

CROOKS, CLUB THRILL 800 IN BIG CONCERT

Brilliant Tenor Displays Mar- velous Strength and Tone —Chorus at Its Best in —Fine Program.

Richard Crooks, eminent American tenor, as guest soloist of last night's concert of the Men's Choral club of Manchester, proved to be the most brilliant as well as most notable artist audiences here have yet heard. His delightful, soulful singing was but one of the many thrills music lovers enjoyed in last night's first songfest of the season. The club, too, was brilliant. Its work has seldom, if ever, been surpassed.

So much can be said of the marvelous ability of Richard Crooks that the fine, faithful work of the club is liable to be slighted. Crooks sang two groups an aria and two incidental solos. Described oftentimes by critics as a "buck" tenor, the audience naturally looked forward to hearing some of the artist's lighter songs and ballads. Crooks favored with "Absent," and "Colleen Aroon" as encores. His first number "O Kom in Traum" was of the ballad type and immediately won his audience.

The Program.

The club's program as a whole was lighter than those which have been presented in the five previous concerts. But, the American Ace, a new composition by Stevenson, and the last number, gave the men ample opportunity to show their dramatic ability. "Shadow March" repeated from a previous program displayed wonderful vocal control of the chorus. The entire song is sung very softly—in almost a hush—and requires hours of painstaking practice on the part of not only the chorus as a whole but the individual members.

Unusually fine chorus work was displayed by the men in "I Wish to Tune My Quivering Lyre," "The Four Winds" and the delightful "Ole Speaks number 'Morning'."

Johnson's Solo

The incidental solos of club members were well sung, and especially did Jarle Johnson draw forth plaudits when he sang the solo part of "Sea Fever" in his rich strong basso. Harry Boland, tenor, and Robert Gordon, baritone, were in good voice in their short solo numbers.

Mrs. Mildred Godfrey Hall, harpist, accompanied Mr. Crooks and the chorus in a masterful presentation of Kremer's "Hymn to the Madonna." Though a comparatively short number, Crooks and the chorus in her brilliant dramatic work in this hymn.

Mrs. Hazel Theodorowicz, wife of the leader of the Boston Symphony orchestra, rendered three brilliant movements and one encore in her group of "Cello" solos. Her encore number displayed her marvelous technique. Mrs. Theodorowicz has appeared in High school hall at previous concerts.

Crooks' Voice

Crooks displayed a few acrobatic stunts with his voice when he sang the aria from Bizet's "The Pearl Fishers" "Mi par d'audir ancora." His range is wide, his tones wonderfully pure, and his enunciations are perfect, so much so that he was very easily followed in his English numbers. Crooks has been compared to McCormick, and some critics have said his work is better than that of McCormick at the same age. His work here last night certainly impressed those who know McCormick as being fully as good as that of the great Irish tenor. Crooks has a sturdy line in the upper register one cannot feel when listening to McCormick. His tones are strong whether high or low, and always of astonishing purity.

Publishers representatives were present at last night's concert to hear the last number "An American Ace." This is the first time it has been presented in full. It was the most dramatic number the chorus has ever attempted, and the men certainly did it justice.

Hall Filled.

High school, an ideal classic hall for such a concert, was filled. By actual count there were 810 in the audience, testimony in itself that the work of the Choral club is greatly appreciated by Manchester people.

Following the concert Archibald Sessions, accompanist and director of the club was nearly overwhelmed with congratulations. Mr. Sessions planned the delightful program, and it was through his influence Richard Crooks was brought here. The club members all attribute the success of the organization to Mr. Sessions' ability as a director.

TREASURY BALANCE

Washington, Nov. 30.—Treasury balance as of Nov. 27: \$137,853,153.89.

ELEVATOR MAN 49 DAY CROESUS

Then He Is Arrested for a \$156,000 Forgery; Says He Was a Tool.

New York, Nov. 30.—Seven weeks of luxury as a "millionaire" enjoyed by William Rodel, 43, former elevator operator in the Capitol theatre building, came to an end today in his sumptuously-furnished apartment when police arrested him in connection with a \$156,000 forgery on the Equitable Trust Company.

With Rodel when he was taken into custody was Nancy Kirby, an extremely pretty girl of 19, who was held as a material witness.

Rodel told police that his part in the story was the obtaining of special checks used by the Capitol, with copies of signatures. He was the dupe of a man who did the actual forging Rodel stated, according to the police, and received only \$1,500.

HOSPITAL GETS BEQUEST FROM BOYNTON WILL

Residue of Estate Goes to In- stitution — Remembers Friends of Mother—Val- ued About \$20,000.

The will of the late Frederick Hosmer Boynton has just been admitted to probate. A hearing on the estate was held in the office of Judge of Probate William S. Hyde Saturday. The Hartford-Connecticut Trust Company was named by Mr. Boynton as executor.

The estate is composed entirely of real estate and personal property. Mr. Boynton owned two tenement houses on Main street and another house on Woodland street. The property is in the tax list for about \$18,000. However, it is understood that there is a mortgage on the property of about \$7,000.

ROTHCHILD READY TO ANSWER CHARGES

All Three New York Bankers Accused of Rum Plot Will Go to Boston.

New York, Nov. 30.—Lewis H. Rothchild, president of the Chelsea Exchange Bank of New York, and his two associates, Harold Smythe and James V. Boise, who with thirty-eight others are under indictment in Boston in an alleged conspiracy to smuggle liquor into the United States, will return to Boston to plead to the indictment on any date fixed by federal authorities.

ENGLISH DEAN IN A MIXUP WITH CUSTOMS

Washington, Nov. 30.—Rev. F. S. Bennett, dean of Chester Cathedral in England, who has been the guest of Bishop Freeman of Washington, was on his way to Boston today to appeal from the decision of the United States customs office there, which penalized him \$750 for an error in the declared value of books brought into the country by the dean.

Start Reading Today

"Broken Threads"

Second Installment
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SEEK STUDENT FOR MURDER OF MISSING GIRL

No Proof of Death But Wis- consin College Boy Has Fled and Warns He Won't Be Taken Alive.

Prairie Du Chien, Wis., Nov. 30.—Erdman Olson, 18-year-old Gale college student and son of a wealthy tobacco planter, was being sought today in connection with the mysterious disappearance of his 22-year-old sweetheart, Miss Clara Olson.

The case is one of the strangest in the history of Wisconsin. Although the body of Miss Olson has not been found, authorities are so sure the young woman has been slain that a warrant charging young Olson with her murder has been issued.

MANY AMERICANS IN CHINA IN FEAR

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RICHARD CROOKS —Photo by Eltte
This photograph was especially posed by Mr. Crooks at Watkins Brothers yesterday afternoon. Mr. Crooks also autographed some Victor Records of his own songs while at the local store.

KLAN IS BEATEN IN MAINE'S TEST

Augusta, Me., Nov. 30.—Maine has shaken off the cloak of the Ku Klux Klan and has assured retention of Republican control of the United States Senate.

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JURY IS PREJUDICED, LANDLORD DECLARES

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had testified that in his opinion three pencils were used to make notations under the date of September 14, 1922.

That is the date of the murder. Henry Stevens' alibi is that he was fishing at his home in Lavalette, N. J., that night and the notations in the diary had corroborated Stevens' claim.

Hartkorn testified he was present when a photograph of the fingerprint on the card found near the bodies of Dr. Hall and Mrs. Mills, was taken. The state alleges the print is that of the left index finger of Willie Stevens. Hartkorn said he found the initials "E. H. S." in the lower right hand corner of the card. Asked if they were the initials of Edward H. Schwartz, Newark fingerprint expert, he replied that he didn't know.

McCarter handed Hartkorn Henry Stevens' diary. "I understand you said yesterday that the entry on September 14, 1922 reading 'art 1 blue 6 lbs.' was made with another pencil," McCarter said.

"Yes." "What do you base that opinion on?" "Because it is made with a softer lead."

Hartkorn testified that in his opinion Henry's entry of the 14th was intended originally for the 15th, because of a line being drawn under it to separate the two dates.

Prosecutor Simpson was given a distinct shock when one of his rebuttal witnesses called to testify as to the character of Mrs. Jane Gibson, declared the woman's "reputation for veracity" was not "so good."

The "boomerang" witness was Dr. J. H. Cooper, of East Millstone, N. J. Simpson looked amazed. He turned to one of his assistants for a conference.

Dr. Cooper said he was Mrs. Gibson's personal physician. He had known her five or six years.

The witness was a trifle evasive at first and Simpson demanded: "Tell me flat-footed whether her reputation was good or bad."

"Well," drawled Dr. Cooper, "I should say from what the neighbors say, it was about fifty-fifty."

There was more laughter and Simpson himself smiled and confessed that he "didn't know how you got on the stand."

Previously Dr. Walter Madden, former mayor of Trenton, N. J., had testified that Mrs. Gibson's reputation for veracity was "fine."

Joseph A. Faurot, famous fingerprint expert, was recalled to the stand. Simpson handed him three enlargements of "S-17." Faurot pointed out to the jury the points on the card which did not appear in the enlargements.

"The defense enlargements are a distortion," Faurot testified. "There are ridges missing on the enlargement."

On cross-examination Robert H. McCarter of the district asked Faurot if it was not a fact that when a picture is enlarged the rays cause a certain obscuring or failure of brilliancy at the outside which is not true in the center?

Faurot said "Yes." Faurot admitted the distortion he pointed out in the defense's exhibit was on the outside, not in the center.

McCarter and Faurot engaged in a lively colloquy over what Faurot could see by looking through the transparencies of the enlarged fingerprint by holding them to a light. McCarter wanted Faurot to look at it that way. Faurot looked at it that way. They squabbled. McCarter wanted him to admit that two prints on the transparencies were the same. Faurot said they were not. McCarter said they were.

"One is a loop, the other a whorl and you can't make me say any different," exclaimed Faurot.

Fred Drewn, fingerprint expert of Jersey City, followed Faurot on the stand. Drewn pointed out "distortions" on the defense's enlarged fingerprint pictures.

Drewn was excused from the stand at 12:30 and court was adjourned for luncheon.

May Shift Indictment. When he will make a motion for a mistrial, or whether he will make such a motion, Prosecutor Simpson refused to say this afternoon. It was reported, however, that he has been in touch with Governor A. Harry Moore regarding the situation.

It was said on good authority that if Simpson makes a motion for a mistrial, he will do so after he has put all of his rebuttal witnesses on the stand, which may not come until tomorrow.

It is understood that if Simpson makes a motion for a mistrial and the application is granted he plans to go before the Supreme Court at Trenton and ask that Mrs. Hall and her brothers, be tried on the indictment accusing them of the murder of Dr. Hall. They are now being tried on the indictment charging them with the murder of Mrs. Eleanor Mills.

Endorse Mrs. Gibson. When court reconvened after luncheon, Simpson called John A. Hayes, of New Brunswick. He said Mrs. Jane Gibson's reputation for truth and veracity was good.

Mrs. Christine Schultz was next called. She knew Mrs. Gibson for ten or twelve years and said her reputation is "good."

William Watson, a furniture dealer of New Brunswick, also testified Mrs. Gibson's reputation for truth was good. So did Mrs. Lucy Gatti, the next witness.

He looked to see if ribs and kraut were on the bill of fare. But, no, they weren't. The reason was.

They had no ribs to spare.

21 SHOPPING DAYS TILL CHRISTMAS

YEH! IF CHRISTMAS WUZ TOMORRA IT'D BE AWRIGHT—BUT IT AIN'T!



It's true that some needs some shoe. His feet are on the ground. He sure is tough that he can't wait Till Christmas rolls around.

ABOUT TOWN

A 7 1/2 pound son was born Sunday morning to Mr. and Mrs. Carl A. Senkbell, of 22 Glenwood street.

Mrs. Marion Sharp Lovell, formerly of this town, is the guest of Miss Grace Robertson of Oakland street and attended the Choral club concert last evening.

Mrs. Fred Bendall of Chestnut street had as her guest for the Choral club concert, Mrs. Benton Parker of New Britain, formerly of Manchester.

Mrs. Clifford Cheney had as her guests for last night's concert Mr. and Mrs. Ludius Barber of Hartford and Professor Henry Perkins of Trinity college and Mrs. Perkins.

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Tolerton of Alliance, Ohio, returned home today after a visit with their niece, Mrs. John Pickles of Holl street.

During their stay in town the artists for the Choral club concert, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Crowell of Highland Park. They were Richard Crooks, famous tenor, Mrs. Mildred Godfrey Hall of Widdow, harpist and Mrs. Hazel Theodorowicz, of Boston, cellist.

The membership committee of the Town Players will meet on Thursday afternoon at 4 o'clock in the School street Rec.

The entertainment clearing house recently established at the Recreation Centers is already proving popular, several organizations having submitted dates on which they plan to conduct dances and entertainments. The service is free to anybody in Manchester and a telephone call to the School street building will get dates of entertainment for months ahead.

Two special communications will be held by Manchester Lodge of Masons, the first at 5:15 when the Fellowcraft degree will be conferred, and again at 7:30 when the Master Mason degree will be worked.

Miss Lillian Thompson of Florence street was honored on the occasion of her birthday Saturday evening by thirty of her friends who came to help her celebrate. In the party were guests from Hartford and New York. Mrs. Humphrey favored with an exhibition of fancy dancing, with Mr. Sargent at the piano. A buffet lunch was furnished by Mrs. Thompson.

Miss Doris M. Kennedy of 103 Cooper Hill street was the winner of the ton of coal at the Silk City Flute Band's bazaar held at the Army & Navy clubhouse last week. This prize was donated by the Sullivan-Hayes-Nowell Coal Company of Burnside.

The Ladies' Sewing Circle of the Concordia Lutheran church will meet tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock instead of Thursday. Every member is urged to attend.

WELCOME FOR BADGERS WAITS, SAYS TILSON

But Wisconsin Insurgents Will Not Be Solicited to Rejoin Republicans.

Washington, Nov. 30.—The Wisconsin House Insurgents, who were expelled from the Republican caucus, will be welcomed back if they declare they will abide by the party caucus, but no overtures will be made to them, it was indicated today by Rep. John Q. Tilson, of Connecticut, Republican leader.

"They took themselves out of the party by opposing a Republican candidate for president, nominated on a Republican platform," said Tilson. "I always have hoped that the Wisconsin representatives would come back and assume their share of the party burden and work with it."

Tilson said that he expected Rep. Robert Clancy, of Michigan, former Democrat who was elected in November as a Republican, and Rep. F. H. A. Guardia, of New York, who deserted the Socialist banner to run as a Republican, would take their places in the Republican caucus.

CATCH CONVERTED YACHT WITH \$500,000 IN RUM

New York, Nov. 30.—A rum runner, said to be the converted yacht consulo II, with between \$300,000 and \$500,000 worth of liquor aboard, was towed into port here today. Officials announced that the craft had been captured off Ambrose light by the Coast Guard destroyer Porter, following chase.

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said Buckland cemetery, the sum of Two Hundred (200) Dollars, the income thereof to be used for the perpetual care of the above mentioned lot in said Buckland cemetery. If said corporation or organization is not so constituted as to be able or willing to accept this bequest for purpose named, I direct my executor to pay said sum of Two Hundred (200) Dollars to such other corporation or organization as may, in its opinion, be the most appropriate recipient thereof for the purpose of carrying out the expressed purposes of this bequest.

THIRD—I give and bequest to my friend, Melvin O. Fry, of Wethersfield, Connecticut, my diamond ring, my piano and the sum of Five Hundred (500) Dollars, and I give and bequest to his only daughter, the sum of One Hundred (100) Dollars. Should either die before me, I give and bequest to the survivor said piano, ring and the entire sum of Five Hundred (500) Dollars. If neither survives me, this bequest shall lapse and the piano and ring shall be disposed of in the same manner as my personal effects in general and the cash shall become a portion of my residuary estate.

FOURTH—I give and bequest to George F. Borst and Bertha D. Borst, his wife, of Manchester, and to the survivor if one and only one survives me, in recognition of their loving care and attention shown to my late mother, the sum of Five Hundred (500) Dollars in cash. I also give and bequest to the Owen Wood Oil Corporation of Fort Worth, Texas, if I own said shares at the time of my decease, and also, one old table, one old chair made about the year 1790, one old cricket of similar antiquity, all articles kept in my sleeping chamber and in general all household furniture and other personal articles not herein specifically bequeathed, such property to be retained or sold by them as they may prefer.

FIFTH—I give and bequest to Carl W. Weaver, daughter of my deceased cousin, Clinton H. Weaver, if she survives me, the sum of Five Hundred (500) Dollars.

SIXTH—I give and bequest to my cousins, Myrtle B. Wood and Ruth Foulds both of Manchester, the sum of Five (5.00) Dollars each if they respectively survive me.

SEVENTH—I give and bequest to the Methodist Episcopal Church of Manchester, Connecticut, the sum of Two Hundred (200) Dollars in memory of my mother, Jane Hosmer Boynton, who was for sixty years a member of said church.

EIGHT—I give and bequest to Wadsworth Atheneum of Hartford, Connecticut, the valuable silk bed-quilt made by my mother in the year 1888.

NINTH—I give and bequest to the Manchester Memorial Hospital of Manchester, Connecticut, the portrait which I own of my mother, Jane Hosmer Boynton aforesaid. I also give, devise and bequeath to said Manchester Memorial Hospital, all the rest, residue and remainder of my estate, real and personal, whatsoever and whosoever, situated, including any lapsed bequest, to be held by said hospital as a separate and permanent fund and the income thereof to be used for the general purposes of said hospital, with special reference to the furnishing of hospital facilities to persons themselves not able to pay for the services rendered. It is understood and agreed as a provision of this bequest to said hospital, that in accordance with arrangements already informally made with its officers, the portrait of my mother above referred to shall be permanently hung by said hospital in a prominent position on its walls as a further memorial to my said mother.

ELEVENTH—I request that the real estate now owned by me and located in said town of Manchester shall, in case of its sale, be sold only to a person or persons of American parentage and, as far as practicable, under such conditions as to ensure its continuing in the hands of persons of such parentage.

TWELFTH—I direct the payment of all succession or inheritance taxes which may be payable from my estate or from or on account of any of the legacies contained in this Will, to be made out of the residue of my estate so that all non-residuary bequests may come without charge or deduction into the hands of the beneficiaries named.

THIRTEENTH—I nominate and appoint The Hartford-Connecticut Trust Company of Hartford, Connecticut, to be my executor of this my will and I give to my executor full power and authority to sell and convey any real estate or personal property which may form a portion of my estate should such sale be deemed by it to be desirable for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of this will.

IN WITNESS THEREOF I have subscribed and do publish and declare this instrument as and for my last will and testament in presence of the witnesses attesting the same at my request this 5th day of January, A. D., 1922.

FREDERICK HOMER BOYNTON (L. S.)

Subscribed, sealed, published and declared by the said testator, Frederick Hosmer Boynton, as his last will and testament, in our presence, who, at his request, in his presence and in the presence of each other, have herunto subscribed our names as witnesses this 5th day of January, 1922.

HAZEL E. DUNN, Hartford, Conn. MARTHA R. SMITH, Hartford, Conn. CHARLES C. RUSS, Hartford, Conn.

FEEDS RACCOON GRAPES IN EFFORT TO TAME IT

A layman getting his first view of a captured raccoon fresh from the wilds would doubtless say it never could be tamed. But August Senkbell, of Oak street, knows differently.

He has one which was caught alive last night and says he can tame it to such an extent it will climb onto his shoulder to get food (not human flesh either) for he has done it before. This morning, he was feeding it grapes on the point of a long stick much to the delight of the otherwise frightened animal.

Tonight he expects to be able to feed the raccoon from his hand. He is welcome to the job, say onlookers.

JAN. 1 VALUE OF BONUS \$215,688,616

Two Year Old Certificates Have Loan Value of 8 1/2 P. C., Bureau Says.

Washington, Nov. 30.—World War adjusted compensation certificates will be worth \$215,688,616 in cash on January 1, to over 2,500,000 veterans, the United States Veterans Bureau announced today.

Certificates in force for two years have an initial loan value of about eight and one-half per cent. Policies maturing by loan collateral purposes during the year will represent a value of \$262,538,344.

In the subsequent three years the total of 3,048,933 compensation certificates now in force will have the following loan values: 1928—\$370,819,006, 1929—\$482,048,654, 1930—\$590,983,687.

The certificates will increase annually in loan value, reaching maximum at maturity of \$3,137,658,062, at which time they will be redeemed at face value by the government.

General Frank T. Hines, director of the Veterans Bureau, pointed out that the government will not loan money on the policies, prior to cashing them, maturity, but that banks or trust companies chartered by federal or state governments have the authority to make advances with the policies as collateral.

Holders of certificates which were approved by the government on or before January 1, 1925, will be entitled to use the policies as collateral for loans January 1, 1927. Over two-thirds of the certificates issued were approved prior to 1925, but another million will mature for loan purposes at later dates.

42 INDICTED ON COAST FOR SMUGGLING RUM

Mabel Willebrandt Heads Big Drive to Stop Activities of Canadian Concern.

San Francisco, Cal., Nov. 30.—With the return of indictments against forty men and two women, alleged leaders of the Pacific Coast rum ring, the fight to rid this section of the country of whisky smugglers was on its earnest today. The federal grand jury returned the indictments today before Judge A. F. St. Sure.

Headed by Mrs. Mabel Walker Willebrandt assistant United States attorney general, the federal forces have shown a blow which is expected to engulf the Consolidated Exporters, Inc., a Canadian corporation, which is alleged to have been the medium of flooding the Pacific coast with contraband liquor.

KLAN IS BEATEN IN MAINE'S ELECTION

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little, if anything, insofar as actual or working control of the next Senate is concerned. The line-up stands today:

Republicans, 48; Democrats, 47; Farmer-Labor, 1.

Actual control, if any, rests more with the Democrats than with the Republicans, despite the figures, for included in the Republican total of 48 are fully a dozen senators who as often vote with the Democrats as against them.

PLANS BROAD REVIEW OF COTTON FREIGHTS

I. C. C. to Tackle Whole Subject of Railroad Rates on Important Commodity.

Washington, Nov. 30.—A general investigation of freight rates on cotton moving from various points throughout the country was ordered today by the Interstate Commerce Commission. In order to perfect plans for the preparation of the case and to discuss the scope of the investigation, several members of the commission will hold a preliminary conference in New Orleans on December 17, with representatives of state railroad commissions, shippers and the railroad.

There are now pending before the commission a number of formal complaints assailing the rate on cotton from substantially all important producing areas to practically all destinations, including ports of export, to which cotton moves. It is planned to consolidate these various cases and the New Orleans conference will formulate a program for expediting the investigation.

AUSTIN CHENEY WILL AGAIN HEAD LOCAL CHAMBER

Election to Take Place at Business Session at Hotel Sheridan Tomorrow Evening.

In all probability Austin Cheney will be re-elected president of the Manchester Chamber of Commerce at its postponed annual meeting and election of officers tomorrow evening at the Hotel Sheridan. W. W. Robertson has been re-nominated for vice-president and Earl Seaman for treasurer. These are the officers who have served during the past year. They have all agreed to serve in their respective capacities and nomination is tantamount to election.

The annual meeting was scheduled to be held November 8 but at that time less than a quorum appeared, only 17 being present. For tomorrow night, however, a more appealing program has been arranged. Instead of the regular routine of reports of officers and election of officers there will be a dinner and an entertainment. A roast chicken dinner will be served at 6:30. In addition to other entertainment, there will be an illustrated motion picture talk by President Austin Cheney. He will show films which he took while on a three weeks' hunting trip in northern Canada in October. He will discuss the various scenes and his talk should be most interesting. Charles Marshall of Watkins Brothers will render a graphophone concert.

In addition to the election of officers, five directors will be named for two-year terms. The terms of Lucius Foster, W. G. Glenny, Charles I. Balch and Fred T. Blish, Sr., expire and all except Mr. Glenny will be succeeded by Charles J. McCann, Robert V. Treat, Louis Sipe and W. P. Reidy. Mr. Glenny will be re-elected on the board of governors for another term as he is being primed for the next presidency.

WOMAN IS CAPTURED IN LOTTERY DRAGNET

Bridgeport, Nov. 30.—Continuation was granted today in police court in the case of five persons arrested yesterday in connection with the treasury balance lottery campaign. One was a woman, Anna Lisiewicz.

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PROPOSES STADIUM AT CAPITAL FOR FOOTBALL

Part of Fish's Campaign to Stop Profiteering on Army-Navy Games in Future.

Washington, Nov. 30.—The Army-Navy football ticket "scandal" will be carried before the military and naval affairs committees of the House, Rep. Hamilton Fish, Republican of New York, announced today.

"I think some way can be worked out whereby the sale of tickets at handsome profits by Congressmen's secretaries can be stopped," he said.

Fish announced his intention of introducing a bill providing for the erection of a stadium in Washington in which all future Army-Navy games would be held. He would dedicate it to former President Theodore Roosevelt.

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ONTARIO BATTLES ON DRY LAW TOMORROW

Will Decide Whether to Keep Prohibition or Go on Basis of Beer and Wine.

Toronto, Ont., Nov. 30.—Ontario's bitter prohibition battle ends tonight with final appeals of candidates and claims of great majorities by wets and dries. Tomorrow the voters will go to the polls to decide whether the province will return to beer and liquor after ten years of prohibition.

Premier G. Howard Ferguson has staked the life of his conservative government on the wet side of the prohibition question. If he can elect sufficient wet supporters in the provincial legislature the Ontario Temperance act will be modified, probably to legalize the sale of liquor and beer at government stores.

STATE NEXT WEEK SUNDAY, MONDAY AND TUESDAY

WALLACE BEERY RAYMOND HATTON Were in the Navy Now

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Table of New York stock prices for various companies like Am Sugar, Am T & T, Anaconda, etc.

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Should Be Corrected—Good Elimination Is Essential to Good Health. If you would be well, see to your elimination.

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MARIE DELAYED IN LANDING IN FRANCE

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Locker Lamson, friends of Princess Ileana, United States Consul Samuel Wiley and newspaper correspondents. After a battle to reach the Berengaria...

CLAUDEL TO COME AS FRENCH AMBASSADOR

Paris, Nov. 30.—Foreign Minister Briand has been authorized to inquire of the United States whether M. Paul Louis Charles Claudel, at present French ambassador to Japan, will be acceptable as French ambassador to the United States.

The appointment of M. Claudel, a trained diplomat, is accepted here as indicating that France does not intend to seek for a re-opening of the debt negotiations at the present but will attempt to secure ratification of the Berengaria-Mellon agreement.

Whist Party. Chances of winning turkeys for Christmas at the West Side Rec are becoming more rare. There are only two more weeks of opportunity. Whist parties are held on Saturday evening and set-back tournaments on Wednesday.

The Girl Scout Officers' association will meet tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock with Miss Jessie Steay.

MONTH OF NOVEMBER HAD 4 RAINY TUESDAYS

Today the merchants are again peeved because the weather man has seen fit to be so disagreeable to them. However, the rain abated toward noon and there was a possibility that it might continue the same tonight.

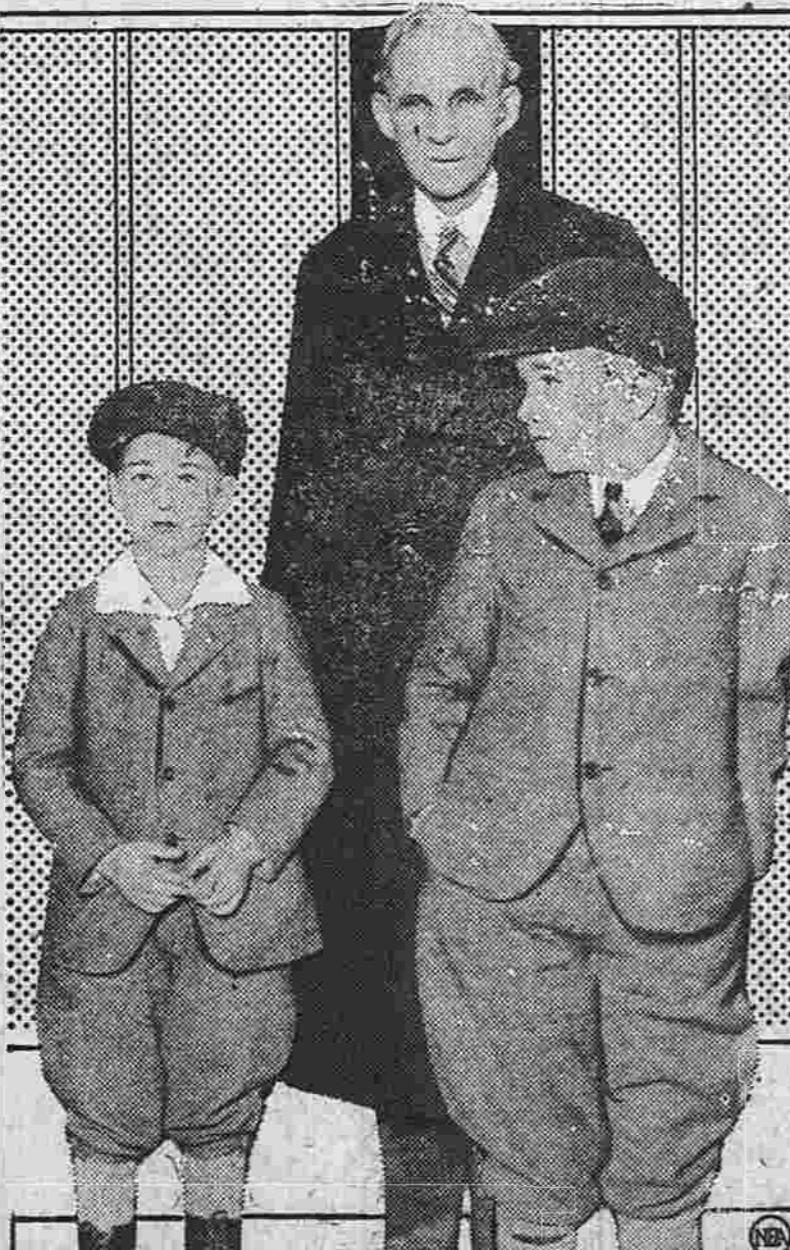
NEW LIBRARY BOOKS

The following new books have been added to the shelves of the South Manchester Public Library, it was today announced by Librarian Miss Jessamine M. Smith: A B C of Relativity, by B. A. Russell. Advanced Textile Design, by William Watson.

NORRIS URGES WILSON TO FIGHT VARE ELECTION

Washington, Nov. 30.—Plans were being drawn at the capitol today to contest the seat of William S. Vare, Republican senator-elect from Pennsylvania, Senator Norris, Republican of Nebraska, who spoke in Pennsylvania against Vare, has advised William E. Wilson, defeated Democratic candidate in the election, Wilson has not yet replied to Norris' suggestion.

Ford's Grandsons



Henry Ford's grandsons, photographed for publication for the first time, are pictured with the silver king here. They are Benson (left), 6, and Henry Ford II, 8, sons of Edsel Ford. Not only are the youngsters Ford's grandsons—they're his pals as well. Both are keen for machinery. The great Ford plant at River Rouge, Detroit, is their favorite playground. This photo was made when Prince Nicholas of Rumania visited the Fords.

Catching Raccoons Alive Real Sport Says Local Hunter

"Anyone can kill a raccoon but the real sport comes in trying to catch them alive," said August Senkbell, of Oak street, today in speaking about a hunting trip last night in which he and three other hunters succeeded in catching one alive.

The quartet who went on the trip were James Hassett, Frank, Otto, and August Senkbell. They had two dogs with them, one a puppy. In the woods near Andover, the dogs struck the trail of a pair of raccoons, evidently mates, and succeeded in chasing them up a tree.

Mr. Senkbell plans to keep the raccoon alive and to use it to train young dogs to follow the scent. Both the captured raccoon and its mate weigh nearly twenty pounds apiece. They are of ordinary color, each having the usual black hair along the center of the back, a head like a fox and stripes of black and white hair about the eyes. They are first year raccoons. Anyone who wishes to see them may have that privilege.

CROOKS AUTOGRAPHS RECORDS FOR WATKINS

Although it was a busy afternoon for him, Richard Crooks, tenor soloist at the Choral Club concert last evening, found time to drop in to Watkins Brothers' store and have his picture taken. Mr. Crooks arrived in Hartford at 3 o'clock and was rushed to Manchester by auto. Immediately upon his arrival in town he visited Watkins music department where he autographed some of his latest Victor records. These are now on sale as described in an announcement by Watkins Brothers in another section of today's Herald.

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"Pape's Cold Compound" is pleasant and affords instant relief.



A dose taken every two hours until three doses are taken will end grippe misery and break up a cold. It promptly opens the clogged-up passages and air passages in the head, stops nasty discharge of nose running, relieves a sick headache, dullness, feverishness, sore throat, sneezing, soreness and stiffness. Don't stay stuffed up! Quit blowing and snuffling! Ease your throbbing head! Nothing else in the world gives such prompt relief as "Pape's Cold Compound," which costs only thirty-five cents at any drug store. It acts without assistance, tastes nice, causes no inconvenience. Be sure you get the genuine. Don't accept something else. —Adv.

GIVE DINNER FOR FRIENDS OF HOWE

Intimate friends of Harold Howe were entertained at a dinner in his honor last night by Mr. and Mrs. George H. Howe at their home on Wadsworth street. Mr. Howe has just returned home from a long illness at the Hartford hospital. Those present in addition to Harold Howe and Mr. and Mrs. George H. Howe were Rev. and Mrs. Watson Woodruff, Mr. and Mrs. C. Elmore Watkins, Mr. and Mrs. R. K. Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. Christopher Glenney, Mr. and Mrs. John Dowd, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph H. Russell, Mr. and Mrs. Timothy Holloran, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Olds, Mrs. Lucy Ringrose, John G. Pentland, Joseph Sargent, Phil Nelson, Franklin Benderson and Miss Elizabeth Nyberg, Mr. Howe's nurse. During the evening Miss Arlene Moriarty rendered vocal and piano selections.

PRESIDENT WILL NOT READ NEXT MESSAGE

Washington, Nov. 30.—President Coolidge will not deliver in person his annual message to Congress next week, the White House spokesman declared today. The message will be read by clerks, probably on Tuesday, Tuesday, NO 2 HARMONY.

Washington, Nov. 30.—"Harmony breakfasts" at the White House with senators and representatives will become a regular institution this year, the presidential spokesman declared today. They are designed to furnish closer cooperation between the President and the members of Congress.

BANKRUPTCY PETITIONS

New Haven, Nov. 30.—Walter H. Hurd, once a member of the firm of Hurd & Page, Inc., Shelton hardware dealers, today filed an individual petition in bankruptcy here showing liabilities of \$31,826 and assets of \$2,980. The liabilities are in the form of notes endorsed for the Hurd & Page Co. and held by bands in the Naugatuck Valley.

Well-known last lines: "It worked just fine last night until 2 o'clock, but tonight we don't seem to be able to get a thing."

At C.H. Tryon's Sanitary Market

- LOW PRICES AND FREE DELIVERY. Groceries: King Apples 75c basket, 1-5 Barrel Sack Gold Medal Flour \$1.20, Premier Salad Dressing, large 33c, Carnation Milk, large, 11c can, 1 lb. can Crisco 25c, Pure Lard 15c lb., Best Coffee 49c lb., Shredded Wheat 11c package, Kellogg Corn Flakes, 3 pkgs. for 25c, Yellow Bantam Corn 18c, Cream Corn Starch, 3 pkgs. for 25c, Extra Large Prunes 18c lb., New Citron 49c lb., Layer Figs 25c lb., Confectionery Sugar 9c pkg., Vilder Peaches, 3 cans for \$1, 3 Cakes Palm Olive Soap 25c, Creamery Butter 49c lb.

- Meats: Legs of Lamb 35c lb., Turkeys 49c lb., Native Fowls 45c lb., Pork to Roast 38c lb., Rib Roast Beef 35c lb., Pot Roast 28c lb., Rib Lamb Chops 39c lb., Lamb Patties, 3 for 25c, Sausage Meat 35c lb., Small Link Sausage 39c lb., Beef Liver 18c lb.

- Fruit: Oranges 50c to 79c dozen, Grapes 18c lb., Tangerines 40c dozen, Bananas 30c lb., 2 Grape Fruit 25c, 2 Quarts Cranberries 25c, 3 Quarts Apples 25c, Apples, basket, 75c.

- Vegetables: Spinach 29c peck, Parsnips, 4 lbs. for 25c, Carrots 5c lb., Celery 20c bunch, Iceberg Lettuce 10c, 15c, 18c, Turnips 29c peck, Cabbage 5c lb., Hubbard Squash 5c lb., 8 lbs. Yellow Onions 25c, 6 lbs. Red Onions 25c, Oysters Every Day 30c pint.

BRONKIE IS NAMED LEGION COMMANDER

Succeeds Harry Maidment; Four New Members Initiated; List of Officers.

Victor Bronkie was elected commander of the local post of the American Legion last night at the State Armory. He succeeds Past Commander Harry Maidment. Forty-three members attended the session. Four new members were initiated. They were William P. Quish, Anthony Tournard, James Stevenson and Edwin McGann. The list of new officers for the ensuing year follows: Commander—Victor Bronkie, 1st Vice Commander—Walter Sheridan, 2nd Vice Commander—George Cheney, Adjutant—Fred Lorch, Finance Officer—Robert Hathaway, Sergeant at Arms—William Paige, Historian—James A. Irvine, Chaplain—Dr. C. H. Harville.

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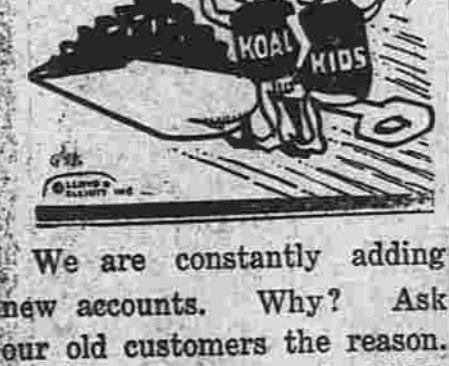
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TUESDAY, NOV. 30, 1926.

REALTY LICENSES.

If the realty dealers of Connecticut hope to obtain the passage of a bill prohibiting every sort of brokerage and agency in real estate transactions by everybody excepting a group of licensed dealers they will have to present a measure that will stand the closest kind of scrutiny.

Connecticut people are not likely to fall over each other in their enthusiasm to lend support to a law which, ostensibly framed to protect them from the operations of irresponsible and untrustworthy persons, may just possibly fall short of complete protection while it is creating a snug little monopoly of the real estate business.

Any such measure, in order to stand a chance of passage by the legislature, will have to provide, first and foremost, that every licensed realty dealer, old or new, shall be free from any taint of sharp dealing—and we fear that there are some pretty well established realty men in this state whose methods would not stand too strict a scrutiny—and in the second place it will have to leave the business open to new comers on a reasonable and not too costly basis.

There is no more reason for creating a hard and fast monopoly of real estate offices than of shoe or grocery stores.

There may be and probably is room for state scrutiny of the proceedings of fly-by-night realty eyes who flash into and out of the business as opportunity presents itself to sting some unsuspecting customer, and if the respectable dealers can formulate a measure which will clip the wings of these gentry without unfairness to legitimate, if only part time traders, perhaps they can get favorable consideration for it in the judiciary committee.

The whole thing is, however, one of great delicacy, and should not be too strongly encouraged until the real estate men have submitted their scheme for public discussion.

A MIX-UP.

A very curious situation presents itself in the matter of the Pennsylvania senatorship to which William S. Vare was elected early this month.

There are a great many Republicans in the Senate who do not want Vare there—some because they conceive the odor of slush clinging to his garments to be unbearable, others because they regard the Philadelphia boss as an insurgent of sorts and likely to take the bit in his teeth at any time without regard to national party interests. It will require a two-thirds vote of the Senate to unseat him, once he has taken the oath, but that fact has no particular terrors, when all the Democrats are bound to vote against his retention anyhow and a number of western Republicans are committed to do likewise. It is confidently believed that there are enough more Republicans ready to do their share toward bouncing Vare to make that proceeding easy, because it is not as though, by such action, the party would lose the senatorship. It would simply be a case of Governor-elect John S. Fisher naming another Republican to take his place, among those mentioned for the job being former Governor Sprout and James Evanson, publisher of the Philadelphia Enquirer—good, respectable men and standard Republicans.

But there intrudes a device of the Democrats to contest the election in the interest of William B. Wilson—and this puts a new face on the matter. They will contend that Wilson was defeated by frauds and will take their case to the Senate committee on contested elections. When that committee reports, and no matter how it reports, it will only take a majority vote to not only oust Vare but to put a Democrat in his place.

Of course the regular Republicans are not going to vote for any such proceeding as that. But in

order to get Vare into the Senate, in order to throw him out again, it will be necessary for the same Republicans, who would like to eject him in favor of an appointee, to vote for him as against Wilson. It promises to be a curious mix-up.

MAINE.

The state of Maine took the Ku Klux Klan over its knees and padded it to a fare-you-well. A plurality of approximately fifty thousand for Arthur R. Gould, Republican candidate for United States senator, in a light vote, constitutes a stunning rebuke to the Klan and its reckless and untruthful methods of attack on the party's candidate.

Maine contributes one more demonstration of the fact that it is no longer possible to destroy a public man by raising the wolf cry of "Slush!" The courts may not be able to protect a political candidate from inexcusable libel, but the voters are. Those of Maine have administered a rebuke to this sort of campaigning.

They have also shown with complete conclusiveness that it is no longer possible to wreck the career or prospects of a citizen by charging that he once had a half pint of whiskey in his possession.

There is a lesson in the Maine election not only for religious bigots but for prohibition bigots. The day of both is about past.

MISTAKE.

A. P. Christy, one of the most picturesque figures in New England newspaper life, shot himself in a broker's office at Worcester yesterday, at the age of 78, because he had been losing money in the stock market. That was an extraordinary thing for a newspaper man to do.

But Christy has ever been an extraordinary character. A member of the bar with no practice, he started a Sunday newspaper in Worcester many years ago—42 years ago to be exact—on the veriest shoe-string. Soon afterward he turned his Sunday paper into a daily and in the course of time built up, in the daily and Sunday Telegram, a highly valuable property.

A few years ago he sold out, retiring from business with a handsome fortune, being rated as better than a millionaire. That is a mistake for any newspaper man. When one has come to the ripeness of life in a newspaper shop he cannot cut away from the clutter of the linotype and the smell of ink altogether, and be happy. Christy, needing nothing in the world that he did not have, save excitement, sought that stimulus in the brokers' offices. They were not his game. He should have stuck to the thing that was his game.

Now he is dying or dead, and in a way to leave unpleasant memories behind. All a very great mistake.

JURIES.

There are a great many persons in America who believe that the jury system is the very keynote of freedom, and that whatever its faults we cannot any more afford to do away with it than we could afford to scrap the constitution in favor of a fascist dictator. That juries often do things revolting to the intelligence, that they are sometimes stupid, sometimes dishonest, frequently mediocre in mentality, does not, to these people, afford sound reason for displacing them by the greater intellectual powers and superior wisdom of a judicial bench. They see in the jury system the very essential of democratic government.

If the charges brought against the jury in the Hall-Mills case—charges of predisposition, of local prejudice, of intention to disregard the juror's oath—are proven, the jury system will have been dealt a stiffer blow than it has ever experienced in this country.

If a number of these jurors entered upon the trial of the case with full determination to bring in a certain verdict, regardless of the testimony, then they have gone far toward undermining the whole theory of jury trials. For, though this would not, by any means, be the first time that juries have been packed, never before has the spectacle been presented to such a tremendous audience.

If this turns out to have been a crooked jury, millions of Americans will jump to the conclusion that the right thing is to get rid of all juries and let judges, at least honest if wrapped and tangled in the minutiae of legal quibbles, decide all trials. That would be a sorry consequence.

FALLADOHENY.

There is a curious apathy on the part of the public toward the Fall-Doheny trial. There has never been a criminal case in the history of this country touching more intimately the vital interests of the whole people than this one, in which it is maintained that a highly placed public official conspired with a rich man to steal hundreds of millions of the public's wealth.

And yet nine out of ten Americans will not read a word of the proceedings.

It is not so much indifference as a sort of discouraged sickening that causes men and women to turn away from this case. It suggests too poignantly to them the possibility of their closest interests being raided at any moment by mistakenly trusted individuals—and they see no way of protecting themselves. It is something like the war—they hate to think of it.

The human creature is not so very different from the ostrich, after all.

CONCERT.

The Herald takes the liberty of speaking for the people of Manchester in expressing to the Men's Choral Club, to its individual members, to its brilliant director, Archibald Sessions, and to the unidentified "defect" man, sincere appreciation of the great privilege conferred by the organization of last evening's concert.

It was artistically excellent, it was inspirational, it was an extraordinary thing to take place in a town no bigger or richer than Manchester. The only regret is that if the Choral Club is going to provide such remarkable affairs in the future we haven't a hall five times as big so that five times as many people might attend them.

Old Masters

Mine be a cot beside a hill; A bee-hive's hum shall soothe my ear; A willow brook that turns a mill. With many a fall shall linger near.

The swallow, oft beneath my thatch Shall twitter from her clay-built nest; O'er shall the pilgrim lift the latch, And share my meal, a welcome guest.

Around my ivied porch shall spring Each fragrant flower that drinks the dew; And Lucy, at her wheel, shall sing In russet-gown and apron blue.

The village church among the trees, Where first our marriage vows were given, With merry peals shall swell the breeze And point with taper spire to Heaven.

—S. Rogers: A Wish.

DAILY ALMANAC

Today is feast day of St. Andrew, apostle and brother of St. Peter. Birthday anniversary of Mark Twain and Cyrus W. Field. Euripides, tragic dramatist, died 406 B. C. Edmund Ironside, colleague of King Canute, assassinated, 1016.

A THOUGHT

He that toucheth pitch shall be defiled therewith.—Ecc. 1:11. Our sins, like to our shadows when our day is in its glory, scarce appeared; toward our evening grow great and monstrous they are!—Suckling.

WASHINGTON LETTER

Washington, Nov. 30.—The average senatorial secretary works for a man who remains just a senator.

But blessed is he—or she—who manages the office and correspondence of one who becomes a national or international personage and has no worries about the fickleness of his constituents.

Miss Cora Rubin of Boise, Ida., secretary to Senator Borah, is the envy of scores of men and women of similar status in the Senate office building.

Miss Rubin is clerk of the important Foreign Relations Committee by virtue of being secretary to the committee's chairman. On each of these jobs she has replaced a man.

She has been with Borah since he first ran for the Senate. That was 20 years ago.

Girl secretaries were almost unheard of then, and she came here as Borah's personal stenographer. She ascended to the secretaryship seven years ago, taking the place of Earl Venable, who now is secretary to the Republican congressional committee.

Sessions of the Foreign Relations Committee are executive, but Miss Rubin sits through them all, listening to the unraveling of important international situations and interesting behind-scenes details which



Cora Rubin

are highly secret but which must often be considered in the making of treaties. She takes care of both records and treaties.

The task of obtaining publicity for her senator never bothers Miss Rubin. Borah makes his own publicity. This is one of the bugbears of existence for some secretaries in the building who must become press-agents for their employes, with all the headwork and effort which that entails.

Miss Rubin has no need to flood the newspaper and press association offices with the mimeographed utterances of Borah, for the newspapermen beat a path to his door without coaxing. Some senators would cheerfully sacrifice a right eye for similar popularity with the correspondents.

Neither must Miss Rubin carry a heavy load for her senator when elections approach. Campaign speeches and political maneuvers are the least of her troubles. In 1924, Idaho cast 125,000 senatorial votes and Senator Borah received 100,000 of them.

The constituents refrain from pestering his office after electing him, which also makes life brighter for his staff. Of many other solons this is far from true. Borah's mail perhaps is more interesting than that of any of his colleagues. It comes from all over the world, from statesmen and other important persons.

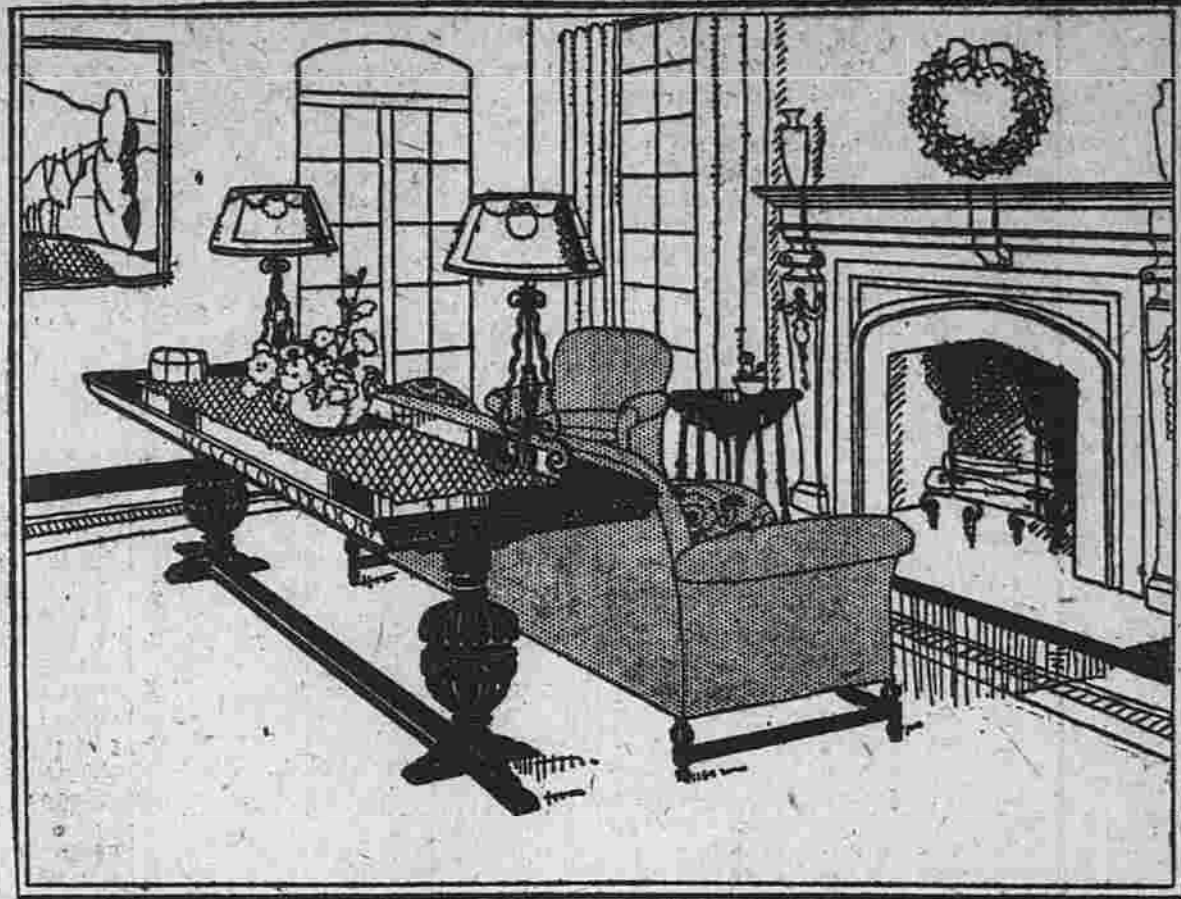
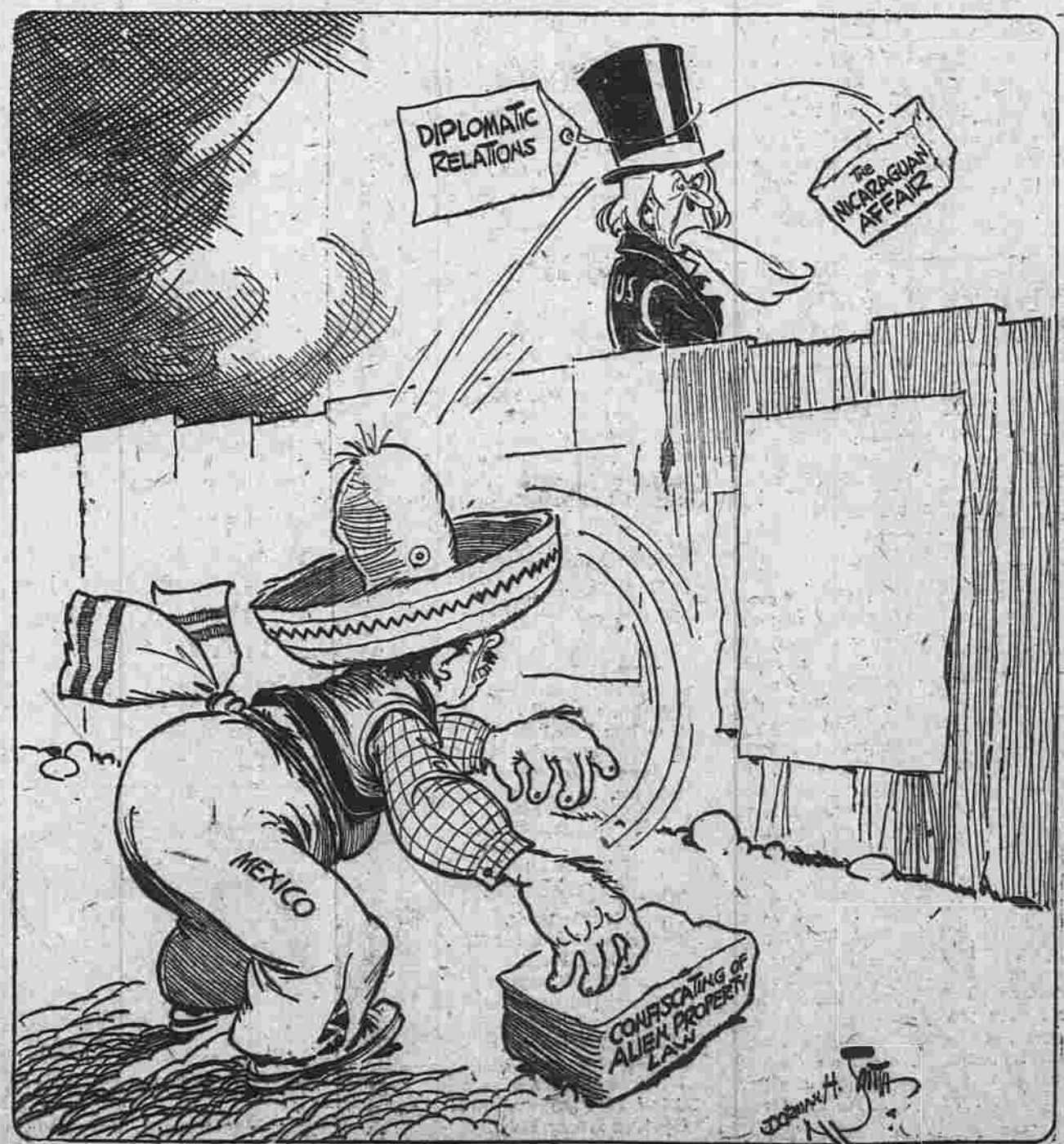
A large part of his domestic mail consists of invitations to speak. Miss Rubin estimates that more than 40 men would be required to

make as many addresses as are requested of the powerful senator from Idaho.

IT HAPPENED

"Jans proposed to me on a motor tour." "What was the result?" "I accepted him in the hospital." —Karikaturen, Oslo.

More Target Practice



Enduring Charm in Gifts for the Home

DURING the holiday there's the Christmas tree with its silver stars and tinsel, its colored lights and popcorn strings, to remind us. But after that—what will you have to show that Christmas ever came? Why not plan to make your home a better place to live this Christmas—a more comfortable, more beautiful, more up-to-date place? A new living room suite—or just an odd chair or a piano—that new bedroom outfit you've always needed—or the new rug for the dining room—why not get them now for Christmas and pay for them on the Christmas Club Plan?

Always Something New

New suites and odd pieces of furniture arrive daily at this store, to take the places of suites and pieces that have found their permanent home. So there are always new things of interest. Here are brief descriptions of a few you should see.

A new bedroom suite of highly figured, straight grain walnut and gumwood is in a rich warm, highlighted finish with floral decoration in subdued tones. Bed, 4 1/2 inch dresser, 34 inch chest, \$159 New style toilet table, \$56.

A living room group of two new pieces—sofa and arm chair—come with fancy, solid mahogany frame, upholstered in taupe moirai with damask cushions, \$259.

The Christmas Club

Select your gift now for Christmas or earlier delivery. Have the whole family join together in purchasing it. Instead of making one big first payment at the time you make your selection, pay only a small sum down and easy installments until Christmas. (These payments will then be used as a first payment.) After the new year, pay the balance on easy monthly terms.



WATKINS BROTHERS, INC. FURNITURE, FLOOR COVERINGS, PIANOS, PHONOGRAPHS



Funeral Directors.

IN NEW YORK

New York, Nov. 30.—The demand in the large department stores of Manhattan for salefolk of "unusual personality" is proving a life-saver this winter for scores of actors out of work. Not long ago the employment chief of one of the biggest stores concurred, the bright idea that men and women with stage experience—particularly women—would prove an asset to any sales force if they would but project the stage smiles and bright talk over the counters as they had over the footlights.

Several theatrical agencies were advised and told theatrical folk seeking work that there was a new way of keeping the wolf from the door. The more temperamental sneered, but many felt the actual pinch of necessity and volunteered. In one store I saw a former dancer in a vaudeville team, a light comedian and a couple of ingenues from "straight" acts.

I was told that the stage may be minus a number of second-rate actors for some time since steady work, even in shops, is not to be frowned upon by those accustomed to pounding the pavements months on end.

The "three-card monte" boys, once the fabulous figures of county fairs, are at it again right in the heart of the Times Square section, I am told.

It was the old fairground custom for the sharper conveniently to bend the corner of the "pay card" so that the victims would feel they had a sure thing within their reach. Of course they would put their money on the bent card—and, of course, they would lose. In the modern Manhattan version of the grand-old-army-game the sharper tears off a corner of the card, having dexterously palmed the "pay card." I am told that \$50 was cleaned up in a few moments of operation the other night. Yes, right here in wise old New York.

This is the way the girls from the "bank towns" get the Broadway breaks:

The other evening one of the most successful musical shows on the big street awakened to find that the prima donna had walked out into the night. Walked right out and hadn't come back.

What to do? The management looked about. And up stepped one

Era Briggs, who, I am told, came from the choir of a church in Horton, Kan. Horton, I am further told, boasts a flag pole, a library, a postoffice and everything. She was given her chance. Tomorrow her name will be in the big lights.

BY GILBERT SWAN.

QUEER QUIRKS OF NATURE

By ARTHUR N. PACK

President, American Nature Ass'n. Here are three rather distinct types of bird feet. The crow's foot first of all is a perching foot. Three toes in front, well-clawed are opposed by a fourth equally well-fashioned. A bird with such a foot may not only sit in



The feet of three birds are shown here. Above is a pair of crow's feet; in the center, a gull's; and below, a bird's.

comfort on a limb, but he may jump from branch to branch, grasping with sure grip his successive perches.

Foot That Saunters. He can, moreover, use them effectively on the ground, sauntering here and there in search of worms, or beetles, or even on occasion, on the newly-planted corn. In this particular type of foot it will be noted that the two outer toes are joined together for a part of their length.

A sharp eye may note this peculiarity in the print left by the

birds in newly fallen snow, and by this alone may name the walker. The pheasant's foot is typical of the gallinaceous bird, a walker of the highest order of skill.

Wers it not that their owner had to fly occasionally to escape a swift-winged hawk, or to reach a roosting branch out of reach of prowling fox, it would be independent of wings, so well do those serviceable feet, backed by a pair of strong legs, carry their owner about his daily round of food-getting.

The strong claws are efficient instruments for scratching for food hidden in the mould. Such a pair of feet will seldom leave prints beside each other. They are used mainly for running or walking, rather than hopping. The hind toe, used only as a prop, is relatively insignificant; the spur is often present.

Strong Claws. A glance at the membrane between the bases of the toes of the gull's foot will show how, in all probability, the webbed foot has been evolved. This is nearly or quite the highest type of swimming foot.

Opposed to the water, the feet spread to their fullest extent; when drawn forward, they fold and offer little resistance. Both this type of foot and that carried by the pheasant admit of perching on limb or rock, but their owners attempt liberties when so engaged.

Send a stamped addressed envelope and questions of fact having to do with Nature will be answered by the consulting staff of Nature Magazine of Washington, D. C., through arrangements made by this paper.



Now we learn that the Maharajah of Indore has been in this country three weeks without indorsing a single cold cream.

Famous seats: Stock Exchange, Board of Trade, Senate, pants.

Sir Harry Lauder is in America on a farewell tour. These annual occasions are getting to be quite a pleasant custom.

Headlines you never see: "THERE'S NO CURE FOR IT," SAYS CRIME PREVENTION LEADER.

WAPPING

The Christian Endeavor society was largely attended about thirty-five young people being present.

Mrs. Donald Grant entertained the Eastern Star whist at her home here on Saturday evening.

Mrs. Gertrude Hollister and Miss Nellie Hollister of Marble street, Manchester, spent the day with Mrs. Erwin F. Stoughton and daughter last Sunday.

Mrs. Elizabeth J. Smith, wife of A. G. Smith from Allston, Mass., who died on Thanksgiving Day, was brought here for burial in the family plot in the Wapping cemetery on Sunday afternoon.

The Pleasant Valley club held their meeting at the home of Mrs. Louise Johnson on Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Shildick had as their guests on Thanksgiving, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Barnes and family, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Denlow and family, Miss Emma Shildick, Miss Irene Drummond, and Miss Elizabeth Kitchen.

The young people of the Federated church will give their thirteenth play, "The Path Across the Hills" at Gilead hall and Thursday evening of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred H. Post and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Fish and daughters, were dinner guests Sunday at Mr. and Mrs. Earl Post's in East Hartford.

Men employed by the state highway department are stoning the road from D. H. Hodge's residence south for some distance. That piece of road has been a source of much inconvenience during the mud seasons.

The regular monthly meeting of the school board was held Friday evening at the center school, five members being present.

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Mr. and Mrs. George Champlin spent Thanksgiving Day in Willimantic as the guest of Mrs. Alice Turner.

A family party of 14 met Thursday at the Collins home, consisting of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Collins of Willimantic, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Collins of East Hartford, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Lyman and family of Columbia, and Cleveland Collins and Miss Lura Collins of Windsor.

Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Lyman and son of Willimantic spent Thanksgiving Day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Lyman.

Miss Harriet Fuller has been visiting her sister Mrs. Davoll of Liberty Hill.

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The Ladies Aid Society will meet Thursday afternoon at 2:30 at the home of Mrs. Fred Hunt.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwln Lawton and son, Edwin, of Hartford, spent Sunday at their cottage.

Miss Dora Pliny of Manchester spent the week-end at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Pliny.

Schools in town opened Monday after the Thanksgiving recess, also students attending Manchester High school have returned to their studies.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Strong of Hartford spent the week-end at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Strong.

The Ladies Aid will meet Thursday afternoon at the basement.

GILEAD

There was no service at the church Sunday evening as the Endeavor society accepted the invitation to join with them in a union meeting.

The Young Women's club of Hebron will meet with Mrs. Clifford R. Perry Thursday afternoon.

Merton Hills and his daughter, Laura entertained several relatives at dinner Sunday.

The Ladies Aid society will meet with Mrs. Elton W. Buell Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. Emily Ellis and her daughter, Miss Clara, spent Thanksgiving Day with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur B. Ellis of School street, South Manchester.

Eugene Platt of Wapping gave an aluminum demonstration at Mrs. Charles Fish's Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Banks Jones spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. George Loomis in Westchester.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Foote spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. George Miller in Colchester.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Ellis and family spent Thanksgiving Day with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Waldo in Hebron.

Mrs. Elizabeth Hills has received word that her father, Mrs. Janet Betts died Saturday. Mrs. Hills and Mrs. Betts have occupied adjoining cottages at the Willimantic Camp Ground for many summers.

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ANOTHER BIG "COUNTRY STORE" TOMORROW NIGHT

Immensely Popular Feature Night to Be One of Best This Week.

The State theater's going to put on another big "Country Store and Surprise Nite" tomorrow night. What a time everybody had last week, laughing, getting lots of free presents, and generally enjoying themselves for three solid hours.

Fun, double features, surprises and gifts are always to be had in abundance on Wednesday nights, and tomorrow night will not be an exception to the rule. Rather, it will be a bigger "Country Store" night than ever. Presents, fun, surprises in a bigger and better way will be the rule tomorrow night.

As usual, a tip-top double feature will accompany the Country Store program. The first feature will be "The Flapper Wife" in his latest side splitter, "You'd Be Surprised," and the other will be Marie Prevost and Matt Moore in "His Jazz Bride." Both are excellent features that could stand as separate shows any time.

A plot of humor from start to finish, has never been excelled. Dorothy Sebastian supplies the "heart balm." Earle Williams and Edward Martindel have important roles in the picture.

"His Jazz Bride," the Warner picture starring Marie Prevost and Matt Moore, is a screen version of Beatrice Burton's newspaper serial, "The Flapper Wife." The adaptation was made by Charles Logue and the picture was directed by Herman Raymaker.

It tells the story of a stenographer who marries a young lawyer and who proceeds to run him into debt by following the advice of a friend who urges her to win the first battle, keep hubby's nose to the grindstone and to treat herself luxuriously.

For the last times tonight at 7 and at 9 o'clock, Norma Shearer's latest photoplay, "Upstage," is showing at the State. This is a truly remarkable picture of the life of vaudeville actors in their life off the stage. If you have not yet seen it, be sure to do so tonight. It's Norma's best.

BEERY AND HATTON "IN THE NAVY NOW"

Movies' Greatest Comedy Team Coming to State Theater Next Sunday, Monday and Tuesday.

The two biggest laugh makers on the silver screen, Wallace Beery and Raymond Hatton, who made you roar when you saw them in "Behind the Front" have made another and funnier picture called "We're in the Navy Now." This feature will be shown at the State theater for three days beginning next Sunday.

Two little boys in blue. That's how Wallace Beery and Raymond Hatton appear in their Paramount co-starring comedy, "We're in the Navy Now." You see, the erstwhile doughboy pair of "Behind the Front" are in the Navy now!

And their naval career is just one long laugh. Neither of them had any intention of enlisting until they wandered into a training camp. Then, on trying to get out, a burly guard stopped them with a dirty laugh and a command to "fall in." Before they had time to turn around, the boys found themselves aboard an army transport—bound for France!

The trials and tribulations of this comic team on their trip—with incidental comedy being supplied by the featured players—Chester Conklin and Tom Kennedy, and a love theme enacted by Donald Keith and Lorraine Eaton—combine to make "We're in the Navy Now" one of the season's funniest farces.

BOY SCOUT OFFICIALS TO MEET FRIDAY

An assembly of all the scout masters, assistants, troop and district committeemen as well as the fathers of scouts has been called for Friday evening at 8:00 o'clock at Cheney Hall. A roast beef and scalloped oyster supper will be served promptly at 8:30 p. m. The senior patrol leaders of the eight troops will be asked to serve as waiters.

Frederick C. Hill, scout executive of the local council will deliver a short address illustrated by motion pictures. Mr. Hill will tell of his plans for the Scouting program for the coming year.

Harold Williams, scout executive of Providence will be the speaker of the evening. Mr. Williams is a very enthusiastic booster for scouting and in addition to being a splendid speaker he has proven to be an entertainer as well.

Letters have been sent out to all fathers and scout and scout officials. However if by any chance someone has been overlooked please accept this invitation by notifying any of the following committee that he will be present at the supper.

The price of the supper is 75 cents. Get your tickets at the door. Supper committee: Clarence P. Quimby, Tel. No. 1454; G. S. Bohlin, Tel. No. 1548; Leonard Beadle, Tel. No. 1143; Earl H. Chaney, Tel. No. 1078; Frances Lee, 67 Glenwood street.

A French professor has shown that in France, where the population in cities almost equals that of the rural districts and villages combined, the cities have furnished 13 times as many men of genius as has the country.

APACHE MELODRAMA AT RIALTO THEATER

There will be another double feature program offered at the Rialto-theater today and tomorrow chief of which is "The Bat," a picture of the famous Broadway stage success which thrilled thousands of New Yorkers for months.

The film version is said to be even better than the play and if this is the case then it is certainly worth seeing. The plot is laid in one of the most picturesque under-worlds in Europe, namely that of Paris, and its four central characters are an Apache, and his wife and a man of wealth and his mate.

Through a strange trick of fate they are thrown together, the meeting resulting in a murder that for a time furnishes enough excitement for several photoplays. Aside from the excellent plot the acting is considerably above the average, the cast employed seem to actually live parts and this fact no doubt is responsible for the crowds which have jammed every house in which "The Bat" has been exhibited. Ivor Novello, Mae Marsh, Isabel Jeans and Robert Scholz have featured roles.

Another picture being shown on these two days is "King of the Saddle," a fast action western drama replete with fancy riding and hair-breadth escapes, as all western dramas should be if they are to prove interesting. The leading part is portrayed by no less a person than Buffalo Bill, Jr. himself and like his illustrious namesake his skill in all things western is something to thrill at. There is a pretty romance interwoven in the main theme that should please those who must have something romantic and the red-blooded elements are also much in evidence. The comedy being shown provides sufficient humor and current news events will also be shown.

Another Radio set will be given away at the evening performance this coming Friday. It is an Atwater Kent, 5 tube set, one of the best commercial sets being marketed and its ownership would be something for the most critical radio fan to boast about. When the fact that it costs nothing to enter the contest is taken into consideration it is easily seen why so much interest is being shown in the affair. Coupons may be secured at any evening performance by adults.

London, (United Press).—Queen Mary is "doing her Christmas shopping early." She is enjoying about the stores quite as much as women less highly placed in social life.

The Queen's shopping day that she is not always observed in the movement of the throng. Her favorite practice is to use a limousine to get to a store and, accompanied only by a lady-in-waiting, to walk in unannounced. She is soon lost among the other shoppers and never attempts to exercise her high estate at the bargain counter.

Occasionally a shop girl, during her drab routine, will look up and recognize the royal patron. The retailer is usually disastrous for competitive customers, but the astonished counter-girl always finds her Majesty patient and kindly.

QUEEN MARY STARTS CHRISTMAS SHOPPING

Christmas is not an easy business for the Queen. She is devoted to her friends and never fails to remember them on such an occasion. It is necessary for her to do her shopping early because she has so much to do and many of her gifts must be sent overseas, requiring considerable time for delivery. She is further human in that she carries a shopping list and, woman like, checks it off now and then.

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A Kuppenheimer Suit or Overcoat \$40 to \$55

BOYS' SUITS OR OVERCOATS \$6.00 to \$18.00 HOUSE'S SPECIAL SUITS OR OVERCOATS \$22.50 to \$40.00

Tuxedo Vests \$5.50

Tuxedos \$25 and \$35

Shirt Jewelry \$1.50

Dress Scarfs \$2 to \$5

Dress Shirts \$3

Madras Shirts \$2 and \$3

Golf Hosiery \$1.25 to \$3.50

Golf Knickers \$5 to \$10

Golf Caps \$1.50 and \$2.50

Golf Suits \$40

Suspenders 50c to \$1.00

Fancy Belts \$1.00 to \$2.50

Slickers \$5 and \$6

Umbrellas \$1.50 to \$6

Sweaters \$5 to \$12

Handkerchiefs 15c to \$1.00

Bath Robes \$6 to \$12.50

Mufflers \$2 to \$5

Hats \$3.50 to \$6.00

Pajamas \$2 to \$3.50

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Motor Gloves \$2.50 to \$6

Dress Gloves \$2 to \$6

Knife, Chain Sets \$2 to \$5

Tie Pins \$1 to \$2

Neckwear 75c to \$2

Hosiery 25c to \$1.50

Suede Coats \$13.50 to \$18

Cuff Links 50c to \$3.50

Tie Holders 35c to \$1

Union Suits \$1.50 to \$5.50

Bill Folds 75c to \$3

Sheep-Lined Coats \$10 to \$40

Slippers \$1.25 to \$4

Shoes \$5 to \$10

Oxfords \$6 to \$10

Gifts THAT MEN PREFER



Trunks \$9 to \$16.50
Rubbers \$1 to \$2
Tim's Caps \$1.50 and \$1.65

Traveling Bags \$10 to \$20
Suit Cases \$4 to \$20
Knives \$1.50 and \$2

At House's

A. H. Phillips So. Manchester Store Hotel Sheridan Bldg.

P & G Soap 10 for 39c

Palm Olive Soap 3 for 23c

Salmon 2 for 29c

Corned Beef Hash 29c Large Can

Jersey Gloves 22c Pair

Where There's Life There's a Phillips Store

WELL, YES He: You are getting terribly thin, aren't you? She: Yes, isn't it wonderful? Life.

Sage-Allen & Co. INC

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Santa Claus, With His Reindeer, Dunder and Blitzen, Will Be at Toyland Every Day Until Christmas, 10 a. m. to 5.30 p. m.

The Gift Of BLANKETS

Will Delight The Housekeeper

And Sage-Allen's holiday assortment of soft warm blankets is wonderfully complete both as to variety and range of price.

Plaid Blankets \$11.00 Pair

Plaid Blankets \$13.50 Pair

White Blankets \$13.50 Pair

White Blankets, \$25.00 to \$35.00 Pair.

All White Blankets \$10.00 and \$12.00 Each

Plaid Blankets \$18.00 Pair

White Blankets \$13.50 Pair

White, all wool blankets with colored border. Size 70x80.

White, very fine quality, size 72x84, cut and bound. Colored borders.

Change in Rates For Herald Classified Advertising

On and after June 1, 1926, the following rates for Classified Advertising will be in effect:
 All For Sale, To Rent, Lost, Found and similar advertising on Classified Page:
 First insertion, 10 cents a line (6 words to line).
 Minimum Charge 30 Cents.
 Repeat insertions (running every day), 5 cents a line.
 THESE PRICES ARE FOR CASH WITH COPY.
 An additional charge of 25 cents will be made for advertisements charged and billed.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Doctor McIntosh's one strap cushion sole, health pumps for \$2.25. Honespun blue overalls \$1.50. Sturris tube tires 2 kinds, 25c. James N. Nichols, Highland Park Store.

FOR SALE—Bull dog, mixed with Fox Terrier, 5 months old, \$19 if taken at once. Telephone 182-2.

FOR SALE—Two horse-power wood sawing outfit, also 2 good farm horses. H. Floto, Vernon.

FOR SALE—Heating stove, nearly new, price reasonable. Call 326-5 after five.

FOR SALE—Fancy Green Mt. potatoes, Frank Williams, Buckland, Tel. 28-22.

FOR SALE—New milch Guernsey, Jersey and Holstein cows, Herd under supervision E. A. Buckland, Wapping, Tel. 27-5.

FOR SALE—Oil heater, child rocking chair, also 2 good farm horses, rug, small kitchen stove, library table, 23 Spruce, \$55-1.

FOR SALE—New \$150 Edison phonograph and records, Big bargain at \$40.00 cash. L. Carson, 6 Spruce street.

FOR SALE—2 horse duplicate; also shed roof 18x22. S. G. Bowers, 75 Deming street, Tel. 418-4.

FOR SALE—Hardwood, Reo truck \$9.00; hard steel \$300; hard steel and guest mixed \$6.00 a load. Firpo, 97 Wells street, Phone 154-3.

FOR SALE—Good cooking Green Mountain potatoes, \$2.00 bushel, delivered. Callahan, Wapping, telephone 102-3.

FOR SALE—Seasoned hard wood, \$12 a cord \$13 split, \$8.00 truck load, \$1.25 split. Call S. Anderson, telephone 477-2.

FOR SALE—Chestnut wood, hard wood and hard wood slabs sawed to order. L. T. Wood, 55 Bissell street, telephone 496.

REAL ESTATE

TO SETTLE AN ESTATE—Two 2-family houses, 2 rooms in apartment with all improvements, three minutes from mills, income \$200 per year, price \$12,500. Call Wallace D. Robb, 333 Main street.

NORTH END—At trolley, four acres of land, apple orchard, all young healthy bearing trees, about 100 in all. Balance good tillable land, 2000 ft. of water, chicken coop, six room single house, strictly modern including steam heat. A wonderful opportunity for an income in spare time and a beautiful place. Price right for quick sale. Wallace D. Robb, 333 Main street.

NORTH END—Wonderful location, six rooms in apt. modern, including furnace, all in the pink of condition. Garage, plenty of fruit, chicken coop, all modern. Located on the low price of \$4500 with small amount of cash. Wallace D. Robb, 333 Main street.

FOR SALE—Several nice new villas in the trolley line. Will be pleased to show you them. Further particulars of Arthur A. Knofla, 875 Main street.

FOR SALE—New single, just off of Carter road, \$6000. Small amount cash. Modern improvements. Six large rooms. Arthur A. Knofla, Tel. 732-2.

TO RENT

FOR RENT—Five room flat in practically new house; steam heat and all modern conveniences. Located 183 Maple. Inquire 165 Maple.

TO RENT—Attractive, pleasant rent of 6 rooms, all conveniences, new condition, moderate, on trolley, near mill, 100 East Center street.

TO RENT—Cheap, 5 room modern house, hot water heat, all conveniences. Apply between 2 and 5. Cor. Haynes and Main street.

FOR RENT—Three rooms on first floor, all modern improvements, at 5 Ford street, inquire of Mrs. J. F. Sheehan, 11 Knighton street, Phone 2102.

FOR RENT—34 Hill street, first floor, new five room apt. heat and finished, very latest improvements, steam heat, shades, well built. House must be seen to be appreciated, rent reasonable. Mrs. J. F. Sheehan, 11 Knighton street, Phone 2102.

TO RENT—6 rooms, all improvements, steam heat, on Madison street. Inquire 100 East Center street.

TO RENT—Two front room heated apartment, also two rooms, in Oxford building, Call 1325-4.

FOR RENT—Six room bungalow, near Center, steam heat and fire place, large living room, should be seen to appreciate, ready December 15th; also 6 room tenement at 454 Main street. See E. Benson or call 170.

FOR RENT—5 room flat, all improvements on trolley line, Station 32. Apply 538 Center street, Harrison store, Phone 553.

TO RENT—Garage, 68 Oxford St.

FOR RENT—Heated apartment of 3 rooms, modern conveniences, available at once. Wm. Rubincov, Tel. 1184-12.

TO RENT—Downstairs tenement, hot and cold water, bath, gas, near trolley and school. \$25.00. 29 Strant, 550-4.

FOR RENT—Tenement of six rooms, all improvements, 125 Main street, telephone 426.

FOR RENT—Six large rooms, steam heat, all accommodations, at 5 Trotter street. Apply at 16 Doane street, Manchester, Phone 904-4.

TO RENT—Desirable 5 room flat, all improvements at 12 1-2 Church street. Apply at 18 Church street or phone 661.

FOR RENT—Six room tenement on St. John street, all improvements. Apply at 533 Lydall street, telephone 1371-4.

FOR RENT—One 4 room tenement on Center street, near mills and trolley. Modern improvements, rent reasonable. Apply at 178 1-2 Center St.

TO RENT—Half a house, modern, near mills, on trolley line, opposite South Manchester Garage. Apply 476 Center street.

TO RENT

FOR RENT—5 room house, all improvements including steam heat. Inquire 12 1-2 Church street.

TO RENT—6 room tenement, newly renovated furnace, new set tubs. Call 233 Spruce street.

TO RENT—Desirable flat of four rooms and bath, on second floor, with all improvements; also gas range and heater, hot and cold water, good furnace. With or without garage. Suitable for adult. Henderson Chambers, 12 Pearl street, Phone 1123.

TO RENT—Five room apartment in practically new two-family house with furnace, gas, etc. With or without garage. Inquire of the couple of E. L. G. Hohensthal or his sons.

FOR RENT—Five room second floor apartment practically new, strictly modern at Greenacres, Rent \$40.00 with or without garage. Apply to Wallace D. Robb, 333 Main street.

TO RENT—December 1st, new five room flat, all modern, on Florence street. William Kanehl, 819 Center street.

TO RENT—Nice tenement, 5 rooms, hot air heat, 325 Pearl Arthur Knofla, Tel. 732-2, 875 Main street.

FOR RENT—One 7 room tenement, Maple street, Apply to H. N. Tryon, in care of W. Hale Company.

TO RENT—4 room tenement, first class condition, modern improvements, also garage, 238 Oak street.

FOR RENT—Three room tenement with all improvements, 75 Bissell street, also furnished, rooms for light housekeeping.

TO RENT—Tenement of 6 large rooms, fern improvements, corner Ridge and Pine, \$30.00 per month. Inquire 55 Pine street or telephone 1232.

TO RENT—5 room flat, first floor, all modern improvements, 321 East Center street, Inquire 41 Bigelow St.

TO RENT—5 room tenement, furnace, gas, 7 minutes from mills, 30 Essex street, Telephone 137-13.

FOR RENT—Four room flat in new house, all modern improvements, 100 West street with garage; also three room flat, Inquire 164 Oak street or call 661.

FOR RENT—2 room suite and single room, Johnson Block, suitable for light housekeeping. Apply Aaron Johnson, 62 Linden street or to the office.

FOR RENT—Three, and four room apartments, heat, hot water, gas range, refrigerator, in a new house, furnished, Call Manchester Construction Company, 2100 or telephone 732-2.

FOR RENT—Heated apartment of 6 or 8 rooms, with modern improvements, Robert V. Treat, Phone 465.

FOR RENT—In Greenacres, first class, heat, hot water, at 72 and 75 Benton street, Call 820.

WANTED

WANTED—Salesmen in Connecticut territory to take orders for men's suits and overcoats. Instructions free. Reply to National Sales Company, 223 North Main street, New Britain, Conn. Only men of good character need apply. The A. Smith Co., H. White, Branch Mgr., New Britain, Conn.

WANTED—Repairing or installing radio receivers, work guaranteed. Kinley Kuhn, 14 Hudson street, Stratford, Conn. 905 Main, Tel. 337.

WANTED—Return loan from New Haven for small truck, Westside December 1st. L. T. Wood, 55 Bissell street, Phone 496.

WANTED—Boards wanted, steam heat, 2 men or girls, 65 Ridge street.

WANTED—Local married man wants silent partner for local business, with no competition, about \$300 needed. Box D, Herald.

WANTED—Position as chauffeur, or truck driver, by reliable young man, good references. Telephone 125-3, after 5:30.

WANTED—Experienced sorters on broad leaf tobacco. Good pay. Apply to Jacob Kahani, Vernon, Conn. Tel. Rockyville 523-5.

WANTED—To repair and clean sewing machines of all makes. A work guaranteed. Tel. Manchester No. 715. Go anywhere. E. W. Garrard, 17 Edward street, Manchester.

WANTED—Some pleasure these long evenings? Why not have that play, phonograph fixed and enjoy the old favorite records once again. Braithwaite, 150 Center street.

AUTOMOBILES

FOR SALE—Chevrolet touring car, price \$175.00. Apply Manchester Lumber Co.

FOR SALE—Ford sedan, motor good, price \$25.00. Ford touring 1922, 4 new tires, new battery, price \$70.00. Burton Keeney, 595 Keeney street, Tel. 1184-12.

MISCELLANEOUS

Direct to wearer, English Woolen Company's tailors since 1898. Harry Anderson representative, 38 Church street, South Manchester, Telephone Manchester 1221-2.

NOTICE—Money to loan on first and second mortgages. P. D. Gomoll, Real Estate and Insurance, 13 Oak street, Tel. 1540.

Hosier with runs can be satisfactorily repaired at the Mary Ellen Gift and Craft Shop, over Miner's Pharmacy. Also charming handmade gifts.

Orders taken now for wreaths for Christmas, 25c. Delivered anywhere in town. Telephone 950-22.

STRAGE—For furniture in our new warehouse, near mills, on trolley line, low 1 ur. see rate. Manchester Public Warehouse Co., 18 Angel Place, Phone 1276.

Rags, magazines, bundled paper and junk bought at highest prices. Phone 549-3 and I will call. J. Eisenberg.

THE ROMANCE OF AMERICA: Roger Williams (5)



Because of Williams' illness the time limit of his banishment was extended to spring. When it was discovered that he was making meetings in his own house the day of exile was hastened. Williams was summoned once more before the Boston court, and replied that he was unable to attend.



A small sailing vessel was sent to bring him to Boston. It was intended to send him back to England.



When the captain arrived at Salem, Mrs. Williams informed him that her husband had been gone three days.



Through the trackless snows Williams and four other men who believed as he—William Harris, John Smith, Francis Wickes and Thomas Angell—journeyed toward Narragansett Bay and a refuge among the Indians. On the east bank of the Seekonk river they finally halted to make their home. (Continued.)

Sketches by Kroesen, Synopsis by Braucher

MISCELLANEOUS

Highest prices for rags, papers and magazines, 2c lb; bundled paper, 30c per 100 lbs; magazines 40c per 100 lbs. Call 2115, 28 Oak street.

Suits, topcoats, overcoats, Tailor-made \$15. H. Grimason, 507 Main at the Center.

LOST

LOST—Masonic watch charm with owners name on it. Finder please notify 181-3.

LOST—A blue overcoat at the Rec. Center Friday night. Please return to 9 Cross street.

FOUND

FOUND—Monday morning an overcoat, late Manchester, in said District, deceased.

FOUND—Angora cat. Telephone 610-4.

Legal Notice

AT A COURT OF PROBATE HELD AT Manchester, within and for the District of Manchester, on the 27th day of November, A. D. 1926, before WILLIAM S. HYDE, Esq., Judge.

Estate of Frederick Homer Boynton, late of Manchester, in said District, deceased.

On motion of the Hartford-Conn. Trust Co., executor.

ORDERED—That six months from the 27th day of November, A. D. 1926, be and the same are limited and allowed for the creditors within said estate, and the said executor is directed to give public notice to the creditors to bring in their claims against the estate, within the time and within said time allowed by posting a copy of this order on the public sign post nearest to the place where the deceased last dwelt, within said town and by publishing the same in some newspaper having a circulation in said probate district, within ten days from the date of this order, and return make to this court of the notice given.

WILLIAM S. HYDE, Judge.

H-11-30-26.

STATE MAKES SURVEY OF ROAD TO BOLTON

Orders have gone out from the office of the State Highway department for a survey from Manchester Green through to the railroad cut at Bolton Notch. It was given out today by Commissioner McDonald. This is a continuation of the survey made when work of paving Center street from Adams street to the Center was being planned.

The new survey, which will be finished as soon as possible by the highway department engineers, does not mean that a new road will be built to Bolton immediately. Appropriations must be made before the department can go ahead with actual construction.

With a concrete base, asphalt road from Bolton to Manchester, the roads from Hartford to Bolton would be as good as any in the state. East Center street, however, still remains in its old condition and residents of the town say that it should be re-paved before any work is done on the road from the Green to Bolton.

Judging from the time which elapsed before Center street was improved, it will be some time before any more new roads will be built in this section of Hartford county.

Well Again



If United States Senator James E. Watson, of Indiana, suffers any after-effects of his recent service in the photo. It was taken when he visited President Coolidge at the White House, one of the first things he did upon regaining his feet. "Call" and "Jim," whose life was in danger at more than one stage of his illness, swapped lies in general and discussed the political situation and plans for the forthcoming session of the Senate in which the Hoosier senator is an outstanding figure.

LITTLE JOE

GATHER TAKES THE SCREENS DOWN NOW SO HE CAN PUT 'EM UP IN THE SPRING



WPIC
Travelers Insurance Co., Hartford, Conn. 67.

Tonight's Program

- 6:00 P. M.—Dinner Music. The Heublein Trio—Russian Program.
- a. Reve Angeline from Kame-nol Ostrow Series. Rubinstein
- b. Value Guit
- c. Melody in F Rubinstein
- d. Caspock Lullaby Jiraneck
- e. Song of the Volga Boatmen Russian Folk Song
- f. Waltz from "Serenade" for String Orchestra
- g. Autumn and Winter—Bachman from "The Seasons" Glazounow
- 8:25—News.
- 8:30—Ben Rosenberg and Jack Nugent—Popular Entertainers.
- 8:45—Opera.
- a. Will O the Wisp Spross
- b. Villanelle in the Wood Goetz
- c. Millanella Dell Acqua
- d. Mammy's Song Ware
- e. Waltz Song (Romeo and Juliet) Gounod
- f. To a Messenger in La Forge Emil W. Richmond, soprano
- Helen Gauntlett Williams, accompanist.
- 7:00—Trinity College Course—"What is Underground in Connecticut"—Prof. E. L. Troxell and President Ogilby.
- 7:30—Great Moments in History.
- 8:00—Brass City Quartet.
- 8:15—To be announced.
- 8:30—Tenor Selections with Armond Gauthier.
- 8:45—Baritone—
- a. Sometimes O'Hara
- b. The Little Irish Girl Loch
- c. The Preacher and the Bear Harris
- d. Paying More For It. Liourence Bruce F. Young, baritone
- Norman D. Hovey, accompanist
- 9:00—The Travelers' Symphonic Ensemble—Dana S. Merriman, Musical Director of WTIC Conducting—Irene B. Bourk, Soloist.

EXCERPTS FROM TEN VICTOR HERBERT FAVORITES.

- I. a. Black Eyes Herlick-Stone
- b. Two Guitars Herlick
- II. a. Someday from "Vagabond King" Priml
- b. Only 4 Rose from "Vagabond King" Priml
- III. Miss Bourk.
- IV. Overture "Oberon" von Weber
- V. Soprano—
- Giannini Mia from "The Firefly" Priml
- Miss Bourk.
- VI. Ballet Music "Nalla" Delibes
- VII. Soprano—
- a. The Bubble from "High School" Priml
- b. Volka from "The Song of the Flame" Stohart and Gershw
- Miss Bourk.
- VIII. American Fantasia Herbert
- 10:00—Weather.
- 10:05—Club Palais Royal Orchestra.
- 11:00—News.

OLD PENALTIES

Peking—Under the stress of civil war China is reviving several ancient forms of punishment. One form, known as "archery" consists of piercing the ears with arrows, although he expressed a hope that he would soon see his young son, Peter, now with the Countess Salm's title is Hungarian, but he is a German, and it was under that quota he entered.

RADIO

MR. EDISON PANNED AGAIN

By William J. Fagan (United Press Staff Correspondent) New York, Nov. 30 (United Press).—Radio Broadcast Magazine for December, through the medium of a staff writer, takes further opportunity to hurl vituperation at Thomas Alva Edison for his ill-advised and poorly considered remarks about the quality of radio broadcasting material and reception.

It's time this issue should be laid in a long delayed grave. Nothing can be gained by bringing it to life so long after it has been practically forgotten.

However, the method employed by the writer of the article to ballyhoo radio reception over the art of the recording studio is amusing and worthy of note. A radio engineer played two records for him, both of the same selection and both sung by a "noted artist." The first, recorded by a talking machine company, proved inferior to the second, recorded from a radio recital of the artist, according to the writer simply due to the fact that the artist "visualized" the millions clustered around loud speakers and threw her soul into her singing.

An artist who can throw her soul into a song in a broadcast studio is eminently capable of doing the same thing in a recording room. There is such a thing as indisposition in artists to account for vagaries in expressiveness and interpretative power.

Mr. Edison is wrong in condemning radio because of certain stupid practices of certain stupid people and radio-defenders are wrong in minimizing the effectiveness of the recording process. A record made and remade until it is perfect, but a slip on the air may never be recalled."

LETTER CASE DRAWS BIG CURIOS CROWD

Chicago, Nov. 30—Joseph Letter was called to the witness stand today for cross examination in the resumption of his trial for alleged mismanagement of the estate of his father, the late multi-millionaire L. Z. Letter, Chicago merchant.

A battery of legal talent and a courtroom thronged with sight-seers, anxious to catch glimpses of the titled Letter girls who figure prominently in the suit, marked today's court session.

Suit against Letter was instituted by Lady Marguerite Hyde, Countess of Suffolk and Berys, his sister. Siding with Letter was Mrs. Nancy Carver Campbell, another sister, of Boston.

The case was adjourned June 16 after three months of litigation.

Two Fold Mission



A separation from the former Millicent Rogers, daughter of Col. H. H. Rogers, Standard Oil millionaire, and American citizenship, brought Count Ludwig von Hoogstraeten back to the United States. He is seen here as he reached New York on the S. S. Homeric. Of his separation and the Count said little, although he expressed a hope that he would soon see his young son, Peter, now with the Countess Salm's title is Hungarian, but he is a German, and it was under that quota he entered.

Science

BY ISRAEL KLEIN

While oil is fighting for its life in the diminishing sands of the country, coal is coming forth with a strong bid for popularity.

Science has come to the rescue of King Coal in this respect. Methods have been invented by which this abundant product of earth can be utilized to greatest advantage.

Some of the men responsible for these methods of coal treatment are in America in connection with the international conference on bituminous coal at the Carnegie Institute of Technology at Pittsburgh, Pa. There, they described their systems and showed how coal can be of considerable use to civilization.

Waste to Burn It.

Of greatest significance is the fact that coal—bituminous or soft coal, especially—can best be utilized without being burned directly. It is a waste to burn any kind of coal. By various processes, coal can be baked or pre-heated to get the most out of it.

By such pre-treatment, coal furnishes gas for home heating, coke for heating or steel treatment, coal tar for a basis of gasoline and other oils, and other minor products for different purposes. There is a tremendous saving by such process, and civilization benefits from the lack of smoke and coal dust.

One suggestion at the conference covered the use of pulverized coal as a motor fuel, cheaper, yet more powerful than the gasoline now in use. That is a step in advance, but the majority of coal scientists look even farther ahead.

Coal should not be used directly for any purpose, they argue. It should be pre-treated for its oil and coal tar, and ammonia, leaving a residue coke just as useful, if not more, than the original coal in home heating and steel production.

Oil Dies Hard

Coal still is to be mined in tremendous quantities. But so long as we can get oil direct from the ground, it can't compete with this mineral for fuel and other purposes.

Oil won't give up, even though a government commission gives it only six more years for profitable use. Measures are being taken to extend its estimate.

Engineers of the U. S. Bureau of Mines are co-operating with private engineers in their search for methods by which the oil left in the sands after the usual methods of production has become unprofitable may be extracted at a profit. It is perhaps the greatest problem of the oil industry today, they agree.

KIND HAND IS DEALT LOCAL BOY BY FATE

This story might aptly be headed, "When a Father Needs a Friend."

It has to do with a local cast of players and Rev. Joseph Cooper and Stuart Vennart play the leading roles.

The scene was laid at the South Methodist church on the night of the Father and Son banquet.

The Vennart boy, as the story goes, was invited by a certain member of the church to go to the banquet as his son. Stuart was naturally greatly elated.

The flight of the long-awaited banquet finally came. Stuart was happy as a lark. He was supposed to meet his "father" at the church. So he "dolled" up in his best clothes and started for the church whistling gaily.

At the church, he waited for his "father." The delay was not long. Presently the man entered the church, but with him was another boy. The man explained that this boy, a relative of his, had decided to go and therefore he took him.

Poor Stuart! Imagine his disappointment. It was like waking up in the middle of a million dollar dream. But Stuart was not the kind to cry. He was mad from head to foot, but he did not say anything. That would not have been polite. So he stood for a few minutes for his temper to cool down.

In the meantime, along came Rev. Cooper.

"What's the matter, son? Waiting for your dad?" the minister asked.

"No," declared Stuart emphatically. "I'm waiting until I get over being mad and then I'm going home." Stuart then explained what had happened.

"Oh no, you're not," said Rev. Cooper. "You're going to be my son for the evening."

Imagine the change which came over Stuart's face. He was too surprised to speak. It was too good to be true. Quite naturally, he accepted the generosity of his new "dad."

But the best was yet to come. For whom did he meet but His Excellency, Governor John H. Trumbull. Stuart sat at the same table and was introduced to him. The governor talked freely to him.

"Gee, Ma, he's a peach of a guy," Stuart said afterward.

Hens scratching in a sandpit on the golf links at Fleetwood, England, recently caused the discovery of 400 Roman gold coins.

2 Acre Place

Two-family house in a convenient location, poultry houses and garage—price only \$6,500.

Two-family house on Flower street, 14 rooms, furnace heat, gas etc., price only \$8,500, terms.

Good single six rooms, Summit street, steam heat, etc., extra building lot all for \$7,000.

Wadsworth street two-family, 11 rooms, improvements. It ought to be a good bargain at \$7,000.

Store and Bungalow on Bigelow street, both buildings exceptionally well built and modern. Price and terms reasonable to right party.

Green section, Kensington Street, Bungalow of six rooms, modern conveniences, also 2-car garage and extra building lot, price only \$6,700.

General Auto Repairing and Overhauling

SHELDON'S GARAGE
Rear of 25 Hollister Street
Phone 119-3. Residence 693-2

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\$3.50, \$4.50 and \$5.00 per barrel
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TEL. 1375-5.

Thirty years will be required for the restoration of Rheims cathedral.

ROLLING HOME FEATURES SCREEN'S BEST COMEDIAN

Reginald Denny at Circle Theatre Tonight and Tomorrow—As the Hick Who Rolls Home in a Rolls-Royce.

"Who's the funniest man in the movies?" Everybody—"Reginald Denny!" When Denny comes to town theater-goers know that they are in for one grand laugh-fest. That means that those who go to the Circle tonight and tomorrow are in for just such a good time, because the popular Universal star is here in his latest rib-tickler, "Rolling Home."

Denny, with all his recent farce successes, has never been funnier than in "Rolling Home." It is a story ideally suited to his talents as a farceur, and he makes the most of every opportunity. He should add hundreds of admirers to his large army of fans with his work in this picture.

Dainty little Marion Dixon plays the feminine lead opposite the star, and provides an excellent reason for Denny's wanting to go back to the old home town.

"Rolling Home" does the difficult trick of surpassing Denny's other screamingly funny farces, "Skinner's Dress Suit," "What Happened to Jones," and others, if such a thing is possible.

With an excellent farce plot, situation is piled on situation with a speed that is dazzling and the laughs come more furiously as each new incident involves the hero in another embarrassing position.

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We are always ready to give advice—and place your money without charge in good First and Second Mortgages—Yielding interest at 6% to 10%.

We have several now on hand. Inquiry places you under no obligation.

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For Water Supply
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Joseph C. Wilson
28 Spruce Street Phone 641.

Yes—It's Suzanne



This is the sport that made her famous—but Suzanne Lenglen, famous professional tennis player, likes to play golf to help keep in trim. She's shown on the Mission Hills course at Kansas City.

French Girl, Murderer of Betrayer, Acquitted

Paris (United Press).—Nov. 30.—The woman usually pays, but a French jury turned the tables on this principle when it acquitted a seventeen-year-old farm girl on a charge of murder, she had been betrayed by her employer, whom she killed after the birth of her baby.

In September, 1925, Therese Marechal sought work of Arthur Houy, a wealthy married land owner near Montargis, and before long an attachment sprang up between them. When at last the girl found she was to have a child and told Houy of her fears, he made a brutal comment on her condition and told her that in consequence she could do no more work.

Winston Churchill Celebrates His 52nd Birthday Today

London, Nov. 30 (United Press).—England's record cabinet post holder celebrated his fifty-second birthday today, spending most of his time hard at work at his desk in the Treasury Building.

Since 1906, when he was appointed Under-secretary for Colonies, he has served in 10 different cabinet posts.

HARTFORD THISTLES PLAYING HERE NEXT

Rivals Clash in First Round of Protective Cup Sunday; Sid Bloxam's Suspension Lifted.

Manager Jim McCollough of the Manchester soccer club announced today he had received word from Joe Booth that the local team is scheduled to meet the Hartford Thistles Sunday in the first round of the Protective Cup competition.

HAPPY-GO-LUCKY GIRLS PLAN CHRISTMAS PARTY

The Happy-Go-Lucky Girls met at the White House on North Main street last night for their regular supper and business meeting. Mary McLagan was chairman of the supper and planned a fine repast consisting of meat loaf, macaroni and cheese, pickles, rolls, cake and cocoa.

MAJOR BATES CONDUCTS S. A. SERVICES SUNDAY

There will be special services at the local Salvation Army Citadel next Saturday and Sunday. The attraction will be the official welcome to Major and Mrs. Bates, and Ensign and Mrs. Pickering of Hartford.

TRANSPARENT METAL

New Haven, Conn.—A process for making metal foils less than a millionth of an inch thick has been developed in the Sloane Physics laboratory at Yale University.

DUBLIN TO BUILD 3,000 NEW HOUSES

Dublin (United Press).—Homes for 15,000 people who are in need of accommodation in Dublin are to be provided by the city's housing commissioners. In addition to the shortage of houses due to the cessation of building during the war, the commissioners have to face the fact that a large amount of old tenement property, built 150 and 200 years ago, is in a state of decay and is dangerous.

Acid Stomach "Phillips Milk of Magnesia" Better than Soda

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COVENTRY

Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Pike and daughter Mary, of Danlison, were Thanksgiving guests with Mrs. Pike's sister, Mrs. H. P. Pomeroy. Miss Eunice Pike of Hartford also spent the day with her aunt Mrs. H. P. Pomeroy.

John E. Kingsbury and three children spent the holiday with Mr. Kingsbury's sister Mrs. H. B. Elliott.

Mr. and Mrs. John Wright and family spent the holiday with Mrs. H. B. Pomeroy.

The Ladies' Fragment society will meet Wednesday at the parsonage to finish up work for their annual sale to be held Dec. 5.

Mr. and Mrs. Shaw, who have moved to the Old Brewster place, united with the church Sunday.

Thursday evening Coventry Grange No. 75, P. of H., will observe Past Masters' night.

Everyone who can is urged to attend the annual Farm Bureau meeting to be held Thursday at Westlyn hall, Rockville.

Miss Lillie Hill and sister Marion also Lawrence Hill spent the vacation at home.

Miss Dorothy Wood has returned, having spent the vacation at her home in Tatville.

Miss Ruth Taylor was home for the week-end.

The boy stood on the burning deck. Expression was not grim. Why should he worry when the ship Did not belong to him?

THREE IN ROW Pennsylvania played three games in a row, in which the final result was 3-0. After losing to Illinois by a field goal margin, the Quakers swung around and tripped Penn State and Columbia in like manner. Paul Scull accounted for Penn's two victorious field goals.

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Advertisement for Miss Isabel Jeans, featuring a large portrait of a woman and the text 'She's Coming to See Us'. The text describes her as a beautiful woman with scores of other specimens of British pulchritude who will come to the U. S. to compete for honor of appearing in an American movie.

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Advertisement for Frigidaire refrigerators, featuring the slogan 'more ICE' and an illustration of a refrigerator. The text includes 'FACTS' and 'ONE reason for Frigidaire's overwhelming popularity is the fact that it freezes more ice, by actual weight, than other electric refrigerators of the same size.'

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Professional Sports Cleaner Now Than Ever Says Farrell

Betting Losers, However, Will Always Squawk, "Frame-Up" When Dope Is Upset.

By HENRY FARRELL
(United Press Sports Editor)
New York, Nov. 30.—(United Press)—Gene Tunney surprised two continents when he gave Jack Dempsey the worst beating he had ever suffered and took the world's heavyweight championship from him.

The result was so much a surprise that there were whispers that the fight was, as the boys call it, "in the bag."

The world's series between the St. Louis Cardinals and the New York Yankees went to the limit of seven games and the wise boys nodded their heads and insinuated that it had been arranged to get in the maximum number of games "for the gate."

Jack Sharkey followed Tunney's surprising victory over Dempsey by beating Harry Wills clear out of the pugilistic picture and stories ensued that Wills knew he couldn't crack a crack at Tunney and the championship and folded up for a price.

A German and a French channel swimmer beat the record made by Gertrude Ederle and Bill Burgess, who trained the American girl, said the time was "funny business" and that neither swimmer was within an hour of the accredited time.

These 4 are the penalties that have become a heritage of athletes in professional sports.

The NUT CRACKER by Joe Williams

SHAW VS. TUNNEY

(The striater and the sockist engage in one of those wrangles of the century)

ROUND I
Mr. Shaw: If that young gent does like the way I've written my play, let him rewrite it.

Mr. Tunney: I do not wish to rewrite Mr. Shaw's plays. It is tough enough to look at them.

Mr. Shaw: As I understand it that young gent is disappointed because the fight character in my play does not resemble him. This may be explained on the ground that I am a realist.

Mr. Tunney: I am pleasantly surprised to learn that Mr. Shaw is a realist. From his pictures I had thought he was Santa Claus.

Mr. Shaw: I do not care whether that young gent accepts the leading role in my play or not. In fact I'd rather he did not. I'd prefer to see it a success.

Mr. Tunney: Why should I play a leading role in any of Mr. Shaw's plays when there are other and less painful ways of attaining obscurity?

Time is taken out while Mr. Shaw has his loins rubbed with tincture of sarcasm, extract of cynicism and oils of banana. Mr. Tunney retires to his corner to punch the bag with Keats, shadow-box with Byron and jump the rope with Milton.

There are cries from the gallery of "make 'em fight," "throw the bums out," "what do you think this is, a cake-walk?" and "who told you you could fight, anyway?"

Howls from the concessionaires: "Here you are, gents, the life stories of both principals in tonight's windup, with illustrations, autographs, and the favorite chew main recipe of the two battlers, all for ten cents, one silver dime. Who's next, gents?"

Babe Ruth, Jack Kearns, Knute Rockne, Peaches Browning, Benny Friedman and other well-known members of the literati arrive at the ringside, are introduced, and issue challenges to the winner, toasted on both sides.

ROUND II
Mr. Shaw: I don't know on what basis that young gent qualifies as a critic of literature and having seen the film of his fight with Dempsey, I am still wondering on what basis he qualifies as a fighter.

Mr. Tunney: All this is becoming very irksome. It merely proves to me that one does not need to have a radio to suffer the annoyances of unintelligible stacc.

Mr. Shaw: And in conclusion I wish to say—

Mr. Tunney: Yes, as a parting comment allow me to state—

Voice from the nickel seats: Aw, it's just a gag to get publicity for the two of them!

AMERICAN SOCCER LEAGUE
Providence 3, Springfield 1, Fall River 3, Newark 1.
Indiana Flooring 4, New York Giants 2.
Brooklyn Wanderers 2, J. & P. Coats 2.

When was George Loti national junior tennis champion?—E. T. H. In 1923 and 1924.

With what major league clubs has Roger Peckinpaugh played?—Cleveland, New York and Washington, American League.

Please name the national amateur golf champions since 1919?—E. W. S.

S. Davidson Herron (1919), Chick Evans (1920), Jesse Guindorf (1921), Jess Sweetser (1922), Max Marston (1923), Bobby Jones (1924-25) and George Von Elm (1926).

When did Horace Ford make his major league debut and with what club?—N. M. L. In 1910 with the Boston Braves.

HOCKEY
Quebec, Nov. 30. (United Press).—As the hockey schedule for the American University teams calls for the clubs to open their season after the Christmas holidays, the various college sextettes will go into training about the middle of December.

The Princeton University squad has decided to do its pre-season training in Quebec City. The outfit will put up at the Chateau and practice at the local arena. This announcement was made yesterday by an official of the C. P. R. It is expected that during Princeton's stay in Quebec that the "Tiger" will take on several local amateur teams in exhibition games.

THREE BIG TEN WINS
Notre Dame played three Big Ten football eleven during the 1926 season, and beat them all. Northwestern, Minnesota and Indiana were the victims. Rockne's charges ran up a total of 52 points against seven in the three tilts.

PLACE KICK SAFER THAN A DROP KICK SAYS JIM THORPE

This Has Been Proved By Games This Season, Billy Evans Finds.

By BILLY EVANS

Which is the safer way to try to score a point after touchdown, the drop or place kick? Several years ago that thought came to me and I put the question to Jim Thorpe, one of the best kickers the game has ever known.

"In trying for a field goal, two men have a better chance to succeed than one," was Thorpe's reply. Asked to further explain, he continued:

"Kicking a stationary ball, properly helped, is certain to produce more accurate results than kicking a ball that is dropped to the ground with a chance that it may bound badly."

"I regard the place kick as almost two to one safer than the drop kick in attempting a goal from field."

Says Jim Thorpe: Since getting the low-down on the matter of drop and place kicks from so eminent an authority as Jim Thorpe, I have kept close tabs on results in games that I have seen.

My figures show the place kick to be a far more efficient method of trying to score a point after touchdown, or going for three points. While the odds are not two to one, they are mighty close to it.

Recently in two very important Big Ten games I had the opportunity to appreciate the difference between the two methods.

Concrete Examples
When Meyers Clark of Ohio State had the task of evening the count between Michigan and State put up to him, he failed miserably with his drop kick effort. Benny Friedman of Michigan had made his two goals from placement.

A week later, with Minnesota leading Michigan 6-0 and only a few minutes to play, Osterbaan recovered a fumble, ran for a touchdown and tied the score.

With a Big Ten title hanging on Friedman's effort to score the extra point on a goal from placement, the Michigan captain came through with a perfect kick.

Line Plays Part
I have heard the drop and placement kick debate discussed by a number of players noted for their ability as experts, and the contention made by most of them is that the line has much to do with any successful attempt at field goal whether it is from placement or a drop.

It is impossible to get accuracy on any kind of a kick that is hurried. In such cases it is largely a matter of trying to get the ball away without being blocked and trusting to luck.

As in many other things, particularly in the advancing of the ball, the line never gets the proper credit, the real glory usually being slipped to the kicker or ball carrier.

Old Records Stand
During the past few years there has been a revival of the goal from field play as a scoring weapon. For a time the forward pass had crowded out its real rival.

Any number of important games this fall have been decided by a goal from the field. Friedman of Michigan in the west and Hamilton of the Navy in the east have used the play to great advantage.

However, none of the modern kickers has come close to the collegiate performances of Walter Eckersall and Charley Brickley.

Back in 1905, Eckersall scored five times against Illinois on drop kicks. The following season he repeated the feat against Nebraska. In 1913 Charley Brickley made five field goals for Harvard against Yale.

NEW RACE TRACK READY FOR FEB. 22

Laredo, Texas, Nov. 29.—J. W. Choate, New York city, representing the syndicate that will build a million-dollar race track, across the Rio Grande River at Nuevo Laredo, Mexico, here recently said he hoped to have the race track ready for use by February 22, 1927.

This will make the track ready for use on Washington's Birthday, when Laredo is planning to have a big celebration, with excursions operating here from all parts of the Southwest.

Choate was accompanied by Frank Lloyd, who will remain here permanently. Lloyd formerly was manager of the Claridge Hotel in New York City. He will be in charge of the Casino, to be erected in connection with the race track.

Telegrams from race horse enthusiasts are being received daily from all parts of the United States and Canada. Many horses are expected to be brought here for training because of the favorable climate and altitude.

Tex Rickard, who is largely interested in the race track venture, is expected here soon to look over the situation. Rickard intended coming with Choate on the recent trip, but his plans were changed on account of his marriage and honeymoon.

In addition to Rickard, the Madison Square Garden Association, and several other men are interested in the proposition here. Choate estimated that the race track, casino, grandstand, stables and kennels, to be erected, will cost approximately \$1,250,000.

BILLY EVANS Says

Bob Zuppke, when not coaching adhesive tape for several inches above the top of the nose.

There is no doubt about the efficiency of the stunt. Incidentally, there was the psychological effect on Michigan, the element of surprise, as the Illinois squad appeared on the gridiron stockinged.

Then to make good Zuppke's stunt, the fleet "Red" Grange enjoyed the most sensational day of his illustrious career.

Rockne's Scheme
A great many of the present day backfield stars are strong for the half nose, rather than the long stockings. This is mostly true of the fast men. So that Zuppke's stunt has been widely copied.

Knute Rockne, not to be outdone by Zuppke, went the Illinois coach one better this fall by equipping his varsity squad with rainy day uniforms.

The ordinary football outfit quickly absorbs moisture and becomes very heavy, the pads in particular.

Rockne, a great believer in speed, evolved the oilskin pants and rubber pads, both being moisture proof.

This feather of football dress is sure to become standard for rainy weather and muddy fields.

LAST NIGHT'S FIGHTS

At New York—Mike Ballerino, former junior-lightweight champion, defeated George Balduz, ten rounds. Johnny Filcut of New York won decision over Spencer Gardner of Providence, ten rounds.

At Jersey City—Charley (Phil) Rosenberg defeated George Mack of Jersey City, ten rounds. K. O. Phil Kaplan of New York won on technical knockout over Freddie Kelly of Buffalo in first round.

At Toronto—Joe McKen of Scotland won on foul from Alex Burfile of Toronto, in third round. At Milwaukee—Joey Sangor of Milwaukee won decision over Bud Taylor of Terre Haute, ten rounds.

At Jamestown, N. Y.—Tommy Mitchell of Toronto won decision over Ray Komney of Niagara Falls, ten rounds.

At Indianapolis—Tommy Loughran of Philadelphia won decision over George Manley of Indianapolis ten rounds.

C. B. A. TO HOLD SMOKER ON DEC. 15

The Directors of Cheney Brothers Athletic Association have voted to hold a smoker, consisting of twenty rounds of boxing, on Wednesday evening, December 15, in Cheney Hall.

Boxing fans of Manchester and vicinity, whether members of the C. B. A. or not, will have an opportunity of "sitting in" on this Smoker for a nominal price which is barely sufficient to cover the lunch.

This will be served after the bouts. Association members must bear in mind that this is not the usual winter smoker to which they are admitted by showing their membership card.

Before entering upon this proposition the A. A. secured assurance from Secretary E. M. McLaughlin of the state boxing commission that the smoker would not come under the jurisdiction of the commission providing the participants did not receive money for their services.

This condition will be met honestly and prizes will be awarded to all winners and losers as well.

There will be five four-round bouts on the program, which is rapidly taking shape. This program will be announced as soon as completed. Smokers conducted by the association have drawn crowds of between 300 and 400. The directors feel that an audience of at least 500 will witness the show on the 15th. Cheney Hall will seat at least 800, everyone of whom can see clearly the ring, which will be pitched as usual in the center of the hall.

The association feels that it should not affiliate itself with the State Amateur Association because of the many obstacles it would encounter in its other branches of sports.

EVERYBODY SCORED HERE

One of the oddest scoring games of the football season was that played between Muskingum and Kenyon, two Ohio colleges. The final result read: Muskingum 39, Kenyon 34. Obviously, the ball was behind the goal lines most of the time.

HEIGHTS PRACTICE

The Heights basketball team will practice tonight at the School street Rec room 9 until 10.

East-West New Year Day Classic Draws Country's Football Interest

By THOMAS R. CURRAN

Pasadena, Cal., Nov. 30.—With the "top-shor" football season now drawing to a close, interest in the country over has begun to quicken in the great Tournament of Roses east-west football classic on New Year's Day.

With a natural dislike for clambering out too far on the limb, officials in charge of the tournament are reluctant to state officially their early selections for the post-season clash. It was learned, however, that Stanford, if it rides through the rest of its schedule without a defeat, will be the favorite eleven to represent the west.

Brown Preferred
The eastern team, on the face of early conjecture, will be either Brown University or the University of Alabama. Due to the fact that Alabama came west to trim the Washington Huskies last year, Brown may be slightly preferred as never in the history of Rose Bowl game has the same eastern team played twice in a row. Either team, however, would be a great attraction. The recollection of the personal clash between George Wilson of the Huskies and Pooley Hubert of Alabama still stirs the soul of Southern California football fiends.

Stanford, by virtue of its remarkable uphill fight to victory over the University of Southern California Trojans, is considered the best team on the west coast. Tagging behind by two touchdowns "Pop" Warner's eleven had determination and strength enough to earn the needed points and kick a goal after touchdown for a 13 to 12 triumph.

Stanford Good Team
The Stanford team is not only a good team; it is a team that makes every contest reek with dramatic incidents. Warner's reserves and triple pass plays are as thrilling as old-fashioned melodrama.

The Cardinal team this year, in fact, is the same team as last year with the exception of Ernie Nevers the ripping plunger. "Biff" Hoffman, however, of shot and discus fame, is a fair substitute and throws the ball all over the field on forward passes. As a matter of fact, Hoffman's forward passes are frequently used instead of punts.

When the ball is deep in Stanford territory, Hoffman shoots an unorthodox forward pass for forty-five or fifty yards, thereby apparently violating the convention that it is madness to pass when near your own goal line. The pass sails so high and so far, however, that, if interpreted, it is as good as a punt; it caught by a Stanford end and sets a long gain and possible touchdown.

In case Stanford refuses to play the New Year's classic, there are several other possibilities on the coast, including Washington State, the Oregon Aggies and the Trojans. The Trojans, however, play Notre Dame on December 4 and it is improbable that Coach Howard Jones will want to keep his team on edge for an additional month.

Previous Scores
If Washington State and Brown were selected it would be an annual rivalry contest as these teams played the first east-west classic ten years ago. In that game Washington State turned back Brown and the mighty Trubek Polard by a score of 14 to 0.

The scores in following years were as follows:
January 1, 1917—Oregon 14; Pennsylvania 0.
1918—No game.
1919—Great Lakes Training Station 11; Mare Island, Marines 0.
1920—Harvard 7; Oregon 5.
1921—California 28; Ohio State 0.
1922—California—Washington and Jefferson, scoreless tie.
1923—Southern California 14; Penn State 3.
1924—Navy 14; Washington 14 (tie).
1925—Notre Dame 27; Stanford 10.
1926—Alabama 20; Washington 13.

The count is thus four games for the east, four games for the west with two ties. This year's game will tilt the balance.

FINALLY GRAB GAME

After dropping seven games in a row, Lehigh's gridlers finally broke the jinx by defeating Rutgers, 14-0. During the period of reverses, Lehigh failed to count in four tilts.

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The instant you break the seal on the tidy red tin and get that wonderful fragrance of real tobacco, you know you are in for a pipe-treat. Your mouth fairly waters for a taste of tobacco that smells as good as that. Then you load up and light up—ah! . . .

Cool. Sweet. Fragrant. Old words, I'll admit, but you get a brand-new idea of how much they can mean in a pipe-bowl packed with P. A. Maybe you've always thought such pipe-pleasure was "just around the corner." Try a load of Prince Albert and turn that corner!

Get a half-nelson on the pipe-joy that's due you. Before you do another thing, buy a tin of Prince Albert and tuck a neat wad into your pipe. Notice how mild it is, yet how delightfully full-bodied. Here's a smoke that you can pal around with, morning to midnight.

P. A. is sold everywhere in tidy red tins, pound and half-pound tin tins, and pound crystal-glass tins, and always with every bit of tin and pack removed by the Prince Albert process.

PRINCE ALBERT

—no other tobacco is like it!

Impressive 1926 Mid-West Football Produces No Unusual Kickers

BY GEORGE A. STRICKLER

Chicago, Nov. 30.—Mid-western football this year produced an impressive array of stars and exceptional teams, but it has brought to the front no unusual kickers. While one can hardly pass without remarking that the punting in the Big Ten is better than the average in general, and a few dangerous drop-kickers have struck fear into the hearts of opponents, it takes a long ride around the conference circuit to uncover the equal of Kipke or even Layden of Notre Dame's famous Four Horsemen, who probably was the west's greatest kicker since the immortal George Gipp.

Two of the outstanding punters in this year's campaign are Gilbert of Michigan, and Baker of Northwestern, while Friedman of Michigan, and Peters, the Illinois Sophomore, command a realm of their own inasmuch as drop-kicking is concerned.

Gilbert Leads
Gilbert is consistent, steady punter, who lifts his kicks and places them well. Ends get ample time to cover-up for his punts, which have averaged approximately 40 yards beyond the line of scrimmage in all games this year.

Baker is superior in every respect but consistency, which alone makes him inferior in the maul. His kicking in the Notre Dame game was one of the outstanding elements of Northwestern's play. His kicks, when they are not bobbles, are high and travel far.

Edwards of Notre Dame, failed to return Baker's punts a yard in three quarters against the Purple. Outside the conference, Zuzer, captain and fullback at Kansas, paces the field at even a faster clip than Gilbert or Baker can maintain naturally.

Nemic of Notre Dame, is also a punter of ability, but when he is not kicking, Rockne's ends find it almost impossible to drop the opposing safety man in his tracks, the rest of Rockne's punters getting nothing but distance, and not much of that.

No Drop Kickers
Friedmann and Peters, while they are drop kickers to be feared, pack nothing much along the line of a threat beyond the 35 yard line. Unlike the great Gipp, who kicked from mid-field with regularity and whose freshman efforts were climaxed with a 63 yard drop kick, these two must be within the shadow of the uprights before they are much of a menace. This does not mean that either Friedman or Peters are absolutely unable to score from mid-field and that they might not do it against some unsuspecting adversary.

Outside these two, there are no accomplished drop-kickers in mid-western circles this year, or at least none worthy of being brought forcibly to the attention of your favorite coach. Notre Dame is particularly handicapped in this department. This is emphasized by the frequent failure on tries for extra points after touchdowns, a glaring Notre Dame weakness this year.

Scarcity of Punters
The scarcity of the old sixty and sixty-five yard punter, if there ever was such a punter after the distance from the scoring line to the kicker had been deducted, engenders considerable comment among coaches nowadays.

A number of prominent mentors bemoan the passing of the beautiful boots that seared far down the field, but the more modern tutuors see advancement in the defensive side of football with the passing of the distance kickers.

They point out the fact that ends have more chance to cover up and see much importance in prohibiting the safety man from getting a fifteen yard start back down the field. A long punt hustled down the field ahead of ends enables the runner to attain his top speed before he meets a tackler, which in turn enhances his chances for eluding the defense.

In the conference, all coaches appear satisfied with the kicking of their punters, ostensibly because of the modernists' version of defensive football.

FEWEST WOODS FIRES IN STATE THIS YEAR

Autumn Season Was Without Single Bad Forest Blaze, Thanks to Rains.

Hartford, Nov. 28.—Observers at the six state forest lookout stations discontinued work Saturday after the frost fall season in five years, State Forester Austin Hawes said today.

"The season has been without one really bad fire, largely because of the heavy rains, distributed evenly through the danger period. The fall record is offset, however, by the unusually large number of fires last spring, so that the record for the year will not be as good as might be indicated from the season just passed."

Records of visitors kept at the lookout stations show approximately 25,000 persons were at the observation points during the year.

ROSENBERG HAS EASY VICTORY OVER MACK

New York, Nov. 30.—Charley Full Rosenberg, the sometimes recognized heavyweight champion, made his first local appearance in more than a year last night and won easily from George Mack in a no-decision ten-round bout at Jersey City. Rosenberg was off in timing and distance but Mack gave a disappointing exhibition, fighting only in flashes, and Rosenberg won all the way.

STANFORD, ALABAMA CHAMP CONTENDERS

They Will Meet New Year's Day in Pasadena—Lafayette Ranks High.

By DAVID J. WALSH
I. N. S. Sports Editor
New York, Nov. 30.—Destiny pulled its invisible strings between the rise of one sun on Thursday and the setting of another on Saturday and the football teams of Notre Dame, Brown and the Navy, puppets all, danced obediently into the wings and the shadows beyond where fame is not. Headliners almost to the last, their act proved something of a "flop" at the grand finale.

The tournament of Roses commenced at Pasadena, California, has lined up Stanford and Alabama, two of the three unbeaten college football teams of the first rank, surviving the regular season's end, for the New Year's day game on the coast. That game, therefore, will establish the winner as more deserving of national recognition than any other contender. It will be the undisputed champion of the South and Far West while Lafayette, the third unbeaten team, can claim nothing beyond the purpling shadows of the Alleghenies.

Mid-West Has None
As for the Middle West, Notre Dame's disturbing defeat by Carnegie Tech on Saturday left that section without an accredited national contender for the first time in some years. The Navy's 21 to 21 tie with the Army on Saturday must be regarded as an act of self-elimination and the same thing applies to Brown's ten to ten tie with Colgate.

The writer cannot rouse himself to three ringing cheers for the Navy's claims when that team plays a tie with the Army, which lost to Notre Dame, which lost to Carnegie Tech, which lost to New York University, which was beaten by Nebraska, which, in turn, lost to Missouri, which lost to Oklahoma, which lost to Kansas, which lost to nearly everybody and so on, and infinitum.

In the same way Brown's tie with Colgate on Thanksgiving Day clearly leaves New England without a contender, Colgate having lost to the Navy. At this point, you repeat the foregoing paragraph until exhaustion.

As for Boston College, if its tie with Haskell Indians didn't weaken its claims, the scoreless affair with Holy Cross most certainly did, for Holy Cross was beaten by Boston College, which, previously, had lost to all manner of sap teams.

No, this national sweepstakes clearly is a miss-and-out affair. Stanford, Alabama and Lafayette didn't miss; so they still are in.

FOREIGN SOCCER

London, Nov. 29.—Soccer football games played in Great Britain Saturday resulted as follows:
English League
First Division—Birmingham 2, Leeds United 0; Blackburn Rovers 2, Manchester 1; Bury 0, Liverpool 2; Everton 1, Bolton Wanderers 1; Huddersfield 1, Derby County 2; Leicester City 5, Aston Villa 1; The Wednesday-Cardiff City, postponed; Sunderland 3, Sheffield United 0; Tottenham Hotspurs 1, Newcastle United 3; West Bromwich Albion 1, Arsenal 3; West Ham United 2, Burnley 1.

Second Division—Barnsley-Preston (north) postponed; Blackpool 2, Fort Vale 2; Darlington 1, Hull City 3; Fulham 2, Clapton Orient 0; Manchester City 1, South Shields 2; Middlesbrough 3, Southampton 1; Nottingham Forest 4, Chelsea 1; Oldham Athletic 5, Notts County 2; Portsmouth 2, Wolverhampton Wanderers 1; Swansea Town 3, Bradford City 0.

Scottish League
Aberdeen 1, St. Mirren 0; Celtic 7, Dundee United 2; Dundee 6, Morton 1; Dunfermline Athletic 0, Airdrieonians 2; Falkirk 2, Hibernians 0; Hearts of Midlothian 0, St. Johnstone 0; Hamilton 0, Hamilton Academical 0; Motherwell 3, Patrick Thistle 1; Queens Park 3, Cowdenbeath 1; Rangers 6, Clyde 0.

Cup Tie Results
The first round of the English Football Association Cup resulted as follows: Worthington 1, Crook 2; Stockton 1, Ashington 2; Bishop Auckland 0, Bedlington 1; Annfield Plain 2; Chilton Colliery 4; Carlisle 6, Hartlepool 2; Nelson 4, Stockport 1; Accrington 4, Rochdale 3; Wrexham 1, New Brighton 1; Rhyll Athletic 1, Stoke 1; Southport 1, Tranmere 1.

Wiganboro - Barrow postponed; Crewe A-Northern Nomads postponed; Wellington 1; Mansfield 2; Chesterfield-Maxborough abandoned; York-Worswick abandoned; Kettering 2, Coventry 3; Desborough-Doncaster Rovers abandoned; Lincoln 2, Rotherham 0; Grimsby 3; Halifax 2; Bolton 1, Northampton 1; Walsall 1, Bradford 0.

Woking 1, Charlton 3; Crystal Palace 0, Norwich 0; Clapton 1, Brentford 1; Barking 0, Gillingham 3; Dulwichamlet 1; South End 4; Nunhead 8, Kingstonsians 0; Weyford 10, Lowestoft 1; Luton 4, London Caledonians 2; Chatham 3, St. Albans City 1.

Brighton 3, Barnet 0; Bournemouth 3, Swindon 1; Poole 1, Newmarket 0; Reading 4, Weymouth 4; Merthyr 0, Bristol City 2; Torquay 1, Bristol City 2; Torquay 1, Bristol Rovers 11.

MAX PLAY HARTFORD
Manager Angello announced yesterday that he was negotiating with the Hartford Colored Corinthians for a game here Sunday.

Forward Pass Guides Walsh in Picking His All-American Teams

By DAVID J. WALSH
I. N. S. Sports Editor

ALL AMERICAN SELECTIONS
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Position	First Team	Second Team	Third Team
End	Hanson, Syracuse	Shipkey, Stan.	Lindenmeyer, Mo
Tackle	Stiner, Neb.	Yoder, Car. Tech	Raskowski, O. St.
Guard	Shively, Illinois	Connanghton, Gt	Swan, Stanford
Center	Boeringer, N. D.	Cravath, So. Cal.	Butler, Penna.
Guard	Smith, Brown	Hees, Ohio State	Mayer, No. Dame
Tackle	Wickhorst, Navy	Dixon, Ore. Agg.	Kivorkias, Br'wn
End	Winslett, Ala.	Bron, Brown	Hubbard, Geneva
Quarterback	Friedman, Mich.	Spears, Vander.	Gutmorson, Wh.
Halfback	Kaer, So. Cal.	Mishel, Brown	M. Wilson, Laf.
Halfback	H. Wilson, Army	Baker, North'ern	Rogers, Penn.
Fullback	Joesting, Minn.	Amos, W & J	Karow, Ohio St.

New York, Nov. 30.—Capitulating to the annual impulse, the writer today has selected an All-American football team for the season of 1926 and, in all due modesty, he cannot resist the conviction that it is truly representative of all the virtues and few, if any, foibles of your modern eleven.

Forward passing, in spite of legislative efforts to the contrary, was the soul of all versatile attacks this year. The team has the two greatest of the day and age, Winslett, of Alabama, and Friedman, of Michigan.

Can You Beat 'Em?
Pass catchers? Hanson, of Syracuse, is a genius, the equal of Oosterbaan, of Michigan, in this department and his superior in all others, while Friedman, Harry Wilson, of the Army, and Kaer, of Southern California, are almost equally adept.

Open field runners? They don't often come as good as Wilson and Kaer. Line cracker? Joesting, that's all. Generalship? Benny, where are thou?
It would be difficult to believe that such an attack could be defeated even temporarily, but if that remote supposition became finite, either Friedman or Wilson could and would obliterate with a field goal the point after touchdown, which they also would be available for reached the maximum of its importance this year. There is no outstanding punter on this team but if you think the boys would need one, that's your mistake, not mine.

Defense.
As for the defense, that well may be left in the capable hands of such as Boeringer, the roving center; Friedman, the star safety man; Joesting, a fine man behind the line, and the two tackling ends, Hanson and Winslett. The latter are the most versatile pair of wings football has known since Brick Muller's day. Wickhorst was a fine offensive and defensive tackle all season and his single lapse in the Army game was to be expected since none of us are 100 per cent.

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CLAIMS RECORD

Princeton, Yale and Harvard lost 10 football games between them during the recent season. The Crimson dropped five, Yale four and the Tigers one. The Orange and Black was also held to a tie.

The guards were extremely difficult of selection, once more expressed beyond Smith, who was the most efficient workman the position has known in several seasons. Hess, of Ohio State, was a hot choice last year but those who saw both in action declare Shively to be the better man. Connanghton attracted great attention because of his size but some of his late games were not so impressive. Sturhahn, of Yale, played magnificently with a losing team; Mayer was consistent, if good and so was Swan. Lovette, Michigan; Taylor, Southern California, and Carey, Cornell, were also among the outstanding candidates.

Boeringer was the center of the year with no rival very close. The nearest approach was effected by Cravath with Butler in third position.

Other Good Backs.
There can be little argument on the first team backfield but plenty on those of the second and third teams. Men like Weston, Boston College; Flannagan, Notre Dame; Wilcox, Purdue; Hyland, Stanford; Kirkleskie, Lafayette; Murrell and

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Broken Threads

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WHAT HAS GONE BEFORE
To the home of PROF and MOLLY ELWELL, in Camdenville, Ind., one night in October of 1899, comes MARTHA DALTON, a nurse, bearing with her a woman who had fainted on the Chicago-Indianapolis train on which Martha had been traveling.
Prof Elwell is an artist. He has a five-year-old son, JIM. Prof and Molly take the stranger in and, late that night, twin girls are born to the woman, who dies a few hours later without leaving a trace of her identity. She had mentioned the name JACK and babbled of leaving a husband who was untrue. Her attire had indicated her to be a person of wealth and culture.

The story then moves forward to June of 1918. The allies are demanding that the United States join hands with them in the war, and in Prof Elwell's workshop, where he paints, sidetails and theater curtains, the reader is introduced to Jim Elwell, now 22, and his father's partner, and to the twin girls, who have grown up in the family and are now 17.

NOW BEGIN THE STORY

CHAPTER II
YOU'RE just in time, my dears," was Prof Elwell's greeting to the twins on this day in June when he had quenched his thirst and wiped off his lips. "You must have had a hunch. Here, Rusty, you're drunk by reason of being fifteen minutes older than Betty. Wet your whistle but be very careful. The can only holds a quart, you know."

Rusty, more formally known as Margaret, accepted the proffered "can" and clamped her lips over its rim. Her gravity made it all the more ludicrous. She made funny noises in her throat for some ten seconds and then passed the pall to Betty, who just as gravely went through the same motions. Jim looked on and waited.

"Great Gosh!" he burst out suddenly. "Don't you ever come up for a little air? Where do you think you are—in a brewery?" and he reached for the pail, a fierce scowl accompanying the movement. He knew that both detested the taste of beer and only made a pretense of drinking because they thought they were fooling him. And of course he must let his pals "do their stuff." It would be unparliamentary to call their bluff.

"Goodness sakes!" exclaimed Betty, and she looked much aggrieved. "My but you're stingy with your old can. Ask a lady in to have a drink and then jerk it out of her hand! Haven't you any manners?"

The answer came from Jim. "Know what it signifies? Who is the dusky bird in red lights knowing to the old geezer with the whiskers? You tell us, Betty; you know your Shakespeare."

Betty studied the picture with a great pretense of puzzled awe, pursing her pretty lips and signifying by elaborate grimaces that she was concentrating very deeply. "I never could guess, Jim," she answered finally with an untruffled sweetness that seventeen and past was older by some three months



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and who knew perfectly well what the picture represented.
Jim eyed her with keen approval. "You're gettin' on great," he stated with comradely familiarity. "As a classy little lar I've got to hand it to you. You're learning fast. By the time you're twenty you'll be well fitted to realize your life's ambition to be a vampire queen of the movies. You're pretty near able to pass muster right now."

Jim told her there was someone present on whom she might practice her wiles. "Go vamp Prof into finishing the border on that curtain and I'll doll up and take you over to the Palace for dinner." He inquired of Rusty whether his brogue was passable and then went on to explain that he had heard the Palace had a new string orchestra. "How does that suit you kids?"

"Kids!" The twins snorted in unison. Margaret adding, "Where do you get that kid stuff, Jim? We're nearly eighteen."
Jim grinned tolerantly and admitted that he expected they'd grow up some day, and turned toward the basement to change his clothes.

Betty started in at once on her assignment of vamping Prof into doing Jim's work. Her efforts seemed to have an immediate effect. A little bite of his pain-flecked cheek, a little rumpling of his iron-gray hair and a little kiss on the corner of his hand toward the big canvas, "Know what it signifies? Who is the dusky bird in red lights knowing to the old geezer with the whiskers? You tell us, Betty; you know your Shakespeare."

He stared reflectively at the canvas and Jim's unfinished work. He asked himself, "What about Jim? Where does he get off at? He seems to consider them kids yet just about the same as he did five years ago. Kids nothing!"

He told himself that seventeen and past was older by some three months than Molly had been when she married him. And both of them were eternally petting and kissing Jim, "just like Betty was vamping me as she calls it."
They were like a brace of "darn" kittens with just about as much of an idea of the danger concealed in their soft little paws as kittens seemed to have. How did Jim really stand and where? Did he really like them both just the same, just as they would if they had been, in fact, his sisters?

"No use to ask him; they're still his kid pals. How can a boy of twenty-two be that way with two such glorious girls? I'll have to talk with Molly on this."
But still he remained seated, lost in the heavy mists of the summer noon. He was dreaming a summer noon dream, living again through the days that had passed. On the lens of his mind he saw the years pile up one by one and the gradual change take place in the growth of the twins. Across that lens fitted pictures of the two as they looked at different periods in the seventeen years since that night in October when they had come into the world.

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Rusty—Margaret—who saw herself as a dancer of classical parts, a delineator of legends. Betty—Elizabeth—who dreamed of singing before the crowned heads of Europe—when the war was over, of course. And who would consent to being a movie queen.

And so it was that Prof Elwell, himself a dreamer of artistic dreams, missed his dinner on that day in June of the year 1918.

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Life is a parade of years and a succession of incidents. And little happenings ago us just as much as time does. It was that way with the twins and Jim Elwell.

Betty Elwell jerked open the screen door opening into the porch of the little Camdenville cottage one Saturday afternoon and came rushing into the sitting room where Prof and Molly were talking. Her hair was flying in a glittering spread of coppery floss. Her cheeks were ailing and her eyes glowed.

The door behind her and she drew up in front of Prof and Molly panting and greatly excited. "Where's Jim? I've got something to tell him—quick!"

Prof and Molly Elwell stared in amazement.
"Quick!" repeated this flame of frenzied excitement. "I've got something to tell him that won't wait!"

Jim, his mother managed to gasp, was out in the woodshed. She believed he was shining his shoes. "But what in heaven's name is the matter? What's happened to—"

But the Flame was blinding its way through dining room and parlor, the sheen of coppery hair trailing out in its wake like the spark-blown tail of a fiery comet. Molly turned to Prof, an inquiring look in his eyes, but his smile reassured her and she remained in her chair.

Jim Elwell, all clad up in his Palm Beach pants, his nine-dollar shirt, soft collar and fancy necktie, with one tan shoe only half polished, was struck breathless on the onrushing comet and knocked halfway across the woodshed.

He protested that he was not in the mood for playing new and strange games. There was a time for all things and—
But the comet went with him, holding him in its burning clutch. It was saying things with a tongue that worked like forked lightning. She might catch herself, Jim advised, trying to keep his feet. At last the tumbling words began to drop into a formation that carried a vague hint of what it was all about.

"Quick, Jim—c'mon! C'mout'n punch his nose for us! We got fresh with Betty an' me! We were out in the back yard under the tree dry'n' our hair. He came along by the alley fence. He's bigger'n you are"—that made no difference to Jim he told her, beginning to roll up his sleeve—"an' he startin' makin' smart tricks at us. Betty told him to go on about his business or he'd get thrashed. He said our whole family an' all our friends couldn't look him an' he'd go on when he got good an' ready! So Betty is tryin' to keep him busy till I get you!"

Jim needed no further enlightenment. Some time had got smart with his kid pals. That was enough. "Lead me to 'em."
In the back yard, with a space divided off for croquet grounds, was a clump of maple trees. Under one of these trees farthest away from the alley stood Betty quivering with indignation. Her wealth of hair, like Rusty's, spread like a shimmering cloud of russet gold over her shoulders. Leaning against the back fence with an amused grin on his lips was a person of decidedly tough aspect, with the cut and trim of a yegg. Jim opened up on him from a distance of twenty feet.

"Say, you," he barked, "what's the big idea, gettin' fresh with a couple of little girls in their own back yard? Try'n' to stir up some trouble for yourself?"
(To Be Continued)

Jim gets into a fight, encounters a tough customer and help arrives from an unexpected source in the next chapter.

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Campus Rebels



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by Virginia Swain

WHAT HAS GONE BEFORE
War rages in Fendleton University between the student radicals, led by ERIC WATERS, and the conservative faculty, led by DEAN TIMOTHY BROWN.

JUDITH MARTIN, young instructor, sides with the radicals, to the horror of DR. PETER DORN, serious-minded young professor, who admires her.

MYRA ALDRICH is in love with Eric and jealous of Judith. "KITTY" SHEA, town bootlegger, is found dead after trying to blackmail Mrs. Brown. Judith, befriending her, had asked Eric to silence Shea, and now thinks he may be implicated in Shea's death. Mrs. Brown obtains Eric's release, after his arrest as a material witness, by offering an alibi that endangers her own reputation.

The dean tries to bully Judith into taking part in his mammoth reform campaign. Dr. Dorn also urges her.

Dorn and Eric fight over some accusation that Dorn has made, concerning Judith.

Eric persuades her to join his party the next night, to spoil the dean's revival meeting, to which the state legislators are coming.

He sends a taxi for her, and she arrives at the old theater where Eric is to hold his meeting rivaling the dean's revival. KIVANA, Russian bolshevist, is the speaker. At the hour for opening, Eric's auditorium is almost empty.

NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY
CHAPTER XLVII

THE scarlet shades of the rear lamps threw the salt of the theater into red gloom.

Judith looked uneasily at Eric. Stephen Kivana, after the first glance at the empty auditorium, had stood, quietly smiling, at one side.

A stooped man carrying a violin emerged from the musicians' foot under the stage. "My men are all here, sir," he said to Eric.

The boy nodded. "Better have them practice the tunes once or twice, until the crowd begins to come." He spoke with a desperate courage.

The musicians began discordant tuning of their instruments. Kivana laughed. "Spiritless music for a red meeting," he said. "I imagine this venture will fall through. I'm truly sorry."

"What are we going to do?" she whispered to the man beside her. As if in answer red lights flashed. Eric appeared in the wings again. He was striding toward them with an intent frown on his face.

"Well begin," he said, going up to Kivana. "As you are the orchestra has played its opening number, I'll go out and introduce you."

Kivana nodded and walked toward a table on which a pitcher of water and a glass were standing. "Eric," said Judith, "how did you advertise this meeting?"

He answered, as though against his will. "I had a delegate in every frat and sorority that I could trust. I spread my hints broadcast, without ever committing myself. I had them all lined up to strike tonight at the dinner tables all over Fendleton. I thought I'd picked good men to march to the front."

"Evidently you picked spindly tools," said Judith. "Then both men were stepping out into the center of the stage, and the music stopped. Judith could see Eric taking his stand near the flickering red candles, while Kivana stood a little back.

"Friends," said Eric. "I am here to introduce—"

His voice blurred in Judith's ears. She stood in the wings, straining her eyes for newcomers in the pit. She tried to hear his words, but they slipped into one another and rolled away.

Then the tall man behind Eric



Eric held Judith close in an improvised dance.

straightened his shoulders and took a step forward. There was a half-hearted clapping from a dozen pairs of hands.

Kivana began to speak. She could hear his rich, clear-cut enunciation with its hint of European precision. There was movement in the gallery, the vague stirring of a stolid audience that finds itself moved against its will. But the rows of red-looped seats in the pit yawned empty.

Judith leaned forward to catch a glimpse of his body. She saw him leaning far over the edge of the platform, hurling words into space, the red spots on his cheeks aflame.

As she looked and listened, a faint sound began to weave in and out through the cadences of the speaker. It was music, far off, and the tune was nameless.

She strained her ears. The music was unmistakably drawing nearer. Kivana reached a glowing nearer, tossed his curly hair off his forehead and stretched out an arm to his meager audience. Then there was a clatter at the great central doors, which burst open, to a fanfare of braying music, and the head of a strange procession thrust itself into the back of the theater.

There were shouts and tramping feet, and the dancing light of torches, and forms thronging in through the doorway, led by one whose torches were carried by others on either side of him.

Then she realized that they were singing "The Marseillaise." The demon music was the brassy sound of saxophones, and it marched to the rhythm of muffled drums.

The music reached higher crescendos as the head of the column neared the stage. Then Judith, gasping for Eric's hand, shrieked in a voice that reached him only as a whisper. "It's Will!"

Will it was, in the green riding suit, hat off, marching solemnly amidst the capers of his followers, flanked by torch-bearers and singing lustily.

"My God!" said Eric, and it was hard to tell what emotion the words expressed.

Tramping, shrieking "The Marseillaise," the throng was filling the theater pit as rapidly as salt from a bag pours into a salt shaker. Judith was clutching at Eric's hand. Kivana stood by his basket of flaming roses, dark eyes glittering in the candle light.

The Big top theater was filling to capacity, with a standing, shrieking audience. The saxophone players in front stopped, gasping. The voices

died down, and for a moment there was a heavy silence.

Then babel broke loose, and Judith stood in the torchlight on the stage.

It had been going on for years—this riot of voices and dizzy flickering of lights. The road ran by under them like a smooth ribbon of steel.

Winding after their car came the cars of others, and the taxis they had gathered up on Main street. They were all singing—each car a different tune.

Judith opened her eyes from the daze in which she had hung suspended. On her left was Eric, placid, silent, bending his handsome head over the steering wheel, so that glints from the speedometer light caught in his eyes. On the other side was wedged Will Wetherel. He was bending ruefully over his green thigh. "Damned torch bearer singed my pants," he muttered. "Ruined this suit, I'm afraid."

Eric spoke up. "That suit has served its purpose anyway, Wetherel. When I used to race it, I never thought it would lead a crusade to my reason."

"Neither did I," answered Will. "But don't take too much credit to yourself. I got a kick out of the torches and songs. Gad! How the dean will rage! There weren't dirty people at his rally."

They were turning in now at the Sigma Psi fraternity house, with a long line of machines behind them. Eric threw open the door, and they found the hall swarming with students—men and co-eds. "Fools talked to empty space," was the cry that greeted them.

Someone made a dive for the piano and struck up a syncopated version of "The Marseillaise." Feet began to tap and throats to hum, and Eric held Judith close in an improvised dance. "We'll celebrate our wedding tonight," Judith, he whispered, his lips against her vivid hair. "We'll run out to Earlham after the party."

She made no articulate reply. A vague sense of discontent tugged at her. But she danced close to his heart and smiled up into his eyes.

The music stopped with a bang just as they neared the great oak table in the hall. And Eric, with a mighty swing, lifted Judith till her toes touched the table top and she stood high above the shoulders of the men all.

The men began to laugh. "Give us a dance! Give us a dance!" The pianist was banging his chords. And Judith began to laugh uncertainly, seeing only the green eyes of Eric greedily upon her.

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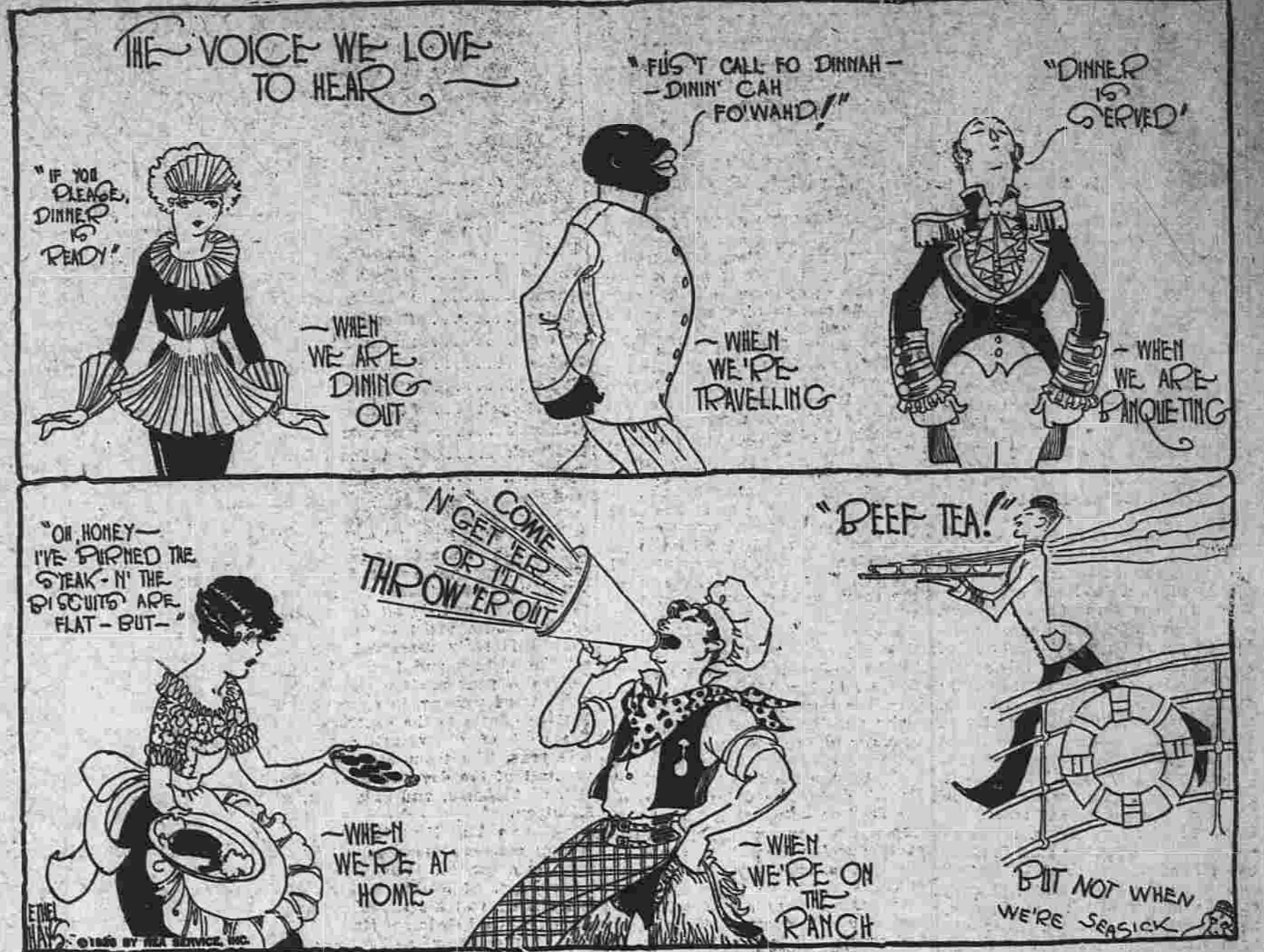
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This And That In Feminine Lore

Zion Lutheran church women have their annual Christmas sale at the church, corner Cooper and High, tomorrow at two and throughout the evening. The Sewing Club has made gift articles galore. There are many wonderful cooks over that way and the good things they have baked for the food table will go quickly. Invite your friends, it won't cost anything to drop in, but be sure to take a basket and a fat purse for you will not be able to resist the temptation to buy, and buy and buy.

Here is a rather new, clever definition of style. "Style is that feature of a dress which enables you to sell it to a woman because she thinks it will enable her to sell herself."

Gone are the days when a fur coat was worn for years without an alteration. Lines change with every season and now they are decidedly slim. The cut of the coat today is as important as the fur. Some of the women are wrapping the ample coats of other seasons tightly around them and trying to hold them there, as it would appear, while they walk. The collars this year seem to be more a part of the wrap than ever before.

The government would be grateful if you would shop early, wrap carefully your Christmas packages, address them plainly and mail them promptly. The stores would be even more grateful, and if you shop early you will be apt to select carefully and thoughtfully. The result will be that you will be gratified as deeply as will the recipient.

The Old Wood Shop, Pitkin street at East Center carries unusual and distinctive gifts that are shown nowhere else in town. Objects, articles, unique and from foreign climes are here for your selection.

You will like a good orange marmalade on the griddle cakes or on the toast. Try it in place of syrup. If orange marmalade is not at hand, quince, peach or any of those rich conserves are delicious.

If oranges do not figure in some way on the breakfast menu, serve them as a salad, or cut up with a custard at tea. For salads the navel oranges are best. The pulp is firm and can be removed more easily than the softer, juicy Florida variety.

"The Voice on the Fountain," a novel written by Marie de Rumania, is to be adapted to the screen by a British firm of film producers.

A state department of education received the rhyme below with the suggestion that it be printed in textbooks to meet "present conditions," evidently thinking it more up to date than Whittier's "Barefoot Boy."

Blessings on thee, little dame, bare of neck and knees the same; With thy ruffled down, alken hose, and thy thin, transparent clothes; With thy pretty made-up face, and thy bobbed hair's jaunty grace; With thy red lips reddened more with thy lip stick from the store. With all my heart I give thee joy. Thank the Lord I was born a boy.

Pork Patties with Apple Rings. Three-fourths pound lean pork, 1 cup stale bread crumbs, 2 table-

spoons milk, 1 egg, 1 tablespoon drippings. Two large apples, 1-2 cup sugar, 4 tablespoons water, 2 tablespoons lemon juice, 1 teaspoon grated lemon rind.

Put pork through food chopper and combine with crumbs, milk and egg. Season with a scant teaspoon salt and 1-2 teaspoon pepper. The egg is not beaten before adding to the meat mixture. Mix thoroughly. Form into flat, little cakes and saute in hot drippings. Peel apples and cut in inch slices. Make a thick syrup of sugar, water, lemon juice and grated lemon rind. Remove cores from apple slices and simmer in syrup until clear. Drain from syrup and brown quickly in fat in which pork was cooked. Serve each patty on an apple ring.

The fat should be very hot when the patties are first put in. Brown quickly first on one side and then on the other. Then reduce heat and cook slowly for 30 minutes.

MARY TAYLOR.

A COAL MINE

In these days of coal shortages it would be wise for you to buy an ashtray. The cost of the ashtray and the time spent in sifting the ashes will be paid by the large amount of coal that you will be able to rescue from the ash heap.

Sheik's Spirit Whispers

Grandma Wore Bustles! Then it seems the war broke. "Conduct unbecoming a lady and a U. D. C." clarified past presidents of this body, who called upon the shades of their female ancestors who would no more have been photographed in a bathing suit than have eaten raw worms.

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The WOMAN'S DAY by Allene Summer "BLUE IS FOR BOYS"

Continued discussion of science's near solution of how the sex of a child may be controlled before birth, arouses interesting speculations. And since any speculation only becomes interesting when it becomes personal, let us personalize it now. Listen, parents, you who are fixing up that half-bushel peach basket with salinette for a bassinet, you can have a boy or girl which will you have?

If you're average, the choice stuns you. In the first place, you are a member of the human species, are not accustomed to being forced to make such a choice. Second, it's such a choice! Suppose you choose a "boy" and he turns out to be a burglar, it'll be justice on you for making so bold as to choose, and if you say "girl," and the girl "turns out wrong," there you are again! Here's warning that prove science what it will, things will be just about where they were before unless women get rumors of another war—then, if they are canny, they'll be all girls!

Bathing Beauty Too Old Is it because the silver-haired Mrs. Samuel Burleigh Milton, erstwhile member in good standing of the United Daughters of the Confederacy, has curves and not anatomical slits that she is no longer a member in good standing? The story goes like this. The lady in question, member of said august body, won five cups for swimming and life-saving. That was all right, but she had her "picture" taken. It had been taken, all right, but she had worn, as all good U. D. C.'s should wear under such circumstances, a neat but not gaudy, not-too-low and not-too-short dress. But Mrs. Milton thought that since she would pose with her cups it would be errant gallantry to wear anything but the bathing suit which helped her win the cups.

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Now, I wish you could see the picture. It's the cutest, prettiest thing you ever saw! Mrs. Milton has all the plumpness that the 50's are heir to, her white hair is bobbed, and her legs beat any flapper legs I have ever seen. With the faintest ankles imaginable, it's a refreshing change from the flood of usual bathing beauty pictures. Of course, she's right! How silly she would have looked posed beside her cups as she wore black velvet with her pearls!

Nasty-Nice Ones! And it certainly is too bad that any body of women can instill such nasty-nice ideas into the minds of their daughters, trying to make them think that there's something indecent about the sight of mother in a bathing suit!

A Bouncing Girl Here's a new profession open to women—that delicate one known as "bouncing." For the benefit of those unfamiliar with the term, be it now explained that "a bouncer" is a gentleman—or lady—who sits or stands on the outskirts of a dance floor, usually, and ejects forcibly any person whose presence seems undesirable in the house. There are bouncers for theaters, too, but the dance-hall bouncer is the most common member of the species. Now it seems some halls are employing "lady bouncers" for the benefit of female guests whose delicate sensibilities object to being bounced by a member of the opposite sex.

Note, College Maids! I recommend to the physical education department of our colleges that they train their maids for this lofty occupation. Teachers, it seems, for which profession the majority of our college girls are trained, are a drug on the market. Thousands of college-trained teachers are out of jobs. Here's a solution. Make 'em bouncers!

NATURAL ICE BOX During the cold wintry months the ice bill can be cut down. If the air is cool enough to keep butter from melting when you place it in the window ice box, you can safely leave any foods exposed outside and they will not spoil.

Good Nature and Good Health



SNOW, COLD WATER BEST IN TREATING FROSTBITE

BY DR. MORRIS FISHBEN

Editor Journal of the American Medical Association and of Hygiene, the Health Magazine

When a portion of the body not properly protected is exposed to intense or extreme cold, the tissues become affected. If the cold is sufficiently intense and the exposure is sufficiently prolonged, the part becomes frozen.

When the circulation of the blood is sluggish, as in the young, the old and the sick, suffering from cold is likely to be more severe. In the same way those parts of the body in which the circulation is least active, and which are least protected by clothing, as the ears, the hands and the feet, are most likely to be affected.

Blisters May Form In mild frostbite there usually is merely tingling and slight pain. If the cold is more intense and the exposure more prolonged, blisters form with serum or blood inside of them.

If the freezing is still further prolonged, the entire part becomes gangrenous because of the congealing of the blood within. Then the tissues appear bluish, shrunken or wrinkled and are without sensation or the power of motion.

The best treatment for frostbite

is well to remember that the closest as well as the bedroom needs airing. Leave the door open frequently and open those windows which will ventilate it most thoroughly.

Home Page Editorials Stubbornness in Marriage

By Olive Roberts Barton

A judge who had granted 375 divorces in one week remarked, "I wish there was another word for 'incompatibility.'"

"Men and women who can't get along seem to think there is something unusual and rather fine in their make-up when the word 'incompatibility' is tacked on to them. I believe that incompatibility is just plain stubbornness in nine cases out of eleven, and cursed stubbornness at that.

"It's a great thing for any man or any woman to be able to put him or herself into the other's place and try to see things from another angle. It is foolish for two people to take a stand on opposite sides of a house and shout that it looks thus and so, and no other way but thus and so."

"As a foolhardy," went on the judge, "as the four blind beggars who described an elephant. One put out his hand and said, 'It's a wall!' 'No,' said another touching the tail, 'It's a rope.' 'Wrong!' cried a third who had explored a leg, 'It's a tree!' while the fourth, who may well guess, declared that an elephant was nothing but a snake, as he had grasped its trunk thing! 'Breath of view is a great thing! And narrowness of view a foolish thing."

"There is one case I have in mind where a divorce was averted by the man's ability and bigness and willingness to concede a point.

BETTER TASTE IN VEGETABLES Soak all vegetables in cold water before cooking. This will make the vegetables crisp and more tasty and will also remove all insect eggs and dirt that still remain on them.

BAKING MOLASSES CAKES Cakes containing molasses burn easily. They should be baked in tins lined with greased paper and in an oven that is not too hot.

HOT WATER FOR TEA When you are making tea be sure that the water is boiling hot, before you pour it over the tea leaves. Water below the boiling point will give the tea a flat, bitter taste.

Editorial: "There is one case I have in mind where a divorce was averted by the man's ability and bigness and willingness to concede a point."

FLAPPER FANNY



The best tip to one who has to mend socks is—do your darndest.

INTELLIGENCE TESTS



This actress has appeared on the stage and in photoplays. Do you know her? The correct answer to this and the following questions appear on another page: 1—Who is shown in the accompanying picture? 2—What class of products are advertised by the slogan, "Ask the man who owns one"? 3—Who won the recent Harry Willis-Jack Sharkey fight? 4—Who is Gilda Gray? 5—Who is the baseball player that resigned as manager of the Detroit Tigers? 6—Where is Buffalo Bill's grave? 7—What is the popular nickname for the state of Oklahoma? 8—Which state of the United States has the smallest population? 9—What figure is on the back of a United States Liberty 50-cent coin? 10—What color is meerschaum? Many a merchant's financial back has been broken carrying too heavy a load of deadbeats.

SENSE AND NONSENSE

THANKSGIVING THANKS There's frost upon the window pane A gleam in ev'ry flake; There's ice upon the weather-vane, An' icin' on the cake; There's ice cream in the freezer, An' there's ice upon the ground, An' each gust o' wind's a WHEEZ-ER— Pili'n' snow up in a mound! The ol' kitchen range is goin', With a rumble an' a roar, An' the lids are fairly glowin' An' it's etin' wood galore! House is hotter than an ember— Makes a mortal fairly fry! Out-o' doors, it's late November— In the house, it's mid-July. There's a smell o' turkey bakin', An' o' spices, in the air, An' o' mince pie, in the makin' Makin' palates "ITCH" for fair! An' the scent o' sweet vaniller, An' o' orange an' lemon, too, 'Till it fairly THRILLS a feller— Makes him HUNGRY through and through! Pretty nearly time for DINNER! Soon the folks will gather 'round, An' the "outer" man, an' "inner," In life's blessin's will abound! An' we'll all be glad we're LIVIN', On this good earth here below, As we give thanks for THANKS-GIVIN'— Hearts with gratitude aglow!

Girls who long for a Cinderellas line should go to the beach and sit in the sun until they get a good Browning. The crowning achievement of the five-and-ten will be the installation of a divorce department. Charlie: You used to wear corsets. Why did you give them up? Gladys: I had a couple of complaints. "We used to make flaming youth flame with a single in the woodshed, and now we do it with an amber cigarette holder and an eight-cylinder motor car."

There seems to be nothing that will dim the shining lustre of some men's brass. "How nice it would be if nobody ever made a mistake." "I don't know about that. I manufacture erasers."

Big men are hated, little ones capized. The physician's maid had been summoned to the front door by the ringing of the bell. "No, sir," she said, in reply to the caller's query, "I don't know how long the doctor will be. He's been called out on an eternity case."

Charles Sweet says he can't recall ever getting any cheerful news out of one of those envelopes with a sun parlor in front.

What's a home without a thoroughly comfortable chair. Landlady: You seem to be musically inclined, Mr. Jones. I so often hear you singing when taking your morning bath. Roomer: I do enjoy music, indeed, Mrs. Smith. But the reason I sing when taking my bath is that the door won't lock.

"Here's where I set the table in a roar," said the wife as she unpacked the lunch at Niagara Falls.

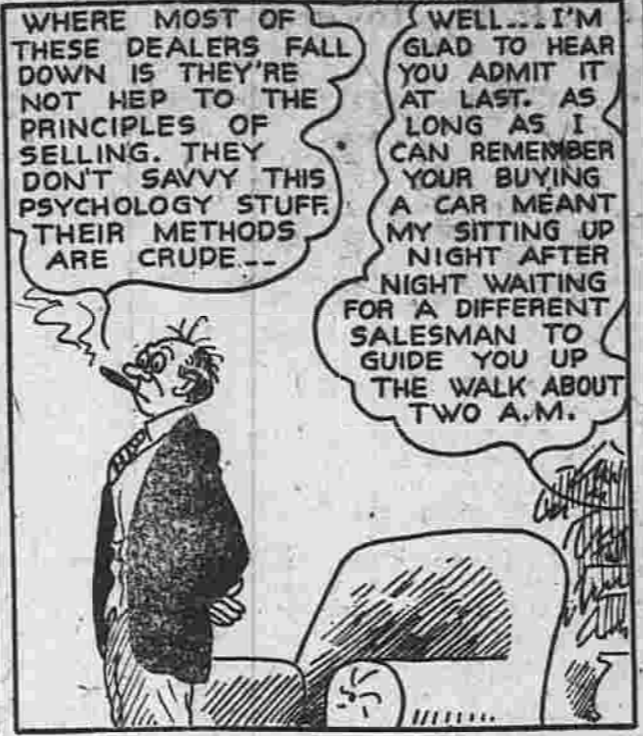
GAS BUGGIES—Lesson Number One



AFTER READING THIS BOOK "HOW TO SELL SUCCESSFULLY," I FEEL LIKE I COULD TAKE ON A LINE OF SNAPPY CARS AND KEEP THE FACTORY GOING DAY AND NIGHT, SINGLE HANDED.



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WELL...I'M GLAD TO HEAR YOU ADMIT IT AT LAST. AS LONG AS I CAN REMEMBER YOUR BUYING A CAR MEANT MY SITTING UP NIGHT AFTER NIGHT WAITING FOR A DIFFERENT SALESMAN TO GUIDE YOU UP THE WALK ABOUT TWO A.M.



I'LL SHOW YOU WHAT I MEAN. WE'LL SUPPOSE YOU'RE A LADY PROSPECT WHO HAS COME IN TO SEE THE CAR.



NO HURRY, MY GOOD MAN. I CAN WAIT TILL YOU'VE FINISHED WASHING YOUR HANDS.



NO WONDER OTHER GUYS GET AHEAD OF ME IN THIS WORLD. THEIR WIVES ARE A HELP TO 'EM... NOT A HINDRANCE!



LOVE-ELLY WETHUH, MON-SHOORE, LOVE-ELLY.

By Frank Beck

SKIPPY



THERE'S A MAN AINT GOT NO YOUS FOR XMAS SEALS.



SAY! WHAT'S WRONG WITH XMAS SEALS?



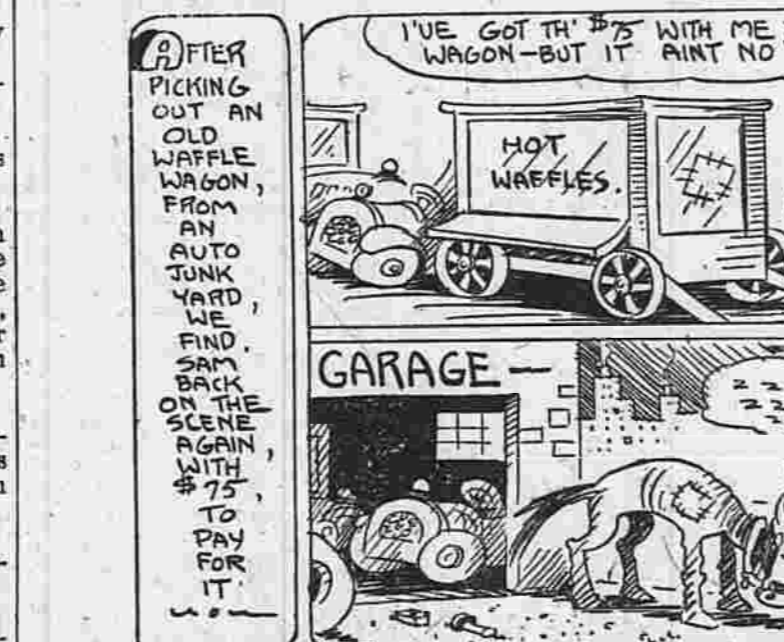
WHY IT'S A WONDERFUL CAUSE AND I ALWAYS BUY FIVE DOLLARS WORTH.



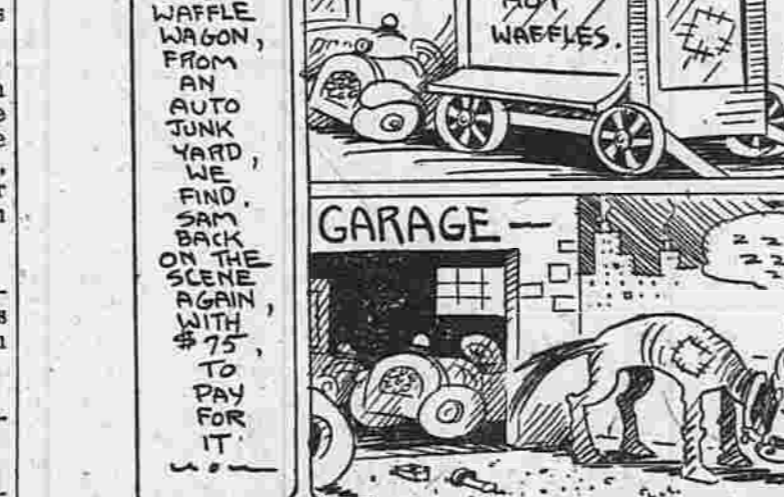
YOU MUST BE MISTAKEN— HE SEEMS LIKE A VERY KIND OLD GENT.

by Percy Crosby

SALESMAN SAM



AFTER PICKING OUT AN OLD WRECKLE WAGON, FROM AN AUTO JUNK YARD, HE FINDS SAM BACK ON THE SCENE AGAIN, WITH \$75 TO PAY FOR IT.



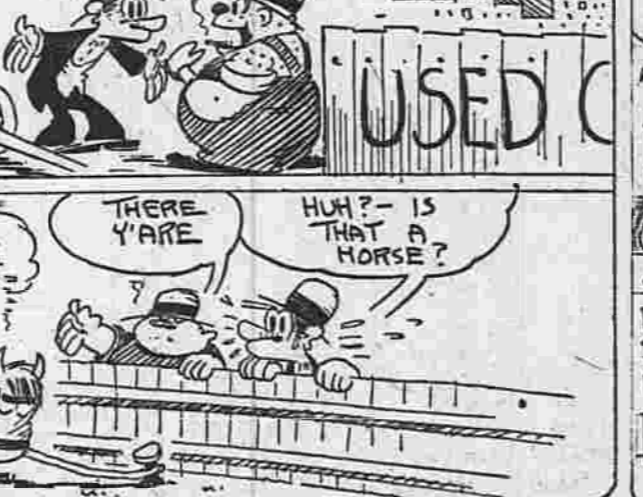
I'VE GOT TH' \$75 WITH ME, TO PAY FOR TH' WAGON—BUT IT AINT NO GOOD WITHOUT A HORSE.



THERE 'Y ARE.



I'VE GOT JUST WHAT YOU WANT.



HUH?— IS THAT A HORSE?



LESSEE \$75 FOR TH' WAGON— HOW MUCH DO YOU WANT FOR TH' HORSE?



PLEASE DO NOT HANDLE.



AND YOU CAN HAVE TH' WHOLE OUTFIT FOR \$50.

Good Riddance

By Swan

FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS



IT WAS NICE OF GRANDPA TO SHAME THIS OLD WATCH— IN GRANDPA GET TH' HAMMER AN' SCREW DRIVER AN' SEE WHAT'S INSIDE!



HOLD ON THERE!! WHAT ARE YOU GOING TO DO TO THAT WATCH?



AFTER GRANDPA WAS GOOD ENOUGH TO GIVE IT TO YOU, YOU WANT TO RUIN IT? WHY DON'T YOU TAKE IT TO THE JEWELRY STORE AND HAVE IT FIXED?

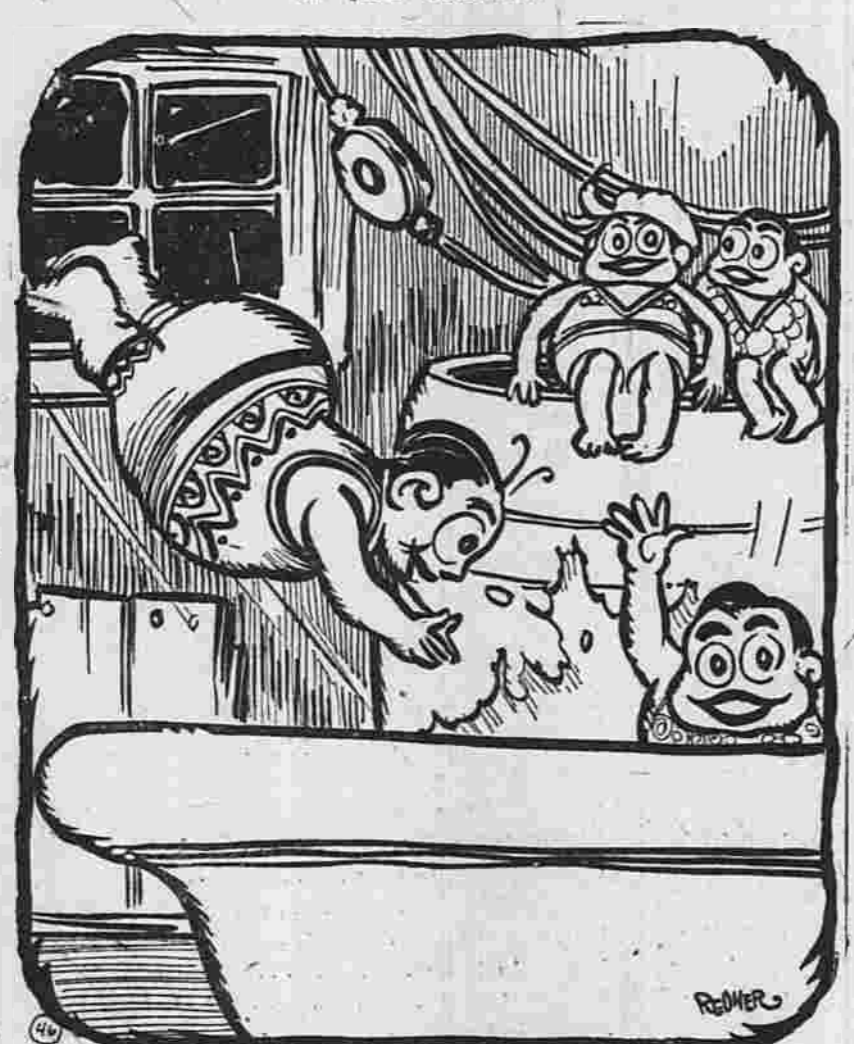


IF I GET IT FIXED, GRANDPA MIGHT WANT IT BACK!!

Tag Knows His Grandpa

By Blosser

THE TINYMITES

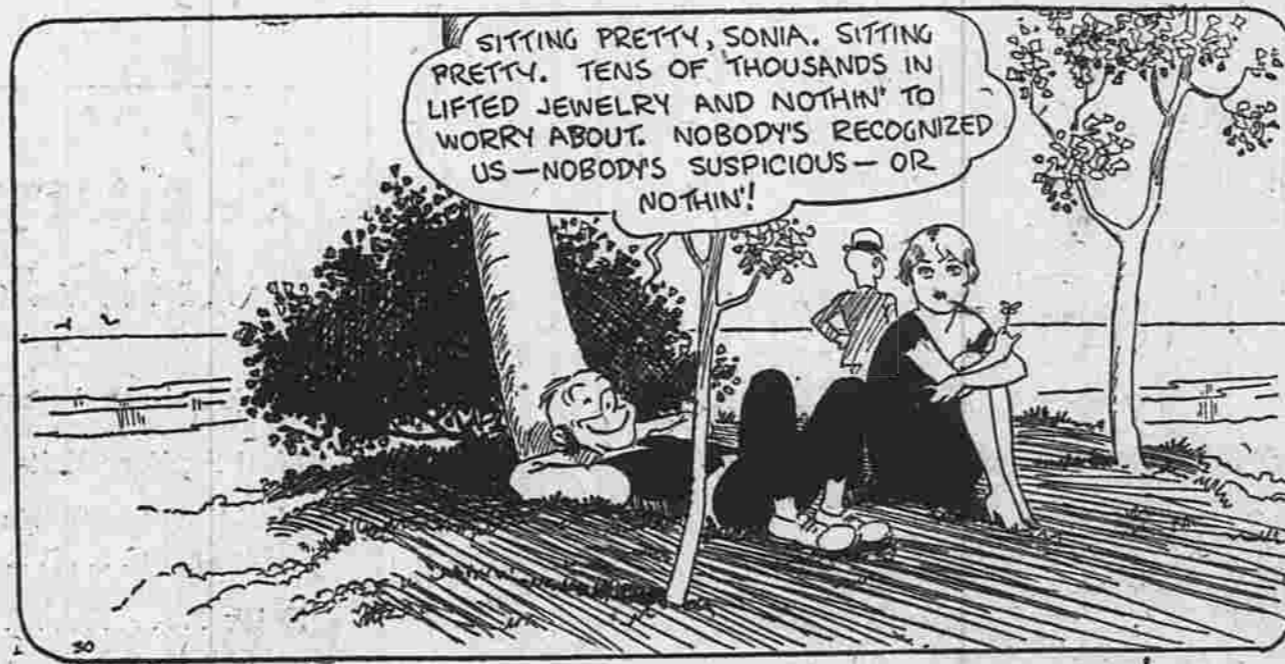


(READ THE STORY THEN COLOR THE PICTURE).

The coal man shortly drove away, and Scouty loudly shouted, "Hey! Just look at all our clothes. They're just as black as they can be. Our sliding in the coal was fun, but goodness, something must be done to get us rid of all this smudge. There's soot all over me." And all the others, too, were black, from head to foot, from front to back. They glanced at one another, hardly knowing who was who. "Ah, here's a tub, and here's a sponge," said Clowny, "let's all take a plunge." Of course they all agreed that was the proper thing to do. Off came their clothes, and very quick they put on bathing garment slick. Then Scouty turned the water on and filled the tub up high. They found a wash cloth and some soap, and Coppy said, "I surely hope that everyone takes care to keep the soap out of his eye." They found a starch box near at hand and pulled it up so they could stand upon it so's to reach the tub. This plan they thought was best. Then Coppy shouted, "Sakes alive! This sure is fun. Now watch me dive!" and, as he hit the water, it splashed out on all the rest. The others joined him in the tub, and started in to brisky rub their little arms and little legs to get the black soot loose. Said Coppy, "This is sure a fun. The coal dust surely sticks on tight." But they all found it helped a lot when soap was put to use. They played about and near got rough 'till Clowny said, "I've got enough." And, as he jumped out of the tub the others trailed behind. They scampered near the furnace door and squatted down upon the floor, to dry themselves. It was the nicest place that they could find. (To be continued) The Tinymites wash their clothes in the next story.

WASHINGTON TUBBS II

By Crane



SITTING PRETTY, SONIA, SITTING PRETTY. TENS OF THOUSANDS IN LIFTED JEWELRY AND NOTHIN' TO WORRY ABOUT. NOBODY'S RECOGNIZED US—NOBODY'S SUSPICIOUS—OR NOTHIN'!



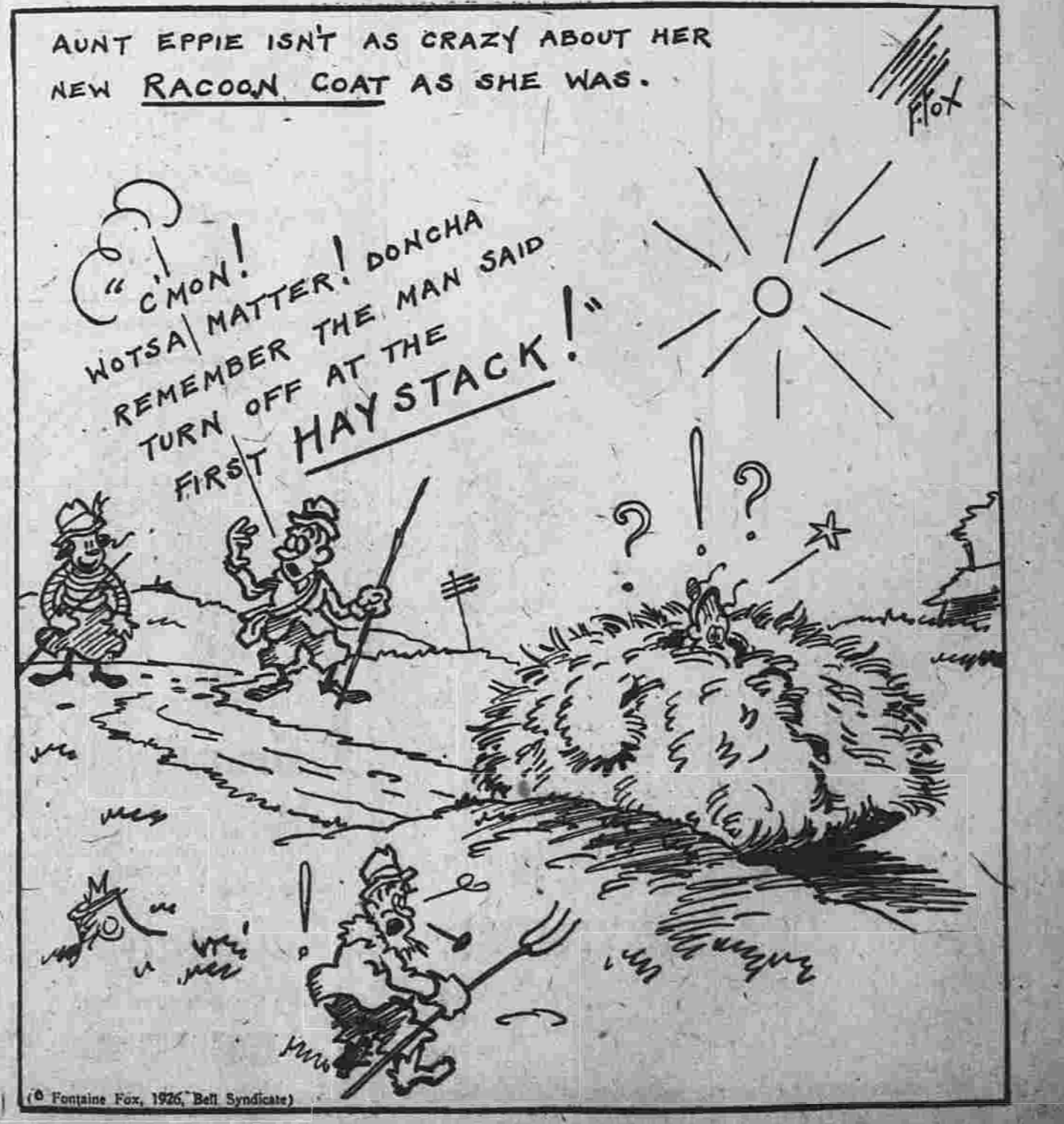
A CLEAN GETAWAY, AND HERE WE ARE, VISITING AT OUR VICTIMS VERY HOME, ABSOLUTELY SAFE AND— HEAVENS! LOOK!



M'GOSH! A DETECTIVE! TH' GUY THAT CAME HOME WITH GOZY'S DAD.

Aunt Eppie Hogg, the Fattest Woman in 3 Counties

by Fontaine Fox



AUNT EPPIE ISN'T AS CRAZY ABOUT HER NEW RACCOON COAT AS SHE WAS.

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PUBLIC WHIST BUCKLAND SCHOOL Tomorrow Evening...

ABOUT TOWN The Ladies' Aid society of the South Methodist church will meet...

Annual Christmas Sale Wednesday, 7.30 p. m. Second Congregational Church...

The Women of Mooseheart Legion will have their regular business meeting tomorrow evening...

James Curran, Main street grocer is at the Memorial hospital suffering with a severe attack of grip.

CARNIVAL DANCE AT THE RAINBOW TOMORROW NIGHT...

The ladies of the Zion Lutheran church on Cooper street will have their annual Christmas sale...

The Christian Endeavor society of Second Congregational church will serve a supper on Thursday evening...

Mrs. J. Stuart Neill will be hostess for the meeting of the Ladies Guild which will be held at the rectory of St. Mary's Episcopal church...

Mrs. William Fenton of Washington street will leave tomorrow for an extended visit with friends in Mount Vernon, Ohio.

Lady Roberts Lodge, Daughters of St. George, at their regular meeting tomorrow evening in Tinker hall will install their new officers...

Miss Evelyn Anderson of Center street will entertain the members of the Dorcas society of the Swedish Lutheran church at their regular meeting tomorrow evening.

A special meeting of the Ladies Aid society of the North Methodist church will be held with Mrs. E. P. Breaner of Woodbridge street tomorrow afternoon at two o'clock.

Michael Carra of Oxford street paid a fine of \$10 and costs for speeding his automobile on Center street this morning in the Manchester police court.

Mrs. Oliver Bingham and Miss Helen Mortari will be hostesses for the regular whist that is to be held at the White House tomorrow evening.

ELKS LADIES NIGHT TONIGHT AT RAINBOW

Rockville lodge of Elks will observe its annual Ladies Night tonight at the Rainbow Inn and Rainbow dance hall in Bolton.

A buffet lunch will be served. Dancing will be enjoyed with Al Behrends orchestra playing the music. An entertainment is also planned.

MISS HARRIET CONDON TO ADDRESS MOTHERS' CLUB

Manchester Mothers' Club members are sponsoring an art lecture and exhibit for tomorrow afternoon and evening.

Members of the Mothers' club are urged to attend the lecture and exhibit and the social hour planned by the committee.

KIWANIS CLUB WILL ELECT OFFICERS TOMORROW

Election of officers and directors for the year will be held at the regular noonday meeting and luncheon of the Manchester Kiwanis club at the Hotel Sheridan tomorrow and it is hoped every Kiwanian will make an effort to attend.

The Kiwanians are looking forward to the get-together next Wednesday evening at the Hebron Game club, when a venison dinner will be the attraction.

HISTORY OF MANCHESTER READY BY TOMORROW

Centennial Volume Expected to Be Distributed Before This Week Is Out.

First copies of the History of Manchester, written by Mathias Spels and Professor Percy Bidwell have been received here.

The new book, which was printed by William C. Schlegel of this town and bound in New York, is bound in three styles, cloth, leather and half leather.

In appearance the book compares favorably with high class publications. The typography, all of which was done in the local shop, is of a high order and the whole volume presents a neat example of first class printing and binding.

The history contains the story of this town since it was known as the Five-Mills tract and gives considerable valuable data on the prehistoric aspects of this section before the white men came.

The latter part of the book is devoted to Manchester in the Civil War and in subsequent years. The roster of Manchester companies in these wars is there full with lists of those who died or were killed in the service.

Manchester's business life is treated in a comprehensive manner, each major industry and business being given considerable space. Most space, however, is given to the mills of Cheney Brothers, Manchester's principal industry.

One of the interesting parts of the book is its section devoted to the Manchester Centennial observance of 1923. Practically everything that happened at that time

is described. The book is brimful of old cuts, some of which were made from photographs and others from newspaper clippings.

The complete edition, it was said today, should be here by Wednesday at the latest and plans for its distribution will be announced as soon as they are made.

The book is the result of work by the historical committee for the Centennial. The committee was headed by Mr. Spels and consisted of the following people: Joseph Alblston, Charles E. House, Miss Mary Cheney, Mrs. John M. William, Mrs. C. T. Falkner, Alfred Magnell, Mrs. Mary Cone Jenney Moser, Prof. Percy W. Bidwell.

ST. MARY'S EPISCOPAL LADIES TO HOLD ANNUAL SALE

Friday evening, December 10, is the date set for the annual Christmas sale, supper and entertainment of the various ladies' organizations of St. Mary's Episcopal church, always an event of much interest to the parishioners of this church and their friends.

Mrs. Anna Wade is chairman of a large committee who is making the necessary arrangements for the supper.

Miss Sarah McKinney, president of the Girls' Friendly society will have charge of the entertainment. Mrs. David Robinson heads the fancy article booth, Mrs. James Burdick, home-made candy; while the mystery booth for the children will be taken care of by Miss Agatha Wright, Miss Hilda Callis and Miss Margaret Harrison.

Dr. Fred F. Bushnell VETERINARIAN 494 East Center Street, Manchester Green. Office Hours: 7 to 8 P. M. TELEPHONE 1847.

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You will be interested, the youngsters delighted, with the holiday showing of Christmas toys and joys. See Santa Claus wonderful work shop. His sleigh and the reindeers. Come see the toys and toys for every little boy and girl.

COME MOTHERS AND FATHERS, BRING THE LITTLE ONES. YOU WILL ENJOY IT, THEY WILL ENJOY IT AND IT WILL BRING A GLOW OF HAPPINESS TO YOUR HEART TO SEE THEIR EYES GLISTEN AT WHAT THEY SEE.

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Now It's WINTER SHOES This weather demands heavier, cold and damp proof shoes. They are the best health insurance. Our line of Winter high cuts and Oxfords includes the popular Imported Scotch and Norwegian grains at \$8.00. Also tan and black calf Shoes and Oxfords in blucher and bal, newest lasts at \$5.00 to \$8.50. OUR RUBBERS THE BEST We carry only the very best grades of Rubber Footwear such as Gold Seal and American. It pays to buy Quality Rubbers. Arthur L. Hultman VISIT OUR NEW BOYS' DEPARTMENT.

A Severe Winter--Maybe Last winter was mild, you'll remember, and the chances are against next winter being as kindly. Anyway, you'll have to lay in a supply of coal and right now is the time to place your order. Coal is going to cost more next November and December than it does today. You will make no mistake if you fill your coal bin now. The W. G. Glenney Co. Allen Place. Manchester.

A Sale of Silks Crepe de Chine Georgette-Flat Crepe (Washable) REGULAR PRICE \$1.98. \$1.79 A YARD 40 INCHES WIDE This is our regular stock of crepe de chine, georgette and flat crepe which we are offering today and tomorrow at \$1.79 a yard. All the new winter shades: brown, channel red, oakwood, jungle green, fallow, coral, black, orchid, white, palmetto, silver gray, etc. SATIN BACK CREPE AND CANTON CREPE, Yard \$2.69 Our regular \$2.98 quality which we are offering special at this price for two days only—heavy quality that would make a beautiful dress for wear now. Colors: black, navy, brown, channel red and jungle green. \$9.98 VELVET BROCADE, Yard \$4.98 A saving of five dollars on every yard—you can buy two yards for what you would ordinarily pay for one. Three colors: black, brown and blue. SPORT SATIN, Yard \$1.00 This is a practical fabric for slips as it is noted for its wearing qualities—will not cling. Colors: green, tan, navy, white, henna and copen blue. \$1.50 RADIUM, Yard \$1.39 36 inch, all silk radium which comes in the plain colors of white, black, almond green, tan, gray, etc. Used for slips, trimmings, etc. Special at this low price for today and tomorrow only—buy now! \$1.00 PONGEE, Yard .79c Every housewife knows that pongee can be used for dozens of things, especially this all silk, government stamped, 12 M Pongee, which is a very fine quality at 79c a yard. \$2.25 BLACK CHARMEUSE, Yard \$1.69 Black! The leading winter shade. Satin! The leading winter fabric. Both of these, style notes are found in this Black Charmeuse which we have put a low price on for a few days only.

\$1.98 Crepe Satin yard \$1.39 One of the most important fabrics of the season—sponsored by every fashionable woman in a quality that would be unusual at a higher price. Lustrous sheen on one side and heavy crepe on the other. All the new winter shades. ALL WOOL FILLED COMFORTABLES REGULAR PRICE \$6.98. \$5.98 SIZE 72x78 INCHES Excellent comfortables—made to give the maximum in wear. All wool filled with a Parisian pattern covering with a 12 inch sateen border to match. Colors: rose, blue and gold. Be sure and come downtown tonight and buy one as they are offered at this price for a few days only.

Sanitary Goods At New Low Prices Ideal Sanitary Aprons... 50c, 75c, \$1.00 Ideal Sanitary Belts... 29c to \$1.00 Ideal Step-Ins, Skirts Bloomers... 75c, \$1, \$1.50 Kotex... 39c box Sanitary Napkins... 39c box New Books! In Our Circulating Library. Little French Girl... by Anne Sedgewick Bachelor Husband... by R. M. Ayres Beloved Woman... by Kathleen Norris Brains of the Family... by E. J. Rath Clondra Pearl... by Bertha Ruck Country Beyond... by J. O. Curwood Candlelight... by R. M. Ayres Enchanted Hill... by P. B. Kynne Lucky in Love... by Bertha Ruck Littlest Lover... by R. M. Ayres Peacock Feathers... by T. Bailey Re-creations... by G. L. Hill

BRING THE CHILDREN IN TO SEE The Punch and Judy Show Two shows tonight—seven and eight o'clock. Five shows Wednesday—ten, two, three, four and five o'clock. Bring the Kiddies—they will delight in seeing the wooden actors talk, sing, dance, etc. J. W. Hale Company SOUTH MANCHESTER, CONN.