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## Educational Week in E. J.

Fine Week's Program Being Arranged by School Faculty.

The week of December 3 to 8th has been set aside as Educational Week. During this week the parents are invited to attend school and see the value of an education. The meetings will be held in the auditorium. Tuesday p. m. a speaker from outside will discuss the problems of education. There will be no school Wednesday p. m. but classes will be held in the evening so the fathers may also attend. On Friday p. m. a spelling contest will be held. The contest will be between the five best spellers of each class. There will also be speakers from town and a number of pupils who will discuss education problems of interest. Watch for posters which will give the program of Educational Week more fully.

## MR. AND MRS. SWAFFORD TO OBSERVE THEIR GOLDEN WEDDING

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Swafford will observe their golden wedding anniversary on Saturday, Dec. 9th.

They will be at home to their many friends at their home in Bowen's Addition on Saturday, Dec. 9th from 1:00 p. m. to 10:00 p. m. Refreshments will be served. A cordial invitation is extended to all friends to call during these hours.

## CHARLEVOIX CO. MEN ARE MEMBERS OF AGRICULTURE INSTITUTE

A number of Charlevoix County men have proposed for membership in the American Institute of Agriculture, Chicago, a national organization for training farmers and those interested in promoting agriculture, on the principles and best methods in the marketing of farm products. Some of these recommended for membership are:

F. W. Dilworth, Boyne City; Richard Supernaw, East Jordan; Chas. Novak, Charlevoix; Henry Korthase, Boyne City; Frank Wangeman, East Jordan; James Secord, East Jordan; George Meggison, Charlevoix; Howard Stephens, Boyne City.

Others from this county are eligible for membership, and application may be made direct to the American Institute of Agriculture, 326 Madison street, Chicago, Ill., or information may be obtained through the county agricultural agent, B. O. Hagerman, at Boyne City.

The Institute is working with state marketing officials, the college of agriculture, county agents, farm bureaus, granges, and various farmers' associations to train suitable men for the many marketing jobs which are now opening up in this and other states. It also aims to teach farmers how to market their crops to better advantage, and to promote general prosperity of the community. More than a hundred national authorities on the marketing of farm products, contribute to the training, which is given by a system of home study. The director of the Institute is George Livingston, formerly chief of the U. S. Bureau of Markets, and among the members of the advisory council are J. R. Howard, president of the American Farm Bureau Federation, and S. J. Lowell, master of the National Grange.

The Institute plans to limit its training this year to only 2000 men in the entire United States. Certain men who show most interest will be chosen from each county, or community.

### Find Typewriter on Payroll.

Chicago—A typewriter has been carried on the payroll of a stenographer in the municipal contagious disease hospital, investigators engaged to check the institution's records say. The disclosure that \$80 a month was paid to the typewriting machine was made when search began for "Elsie Smith," to whom checks were drawn. Her address proved to be an automobile sales room. The check had been indorsed to a man who once was a steward in the hospital.

The home-maker is never a heart-breaker. Might not make right, but right doesn't always make right.

The time of year has come when you pay twelve dollars for a three dollar ton of coal.

## FATHER AND SON BANQUET AT METHODIST CHURCH WELL ATTENDED

The Father and Son Banquet which was given by the Men's Fellowship Club of the Methodist Church on Thursday night the 23rd in the church was greatly enjoyed by one hundred and fifty fathers and sons. The High School pupils furnished excellent orchestra selections and the program was enjoyed by all. Rev. Henry Hulme acted as toastmaster, Mr. Joe Ekstrom gave a short address of welcome and was followed by Wm. G. McCune of Petosky, who gave a fine talk of the relationship and responsibility of the Father to the Son. Rev. F. W. Bluefield pastor of the first M. E. Church of Petosky gave a helpful address to the men and boys, emphasizing three points to be observed by all Fathers and Sons, viz: First, love for self; Second, love for others; Third, love for God. He brot out the fact that each of these laws depended on the other and without the three no man was complete. The supper which was served by the Ladies Aid, was ideal as usual and all departed, refreshed in body and soul.

## STATE APPLE-POTATO SHOW TO OPEN DEC. 5

A Michigan Apple and Potato Show will be held in Grand Rapids from December 5 to 8, with growers from all over the state gathered to discuss problems of their industry.

The show is to be put on by the Michigan Potato Producers Association, the Michigan Potato Growers Exchange, and the State Horticultural Society, under the auspices of the West Michigan Fair Association and the Grand Rapids Chamber of Commerce. Educational exhibits of apples and tubers, along with a strong program of addresses by leading authorities of the country, will feature the meeting.

Extension specialists from the Michigan Agricultural College are working out details of the meetings and exhibits.

Headliners among the speakers on the special potato growers program include: Dr. Wm. Stewart, of the U. S. Department of Agriculture; Dean R. S. Shaw, of the M. A. C. agricultural division; Dr. E. L. Nixon, of Pennsylvania State College; and C. W. Waid, market fruit and vegetable man with the Ohio State Farm Bureau.

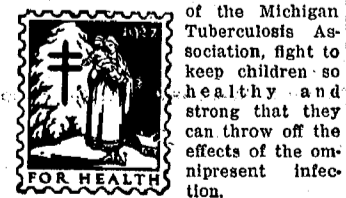
Valuable discussion and consideration of important problems in both the production and marketing fields will be taken up at the conference according to J. W. Weston, potato specialist at the Michigan Agricultural College.

## CHRISTMAS SEALS HELP TO SAVE THE CHILDREN



Florabel Jessica Jane is chasing the cure in the children's infirmary at the State Tuberculosis Sanatorium. She has her rest periods twice a day, and takes her "temp" every afternoon; and she is beloved of every small maiden in the girls' infirmary.

Seventy children are now being cared for in the children's infirmary at Howell. Tuberculosis is a deadly menace to childhood. Christmas seals, which make possible the work of the Michigan Tuberculosis Association, fight to keep children so healthy and strong that they can throw off the effects of the omnipresent infection.



## Your 1923 Auto License Can Be Procured At Charlevoix Commencing Today

County Clerk-elect, Charles H. Emrey will handle 1923 Auto Licenses for the Charlevoix County Branch and will be prepared to issue licenses December first.

Any Bank, Garage, Auto Sales or Business house desiring a supply of applications will receive them promptly upon request thereof.

Be sure and send money order or bank draft with your application as the State does not recognize personal checks. A draft or money order will insure you early delivery of your license.

1923 License plates cannot be procured unless you can show title to the car that you wish to License, in other words the State requires that you present the title of your car to the person you apply to for a license and under no other conditions can you procure a license for a car that has ever been licensed in previous years.

In the case of a new car however it is necessary that you make application for title at the same time you make application for your license. This can be handled at the Charlevoix Branch.

Where licenses are to be mailed six cents in stamps must be enclosed with your application.

In order to obtain a license for a truck the truck must be weighed on standard scales and the weigh-bill attached to the application.

If you have 1922 application blanks at hand kindly destroy them as 1923 blank applications must be used because of changes made recently.

If you are planning on using your car in January it would be well to apply early for license plates as law will not allow 1922 license plates to be used after the first day of January.

The method of figuring price of license plates is the same as in 1922, namely 25 cents per horse power and 35 cents per hundred pounds.

Address—Charles H. Emrey, Charlevoix, Mich.

## FOUND GUILTY AS EMBEZZLER

Judge Withholds Sentence in Case of Bay County Official.

Bay City—Lovell U. Grant, county register of deeds and former city recorder, was found guilty of embezzling funds from the Union School district by a jury in circuit court. Judge Arthur Webster, of Detroit, before whom the case was heard, will not pronounce sentence, pending rulings on exceptions taken by the defense.

This was Grant's third trial. In the first case, last spring, he was acquitted of a charge of embezzling Oak Ridge cemetery funds and in the second, in which he was charged with the school district offense, was a disagreement.

The specific charge in this case was the embezzlement of \$95.55 of teachers' payroll checks.

## SAYS ALL EUROPE HATES U. S.

Senator Caraway Declares Hatred is "Universal Passion."

Baltimore, Md.—Hatred of America is in Europe "the universal passion," Senator T. H. Caraway, of Arkansas, told a meeting of the Baltimore Association of Credit Men Thursday night. He has just returned from a tour of Europe.

"Hatred of the United States," Senator Caraway proceeded, "is the only thing on which there is agreement anywhere in Europe, and this is so, no matter what M. Clemenceau may try to tell us."

The failure of the United States to live up to international obligations, he charged, is responsible.

## U. S. WOULD HANDLE ALL CROPS

Proposed Law Provides for Purchase and Sale of Output.

Washington—The bill to provide for purchase and sale of farm products through a \$100,000,000 government corporation, introduced in the senate by Senator Norris, Republican, Nebraska, was presented in the house by Representative Sinclair, Republican, North Dakota.

A laugh in time saves a quarrel. Most people are afraid to do wrong than are afraid to do right.

Nobody can be overeducated but every once in a while is found the man who is overschooled.

## E. J. Wins Cross-Country Run

Defeats Charlevoix Last Saturday by a 20 to 35 Score.

While many of the High Schools in Northern Michigan were winding up their Fall athletic activities with a final Football game, the past Saturday, Charlevoix and East Jordan Schools finished their season by staging a First Annual Cross-Country Run.

The run was won by East Jordan by a score of 20 to 35. The 2.7 miles was covered first by Robert Kowalske, a lanky Freshman in 16 min. 10 sec. His teammates followed in third, fourth, fifth and seventh places. Charlevoix's best was McMullin, who finished a good second to Kowalske.

This, to the knowledge of the writer is the only Run held in Northern Michigan this fall, but Coach Altenburg of Charlevoix and Gibbs of East Jordan, who are former Western Normal Track men and interested in the sport, hope to stimulate this type of athletics in this part of Michigan as it is in the southern part of the state.

Already an Indoor Track Meet to be held at Charlevoix, Feb. 17th, has been arranged for and stiffer opposition is looked for from Charlevoix at this time.

All these activities are merely preliminary training for the athletes who will do credit to their respective schools next spring in Northern Michigan and possibly in the State Inter-scholastic Meet at Lansing next June.

## WALTER F. GEORGE



Senator-elect George, of Georgia, did not claim his seat in the Senate last week until Mrs. W. H. Felton, who had been appointed to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Senator Tom Watson, had been allowed to sit at the special session for one day. Mrs. Felton was in this way privileged to serve as the first woman United States senator. The new senator from Georgia is a former justice of the supreme court of that state. He defeated Gov. T. W. Hardwick for the office.

## BUTLER SUCCEEDS JUSTICE DAY

President Names St. Paul Attorney for U. S. Supreme Court.

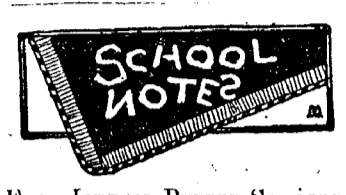
Washington—The nomination of Pierce Butler, of Minnesota, to be associate justice of the supreme court of the United States, to succeed William R. Day, of Ohio, resigned, has been sent by President Harding to the senate. Butler is a practicing attorney of St. Paul, 56 years of age, and a Democrat.

Butler was admitted to practice before the supreme court on May 26, 1894, and since then frequently has appeared before that bench in the argument of important cases, including the Minnesota race cases in 1912, decided by Justice Hughes. The appointment will restore to the bench the political equation which existed when Justice Clarke resigned. He, a Democrat, was succeeded by Justice Sutherland, a Republican, but by selecting a Democrat to succeed Justice Day, Republican, the court will again stand six Republicans and three Democrats.

The "swift" are seldom winners in the human race.

The proof of the pudding is generally in the cook.

Nobody should try to work beyond his capacity, but how many men do you know who work up to their capacity?



## EAST JORDAN PUBLIC SCHOOLS

### Rockford Refuses to Play

East Jordan makes arrangements to Rockford for State Class C Championship in football but, Rockford cancels the game at the last minute and gives weak excuse.

Superintendent Duncanson received the telegram Wednesday morning from Rockford saying, "Too much money. Don't come. Good Luck." Immediately upon receiving the telegram he telephoned Rockford cutting the expenses to bare railroad expenses and also offered them a game here for the same date and guarantee. Still he was put off and so East Jordan will have to draw the conclusion that Rockford is timid and allows East Jordan the State Class C Championship without putting forth to war—Yea—Champions.

### Track

School life is just one thing after another. Now that Coach Duncanson has foot-ball off the schedule L. V. Gibbs our worthy track coach is very enthusiastic about indoor track. February 17, an indoor track meet has been arranged between Charlevoix and East Jordan. Coach Gibbs expects to put out some real High School track men, what he wants is some men that are fast, this I think, will not be hard to find because East Jordan High School is worthy of having dash men, so by all efforts put forth by the dash men and school we will have a winning track team.

Basket ball will have to wait a week until coach Gibbs is through giving his talks and instructions on track.

Some of the dash men for the high and broad jump are: Elmer Smith, Ingram Little, Kenneth Love and Henry LaClair.

The high and low hurdle men are: Eddie Streeter, Lucas Knight, Carl Sheddina and Kenneth Love.

For the shot-put and discus are: Eddie Childs, John Peebles, and Floyd Walker.

For the long distance runs are: Louis Halstad, Robert Kowalske, Alfred Smith, and John McColman for vaulting the pole.

The relay men are: Kenneth Love, Eddie Streeter, Elmer Smith, Henry LaClair, Ingram Little and John Peebles.

The winter meet with Charlevoix is to get the men in shape for the spring meets.

### Manual Training

This year's Manual Training class is proving a great success. The boys feel as though they ought to do something for the Athletic Association in helping them to get money to pay their debts.

Instructor L. V. Gibbs suggested that the class make toys and sell them for Christmas gifts. It has been decided that as soon as the project that is now started is finished the pupils will start to make toys.

The toys will be finished and painted and then taken to some of the business places and there sold for little less than true value. The money will go to the Association.

### Assembly

Assembly was called Thursday, Nov. 24, 1922. An opening speech was given by Mr. Duncanson which was very short because Mr. Snellenberger had a surprise for us. The audience sat in silence which was broken by the appearance of Mr. Snellenberger. He was dressed in white trousers, a red sweater and tennis shoes. With him as a leader, the High School students gave a few yells. After the yells were given Mr. Sidebotham gave a short talk on the "pep" of this High School.

After his speech, Mr. Snellenberger tackled the "Red and Black" flag on the Head Linesman's pole, and turned on the electric fan. As the High School colors waved gently in the breeze the students gave their yells. The yell master asked all the football men to get up on the platform which they did after some reluctance due to bashfulness. A loud applause was given them. The Assembly ended by Mr. Snellenberger congratulating all the Football men and a rousing cheer for Coach Duncanson.

### Basket Ball

Monday, December 4, Mr. Snellenberger will start the ever exciting game of Basket Ball. With his accurate

and watchful eye he will pick out those that with some careful training and much practicing will make a player of the type he wishes to develop. With the coach and material East Jordan ought to have a season of glorious victories.

### The Botany Debate

The Botany class decided to debate upon the question: "Resolved that all grain and hay, dairy products, poultry products, and vegetables should be sold by weight." Sadie Murphy was appointed captain of the negative team and Earl Jackson was appointed the leader of the affirmative. The debate was decided in the favor of the negative. Mr. Nesman acted as chairman.

### The Secret Garden

The Secret Garden is being read to the Eight grade English class. Miss Shipp reads to the class until she is compelled to stop and then she calls on some one in the class to read. It gives them good practice in public reading to be done exceptionally well she calls one of the Seniors sitting in the back of the room to read. The book is almost finished.

### The Fourth Grade

The Fourth Grade gave a play in the High School Auditorium, Tuesday afternoon. It was attended by the grades and the History classes. It was about the Pilgrim fathers coming to America.

There were five scenes pictured. The first one was in England and the Pilgrims decided to go to Holland. The second one was in Holland and they decided to go to America. The third scene was in America. Upon arriving they set to work washing clothes. The fourth scene was about the making of Peace with the Indians. The fifth scene was closed with the Pilgrims deciding to have a Thanksgiving Day. Just before the curtain dropped the Pilgrims sang "America."

### A JUNIOR SAFETY CODE

The child who goes to school gets instruction in safety. The child who is too young to go to school but still is big enough to play in the yard or on the sidewalk should have his training at home. Many of these little ones are numbered among traffic accidents right along.

Here are four simple rules which may be taught the youngest toddler: Cross the street at cross-walks only; look left, then look right.

Never run off the sidewalk or out into the street after a ball; slow up and look.

Hitching behind wagons or automobiles is dangerous; stop it.

Play on the sidewalk, in a lot, playground or yard; not in the street.

A suggestion to parents may be added. Teach your children from their earliest play-days to roll or toss balls, run their coaster wagons and other conveyances, and do their other playing parallel to the street, not in the cross direction. The habit once formed will save many a dash out into the traffic.

A man may go along for years with a reputation for being thrifty and then suddenly buy an automobile.

It would be interesting to hear the fish story of the fish that got away.

A prohibitionist may be a spiritulist and still not believe in spirits.

By the time a man learns something about an automobile it's time to buy a new one.

A lot of boys seem to think that because Abraham Lincoln had little school education and became President that is a good way to become President.

Some men like to parade so well that when they can't do anything else, parade their virtues.

Every busy man at some time or other wishes he could go away out into the woods and allow his whiskers to grow wild.

Hit him a lick in the eye and he will be over it in a few days, but if you strike a man in his reputation he may never recover.

It must be a great strain on a parlor comedian to have to display his bag of tricks twice to the same crowd.

### GRANDCHILD HAD CROUPY COUGH

"My grandchild could get no relief whatever from a very bad croupy cough," writes Peter Landis, Meyersdale, Pa., "until I gave him Foley's Honey and Tar. Coughs, colds, croup, throat, chest and bronchial irritations quickly relieved with Foley's Honey and Tar.—Hite's Drug Store.

**A L B A**

(Edited by Mrs. A. I. Ashbaugh)

O. Allen who came from Indiana a short time ago and bought the Tobias place, with all tools and crops, is now shipping his third carload of certified seed potatoes to the United Seed Exchange of Williamsport Indiana at a price around seventy cents per bushel F. O. B. Alba.

The Parent Teachers Association of Alba held its third regular meeting, Thursday evening and report a very nice time. F. Glidden was elected president to fill the place of A. Watson who has gone to Lansing.

The young people of the High School have organized a student association to take charge of the debating and athletics. Friday evening Gaylord and Alba played the first regular game of the season, the score standing 29 to 21 in favor of Alba.

Martin Larson who has the job of putting in the Dennis Lumber Co.'s lumber east of town, commenced operations Monday with a full crew.

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**WILSON**

(Edited by Mrs. O. D. Smith)

Fine winter weather.

Mrs. Elmer Hayner sold her 4 milk cows to Mr. Severance last week.

Mr. and Mrs. George Jaquays moved back to their home in East Jordan last week.

Wm. Sheffels and family have moved to East Jordan to remain during the winter months.

Mrs. John Hott attended a sewing Bee at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Guy Stanhope last Thursday.

Mrs. David Shepard has gone to spend the winter with her daughter, Mrs. Ed. Kowalske near Ironton.

Mrs. Rollin Holmes of Spring Lake is making an extended visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Pearsall in this place.

Ed. Brown of Flint is getting out a carload of Christmas trees in this vicinity which he will ship to the city for the Holiday trade.

Claude Pearsall completed his job of skidding out Chemical wood at the wood camp last week and brought his 2 teams home again.

Miss Annie Shepard who has been working for Mrs. A. R. Nowland on the Hill, was taken ill last week and returned to her home in this place.

A good crowd at Wilson Grange last Saturday evening. In the absence of the Worthy Master, the Lecturer filled his chair during the business meeting. Two candidates were initiated in last two Degrees and one in first two Degrees of the Order.

**PENINSULAR**

(Edited by Mrs. E. Hayden)

The Northern Peninsular Social Club was organized at the Star House Friday evening, Nov. 24, under the leadership of Miss Byrel McDonald the teacher who sent out invitations to all between the ages of 15 and 25 to meet there. Seventeen assembled and had a very enjoyable time. Miss McDonald served pop-corn and apples. They plan on meeting at the Mountain School House two weeks from the date when a pot-luck supper is planned.

Work on the County road was suspended Friday, because of the storm. It is doubtful if anything more will be done this fall.

Mrs. Laura Stanley and son Claud and daughter Vera who have occupied their farm in the Mountain District the past summer moved to their place in Boyne City, Saturday. Claud expects to get employment and Vera will attend school.

C. H. Tooley of Boyne City and Mr. Friedman of Onaway were on the Peninsula, Monday, buying beef cattle and sheep.

Little Geo. Johnston now has the Scarlatina and is quite ill Miss Marie Johnston who had it first is getting along nicely.

Will Gaunt and family of Three-Bell district moved to East Jordan, Monday. They will board some of the Three Bells High School students.

Arthur Gaunt and family moved to Boyne City, Monday, where they will make their home for some time.

The Eveline and Ironton Cleaners are practicing for a contest to be held Dec. 6, at Ironton Arbor. They are both being assisted by Mrs. Cole of Lansing in their work.

The James Arnott children are still out of school not having fully recovered from the mumps.

Jack Wanek of Boyne City spent Friday night and Saturday on the Peninsular huddling the guest of Richard Russell of Ridgeway.

Mrs. J. W. Hayden of Orchard Hill spent Monday and Tuesday at the A. Reich home at Bunker Hill, caring for the little new grand daughter that arrived Monday, forenoon.

Fred and Geo. Wurn are buzzing wood for James Arnott.

A. B. Nicloy of Advance District purchased a truck load of fine sheep of Harry Coblitz of Sequenota recently.

The nimrods are busy these days with some success. Herm Martin of Advance seems to bag the most game however.

I am indebted to Mrs. J. P. Seiler the Three Bells teacher for the very interesting program which they expect to render at the school house the afternoon of Nov. 29, America—by the school. Responsive Reading—by all. Dialogue—Courtship of Miles Standish, by the Eight grade—Miles Standish, John Looze; John Aldin, Opal McDonald, in basket ball suit; Percilla, Anna Lew; Messinger, Charles Looze. Song "Can a little child like me." Hiwatha's childhood—Dialogue—Fifth grade five girls. Indian war dance—Fifth grade. Recitation—"Reason Why"—Curtis Sandle. Song—"Sailing"—school. Recitation—"Thanksgiving Joys"—Frederick Lemm. Doxology—School.

**COUGHS AND COLDS IN WINTER**  
Indoor sedentary life in Winter has a direct bearing on the prevalence of coughs and colds. Keep the bowels active and overcome constipation with Foley Cathartic Tablets. Colds, coughs, croup, throat, chest and bronchial trouble quickly relieved with Foley's Honey and Tar.—Hile's Drug Store.

Today's Wise Word.  
"The world is so full of the unexplored! To those who care more for people than places, around every corner is something new—a world only dreamt of, if that."—Cornelia Stratton Parker.

**MARKETS**

**DETOIT QUOTATIONS**

**Feed and Grain**  
WHEAT—Cash No. 2 red, \$1.35; No. 2 white and No. 2 mixed, \$1.33; OLD YELLOW CORN—Cash No. 2, 78c; No. 3, 76c; No. 4, 74c; No. 5, 72c; NEW YELLOW CORN—Cash No. 2, 77c; No. 3, 75c; No. 4, 73c; No. 5, 71c; WHITE OATS—Cash No. 2, 49c; No. 3, 47 1/2c; No. 4, 45c.  
RYE—Cash No. 2, 90c.  
HAY—Immediate and prompt shipment, \$6.75 per cwt.  
BUCKWHEAT—Clean milling grain, \$2.25 per cwt.  
SEEDS—Prime red clover, \$12.75; Alkali, \$13; alsike, \$10.25; timothy, \$3.40; timothy, No. 1 timothy, \$17@17.50; standard, \$16.00; light mixed, \$16.00@17; No. 2 timothy, \$15@16; No. 1 clover mixed, \$16.50; No. 2 clover, \$15.50; rye straw, \$1.50@1.75; wheat and oat straw, \$11@11.50 per ton in carlots.  
PEAS—Green, \$32; standard middlings, \$33; fine middlings, \$33; cracked corn, \$33@36.50; coarse cornmeal, \$32@33; chop, \$28.50 per ton in 100-lb. sacks.  
FLOUR—Fancy spring wheat patents, \$8.15@8.40; fancy winter patents, \$7.95 @7.30; winter wheat straights, \$6.80@7.05; Kansas best grade family flour, \$7.90 per 50-lb. sack.  
**Live Stock and Poultry**  
CATTLE—Best steers \$7.75@8; best heavy weight butcher steers, \$7@7.50; mixed steers and heifers, \$6@6.50; heavy light butchers, \$5@5.50; light butchers, \$4.25@4.75; best cows, \$4.50@5; butcher cows, \$3.50@4; cullers, \$2.75@3; canners, \$2@2.75; choice light bulls, \$4.50@5;ologna bulls, \$3.50@4; stock bulls, \$3@3.50; feeders, \$3.50@4.50; stockers, \$4@5.75; milkers and springers, \$4@7.50.  
CALVES—Best grades, \$10.50@11; fair to good, \$8.50@10; others, \$6@8.  
SHEEP AND LAMBS—Best lambs, \$14 @14.50; fair lambs, \$12.50@13.25; light to medium lambs, \$9@10; heavy sheep, \$9 @9.50; fair to good sheep, \$6@7.25; culls and common, \$2@3.  
MIXED HOGS, \$8; light pigs, \$8.25; roughs, \$6.35; heavy, \$7.25@8; boars, \$3; sows, \$4.50.  
POULTRY—Best spring, 20c; leghorns, 16c; large fat hens, 22c; medium hens, 18c; small hens, 14c; old roosters, 15c; 20@22c; large ducks, 25@26c; small ducks, 18@20c; turkeys, 40c per lb.  
**Farm and Garden Produce**  
PEARS—Winter varieties, \$1.25@1.50 per bushel.  
APPLES—Snow, \$2@2.50; Greenings, \$1.25@1.50; Baldwin, \$1.25@1.50; Spy, \$1.75@2.25; Jonathan, \$1.75@2.25; other varieties, \$1@1.50 per bushel; western boxes, \$2@3.  
MUSHROOMS—Fancy, 60c@70c per lb.  
CABBAGE—Home-grown, 50@60c per bushel.  
SHOES—Michigan, \$1.35@1.50 per 150-lb. sack.  
CELESTINE—Michigan, 20@30c per doz.; square, 30@40c per doz.  
DRESSED HOGS—90 to 120 lbs., 12@13c; 130 to 160 lbs., 11@12c; heavy, 6@8c per lb.  
DRESSED CALVES—Choice, 13@14c; medium, 11@12c; large coarse, 5@10c per pound.  
**Butter and Eggs**  
BUTTER—Best creamery, in tubs, 44@46c per lb.  
Eggs—Fresh, current receipts, 48@50c; fresh, candled and graded, 50@53c; refrigerator firsts, 25 1-2@9 1-2c per dozen.

**EAST BUFFALO LIVE STOCK**  
Cattle: Slow Hogs: Steady; heavy, \$8.25@8.35; yorkers and pigs, \$8.35@8.50. Sheep: E. Goodman top lambs, \$2.15, yearling hogs, \$1.12; weathers, \$3@3.50; ewes, \$6@7.50. Calves, \$11.50.

**SOCIALIST FLAYS KING GEORGE**

Communist in Parliament Says Workers Will Get Satisfaction.

London—Walter Newbold, first Communist to ever sit in the historic British House of Commons, made himself heard in his maiden speech. He made a fierce attack on King George's government, and created a sensation in the House when he declared: "If the workingmen do not get satisfaction we shall have to deal with you as Cromwell dealt with your predecessors."

In the uproar which followed, the Communist criticized the pageantry of the king's procession to the House of Lords, beginning: "If you had only spent less money on this tom fool show—"

He was shouted down and the speaker declared him out of order. Newbold then withdrew the statement.

**ILLITERACY COSTS \$850,000,000**

Lack of Education is Menace to U. S. Declares Specialist.

Kansas City, Mo.—Illiteracy is costing the United States \$850,000,000 annually, declared William Mather Lewis, education specialist of the civic development department in the National Chamber of Commerce, speaking here before the Missouri State Teachers' association.

Lives are lost, machinery destroyed and production decreased through inability to read," he declared. "Ignorance provides a breeding place for the seeds of discontent and destructiveness."

Mother of 15 at 35 Years.

Moulins, France—"Come, it's time to get up, Pierre, Louis, Cecile, Georges, Lucie, Marcel, Gabriel, Jean, Henriette, Alice, Marie, Gustave, Gerorgette and Suzanne!" This is the first of the many morning duties of Mme. Celina Chemnot, who, at the age of 35, is the mother of fifteen kiddies. Of these fifteen children Mme. Chemnot has lost but one. Four of the boys work on neighboring farms. The father and two other sons till the soil of their seven-acre plot. The house itself has only two rooms.

Strawberry Plant Worth Huge Sum

Three Rivers—Fifty thousand dollars was paid by Frank E. Beatty, president of the R. M. Kellogg Co., fruit growers of this city, for one strawberry plant. The plant is to be known as "Rockhill," in honor of the breeder, Harlow Rockhill, of Conrad, Ia. The "Rockhill" variety bears in the early summer the same as the ordinary strawberry plant, but during the late summer again begins bearing and continues until frost stops the growth of the fruit

**FINANCIAL STATEMENT**

For the City of East Jordan For the Month of October 1922.

**General Fund RECEIPTS**

Oct. 1 Balance on hand.....\$11,114.86  
Loan..... 2000.00  
Delinquent Taxes..... 169.33  
Total \$13,284.19

**DISBURSEMENTS**

Oct. City Treasurer.....\$ 56.00  
Henry Cook..... 100.00  
G. A. Lisk..... 39.00  
F. H. Crowell..... 1.00  
Sherman & Reid..... 5.15  
State Bank of E. J..... 400.00  
Grace E. Boswell..... 60.00  
Velvet Gum Co..... 5.00  
Otis J. Smith..... 33.33  
Wm. Nachzel..... 4.00  
E. J. Hose Co..... 11.00  
City Treasurer..... 67.90  
Wm. Kenny..... 7.50  
Peoples Bank..... 8.50  
Peoples Bank..... 2000.00  
Peoples Bank..... 90.00  
Grace E. Boswell..... 3.50  
Mich. State Tel. Co..... 4.00  
G. A. Lisk..... 27.20  
Wm. Kogomo..... 24.35  
Error Order No. 2406..... 2000.00  
Balance on hand..... 8290.76  
Total \$13,284.19

**Street and Sewer Fund. RECEIPTS**

Oct. Delinquent Taxes.....\$ 49.66  
Error Order No. 2406..... 200.00  
31 Overdrawn..... 3103.35  
Total \$2153.01

**DISBURSEMENTS**

Oct. 1 Overdrawn.....\$ 4890.41  
Dan E. Goodman..... 22.69  
Sherman & Reid..... 1.50  
Peter LaLonde..... 11.00  
E. W. Giles..... 42.00  
City Treasurer..... 37.67  
Joseph Mayville..... 72.74  
East Jordan Iron Works..... 24.00  
E. W. Giles..... 42.00  
Geo. Hayes..... 9.00  
Total \$5153.01

**Water Works Fund. RECEIPTS**

Oct. Water Taxes.....\$ 586.90  
31 Overdrawn..... 1397.25  
Total \$1984.15

**DISBURSEMENTS**

Oct. 1 Overdrawn.....\$ 1645.72  
Dan E. Goodman..... 1.25  
Sherman & Reid..... 28.10  
State Bank of E. J..... 225.28  
E. J. Cabinet Co..... 55.00  
Reuben Winstone..... 2.75  
Howard Cook..... 4.00  
Total \$1984.15

**Interest and Sinking Fund. RECEIPTS**

Oct. Delinquent Taxes.....\$ 22.97  
31 Overdrawn..... 522.93  
Total \$ 545.90

**DISBURSEMENTS**

Oct. 1 Overdrawn.....\$ 545.90  
Total \$ 545.90

**Bridge Fund RECEIPTS**

Oct. Delinquent Taxes.....\$ 38.15  
31 Overdrawn..... 696.86  
Total \$ 738.01

**DISBURSEMENTS**

Oct. 1 Overdrawn.....\$ 738.01  
Total \$ 738.01

**Paving Fund, Dist. No. 4. RECEIPTS**

Oct. 31 Overdrawn.....\$ 2463.38  
Total \$ 2463.38

**DISBURSEMENTS**

Oct. 1 Overdrawn.....\$ 2463.38  
Total \$ 2463.38

**Library Fund. RECEIPTS**

Oct. 1 Balance on hand.....\$ 40.53  
Delinquent Taxes..... 10.02  
31 Overdrawn..... 22.97  
Total \$ 73.52

**DISBURSEMENTS**

Oct. Harriet Empey.....\$ 60.00  
Sherman & Reid..... 1.25  
Mrs. Light Co..... 5.22  
M. J. Williams..... 1.00  
Error Order No. 2165..... 2.00  
Total \$ 73.52

**Cemetery Fund RECEIPTS**

Oct. Error Order No. 2165.....\$ 2.00  
31 Overdrawn..... 1287.29  
Total \$ 1289.29

**DISBURSEMENTS**

Oct. 1 Overdrawn.....\$ 1200.94  
Dan E. Goodman..... 2.95  
Bert Lorraine..... 30.00  
John Whiteford..... 33.00  
John Whiteford..... 22.50  
Wm. Johnson..... .50  
Total \$ 1289.29

**Recapitulation. Balance**

General Fund.....\$ 8290.76  
Overdrawn..... 8290.76  
Street Fund..... \$108.35  
Water Works Fund..... 1397.25

**World's Largest Coin.**

Probably the largest coin in the world is the property of Farren Zerbe, internationally famous expert on rare coins. It is a piece of stamped copper plate, 10 inches square, and weighs 2 and a half pounds. It has a value of four daler. The daler was a coin of varying value used in Sweden around the year 1730.

**Apparently Welcome Death.**

The dread of death is universal and instinctive, and yet how many rush into its arms! Suicide is a most impressive fact in this connection. The disappointed lover, the discouraged adventurer, the suspected clerk, the child wounded in its self-love or fearful of punishment, faces the great enemy and invites his blow.—Octavius B. Frothingham.

**The Effect?**

We've never seen a ladies' man who didn't have trouble keeping popular with 'em at home.—Richmond Times-Dispatch.

**Avoid Exaggeration.**

Exaggeration is a blood relative to falsehood and nearly as blamable.—Hosea Ballou.

**Explaining Dream.**

Frightful dreams foretell a sudden rush of blood to the head, white dreams about blood point to inflammation in some part of the body. In this connection a person may suffer from nothing more serious than a festering finger, and yet the spectacle of blood will form part of his dream.

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**Holiday Greetings**

The Herald offers a complete assortment of both Engraved and Lithographed Christmas and New Years' Cards. The Engraved Cards are samples and those preferring this form should order AT ONCE. We have on hand an assortment of Lithographed Cards, priced \$1.50 for set of fifty cards and fifty envelopes. We invite your inspection.

**Charlevoix County Herald.**

**Peoples' Wants**

**MUNNIMAKERS**  
Notices of Lost, Wanted, For Sale, For Rent, etc., in this Column is 25 cents for one insertion for 25 words or less. Initials count as one word and compound words count as two words. Above this number of words a charge of one cent a word will be made for the first insertion and one-half cent for subsequent insertions, with a minimum charge of 15 cents.

**For Sale—Miscellaneous**

For Sale—Registered Durham BULL, 5 months old, \$35.00. COLLIE PUPPIES, \$3.00. Pure Golden Giant Bronze TURKES, \$8.00.—HARRY DAVEY, Ellsworth, Michigan. 48x2.

I will open a BAZAAR in the Healey Tire & Vulcanizing Co. Building Dec. 2nd. Open Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday afternoons. Orders taken for doll cloths, Misses and Childrens Aprons, Dolls and Toys.—MRS. C. K. BRACE. 47f.

HEAVY TEAM OF HORSES For Sale. Weight 2900 lbs. Inquire of MRS. ELMER HAYNER, Phone 164-F13, East Jordan. 47f.

KNITTING MACHINE FOR SALE.—An Auto Knitting Machine, in first class condition is offered for sale. Inquire of Mrs. Della Lapeer, East Jordan, West Side. 47x2.

HEAVY DRAFT TEAM For Sale—10 and 11 years old; with HARNESS and HEAVY SLEIGHS. Will sell cheap for cash, or will take two cows as part payment.—ALVA DAVIS, East Jordan, Route 4. 48x4

FORD SEDAN for Sale. In first class condition. Will be sold at a bargain. FRANK BRETZ, East Jordan. 41 f.

SIGNS—For Sale, for rent and other wordings in common use, printed on heavy cardboard, 15c each. Cards with special wordings, in any size or quantity, made to order.—CHARLEVOIX COUNTY HERALD. 32 ff.

**PROBATE ORDER**

STATE OF MICHIGAN, The Probate Court for the County of Charlevoix.

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Charlevoix in said County, on the 29th day of November, A. D. 1922.

Present, Hon. Servetus A. Correll, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of Herbert S. Olney, Deceased.

Ada M. Olney, having filed in said court her petition, praying for license to sell the interest of said estate in certain real estate therein described, and to redetermine the value of the same.

It is Ordered, That the 26th day of Dec. A. D. 1922, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition, and that all persons interested in said estate appear before said court, at said time and place, to show cause why a license to sell the interest of said estate in said real estate should not be granted;

It is Further Ordered, That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Charlevoix County Herald, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

SERVETUS A. CORRELL, Judge of Probate.

**OPEN NOSTRILS! END A COLD OR CATARRH**

How To Get Relief When Head and Nose are Stuffed Up.

Count fifty! Your cold in head or catarrh disappears. Your clogged nostrils will open, the air passages of your head will clear and you can breathe freely. No more snuffling, hawking, mucous discharge, dryness or headache; no struggling for breath at night.

Get a small bottle of Ely's Cream Balm from your druggist and apply a little of this fragrant antiseptic cream in your nostrils. It penetrates through every air passage of the head, soothing and healing the swollen or inflamed mucous membrane, giving you instant relief. Head colds and catarrh yield like magic. Don't stay stuffed-up and miserable. Relief is sure.

**Hands chapped? MENTHOLATUM heals quickly and gently.**



**STATE NEWS  
IN BRIEF**

**Kalamazoo**—Dr. Leroy Harvey, professor of biology in Western State Normal school there since 1908, died at his home here Nov. 21.

**Muskegon**—Harry W. Jackson, prosecuting attorney, says a lawyer gave the tip that resulted in the arrest of a moonshiner and later came into court and defended the man.

**Cheboygan**—Homer M. Quay, Cheboygan attorney, having served the county as judge of probate and prosecuting attorney for several terms, is to close his offices here, January 1, to enter the department of the attorney general at Lansing.

**Port Huron**—Albert E. Stevenson, official of the Michigan State Fair and prominent in Democratic circles, narrowly escaped death recently at Amherstburg, Ont., where he was attacked by an infuriated cow. He is recovering at his home near here.

**Monroe**—Charles Otto Bryan, alleged slayer of his divorced wife, May Myrtle, will go on trial here in circuit court, Dec. 4, on a murder charge. Bryan is alleged to have shot and killed his former wife on the street, following her refusal to return to him.

**Buchanan**—Buchanan's new high school building, completed at a cost of more than \$200,000, has been opened here for classes. The building was delayed in construction since September. Classes have been held in local churches and vacant store buildings.

**Ann Arbor**—Representatives of state tax supported schools and colleges will meet with representatives of endowed schools and colleges of Michigan at a conference to be held here Jan. 4. An all day discussion will be devoted to the needs of the schools and the student bodies.

**Grand Rapids**—The Michigan State Good Roads association re-elected Philip T. Colgrove, of Hastings, as president of the organization for the eighteenth consecutive time. Other officers re-elected are: Vice president, Nathan P. Hull, Diamondale; secretary, H. G. Hayes, Hastings; treasurer, J. Edward Rice, Lansing.

**Lansing**—In following the example set by Detroit, Judge Richard Randaugh, of the Municipal Court, announced that violators of traffic laws, particularly speeders, would be given jail sentences. Heretofore, the judge has let violators off with light fines, but the effect on the public, he said, has not brought about the proper caution.

**Corunna**—Mrs. Minnie Tooley, of Owosso got a divorce decree in circuit court here on her testimony that her husband, George, after winning her hand by repairing her house, sank his nose in his newspaper and "wasn't no company at all." Mrs. Tooley admitted she kept George waiting for a year, to win \$25 which her employer promised on those conditions.

**Grand Rapids**—Pointing out that the city's experience in the primary and general elections this fall shows that \$9,500 can be saved annually by the use of voting machines, City Manager Fred H. Locke has submitted to the city commission a detailed statement of the expenses and economies he believes would result in the use of the machines. Only six machines were used in the experiment. There are 73 precincts in the city.

**Pontiac**—A new plan of operation of the water works, based upon a schedule aimed to make it self supporting, was announced by the city commission. The department has depended on city taxes to make up deficits in the past and to meet bonds and interest. Higher water rates are likely and the withdrawal of \$30,000 water expense from the city budget will follow. The new rates will not be effective until next July.

**Lansing**—Fixing of fuel prices by the state will begin Dec. 1 in every community where it appears dealers are exacting unreasonable prices. This is the order contained in a letter sent to all county fuel administrators by William W. Potter, state fuel administrator. It is the result of an investigation just completed which shows that in some communities the request of the administrator for a price based on the average margin of profit taken in 1921-1922 has been ignored.

**Ann Arbor**—On an island to the south of Java, according to tradition, there is a Peruvian treasure buried, its value is over \$100,000,000. President M. L. Burton has received a letter from H. M. Pitman, of San Francisco, interested in the Beulah Engineering corporation, which corporation is about to send out an expedition for this island in hopes of finding the buried treasure. Pitman asks that President Burton appoint some Michigan man to go on the expedition, to represent the university.

**Charlotte**—Arthur Mahen and Norman Weldon, of Lansing, who waived examination when taken before Justice J. C. Nichols, on the charge of stealing 25 chickens, valued at \$50, from Samuel White, of Windsor township, and were bound over to circuit court on grand larceny charge, pleaded guilty when arraigned before Judge Smith. The crime was committed in March, 1921, and the men left the county at once, going to Detroit, and had been back in Lansing only a short time when they were apprehended. They formerly lived in Delta.

**Lansing**—With thousands of pages of testimony and exhibits to be read into the records, the hearing of the mandamus in the Michigan Telephone company rate case, has begun in the supreme court, and is expected to last for several weeks.

**Mt. Clemens**—The Macomb Oil & Gas Co. has resumed drilling on the oil well in Chesterfield township. The well is down 3,600 feet and experienced oil men say an oil bearing sand will be found within the next 400 feet.

**Lansing**—Michigan's potato crop this year was 10,056,000 bushels more than last year, Verne H. Church, agricultural statistician, announced. This year's production was 37,856,000 bushels, the state ranking second in the nation.

**Howell**—Plans for the widening of Grand River avenue from Brighton, in Livingston county, to Farmington, in Oakland county, were approved at a meeting of road commission representatives from Ingham, Livingston and Oakland here.

**Ann Arbor**—Ground will be broken here in March for the new lawyer's club which will be a gift to the University of Michigan by an unnamed alumnus. The building will extend from State and South University, east two blocks and south one block.

**Pontiac**—Held up by two young men while operating a one-man street car, Glenn Moss, motorman, was tied to a tree and robbed of his watch and \$15. The bandits, unable to break into the cash box, abandoned it. Moss was able to free himself and notify the police.

**Iron River**—The body of Oscar Alfredson, of Iron River, was found 12 miles from here in the woods by hunters. Alfredson had been hunting deer and became separated from his party. He wandered 48 hours, lost in a deep thicket. He died of fatigue and exposure.

**Traverse City**—The body of Lou Ayres, 50 years old, was found hanging from a machine in a small flour mill, which he owned and operated at Grawn, near here. While he was working alone in the mill, it is believed, his clothes caught in a belt, and he was instantly killed.

**Alpena**—Thirty-one years on the job, every day carrying mail for Uncle Sam, is the record set by John J. Corpus, veteran mail carrier of this city, who went on the retired list on reaching the age limit of 65 years. In his 31 years Corpus has traveled 200,000 miles, or more than eight times the distance around the world.

**Cheboygan**—Mrs. Minnie Gerow, widow of Dr. Arthur M. Gerow, was found dead on the floor of her bathroom. Death, it is believed, occurred when she was making ready to retire. Since the death of her husband she had lived alone, her only child, Allen Gerow, being a resident of Detroit. She had planned to spend the winter in Detroit with her son.

**Linden**—A number of those given pheasant eggs for hatching, this spring, report excellent results. When the birds were old enough to care for themselves, they were set at liberty in the woods. Coras Crandall, local game warden, recently received three crates, each containing 16 nearly matured pheasants. These were scattered about through the county in localities favorable to the birds.

**Lansing**—Because of the competition of motor buses, the Michigan United Railway Co., at a conference with a city council committee and Chamber of Commerce representatives decided to reduce the fare between Lansing, Holt and Mason. The new rate, effective immediately, is 20 cents for a round trip to Holt and 40 cents for a round trip to Mason. Each is a cut of nearly 50 per cent.

**Traverse City**—Navigation on the Great Lakes officially closes December 12, but the date means little to ships of the Michigan Transit company, plying between Chicago and northern Michigan points, which will run as long as they can find cargoes, Captain George Johnson of this city, general manager, announced. This practically assures that Traverse City will be served until the bay freezes over.

**Traverse City**—All power wires in this city will be placed in underground conduits, if the city commission follows suggestions received recently. Already all poles have been eliminated from the business district, and it is proposed to place the wires underground throughout the city. Damage and danger from the terrific sleet storm last winter is pointed out as showing the need for removal of overhead high tension lines.

**Battle Creek**—Police are investigating the story of Mrs. James Kelley, five-months bride of a Grand Trunk moulder, that she was kidnapped and drugged by a woman and two men in an automobile and that when she recovered she was in a squalid house in the foreign settlement. She said she had started for a grocery when a woman whom she had known slightly drove alongside with two men and asked her if she wanted to ride.

**Iron Mountain**—A timber deal involving 2,000 acres of hardwood lands in Ontonagon County for a consideration of \$140,000 has just been closed by John Flanagan, of this city. Experts have estimated the tract will yield 20,000,000 feet of logs, besides other products. The land was bought from the Norton Lumber Co., of Ontonagon and the P. C. Fuller Co., of Grand Rapids and Ontonagon. The deal includes a logging railroad, the rolling stock and logging camps. The railroad connects with the Ontonagon branch of the St. Paul Road.



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Something new in card table covers will make a charming gift for the hostess. This cover is made of black sateen and provided with two little pockets of figured cretonne attached to each corner. Guests are delighted to find a parking place for their handkerchiefs, score cards, pencils, etc. Either black ribbon or braid serves for ties that fasten the cover to the table.

#### Originality.

Where lies the difficulty of creating that taste by which a truly original poet is to be recognized? Is it in breaking the bonds of custom, in overcoming the prejudices of false refinement, and displacing the aversions of inexperience?—Wordsworth.

#### Kill 300,000 Birds.

The little island of Laysan, northwest of Hawaii, used to be white with the eggs of sea fowl when in 1909, Japanese pouchers slaughtered 300,000 of the birds for their feathers.

### 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!

#### Better Late Than Never.

A bricklayer of Bristol, more than seventy years old, has just retired from his trade and started a market garden. Surely, this is rather late in life to start work.—Passing Show.

#### First Printed Words in the U. S.

The first printing press in the United States was established at Harvard college in 1638. The first work printed on this press was the "Freemen's Oath," but its most famous publication was John Elliot's "Indian Bible."

### To Frame Fair Faces



Every Christmas brings new breakfast caps. Here are three of them made of net, lace and ribbon in different shapes and decked with tiny ribbon flowers. Each has a short, elastic tape set in a casing across the back, to fit it to the head, and they are among the welcome gifts that can be made by their donors.

#### Chest Tones.

From a concert program: "My Heart at Thy Sweet Voice." Corset solo by Margaret Gordon.—Boston Transcript.

### FEW FOLKS HAVE GRAY HAIR NOW

Druggist Says Ladies Are Using Recipe of Sage Tea and Sulphur

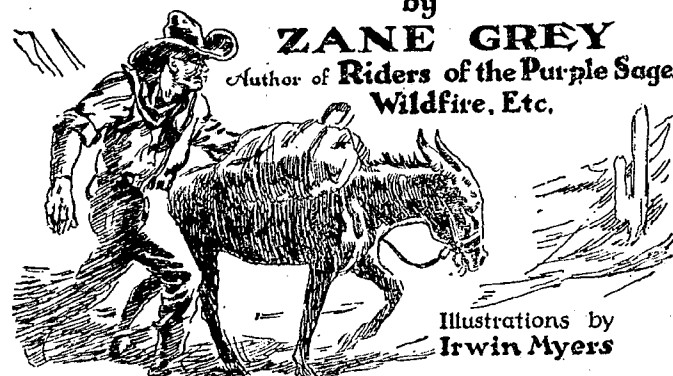
Hair that loses its color and lustre, or when it fades, turns gray, dull and lifeless, is caused by a lack of sulphur in the hair. Our grandmother made up a mixture of Sage Tea and Sulphur to keep her locks dark and beautiful, and thousands of women and men who value that even color, that beautiful dark shade of hair which is so attractive, use only this old-time recipe. Nowadays we get this famous mixture improved by the addition of other ingredients by asking at any drug store for a bottle of "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound," which darkens the hair so naturally, so evenly, that nobody can possibly tell it has been applied. You just dampen a sponge or soft brush with it and draw this through your hair, taking one small strand at a time. By morning the gray hair disappears; but what delights the ladies with Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound is that, besides beautifully darkening the hair after a few applications, it also brings back the gloss and lustre and gives it an appearance of abundance.

#### More of a Prod.

"Hit ain' so much what a man get gwine make him happy," said Charcoal Eph, ruminatively, "as what he wish he had dat he gwine go out an' git!"—Richmond Times-Dispatch.

# DESERT GOLD

by  
**ZANE GREY**  
Author of *Riders of the Purple Sage*,  
*Wildfire*, Etc.



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### SYNOPSIS

**PROLOGUE**—Seeking gold in the desert, "Cameron," solitary prospector, forms a partnership with an unknown man whom he later learns is Jonas Warren, father of a girl whom Cameron wronged, but later married, back in Illinois. Cameron's explanations appease Warren, and the two proceed together. Taking refuge from a sandstorm in a cave, Cameron discovers gold, but too late; both men are dying. Cameron leaves evidence in the cave, of their discovery of gold, and personal documents.

**CHAPTER I**—Richard Gale, adventurer, in Casita, Mexican border town, meets George Thorne, lieutenant in the Ninth cavalry, old college friend. Thorne tells Gale he is there to save Mercedes Castaneda, Spanish girl, his affianced wife, from Rojas, Mexican bandit.

### CHAPTER II

#### Mercedes Castaneda.

The dark face vanished. Dick Gale heard footsteps and the tinkle of spurs. He strode to the window, and was in time to see a Mexican swagger into the front door of the saloon. There were men passing in the street, also several Mexicans lounging against the hitching rail at the curb. "Did you see him? Where did he go?" whispered Thorne, as he joined Gale. "Those Greasers out there with the cartridge belts crossed over their breasts—they are rebels. I'm afraid Rojas has the house spotted."

"If it could only be sure." "I'm sure, Dick. Let's cross the hall; I want to see how it looks from the other side of the house." Gale followed Thorne out of the restaurant into the high-ceiled corridor which evidently divided the hotel, opening into the street and running back to a patio. A few dim, yellow lamps flickered. Thorne entered a huge chamber which was even more poorly lighted than the hall. It contained a table littered with papers, a few high-backed chairs, a couple of couches, and was evidently a parlor. "Mercedes has been meeting me here," said Thorne. "At this hour she comes every moment or so to the head of the stairs there, and if I am here she comes down. Mostly there are people in this room a little later. We go out into the plaza. It faces the dark side of the house, and that's the place I must slip out with her if there's any chance at all to get away."

They peered out of the open window. In a moment, however, Gale made out a slow-pacing dark form on the path. Further down there was another. No particular keenness was required to see in these forms a sentinel-like stealthiness. Gripping Gale's arm, Thorne pulled back from the window. "You saw them," he whispered. "It's just as I feared. Rojas has the place surrounded. I should have taken Mercedes away. But I had no time—no chance! I'm bound! My God! There's Mercedes now! My God! Dick, think, think—think there's a way to get her out of this trap!"

Gale turned as his friend went down the room. In the dim light at the head of the stairs stood the slim, muffled figure of a woman. When she saw Thorne she flew noiselessly down the stairway to him. He caught her in his arms. Then she spoke softly, brokenly, in a low, swift voice. It was a mingling of incoherent Spanish and English; but to Gale it was mellow, deep, unutterably tender, a voice full of joy, fear, passion, hope and love. Upon Gale it had an unaccountable effect. He found himself thrilling, wondering.

Thorne led the girl to the center of the room, under the light where Gale stood. "Mercedes—Dick Gale, an old friend—the best friend I ever had." She swept the mantilla back over her head, disclosing a lovely face, strange and striking to Gale in its pride and fire, its intensity. "Senior Gale—ah! I cannot speak my happiness. His friend!" "Yes, Mercedes; my friend and yours," said Thorne, speaking rapidly. "We'll have need of him. Dear, there's bad news and no time to break it gently. The priest did not come. He must have been detained. And listen—be brave, dear Mercedes—Rojas is here!"

She uttered an inarticulate cry, the poignant terror of which shook Gale's nerve, and swayed as if she would faint. Thorne caught her and in husky voice implored her to bear up. "My darling! For God's sake don't faint—don't go to pieces! We'd be lost! We've got a chance. We'll fight! Fight!" It was plain to Gale that Thorne was distracted. He scarcely knew what he was saying. Pale and shivering, he clasped Mercedes to him. She cried out in Spanish, beseeching him; and as he shook his head, she changed to English: "Senior, my lover, I will be strong—I will fight—I will obey. But swear

by my virgin, it need be to save me from Rojas—you will kill me!" "Mercedes! Yes, I'll swear," he replied, hoarsely. "I know—I'd rather have you dead than— But don't give up. Rojas can't be sure of you, or he wouldn't wait. He's in there. He's got his men there—all around us. But he hesitates. A beast like Rojas doesn't stand idle for nothing. I tell you we've a chance. Dick, here, will think of something. We'll slip away. Then he'll take you somewhere. Only—speak to him—show him you won't weaken. Mercedes, this is more than love and happiness for us. It's life or death."

She became quiet, and slowly recovered control of herself. She wheeled to face Gale with proud dark eyes, tragic sweetness of appeal, an exquisite grace. "Senior, you are an American. You cannot know the Spanish blood—the peon bandit's hate and cruelty. I wish to die before Rojas' hand touches me. If he takes me alive, then the hour, the little day that my life lasts afterward will be torture—torture of hell. If I live two days his brutal pen will have me. If I live three, the dogs of his camp. . . . Senior, have you a sister whom you love? Help Senior Thorne to save me. He is a soldier. He is bound. He must not betray his honor, his duty, for me. . . . Now, let me waste no more precious time. I am ready. I will be brave."

She came close to Gale, holding out her white hands, a woman all fire and soul and passion. To Gale she was wonderful. His heart leaped. As he bent over her hands and kissed them he seemed to feel himself renewed, remade. "Seniorita," he said, "I am happy to be your servant. I can conceive of no greater pleasure than giving the service you require."

"And what is that?" inquired Thorne hurriedly. "That of incapacitating Senior Rojas for tonight, and perhaps several nights to come," replied Gale. "I'll make a row in that saloon. I'll start something. I'll rush Rojas and his crowd. I'll—"

"Lord, no; you mustn't, Dick—you'll be knifed!" cried Thorne. "I'll take a chance. Maybe I can surprise that slow Greaser bunch and get away before they know what's happened. . . . You be ready watching at the window. When the row starts those fellows out there in the plaza will run into the saloon. Then you slip out, go straight through the plaza down the street. It's a dark street, I remember. I'll catch up with you before you get far."

Thorne gasped, but did not say a word. Mercedes leaned against him, her white hands now at her breast, her great eyes watching Gale as he went out. In the corridor Gale stopped long enough to pull on a pair of heavy gloves, to muss his hair, and disarrange his collar. Then he stepped into the restaurant, went through, and halted in the door leading into the saloon. No one appeared to notice him. Gale's roving glance soon fixed upon the man he took to be Rojas. The Mexican's face was turned aside. He was in earnest, excited colloquy with a dozen or more comrades, most of whom were sitting round a table. They were listening, talking, drinking. The fact that they wore cartridge belts crossed over their breasts satisfied Gale that these were the rebels. He became conscious of an inward fire that threatened to overrun his coolness. Other emotions hurried his self-control. It seemed as if sight of the man liberated or created a devil in Gale. And at the bottom of his feelings there seemed to be a wonder at himself, a strange satisfaction for the something that had come to him.

He stepped out of the doorway, down the couple of steps to the floor of the saloon, and he staggered a little, simulating drunkenness. He fell over the pool tables, jostled Mexicans at the bar, laughed like a maudlin clown, and with his hat slouched down, crowded here and there. Presently his eye caught sight of the group of cowboys whom he had before noticed with such interest. They were still in a corner somewhat isolated. With fertile mind working, Gale lurched over to them. If he were to get any help from these silent aloof rangers it must be by striking fire from them in one swift stroke. Planting himself squarely before the two tall cowboys who were standing, he looked straight into their lean, bronzed faces. He spared a full moment for that keen, cool gaze before he spoke. "I'm not drunk. I'm throwing a hurf, and I mean to start a rough row. I'm going to rush that d—d bandit Rojas. It's to save a girl—to give her lover, who is my friend, a chance to escape with her. She's in the house. Rojas is here to get her.

to amuse, or else he was getting out of hearing. The few people he saw close at hand were all coming his way, and only the foremost showed any excitement. Gale walked swiftly, peering ahead for two figures. Presently he saw them—one tall, wearing a cape; the other slight; mantled. Gale drew a sharp breath of relief. Thorne and Mercedes were not far ahead.

He began to overhaul them; and soon, when the last lamp had been passed and the street was dark, he ventured a whistle. Thorne heard it, for he turned, whistled a low reply, and went on. Not for some distance beyond, where the street ended in open country, did they halt to wait. Then he came up with the fugitives. "Dick! Are you—all right?" panted Thorne, grasping Gale.

"I'm—out of breath—but—O. K.," replied Gale. "Good! Good!" choked Thorne. "I was scared—helpless. . . . Dick, it worked splendidly. We had no trouble. What on earth did you do?" "I made the row, all right," said Dick. "While I was rushing Rojas a couple of cowboys shot out the lamp-lights. A Mexican who pulled a knife on me got hurt, I guess. Then I think there was some shooting from the rebels after the room was dark."

Mercedes pressed close to him, touched his hands, looked up into his face with wonderful eyes. He thought he would not soon forget their beauty—the shadow of pain that had been the hope dawning so fugitively. "Dear lady," said Gale, with voice not wholly steady, "Rojas himself will hound you no more tonight, nor for many nights."

She seemed to shake, to thrill, to rise with the intelligence. She pressed his hand close over her heaving breast. Gale felt the quick throbs of her heart. "Senior! Senior Dick!" she cried. Then her voice failed. But her hands flew up; quick as a flash she raised her face—kissed him. Then she turned and with a sob fell into Thorne's arms.

There ensued a silence broken only by Mercedes' sobbing. Gale walked some paces away. If he were not stunned, he certainly was agitated. The strange, sweet fire of that girl's lips remained with him. On the spur of the moment he imagined he had a jealousy of Thorne. But presently this passed. What remained with him was the splendid glow of gladness that had been of service to Thorne. "Dick, Dick, come here!" called Thorne softly. "Let's pull ourselves together now. We've got a problem yet. What to do? Where to go? How to get any place? We're on good old U. S. ground this minute, but we're not out of danger."

As he paused, evidently hoping for a suggestion from Gale, the silence was broken by the clear, ringing peal of a bugle. Thorne gave a violent start.

"It's a call, Dick! It's a call!" he cried. Gale had no answer to make. Mercedes stood as if stricken. The bugle call ended. From a distance another faintly pealed. There were other sounds too remote to recognize. Then scattering shots rattled out.

"Dick, the rebels are fighting somebody," burst out Thorne excitedly. "The little federal garrison still holds its stand. Perhaps it is attacked again. Anyway, there's something doing over the line. Maybe the crazy Greasers are firing on our camp. We've feared it—in the dark. . . . And here I am, away without leave—practically a deserter!"

"Go back! Go back, before you're too late!" cried Mercedes. "Better make tracks, Thorne," added Gale. "It can't help our predicament for you to be arrested. I'll take care of Mercedes."

"No, no, no," replied Thorne. "I can get away—avoid arrest." Mercedes embraced her lover, begged him to go. Thorne wavered. "Dick, I'm up against it," he said. "You're right. If only I can run back in time. But, oh, I hate to leave her! Old fellow, you've saved her! I already owe you everlasting gratitude. Keep out of Casita, Dick. The U. S. S. S. might be safe, but I'm afraid to trust it at night. Go out in the desert, up in the mountains, in some safe place. Then come to me in camp. We'll plan. I'll have to confide in Colonel Weede. Maybe he'll help us. Hide her from the rebels—that's all."

He wrung Dick's hand, clasped Mercedes tightly in his arms, kissed her, and murmured low over her, then released her to rush off into the darkness. He disappeared in the gloom. The sound of his dull footfalls gradually died away.

Gale realized that he was between the edge of an unknown desert and the edge of a hostile town. He had to choose the desert, because, though he had no doubt that in Casita there were many Americans who might befriend him, he could not chance the risks of seeking them at night.

He felt a slight touch on his arm, felt it move down, felt Mercedes slip a trembling cold little hand into his. Dick looked at her. If the loneliness, the silence, the desert, the unknown dangers of the night affected him, what must they be to this hunted, driven girl? Gale's heart swelled. He was alone with her. He had no weapon, no money, no food, no drink, no covering, nothing except his two hands. He did not know where to find the railroad, or any road or trail, or whether or not there were towns near or far. It was a critical, desperate situation. He thought first of the girl, and groaned in spirit, prayed that it would be given him to save her. When he remembered himself it was with the stunning consciousness that he could conceive of no situation which he would have exchanged for

this one—where fortune had set him a perilous task of loyalty to a friend, to a helpless girl.

"Senior, senior!" suddenly whispered Mercedes, clinging to him. "Listen! I hear horses coming!"

**CHAPTER III**  
**A Flight into the Desert.**  
Uneasy and startled, Gale turned his ear to the soft wind. Presently he heard, or imagined he heard, low beats. In a moment he was certain the sounds were the padlike steps of hoofs in yielding sand. The regular tramp was not that of grazing horses.

In the instant, made cautious and stealthily by alarm, Gale drew Mercedes deeper into the gloom of the shrubbery. The sounds of hoofbeats grew louder. Gale made out a dark moving mass against a background of dull gray. There was a line of horses. He could not discern whether or not all the horses carried riders. The murmur of a voice struck his ear—then a low laugh. It made him tingle, for it sounded American. Eagerly he listened.

"It shored was, Laddy, it shored was," came a voice out of the darkness. "Rough house! Laddy, since wire fences drove us out of Texas we ain't seen the like of that. An' we never had such a call."

"Call? It was a burnin' roast," replied another voice. "I felt low down. He vamoosed some sudden, an' I hope he an' his friends shook the dust of Casita. That's a rotten town, Jim."

Gale jumped up in joy. What luck! The speakers were none other than the two cowboys whom he had accosted in the Mexican hotel. "Hold on, fellows," he called, and strode into the road. The horses snorted and stamped. Then followed swift rustling sounds—a clinking of spurs, then silence. The figures loomed clearer in the gloom. Gale saw five or six horses, two with riders, and one other, at least, carrying a pack. When Gale got within fifteen feet of the group the foremost horseman said:

"I reckon that's close enough, stranger." Something in the cowboy's hand glinted darkly bright in the starlight. "You'd recognize me, if it wasn't so dark," replied Gale, halting. "I spoke to you a little while ago—in the saloon back there."

"Come over an' let's see you," said the cowboy, curtly. Gale advanced till he was close to the horse. The cowboy leaned over the saddle and peered into Gale's face. Then, without a word, he sheathed the gun and held out his hand. Gale met a grip of steel that warmed his blood. The other cowboy got off his nervous, spirited horse and threw the bridle. He, too, peered closely into Gale's face.

"My name's Ladd," he said. "Reckon I'm some glad to meet you again." Gale felt another grip as hard and strong as the other had been. He realized he had found friends who belonged to a class of men whom he had despised of ever knowing. "Gale—Dick Gale is my name," he began, swiftly. "I dropped into Casita tonight hardly knowing where I was. A boy took me to that hotel. There I met an old friend whom I had not seen for years. He belongs to the cavalry stationed here. He had befriended a Spanish girl—fallen in love with her. Rojas had killed this girl's father—tried to abduct her. You know what took place at the hotel. Gentlemen, if it's ever possible, I'll show you how I appreciate what you did for me there. I got away, found my friend with the girl. We hurried out here beyond the edge of town. Then Thorne had to make a break for camp. We heard bugle calls, shots, and he was away without leave. That left the girl with me. I don't know what to do. Thorne swears Casita is no place for Mercedes at night."

"The girl ain't no peon, no common Greaser?" interrupted Ladd. "No. Her name is Castaneda. She belongs to an old Spanish family, once rich and influential."

"Reckoned as much," replied the cowboy. "There's more than Rojas wantin' to kidnap a pretty girl. Shore he does that every day or so. Must be somethin' political or feelin' against class. Well, Casita, ain't no place for your friend's girl at night or day, or any time. Shore, there's Americans who'd take her in an' fight for her, if necessary. But it ain't wise to risk that. Lash, what do you say?" "It's been gettin' hotter round this Greaser corral for some weeks," replied the other cowboy. "If that two-bit of a garrison surrenders, there's no tellin' what'll happen, an' bet'n' across the U. S. line a few inches or so don't make no h— of a difference. My advice is, don't let Miss Castaneda ever set foot in Casita again."

"Looks like you've shore spoke sense," said Ladd. "I reckon, Gale, you an' the girl ought to come with us. We know people who'll take care of the seniorita till your friend can come for her."

Dick warmly spoke his gratefulness, and, inexpressibly relieved and happy for Mercedes, he went toward the clump of cactus where he had left her. She stood erect, waiting, and, dark as it was, he could tell she had lost the terror which had so shaken her.

He led her into the road up to the cowboys, who now stood bareheaded in the starlight. They seemed shy, and Lash was silent while Ladd made embarrassed, unintelligible reply to Mercedes' thanks. There were five horses—two saddled, two packed and the remaining one carried only a blanket. Ladd short-

ened the stirrups on his mount, and helped Mercedes up into the saddle. From the way she settled herself and took the few restive prances of the mettlesome horse Gale judged that she could ride. Lash urged Gale to take his horse. But this Gale refused to do.

"I'll walk," he said. "I'm used to walking. I know cowboys are not."

Once started with protection assured for the girl and a real objective point in view, Gale relaxed from the tense strain he had been laboring under. How glad he would have been to acquaint Thorne with their good fortune! Later, of course, there would be some way to get word to the cavalryman. But till then what torments his friend would suffer!

It seemed to Dick that a very long time had elapsed since he stepped off the train; and one by one he went over every detail of incident which had occurred between that arrival and the present moment. His meeting with Thorne; the wonderful black eyes of a Spanish girl; her appeal to him; the late inspired by Rojas, and the rush, the blow, the action; sight of Thorne and Mercedes hurrying safely away; the girl's hands pressing his to her heaving breast; the sweet fire of her kiss; the fact of her being alone with him, dependent upon him—all these things Gale turned over and over in his mind, only to fall of any definite conclusion as to which had affected him so remarkably, or to tell what had really happened to him.

Had he fallen in love with Thorne's sweetheart? The idea came in a flash. Was he, all in an instant, and by one of those incomprehensible reversals of character, jealous of his friend? Dick was almost afraid to look up at Mercedes. Still he forced himself to do so, and as it chanced Mercedes was looking down at him. With a quick, graceful impulsiveness she put her hand upon his shoulder. Like her appearance, the action was new, strange, striking to Gale; but it brought home suddenly to him the nature of gratitude and affection in a girl of her blood. It was sweet and sisterly. He knew then that he had not fallen in love with her. The feeling that was akin to jealousy seemed to be of the beautiful something for which Mercedes stood in Thorne's life. Gale then grasped the bewildering possibilities, the infinite wonder of what a girl could mean to a man.

The desert began to lighten. Gray openings in the border of shrubby growths changed to paler hue. In the east a white glow grew brighter and brighter, reaching up to a line of cloud, defined sharply below by a rugged notched range.

"Senior, I am cold," said Mercedes. "I had been carrying his coat upon his arm. He stopped the horse and raised the coat up, and helped Mercedes put it on.

"I should have thought of you," he said. "But I seemed to feel warm. . . . The coat's a little large; we might wrap it around you twice."

Mercedes smiled and lightly thanked him in Spanish. He was about to start when he observed that Ladd had halted and was peering ahead in evident caution. Mercedes' horse began to stamp impatiently, raised his ears and head, and acted as if he was about to neigh.

A warning "hiss" from Ladd bade Dick put a quieting hand on the horse. Lash came noiselessly forward to join his companion. The two then listened and watched.

Presently Lash went to the rear and Ladd started ahead. The progress now, however, was considerably slower, not owing to a bad road—Lash that became better—but probably owing to caution exercised by the cowboy guide. At the end of a half hour this marked deliberation changed, and the horses followed Ladd's at a gait that put Gale to his best walking paces.

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**Two of a Kind.**  
Don't waste your time arguing politics or religion. The other fellow knows you are in the wrong just as well as you know he is.—Indianapolis Star.

**Get Along with Little Money.**  
Norfolk Island, in the Pacific ocean, is an almost moneyless land, about \$25 being all that is handled by the entire population in the course of a year.



She Stood Erect, Waiting, and, Dark as It Was, He Could Tell She Had Lost the Terror That Had So Shaken Her.



The Black-Skinned Bandit's Face Turned a Dirty White.



## Briefs of the Week

Fred Palmiter of Detroit is here for a visit.

John Tooley is here from Petoskey visiting friends.

Mrs. Bertha Hockstad left Wednesday for a visit at Flint.

Hand picked Wagner Apples, \$1.00 per basket. -Stroebel Bros. adv.

Armstrong's Linoleum—the very best manufactured—at R. G. Watson's. adv.

The Study Club will meet with Mrs. C. H. Whittington next Tuesday evening, Dec. 5th.

Have your Eyes Tested and Enjoy a well fitted pair of Glasses. Prices very reasonable. Dr. Ramsey. adv.

Mrs. Charles Coykendall and two children left Wednesday for Flint, where she will join her husband and make their home.

Mrs. James Joslin, a former resident of this city for years, passed away recently at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Lee Pratt at Flint.

Rebec-Sweet Post No. 227, American Legion, will hold their annual election of officers Monday, Dec. 4th. All members urged to be present.

First annual O. E. S. Bazaar Friday and Saturday, Dec. 8th and 9th in the LaLonde Building. A Bake Sale will be held on the last day. adv.

The East Jordan Co-operative Association will load a car of Chickens and Turkeys on Wednesday and Thursday, Dec. 17th, and 18th. Bring your poultry in on these dates. adv.

Michigan is sixth in the list of eleven registration states having the lowest tuberculosis death-rate in the country. There are 34 states registered and only eleven of these have a rate of less than 100 deaths per 100,000 population. The death-rate for Michigan in 1921 was 71.6 per 100,000. This rate represents a decrease of 27.9 per cent since the organization of the Michigan Tuberculosis association in 1908.

John Risky proved his loyalty to his employer Thursday morning when he risked his life to save a big locomotive from being destroyed by fire at the Pennsylvania Lines roundhouse at Traverse City. When the fire was discovered the entire roof of the building was a mass of flames. Mr. Risky ran through the smoke and fire to the cab, backed the burning machine out into the open. The cab was burned away. Donavan Owen, a lad residing near the roundhouse, was awakened by the flames and ran, barefooted and dressed only in his night clothes, to the nearest fire alarm box.

Roasters at right prices. Stroebel Bros. adv.

Basil Piggott left Tuesday for Flint. Miss Agnes Green left Wednesday, for a visit at Detroit.

Miss Jaunita Secord is home from Grayling for a visit.

Good assortment of Heating Stoves at Stroebel Bros. adv.

Mrs. Louis Mayville and children are visiting friends at Mancelona.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Telgenhoff left Tuesday for Ozark, Mich.

Miss Hazel Sheldon of Flint is here visiting friends and relatives.

Armstrong's Linoleum—the very best manufactured—at R. G. Watson's. adv.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Conway and children are visiting relatives at Flint.

For Sale—Dry Elm Wood. Phone your orders to Leonard Dudley, phone 188. adv.

Elder R. D. Davis of Boyne City will speak at the L. D. S. Church Sunday evening.

Mrs. Samuel Ramsey and grandson, Junior Simmons, are visiting friends at Cadillac this week.

Miss Martha Kitman is here from Newberry visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Kitman.

Mrs. Frank Brotherton and grandson Joe Boyd, are visiting her daughter, Mrs. Merle Corwell at Grayling.

The M. E. Ladies Aid will meet next Wednesday, Dec. 6th at the home of Mrs. Jos. Ekstrom on North Main St., at 2:00 standard. Please notice the change of date and time.

Order your Christmas Cards now at The Herald office. A complete sample showing of engraved cards. Also an assortment of lithographed Cards. Call early while assortments are complete.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Lumesten arrived here Monday from Hoquiam, Wash., and will make their home here. Mrs. Lumesten was formerly Miss Ethel Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Smith, former residents of this city.

Archie Misnar of Jordan Township and Miss Lucy Ler Verna of Echo Township were united in marriage at the Presbyterian parsonage, Monday afternoon, Nov. 27th, by the pastor, Rev. Sidebotham. They will make their home in this city.

Shells for hunters. Stroebel Bros. adv.

Regular Communication and annual election of officers of East Jordan Lodge No. 379 F. & A. M. this Saturday evening, Dec. 2nd, commencing at 7:00 o'clock.

Miss Evangeline Nice visited her brother at Ionia last week.

Mrs. Robert Bigelow and son are visiting friends at Cadillac.

John J. Mikula was at Cadillac on business first of the week.

Harry Carpenter was at Traverse City on business this week.

Dr. W. H. Dicken was at Traverse City on business, Wednesday.

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Laundry Basket leaves Bulow Bros. store every Wednesday noon; laundry returned Saturday night. adv.

Mrs. W. J. Elison was called to Marquette, Monday by the death of her sister.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hayner left Wednesday for Grand Rapids and other points.

Mrs. Louis Johnson and children of Grayling visited relatives here over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Bardon and children of South Haven are here visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Bolser of Detroit are visiting her mother, Mrs. Oscar Johnson.

Mrs. J. E. Strong and granddaughter Irma McCloud, left Monday for a visit with her parents at Tower.

Mrs. W. P. Squier and children left Wednesday to spend the winter months with her husband at Dallas, Texas.

County Road Commissioner, Joseph M. Courier attended the annual meeting of the State Good Roads Association held at Grand Rapids last week.

Herbert G. Walker, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Walker of this city was united in marriage to a Muskegon young lady on Nov. 4th. They are making their home at Muskegon.

Norma Marie, 13-months-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Allen Bolser, passed away Monday Nov. 27th at their home near the Fair grounds. Funeral services were held from the Bennett Schoolhouse Wednesday afternoon, conducted by Rev. Henry Hulme. Interment at Moorehouse Cemetery.



Regular meeting of South Lake Lodge No. 130, K. of P. every Wednesday evening at 7:00 sharp. All members urged to be present. Visitors welcome.

If you lead a narrow life you won't have to be bothered with friends. A lot of movie actresses make a bare living.

## News of the Churches

**Presbyterian Church Notes**  
Rev. C. W. Sidebotham, Pastor.

"A Church for Folks."  
Sunday, Dec. 3, 1922.  
10:00 a. m.—Morning Worship.  
11:15 a. m.—Sunday School.  
7:00 p. m.—Evening Worship.  
Services are in the Church basement.  
Prayer Meeting Thursday eve. at 7:15.

**First Methodist Episcopal Church**  
Rev. Henry Hulme, Pastor.

Sunday, Dec. 3, 1922.  
10:00 a. m.—Morning Worship. Subject—"In God's Care."  
11:15 a. m.—Sunday School  
6:00 p. m.—Epworth League. Leader Howard Snyder.  
7:00 p. m.—Gospel Service. Subject—"Faith Needed."  
Special Music by the Epworth Choir and Orchestra. It will do you good to hear the young people sing. Offering Sunday night will be for the Near East Relief Fund.  
7:00 p. m. Thursday—Prayer Meeting  
If you are without a church home, we invite you to come with us. We need you, God needs you, and you need God.

**St. Joseph's Church.**  
D. M. Drinan Pastor.

Masses on 1st and 3rd Sunday of each month at 8:00 and High Mass at 10:00.  
Mass on 2nd Sunday of each month at 8:00 o'clock.  
High Mass on 4th Sunday of each month at 10:00.  
On 5th Sundays Masses at 8:00 and 10:00.  
Masses on Holy days and Devotions will be announced.

**St. John's Church.**  
Bohemian Settlement.

High Mass on 2nd Sunday of each month at 10:00.  
High Mass on 4th Sunday of each month at 8:00 o'clock.

**Church of God.**  
Miss A. A. Zielka, Pastor.

Hours of services:  
(Eastern Standard Time)  
Sunday School—11:00 a. m.  
Morning Services—12:00 a. m.  
Evening Services—7:30 p. m.  
Wed. Prayer Meeting—8:00 p. m.  
The public is cordially invited to attend these services.

## WHEN CHRISTMAS WAS YOUNG

To Understand Mysteries of the Future, It is Necessary to Search Ancient History.

IN the midst of the rush and excitement of Christmas preparations certain questions will flash across the mind, and we find ourselves wondering why it is that we do the very same things Christmas after Christmas. Why do we hang stockings, light Christmas trees, trim our homes and have plum pudding?

To understand the origin of these customs we must wander far back into the forgotten past—ages before Julius Caesar set foot on British soil, or St. Augustine told the story of the Cross to the men of Kent. Hundreds of years ago—long before the year 1—the ancients, as we call the people of those times, all worshiped the sun, the great giver of light and life. In the month of March they built big fires to it, asking it to shine upon the seeds they had planted and warm them into life. In the autumn they held another festival, thanking the sun for the harvest, and again, in the winter time, they held the greatest festival of all to celebrate the coming of the springtime.

In ancient Egypt, in Assyria, in Greece, on Roman soil and in the northlands these festivals were celebrated year after year and always about the same time, the winter one being held about New Year's time. Wherever the Roman eagle was, this feast was called the Saturnalia and it was marked by universal license and good feeling. All at once Christianity appeared upon the scene. As the policy of the early church was to reconcile heathen converts to the new faith by adopting some of the heathen customs and festivals, the new religion accepted and retained many, and the result, as is easily seen, has been the strange medley of pagan and Christian rites which we use at Christmas time today.

After Britain was Christianized by the Romans, the Saxons and northern tribes came, bringing their old northern rites, and as Christianity at last replaced paganism the Christians kept the old pagan rites, merely changing their meaning. For many years no two lands celebrated the same day as the birthday of Christ. They did not know the exact day, and we do not know it; but this date has now become the most important one in the world's history.

**The Old Age of Santa Claus.**  
In Anna Farquhar's "Convictions" in The National Magazine, she says: "Santa Claus totters under his pack, wearing a long, old face these days. Probably in his youth he had no idea of growing old or departing this life; therefore when his enthusiasm and joyousness began to wane unaccountably, he must have opined that the world was tottering—not his own generous throne of life. Nowadays he creeps down the chimney stealthily as if somewhat ashamed of his mission, like a polar burglar, and his eight tiny reindeer make small clatter on the lawn, for many of their joy bells have been lost. When Santa lays a finger aside of his nose reflectively in our times, he exclaims, without a bit of jolly shake below the waist: 'Degenerates! Degenerates! Has my world come to such a pass that people wish to pay me for my presents? Can it be that little children are so surfeited with toys that they stop to ask how much they cost before accepting them. There was little Willie, last year, who said to his mamma, when he first saw a beautiful woolly dog, "What's it got inside? Candy or money? Don't want a dog 'less it's got somethin' inside!"

## Games of Heathen Origin

MANY of our most familiar Christmas games have a heathen origin and some of their requirements once played a most important part in the heathen rites and mysteries. Every one knows how, when playing the popular Christmas game of "snap dragon," all other lights in the room are extinguished while we try to snatch raisins from blazing brandy, but probably few are aware that the ancient British Druids were accustomed to worship, in a temple otherwise dark, a flame of burning spirits into which they cast and out of which they plucked certain sacred objects, and that they thus performed some of the most awful solemnities of their religion.

There isn't much higher tribute to be paid to a public servant than to say, "He's sometimes wrong but he's always honest."

You have noticed that most of the criticism of flappers comes from those who no longer can flap.

**Latter Day Saints Church.**  
Leonard Dudley, Pastor.

9:45 a. m.—Sunday School.  
11:30 a. m.—Prayer Meeting.  
7:00 p. m.—Preaching.  
Tuesday—  
7:00 p. m.—Religio.  
Wednesday—  
7:00 p. m.—Prayer Meeting.



## How Fresh It Is!

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Leaves No Bitter Taste

## Christmas Seals Take Care of Marjorie



Marjorie has been her father's housekeeper ever since her mother's death three years ago. When her cough and lassitude declared themselves in no uncertain terms last summer, her plight was pitiable. There was no room for her at the sanatorium, and her father could not afford to pay a nurse. The doctor prescribed rest in bed until her fever was down, but Marjorie, tossing and fretting while her father was at work all day, had little chance to reduce a temperature. Neighbors were kind, but tuberculosis nursing was to them a sealed book. Then came Miss Gibbs, the visiting nurse. She gave Marjorie skilled care every day, taught her how she could hasten her own cure, and how

to make sure that infection from her disease did not menace her father, or others who came into the house. Today Marjorie takes the cure contentedly, happy in the daily visits of her new-found friend, and sure that health is once more on its way to her. Christmas seals made Miss Gibbs' visits possible. Christmas seals, which finance work of the Michigan Tuberculosis Association, will care for as many Marjories next year as you will allow them to. All they need is your pennies behind them.



**The Biggest Saws.**  
The world's biggest circular saws were made in Philadelphia. There are two of them, each measuring nine feet in diameter. Whirring at the rate of 134 miles an hour, they daily cut their way through giant logs at Hoquiam, Wash.

**Their History Lost.**  
When the people of northern Europe were living in reed huts the Mayas of Yucatan seem to have been on the verge of true civilization. The cause of their decline is unknown. When the conquistadores came, soon after the year 1500, their temples, palaces and cities were already in ruins.

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Cut out this slip, enclose with 5c to Foley & Co., 2835 Sheffield Ave., Chicago, Ill., writing your name and address clearly. You will receive in return a trial package containing Foley's Honey and Tar Compound, for coughs, colds and croup, Foley Kidney Pills and Foley Cathartic Tablets. Hite's Drug Store.—adv.

**Such Is Fame.**  
A famous bishop was waiting for his train in an out-of-the-way village when he saw a stranger eyeing him askance. Fearing he might be cutting a slight acquaintance, the bishop nodded to the man. "Excuse me, mister," said the possible acquaintance, "but I think I see your picture in the paper once." "Very probably," answered the bishop. "Kin I ask," the stranger inquired respectfully, "what wuz you cured of?"

**Mortality Statistics.**  
Phineas Shark, the eminent statistician and mathematician, estimates that if all the safety zones in the United States were placed side by side, there would still be pedestrians to stand outside of them and automobile drivers who would drive through them. —Detroit Motor News.

**Sport's "Papa."**  
Georgia, while at her father's garage, saw one of the workmen enter. His dog, pleased to see him, jumped up to his lap. Georgia looked on a moment and then remarked, "My, you love your papa, don't you, Sport?"

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15 PRISONERS AT MARQUETTE FLEE

TWO OF MEN WHO TUNNELED WAY THROUGH CONCRETE WALLS RECAPTURED.

GUARDS AND TROOPERS SEARCH

Five Lifers Among Fugitives; Escape Discovered When Count Is Taken At Night.

Marquette, Mich.—Troopers of three states, a squad of 20 prison guards, county officers throughout the upper peninsula and Canadian constables, early Monday, were continuing the search for 13 escaped convicts, five of them murderers, who had tunneled their way out of Marquette Branch prison Sunday afternoon. Two others of the delivery party, George Markwitz and James Martin, serving short terms, were recaptured Sunday evening.

Tunneling their way through three concrete walls, under a steel door and a heavy iron grating, the party of fifteen made its way through a narrow steam pipe passage, from one building to another until they had reached the quarters of the deputies.

Thick concrete walls had been built at regular intervals through the passage. These and the iron gratings and doors failed to halt the flight. Three times the convicts, using heavy iron bars, dug their way through the thick walls; once a hole, big enough for one man was dug under a steel door; and again they dug through the thick concrete floor to avoid a heavy iron grating.

The tunnel, only three feet square, led from building to building containing steam pipes. The first passage was to the administration building, and it was while working from their quarters in that direction that they encountered the first two walls. After carefully skirting their way behind apparatus in the basement of the administration building, they entered another tunnel leading across the prison yard. The fact that hot steam pipes filled a part of these narrow passages probably made their flight extremely difficult, officers say.

The final wall in their flight was encountered where they entered the basement under the deputies' quarters, which leads to the outside of the prison.

They were able to make their way through these quarters unobserved, force the bars from a lower window and escape. They were not missed until the convicts were being put into their cells for the night count, at 4:30 p. m. An alarm was sounded and prison guards, aided by the detachment of state troopers, started the search.

PEACE CONFERENCE HITS "SNAG"

President Declares Recent Election Forces Change in Policy.

Washington—President Harding wants it understood he has assumed active and energetic leadership of his party, and with it full responsibility for policies and such affirmative action as may mark the two remaining years of his administration.

Moreover, the generalship which Mr. Harding proposes to exercise will not be confined to the White House and the executive departments. It will extend to both the house and senate, legislative bodies which

to now have felt only lightly the weight of presidential influence.

This change of attitude on the part of the executive is the direct result of the congressional election, an election which to him proved beyond possible doubt congress has lost the confidence of the country and that his party as a whole will suffer the same loss unless it performs to better effect between now and 1924.

HARDING TO USE "BIG STICK"

French and English Said to Disagree On Near East Policy.

Lausanne—The Near East conference has broken down. Monday's meeting of the First, the political commission, to discuss the Turkish southern frontiers concerning Mosul, was cancelled. No date has been set for the next meeting.

A disagreement between the British and French as to what policy to pursue is given as the reason for the break. M. Barrere has demanded instructions from Premier Poincare in Paris as to what attitude to take, and whether to make concessions to reach an agreement with Lord Curzon, Lord Curzon's failure to reach a private Anglo-Turkish agreement on the Mosul oil fields with Ismet Pasha is another reason.

President to Back Compensation.

Washington—It has been said at the capital that the president, in conversation with a friend, had stated that he now believes the country wants the soldiers' bonus and this being so that there is no reason to delay the passage of the bill until the new congress meets. The president, it was said, based his opinion as to the country's position on the returns in Illinois, Iowa and Oklahoma, which states voted bonuses to their ex-service men.

Cause of Dew.

It was the terminal examination, and a budding philosopher concluded his essay on Mother Earth with this startling statement: "The earth revolves on its own axis 365 times in 24 hours. This rapid motion through space causes its sides to perspire; this is called dew."—London Tit-Bits.

"Aunt Dorothy."

The Dorotheum, known more familiarly as "Aunt Dorothy," is a state-owned pawnshop and auction room in Vienna, where a person can buy, sell or pawn almost anything. All classes use the Dorotheum.

Antiquity of Ocean Travel.

The records of Aegean civilization point to the great antiquity of sea travel. Neolithic settlements excavated in Crete are believed to have been established by tribes from North Africa prior to 10,000 B. C.

Only One of the Kind.

The globe fish, an inhabitant of tropical waters, is said to be the only member of the finny tribe that swims on its back.

Plants Store Sun's Heat.

Plants, by means of their greenness, are able to collect and store the heat of the sun.

TROUBLED WITH WEAK KIDNEYS

"I have been troubled with weak kidneys since childhood," writes Mrs. G. Hyde, Benzonia, Michigan. "Now past forty and have had terrible backache and that tired out feeling, hardly able to do my work. By using Foley Kidney Pills accompanied with Foley Cathartic Tablets I soon felt like a new person."—Hite's Drug Store.

1923 AUTO LICENSES ARE READY

Green and White Plates Manufactured in Jackson Prison.

Lansing—Michigan automobile license plates for 1923 will be green and white, according to announcement by Charles J. Doland, secretary of state. They are all ready for issuance, having been manufactured during the summer in the stamping plant at Jackson prison. The state will require 600,000 plates next year, according to estimates.

License plate number one will grace the car of Mr. Doland himself, and number two will go to Colman C. Vaughn of St. Johns, former secretary of state. O. B. Fuller, state auditor, has been granted plate number three, and Frank E. Gorman, state treasurer, number four.

\$670,000 PAID U. S. IN DISPUTE

Company Agrees To Pay That Price To Settle Controversy.

Washington—Settlement of a claim of the government growing of a war contract was reached with the agreement of the Derby Manufacturing company, of Derby, Conn., to pay \$670,000 into the United States treasury. A controversy arose from the sale by the Derby company of scrap copper left over from the manufacture of war munitions, the government claiming that the copper so disposed of must be replaced at current market prices.

"TIGER" PLEADS FOR FRANCE

Tells Boston Audience America Can't Desert War Associates.

Boston—Georges Clemenceau, the Tiger of France, stood in Massachusetts' historic Hall of Flags and cried out to America that she could not desert her war associates. "You are prisoners of your own nobleness," he declared. "You must remain what you are." The aged war premier of France received here the warmest reception he has been accorded since he landed at New York.

Perimutter Gets Another Name.

Brooklyn, N. Y.—Martin Perimutter obtained permission to change his name from Supreme Court Justice Gannon. Perimutter will be known as Paris. "The name Perimutter is not euphonious," Martin said. "It has been the subject of caricature; a writer of humorous fiction has been using the name 'Perimutter' to depict the character of a foreigner whose use of the English language has provoked laughter, and the said name is now held up to ridicule."

Aunt Ada's Axioms.

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Cucumbers Long Enjoyed.

Cucumbers were known to the ancients, being mentioned by Virgil and other writers. They were first cultivated in England in 1533, having been introduced from Holland.

Works Well Both Places.

It is said the Swiss yodel was invented centuries ago for the purpose of calling cows into the stable, but the fact that it would call people into a Chautauqua tent wasn't discovered until a few years ago.

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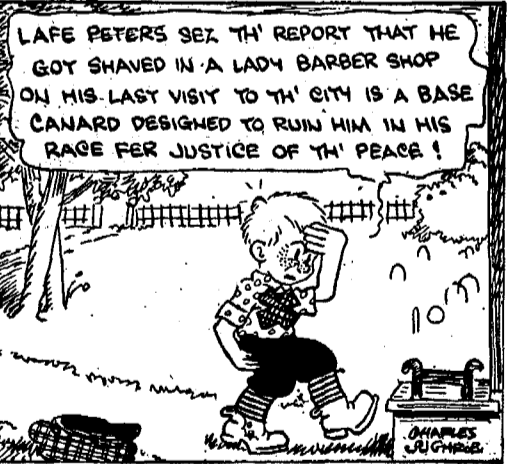
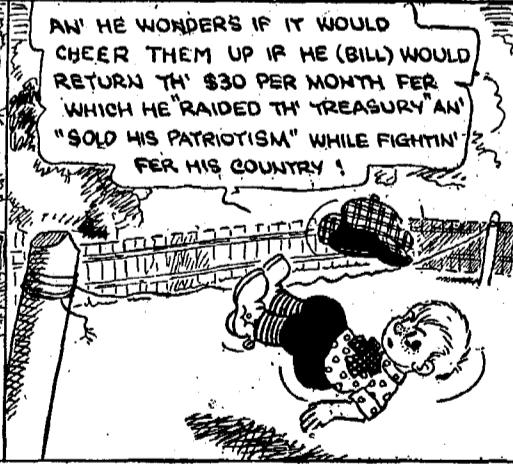
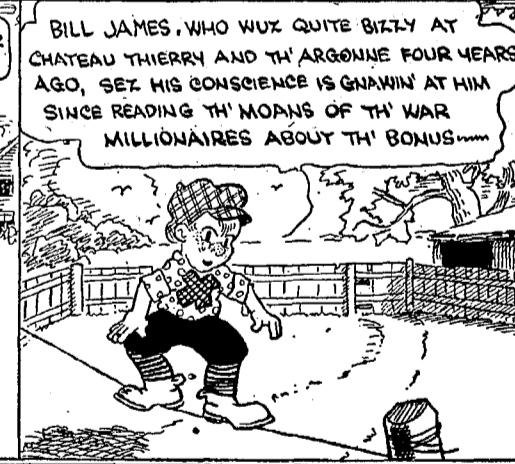
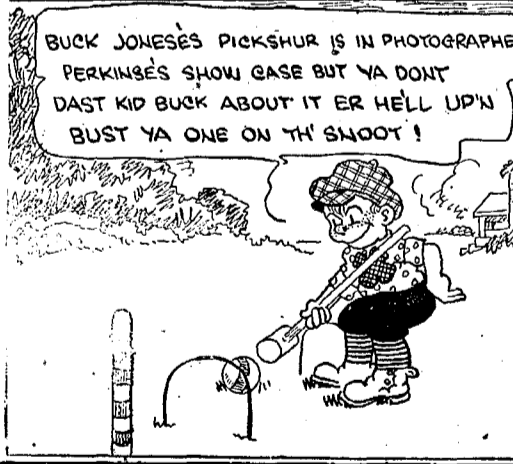
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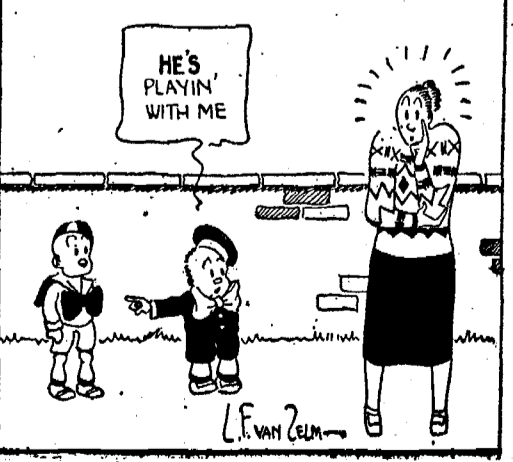
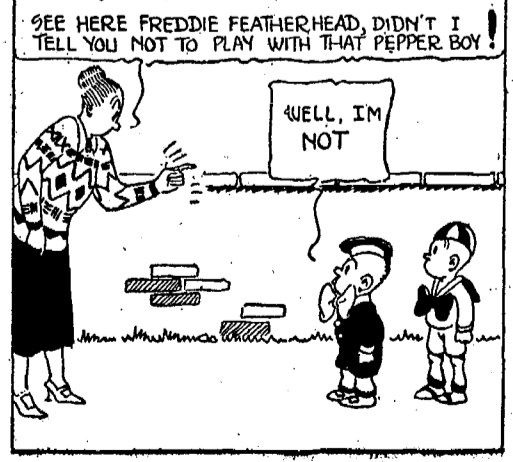
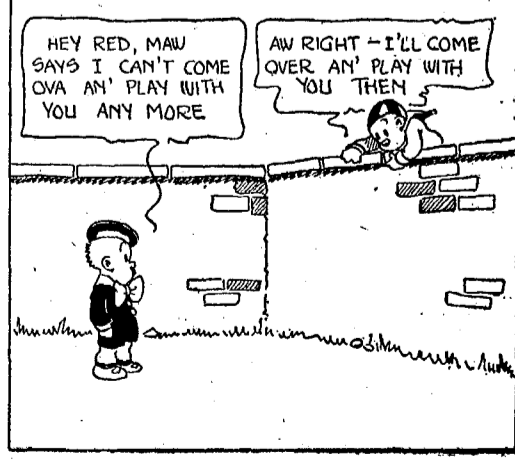
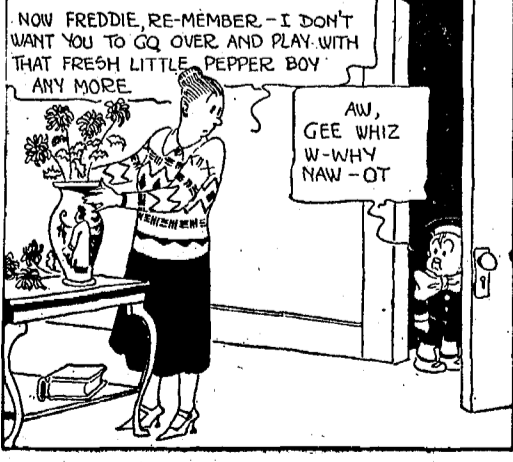
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