

BOARD DEMANDS ECONOMY; SEES CUT IN TAX RATE

With Half Mill Slice Possible Selectmen Shave Ex- penses; Town Meeting March 7 Is Called.

The Board of Selectmen at a special meeting last night practically decided to recommend a 13-1-2 mill tax rate to the voters at the town meeting on March 7. The final decision on the rate the board will recommend will be made at a short session preceding the town meeting. The present financial standing of the town is not bright. The town Treasurer, George H. Waddell shows that by heaving close to the line in all departments the revenue from the 13-1-2 mill rate will be sufficient to pay current expenses. An additional \$5,000 for the parks appropriation will not be sought at the town meeting next month. Park Commissioner William C. Cheney has told the Selectmen that he does not believe the additional funds will be necessary this year.

Board of Relief Report

Decreases in the town's grand list will not exceed \$10,000 when the board of relief's revisions have been made, the Selectmen were informed. This will help greatly in keeping the tax rate down.

The special meeting last night was called for the purpose primarily of hearing property owners on Robert Road. The acceptance of the street and those on School street for sidewalk construction. The Robert Road hearing developed an interesting angle when E. H. Crosby, in informing the board he favored the street's acceptance, said that he preferred that it be called Boulder Road. All the other owners on the street wanted this name in preference to Robert Road, he stated.

Property Owners There

Property owners present at this hearing were Samuel Stevens, Norman Cabberty, Willard J. Horton, E. H. Crosby, James Irvine and Harry Meisland. All favored the street's acceptance as soon as possible but believed the name Boulder Road preferable to Robert Road. Selectman Robert J. Smith developed the tract, and said he had no preference in the matter. However, a map is on file in the town's records showing another layout bearing the name of Boulder Road. In executive session the board felt that by changing the proposed name of the street considerable confusion would result. It was finally voted to ask the town to accept the street as Robert Road.

Next Hearing Was on

the construction of concrete sidewalks

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RUDNER FACES LIFE FOR MELLETT MURDER

Charged With Paying Actual Slay \$200 to Kill News- paper Editor.

Canton, Ohio, Feb. 24.—Ben Rudner, Massillon hardware merchant, today faced the prospect of spending the rest of his life in prison as atonement for the part he played in the assassination of Don Mellett, Canton Daily News publisher, July 16, last.

He was found guilty of second degree murder by a jury which, after deliberating about seven hours, returned a verdict at 8:20 o'clock last night.

Rudner is the second man convicted of complicity in the Mellett slaying. Pat McDermott, who was charged with having been paid \$200 by Rudner to commit the crime was found guilty of first degree murder with recommendation for mercy, December 24. This verdict also carries sentence of life imprisonment.

JUSTICE'S DAUGHTER IS REPORTED MISSING

Mystery Surrounds Issuing of "Confidential Alarm" Sent Out by New York Police.

New York, Feb. 24.—Mystery surrounded the search for Kasia Mahoney who, according to a "confidential alarm" broadcast to police authorities, disappeared from her home on Monday. The address of the fifteen-year-old girl was given as 1212 Madison avenue, which is the home of Supreme Court Justice Jeremiah T. Mahoney, but Justice Mahoney refused to make any statement whatever, and police would not admit that the girl was his daughter Kasia, 15.

It was learned, however, that the disappearance was reported by Mrs. Mollie Mahoney. Mollie is the Christian name of Justice Mahoney's wife.

REFUSES A KISS FROM PRINCE OF WALES

London, Feb. 24.—Phyllis Freedman, daughter of a corner grocer, will go down in history as the girl who refused a kiss from the Prince of Wales.

When the Prince visited Bowler street to open an east end hostelry, Phyllis was delegated to present him with a bouquet. When she made the presentation the prince pinched her cheeks and leaped over to kiss her. Phyllis turned her lips away.

Phyllis is just two years old.

STEAMER SUNK; SAVE OVER 100 AT BALTIMORE

Another Reported Sinking Off Alaska—Rescuers Go Out to Assist—Crew Takes to Boats.

Baltimore, Md., Feb. 24.—The steamer City of Annapolis, a passenger vessel plying between Baltimore and Chesapeake Bay stations, was sunk this morning in a collision with her sister ship, the City of Richmond, in the bay, off the mouth of the Potomac River, according to wireless messages to the owners here.

No Lives Lost

No lives were lost, the messages stated, but the passengers and crew of the Annapolis were taken off by the Richmond and the S. S. St. Anthony, which stood by the sinking vessel.

The collision occurred shortly before two a. m., and the Annapolis stayed afloat until about four o'clock.

50 Passengers

The Annapolis carried between fifty and eighty passengers and a crew of fifty-three, according to the owners here.

The Richmond and the St. Anthony are proceeding to Baltimore with the Annapolis passengers and crew.

The Annapolis was one of the best vessels in bay service. She is 277 feet long and had a 53-foot beam.

Another Ship Sinking

Cordova, Alaska, Feb. 24.—The U. S. Scandian is sinking fourteen miles east of the Aleutian Islands at Kodiak harbor, Alaska, according to a message received at the United States naval station at Kodiak early today.

After the message saying the ves- sel was sinking had been received fishing boats immediately went out from Kodiak to go to his assistance.

See Rescue Boats

The rescue boats were sighted by the Scandian at 1:42 this morning according to radio dispatches from the Scandian, but the crew of the sinking vessel immediately went out from Kodiak to go to his assistance.

Six men remained on the vessel after the Scandian's life boats were loaded and cleared from the vessel, according to the last radio communication received from the ship.

Radio communication with the vessel ceased at 1:42, and no word has been received from her since. The vessel ran aground, the radio messages said.

COLLEGE MEN STUDY "BEHAVIOR" OF DIRT

Samples Gathered From All Parts of U. S. to Aid in Con- struction of Highways.

Cambridge, Mass., Feb. 24.—Research work that required the gathering of samples of soils from all parts of the country, is now being conducted by the Bureau of Public Roads of the United States Department of Agriculture for its study of the design and construction of highways in cooperation with Massachusetts Institute of Technology.

The object of the research, which is being conducted at Technology, is to develop suitable standard methods for testing soil, and to study the effects of various factors on the "behavior" of soils. These studies, it is expected, will provide engineers with definite means of identifying soils with each other and to adapt design and construction to certain characteristics.

Heretofore, highway construction has been severely handicapped by lack of knowledge of the various types of soil and their reactions under all weather and traffic conditions.

The research in soil "behavior" has been organized by Dr. Charles Terzaghi, associate professor of foundation engineering in the department of civil engineering at Technology.

TREASURY BALANCE

Washington, Feb. 24.—Treasury balance as of February 21: \$170,622,966.35.

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SUCCEEDED AT SEA



Members of the crew of the British schooner "Kathleen Conrad" who were rescued from their sinking vessel 70 miles off Boston light during the heaviest of the wintry tempest which recently raged over the north Atlantic. This picture was taken upon their arrival in Boston. Standing second from the right is Captain Simon Theraut, skipper of the Gloucester fishing smack "Grand Marshall," the rescuing craft. The others are (standing, left to right), Frank Lohnes, Fred Randall, Leman Conrad, Moyle Conrad, captain of the "Kathleen Conrad," and Manley Goodrich. Kneeling, C. B. Mason, M. J. Conrad, Eli Thornhill, Harold Wilkie and George Randall.

Brilliant Yale Student Arrested For Robbing Pal

New Haven, Feb. 24.—Howard Pierce Baker, of the department of drama, today declared they are confident "Mr. Phillips is not wholly responsible for what he did." Yale officials already have arranged for a medical examination of the student and see he gets treatment if diagnosis is what they believe it to be.

"Mr. Phillips has been a student at Yale for six years and has always been held in highest respect by his instructors and classmates," Dean Weeks and Professor Baker said.

STATE FILIBUSTER GOES OVER A WEEK

Small Town Representatives Plan to Imitate the U. S. Senate Movement.

Hartford, Feb. 24.—The filibuster movement planned in the House by "gravel road" advocates to block unfavorable action on appropriations for small town highways was postponed today when E. L. Averill, of Branford, House leader, moved that the matter be made the order of the day for next Wednesday at noon. The House approved such an action and also a proposal to print in the journal the controversial bills together with a substitute offered by Dr. William L. Higgins, of Coventry, which is favored by the state Grange. The bill over which a battle is expected would appropriate \$1,014,000 for the small towns for gravel road construction. The substitute offered provides that ten per cent of the receipts from motor vehicle registration and the state gasoline tax amounting to about \$81,500 a year be appropriated for the same purpose.

Salary Increases

A bill which would increase the salaries of the judges of the Supreme and Superior Courts was reported to the House today by the appropriations committee. The bill would give the chief justice \$12,500 instead of \$9,500 and the other justices and judges \$12,000 instead of \$9,000.

Favorable reports returned to the House today were: reimbursement Groton for money spent in laying sewers and sidewalks about the Griswold Fort tract owned by the state, the bill being passed under suspension of rules; restoration of forfeited rights to Michael Dominick, of Westport, also passed under suspension of rules; providing that an open season on wild duck, geese and brant shall conform to the federal migratory bird regulations; providing that the commissioner of agriculture shall be a member of the board of control of the state experiment station; providing that concentrated commercial fertilizers shall be adequately marked under state regulations before being sold.

Unfavorable Reports

Unfavorable reports included the following: authorizing bounties on crows and hawks; requiring hunters to secure consent of land owners in writing before hunting over that land; providing a closed season for wild ducks; increasing the salary of Windham county's state attorney, the matter being covered in another bill; providing for return of ball money to Theodore Luster.

The use of the hall of the House on the afternoon of March 25 was granted the joint committee on constitutional amendments for a hearing on a bill to grant at least one representative to each town.

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GREAT BRITAIN PRESS DIVIDED ON RED NOTE

Some Papers Say It's Not Strong Enough—Others Say It Won't Help Matters.

London, Feb. 24.—Great Britain's stiff protest to Russia against anti-British propaganda, threatening a disruption of the Anglo trade agreement and possibly diplomatic relations, was received here today by the press and public as commensurate with the British national dignity. There was, however, no general belief that the note would produce any real effects.

The Morning Post, which represents the extreme right of the Conservative party, declared "another Sir Austen Chamberlain nor anyone who studies events, can any longer hope that a note will deflect the Soviet government one jot from the implacable course of its policy."

The Daily Herald, labor organ, criticized the government for attaching too much importance to the speeches and writings of Russian politicians and journalists. "The note does nothing to ease the situation," said the Herald.

The Rothmans Press, which is strongly anti-Bolshevik, denounced the government for not making the note stronger.

JUDGE BOWERS'S CONDITION NOT IMPROVED TODAY

Judge Bowers's general condition had not improved today it was reported at the Memorial hospital at 2:30 this afternoon. However, his pulse was a little stronger, it was said.

PRINCE OF WALES VISITS THE SLUMS

Wants to Secure First Hand Information as to How Other Side Lives.

London, Feb. 24.—The Prince of Wales, who has probably seen the prettiest side of life, has now developed a desire to see the seamy side and to use his efforts to alleviate distress among the poorer classes.

This explanation is made for the repeated visits which the prince has lately made into the slum areas of London, where he has chatted with sailors, outcasts in Limehouse and men and women living in crowded antiquated quarters.

The prince's object was the question asked by the International News Service at St. James' palace.

"The prince," explained the spokesman for the heir to the throne of Great Britain, "means to keep in the closest touch, by personal experience, with all conditions of life, not only in the East End of London but throughout the country."

"His visits are impromptu, and occupy every free evening he has in London. He is seeking to know all about the housing problem, and especially about bid houses, and also about the problems of the poor child and unemployment. He wants no publicity for these visits. All he wants is first-hand information."

HEIRESS SCRUBS HOSPITAL FLOOR

Miss Mary Dupont of Powder Millionaire Family Training For Nurse.

Baltimore, Md., Feb. 24.—Miss Mary Bellin Dupont, 23, heiress to a considerable part of the Dupont powder millions, entered the freshman class of nurses at Johns Hopkins hospital here today and began scrubbing floors and wrestling with pots and pans along with dozens of other girls.

Miss Dupont made her debut in society two years ago. She is the daughter of Lamont Dupont, president of the E. I. Dupont De Nemours Company of Wilmington. She is said to have had to overcome strong parental objection in entering upon a nursing profession.

"It is my idea of something to do," she explained. "I shall give it a fair trial, anyway."

"The life of a student nurse, particularly a beginner, is no bed of roses. They arise early, work late, and there is little of romance in it. They soothe few fevered brows, but they do an enormous amount of cleaning and fetching and carrying about the hospital."

FINDS HUBBY DEAD IN NEARBY COTTAGE

Tried to Do Some Plumbing and Forgot to Turn Off Gas, Police Say.

Milford, Feb. 24.—Charles Palau, a Bridgeport insurance agent living at Myrtle Beach, arose early today to do some work in a nearby cottage which he was preparing for the occupancy of a family which was to move in next week.

Mrs. Palau went to the cottage and found her husband stretched out on the floor, and the cottage reeking with gas fumes. She carried her husband outdoors and tried first aid, while Paulau's parents who lived next door, sent for a doctor, who found the man dead.

Dr. J. W. H. Fisher, medical examiner, investigated and decided that Palau had disconnected a gas pipe to do some plumbing and had failed to turn the gas off. He decided the death was accidental.

"Palau, who was thirty-two, had just been re-elected president of the Third District Republican Club here. He leaves behind his widow and parents, a young son and daughter."

APPLICATION DENIED

Washington, Feb. 24.—The Interstate Commerce Commission today denied the application of the Boston & Maine railroad for authority to abandon four of its branch lines in Massachusetts. These are the Reformatory branch between Bedford and Concord; Bedford-North Billerica branch; that portion of the Essex branch between Hamilton-Walham station and Essex; and the Ashburnham branch.

TWO BODIES ON BOARD BRITISH TANKER WHICH BLEW UP IN NEW YORK HARBOR

New York, Feb. 24.—The charred bodies of two sailors were found today aboard the British tanker Black Sea off Bayonne, N. J., as rescuers, on the police launch Gypsy, fought to board the still smouldering vessel which blew up in the harbor yesterday.

NINE BANKS CLOSE

Pittsburg, Kansas, Feb. 24.—Nine banks including two savings associations in the coal fields of southeastern Kansas, with resources aggregating approximately \$800,000, were closed today.

REFORMATORY BRANCH CLOSED

Failure of John Miller, wealthy banker, landowner of Pittsburg to replace land and paper with cash, as ordered by the state banking commissioner, was given as the cause.

BRITAIN NOT TO LAND TARS IN NICARAGUA

GREAT BATTLE IS EXPECTED BY SHANGHAI

Both Armies Draw Up Near Sunkiang—May Start Fighting Today—Execu- tion Parties Are Sent Out.

Shanghai, Feb. 24.—The most important battle in the history of the Chinese republic seemed impending today as both the Nationalist troops under General Chiang Kai-shek, from the South, and the Fengtien troops of Marshal Chang Tso Lin, Manchurian war lord from the North, speeded up their race for military control of Shanghai, China's chief seaport.

The vanguard of the northern horde today had reached Wush, 80 miles from Shanghai, while the Nationalist Cantonese occupied Kashing, 60 miles to the southwest.

EXECUTION PARTIES

Sun Chuan-fang still controls Sunkiang, and is sending out execution parties to suppress the robberies being committed by deserters from the Sun army who have discarded their uniform but retained their arms.

The labor union at one o'clock this afternoon called off the strike which has partially paralyzed Shanghai since last Saturday. The cotton mills and other factories immediately resumed full operation, and at the post office partial resumption was effected.

THE STAGNATION IN SHANGHAI

The stagnation in Shanghai native city was more noticeable today because of the wholesale arrests of the military authorities. Approximately 200 persons, including 21 labor leaders, have been imprisoned. The labor leaders were abducted from the French concession where they had taken refuge.

GENERAL STRIKE

The labor union has announced that a general strike of one hour's duration, called for Monday from ten to eleven o'clock, throughout China, will be observed in Shanghai.

THE SHANGHAI TIMES

The Shanghai Times, an English language daily, today reported the arrest, trial and execution of a strike picketer at Chapei. The picketer arrived too late to save the picketer's life, but they arrested and beheaded two of the ringleaders.

CHINA'S TRANSPORT

The United States transport Chaumont arrived today, bringing 1,300 marines for China duty.

WAR CRUISER TO ACT AS PLACE OF REFUGE

THREE BOYS DIE IN ICY POOL

Perth Amboy, N. J., Feb. 24.—Three boys, two of whom were found dead today in an ice covered pool in an abandoned clay pit in Keasbey. They had been missing since last night when they left their homes to slide on the pond. A large hole in the ice led searchers to the bodies.

The dead were Frederick and Howard Peterson and Ernest Cross.

MOTORIST HITS LOCAL WOMAN SPEEDS AWAY

Mrs. Jennie M. Cook Badly Hurt By Hit-and-Run Auto Driver Who Fails to Stop.

Struck by a hit-and-run motorist late last night near her home, Mrs. Jennie M. Cook, of Manchester Green, was badly injured and is confined to her home under doctor's care while police are trying to learn the identity of the driver of the automobile, who failed to stop and fled toward Bolton. It is said that Mrs. Cook's injuries are not dangerous, although she was badly shaken up and suffered many cuts and bruises. Her clothing was hady torn.

Mrs. Cook, who is of middle age, had been attending a meeting of the Eastern Star Chapter at Odd Fellows Hall. She returned to the Green on the 11:45 trolley car and was walking along the side of the street on the way to her home, which is a few rods from the trolley terminus. She was alone.

Came From Behind

The automobile which struck her approached from the rear. It knocked Mrs. Cook down and dragged her for some distance. The motorist did not stop but continued toward Bolton. Mrs. Cook was unconscious when picked up by another motorist, who took her to her home at 527 Middle Turnpike East. A physician was summoned.

"Mrs. Cook's neck, back and hat were missing. The purse was later found in the snow several yards from the scene of the accident, which was in front of the home of Harry Hill. The hat, however, could not be found and it is believed to have caught on the automobile.

"The motorist was reported to the police immediately but up until noon, Chief of Police Gorham said no trace had been found of the unknown driver.

Miss Anna Coleman of Manchester Green, another person who was on board the motorist in an automobile were unsuccessful in their attempt to overtake the driver. It is said.

"I do not think Mrs. Cook is seriously injured," said the attending physician today. "She has several broken bones and apparently no internal injuries. However, she is suffering from numerous cuts and bruises. There is a large abrasion on her left hip, where the auto apparently struck her first. Her recovery seems assured."

FIND SAILORS DEAD ON BURNING SHIP

Two Bodies on Board British Tanker Which Blew Up in New York Harbor.

New York, Feb. 24.—The charred bodies of two sailors were found today aboard the British tanker Black Sea off Bayonne, N. J., as rescuers, on the police launch Gypsy, fought to board the still smouldering vessel which blew up in the harbor yesterday.

The two bodies were discovered amidships on the port side of the tanker. So terrific was the heat thrown off by the burning oil vessel that the rescuers were unable to board her to make a thorough investigation of the extent of fatalities. Rescuers feared that several others of the crew also may have lost their lives.

England's Action In Sending Man o' War Welcomed By Our State Department; It Strengthens Kellogg's Position, Officials Say.

Latest Bulletin

Washington, Feb. 24.—Great Britain was advised by the United States today that the American government is able and amply prepared to protect foreign lives and property in Nicaragua.

The notification took the form of a brief note handed Sir Ernio Howard, the British ambassador, in exchange for a British communication notifying this government that H. M. S. Colombo was being dispatched to Nicaraguan waters.

Washington, Feb. 24.—Great Britain's dispatch of a warship to the west coast of Nicaragua to protect British interests was viewed with equanimity today by the State Department.

No protest against the British man o' war's presence in Nicaraguan waters will be made by this government, so long as the vessel acts merely as "a place of refuge" for the 200 odd British subjects in the country.

Cannot Land Tars

Any attempt, however, to land British tars on Nicaraguan soil, or to take any punitive action against the Nicaraguans for injuries suffered by British interests, will be met with a most emphatic American protest, under the well-understood Doctrine of Monroe.

Great Britain rightly understands this attitude on the part of the American government and is prepared to respect it, according to information here.

American's Policy

The American policy in this respect is the same as that followed at Vera Cruz in 1913, when the warships of half a dozen foreign powers, including Mexico, were permitted to land their marines to do the fighting.

Instead of viewing the presence of the British warships in Nicaraguan waters with alarm, State Department officials apparently welcomed it today. It relieves this government of the necessity of providing a "place of refuge" for British subjects, should conditions become serious, and at the same time it strengthens the State Department's contention that the Nicaraguan situation is really serious.

Hard to Convince

Secretary of State Kellogg has had a difficult task in convincing a considerable part of the Senate that conditions in Nicaragua have justified the dispatch of nearly five thousand marines and bluejackets to the Central American trouble zone, consequently, the British action was regarded by State Department officials as furnishing additional support for Kellogg's policy. There is reason to believe that the State Department was not very much surprised by the British decision. It is, in fact, understood in diplomatic circles that this government had advance knowledge of the British decision and approved it, with the understanding, of course, that there would be no attempt to land forces.

Despite the British action, there was today, however, no apparent diminution of Senatorial opposition to the whole Nicaraguan policy of the administration.

Borah Objects

Senator Borah, Republican of Idaho, chairman of the Senate foreign relations committee, was inclined to be ironic.

"Little Nicaragua, with 600,000 people, is already surrounded by an American naval force sufficient to crush it overnight," he said. "Now the British navy moves into action. There are also a few Italians in Nicaragua. I suppose the Italian navy will cease patrolling the Mediterranean now and move to Caribbean waters."

"Meantime, no foreign lives have been lost, nor foreign property destroyed."

Borah quoted a letter he said he has just received from an American businessman in Nicaragua, saying "no Americans in Nicaragua have any just cause for complaint."

Congressional Probe

A first-hand investigation of Latin-American affairs during the congressional recess by a committee of Senators appeared certain today, irrespective of whether the investigation is authorized by the Senate. When the foreign relations committee met today to again consider the Borah resolution, proposing

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Local Stocks

(Furnished by Putnam & Co.)

Table of Local Stocks including Bank Stocks, Insurance Stocks, Public Utility Stocks, and Manufacturing Stocks with various prices and shares.

N. Y. Stocks

Table of N. Y. Stocks with columns for High, Low, and 3 p.m. prices for various stocks.

WEAVING GIRLS MUST WATCH STEP TONIGHT

Or They May Be Caught in Embarrassing Position in Cheney Hall Cinderella Dance.

According to reports this noon, the chief topic of conversation at the Weaving mill in Cheney Brothers this morning had to do with that mysterious Cinderella dance which is to be one of the most awaited events on the program for the third annual party which the employees of that department will hold tonight at Cheney hall.

FACE PROSECUTION FOR NEGLECT OF FUR TRAPS

Three Lawbreakers Hereabout Under Observation—Legal Trappers Operating.

One negligent fur trapper working out of the north end and another who has maintained a line of traps in the Laurel Park section are under observation for neglect of their traps.

ABOUT TOWN

A son, Nicholas, was born at Memorial hospital last night to Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Carabella, of Boston.

Louise Ansdell, 19, of 140 Maple street, has entered the Memorial hospital for her treatment.

SETTLE SCHALLER SUIT BEFORE COURT SESSION

Local Man Gets Award From Connecticut Company Before Case Is Heard.

The suit brought by Henry A. Schaller of this town against the Connecticut Company as the result of an accident on Center street October 23, 1925 was settled yesterday before the case was brought into court.

CENTER CHURCH NOTES

The Junior department of the Center church Sunday school will have a Washington party tomorrow evening at seven o'clock.

The meeting of the Boy Scouts will be held in the primary room tomorrow evening because of the Junior party.

FISH GAME CLUB TO ELECT TONIGHT

The annual meeting of the Manchester Fish and Game Club will be held tonight in Tinker hall.

Waterbury, Conn., Feb. 24.—Gurgling into the Waterbury sewer system today went 77,413 gallons of beer, a quantity that is estimated to have been enough to fill 1,351 barrels with real brew.

SENATE FILIBUSTER WORRYING CONGRESS

Washington, Feb. 24.—Perched atop a legislative jam and opposed in the Senate by one of the best organized filibusters on record.

The Senate from Arizona, Utah and Colorado, who fought the bill for five days and who drove their filibuster successfully through a tortuous thirty-hour, all-night session from Tuesday morning until Wednesday evening, were prepared to resume the battle today.

WEALTHY FOLKS ARM TO CATCH BURGLARS

Two Young Men Found In Bierck Home In Green Farms Section of Westport.

Westport, Feb. 24.—Residents of the exclusive Green Farms section sprang to arms late yesterday afternoon at the cry of robbers sounded by one of the colony, and established a patrol about the summer home of Mrs. Frances Bierck, of New York, whose brother is William Bierck, the movie actor.

BRITISH NOT TO LAND TARS IN NICARAGUA

London, Feb. 24.—Great Britain has decided to send a cruiser to Nicaragua as a place of refuge for British subjects.

The foreign office today issued the following statement: "The British charge at Managua has informed the British government that the United States can no longer give a guarantee for the safety of British lives."

STATE FILIBUSTER GOES OVER A WEEK

The matter is intended to give West Haven a representative which the town now lacks.

The Senate Favorable reports were returned to the Senate today on the Sunday moving picture bill which would change the starting hour for showing picture on the Sabbath from seven to two p. m. on a bill pending in the Senate for a month.

EX-MINISTER TO SIAM IS DEAD IN STAMFORD

Stamford, Conn., Feb. 24.—The funeral of George Pratt Ingersoll, former United States minister to Siam who died at his residence here yesterday afternoon, will be held Saturday afternoon at his late residence on Glenbrook road.

The estimated population of Canada is 9,364,200. There are 103 men to every 100 women.

Have You Seen It? Your New Car is at the Hartford Prosperity Auto Show. State Armory, Capitol Ave & Broad St. Open Until 10:30 p. m. Saturday Night.

McLiff-Harrison Studio De Danse. State Theater Building. Private Instruction for Married Couples. STATE CAFE AND Delicatessen Lunch. Chas. Kuhr, Prop. 20 Bissell St., So. Manchester.

Mission at St. Mary's Church. Rev. David Kelly, Preacher. Tonight—Thursday at 7:30 p. m. Young People's Night. Tomorrow—Friday at 7:30 p. m. Women's Night.

31st Annual Masquerade Ball. St. Mary's Young Men's Club. CHENEY HALL. FRIDAY EVENING, FEBRUARY 25. Grand March 9 o'clock. BILL WADDELL'S 8 PIECE ORCHESTRA. Admission 50c.

When You Catch Cold Rub On Musterole. Musterole is easy to apply and works right away. It may prevent a cold from turning into flu or pneumonia.

Circle TONIGHT AND TOMORROW. 2-FEATURES-2. RALPH LEWIS in "The False Alarm". CAN A WOMAN LOVE A COWARD? SEE "THE FALSE ALARM" FOR THE COMPANION FEATURE. "One Hour Of Love".

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Jackie Coogan Johnny Get Your Hair Cut. Tomorrow & Saturday 5 SELECT VAUDEVILLE 5. JACKIE COOGAN ACTS IN "JOHNNY GET YOUR HAIR CUT" ACTS

Rockville
PLAN INNOVATIONS
AT CRYSTAL LAKE

Night Bathing to Be Made Possible - Trap Shoot Tournay Planned.
(Special to The Herald)
Rockville, Feb. 24. George Bokis, proprietor of Sandy Beach Park, Crystal Lake and J. N. Keeney, secretary, are busy with tentative plans for the season at this popular resort.

STUART DESCRIBES THIRD MARRIAGE
Ex-Minister Tells How He Met Marie James—Second Wife Finds Them.

In this article, the third of a series of six, Robert MacLaren Stuart, unfrocked Presbyterian minister and admitted polygamist, tells of his marriage to Marie Barbara James, who became the mother of his only daughter.
By Robert MacLaren Stuart
Grand Haven, Mich., Feb. 24.—After leaving the beautiful and talented Ethel Osbaldeston of New York I darted from place to place thinking for a time that I was being sought by police as a bigamist. My legal wife knew of my troubles, but refused to prosecute me. There were times when I would see her and my three sons, but these visits were fraught with danger, and they became less and less frequent.

SIMMONS STOCK GOES TO SPRINGFIELD MAN
Merchandise of Bankrupt, Sold at Auction, Brings Two-Thirds Inventory.

The bankrupt stock of Ben Simmons, operator of a clothing and haberdashery store in the State theater building, was sold at public auction this morning by Auctioneer Pastenack of Hartford, acting for the receiver in bankruptcy. Simmons failed here some time ago and it is reported that he has started in business again in Putnam.
The stock had been inventoried at \$1,890 and was sold to Max Fishman of Springfield for \$1,250. The sale is subject to the approval of Referee Saul Berman of Hartford. A cash register was sold to H. Minis of this town.
Buyers from all over this section of Connecticut were present at the auction. Bidding was brisk and the whole thing took less than 15 minutes.

GIFT PLAYGROUND NOT NEEDED HERE
Manchester, Already Supplied, Can Decline Harmon Fund Offer.

It is considered improbable that Manchester will apply for one of the \$2,000 gifts being offered by the Harmon Foundation of New York through the Playground and Recreation Association of America for the purchase of a new playground. The gifts are being offered to communities of more than 2,500 population which have shown a growth of more than 30 per cent since 1900.
This town is well supplied with playgrounds. There are two in the South End, one at the North End, one at Manchester Green and one at Highland Park. Most of these playgrounds are controlled by the school districts, one by a club and another by a private corporation.

OWNERSHIP
At the South End of the town are the playgrounds on Spruce street and at the West Side. The Spruce street tract, adjoining the Nathan Hale school, is owned by the Ninth School district and operated from the Recreation Center. That at the West Side is owned by Cheney Brothers and also controlled by the Rec.

ATLETICS FIGURE IN CHURCH NIGHT BILL
Numerous Competitive Events Planned For Affair of North Congregational.

Members of the North Congregational church will compete in athletic and social events in their first church night of the season, which is to be held at the School Street Rec on Wednesday evening, March 2. Committees from the church will meet with E. H. Charney, director of the Rec., on Saturday evening to complete plans for the affair. Harry Elliott of Henry street is chairman of the general committee.
On the program will be athletic events in the gymnasium and the swimming pool. Billiard and checkers tournaments and bowling matches will also be on the schedule of events.

TWO GAMES FOR C. B. FIVE THIS WEEK-END
Manager George Hunt announced today that the C. B. A. basketball team will play in Thompsonville Friday night. Saturday night, it goes to Westery, R. I. to face Battery E.

PILE SUFFERERS
How Far Have You Gotten With Messy Ointments?
Don't be surprised that suppositories and salves haven't rid you of Piles. The most they can do is bring temporary relief. They never reach the cause—blood stagnation in the lower bowel.

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Piles can be removed by any operation. Sure! But who wants to submit to the surgeon's knife when a harmless little tablet taken internally can banish the cause of Piles and bring real, lasting and honest-to-goodness relief?
Forget about an operation and stop using salves. Hem-Roid, the internal remedy, discovered by Dr. Leonard, should quickly rid you of Piles the same as it is doing for thousands of others or costs nothing.
Get a package of Hem-Roid today at Packard or Murphy's Drug Store or any drugist. It is absolutely harmless and if you aren't delighted with the results you can have your money back.—adv.

TOWN TREASURER'S REPORT
Following is the report of Town Treasurer George H. Waddell for the period August 15, 1926 to February 18, 1927. It was presented to the Board of Selectmen last night to give the members an idea of the town's financial standing.

Table with columns: Receipts, Expenditures, Balance. Includes items like Selectmen's Cash, Taxes, Court Costs, and Total Receipts/Expenditures.

STANDING OF APPROPRIATIONS
Following is a complete table showing the exact standing of Manchester's fiscal budget as of Feb. 18. It was presented to the Board of Selectmen last night at their special meeting.

Table with columns: Appropriation, Amount, Net Expend., Balance. Lists various town departments like Charities, Highways, Police, Schools, etc.

WANTS OPINION OF DOCTOR ON DRUNKS
Judge Johnson Not Inclined To Take Police Word as Conclusive.

In a letter to the Board of Police Commissioners read at last night's session, Judge Raymond A. Johnson went on record as strongly in favor of the introduction of a physician's testimony at all cases concerning a person charged with operating motor vehicles while under the influence of liquor. The judge did not discount the testimony of police officers but stated that in his opinion a policeman's testimony should be substantiated by that of a doctor.
Judge Johnson also favored the appointment of a police surgeon to handle all cases connected with the police department. Under the present system, any doctor may be summoned for that duty, although the brunt of the work has fallen on the shoulders of Dr. Le Verne Holmes, assistant medical examiner. This matter was discussed by the police commissioners at their meeting at police headquarters last night but no definite action was taken because of lack of information as to the stand of the Manchester Medical Association in regard to the matter. The subject was tabled for further action but it is considered very probable that eventually a police surgeon will be appointed.

NEWCOMER SEEKS JOB
Application for appointment as a supernumerary policeman was received from William E. Kinnerson, 27, of Cedar street and referred to Chief of Police Gordon and Sergeant Barron for investigation.
Formerly, the police commissioners either accepted or rejected such application but under a new arrangement the applications are first investigated by the chief of police.

Kinnerson has lived in Manchester less than two months. He is employed by Cheney Brothers. He and his mother live on Cedar street. For six years Kinnerson saw service with the United States army in California and in the Philippines. He lived in New York previous to his enlistment.
The case of a local youth arrested on suspicion in connection with a robbery case here was aired by the commissioners. Both the boy and his mother and the officer concerned were before the board as the mother felt that her boy had been unjustly treated but the matter was settled in a manner satisfactory to all concerned. The commissioners commended the police for their action in the matter and enlightened the boy and his mother as to certain necessities involved in police work.

MANCHESTER MAN ON SUSPENDED LIST
The weekly list of operators whose licenses to drive automobiles in Connecticut have been suspended for one year for driving while under the influence of liquor was given out today at the state motor vehicle department as a part of the effort to reduce this highway menace. There are twelve names on the list. One case was appealed. The department statement advised the police in case they should see any of the suspended drivers operating motor vehicles:

- Oscar Bostrom, Fairfield.
John O. Cedar, Unionville.
Michael Cleary, Westport.
Ragnar Cronquist, W. Hartford.
Archie Davey, Hartford.
Joseph W. Deblish, Bridgeport.
John H. Lynch, Bridgeport.
Benjamin H. Magowan, Manchester.
John E. Moore, Norfolk.
Patrick J. O'Donnell, Bridgeport.
Minnie M. Perkins, Westport.
J. M. Ramiszewski, New London.

ABOUT TOWN
The Woman's Home Missionary society of the North Methodist Episcopal church will conduct a food sale tomorrow afternoon from three to five o'clock at the Manchester Community clubhouse. Home baked foods in good variety will be on sale.

Tax Collector George H. Howe is busy these days receiving the personal tax which was due February 1. Delinquents who have failed to pay the personal tax for several years are taking advantage of the probation period allowed them for paying up. It is expected that there will be a large number of arrears made within the near future of persons whose personal taxes have been due the town for years.

Mrs. Julius Fradin and her daughter, Edna, are spending the week visiting friends in New York.
Arnold Taylor, of 412 East Center street, was discharged from the Memorial hospital yesterday where he had undergone a minor operation.

Arthur Gardner, of 104 Charter Oak street who recently suffered injuries in a fall down a flight of stairs at his home, was discharged from Memorial hospital yesterday.

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POLICE COURT
In the Manchester police court this morning Thomas Egan and Chester Melvin were each given a jail sentence of ten days for intoxication. Both men are old offenders and in addition to the ten days a suspended jail sentence of 30 days imposed on the two men about a month ago was revoked by Judge Johnson. Consequently they will have to serve 40 days in jail and pay the costs of the court.

Joseph Graitis of 31 Union street was before the local court this morning on a charge of reckless driving. He was found not guilty by Judge Johnson. The Buloy car that Graitis was driving struck a telephone pole just north of Strat street Tuesday night. Sergeant Barron testified that Graitis admitted he had struck the pole, and the officer saw his car which was badly damaged. However, the man claimed the reason his car struck the pole was that he was caught in the ruts made by the deep snow.

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Take The Elevator to the 5th
Tomorrow's Herald will tell you what's there!
Shoore Bros.

Salicon
The famous remedy that was used so successfully for stopping the influenza epidemic in 1918 at the Massachusetts State camps.
Will stop a cold almost immediately. Let us prove this by sending you a bottle of Salicon free.
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KRAUSE'S CAR TAKEN BUT FOUND UNHURT
Another Manchester man has just had his automobile stolen but this one fared better than his latest predecessor, Harold Krause, of 19 Locust street, left his Hudson coach parked in front of a Hartford restaurant Tuesday night and twenty minutes later it was gone. Hartford police found it later and it was not damaged. Recently Deputy Sheriff Herbert H. Bissell had his car stolen in Hartford and it was badly damaged when found by police.

At present there are 42 men signed up in Instructor Ernie Borink class at the School street Rec. Three boys have signed up for the junior class and as soon as there are ten names on this list a schedule of periods will be made out. The Rec volley ball team will go to Springfield to play the Y. M. C. A. team of that place on Friday evening. The local team has won three out of five starts so far.
Makers of counterfeit coins in Britain are liable to imprisonment for life as the maximum penalty.

Advertisement for Telephone Service featuring a large graphic of a telephone handset and the text 'To Relieve ANXIETY Use TOLL TELEPHONE SERVICE'.

Be independent of outside ice supply next summer—and forever!
Will stop a cold almost immediately. Let us prove this by sending you a bottle of Salicon free.
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Advertisement for an elevator showing a woman standing next to an elevator shaft with the text 'Take The Elevator to the 5th'.

Advertisement for Frigidaire refrigerators with the text 'Install Frigidaire now ONCE Frigidaire is installed in your home, you are forever free from the need of outside ice supply.' Includes an image of a Frigidaire refrigerator.

Advertisement for Vicks VapoRub with the text 'Don't dose a Child's Cold CONTINUAL dosing upsets children's delicate stomachs. Vicks is applied externally and therefore cannot disturb the digestion. It acts in two ways: (1) The body heat releases the ingredients in the form of vapors which are inhaled. (2) At the same time Vicks "draws out" the soreness like a poultice.' Includes an image of a Vicks VapoRub bottle.

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THURSDAY, FEB. 24, 1927.

BOULDER DAM.

One of the little understood but really heroic battles that are sometimes fought in Congress without hope of immediate fruit is being waged in the effort to force the Boulder Dam project into public attention. That is about all that the friends of the bill can hope to accomplish at this session. In order to bring the thoughts of the American public to bear on this great question certain senators, headed by the sometime erratic Johnson of California, have gone without sleep, have withstood a sensational filibuster and have, perhaps, succeeded in getting one out of ten persons in the United States to realize that there is such a thing as a proposed Boulder Dam. If they have, they made a start on one of the biggest and most important crusades ever undertaken in this or any other country.

The Colorado river, with its tributaries, drains seven huge states. It is the most capricious great river in the world. It carries, for months at a time, water enough to supply all the great cities in the United States. It has been claimed that its fowage is sufficient to irrigate enough desert land to raise all the crops needed by the people of America. Its potential power is limited only by the limits of imagination. Yet for other months at a time it is a trickle.

California is enormously interested in control of the Colorado because of a constant apprehension that some day, in one of its torrential outbreaks it may flood the Imperial valley, with its thousands of great fruit and truck ranches, an industry of the highest importance. If it does, that will be the end of the Imperial valley, for that vast area lies 250 feet below sea level and the resulting sea could no more be pumped out than the Atlantic.

Every other state of the seven—Wyoming, Colorado, Utah, New Mexico, Arizona and Nevada is interested in conserving the waters of the Colorado, in impoundage, in power development, in reclamation possibilities. And for years they have been trying to agree to some basis of settlement on division of waters, power, etc.

The present Boulder Dam project has to do with something in the nature of a treaty as well as with a government work—a treaty participated in by all the seven states and the United States government as well. It is being fought over for various reasons. Arizona appears to be particularly interested in making the project for some six millions a year in royalties. It has been asserted in the Senate that certain opposition senators are deeply interested in western power developments which would meet with serious competition at Boulder Dam.

Few people in the East know much about the subject. But this is quite certain—it is a huge economic development which, once put through, would create enormous potentialities for the development of national wealth, and is as important in its way as those two other vast enterprises so vital to the nation's future, and so little considered by the average citizen—the Great Lakes-to-ocean Ship canal and the deepening of the Mississippi.

If these senators can get the people to thinking a little about such big-scale enterprises, even now and then, by going without a couple of night's sleep they will have sacrificed not uselessly.

ONE KIND OF COP.

There are policemen and policemen. When former Chief John J. McGovern of Meriden died, on Tuesday, after 43 years of service on the force of that city the Meriden Journal "gave him" a three column head in the first position on the front page with a special "boxed" tribute from the newspaper itself and another from the city's mayor. The city's flag is at half-staff today in his honor and the people of Meriden genuinely mourn a first-class policeman who was also a gentleman.

Perhaps the idea may not appeal to some persons of his calling,

but it is probably true, nevertheless, that being a gentleman helped very materially not only in causing such sincere regret at the passing of John McGovern but in making him the successful policeman that he was.

It happens that in times gone by this writer has known more or less intimately, in the way of newspaper business, a good many policemen in Connecticut and out of it, and does not at the moment recall any police department official who ever attained to any marked degree of success in his calling who did not possess in at least a reasonable degree the qualities of friendliness and courtesy. The self-centered, brusque, over-important type of cop, on the street or behind the desk, sometimes survives for a considerable period; but he seldom, in the end, comes to anything but failure. Because a policeman needs friends in his business—he can make enemies enough in any event—and if he makes few friends the day comes when the lack of them will prove his undoing, sure as fate.

John McGovern made friends—not by kowtowing or by smirking and salving, but by comporting himself toward his fellow men in that fair, decent and considerate way in which gentlemen always do comport themselves toward others. Every newspaperman who ever came into contact with McGovern, from the time of his service as a patrolman through his long experience as an inside deskman to and during his too short term as head of the Meriden force, was a volunteer assistant in the police business of Meriden; they played the game with him because he played the game with them—justly, decently, without exaggeration of ego. And so with the people of his city. He had half of Meriden "on his staff."

Connecticut has had no better policemen than John McGovern. And it has had none whose pathway to success was made easier by the qualities of friendliness, helpfulness and courtesy because none possessed them in greater degree. And none was ever more sternly courageous or keener of brain, as that.

BILL'S CHICAGO.

Perhaps, after all, it is just as well that William Hale Thompson has won the nomination for mayor of Chicago. Perhaps after all it will be as well if he is elected. If anything on earth can make Chicago any worse town than it is to live in, Big Bill Thompson is the boy for the job; and it is important that Americans should know just how bad an American city can be under the worst possible conditions.

And then, there is another aspect of the case. Aside from having to pick one's way among the slain and run the risk of stray bullets, the average citizen isn't really so much worse off in Chicago, with relation to crime, than he is anywhere else; for the average citizen isn't good enough pickings to tempt the average gunman in Chicago nowadays—he is after the big money; the bankroll or the business of the bootlegger.

Under Bill Thompson the ammunition trade in the Windy City ought to look up. There will probably be an unpleasant haze of gunpowder smoke over the city most of the time and the streets will probably be congested with the ten thousand dollar funerals of gang leaders. But, really, the total criminal population of the city will in all likelihood diminish. With the cops all looking around the corner, it will be everybody's fight, open to everything from howitzers to hand grenades. And that means long casualty lists among the thugs.

MENTOR.

Richard Washburn Child, because he was born in Worcester, Mass., knows everything. He has advised the American people at one time and another on every subject under the sun. He is always right; he was born that way. Now, as vice-president of the National Crime Association he has issued instructions to every state legislature in the country as to what laws it should pass restricting the sale of weapons. In effect the laws he orders would leave the good citizen weaponless—no law will keep a crook from getting a gun. But it must be right for the crooks to have guns and the respectable householder to have none, because Child says so. When Richard Washburn Child passes away the United States might as well shut up shop.

HARMON.

Judson Harmon, attorney-general in the cabinet of Grover Cleveland, never grew old. At 81 he was a powerful, keen minded man of middle life in everything except the actual passage of years. Poised, alert, extra-ordinarily capable, he was of presidential timber. Had he been a member of the Republican party instead of a Democrat he would almost certainly have arrived at that high estate. He was one of America's most admirable figures.

Only Three More Days of the Semi-Annual Clearance Sale



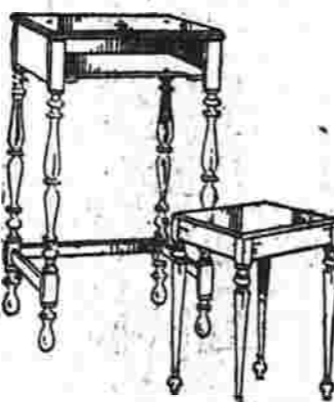
100% pure Jayer cotton felt Mattresses, compartment style without tufts. Built heaviest where the most wear comes. Striped ticking, any size, special

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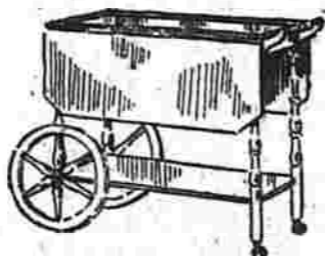
Cretonne upholstered Bedroom Chairs, also appropriate for the small living room or den. Exactly as sketched, regular \$21.00

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Telephone Set consisting of table with shelf, and stool, exactly as shown. In Tudor mahogany over gumwood. Regular \$12.50.

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Solid Mahogany Tea Wagons, exactly as sketched come in Tudor finish with removable glass trays and drop leaves. Regular \$35.00

\$25



This handy End Table has a big book trough underneath its top to hold your current editions. Exactly as shown in Tudor finish, regular \$8.98

\$6.75

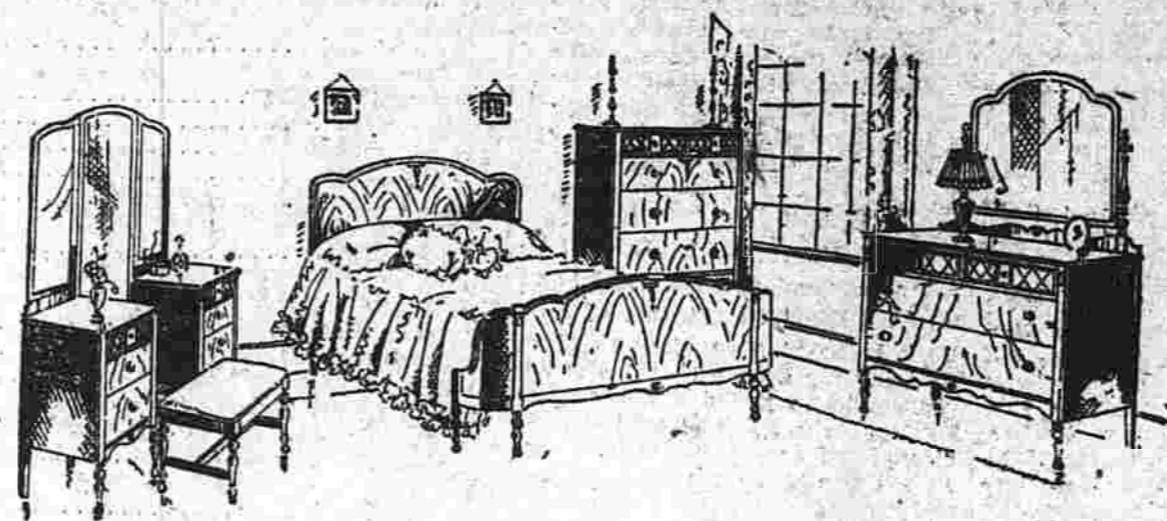


Magazine Boxes make it convenient to carry your interest periodicals from chair to chair and room to room. Plain Maple as shown. Regular \$4.95

\$3.98

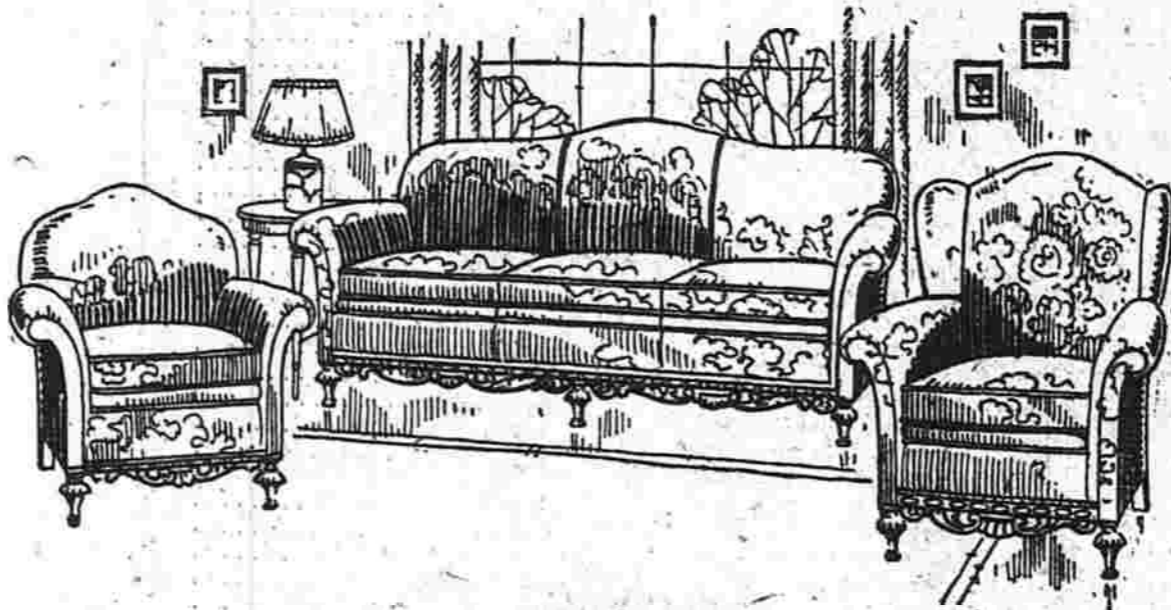
Same Boxes in choice of black, green or blue finishes, decorated, regular \$6.95

\$5.75



The Bedroom \$139

Four pieces, exactly as shown, comprise this suite which is constructed of walnut in combination with gumwood, American walnut finish. Full size bow-end bed, 44-inch dresser, 42-inch vanity and a 36-inch chest. Regular \$175.00 for the 4 pieces, or you may select as many pieces as you can use.



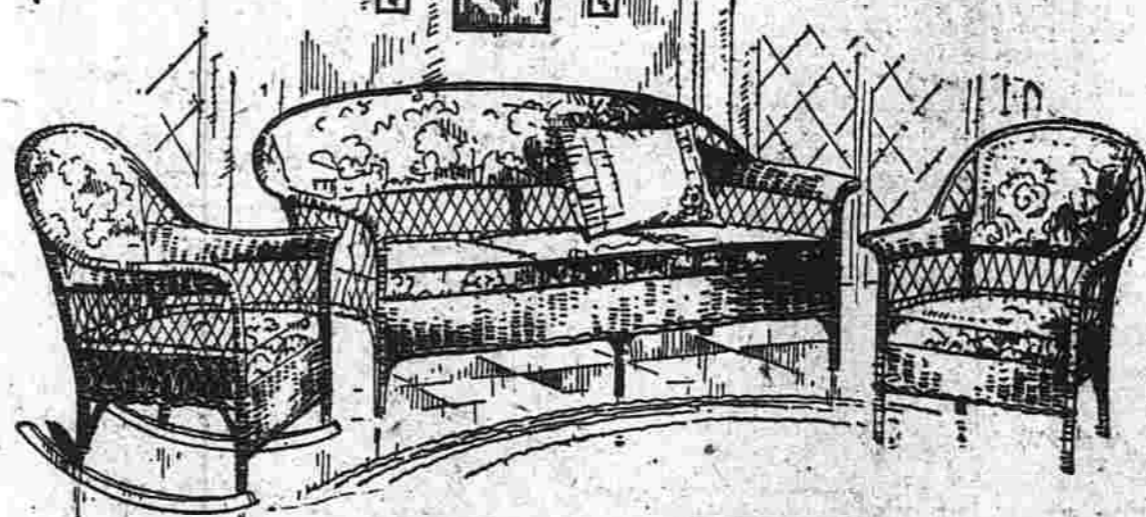
The Living Room \$159

Here is a suite of excellent design—one of the newest carved base patterns—at a popular price. The three full size pieces—davenport, arm chair and wing chair—are covered with Jacquard velour with tapestry seat cushions. Regular \$245.00, or select as many pieces as you wish.



The Dining Room \$229

This high quality dining suite is fashioned after the old English Jacobean period, and is made of choice American walnut and gumwood. A 66-inch buffet, 45x60 inch extension table, 38-inch semi-closed china, an arm chair and 5 side chairs are included. Just as shown except table is of the two pedestal, trestle type. Regular \$285.00.

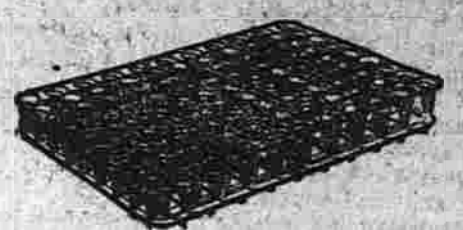


The Sun Porch \$49

It is hard to picture this charming suite in its bright green with cretonne upholstery in greens, black and orange, without having seen it. The three pieces, exactly as sketched, are included. They have spring filled seat cushions. Regular \$69.00.

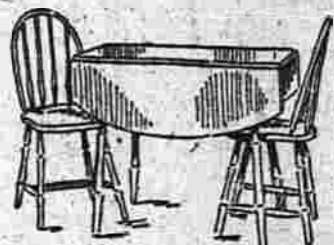
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FLORIDA BRANCH — THE WATKINS-LIMBACHER CO., — ST. PETERSBURG.



Spiral Springs are next to the box spring in comfort, yet cost only a small sum. 99 steel springs yield to every contour of the body. Regular \$20.00 in any size

\$14.80



Breakfast sets consisting of a drop leaf table and 4 Windsor chairs as sketched, come in decorated walnut or enamel finishes, regular \$34.00

\$25.75



Every home with a radio needs this attractive table. It hides the batteries in back and has plenty of space for the operator's knees. Regular \$16.50

\$11.75

Colonial Bridge Lamps come made of wrought iron in black finish with decorated parchment-paper shades, exactly as sketched. Regular \$8.00

\$6.75



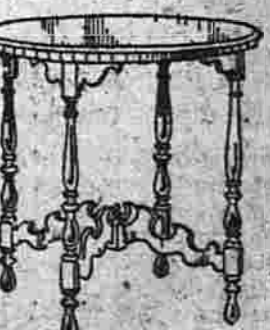
Table Lamps are coming more into vogue every day. This one sketched has a crackle Persian pottery base and paper-parchment shade, regular \$25.00

\$16.75



Gateleg Tables with solid mahogany, molded edge tops and bamboo turned gumwood legs. In Tudor finish with drawer. Regular \$24.00.

\$15.75



These handy tables can be used as end tables, occasional tables, or coffee tables. Exactly as shown in Tudor finish. Regular \$10.50

\$7.50

NEW YORK

This is the second of a series of articles by Gilbert Swan, staff correspondent for The Herald and NEA Service, analyzing the much-discussed "wickedness" of the New York stage. A third article will follow tomorrow.

New York, Feb. 24.—Just how naughty is the New York stage? Just what is all the shooting about? The basis is nuddy; nuddy of the person in music shows and nuddy of language and situation in the drama.

Spades are no longer even called spades. They have become blankety-blank shows. Out of scenes where a flash of body actually served the purpose of adding a quick touch of beauty there has grown a revel of deliberate nakedness, copied from the French performances for no reason that anyone can figure out other than to lure thrill seekers to the box office.

And out of the natural explosions of profanity, such as were used by soldiers in "What Price Glory?" has grown a torrent of needless and vulgarized profanity which again seems aimed solely at shocking the jaded and unshocked alike.

The rising curtain of one such performance shows a young woman facing a man in a stable and hurling at him such epithets as are usually associated with underworld brawls. Bedroom scenes have become so commonplace as to be considered old-fashioned and one of three raised plays, which rose from failure to immediate success on the strength of the raid, revealed three young women—very "modern," of course—bent upon the seduction of a timid young man.

The storm rose over the dramatization of subjects heretofore considered pathological. Clinical subjects, heretofore considered by millions to be unmentionable in polite and even impolite company, have found their way into the theater.

There are, doubtless, millions in small cities about the nation to whom these boldly flaunted performances are half-believed myths. Perhaps one of the attractions of New York for the small town visitor is not so much that things happen which are unknown to them as it is the open display of them.

Sights and Rabelaisian small talk in the pool room and the tobacco shops are found open to their inspection in Manhattan.

For years New Yorkers have known of haunts of men and women, whose pathological peculiarities have been elaborated on in the scientific work of Kraft-Ebing and others. There are, scattered about the city, cafes catering to these folk. Some are exclusively for men and some exclusively for women. Something of the tragedy of their derelict status was reflected in a French tragedy that came to Broadway early in the season. However questionable the subject, at least it was handled with a degree of taste and pity.

But it loosed a whole pack of dirt-mongers, all seeking to outdo each other. Thereafter came a play of the night-clubs in which a struggling young man was bought as a gigolo by a wealthy old woman; a scene in which an elderly man is blackmailed by a young man through knowledge of pathological abnormalities and, finally, an entire production concerned with male abnormalities, one of the scenes of which showed an entire stagelaud in the midst of a revel. This was the play that set off the fireworks and sent the police into action.

True—of course they are. Elderly women do buy young men and support them. And revels such as are shown on the stage occur almost any Saturday night in a cafe haunted by the abnormal.

Of which I will relate more in another article.

GILBERT SWAN.

QUEER QUIRKS OF NATURE

HIS WINGS LOOK LIKE LEAVES By ARTHUR N. PACK President, American Nature Ass'n. Some people believe this sings "Katy-did, Katy-did," over and over during the warm nights of late summer, and others declare he sings "Katy-didn't, Katy-didn't!"

No matter, anyway. At least he sings, and no member of the insect orchestra is more persistent and cheerful about his music, not even the celebrated cricket.

The katydid's fiddling apparatus is hidden in a small triangular patch, covered by a stiff membrane, on his back just behind his head. His notes are a trifle harsh and rasping, but at least it can be said for him that for a creature so small he makes a surprising lot of sound, and that it carries a long way on a still night.

The katydid's wings offer as fine an example of protective coloration and mimicry as may be found. They are a bright green in color and are veined to imitate a leaf. As long as the musician sits still in the foliage of a tree he is hard indeed to discover.

FIRE ON BATTLESHIP Boston, Mass., Feb. 24.—Fire aboard the battleship Utah gave the Charlestown Navy Yard a scare early today. The fire was below the gun deck, amidships, and was controlled there. The Utah is being reconditioned at the navy yard.

We have a very fine line of selected patterns in Gold Seal Congoleum rugs at very lowest prices. Drop in and look them over. Benson's Furniture Exchange, 649 Main street.—Ad.

WASHINGTON LETTER

By RODNEY DUTCHER

Washington, Feb. 24.—Watching Congress vote on measures of import can be made full as exciting as a football game if one can become as interested in the outcome.

Votes are scored far more frequently and much faster than touchdowns, and on a close vote, there's element of suspense is added to the rapidity of play.

First one side edges ahead and then the other, for the year and nay scorecard is arranged alphabetically. The Senate play the game in shortest time, of course, for it has but 96 members as against 435 in the House.

And it's vastly more thrilling if you don't know on which side a player is going to play until he goes into action.

This season's classics were the votes on the McNary-Haugen farm relief bill. The scorecard of that famous contest in the Senate will give you an idea of what we mean.

Ashurst established a one-run lead for the yeas, but Baughman, Eleaner and Borah completely smothered the attack.

With Bruce's vote in, the score stood 5 to 2. After Cameron and Capper had pulled up on the nays, Caraway tied the score and Copeland broke the tie only to have it re-established, 5 to 2, by Couzens.

Denoon broke the next tie of 7 to 7 and Dill gave the yeas a lead of two tallies, only to have Edwards and Ernst bring the score to 9 all. On the first play in the "H" inning, after Hale had voted, the count stood, nay 17, yeas, 14.

Harrison made it 19 to 15, but this lead dwindled and the nays never again equaled it.

Jones of Washington tied the score at 19 to 19. McLean's vote made it 23 to 22, McMaster tied it up again and McNary, McMaster, Mayfield and Means built up a lead that wasn't reduced.

Tyson's vote for the yeas established the big margin of 45 to 32, but the "W" inning went almost entirely to the nays and the game ended years 47, nays 39.

There was no wild applause. Two persons in the gallery clapped hands. But the mob did not snake-dance upon the floor and place its heroes upon its shoulders.

Senator George Wharton Pepper immediately jumped to his feet and began preparations for return match on his banking bill.

The early innings found two or three hundred fans waiting at the gallery doors with all seats taken, but the crowd dwindled toward the close. It wasn't really a sporting crowd insisting on being in at the bitter finish.

Senator Caraway of Arkansas, the Will Rogers of the Senate, was the star of the debate. "Do you believe the consumer should fix the price?" he demanded of the Republicans. Senator Couzens had

the hardhead to nod his head and Caraway went after him.

When Couzens was making flippers, he told the galleries, buyers of flippers didn't fix the price. And Couzens had made so many millions that it appeared Couzens, the producer, had fixed a price quite satisfactory to himself.

It was the big laugh of the day and Couzens laughed as hard as anyone.

Something ought to be said for three lame ducks, lame ducks being regarded as always servile to the administration in hope of federal posts after March 4. Harrell, Means and Stanfield voted against the administration on this bill and if they hadn't it would have only needed the switch of one more vote to stop the measure.

THEN HE QUIT Monte Carlo.—In ten minutes at the Casino here, Jules Regnier won 255,000 francs (about \$10,000). A thousand dollars a minute for ten minutes is said to be a record.

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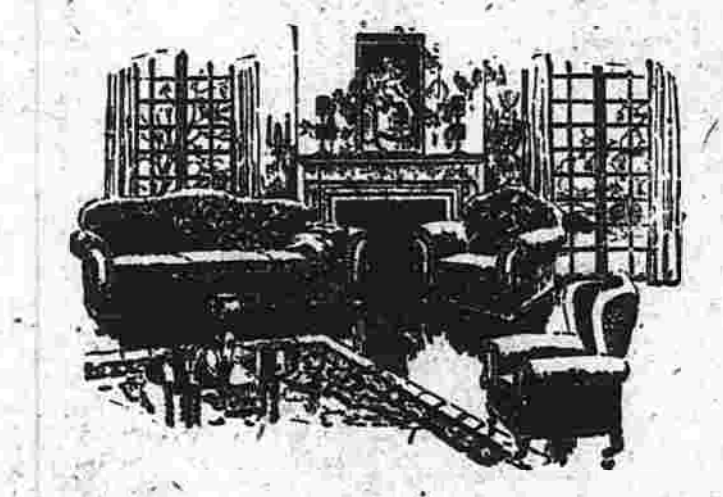
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- FOR RENT—Three and four room apartments, best, motor, refrigerator, gas range, refrigerator, in-door bed furnished. Call Manchester Construction Company, 910 or telephone 723-2.
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- TO RENT—3 room heated apartment with bath. Apply Shoemaker, Foster Block.

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- WANTED—Janitor for our men's boarding house, Edgewood House. Apply Cheney Bros. Employment Bureau.
- WANTED—One or two experienced automobile salesmen. Capitol Buick Company, Ave. to James Shearer, Mgr. Phone 1800.
- WANTED—Clothes and photographs for cleaning and repairing. Electric Cleaners, Irons, etc. put in order, key fitting, Braithwaite, 150 Center street.
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- LOST—Man's wrist watch. Inquire J. D. S. Phone 1320-5.

MISCELLANEOUS

- There will be a spiritual meeting Saturday night at 128 Sunnyside street.
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STATE THEATER SHOWS

"IT" HERE NEXT WEEK

Elinor Glyn's Story Now in Film Form With Clara Bow; Here Sunday, Monday, Tuesday.
 The beginning of production on "It," arriving at the State theater on Sunday, marked the return to Paramount of Elinor Glyn, noted English novelist and author of "It," which serves as Clara Bow's initial starring vehicle.
 "It" is Madame Glyn's Nim adaptation of her latest story. Through the medium of the camera lens Miss Bow reveals her interpretation of just what constitutes "It," which the author declares Miss Bow possesses to an extraordinary degree.
 The novel, adapted expressly for Miss Bow, deals with a shop-girl who possesses that magnetic something which defies definition, but attracts all others, with compelling force. With a limited education, no family prestige and nothing but her fundamental sweetness of character, Clara rises to notable success by exerting the inexplicable "It," and winning the love of her employer.
 The film's locale is any big city; the time, the present. In its unfolding, Madame Glyn goes fully into her conception of the magic quality which captivates men who believe they have, those who'd like to have, and those who possibly can never gain "It."
FINES BOOTLEGGERS
 Bridgeport, Feb. 24—Judge Isaac Wolfe in Criminal Superior Court today fined Gordon Dugosky, 22, of Norwalk, \$75 each on two counts of liquor violations. Dugosky, who is a first offender, was arrested during raids by state police in and about Norwalk on November 17, last.

You'll Read The Inside Story

On Page 7 of Tomorrow's Herald

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THE ROMANCE OF AMERICA: James J. Hill (2)



Hill became an agent for the first tiny railroad into St. Paul—the St. Paul & Pacific line—but at the same time kept a hold on the ship business he had built up. At that time goods and produce were carried to and from the vast Red River country by bullock train.



Gradually Hill built up trade with the Red River country, freight being carried down the river on flatboats.



In the early '70's Hill and a man named Kittson formed the Red River Transportation Co. Hill, with a dog-sled, explored the country.



He found the Red River country possessed of great fertility. It was rich, too, in minerals, timber and furs. Eastern capital was beginning to come in, and railroads were beginning to extend. But Hill awaited a chance. The panic of 1873 and the bankruptcy of the St. Paul & Pacific Railroad gave him that chance.
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THE FALSE ALARM IS CIRCLE FEATURE

Here Today and Tomorrow With "One Hour of Love."

A thrilling story of the fire brigade on an epic of amours among the rich are on the Circle theater program for tonight and tomorrow. "The False Alarm," a drama of the Heroes of Peace, and "One Hour of Love," starring Jacqueline Logan and Robert Frazer, are the offerings which make up one of the best double feature bills ever presented at the Oak street playhouse.

In the fire brigade picture the never ceasing battle between the peacetime and man's greatest peacetime enemy, the Fire Demon, is brought vividly to life. Screaming fire sirens, galloping horses, belching fire engines, all are in this picture to carry out the extreme realism that has made "The False Alarm" one of the greatest program features ever released.

The story centers around a young fireman who has incurred the enmity of persons who wish to do him harm. In his responsible position in the fire department he is the target for their plots and the victim of false accusations through the work of the gang he is fighting.

The love of a beautiful girl and the loyalty of the fireman who still helps his outfit after being suspended, brings the picture to a happy climax.
 "One Hour of Love," as its name implies, is a fast moving picture of the adventures of a young girl who leaves love and her future dependent on the outcome of an automobile race. There is crooked work at the crossroads and the villain of the story wins the race and also the girl.

Jacqueline Logan and Robert Frazer who portray the leading roles are both excellent in their portrayals with the former bringing to the screen a rare beauty and winsome personality.
 The picture opens with the heroine engaged in a tennis game after which she is beset by a young society man to become his wife. She agrees if he will enter her car and drive to the big city but she reluctantly accepts him. Soon after she and her three girl friends go to her father's estate in the mountains where an engineering job is in progress. There she is handled with gloves by the handsome young engineer in charge of the work. Unused to being kept in bounds, she determines to humble this man. In the process of this her heroine succumbs to his charms and it is with the unraveling of the love affair that springs between them both the charm and excitement of the picture.
 In the cast supporting Miss Logan and Frazer are such well known players as Montagu Love, Taylor Holmes, Duane Thompson, Mildred Harris, Hazel Keener, William Austin, Billy Bletcher and Henry Sedley. The story is from the pen of Leete Renick and was directed by Robert Florey.



Old Master's
 O little self, within whose smallness lies All that man was, and is, and will become, Atom unseen that comprehends the sky And tells the tracks by which the planets roam; That, without moving, knows the joys of wings, The tiger's strength, the eagle's secrecy, And in the hovel can consort with kings, Or clothe a god with his own mystery; O, with what darkness do we cloak the light, What dusty folly gather thee for food, Thou who alone art knowledge and delight, The heavenly bread, the beautiful, the good, O god, O morning star, Give us thy light, forgive us what we are.
 —John Massfield: Sonnet.

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JACK LOCKWILL'S SPEEDBOAT

by Gilbert Patten



At a glance, Jack saw the Bad Egg slap Willie's face. He came on the run, tore through the group, and seized McNally by the neck. "You big coward!" he cried, his eyes blazing. "If you ever lift your hand to him again I'll give you another licking!" Then, with a snapping movement, he whirled Tom over his hip and sent him spinning. McNally fell, awfully, several feet away.



"You're a fine bunch!" said Jack, scornfully looking the group over. "You saw that big stiff strike a little fellow, and not one of you made a move." They gazed at him in silence, angered by his words.



"We've got to take the cooking out of that frog," said one of the fellows to Mark Wintrop, known as "the Grand Vizier." "He thinks he's cook of the walk." "You're right," allowed Mark. "He's got to take a few bumps."



The Grand Vizier spoke to "Bull" Madison, a huge lad, reputedly the champion wrestler of the school. "Go after him, Bull," urged Wintrop. Madison faced Jack, grinning mockingly. "You're quite a hand to throw fellows around, Lockwill," he said. "I'll wrestle you in the gym, and show you what a piece of cheese you are." "Come on!" said Jack, accepting the challenge. "Let's go!"
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SPECIAL BARGAIN BILLS AT STATE THIS EVENING

Jackie Coogan Accompanies Eight Acts in "Johnny Get Your Hair Cut"

Eight acts of vaudeville and Jackie Coogan in the feature picture.
 That is what has been arranged for the State theater as its Bargain Night program this evening. Young Coogan's picture, "Johnny Get Your Hair Cut," has been running all by itself in the big cities but the State has gone the big theaters one better by giving eight vaudeville acts with the presentation.
 Jackie is a jockey in this picture and his long hair is gone. As a little child he made a place for himself in the hearts of his audiences but now he is going to graduate into the ranks of the juvenile actors and the critics predict a great future for him.
 In "Johnny Get Your Hair Cut" Jackie shows that it was not the mere fact that he had a Dutch bob which made him so popular. There was something else—the ability to act—and this ability is shown to its best advantage in this feature.
 The vaudeville acts tonight and the rest of the week are of the usual high caliber the State is used for. This evening only the bill will contain eight acts and the five regulars will remain for the balance of the week.
 "Johnny Get Your Hair Cut" is here for a three day run.
 "Johnny Get Your Hair Cut," is different from all the others, and as it comes to the State today, tomorrow and Saturday is effective as the best Jackie has given to the world of his admirers. It may not be as elaborate as others he has made; its plot is simpler and less involved; it is not so adventurous as "The Rag Man," nor as harrowing as "Oliver Twist," but it possesses more human appeal with its delightfully wistful spiritual quality. The verdict seems to be that of all the pictures thus far made "Johnny Get Your Hair Cut" was the most human.
 The story is that of an orphaned youth whose dream of life is an overwhelming ambition to become a successful jockey. How he beats his way in a horse car from one race track to another in his persistent endeavor to become an apprentice jockey is reminiscent of some of his very first films. His meeting with Mother Snipp, who kept a jockey's boarding house in Texas, and whose duties were not unlike those of the old lady who lived in a shoe, is deftly told by the director. "Pop" Slocum, the aged trainer whose only claim to fortune after years spent on race tracks, is a broken down horse named "Zed" and between the two they work out their salvation.

THRILLING DRAMA AT RIALTO THEATER

An exceptionally capable cast of well known players headed by Cullen Landis and Gladys Hulette was assembled for the filming of "Jack of Hearts," the thrilling crook melodrama which heads a double feature program at the Rialto today and tomorrow. The story is an absorbing one and as portrayed by this cast it makes for real entertainment. The theme deals with the life of a youth who goes to a large city. He becomes convicted of a crime and then returns to his home town. Inherits a large fortune, takes his father's place in the pulpit of the local church and then finds that the arm of the law has followed him even there. The picture abounds in tense moments and a fair amount of humor, contributed for the most part by his three crook pals.
 The second attraction stars William Fairbanks whose leading lady is Dorothy Revier. It is called "The Man From God's Country" and has all the elements usually associated with perfect screen fare. Thrills, comedy and zesty drama are its main ingredients and Fairbanks passes up few opportunities to add to his laurels. Selected shorter subjects will also be offered.

TODAY'S BIG OFFER TO THOSE WHO HAVE STOMACH DISTRESS

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 Why not get a medicine that is made to help strengthen your upset, disordered stomach so that it will do its work without artificial help.
 Such a medicine is Dare's Mentha Pep-sin, a delightful elixir that is sold by Magnell Drug Co., and all live druggists with the distinct understanding that if it doesn't greatly help you your money will be gladly returned.
 It has helped thousands—it will no doubt help you.—adv.

OLD EMPLOYEE DIES.
 Norwalk, Feb. 24.—G. Walter Alken, 70, for forty years employed by the Croft-Knapp Hat Company here, died of pneumonia at his home here today. Mr. Alken was a prominent churchman and the father of Rev. Walter P. Alken, formerly of Hartford and now in Massachusetts.

Your Income Tax

Various penalties are imposed by the revenue act of 1926 for failure to file return and pay the tax on time, and for making a fraudulent return. Distinction is made between failure and "willful failure" to file a return. For failure to file a return on time, the penalty is 25 per cent of the amount of the tax, unless a return is later filed and it is satisfactorily shown to the Commissioner of Internal Revenue that such failure was due to a reasonable cause and not to willful neglect. If a taxpayer exercises ordinary business care and prudence, and nevertheless was unable to file a return within the prescribed time, the delay is due to a "reasonable cause."
 For willful failure to make a return the penalty is not more than \$10,000 or imprisonment for not more than one year, or both, and in addition 25 per cent of the amount of the tax. For willfully making a false or fraudulent return, the penalty is not more than \$10,000 or imprisonment for not more than five years or both, and in addition 50 per cent of the amount of the tax in case of deficiency. If there is a deficiency, there is added to the tax interest at the amount of such deficiency at the rate of 6 per cent a year from the date prescribed for the payment of the tax to the date the deficiency is assessed. In addition, there is added 5 per cent of the amount of the deficiency if due to negligence, but without intent to defraud. If due to fraud, the amount added in addition is 50 per cent of the deficiency.

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Today's Best Radio Bet

SYMPHONY MUSIC HEADS PROGRAM
 A concert of the Chicago Symphony Orchestra will be broadcast Thursday night, Feb. 24, from WMAQ at 8 p. m., central time.
 A program of Indian music, in which several Indian musicians will take part is an unusual broadcast arranged for tonight by WCBD. The feature will start at 8 p. m., central time.
 Vicente Lopez and his popular dance orchestra will be heard from WEAP and WGY tonight at 11 p. m., eastern time.

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- 6:00 p. m.—Dinner Music, Hotel Heublein Trio—
- a. Beautiful Blue Danube Waltz Strauss
- b. Weg Bit O'Heart... Shilket
- c. Ballet of the Flowers (Part 11)
- d. Danse Tzigane... Nachez
- e. Quartette from "Rigoletto" Verdi
- 6:25—News
- 6:30—Concert from Club Palais Royal
- 7:00—Mid-week Religious Sing—Choir of North Methodist Church of Hartford
- 7:30—Staff Artists Perform—Ida Yudowitch, Soprano and Gertrude McAuliffe, Contralto; Laura C. Gaudet, Accompanist.

Duets—
 a. Barcarolle from "Tales of Hoffman" Offenbach
 b. The Charm of Spring... Miss Yudowitch and Mrs. McAuliffe
 Contralto Solos—
 a. Time, You Old Gypsy Man Protheroe
 b. Ein Schwan... Grieg
 c. There Sits a Bird on Every Tree... Foote
 Mrs. McAuliffe
 Soprano Solos—
 a. Serenade... Schubert
 b. The Erl King... Schubert
 Miss Yudowitch
 Duets—
 a. "Eat Home" from "Stab-Mater" Rossmis
 Miss Yudowitch and Mrs. McAuliffe
 8:00 p. m.—Outdoor Owlets
 8:30—Capitol Theater Presentation
 10:00—Weather

AFTER CORN BORER
 Washington, Feb. 24.—President Coolidge today signed a bill, making immediately available \$10,000,000 to eradicate the European corn borer, which has raised havoc in the corn belt.

PLUMBING FIXTURES

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LITTLE JOE

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TEST ANSWERS

Here are the answers to today's intelligence test, which is found on the comic page:
 1—The policeman's badge should be on his left-side.
 2—In the shells of Mollusks.
 3—Theodore Roosevelt.
 4—St. Louis.
 5—John D. Rockefeller.
 6—A curved stick thrown by Australian bushmen, which comes back to the thrower.
 7—Lake Ontario.
 8—Mark Twain.
 9—William Howard Taft.
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Al Dowd Returns to Ring and Kayoes Opponent; Hartford Boxers Win Four Out of Five Bouts; Meriden and Springfield Entries Suffer. Pat McCavanaugh Beaten.

THE RESULTS

Following are the results of the seven amateur boxing bouts at Cheney hall last night in the order in which they occurred:

Eddie Reed, Hartford, decisively outpointed Jim Hughes, Meriden in the 112 pound class.

Al Dowd, Manchester, knocked out Al Coogan, Meriden, in third round of the 126 pound class.

Eugene De Maria, Springfield, was given a questionable decision over Vic Morley, Hartford, in the 150 pound class.

Ray Hall, Hartford, knocked out Tony Rose, Meriden in the first round of their bout in the 185 pound class.

Bill Taylor, Hartford, won clean-cut decision from Max Orlock, Springfield in the 160 pound class.

Barney Youseman, Hartford, whipped Pat McCavanaugh, Manchester in the 126 pound class.

Johnny Krook, Meriden, knocked out Leo Ducharme, Springfield, in the third round of the 142 pound class.

Hartford boxers came out on top in the amateur boxing bouts at Cheney hall last night winning four out of five contests. Meriden fared worst, losing three of its four bouts. Springfield boxers won once and lost twice while Manchester broke even in two battles.

The best bout of the evening was Bill Taylor of Hartford and Max Orlock of Springfield, not because of the contenders being evenly matched, because they were not, but because of the splendid showing Taylor made. Al Dowd of Manchester and Ray Hall of Hartford, were also impressive.

In the Taylor-Orlock bout, the Hartford fighter completely outpointed his opponent. He carried each round by an overwhelming margin and several times had the Hay State boxer in a bad way but Orlock pluckily stuck to the finish which found his face smeared with blood. The Springfield southpaw's gameness drew applause from the fans.

This Taylor chap, former football captain at Hartford High, is surely one sweet fighter. He is a big credit to Dave Hayes, former Rockers student at Notre Dame, who is training him. Taylor packs a mean punch in each of his fists how to make good use of them. He has the knack of following up in the so-called one-two style down to perfection. His timing was perfect last night.

Can "Take It" Too
Taylor also knows how to absorb punches. Early in the fight Max forced him to the ropes and landed a barrage of blows to the head and body that would have taken the pep out of many a fighter but it did just the opposite with Taylor who broke free, tore into the Springfield boxer and floored him for a count of seven. Taylor has one bad fault which when the right man faces him, may spell his doom and that is of looking away from his opponent before landing. Incidentally, it is said Taylor has kayoad Charley Romano of Hartford four times in training bouts. But at any rate, Hayes has got a promising man in Taylor and Manchester fans would welcome another appearance.

Dowd Looks Good
What might be termed the second best bout of the evening was between Al Dowd of Manchester and Al Coogan of Meriden. It was Dowd's first fight in several weeks since his two victories over Tommy Pagan in the first two C. B. A. A. tournaments—and the Manchester boy was much more impressive than was to be expected after his inactivity. Coogan, a chunky, well-set youth in perfect physical condition, gave Dowd a merry battle at the start rushing him to the ropes under a fusillade of blows that often forced Dowd to cover up. Dowd rallied strongly, however, and earned a good draw in the first round.

He, at least, would figure to beat Knute Hansen, who is to be the opponent of the Basque tree surgeon tomorrow night. Hansen, according to all accounts, is everything except the idea that a moral victory gathers no cold sweat. If he gets away to a good start, they say, he might beat anybody but that, on the other hand, a title like the Lion of the Pyrenees might beat him before a nose is punched.

Ray Hall, who has been taking a rest for several weeks returned to the ring to add one more knockout to his already imposing string of fifty on kayoes. Tony Rose of Meriden was the lad who inhaled the sleeping aroma. He lasted less than a round. After a few minutes of cautious sparring on the part of both boxers, Hall cut loose and landed blow after blow on Rose's head and body. A heavy right to the jaw put Rose out on the ropes, and "Honest Walter" Vennart, as Ed McCarty introduced him, gave Hall a technical knockout.

Decision in the bout between Vic Morley and Eugene De Maria of Springfield was the only one that was unexpected. Morley had done the majority of the leading and hitting but De Maria won the decision. The first round was De Maria's by a shade while Morley carried the second similarly. In the last, it was a toss up. The worst Merley should have been given was a draw, according to ringside opinion. De Maria, however, landed the cleaner and harder blows.

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What We Think In Sports

Any of Manchester's promising young basketball players who attended the Holy Cross-Connecticut Aggie game at the armory Tuesday night had an opportunity to learn a mighty fine lesson in the passing art. Almost every basketball player in Manchester today uses the straight "cut" pass continually. The college players gave further proof to the fact that a one-bound pass is much quicker and more practical. When a ball is passed in this manner it does not give an opponent as much chance to block or intercept it as a direct pass does. Then again, there is the fact that it is almost impossible for the defensive player to tell in which manner the ball is to be passed. Consequently it is usually caught far more off his guard with a bounding pass.

There is another advantage which passes of this sort give. They allow an offensive team opportunities to break through a stubborn and well-placed five-man defense. The direct passes are all right when used at the right time. Naturally a team can advance down on open floor passes but when the opposition tightens, then is when these plays are repeatedly broken up while a bounding pass would do the trick. Try it for yourself the next time you are playing and see if it isn't true.

Considerable enthusiasm seems to have been aroused among the baseball fans in Manchester over the proposition Frank Pinney has in mind of bringing six league baseball clubs to Manchester. The consensus is that Manchester is sadly in need of some kind of a stimulant in sports as far as baseball is concerned and Pinney's plan would supply the medicine. Several well-versed fans believe that three or four Manchester players are all that could possibly make the team, that is, if it was decided to make a favorable showing against the professional players.

All of which reminds us of what Merman Bronkie said the other night over the telephone. "Home town talent is not fully appreciated." This is exactly the opinion of the writer who some time ago wrote several paragraphs in this column dealing with the same subject in connection with basketball. It is pleasing to have such an authority as Bronkie in accord with our feelings and beliefs.

One of the biggest faults to be found with amateur boxers just breaking into the game, is that it is difficult to teach them to use a straight left jab and to keep their right glove high enough to protect their complexion. During the half-dozen tournaments which Cheney Brothers have staged, youths who have all the other earmarks of good boxers have repeatedly gone down to defeat simply because of not obeying these two fundamental principles.

I remember a while ago that while talking with our new professional boxing instructor Frank Bush, he said: "Give me a lad who has got a good left jab, and I'll make a boxer out of him." It is the most important punch in the game because often an opponent runs into it. Bush explained. A good right held in the proper position, however, will block this blow. But many a novice has tested defeat simply because he doesn't absorb his co-trainer's advice.

The Herald hopes it will not be long before the north and south ends of the town look horns in another bowling duel. Last year such inter-town matches were a big success and this year with bowling the biggest financial success it has been in many years. It should be even more so. Howard Murphy has challenged Tommy Conran to a team-man match. What do you say, Tommy?

Anyhow, it doesn't look to me like the kind of fight that will cause sap betters to rush into the open with money pinned to their lapsels. It will be Paolino's first and mayhap only appearance of any consequence in an American ring and, as such, is attracting some attention. But it doesn't look like the spot for a gambling coup.

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PAOLINO FAVORED IN BOUT TOMORROW

But There Won't Be Very Heavy Betting On the Result, Walsh Thinks.

BY DAVIS J. WALSH
(I. N. S. Sports Editor)

New York, Feb. 24.—Conceding only that the sack race at the annual grocers' outing is "in the bag," the writer nevertheless was not surprised to learn today that rumors abound concerning the likelihood of the "smart money" going in on Paolino, the well-known human being, to win tomorrow night. These reports are getting to be an everyday story like soup on the year and the necessity of washing thoroughly behind the ears.

Is There Smart Money?
I'm beginning to doubt that smart money really exists, since money apparently doesn't care who owns it. Most of it I have seen has been dumb. Judging by the men who have had it.

It was the smart money that was supposed to rally around Jimmy Maloney the other night; yet the writer was able to get 2-1-3 to 1 for his ten dollar flier on James Maloney before the fight. They don't give that kind of odds unless the "play" on the short end is extremely light.

As for Paolino, money bet his way tomorrow night needn't be particularly intelligent if he is half the man he purports to be. One of his claims happens to be the heavyweight championship of Europe, which sometimes is worth almost as much as the undisputed championship of South Bend, Ind. Still, there seems to exist some doubt as to whether he is or is not a better fighter than Harry Persson and the latter isn't exactly a tramp.

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Paris.—However costly it may have been to gamblers themselves, games of chance were profitable for the French government during the 1926. Receipts from the taxation of the casinos were 853,000,000 francs, or about \$10,800,000. This represents a huge increase over the previous year.

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S. M. H. S. Must Win Both Games To Keep in Running With Rival

Two out-of-town basketball games confront the S. M. H. S. quintet this week-end and Manchester must win both to keep in the running with Bristol.

Friday night, Manchester meets West Hartford and Saturday night goes to Middletown. This is the first of a two-game series with West Hartford while Manchester won easily from Middletown some time ago.

Next Friday night, the biggest game of the season will be played at the Rec when Fitchburg High school, national intercollegiate champions play here. The S. R. O. signs will probably be hung out at 7 o'clock so prepare now.

C. B. A. A. BOWLERS WIN 1525 TO 1442

Cheney Brothers defeated the Bigelow-Hartford Company of Thompsonville here last night in a bowling match at Murphy's alley. The total pinfall score was 1525 to 1442. Cheney won all three games. Frank Cervini was high man. Tonight Bristol sends both men and girls' teams here.

Cheney Bros. (1835)		
Shea	81	88 103
Cervini	117	119 98
Wilson	99	105 96
Canale	101	92 111
	113	81 115
	517	485 629
Bigelow-Hartford (1448)		
Bernier	114	88 85
Mat	102	92 95
McMahon	90	102 96
Barley	112	94 78
Humphries	93	104 97
	518	480 449

MATTIEN TO MEET
Boston, Mass., Feb. 24.—Strangler Lewis and Pat McGill today reported fit for action in their finish match for the world's heavyweight wrestling championship at the arena tonight.

Keeping Tabs On Fisticana

LAST NIGHT'S FIGHTS
At Portland, Me.—Dick Lambert of Portland knocked out Harry Foley of Boston, second round; Pete Lucchi of Clinton, Mass., won decision over Duke Menard of Hiddford on a foul in fifth round; K. O. Therrien of Stamford, Conn., knocked out Jimmy (Kid) Sullivan of Portland, fourth round.

At Grand Rapids, Mich.—Johnny Risko of Cleveland and Jack De Mave of New York, drew, ten rounds.

BISSELL WILL SUCCEED BENSON IN PLAINFIELD

At Least That Is the Authentic Tip In Sporting Circles Here Today.

"Cap" Bissell, one of the best basketball players turned out in Manchester in the last few years, will play with Plainfield next season.

This is the inside tip passed along today and with it comes the word that this will be Harry Benson's last season at basketball. Benson is going to quit the game. It is understood, because it interferes with business.

Bissell has been pasturing with the Meriden Endees this season and has not been used as much as perhaps might have been advisable. He is a mighty fine basketball player and if Plainfield secures him in Benson's shoes next season, it will not be weakened any.

A bureau for dispensing free medical advice to those contemplating matrimony has been established as part of a municipal clinic in Berlin.

Fight Breaks Out as Bristol Noses Out Plainfield 17 to 12

(Special to The Herald)
Plainfield, Feb. 24.—The state champion Bristol Endees basketball team scored out a 17 to 12 winner over the Plainfield Pros here last night in a long-shot duel.

The game was nip and tuck all the way and full of excitement. For the second successive game, Bristol became involved in a fist-fight but the disturbance quickly blew over with the banishment of Jiggs Donahue, who lost his head in a spirited scuffle with Harry Benson. The Manchester player was not banished because he kept cool.

Plainfield jumped into a 6-0 lead at the outset but lost this advantage when George Stavinsky forgot basketball for a personal encounter with Manichalk, Bristol sinking several foul balls as a result. In the second half, each team made four points. Plainfield plays the Inalicos in Meriden tonight and Bristol in Bristol Saturday.

Bristol (17)		
Feldman, rf	2	3 7
Malcolm, lf	4	0 8
Donahue, c	1	0 2
Leochard, g	0	0 0
Machnick, lg	0	0 0
Manning, rg	0	0 0
Totals	7	3 17

St. Petersburg, Fla., Feb. 24.—Dick Rudolph, coach at the spring training camp here of the Boston Braves, made known today that he thinks Jack Knight and Charles Robertson will be a big pitching help to the tribe this year. Both are "old-timers" in the baseball game.

Tampa, Fla., Feb. 24.—Veteran pitching, such as flopped in mid-season last year and took the Nationalist out of the pennant race, will hold no terrors for Bucky Harris, the youthful pilot of the Nats, this year.

Bucky has a big squad of young hurlers already limbering up here, and he announced today he expects to keep at least five of them. Thurston, Liscombe, Crowder, Braxton, and Burke are said to be the favorite ones.

Goldfish have been known to jump out of their tanks and become frosens, but when replaced in their tanks several hours later, they seemed none the worse.

Mother Goose IN SPORTS

Twinkle twinkle little star When you drive, Oh what a car! Sincerely any need to put!



New York, Feb. 23.—Glenn Collett, by winning the Nassau championship, the only winter event she intends to participate in, proved she's already in champion form.

The name Sing Sing comes from the "Six-Six" Indians, original inhabitants of the region in which the prison now stands.

This modern age likes the mellow mildness of Camels

TRY Camels and you'll know why they win the modern world. Mildness and mellowness. The smoking wish of this exacting age is realized in Camels. Such taste and fragrance as never came before from a cigarette. A mellow mildness that can result only from superb blending of the choicest Turkish and Domestic tobaccos.

This age demands the best of everything—and it finds its ideal smoke in Camels. Nowhere else can you find such smoothness, such ever-dependable goodness as here—

"Have a Camel!"

THE HERALD'S HOME PAGE

LATEST FASHION HINTS BY FOREMOST AUTHORITIES

FEATURE ARTICLES ABOUT INTERESTING WOMEN

All at Sea

by Carolyn Wells

WHAT HAS GONE BEFORE... Death strikes GARRETT FOLSON...



For the first time she regarded them with interest, and as she gazed at them her interest increased.

ANASTASIA FOLSON, eccentric and materialistic sister of the dead man, arrives and takes command...

NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY CHAPTER XXVIII "STOP at nothing," commanded Anastasia...

"Oh, he did, did he? Well, it will do nothing of the sort. It may be an unsolved mystery, for we may not succeed, but it won't blow over!"

"My heavens and earth!" she ejaculated. "That one is the very image of Jeanne Fraw!"

sorts of "romances" and when he could find a doll which looked like one of his favorites, past or present, he bought it.

And then Miss Folson had another thought. A gruesome one. Was it possible her brother had had any—unpleasantness or upset with any of the girls he had known, and that such a one had killed him?

But it seemed to her too preposterous—she knew so little of that sort of thing. Garrett had been her idol and the sole human interest in her life.

The only love she had ever given had been to him; the only jealousy she had suffered had been of him.

"No, nothing of the sort. But Madeline is waddy. They want to go home, at least Maddy does, and before she wants Angel generally wants to, too."

The WOMAN'S DAY

by ALLENE SUMNER

The world's oldest man and the world's oldest woman will be married this spring...

Help Ever Ready Circle Kings Daughters in their work of charity by donating the food sale they are to hold at the J. W. Ellis Company's store...

Dr. George F. Mitchell, official tester of the U. S. Department of Agriculture believes that cassia, a shrub native to the south we have a product that could give the ordinary imported tea a real run...

Japan tea seems to be as popular as orange pekoe for afternoon affairs. The tea takes on a festive air when accompanied with different attractive accessories...

Members of Temple Chapter, Order of the Eastern Star will be interested in serving open star sandwiches some day at their card parties or small affairs...

Paris sponsors the scalloped hemline which makes such a pretty finish for a dancing gown. The scalloped look best on a full skirt or one with fullness set in at the hips.

Effie Shannon, one of the best beloved of American actresses is appearing in a revival of one of her old favorites, "The Lawless of the Wells."

Our greatest nutrition experts such as McCollum and Sherman are now advocating in the diet of the child as well as the adult...

This And That In Feminine Lore

The spring wardrobe must contain one of the new light weight kasha skirts, finely pleated, the finer the pleats the smarter it is...

Apple Spider Cake One tablespoon butter, 1-2 cup light brown sugar, 1-3 cup apple sauce, 2 tablespoons shredded almonds...

Use a five-inch from spider. Melt butter and lip spider until evenly browned. Spread sugar evenly over bottom of spider and sprinkle with almonds...

Dorothy Walworth Gorman, the author, is as proud of her own bread as she is of her books. She says she sandwiches it in with her writing and does not consider it much work because she uses a detouring mixer...

No Kneading Of course I leave the dough in the mixer to rise over night in a warm place. Next morning I pop it out of the mixer straight into the bread tin, let rise again, and bake about an hour in a moderate oven.

People all about you prove that unnecessary. Under modern methods no detouring exercise or diet is required. Simply correct the cause, Marmala Prescription Tablets embody the scientific methods of today...

Give them a good start in life, with happy smiles and healthy little bodies. Children need a mild corrective occasionally to regulate stomach and bowels...

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street. Mr. Hewitt has installed all the improved and most modern machinery for sterilizing, cooling and capping, thereby producing an absolutely pure milk...

HOUSEHOLD SUGGESTIONS

FLOWERED OILCLOTH Table covers of flowered oilcloth may be used for breakfast in the kitchen or breakfast room...

SAVE GRAY Never throw away any gray, but use it instead of soap suds.

STUFF SHOES Wet shoes may be prevented from getting stiff by stuffing with little balls of paper.

MAPLE SYRUP To give a rich, sweet flavor to ham, bake it in maple syrup.

SPARAGUS AND EGGS A good luncheon dish may be made by combining scrambled egg with a border of warm asparagus.

We have an up-to-date bedding department, 30 per cent off on all mattresses, beds and springs while we are waiting for other goods to come in.

It's The Reputation For Quality That Makes The Low Prices So Extraordinary See Tomorrow's Herald

Shoore Bros. 1400 Main Street

Good Nature and Good Health REAL CAUSE OF VARICOSE VEINS MAY BE REMOTE BY DR. MORRIS FISHBEN Editor Journal of the American Medical Association and of Hygiene, the Health Magazine

Home Page Editorials Gentlemen Prefer Blue By Olive Roberts Barton Here is something else again! Business men prefer blue!

Follows Coiffure The secret of the chic of this latest Rebois creation lies in having the hat follow the hair-line in its snugness.

FINE FOR CHILDREN! Give them a good start in life, with happy smiles and healthy little bodies.

The Cleaners that Clean Your Overcoat has undoubtedly picked up a lot of dirt and grime during the time you've been wearing it this winter...

FLAPPER FANNY SAYS:



If you don't believe fish is a brain food, try opening a can of sardines.

SENSE and NONSENSE

Speaking of appropriate slang, we heard a fellow the other day refer to onions as "skunk apples."

Grandma: Louise, I cannot have you reading novels on Sunday. Co-ed: But, Grandma, this one is all right. It's all about a girl who was engaged to three clergymen at once.

A strange coincidence that American Ends with "I Can."

Wife: "It says here in the paper that you can get a good wife in Samos for three dollars. Isn't that outrageous?"

Husband: "Oh, I don't know. A good wife is worth that much."

Julia made an angel cake for her hubby darling's sake, Clarence you a piece must take. This she meant. Clarence ate it every crumb. Then he heard the angels hum, Calling softly: "Clarence come." Clarence went.

Our odd-job man reports that the only men in a position to tell their wives where to get off, work on street cars.

The cost of living is high, of dying higher, of being sick highest.

Hero of the month: The man who kept his wife waiting just to show her what it felt like.

Man is thankful for the tradition that lets the wives wash the windows.

Five Secrets of Happiness: Money. Money. Money. Money. Money.

The man with rips in his coat and buttons torn off his clothes should either get married or divorced.

Salesgirl: Look at Mr. Smith on that ladder; he's losing his equilibrium!

Second Salesgirl: If you were a lady you wouldn't notice such a thing.

Sufficient unto the day is the evil thereof, and an alert person may even discover a little surplus.

We are growing tired of all the advice, "Don't neglect a cold," when there's not a doctor or layman on the face of the earth who knows how to prevent it or what to do for it after you take it.

Motto for letter-writers: "When in doubt cut it out."

Pop went up in the attic and Mom heard him walkin' 'round'. And did she raise the dickens? No! She simply called him down.

Hear they got a new dentist here," remarked Pete the "ow-puncher, on a visit to Bad Man's Gulch. "How do you get along with him?"

"Well, drawed Matt, the miner, "he turned the air drill into me but I escaped before he could tamp in the dynamite."

INTELLIGENCE TESTS

CHILD'S TEST



This intelligence test is especially designed for children. You'll find the answers printed on another page.

- 1-What is wrong with the accompanying picture?
2-Where are pearls found?
3-Who led the "Rough Riders" in the Spanish war?
4-What is the largest city in Missouri?
5-What very rich American gives away dimes to strangers he meets?
6-What is a boomerang?
7-Name the smallest of the Great Lakes.
8-Who wrote "Huckleberry Finn"?
9-Who is the only ex-president of the United States now alive?
10-What French city successfully resisted the most bloody German offensive of the World War?

Banks seem to believe there's safety in numbers of vice-presidents.

"The form is the essential thing," said the artist, as he wrote his broker a letter.

THE TINYMITES

BY HAL COCHRAN



(Read the Story, Then Color the Picture)

Poor Clowny hung tight to the moon, and then his arms grew tired right soon. Oh! Mister Moon Man looked at him and said, "Well, who are you?" to hear the Moon Man talk was queer, and Clowny really shook with fear. And then he said, "I'm Clowny. Can you tell me what to do?"

The Moon Man said, "Just cling to me, and you're as safe as you can be. But, tell me, how'd you get up here, and whither are you bound? To cling to me takes lots of gall, but don't let go, or you will fall. And, if you do, I'm sure you'll find, it's hard down on the ground."

"Oh, I was on a cloud of smoke. It drifted here, and then it broke," replied the funny Tinymite. "I had to save myself, and so I grabbed a hold of you, the only thing that I could do. At first I really thought that I was clinging to a shelf."

And then the Moon Man said, "Don't fret. Just hang on tight. We'll save you yet!" Soon Clowny heard him loudly call the Smoke Man far away. "Come here and get this Tinymite before he falls down out of sight. I fear his arms are growing stiff, and soon may give away."

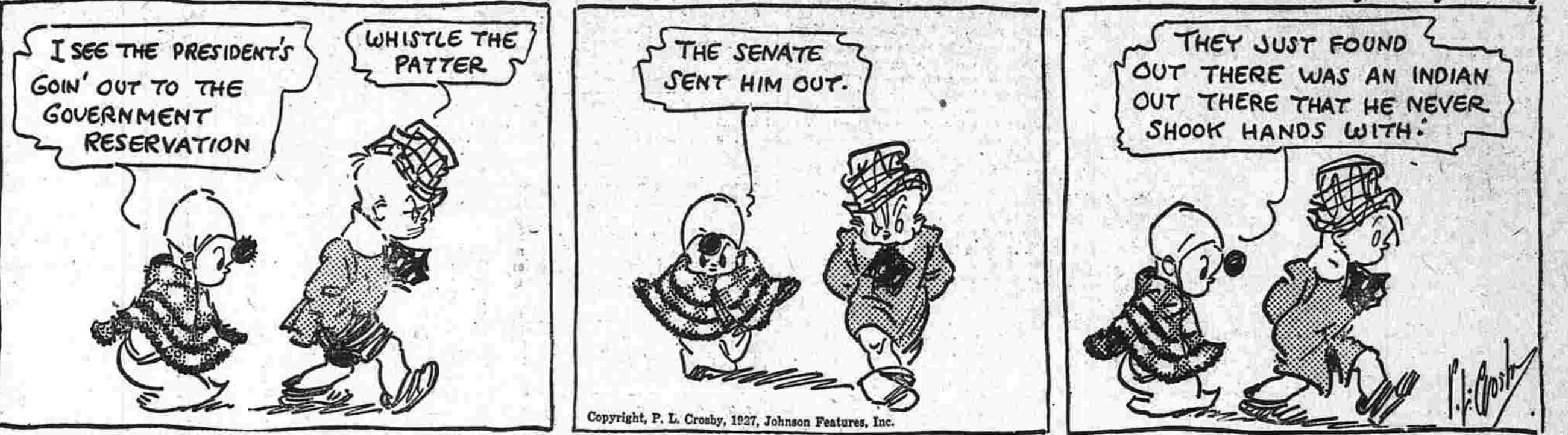
The Smoke Man acted quick, of course, and promptly figured out a course of getting poor wee Clowny back with all the Tinymites. He quickly filled his mouth with smoke and spread it out just like a cloak. It floated through the air and made the prettiest of sights. To watch the smoke was quite a treat. It drifted o'er near Clowny's feet, and then the little fellow jumped and landed safe and sound. He scampered 'cross the great smoke puff, well satisfied he'd had enough. Then, as he reached the others they all shouted, "Clowny's found!"

(The Smoke Man pulls a neat trick in the next story.)

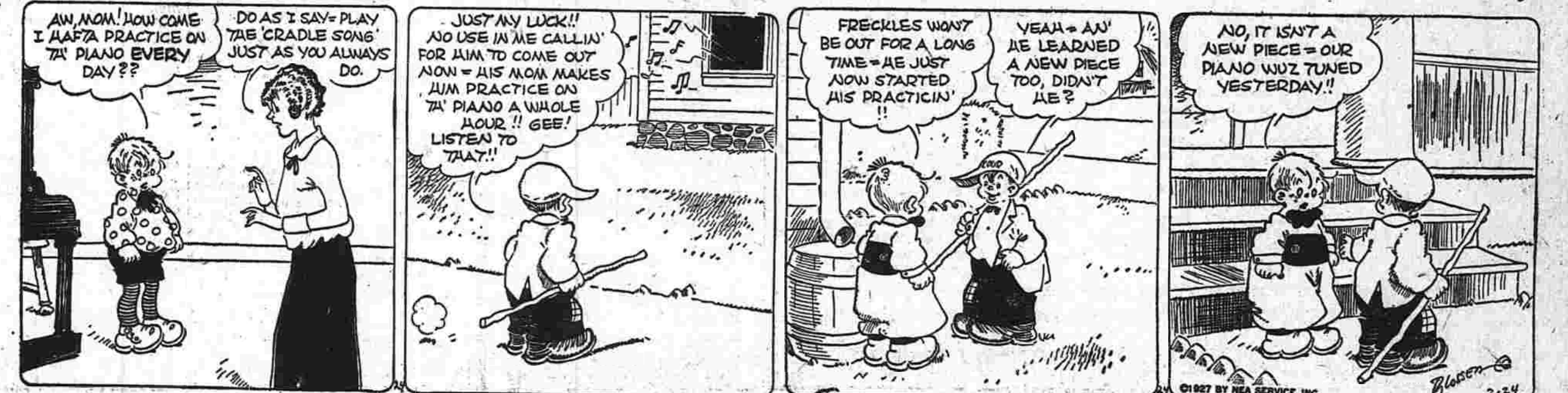
GAS BUGGIES—Better Make It Snappy, Folks.



SKIPPY



FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS



SALESMAN \$AM



WASHINGTON TUBBS II

By Crane



Well Known



The Little Scorpions' Club

By Fountaine Fox



ALMOST EVERY CLUB AT SOME TIME OR OTHER HAS COMPLAINTS ABOUT THE FOOD.

"EVERY TIME THEY COOK THEMSELVES ANY MEAT IN THERE, THIS SAME THING HAPPENS!"



(Fountaine Fox, 1927, The Bell Syndicate, Inc.)

OLD TIME DANCING AT THE RAINBOW TONIGHT

Old Time Fiddlers
Admission 50c.
Don't Forget
Tonight's the Night
The Balloon Dance
Turn Hall
Schendel's Serenaders
Novelties and Prizes.

ABOUT TOWN

South Manchester Lodge, Loyal Order of Moose, will pay its Springfield brethren a visit tomorrow evening. A bus with a seating capacity of 30 will leave the south end terminus at 7 o'clock and will stop at the Center.

A daughter was born yesterday at Mrs. Howe's Maternity home to Mr. and Mrs. Morris E. Burgess of Lebanon, Conn.

Contractor John Hayes is around town again after a week's absence with bronchitis. He expects to start work soon on the remodeling of the Cowles Hotel on Depot Square. Four sidewalk level stores will be built going away with the present veranda.

The Junior choir of the North Methodist church will meet for rehearsal Saturday evening at 7 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Walker on Mather street.

The Canadians are anticipating a large crowd at their Balloon dance tonight in Turn hall on North street. Schendel's Serenaders will furnish the music. There will be novelties for all and a special prize for the person drawing the lucky number.

James Murphy is moving his family from the Cowles hotel building to the Cunningham house on Middle Turnpike, East.

Sunset Council, Daughters of Pocomatons will hold a public whist at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Irving Keeney of 40½ Kenney street Friday evening at 8 o'clock. A total of six prizes will be given. Mrs. Frank Hollister is chairman of the committee arranging for the card party.

The Ladies Aid society of the South Methodist church at their meeting yesterday afternoon decided to postpone the coming turkey supper from Wednesday, March 2 to Thursday, March 3.

The church school teachers, substitute teachers and officers will have a supper at the Second Congregational church this evening. The principal speaker will be Miss Hummer of Hartford.

Mrs. John Douglas entertained the Electa Eastern Star Whist club at her home on Russell street yesterday afternoon. The decorations, favors and refreshments were all appropriate to Washington's birthday. Mrs. E. P. Walton won first prize and Mrs. Robert J. Smith, second.

Mrs. Walter Tedford, buyer in the Baby Shop at Hale's, has returned from a buying trip to New York.

Eugene Rouleau, buyer in the House Furnishing department of Hale's is in New York on a business trip.

A marriage license was issued yesterday to William Henderson and Agnes J. Thomson, both of this town.

C. E. Wilson, the local nurseryman will be the speaker at the meeting of the Men's club at Second Congregational church tomorrow evening. Supper will be served at 6:30.

The young people of the Swedish Congregational church will furnish the program at the regular monthly meeting of the Luther League at the Swedish Lutheran church tomorrow night. Bible study and the business session will begin promptly at 7:45, followed by a Valentine social, games and refreshments.

The Girl Reserves will put on their play "Packing the Missionary Barrel" at the parish hall of the Center Congregational church this evening. The entertainment is under the auspices of the joint Ladies' Benevolent and missionary societies of the church.

The regular meeting of the Catholic Ladies of Columbus will be held tomorrow evening at eight o'clock in K. of C. hall.

The Hi-Y club will omit its weekly meeting at the Center church this evening.

During the month of January, according to Town Clerk Turkington, there were 29 births, 11 deaths and 8 marriages.

Mrs. Hugh Hazell of Astoria, L. C., formerly Miss Albin Bidwell of Prospect street, has sailed for St. Vincent in the West Indies to visit her father and mother-in-law.

The Ladies' Auxiliary of the Army and Navy club will hold a "Washington" party at the Army and Navy club this evening at 8 o'clock. A buffet lunch will be served. The reason for the late-ness of the "Washington" celebration, is because the organization meets the last Thursday in each month.

The picturesque gondolas of Venice are rapidly giving way to motor-boats.

GYM CLASS MEMBERS TO BE KIDS AGAIN

Everything a Youngster Would Like to Do is On Program For Grown-ups.

On Monday evening, Feb. 28 the members of the gymnasium class of the East Side Recreation Center is to have a Kiddies' Party. Father Time is not always kind enough to turn back but Monday evening he will have his magic wand over the party and everyone present will look, act and feel just as they did some few years ago.

The program for the evening is already completed and consists of everything a youngster would love to do. Just members of the class are invited but even they will not be allowed at the party unless they are costumed in something decidedly youthful.

Refreshments in keeping with the party will be served and will be just what would appeal to any kiddie. Any member wishing to enjoy the refreshments must get their share of the expenses in before Monday.

MEETS ACCIDENT AS LONG VACATION ENDS

Mrs. McConville Breaks Ankle On First Trip to Mill In 10 Weeks.

Returning to work at Cheney Brothers for the first time after an absence of ten weeks, Mrs. John McConville of 71 Eldridge street, fell and fractured an ankle.

She was removed to the Memorial hospital. Her husband is also employed by Cheney Brothers, working in the finishing department of the Old Mill.

4TH SITTING TOMORROW ARMY-NAVY PINOCHE

The fourth sitting of the third Army and Navy club pinocchle tournament will be held at the club house tomorrow evening at 7 o'clock. Sonnikson and Gleason are leading the team totals. The following are the scores: Sonnikson-Gleason, 1124; Hayden-McCann, 1085; Shields-H. McCormick, 1077; Frye-F. McCormick, 1076; Anderson-McCollum, 1015; Donnan-Chase, 1012; Hartnet-Qulsh, 973; Eddy-Stevenson, 940; McNally-Mathison, 938; Lamproecht-F. McCaughy, 905; Hope-Chambers, 903; Scott-Person, 824.

LOCAL "MOVIES" PLEASE AUDIENCE

Unique Exhibition at Community Club—May Form Manchester Company.

Another step in the organization of a motion picture company was taken last evening at the Manchester Community Club by an enthusiastic gathering. Director Washburn outlined briefly the object of the company both educationally and socially. Before the program of pictures was flashed on the screen, the name Manchester Motion Picture Players was adopted as a temporary name for the purpose of organization until such time as a permanent name might be given to the club by a town-wide contest for the best name submitted by any individual.

A number of reels were shown of which one of the most interesting were pictures taken over Hartford from an airplane. The audience was given at least an idea of what it might feel like to loop the loop in a plane as the camera man cranked the picture machine while making one of the loops described. A travelogue depicting scenes in Washington, Philadelphia, Gettysburg, Battle Fields, the National Cemetery at Arlington and many beautiful scenes taken through the Delaware Water Gap, were shown on the same reel.

The feature of the evening was a short reel of local film taken of local people. Many of the audience recognized prominent citizens as well as prospective members of the company's cast. Further film tests will be taken in a few days of other candidates and turned over to the casting committee for review and casting purpose in the company's first production.

The next meeting of the club will be held on Wednesday, March 2. The Manchester Motion Picture Players cordially invite any of the towns people who are interested in the production and the making of motion pictures. Later announcements will follow relative to the Players activities.

FOOD SALE

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'GENTLEMEN BE SEATED', TO BE QUIMBY LINE

School Head Will Be Interlocutor of Kiwanis Club Minstrel.

The minstrel show program which the Kiwanis club will put on at the State theater Wednesday evening, March 23, will last at least two hours. It was announced today by Director George H. Washburn, of the Manchester Community club, general chairman of the committee on arrangements.

The complete cast will be announced in a few days. The minstrel troupe will consist of six men and a chorus of forty voices. Principal Clarence P. Quimby, of the South Manchester High school, will be the interlocutor, Mr. Washburn stated. Mr. Quimby is well versed in the minstrel art. The end men have not yet been selected.

The first rehearsal will be held this evening at Watkin Brothers at 8 o'clock. Other rehearsals will be held from time to time.

The affair will be for the benefit of the Kiddie Camp at Hebron.

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BOYS, DADS TO SWIM AND PLAY TOGETHER

Fathers Will Join Sons of Rec Natatorial Class In Social Evening.

Members of the Recreation Center boys' swimming class and their fathers will join for a social evening at the school street building on Wednesday evening, March 9. The affair was originally planned for next Wednesday night but has been postponed because of the Second Congregational church night which falls on that date.

One of the principal parts of the program for the fathers' night will be a swimming party in the tank. After the boys and their fathers have enjoyed themselves in the pool they will go to the auditorium where games will be played.



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SCALLOPS sold very rapidly last week. We were sorry we had to disappoint a number of customers. We have a double supply tomorrow and they will sell at 65 cents a pint. Stewing OYSTERS, special at 39 cents a pint. Large OYSTERS to fry 44 cents a pint.

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FIRE FIGHTERS TO FIGHT TURKEY AT BANQUET

The annual banquet of the South Manchester Fire Department will be held in Cheney hall on March 12 when a turkey dinner will be served. Committees are working on arrangements at the present time and plans are shaping up for the affair.

Prizes for the winning teams in the setback tournament just completed will be awarded at the banquet. A number of distinguished guests from this and other towns in

the state will be present. The setback tournament this year was won by Hose Company No. 2 at the Center. Individual honors went to a No. 2 team. Robert McKinney of No. 2 is secretary of the committee on arrangements for the banquet.

Bears are good fishermen.