves into the stream when the disaster struck the city. One dispatch said that a bridge, crowded with refugees, collapsed, throwing many into the stream.**

### It Was Moving Day for "Tabby"

This morning a tiger striped "tabby" was seen to be carefully looking over the buildings and hallways along Ludington street in the 800 block. In the hallway at Bergman's cafe a baby buggy was parked. This was singled out for the cat, who jumped into it and gave it a very careful "once over."

She then jumped out and ran between the buildings. In a few minutes she returned with a nice little baby in her mouth and carefully deposited it in the buggy, telling it in cat language to "stay right here until I come back." Five more trips were made and each trip added a new "child" to the collection. Then the happy mother gathered her family about her and proceeded to give them their breakfast. "Ain't nature wonderful?"

### RED CROSS IS RECEIVING A FLOOD OF GOLD

**Checks by the Thousand Are Being Mailed Daily.**

**Range From \$5 to \$5,000 from Individuals While Cities Send Sums Running into Thousands.**

WASHINGTON, Sept. 5.—Even before the appeal for funds had gained general circulation, the American people today began pouring their offerings into the fund for relief of the Japanese earthquake sufferers.

The first mail to reach Red Cross headquarters today brought a batch of checks in response to the appeal for \$5,000,000 with which to extend aid to the stricken people.

Scores of contributions were for \$500 and others ranged from \$5 to \$5,000.

**Detroit Gives \$25,000.**  
DETROIT, Sept. 5.—The city council today voted an appropriation of \$25,000 to the American Red Cross for relief of sufferers from the earthquake in Japan.

**Chicago at Work.**  
CHICAGO, Sept. 5.—Chicago started to work today to send relief to the thousands made destitute in Japan.

Meanwhile hundreds of friends and relatives of about seventy Chicagoans in Japan were anxiously awaiting word from them.

### PINCHOT MAKES ANOTHER EFFORT TO END TROUBLE

**Joint Meeting Was Held Again Today, But Up to a Late Hour Results Seem to Be Negligent.**

HARRISBURG, Pa., Sept. 6.—Governor Pinchot this afternoon met committees of anthracite mine operators and union officials, once more in conference in an effort by which the suspension of mining operations may be ended. There were no indications from any of the parties in the controversy as to any change in their attitude since the peace proposal was discussed last week.

**STUDENTS.**  
The list of names for foreign correspondents from the National Bureau of Educational Correspondence at Nashville, Tennessee, which failed to reach the English department last June is now posted on the bulletin board at High school.

Will those students who paid ten cents for the address, please come or send for the same as soon as possible? We would like to have the correspondence begin at once.

**Vast Area Devastated.**  
OSAKA, Japan, Sept. 5.—So vast an area of Japan has been devastated by the greatest earthquake in the history of this country, that it will be long before the actual loss of life is known. The most reliable estimates of death up to the present time, reach as high as 200,000 and 320,000.

## Germany Will Soon Reach End of Tether

### BEST ROAD SYSTEM IN STATES IS FOUND IN WISCONSIN AND MICHIGAN, SAYS CARAVANERS

Some people are not competent to make the statement that Wisconsin and Michigan, particularly the northern parts of both states, have the best general highways, but when it comes from men that have toured all over the United States, traveling more than 25,000 miles in a few months, their word means something.

Three Chicago men arrived in Escanaba this morning in their Stutz touring car and declared that in no other section of the whole United States are to be found so many good roads. The men are H. F. Wilson, J. T. Newell and H. T. Williamson, all of Chicago—all lovers of the great outdoors, and all with plenty of time and money to indulge their love of touring. It might be added that they also like speed which is adequately supplied by more than one hundred horse power motor under the hood of their car.

### FREDERICK ENGDALH SAYS YEARS DO NOT COUNT IN HIS LIFE

**Local Man at Eighty Is Still Actively Engaged in Painting; Early Life Spent at Sea.**

Frederick Engdahl, one of Escanaba's oldest residents and at the same time most aged citizens, says his eighty years do not sit heavy upon his head and that so far as his physical condition is concerned he feels no different than he did thirty years ago. On July 26, just past, Mr. Engdahl reached the 80th mile mark of his life, but the event didn't even get a rattle from him for he kept right on working and declares he is going to keep right on working as long as he can climb a ladder to paint a story front on a building.

"There is nothing like hard work to keep you young," said Mr. Engdahl, "but the ten years I spent as a salt water sailor, I believe, built up a constitution pretty hard to break down." Mr. Engdahl then told the reporter of the hard life that fell to the lot of the deep water man fifty years ago. The food was poor and the work hard.

"Sometimes a ship left the frozen waters of the north and after sailing several days entered the tropics and beamed. That part of sailing was not what might be called real yachting," said Mr. Engdahl, for the temperature went way above the hundred mark and there was nothing to protect the men excepting perhaps a little shade which was afforded by the sails. Perhaps for days the ship might stand in an almost stationary position. The water in the water casks would get hot, and perhaps also low and the men would be cut down to short rations of it.

"Still," declared Mr. Engdahl, "that's what made hard men and perhaps those experiences on the sea are to blame for my good health, at my years, for I am well aware that most men of 80 do not climb ladders nor do they hang paper on ceilings."

### NEW FORDS ARE ON DISPLAY NOW

A couple of carloads of the new model Ford cars were received by Portman Brothers, the local Ford agents, and are now on display at the salesroom. While the cars do not look a great deal different from the other late models, a closer inspection will show many improvements as outlined in a recent newspaper article.

### KNIGHTS TO HOLD RALLY THURSDAY

The Knights of Columbus will hold a regular meeting tomorrow evening, and it is urged that every member be present as plans for the resumption of activities will be taken up. The winter will soon appear in all its accompanying snow and cold and the Knights want to arrange many pleasant evening for the members.

### IF YOU ARE AN ELK GET IN LINE TO HELP BOOST

**Escanaba Brothers Will Give Visitors Fine Welcome.**

**Final Plans Perfected Last Night to Entertain Milwaukee Bunch When They Arrive Tonight.**

(BULLETIN)  
Information has been received in the city late this afternoon stating that the steamer Missouri will not be able to arrive in Escanaba before 9:00 o'clock this evening.

### FIRM STAND BY ITALY IN CONTROVERSY

**Says League Has No Jurisdiction in the Matter.**

**Greek Representative Declares His Country Has No Desire to Escape From Responsibilities.**

GENEVA, Switzerland, Sept. 5.—Italy's representative, Signor Salandra, told the council of the League of Nations today that Italy would regard intervention from the League in the Greco-Italian conflict as unjustified, as the League, he asserted, has no competency in the affair which belongs properly to the interrelated council of ambassadors.

M. Politis, former Greek foreign minister, in reply, said Greece had no desire to escape her responsibilities and should be held forth by requesting the application of a neutral commission for investigation.

A great crowd gathered before the main entrance the morning convention for admission and the subscribers were often swept away as they entered, including many women, turned a blind eye to the men, and were also swept into the chamber.

ROME, Italy, Sept. 5.—A special dispatch from Athens to the Giornale d'Italia said it had been learned with certainty that two days before the massacre of the Italian commission, a congress held at Lima approved the decision of the former congress to kill the Italian members of the commission.

### WOMAN DEPUTY IS NAMED BY THE SHERIFF

Miss Regina Anderson of Groos has been named deputy sheriff by Sheriff Carney and given permission to carry concealed weapons. Miss Anderson's work is of such a nature that it takes her away from her home at all hours and in many cases she has to drive a car over a lonely road. She is the first woman to be commissioned deputy sheriff in Delta county and is now in position to serve all papers and do other work connected with the office.

### BUSINESS MEN FOR CHURCHES.

NEW YORK, Sept. 5.—Installation of business methods in the Episcopal churches of America is the aim of Lewis B. Franklin, vice president of the Episcopal National Council. Mr. Franklin, a prominent New York banker, believes there is no incompatibility between modern business and religion, and he has issued a call for 4,000 volunteers to serve as church business managers.

"Business needs more Christianity and Christianity needs more business," Mr. Franklin explained. "Good management and effective organization in church affairs are the results sought for."

### Stop Fight Pictures of Dempsey-Gibbons

CHICAGO, Sept. 5.—A United States deputy marshal today prepared to seize the films of the Dempsey-Gibbons championship boxing match held on July 4 at Shelby. The motion picture had been advertised to be shown today at a downtown theatre.

### "SLICKER" IN TOWN TUESDAY GETS MONEY ON FORGED CHECKS

One of the "slickest" crooks that ever operated in Escanaba stopped over yesterday long enough to fleece some of the local merchants out of small sums of money and depart before his identity could be learned and he worked his scheme so well that he had ample opportunity to get out of town before word reached the police department.

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### Police Have Sent Out Warnings to Other Towns; Man Was Well Posted, Is Claim.

Yesterday morning a nice appearing fellow entered the store of W. H. Needham and walking up to Mr. Needham, said, "Hello, Bill, my wife wants me to buy that sweater for her that she looked at the other day." Of course Mr. Needham did not know the man, but he appeared to know Mr. Needham so well, that the latter did not question his identity. A machine was selected and after telling Mr. Needham to send it up after 4 o'clock in the afternoon, the stranger presented a check for \$75.00, payable to C. E. Wood and signed by Swan Kjellander, who is a Gladstone business man.

### RECEPTION FOR LOCAL WOMEN BY VISITING ELKS

It was announced late this afternoon that the Elks from Milwaukee, who will arrive on the Missouri this evening, are bringing with them their wives, sisters and daughters and that the women of Escanaba are invited to go on board the big steamer Missouri and attend a reception which is to be given by the Milwaukee women.

### ESCANABA WOMEN WILL BE WELCOMED ON THE STEAMER MISSOURI BY WIVES OF MILWAUKEE PARTY.

For the benefit of the visiting women, it has been arranged to have a large number of automobiles at the Ludington Hotel to show the strangers about the city, in case they care to come ashore.

### RALLY AT PARK BY BOY SCOUTS

The first rally of the season for the Boy Scouts was held at Ludington park last night and about forty boys turned out, under the leadership of Emerson Harver, deputy scout commissioner. Dr. G. A. Cotton, president of the local council, gave a short address.

### THE WEATHER

For Escanaba and Vicinity: Partly overcast tonight and Thursday; not much change in temperature; gentle variable winds.

### DISCUSSIONS WILL BE THE ORDER SOON NOW CLAIMED

Believed Newspapers Are Informed of the Situation.

### Passive Resistance Struggle on the Ruhr Claimed to Have Been Lost by German Government.

(By the Associated Press)  
Berlin, Germany, Sept. 5.—Germany has arrived at the end of her tether, so far as her further ability to finance the passive resistance is concerned. This is the impression in banking circles, which expect Germany within the next few days will take the initiative toward proposing that official discussions be begun with the French and Belgian governments.

### That the Ruhr and the Rhineland Fight Has Been Lost by the Government and the Army of German Resisters Has Also Tacitly Admitted in Political Circles.

While the German press has not discussed the situation with which the government is confronted it is believed, however, that the German newspapers have been informed by Chancellor Stressemann that the government would seek to force a solution of the Ruhr conflict in the near future.

### COOLIDGE MAKES FIRST PUBLIC ADDRESS TODAY

**Greets Mail Clerks and in Few Words Tells Them to Work Harder, Better and Faster.**

WASHINGTON, Sept. 5.—Making his first public address since he became chief executive, President Coolidge advised 500 members of the United National Association of Post Office Clerks, whom he greeted today at the White House, to render to their country, "everything an American citizen should desire, thus building up the resources of our nation, strengthening its character for yourselves and those who cooperate with you."

### WANTS INDIANS IN OLYMPICS.

MEXICO CITY, Sept. 5.—Mexico should enter a few Tarahumara Indians in the coming Olympic games at Paris and win every long distance running event, according to Dr. M. Al, an authority on these primitive natives of Chihuahua. The Tarahumaras can run six marathons in a day, he declares, in describing the part that running figures in these Indians' religion. One of the Tarahumara hunters from the Mineral de Coahuila district has covered 90 kilometers in 24 hours, the doctor asserts.

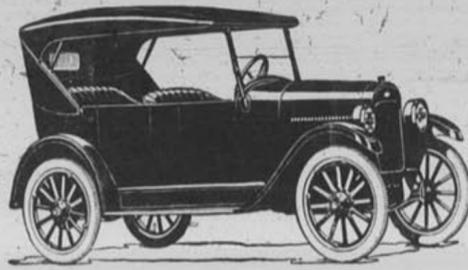
### NEW HOME FOR ELKS DECIDED UPON BY LODGE

Plans have been completed for the remodeling of the Elks Temple at 508-510 Ludington street at an expense of approximately \$30,000. Work is to be started within a few days and rushed to completion. The second floor will have the ceiling raised and will be used for an assembly room, while the lower floor will be converted into club rooms.

### Louis Lafave With Boys to Cincinnati

The name of Louis Lafave was omitted from the list of boys who left Monday night for Cincinnati to take up their studies for the next school year. Louis is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Lafave and like the other boys will be glad to see their parents.

# Chvrolet Motor Company

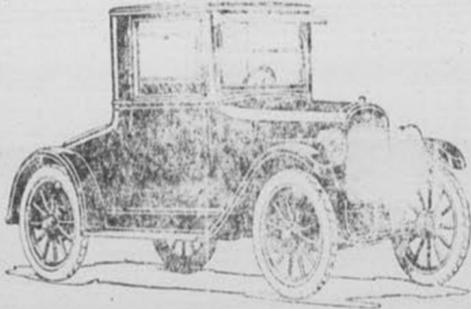


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**CYLINDERS:** Cast in block, one-piece, with crank shaft head detachable.

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**CONNECTING ROD BEARINGS:** 1 1/2 inch diameter, 1 3/4 inch long.

**CRANKSHAFT BEARINGS:** Front 2 1/4 inch diameter, 2 1/4 inch long; Center 2 1/2 inch diameter, 2 1/4 inch long; Rear 2 1/4 inch diameter, 2 1/4 inch long.

**CAMSHAFT BEARINGS:** Front 1 1/4 inch diameter, 2 1/4 inch long; Center 1 3/4 inch diameter, 2 1/4 inch long; Rear 1 1/4 inch diameter, 1 7/8 inch long.

**OILING SYSTEM:** Splash, oil pump and 12 oil pockets. Pressure to center bearing. Oil pressure gauge on instrument board.

**CARBURETOR:** Zenith or improved Hoyer.

**FUEL:** Suction feed; fuel tank by rear or side passenger models.

**IGNITION:** Remy. **STARTER and GENERATOR:** Remy or Autolite.

**CLUTCH:** Cone type, with adjustable compression springs.

**TRANSMISSION:** Solid shaft type, shaft drive, three speeds forward and reverse.

**COOLING:** Water pump and fan; hose, crank pulley.

**FRONT AXLE:** Drop front, beam, coil spring, shock absorbers.

**REAR AXLE:** Semi-floating type, wheel bearings, shock absorbers and New Departure bearings, equalizer, rear gear and pinion.

**BRAKES:** Emergency, integral expansion, hand control; Service, external contraction; 16 inch brake drums.

**WHEELS:** Wood, artillery type, demountable rims, large hub flanges.

**TIRES:** 30 inch by 3 1/2 inch. Safety side cord tires are standard equipment on all closed models.

**DRIVE:** Left side, center running gear and drive shaft, front and rear drive shafts, final drive, differential.

**STEERING GEAR:** Worm and gear, 16 inch steering wheel.

**SPRINGS:** Quarter-elliptic type, front and rear.

**WHEELBASE:** 104 inch.

#### Equipment

Standard equipment includes generator, starter and electric lights connected to the battery, drum-type local headlight lamps, speedometer, oil pressure gauge, ammeter, demountable rims with extra rim tire carrier and license holders, double adjustable windshield, complete tool equipment, and on open models sun-top and side-curtains which open with the doors.

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We reserve the right to make any changes in design or construction at any time. Prices subject to change without notice.

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**STANDARD TRANSMISSION**—Three speeds forward and one reverse.

**FULL ELECTRICAL EQUIPMENT.**

**MODERN COOLING SYSTEM,** insuring driving comfort in summer, and efficient operation of motor.

**LOW COST OF OPERATION.** Chevrolet leads among all automobiles in gasoline mileage. Oil consumption is so low as to surprise all new owners who have driven any other car. Tire mileage is unsurpassed.

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**DEMOUNTABLE RIMS.** It is a simple, quick job to change rims on any Chevrolet.

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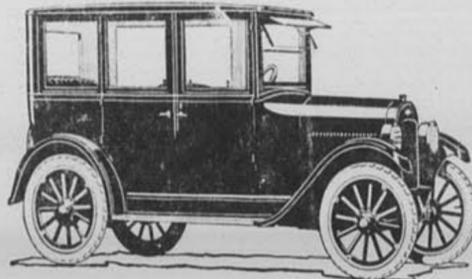
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An examination of whatever model meets your requirements will disclose numerous quality features not here mentioned for lack of space.

## Chevrolet Leads the Way

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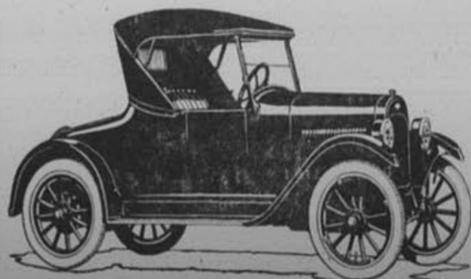
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### PERSONAL

Mrs. George Ramspeck, Mrs. George Lemire, Mrs. Mable Snow and Mrs. Henry R. Dotach are in Milwaukee representing the local Woman's Relief Corps at the convention, being held this week.

Miss Irene Douglas of Bark River spent the weekend visiting Miss Catherine Sharke.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Webber returned yesterday morning from a visit with friends and relatives in Chicago, Milwaukee and Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. K. C. Pelow and children have returned to their home at Negaunee after being guests at the home of Mrs. Mary Carroll.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira B. Graydon, daughter, Betty, and son, Jack, motored into Escanaba Friday night from southern Wisconsin, where they have been enjoying a week's vacation with friends and relatives.

Miss Lucie Dube, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Dube, 608 Eleventh street, south left this morning for Montreal to enter college. Miss Dube was tendered several parties by a number of her friends in the past week.

The Misses Agnes Olson and Helen Morson have returned from a visit in Milwaukee.

Ruth Lane is the name of a daughter newly arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Thatcher, of Milwaukee, formerly of this city.

Miss Dyma Stolk of Milwaukee is visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Stolk.

Miss Gertrude Geniesse left Sunday night for Milwaukee, where she will be engaged as a teacher in the schools of that city.

Miss Edna Stille has returned to Milwaukee, where she is engaged as a teacher in the public schools.

Miss Vivian Charles has left for Milwaukee, where she has taken a position as stenographer.

Herbert Hanson and Arthur Dahl left yesterday for a vacation trip to Milwaukee.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Jackson and party of friends spent Monday at Indian Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Hanrahan and daughter, Jeanette, Mrs. M. E. McCarthy, Miss Grace McCarthy and George McCarthy of Detroit spent Labor Day at Indian Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Stolk and daughter, Miss Dyma, spent Sunday at Powers with relatives.

Paul Baldwin of Chicago is visiting at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Baldwin.

Miss Leah Fountain of Duluth has been called here by the death of Ernest Sheedle.

Victor Lemmer will leave Friday for Notre Dame, Ind., to resume his studies at Notre Dame university.

Robert Beggs, who has been ill with diphtheria at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Beggs, is recovering.

Miss Minnie Larson, who a short time ago submitted to an operation for appendicitis at St. Francis hospital, has sufficiently recovered to resume her position at the Delta Milk Producers' plant.

Miss Adeline Thust of Milwaukee, has returned to the city to resume her position in the public schools.

**NOTICE, K. C. I.**  
The regular meeting and election of officers of Knights of Columbus will be held at the Club House Thursday night, commencing at 8:30 sharp. This meeting is in the nature of a preliminary meeting for the year, and a large attendance is expected.

**J. P. KENNEALLY,**  
249 Grand Knight.

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In 1824, an English mason wanted to produce a better cement than any then in use. To do this he burned finely ground clay and limestone together at a high heat. The hard balls [called clinker] that resulted were ground to a fine powder. When a mixture of this dull gray powder with water had hardened, it was the color of a popular building stone quarried on the Isle of Portland off the coast of England. So this mason, Joseph Aspdin, called his discovery "portland" cement.

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Portland cement was not made in the United States until fifty years ago. The average annual production for the ten years following was only 36,000 sacks. Last year the country used over 470,000,000 sacks of portland cement. Capacity to manufacture was nearly 600,000,000 sacks.

Cement cannot be made everywhere because raw materials of the necessary chemical composition are not found in sufficient quantities in every part of the country. But it is now manufactured in 27 states by 120 plants. There is at least one of these plants within shipping distance of any community in this country.

To provide a cement supply that would always be ample to meet demand has meant a good deal in costly experience to those who have invested in the cement industry. There have been large capital investments with low returns.

In the last twenty-five years, 328 cement plants have been built or have gone through some stage of construction or financing. 162 were completed and placed in operation.

Only 120 of these plants have survived the financial, operating and marketing risks of that period. Their capacity is nearly 30 per cent greater than the record year's demand.

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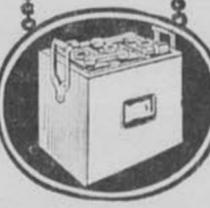
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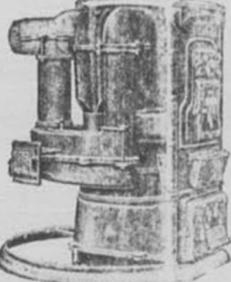
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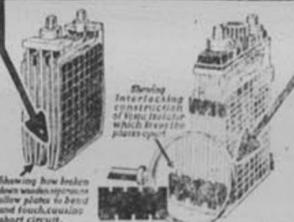
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IN SELF-PROTECTION

The growing sentiment in Canada in favor of the American proposals for co-operation for the suppression of rum running across the border is an expression of sound sense among the officials and people of the Dominion rather than an evidence of any special sympathy with the dry laws of the United States. If Ottawa finally decides to join hands with Washington to put an end to the contraband trade in intoxicants, the action will be taken because it is considered a self-protective measure.

The Montreal Star puts the matter quite directly in welcoming the idea of an international conference on the subject when it says:

If a fraction of the things written, and not denied, about the methods and manners of these rum runners, is true, they constitute a serious and shameful indictment of the law-abiding character of our two people. Secret smuggling is one thing, but open defiance of the law with loaded trucks guarded by loaded revolvers, is quite another. Neither Washington nor Ottawa can permit that condition if it exists outside of the imagination of the writers to continue.

The people near the border know perfectly well that the condition described by the Star exists. The armed smuggler, and the hijacker and unfortunately no figments of the imagination. They are ugly, menacing facts that are growing uglier and more menacing all the time. The Star is quite correct when it says that Ottawa cannot permit the condition to continue.

Though the offenses of these outlaws may be committed within the boundaries and against the enactments of the United States, the persons themselves do not exist to be tried in their lives and habits when they are in the Dominion. They constitute a disreputable class whose very presence is poisonous and detrimental, and whose example and influence are injurious; and any country that tolerates their presence, is certain to be infected, and suffer more or less as a result.

THEY DON'T DELIVER THE GOODS.

That old, but always interesting question, "What's wrong with the churches?" has bubbled up in England again, and a commenting dispatch remarks that the majority of people are not going to church and that those who do want special attractions. In order to meet this demand on current plays and novels and one preacher recently discussed "The Football Season" from the pulpit.

Under such circumstances, the query just quoted seems to have a quite obvious answer. It is reported that the Bishop of Durham blames the poor ventilation of church buildings, protesting that the trouble is not in any way due to the dullness of the ministers. But judging from outward appearance, we should say the trouble is due to lack of religious appeal.

The London ministers may not be dull, for really it is London rather than the whole of England that is affected, but if the report of their activities are correct, they certainly are not doing much except enter into competition, and evidently into ineffective competition, with the yandeville houses; and any Bantu medicine man could tell them that such tactics are disastrous.

England, however, is a long way off, and all this wouldn't be particularly pertinent if it were not for the fact that a good many clergymen in this country are doing just what their London brethren are doing, and then wonder why it is their people prefer an automobile ride on a Sunday morning and a picture show on a Sunday evening, to their discourses.

We can help but wonder whether Governor Pinchot likes the handicap his not otherwise admirers are hanging on him by trying to join up his effort for peace in the anthracite field with a presidential bomb.

A QUIET CHALLENGE.

A. G. Newmyer, president of the Southern Newspaper Publishers' association, got what he wanted when he asked President Coolidge to send a terse, exclusive message to the southern publishers. Mr. Coolidge replied, and what he said was sound and to the point. One paragraph in particular, though couched in general language and applicable everywhere, ought to make the molders of public opinion in Dixie sit up and wonder whether the President was not quietly taking advantage of an opportunity their spokesman sorely intended to open up.

Mr. Coolidge says, "Every newspaper can be very helpful in its support of the government, whether it be state or national. Fundamentally this means making the authority of the law supreme. It means undivided allegiance to the constitution and unhesitating obedience to legislative action made in accordance with its provisions.

Undivided allegiance to the constitution and unhesitating obedience to legislative action made in accordance with its provisions involves allegiance to paragraph two of the Fourteenth amendment to the fundamental law relating to abridgment of suffrage and consequent diminution of representation in congress as the penalty for such abridgment and obedience to any federal statute placed on the book in pursuance thereto. Are the southern editors prepared to accept the challenge the President has placed before them? Are they ready to stand henceforth for the Fourteenth amendment and all that it contains?

Lord Birkenhead's foes at home have lost no time in making capital out of his references to Woodrow Wilson, proving that British and American politics aren't fundamentally diverse after all.

Senator LaFollette announces that he will prolong his stay in Europe until late in October. What has become of that speaking tour he was going to make in the United States?

"Have the girls a right to wear overalls if they wish?" queries the St. Paul Pioneer Press. Who's going to stop them?



LUCKY DOG

The all breed dog show which is being held at the Michigan State Fair in Detroit is one of the best exhibitions of its kind in the country. One of the big features is a demonstration by trained police dogs, showing them capturing criminals, finding and guarding lost articles.

Yale-Yale's first agricultural fair in a quarter of a century will be held this month, September 25-28.

If you will work hard and save, you may in time become rich enough to say: "Bah! What is more money!"

Port Huron.—A sheeted figure, appearing in residential sections at night, has been frightening children here recently. Some children have become hysterical as a result of being chased by the white sheeted figure, police have been told.

Police Dogs Continue The Favored Pets of Travelers Coming Home From Europe.



Learning to Shake Hands

New York. The shepherd dogs of Germany, Belgium and Austria, which attracted such great attention during the war for their work with hospital corp units, are being brought into the United States by European travelers in ever growing numbers. Practically every United States liner that reaches this port has several of these dogs aboard. Recently when the President Arthur arrived from Bremen she brought thirty of these dogs of all ages.

It was shortly after breakfast when the President Arthur left Quarantine in the upper New York Bay and started for her Hoboken pier. The ship's butcher, who has charge of animals aboard ocean liners, had just brought the last dog on the upper fore deck when the Revenue Cutter, with Customs men and newspaper reporters, pulled along side. As the ladder was run up and the men started to board the liner the dogs set up a deafening chorus of welcome. This stopped as suddenly as it had started, on a sharp spoken command from their temporary trainer, the butcher.

Many of these shepherd dogs are brought in Germany, Austria or Belgium, where the breed first originated, by dealers. Hundreds, however, are brought here by tourists, who cannot resist the temptation of purchasing one of the clever animals when traveling abroad. The prices at which they are obtainable in Europe is considerably below that for which a good dog of the same breed may be obtained in this country, a further inducement.

Though a goodly number of the dogs of this strain which are brought here on United States liners are fully trained, the greater majority have had but a preliminary "puppy schooling." Their owners, therefore, take great pleasure to further training their pets while at sea.

Contrary to general opinion these "police dogs"—commonly known as such for their reputation as aids to Continental police forces—are not ferocious. Quite the contrary. Unless ordered to attack, the average police dog adopts a haughty air toward all but its owner and pays but a casual attention to what goes on about it.

On the President Arthur, as well as President Fillmore, President Harding, George Washington, America and President Roosevelt, all of which are in the Bremen service of the United States lines, owners may have their dogs on deck for a run during the day time. They are not allowed to be kept in cabins, however, especially at night.

It is a common sight to see smartly dressed young women strolling about the deck with a big police dog on a leash sedately pacing before her. There may be several of these dogs being given a constitutional at once, but they practically ignore each other and make no effort to fight. Were they bull dogs or terriers it might be a different story.

The police dogs are unusually intelligent and will learn many tricks, which the average dog would take weeks in attaining, during the trip to New York from Bremen. A young woman who arrived on the President Arthur on her last trip succeeded in teaching her young Austrian shepherd dog many stunts during the crossing. While the liner sped through smooth seas "Prince," who seemed to enjoy the ocean voyage, was schooled on the aft promenade deck every day. By the time the President Arthur reached port he would sit up and beg on command, shake hands and walk about upon his hind legs with ease. He very evidently enjoyed going through his repertoire, and upon successfully presenting it would bark sharply in appreciation of any applause he received.

MULES DRIVE WITHOUT ANY CUSSING OUT

Army Mules Work Without Aid of Profanity.

Youthful Soldiers Are Told That Swearing Not Necessary About Training Camps.

(By the Associated Press) CAMP CUSTER, Mich., Sept. 5.—A tradition of the army that a stubborn Missouri mule cannot be driven without an abundant flow of profanity has been placed in the discard. For the 2,500 student soldiers from Michigan, Wisconsin and Illinois who attended the Citizens' Training camp here during August, have learned that this mule can be driven with simple and well chosen words.

One of the first things that happened at camp after the soldier students arrived was the issuance of an order setting forth the requirements of an ideal soldier forbidding profanity. This order met with prompt and continued obedience, and the young men led an exemplary army life during their month at camp.

Only once did Miss Jessie M. Goodwin, in charge of the Hostess House, where social functions are held, exercise her authority. That was in the early days of the camp. A few of the young men, unable to gain admittance to a dance, forced their way through doors and windows. As a result, several of the rang leaders were brought before Miss Goodwin. The men admitted their guilt and expressed regret for the indiscretion caused the four hundred officers attending the party. Thereafter they stood in line and wait their turn to dance.

Life at the Citizens' Training Camp was well regulated. The forenoon routine was obligatory. Beds were made with the art associated with bed making and there was close observance of the regulations governing the placing of coats, hats, cartridge belts, towels, cartridges, rifles, bayonets, canteens and other equipment.

Rifles were closely inspected by the beginners to acquaint themselves with the gun's mechanism. The young soldiers were taught how properly to handle the weapon, sight it, carry it. The men were instructed, in fact, in every detail concerning the firearms except how to shoot it.

Officers expressed the belief that the young men, when they broke camp, were very near being good marksmen without ever having pressed a trigger.

JEWISH NEW YEAR WILL BE OBSERVED THROUGHOUT U. S.

Starting Monday, Sept. 10th, the Celebration Will Extend Over Until Tuesday Night.

The Jewish New Year or Rosh Hashanah will be celebrated in all Jewish places of worship on Monday evening, September 10th, and on Tuesday morning, September 11th. Among the more ritualistic New Year is observed two days. Rosh Hashanah marks the beginning of a new year in a religious sense only. It must therefore not be confounded with the secular New Year since it is a day not to mark time but to register anew high resolves of duty toward God and man.

The religious conceptions and aspirations of the New Year's day and of the Day of Atonement which follows ten days later were undoubtedly evolved in part after the time of Ezra. The lofty ideas which are associated with these holy days were gradually interwoven in various eras and under different influences.

Rosh Hashanah falls on the first day of the seventh month in the Hebrew calendar. This day "shall be a solemn rest unto you, a memorial proclaimed with the blasts of horns, a holy convocation," as it is written in Leviticus 23:24.

The rabbis have conceived the first day of the holy month of Tishri as a day of divine judgment when God meets out to each his destiny in accordance with his deeds as recorded in the Book of Life.

The stirring notes of the Shofar (ram's horn) sounded on this day call the congregation of Israel to repent and to improve their ways. The three blasts of the Shofar which tradition has fixed for the liturgy of the New Year proclaim three supreme conceptions of Judaism, namely, that God is King of the world; that He is Judge who judges men and nations in righteousness according to their deeds and thoughts and that He is Ruler of history.

The Day of Judgment is thus set by the Jewish religion in this life and not in an after-world. The main purpose of the New Year is to render it a day of the renewal of the heart,

so that man may put himself in rapport with God who inhabits eternity. That the worshiper may restore his flagging faith in man and lift the clouds of despondency that engulf him are among the many salutary purposes invoked on this holy day.

Legend makes this the 565th year since the creation of the world. Of greater importance than this myth is the quaint interpretation of the New Year day by the rabbis who utilized the conception of the creation of the world to remind men and women that this New Year marked the anniversary of the creation of the human being and was therefore the birthday of all mankind.

On the afternoon of the first day of the New Year it was customary to go to the banks of a river or of any body of water and to say: "Who is a God like unto thee, that pardoneth iniquity and passeth by the transgression of the remnant of His heritage? He retaineth not His anger for ever because He delighteth in loving-kindness. And Thou wilt cast all their sins into the depths of the sea. O mayest Thou cast all the sins of thy people, the house of Israel into a place where they shall no more be remembered or visited or even brought to mind." This rite is gradually being abandoned.

New Year affords occasion for the exchange of greetings between friends and relatives near and far.

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STATE OF MICHIGAN, IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE COUNTY OF DELTA.

COUNTY OF DELTA, SS Benjamin Casper and) Kolman Casper, co-partners, doing business under the firm name of) H. Casper & Company,) Plaintiffs,)

vs. Alice P. Alton, Florence P. Green, Annie M. Peacock, Archargo P. Holdsworth, Mable P. Browne,) Ray Perry, Margaret P.) Taylor, Crooker Perry,) and Alice P. Herr,) Defendants.)

Suit pending in the Circuit Court for the County of Delta, in Chancery, at the City of Escanaba, in said County, on the 23rd day of July, A. D. 1923.

In this cause, it appearing from affidavit on file, that said defendants, Alice P. Alton, Florence P. Green, Annie M. Peacock, Archargo P. Holdsworth, Mable P. Browne, Ray Perry, Margaret P. Taylor, Crooker Perry, and Alice P. Herr, reside out of the State of Michigan, and that the residence of each of said defendants is as follows, to-wit: Alice P. Alton, Chicago, Illinois; Florence P. Green, Chicago, Illinois; Annie M. Peacock, Chicago, Illinois; Archargo P. Holdsworth, Chicago, Illinois; Mable P. Browne, Oak Park, Illinois; Ray Perry, Seattle, Washington; Margaret P. Taylor, Carmel, California; Crooker Perry, Lakeside, Washington, and Alice P. Herr, Seattle, Washington.

On motion of Stanley M. Matthews, attorney for said plaintiffs, Benjamin Casper and Kolman Casper, co-partners, doing business under the firm name of H. Casper & Company, IT IS ORDERED, that the appearance of said non-resident defendants, Alice P. Alton, Florence P. Green, Annie M. Peacock, Archargo P. Holdsworth, Mable P. Browne, Ray Perry, Margaret P. Taylor, Crooker Perry, and Alice P. Herr, be entered herein, within three months from the date of this order; and in case of the appearance of any or all of said defendants, such defendants so appearing cause their answer to said Bill of Complaint to be filed, and a copy thereof to be served on said plaintiffs' attorney within fifteen days after service on such defendants so appearing of a copy of said Bill of Complaint and notice of this order; and in default thereof that said bill will be taken as confessed by said non-resident defendants, Alice P. Alton, Florence P. Green, Annie M. Peacock, Archargo P. Holdsworth, Mable P. Browne, Ray Perry, Margaret P. Taylor, Crooker Perry, and Alice P. Herr;

AND IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, that within forty days said plaintiffs cause a notice of this order to be published in the Escanaba Daily Mirror, a newspaper printed, published and circulating in said County, and that said publication be continued therein once in each week, for six weeks in succession, or that they cause a copy of this order to be personally served on said non-resident defendants, Alice P. Alton, Florence

P. Green, Annie M. Peacock, Archargo P. Holdsworth, Mable P. Browne, Ray Perry, Margaret P. Taylor, Crooker Perry, and Alice P. Herr, at least twenty days before the time prescribed for the appearance of said defendants; Alice P. Alton, Florence P. Green, Annie M. Peacock, Archargo P. Holdsworth, Mable P. Browne, Ray Perry, Margaret P. Taylor, Crooker Perry, and Alice P. Herr.

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RUSSIAN PEASANTS FIND SUBSTITUTES FOR CHURCH RITUAL

MOSCOW, Sept. 5.—Love of ceremony is being a trait to permit of its abandonment in Russia in the three principal events of family life, birth, marriage and death. Certain Communist critics are therefore finding their way into the family lives of Russian peasants and workmen as a substitute for church ceremonies.

These conclusions are brought out in an article by Leon Trotsky, the Russian war commissioner. In some cases they contradict the previous ruling theory among Communists in Russia that, as Trotsky puts it, "the workers' state had disclaimed church ceremony, having announced to its citizens that they had the right to be born, marry and die without any ceremony whatsoever."

"The life of a laboring family is too unostentatious for this, and the monotony rests upon the nervous system," Trotsky writes. "Therefore there is a craving for the church and its ceremonies. The workers' state already has its holidays and processions, its sights and parades, its new symbolic pleasures, and the new state theater."

Instead of naming their children after some saint, many workmen now are choosing names indicative of revolutionary ideas, or after personages, "Octoberia," after the October revolution, and "Ninel," which is Lenin's name spelled backward, are two of the new names for girl babies.

So far as marriages are concerned, Trotsky says "life does not want to content itself with mere marriage, theatrically understood."

Creation of a proper system of disposal of the dead, but there must be ceremonies, for the requirement for outer appearances of feelings is both right and lawful."

Trotsky advocates the development of moving pictures as an antidote for both the church and the religion.

NOTICE, K. C. I. The regular meeting and election of officers of Knights of Columbus will be held at the Club House Thursday night, commencing at 8:30 sharp.

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Economy of operation by reason of the fact that the business is transacted on a cash basis with a heavy turnover and small profits, and the rapid development of American suburban and community life, have been the two main factors responsible for this tremendous growth. Scientific investigation has revealed that a com-

munity of 1,000 persons will permit the operation of a chain store grocery at satisfactory profits, through one store can serve several times that number.

Suspiciously Regarded. The first chain grocery stores in the country were viewed with suspicion on the theory that the lower prices they charged meant inferior products. This feeling, however, has to a large extent disappeared, mainly due to the fact that the chain stores have offered nationally advertised articles at prices below those charged by independent grocers.

The pioneer in the chain store field was the Great Atlantic & Pacific Tea company, which was established in 1858. This concern now has more than 8,000 stores doing an annual business of approximately \$2,500,000,000. Under a number of other chain store concerns, the ownership and control of the organization has remained in the hands of one family.

Main Chains Operating. The second largest chain grocery firm is the Jones Bros. Tea company, which started with one store in Scranton, Pa., in 1872, and now has 629 stores in 290 cities, doing an annual business of approximately \$10,000,000.

The Jewel Tea company has 527 branches from which 21,864 wagon and motor truck routes operate in 43

states. Scattered throughout the country also are more than 300 Piggy Wiggly stores, although they are not all owned by the same corporation.

Perhaps the greatest chain store concern in the country outside the grocery field is the F. W. Woolworth company, which started with one store in Lancaster, Pa., in 1879 and now operates more than 1,200 stores, doing an annual gross business of over \$167,000,000. The United Cigar Stores have approximately 2,450 stores.

Chain Shoe Stores. Other large chain store concerns are the J. C. Penney Co., operating 475 department stores doing an annual business of more than \$50,000,000; the S. S. Kresge Co., with 212 stores and annual gross business in excess of \$65,000,000; Schulte Retail Stores Corporation with 239 stores in 1922, doing an annual business of nearly \$25,000,000; the United Drug Co., with more than 250 stores; the G. R. Kinney Co. operating 131 shoe stores; the McCray Stores Corporation with 165 stores; the S. A. Kress Co., with 159 stores and the Melville Shoe Corporation with 62 stores.

be on the popular fear of the disease. It seems the greatest difficulty in the isolation of lepers in the United States is finding them, their fear of being branded as lepers being so great that those who suspect the nature of their disease will hide, at any sacrifice, rather than come to the open," says Dr. Stillians.

"As for the victims of the malady, occupational therapy is of benefit. It has been found. Kindness and encouragement put into their hearts and their condition improves as a consequence. Because leprosy in its early stages is not recognizable in post-entry examinations of immigrants, the problem of its control is a problem for the whole world."

He concludes by saying: "Could the nations cease wasting wealth and energy in wars against one another and present a united front against the common enemies of the human race, leprosy would certainly be conquered."

NOTICE. Don Hicks Grace has returned home and will be pleased to hear from those who wish to start the season's work with her in piano instruction. Address at her home Iron River, Mich.

Ouch! My Back! Rub Lumbago Pain Away

Rub Backache away with small trial bottle of old "St. Jacobs Oil."

When your back is sore and lame or lumbago, sciatica or rheumatism has you stiffened up, don't suffer! Get a small trial bottle of old, honest "St. Jacobs Oil" at any drug store, pour a little in your hand and rub it right on your aching back, and by the time you count fifty, the soreness and lameness is gone.

Don't stay crippled! This soothing, penetrating oil needs to be used only once. It takes the pain right out and ends the misery. It is magical, yet absolutely harmless and doesn't burn the skin.

Nothing else stops lumbago, sciatica, backache or rheumatism so promptly. It never disappoints!

SOAP WILL EXTERMINATE LEPROSY, SAYS SCIENTIST

(By the Associated Press.) CHICAGO, Sept. 5.—Soap is the greatest enemy of leprosy and if economic conditions could be changed so that everyone could afford to be clean, and education create in them the desire and knowledge of hygiene, leprosy would soon cease to be a great scourge and become one of the rare diseases, Dr. Arthur W. Stillians, professor of dermatology at Northwestern University, announced in an article just published.

The author arrives at the conclusion that to eradicate leprosy in this country the first object of the attack must

If Back Hurts Flush Kidneys

Drink Plenty of Water and Take Glass of Salts Before Breakfast Occasionally

When your kidneys hurt and your back feels sore, don't get scared and proceed to load your stomach with a lot of drugs that excite the kidneys and irritate the entire urinary tract. Keep your kidneys clean like you keep your bowels clean, by flushing them with a mild, harmless salts which helps to remove the body's urinous waste and stimulate them to their normal activity.

The function of the kidneys is to filter the blood. In 24 hours they strain from it 500 grains of acid and waste, so we can readily understand the vital importance of keeping the kidneys active. Drink lots of good water—you can't drink too much; also get from any pharmacist about four ounces of Jad Salts. Take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast each morning for a few days and your kidneys may then act fine. This famous salts is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for years to help clean and stimulate clogged kidneys; also to neutralize the acids in the system so they are no longer a source of irritation, thus often relieving bladder weakness.

Jad Salts is inexpensive; can not injure; makes a delightful effervescent lithia-water-drink which everyone should take now and then to help keep their kidneys clean and active. Try this; also keep up the water drinking, and no doubt you will wonder what became of your kidney trouble and backache. By all means have your physician examine your kidneys at least twice a year.

Novel Pie Eating Contest Bring Joy To Passengers on U. S. Liner America.



Pie Eating Under Difficulties.

New York, Sept. 5.—The annual pie-eating contest on the U. S. liner America, which is held every year, was a popular event on the ship. Only occasionally, potatoes, bread, and other foodstuffs have been included in the contest. The majority of people participating in these games are of the opinion that amusement when the games are in way on the ship is the best thing that States Lines, which operates the America, can do for its passengers.

Each contestant is given a regulation size pie, and a long nail and a long block of wood. It is necessary, in winning this contest, to drive the nail completely into the wood in three strokes, using the hammer. The day strenuous, but very few women are able to do it. The prize is a trip on board the America whenever the game is played. Many men fall at this contest, too, and it has been noticed that the "steiner sex" hits its collective limit more and raises a greater fuss as a result than do the women.

Another game is "Are You There?" In this the entrants, blindfolded, crawl about on deck, endeavoring with long paper wands, with which they are armed, to strike their opponent, calling out with each blow, "Are you there?" More often than not the two persons playing the game are crawling away from each other, wildly striking the deck as they cry "Are you there?" to the atmosphere, to the great delight of the spectators.

Push ball is also played on board the steamship America. In this a large number of passengers may take part at once. A big net is erected on the after deck to prevent the ball from going overboard, and for long periods teams struggle here for the pushball championship of the big liner.

The Spring and Summer days on the ocean are conducive to outdoor sports and every effort is made on the America, as on the other steamships of the United States Lines fleet, to see that passengers have the opportunity to indulge in their favorite exercises.

Plant Wizard Sends Gift to President



Petaluma, Cal.—Luther Burbank, the famous plant wizard, sends a case of eggs to President Coolidge, from the annual egg festival at Petaluma. Photo shows Burbank and "Miss Petaluma" packing and addressing the case.

Divorce Gains on Marriage Rate in State of Michigan

LANSING, Sept. 5.—Marriage and divorce rates in Michigan are both on the rise but the number of broken homes is mounting faster than Cupid can shoot his arrows. To avoid being overtaken, the latter will either have to get a helper or avail himself of a machine gun, according to the State Department of Health. Divorce rates have increased 4 per cent in the seven year interval including 1916 and 1922. Whereas 1916 saw 40,112 marriages consummated as

opposed to 5,327 divorces in the Wolverine state, 1922 witnessed the signing of 14,561 nuptial bonds as opposed to 7,572 cases of full blooded bliss not realized.

Divorce runs highest in the more densely populated districts, while lowest incidence follows the rural. Counties such as Allegan, Charlevoix, Emmet, Montcalm and Tuscola show a decrease in divorce since 1916, although their marriage rates are increasing. Divorce runs high out in Wayne county.

FORD U. P. MINE MAKES FINAL SHIPMENT OF ORE

IRON MOUNTAIN, Mich., Sept. 5.—The last ton of ore at Henry Ford's imperial mine at Michigamme has been loaded and shipped. Early in the spring the stockpile contained more than 200,000 tons. For the last few weeks 40 cars a day were sent out from the Imperial mine. Four train crews were kept busy at Michigamme by the South Shore railroad.

Do you want your heirs to have \$1,000 if you are killed, and do you want corresponding benefits if you are hurt? If you do, get a Daily Mirror Accident Insurance Policy.

Woman's Case Amazes Escanaba

A business man's wife suffered for two years with sore, watery eyes, which pained day and night. Finally she tried simple camphor, hydrastis, witchhazel, etc., as mixed in Lavoptik eye wash. This helped her AT ONCE. Another lady reports "It leaves eyes cool and fresh." One small bottle Lavoptik usually helps ANY CASE, weak, strained or inflamed eyes. Aluminum eye cup FREE. Ellsworth's Drug Store.

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MISS GETTY WILL JOIN CRUSADE TO END TUBERCULOSIS

Well Known Michigan Woman, Known in Escanaba, Appointed On Executive Staff.

Miss Irene Louise Getty, former Worthy Grand Matron of the Eastern Star of Michigan and a member of the Michigan Grand Chapter and the General Grand Chapter of the World as well as a woman of statewide prominence in educational circles, has been appointed to the executive staff of the Michigan Tuberculosis Association, according to an announcement made yesterday by Theodore J. Werle, executive secretary.

Miss Getty, whose home is at Kalkaska, will work in the organizing department of the executive staff. She will also devote considerable of her time to the extension of the Modern Health Crusade, a work made possible in the sale of Christmas seals.

The past record of the new work in the line of the Michigan Tuberculosis Association is one of service to her community and state. She has served the state as critic teacher in the Central State Normal School and has lectured at teachers' institutes in all parts of Michigan. Miss Getty is a very active in the state teachers' association, having been chairman of the Rural School Union, secretary of the County Teachers' association, and president of the Michigan Schoolmasters' association. She is also a member of the Michigan Teachers' association. Miss Getty advanced her county to the front ranks in the annual progress.

During the World War Miss Getty responded to the call for workers by joining the Red Cross organization, the Women's Committee, Council of Southern Defense and county secretary of the American Red Cross.

DELFT THEATRE T-O-N-I-G-H-T The REX Co. "THE SPENDERS" The story of "Feeble Wives"—A four-act society play with a punch. VAUDEVILLE Between the Acts PRICES—30c and 55c PHONE NOW

FINE HERD OF GUERNSEYS TO COME TO FAIR

Exhibit of Fine Milk Producers Are Expected.

Probably Will Be From Same Herd as Missaukee Sally; She's a Champion in Her Line.

Secretary Oscar Kraus of the Delta County Agricultural Society, expects to have a fine exhibit of Guernsey cattle at the coming county fair and says he hopes it will be an encouragement to local dairymen to build up profitable herds in Delta county. Of one member of the famous herd the Development News says:—

Missaukee Sally, No. 103153—a member of the pure bred Guernsey herd owned by J. B. Deusch, proprietor of the Bay Cliffs Stock Farm, Big Bay, Michigan, has achieved an unusual distinction through a recently established record of production. Credited with producing 12,908.2 pounds of milk and 673.25 pounds of butter fat, during the past year Missaukee Sally has qualified for second place throughout the state of Michigan in class GG, which means also that she is the ninth highest cow in the United States and Canada in the production of butter fat, starting a record at two years of age, and carrying a calf 265 days during her test.

The first place in this class is owned by a sister of the Bay Cliffs cow—Norman's Missaukee Red Rose, No. 88724, who is also world's champion of the breed in classes GG and G.

Mr. Deusch purchased Missaukee Sally a year ago last May at the Western National Guernsey sale, at Quinton, Illinois. This unusual animal was shipped about 1,000 miles during her test period. Mr. Deusch is confident that if the animal continues her present rate of production, during the balance of the year, she will be a leader in class EE at the close of her test period.

OBITUARY

JOSEPH LARCH. Joseph Larch, 63 years of age, died at 8 o'clock last night at his home, 829 Washington avenue after an extended illness. Mr. Larch was well known throughout the county and was one of the pioneer farmers of the Danforth district. Since his retirement a few years ago he has lived in Escanaba. His wife, six stepchildren, one brother and three sisters survive. The body was brought to the Allo Funeral Home. Funeral arrangements will be announced later.

FORD COMPANY'S PROFITS INCREASE

Estimate Net Earning at \$54,000,000 for Four Months.

(By the Associated Press) NEW YORK, Sept. 5.—The Ford Motor Company made a net profit estimated at \$54,000,000, equal to about \$15 a share on its 172,965 shares of stock in the four months ending June 30, last, according to compilation made from the balance sheet as of that date, it was learned tonight. The period's earnings were at the annual rate of more than \$162,000,000, or about \$94 a share, compared with a net profit of \$119,000,000, or about \$69 a share, earned in the year ended February 28, last. In twelve months ended February, 1922, the company earned approximately \$69,000,000, or about \$40 a share.

SOCIALISTS OF YUCATAN MAY NOMINATE CALLER

(By the Associated Press) MÉRIDA, Yucatan, Sept. 5.—Yucatan Socialists are planning to place a candidate in the field at the 1923 presidential elections. Leading elements of the Socialist party of the southeast, under the leadership of the

party's president, Felipe Carrillo Puerto, governor of the state, have issued a call for a nominating convention to be held here early in September, which delegates representing socialist organizations in Yucatan, Campeche, Tabasco and Chiapas will attend.

Governor Carrillo Puerto recently visited General P. Elias Calles, secretary of government in the Obregon cabinet and probable presidential candidate, inviting him to attend the convention. General Calles has been conversing at Soledad de la Mota, a ranch in Tamaulipas belonging to his son, his absence coinciding with the sessions of the pre-recognition conference.

"Slicker" Gets Money On Forged Checks

(Continued From Page One) Jim Andrews. He walked right in and shouted, "Hello, Billy, guess I will take that bed and springs my wife was looking at the other day." Mr. Andrews did not remember which particular bed and springs it was that "Mrs. Wood" had selected, but between the two of them they finally got something that would be sure to please the good woman and it was to be delivered this morning. He handed Mr. Andrews the same kind of a check he had given to the other merchants and was paying \$45. He seemed to desire a profit of \$34.50 in each store. Mr. Andrews did not have the right change to give the nice customer the \$34.50, but he did have a \$50 bill, which he tendered and which was accepted by the stranger and the difference in change given back to the furniture man.

Johnson Becomes Suspicious

Carl Johnson said this morning that after the man left his store in the afternoon, he became suspicious and finally tried to reach his customer by phone, but could not do so. Then he discovered that there was no such number as given by the customer. He then got in touch with C. N. Wood, who is the father of C. E. Wood and was informed that the son owned a new gas range. Further investigation disclosed the fact that the real Mr. Wood had received a sweeper



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from Mr. Needham that had not been ordered and the matter was reported to the police.

Had Good Start. The police sent word to all towns in this vicinity to look out for the stranger, describing him as well as possible from the information received from the merchants. A number of the force went to Gladstone to see if Mr. Kjellander, who runs a black and white smith shop and garage, but there was nothing to be learned there. Mr. Kjellander claimed he did not know of any person answering that description who worked in different ways for years, where the man had obtained the

check. While in the Johnson store, the stranger had taken the check from an envelope bearing the name of Mr. Kjellander. How Many More? It may be possible and is very probable that other merchants were victimized by the crafty shopper, but if they were they are keeping the fact from the force. Those who were victimized have no reason to feel that they are very near to blame for carelessness, nothing to be learned there. Mr. Kjellander claimed he did not know of any person answering that description who worked in different ways for years, where the man had obtained the

New Citizens Revere Memory of Lincoln

PROBABILITY, IN Sept. 5.—Of the thousands of pilgrims who annually come to the tomb of Abraham Lincoln, the most faithful and most well come, according to H. W. Fay, custodian, are the immigrants who are about to become American citizens.

United heads, ambassadors, famous generals, prime ministers and presidents come by the score to lay wreaths on the effigies of the martyred president, and men and women from more than a dozen foreign countries come to see the tomb. "Many times a year the foreign born and their families in Springfield from neighboring towns take out their first citizenship papers," said Mr. Fay, "and he is the most reverent visitor of all. I have to tell them, like that about the martyred president."

"There has never been any disorder of the crowd within the memory of the present custodian. 'Everybody who comes here is quiet and reverent,' he said. 'I have never had to ask a visitor to remove his hat.'"

NOTICE, K. C. The regular meeting and election of officers of Knights of Columbus will be held at the Club House Thursday night, commencing at 8:30 sharp. This meeting is in the nature of re-organizing activities for the year, and a large attendance is expected. J. P. KENNEALLY, Grand Knight.

Delta Homestead Elects Officers for the Ensuing Year

Delta Homestead No. 1284, Brotherhood of American Yeomen, held a regular meeting in the North Star hall last evening. During the course of the business session officers for the ensuing year were elected as follows:

- Joseph Gleich, Honorable Foreman. Benedict Mannebach, Master of Ceremonies. Miss Caroline Heidenriche, Correspondent. Andrew Buckley, Master of Accounts. Mrs. Della Nerbone, Chaplain. The remaining officers of the Homestead will be appointed later by the Honorable Foreman.

After the business session a card party was held and prizes were awarded to the following winners: Men's prize, Peter Murray; ladies' prize, Mrs. Fred Emba; consolation prize, Mrs. Peter Murray.

Refreshments were served in conclusion. Plans are being made for a big dance to be given on Tuesday evening, September 18th, at the North Star hall.

If his name appears in print without the "Mr." it means that he is a nobody or a somebody.

SOCIETY Enjoy Motor Trip. Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas Braun and daughters, Alice and Rose, Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas Douert and son, Nicholas, Jr., and Mr. and Mrs. Peter Koster and family motored to Norway and from Mountain on Sunday. They were accompanied by a party of friends from Chicago. They made the trip in three automobiles. Marriage Licenses. Marriage licenses were issued yesterday to the following couples: Miss Rose Swale of Wilson and Eugene Derocher of Schaffer. Miss Martha Harth and Theodore Roberts, both of Escanaba. Ladies' Aid to Meet. The Ladies' Aid Society of the Swedish Methodist church will hold its monthly social tomorrow, Thursday afternoon, in the church parlors, at 2:30 o'clock. Mrs. Dahlman and Mrs. Tarnquist will be the hostesses of the meeting. A hearty invitation to all. PRINCE AS MOUNTAINEER. MILLON, England, Sept. 5.—The Prince Consort of Holland achieved the distinction recently, of being the first member of a royal family to climb Scafell Pike, the highest point in England, 2,210 feet above sea level. It is said he intends to persuade King George and the Prince of Wales to make the journey.

FOR SALE—Brass bed, box springs, and mattress. Also dresser. Inquire at 712 South Tenth St.

SAGE TEA DANDY TO DARKEN HAIR It's Grandmother's Recipe to Bring Back Color and Lustre to Hair You can turn gray, faded hair beautifully dark and lustrous almost overnight if you'll get a bottle of "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound" at any drug store. Millions of bottles of this old famous Sage Tea Recipe, improved by the addition of other ingredients, are sold annually, say well-known druggists here, because it darkens the hair so naturally and evenly that no one can tell it has been applied. Those whose hair is turning gray or becoming faded have a surprise awaiting them, because after one or two applications the gray hair vanishes and your locks become luxuriantly dark and beautiful. This is the age of youth. Gray-haired, unattractive folks aren't wanted around, so get busy with Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound tonight and you'll be delighted with your dark, handsome hair and your youthful appearance within a few days.

A Healthy Child One world of fresh air. Many happy weeks of sunshine. Ten hours of sleep (unbroken). Six to eight full hours of play. Two dry feet. Three "square" meals a day. One "no-sweets-between-meals" rule (also unbroken). All the Milk it will hold. Mix well together, sprinkle with a generous handful of love, and serve with a brimming cup of happiness. "The dairy industry is not dealing in any ordinary product. The milk producer and the milk distributor are really the world's agents for the distribution of vitamins to the human race." —Dr. E. C. North. Lied's Sanitary Milk Plant "BETTER DAIRY PRODUCTS" ESCANABA GLADSTONE MANISTIQUE PHONE 463-F1

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