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## Fire Destroys Clarion Stores

Charlevoix County Village Hard Hit Saturday Last.

A disastrous fire at about eleven o'clock Saturday night totally destroyed the hotel of G. W. Taylor and the general store and garage of Barney Kleinhenz at Clarion, Melrose township, Charlevoix County. These were practically the only business places in the village, which is now without a store of any kind.

The fire is thought to have started in the garage, and spread rapidly to the store and hotel, both two-story frame structures. A large force of volunteer fire fighters, including members of the Petoskey fire department and others from this city, worked bravely to check the spread of the flames and were able to save the depot, working with buckets and snow shovels, the only implements available.

Mr. and Mrs. Taylor, who were the only occupants of the hotel at the time, were able to save but few of their belongings, and nothing was saved from the store and garage.

The losses are said to be partly covered by insurance, but no information could be obtained as to whether the structures will be rebuilt or not.—Petoskey Evening News.

## EAST JORDAN DEFEATED AT TRAVERSE CITY LAST FRIDAY NIGHT

East Jordan was bigger, but St. Francis was better, and the Traverse City Catholic quintet won a nerve-wracker 9 to 8, in the last thirty seconds of play at the Eleventh street gym Friday night. It was the fiercest, most closely contested basket ball game of the 1926 season on local floors. The score was tied twice for minutes at a time. One point separated the warring factions throughout most of the final quarter. It was nobody's game until the last whistle, which found the lads of Coach Shumsky desperately stalling with a precarious single point advantage—that meant victory.

In the first period, after Traverse had missed the first chance at a foul shot, and East Jordan failed to sink four in a row, Best, the visiting right forward shot one out of a melee near the basket that passed through the ring. A few moments later, Bert Cook took a pass from Ray Moran and sank a shot from the side that tied the tally at two-all for the quarter.

Moran shot a low drive to Emerson when the second period was nicely under way, and the captain connected with one close up, giving Traverse a lead that was held a few minutes, until Johnson slipped through a long shot that made the count at the half four apiece.

After the ten-minute rest, the youngsters took an early third-quarter advantage when Best snared the only other East Jordan deuce, and Taylor registered a pair from the foul line, doubling the score on the Catholics, 8 to 4, at the end of the quarter. And it looked like a million.

Score by quarters:

East Jordan 2 2 5 0-8

St. Francis 2 2 0 5-9

EAST JORDAN

F.G. F.T. P.

Best, f 2 0 0

Johnson, f (c) 1 0 1

Shedina, c 0 0 1

Snyder, g 0 0 1

Taylor, g 0 2 0

ST. FRANCIS

F.G. F.T. P.

Cook, f 1 0 1

Moran, f 1 0 1

Emerson, c (c) 1 1 0

Verreau, g 0 0 1

Dockery, g 1 0 1

Record-Eagle, Traverse City.

## Scout Orders

1. Troop and Cubs attached to the Troop, will meet at 6:30 sharp. Every boy who has not yet registered, and who wishes to remain in the Troop, must bring 50c registration dues immediately.

6:30-6:50 Drill and Setting-ups.

6:50-7:10 Bugle and Drum practice.

Semaphore Signals.

7:10-7:30 Radio Signals. Patrol Methods.

7:30 First Aid.

7:30 Basket Ball.

HENRY HILES, Scoutmaster.

## Presbyterians and Methodists Win

The Methodists slugged their way out of the cellar position by handling the K. P.'s and 8-14 beating at the High School Gym last Monday evening. Both teams played generally tight fielding games, but the hitting was vicious on both sides, with the Methodists delivering in the pinches to better advantage than the K. P.'s. N. Whiteford pitched his best game of the season and had good support behind him. Kowalske did the heavy work for the K. P.'s also getting five hits to his credit for his five trips to the plate.

Below is the lineup:

K. P.'s.	Methodists
F. Vogel	C. Swafford
B. Benson	N. Whiteford
I. Kling	C. Hayes
H. Whiteford	D. Best
H. McKinnon	D. Bennett
G. Bulow	V. Barnett
H. Kowalske	J. Gleason
	H. Snyder
	V. Shepard

In the second game of the evening, the Presbyterians pulled a big surprise on the strong Holy Name team by putting in a High School boy as pitcher. This manly young man by the name of Erling Johnson stood up before the strong attack of the Holy Name for ten innings and at the end of the game he had nineteen strikeouts to his credit.

The game proved one of the best of the season and was the first game to go into extra innings. Two times there were men on bases with the score tied and a third man struck out. Both teams played well behind the pitcher. Frank Nachazel throwing for the Holy Name had his usual amount of steam and an unusual assortment of slow balls, fooling the Presbyterians a number of times on them. Below is the lineup of the game.

Presbyterians	Holy Name
Malpass	Nachazel
Taylor	Green
Johnson	St. Charles
Seiler	Weisler
Duncanson	Farmer
Suellenberger	Supernaw
Davis	Kenny
Wells	Drinan

	Standing	Won	Lost	Percentage
Holy Name	6	2	75	
Firemen	5	2	71	
Masons	3	4	43	
Presbyterians	3	5	37	
K. P.'s.	3	5	37	
Methodists	3	5	37	

Next Monday evening, Feb'y 22nd, the Firemen play the Holy Name in the first game at 7:00 o'clock, and the Masons play the Methodists at 8:15.

## Stream Orders In Print Soon

Will List Hundreds of Trout Streams Open to Fishermen.

Order of the state conservation commission at Lansing, under the discretionary power act are to be published this week opening hundreds of trout streams throughout the upper and lower peninsula to fishermen when the season opens May 1.

This action follows another order issued late last year closing all trout streams in the state. The purpose was to prevent fishing in so-called "feeder streams" which it was found impossible to designate by name. Under the new orders, practically all main streams in the state are opened. The list is subject to revision. It was prepared following hearings in various sections of the state an inaccuracies which will be discovered after the list is printed are anticipated.

In thirty-six counties all streams are open. Streams in Baraga and Houghton counties are all closed. The rivers and creeks not classified as feeder streams and opened by the commission order in the nearby counties and in Charlevoix are as follows:

Charlevoix: Horton, Monroe, McGeogh, Inrood, Deer, Potters Creek and Jordan river. Parts of Boyne, Bear and Sturgeon rivers.

Autrim: Torch and Elk rivers and parts of Cedar, Green Gold and Orr Creeks.

According to Mr. Andrews, the government is not at all satisfied that all the moisture in Chicago comes from Lake Michigan.

Probably Mr. Burbank lost his faith in a hereafter when he heard that somebody in Florida succeeded in taking the smell out of the onion.

## George Washington, Jr.



## Mrs. Simon P. Jones Passes Away

Mrs. Simon P. Jones passed away at her home on the West Side, Monday evening, Feb'y 15th.

Her death was caused from a fall down stairs at 2:00 a. m., the previous Friday, in which she received a fractured skull and several ribs. It is thought she was walking while asleep. She had been suffering for some time from sugar diabetes.

Caroline Showalter was born in Thorncreek Township, Whiting Co., Ind., June 12, 1851, her parents being Mr. and Mrs. John Showalter.

On Nov. 18, 1866 she was united in marriage to Simon P. Jones in Allen Co., Ind. They resided there until 1871, when they moved to Beaver township, Newaygo Co., Michigan and in 1878 they moved to Leppitt township, Oceana Co. and resided there until they moved to East Jordan in 1921.

Ten children were born to this union, of which seven are living. Deceased is survived by the husband and the following sons and daughters:—Mrs. Edna Bayle, Beaver township, Newaygo Co.; Howard N. Jones, Leppitt township, Oceana Co.; Mrs. Edith Gleason, Beaver township, Newaygo Co.; Mrs. Ethel Richmond, Sedro Woolley, Wash.; Mrs. Ephemia, Baker, East Jordan; Walter Jones, East Jordan; Mrs. Everal Flannery, Troy township, Newaygo Co. Also by thirty-seven grand-children and forty-five great-grandchildren. Also two sisters—Mrs. Jennie Larvie and Mrs. Mary Bennett, both of Hesperia, Oceana Co.

Funeral services were held from her late home Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock, conducted by Rev. L. L. Rawlings, pastor of the Church of God. The remains, accompanied by her son, Walter Jones, were taken to Leppitt township, Oceana Co. and interment at the Abscon Cemetery.

## Bank Checks To Be Reformed

Details of the agreement reached among banking and other interests to replace the thousands of sizes and designs of bank checks in common use by a few standard types have been announced by Frank W. Simmons, deputy manager of the American Bankers Association which has taken a leading part in the movement.

"Bank checks settle ninety-six per cent of all our business transactions," Mr. Simmons said. "Expences amounting to millions annually can be saved through universal adoption of standardized forms to replace thousands of sizes, shapes and styles in common use. Also business will be materially facilitated and a cause of error obviated by elimination of the mystifying myriads of checks with their bewildering diversity not only of essential data, but also of individual decorations; trade-marks and other adornments.

"A widely representative group has organized a nation-wide movement for this end.

"An agreement has been reached whereby bank checks and other commercial paper are to be made to conform to the following specifications: bank drafts, certificates of deposit, cashier's checks, special or individual checks, customers' drafts and other similar instruments, notes, trade acceptances, voucher checks when folded,

collateral notes, and special notes when folded, all to be 3 1/2 by 8 1/2 inches, pocket checks, 2 1/2 by 6 1/2 inches; end stubs for pocket checks when not interleaved, 2 1/2 by 2 1/2 inches in width, including binder margin; customers' checks and counter checks, 3 1/8 by 8 1/2 inches; deposit slips, 3 1/2 by 6 7/8 inches. General production of these simplified sizes will be effective March 1, 1926."—Michigan Manufacture and Financial Record.

## How It Works In Quebec Province

Dr. Ben Spence of Canada is in an address in Buffalo last week, in discussing the government control plan in operation in the province of Quebec, said: "The Quebec system advocated by Dr. Nicholas Murray Butler is one of the vilest systems of retail liquor selling existent anywhere." To Dr. Butler's claim that there are no saloons in Quebec, Mr. Spence rejoined that in the cities of that province the beer cafes are practically "the old back-rooms of the American saloons without their semi-respectable fronts." It is a paltry play upon the words to say that there are no saloons in Quebec. To visit these beer cafes of Hull, Montreal, Quebec and other places and see the guzzling crowds swilling themselves into maudlin intoxication, and then when the hour of closing comes to see them staggering, cursing, pouring out into the streets of the city, and then to read Dr. Butler's statement that this is a democratic and ethical solution, is to come to the conclusion that the writer either is greatly ignorant or maliciously untruthful." Citing the authority of a leading Montreal paper, the Standard, Dr. Spence declared that the Quebec system has not decreased but has multiplied blind pigs in Montreal, that it has baffled police enforcement efforts, created a system of illegal selling and that in raids upon liquor places young girls of good family have been sodden with liquor.

In Manitoba where "moderation" has superseded prohibition, Mr. Spence said the radical labor element is fighting the "booze ring" in order to prevent its debauchery of the working class and their children.

"Labor under prohibition," he said, quoting a labor article, "received a new vision and was not slow in demanding higher culture standards. But when booze was once again accessible and the law let down barriers to the bootleggers, the laborer immediately began to dope himself in the old way.

In Alberta and Saskatchewan where beer is sold by the glass in hotels, the speaker declared women frequent beer parlors at almost every hour of the day. The bootlegger and the illicit still, he said, have not been banished by the government but are operating in channels throughout the province that were closed while Canada was dry. Dr. Spence warned the United States against moderation and modification and the return of beer and wine under any guise. He said emphatically:

The lesson from Canada where the brewers have overthrown prohibition is plain to the United States. It is impossible to remedy the drink evil by providing alcoholic beverages. You can not cure a disease by spreading germs. You must eradicate them.

Your resolutions for 1926 should be one-twelfth accomplished.

Many a June bride in this Republic has already picked her groom.

## Boyne City Masons Win From E. J.

Over one hundred Masons from Boyne City accompanied their ball team to East Jordan Wednesday night for their game with the East Jordan Masonic Indoor team, and were rewarded by seeing one of the scrappiest indoor games played on the local floor this year. The game was very hotly contested up to the beginning of the seventh inning when Boyne City took a brace and went on a batting spree and secured seven runs. This was not due entirely to Sedgman's pitching as the support behind him weakened. In the eighth inning Boyne City started another rally but was checked before they got too far, but when the smoke cleared away they had secured eleven runs in the seventh and eighth innings which was enough to win most any game alone. The game was well played by both teams with no particular man standing out as a star. Mellenkamp, Tooley and Jersey for Boyne City seemed to have the best batting eye for their team. Saffron pitched a very strong game for Boyne City having the East Jordan team pretty well in hand at all times.

Sedgman pitched his usually good game but due to poor support in the seventh and eighth inning and the breaks of the game going against him, he lost out. As a whole, the team did not play up to their usual form and one or two men seemed to be out of their regular position.

As a whole, the game went off in fine style. Good sportsmanship was shown by both teams. The crowd seemed well pleased and by Boyne City winning this game it will make another gain possible at Boyne City in the near future to play off the tie. Games such as these are well worth while as they create a good feeling between our neighboring towns and ourselves and presents an opportunity for an evening of clean, wholesome rivalry. Jack McKinnon and Mr. Green from Boyne City handled the game to the entire satisfaction of both teams and of the crowd. The East Jordan High School Band was out and provided their usual good music and a number of comments were heard from our visitors regarding the fine showing of our High School Band. After the game Boyne City team and their guests were entertained at the Masonic Hall with a light lunch. Below is the score and lineup:

Boyne City	Beckley, Duigood, L. S.
Jersey, L. F.	Mellenkamp, R. S.
Tooley, C.	Saffron, P.
McCloskey, 3rd.	J. Dean, Baker, R. F.
Tooley, Barker, 2nd.	Kuhns, Major, 1st.
East Jordan	Watson, R. S.
Shay, 3rd.	Ellis, C.
Bechtold, 1st.	Silver, 2nd.
Cornell, L. S.	Duncanson, L. F.
Jacklin, R. F.	Sedgman, P.
Boyne City—16.	East Jordan—12.

## Plan To Accredite 5 Million Chicks

That about five million baby chicks will be certified this spring by the Michigan Poultry Improvement Association is indicated by records in the office of J. A. Hannah, secretary of the association and extension specialist in poultry at the Michigan State College.

Inspectors, who work under the joint supervision of the poultry association and the poultry department at M. S. C. have been out in the state since last November. More than 300,000 hens have been inspected in about 2,500 different flocks. It is said that 78 commercial hatcheries in the state, with a combined hatching capacity of three million eggs at one setting, have signed the certification agreements with the poultry association.

Assurance for the purchaser that he is securing baby chicks of high quality stock is said to be the chief aim of the certification plan. General encouragement of strict honesty on the part of all poultry leaders is expected to follow the work of the association. "Truth in Advertising" will be insisted upon vigorously.

A tolerant man always looked for the other side; an intolerant man seeks a liar.

## Sweet Clover Best Pasture

Strongly Recommended By Mr. J. G. Wells at Feeding Schools

Sweet Clover is the most profitable pasture for cows, according to Mr. J. G. Wells, Extension Specialist in Dairy, who spoke at three dairy feeding meetings conducted by County Agent Mellenkamp, at Charlevoix, East Jordan and Boyne City.

It stands the most grief of any pasture, grows the most rapidly and furnishes the most feed per acre. In addition, it is easy to get a stand and due to it being only a two year crop, works in well with a crop rotation. As a result, it is superior to alfalfa, which is more easily trampled and killed and does not produce as much growth.

The average cow is under fed in the period just before grass pasture in the spring and again during August, September and October, after the June grass and pasture of a similar nature dries up and before the cow is fed a winter ration. To have plenty of good palatable feed at those two periods, should be the aims of the dairyman hoping to make money. Sweet Clover is just the crop for the above named conditions, as it can be seeded with Oats in the spring and then utilized for pasture after the Oats are taken off for a period of two months or so, immediately after the June grass dries and before the cows are fed their winter ration. The only thing to watch out for is to leave around a six inch growth in order to hold a snow covering for protection in the winter time. Then the Clover pasture comes on as soon as grass in the spring and can be pastured straight through to the end of the crop, or the cattle can be taken from the field at seeding time and the crop will re-seed itself. If short on hay, one cutting of hay can be secured and still get quite a large amount of pasture.

Then again the cows can be left on the pasture all summer and the remains can be plowed under for a green manuring crop, which is a wonderful soil-builder. It is doubtful if any other crop can be used for as many purposes as Sweet Clover and at the end of the crop, leave the soil in as good, if not better condition, than when first sowed. Why not use Sweet Clover in this way?

Mr. Wells stated that the average cow produces only 160 pounds of butter fat in a year, which means only around \$30.00 net profit, while the average cow in the cow-testing association produce 293 pounds of butterfat, which means approximately \$70.00 net profit. There are two ways of making more money out of cows, one is to increase the quality of the product, the other to increase production. Figures from 18,000 cows in cow-test ass'n show that the greater the production, the greater the profits. A 100 pound fat cow, only makes \$11.00 net profit, while a 200 pound cow makes \$42.00, a 300 pound cow makes \$73.00 and a 400 pound cow returns \$108.00. It can be readily noted that as the production is doubled the returns are nearly four times and as the production is trebled, the profits are nearly seven times greater. Therefore, why not sell the poor cows for meat and feed the better cow better and reap higher returns?

The importance of the right amount of minerals in the ration, was also emphasized.

As a result of conducting a mineral feeding experiment at M. S. C. it has been found that the average cow in need of calcium and phosphorus, in addition to what is received from the regular hay and grain feeds. Steamed bone meal is the best agency to supply these needs, as it contains both of the necessary elements and is not injurious. The easiest way is to add two pounds bone meal to every 100 pounds of grain mixture and this will insure more milk and a healthier cow.

Many commercial mineral mixes are sold on the market to take care of the cows needs, but the experiment being conducted, thus far shows that instead of being of benefit, they have proven injurious for the five cows fed this ration, gave less milk and none of the calves lived longer than twelve days after birth. While this experiment has not been run long enough to be absolutely accurate, the results are in conformance with the opinion of our most noted dairy authorities.

Space does not permit a discussion of all the other valuable suggestions given the dairymen by Mr. Wells, but anyone missing these meetings lost a fine opportunity to increase the efficiency of their feeding program.

B. C. MELLENCAMP, Co. Agr'l Agent.

# 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

**"NEW MAPS OF CHARLEVOIX COUNTY,"** also of individual Townships, Cities, Villages and Plats may be secured at the CHARLEVOIX ABSTRACT and ENGINEERING COMPANY, Charlevoix, Michigan, 82.

**BIRDS FOR SALE**—California Rollers, \$3.00 each. MRS. MAURICE GEE, 7-3.

**HAY FOR SALE**—Both Baled and loose. Phone 167F 5. WM. SEVERANCE, Route 5, East Jordan. 7x6

**CHERRYVALE HATCHERY**—Baby chicks every week from March to July. Commercial hatching \$3.00 per hundred. Phone 166F 2, AL WARD 7 t.f.

**HAY FOR SALE**—C. J. MALPASS, 6t.f

**FOR SALE**—Baled Alfalfa Hay. Inquire of ROBERT CARSON, East Jordan Route 5. Phone 167F 22. 6x6

**FRESH COWS FOR SALE.** Your choice from eleven head. FRANK REBEC, Route 4, East Jordan. 5x3

Before you dispose of your HIDES and FURS it would pay you to call the BOYNE CITY HIDE AND FUR CO., as the market is going up and hides are going up every day—Phone 204. 1 t.f.

Sell your VEAL and CHICKENS to C. J. MALPASS. 15 t.f.

## PLEASANT HILL

Dear Editor:—Have you a place in your paper to print a few items for our corner.

Sunday School attendance was 24. Mrs. Vance is improving. Farmers are drawing wood.

Had a birthday party at Winford Batterbee's. Quite a good number was out. refreshments, played games, had a good enjoyable time. About 35 were there.

Pleasant Hill S. S. Supt.—A. H.

## An Appreciation

We wish to express our sincere appreciation of the many acts of kindness extended us by friends during the loss of our beloved father, Joseph Zoulek.

Mrs. Blanche DeLaurentis  
 Mrs. Jennie Venicombe  
 Mrs. Emma Monk.

Pay your bills before you make more.

Advertising a town is fine; making the town is better.

If you want to see the well known editorial smile walk into the sanctum and greet us, "here's the money I owe on that subscription."

## STATE NEWS IN BRIEF

**Grand Rapids**—Custody of his child, whose birth is expected next June, is asked in a bill for divorce filed in superior court by Victor Rowe against Laura Rowe. They were married less than a year ago. Cruelty and desertion are alleged.

**Ann Arbor**—In an effort to bring real estate dealers of the state together to discuss problems relating to the professions, real estate brokers and subdividers of the state will meet in a practical conference here at the University of Michigan Union, Feb. 24 and 25. The conference will be under joint auspices of the school of business administration and the Michigan Real Estate Association.

**Battle Creek**—Ira N. Moore, identified with the beginnings of three Battle Creek concerns: The Union Steam Pump Company, American Steam Pump Company and the Old Advance Pump and Compressor Company, an inventor of marked genius and a pioneer resident of Battle Creek, is dead here at the age of 75. He was long the vice-president of the Union Steam Pump Company.

**Ann Arbor**—Sir Robert A. Falconer, president of the University of Toronto, will be the principal speaker of the convocation services of the University of Michigan that will be held here the morning of Feb. 22 in commemoration of Washington's birthday, according to a decision reached by the deans of the university. The purpose of the convocation is to bring a prominent educator or lecturer before the students each year.

**Kalamazoo**—Legislation to prevent further bottle losses will be the object of a campaign inaugurated here by the Michigan Allied Dairy Association at its forty-second annual convention. Many large distributors throughout the state, it was reported, are reporting heavy losses in their bottle, case and can department. Many unscrupulous dealers, it was charged, are operating with bottles and other equipment belonging to their competitors.

**Grand Rapids**—Charles F. Garratt and Mrs. Annie M. Garratt, widow of Thomas F. Garratt, have disposed of the Michigan Chair Company of this city for a consideration of approximately \$1,000,000. The identity of the purchasers is being withheld. The greater portion of the stock subsequently was acquired by Thomas Garratt and passed to his widow and son, Charles, at his death in 1922. The company is one of the largest concerns in Grand Rapids.

**Grand Rapids**—The Michigan Title Co., which seeks to make photostatic copies of the original deeds, mortgages, liens and other records, including abstracts, in the register of deeds' office so that it can establish an insurance of title business, was informed by the board of supervisors that the county's price is \$240,000. This price includes the right of the county, should the original deeds be destroyed, to make copies of the copies held by the title company if the latter accepts the proposition.

**Pontiac**—Oakland County's new \$300,000 infirmary, built on the county owned farm of 137 acres just west of the city limits has been opened formally. The infirmary is said to be the last word in an institution designed for the care of the indigent. One hundred and twenty-five inmates will be housed. A feature of the building is the two-story glassed in and heated corridors around a court in the center of the building. Summer and winter the aged inmates can enjoy the air and sunshine in these corridors.

**Jackson**—State Senator Burney E. Brower of Jackson has announced formally that he will be a candidate for the Republican nomination for attorney general of Michigan. "Michigan needs a new criminal code," Senator Brower says. "I assisted in the passage of a resolution by the legislature of 1921 requesting the attorney general to prepare and submit to the legislature as soon as possible a revision and codification of the laws relating to crimes and criminal procedure, but no such codification has been submitted."

**Ann Arbor**—Outlining the value of the biologist to the lawyer and pointing out imminent legal problems in connection with the development of birth control, Dr. Clarence Cook Little, president of the University of Michigan, spoke to the senior law students of the university at an informal banquet here. Dr. Little explained the legal difficulties to be surmounted by the advocates of birth control and pointed out the part to be played by these students graduating in the near future from the law schools of the country.

**Lansing**—William Laird, prosecutor of Washtenaw County, has been asked by the attorney general's department to proceed as soon as possible with the trial of three men held on murder charges in Ypsilanti. The request was the result of a petition from Ypsilanti citizens, who claimed Laird is unwilling to try the cases. The letter sent to Laird today declared that the attorney general's department has found there is reasonable cause to believe the prisoners are guilty and the facts should be submitted to a jury as soon as possible.

**Gobles**—Representative John C. Ketchum, Fourth Michigan district, recommended to the postoffice department that H. E. McElheny be reappointed postmaster here.

**Trenton**—The Citizens and the Peoples parties of this place cast the largest vote in the history of the village in the primary election Monday. The final contests will be held March 8.

**Lansing**—The state conservation commission has opened a majority of the main streams to trout fishing, increased the number of streams restricted to flies, and decided to hold the trout limit this year to 15, with 25 in possession.

**Bay City**—Richard Fletcher, former state labor commissioner and once a candidate for the Republican gubernatorial nomination, has notified County Clerk C. L. Fox to withdraw his name as a candidate for county road commissioner, for which a petition had been filed.

**Coldwater**—Mrs. Frances Smallshaw, 65 years old, widow of John Smallshaw, prominent manufacturer and member of the city council for several years, is dead at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Hugh Vanaken. She leaves one other daughter, Mrs. Edward V. Hanley, and one son, John M. Smallshaw, of Milwaukee, Wis.

**Grand Rapids**—Anton Yakubickis, 13 years old, son of Michael Yakubickis, is at the Butterworth Hospital in a serious condition as the result of an explosion of a shotgun cartridge he was holding in his hand. He is unable to tell how the shell exploded. He suffered severe injuries to his right eyes and both hands were cut.

**Kalamazoo**—An organization to be known as the Michigan Sheriffs' association was formed here at a meeting attended by sheriffs and under-sheriffs from 14 counties in central, southern and southwestern Michigan. The organization's membership is to consist of sheriffs, under-sheriffs, salaried deputies and not more than six members of the state police representing the various departments of public safety.

**Lansing**—Re-organization of the forest fire prevention and fighting system was approved here by the conservation commission. The move which follows the discharge or demotion of six district fire wardens was recommended by the forest fire committee. Three airplanes are to be purchased for patrolling the upper peninsula and the northern section of the lower peninsula with bases at Marquette and St. Ignace according to the plans.

**Monroe**—Striking a rich vein of gold 450 miles north of Winnipeg, Canada, located in the bottom of an old river bed, was the good fortune of Merton Dewey, 23 years old, former resident of this city and a son of William Dewey, according to word received here by a relative, Roland Dewey, a mail carrier here. A claim for the gold vein has been filed with the Canadian government. The vein was discovered by Merton Dewey while on a scouting expedition.

**Kalamazoo**—A will of only eight words, probably the shortest ever filed in Kalamazoo county has been admitted to probate by Judge John L. Hollander. It is that of Orin M. Gates of Fulton, who died December 26, 1925 and who disposed of \$14,000 in personal property with the wording: "Settle it according to the laws of Michigan." The testator's son, Walter, and daughter, Mrs. Anna B. Gibson, of Grand Rapids, are the only heirs. The son was appointed executor.

**Lansing**—Michigan will file a separate suit in the United States supreme court seeking to restrain the Chicago sanitary district from diverting water from the Great Lakes, it was announced by Attorney-General Andrew B. Dougherty. This state will institute individual action rather than intervene with Wisconsin, Minnesota, Pennsylvania and Ohio because of some points Michigan wishes to go slightly farther than the action already started by them, the attorney general said.

**Lansing**—The Genesee Church of Christ and the Central Church of Christ became one organization as the result of a merger action taken after several months of negotiations. Rev. J. Allen Canby, who recently took charge of the Genesee church, will continue here while Rev. C. A. Watkins, former pastor of the Central Church will take up work in another city. Erection of a church has been approved by the board of trustees and it is expected work on the building will start in the spring.

**Detroit**—"The average earnings in one year of the 1,070 handicapped persons in Michigan returned in the last four years to remunerative employment by skilled treatment, was 11 times the amount spent on the average case," said Percy Angrove, of Lansing, at the sixth annual meeting of the Michigan Society for Crippled Children in Hotel Statler Monday afternoon. "Rehabilitating a crippled child or adult merely means piling back on the tracks, a derailed machine and enabling it to proceed under its own power," Mr. Angrove continued.

**Houghton**—The problem of working out methods to utilize the high sulphur ores of the Michigan iron mines rears with the Michigan College of Mines and an executive sub-committee, following the close of a conference on the subject of utilization of low grade ore, called by President W. O. Hochkiss, of the Michigan College of Mines. The conference decided to attack the sulphur-ore problem first. The committee will gather data on similar research attempts before meeting again in Houghton in July or August to map out the next steps in its campaign.

## Trains for Walk Match.



Gordon Goodwin of England, who placed second to Ugo Frigerio of Italy in the 10,000 meters Olympic walk in 1924, has been training at Fordham university for his match with Willie Plant and other American walkers.

**Extinct Indian Tribe**  
 Biloxi was a small Siouan tribe formerly living in southern Mississippi, now nearly or quite extinct. The first direct notice of the Biloxi is that by Irvill, who found them in 1699 about Biloxi bay, on the gulf coast of Mississippi, in connection with two other small tribes, the Paskagula and Mococti, the three together numbering only about twenty cabins.

**Athletic Advantages**  
 "I'm sure Bob's training is going to help a lot," said the prospective bride. "It has taught him to like a cold bath morning." "Of what advantage is that?" inquired her chum. "Why, anyone who likes things cold in the morning won't mind getting up and looking after the fires."—Boston Transcript.

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**Education An Opportunity**

Not long ago the students in a certain small college in Michigan arose to protest against what they believed to be unfair markings by the faculty for class attendance, contending that when sickness or some other legitimate reason made class attendance impossible some distinction should be made between that and the student who deliberately failed to be in his place in the classroom. Indignation meetings were held on the campus, fiery speeches were made and a manifesto prepared and sent to the college president demanding an answer. His reply leveled their protest as grain is leveled before the reaper's scythe—from that time on class attendance in that college was to be voluntary in all grades.

That college president was wise in his day and generation. He realized that compulsory attendance had failed to breed moral courage and self-discipline into the student who had to be driven to his work. He pointed out that the time had come when the purposeless and indifferent were to be weeded out; when those who came to play would be given plenty of rope with which to accomplish their purpose. Education, he told them, was an opportunity and not an obligation, and that back home parents were sacrificing to make that opportunity for them possible. He put them upon their honor and it is needless to say that class attendance and interest in their work by the students has taken a decided forward step in that institution.

**Credit To Prohibition**

James E. Kinney, president of the Central Ohio First Mortgage Company, of Columbus, speaking of the influence prohibition has had upon the work of his company, says:

I have no objection to being quoted as saying that prohibition has given the business of building and loan associations a decided forward impetus. The effort is noticeable both on the regularity and size of payments on loans and in the building up of savings accounts. It is my opinion that the general prosperity of the country has been developed and improved and more people have obtained homes since prohibition than would have been the case in a period twice as long as before prohibition. It never occurs to me that the country will ever again sanction the traffic in liquor because of the blight it would cast on the very satisfactory business conditions which prevail today.

**No Wet Country Can Equal It**

The Savings Bank Journal announces that during 1925 the people of dry United States increased their savings to more than \$24,000,000,000, and of the estimated population of 112,000,000 men, women and children, more than one-third maintained savings accounts. The average of the savings is \$529, the greatest in history. The people spend money, too. Dry America had 3,000,000 more passenger automobiles in 1925, while more homes were built in 1925 than in any previous year. What wet country in the world can make such a showing?

**Auto Output Breaks Record**

The automobile industry of the United States broke all production records in 1925. According to figures made public January 22 by the Department of Commerce, the output of passenger cars in this country reached a total of 2,678,327, while 474,923 trucks were turned out in the twelve months. A measure of the automobile industry's growth is obtained by recalling that only twenty years ago, in 1905, the entire output of all the automotive plants in both the United States and Canada was exactly 25,000.

Here is a splendid argument against the return of the liquor traffic. There is not room on the public highways for both gasoline and beverage alcohol. The people have to make the choice between automobiles and saloons and they will never give up the automobile.

Our idea of a regular fellow is the cashier who allows our bank account to become a trifle lop-sided at times.

The end of the coal strike must have been a relief to our army of aviators. They won't think that every city they come to now is Pittsburg.

Now that the coal strike is settled, isn't it about time that somebody started raising the price of sugar or gasoline? We'd hate to have the ultimate consumer feel that he was being neglected.

**Safety Last**

Lies slumbering here one, William Lake; he heard the bell, but had no brake.

At 50 miles drove Allie Pidd; he thought he wouldn't but did.

At 90 miles drove Eddie Shawn; the motor stopped, but "Ed" kept on.

Here he sleeps, one Johnny Fonger; he rounded a turn without a honker.

Down in the creek sleeps Jerry Bass; the bridge was narrow; he tried to pass.

Beneath this stone sleeps William Raines; ice on the hill; he had no chains.

Here lies the body of William Jay, he died maintaining his right-of-way.

And here's what's left of Samuel Small; he paid no attention to "slow" signs a-tall.

Here lies what's left of Harry; at the railroad crossing he did not tarry.

John William Jones lies under this thistle; he didn't hear the choo-choo's whistle.

**Roads Make For Unity**

Students of American history ascribe as one of the causes of the Civil war the absence of railroads north and south.

Most of the roads before 1860 ran east and west, few north and south. Consequently the two sections lacked facilities for inter-communication and a better understanding.

The present network of railroads and State highways, making travel by train and touring by automobiles easy, is doing much to knit this country into closer unity.

The closer in touch the different parts of the country are the less foolish sectionalism there will be.

**"Not Fit For Presentation"**

Many people will agree that one half of the present day moving picture plays "are not fit for presentation" and all of them will be surprised to know that this is the statement of Jesse Lasky an executive official of one of the largest producing concerns in the United States.

Mr. Lasky says that this state of affairs exists because the public does not support a better type of moving pictures. He says that he likes the idea of appealing to the children but that such productions meet with nothing like the success that is accorded less worth-while films and it is the opinion that until the public is educated to higher standards, there will be no better films.

As an example, he stated that Maeterlinck's "Bluebird" failed to achieve popularity and while Sir James M. Barrie's "Peter Pan" was successful the author's "A Kiss for Cinderella" was unprofitable. Plans for a special Christmas picture in 1926 to be written by Barrie had to be abandoned for this reason.

People who criticize the tendency of moving pictures to exploit crime and salacious themes should cheerfully support the efforts of producers who attempt meritorious productions. We know of a theatre owner who was approached by a committee of ladies and asked to book better pictures. Upon being asked for suggestions, the committee produced a clipping containing the names of a number of pictures. The theatre manager, looking over the list, checked about ten that had been played at his theatre within the past six months. The committee explained that it was unaware on this and several of the ladies stated that they "never went to the pictures."

**Flying Across The Ocean**

The landing of Commander Raymond Franco, at Pernambuco, Brazil, marked the end of a successful flight over the Atlantic ocean from Spain to South America. The exploit of the Spanish officer was executed successfully. Much of the journey required extraordinary endurance because of the crossing of the Equator with its broiling sun and depressing humidity.

This is the first successful aerial journey across the South Atlantic and its successful completion required a single flight of 1400 miles. Spain is enthusiastic over the journey and plans to establish an air line to Argentina.

The people of this country will probably underestimate the possible political effort of this flight. Most of our people overlook the strong ties of language and ancestry which bind many of the South American people to Spain. This will greatly assist the Spanish efforts to secure a strong influence. This influence will be valuable to political results. The United States should cultivate a closer attachment to its sister countries in South America and our people should undertake a serious study of future possibilities in that undeveloped continent.

Col. Mitchell is planning to hunt big game in Africa. What was the matter with the size he tackled down in Washington?

**PENINSULAR**

(Edited by Mrs. E. Hayden)

Tracy McClure now of Benton Harbor but formerly of this place visited at the Fred Wurn and F. D. Russell homes last week.

Star School observed Patron's Day by every family in the Dist. being represented at a pot luck dinner at the school house, 50 were in attendance, a bountiful dinner was served, the time was spent with a good program by the school. All had a jolly good time.

Mr. Cummins of East Jordan was on the Peninsula last week buying cattle and hogs to ship.

F. D. Russell of Ridgeway farm took several fat hogs and some beefs to East Jordan Friday, where a car is being loaded.

Wm. Bogart of Boyne City who has been employed in Traverse City all winter, was laid off for a few days and spent part of last week at the home of his father-in-law, Joel Bennett, fishing.

Ed. Sweet who has been employed in Grand Rapids took advantage of a lay off to visit relatives here.

Mrs. Ernest Loomis of Maple Lake farm is still taking electric treatments in Boyne City.

Patron's Day was observed at the Mountain School Friday with a pot luck dinner and a program by the patrons and pupils. Co. Agr. Agent was there and gave a very interesting talk, 30 were in attendance. The ladies served one of their famous dinners and all had a time long to be remembered.

Three Belle school opened Monday morning after being closed two weeks because of the illness of the teacher, Miss Mildred Wangeman.

A. Reich who is employed at East Jordan spent the week end with his family.

There were 43 in attendance at the Star of Hope Sunday School last Sunday. It is a good many years since there was so good an attendance through the winter.

Efforts are being made to again have the cows on the Peninsula tested for tuberculosis.

**CHESTONIA**

(Edited by Jesse Morse)

The roads require a snow plow again. Lloyd Riley visited his parents in Bellaire Saturday.

Otto Beebe visited in East Jordan over the week end.

Miriam Gould and Mr. Riley sang two fine duets at the social Friday evening.

Paul Hunt was home from Hitchcock, where he is employed, over the week end.

Fred Sweet made a flying trip by auto to East Jordan. The snow plow had made a pretty good road.

Howard Porter came up to camp 9 with his car last Saturday.

Mr. B. L. Caukin and daughter Prudy who teaches the Rockery school walked down to our social Friday evening.

Lyle Persons and family attended the entertainment at the school house Friday evening, coming out in their car.

By the help of the East Jordan Lumber Co. and others the Charlevoix Co. snow plow and tractor was hired to open up the road between here and East Jordan last week. The road was made in fine shape for cars. As soon as a settled condition of the weather comes again it will be a fine thing to have it done again.

A good crowd gathered at our Lincoln's Birthday social last Friday evening. A short program appropriate to the occasion was given, after which the boxes were auctioned by Mr. Schultz from camp 27. Receipts were \$13.30. We now have \$21. on our radio, which arrived Saturday and is being installed. Subscriptions are being taken for the balance of the money, if not enough is raised another social will be held. We heartily thank all who have contributed to this fund which will help out the Sunday School and day school in getting radio programs. The programs will be given Friday and Saturday evenings and Sundays, so it will not interfere with school work. A radio does not always work well, neither does a Ford car, but when it does, it is a valuable piece of mechanism. There will be an improvement in both as years go by.

**MILES DISTRICT**

(Edited by Mrs. A. Miles.)

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Donaldson and family were Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe DeForde near Ellsworth.

Mr. and Mrs. Van Orman spent Sunday evening at the Chester Donaldson home.

Frances Evans spent Sunday evening at the Louis Kowalske home in Rock Elm.

The Donaldson children resumed their school work after a six weeks absence on account of illness.

Carl Moblo went to East Jordan Monday for a visit with Will LaClair.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Banoroff spent Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dett Evans.

Herbert Evans and Bill Rhinehart left for Muskegon last Thursday, where they have employment.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Addis of Walloon Lake were week end guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Addis.

Miss Helen McElroy of Phelps called on Mrs. Frank Addis Saturday evening.

Mrs. Frank Addis called on Mrs. Anna LaLonde Sunday.

One thing that can be said in favor of Michigan—we haven't reached that point where we charge the tourist six dollars to sleep on the front porch.

Safety first note: Declaring a throne in Europe these days reminds us of the little man of boyhood memories who refused to play with the town billy goat.

**Inset Plaited Panel Imparts Smart Style to the Blouse**



Dame Fashion pleases to announce a revival of the blouse among smart items for spring. Good news this! The separate blouse has ever been a favorite theme with the woman who studies the art of good dressing from a practical as well as a modish standpoint. Along with this welcome style proclamation comes the word that it is the crepe de chine tailored blouse which will play the most popular role. Furthermore, the mode explicitly declares that plaiting and fine tucks will play an important part in the styling of the smart crepe de chine blouse.

New in the way of plaited treatment are panels inset at each side of the front and across the back of the blouse, starting at yoke depth. The picture bespeaks the effectiveness of this unique arrangement, which accents the tailored note so consistently.

**DIPPING INTO SCIENCE**

**He's a Brick**

"He's a brick" is not a new expression. Lyeurgus, king of Sparta, was visited by an ambassador from Ephrus who marveled at the absence of massive brick protective walls around the city. Asked why there were none, the king pointed to his army and said: "There are the walls of Sparta, and every man a brick."

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When you go anywhere you are sure to see some strange looking people. Rules for Life; (1) To get rich, amuse the public; (2) to be disliked, tell the truth.

Our overcrowded prisons led added belief to the suspicion that maybe they've started locking up all the individuals who last fall predicted the worst winter in over a hundred years.

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**Zeal and Knowledge**

Through zeal knowledge is gotten, through lack of zeal knowledge is lost. Let a man who knows this double path of gain and loss thus place himself that knowledge may grow.—Buddha.

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Send this ad and ten cents to Foley & Co., 2835 Sheffield Ave., Chicago, Ill., writing your name and address clearly. You will receive a ten cent bottle of FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR COMPOUND for coughs, colds and hoarseness also free sample packages of FOLEY FILLS, a diuretic stimulant for the kidneys, and FOLEY CATHARTIC TABLETS for constipation and biliousness. These wonderful remedies have helped millions of people. Try them! Hite's Drug Store. adv.

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**Between Girls**

Fags—"I don't look like myself at all in this new hat." Patrice—"No, dear. I think you made a very wise selection."—Boston Transcript.

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Detroit, Michigan

# PORTO BELLO GOLD

By Arthur D. Howden Smith

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(Continued)

As we rounded under her counter a couple of ropes rattled down to us and I heard the creaking of tackle and hoist.

"Make fast the young 'un first," rasped Bones.

"Aye, aye, Bill," answered Silver, and I became conscious that the one-legged man and another were knotting a loose rope beneath my arm-pits. "All right, above there?" called Silver presently.

The block began to whine. The rope tautened; the unseen block whined louder; and I rose involuntarily from my position across Peter's belly. My feet were jerked from a thwart, and I kicked the air. The grunts of men hauling in unison floated from the brig's deck, and as I rose faster I commenced to swing like a pendulum. Inside of a minute I was dangling over the bulwarks, feet kicking frantically for standing room. A man caught me by one arm and drew me inboard, shouting the while to "slacken away!" and so I came down again with a bump that was like to crack my knee-caps, deposited as so much cargo upon the pitchy deck.

Dazed by treatment I had never sustained before, I stood heedless as the ropes were unfastened beneath my arm-pits, my bonds slipped off and the gag extracted from my aching jaws. I was just beginning to take in the aspect of my surroundings when Corlaer's cask of a body topped the bulwarks, swung with ludicrous unconcern for an instant as I dare say mine had done, and then lurched in and crashed to the deck. The Dutchman was purple in the face, with white spots dotting the congested area of his cheeks, and gasping for breath. His stomach heaved tumultuously as the gag was removed.

"What ails you, Peter?" I cried. "Der water," he moaned. "It makes me sick."

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And sick he was—violently. I heard Bones continuing to shout orders, and there was a constant bustle of men running back and forth over the decks, a clattering of ropes and shrieking of falls and blocks. Ferard sounded an ordered tramping of feet and a chorus of rough voices bellowing the wild song I had heard in the Whale's Head tavern:

Fifteen men on the Dead Man's Chest—Yo-ho-he, and a bottle of rum! Drink and the devil had done for the rest—Yo-ho-he, and a bottle of rum!

Corlaer, weak as a rag, sank in a heap of buckskin in a dark corner by the bulwarks.

"Neen, neen," he answered when I would have helped him. "Not'nags, Bob. I get better by and by. Der salt water—it is always so with me."

"I'll get you some rum," I said firmly. And, rising, I was on the point of seeking the nearest man to ask where a drink might be obtained when foot-steps clicked on the deck behind me.

"They are a dangerous company," said a voice with an unmistakable brogue to it.

"What would you?" returned my great-uncle. "We could not employ his majesty's people in such a business. And all things considered, my fellows can handle it far better and more expeditiously."

They passed through the rays of the lantern which swung from the mainyard. Aye, the first speaker was Colonel O'Donnell. The little Irish maid! His daughter. My father had been right in his suspicions.

But what could be the tie of interest between a colonel in the army of the king of Spain and an outlaw who had defied the whole structure of civilization? A Jacobite plot? It seemed preposterous!

"This my daughter I was thinking of," explained O'Donnell as they reached the starboard gangway close by where I stood over Peter's prostrate form. "A woman on a pirate ship!"

"My dear sir, Rule Four of the Code of Articles under which our company is governed—does it surprise you that we have our own laws?—forbids the taking and keeping of women as spoil aboard our ships. We have had experience in the past of the evils which flow in the wake of a struggle for women's favors."

"Shall you not flout your own rule if my daughter comes aboard?" pressed the Irishman.

"She will not come as a prisoner, but as a guest," returned Murray blandly. "After all, colonel, the Royal James is my ship—and in that respect differs from most outlaw craft which are held by the entire crew as a community. No, no; you need not concern yourself."

"I like it not, I say!" persisted O'Donnell. "Why did you bid me bring her? You were hot for her coming so soon as you heard I had a daughter."

"Would you have left her by her lone in a strange country?" answered my great-uncle impatiently. "Tut, man, be sensible. Who would suspect a man who had his daughter with him? 'Tis true this enterprise is fraught with danger, but no maid can go through life without sniffling peril. We will guard her as we shall the treasure."

"I'll hold you to that," rapped O'Donnell as he climbed over the bulwarks and felt for the ladder. "I am not proud of myself when I think of her innocence. Holy saints, what a coll! Well, well, no matter. I must be going, for the night wanes."

"Yes," assented Murray. "And stir your frigate's captain to a swift passage."

The Irishman nodded. "If necessary we'll pass by the Havana. Luckily Porto Bello is the indentante's chief worry. You'll hover, then, off Mona passage?"

"Aye, from the south tip of Hispaniola to the north of Porto Rico, save it storms, when we'll run for shelter in the bay of Samana, where the old buccaners were wont to lie. Diego can find us. He has done it before. Just give him ample time."

"So soon as the Santissima Trinidad has her orders Diego shall know."

He started to descend and then climbed back. "She has heavy metal, Murray. Are you certain—?"

My great-uncle laughed. "Be at ease upon that point, cavalier. We could take two Spaniards of the Santissima Trinidad's metal. I fear I must bid you good evening, though. Hark!"

The bell of the Spanish frigate rang out eight times. "Midnight!" exclaimed O'Donnell. "Can you be gone by dawn?"

"My dear sir," returned my uncle lightly, "this brig will never be seen again—anywhere—by anybody."

O'Donnell shivered. "Good night," he said abruptly, and his head vanished behind the bulwarks.

I heard the rattle of oars, a low order in Spanish, the steady splash and spatter of rowers as the boat pulled away. My great-uncle watched it for a moment, then turned toward where I stood.

"Well, Nephew Robert, what did you make of us?" he inquired. "I contrived to keep my voice level, for I would not give him the satisfaction of supposing he had startled me. "That you are engaged in deeper villainy even than my father feared."

knowledge of the situation you are better off in ignorance." "To me you are a singularly bloody pirate, and that is all." "The injustice of youth!" he commented evenly. "I was the uncle and tender guardian of the mother you never knew, Robert."

"I share my father's feelings upon that point," I cried, and raised my hand in a threatening gesture. He did not stir. "Your conversation will be quite as difficult as I had foreseen," he said. "No, you would gain naught by striking me. Impartially I may recommend you to adopt an attitude which will secure you the maximum of liberty and opportunity. Of what avail for you to force yourself into confinement?"

"Sir," I returned, "be convinced of this: The day you attack a defenseless ship I will slay as many of you as I can and contentedly die."

It has a sound of theatricalism now, but I meant it at the time. "I purpose nothing of that sort for you," answered my great-uncle. "And while I am tempted to argue you out of a position founded upon a false ethical basis, I shall content myself with the observation that you would do well to hold your temper in leash until you find a need for its employment."

He glanced over his shoulder. "I see we are under way. I must ask you to excuse me for the present, Robert. I am constrained to serve as pilot."

He raised his little silver whistle, and its shrill call fetched several of the crew aft. "Aye, aye, captain." It was Bones. "What's your wish, sir?"

"Have this poor fellow"—Murray gestured toward Corlaer's recumbent form—"carried to one of the state-rooms. Use him gently. Bid the Irish boy—what's his name? Oh, Darby!—bid Darby tend him and fetch him what he requires."

"This gentleman, here"—he indicated me—"is my great-nephew, Master Bones. It may be he will succeed me in command of the Royal James some day, although he is not with us of his own wish as yet. He is to have complete freedom except he undertake to achieve aught to our disadvantage. Pass the word to me men, if you please."

"That's a queer lay," growled Bones. "Is he friend or enemy, captain?"

"An intelligent question," replied my great-uncle. "We may call him an enemy who is to be treated as nearly as possible as a friend."

"Blasted if I see any sense in it," affirmed Bones. "But whatever you says, captain."

"Exactly," said my great-uncle. "Stir your stumps, ye lousy swabs, roared Bones to his men. "Hitch on to this here land-whale. My lights and gizzard if I ever see such a monstrous heap o' human flesh! We'd ought to take him to the South seas and sell him to the cannibals. That's all he's good for. Come on, young gentleman, you may be the captain's nerry or by-blow or whatever 'twas be called ye, but everybody works on this ship. Lend a hand."

I obeyed him in silence, while he and the others cursed and blasphemed with a fluency defying description. What a company! Except in Murray's presence they owned no discipline, accepted no restraint. Palpably they hated as well as feared him, and I found myself wondering how secure a hold he had upon their passions. Let them once cast off the spell of his magnetism and superior wickedness, and they would become so many irresponsible agents of lust and destruction.

I shuddered and was glad of the hooded cabin-lamp as we stowed Peter's limp body into the constricted space of a bunk; gladder still when they tramped away and left me alone with the Dutchman.

Through a porthole the lights of New York winked farewell to me. I was as frightened as a child by himself for the first time in the dark.

### CHAPTER V

#### Aboard the Brig.

I woke with a ray of sunshine streaming across my face through the thick, greenish glass of a deadlight and an odd feeling of contentment. There was a soothing swish-sh of divided waters; and the brig herself was swaying easily in a following sea.

Corlaer was sleeping the sleep of utter exhaustion, and I was at pains not to disturb him as I slipped to the floor, opened the door and entered the main cabin. This was deserted save for the boy Darby, who was curled up on the seat under the stern windows, peering out at the brig's creamy wake. He heard the door close after me and swiveled round at once, landing lightly on his feet as if he had been to sea for years.

"Och, Master Bob," says he, "I thought ye'd never wake up. Ah, it's the grand, grand day. And do ye smell the brine in the air? It makes the toes of your two feet dance whether ye will or no—troth, it does."

'Twas impossible to nourish resentment against the boy for his betrayal of us. He was as naturally lawless and unmoral as a young wolf, but I could not resist a jeer at his recent transformation.

"And how does it seem to be a pirate, Darby?"

"Oh, fine! Sure, I always knew I wasn't intended for a bond-boy to run errands and carry bales. Ah, it's the grand life, Master Bob! They tell me himself—" He jerked his thumb toward the door of a stateroom opposite that in which Peter and I were berthed.

"—I'm own uncle to ye, and some day if ye choose, ye can be as great as

him. Faith, and I know what my choice would be!" "Is it your idea that pirates never work?" I inquired. "His face fell a trifle. "Och, there's work everywhere ye go, bad 'cess to it! But I'm to have my own cutlass and two pistols for my belt, and they say I'm good luck."

"Good luck? How's that?" "Sure, it's my hair, I think. Flint—him that this crew sail with by usual—he has a liking for a red-headed lad. Such as, meself brings him luck, so they swear, and Long John—"

"Who?" "Long John—Mister Silver, he's sure—him with the one leg—we talked to by the shore yesterday—he says I'll go far with Flint."

I had to laugh at my own bemusement at the picture Darby's remark called up. Yesterday morning at this hour I had been laboring industriously in the counting room in Pearl street. And how much had happened since then! I harked back to my setting forth for the Bristol packet, the casual conversation with the one-legged mariner—how skillfully he had pumped me and annexed Darby to his plot!—the encounter with the Irish maid—

With this I curbed my recollections. Thought of Mofra O'Donnell was unpleasant, for I could not rid my mind of the suspicion that she must be bound up in some way in the schemes her father worked at in co-operation with my great-uncle.

But there! I found relief in this reflection. Certes, her father could be no worse than my relative; and here was I, innocent of any art or part in Murray's devious ploys, yet tossed into the grip of their mechanism as ruthlessly as if my life depended upon his success. And perhaps it did.

What more natural, then, than that she was equally innocent? Aye, from the conversation betwixt the two conspirators I had overheard the night before it appeared that she was ignorant, probably in greater ignorance of her father's plans than I, else how explain O'Donnell's concern upon discovering the character of the men with whom she was to be thrown in contact?

And this aroused a further recollection. What was it the lass had said as we parted?

"Here our paths diverge." She would not have said that had she known all, for there had been no necessity for the lie. Doubt not, she was in entire ignorance of the black evil these two plotted! I was glad with a great burst of exultation which must have shown itself in my face, for Darby exclaimed:

"There was a good fairy flicked a wing over you, Master Bob! Glory, but ye had the happy thought. Will ye throw in with us and be a pirate chief? Troth, there'd be no better."

"Not I, Darby; but I will have a bite to eat, if such there be aboard a pirate craft."

"Lashin's of everything in nature," rejoined Darby briskly. "Sit to the table, you, and I'll fetch it from the galley."

The table was set and ready, not with coarse crockery and steel forks, knives and spoons, but with dainty china, heavy silverware and fine nappery, too. I commented on this when Darby returned, balancing smoking dishes and a jug of hot chocolate upon a tray.

"'Tis the way himself—" his thumb indicated the starboard stateroom door—"will live. The best of everything he'll have, and on his own ship nigger slaves to serve him, and they in liveries like grand gentlemen have."

"You seem to have experienced no trouble in becoming intimate with your new companions, Darby," I remarked. "It's me head does it," returned Darby, unabashed. "As I told ye, it brings good luck."

"Not to me," I retorted with a grin. "And don't ye be too sure," he flashed. "We'll maybe sail a long way together; and I'm your friend, Master Bob, for ye were never one to let me be put upon in the counting-room."

"Humph," said I. "That is to be seen. Where is 'himself,' as you call him?"

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"I'm for the deck, then," I answered. The companionway was empty, and I met nobody until I had climbed to the deck. 'Twas passing strange that I so readily adapted myself to the sea and its ways, seeing that all my life I had never been beyond the waters of the inner harbor. Yet 'tis the fact that I had no discomfort or mis-giving and even acquired instinctively the sailor's tricks of standing and walking, as was commented upon by no less an authority than John Silver.

The deck was deserted for a moment. One man was lashed to the main cross-trees, sweeping the entire circuit of the horizon with a spyglass. Aft there were only Silver and another fellow at the wheel. The one-legged man waved to me with his crutch from his seat on the cabin skylight.

"Come and talk with Long John, Master Ormerod," he called. "Where did ye find them sea-legs o' yours? You walk like a blasted admiral, no less."

"I found them below," I answered, for the life of me unable to resist the second's ingratiating manner. "Where are the rest of your company?"

He laughed and winked at the man at the wheel, an awful-looking creature, so heavy of shoulder as to appear deformed, with a green shade over deeply sunken eyes that were all pitted around with tiny blue scars.

"Is that foretopel' drawin' full, John?" asked the man with the green eyeshade in a voice that was singularly soft.

Silver squinted aloft. "She'll do," he decided. "Would you mind telling me how a blind man can steer?" I inquired.

The man with the green eyeshade chuckled in a way to chill your blood, so sardonic, so overpoweringly evil was the caliber of the mirth it suggested.

"Don't go to makin' up your mind. Pew can't see everything, Master Ormerod," said Silver, shifting his crutch. "I'd hate to have him decide to take a shot at me. Steer? Well now, what's needed in steerin'? A strong arm, says you, and you says true. Aye, and likewise, an ear for canvas. Lastly and leastwise, an eye for the course."

"Any man can read a compass, young gentleman; but not every sailorman can feel how his ship takes the wind and meets his rudder quick when she wants meetin'." Pew can. Give him some one like me to play eyes for him, and he'll steer as straight a course as a packet-boat w' a bonus on the voyage."

"Are there many cripples in your crew?" I asked curiously. "Cripples?" repeated Silver. "It all depends on what you might mean. There's cripples and cripples. Some on 'em ye pays their screw."

"Their what?" I interrupted. "Their screw, the what d'ye call it—insurance money. So much we get from the prize money extry for the hurt. Pew, he got a thousand pounds, which same he blowed in three nights in St. Pierre. D'ye mind, Ezra? I got eight hundred pounds for my leg—and fair enough, if you asks me."

"And that eight hundred pounds I'll gamble you ha' stowed away in a safe hole, John," said Pew with a gentleness which gave the words a peculiarly sinister significance.

Silver nodded almost complacently. "What I gets, I keeps. I'm none o' your free spenders, rich today, poor tomorrow. Some day I'll be retirin' from piratin', and then I'll aim to ride in my own coach and sit in parleyment."

"You'll have to sail your own ship first, John," said Pew, and the remark was fraught with implications that made me turn cold at the pit of my stomach.

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Sanskrit was the language of the Brahmins of India and was in use at the time of Solomon, king of the Children of Israel. A complete literature in Sanskrit has been discovered in India, and considerable was translated in 1783 by Sir Wm. Jones.

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## Briefs of the Week

Richard Farmer left Tuesday for Sturgis.

Kit Carson returned home Tuesday from Lansing, and other points.

John Kaley left Monday for a visit with relatives at Traverse City.

Att'y E. N. Clink left Wednesday on a business trip to Lansing and Detroit.

Watch for the date. The 9 cent sale. Bargains galore. Eff an Dee Variety. adv.

Roy E. Webster was called to Big Rapids Monday by the illness of his father.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Metcalf, who have been at Detroit, returned home last Saturday.

Mrs. G. W. Seiler and daughter, Miss Elizabeth, returned home last Saturday from a visit at Detroit.

Mrs. Edith Gleason of Walkerville was called here first of the week by the illness and death of her mother, Mrs. S. P. Jones.

Business transaction not materializing Mr. Rosenthal has decided to stay in East Jordan. Store under new name—Rosenthal Co. adv.

The fire department was called out last Saturday morning about 10:30 o'clock to extinguish a blaze which had started on the roof of the home of the Catholic Sisters.

Mrs. Morgan Lewis and children of Akron, Ohio, are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Porter. Mr. and Mrs. Lewis and family are moving their household effects from Ohio to Saginaw, Mich.

Mrs. M. J. DeLaurentis and Mrs. C. J. Monk, of Chicago, and Mrs. Charles Venicombe of Springfield, Ill., who were here to attend the funeral of their father, Joseph Zoulek, left Wednesday for their homes.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Persons returned home Wednesday from Grand Rapids, where they were called by the death of the latter's sister, Mrs. George McCall. Mrs. McCall will be remembered by many friends in this vicinity.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Greenman at 8122 Gartner, Detroit, a son—William J. D.—Saturday, Feb'y 13th. Mrs. Greenman will be remembered as Miss Bessie Johnson, daughter of Mrs. Wm. Johnson of East Jordan.

Harry, six-year-old son of Mrs. Esther Porter-Bliss, was the victim of a coasting accident, Tuesday. He ran into a truck and received a fracture in the right leg below the knee. The lad was removed to the Lockwood hospital, Petoskey, for treatment.

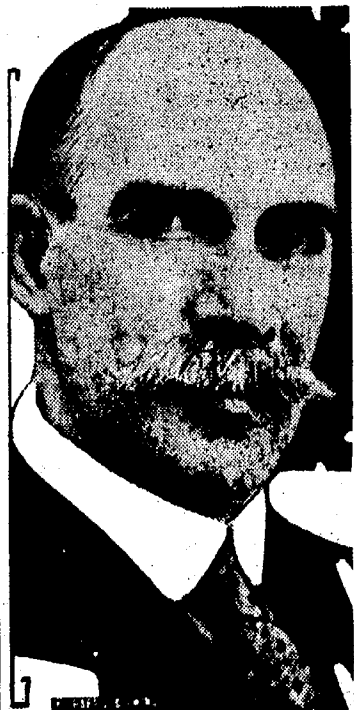
Word was received here first of the week of the death of Mrs. Arthur Blair at Iron Mountain, Sunday, Feb'y 14th. She leaves besides the husband, an infant baby girl. The remains were taken to Detroit for burial. Mr. Blair was a former resident of East Jordan, and a son of Mrs. S. Ulvund.

Coming soon, 9 cent sale. Watch for it. Eff an Dee Variety. adv.

A Washington's Birthday Party will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Hoyt next Monday afternoon at 2:30. A program has been arranged and tea will be served. A silver collection will be taken, the proceeds to apply on a new carpet for the Presbyterian church. A cordial invitation is extended all to be present. Mrs. A. J. Duncanson will have charge of the program.

The Rosenthal Co.'s Store open Saturday, Feb'y 20th. Souvenirs for Ladies and Gents. adv.

### Millard J. Moore



Millard J. Moore, recently was nominated by President Coolidge to be assistant commissioner of patents. Mr. Moore succeeds Earl Penning, who resigned to become special assistant to the attorney general. He is a native of Virginia and entered the patent office as a clerk.

Miss Helen McElroy of Arkon, Ohio, is here visiting friends and relatives.

Mrs. Ted Malpass and children are visiting relatives at Charlevoix this week.

Mrs. F. P. Ramsey is at Detroit, Cleveland and other cities on business this week.

Wanted—Plain and Fancy Sewing. Very Reasonable rates. Miss Minnie Cincoush. adv.

Earl Blair was called to Detroit, Monday, by the death of his brother's wife, Mrs. Arthur Blair.

Mrs. Luther Brinmail and daughter, returned to Muskegon, Tuesday, after a visit here with relatives.

Mrs. S. Ulvund was called to Detroit first of the week by the death of her son's wife, Mrs. Arthur Blair.

Sensational 9 cent sale. Coming soon. All new goods. Watch for the date. Eff an Dee Variety. adv.

The Rosenthal Co. Store will offer many new lines which will be arriving daily. We invite your inspection. adv.

Dan Jones, who is employed at Muskegon, came home Monday, to attend the funeral of his grandmother, Mrs. S. P. Jones.

Elmer Taylor left Saturday for a visit with his wife and children at Big Rapids, where they are attending Ferris Institute.

The Improvement Club will hold an open meeting on Tuesday, Feb'y 23rd, at the home of Mrs. A. J. Suffern. Each member is entitled to one guest.

In a recent issue of Central Normal Life, published in the interest of Mt. Pleasant State Normal, the following item relative to Emil Hegerberg, an East Jordan student at that college appears:—"Frank Wagner's team defeated Archer's team in the last game of the first round of the class basket ball tournament by the score 12 to 6. Hegerberg was the star for the winners while Captain Archer was the big noise for the losers."

Country Newspapers are always in for jibes and "wise cracks" for the least error that appears in their columns. Daily newspapers seem to be somewhat immune to censorship. In a recent issue of a city daily the head-writer tells how the "Church bells peeled," and, on the same page, in an article on the fire at Clarion, it tells its readers that "Clarion is the judicial seat of Charlevoix County."

Our idea of good law would be one to prevent the publication of memoirs.



**Presbyterian Church Notes**  
C. W. Sidebotham, Pastor.  
● R. Harper, Foreign Pastor

"A Church for Folks."  
Sunday, Feb'y 21, 1926.  
10:00 a. m. Morning Worship.  
11:15 a. m.—Sunday School.  
6:30 Young People's Meeting.  
7:00 p. m.—Evening Service.  
7:00 p. m. Thursday—Prayer Meeting  
The Monthly Young People's party will be held in the Church basement Wednesday evening at 7 o'clock, with the Misses Campbell and Bryant in charge.

**First Methodist Episcopal Church**  
Rev. Henry Hiles, Pastor.  
"The Friendly Church."

Thought for the week:  
It is not yet too late. The ideal that was lost may be found again; and the strength that had failed may be reward.  
Sunday, Feb. 21st, 1926.  
10:00 a. m.—Morning Service. Subj: The distinguishing badge of a Christian.  
11:00 a. m.—Sunday School.  
6:00 p. m.—Epworth League.  
7:00 p. m.—Evening Service. This service will be of a very special nature, and promises to be very interesting and enjoyable. The young people of the Epworth League will have charge of the entire service.  
Monday, 7:00 p. m.—Girl Scouts.  
Thursday, 7:00 p. m. Mid-week Service.  
6:00—Choir Practice.

**Church of God.**  
L. L. Rawlings, Pastor.

Central Standard Time  
Sunday School—10:00 a. m.  
General Service—6:30 p. m.  
Mid-Week Prayer Meeting, Wednesday—7:00 p. m.  
The public is cordially invited to attend these services.

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

10:00 a. m.—Sunday School.  
11:15 a. m.—Social Service.  
7:00 p. m. standard—Evening Service  
7:00 p. m. Wednesday, Prayer Meeting.  
7:00 p. m.—Thursday, Religio.  
All are welcome to attend these services.

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### Pilgrim Holiness Church

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Fast Time.  
11:00 a. m.—Sunday School.  
8:00 p. m.—General Service.  
8:00 p. m.—Friday night, Prayer Meeting.

The public is cordially invited to attend these services.

Misused terms; amicable adjustment.

The world was not made in a day but there are many suckers who try to buy it every day.

Italy is entitled to the world's championship when it comes to paying debts by not paying them.

It is hard to tell what kind of vegetables your seeds will grow by reading what the seed store says.

Some people think that the only good literature available today is the news reports of the divorce suits.

It is remarkable what a different outlook occurs when you get a new car.

What has become of the old-fashioned citizen who used to begin taking burdock bitters along about this time of the year?

I think that the rural population is the great hope of America today. It is conservative. It still stands for the old moralities. It should be remembered that morality is not a thing that changes like the fashions of your dress. It is the one permanent thing in this world. Either one has morality or he has no morality. Those people of the hills and valleys are the real backbone of our country. I have always delighted to write to them, to tell the story of the hardships that they have overcome, of the great moral victories which they win, of their love of beauty and their simple faith in God and man.—Irving Bacheller.

## TEMPLE THEATRE

Program for week beginning Saturday, Feb'y 20th

SATURDAY, February 20th

BÉBE DANIELS and RICHARD DIX in  
"UNGUARDED WOMEN"  
From the popular Saturday Evening Post Story—"Face."  
Comedy—"SAILING ALONG"  
Admission—10c and 25c

SUNDAY and MONDAY Feb'y 21 and 22

"KISS IN THE DARK"  
Starring Adolphe Menjou, Lillian Rich and Aileen Pringle.  
A rip-roaring Comedy based on the stage hit—"Aren't We All." It's a real riot of laughs.  
Comedy—"UNWELCOME"  
FOX NEWS REEL  
Admission—10c and 25c

TUESDAY, Feb'y 23 FAMILY NIGHT

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"LUCRETIA LOMBARD"  
Story by Kathleen Norris. Starring Irene Rich, Monte Blue, Norma Shearer, Alec Francis Marc MacDermott

Chapter 4 "The Great Circus Mystery"  
Admission—10c and 25c

WEDNESDAY THURSDAY and FRIDAY Feb'y 24-25-26

Jack London's Story  
"ADVENTURE"  
Starring Tom Moore, Pauline Starke, Wallace Berry.  
Story of a man and a girl on a South Sea Isle, smashing through untold dangers to happiness. If you like 'em thrilling, see it.  
Western—"CLOSE CALL"  
Admission—10c and 25c

## FARMERS!

I will be in East Jordan starting Monday, Feb'y 22nd to buy 50 head of yearlings, 2-year olds and springer cows. Phone or leave word at Peoples State Savings Bank.

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Mrs. White—"Have they got them in colors?"  
Mrs. Brown—"Yes, Mode, Gunmetal and several others, all new shades."

Mrs. White—"Guess I'll try a pair, one always needs stockings."

(To Be Continued.)

## EAST JORDAN LUMBER CO.



## NEW TAX BILL IS PASSED BY SENATE

Reductions \$125,000,000 Over Mellon Limit—Now Up to Joint Conference.

Washington.—The senate passed the tax reduction bill providing a saving of \$456,000,000 in taxes this year to federal taxpayers, and sent it to conference for adjustment of differences with the house.

Passage of the bill, which came suddenly and somewhat as a surprise, even to senate leaders, is expected to assure benefits of the proposed tax cut in the payment of first income tax installments on March 15.

The vote was 53 to 9. Senators opposing the bill were: Frazier, North Dakota; LaFollette, Wisconsin; McMaster and Norbeck, South Dakota; Norris, Nebraska, and Nye, North Dakota, Republicans, and Shipstead, Farmer-Labor, Minnesota; and Reed, Missouri, and Wheeler, Montana, Democrats.

The senate accepted all reductions voted by the house and in addition slashed taxes by another \$125,000,000.

The administration has declared the extent of reduction provided by the bill excessive, but confidence was expressed at the White House that the measure, as finally drafted by the conference committee, would lower the total cuts to within limits acceptable to President Coolidge.

Not more than a week is expected to be taken by the conferees in reaching a compromise, after which the senate and house must ratify the agreement before the bill is sent to the White House for the signature of the President.

Thirty-four Republicans and 24 Democrats voted for the measure, while six Republicans, two Democrats and the one Farmer-Labor member opposed it.

The main changes made by the senate in the house bill were: Repeal of the inheritance tax. Repeal of the taxes on automobiles, admissions and dues.

Increased reduction in the surtax rate applying on incomes between \$24,000 and \$100,000, involving an additional saving of \$23,000,000 on these taxes.

Repeal of the capital stock and the 1 per cent increase in the present 12 1/2 per cent corporation tax.

Increased reductions in the stamp and cigar taxes.

Both the senate and the house agreed on the following general provisions which are sure to become law:

Repeal of the law allowing publication of the amounts of income tax payments.

An increase in the personal exemptions from the income tax from \$1,000 to \$1,500 for single persons and from \$2,500 to \$3,500 for married persons, which will relieve 2,300,000 federal taxpayers of all taxes.

Reduction of the normal income tax rates from 2 to 1 1/2 per cent on the first \$4,000 of taxable income; from 4 to 3 per cent on the next \$4,000, and from 6 to 5 per cent on the remainder.

Reduction in the maximum surtax rate of 40 per cent applying on amounts of income in excess of \$500,000, to 20 per cent on the amounts of income in excess of \$100,000, with corresponding reductions on the lower rates of the graduated surtax schedule which now starts at 1 per cent at \$10,000.

An increase from \$10,000 to \$20,000 in the amount of income which the 25 per cent reduction on account of "earned income" may be applied.

Repeal of virtually all of the miscellaneous excise and occupational levies.

## Northwestern May Soon Take Over Omaha Line

New York.—Decision on the application of the Chicago & Northwestern Railway company to acquire control of the Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapolis & Omaha railway will be made public by the interstate commerce commission within the next few days.

It is expected the application will be approved. It will form one of the first railroad consolidations to be authorized by the commission. A total of 10,212 miles and a capitalization of \$502,768,030 is involved.

The offer by the Chicago & Northwestern management to exchange its stock for that of the Omaha on the basis of three shares of Northwestern common for two shares of Omaha preferred, and five shares of Northwestern common for seven shares of Omaha common was made January 18, 1925.

The Omaha gives the Northwestern an entrance into Minneapolis, St. Paul and Duluth, and will furnish important traffic in coal and iron ore.

## Game Wardens Are Laid Off

Madison, Wis.—Eighteen state game wardens have been laid off temporarily for several weeks, Elmer S. Hall, conservation commissioner, said.

## Rotor Ship Up for Auction

Hamburg, Germany.—The rotor ship Buckau, upon which Anton Flettner mounted his twin revolving towers and with which he sought to convince shipbuilders that the day of screw propulsion was done, is up for auction.

## Kills Three Doctors, Self

Moscow.—Three prominent physicians were shot to death here by an enraged patient who had failed to obtain a cure at their hands and who later committed suicide.

## FOR HONEST BRANDS



Representative Schuyler Merritt of Connecticut is now working in congress for the passage of his bill which would protect the general public from misbranded merchandise. Under the Schuyler bill any brand on any article must be a true brand.

## DAIRY AND POULTRY PRICES PROMISING

### Heavy Demand Predicted for Remainder of Winter.

Washington.—Farmers of the United States will get good prices for their dairy and poultry products during 1926, according to a forecast issued by the federal Department of Agriculture.

Continued heavy demand and heavy domestic dairy products production are seen for the remainder of the winter, with prices following the usual seasonal course. Feed prices will probably continue favorable to dairymen.

Egg production during 1926 will probably be larger and prices lower, with the average price to producers for poultry products below that of 1925, according to the statement. The department advises the desirability of greater efficiency rather than increased production.

The major factors regarded as likely to affect the 1926-27 dairy year are that there are fewer cows and heifers in this country than there were a year ago, that foreign competition will increase if weather conditions are normal and that probably less favorable industrial conditions will offset usual increases in demand.

Consumption of dairy products has been tending upward since the war and fluid milk consumption has been increasing 5 per cent a year, the statement said. General business conditions indicating slight slackening in industry and business activity during the latter half of 1925 will probably be reflected in dairy products prices.

Market prices of poultry, at least during the first six months of the year, are expected to be higher. Present comparatively small storage stocks will probably result in broader outlets for fresh-killed poultry, in the opinion of federal authorities.

## Attack Two American Girls in Mexican Town

San Diego, Cal.—Seven persons, including Zenajdo Llanos, chief of police in Tijuana, have been arrested in connection with the abduction and attacking of Audrey and Clyde Petee, two American girls, in the Mexican town.

The American girls had gone to Tijuana, which is across the border a short distance from here, with their parents for a visit.

The two girls with their father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Petee, were found in their home a few days ago, all but one of them dead and the other dying from gas which had been turned on with apparently suicidal intent. Authorities believe the family determined upon this course when they returned and felt that shame had been visited upon them as the result of their visit to the Mexican town.

While the investigation was under way in Tijuana, Frank Bohr, American vice consul at Mexicali, was preparing to start a separate probe of the alleged atrocities under orders from the American state department.

## Auto Inventor Dies in Want

Paris.—A pitiful story of a famous inventor who died in misery and poverty, after spending the best part of his life and all his fortune on an invention by which trillions of dollars have been made, comes to light with the death, in the little village of Vezepron, near Lyons, of Alphonse Belmont, the inventor of the first internal combustion engine ever installed in an automobile.

## Wants 1,000 Out of U. of W.

Madison, Wis.—One thousand students at the University of Wisconsin are wasting their time, in the opinion of Prof. E. A. Ross, who believes that 2,000 others might be persuaded to study if the first thousand were off the campus.

## Heads University of Maryland

Baltimore.—Dr. Raymond A. Pearson, former president of the Iowa State college, has accepted the presidency of the University of Maryland.

## COAL STRIKE ENDS; LOSS ONE BILLION

Agreement Sends 158,000 Men Back to Pits—Out Since September 1, 1925.

Philadelphia.—The longest and most costly strike in the history of the anthracite industry has been settled.

Ratification of the terms of peace agreed upon by the scale committee of the miners' union and the executive committee of the operators sends 158,000 workers, who have been on strike since September 1, 1925, to the pits. Normal coal production will be reached in two or three weeks.

It is estimated the miners lost \$150,000,000 in wages during the strike. The operators are said to have lost approximately \$200,000,000 in overhead and losses of profits and wastage. The slump in business in the hard-coal region and to railroads is impossible to estimate. A total wastage of one billion dollars by the struggle of operators and miners is the unofficial estimate.

The settlement was reached on the following terms:

Immediate resumption of work on a 4 1/2-year contract ending August 31, 1930, at the scale of wages prevailing when the strike began. The miners had demanded an increase of \$1 per day for day men and 10 per cent for contract labor.

Provision for revision or modification of the wage agreement once a year beginning January 1, 1927, on the request of either side.

If no agreement is reached within thirty days the issues shall be referred to a board of two and both sides bind themselves to abide by the board's decision.

The board shall be selected by the submission of three names by both sides, the miners to choose one of the men suggested by the operators and the operators to choose one of the men suggested by the miners. Unless specifically agreed the men named shall not be a member of the United Mine Workers' or be in the coal mining business.

The board shall be obligated to arrive at a decision within ninety days and if it deadlocks it may choose an umpire, in which event a majority vote shall be binding. The agreement does not make it obligatory or mandatory on the part of the board to choose an umpire.

It is understood that on a question of wage reduction the miners' representative would oppose reference to an umpire, while on a proposal of wage increase the operators' representative would act similarly. The contract, therefore, virtually means a four-and-a-half-year agreement at the old scale of wages, with the emphasis of settlement of disputes by mutual agreement, mediation, and conciliation and not by reference to a third party whose decision would be binding.

Provision was made for the working out of a system of "co-operation and efficiency" by the standing board of conciliation without the umpire. Although this clause made no reference to the check-off, it is an approach toward this demand of the miners.

The new contract provides for the equalization of wages as agreed to in the contract made two years ago. It also continues the anthracite conciliation board set up by the Roosevelt commission when it settled the 1922 strike and continued under the terms of each agreement since that time.

## Millions in Tax Frauds; Suits Will Be Started

Washington.—In a far-reaching drive against federal tax-dodgers, treasury agents have uncovered frauds amounting to millions of dollars, it was announced.

Agents of the special intelligence section of the bureau of internal revenue are investigating the records of about 1,000 wealthy corporations and individuals, alleged to have made fraudulent or incorrect returns.

Estimates place the amount of taxes involved at about \$100,000,000, although officials insisted that it would be difficult to fix an accurate figure owing to the complex nature of many of the anticipated court actions.

Several corporations and individuals of national note are under scrutiny, it is understood.

## Dehorning of 100 Bull Elk Proves Hard Task

Missoula, Mont.—The task of rounding up 430 head of elk to be shipped from Moles, in the Blackfoot Indian reservation, to Middleboro, Mass., has proved to be no staccato and has resulted in delay in starting the consignment of wild animals to their new home in New England hills.

Chief among the difficulties encountered by the cowpunchers who were pressed into service, was that of dehorning 100 bull elk so they could be shipped East in electrically-lighted express cars without injury to each other.

## New Ocean Cable

Victoria, B. C.—Duplication of the cable from Bamfield, Vancouver island, to Fanning island, in mid-Pacific, will be completed by September 30 this year. The work will cost \$2,400,000.

## Wade to Quit Air Service

New York.—Following the lead of his former chief, Col. William A. Mitchell, Lieut. Leigh Wade, round-the-world flyer, will retire from the United States air service March 2.

## HOME'S BEST

By THOMAS ARKLE CLARK  
Dean of Men, University of Illinois.

WE WERE all sitting in the lounge of the steamer that was plowing its way through the waves of the Atlantic—fifty of us perhaps—telling tales of our wanderings and our adventures. Some had been to Prague, some to Inverness, and others had seen the wonders of Grenada or observed—that was all they had done they averred—the goings-on at Deauville and Monte Carlo. They had traveled far and wide during the summer.

They had all had a fine time, too, and were determined to go back again whenever opportunity or the bank account warranted. There was considerable discussion as to the differences in practices and customs in the various countries we had seen and those extant in our native land. Most of us had learned something from our association with the Swiss, or the French, or the Spanish, or the English, and could see in each of these various lands which we had visited many ways of doing things which we might well adopt in our own land. There was, of course, caustic criticism of every country on the part of some, but in general an attempt to remember and to appreciate what was best in each. They finally there was silence until Doctor White spoke up.

He was a Southern gentleman with the soft voice and the careful elimination of his final r's and the wide-brimmed hat which always gave away the man who comes from south of Mason and Dixon's line. Foreign food had been one of the items under discussion.

"What I'd like," the doctor said in his slow Southern drawl, "is a good piece of fried chicken—white meat, if you please, with a lot of gravy like my darky cook fixes up for me at home."

"Well, I'd like to run onto a little plumbing that works," Sutton remarked. "Every fixture that I've been acquainted with this summer has leaked, or worked badly, or refused entirely to function. I'm sure that most of it is second-hand stuff out of the ark."

Cynthia Faulkner was fed up on milk chocolate. She had lived within a stone's throw of the establishment of Gala Peter and she was now wanting some real chocolate with nuts and fruit and toothsome hard centers. The first thing she did when she got home, she said, was to go straight to a candy shop.

"What I want," said Fuller, "is good butter three times a day with salt in it, and a thick juicy steak with potatoes au gratin and caramel ice cream—a lot of it—and angel food cake."

They were going home all of them, fed up on foreign food and foreign beauty and foreign customs, and they were realizing, as every loyal citizen must, some of the blessings and the comforts and the conveniences of home.

For myself I was longing for the sweep of the prairies, for wide fields of waving corn, for a decent seat in a pullman that was rolling toward home. Every country has its attractions, but ultimately we all come to realize that "home's best."

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## CREAM FOR CATARRH OPENS UP NOSTRILS

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## SUCH IS LIFE

By Van Zelm  
NEW DISCOVERIES SEEM BEST

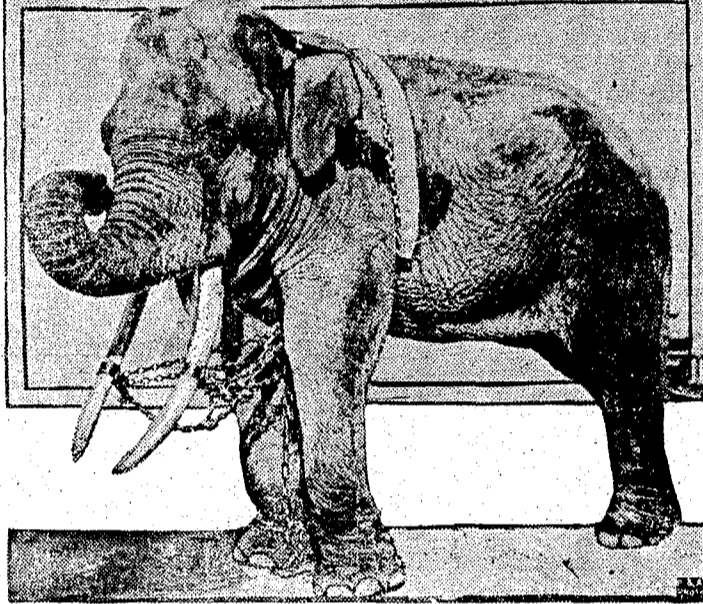
BUT IN THE MEANTIME WE FIND BUDDY ENJOYING HIS NEW AUTO IN REAL KID FASHION

## Dresden Cops on Roller Skates



Above is pictured one of the roller skating-policemen of Dresden starting to chase a bandit mounted on a bicycle. Recently an order was issued for members of the force to use roller skates for patrolling their beats.

## Condemned to Be Electrocuted



"Tex," the one-hundred-and-two-year-old elephant owned by Charles Newton, is soon to be electrocuted at Ada, Okla. The elephant has killed nine men since Newton purchased him ten years ago. After a recent damage suit in Little Rock, Ark., Newton decided to get rid of the animal, but no zoo or circus wanted him. Because of his temperament the monster is kept in chains most of the time, but despite this handicap he frequently bowls over his keeper and runs at large.

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Hook at His Best

Theodore Hook, the brilliant but impudent English wit, one day observed a pompous man walking along the street in a very grand style. Stepping up to the magnifico, Hook took off his hat, bowed low, and asked: "I beg your pardon, sir, but are you anybody in particular?" and then, before the strutting one could sufficiently collect himself to answer, quickly made off.

Ice "Telescopes"

Metius (one of the inventors of the telescope) was led to the discovery of optic glasses by observing some schoolboys at play upon the ice who made use of their copy books, rolled up in the shape of tubes, to look at each other, to which they sometimes added pieces of ice at the end to view distant objects.

UNCLE HENRY THAT WAS A WONDERFUL NEW TOY. AUTOMOBILE YOU SENT BUDDY AND HE'S ENJOYING IT SO MUCH—OH, HE THINKS IT'S JUST GREAT!

I'M SO GLAD

HEY JIMMY, COME ON OVER—LOOK AT THE SWELL TOY I JUST FOUND