

Charlevoix County Herald.

VOLUME 40

EAST JORDAN, MICHIGAN, FRIDAY, DECEMBER 18, 1936.

NUMBER 51

Band Concert At Annual School Christmas Party

Friday afternoon during the progress of the annual school Xmas party a concert will be given by the band. The band will play from one o'clock to one forty-five.

The program will consist of all new music. The special number will be, "Christmas Greetings."

The band played a concert for the school three weeks ago, but this time the public is cordially invited to attend.

Don't forget the band will be out to do its best for you so reciprocate by coming out to do your best for them.

Junior Play Decided Success

One of the highlights of the school year took place last Thursday evening when the Junior class of the East Jordan High School gave their annual play.

The play selected this year was "Peg O' My Heart". The part of Peg, a lovable little Irish tomboy, was played by Kathryn Kitsman, who with her dog Michael, her ready wit and spontaneous laughter furnished considerable anxiety to her aristocratic aunt, and amusement to the audience. There was indeed a fine bit of acting in this part.

The part of Mrs. Chichester — Peg's aunt — was played by Jean Bartlett, who also played her part in an excellent manner. The part of her haughty daughter, Ethel, was played by Daphne Keller, who also did commendable work.

The part of Jerry, a young friend of the family, who falls in love with Peg, was played by Galen Seiler; Alaric — son of Mrs. Chichester — by Arthur Rude; the family lawyer — Mr. Hawkes — by John Ter Avest; the part of Christopher Brent, Stanley Hale; the butler, Leonard Smith; and the maid, Irene Brintnall; all of these people playing their parts exceedingly well.

Much credit should be given the entire cast. Miss Davis and Mr. Heafield (who coached the play) and to the various committees who had charge of the arrangements.

Jordanites Lose To Mancelona, Friday

Coach Cohn's basketballers opened its conference schedule Friday, losing to a powerful Mancelona quintet 26 to 13 on the latter's court. Coach Cohn, who this year has a totally inexperienced squad, is trying hard to whip into shape a team capable of holding its own in Class C circles.

Mancelona with a veteran quintet were hard pushed by the locals in the first 3 periods to overcome the completely bewildered Jordanites by a one sided score. The locals were at no time out in front, trailing 14 to 10 at the half time. Smith, veteran Mancy center, furnished the spark which sent his team on to victory. He turned in the outstanding performance of the evening, scoring 5 field goals and making a try from the foul line.

The East Jordan team traveled to Mancelona playing without the backing of any Jordan boosters. Come on students, and townspeople lets get behind our team when Harbor Springs comes here Friday! Both teams are set for a battle to keep them out of last place in the conference standings. If the boys receive their due amount of support we feel sure the boys will battle for all they are worth.

The Jordanites seconds for the first time in several years began a season with a defeat against a conference foe as they lost to the Mancelona seconds 27 to 17.

THAT'S ALL RIGHT BOYS

East Jordan (13)	FG.	FT.	TP.
Vandenberg	1	1	3
Winstone	1	1	3
Antoine	0	0	0
Saxton	1	2	4
Sommerville	1	1	3
Holley	0	0	0
Isaman	0	0	0
Kemp	0	0	0
Totals	4	5	13

Mancelona (26)	FG.	FT.	TP.
Ring	8	0	6
Hardy	1	1	3
Epperson	0	0	0
Smith	5	1	11
Flannery	2	0	4
Slocum	1	0	2
Turnipseed	0	0	0
Totals	12	2	26

Referee — Tabraham — Cadillac.

New Years Eve Frolic To Be Grand Affair

The New Years Eve Midnight Frolic at the Temple continues to enroll amateur talent from every section of the north with entries to date from East Jordan, Boyne City, Charlevoix, Ellsworth, Central Lake, Bellaire, Mancelona and Eastport. Without a doubt it will be the celebration of the season and we suggest you make your plans now to attend. Curtain time is 11:30 p. m. and from then on it will be Whoopie.

Sunday Christmas Program At The Presbyterian Church

Sunday, Dec. 20th, at 10:30 a. m.

Organ Prelude by Mrs. M. F. Lewis. Doxology. Invocation.

Gloria, followed by Lord's Prayer. Scripture Reading: Luke 2: 8-20 by Albert Richardson and Howard Malpass.

Song, "Silent Night" by class of Mrs. R. Malpass.

Hymn, "It Came Upon the Midnight Clear."

Exercises by the Primary Department: Quartet, "In Bethlehem"; Dramatization, "The Good Shepherd"; Song, "Christmas Bells."

Song, "No Room for the Savior", by class of Mrs. C. Malpass.

Song, "O Little Town of Bethlehem", by class of Mrs. Galmore.

"The Virgin's Cradle Hymn" Alto Solo, Mrs. Galmore. Humming Accompaniment, Men's Quartet.

Harp and Marimba Duet by Suzanne Porter and Howard Porter, Jr.

Offertory Music, "Quest of the Magi," Men's Chorus.

Short Christmas Talk by the Pastor.

Hymn, "Adeste Fideles." Benediction.

Mrs. A. B. Clark, 75 Passed Away Tuesday, Dec. 15

Mrs. A. B. Clark passed away at her home in East Jordan Tuesday, Dec. 15th, following several years of failing health.

Annie J. Livingston was born in Ireland, May 22, 1861, her parents being Richard and Lucy Livingston. In 1866 she came with her parents to the United States, locating at Toledo, Ohio. On Jan. 14, 1882 she was united in marriage to A. B. Clark, and in 1892 they came to Charlevoix County locating in Eveline township where they resided until 1930 when they moved to East Jordan.

Deceased is survived by her husband and two sons — Walter H. and Joseph R. Clark, both of East Jordan. Also by two brothers — Pierce and Richard Livingston of Toledo, Ohio.

Funeral services were held from the Pilgrim Holiness church — of which she was a member — Thursday afternoon, Dec. 17, conducted by Rev. George Weaver. Burial was at Sunset Hill.

Comedy The Highlight of Pre-Xmas Week At Temple

With Christmas just around the corner the Temple brings us a grand line up of fun shows that are entirely in step with the season. The program of the pre-Christmas week is replete with the joyous spirit of carefree happiness that permeates the universe at Yuletide and any one of the following shows will chase old man gloom away.

Saturday only: Gene Autry, the singing cowhand in "Guns and Guitars."

Sunday, Monday: Wm. Powell, Myrna Loy, Spencer Tracy, Jean Harlow in "Libeled Lady."

Tues., Wednesday: Family Nites: Barbara Stanwyck, Gene Raymond in "The Bride Walks Out."

Thursday only: Dec. 24th: Stuart Irwin in "The All American Champ."

Friday, Saturday: Xmas Special, Dec. 25-26; Jane Withers, Slim Summerville, Irvin S. Cobb in "Pepper."

Funeral of H. W. Roy Was Held Last Sunday Afternoon

Henry W. Roy was born April 26, 1863, in Petersborough, Quebec, Canada, the son of William H. and Sarah Roy. When but a small boy he came with his parents to Michigan, who homesteaded near Kingston.

In 1886 he was united in marriage to Alveretta Bailey of Woodstock, Ontario, who preceded him in death in May, 1929. To this union were born two sons, Glen of Flint, and Melvin who died at El Paso, Texas, while stationed there with Co. I in February, 1917.

Mr. Roy came to East Jordan some 38 years ago, walking in from Gaylord. He was later joined by his wife and sons, and had since made East Jordan his home.

Until recent years he was employed by the East Jordan Lumber Co. as fireman and engineer in their mills.

Mr. Roy had been in failing health for some time but did not become seriously ill until about ten days before his death, which occurred December 10 at his home, caused by heart trouble and complications.

Funeral services were held at his late home Sunday afternoon, Dec. 13, conducted by Rev. John Cermak of the M. E. Church with burial at Sunset Hill.

Besides his son, Glen, he is survived by two brothers — James Roy of Mt. Clemens and John Roy of Pontiac.

East Jordan Lodge No. 379, F. & A. M. Install Officers

At a special communication of East Jordan Lodge No. 379, F. & A. M. held Tuesday night, Dec. 15, the following officers were installed for the coming year:

W. Master — B. R. Milstein
S. Warden — Walter Davis
J. Warden — Joseph E. Clark
Treasurer — Wm. Aldrich
Secretary — G. W. Bechtold
S. Deacon — Abe Cohn
J. Deacon — E. E. Wade
Chaplain — C. W. Sidebotham
Stewards — W. M. Sanderson and J. P. Seiler.
Marshal — S. J. Colter
Tyler — R. P. Maddock.

Christmas Cantata Was Well Received

The Christmas Cantata, "Tidings of Great Joy", presented by the vested choir of the Presbyterian Church last Sunday evening was enthusiastically received by a large audience.

The program consisted of three parts, with solos and choruses in each part. First there was The Plea; then there was The Promise of the Redeemer, and then was The Fulfillment of the Promise in the birth of the Redeemer. It was a reverent and appealing presentation of the religious significance of Christmas.

The entire choir deserved much credit but special mention should be made of the efficient work of Miss Helen Raatikainen who was the director. Those in charge of the Cantata desire to give public expression of appreciation to Mrs. A. J. Stelter of Charlevoix. The local organist, Mrs. M. F. Lewis, on account of sickness, could not be present and Mrs. Stelter graciously and ably took her place, thereby strengthening the always strong ties of fraternity between the congregational church of Charlevoix and the local Presbyterian Church.

Why women fall in love with criminals. An interesting scientific page by Prof. Laird, written for The American Weekly, the magazine distributed with Next Sunday's Chicago Herald And Examiner.



CHRISTMAS festivities are likely to be much more fun when the whole family helps, says the New York state college of home economics.

The older children are always eager to trim the Christmas tree, collect Christmas greens, and make wreaths. Often they have good ideas on how to arrange these holiday decorations. Because these tasks are unusual they have a special appeal, but with the right encouragement from father or mother even the more routine work may seem a part of the general family-sharing at Christmas.

Big brother and sister can be a help if they show their small brother or sister how to help in odd carpentering jobs that come with Christmas. If mother is busy, older brothers or sisters can help the youngsters to dress or get ready for bed.

What can the small members of the family do? Little Johnny or tiny Mary can cut out gingerbread men and other fancy shaped cookies, which mother will lift onto the baking sheet. Father will also be pleased to know how well his small son or daughter can find his tools, cut the string used to wind the Christmas wreath when both of father's hands are busy, or to help with other preparations.

One thing father and mother should remember is to watch for signs of fatigue or nervous strain in the younger children. They should not ask the children to do too many or too difficult tasks.

MEANING OF "NOEL"

"NOEL" is the French name of the Christmas feast and of the old carols formerly sung in the French country churches at this season. Its derivation is from the Latin "natalis," meaning "born," and the word was originally shouted or sung to express joy over the birth of Christ. With the spelling "Nowel" it is found in Chaucer and other early writers.

Tasty Christmas Gifts
Small jars of jellies, preserves, relishes or jams make individual Christmas gifts. Arrange several in a small basket, and tie with Christmas wrappings.

South Lake Lodge No. 180, K. of P. Elect Officers

South Lake Lodge No. 180, Knights of Pythias, elected the following officers Wednesday, Dec. 9th, for the ensuing year:

Chancellor Commander — Alex Sinclair.
Vice Chancellor — Hugh Whitehead.
Prelate — Merle Crowell
M. of W. — Teddie Kotowich
M. of R. & S. — Jack Bowman
M. of F. — Walter Davis
M. of E. — C. H. Whittington
M. at Arms — Isadore Kling
I. G. — Walter Kemp
O. G. — Ed. Streeter.
F. C. & Installing Officer — Ira D. Bartlett.
Delegate to Grand Lodge — Alex Sinclair.
Trustee and Alternate to Grand Lodge — Louis Ellis.

Warning To Coasters

Coasting on any street in the City of East Jordan is prohibited with exception of the Garfield-st hill. This coasting place is protected by police regulations and all parents and guardians should insist on their children using this hill.

Should children persist in using other streets, the child's sled will be picked up and held until spring. Not a pleasant task, but coasting regulations MUST be observed.

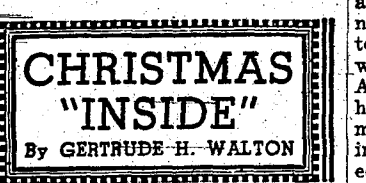
OLE-OLSON
Chief of Police.
adv51-1

Paying Additional Dividend

The Peoples State Savings Bank — Geo. D. Nimmo, receiver — started Wednesday, Dec. 16th, paying depositors an additional five per cent dividend. This makes a total of 45 per cent returned to depositors.

CARD OF THANKS

We acknowledge with sincere thanks the sympathy and floral offerings tendered us by our friends and neighbors during the illness and at the death of our father — Mr. Henry Roy. Especially we thank the Rev. Cermak for his services.
Mr. and Mrs. Glen Roy.



THE LARGE house interested Celia. There seemed little life within, no Christmas decorations in the windows as in many dwellings on the streets. Tonight, a dim light in the back, with the early Christmas eve twilight, heightened its drabness.

"One may be excused for inquisitiveness, tonight," Celia led Ann, her roommate onto the porch. "This house, outside, looks gloomy but no more than is my heart. I'll admit being disappointed because of no opening, after our singing audition over WQQ this afternoon, Ann, slipping to a side door, with Ann, began singing Christmas carols. A door opened and a dignified woman said:

"Come inside, girls, and sing. I'm Mrs. Ashby. There's a piano, not opened since Beulah—"

"We'll sing if you join us," Celia answered.

After singing, Celia told of ambitions for her voice and of the afternoon's disappointment.

"Girls, you have given me a happy pre-Christmas eve and birthday, as well. Many of my club members have birthdays at this season. Please come again, tonight, if you wish. You're across the street."

Celia and Ann, at home, were eating, when, answering the telephone, Celia swung Ann around into dizziness.

"We're to report for a program tomorrow afternoon over WQQ! Someone not filling engagement! We'll practice on Mrs. Ashby's piano. Let's decorate her windows with these wreaths," Celia cried.

During the Christmas day program, dedicated to those with birthdays of the season, when Mrs. Ashby's name was mentioned, the announcer said:

"Mrs. Ashby will enjoy this program. She called us last evening, asked that you girls sing for birthdays of her club members, other members asked for you, too. Mrs. Ashby travels, gives time and money to a shut-in club of which she is national president. Her daughter is the wife of a famed doctor in India. You probably will have a permanent program for birthdays of listeners."

"Maybe that house interested me because, even through boards and stone, human kindness, character, oozes through. Her windows look pretty, though, with our wreaths," Celia told Ann.

Western Newspaper Union.

MARRIAGES

Mauldin — Bowen

Mrs. Richard Tyler Mauldin of Gainsville, Georgia, announces the marriage of her daughter, Jane, to Mr. Carlton Bowen, son of Mr. and Mrs. Isaac L. Bowen of East Jordan.

The marriage took place on Thursday evening, Dec. 10, in the chapel of the Methodist building in Washington, D. C. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. James Shera Montgomery D. D., chaplain of the United States House of Representatives, in the presence of a few close friends.

Mr. Bowen is a graduate of the East Jordan High School, he was also a teacher in the local schools.

The good wishes of his many East Jordan friends are extended for a long and successful wedded life.

Reduced Telephone Rates on The Coming Holidays

Long distance telephone rates will be reduced for the approaching Xmas and New Year's days according to announcement by the Michigan Bell Telephone Company.

Similar reductions will apply throughout the Bell System for the two holidays, it is stated by C. L. Johnson, Manager in this area for the Michigan Bell Telephone Company.

The Xmas and New Year's rates will in general be the same as the Sunday reduced rates applying on all routes on which the day station-to-station charge is 40c or more. The rates will apply on calls to Canada, Central and South America (excluding Mexico), Cuba, & Islands of the Caribbean Area, Hawaii, Java, Philippines.

On New Year's day the low rates also will apply to calls to the British Isles and most of Continental Europe.

E. J. Extension Club Met With Mrs. S. Rogers Tuesday Afternoon

Meeting called to order by Reta Bader, the regular chairman being absent. Roll call taken and new business discussed. Moved we have a get-together party. Moved and seconded we have a party the last of January. Amanda Shepard offered the use of her home for party. The date of next meeting to be decided on then. Meeting turned over to leaders who showed us the uses of milk throughout the meal. A well balanced meal was served at noon and a very nice time enjoyed. — Nita Ruhlmg, Sec'y pro-tem.

Giant Rise Shown In Diesel Oil Tax

Sale of Diesel motor horsepower in the nation jumped some 60 percent in 1936 as compared with 1935, but Michigan's motor fuel tax collections on this commodity showed a far greater increase.

Orville E. Atwood, Secretary of State, points to the \$10,542.66 collected in 1935 on Diesel motor fuel, as contrasted with \$18,991.77 collected in the first 10 months of 1936.

The state collects its 3 cents a gallon motor fuel tax on that Diesel oil used only for highway purposes. While collections are almost negligible when compared with gasoline collections, developments in Diesel motor experimentation might ultimately change the picture.

The so-called "gas tax law" under which the Diesel motor fuel tax is collected, was amended by the 1935 legislature so as to clarify the state's right to levy the gallonage tax on any liquid used to propel a motor vehicle along a highway.

CLOSING TIME ON THE HERALD

All contributors of copy for your Charlevoix County Herald should endeavor to get same into this office as early in the week of publication as possible.

FRONT PAGE — All articles intended for the first page must be in the office by Wednesday noon to insure publication.

MAT SERVICE — Those having mats for casting MUST have these in the office Tuesday noon for the current week's issue.

LOCALS — Please phone your local items to No. 15 1/2 where Mrs. Sherman Conway — who covers these columns — will care for them. These should be in not later than 10:00 a. m. of Thursdays.

Your Herald publisher is endeavoring to get each week's issue in the mails on Thursday afternoons. Your co-operation in getting news and advertising copy in our hands as early in the week as possible will be greatly appreciated.

Local Democrats Stage Victory Party Tuesday Night

Roosevelt Progressive League Entertained With A Supper and Dance at the Odd Fellows Hall Tuesday Evening, Dec. 15th, 1936

A crowd of loyal enthusiastic Democrats taxed the capacity of the Odd Fellows Hall Tuesday evening when they met to celebrate the victory of their party at the last general election and to elect officers for the coming year.

A supper was served so bounteous that mere imagination is paralyzed and was enjoyed as only healthy, happy Democrats can enjoy good food. This was followed by the regular business meeting and election of officers for the ensuing.

Chairman — Merle R. Crowell
Vice Chairman — Edward Stallard
2nd V. Chairman — Felix Weimer
Secretary — Lewis W. Ellis
Asst. Secretary — Basil Holland
Treasurer — Mark Carney
Trustees — F. H. Crowell, George Nelson and James Green.

Following the election the floor was cleared for dancing which made an enjoyable evening perfect.

Camp Wolverine CCC Did Excellent Work At Oden Fish Hatchery

CCC enrollees at Camp Wolverine who have worked under Foreman L. L. Bullis on development projects at the Department of Conservation's Oden Fish Hatchery are strutting with out-thrown chests following receipt by Project Superintendent Carlos LaGuire of the following letter:

"Your foreman, I. L. Bullis, may have told you that a rather intensive inspection was made of the Oden project last week. I wish to take this opportunity to render our appreciation of the splendid job which you and your men have accomplished during the past year at the Oden Hatchery. I am sure that when the job is finished all of us will look upon it with a great deal of pride. We are highly appreciative of your co-operation in this particular."

The letter was written by A. C. Cook, Jr., Supervisor of Fisheries Operations in the Department of Conservation.

Bullis' crew has built several new trout rearing ponds, and is now constructing two more ponds, to enlarge the productive capacity of the Oden Hatchery. Fish from the hatchery are stocked in the streams of the northern part of the Lower Peninsula.

Fingerprints Save Escheated Bankroll

Though "X" marks the spot with considerable finality in many cases, it was insufficient as the signature to a petition for return of a bankroll held by the state board of escheats.

The applicant could not write, but many years ago, in opening an account with a Michigan bank, a record of his fingerprints had been taken as a means of supplementing identification of his "X" on checks drawn on the account.

Because the account was inactive for a number of years, it was turned over to the state. Recently, the man re-appeared and applied at the bank for his money. He was told it was in custody of the state board of escheats. He petitioned the board for refund.

Ordinarily, a letter is required from the bank identifying the claimant's signature. But in this case the signature was merely "X" — and "X's" aren't very convincing in identification matters.

A photostatic copy of the man's fingerprints, however, were furnished by the bank. Prints of the applicant supplemented the "X" on his petition to the board of escheats.

The documents with their "X's" and ink-smudges were sent to the identification bureau of the Michigan State Police. Fingerprint experts determined that both sets of prints were made by the same person. The man's right to the fund was established.

Though the prints were taken several years before the non-criminal fingerprint identification file was started by the state police bureau, Captain I. H. Marmon points out this means of identification is almost daily proving a means of usefulness and value to those who have qualified for this indisputable proof of identity.

Close Season on Some Fish

Beginning Jan. 1 and thereafter until June 25, it will be illegal to take black bass from any of the waters of the state, the department of conservation announced today.

The last day of bass-fishing season in Michigan, Dec. 31, also marks the expiration of the 1936 Michigan fishing licenses. On Jan. 1 sport fishermen will be required to buy new licenses to fish in Michigan waters.

Dec. 31 is also the last day of the cisco spearing season in certain of the inland lakes and streams designated for that purpose.

News Review of Current Events the World Over

King Edward Abdicates and Is Succeeded by Duke of York — Pope Stricken With Paralysis — Wallace Promises Better Farm Program.

By EDWARD W. PICKARD
© Western Newspaper Union

LOVE and the British constitution are the winners in the great contest that has stirred the vast empire to its farthest borders. Edward VIII, steadfast in his determination to make Mrs. Wallis Warfield Simpson his wife, abdicated as king of Great Britain and emperor of India, and his brother, the duke of York, reigns in his stead as George VI.



George VI

Edward's fateful decision was communicated to the house of commons by Prime Minister Stanley Baldwin. Haggard and deeply moved, the man who has borne the brunt of the struggle on behalf of the cabinet and parliament handed the speaker the royal message and the speaker read it to the half-stunned members. This is what Edward said:

"Realizing as I do the gravity of this step I can only hope that I shall have the understanding of my people in the decision I have taken and the reasons which have led me to take it.

"I conceive that I am not overlooking the duty that rests on me to place in the forefront the public interest when I declare that I am conscious that I can no longer discharge this heavy task with efficiency or with satisfaction to myself.

"I have accordingly this morning executed an instrument of abdication in the terms following:

"I, Edward VIII of Great Britain, Ireland, the British dominions beyond the seas, king, emperor of India, do hereby declare my irrevocable determination to renounce the throne for myself and my descendants. My desire is that effect should be given to this instrument of abdication immediately.

"I, taken thereof I have hereunto set my hand this 10th day of December, 1936, in the presence of the witnesses whose signatures are subscribed."

There followed a request that the accession of his brother to the throne be expedited, and accordingly enabling legislation effecting the abdication and the accession of the new king was promptly introduced and put through the house of commons and the house of lords.

The new king was proclaimed with the traditional ceremony following an assembly of the accession council made up of privy counsellors and other distinguished persons.

That evening the ex-king went on the air to broadcast a message of farewell to the half-billion people who had been his subjects.

Edward left England for his self-imposed exile and probably never will return to his native land. Where he will make his home has not been announced. It was stated in Cannes, where Mrs. Simpson was with friends, that he would not go there now. "Wally" publicly offered to renounce her association with the king if that would settle the controversy, but he chose otherwise. Her divorce would not become absolute until April 27, but steps were taken in London to speed up the date.

Notwithstanding the widespread sympathy for Edward and his once enormous popularity, the general sentiment throughout the British empire is now that he let his country down, that he mainly was to blame for bringing on the crisis and, to quote one correspondent, that "the cabinet's victory was the only possible victory which could be allowed on the present issue." The great majority of the people did not think Mrs. Simpson, a commoner and twice divorced, was fit to be queen of England. The cabinet and the house of commons emphatically vetoed a morganatic marriage. If he would be true to his love, there was nothing left for the king to do but abdicate.

For a day after announcing his resignation of the throne, Edward remained king. But as soon as parliament passed the abdication measure it was carried to him, and the moment he signed the document Edward ceased to reign. It was presumed that, with the permission of the new king, Edward would retain the duchy of Cornwall and its revenues. With his other resources he goes into exile with an annual income of about \$500,000.

In all the British dominions steps were taken to ratify the abdication of the king and the accession of the duke of York. There was considerable uneasiness concerning the course the legislature of the Irish Free State might pursue, for events seemed to give Ireland the chance to shake off the last vestiges of adherence to the British empire.

FROM Manila came belated dispatches telling of the worst disaster that ever befell the Philippines—a great flood which swept through the fertile and densely populated Cagayan valley in northern Luzon and destroying possibly thousands of the inhabitants. The full extent of the death toll may never be known. The waters of the Cagayan river, suddenly swollen by a typhoon and torrential rains, inundated many villages and towns in the 50-mile wide valley. So isolated was the stricken area that a former provincial military commander required four days to fight his way to an outlying point from which he informed the world of the disaster. Military airplanes were used to carry medical supplies and relief agents to the district.

STRICKEN with paralysis that affected both his legs, Pope Pius XI was believed to be in a serious condition because he already was afflicted with asthma, arterio sclerosis and high blood pressure. At first the holy father flatly refused to submit to a medical examination, saying "I am in the hands of God," and he even insisted on dictating and signing letters. But later he was persuaded to take complete repose, which his physicians said was vitally necessary.

Father Agostino Gemelli of Milan, a medical expert, was summoned to Vatican City and gave out a statement indicating that rigid measures were being taken to stave off possible uremic poisoning. The pope's illness was discovered when he was unable to arise for a ceremonial concluding a week of spiritual exercises. He was barely able to stir the left leg and physicians found that the heaviness of limb had spread also to the right leg.



Pope Pius XI

MEMBERS of the American Farm Bureau federation, assembled in Pasadena, Calif., were told by Secretary of Agriculture Wallace that the government would provide a better farm program than the AAA; but he also said the farmer must be willing to accept "small increases in the imports of certain agricultural products."

"In the cause of peace," he said, "the farmers of the United States must learn to say 'yes' as often as possible to agricultural imports from Pan-America, while at the same time reserving the right to say 'no' when any vital branch of agriculture is likely to be menaced by too great imports."

Mr. Wallace declared the preservation of world peace is more fundamental than national agricultural conservation, and added, "there is an important relation between the two, however. Danger of the United States becoming involved in a serious war comes from the fact that we export goods to Europe and when war comes one side or the other interferes with trade."

"Last year 68 per cent of our agricultural exports went to five countries which are certain to be involved in any major difficulty in Europe and Asia. Only 10 per cent of our agricultural exports went to Pan-America. Both our hearts and our heads lead us increasingly to Pan-America but the facts are stubborn and of necessity can be brought in line with our desires only slowly."

The federation conferred upon Mr. Wallace its highest honor, the award for distinguished service to agriculture.

PLANS of John L. Lewis and his associates in the C. I. O. for organizing the automobile industry workers seemingly are greatly furthered by the formation of a joint council of the United Automobile Workers of America and the Federation of Flat Glass Workers. These two unions, controlling as they do virtually organized workers in the automotive industry, have agreed to unite in a common cause in any controversy with the industry. They are both members of the Lewis group and so are under suspension by the American Federation of Labor.

FOR the first time the government has taken a hand in the steel-labor crisis. The national labor-relations board has issued a complaint charging the United States Steel corporation and its subsidiary, the Carnegie-Illinois Steel company, with "interfering with the self-organization of employees" in Carnegie's 21 plants.

This action followed the board's investigation of charges filed by Philip Murray, chairman of the SWOC and M. F. Tighe, veteran president of the Amalgamated Association of Iron, Steel and Tin Workers.

WITH the launching of the Gneisenau, her second 28,000-ton battleship, Germany moved another step toward her goal of a navy large enough to bottle up the Russian fleet. Reichsfuhrer Hitler and many high officials attended the ceremony. The ship was christened by Frau Maerker, widow of the commander of the old Gneisenau, which went down in the battle of the Falkland islands 22 years ago.

Berlin correspondents believe the new German fleet will have reached 420,000 tons by 1942. It will possess no less than five 35,000-ton battleships, to which can be added two 26,000-ton battleships, three existing 1,000-ton pocket battleships and fourteen light and heavy cruisers, including three more 10,000-ton boats. There will be 40 destroyers and torpedo boats, two airplane carriers and submarines up to the limit of the 1935 pact with Great Britain.

FRANCE and Great Britain united in an invitation to Germany, Italy, Russia and Portugal to join them in an effort to end the Spanish war by mediation. It was thought the time was ripe for this, since both the government forces and the rebels are exhausted by their fierce and inconclusive fighting.

The announcement of the plan came on the eve of the meeting of the League of Nations council, summoned to Geneva to consider the Madrid-Valencia government's appeal against Germany and Italy because of their recognition of the Fascist rebel junta. It is the hope of France and Britain that the Spanish people will be permitted to decide by ballot whether they shall have a Fascist or a Socialist government.

FOURTEEN persons perished when a big Dutch airliner crashed near Croyden airport in England soon after taking off in a dense fog. The plane struck trees and houses and was destroyed by flames. Among the victims were Juan de la Cierva, inventor of the autogyro, and Admiral Saloman Lindman, former prime minister of Sweden. There were only three survivors of the disaster.

HEADS of 21 delegations to the peace conference in Buenos Aires outlined national policies, and among them was Secretary of State Hull, who proposed a program containing what he termed "eight pillars of peace" upon which rest peace and prosperity. These were:

1. Internal quiet and education.
2. Frequent international conferences.
3. Swift ratification of existing peace pacts.
4. Adoption of a common neutrality policy.
5. Fair and equal commercial policies.
6. Practical international cooperation.
7. Strengthening of international law.
8. Faithful observance of the sanctity of treaties.

Next day Mr. Hull offered a neutrality pact for all American republics. His plan would create a permanent inter-American consultative committee to co-ordinate existing peace instruments and bring agreement on a common neutrality policy, based on the United States' neutrality theory.

JOHN HAMILTON, chairman of the Republican national committee, called a meeting of that body to be held in Chicago December 17, and announced that at that time he would submit his resignation.

Mr. Hamilton desires that the committee shall be able to address itself to the plans for a party comeback with a clean slate and with new officers in command, if a change of personnel shall be deemed more conducive to success.

The management of the late campaign has been criticized by some leaders in the East, and also by a few of the most radical of the western leaders; but it may well be that the criticism represents only minority views of the committee and that Mr. Hamilton's resignation will not be accepted.

SECRETARY OF THE TREASURY HENRY MORGENTHAU announced the mid-December financing operations of the treasury, the main features being further borrowing and refunding that will put the national debt above 34 billion dollars, lowered interest rates on government bonds and elimination of preferential treatment for the small investor. The secretary said that the December 15 financing, which includes the borrowing of 700 millions to cover continuation of deficits incurred, would be the last until March, when heavy income tax collections will pour into the treasury. Refunding raises the overall amount of the financing to \$1,485,631,900.

In announcing that the treasury would not permit the small investor to have his subscription up to \$5,000 met in full as in the past, but would be forced to accept a pro-rata share just as is the big bond buyer, Morgenthau declared that the public had "abused" the privilege. The plan "to give the little fellow a break" was initiated by Secretary Ogden Mills during the Hoover regime.

FROM AROUND MICHIGAN

Bath—A 50-foot vine forms an archway along the ceiling of Guy Meade's grocery in this village. The original plant has stood in the window for 27 years.

Lansing—A recent ruling by the state board of tax administration would exempt steamboat operators from paying a sales tax on bunker coal. The ruling, if approved by the State Treasurer, would lose the state approximately \$20,000 in revenues.

Detroit—A chain of inns similar to the famed "hostels" of hiking clubs in Europe—where youthful Michigan may spend the night for 25 cents and eat at cost, is under consideration here. Individuals, clubs and civic groups will be asked to support the project, it is said.

Lansing—A permanent safety organization created by statute may be proposed to the 1937 state legislature. Among numerous proposals for changes in laws governing operation of motor vehicles is one that would make the Michigan State Safety council an official state agency.

Lansing—The interstate commerce commission has authorized the Pennsylvania railroad and the Grand Trunk and Western railroad to make joint use of the Lake Michigan car ferries owned by the Grand Trunk Milwaukee Car Ferry company, a subsidiary of Grand Trunk and Western.

Harrison—The completion of five trout rearing ponds at the department of conservation's Tobacco river feeding station has been announced. On 15 acres of land in a narrow strip along the Tobacco river, donated by a local resident, CCC enrollees of Camp Temple are constructing a station capable of an annual production of half a million trout fingerlings.

Grand Haven—Co-operating with this city to develop a scenic drive from Howard St. to the entrance of Grand Haven State park, the government engineering office at Milwaukee has authorized the expenditure of \$18,000 for construction of a dock, carpenter's house and improvement of the banks along the government pond, where the engineering base is located.

Ann Arbor—According to Prof. Robert P. Briggs, University of Michigan economist and financial adviser of campus fraternities, the National Interfraternity council in New York may apply on behalf of all Greek letter groups for exemption from the taxes imposed by the social security act. Briggs said exemption would be sought on the ground that fraternities are non-profit, educational organizations.

Lansing—The Conservation Commission will soon have \$150,000 available for land acquisition. This money represents \$1.50 for each deer license, earmarked by legislative enactment to be used for the purchase of deer yards, refuges and public hunting grounds. It is estimated that between now and July 1 next, the department will have \$150,000 for this purpose, and with several projects available the commission will be asked to designate those it wants to purchase.

Grayling—Michigan resort interests turned to winter sports preparations as the end of the deer season brought to a close the most successful summer and fall tourist season in recent years. Pioneer city in this field, Grayling sets the pace again, with Petoskey, Alpena, Traverse City and Cadillac also drafting extensive programs of cold weather sports and fun. Snow trains have been planned to take metropolitan residents northward every weekend during the season.

Peacock—Within a 10-day period late in October CCC enrollees at Camp Sable River planted 125,000 box elder, soft maple, viburnum, elderberry, sumac, red osier, white ash, green ash, basswood and black cherry seedlings in game areas and near the Nirvana swamp, to provide future food and cover for wildlife. One thousand pounds of acorns were gathered by another crew to be used in deer feeding experiments by the game division of the department of conservation.

Lansing—A statewide photographic contest to interest school children in the conservation of wildlife resources will be sponsored this winter by the Federated Garden Clubs of Michigan in co-operation with the department of conservation. The contest opens Dec. 1 and closes April 1. Competition is open to all senior and junior high school pupils of public, parochial and private schools, urban and rural, who establish a feeding station to help wildlife through the winter season.

East Lansing—Michigan competitors placed in several events at the international livestock and hay show in Chicago. Michigan State college won the carcass steer reserve championship with its entry "Discovery" placing first, in the 800 to 1,000 pound class. Judging teams from the college placed sixth in horses and tenth in cattle in the collegiate contests. Another team from Michigan State placed eighth in commercial grading, fifth in seed judging, and fourth in identification of crops.

Washington Digest

National Topics Interpreted
by William Bruckart

Washington—Observers of affairs in the national capital frequently get a different slant on statements by "close advisers of the President" or activities of "those on the inside" than persons living at distances from Washington. They are less likely to be misled in their conclusions as to the meaning of such statements or actions, come as they may from "high sources," than others not closely in touch. But even this close contact by observers here does not always produce for them a definite finality on their conclusions because some things are simply impossible of proof.

The above statements are by way of directing attention to the inability of the corps of correspondents here to tell whether Dr. Stanley High was speaking with the approval or even the acquiescence of President Roosevelt when Dr. High voiced the opinions in Liberty Magazine recently to the effect that Mr. Roosevelt is in a mood to discipline the newspapers of the country. Dr. High, to summarize many words in his magazine article, rather forecast Mr. Roosevelt in his new term of office will not abandon his liberal policies but probably will chastise his enemies less than occurred during his first term—except the press. Certainly, Dr. High gave us all reason to believe that Mr. Roosevelt is pretty much disgusted with certain types of newspapers in this country and that he may be expected to "crack down" on them.

The consensus among the writing fraternity in Washington is that Dr. High has an opportunity at least to know the Presidential mind. He has virtually lived with it during the last six months and there can be no doubt that he had opportunities during that time of talking formally and informally with the Chief Executive in a manner not permitted more than a few persons. On this basis, if on no other, one would be led to believe that Dr. High was writing in a sense a reflection of Mr. Roosevelt's thoughts, yet, as I said at the beginning, none of us can be sure.

While Dr. High definitely is in a position as an adviser to the President to know the trend of Mr. Roosevelt's mind, he was delightfully general in the discussion of the President's future program except as to the press. Again, it may be much ado about nothing. So many of the Presidential advisers and insiders have been writing and talking and acting in the last three years that it is difficult to tell which is the real story. It may be, therefore, and I believe this is the best answer—that Dr. High has turned loose a toy balloon. If this balloon is blown the wrong way by comments from the nation, you probably will hear no more about a discipline for the press. If the comments are friendly, another story may be expected and its nature is not now to be forecast.

Assuming now that Dr. High has faithfully presented the President's thoughts on the

Hit Unfair Journalism newspapers of the country, it seems entirely proper that the suggestion be examined from the viewpoint of national welfare.

Dr. High, to be sure, made clear in his article that the President's efforts to reform the press will be addressed only to those newspapers which engage in misrepresentation, color their news or are guilty of unfair journalism. I believe that the vast majority of our newspapers properly are jealous of the integrity of their policies. I believe that the vast majority of our editors regard the responsibility of leadership as something quite sacred and not to be tainted. In the same breath that we mention the President's purported thoughts and the attitude of most newspapers, one cannot help but recall that at least three-fourths of all newspaper circulation in the recent Presidential campaign was opposed to President Roosevelt's re-election.

Thus, and in view of these circumstances, it may be disconcerting to a good many people to read the strong language that Dr. High has used in reflecting the implications of the Presidential mind. To that school of thought, the Doctor's language, if it means anything, means that Mr. Roosevelt proposes to take steps, directly or indirectly, to make the entire press of America conform to his ideas of what constitutes "fair journalism." In other words, if their interpretation of the High article is correct, there can be intimidation of the press from the White House.

The intimidation could come from Presidential tongue lashing of newspapers or any one individual newspaper which the President believed was guilty of "unfair journalism." The net result of such a course, naturally, would be a fearful press and a fearful press obviously never has presented and never will present its impartial judgment; it will never answer back and it probably

will never fight out the issues in which it believes and to which it may have been committed theretofore.

I do not defend unfair newspapers and I do not believe anyone else can defend them. Newspapers, because of their position as leaders, must conform to the maximum of honesty. I think, however, that the number of unfair journals is declining because public sentiment gradually drives them out of business. If Mr. Roosevelt actually has in mind the things presented by Dr. High, then a wave of resentment is likely to arise and that wave of resentment in itself will not help in the movement to drive out unfair newspapers. At least, that is the conviction that seems to prevail among the several hundred capable observers here in Washington. Only a few, as far as I can discern, believe that the President can get away with the program which Dr. High outlined in his behalf.

Colonel Edwin A. Halsey, secretary of the senate, recently has had compiled some facts and figures on proposals for constitutional amendments that are strikingly interesting. First, the fact that there have been 3,759 proposals for constitutional amendments in the nation's history, and only 21 of them succeeded and became a part of the Constitution, is to me most significant. It shows very definitely, I believe, that our people are slow to make changes in the fundamental law of our country and that they do not make these changes until there is something approximating unanimity of belief that they are necessary.

Colonel Halsey's compilation disclosed the further interesting fact that economic conditions have a direct link with and reflect rather accurately the desires of the people to alter or revise the Constitution. It seems that when there is plenty of work and plenty of profit and the nation is going along happily, even few of the demagogues have thought about amending the Constitution. But let hard times descend upon us, let there be millions of unemployed and hundreds of thousands of persons destitute and forward comes a perfect deluge of proposals to change the Constitution.

Very accurate proof of the above statement is given in the records for the last ten years, that is, from 1926 to 1936. The most important political question agitating the congress during the first part of this decade was the proposal to change the date upon which the President and Vice President and congress take office. Latterly, and after the prosperity bubble burst, the depression brought its own flock of proposals for changing the Constitution.

Colonel Halsey disclosed that there had been 20 proposals which would authorize congress to deal with working hours and wages; 7 which would have given congress authority over agricultural production and 9 limiting the power and authority of the Supreme court to declare acts of congress unconstitutional or otherwise modify court jurisdiction. There were two suggested amendments that would have placed in the hands of congress virtual power to control the general welfare of the nation.

The Halsey document also reflects maneuvers of various blocs and schools of thought and likewise tells a very clear story of our nation's sashay into the field of national prohibition. National prohibition was a long time in coming and there are many who believe that it was forced upon the country too soon. That is to say it was made operative before a sufficiently large majority of the people were in favor of it. This seems to be substantiated by the figures which show that during the last decade, there were 135 proposals for repeal of the 18th amendment out of a total of 470 resolutions for constitutional amendment. In other words, had there been anything like the necessary popular majority in favor of prohibition, we would have seen very few attempts in congress to repeal the liquor control amendment.

Stools Before Chairs Chairs, which we take for granted nowadays, were not in common use until the last part of the Seventeenth century. Before that time hard wooden stools were the only seating conveniences known. Museums preserve some of the first chairs of history, stiff, uncomfortable objects of puritan austerity. The backs were of solid wood, often in carved design, and the seats, too, were solid. They were known as "wainscot" chairs.

Children to Have Harbor Khabarovsk, in Far East Russia, is constructing on the Amur river a harbor for children which will boast two lighthouses equipped with radio stations, repair shops, a steamer for 250 passengers, swimming pools and a large headquarters building.

DEPUTY of the DEVIL

By Ben Ames Williams

Copyright, Ben Ames Williams.

WNU Service.

CHAPTER VII—Continued

He stared at her; and suddenly he demanded: "Nancy, how far have things gone between you and that young man?"

"Dan and I are going to be married, Father." She realized suddenly that the issue postponed till this hour was joined now. If there were ever to be opposition on Doctor Greeding's part, the time for it was come. And she added, to placate him: "Of course, not right away. But—soon, Father!"

He met her announcement with a composure she found in some fashion alarming. "Sure of your ground?" he asked calmly. "Sure you want him?"

"Sure as sure!"

He said gravely: "Dan can't take care of you. I'll talk to Dan. He'll see my point of view."

Something shook her; some dark fear beset her. "You sha'n't!" she cried defiantly; and then, seeing his frown, already repentant: "Oh, Father, can't you see that he and I have to be the ones to decide?"

"Nonsense!" he retorted, "you're too young to decide anything." And then, urgently: "Nancy, don't you realize that Mr. Jerrell wants to marry you?"

"He doesn't!" she denied. "I know."

"You know nothing, Nancy," he retorted, in a deep exasperation. "You're a witless child. I tell you, Mr. Jerrell—"

He checked himself, spoke more calmly: "Ira has spoken to me, Nancy," he said urgently. "He came to me, like an honorable man, to ask what my attitude would be. Yes, he wants to marry you. And Nancy, he is my good friend. I am under many obligations to him."

She was afire now with a deep anger, and cried in furious scorn: "You mean you want to use me to repay him?"

Her wrath warned him to caution. He spoke in the tone of one who reasons with an unreasonable child. "I mean only that I think you ought to treat him with ordinary courtesy," he said. "The courtesy to which a strong man's devotion entitles him. I only ask that you defer any decision until you have had time."

She was cold, trembling. "I'm sorry," she said. "I can't pretend!"

"Can't? You mean that you won't!" he corrected stiffly.

"I mean I won't, then!" she asserted.

There was silence. Then he said, half to himself, in a hushed tone: "It might be better for Dan, and for you, to be a little reasonable!"

She cried, in a quick terror: "Father, you mustn't try to scare me! That isn't fair!"

He looked at her for a long moment with eyes she had never seen before; then the flame in them died, and he managed a wary laugh.

"I'll talk to Dan," he said. "He has some common sense."

"You sha'n't say anything to Dan!" she exclaimed. "You can't scare Dan. Or me!"

And he reassured her with words. "I'm not trying to scare you, dear. Just to talk some reason into that stubborn little head of yours. You and Dan are in love, swept away, lost to all sensible considerations."

She backed away from him, and her hands raised as though to push him from her. "No, no," she cried in a whisper; and then, desperate, seized on a reckless expedient: "You can't do anything to stop us. It's too late!" she exclaimed.

His eyes widened in shock and then in wrath. He was over the net in one bound. He gripped her arm like a vise, dragging her toward him.

"What do you mean?" he demanded.

"I mean we're married!" she cried. "Let me go, Father! We're already married. So it is too late, you see!"

He stood for an instant motionless, his eyes probing hers. Then he asked in curt incredulity: "Where? When?"

Her wits, paralyzed by an unreasoning fear of him, found no ready answer. She evaded the direct inquiry.

"And even if we weren't," she cried, "Mr. Jerrell doesn't want to marry me! He's in love with Mary Ann!"

As though he had been struck in the face, he released her. He recoiled from her, and his countenance was black and terrible. She pressed her hands to her eyes to shut out the sight of him.

"Father, don't!" she pleaded. "Don't look like that at me!"

She heard him mutter hoarsely: "So! Then terror whipped her so that she turned and ran, in stark panic, down the path and away."

confirm the truth of what Nancy had said. Jerrell and Mary Ann!

But if Nancy had been free, Jerrell would never have turned to Mary Ann. And Nancy would have been free, but for Dan.

Dan! On this rock his plans were shattered, then.

Then he walked calmly toward the house. He went to his room and opened a drawer in the bureau, and took from its holster the pistol there.

CHAPTER VIII

Nancy that night did not come down to dinner. She could not bear to face her father. That mask of anger which she had seen upon his countenance left her sick and shaken with a fear she could not name. She stayed in her room, sent word that her head ached.

At dusk from very weariness she slept, and dreamed and woke cold and terrified; and thereafter she lay wide-eyed in the darkness. After a long time she heard her father getting up and then he opened the door into her room.

Entering, he said gently: "Awake, Nancy? Feel better now?"

His tones were soft and reassuring.

"Yes, Father," she murmured. He sat down on the edge of her bed and touched her hand. "I came to tell you I'm sorry, my dear," he said, smiling, his tone humble.

"Forgive me."

She whispered piteously: "You mustn't ever scare me, Father."

He repeated: "I'm sorry. You're all I've got now, Nancy!" And he urged, pleading in his own defense: "But since your mother died, my nerves—"

"I know," she confessed. "I understand." There were sudden tears in her eyes; she loved him and pitied him. "I do understand. And I didn't mean to—defy you, Father. Only, Dan and I—"

He asked quizzically: "Are you two youngsters really married?"

She shook her head. "No. I just—said that because I was desperate. I was fighting for everything I want, Father. We're not, no." She added quickly: "But we will be."

"I know," he assented. "And I know you would—do as I wish, if you could. But I know that love can be too strong for a girl, for a woman." He added, watching her: "For a man, too."

"Yes," she said gravely.

He laughed, in an abashed fashion. "I'm in a confidential mood tonight, Nancy. Don't—blame me, too much; but you know, men—even men of my age have sometimes thoughts, dreams, hopes they can't control." And he asked slowly: "Do you understand what I'm—confessing, Nancy? What dreams I'm telling you?"

She whispered: "Yes. I think I've guessed before."

"Do you blame me, terribly?"

She pressed his hand. Poor Father," she whispered.

He bent to kiss her brow. "But of course," he said ruefully, "since she and Jerrell—"

He left the sentence unfinished. "So I've only you, Nancy." And: "Sleep sweet," he bade her. "Good night."

"Good night, Father!"

The door closed behind him, and darkness wrapped her close. But not terror now. His magic had worked its miracle. She was at peace.

She slept till full dawn, and woke refreshed; her father joined her for a swim and breakfast afterward. The interminable morning somehow sped. Dan and Mary Ann would arrive on the noon train, and Nancy insisted that Doctor Greeding come with her to meet them. It was a fifteen-minute run in the fast boat to the landing by the station.

Nancy kissed Mary Ann, kissed Dan only with her eyes; and then they went down to where the boat was moored, Dan and her father carrying the bags, stowing them in the after cockpit. Her father took the wheel, Mary Ann beside him; and Nancy and Dan sat just behind. In a moment they were in the open lake; and Nancy leaned secretly to Dan, to kiss him.

Her father said with a chuckle over his shoulder: "You two showed an admirable restraint, to wait so long." His tone was amused and kindly.

Dan was startled, and then he laughed. "Nancy has told you about us, then, sir?"

"Of course."

Nancy held tight to Dan's arm; and the young man said: "I want to talk to you about Nancy, while I'm here."

Doctor Greeding chuckled. "This brother of yours has a fine old-fashioned courtesy in him," he told Mary Ann. "Not many young men trouble to consult the girl's father, nowadays."

Mary Ann smiled happily. "Dan has been very well brought up," she agreed.

"I know I can't give her—"

Dan began, but Nancy pulled him back to her side.

"Nobody asked you," she said in

crisp, amused reproof. "Don't always grovel, my dear. It bags your trousers at the knee. Now pay attention to me."

They were at lunch when the telephone rang, and Thomas took the call. "Mr. Jerrell, sir," he reported. "He will be at the landing in half an hour."

"Thank you, Thomas," Doctor Greeding assented.

He was watching Mary Ann, saw that her eyes were brighter, her cheek faintly tinted. She felt his scrutiny, and asked disarmingly: "Mr. Jerrell? Is he coming?"

"I'm afraid you and I won't get much work done over the weekend," Doctor Greeding confessed.

"Dan and Nancy will be—absorbed in each other, I suppose, so we must keep Jerrell entertained."

"We'll go meet him," Nancy volunteered. "Dan and I."

But her father shook his head. "Nonsense! Mary Ann and I will do that." And when presently they rose from the table, he said: "Nancy, you and Dan perforate a few targets. We'll join you after we fetch Jerrell." He asked Dan: "Ever try pistol-shooting, Dan?"

"Some, yes," Dan confessed. "I used to belong to a club. I rather like it."

"I'll take you on for a round," Doctor Greeding offered. He chuckled. "Jerrell tried it, when he was last here; but he's hopeless. We'll give him a lesson." He spoke to Mary Ann. "By the time we get to the landing, he'll be there."

Nancy said, half laughing: "Do we have to shoot targets, Father? Dan and I might rather—just take a walk or something."

"I know you would," he told her good-humoredly. "But there'll be a moon tonight; much pleasanter for—walking. Do as I say, my dear."

He led Mary Ann away toward the boathouse. Nancy looked at Dan



"What Is It?" Dan Asked. "Hear Something?"

with a grimace, amused, perplexed. "I suppose we have to humor him," she confessed.

Dan caught her close. "Say, when he's been so decent, I'd spend the afternoon standing on my head if he asked me to."

She stood silent, frowning, intent, as though listening. "What is it?" Dan asked. "Hear something?"

Nancy shivered in his arms. "No, no. I felt—it's funny, but I felt cold." She freed herself, caught his hand. "Come, we'll get the targets and things," she said.

Jerrell was on the wharf when the boat pulled alongside, and he reached down to shake Doctor Greeding's hand, and across the Doctor to Mary Ann. Doctor Greeding saw their glances meet.

Then Jerrell's bags were in; they were away. Returning along the shore of the island, they saw Dan and Nancy on the court, screened by the intervening trees; and the girl waved to them.

"We're having a shooting-match this afternoon, Ira," Doctor Greeding explained. "Dan says he's a good shot, and Nancy's fair. I know you're rotten, but we'll teach you the rudiments, give you a hand-cap." And he asked Mary Ann: "Have you ever tried it?"

She shook her head. "Oh, no."

"Mary Ann and I will be the gallery," Jerrell proposed. "You'll never make an Annie Oakley out of me."

"You'll be surprised," Doctor Greeding assured him. "After I've given you a tip or two."

"I'm much more likely to shoot some perfectly innocent bystander," Jerrell demurred.

"No fear," Doctor Greeding promised. "We'll all keep out of the way, keep behind you." He brought the boat to the landing with an expert hand. "Thomas will fetch your bags," he said. "Leave them. We'll go on up to the court."

Jerrell urged: "See here, Ned,

you and Dan do the fireworks. Mary Ann and I—"

But the Doctor was so insistent that Jerrell had in the end to submit, or by an outright refusal seem ungracious. "You act as if this were life or death, Ned," he protested, amused and yet annoyed, too.

Doctor Greeding nodded. "It's my hobby," he assented, laughing. "I suppose I do ride it hard."

There was in fact a strange urgency in the man. He shepherded them up the path to the court like a dog nipping at their heels, and Dan and Nancy met them there, and Nancy proudly showed her father a target with bullet-holes close grouped in the center.

"Here's Dan's very first, Father," she boasted. "You never did as well in your life!"

Doctor Greeding chuckled. "All that I need is some competition," he declared. "You'll be surprised!" Dan had the pistol in his hand, and Doctor Greeding took it from him and turned to Jerrell.

"But first, Ira, you give us a horrible example," he suggested, laughing. "Show us how not to do it!" He looked up the court, and saw that there was a fresh target on the frame; he examined the pistol. "Here," he said. "It's ready. All you have to do is point it at the target and pull the trigger."

There was an unreality about what so swiftly followed. Jerrell was driven like a sheep. Reluctantly he took the weapon in his hands, thoroughly ill at ease, handling it gingerly.

"I don't know anything about these things," he protested.

"You don't need to. Just point and pull," Doctor Greeding insisted. "Go ahead! Aim at the black spot on the target. Hold the pistol so the fore sight is just in the middle of the notch in the rear sight. Then press the trigger slowly, till it fires!"

And Jerrell, after a moment, indifferently obeyed. A splinter flew from the edge of the batter-board.

Greeding laughed. "Six feet wide, Ira! Don't you see the target, man?"

Jerrell, hoping to finish this ordeal, hurriedly tried again, and then again. But his shots were wild. Between shots, Doctor Greeding coached him, showing him how to stand, how to hold the pistol, how to press the trigger; but Jerrell at length lowered the weapon, turned aside, shook his head, laughing uncomfortably.

"That's enough," he insisted. "It's not my game."

He had swung halfway around, facing them; and Doctor Greeding cried quickly: "Look out, man! Point that thing somewhere else!"

Jerrell stared stupidly at the pistol in his hand. It was in fact leveled at Doctor Greeding's body. He dropped the muzzle. "Sorry," he said. "I thought I had it pointed at the ground. You can see I'm not to be trusted! Here, take it."

Doctor Greeding chuckled, and received the weapon from Jerrell's hand. "Wait a minute. Don't give up yet," he persisted. "Let me show you how it's done!"

He fired rapidly, two or three times. "There," he said. "Like that! Now Dan, go put up a fresh target, will you? Ira's got to score one hit, at least, before I let him off." He took the empty magazine out of the pistol and turned to Jerrell. "Try it without actually shooting," he suggested, and pressed the weapon into Jerrell's hands. "Maybe you're flinching, afraid of it. Just aim, and snap the trigger!"

Dan had gone obediently toward the other end of the court to fix a new target on the frame. Jerrell protested half angrily: "Ned, I don't want to shoot, I tell you."

But Doctor Greeding still insisted. "Don't be an ass, Ira. If you can make the stock-market sit up and beg, you ought to be able to point a pistol at a target. I'll stand behind you, see whether you're aiming properly!"

Jerrell was flushed and furious, yet it was impossible to refuse without actual offense. He lifted the weapon and faced the target yonder; and Doctor Greeding said, behind him:

"All right, now go ahead."

Jerrell pointed the pistol in the general direction of the other end of the court; but as he did so, Dan, his task concluded, turned and saw him and cried quickly:

"Hey, don't aim that thing at me!"

Nancy had been watching Jerrell, sorry for him because her father pressed him so tactlessly, but also puzzled by something in his countenance. She saw his lips compress, and veins on his forehead swell as though he were engaged in an actual physical struggle. But when Dan called his protest, she looked that way.

Her father, here at Jerrell's shoulder, said reassuringly:

"Don't worry, Dan! Gun's empty!"

And then—the shot, in the still air of mid-afternoon, rang loud and startlingly. Nancy saw Dan, in the very act of moving to one side out of line with the pistol's muzzle, clasp his middle with both hands and slump quietly forward on his knees. He bowed down and fell, a little on his side, very quietly.

There was something terrible in that quietness.

Nancy, just before the shot, had been watching Jerrell, puzzled by the contortion of his countenance with its suggestion of violent physical effort, and at the same time sorry because he must submit to her father's urgencies. But at the sound of Dan's voice—she looked toward him, just in time to see his garments flick and twirl at the bullet's stab, before his hands caught at his body and he went down.

Nancy was standing a little to one side, near Mary Ann; and when Dan fell, she remained a moment motionless, all her senses in suspension, unable to think or move, able only to see.

She saw Dan lying there—so quiet on the ground and she saw Jerrell staring incredulously at the pistol in his hands. She saw her father turn to Jerrell, leap toward him, snatch the weapon away. He cried out, furiously:

"You clumsy fool! Give me that gun!"

Then some one brushed her shoulder, spinning her half around. It was Mary Ann, darting past her, running to where Dan lay.

Nancy was still too dazed fully to understand. This was one of those occurrences which the mind cannot quickly grasp.

Now Nancy felt at first neither grief nor fear. She knew that Dan lay yonder on the court, but her only emotional reaction to the fact was annoyance. She went toward him, saying aloud:

"Dan, don't pretend! You're scaring me!"

Mary Ann, already by his side, kneeling there, looked up quickly over her shoulder at the girl; she said gently:

"He's shot, Nancy!"

Doctor Greeding and Jerrell came toward them; and Jerrell said hoarsely:

"The gun insisted on pointing at him. I couldn't drag it away." His tones were hollow and flat. "It was as though some one had hold of it," he insisted, in a stubborn, dazed bewilderment.

Doctor Greeding said icily: "It was pure clumsiness, Ira."

But Mary Ann spoke to him. "Doctor Greeding," she called. She was crisply insistent. "Never mind blaming anyone now. Here, quickly!"

Nancy moved aside to let her father come at Dan. He knelt there, but he shook his head. "He's dead," he said.

Mary Ann said sharply: "He's not, either! See!"

"Not dead?" Doctor Greeding exclaimed. There was in his tone incredulous surprise like dismay. He stared at Mary Ann. "He must be!" he muttered; and his eyes were wide, glassy, staring.

Mary Ann shook his arm. "No! What's the matter with you, Doctor? Quick! He's still alive!"

"But I tell you—" Doctor Greeding insisted.

"Look at him!" she exclaimed. Then, more sharply: "Look at him! Don't stare at me!"

And after a moment he did turn his eyes from her to the man here on the ground.

Then Nancy saw Dan looking up at her, his lids half closed. He grinned. "All right, Nancy," he whispered.

(TO BE CONTINUED)

Size of Noah's Ark May Have Totalled 450 Feet

The dimensions of Noah's Ark as given in Genesis were 300 cubits in length, 50 cubits in breadth, 30 cubits in height. The length of the cubit is approximately 18 inches, so that the Ark must have been about 450 feet long, 75 feet broad and 45 feet high, observes a writer in the Detroit News. The tonnage of a merchant vessel for purposes of registration is the entire internal cubic capacity in tons of 100 cubic feet each, ascertained in a manner prescribed by law. According to this method of calculating tonnage the gross tonnage of the Ark must have been a little over 15,000 tons.

Seibner's "A Dictionary of the Bible," edited by Dr. James Hastings, says of its capacity: "It has been calculated that it would contain a space of 3,800,000 cubic feet and that after nine-tenths had been set aside for storage of food, there would be over 500 cubic feet each allowed for 7,000 pairs of animals. Such calculations, though in earlier times treated with all seriousness, now receive little consideration. The measurements given in the biblical text are not sufficiently detailed, nor is the description of the whole construction sufficiently explicit, to form the basis of such conclusions."

Prize-winning Recipes of the South



JEWEL CHERRY PIE

Mrs. N. A. Jones, Atlanta, Ga.

Jewel Crumble Crust: Sift together 1 1/2 cups flour and 1/4 teaspoon salt. Cut in 1/4 cup Jewel Special-Blend Shortening. Add about 4 tablespoons cold water, or just enough to hold ingredients together. Roll out half of dough at a time and line pie plate.

Filling: Combine 1 cup sugar, 1/4 teaspoon salt and 3 tablespoons flour. Add 4 cups cherries, 1/2 teaspoon almond flavoring and 1/2 teaspoon grated lemon rind. Fill pan with mixture, then cover with dough. Bake in hot oven (425 degrees F.) 15 minutes, lower temperature to 350 degrees F. and bake 30 to 40 minutes.—Adv.

Earlier King Edwards

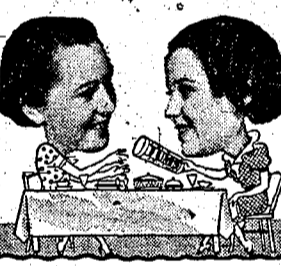
Britain has had an Edward the Elder, son of Alfred the Great, King of the West Saxons, who began his reign in the year 901; an Edward the Martyr, his great-grandson, and an Edward the Confessor, who died in 1066 and who prepared the way for the Norman conquest.

Let LUDEN'S Menthol Cough Drops

1. Clear your head
2. Soothe your throat
3. Help build up YOUR ALKALINE RESERVE 5¢

From the heart
It is far better to be homesick than sick of home.

YOU'RE SUCH A CLEVER HOSTESS, DEAR, I LOVE IT WHEN THE CLUB MEETS HERE! YOU SERVE A LOT OF FOOD THAT'S YUMMY, THEN FURNISH TUMS TO SAVE MY TUMMY!



TASTY TUMS SO QUICKLY RELIEVE ACID INDIGESTION GAS, HEARTBURN, SOUR STOMACH

WHY WAIT for relief when you're troubled with heartburn, sour stomach, gas? Keep your relief tight with you always, for unexpected emergencies. Carry Tums... like millions now do! Tums are pleasant-tasting... only 10¢... yet they give relief that is scientific, thorough. Contains no harsh alkalies... cannot over-alkalize your stomach. Just enough antacid compound to correct your stomach acidity is released... remainder passing un-released from your system. For quick relief carry Tums! 10¢ at any drug store, or the 3-roll ECONOMY PACK for 25¢.



MANGE SCABS BARE PATCHES RED SPOTS SORES

Mange in dogs is a serious skin disease and calls for prompt treatment.

GLOVER'S MANGE MEDICINE

It relieves itching and irritation; kills the mange mites causing Sarcopitosis; checks spread of the disease; stimulates hair growth on bare patches, destroys ticks and chiggers. Insist on GLOVER'S. At all druggists.

GLOVER'S WORM MEDICINES are safe, sure. In capsule and liquid form for Roundworms; capsules for Tapeworms and Hookworms. FREE VETERINARY ADVICE on any animal problem. Please mention animal's age, breed and sex. FREE GUIDE—Write for it today. Address—

GLOVER'S
Dept. D-47, 462 Fourth Avenue, New York City

WNU O 51-38

Miserable with backache?

WHEN kidneys function badly and you suffer a nagging backache, with dizziness, burning, scanty or too frequent urination and getting up at night when you feel tired, nervous, all upset... use Doan's Pills.

Doan's are especially for poorly working kidneys. Millions of boxes are used every year. They are recommended the country over. Ask your neighbor!

DOAN'S PILLS

Charlevoix County Herald
G. A. LISK, Publisher.
Subscription Rate—\$1.50 per year.
Member Michigan Press Association.
Member National Editorial Ass'n.
Entered at the Postoffice at East Jordan, Michigan, as second class mail matter.

Shifty Looks Common to Everybody, Camera Shows

Chicago.—A camera which takes motion pictures of human eyes in action unveiled a surprise discovery—every one has a shifty look. The eyes of every individual apparently take turns looking at things, Dr. Brant Clark of Los Angeles, ocular research student at the University of Southern California and inventor of the camera, explained. The shifts are made so swiftly that other eyes cannot detect it, he said. This was a direct contradiction of the generally-accepted theory of why we can look at a thing with two eyes and see only one image. The theory was that we are "right-eyed" or "left-eyed" just as we are "right-handed" or "left-handed." The dominant eye, the theory held, fixed itself on an image first, and the other eye followed a split second later.

Contending there was "no neurological evidence" to support this theory, Dr. Clark tested it out with his "eye movement" camera. The magnifying lenses were placed in front of the eyes being photographed. Fourteen feet away was a six-inch screen in front of which a sensitized film moved continuously. Light reflected from mirrors was thrown into the eyes and thence through the magnifying glasses to the film. The resulting photograph was not a snapshot of the eyes, but a graph consisting of two beams of light. Every time the eyes moved, the path of the beam changed. The graphs, Dr. Clark said, showed clearly that neither of the eyes of a number of individuals photographed was dominant. Instead, he said, each eye took its turn at looking at things, in no apparent order.

Every now and then Wilbur Glenn Voliva bobs up and predicts that the world will come to an end at an early date, but, alas, he never does anything about it.

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 1/2 cent for subsequent insertions, with a minimum charge of 15 cents. These rates are for cash only. Ten cents extra per insertion if charged.

WANTED
WANTED—Real Estate to list. If you have property to sell and the price is right, we can sell it. E. A. Strout Realty Agency. Phone or write and we will call. W. F. TINDALL, local agent, Boyne City, Mich. 51-4

WANTED: Excelsior Bolts and House Logs, F. O. BARDEN & SON, Everything To Build With, Phone 146, Boyne City, Mich. 49-6

HELP WANTED
MEN WANTED for Raleigh Routes of 800 families. Reliable hustler should start earning \$25 weekly and increase rapidly. Write today, Raleigh's, Dept. MCL-121-S, Freeport, Ill. 51x1

FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS
FOR RENT—Furnished House, from January to June. MRS. ALICE JOYNT. 49-3

FOR SALE—Household Goods including Stoves, Gas Range, Bedroom Suite, Sewing Machine, Kitchen Cabinet, Ice Box, Table, Chairs, Vacuum Sweeper, etc.—NORMAN BARTLETT, East Jordan. 51x1

FOR SERVICE—Large type O. I. C. Boar. WALTER HEILEMAN, East Jordan. 51x3

BUZZ WOOD For Sale. IRVING AD- DIS, Phone 161F-31, R. 2, East Jordan. 51-1

FOR SALE—A newly built Wood Machine, completely equipped, mounted on For chassis. Inquire of ALLISON PINNEY, R. 1. 51x1

CHRISTMAS TREES For Sale. Any height. Reasonable prices. Send card to GILBERT MAYHEW, R. 1 East Jordan. 49x3

PLAYER PIANO BARGAIN: You may never again get a chance to buy a piano like this one for only \$39.10. Cost new \$875. Bench and rolls go with it. Must sell before reshipping it. You can see piano in East Jordan. Write Arthur Kiefert, 850 North Plankinton Avenue, Milwaukee, Wisconsin. I will tell you where you can see piano. Terms. 50x3

REPAIRS for Everything at C. J. MALPASS HDWE. CO.

AMERICA'S HIGHEST PEAK PHOTOGRAPHED

Mt. McKinley and Environs Registered on Film.

Washington, D. C.—North America's highest peak—Mt. McKinley in Alaska, rising to an altitude of 20,300 feet—has, for the first time, been photographed intimately from the air. The pictures, both still and in motion, were taken by Bradford Washburn, leader of the National Geographic society's Mt. McKinley expedition sent to Alaska last July, who has just made a preliminary report to the society's headquarters here. Some of the photographs were made on infra-red-sensitive film.

In a series of four flights from the Pan American Airways base at Fairbanks, Alaska, Mr. Washburn succeeded in photographing a vast expanse of the rugged terrain between Mt. McKinley and Mt. Hayes.

Use Infra-Red Ray.

The pictures reveal the highest territory under the American flag. They also mark the first use, in the region, of infra-red ray photography, which makes it possible for the same photograph to show the town of Fairbanks and the white summits of Mt. McKinley and its related peaks projecting above the horizon more than a hundred miles away across a haze-obscured plain.

The infra-red photographs show why Mt. McKinley can claim one of the greatest heights, from top to bottom, among the world's mountains, since it rises 20,000 feet from a level plain almost without foothills. Mt. Everest, although 29,000 feet above sea level, actually rises only about 10,000 feet above a lofty plateau region. Because of its near Arctic latitude, Mt. McKinley has a very low timber line and is forbiddingly barren, Mr. Washburn points out. Its expanses of snow and glacier do not completely cover all its jagged, rocky ridges.

After flying 500 feet above the top of Mt. McKinley, despite dangerous air currents, and circling the peak several times, Mr. Washburn flew straight along the axis of the mountains, taking close range photographs in pairs, stereoscopic fashion, at intervals of a minute. He thus obtained a progressive series showing the various peaks in their true relations to one another.

World's Highest Cliff.

The photographs prove conclusively the location of Mt. Hunter, a peak more than 15,000 feet high, about which accurate information has been so scarce that its very existence has been denied. This mountain, although perhaps higher than any in the United States proper, is actually dwarfed to relative insignificance by its towering neighbors, Mt. McKinley and Mt. Foraker, the latter 17,000 feet high.

Photographs of every angle of Mt. McKinley reveal a giant of almost unrealizable magnitude, massive to very top. Its steeply sloping western face has been called the world's highest cliff—an almost sheer drop of over three miles. The southern side, however, is perhaps more impressive; although only about two miles deep, its wall is perpendicular. Only three expeditions have been known to scale Mt. McKinley.

On the survey flights, Mr. Washburn was accompanied by Pilot S. E. Robins, Radio Engineer Bob Gleason, and A. L. Washburn, assistant. Bradford Washburn was also the leader of the National Geographic society's Yukon expedition of 1935 which explored and photographed nearly 5,000 square miles of unknown territory near the Canadian-Alaskan border. On that expedition he discovered two new peaks in Canadian territory, naming them for King George and Queen Mary of England.

X-Ray Utilized to Test Quality of Vegetables

Minneapolis, Minn.—One of Minnesota's vegetable growers' greatest problems—that of ascertaining the quality of their products—has been solved by a University of Minnesota plant physiologist. R. B. Harvey of the university farm has perfected a method by which he can peer into the heart of potatoes and other agricultural products. Employing the use of an X-ray and a physician's fluoroscope, Harvey can detect those vegetables with hollow hearts and thus rate accurately products by testing samples in large quantities.

Six Bachelors Sole Population of Town

St. Paul, Minn.—In the hills of western Minnesota lies the incorporated village of Dale. It has a population of six and all are bachelors.

They are Jerome Ulven, Knite Knitson, John Jonson, and three Carlson brothers, George, Alfred, and Obert. The general store, founded by Andrew L. Jelsing, who died last April, is the lonely stamping ground of these bachelors. The town's postoffice, Northern Pacific railway agency, and telephone are in the same building. There is a shanty depot, however, and a church where the Rev. Jonas Helland of nearby Hawley preaches sermons every other Sunday.

HAIL CAUSES HEAVY LOSSES EVERY YEAR

"Ice From the Sky" Described by Authority.

New York.—That hail causes damage running into millions of dollars annually, many people may know. That it has sometimes changed the course of history, others may know. But what is hail? That few know the correct answer to this question, is safe to assert. To most people, anything that descends from the skies in icy form is hail. But is it?

"The biggest hailstone thus far on record for the United States fell at Potter, Cheyenne County, Nebraska, July 6, 1928. It was 17 inches in circumference and weighed a pound and a half," according to Charles Fitzhugh Talman, who, in "Natural History," published by the American Museum, writes about ice from the skies.

Big Ones in India.

"India is the home of big hailstorms and of big tales concerning them. Many of these storms have cost from half a dozen to a dozen human lives, one is supposed to have killed 84 people, and another is known to have killed three times that number." Mr. Talman adds that Indian hailstones assume remarkable sizes, "but he does not take too seriously the report of one said to have been the size of an elephant, which took three days to melt.

"Judging from the meager data we possess concerning the maximum violence of thunderstorm drafts, it would seem that something less than five pounds is the extreme possible weight of a hailstone, while a two-pound hailstone would deserve a place in a museum if it could be preserved there.

"A hailstorm is always confined to a relatively small area—much smaller than that of the thunderstorm of which it is an episode—though its narrow track may be hundreds of miles in length. Thus it happens that although a great many destructive hailstorms occur every year, the majority of human beings never experience one in the course of their lives.

Heavy Damage Yearly.

"According to an estimate that has become rooted in statistical literature, though it is probably much too small, hail causes throughout the world losses averaging about \$200,000,000 a year. In the United States an estimate by V. N. Valgren, of the Department of Agriculture, based upon an 11 year record, indicates that the losses on the ten leading agricultural crops of this country average \$47,500,000 a year."

Mr. Talman also gives an account of a great hailstorm in April, 1380, which assailed the army of Edward II, then in France attempting to take Paris, and forced him to make peace. "The chronicles of the time," says Mr. Talman, "place the English losses at 1,000 men and 6,000 horses; probably an exaggeration." In any event, Edward sued for peace and so the course of human history was changed by a hailstorm.

Big Boom Is Started in Australia Gold Fields

Sydney.—Australia again is enjoying a slight recrudescence of her early gold rush and gold finding days. The most recent and important development has been on the famous Cape York peninsula, which was once the center of Australian gold fields. A single return there recently brought \$23,000 from forty tons of stone.

Present indications are that the old fields will be worked over again, due to the increased value of gold. In other parts of Australia nuggets of considerable value are being found. Sturat Hurnall, on his father's ranch near Ararat, Victoria, plowed up a 100 ounce nugget valued at \$4,250.

It was on the same field that an 82 ounce nugget was found forty-eight years ago and only sixty feet from the present find.

Safety Rule Keeps Patrol Off Roads

Newburyport, Mass.—No matter who it hits, police have to enforce the edict that automobiles cannot be operated on Massachusetts highways without an O. K. sticker. So Newburyport police had to keep their patrol wagon in the garage because it needed \$70 worth of repairs to make its equipment safe. Mayor Andrew J. ("Bossy") Gillis did not appropriate enough money this year.

City Marshal James E. Sullivan comments that the patrol wagon is "falling to pieces"—and it has only gone 200,000 miles.

PENINSULA
(Edited by Mrs. E. Hayden)

Henry Johnson of Petoskey is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Will Gaunt at Knoll Krest for a few days.

Buddy Staley of Stoney Ridge farm spent Thursday night with Carl Grutsch near East Jordan.

Charles Arnott of Maple Row farm has installed a telephone at his farm home. It is on the 239 line.

Herb Sutton of Afton called on Mr. and Mrs. Charles Healey at Willow Brook farm, Sunday a. m.

Miss Robins and Mrs. Clute of Petoskey called on Mr. and Mrs. David Gaunt in Three Bells District, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Leshner and three children of Petoskey spent Sunday with the A. Reich family at Lone Ash farm.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Loomis and son Clare of Gravel Hill, north side, spent Sunday with the Henry Wagner family at Charlevoix.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Healey of Willow Brook farm spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Bartley McNally in Advance District.

Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Wangeman of Three Bells District spent Saturday with their son, A. J. Wangeman and family at Cheboygan.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wurn and son W. F. of Star Dist. spent Sunday with their daughter, Mrs. Elwood Cyr and family in Boyne City.

Clayton Healey of Willow Brook farm who went to Muskegon Dec. 1st got work for Alfred Deitz at the A. & P. Store right away.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Staley and son of Charlevoix were guests of his brother, Geo. Staley and family at Stoney Ridge farm, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Crowell of Dave Staley Hill went to Jackson Wednesday where they plan to stay all winter if they find employment. We are getting our mail in relays now.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Hitchcock and son Burton of East Jordan, and Mrs. J. W. Hayden and son Cash of Orchard Hill, were guests of the F. K. Hayden family at Pleasant View farm Sunday.

A letter from Detroit states Daniel Reich of Lone Ash farm, who arrived in Detroit the evening of Dec. 2nd had got employment at Fords straight away but S. A. Hayden had not yet got a job; Dec. 6th.

Mrs. Gilson Pearsall and little daughter Susanne, who have been with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Wangeman for several weeks, returned to their home at Mason where Mr. Pearsall has a position as instructor in the schools.

Spearing Becomes Legal
The First of January

Spearing on the inland waters becomes legal in Michigan Jan. 1 for a two-month period, conservation authorities say. The law permits spearing through the ice only during the months of January and February.

Great northern pike, grass pike or pickerel, lake trout, muskellunge, suckers and the various species of non-game fish may be legally taken from the waters where the spear is permitted.

The spear is permitted by law to be used through the ice only and without the use of lights. Where lakes open to spearing during the two month period do not freeze over, if such happens, the spear automatically is illegal.

Dog Tax Notice

Dog license taxes are now due and payable at the office of the City Treasurer. The new rate is made 50c female \$1.00. If the taxes are not paid by March 1st, they will be returned to the County Treasurer and an additional fee added.

G. E. BOSWELL
City Treasurer.
Adv. 50-4

KEEPING TREE FRESH

If a Christmas tree is set in water when it first comes into the house and is kept in water while it is part of the Christmas decoration, it will remain fresh and green for at least a week longer. Water should be replaced as it evaporates. If the base of a Christmas tree is trimmed with a sharp knife just before it is mounted, the pores will be left open, allowing water to rise in the stem to the living cells which are still trying to provide the tree with food and moisture. Spruce and fir retain their needles longer than most other Christmas trees.

A Detroit man was kicked by a horse he was shoeing. One of our moderns could tell him he shouldn't have left the horse in gear.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Gaunt and family spent Sunday with the Walter Ross family at Nettleton's Corners.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Gaunt and son Jr. of Knoll Krest were dinner guests of their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Crowell at Dave Staley Hill, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hayden and little daughter who have been at Orchard Hill for several months, went Saturday afternoon to Darrah where Mrs. Hayden and baby will visit for a while and Mr. Hayden will go to Grand Rapids the first of the week where he hopes to get employment. John A. Reich of Lone Ash farm took them with his car.

SHARKS DO NOT SET OUT TO STALK MEN

Question Long in Dispute Is Answered by Expert.

New York.—Do sharks attack and kill men? There is probably no question over which there has been more dispute. The truth appears to be that this question cannot be answered with a simple yes or no. Colonel Hugh D. Wise, U. S. Army, retired, has some interesting opinions on this subject, as shark-fishing has been a lifetime hobby with him. He has pursued his favorite sport in many waters in various parts of the world; and in "Natural History" published by the American Museum, he answers this question of whether sharks do attack and kill men.

"Sharks," he says, "do not go forth to stalk men as cats do mice. Fish are the regular victims of even the most predatory sharks, and man, though probably an acceptable morsel, would be a most unexpected addition to their menus. Nevertheless, sharks do occasionally get him.

"There must be a more solid foundation than superstition and imagination for the general and real fear shared by practically all watermen, though few of them can cite cases of shark attacks within their own personal knowledge.

"There are countless instances of the eating of dead men by sharks, and there are many reports of their attacks upon live men. Both our War department and our Navy department officially report several such killings. Nevertheless, I have repeatedly seen soldiers from transports, in shark-infested waters, swimming unharmed about the ship and thousands of tourists watch natives diving for pennies at tropical ports, where harbors are teeming with sharks, without ever seeing a diver harmed by one.

"It is quite necessary to realize that there is a difference between shark bite and shark attack and that lack of caution may, and often does, result in severe laceration from the teeth or in a terrific wallop from the tail of a frightened or wounded shark.

He cites numerous instances in which men were attacked and devoured and tells of cases where not only were swimming men seized oars or outriggers of boats.

The six-year-old is making a collection of candidates' cards for a game. Due to the scarcity of women candidates this fall, she still lacks an Old Maid.

In Arkansas a man was arrested for stealing a pet skunk. It's truly remarkable that within the boundaries of a single state there should be found a person who will pet a skunk and another person who will steal one.

NEW CHEVROLET 1937
The Complete Car - Completely New



Christmas Greetings
TO THE FINEST FAMILY IN THE WORLD"
From Dad

NEW HIGH-COMPRESSION VALVE-IN-HEAD ENGINE • NEW ALL-SILENT, ALL-STEEL BODIES
(With Solid Steel Turn Top and Unisteel Construction) • **PERFECTED HYDRAULIC BRAKES** (With Double-Articulated Brake Shoe Linkage) • **NEW DIAMOND CROWN SPEEDLINE STYLING** • **GENUINE FISHER NO DRAFT VENTILATION** • **IMPROVED GLIDING KNEE-ACTION RIDE** (at no extra cost) • **SAFETY PLATE GLASS ALL AROUND** (at no extra cost) • **SUPER-SAFE SHOCKPROOF STEERING** (at no extra cost)

THE ONLY COMPLETE CAR—PRICED SO LOW
CHEVROLET MOTOR DIVISION, General Motors Sales Corporation, DETROIT, MICH.

*Knee-Action and Shockproof Steering on Motor Div. cars only. CHEVROLET General Motors Installation Plan—monthly payments to suit your purse. FOR COMMERCIAL TRANSPORTATION

HEALEY SALES CO.
PHONE 184-F2
EAST JORDAN, MICH.

Local Happenings

Geo. Morrow of Central Lake is a guest of his sister, Mrs. Alice Joynt.

Russell Eggert is convalescing at Petoskey hospital from a major operation.

Mrs. Frederickson of Mancelona is guest of East Jordan friends this week.

Robert Funch of Rosecommon was a week end guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Jones.

We will be open every night next week. Let us help you select your Gifts. — Whitefords. adv.

Mr. and Mrs. Cort Hayes, Mr. and Mrs. Laurence Hayes and daughter, were Boyne City visitors, Sunday.

Dale Clark of W.S.T.C., Kalamazoo, is spending the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mason Clark.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Sherman, Mrs. LeRoy Sherman, and daughter Anna Jean, were Traverse City visitors, Wednesday.

Arthur Quinn arrived home Tuesday from W. S. T. C. at Kalamazoo, to spend the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. Quinn.

Only a few more boxes of Christmas Cards left at The Herald office. When these are sold, no more orders will be received. See adv.

Mr and Mrs. Glen Roy returned to Flint, Tuesday, having been called here by the illness and death of the former's father, Henry Roy.

Mrs. M. Murkett, an aunt of Dr. Harrington, who has been keeping house for him for the past few months, leaves this Friday for her home near Dunkirk, N. Y.

The Child Care and Training Group No. 3 met at the home of Mrs. Ole Hegerberg, Friday evening, Dec. 11. A very interesting discussion of child health and clothing was conducted by one of the leaders, Mrs. Alex Sinclair. The following officers were elected: Chairman, Mrs. Kling; Leaders, Mrs. Sinclair and Mrs. Richard Malpass; Secretary, Mrs. Ole Hegerberg.

Alex Sinclair, Barney Milstein, Archie Howe, and Ira D. Bartlett attended a party last Monday night given in honor of Arthur L. Fitch, Past Grand Chancellor of The Grand Domain of Michigan, Knights of Pythias, by Pine Lake Lodge No. 122, at their Castle Hall at Charlevoix. Following a fine banquet, Mr. Fitch was presented a veterans jewel by Grand Keeper of Records and Seal, Will E. Hampton, who came up for the occasion from Ann Arbor.

Try Herald Want Ads — They Click

Boys and Girls! Watch for the Jingle-Jingle Contest! Fifteen Cash Prizes Every Week! See next Tuesday's Detroit News for rules and complete information!

PROBATE ORDER

State of Michigan, The Probate Court for the County of Charlevoix. At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Charlevoix in said County, on the 15th day of December, A. D. 1936.

Present: Hon. Ervan A. Ruegsegger, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of Laughlin McKinnon, Deceased.

Anna Beyer, a daughter, having filed in said court her petition praying that the administration of said estate be granted to herself or to some other suitable person.

It is Ordered, That the 11th day of January, A. D. 1937, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition;

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

ERVAN A. RUEGSEGGER, Judge of Probate.

Send \$1 for the next 5 months of

THE ATLANTIC MONTHLY

MAKE the most of your reading hours. Enjoy the wit, the wisdom, the companionship, the charm that have made the Atlantic, for seventy-five years, America's most quoted and most cherished magazine.

Send \$1. (mentioning this ad) to

The Atlantic Monthly, 8 Arlington St., Boston

Constipation

If constipation causes you Gas, Indigestion, Headaches, Bad Breath, Pimples, get quick relief with ADLERIKA. Thorough in action yet entirely gentle and safe.

ADLERIKA

GIDLEY & MAC, Druggists

Rev. and Mrs. John Cermak were Traverse City visitors last Saturday.

Mrs. Alice Joynt and son Tommy were Sunday guests of Mrs. Mary Malone at Central Lake.

We will be open every night next week. Let us help you select your Gifts. — Whitefords. adv.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Lester Walcutt a son, James David, Sunday, December 13, at Lockwood hospital, Petoskey.

Mrs. Grace Evans left Wednesday for Suttons Bay after visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. Leslie Miles and family.

There will be a Christmas program and tree at the Bennett school Wednesday, Dec. 23, to which the public is cordially invited.

Only a few more boxes of Christmas Cards left at The Herald office. When these are sold, no more orders will be received. See adv.

Max Bader arrived home Wednesday from W. S. T. C., Kalamazoo, and will spend the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. K. Bader.

The six year old, son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Etcher is a patient at Lockwood hospital, Petoskey, as a result of a fall on the ice last week.

The Sunday school of the M. E. church will give a Christmas program at the church Wednesday evening, Dec. 23. The public is cordially invited.

John B. LaLonde underwent a major operation at the Lockwood hospital, Petoskey, Monday, Dec. 7th. Later reports indicate he is recovering nicely.

Twelve members of Jasmine Rebekah Lodge visited Boyne Rebekah Lodge at their regular meeting last Friday evening. A social hour was held concluding with delicious refreshments.

Mrs. Ivan Castle, Mrs. Archie Kowalske and Rev. James Leitch spent Thursday and Friday in Ann Arbor, having been called there by the serious illness of the former's infant daughter, Marie.

Jean, six-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Brown, who has been a patient in Blodgett hospital, Grand Rapids, for the past several months, is spending the holidays with her parents.

The Christmas meeting of the East Jordan Study Club was held at the home of Miss Ethel Crowell, Tuesday evening, assisted by Mrs. Clara Kitsman. After the regular meeting a program of Christmas readings and Christmas carols was enjoyed after which delicious refreshments were served.

Church News

St. Joseph Church
East Jordan

St. John's Church
Bohemian Settlement
Rev. Joseph J. Malinowski, Pastor

Sunday, December 20th, 1936.
8:30 a. m. — East Jordan.
10:30 a. m. — Settlement.
Friday, December 25th, 1936.
Christmas Day.
6:00 a. m. — East Jordan.
9:00 a. m. — Settlement.
10:30 a. m. — East Jordan.

Presbyterian Church
C. W. Sidebotham, Pastor
C. R. Harper, Foreign Pastor
"A Church for Folks."

Christmas Sunday.
10:30 a. m. — Christmas Worship Service.
11:45 a. m. — Christmas Sunday School Lesson.
6:30 p. m. — Christmas Fellowship Lunch and singing for the Sunday School above the Primary age.

First M. E. Church
Rev. John W. Cermak, Pastor

11:15 a. m. — Church.
12:00 a. m. — Sunday School.
7:00 p. m. — Epworth League.

Latter Day Saints Church
Leonard Dudley — Pastor

10:00 a. m. — Church School. Program each Sunday except first Sunday of month.
8:00 p. m. — Evening Services.
8:00 p. m., Wednesday — Prayer Meeting.
All are welcome to attend any of these services.

Pilgrim Holiness Church
Rev. John C. Calhoun, Pastor

Sunday School — 10:00 a. m.
Sunday Preaching Services 11 a. m. and 7:45 p. m.
Thursday Prayer Meeting 7:45 p. m.

All this political talk about red hering may start a vogue of titian tresses in Hollywood.

NEW TYPE OF FAIRY TALE IS APPEARING

Rocket Ships, Rays and Robots Get Into Folk Lore.

New York.—A new type of fairy-tale is being evolved in the United States in which the characters jump in rocket ships from planet to planet, use death rays and other creations of a super-science, Clemence Dane, English critic, asserts in the North American Review.

"The peri of Arabian Nights is a majestic female, differing only from a human sister in her superior beauty and in her magic powers. The English elf, on the other hand, burks in a cowlsp bell, and has an irresponsible sense of humor," points out Miss Dane. And indeed there is no country in the world which fairies have not haunted, no land in the world which is not 'fulfilled with fairy'—except the United States. This republic has not domesticated the wendigo and the summer-maker of the Indian, for it is a modern state, a state whose wonders are material, 'scientific.' And since science is the absolute foe of mystery, how then can there be magic in America?

Craves to Be Illuded.
"Yet the most modern human craves to be illuded. He has moods in which he feels that it is his right to understand the speech of the wind and see the light that never was on land or sea. He must put the moon in his pocket sometimes, and split open an orange so that a princess may step out. Beast must befriend him, birds advise him. He must wield an invisible sword, wear an invisible cap, and be shod with galoshes of fortune. That is his need: this it is in his nature to desire and no material splendors nor abstractions of the arts will do instead. He is hungry for magic and nothing else. If a word he must have his fairy-tale.

"But the moderns do not believe in fairy-tales. What is to be done? The old world squares the circle by feeding itself with fairy-tales in childhood and renouncing belief in them afterwards. But Uncle Sam has only his fading Indian legends—the fairy-tales of another race. What then is he to do?

Entirely New System.
"Go without? Not at all. He is not to be cheated out of a good thing, and he solves the problem of supplying this vitamin in his spiritual daily food in a characteristically American way. He has invented, or he is at present about the business of inventing, an entirely new system of fairy-tales that shall satisfy all his desires for the unknown, shall give him breathless illusions and incredible visions, and yet shall satisfy his machine-governed, machine-stimulated, scientific consciousness," continues Miss Dane in the North American Review. "A pumpkin which turns into a fairy coach is a piece of silliness, but he is perfectly ready to accept a robot, the superspeed ship which takes him in one turn of the handle beyond the farthest star of known space and into another dimension altogether. He will accept a robot, but not a dragon. He will travel to Jupiter, but not to the Islands of the Blessed.

"We English go to the past for our fairy-tales, America to the future. The Old World knows that once there was a golden age. The New World knows that some day there will be a golden age, and all her fairy-tales concern this future."

Lowly Beans Rate High
With Michigan Indians

Lansing.—Michigan Indians, it seems, eat too many beans. For breakfast they eat cold beans, for lunch they sip bean soup, and for supper they have pork and beans. On Sundays, holidays and feast days, they eat more beans.

Mrs. Alice Griswold, nutrition expert of the state emergency relief commission, has returned to Lansing from a survey of the bean-eating Indians, and is quite worried about the effect of their steady bean diet.

They are given beans from the Federal surplus relief commodity stores, and in addition, they are given ERA money to buy other kinds of food. Invariably they buy pork and beans.

Although beef is available, they refuse to buy it. Fresh fruits and vegetables they ignore, and if they buy any milk, it is canned. The only change from beans they tolerate is an occasional fish, or a handful of berries.

ERA records show that medical costs for stomach ailments, digestive ailments and similar forms of sickness are disproportionately high in the counties where Indians live. ERA case workers are trying to educate Indian cooks to a more varied diet, but without much success so far.

Paul Revere's Old Desk Hidden Away
Boston.—Because the stampede of curiosity seekers had endangered fragile and valuable nautical instruments in his State street shop, Barrett Davison, proprietor of a nautical shop, had a battered mahogany desk—at one time the property of Paul Revere—moved to his room outside Boston, where no one would find it.

GET TRACE OF RACE OLDER THAN MAYANS

Football Credited With Find in Central America.

Washington.—The American game of football is credited by scientists of the Carnegie Institution of Washington for the discovery of one of the most important archaeological sites of Central America.

Dr. A. V. Kidder, head of the institution's division of historical research, reported that a group of mounds which promise to provide a link between the pre-historic Maya Indians and those who met the Spaniards in 1542 were uncovered by a group of schoolboys of Guatemala City.

In attempting to lay out a football field just outside the city, the boys were forced to dig into two of the mounds which dot the area. Until then the mounds had been believed to consist only of earth, but the digging revealed ancient masonry covered with fine white stucco.

Carnegie Institution archaeologists, headed by Dr. Kidder, were called in, and before the onset of the rainy season, they had found four pyramidal buildings, one within another, containing four tombs of ancient priests or chiefs, in which were discovered human skeletons, jewelry and other ornaments, cooking utensils and war weapons of the ancient Indians.

Attained High Culture.
Dr. Kidder said that the people represented by these artifacts were believed to have laid the foundations for the late Mayan and other cultures which reached a high stage of civilization long before the coming of the Spaniards.

Excavations to date, Dr. Kidder said, had shown that the area, now known as "Kaminaljuyu," or "Hills of the Dead," was "very much more important archeologically than had previously been thought. For it is now clear that it was occupied during a far longer period than had been considered probable."

"Hitherto the area was valued chiefly because it produced objects of the so-called 'archaic' type, a type to which have been assigned similar products from the Valley of Mexico, from San Salvador, and from the lowest levels of Uaxactun," he explained.

"Objects of this type, such as human effigies of clay and pottery vessels having certain designated characteristics, are thought to have been the work of primitive agricultural peoples who are believed to have occupied the Middle American highlands well before the opening of the Christian era, and whose culture, it is generally supposed, gave rise to that of the Maya, the Toltec and the other higher civilizations of the region."

Finds Very Important
The high culture, expressed in fine carving and weaving and skillful use of tools and implements of war as well as finely organized system of government, which the Spaniards found flourishing among the Mayans, was obviously the result of a "long line of developmental stages, reaching back into the far-distant past," Dr. Kidder said.

"It is these sequent stages in the rise or the great Maya race that archaeologists are seeking to establish," he added.

"Inasmuch as it is possible that the solution is to be found in the Kaminaljuyu ruins, it is understandable why the results of the season's work have suddenly elevated the area into position of first importance."

Flight Around World in Two Days Now Foreseen
Johannesburg.—Predictions that it would be possible for an airplane to fly from Croydon to Cape Town in one day at a speed of 500 miles an hour, and to go around the world in two days, were made by Selig Brodetsky, professor of applied mathematics at Leeds university, England, in an address at Rand university here.

Brodetsky, an authority on aeronautics, said proper organization and night flying would be essential to a flight around the world in two days. He alluded to the possibility of following the sun so as to have permanent day in certain latitudes.

In the future, he said, it would be possible to fly from England to the Cape of Good Hope in a day at 500 miles an hour.

A speed of 400 miles an hour had been reached in the Schneider cup race, he pointed out. The obstacle in the way of increasing airplane speeds indefinitely, he said, was that the span of the wings had to remain finite. The greatest speed it seemed possible to achieve, unless something fundamental were changed, was something about 500 miles an hour.

Paris to Promote Atlantic Air Race
Paris.—The air ministry has decided to promote a blue ribbon air race from New York to Paris, open to fliers of the world, in commemoration of the tenth anniversary next year of Colonel Charles A. Lindbergh's New York-to-Paris solo flight.

Prince George Bibesco, president of the International Aeronautic federation, accepted the task of organizing the race.

Years of Unbroken Friendships

WE DO NOT RECKON IN FIGURES ALONE, THE GAINS THIS BANK HAS MADE IN ITS SERVICE; WE COUNT THE MANY UNBROKEN FRIENDSHIPS AS PRECIOUS ASSETS WHICH NO YOUNG INSTITUTION CAN HAVE.

IT IS THE NATURAL THING FOR US TO TAKE A KEEN INTEREST IN THE FINANCIAL PROGRESS OF A COMMUNITY WHICH WE HAVE SERVED FOR SO LONG.

STATE BANK of EAST JORDAN

MEMBER FEDERAL DEPOSIT INSURANCE CORPORATION

City Tax Notice

County and School Taxes of the City of East Jordan are due and payable at my office in the Municipal Building on and after Dec. 10th. If paid on or before January 10th, 1937, no collection fee will be added. Thereafter a charge of four per cent will be made.

G. E. BOSWELL, City Treasurer.

Adv. 49-4

Try A Herald Want Ad. Now!

Full Gospel Mission

Rev. Renold E. Warner, Pastor

Sunday School — 11 A. M.

Morning Worship — 12 M.

Evangelistic Service — 8 P. M.

Seventh-day Adventist

Pastor — L. C. Lee

Sabbath School 10:00 a. m. Saturday

Preaching — 11:00 a. m. Saturday

Try a Herald Want Ad for Results!

TEMPLE THEATRE EAST JORDAN

THE SHOW PLACE OF THE NORTH

SATURDAY ONLY DEC. 19th MATINEE 2:30

GENE AUTRY

GUNS and GUITARS

SUN. MON. Dec. 20-21. Sun. Continuous From 2:30

WM. POWELL, MYRNA LOY, SPENCER TRACY, JEAN HARLOW

LIBELED LADY

TUES. WED. Dec. 22-23 FAMILY NITES 2 for 25c

BARBARA STANWYCK — GENE RAYMOND

The BRIDE WALKS OUT

THUR. ONLY DEC. 24th PRE-XMAS SPECIAL

STUART IRWIN — BETTY FURNESS

ALL AMERICAN CHUMP

Our Gang Comedy — Latest Sportlight

FRI. SAT. Dec. 25 - 26 OUR XMAS JOY SHOW

Jane Withers — Slim Summerville
IRVIN S. COBB — DEAN JAGGER — MURIEL ROBERT

PEPPER

AMATEURS WANTED

ENROLL AT ONCE FOR THE GRANDEST FUN FESTIVAL IN ALL THE NORTH — OUR GALA

NEW YEAR'S EVE MIDNIGHT FROLIC

MUSIC — LAUGHTER — NOISE MAKERS — FAVORS

BALLONS — HATS — SERPENTINE — EVERYTHING TO

MAKE THIS YOUR GRANDEST PARTY OF THE YEAR

CASH PRIZES — LAST CALL FOR TALENT

TELEPHONE

YOUR CHRISTMAS

AND NEW YEAR'S GREETINGS

AT REDUCED RATES

Low night and Sunday Long Distance

rates will apply all day this Christmas

and New Year's, any time between

7 p. m. the night before and 4:30

a. m. the next day.

MICHIGAN BELL TELEPHONE CO.

what Irvin S. Cobb thinks about:

Our Good Will Ambassador
BEVERLY HILLS, CALIF.—What better salesman of good will and brotherly understanding could we send to our great sister republics in the lower half of this hemisphere than our own President, who carries for his samples his personality and his spoken words?

If, in the past, we looked mainly to the old world for our markets, it is certain that in the future we must increasingly cultivate the Latin stocks of the new world, on a continent whose incredible natural resources are for a great part still virgin and nations who must be cured of persisting beliefs that the Monroe doctrine is for them, a threat and not a shield. If yesterday was Europe's and today is North America's then surely the promise of tomorrow belongs to South America.



Irvin S. Cobb

Tugwell's New Job.
NOW that brother Tugwell, almost the last surviving lobe of the original brain trust, has left the government flat, folks are wondering how he'll make out in his new line.

Don't worry, anybody. To some, the molasses business might be sticky, but it offers no obstacles to a young gentleman who wrote and, what's more, had published, a poem with this deathless refrain: "I will now roll up my sleeves and remake America."

Mark the words, in six months he'll be an outstanding popcornball baron, and inside of a year the acknowledged taffy-kisses king of North America. And pretty soon we'll be lasses-conscious to a point where the effect will be that the entire country is paved with fresh fly-paper.

I wouldn't be surprised to see us using caramels for currency. And as for peanut brittle—well, I've already started hoarding.

Il Duce's Son-in-law.
WHEN Mussolini let the word percolate that he was grooming that new son-in-law to fill his dictatorial boots he must have meant what he hinted at. Because latest photographs show the heir apparent with his jaw also thrust forward, his brows also knit in menacing frown, and his plumpish bosom inflated until his medals stand forth like carnival tags on a marquee.

The likeness to the original model is so perfect that Il Duce could use a picture of the young man for a hand mirror. Ornithologically, it seems fitting that Italy, having kicked the dove of peace in the pants, should cherish the pouter pigeon pose to typify defiance.

The Language of Lawyers.
IREGRET I didn't think this up first—some dirty plagiarist is always thinking up something before I get around to doing so. But I feel it my duty to help spread it around, especially since it was a lawyer who wrote it. I'm quoting him:

"If a layman gives an orange to you he simply says: 'Have an orange.' But when a lawyer puts the transaction in legal form he writes: 'I hereby give and convey all and singular, my estate and interests, right, title, claim and advantages of and in said orange, together with all its rind, juice, pulp and pips, and all rights and advantages therein, with full power to bite, cut, suck and otherwise to eat the same or give the same away with or without the rind, skin, juice, pulp or pips, anything hereinbefore or hereinafter or in any other means of whatever nature or kind whatsoever to the contrary in any wise notwithstanding.' And then another lawyer comes along and takes it away from you."

Underdone Movie Hams.
A MEDICAL journal reports that a preventative has been found for trichina. But I'm afraid it's too late to do anything for some of our Hollywood actor-folk, trichina being a thing common to underdone hams.

A lot of us who came out here as greenhorns and went to cutting up didoes for the screen have an alibi. When the movie critics accuse us of having contracted the disease of bad acting, our defense is that we'd been exposed to it.

Yet the films have produced a grand crop of good actors, out of very raw material, too, sometimes. And they keep right on doing so, notwithstanding that every now and then the popular fancy picks on some male beauty with a set of educated eyelashes and the winsome trick of a languishing glance.

IRVIN S. COBB.

Copyright.—WNU Service.

Mansion Built in 1690
 Built in 1690, the lovely old Colonial Wyck residence is the oldest in Germantown in Philadelphia. Lafayette was entertained in the stately old mansion.

Duke of York Becomes George VI of England



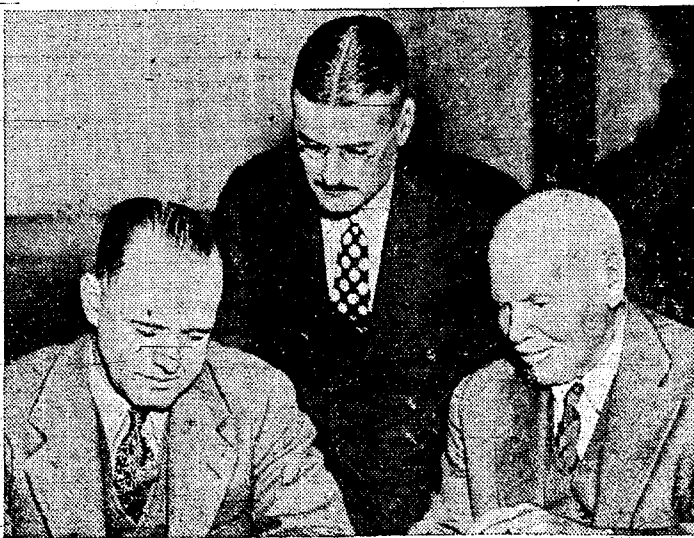
On the abdication of King Edward VIII, to marry Mrs. Wallis Simpson, his brother, the Duke of York, ascended the throne of England as George VI. It is expected the coronation will take place next June. Bringing a dispute which had brought the empire to a crisis, Edward voluntarily relinquished the throne. Photo shows King George with Queen Elizabeth and daughters, Princesses Elizabeth and Margaret Rose.

TO MARRY EX-KING



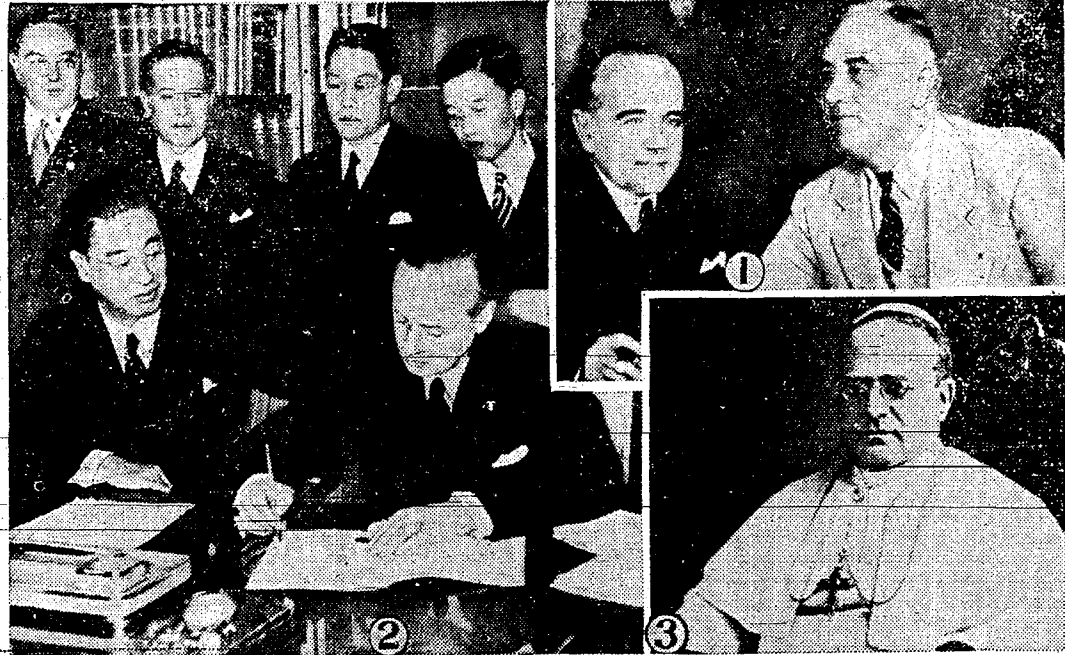
Mrs. Wallis Walford Simpson, for whom King Edward VIII abdicated the throne of England. Edward's romance with the former Baltimore beauty precipitated a government crisis before the monarch solved it by abdicating. Going into voluntary exile outside of the British Empire, the former king is expected to marry Mrs. Simpson as soon as her divorce decree becomes final. On the abdication of King Edward, his brother, the Duke of York, ascended the throne.

Plan Dodger Campaign for 1937



Conference between Burleigh Grimes, recently-appointed manager of the Brooklyn baseball club, and the "front office" is pictured here. Grimes, who was signed to a year's contract at an unannounced salary, is shown (left) conferring with John M. Gorman (center), business manager, and Judge Steven W. McKeever, president of the club, on plans for rebuilding the team.

Scenes and Persons in the Current News



1—President Roosevelt shown as the guest of President Vargas of Brazil on his recent South American tour. 2—German and Japanese diplomatic representatives in Berlin signing treaty agreeing to combat communism, an action which Russia believes is aimed at the Soviet government. 3—Portrait of Pope Pius XI made before his illness.

Statue of Will Rogers in Canada



Guido B. de Vall, sculptor from New York, Paris, and London, who has just completed in Ottawa, Ontario, a statue of Will Rogers, the great American humorist, which will be cast in bronze. The statue shows Will Rogers sitting on top of the world, is 15 feet high, and took six months to make.

FIRST FOR PENSION



He has a long way to go before he becomes eligible, but John David Sweeney, Jr., of New Rochelle, N. Y., became the first person to be enrolled for old age pension under the social security act. Sweeney is 23 years old and drew Card No. 1.

It's Princess Lines Again



AGAIN princess lines are riding the crest of the fashion wave. Good news for members of The Sewing Circle, for princess lines have always been favored by those who sew at home. And for morning wear, the timeless shirt-maker, a perennial choice for busy housewives. Check your wardrobe. It's time to start sewing again, and here are three top-notch selections.

The smart shirtwaister (Pattern 1976) is a utility frock distinguished for its trim lines and as easy to make as it is to wear. This extremely wearable number is available in a wide range of sizes. The notched collar is pert and youthful, there is fullness at the yoke, and the set-in sleeves fit well and wear forever. Send for Pattern 1976 in size 32, 34, 36, 38, 40, 42, 44, 46, 48, and 50. Size 36 requires 4 1/2 yards of 35 inch gingham or percale or shantung.

The lovely daytime princess frock (Pattern 1828) is a model which can be made and worn successfully by 38's as well as 50's. There is a choice of long or short sleeves and there is just enough contrast in the graceful collar to give the frock a smart touch of distinction. Likewise simple—just eight pieces including the collar and cuff—this pattern is designed for sizes 36, 38, 40, 42, 44, 46, 48, and 50. Make it in satin, silk, crepe, sheer wool, broadcloth, challis, or linen. Size 38 requires 5 1/2 yards of 39 inch or 3 3/4 yards of 54 inch fabric. Less with short sleeves.

Don't miss these grand numbers. A detailed sewing chart accompanies each pattern to guide you every step of the way. Send for the Barbara Bell Fall and Winter Pattern Book containing 100 well-planned, easy-to-make patterns. Exclusive fashions for children, young women, and matrons. Send fifteen cents in coins for your copy. Send your order to The Sewing Circle Pattern Dept., 367 W. Adams St., Chicago, Ill. Price of patterns, 15 cents (in coins) each. © Bell Syndicate.—WNU Service.

companies each pattern to guide you every step of the way.

Send for the Barbara Bell Fall and Winter Pattern Book containing 100 well-planned, easy-to-make patterns. Exclusive fashions for children, young women, and matrons. Send fifteen cents in coins for your copy.

Send your order to The Sewing Circle Pattern Dept., 367 W. Adams St., Chicago, Ill. Price of patterns, 15 cents (in coins) each. © Bell Syndicate.—WNU Service.

SORE MUSCLES

MADE HER ACHE ALL OVER



Feels like a new woman now

Why suffer with muscular pains of rheumatism, neuralgia, lumbago, or chest cold? Thousands say Hamlin's Wizard Oil brings quick relief to aching legs, arms, chest, neck, back. Just rub it on—rub it in. Makes the skin glow with warmth—muscles feel soothed—relief comes quick. Pleasant odor. Will not stain clothes. At all druggists.

HAMLIN'S WIZARD OIL
 For MUSCULAR ACHES and PAINS
 Due to RHEUMATISM—NEURALGIA
 LUMBAGO—CHEST COLDS

Restraining Vices
 If a man has great vices and restrains them, there's a hero.

CHECK THAT COUGH BEFORE IT GETS WORSE

Check it before it gets you down. Check it before others, maybe the children, catch it. Check it with FOLEY'S HONEY & TAR. This double-acting compound gives quick relief and speeds recovery. Soothes raw, irritated tissues; quickly allays tickling, hacking. Spoonful on retiring makes for a cough-free sleep. Habit-forming, stomach-upsetting drugs. Ideal for children, too. Don't let that cough dig to a cold hang on! For quick relief and speedy recovery insist on FOLEY'S HONEY & TAR.

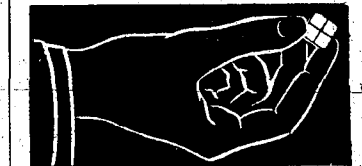
CLASSIFIED DEPARTMENT

OPPORTUNITY

EARN MONEY. Tested and Renowned for 50 years. Powerful stimulant for the growth of hair. Formula and money making plan \$1.00. FREE Physician's Prescription for skin lotion with order. GARTHEBAFF STUDIOS, EAST LANSING, MICHIGAN.

INSURANCE

Save on Insurance—Cut agents' and salesmen's commissions. Buy direct. A few cents more than \$1.00 per month buys protection up to \$1,000 maximum benefit (Natural or accidental death), also Accidental Indemnities. No medical examination. Send for free information. Merchants & Bankers Guaranty Company, Jacksonville, Fla.



AFTER YOU EAT?

After you finish a meal can you be sure of regular successful elimination? Get rid of waste material that causes gas, acidity, headaches. Take Milses' Water for quick, pleasant elimination. Each wafer equals 4 teaspoonfuls of milk of magnesia. 20c, 35c & 60c at drug stores.

Uncle Phil Says:

In Good Company

Company is one of the greatest pleasures of the nature of man, for the beams of joy are made hotter by reflection when related to another.

Theories might work, if human nature didn't interfere.

A young intellectual tries to get along without emotions and presently makes the horrible discovery that he has lost them.

The Present Moment

Try to be happy in this present moment, and put not off being so to a time to come.

Coarseness isn't much better than outright immodesty.

The prodigal son came of a good family. That is why he came back.

A good provider never lacks an admiring eye. Many men when asked for their candid opinion, make up something on the spur of the moment.



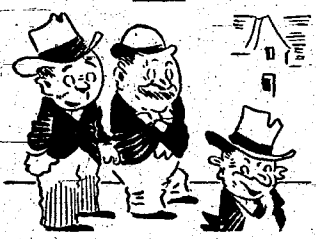
On the Funny Side

Hard Cash
"Pay your taxes with a smile," advised Mrs. Gotrocks.
"I should love to," said Miss. Comely, "but they insist on cash."
—Pearson's Weekly.

Quite Agreeable
"Once ought to be enough for me to ask for that \$5 I lent you."
"Yes, I quite agree, and yet you keep on at me!"—Stray Stories Magazine.

'Twas Her Treat
"Angus, ma son, hae ye been out wi' that lassie again?"
"Aye, father, but why are ye worried?"
"Ah wis wonderin' hoo much it cost ye."
"Juist twa shillings an' four-pence."
"Ah, that wis no sae bad!"
"It wis a' she had, father."

UPISH



"At one time or another he's looked down on everyone in the place."
"What, that fellow?"
"To be sure—he's the steeple-jack of the town."

That's Not Right
Boss—Look here, you've entered this debit item under credit.
New Clerk—Sorry, sir, you see I'm lefthanded.

Woes Scored
Mother (to small daughter who has returned from tea with friends)—I hope you said "No, thank you," oftener than "Yes, thank you."

Little Mary—Yes, I did. I hadn't been eating more than half an hour before they began saying, "Don't you think you've eaten enough?" And I said "No, thank you," every time.

MUSCULAR RHEUMATIC PAIN

MUSTEROLE

BETTER THAN A MUSTARD PLASTER

THE OTHER WOMAN LIVES JUST AROUND THE CORNER

It may seem unreasonable, but it is not so. It is not unreasonable for a woman who is usually happy and loving should have recurring periods when her whole character seems changed. He cannot appreciate the difference, the discomfort that all women must endure. He does not know what it is to do housework with an aching back and falling energy. All he does know is that other women seem more cheerful by comparison.

Are you such a three-quarter wife?

Don't let the ordeals that all women face cause you avoidable discomfort or endanger your home. Do as so many wise women have—try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

For three generations one woman has told another how to go "smiling through" with Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. It helps Nature tone up the system, thus lessening the discomforts from the functional disorders which women must endure in the three ordeals of life: 1. Turning from girlhood to womanhood. 2. Preparing for motherhood. 3. Approaching "middle age."

Don't be a three-quarter wife! Take LYDIA E. PINKHAM'S VEGETABLE COMPOUND and Go "Smiling Through."

Good Deeds

HOW far that little candle throws his beams!
So shines a good deed in a naughty world.
Heaven doth with us as we with torches do;
Not light them for themselves; for if our virtues Did not go forth of us, 'twere all alike
As if we had them not.
—William Shakespeare.

Gentle Ways

BUT curb thou the high spirit in thy breast;
For gentle ways are best.
—Homer.

Time for Christmas Dollies



Christmas Eve in the Market Place

By Louise Abney in Christian Advocate

THE market place on Christmas Eve...
Things and things for sale...
Tinsel baubles, gilded toys
Along the Christmas trail!

Jostling crowds of shoppers;
Trees of fragrant pine
And Douglas fir and silver spruce;
A never-ending line
Of eager, noisy vendors
Crying out their wares:
"Whoever buys on Christmas Eve
The Christmas blessing shares."

Southern smilax, holly wreaths,
Sprigs of mistletoe...
Everywhere the falling flakes
Of starry Christmas snow;
Throngs of hurried shoppers,
Children's eyes aglow,
Reminiscent of a Light
That shone—long ago.

Vendors in the market place
Bid you come and buy...
There was once a Gift that came,
Priceless, from the sky!

A Manly Christmas Husband

By Gertrude H. Walton

"A BORESOME holiday! If only I had invited Fred to come here with me," Manly jerked his hat from a rack when Julia, his sister, rushed into the hall.

"Manly, please come with me tonight to the dinner party at Judge Thompson's. Horace has just telephoned he can not get here until too late. Roads blocked with snow and cars because of the blizzard yesterday. Our first big spread in this burg. We're so new and this is our first opportunity to meet many prominent citizens of Palas City. Judge Thompson's dinners are annual affairs and he gives special invitations to newcomers of the city."

"I don't care much about the party. But so much in the papers about the Willis Graham's family who will be at the Judge's. Graham is the big shot who made millions from his washing machine patents. He's sort of a god in these parts. He has no son—but some daughters. Maybe, when I'm through college old Graham might remember a Manly—boy, for an engineer or in his office." Manly, after assuring his sister, Mrs. Horace Linn, that he would accompany her, mused on his way down to the city.

Manly's parents had gone South for the winter and Julia had urged her brother to spend the holidays with them because she and Horace would be a bit lonely since recently settling in the thriving factory municipality of Palas City. At first Manly reasoned that Horace and Julia wouldn't enjoy his peddling around, since they were newly-weds, and thought to decline the

urgent invitation. But remembering the loneliness of a home, without parents, he found himself in his sister's comfortable home, for at least two weeks "en-duration" as he thought.

In evening clothes Manly was nearest satisfied with himself as being "well groomed," than in any other attire. Somehow, the black dinner coat, light vest, brilliant studs in the spotless shirt front, illuminated the sparkle of his brown eyes and enhanced the manliness of his form. Upon arriving at the ancestral estate of Judge Thompson, Manly was bewildered when the Judge, with unusual ceremony, introduced them as "Mr. and Mrs. Horace Linn, new residents of Palas City!"

"Sh! They think you are my husband. Don't make them any wiser. Horace and I are strangers, you know, here," Julia motioned.

Not knowing whether Julia had planned to pass her brother off as her husband, or whether it was a surprise to Julia, as well as to himself, Manly played "husbandly faithful" beside Julia. But it seemed that every place Manly stood or sat, Patricia, one of the Graham daughters, was near, kindly gracious, but aloof.

When he asked her to dance she quickly assented, as though she feared he might never ask for another dance.

"She thinks I am married. Huh! A Manly Christmas husband, indeed! Dum it all! Why did Julia get me into this jam? She will have to un-jam me," he snorted to himself.

Julia seemed satisfied with the evening's pleasures. But Manly felt for the first time, that his sister was selfish.

"Of course," he reasoned, "sister doesn't suspect that I wanted more dances with Patricia, and a chat on the mezzanine in one of those brilliantly Christmas decorated booths up there. If Julia suspected such a thing, she is clever at hiding it."

The next morning's mail brought Manly an invitation to a party at Willis Graham's for the Graham daughters!

"How do they know my name is not Horace Linn and that I am not the husband of my sister?" Manly asked, almost provoked at the smile on the face of his sister who was at that moment darning her brother's hose.

"Of course, you'll go. A secret! No, not a secret any longer because the secret has been long enough," she teased. "I whispered to Patricia, at the party, that you were my brother and to introduce you to others of the younger groups, and to Mr. Graham. She, however, promised secrecy to all but Mr. Graham. Since she did not introduce you to others, not even to her father, I believe she enjoyed the brother-husband affair and planned a party to reveal the secret to her father and guests. No, her interest in you began before I told her you were not my husband. She was raving about my husband's eyes, and hair, and form, and clothes and—"

"Huh, jealousy, more than kindness for your brother prompted you to tell the truth," Manly teased.

"You made a Manly Christmas husband, anyway. I'm sure Patricia would agree with me," Julia answered.

After the party at Patricia's, the Christmas holiday failed to be bore some. For with Patricia's pep, and promises, Manly looked forward to the days after college, of becoming a Manly husband, in truth.

Western Newspaper Union.

IMPROVED UNIFORM INTERNATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

By REV. HAROLD L. LUNDQUIST, Dean of the Moody Bible Institute of Chicago. Western Newspaper Union.

Lesson for December 20

THE SUPREME GIFT OF LOVE Christmas Lesson

LESSON TEXT—I John 4:7-16.
GOLDEN TEXT—Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace, good will toward men. Luke 2:14.

PRIMARY TOPIC—Why Christmas Comes.
JUNIOR TOPIC—Immanuel—God With Us.
INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC—Why Jesus Came to Earth.
YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC—The Greatest Gift of All.

"I heard the bells on Christmas Day Their old familiar carols play And wild and sweet The words repeat Of peace on earth, good will to men."

Thus sang America's well-beloved Longfellow. But at once his honest heart began to question—"Is there peace on earth? Are not men and nations striving against each other in hatred and violence?" Were he alive today he might ask his questions with even greater fear and sadness.

How blessed then that as followers of the Christ we are again permitted to stand at the lowly manger in Bethlehem town and rejoice anew that "the Word was made flesh and dwelt among us, full of grace and truth" (John 1:14). Let us all who bear his precious name covenant together to "keep Christ in Christmas," and in the giving of gifts remember God's great gift. Let no home fail to have read or Christmas day the Bible story of the Incarnation (Luke 2:1-20).

The lesson for this Christmas Sunday has been well chosen from the First Epistle of John. The "Apostle of Love" is our teacher as we consider God's supreme gift of love. We note first of all

I. Its Origin (I John 4:7, 8).
"God is love." In other words, love is not merely one of his characteristics, but of the very essence of his being. He not only loves, but he is love. Therefore only those who know him can truly love, and those who have not love do not know him.

II. Its Manifestation (vv. 9; 10).
"We may give without loving, but we cannot love without giving." God's love "sent his only begotten Son into the world that we might live through him." Let us be sure to emphasize that Christmas celebrates the coming of the Saviour into the world.

III. Its Results (vv. 11-19).
1. Love between men (v. 11).
This verse presents an absolutely irrefutable argument. If God could love us, surely we should love one another.

2. Fellowship with God (vv. 12-16).
No man has ever seen God, but God is manifested in the lives of men who, because they have taken his Son as their Saviour (v. 14), and have confessed him as such before the world (v. 15), have come into perfect fellowship with God. Only through such lives will the world know God's love.

3. Boldness in the Lord (vv. 17, 18).

It is tragically true that even on Christmas day when we speak of peace and good will, it is a fact that men and women outside of Christ are his enemies and must look in fear toward a day of judgment. But how different for those who know Christ as Saviour. Perfect love, God's love, has cast out all fear and they may face with boldness even the day of judgment.

If any reader of these lines lacks this holy boldness, why not make this Christmas season a time of spiritual "nativity"—take the Christ of Bethlehem and Calvary as your Saviour just now!

4. Appreciation of his love (v. 19).
Love begets love. God's love for us moves us deeply and we love him. He loved us "while we were yet sinners" (Rom. 5:8). Much more then, being saved, we should love him, and love the brethren. (See I John 4:20, 21.)

So "let us keep the feast, not with... the leaven of malice and wickedness; but with the unleavened bread of sincerity and truth" (I Cor. 5:8). Then we may indeed wish one another
A Joyous Christmas!

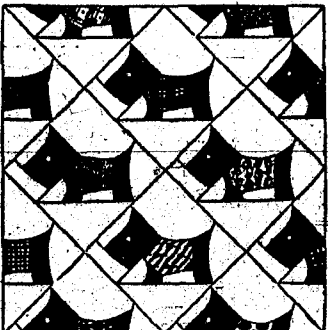
Real Poverty
Poverty is, except where there is an actual want of food and raiment, a thing much more imaginary than real. The shame of poverty—the shame of being thought poor—it is a great and fatal weakness, though arising in this country from the fashions of the times themselves.

Faith in Our Fellow Man
It is better to suffer wrong than to do it, and happier to be sometimes cheated than not to trust.—Johnson.

A Happy Man
Happy is that man whose calling is great and spirit humble.—Demosthenes.

An Object in Life
No man was ever so much deceived by another, as by himself.—Greville.

Colorful Scottie Quilt



Pattern 5673

Scotties to right of you, Scotties to left of you, and each one fun to piece for this amusing and colorful quilt. Here at last, your chance to use up scrap after scrap of gay cotton in the contrasting blankets, being sure to keep Scottie's squarish head and legs in a dark, uniform color. It's a world of fun to piece, and the pattern

may also be used for a patchwork pillow. In pattern 5673 you will find the Block Chart, an illustration for cutting, sewing and finishing, together with yardage chart, diagram of quilt to help arrange the blocks for single and double bed size, and a diagram of block which serves as a guide for placing the patches and suggests contrasting materials.

To obtain this pattern send 15 cents in stamps or coins (coins preferred) to The Sewing Circle Household Arts Dept., 259 West Fourteenth St., New York, N. Y. Write plainly your name, address and pattern number.

Viewpoint on Wealth
"And never the twin shall meet" has been well said. A noted Western visitor, shown the treasures of an Indian prince, millions of goldpieces, remarked that such great wealth would become even greater if put out to productive uses. "True enough," replied the prince, "but if all this gold were to be taken away, what should I have left to look at?"

Household Questions

If chicken prepared for salad is allowed to stand in french dressing for an hour before serving, the flavor of the salad is much improved. Before adding mayonnaise at serving time, drain off french dressing.

Cut some stale white bread in one-inch cubes, and roll them in

Did you ever try dipping your fresh fish in milk before rolling them in corn meal or bread crumbs preparatory to frying.

Ink stains may be removed from wall paper with a solution of equal parts of ammonia and hydrogen peroxide.

Eiderdown should be washed in a tepid soapflake solution.

To give a new flavor to your ham try pouring spiced pickle juice over it before baking.

Cut stale bread into strips one inch thick and one inch wide. Dip them into sweetened condensed milk mixed with water (two to one) and fry golden brown in butter; then roll them, while hot, in mixed sugar and cinnamon. Excellent for afternoon tea.

When tying children's shoes, tie string in bow first then the loops in a single knot. They will not then easily become untied. Sweetened condensed milk; then fry them in very hot, deep, clear lard for one minute, or until golden brown.

Keep an empty snap card on hand and when taking snaps off old garments snap them on the card. This will save time looking for them when they are needed. © Associated Newspapers—WNU Service.

44 AWARDS AT ONE STATE FAIR!

... the record of one exhibitor who has used many brands but who now uses CLABBER GIRL exclusively.

CLABBER GIRL BAKING POWDER

ONLY 10¢ Your Grocer Has It

DETROIT'S Finest Hotel VALUE

810 ROOMS
All With Bath
RATES FROM \$2. A DAY

CADILLAC SQUARE AND BATES STREET

BARLUM HOTEL

Preferred to the Costliest Shortenings

SWIFT'S **Jewel SHORTENING**

• The Vegetable Fat in Jewel is given remarkable shortening properties by Swift's special blending of it with other bland cooking fats. By actual test, Jewel Special-Blend makes lighter, more tender baked foods, and creams faster than the costliest types of plain all-vegetable shortening.

THE FAMOUS SOUTHERN SPECIAL-BLEND

Spanish Peanuts! Caramel! Finest Milk Chocolate!

Oh Henry! 5¢

Your Advertising Dollar

buys something more than space and circulation in the columns of this newspaper. It buys space and circulation plus the favorable consideration of our readers for this newspaper and its advertising patrons.

Let us tell you more about it.

The School Bell



Harken To Its Peals From The School On The Hill.

Week of Dec. 7 - 11

Editor — Wylon Payne.
 Assistant Editor — Ruth Hott.
 Typist — Jane Davis.
 Reporters— Jean Bugai, Clare Wade, Genevieve Ellis, Shirley Bulow, Blanche Davis, Eldeva Woodcock, Viola Carson, Doris Holland, Virginia Saxton, Virginia Kaake and Margary McDonald.

GRADE NEWS

Playing Santa To Parents
 The second graders of Miss Kjellanders room are making gifts and tree decorations. The honor roll consists of—

- | | |
|---------------------------|----------------|
| Dolores Danner | Phyllis Gothro |
| Donna Jean Holland | Ada May Kemp |
| Tommy Kiser | Verna Leu |
| Iris Petrie | Danny Sinclair |
| Jean Trojaneck | Jack Weisler |
| Ann and Suzanne Whiteford | |

Honor Roll of nine for Mrs. Benson's Grade—
 Berton Bunker Billy Reich
 Anabelle Gaunt Dorothy Wheaton
 George Moon Bennie Bulser
 Mamie McWaters Irene McPherson
 Billy Shepard

Honor Roll of nine for the Third Grade and Perfect Attendance 15.
 Perfect Attendance— Howard Murray, Marion Shepard, Gloria Reed, Marietta Burbank, Clifford Cutler, Grey DeForest, Basil Moore, Fred Murray, Donald Shay, Roberts Wright, Betty Ann Bader, Anna Gihbard, Claude Hitchcock, Harold D. Howe, Paralee Hammond.

Honor Roll— Robert Boyce, James Collins, Anna Gihbard, James Lewis, Marietta Burbank, Leanne Hammond, Gerda Neilson, Gloria Reed and Genevieve Barnett.
 Mr. DeForest's Honor Roll—
 Violet Ayers B B B A A C
 Elgy Brintnall C B C A B A
 Jack Conyer C B C A A B
 Marilyn Davis A A B A A B
 Harold Donner B B C A A B
 Nolin Dougherty B B B B B B
 Arlene Hayden B A B A A A
 Emily Nielsen A A A A A A
 Joan Wilkins B B B B A B

Wonderful Housekeepers
 Anyone who is looking for a good housekeeper apply to the sixth grade and they will recommend August LaPeer, Lea Nemecek, Lealand Hickox and Lean Peterson. The boys and girls are bringing in used toys and they are going to repair them and give them away for Christmas. They are delighted to have obtained 25 new reading books. They are also studying about the digestive system.

JUNIOR PLAY
 The Junior Play was presented Thursday evening under the direction of Miss Davis and Mr. Heafield. The cast has become known throughout the town but a good cast is always worth repeating.
 Peg Katherine Kitsman
 Jerry Galen Seiler

DR. F. P. RAMSEY
 Physician and Surgeon
 Office Hours:
 10:00 - 12:00 A. M.
 2:00 - 4:00 P. M.
 Evenings and Sunday by Appointment.
 Office — Over Hite's Drug Store
 Phone — 196-F2

DR. J. Van DELLEN
 Physician and Surgeon
 Ellsworth, Mich.
 Office Hours:
 9:00 - 10:00 A. M.
 2:00 - 4:30 P. M.
 7:00 - 9:30 P. M. Wed. and Sat.
 Office at Home Phone 9

FLOUR AND MEAL Grinding Schedule
 BEGINNING WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 1, 1936
 On Wednesday Each Week
 The Alba Custom Mills
 ALBA, MICH.

R. G. WATSON
 FUNERAL DIRECTOR
 Phone — 66
 MONUMENTS
 EAST JORDAN, MICH.

FRANK PHILLIPS
 Tonsorial Artist
 WHEN IN NEED OF ANYTHING IN MY LINE, CALL IN AND SEE ME.

Mrs. Chichester — Jean Bartlett
 Alaric, her son — Arthur Rude
 Ethel, her daughter — Daphne Keller
 The Butler — Leonard Smith
 Maid — Irene Brintnall
 Mr. Brent — Stanley Hale
 Mr. Hawkes — John TerAvest
 The play was: Well all that can be said is that the cast made their good better and their better best.
 The committees on property and advertisement are also to be congratulated!

SNOOPY ARABELLA
 For those who would like to know what K. I. T. Y. means it is: "Keep It To Yourself". What's the catch? You aren't jealous of Jacklyn are you, Ed?
 Now now, Mr. Smith, keeping poor little Latin students after school!
 Will someone please tell us what the words under s in athletics on the study hall board mean?
 Why did DuWayne want the first year Latin class members to belong to the Latin Club?
 If anyone happens to need a hair cut, see Jane the 4th hour any day.
 P. S. Snoopy Sue was ill this week.
 We didn't realize until today how closely Kathryn resembled that picture of Peg on the study hall board. Legs and all.

OBSERVATIONS
 The second year Home Economics girls, having finished their woolen dresses, are now making Christmas gifts.
 Louise Bechtold was on time for Latin Class.
 Report cards are over again much to the relief of some of us.
 Jr. Play is over now and it proved successful.
 Everything is about King Edward VIII at present.

HONOR ROLL

Seventh Grade—

Karl Kamradt	A B B C B
Bernadene Brown	B B A A A
Marah L. Farmer	A A B B C
Thomas Hitchcock	A C B A B
Velma Ostrom	B B B A B
Jacklynne Williams	B B B A A

Eighth Grade—

Mason Clark	B A C A
James Bugai	A B B C
Suzanne Porter	A A A A
Roland Woodcock	A B B B
Glen Trojaneck	B B B B
Margaret Drew	B B B B
Margaret Kaley	A B B C
Margaret Strehl	A A B B
Elizabeth Hickox	A A B B
Evangeline Cutler	A B A B

Ninth Grade—

Eldeva Woodcock	A A B B
Dorothy Thomas	A A A A
Dorothy Stanek	A A A B
Keith Rogers	A A B B
Thelma Olson	A A A B
Billy Sanderson	A A B B
Bob Kiser	B B B B
Robert Brown	A A B B
Clifford Ayers	A A B B
Freda Alma	A B A B
Doris Holland	A B A B
John Pray	A B B B
Jean Campbell	A B B B
Mary Kotowich	A B B B

Tenth Grade—

Jeanette TerAvest	A A B B
Elaine Collins	A A B B
Jean Bugai	A A B B
Viola Carson	A B B B
Richard Gidley	A A B B
Richard Saxton	A A C C
Beatrice Valencourt	A B B C
Jane Ellen Vance	A A A A
Ralph Stallard	A B B C
Pearl Mayrand	A A A B
Anna Nelson	B B B B
Pauline Zitka	A A C C

Eleventh Grade—

Anna Jean Sherman	B B A A
Clara Wade	A B B B
Art Rude	A B B B
Faith Gidley	A A A A
Artie Houtman	A A B B B
Rodney Gibbard	A B B B
Kathryn Kitsman	A A A B
Mary Lilak	A B B B B
Howard Porter, Jr.	A A B B
Jeanne Stroebel	A A B B
Jessie MacDonald	A A A A B
Francis Lenosky	A A B B C
William Bennett	C A A A
Jean Bartlett	B B A C

Twelfth Grade—

Ardis Hathaway	A B B C
Ina Gilkerson	A B B B
Ella Gilkerson	A A B B
Art Cronin	A B B B
Jacklyn Cook	A B B C
Ruth Hott	A A A B
Russell Crowe	A A B C
Francis Cain	A A B B
Wylon Payne	A A A B C
Lorena Brintnall	A A A B

Honor Roll For Mrs. Larsen's Room
 Gladys Larsen Bruce Miles
 Edward Perry Betty Ann Scott
 Parker Seiler Leona Stallard
 Russell Weaver Roberta Sutton
 Kathleen Hipp Lyle Wilson

GUESS WHO
 The girl described last week in the "Guess Who" was Helen Reed.
 This week it is a girl too. She lives about two blocks from school, in a brown house.
 This girl has blue eyes, blond hair, she weighs 93 lbs. and is 5 ft. 2 in. and is in the Junior High.
 Her favorite hobbies are swimming and tap dancing.

THE QUEEREST ACCIDENTS OF 1936
 An article in The American Weekly with Sunday's Detroit Times will discuss odd twists of fate during the year now ending, including, among many others, the story about a lion who speared a hunter to death, the spark from a cat's fur that blew up a gas chamber, and the careless cigarette that broke a fireman's back.

GET TRACE OF RACE OLDER THAN MAYANS

Football Credited With Find in Central America.

Washington. — The American game of football is credited by scientists of the Carnegie Institution of Washington for the discovery of one of the most important archaeological sites of Central America.
 Dr. A. V. Kidder, head of the institution's division of historical research, reported that a group of mounds which promise to provide a link between the pre-historic Maya Indians and those who met the Spaniards in 1542 were uncovered by a group of schoolboys of Guatemala City.
 In attempting to lay out a football field just outside the city, the boys were forced to dig into two of the mounds which dot the area. Until then the mounds had been believed to consist only of earth, but the digging revealed ancient masonry covered with fine white stucco.
 Carnegie Institution archaeologists, headed by Dr. Kidder, were called in, and before the onset of the rainy season, they had found four pyramidal buildings, one within another, containing four tombs of ancient priests or chiefs, in which were discovered human skeletons, jewelry and other ornaments, cooking utensils and war weapons of the ancient Indians.

Attained High Culture

Dr. Kidder said that the people represented by these artifacts were believed to have laid the foundations for the late Mayan and other cultures which reached a high stage of civilization long before the coming of the Spaniards.
 Excavations to date, Dr. Kidder said, had shown that the area, now known as "Kaminaljuyu," or "Hills of the Dead," was "very much more important archeologically than had previously been thought, for it is now clear that it was occupied during a far longer period than had been considered probable."

"Hitherto the area was valued chiefly because it produced objects of the so-called 'archaic' type, a type to which have been assigned similar products from the Valley of Mexico, from San Salvador, and from the lowest levels of Uaxactun," he explained.

"Objects of this type, such as human effigies of clay and pottery vessels having certain designated characteristics, are thought to have been the work of primitive agricultural peoples who are believed to have occupied the Middle American highlands well before the opening of the Christian era, and whose culture, it is generally supposed, gave rise to that of the Maya, the Toltec and the other higher civilizations of the region."

Findings Very Important

The high culture, expressed in fine carving and weaving and skillful use of tools and implements of war as well as finely organized system of government, which the Spaniards found flourishing among the Mayans, was obviously the result of a "long line of developmental stages, reaching back into the far-distant past," Dr. Kidder said.
 "It is these sequent stages in the rise of the great Maya race that archaeologists are seeking to establish," he added.
 "Inasmuch as it is possible that the solution is to be found in the Kaminaljuyu ruins, it is understandable why the results of the season's work have suddenly elevated the area into position of first importance."

Flight Around World in Two Days Now Foreseen

Johannesburg. — Predictions that it would be possible for an airplane to fly from Croydon to Cape Town in one day at a speed of 500 miles an hour, and to go around the world in two days, were made by Selig Brodetsky, professor of applied mathematics at Leeds University, England, in an address at Rand university here.
 Brodetsky, an authority on aeronautics, said proper organization and night flying would be essential to a flight around the world in two days. He alluded to the possibility of following the sun so as to have permanent day in certain latitudes.
 In the future, he said, it would be possible to fly from England to the Cape of Good Hope in a day at 500 miles an hour.
 A speed of 400 miles an hour had been reached in the Schneider cup race, he pointed out. The obstacle in the way of increasing airplane speeds indefinitely, he said, was that the span of the wings had to remain finite. The greatest speed it seemed possible to achieve, unless something fundamental were changed, was something about 500 miles an hour.

Paris to Promote Atlantic Air Race
 Paris.—The air ministry has decided to promote a blue ribbon air race from New York to Paris, open to fliers of the world, in commemoration of the tenth anniversary next year of Colonel Charles A. Lindbergh's New York-to-Paris solo flight.

Prince George Bibesco, president of the International Aeronautic federation, accepted the task of organizing the race.

ASSORTED Personal Christmas GREETINGS

21 Folders and Envelopes with your name neatly imprinted on each one \$1.00 and packed in artistic box, set of 21

FRIENDLY remembrance at Christmas is appreciated by every one and much pleasure attached to the sending of these kindly messages of friendship and good will. Your pleasure and satisfaction are greatest if the greeting is particularly adapted to the recipient as well as being an ambassador of good will representing you. Likewise, the one receiving the message finds in it greater significance than comes in a standardized greeting. You would not write the same letter or send the same gift to all on your list. The same course is best to follow in sending prepared Christmas Greetings, rather than strike an average with one kind of greeting only, and is just as easily done by using the choice selection of twenty-one different greetings.

Produced by an organization long successful in creating Personal Christmas Greetings that please and satisfy, this assortment has the requisite variety of expression in picture and word. These Christmas folders, mostly parchments, are high grade in every respect; have Christmasy designs of unusual artistic value on front and inside pages and sentiments ranging from strictly conventional and warm personal-expression of friendliness. Each sentiment is beautifully arranged in hand lettering. Every item meets a definite need on your list.

Be sure to see this Assortment before ordering your Personal Christmas Greetings, as here is pleasant and convenient solution of the problem of what to send this year and at surprisingly low cost, including imprinting of name.

No orders accepted after December 15th.

Charlevoix Co. Herald

The old-fashioned letter writer who interlards Latin phrases in his message to the editor favors the Baltimore Sun with a new one: Politicus bolognus.

Help Bladder
MAKE THIS 25c TEST
 Drink six glasses boiled or distilled water daily. You know what hard water does to a teakettle. If poor bladder action causes getting up nights, frequent desire, scanty flow, burning or backache, help flush out excess acids and impurities by improving the elimination. Use buchu leaves, juniper oil and 6 other drugs made into green tablets. Just say Bukets to any druggist. In four days if not pleased go back and get your 25c. Gidley & Mac, Druggists.

THE WORLD'S GOOD NEWS
 will come to your home every day through
THE CHRISTIAN SCIENCE MONITOR
 An International Daily Newspaper
 It records for you the world's clean, constructive doings. The Monitor does not exploit crime or sensation; neither does it ignore them, but deals correctively with them. Features for busy men and all the family, including the Weekly Magazine Section.
 The Christian Science Publishing Society
 One, Norway Street, Boston, Massachusetts
 Please enter my subscription to The Christian Science Monitor for a period of
 1 year \$9.00 6 months \$4.50 3 months \$2.25 1 month 75c
 Wednesday Issue, including Magazine Section: 1 year \$2.50, 6 issues 25c.
 Name _____
 Address _____
 Sample Copy on Request

Modern Freedom

FOR MODERN WOMEN

B-ettes
 MODERN SANITARY PROTECTION

Sanitary Protection without Pads, Napkins or Belts

FOR today's woman . . . busy, modern, throwing off ancient shackles . . . B-ettes were created. Here is a method that ends the discomfort, the inconvenience and the embarrassment that heretofore has been an unavoidable part of this feminine problem. With B-ettes there is no consciousness of wearing a sanitary protection at all! They are completely invisible in use . . . deodorant . . . and, though they safely and efficiently perform the purpose of ordinary napkins, B-ettes are so tiny that a day's supply can be carried unobtrusively in a handbag. Never before have women known such comfort . . . such convenience . . . such daintiness . . . in a sanitary protection.

* Worn internally . . . approved by physicians

Boxes of 12 — 39c Handbag Packets of 3 — 12c
GIDLEY & MAC, The Rexall Store
 Manufactured by B-ETTES CO., INC., DuBois, Pa.