

MEN IN SUNKEN SUB ARE DOOMED

POLICE SEEK WOMAN IN PARKER MURDER

Word Goes Out That William Edward Hickman, Slayer Suspect Had Accomplices; Hickman Seen in City.

Los Angeles, Calif., Dec. 20.—"Find the woman!" This was the word broadcast by police here today as they sought a woman and another suspected accomplice of William Edward Hickman, discharged bank messenger and identified as the kidnaper and killer of little Marion Parker.

SLAYER SEEN

Los Angeles, Calif., Dec. 20.—"The Fox," murderer of little Marion Parker, still is in Los Angeles.

At 4:25 o'clock this morning the kidnaper-slayer, police are positive, was within fifty yards of the Central police station.

Ward identified the man he had vainly sought to capture as William Edward Hickman, 18-year-old former bank messenger who the police earlier had declared to be the murderer of the Parker girl.

Driving a high-powered car, the killer tossed a challenge in the very teeth of the police by roaring at sixty miles an hour almost past the door of headquarters.

Ward, attendant at the Stand filling station, told police that shortly after four o'clock, a blue Cadillac coupe rolled into the gasoline station.

Wore No Hat

The machine was driven by a young man, wearing no hat and with his street clothing covered by

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KING TO RECEIVE CAMERA FOR XMAS

Little Michael Wants One, His Father Hears, So He Will Send It.

Paris, Dec. 20.—Little King Michael, of Rumania, aged six, believes in Santa Claus—the same Santa Claus who climbs down the chimney into the peasants' huts. His father, former Crown Prince Carol, knows all about this so he has made a special arrangement with the Jolly Old Gift-giver by which Michael is sure to receive a camera, a handsome little writing set and other toys, not forgetting oranges and nuts.

Prince Carol favors toys of practical and educational value for his son. And Michael has not had to wait until Christmas to get what he wants. That is one of the advantages of being king, even if one is only six years old.

Michael already has a pony, a bicycle, a miniature automobile operated with the feet, an electric train and several toy automobiles. After Col. Lindbergh's famous flight to Paris last summer, Carol sent several miniature airplanes—modeled after the Spirit of St. Louis—to Bucharest.

NEARLY ALL OF EUROPE IN GRIP OF COLD WAVE

Nearly all Europe, from the British Isles to the Mediterranean, is in the grip of a cold wave today.

In addition to falling temperature and heavy snow, violent gales are whipping the British coasts.

Italy reported a 19 degree drop in temperature in some places with a three foot fall of snow, turning part of the kingdom into a "veritable Siberia."

Snowstorms are raging over the Balkans, hampering railway traffic.

Severe cold snaps are reported also from France and elsewhere in Continental Europe.

HEARST MAKES REPLY TO SEN. NORRIS' CHARGE

Tells Why He Published Mexican Documents and Why He Deleted the Senators' Names.

New York, Dec. 20.—William Randolph Hearst made public today his reply to an open letter from Senator George W. Norris of Nebraska. The Senator attacked the publisher bitterly for his publishing Mexican documents to show money had been withdrawn from the Mexican treasury, ostensibly for payment to United States Senators, among them Senator Norris.

In his detailed reply, Mr. Hearst recites the history of the documents his newspapers have been printing, the efforts made to establish their authenticity, and the conclusion Mr. Hearst reached that the Senators mentioned never received any money from Mexico.

Mr. Hearst decided, therefore, not to publish the names of the Senators, but to print the documents with the names deleted.

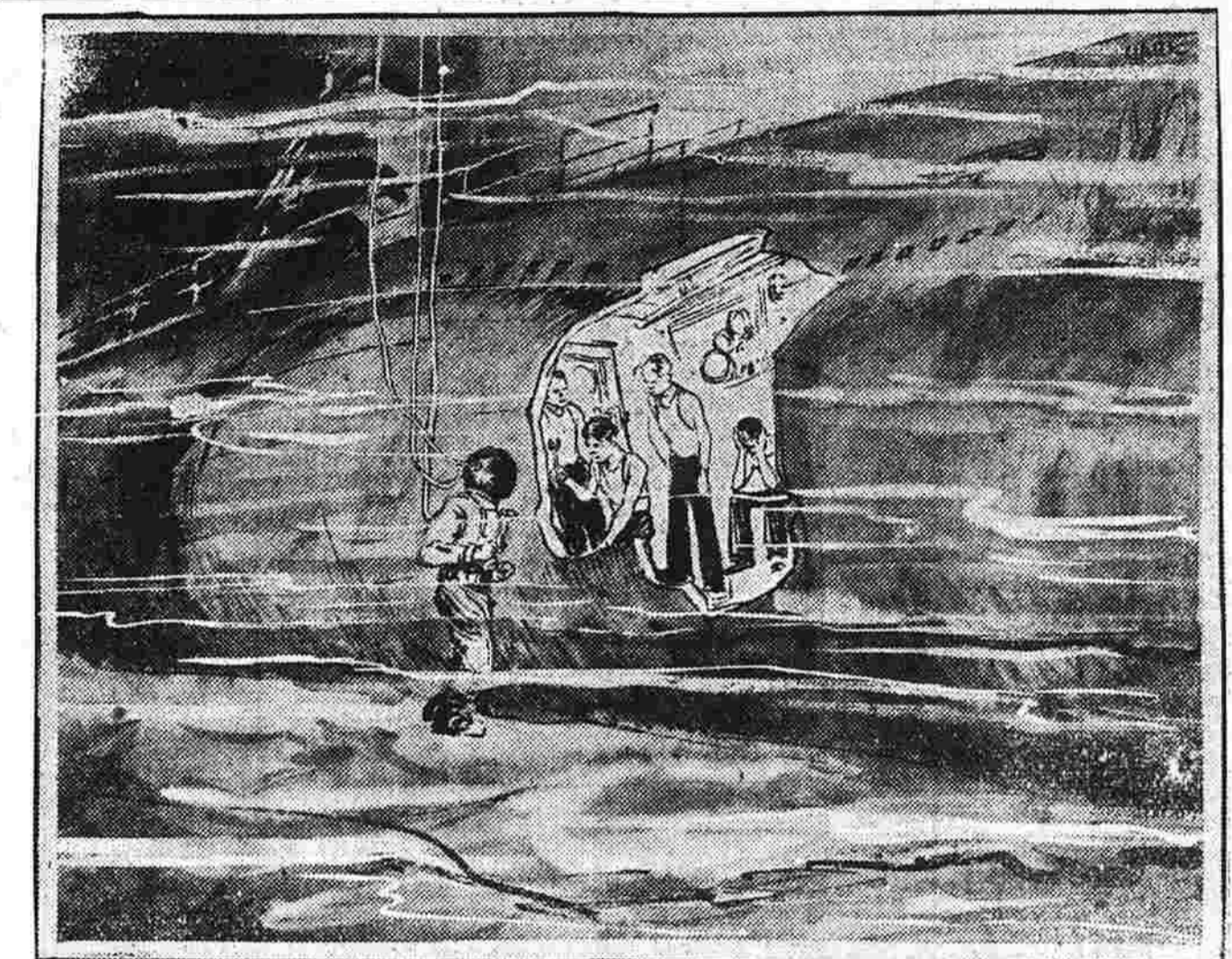
He continues: "The question may here properly be discussed as to whether this was the right course to pursue or whether any other course would have been a wiser course to pursue."

"I might have, in the first place, refrained from publishing any of the documents, in which case, my possession of the documents being known, I could eventually have been accused by persons as careless of facts, of having been too cowardly and too concerned for my property in Mexico to have revealed facts throughout the medium of my newspapers, which affect the well-being of the American people, and which the American people had a right to be acquainted with."

"In the second place, I might have printed some of the documents and suppressed others, in which case I could have been accused of suppression of the facts or perversion of the facts to suit my own prejudices or opinions."

"In the third place, I might have interviewed the Senators mentioned and published their explanations in my newspapers, but I could not see, and can not now see, how details made in my newspapers would have any superior force or effect over denials made by them under oath before a governmental body."

"PLEASE HURRY! THE AIR IS BAD!"



LINDBERGH TO TAKE CALLES UP IN PLANE

Mexico's President, General Obregon and Ambassador Morrow Also to Take the Trip Today.

Mexico City, Dec. 20.—A good will flight to South America to foster better relations between the South American Republics and the United States will be proposed to State Department officials by Col. Charles A. Lindbergh when he returns to Washington.

Col. Lindbergh said today that he could not extend his present journey to South America, but he hopes to undertake the southern flight in 1928.

Not only has the hold young air navigator "captured" Mexico, but Mexico City has captured the flyer.

Enjoying Himself

"This is one of the finest places I have ever seen," Lindbergh said. "I have had a wonderful reception here and I have enjoyed myself immensely. I am certainly glad I came."

The "Flying Colonel" is in the best of health and spirits and is getting the utmost pleasure from sight-seeing. His program for today included a flight with three noted personalities as passengers—President Calles, of the Republic, General Alvaro Obregon, candidate for president to succeed Senor Calles, and United States Ambassador Dwight P. Morrow.

To Meet His Mother

The Spirit of St. Louis—the junior member of the famous firm of "We"—will be in action again Thursday. Lindbergh plans to fly toward Tampico to welcome the plane bearing his mother to Mexico City. Lindbergh plans a continuous flight without landing, hoping to pick up the other plane somewhere near Tampico and convey it to the Vauhena Airdrome.

Lindbergh said he would use another plane—the Spirit of San Diego—for his flight today.

Plans for the continuation of the

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THE ROOSTER IS DRUNK THE WOMAN EXPLAINED

"Also All Our Cats, Dogs and Cattle Spent Perpetual Jag Here."



DENIZEN OF THE DEEP is Thomas Eadie, among the first of the Navy's crack divers rushed to help in the S-4 rescue work at Provincetown, Mass. Eadie, here pictured getting into his underwater equipment, reported that he had received response from the trapped men to signals he hammered on the sunken sub's hull. Above is artist's conception of how signals were received. "There are six of us. Please hurry," signals said.

WATERBURY WOMAN GETS JAIL SENTENCE

Arrested After Two Years' Search in St. Louis—Jumped Jail Twice.

Waterbury, Conn., Dec. 20.—Mrs. Gladys Troiko McGuire, long sought by Waterbury and New Haven police for connection with cases of illegal operations, went to Wethersfield today to start a sentence of one to three years. Mrs. McGuire was brought into town early Saturday from St. Louis where she was captured after a hunt of two years, and today Judge Arthur F. Ellis sentenced her to prison.

Mrs. McGuire was found guilty of performing an illegal operation two years ago, appealed giving \$5,000 bail, and then disappeared. Meanwhile she was arrested at New Haven on a similar charge and put up bail of \$1,500, disappearing again before Waterbury police could reach her.

Mrs. McGuire was reported constantly from western cities and at one time was reported killed in a railroad wreck. Local police went to Chicago and found that the person reported as Mrs. McGuire was someone else. Within a month she was arrested in St. Louis for performing an operation there. Waterbury police immediately asked extradition and the St. Louis police waived their claim on the woman a week ago.

TREASURY BALANCE

Washington, Dec. 20.—Treasury balance Dec. 17: \$263,341,283.62.

GALE DRIVES RESCUERS TO HARBOR'S SHELTER

IS THERE HOPE? QUERY TRAPPED SAILORS IN SUB

Hammer Knocks and Oscillator Used to Exchange Messages—What They Said.

Boston, Dec. 20.—Hammer knocks have revealed the horror of the six brave naval men entombed within the steel bulk of the submarine S-4 off Provincetown.

The submarine signaling device, known as the oscillator, has been used to exchange messages between the S-4 and Submarine S-3, according to word reaching the local Navy Yard today.

"How are you feeling down there," asked the talking hammers of the S-3.

"As good as could be expected under the circumstances," came the reply from 102 feet below.

"How's your courage holding out?"

"Great."

"How's your air?"

"Not very good. We are troubled with chlorine gas from the batteries. We would like something to neutralize it."

"How long before you will be able to get us," queried the staccato blows from the S-4.

"We are doing everything possible."

"How many of you left?" asked the S-3.

"Six."

HIGH WAVES PREVENT DIVERS FROM WORKING

Last Hopes Fade—Six O'clock Tonight as Long as Sailors Can Remain Alive Without the Aid of Oxygen—Submarine Sunk Deep in Mud—"Still Alive But Slowly Dying From Lack of Pure Air" Last Message Received At 2 O'clock This Morning.

Washington, Dec. 20.—The Navy has given up hope of rescuing alive members of the crew of the submarine S-4. "Everything is against them."

This utterance from an admiral shortly after noon today summarized the official attitude after a conference at which reports of the heroic fight against overwhelming odds had been considered by all the Navy's highest officers.

The last fragile hope of getting life-giving air to the six entombed men aboard the sunken submarine S-4, faded before noon today when a fresh broadside of frigid northern gales swept down over the spot where rescue ships were huddled, sending them into port for shelter at Provincetown, Mass.

It was the final gesture of the futility which navy officials have been reluctant to voice—the impossibility of getting oxygen tanks to the entrapped men before six o'clock tonight, the limit of their endurance.

Throughout the night and early today the rescue ships had tossed and pitched over the spot where the S-4 lies in a hundred feet of icy water, awaiting the slightest break in the storm that would permit divers to go below.

Had that break been theirs, the rescuers were prepared to descend into the ooze of the ocean floor, there to clear out the mud-choked torpedo tube and attempt the hazardous task of forcing oxygen, food and gas neutralizers to the six men gasping out their lives in the bitterly cold darkness of the torpedo room.

The Last Message

"Is there any hope?" was the last message tapped out by those within the room.

The surrender of the men above them who were compelled to seek the harbor today before the fury of the storm, stands in mute reply.

Even should the elements subside later in the day, the work ahead of the divers only too willing to risk their lives to take precious hours—so if the divers succeed in getting the life-sustaining supplies into the torpedo tube, the suffocating six may not have the strength to open the tube from within. The most optimistic were given almost to despair.

Alive at 2 a. m.

"Still alive but slowly dying from lack of pure air—" The trapped survivors tapped out faintly at two a. m., today, Captain Adolphus Andrews revealed this morning, at the New London naval base. The message was relayed to him from the scene of rescue operations just off Cape Cod.

NAMES OF THE SIX BELIEVED TO BE ALIVE

Provincetown, Mass., Dec. 20.—The names of the six men believed to be living in the torpedo room of the stricken submarine S-4 were listed today by United States Navy officials as follows:

- Lieutenant Graham Newell Fitch, of Washington, D. C.
- Russell A. Crabb, torpedo man, of San Diego, Calif., and Fall River, Mass.
- Joseph L. Stevens, seaman, of Providence, R. I.
- Roger L. Short, torpedo man of Booneville, Mo.
- Frank Shizek, torpedo man, of Ridgefield Park, N. J.
- George Pelinar, seaman of Omaha, Neb.

prisoners to open the inner door of the tube. The divers could open the outside doors. It is a question, according to naval experts, whether the prisoners will have strength enough to do so—or to close them up again against the terrific pressure of 120 feet of water.

Naval officials marvelled today that the men in the submarine were still alive early this morning—as reported by their tapping on the hull.

HOPE IS WANING

Provincetown, Mass., Dec. 20.—Hope rode out toward the distant horizon astride a lashing gale today as six men gasped for breath in the corpse-strewn darkness of the torpedo room of the sunken S-4.

Once there were forty—now there are six—at six o'clock this evening there will be none alive unless a near miracle occurs.

This hour was set by Rear Admiral Philip Andrews, of the first naval district, as the latest time that life might be sustained aboard by the entrapped crew. Seventy-two hours will then have elapsed since the S-4 was rammed by the Coast Guard cutter Paulding and clipped to the bottom of the harbor here.

Last Message

The last message from the tomb of naval steel was a pitiful plea for a word of encouragement.

FEAR MEN DOOMED

Washington, Dec. 20.—The navy's fears that the men imprisoned in the steel bulk of the submarine S-4 are doomed—if not already dead—were further increased this morning by receipt of advices from Rear Admiral Frank H. Brumby on the scene.

Admiral Brumby reported the weather and sea still too rough for a resumption of diving operations.

But this was not the only pessimistic report from the scene of rescue operations.

It has been decided, the admiral reported, to try to send down to the imprisoned and probably gasping men a flash of life-giving oxygen, some concentrated food, and a flashlight, but examination has already shown that the torpedo tubes, through which the stuff would have to pass to the men, are filled with mud, which will require some time to clear out.

Risky Experiment

REMUS MURDER CASE GOES TO THE JURY

Court Instructs Jury They Can't Bring in a "Not Guilty" Verdict.

Court House, Cincinnati, Ohio, Dec. 20.—The case of George Remus, on trial for the murder of his wife Imogene, went to the jury at 12:49 p. m., this afternoon.

Six of the jurors wore sprigs of Christmas holly, as, with solemn faces, they retired to the jury room to deliberate.

Judge Chester R. Shook, in instructing the jury just before they filed out, eliminated the straight "not guilty" verdict from the various forms of verdicts he told them they might return.

It was a ruling said to be unique in the history of American courts. Remus, his head bowed in his hands, said it had deprived him of his constitutional right to a fair and impartial trial.

BANDITS GET \$20,000 IN DARING ROBBERY

Hold Up Delivery Men With Shotguns and Escape With Day's Collection.

Mt. Vernon, N. Y., Dec. 20.—The terminal garage, used by the New York firm of Arnold, Constable & Company to house delivery trucks, was entered early today by six men armed with sawed-off shotguns, who held up the manager, four drivers and a special policeman and took a total of \$20,000, most of which was money collected by the drivers on their routes.

The six victims were lined up with their faces to the wall, and while two of the intruders stood guard the others began binding them with picture wire. With a warning that an outcry meant death, the desperadoes escaped in a waiting automobile.

The prisoners freed themselves after some minutes of struggle and a general alarm was issued immediately to all authorities in the county.

DECLARE DIVIDENDS

New York, Dec. 20.—Directors of the Pan-American Petroleum Company passed the quarterly dividend on the common stock of the company at their regular meeting today. The resignation of Chairman F. H. Wickett, chairman of the board, was accepted, and he will continue as president of the Dixie Oil & Gas Co.

Local Stocks

(Furnished by Putnam & Co.)

Bid	Asked
Bank Stocks	
City Bank & Trust	850
Capital Natl Bank	285
Conn River	300
First Bond and Mort	55
First Natl (Hfd)	300
Hart Natl B & Tr	485
Hfd Conn Tr Co	735
Land Mtg & Title	60
Norris Plan Bank	145
Park St Tr	550
Riverside Trust	450
Phoenix St B Tr	410
Bonds	
Hfd & Conn West 6	102
East Conn Power	100
Conn L P 4 1/2	101 1/2
Hart E L 7 1/2	390
Conn L P 5 1/2	110
Hrd Hyd 5 1/2	104
Insurance Stocks	
Aetna Insurance	745
Aetna Cas & Sure	1350
Acta Life	852
Conn Gen	1820
Automobile	375
Hart Fire	795
Hart St Bldg	805
Lincoln Nat Life	103
National Fire	1005
Phoenix	785
Travelers	1635
Rossia	185
Public Utility Stocks	
Conn L P 8 1/2	120
Conn L P 7 1/2	120
Green Wat & Can	101 1/2
Hart E L	398
Hart Gas com	90
Hart Gas pfd	68
S N E Tel Co	176
Conn El Ser pfd	93
Manufacturing Stocks	
American Wire	25
Billing's Spencer com	8
Billing's Spencer pfd	5
Bigelow Hart com	93
Bristol Brass	10
Collins Co	102
Collt Firearms	29
Eagle Lock	70
Palmer Bearing	112
Hart & Cooley	215
Inter Silver com	185
Inter Silver pfd	124
Landers, Fry & Clk	79
Mann & Bow A	17
do B	9
New Brit Ma pfd A	95
do com	25
Niles Be Pond	34
J R Mont pfd	75
North & Judd	29
Pratt, Whitney pfd	85
Peck, Stow & Wil	18 1/2
Russell Mfg Co	83
Scoville Mfg Co	51
Smyth Mfg Co	400
Stanley Wks com	59
Standard Screw	102
Storrington	87
U S Envelope pfd	114
Union Mfg Co	22
Whit Coll Pipe	16

N. Y. Stocks

High	Low	1 p. m.
Allied Chem	153 1/2	152 1/2
Allis Chal	113 1/2	113 1/2
Am Can	76 1/2	76 1/2
Am Loco	108 1/2	108 1/2
Am Smelt	177 1/2	177 1/2
Am St Fdy	64 1/2	63 1/2
Am Sugar	75 1/2	75 1/2
Am T & T	180	180
Am Woolen	20 1/2	20 1/2
Anaconda	58 1/2	58 1/2
Atchison	193 1/2	193 1/2
Bald Loco	253	253
B & O	117 1/2	117 1/2
Beth Steel	57 1/2	57 1/2
Can Pac	213 1/2	213 1/2
C M & St P pfd	33	33
Chi & North	85 1/2	85 1/2
Chi Rock Isl	107 1/2	107 1/2
Cons Gas	118 1/2	118 1/2
Corn Prod	64 1/2	64 1/2
Del & Hud	185	185
Dodge Bros	20 1/2	20 1/2
Du Pont	62	61 1/2
Erie	22 1/2	22 1/2
Gen Elec	133 1/2	133 1/2
Gen Motors	134 1/2	135
Gillett Raz	104 1/2	105 1/2
Inspira	22	22
Nickel	77 1/2	77 1/2
Kennecott	83 1/2	83 1/2
Mack Truck	106 1/2	106 1/2
Marl Oil	36 1/2	36 1/2
N Y Central	164 1/2	165
Mo Pac com	51 1/2	51 1/2
New Hikel	60 1/2	59 1/2
No Am Co	60	59 1/2
Nor Pac	98 1/2	98 1/2
Penn R R	64 1/2	64 1/2
Pere Mar	125	125
Pest Cervat	122 1/2	122 1/2
Pull new	83 1/2	83 1/2
Radio Cor	95 1/2	94 1/2
Sears Roe	90 1/2	90 1/2
Sou Pac	124	123 1/2
Sou Rail	145 1/2	145 1/2
S O of N J	40	39 1/2
Studebaker	60 1/2	60
Tob Prod	115 1/2	115 1/2
Union Pac	193 1/2	193 1/2
United Drug	194 1/2	194 1/2
West Fruit	144 1/2	144 1/2
U S Rubber	57 1/2	56 1/2
U S Steel	149 1/2	149 1/2
Westing	90	90
Willis Over	17 1/2	17 1/2

KIWANIANS HAVE CHRISTMAS PARTY

Session This Noon Well Attended—Members Bring Toys For Distribution.

The Kiwanis Christmas party at the Hotel Sheridan this noon was unanimously voted the best ever. Each member brought a present suitable for a boy or girl and most of them turned out to be for boys. There were a few dolls but for the most part they were mechanical toys and automobiles. They were numbered and drawn by the members. After they had a little fun with them they were turned over to the committee to be given away at Christmas.

There was no scheduled speaker today. Members of different nationalities were called upon to tell how Christmas was observed in their native country and some very good talks were given.

N. B. Richards gave a report for the Kiwanis end of the Community Christmas. He said the money had been coming in exceptionally well but the committee would be glad to hear from others who have not already responded. From all indications the needy people in Manchester will not be forgotten this Christmas.

The meeting this noon was very well attended. Landlord Sheridan served a turkey dinner to the members. Holger Bach won the attendance prize donated by Dr. Sloan. Next week the new slate of officers will be inducted in office with Clarence P. Quimby at the head.

HOPE IS GIVEN UP FOR TRAPPED SAILORS

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Some experts consider that it is suicide with the sea pounding as it was this morning. A special drum containing oxygen has been constructed. If the divers can be lowered down to the bottom and keep their air-lines from fouling they will attempt to open the outer door of the S-4 torpedo tube and insert the drum. The men within—if they are strong enough—may then open the interior door of the tube and draw in the precious tank of air.

Under favorable conditions, such an operation 102 feet below the ocean's surface is a delicate, dangerous task. The pressure of the water is tremendous and once the outer torpedo tube door is opened, the inner door may burst under the pressure of the drum also may be unable to withstand the weight of water.

EMERGENCY DOCTORS POLICE SEEK WOMAN IN PARKER MURDER

Doctors G. A. F. Lundberg and Vera Holmes will respond to emergency calls tomorrow afternoon.

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LOOT DISABLED CAR OF BATTERY, LIGHTS

Truck Left Alone Briefly Loses Equipment; Wrong Men Are Trained.

The battery and electric light bulbs were stolen from a Ford truck owned by Fitzgerald Brothers less than two hours after the machine had been "incapacitated."

William Fitzgerald was driving the truck when the axle broke. He parked the car in the driveway at Laurel Park and came back to Manchester for assistance. When he got back, "the cupboard was bare."

Police were notified of the theft and three men who boarded a Manchester bound trolley were traced to the State armory here by Officer John Crockett but they are not believed to have been responsible.

The stolen equipment is valued at about \$20.

BENNETT-MONTGOMERY

Miss Avis Martha Montgomery, daughter of Mrs. Nancy Montgomery of 25 Kansas street and William Bennett of Waterville, Vermont, were married at the parsonage of the Nazarene church last evening at 6 o'clock. The ceremony was performed by the pastor, Rev. E. T. French. The bride attendants were Miss Ena and Dallas Montgomery, sister and brother of the bride.

The bride's gown was of white georgette trimmed with pearls and her shower bouquet was of white bridal roses and lilies of the valley. The bridesmaid's dress was of pink tulle and she carried Madame Butterfly roses.

On their return from a wedding trip to northern New York state Mr. and Mrs. Bennett will for the present make their home with the bride's mother.

REVENGE, THE MOTIVE

Los Angeles, Calif., Dec. 20.—The mask has been torn from the identity of the ruthless killer of little Marian Parker.

This was revealed today when police announced that they were seeking William Edward Hickman, 18, former bank messenger, who was discharged from the institution where the little girl's father is a trusted official.

The startling disclosure was made by Chief of Detectives Hickman Cline and Chief Deputy District Attorney Harold L. Davis, who directly declared that the fugitive youth had been identified as the 12-year-old schoolgirl.

Revenge, not the \$1,500 ransom, was the ascribed motive for the horrible crime, officials making the flat statement that Perry M. Parker, Marian's father, alone had opposed probation for young Hickman at the time he was dismissed from the bank after confessing to forgery.

Hickman's identification was clinched, according to authorities, through comparison of left-sole fingerprints recorded in the police department when Hickman was arrested on forgery charges.

The final link

This final link was completed after an all night study of the two sets of fingerprints by H. H. Barlow, identification and fingerprint expert of the Los Angeles Police Department.

Police also made public today the name of the school teacher who saw little Marian Parker led away to her doom and is said to have identified photographs of Hickman as those of the man who abducted and later murdered the child.

She is Miss Neoma Britten, a member of the Mount Vernon Junior high school.

"When William Edward Hickman is arrested, either in California or any other state," was the public statement of Davis, "nothing can be brought to the defense of the man we now are seeking for this atrocious murder, because a conviction is certain. In every state apprehended in another state, the

Rescue Ships Forced To Flee Before Gale

Washington, Dec. 20.—A driving gale drove the heroic rescue fleet from the scene of the S-4 disaster into the shelter of the Provincetown harbor shortly before noon today, the Navy was advised in a message from Admiral Frank H. Brumby, in command of the 26 vessels which have fought desperately against overwhelming odds to save the lives of the imprisoned crew.

Simultaneously with the receipt of a message from Admiral Brumby advising that the U. S. S. Falcon could not be held in position near the scene of the disaster because of the heavy rolling seas and strong winds, the regular morning bulletin from the weather forecaster announced a severe northwest storm sweeping the Atlantic seaboard south of Portland, Me.

The storm warnings of the Weather Bureau held out little hope for improved weather conditions tomorrow. The bulletin, which was broadcast by the Navy, follows:

"Northwest storm warning ordered ten a. m., north of Portland, Me., to Eastport. Disturbance of great intensity and extent over New England will cause strong west and northwest winds this afternoon, tonight and probably Wednesday."

ABOUT TOWN

Mrs. Margaret Brown of Arch street is confined to her bed, suffering from a fracture of the arm, the result of a fall down the cellar stairs at her home last week. The fracture has been reduced and Mrs. Brown is resting comfortably.

The children's chorus of the Swedish Lutheran church will meet for rehearsal tonight at 6 o'clock. The G Clef Glee club will rehearse at 7 and the church choir at 8:30.

The children taking part in the Christmas entertainment at the Second Congregational church will meet at the church tomorrow afternoon at 3:30 for rehearsal.

Robert M. Reid, who has been seriously ill at his home on Main street for several weeks past, is now able to sit up in bed for short periods several times a day.

PONTOONS ARRIVING

Boston, Mass., Dec. 20.—Floating derricks and extra pontoons for the scene of the S-4 disaster were off Cape Cod canal this morning, according to radio advices to the Charlestown Navy Yard.

Naval tug Iwawa and commercial tug Relief were towing one derrick and the naval tug Mohave and the commercial tug Relief were towing another.

The U. S. S. Wright was off President's Roads with three extra pontoons from Norfolk, Va.

Naval tug Pennacook came in from Portsmouth, N. H., Navy Yard to load supplies for Provincetown.

Some anxiety has been feared for the naval tug Triton, which had been unreported for hours, but was finally located off the west end of Cape Cod canal.

DIE BY POISON GAS

Boston, Mass., Dec. 20.—If the six survivors of the submarine S-4 die, it will be from carbon dioxide gas poisoning, naval officers at Charlestown Navy Yard said today.

Carbon dioxide gas is that exhaled from the body after breathing oxygen and death as explained by the naval officer would be by slow suffocation.

RUSHING DIVING SUITS

Boston, Mass., Dec. 20.—Carrying diving suits, hose and four specially-constructed nozzles which had been rushed here by train from New York, U. S. Triton departed tonight steamed out of Charlestown Navy Yard this forenoon on a quick run to Provincetown.

The office of Rear Admiral Philip Andrews, commandant, had despatched this query to Rear Admiral Frank Brumby, in charge of operations at the scene of the S-4 disaster off Cape Cod.

"Do you require more diving gear or divers and if divers are needed what experience do you consider essential?"

TO TRY TORPEDO TUBES

Boston, Mass., Dec. 20.—Rear Admiral Frank Brumby in a notification sent to the Navy Yard from Provincetown and made public today said that an attempt will be made to get oxygen tanks, food, soda lime and flashlights into the S-4 through the forward torpedo tube, provided the tube can be reached by a diver. Everything is ready as soon as the diver can begin, the message stated. The heavy sea had made diving operations sure suicide.

Rear Admiral Brumby reported that access to the torpedo tube may be impossible until a diver washes the mud down so as the tube can be exposed.

He reported that the submarine had scooped deep into the ooze and that one diver went up to his hips in mud when he was abreast of the conning tower. The head of the S-4 is pointed southwest.

Although the area of Bolliv is about 560,000 square miles, its population does not exceed that of Chicago.

FAILS TO BREAK RECORD

San Francisco, Calif., Dec. 20.—The giant triple-engine, Fokker monoplane "Spirit of California" failed today in its attempt to break the world's record for sustained flight when exhaustion of fuel forced it to land at the Municipal airport at 8:50 A. M.

The plane, carrying Lieutenant George Pond, U.S.N.R.F., and Captain Charles Kingsford-Smith had been continuously in the air more than 49 hours and 27 minutes, having taken off at 8:23 A.M., on Sunday.

Land formed by sediment of the Mississippi river is extending out into the Gulf of Mexico at the rate of many feet a year.

LINDBERGH TO TAKE CALLES UP IN PLANE

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present air voyage are nearly completed. Lindbergh will leave for a 700-mile flight to Guatemala City on December 27. He hopes to make it in eight hours. He will continue to the Panama Canal Zone, visiting only capitals. He expects to hop from the Canal Zone to Havana, reaching the latter city in time for the Pan American Congress, where President Coolidge will deliver an address.

CITY CLUB TO GIVE PARTY FOR MEMBERS

Christmas Tree With Presents For All—Osano to Serve Turkey Dinner.

The Manchester City club is entertaining its membership Thursday night to an old-fashioned Christmas tree party. Judging from returns to the club about \$5 will be in attendance. Since Manchester's stores are open Thursday night the dinner will not be served until shortly after nine o'clock.

Chief John Urbano Osano has been engaged to serve a big turkey dinner. There will be plenty to eat for everyone and it will be served buffet style. Following the dinner there will be an entertainment, the Manchester City club quartet taking a prominent part. A big Christmas tree will be decorated by John G. Pentland of the Park Hill Flower shop. At the foot of the tree will be grouped valuable gifts for each member. William Burke, the club's president, will play the role of Santa Claus.

each of these cities have been asked to keep closely in touch with young Hickman's relatives, in the belief that the youth, hunted throughout the nation, may return to some relative for aid.

Abrus, a plant growing wild in Cuba and India, is watched for weather forecasts, as its leaves are very sensitive to changes in temperature and humidity.

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Rockville

Mrs. George Felden Mrs. George Felden, aged 55 years, of Vernon Ave., died at the Hartford hospital Saturday afternoon. The funeral was held from her home this morning at 10 o'clock.

John W. Watkins John W. Watkins, aged 65 years, died at the Rockville City hospital Monday morning following a short illness. He was born in Rockville and had lived in Rockville and Ellington all his life.

Notes Mr. and Mrs. William Deluco of Springfield spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Adolf Friedrich of Harlow street.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hartenstein of Spring street are rejoicing over the birth of a 7-1-2 pound son, Albert Jr., born Sunday morning at the Rockville City hospital.

Everett Smith of Watertown, Conn., spent the week end at his home on Lawrence street.

Robert Reuger of West street, will spend the holidays in New York.

Miss Doris Friedrich of Harlow street spent the week end in Hartford.

William Eckhardt of Union street is confined to the house with illness.

Milton R. Liebe is spending the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Liebe of Prospect street. He has as his guest Mr. Wayland Rice of Nebraska who is also a student at Crozer Theological Seminary.

Benjamin Nangle, professor at Yale, arrived home Saturday and spend the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Nangle of Ellington.

Emerson Liebe of Hartford spent the week end with his parents on Prospect street.

Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Lane of Springfield were the guests of Mrs. Charlotte Marshman of Orchard street, Monday.

Charles Decker of New Jersey was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Liebe of Prospect street over the week end.

The suit of Joseph Janton, administrator against Henry Kloter, Jr., of Rockville for damages in the death of Francis Janton, 14 years, who was killed last April in an automobile accident, has been settled out of court.

The Cornelia Circle held a meeting Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. George McLean of Talcott avenue. The subject was "Andrew Carnegie."

James R. Quinn of Talcott Ave., is seriously ill at his home.

Mrs. Peter Fagan confined to her home on Nye street.

PREPARE FOR ANNUAL "WHITE GIFT" OFFERING

Mrs. Clarence L. Taylor, chairman of the committee on the distribution of the "white gift" offerings by children of the South Methodist church, spent a busy afternoon yesterday making up baskets of fruits and jellies for shut-ins; others with vegetables, canned goods and staples; packages of toys and warm clothing, all to be sent to Miss Jessie Reynolds, social service worker in the employ of the town, who will see to their distribution to families where there is illness or need before Christmas.

The children brought their offerings on Sunday at the Sunday school session. Each department had its own special exercises for the white gift service. This method of giving is adopted in many of the Protestant churches today and helps to impress upon the children the biblical admonition to give freely and cheerfully for "it is more blessed to give than to receive."

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RANKING OFFICERS DO HONOR TO "TOP"

First Sergt. Hynes Ends Military Career in Blaze of Glory at Armory.

Although, officially, he's just plain "Jim" today, James P. Hynes of Eldridge street will probably be greeted as "Sergeant" by fellow soldiers the rest of his life, although he brought his brilliant military career to a close last night at the State Armory here. For twenty-five years, First Sergeant Hynes had been connected with one branch or another of the Connecticut National Guard.

Sergeant Hynes received a twenty-five year service medal presented by Col. Harry B. Bissell, chief of staff of the 43rd division, as the state of Connecticut's token of appreciation for his faithful and meritorious service. The presentation was made at the drill and banquet held in his honor last night which was attended by many officers of high rank.

Sergeant Hynes stood with Colonel Joseph F. Gohn, U. S. A., in the reviewing staff as his Company G boys presented. This came just after the presentation of the final drill with Sergeant Hynes as "top."

At the conclusion of the drill, Sergeant Hynes was called to the front by Captain Herbert H. Bissell, who briefly outlined Sergeant Hynes' career. He spoke as follows: His Record

"First Sergeant James P. Hynes is hereby discharged by reason of expiration of term of service and is this day retired after 25 years of service in the Connecticut National Guard.

"Enlisting in Company K, First Connecticut Volunteers, on June 14, 1898, he saw active service in the war with Spain and was discharged on October 31, 1898 when the unit was demobilized. He enlisted in Company G, 46th United States Infantry, and took part in the Philippine insurrection, being discharged from that unit on June 30, 1901, after having served continuously from the date of his enlistment on October 1, 1899.

"On December 9, 1901, Sergeant Hynes enlisted in Company G, First Connecticut Infantry, and served continuously until June 1, 1913. Promoted to sergeant-major, he served as such with the Second Battalion of the First Connecticut Infantry until July 10, 1916.

World War Service "Upon the entrance of United States into the World War, Sergeant Hynes being too old to get into active service, enlisted in Company F of the Connecticut State Guard and served with that company until it was demobilized, on April 15, 1919. He enlisted with Company G, 169th Infantry, C. N. C., on December 8, 1921 and served until December 18, 1928, the date of his final discharge and retirement.

"For this continuous service with the Connecticut National Guard, Sergeant Hynes, is this date entitled to the 25 year service medal. He has always proven himself an honest and faithful soldier and a credit to his state and nation."

Gifts at Banquet One of the finest tributes paid to Sergeant Hynes during the numerous speeches made after the roast beef supper had been served was one by his captain, who said that he believed that fully nine-tenths of Manchester's soldiers, living and dead, learned much of their knowledge about the military game from Sergeant Hynes. This was true even in the case of Colonel Bissell and other officers of high rank.

Sergeant Hynes was referred to as the "grand-daddy" of them all. He was the oldest top sergeant in the Connecticut National Guard both from a point of service and age. He is exceptionally well known in military circles throughout the state.

At the banquet, Sergeant Hynes received a complete smoking stand and a Dunhill pipe, gift of members of his company. In addition he was told that the uniform he was wearing was also his property. Sergeant Hynes was invited to attend the weekly company drills whenever he desired and also the annual encampment at Niantic. Among the speakers who paid tribute to Sergeant Hynes at the banquet were Colonel Gohn, Major Clarence Scarborough, Major Wesley Ayres, Ma-

for Benjamin Byrd, Captain Allan Dexter, Captain Harry Keeney, Captain Henry Garrison, former Captain John Pentland and others. A witty monologue by Sam Gaylord, new armory sergeant, and singing by Arthur Keating were the highlights of the entertainment.

Successor It has not been definitely settled yet, but Sergeant Victor E. Duke is likely to succeed Sergeant Hynes, Captain Bissell said after the banquet.

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The Paulding's Crash Damage



A small part of the damage the coast guard boat Paulding received in its collision in Provincetown Harbor with the submarine S-4 is close-up here. The torn and twisted plates (arrows) are only an above-water vestige of greater damage below the water-line.

"MOUNTAIN LION" IS SEEN NEARER TOWN

Animal Thought Perhaps Addison Beast, Said to Be Killing Deer.

Manchester and Glastonbury folk living near the end of South Main street are in something of a panic over frequent reports that a large wild animal, perhaps the same mountain lion that was reported some weeks ago to be prowling in Addison, has been seen in the vicinity. The Addison animal was vaguely reported to have escaped from a traveling menagerie. Some of the residents do not venture out after dark.

As far as can be learned, no one has seen the animal at close enough range to identify it. Those who have gained fleeting glimpses of it as it disappeared in the wilderness, are divided in opinion as to whether it is a mountain lion, lynx, panther or wild cat, though the stories make it a bigger beast than the last named.

It is said that whatever kind of animal it is, numerous deer in the vicinity have paid with their lives for its presence. It was said

at the home of Alvah A. Russell on South Main Street that, as far as the family knew, the animal had not been seen for a month. At the home of Russell Tryon, it was reported that children thought they saw the animal last week.

Joseph Novell said that he saw the animal about six weeks ago and that it was brown and had a bushy tail. He only got a distant view but thought the animal looked like an Airdale dog.

Others report that often terrible cries are heard in the woods at night. These weird noises haven't helped settle the general state of mind any. Some neighborhood septs assert that the whole matter is a "lot of bunk" but as a whole the stories are generally believed.

HOSPITAL NOTES

Admissions at Memorial hospital reported today are those of Mrs. Howard Keith of 50 Holl street and Alphege Truly of Springfield. The only discharge was that of a young girl, Lucille Young. The census today is 48.

Statistics show that United States weather forecasts are correct nine times out of ten.

NEW FORD IS HERE ON A FLYING VISIT

Can Tarry But Briefly But Crowds Enthuse Over Its Beauties.

The new Ford car, which arrived here last night, gave Manchester one of the biggest surprises it has ever experienced. Despite columns and columns of description, the new car, now on display at the rooms of the Manchester Motor Sales company, is vastly different from what anybody expected.

The pictures do it little justice. As a matter of fact, they are said to be only drawings and only side views at that. The lines of the new car were not really shown in the first pictures and the general appearance is a great deal different from the reproductions.

There is nothing on the new car that looks anything like the Model T. Even the nameplate is different, being a handsome enameled affair with the name in silver on a blue background.

The motor is different. The intake and exhaust manifolds show radical changes from the old manifolds on the Model T. The fan is higher and the distributor, one of the new features, is located on top of the cylinder head. The old familiar ignition coils are absent.

Fords, from the time they were first manufactured, always had permanent crank handle hanging down in front of the car at the base of the radiator. This crank is also missing. The shift lever is located midway between the two front seats and the emergency brake handle is in its same old position on the left of the driver's seat.

Beautifully finished in an olive gray tint, ornamented with trimmings of a lighter hue, with glossy black mudguards, the new machine ranks with the best appearing cars on the market. It comes fully equipped with bumpers, windshield wiper, spare wheel and tire.

The car came from Rockville last night on a truck. It is being exhibited all over Hartford county during this week and next week and will be in Manchester only until 9:30 tomorrow night.

A big crowd was awaiting the arrival of the car at the salesrooms last night and when it appeared at 10 o'clock the place was jammed to the doors. Ten minutes after it had been placed on exhibition, Manager Dennis P. Coleman had taken two more orders.

The crowds increased this morning and between 500 and 600 people came to the showrooms to view the new car.

Manager Coleman said today that his orders now total 40, most of which have been secured by deposits.

PUBLIC RECORDS

The following public records were filed in the City Hall this morning: WARRANT DEED Fred E. Baxter to Henry W. Welton, both of Hartford, land on Oakland Terrace, 140 by 100 feet.

BUILDING PERMITS Conrad Casperson, single house on Spring street in the Lakeview section. Henry Mutrie for Miss Elizabeth M. Bennett, single house on Brookfield street. Edward J. Holl, two two-family houses on Proctor road.

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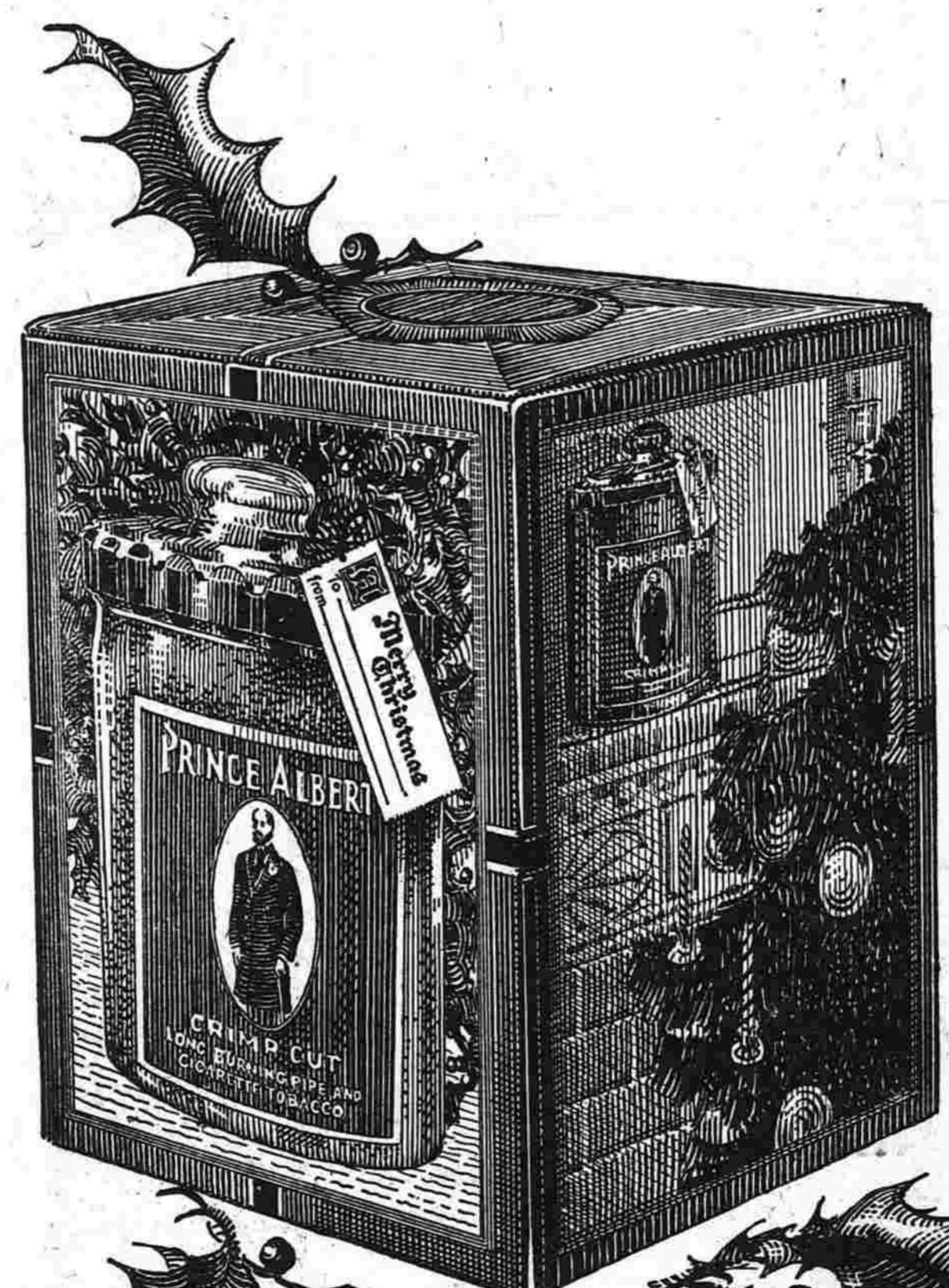
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NOTHING DONE

When the S-4 experienced a fate similar to that of its sister submarine the S-51 the navy turned quickly to the man who is said to know more about submarine salvaging than any one else, in or out of the navy. This man was Edward Ellsberg, a civilian engineer in the employ of an oil company.

Admiral Plunkett had recommended Ellsberg's advance in rank in recognition of his unique and heroic service. The Navy Department had refused to take steps for the advancement on the ground that it was not the department's policy to advance officers for meritorious acts. Yet the titular commander of the rescue expedition was awarded a particularly pleasing command and all the enlisted men concerned were advanced.

At the first flash of the news of the S-4 disaster he flew back into the service, however, was avidly welcomed by the department, given provisional rank and hurried to the scene of the tragedy. The Navy needed him.

But it was not only in the matter of rank that Ellsberg was snubbed. A graver matter than that is brought out now. After the salvaging of the S-51 Ellsberg, out of his engineering knowledge and his unequalled experience with such matters, strongly recommended to the department that there be attached to all submarines great hooks or loops to which cables could be attached almost without effort and almost instantly, so that in case of disaster they might be raised without the inexact, baffling and time-wasting process of passing chains under them, through tunnels burrowed by the divers. The utter validity and crying urgency of such a device is apparent at a glance.

The Navy Department did nothing whatever about it, so far as can be learned. At all events there are no such hooks or loops on submarines. And out there in the Cape waters today divers are risking their lives trying to belt the sunken sub with chains in the same old makeshift way—and forty men are probably dead.

SENSELESS

To call into question the eligibility of Herbert Hoover to be President because it is claimed he will not have been a resident of the United States for the 14 years last preceding March 4, 1929, will strike the average person as an empty, not to say silly, a piece of political bunk as could be thought up in a blue moon.

Somebody has dug up Article Two of Section Five of the Constitution and is trying to stretch one of its provisions to make it reach across Mr. Hoover's path to the White House. The article in question reads:

"No person except a natural born citizen, or a citizen of the United States at the time of the adoption of this Constitution, shall be eligible to the office of President; neither shall any person be eligible to that office who shall not have attained the age of thirty-five years and been fourteen years a resident within the United States."

The fourteen-year clause, beyond the slightest shadow of doubt, was written into the Constitution to prevent the Presidency going to anyone then living, who had not been identified with the United States from its beginnings as an independent nation in 1783. It was the merest complement to the provision that the President should have either been born in the country or a citizen at the time of its constitutional origin. After the passing of the first generation of

FACTS ABOUT CONNECTICUT

(18) Are Connecticut Manufacturers Losing Ground? Although leading the New England states in the percentage of increased value of her manufactured products during the first quarter of the 20th century, Connecticut—and New England as well—is far behind the percentage increase for the United States as a whole. From 1899 to 1926 the combined value of manufactured products in the 48 states increased 449.7%. Connecticut's increase in this respect was 304.8%. No other New England state shows an increase of 300%, and the increase of one, Vermont, was only 168.2%.

There would be precisely as much sense in attacking Mr. Hoover's eligibility, because he was not a citizen at the time the Constitution was adopted as in assailing it on the ground that he had not lived continuously in America during the fourteen years preceding the potential date of his inauguration, should he be elected.

However, even if there should be any such strained and ridiculous interpretation of the Constitution as would make the clause, in question apply to a native born citizen in 1929, it wouldn't affect Mr. Hoover's eligibility in the least. Simply because "Who's Who" in 1914 and 1915 gave his residence as London, when he was abroad in the exercise of his profession, this American statesman is not to be denied the divine right of his nativity and his citizenship—nor the right to be made head of this nation if the people choose him. Not when there has never been a year of his life, part of which he did not spend in the United States—which is more than can be said for thousands of people who prize their birthright above everything else.

TREATIES

It is understood that the United States Department has practically completed the drafting of a treaty with France, "outlawing war," as suggested by the French government some months ago. It is to contain the inevitable provisos, reservations and other forms of appeasement which render such documents worth the paper they are written on—and a little more. They do actually express good intentions, and the expression of good intentions is better for international relations than bad intentions. Also they are about all that can possibly be expected in the present state of civilization.

Just the same there are a great many people in this country who would like to see Washington offer France a compact of mutual agreement never to fight each other—completely stripped of all conditions. There is no conceivable reason why we should ever want to fight France. She isn't in our way and we are not in her way, in the ambitions or aspirations of either, geographically or otherwise. And it would be such an utter novelty for the world to witness a treaty between nations that would even begin to measure up to the simple and candid agreements continually being made between individuals, that it might not be without its good effect.

Perhaps the principal reason why no nation ever conceives the possibility of striking hands with another nation in such fashion is that anybody—a smart high school boy or girl or any member of an intelligent voters' club—could draw up that kind of a treaty. And then where would the great men get off?

RIOT ACT

Backed by laws adopted in the eighteenth century, a twentieth century chief of police at Dumont, N. J., attempted to disperse a movie theatre audience last Sunday by reading the riot act. Perhaps it was the influence of the film, one which depicted the wild free life of the Northwest, that prompted the audience to give the riot act the raspberry and remain right where it was. Anyhow, the chief departed from there, went out and broke up a football game and determined to do nothing about the theatre matter other than to issue a summons for the managers.

Having had the riot act read to them and refusing to fade away, the movie fans probably might, with more or less legality, have been freed by the police or a sheriff's posse and converted into business for the Dumont undertakers. Fortunately the chief did not take quite so serious a view of Sunday movie

WASHINGTON LETTER

BY RODNEY DUTCHER

Washington, Dec. 20.—The jolly old sport of robbing the Indians was long ago abandoned, according to popular impression, either because the Indians had nothing left to be stolen from them or because none were left to be plundered. The seventieth Congress, however, will be told that the Indians are still being robbed, not only of property, but sometimes even of their lives through the neglect of those who are supposed to take care of them. It will be told that they have also been robbed of their liberty and the right to enter productive industry and the pursuit of happiness.

Although America has almost unanimously forgotten its original inhabitants and has left them to the mercies of the bureaucracy of the Indian Bureau, they have a few good friends down here who are willing to fight for them. Every so often, someone not too busy making money or votes discovers what he considers the real plight of the Indians and flies into a permanent rage at the injustice of it.

Congressman Clyde Kelly of Pittsburgh was one who had that experience when he became a member of the House Indian Affairs Committee back in 1920. He has been working for the Indians so hard ever since, despite the fact that when an Indian thinks of the Great White Father in 1927 he is apt to think of Kelly or Congressman James A. Frear of Wisconsin. Kelly and Frear are fighting in the House for abolition of the Indian Bureau, while at the other end of the Capitol Senator Burton K. Wheeler is expressed to demand an investigation of the Bureau. Kelly and Frear, incidentally, are Republicans. There were other congressmen who fought the Indian Bureau under the last Democratic administration, but who now support it.

"I found 200,000 Indians under a little central bureaucracy which dealt with them in arbitrary and autocratic fashion," Kelly says. "Indian property to the amount of \$1,600,000, which had been taken from its owners, was handled by this bureaucracy—often wastefully and sometimes dishonestly. The Indian Bureau gets away with its high-handed activities because of the Indians. It will take some public pressure to abolish it. We are now trying to lop off some of its activities and Congressmen Frear and I hope to obtain legislation which will take the health and education out of its bureaucratic hands."

Kelly credits Secretary of the Interior Work with a desire to remedy the situation. He and Frear, apparently the only two men in the House who have made a

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study of the problem, are trying to produce a bill which work will approve and which, Kelly says, "will begin the overthrow of the bureau." "Fifty years ago, Helmut Hunt Jackson wrote the story of the white man's treatment of the Indian in 'A Country of Dishonor,'" Kelly says. "But the last 50 years have been the blackest of all. Even the Indian World War veterans—of whom there were 17,000—have been pushed back onto the reservations and kept there under penalty of losing their land if they leave—and, incidentally, mortgaged by the Indian Bureau, which spends \$50,000,000 of Indian funds a year in addition to \$14,000,000 in appropriations. "The Bureau of Naturalization has naturalized and made citizens out of more than 15,000,000 persons while the Indian Bureau, with nearly 6,000 employees—one of every eight families—has kept the Indians from becoming modern Americans. "The Bureau has kept them in bondage and ignorance while wasting their property. It is slaying the life of a people. "Our treatment of the Indians is the sorriest tale that has ever been written in the history of this republic."

1,500,000 TO THEATERS New York.—The legitimate theaters and motion picture houses in New York city have a million and half patrons. There are 208 theaters and 580 movie houses with a total of 858,973 seats, most of which are filled twice daily.

brotherhood that seems to have no bed, but sprawls over tables asleep over their long-drained mugs. Just outside are the fellows of Maggie's strange lodge. They are gathered in the back of the elevated railroad at a point where it ends at South Ferry. They are gathered around great piles of newspapers that rise almost to the elevated's ties. They are old men in old coats, dark figures walking round and round the newspaper bundles and slapping their hands together and beating their arms against their chests. They make no effort to take their papers, but minute by minute walk round and round the bundles, as though this were some weird dance. In the ramshackle coffee house, Maggie has wearily dropped her own bundle of papers on a counter. She has traded a paper for a cup of coffee and sits down mumbbling something to herself. After a time she gets up and goes out. The first streak of dawn streaks the sky. Maggie has played her part in the day's events. She sells her papers and disappears. You will not meet her in the daylight. She is somewhere asleep, Maggie is a creature of Manhattan's dawn. Maggie is of the land of nightmares that come as Manhattan sleeps. GILBERT SWAN. DAILY ALMANAC First line of telegraph between East St. Louis, Ill., and the east completed, 1847. South Carolina seceded, 1860.

STUDY WEATHER YEARS AHEAD IN ARCTIC FLIGHT Seek Data Which Will Indicate Conditions For Ten Seasons. Los Angeles.—Data which will indicate weather conditions ten years in advance will be sought by Captain Geo. H. Wilkins, explorer, in an Arctic flight planned for next April. Captain Wilkins, whose plane is being built here, has two definite objectives in his projected flight over some 2,000 unknown miles of Arctic ice. These are: To see if there is land anywhere in the unknown regions between Point Barrow and Spitzbergen where a meteorological station may be established. Long Range Predictions To make meteorological observations as a foundation for long range weather predictions that will eventually enable farmers and orchardists thousands of miles from the Arctic to anticipate seasonal weather perhaps ten or eleven years ahead. He hopes ultimately to establish a chain of meteorological stations

in the Arctic and Antarctic where air currents bound south and north for inhabited regions may be observed. "Picture the northern and southern halves of the hemispheres as the base on which rest the edge of an endlessly revolving air circle," Captain Wilkins said. "Perhaps eight or nine months after an air current descends at the pole and turns back on its course at a lower level, it reaches Southern California. "The sooner we can capture it on its returning course and study it, the farther ahead we can predict the seasonal weather in its periodic cycles of change." A THOUGHT Resist the devil and he will flee from you.—James 4:7. A vacant mind invites dangerous inmates.—Hillard. GAMING HALL ON BOAT Paris.—A great gaming gambling casino will make its appearance along the French Mediterranean coast next season. A Paris ship building firm will fit a large yacht with gambling paraphernalia and hotel accommodations for 300 guests. It will attempt to attract tourists from Monte Carlo and other casinos.

OPEN FORUM

H. R. GERMAINE KEEPS UP SCHICK TEST DISCUSSION

I again note a renewal by Mrs. Rich of her protest against "The Schick Test." Aside from quoting medical statistics from three to ten years old, together with her own conception of the meaning of the same, I find nothing that induces me to change my opinion of the test.

While the letter is referred to as a new argument against the test, it appears to be an indulgence of personalities. The inference seems to be that I did not write the previous letter, and that it was merely signed by me. For Mrs. Rich's information I might add that I am, and always have been, perfectly capable of expressing my opinions, verbally or otherwise, without the aid of anyone. And I am conceited enough to feel that I shall be able to do so in the future.

I wrote the letter. I signed it. It was not suggested by any other person. I was prompted, to write it because I felt that Mrs. Rich was assuming a tremendous responsibility in making a lay suggestion to the mothers of the town as the dangers of a proven medical procedure.

If Mrs. Rich is determined to furnish the town in general with medical statistics, let her furnish them in their entirety and without any personal interpretation. Although it may be that it takes some brains to pick a good physician, it is quite probable that the people of the town have sufficiently intelligent sense left to properly understand medical reports.

When we are informed that it takes some brains to pick a good physician we are certainly left in a lamentable state. I assume that if a mental specialist were to make a survey of the town his report would result in the establishment of a municipal undertaking plant.

It is evident that there is nothing gained in argumentation with a person who seems to go to extremes in selecting the most pessimistic portions of medical statistics, and then adding personal conceptions, despite the fact that even the journal of the American Medical Association admits that the failure of anti-toxin to work in some cases is still a mystery.

In a brief discussion as to toxin anti-toxin Mrs. Rich finds that "a rapid urticaria sometimes painful but rarely dangerous" develops. Despite the strength of the word, rarely, I note that she insists in adding—"therefore, sometimes dangerous." The story of the New Jersey family might also be a "rare" case. I certainly see no comedy in it. Despite the fact that medical science has made great strides in the past few years, Mrs. Rich in answering the self imposed question as regards the mortality rate takes at "random" reports that are from 6 to 10 years old.

I have no quarrel with Mrs. Rich because of her protest against "The Schick Test." She is entitled to her own opinions. But I see no cause for an indulgence of personalities because a person does not agree with her. Her reference to political doctors seems to me to be decidedly unfair and uncalled for, as is also her remark with reference to the employment of brains in selecting a good physician. These allusions seem to be a poor form of argument.

"Discussion," Mr. Editor, "exercises the mind; argument exercises only the tongue." If space permits, will you kindly permit me to quote Robert Quiller.

The difference between discussion and argument is the difference between a man who is trying to go somewhere and a man who is trying to stay just where he is.

The man who enters into a discussion is full of a passion for truth and eager to hear it. The man who argues is full of vanity and desires only to hear himself talk.

When two intelligent men begin a discussion, there is a tacit understanding that each will place his cards on the table, reveal what he believes to be the truth, and leave his mind open to conviction.

His desire is to learn the truth, even though he must sacrifice convictions that now are dear to him, and his hope is that the sparks generated by the clash of wits will give light.

Men who argue expect to end where they began. The avowed purpose of each is to defend, with logic or insult, as the contest may require, the convictions he now holds. He will deny truth, and deride it, if it threatens his position.

The fact that he delights in argument proves that his mind is closed against new ideas; the fact that his mind is closed proves that he lacks intelligence; the fact that he lacks intelligence proves that you have nothing to gain through him.

Let him alone. He is a menace. If he is plausible, his sophistry may make impressions that you never will be able to erase. And all experience combines to prove that truth is not to be expected in a mind closed to new ideas.

The lover of argument may be right; but if so, his rightness is accidental. You can't trust the business of developing your mind to one who had rather be wrong, than admit being wrong.

Thank you for your courtesy.

Very truly yours,
Harold R. Germaine
105 Benton street,
South Manchester, Conn.

SILVERWARE SOLD HERE BRINGS JAIL SENTENCE

Demauro and Mrs. Demagio Get Four Months and Fines At Meriden.

Jail sentences of four months and fines of \$200 and costs were imposed in Meriden police court yesterday by Judge Thomas P. Dunn on Joseph Demauro, 32, of Meriden, and Mrs. Josephine Demagio, 62, of Chaplin, charged with the theft of silverware from the International Silver Company's plant in Meriden. The silver was stolen from the plant by Demauro and sold throughout this section of Connecticut by the woman.

Manchester people were sold silverware valued at more than \$200, all of which has since been recovered. The trail of the Demagio woman

was picked up in Manchester and was followed to her home in Chaplin where detectives and State Police found a large quantity of silverware, stolen from the factory in Meriden.

Police and detectives, who came to Manchester some weeks ago learned that silverware was being sold here at prices lower than that at which jewelers could purchase it at wholesale. An immediate canvass of certain classes of people was made and it was learned that a number of the sets had been disposed of here. Payments of from \$10 to \$20 had been made by the purchasers to Mrs. Demagio.

BUFFALO IN ALASKA
Fort Yukon, Alaska.—Travelers through the region around Selwyn have reported an immense herd of buffalo, numbering around 50,000. The animals are much like the buffalo of the American plains, but are called wood bison. The herd is believed to have grown from a small number that frequented the region of Pelly Lakes.

GIVES \$10,000 TO CLINIC

New Haven, Conn., Dec. 20.—Miss Helen Chase, of Waterbury, has contributed \$10,000 to the support of the Waterbury mental

hygiene clinic, according to announcement here today by Dr. C. E. A. Winslow, of Yale Medical school, the president of the Connecticut Society for Mental Hygiene. Miss Chase has definitely specified that

her gift is to supplement the existing work of the clinic and is not to be used to meet the current budget which is being met by residents of Waterbury.

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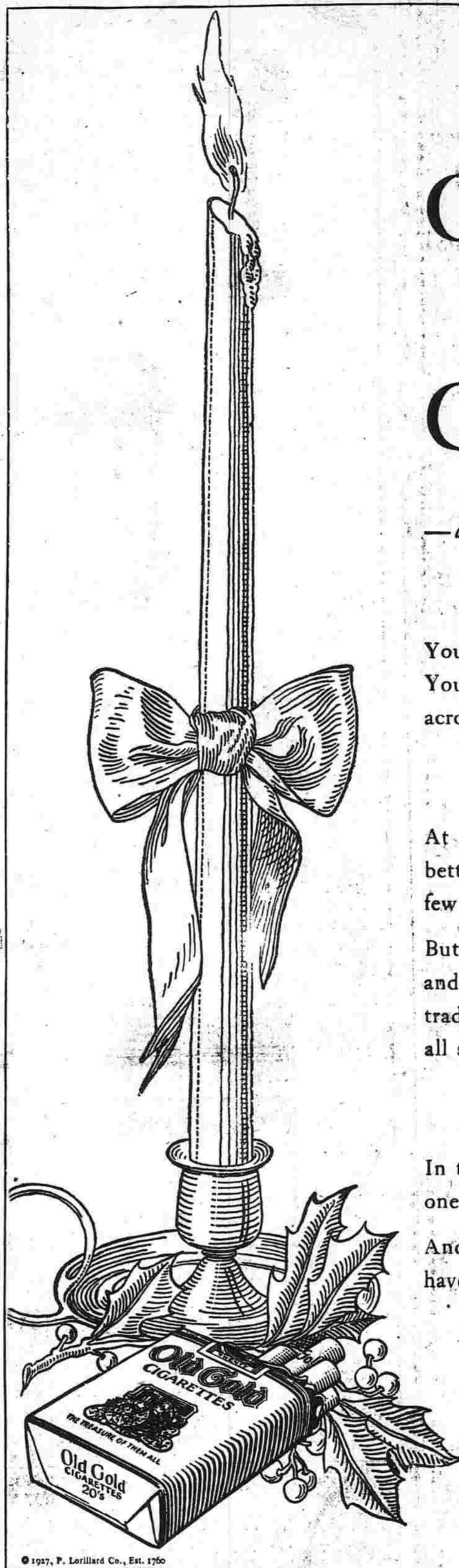
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Lectures By Experts to
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About Cuts.

Cleveland, O.—Hundreds of retail meat dealers will participate in an educational campaign here prior to the livestock show and agricultural exposition in Public Hall, November 15-19.

Teaching the housewife how to select meat cuts, how best to prepare and serve it and teaching the retailer how to cut meats and how to tell the different grades, the campaign will consist of window displays, show exhibits, lectures by experts on various topics of the meat selling industry.

The choicest meats of all kinds will be shown in displays by local dealers, who hope to equal last year's record of the largest meat exhibit in the United States.

Authorities Cooperate
The meat dealers' association will have the cooperation of state and federal authorities, its own national body, and of the National Live Stock and Meat Board of Chicago in the campaign, and show exhibits.

Cleveland packers and provisioners will have a hand in the movement, and will help with the preliminary ticket-selling campaign to be waged by dealers for the livestock show.

A meat market of 1875 will be set up alongside a modern one, to give show visitors the contrast

and demonstrate the progress made in fifty years.

To Display Meats
"The meat dealer of 1875," declared Arthur Wells, association secretary, "served his community longhorn Texas cattle from round pine blocks, oilcloth covered counters, with refrigeration poor, if any. Modern markets, equipped with electrical devices for cooling, slicing, chopping, lighting and weighing mean sanitary conditions, accurate weight, perfection in slicing and efficiency in management. After all, the price of meats today, all considered, is lower than then."

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TEST ANSWERS

Here is one solution to the LETTER GOLF puzzle on the comics page.

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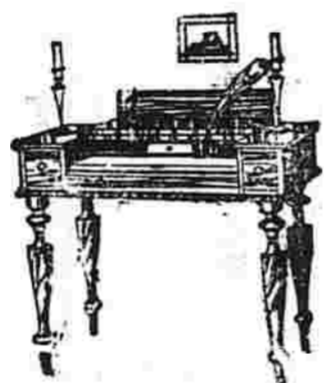
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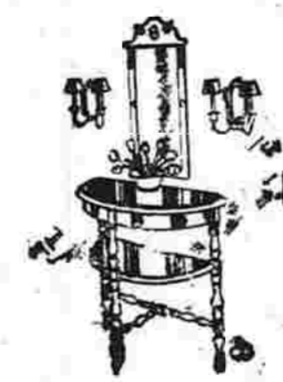
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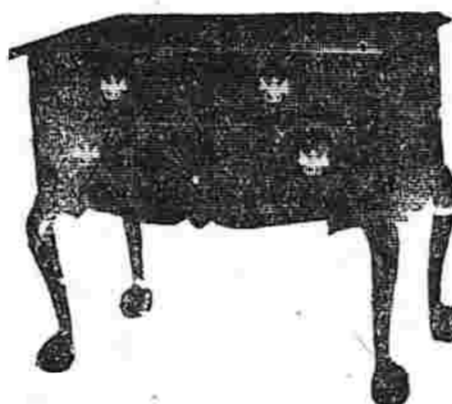
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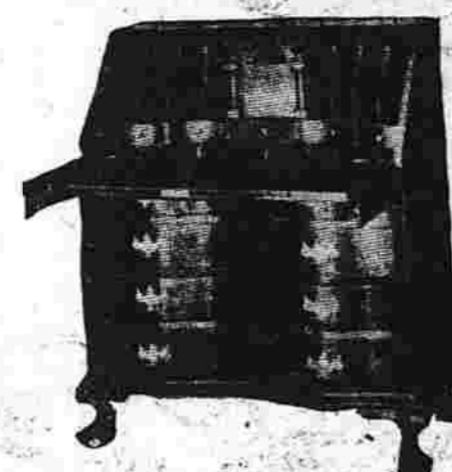
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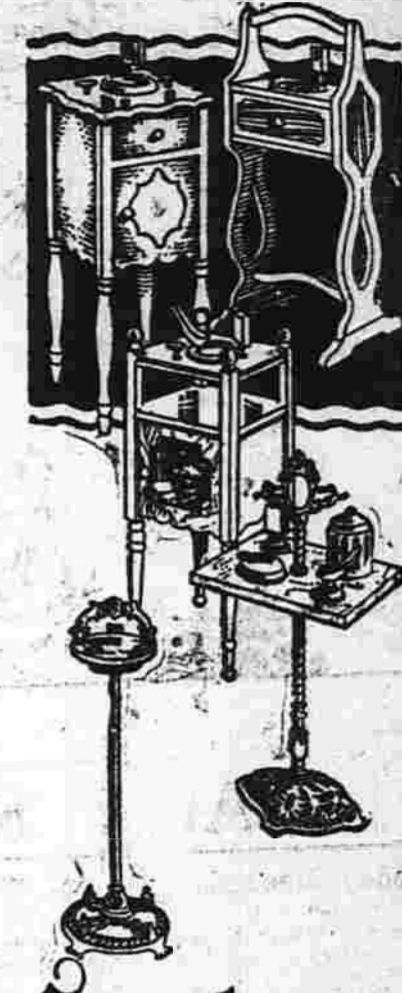
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**BOOK ON INDIA
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Katherine Mayo's Writing
Causes Controversy on
Conditions.

London.—The flames of controversy caused by Miss Katherine Mayo's famous book, "Mother India," have been fanned by a reply entitled, "Father India" written by Mr. C. S. Danga Iyer, a member of the Indian Legislature.

Iyer's arguments constitute a flat denial of the very careful statements and figures set forth by Miss Mayo. His methods of presenting his case are, however, peculiar, and he does not help his argument by referring to Miss Mayo as an "American woman of conceit."

The point of issue between the two writers—which is being fought out by numerous followers—can roughly be stated in a short quotation from either book. Miss Mayo, after a short statement of the manner of her journey, sets forth one main generalization. She says:—

"The British administration of India, be it good, bad or indifferent, has nothing whatever to do with the conditions above indicated. Inertia, helplessness, lack of initiative, lack of originality, lack of staying power and of sustained loyalties, sterility of enthusiasm, weakness of life-vigor itself—all are traits that truly characterize the Indian not only of today, but of long-past history. All, furthermore, will continue to characterize him, in increasing degree, until he admits these causes and with his own two hands uproots them. He and his body are indeed chained in slavery. But he himself wields and hugs his chains and with violence defends them. No agency but a new spirit within his breast can set him free. And his arrangements of outside elements, past, present, or to come, serve only to deceive his own mind and to put off the day of his deliverance."

To this, Iyer answers:—"India has one-fifth of the world's population. In Lord Morley's picturesque phrase, she has been walking for years in the corridors of time. She has always lived and lives even today, inaccessible villages, half a million in number. Some old English officials who knew India better warned Miss Mayo against generalizing; some bad ones perhaps inspired her. After visit-

ing a few hospitals; the lady boldly reviles a whole nation. As well might an oriental edition of the author's visit a hospital in New York, another in Chicago and a third in San Francisco and make similar sweeping generalizations."

Studies Lindsey's Book

Iyer takes Judge Ben B. Lindsey's book, "Revolt of modern youth" and answers allegations by Miss Mayo regarding the evils of early marriages, of over-sexed youth, of the prevalence of disease in India by lengthy quotations to show that similar evils equally exist in the United States.

Iyer says that a girl of fourteen in India and a girl of twenty in England are the same in point of maturity, in defending early marriages, and goes on to say:—"Miss Mayo condemns the girl-mothers and their children in India, but these girls were lawfully wedded and their children were born of a lawful wedlock not like the innumerable illegitimate children born of unmarried mothers in their teens away in secrecy and given in adoption, who go to swell the ranks of the citizens of the United States of America."

Iyer challenges Miss Mayo's statement that no unmarried Indian woman could safely go to an Indian village as a teacher, etc. "Men in the East," he states, "are no greater ruffians or gentlemen than men in the West."

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PLAN SETBACK PARTY FOR LODGE MEETING

Manchester Camp, No. 2640, Royal Neighbors, is planning for a large set-back party in Tinker hall Thursday evening. The next regular meeting night would fall on Monday on which Christmas will be observed, and the committee has secured the hall for Thursday evening. Mrs. Margaret Griffin, the chairman, announces that six prizes will be awarded the winners and a social time with refreshments will follow.

It is also proposed on Thursday evening to hold the drawing on the top chest to which the ladies have contributed and for which they have been busy canvassing during the past few weeks. The chest is of cedar and one of the best carried by Watkins Brothers, and the firm allowed the stamp to exhibit the chest and its contents in one of their show windows for a week it attracted no little attention. Tickets will be sold on the chest right up to the drawing Thursday evening. Mrs. John Anderson, the oracle, has invited the committee on the hope chest to meet at her home on Pleasant street Thursday afternoon. All members who have sold books of tickets are urged to make returns by tomorrow night.

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At the Inn which is adjacent to the dance palace Manager Pinney will offer a special New Year's Eve

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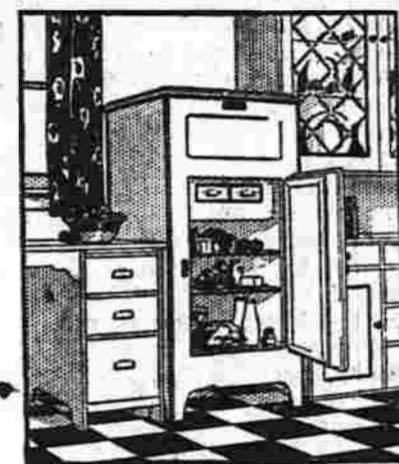
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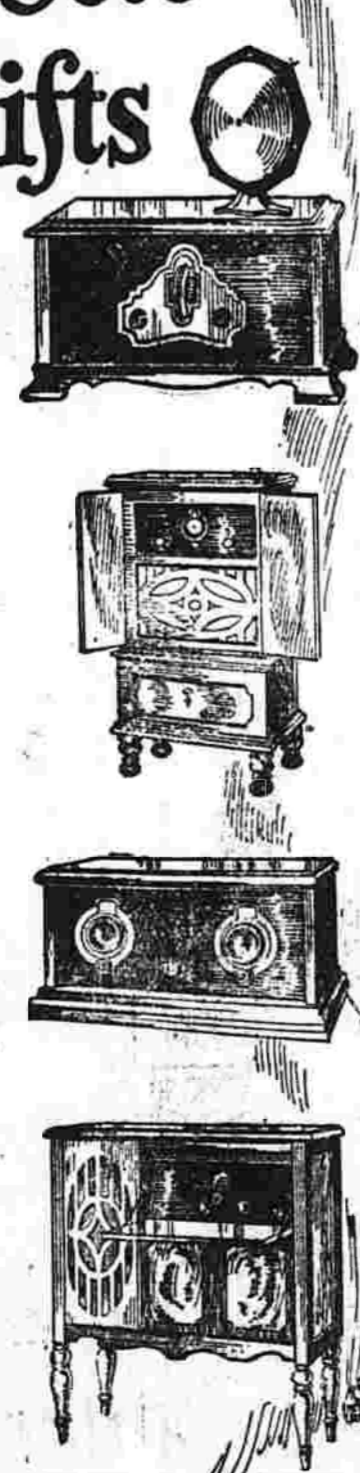
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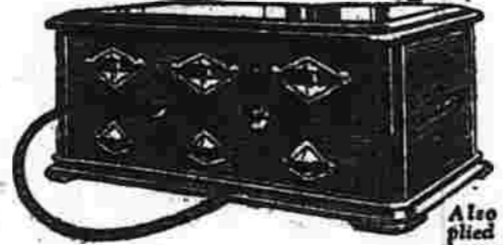
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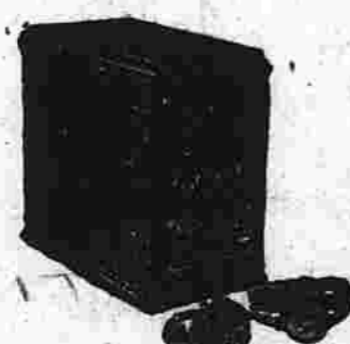


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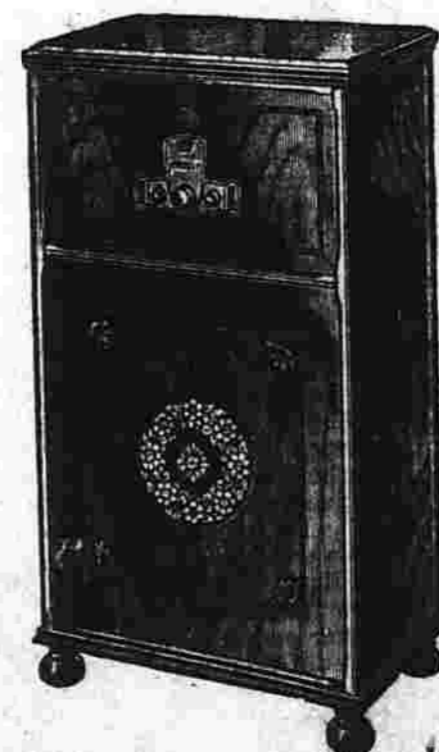
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THE STORY THUS FAR

The story is laid in the Indian territory and along the Kansas border in the '80's, when a fight was being waged by the "Boomers" for the opening of the territory to settlement.

Chief characters are: TONY HARRISON, orphaned at 13 when his father was murdered in a poker game; PAWNEE BILL, adventurer, Indian interpreter and showman; JOE CRAIG, who takes Tony to the Bar K ranch to live; TITUS MOORE, owner of the Bar K; RITA MOORE, his little tomboy daughter.

When Tony is 15, Rita and her mother depart for Virginia and the boy learns for the first time how much he loves his little red-haired, arrogant mate, Titus Moore, owner of the renowned Bar K ranch, and who is challenged to a horse race in Caldwell by CLYDE JONES, one of a remarkable section.

Tony rides Fancy, Moore's mare, and wins with her. Under the terms of the bet, Jones loses \$2000 and his horse. Moore refuses to accept the horse.

CHAPTER XXV

TITUS MOORE shrugged in a manner that indicated Clyde Jones was free to give his horse to whom he chose.

But Tony, when he was informed of how matters rested, shot a quick, understanding look at his employer and refused. Into his eyes had leaped at first a gleam of surprised gladness; to be the owner of that magnificent beast, Black Diamond, would be wonderful beyond imagination. Looking at Colonel Moore, though, he felt somehow that he would be robbing the man of a magnanimous gesture.

"I couldn't think of it," he told the owner of the beaten stallion, and Clyde Jones, half angrily, smote his fist against his open palm.

"Why, this is ridiculous," he argued. "It was a gentleman's bet, and I'm trying to pay it like a gentleman, and you won't let me."

"It ain't any use trying to argue with the colonel," Craig told him with a grin. "I reckon I ought to know; I've worked for him long enough."

Titus Moore nodded. "He's right; I'm sort of stubborn when I make up my mind. Listen here, Mr. Jones, don't you think I would be nice to present Tony here with a colt? It seems to me your horse and mine both have qualities that ought to be passed on to another generation."

"They ought to be bred; that's certain," Jones agreed. "In fact, that's what I had in mind when I offered to buy your mare. Since you're so insistent on giving Black Diamond back to me, I'll agree on the condition that their first born goes to Tony, and he that goes forward his bid to seal the bargain."

The colonel generously suggested that Craig and the other hands run off and amuse themselves. "You've got a lot of money in your pockets and it's burning holes. It won't do me any good to tell you to cache it in a bank; I've seen wasting my breath. Before tonight it'll all be gone, between liquor and roulette. Tony, did you bet anything on the race?"

Tony admitted he had. "A hundred dollars, Colonel."

"Well, I suppose I ought to tell you that you're too young to gamble, but I won't. I want you to walk over to the bank with me now. I'm putting one thousand of the five I won in trust for you. It'll be yours, with interest, when you're 21."

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Back at the ranch once more, Tony found the weeks popping by without event. Summer passed and Rita had not come, and he found himself saying it was better that she had not.

Late in October he heard again from Pawnee Bill. The Cody-Carver show had closed its successful season, and at Omaha Buffalo Bill and Dr. Carver had divided the material, Carver taking his half south for a winter tour.

"And I'm going with him," Pawnee Bill wrote, "taking the Indians along with me. If we have a good winter, I'll be right back in the show business in late spring."

"And I'll be with him," Tony told himself.

But the Carver show was doomed. It played to disastrous business throughout the south, and at New Orleans Pawnee Bill and his wife left it and returned to Pawnee. Tony Harrison heard from him again shortly afterward, this time from Wellington. He expressed himself as somewhat disappointed with his first experience, but not at all pessimistic.

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"It won't," Titus Moore snapped. "What do you suppose we've got that lobby for down in Washington?"

"As I understand it," Tony Harrison put in, "Payne says the Strip isn't owned by the Cherokees at all. He contends they only own the right to hunt on it and pass over it."

"Yes, but they were promised that right just as long as the rain should fall and the flowers grow. That's what it says in the treaty. If you should ask me, I'd say it was a pretty long time, although during that dry spell we had last summer I thought I could see the end in sight. That's the way it goes."

Then they got word of a tragedy. Not long after Payne's attempt to settle south of Hunnewell, he died. Some said he died, others thought differently. He expired suddenly in Wellington while at breakfast. Many of his friends believed he had been poisoned by those who opposed the opening of Oklahoma.

Ugly rumors flew and the Oklahoma Boomers were filled with resentment. William L. Couch, Payne's first lieutenant, took up the torch dropped by the fallen leader and endeavored to hold it high. Public attention suddenly was focused on the opening of the territory, and many felt that Payne's death would hasten it by several years. Border newspapers reminded their readers in editorials that Moore and the Israelites to the edge of Canaan and died just before they went in to possess it.

When word of Payne's death reached the ranch Titus Moore shook his head. "I'm downright sorry, I had nothing against the man; I just felt he was misguided in his enthusiasm. He was a good man."

"Do you think," Tony asked Craig, "that the Boomers will disorganize?"

"Why? Because Payne's dead? Boy, from the cattlemen's standpoint that's the worst thing that could have happened. This talk about being poisoned by some enemies is foolishness. Payne's a martyr," Titus Moore supplied.

"That's what I'm trying to say—a martyr. The Boomers'll be more active than ever."

Tony had counted strongly on traveling that summer with Pawnee Bill in a show, but his disappointment was abated with the arrival of Fancy's colt.

It was an awkward, gangling, long-legged thing, black save for a white blaze on his head; but Titus Moore, who knew horses, was emphatic in his pronouncement that Fancy had foaled a colt fully worthy of his mother's name.

"There was no answer. Again in June Payne tried it, this time with increased numbers. South of Hunnewell they were met again by cavalrymen and escorted once more across the border.

Reports of these activities drifted to the Bar K ranch and almost invariably put Titus Moore in a bad humor. For him there was only one side to the argument; he was paying his money to the Cherokee Nation for the use of grazing land, and what right did Payne have in thinking the cattlemen were wrong?"

"The Strip will be the last to be opened, if it comes at all," Joe Craig ventured. "Payne's aiming first at that part they're calling Oklahoma, down in the center of the territory. There isn't an Indian in it." He gazed off into the distance and pursed his lips in a soundless whistle. "Boy, I'll sure be sorry when she goes."

The name of Tom Benton comes forward and Tony Harrison puts himself on record. In the next chapter.

—ETHEL—



HERETOFORE THE MEN HAVE BEEN THE MARTYRS WHEN IT CAME TO CHRISTMAS SMOKES



BUT NOWADAYS—THE "WRONG BRAND" HAS THE SAME EFFECT—UPON THE WOMENFOLKS

The WOMAN'S DAY

By ALLENE SUMNER

"Speaking of a mind" about those terrible people who talk and laugh behind you at the theatre, is quite the thing. Even the critics generally devote one day a week to outbreaks directed at the movie folk who read the titles aloud or make while the orchestra plays a new symphony. Have you ever noticed, though, that the very ones who glare the hardest when the pests behind them giggle during the symphony are also the very ones who talk out loud about how terrible that music is when the jazz starts, and the fact that the people in front of them may want to hear the jazz seems to make little difference?

Tommy's Car

Thomas A. Edison, world's greatest inventor, says that the new Ford is "a lot of car for the money," but that he can't think of buying one until his 15-year-old boys are really worn out. Did you ever observe that the busiest, brainiest, even richest people haven't nearly the yen to keep up with the latest that the nincompoops have? "Keeping up" is the nincompoop's only way to recognition. The others don't need to buy the latest on the market.

Bridge Me Another

BY W. W. WENTWORTH (Abbreviations: A—ace; K—king; Q—queen; J—jack; X—any card lower than 10.)

1—(a) Should you trump a winning card in dummy, if declarer will over-trump you? (b) Why?

2—What is meant by "Sell and Repent"?

3—Declarer leads small spade; second hand holds K X X; dummy holds Q X; what card should second hand play?

The Answers

1—(a) Yes. (b) To prevent declarer throwing off a losing card.

2—Cover an honor with an honor and do not finesse against your partner except for sound business reasons.

3—K.

The Fair Thing

The only fair answer is for everybody on general principles to keep their mouths shut about everything, things they both like and dislike, or for everybody to have the privilege of laughing and talking when they want to, which would probably even things up in the long run, for, I repeat, I have never known the fairest scowler at the people behind him who didn't make an even greater uproar when he wanted his own turn.

Woman's Age

New York state now rules that women applying for motorist licenses must give their correct ages and not merely "over 21." So much notice is given the change that one is supposed to believe that women have seriously objected to giving their correct ages. I wonder if this isn't a hangover from the day when women were supposed to be coy, faint at the sight of a mouse, and blush when they heard of the arrival of "a lit-

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Pictures are the finest thing in the world for Christmas gifts. Mr. Hughes of the Old Wood Shop, 15 Pitkin street, promises to complete all picture framing work by Saturday, on prints left with him as late as Wednesday evening.

Know your ladder before you mount it to hang the Christmas greens this year. People are so often careless in this respect and sometimes fatal injuries have followed the fall of only a few feet. Many staircases are of faulty construction, it pays to buy a good one and keep it in good condition.

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1 cup light brown sugar.
1-2 teaspoon salt or nutmeg.
2 cups rolled oats.
1 cup brown sugar.
3-4 cup shortening.
1-2 cup milk.
Sift flour, baking powder, salt and mace into a mixing bowl. Add rolled oats and sugar. Stir in the milk and the melted shortening. Mix thoroughly. Set the dough aside in a cold place while preparing the filling.

Filling
1 cup (1-2 pkg) sliced dates.
1 cup light brown sugar.
1-8 teaspoon cinnamon.
1-8 teaspoon salt.
1-2 cup water.
Place all ingredients in a saucepan and cook over a low flame with frequent stirring until a paste is formed. Cool while rolling the cookie mixture on a well floured board. Cut the dough into rounds. Place from 1-2 to 1 teaspoon of the filling on top of a round of dough. Cover with another round, pressing the edges together. Place rounds on a well-oiled baking sheet or inverted pan. Bake in a moderate oven (375-F.) for 12 to 15 minutes. Makes 30 to 36 cookies.

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2. If visiting a friend who goes to business each day, how can you relieve her of the strain of having to entertain you?
3. Are there any other ways of making yourself a welcome guest?

The Answers

1. Pay for your own meals.
2. By sight-seeing, visiting galleries, shopping or in other ways take care of yourself while she is away.
3. By planning an evening for yourself once in a while to give her a chance to be alone.

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FEW PARENTS ABLE TO SEE THEIR CHILD CRITICALLY

BY DR MORRIS FISHER

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

One of the primary factors of the scientific mind is the ability to observe critically, or, in other words, actually to see when one looks. This involves not only looking, but knowing what one is looking for.

Few parents are able to observe their children critically, scientifically, or objectively. The ability to see comes with practice.

In one of the mental tests, a person looks at a group of objects scattered about on a table for one minute, and then after being away for five minutes, attempts to write down the number and the names of the objects seen. With practice, one becomes able to name more and more of the objects seen.

Signs of Growth

In observing the child, the mother should look for indications of growth and development and not for imperfections and irregularities. It is easy to pick flaws and blemishes. It is more important to discover progress and to encourage it.

Encouraging progress is likely to cause the disappearance of some character traits that are not com-

Home Page Editorial

More Glad Christmas Tidings

By Olive Roberts Barton

A professor in Columbia University assures us that installment buying is sound business.

Coming as it does just before Christmas it is joyous news to hundreds of people who have envied their neighbors the possession of radios, electric refrigerators, automobiles, and the thousand and one luxuries of modern times. They have held back because they believed it to be morally wrong to buy things on the payment plan.

Like every other big economic change, it took time to prove whether or not it was a good thing for people to purchase automobiles and pay for them by the month. We were warned time and again by those who were supposed to know that so much credit issued on further security than earning power would eventually bring the country to smash. Automobiles were cited as the big risk because they represented the greatest outlay of money. But the criticism included the lesser luxuries. Indeed the whole credit system was considered more or less of a menace to national financial security.

But buying and selling went merrily on in spite of the croakers. Evidently no one was losing and the slogan of manufacturers in every line became "bigger and bet-

ter sales."

People bought, charged, paid in small amounts, and everybody was happy. But there has been the class who have conscientiously held back through fear of being held as poor citizens, if they did not lay down the cash for their purchases. Now that there is no stigma attached to it, and they have official backing for doing so, they may join the happy caravan that silently takes its place at the cashier's window every month.

It speaks well for the honesty of the American people that installment buying has worked out so well. Professor Seligman, by his painstaking study of the matter, has done the country a great service.

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S.M.H.S. Swimming Team Faces A Tough Schedule

Alumni Is Practically All-Manchester Lineup

All But Mantelli, Boyle and Faulkner Included But That Excludes Team's Reputation; The Lineup.

With a few exceptions, the team which takes the honor to represent the Alumni against the High school in the annual basketball game at the School street Rec. Saturday night will be the All-Manchester team which has been running roughshod over all sorts of opposition about the state this season.

SALE OF SISLER IS REAL TRAGEDY

Sinus Trouble Largely Responsible For His Failure To Equal Former Records.

St. Louis, Dec. 20.—Five years ago one of the two great outstanding stars of baseball, a player rated as valuable as the \$100,000 they were paid for Babe Ruth, George Sisler was ended up on the auction block in St. Louis.

Uncle Sam's Davis Cup Hope?



Johnston May Pair With Tilden Again

New York, Dec. 20.—From the quiet pursuits of a business man, retired voluntarily from the strife of the tennis courts, Bill Johnston, for years one of the world's outstanding players, probably will be drafted to join Bill Tilden in another effort to bring the Davis cup back to the United States.

Almost seven years ago, Tilden and Johnston, then in their prime, and clear down under to Australia and brought back the cup that is symbolic of the world's team tennis championship.

From then on until this year Tilden and Johnston fought successfully against the world's greatest players for its first period of residence with a Latin name.

Following his defeat in the cup matches, Johnston announced that he was forced to retire from tournament and cup competition. He had neglected his business for seven years and he felt the time had come when he had to make tennis secondary in his program.

But, last September, France, with Rene Lacoste, Henri Cochet, Jean Borotra and Jacques Brugnon, took down the two Bills and took the cup to France.

In recent months, however, Johnston has rearranged his business affairs so that his constant and personal attention is not essential and he has told friends that he may try the big game again.

The United States Lawn Tennis Association, beyond selecting the American zone for the challenging team, has not made public any definite plans as to the players that will be considered for places on the team.

Bill Tilden, still the world's second ranking player although he has lost his American championship, is a cinch for the team. He already has announced that he will go to Europe early in 1928 with Frank Hunter and will make another desperate effort to come back.

Johnston's name hasn't been mentioned outside of the chambers of the tennis association, but it is known that the Little Californian is wanted badly.

To those who might doubt the wisdom of delegating to Johnston the burden of supporting Tilden, the officials of the association are preparing to ask:

"Where is there a better player in the United States to take his place?"

Berry Easily Wins First Pool Match At Rec, 50-22

The two scheduled matches in the elimination Recreation Center pool tournament were postponed last night because of the inability of the participants to play at that time. One first round match was played in which Leonard Berry easily outclassed the writer, Tom Stowe. Other matches will be played tonight.

Berry's victory was by the overwhelming score of 50 to 22. Even at that, Berry did not shoot the game of which he is capable. Had he done so, the score would probably have been even more one-sided.

The writer couldn't hit the broad side of a barn door at the saying goes, and missed many succor shots as a consequence. There was no question but that the better player won.

In the gallery that watched the match were several other players who are entered in the tournament and they no doubt benefited immensely as they saw both players lose "sucker" shots for failure to name the ball and pocket. Tournament pool is much different from an ordinary friendly game.

TEX RICKARD MAY CALL OFF WINTER SHOW AT GARDEN

Fans Less and Less Enthusiastic as Season Advances, Promoter Discovers.

BY DAVIS J. WALSH

(I. N. S. Sports Editor) New York, Dec. 20.—There appeared to be more than a possibility today that Tex Rickard would declare all bets sold to the rag man on his heavyweight circus this winter and, folding his tent like the Arabs, as silently take it on the flat of his feet out into the night until times are better and saps are more plentiful. The sap is supposed to run better in the spring, anyhow, and it is figured that a guy like that might start running toward a box office, not knowing any better. Right now, he seems to be running home every night and the supposition is that he does it to save car fare.

Anyhow, a lot of people appear to be turning up absent every time they have a boxing show in New York and so the good word is that Rickard simply won't tolerate it much longer. It takes plenty of money to pay off a heavyweight and the outdoor season, meaning that the Sharkey-Heenev fight may be due for another ride on the old carousel-around and around and around. This fight was postponed some weeks ago because Sharkey injured the cuticle on one of his hands very severely.

A recent bulletin from Boston carried the information that he had resumed training, which caused so much cheering that it could be heard distinctly in the next room. The idea all along has been that one postponement or several that be necessary before the populace would work itself up to the point where paying became a pleasure, a state of mind rarely achieved outside of the saloon that used to be on the corner and is now on the second floor rear behind a peep hole and a push button.

Taney's Plans At that, the Sharkey-Heenev affair becomes an outdoor shot in the event that the boys adhere to their present plan of tossing Dempsey in with Tunney again without further preamble. Taney says he is ready in June for that first championship fight he talks about and a natural smoke-up for that event would be a Sharkey-Heenev fight about five weeks in advance, thus getting the saps well exercised along the beaten track to the main entrance.

Rickard of course, is not outlining his plans from a soap box at high noon. He has informally scheduled the Sharkey-Heenev fight for early in January and maybe he will see his way clear to go through with it then. But the chances are he won't; that is, unless there is more local enthusiasm for the proceedings displayed.

The rumor now is that he intends to have the first ticket he sells for the fight framed in bird's eye maple and hung proudly in a prominent place, exclusive around his neck. However, that merely is an unsubstantiated rumor, speaking of which recalls the fact that many explain Sharkey's inability to attend the first party by declaring that he was completely ruined by Dempsey last summer and never will be quite the same. In some respects, this might be all for the best, at that.

The Herald sports department would gladly publish scores of games played by the Wapping and H-Y basketball teams if they are submitted. Scores should be sent to the south office on Bissell street.

HAD BAD BEGINNING Willie Smith, British fighter, received a beating in his first fight in the United States in Cleveland recently.

WILL MOVE TO AMERICA Paavo Nurmi, famous Finnish distance runner, is said to be on his way to America to make his home here.

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HUGGINS WANTS UHLE BUT CAN'T GET HIM

New York, Dec. 20.—Apparently not content with a team that no doubt will be a heavy favorite to win another American League pennant, the New York Yankees are talking of trades to strengthen their battery.

Miller Huggins, crafty and careful manager of the team that made a runaway of the 1927 pennant race and the world's series, admits that he is after another right-hand pitcher. Huggins never has enough pitchers to suit him.

He confessed that he has his eyes on George Uhle, one of the best pitchers in baseball in 1926 but one of the biggest disappointments of last season.

"Sure Huggins wants Uhle," Billy Evans, general manager of the Cleveland club, said when he was here recently. "He also wants two other players on our club, but all he wanted to give us were some patched uniforms and worn-out socks."

Evans intimated that Uhle was not on the bargain counter and that he would be of a great big advantage to the Indians.

"Uhle and Levens are two of our biggest hopes," he said. Evans told managers at the major league meetings that they could talk business with him about any player on the Cleveland club excepting the two Sewells, Huddle and Uhle. He indicated a disposition to part with Miller and was willing to listen to offers for Shaute. The Yankees offered him Morehart, Wera or Gazella, but he wasn't interested.

GAVE FARRELL RAISE Some critics believe the St. Louis Cardinals lost the pennant last year because of the burden of management reduced the efficiency of Bob O'Farrell, star catcher. Making him the manager cost the owners more than that as they had to give him a salary kick of \$5000 a year to get him to give up the management.

HAGEN HASN'T QUIT Stockholders of the Rochester International League club deny that Walter Hagen, champion professional golfer, has withdrawn from the club. They say he has invested \$25,000 in the club and will take an active part in its business affairs.

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Latest Wire Results

LAST NIGHT'S FIGHTS

At Toronto—Frenchy Belanger, Toronto, won decision over Ernie Jarvis of England, 12 rounds and will be recognized as flyweight champion of the world by the National Boxing Association.

At Philadelphia—Jack Zivic, Pittsburgh, won decision over Tommy Herman, Philadelphia, 10 rounds.

At Pittsburgh—Red Chapman, Boston featherweight, knocked out Tommy Crowley, Pittsburgh, in first round.

At New Bedford, Mass.—Jimmy Mendes, New Bedford light heavyweight, kayoed Al Morris, Providence, R. I., first round.

At London, England—Johnny Hill, English flyweight champion, outpointed Emile Pladner, French champion, 15.

At Buffalo—Freddie Mueller, Buffalo, won decision over Spett Myers, Idaho, ten.

At Providence, R. I.—Jackie Brady, Syracuse, won from Johnny Hayes, Philadelphia, 12.

At Boston—Hilfo Martinez, Spanish lightweight champion, won decision over Billy Alger, Phoenix, Ariz., 10; Eddie Callahan, Nashua, N. H., knocked out Tommy Murphy, Somerville, Mass., in fourth round; Harry Soo, of California, won decision over Jimmy Valentine, Boston, six; Pierre Gandon, France, won decision over Chester Sears, Boston, ten.

At New York—Ruby Goldstein, New York welterweight, knocked out Ray Mitchell, Philadelphia, in third round.

At Fall River, Mass.—Jean Mars, Milford, Mass., won decision over Tony Darsy of New York, 8; Sonny Suggs, Newport, R. I., kayoed Harold Ellershaw, Brockton, in third round; Red Griffin, Boston, outpointed Bearcat Monte, New York, 6; Leroy Creighton, New York, won from Babe Wilson, Boston, six; Ted Koraine, Newport, defeated George McCann, Bedford, 6.

At Chicago—Mike Dundee, Rock Island, Ill., junior lightweight, won the decision over Ray Miller, Chicago, 8; Otto Von Forst, Norwegian heavyweight, scored a technical knockout over Ted Sandwina of Germany, 2 rounds; Benny "Kid" Carter of Phoenix, Ariz., outpointed Tony Mandell, Boston featherweight, 8.

At Chicopee, Mass.—Harry Scott, New York negro lightweight, stopped Red Garren, Waterbury, Conn., in the fourth round.

Local Sport Chatter

The Knights of Pythias and St. Bridget's bowling teams will have an opportunity to spring a couple of upsets in The Herald League Thursday night at Conran's alleys when they entertain the Beechcroft Glee Club and the Cubs respectively.

The other matches link the Masons with the British American Club and West Side Rec vs Highland Park at Murphy's alleys and Knights of Columbus vs Center Church at the former's alleys.

Pool is a game that contains plenty of science but also plenty of luck. Anyone of the fifteen remaining players in the Rec tourney, who incidentally took a well-thought lesson from Leonard Berry last night, likes the chances of Paulie Ballester to win the title. Not because we were both in the class of '19 at S. M. H. S., but because Ballester has had a world of experience "under fire" as the boys say.

It is probable that the winner of the Rec tourney will meet Director Lloyd in an exhibition match.

Jimmy Mistrretta is back home from Notre Dame for the holiday period. Jimmy saw most of Notre Dame games on the grid this season and is loud in his praise for Johnny Smith, Hartford boy, who made All-America guard selection. He can't see, however, why Christy Flannigan was denied this honor. Incidentally, Flannigan was picked on Billy Evan's All-America.

It is reported that Eddie Gill, S. M. H. S. graduate, has been elected captain of the Worcester Tech football team for next season. Gill is one of the best punters that ever drew on a pair of cleats for Manchester.

Plainfield plays the Philadelphia Giants at basketball to-morrow night up in Plainfield. Two weeks later, the colored champions of the world, the Renaissance Five of New York, play at Plainfield.

The All-Manchester basketball team will practice this evening at the K. of C. Hall. The following members are requested to be on hand promptly at 7 o'clock: Holland, Farr, Faulkner, Mantelli, Boyle, Quish and Gorman.

Japan is one of the most progressive nations in the use of electric power.

Well, it seems that Dempsey has sent a telegram to Rickard, saying he felt great. We wonder how far away the \$5 seats will be in 1928.

Clark Griffith wanted Joe Shaute and \$10,000 of Cleveland's money for Joe Judge. Griff failed to mention the Nickel Plate Railroad, Cleveland's new union depot and the Rockefeller estate.

Mr. O'Goofy would like to go hunting for deer, but he has heard about Paul Revere, and you can't get the old boy to wear a red coat up into them thar hills.

Never fire at moving brush, is one of the warnings given deer hunters. It may be Lon Chaney.

If a warden asks to see your license, give it to him at once, hunters are warned. "Both barrels" asked Nimrod O'Goofy.

The Nut Cracker

The ideal in boxing will be reached, says O'Goofy, when a boxer can knock out as many men as his manager can publicity sheets.

Belanger wins Toronto, Ont., Dec. 20.—Frenchy Belanger, of this city, today is recognized as the flyweight champion of the world in states under the jurisdiction of the National Boxing Association. Belanger gained the rights to the title vacated by Fidel La Barba by outpointing Ernie Jarvis of England, in a 12-round bout here last night.

Belanger was floored in the eleventh round, but in the other sessions he was the aggressor and forced the Englishman to the ropes with a "furious attack. Frenchy floored Jarvis in the first round. The Englishman fought back harder than ever, and by his rally in the eleventh round cut down Belanger's lead.

Belanger probably will be matched with Corporal Izzy Schwartz, recognized as champion by the New York State Athletic Commission.

LEWIS IS AUSTRALIAN HERO The most popular jockey in Australia is Bobby Lewis, a 49-year-old.

MAY BE DRAFTED Bill Johnston, who quit playing tennis to enter business a few months ago, may be drafted for service within the next few months.

ELLISON GETS NEW JOB Bert Ellison, former San Francisco manager, will be manager of the Dallas Texas League club in 1928.

NEBRASKA WANTS WILCE While the "Down Town Managers' Association" was panning Dr. Jack Wilce, football coach at Ohio State, the University of Nebraska offered him the post of athletic director at a greatly increased salary. He may take the job next year.

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LOST—BRINDLE AND WHITE Boston Bull dog, Hartford registration tag, name of Teddy. Notify 20 Madison street, Tel. 2381.

Announcements

STEAMSHIP TICKETS—all parts of the world. Ask for sailing lists and rates. Phone 700-2. Robert J. Smith, 1009 Main street.

Automobiles for Sale

10 GOOD USED CARS including Marmon and Olds demonstrators. Crawford Auto Supply Company, Center and Trotter streets, Telephone 1174 or 2021-2.

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 53 Bissell St. Tel. 2169-2

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J. M. SHEARER
 Capitol Buick Co. Tel. 1600

Auto Accessories—Tires

CENTER AUTO SUPPLY CO. 155 Center street. Distributors for American Hammond, Perfect Circle and Trotter tires. Complete assortment always on hand.

Auto Repairing—Painting

ALL MAKES OF CARS repaired, auto electrical systems repaired, used parts always on hand. Service Station, Oak street, Telephone 783.

Garages—Service—Storage

FOR RENT—SEVERAL stalls for automobiles, back of Weldon Block. Inquire Dr. Weldon.

Business Services Offered

CHAIR CANING neatly d. n. e. Price right, satisfaction guaranteed. Carl Anderson, 53 Norman street. Phone 1392-2.

PIANO TUNING—All work guaranteed. Estimates cheerfully given. Kemp's Music House, Tel. 521.

Florists—Nurseries

JERUSALEM CHERRIES, cyclamen, carnations, \$1.00 per doz., calendulas, 50 cents. 621 Old Hartford Road. Greenhouse, 37-7.

SPECIAL CHRISTMAS SALE—Fresh cut flowers, carnations, \$1 per doz., calendulas, 50c per doz.; ferns in 4- and 6-in. pots, 50c each; cyclamen, \$1.00 per doz.; Christmas tree, 150c in 4-in. pots, 50c each; begonia, 25c each. 729 Burnside Ave., East Hartford. Always open. Telephone 1510.

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Bonds—Stocks—Mortgages

MONEY TO LOAN on first and second mortgages. Mortgages bought and sold. P. D. Comollo, 13 Oak street, Tel. 1540.

Help Wanted—Female

WANTED—AN EXPERIENCED cook. Apply at 235 Pine street or telephone 331.

Help Wanted—Male or Female

WANTED—BOOKKEEPER with experience. Apply by letter, Box 52, South Manchester.

Situations Wanted—Female

WANTED—WASHING AND ironing to do at home, very satisfactory work. Inquire South Herald office.

YOUNG SWEDISH GIRL would like position, doing housework, about Jan. 1st. Inquire at 85 South Main street.

Poultry and Supplies

FOR SALE—GEESE, 621 Old Hartford Road, Tel. 37-2.

FOR SALE—LIVE DUCKS, inquire at 33 Norman street.

FOR SALE—90 BUFF Leghorn pullets, 89 Rhode Island Reds, and Barred Rock pullets, some laying. Harty Snow, Wapping, telephone 632-2.

FOR SALE—SEVERAL second hand coal burning brooder stoves; some very slightly used; also Perfection chick hoppers at reduced prices. If ordered before Jan. 1st, 136 Summer street.

1000 MARCH HATCHED White Leghorn Pullets. High producing strain. Grow under Conn. Health Chick Plan. Oliver Bros., No. Winham, Conn.

Articles for Sale

CHRISTMAS TREES, mostly 75c to \$1.50 about 600 trees to pick from. Give your order as soon as possible. Give street and number and an idea of size of tree you want. Headquarters Robinson's Gasoline Station, Main street, opposite Center Street. Spring Street, Telephone 1174.

FOR SALE—ANTIQUES make lasting gifts, stands, tables, mirrors, Windsor chairs, Boston rockers, bureaus. V. Hedden, 333 Center St.

FOR SALE—DOLL carriage, most new, medium size, white enamel, price \$1.67 Maple street.

SPECIAL ON HIGH grade white oak kegs, of all sizes; also charred kegs. Manchester Grain and Coal Co., 10 Exchange street, Telephone 1750.

Electrical Appliances—Radio

ELECTRICAL CONTRACTING appliances, motors, generators sold and repaired. Work called for. Pequot Electric Co., 407 Center street, Phone 1592.

Fuel and Feed

FOR SALE—HARDWOOD \$9 per cord. 5000 lbs. split. V. F. Firo, 116 Wells street, Phone 1307-4.

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FOR SALE—HAVE 10,000 large Danish ballhead cabbages will sell for 40¢. V. F. Firo, 116 Wells street, Phone 1307-4.

FOR SALE—GOOD EATING apples, and fresh made sweet cider. Call Manchester 970-2.

Household Goods

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Wanted—To Buy

JUNK—I will pay highest prices for all kinds of junk; also buy all kinds of chickens. Morris H. Lessner, Telephone 422-4.

MAGAZINES, bags, bundled paper, junk bought for cash. Phone 549-3. Will call at E. Eisenberg.

Rooms Without Board

FOR RENT—Single and double steam heated furnished rooms; also 2 large rooms heated tenement; all improvements at 109 Foster street.

FURNISHED ROOMS, oil heat, 37 Park street, Telephone 136.

Wanted—Rooms—Board

WANTED—ROOM and board by two gentlemen, with private family, will room together if necessary. Address Box R in care of South Herald.

Apartment—Flats—Tenements for Rent

FOUR ROOM TENEMENT on Knox street, with heat, also garage. Telephone 409-3 or 1320-12.

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FOR RENT—TENEMENT and store, all improvements, vacant December 15th. Inquire SHK City Barber Shop, 1081 Main street.

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FOR RENT—3 ROOM heated apartment in Johnson Block, facing Main street. Apply to janitor or Aaron Johnson, 62 Linden street.

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Legal Notices

AT A COURT OF PROBATE HELD at Manchester, within and for the District of Manchester, on the 16th day of Dec. A. D. 1927.

Present WILLIAM S. HYDE, Esq., Judge.

Estate of William John Gabhey late of Manchester, in said District, deceased.

The Administrator having exhibited and filed his administration account with said estate to this Court for allowance, it is

ORDERED—That the 24th day of Dec. A. D. 1927, at 9 o'clock, forenoon, at the Probate Office, in said Manchester, be and the same is assigned for a hearing on the allowance of said administration account with said estate, and this Court directed the Administrator to give public notice to all persons interested therein to appear and be heard thereon by publishing a copy of this order in some newspaper having a circulation in said District, on or before Dec. 20, 1927, and that a copy of this order on the public signpost in the Town where the deceased last dwelt, 3 days before said day of hearing and return make to this Court.

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REBEKAHS ENJOY XMAS PARTY, ELECT OFFICERS

Mrs. Frances Chambers Succeeded Mrs. Minnie Weeder as Noble Grand in Lodge.

Sunset Rebekah Lodge held its annual meeting in Old Fellows hall last evening. Election of officers for the year 1928 was held but there were very few changes. Mrs. Frances Chambers, vice grand succeeded Mrs. Minnie Weeder who was noble grand during the past year and Miss Evaline Pentland will fill the vice grand's chair. Miss Ethel Brainard was elected treasurer for three years. There are no changes in the offices of treasurer, recording and financial secretary, which are held respectively by Mrs. Nellie Lull, Mrs. H. A. Nettleton and Miss Edith Walsh.

Following the business session a Christmas program under the direction of Mrs. Ralph Cone and her committee was enjoyed. The banquet hall was beautifully decorated with festoons of red and green paper and wreaths. On the tables were poinsettia blossoms and red candles, and the tree was illuminated and gay with ornaments. As the members marched in two by two from the lodge hall only the tree was alight and the effect was very pretty. Christmas carols were sung on the way and in the banquet room the gathering encircled the tree and continued singing.

Clifford Mason in the role of Santa Claus dispensed gifts to all and told jokes and gave conundrums as the Rebekahs found their seats at the tables where they were served with sandwiches, cake, home-made and Christmas candy and coffee. The committee was complimented for their work in arranging for and carrying out such an enjoyable program.

Sunset Rebekah lodge has had a most successful year, both as to the gain in membership and the good fellowship created among the members.

NAB 1,000 GALS. OF BOOZE

New Haven, Conn., Dec. 20.—Police of the Cedar Hill precinct today raided a garage on Mechanic street, within four blocks of the station, and seized a ten-ton truck containing 1,000 gallons of alleged whiskey.

Doody Brothers, garage owners, have been asked to explain the presence of the liquor.

CRUSH RUSSIAN PLOT

Odesa, Soviet Russia, Dec. 20.—A gigantic monarchist conspiracy, aimed at the overthrow of the Soviet government has just been crushed, the "Gpu" (Soviet Political Police) announced today. According to the police, the plot was organized in the name of "the patriots of His Majesty Nikolai Nikolaevich," former commander in chief of the old Russian Imperial Army.

SCHOOL STREET HAS A BUSY EVENING

Pool Match and Gym Party Follow Interclass Swim and Basketball Practice.

The School Street Recreation Center fairly buzzed with activities last night. Fully three hundred persons made use of the building's facilities. Incidentally, the membership now is the highest it has been in years.

In the afternoon, the annual High school interclass swimming meet took place in the pool while the school basketball team was going through its regular practice session on the gym floor.

In the evening, the pool, gym, bowling alleys, pool room and reading rooms shared the interest. The first match in the elimination pool tournament was run off, Leonard Berry easily defeating Tom Stowe. A large number saw the match. Meanwhile, the swimming pool was providing recreation for many as was the boxing class conducted by Frankie Busch.

Upstairs in the gym, the young men's gymnastic class under the direction of Director Lewis Lloyd went through its regular Monday night session.

The young women's gym class under Associate Director Ruth M. Calhoun were enjoying a Christmas party. Sixty girls attended. There were games and "grab bags" presents were distributed. Miss Mary Finney was chairman of the entertainment committee; Miss Marjorie Finnegan of the decorating, and Miss Rose Woodhouse of the refreshment.

The Olympic Games will be held next year in a huge stadium near Amsterdam, Holland.

RADIO LOUNGING ROBE WILLIAMS SUGGESTION

George H. Williams, Inc. in the Johnson block is showing for the Christmas season something new in lounging wear for men, the "Radio Lounging Robe." Mr. Williams says that it would make the ideal gift for a man who stays in the house a good deal.

The lounging robe is a combination of rayon and satin and is manufactured by the celebrated makers of Stag underwear and shirts. The robe is part of a combination, the second part of the outfit consisting of a pair of mule slippers to match.

It is made with the body of rayon in soft and vivid tones, and faced with the famous Skinner's Satin. The robe also comes in flannel, with slippers to match and the Williams assortment is comparable to the assortments in the city stores.

The robes are moderately priced and should be included in the Christmas gift list. They add a touch of dignity and carelessness that is desired by most men.

The winter term of the Connecticut Business College opens January 2nd, day and night school. Advt.

ON THE SUNKEN S-4

One of the sunken submarines S-4's ill-fated crew of 40 is Frank Snizek, ordnance man. Married only a month ago, Snizek planned to spend his Christmas furlough with his bride in their Ridgefield Park, N. J., home.

By Frank Beck

COVENTRY

Mrs. John Kay and son John Gordon have returned to their home.

Miss Hazel Hathaway has returned to her home in Northampton, Mass., after spending the past three weeks at the home of her sister Mrs. John Kay. Mrs. Hathaway is visiting her daughter Mrs. John Kay for a few weeks.

Miss Laura Kingsbury is home for the holidays.

Jason Hill has returned home after visiting his uncle Oliver Hill. Mr. William Pike and daughter and Mr. Stone motored up from Danielson to visit the former's sister Mrs. H. B. Pomeroy who has been ill for a number of weeks.

Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock there will be a Community Christmas tree at the church. Santa Claus will have a present on the tree for every child in North Coventry under 15 years of age.

The regular monthly meeting of the Christian Endeavor society will be postponed from this Friday night to the last day of the year, when they will hold a Watch Night service.

THREE HUNDRED ATTEND MOOSE CHRISTMAS PARTY

More than 300 persons attended the annual Christmas party of Moose lodge of Moose, No. 1477, in the Tinker hall last night. Entertainment was mainly furnished by the glee clubs of the Barnard school, who sang a number of Christmas songs.

Other entertainment was in the form of piano solos by Joseph Quish and Mrs. James Stevenson. Joseph LaShay was Santa Claus and everybody received a present. There was about 150 children in the gathering.

One out of every fifteen deaths in the United States today is due to an accident.

FRENCH NAVAL PROGRAM

Paris, Dec. 20.—The second half of France's naval program, providing \$55,000,000 francs for the construction of fifteen warcraft of various classes was adopted by the Chamber of Deputies last forenoon. Expenditures will be spread over the budgets between 1927 and 1932, including that of 1932. Keels of the following craft will be laid down: one cruiser, six torpedo boat destroyers, five submarines, one mine layer and two gunboats.

SHERIFF'S SALE

NOTICE

Taken by virtue of an EXECUTION to me directed, and will be sold at PUBLIC VENDUE to the highest bidder at No. 753 Main Street, in the Town of Manchester, Conn., fourteen days after this date, which will be on Friday the 23rd day of December, A. D. 1927, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, the following described property to wit:

1 coat, 2 sweaters, 60 dresses, 9 scarfs, 6 waisis, 3 slips, 2 bloomers, 6 strings beads, 2 brackets, 1 lot lot vanity sets, 1 floor lamp, 2 tables, 1 dressing table, 1 dresser, 1 step-in, 1 skirt, 2 screens, 1 glass, 1 electric iron and board, 11 boxes stockings, 1 lot suit hangers, 3 pipe dress hangers, 1 what-not, 1 wastebasket, 2 clothes trees, 2 flower baskets, 1 x12 x19, 1 hall chair, 1 awning.

Dated at Manchester this 9th day of December, 1927.

RALPH A. HARGER,
 Deputy Sheriff.

GAS BUGGIES—Into the Enemies' Line

(MAKE IT SNAPPY, HEM AND AMY MIGHT BUST LOOSE AND TELL THE COPS WE CAP KIDNAPPED 'EM.)

(LISTEN, WOLF, DONT COME OUT TILL YOUVE GOT THE DUKES ROAD MAP AND GARAGE TICKET WELL BE HERE IF YOU NEED HELP.)

(DONT WORRY, CHIEF, AS HEM, ILL HAVE THE RUN OF HIS HOUSE, AND WOLF HAS NEVER FAILED THE FEARLESS FIVE YET.)

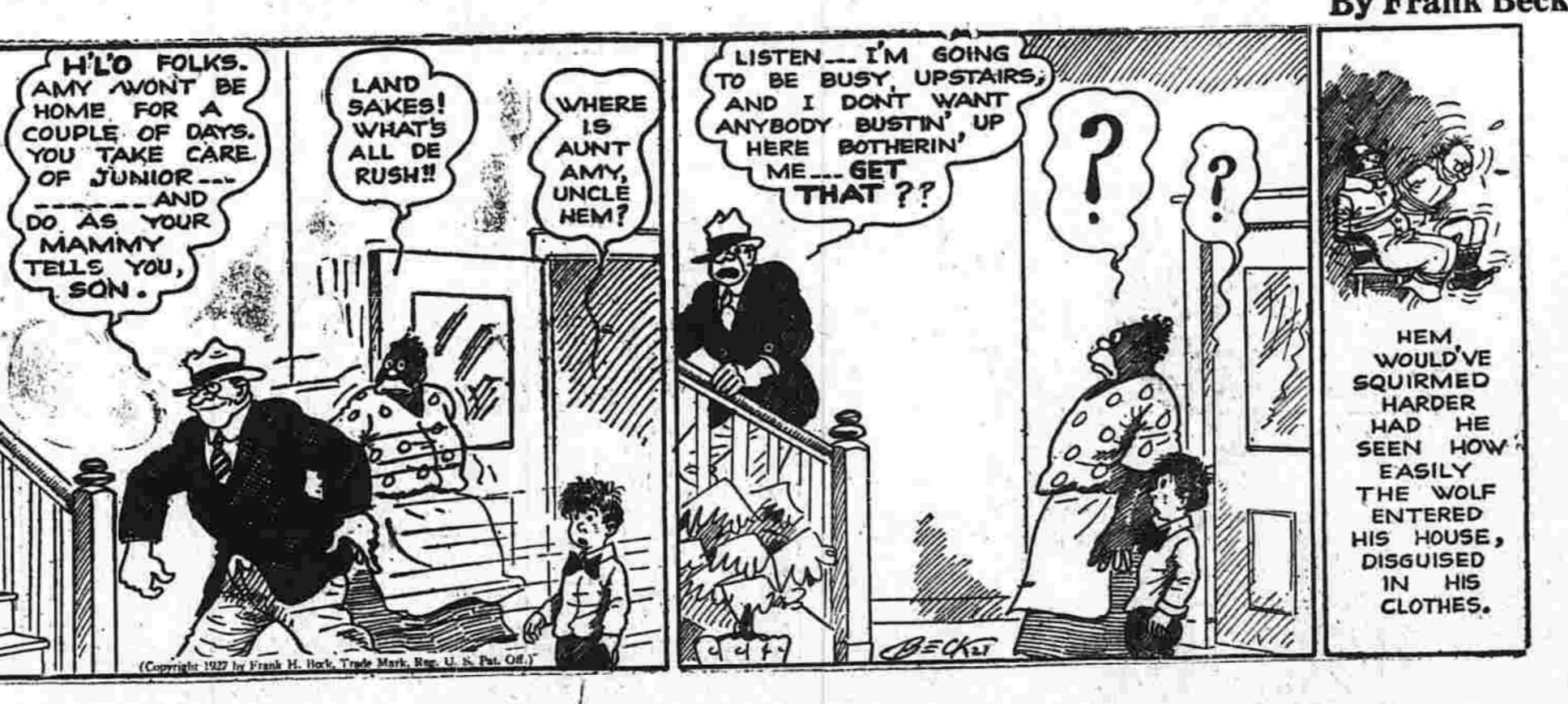
(H'LO FOLKS, AMY WONT BE HOME FOR A COUPLE OF DAYS, YOU JUNIOR, DO AS YOUR MAMMY TELLS YOU, SON.)

(LAND SAKES! WHATS AUNT AMY, UNCLE HEM?)

(WHERE IS AUNT AMY, UNCLE HEM?)

(LISTEN... I'M GOING TO BE BUSY UPSTAIRS, AND I DONT WANT ANYBODY BUSTIN' UP HERE BOTHERIN' ME... GET THAT ??)

(HEM, WOULDVE SOURED HARDER HAD HE SEEN HOW EASILY THE WOLF ENTERED HIS HOUSE, DISGUISED IN CLOTHES.)



HOME COMES FIRST

East side, seven room single, modern, walk and curb, garage, glassed in porch. For immediate sale \$6,800, on reasonable terms.

Green Section, fully equipped single of six rooms, extra lot all for \$6,700. Terms.

Green Section, new single of seven rooms, conveniently arranged, fireplace, tile bath, floors all oak, beautiful interior decorations, lot 90x200. An exceptionally good place. Priced very reasonable.

Business block, North Main and North School street. One of best sites on Depot Square. Must be sold now. Investigate this proposition. It can be made a good paying investment.

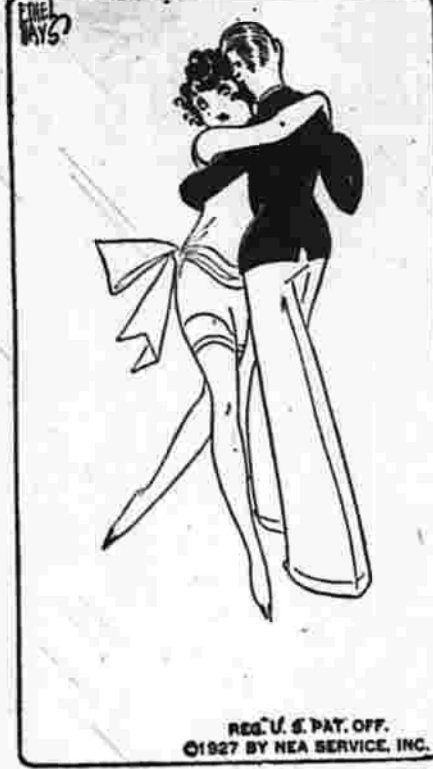
Six room single with extra lot. House has oak floors down. Price only \$4,600. \$500 cash. It's a good proposition.

Robert J. Smith 1009 Main St.

Real Estate, Insurance, Steamship Tickets

By Percy L. Crosby

FLAPPER FANNY SAYS:



If you believe what he tells you, you're in love.

SENSE and NONSENSE

A certain automobile manufacturer, who advertised that he had put one of his cars together in just seven minutes, was rung up on the phone and asked if it were true. "Yes," was his answer. "Why?" "Oh, nothing. Only I believe I have that car."

Ike—Just ordered one of those New Fords. Abe—A Ford car—why a Ford car? Ike—Didn't you hear about it. On the new car, Ford uses a Jew-harp instead of a horn.

The whole family owns the car. That is, when the car is idle it is mother's car, when it is in use it is the children's car, and when disabled or with a tire down it is dad's car.

Some men are born to trouble; some have it thrust upon them; others look for it by violating the safety rules.

The road to church on Sunday is filled with flivvers going to the all day chicken and singing on the ground.

It doesn't pay to boast. Remember it is not the horn that runs the automobile.

An honest man is one who doesn't try to conceal his irritation when he must change gears on a hill.

It is a good deal easier to make up your mind to buy a car than it is to make up the money to pay for it.

Home is a place where the air is full of indignation when Dad wishes to use the car.

When road hog meets road hog, it is the survival of the fittest.

HONK, HONK. Little Boy Blue, come blow your horn, You're approaching a crossing as sure as you're born, And if a sharp lookout you do not keep, You may go everlastingly asleep.

Nothing tickles a flivver so much as a big car stuck in the mud.

Question—What time is it when one Ford passes another? Answer—Tin past tin.

Andy, who had run out of gas on the outskirts of a country town, saw a boy coming along the road carrying a big tin can. "Say, boy!" he yelled. "I hope that's gasoline you have in that can."

"Well, I hope it ain't," returned the boy, "it would taste like the dickens on ma's pancakes."

"Say, do you know an easy way to find the horsepower of a car?" "No, How?" "Just lift up the hood and count the plugs."

"If you've spotted the fellow who stole your car why don't you get it back?" "I'm waiting for him to put on a new set of tires."

LETTER GOLF

Education and Letter Golf change a FOOL into a SAGE. It takes seven strokes, according to the Puzzle Editor's guess, but the Puzzle Editor's guess aren't always the best. Par is on another page:

Grid for Letter Golf puzzle with words FOOL and SAGE.

THE RULES

- 1—The idea of letter golf is to change one word to another and do it in par, a given number of strokes. Thus to change COW to HEN, in three strokes, COW, HOW, HEW, HEN. 2—You can change only one letter at a time. 3—You must have a complete word, of common usage, for each jump. Slang words and abbreviations don't count. 4—The order of letters cannot be changed.

The first thing that strikes a stranger in New York is a big automobile.

THE NYMITES



(READ THE STORY, THEN COLOR THE PICTURE)

Now that the auto work was done, we Clowny said, "Come on, let's run and try and find old Santa Claus. He must be near at hand." Then Santa Claus walked in the door. Said he, "Well, how you work so fast I cannot understand." "We just keep going," Scouty said. "And that's the way to get ahead. We've had our finest fun in doing painting, I believe. They look so nice they'll sure bring lots of fun for all the little tots. It must be fun to leave them in the homes on Christmas eve."

SKIPPY



Family Stuff—Brother Willie's Inspiration

By Fontaine Fox



FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS



Only Four Days Left



By Blosser



SALESMAN SAM



Nothing Alarming



By Small



Jack Lockwill's Fighting Blood



by Gilbert Patten

As the Virginia Reel came to an end, Jack stalked on to the floor with an air of dignity. He attracted attention at once. A tall fellow, rigged out in cap and bells as a king's jester, pranced up to him, uttering a mocking warwhoop. "Beware of The Witch!" hissed the jester into Jack's ear. She's decoyed you here, to betray you to your enemies!"

To Lockwill's surprise, he recognized the jester who had whispered the warning into his ear as his suspected roommate, Jerry Sinnott. A toad-dancer spun up to Jack.

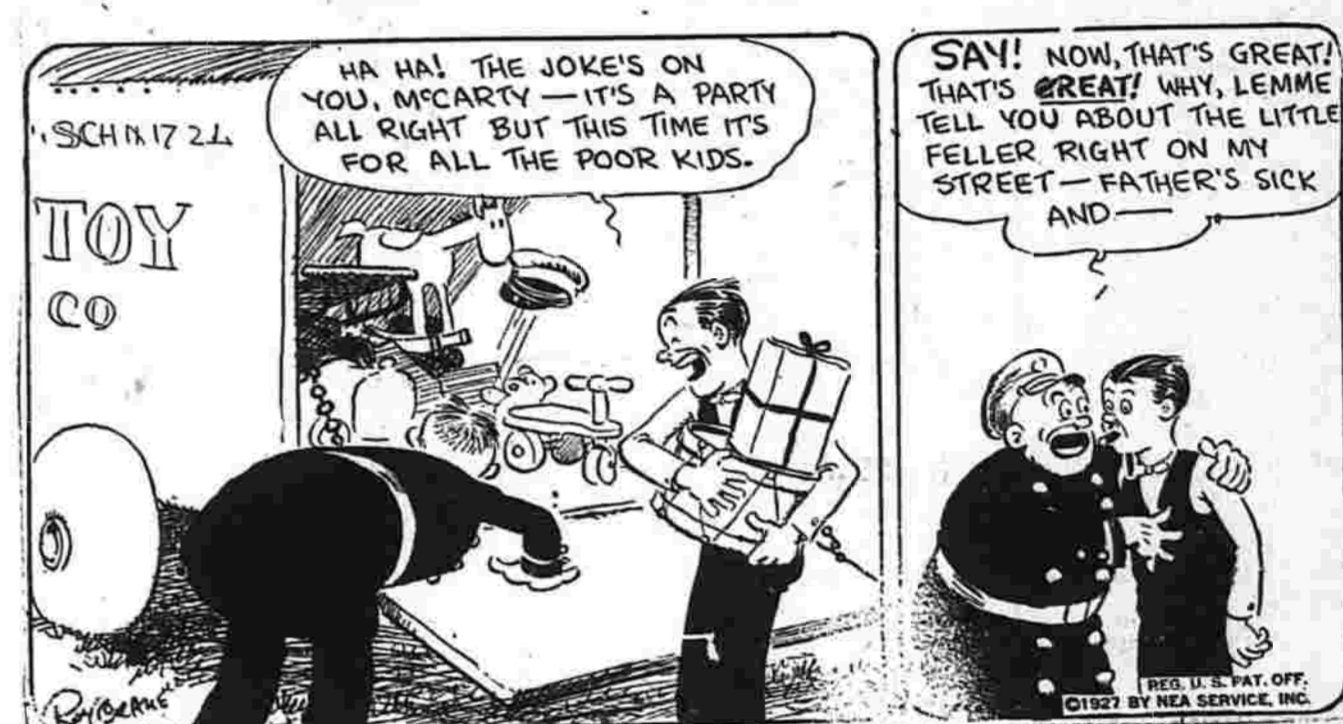
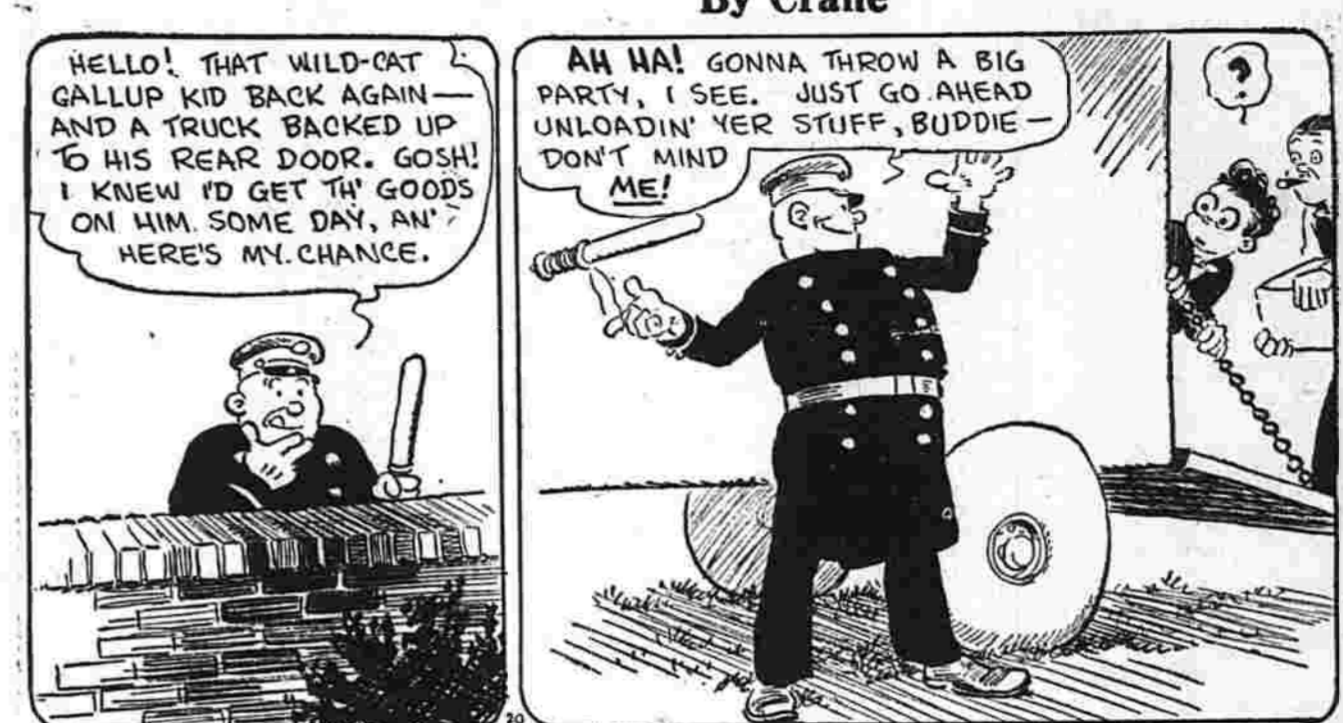
"Will big chief do the snake dance with me?" blandly invited the toad-dancer. "Ugh!" grunted Jack. "Big chief have heap good date with a broomstick rider."

"Oh, you horrid old Injun!" squealed the toad-dancer. "Still, I always did like Injuns, and I'm going to kiss you." Grabbing Jack suddenly, the toad-dancer pretended to kiss him on the cheek. "I'm Darling!" came a whisper from behind the dancer's mask. "A job has been put up on you, Jack! Look out for a pirate and a cop! They're Maddox and Hargon!"

(To Be Continued)

Dear Skippy: I got to readin' your letter to the Orioles. They was all very interested about the little girl that got her arm burned. Somerset Gohagen says, "What kinda fire was it?" "Burnt, ain't she?" I says, "Didn't Skippy see it with his own eyes? Besides it oughta learn you not to be pickin' up cigar stubs."

WASHINGTON TUBBS II



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PUBLIC WHIST
ODD FELLOWS HALL
 Tuesday, Dec. 20, 8 p. m., Auspices
 Sunset Rebekah and King David
 Lodge, I. O. O. F.
 Refreshments. Admission 35c.

ANNUAL MEETING
 of American Red Cross, Wednesday
 Dec. 21, 7:30 p. m., Room 5,
 School St. Recreation Building. Re-
 ports of all committee chairmen
 should be presented.
 BLANCH C. KEITH, Sec.

PUBLIC SETBACK
 Tinker Hall, Thursday, 8 p. m.
 Manchester Camp, No. 2640, Royal
 Neighbors. 6 Prizes, Refreshments.
 Drawing on Hope Chest. Tickets
 3 For 25c.

DANCING
 Tomorrow Night at the Buckland
 School Hall
AUSPICES P. T. A.
 Case's Orchestra. Adm. 40c.

ABOUT TOWN
 Delta Chapter, R. A. M., will
 work the Mark Master degree on
 several candidates at the Masonic
 Temple tomorrow evening.

Mrs. John M. Carney of 73 Walnut
 street, mother of Robert E.
 Carney, left last night for Lowell,
 Mass., to attend the funeral of her
 sister, Mrs. Ellen Judd, this morn-
 ing. She was accompanied by her
 daughter, Mrs. P. J. Ryan. Mrs.
 Judd died in Rhode Island yester-
 day morning while visiting her re-
 latives. A shock was the direct cause.

Richard E. Armstrong of Man-
 chester, has left for Florida for the
 winter as chauffeur for Dr. Alfred
 Rowley and wife of the Heublein
 Hotel, Hartford.

Lady Roberts Lodge, Daughters
 of St. George will hold its regular
 meeting tomorrow evening in
 Tinker hall at 8 o'clock. A large
 attendance is desired as plans will
 be made and committees appointed
 for the annual Christmas party for
 the children, which it is expected
 will be held around New Year's.

Sunset Rebekah and King David
 Lodge of Odd Fellows will conduct
 the usual Tuesday evening whist
 party in Odd Fellows hall this
 evening. It goes without saying
 that they will offer the usual good
 prizes, tasty eats and sociability.

Miss Edith Pearson will enter-
 tain the members of the M. X. club
 at a Christmas party at her home,
 299 Main street this evening at
 7:30.

John Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs.
 John H. Hyde of Russell street who
 has been confined to his home with
 a heavy cold is improving.

Mrs. Margaret Brown of Arch
 street who fell on the sidewalk and
 dislocated her wrist is getting
 along nicely.

Mrs. Fannie Smith and her sis-
 ter, Miss Gertrude Lund, both
 teachers in the Eighth district, en-
 tertained at their home on Cam-
 bridge street last evening at bridge.
 The prize winners were Miss Edna
 Stack, Miss Mary Roach and Miss
 Edith Pearson. The home was
 beautifully decorated and previous
 to the card games a Christmas sup-
 per was served, with individual
 gifts and favors for each one
 present.

The Ladies Aid society of the
 South Methodist church will hold
 its regular business meeting tomor-
 row afternoon.

OBITUARY

AMOS L. CLEMENTS
 The funeral of Amos L. Clements
 of Bolton was held yesterday after-
 noon at Holloran Brothers. Rev.
 Frederick Taylor officiated and bur-
 ial was in the Bolton Center cem-
 etery. The bearers were Ernest
 Howard, Erskine Hyde, How-
 ard White and Donald Tuttle of
 Bolton, Elmer Votue and Ronald
 Votue of New Jersey. There were
 many floral tributes.

Our assortment of Christmas
 trees and wreaths is not to be ex-
 celed. For the best selection come
 here. Wreaths 35c up. Park Hill
 Flower Shop.—Advt.

**LAST MINUTE
 GIFTS**
 Mrs. Elliott's Shop
 833 Main Street.

Announcement
 I have moved my
**MEAT AND
 GROCERY STORE**
 from the Fuller Block, 265
 North Main Street to the
**LITTLE & MCKINNEY
 BLOCK**
 244 North Main St.
 Joseph Tocionis
 Proprietor

MINTZ'S
Department Store
 DEPOT SQUARE,
 MANCHESTER
 Open Every Night
 Until 9 O'clock

Brown Thomson & Co.
Hartford's Shopping Center

**Looking For Gifts For
 Men Visit Our
 Furnishing Section**

Choice there is so broad and varied that one cannot
 amiss in selecting for a man.

NECKWEAR
 No fellow ever had as many as he wanted. See the
 Four in Hands in Swiss, Italian, Austrian, English,
 French and domestic silks, they are truly beautiful.
 Priced 95c to \$4.50 each

WOULDN'T GLOVES DO?
 They are always acceptable. Mocha, silk lined and
 unlined, Cape, Pigskin, Buck, Calf and Goat, dark and
 light tan, regular and cadets. Also fur lined gloves.
 Great choice from
 \$1.50 up to \$7.98

Easy selection from the many other supplies that all
 men want and wear.

HOW ABOUT A BELT?
 We have them in variety, all kinds, and in sets of Belt
 and Watch guard. The famous Hickok and others.
 Come and see them.
 \$3.50 and \$4.50 Set

SOCKS ARE DESIRABLE
 and are good for Christmas giving. We have them in
 Rayon and wool and all wool fine for winter wear.
 Plaids, stripes, jacquards and fancy heather mixtures
 50c to \$2.98

SHIRTS of which the "Yorke" leads for fit, quality
 and workmanship, collars attached or separate, as well
 as neckband style, plain white or fancy stripes or figures
 all color guaranteed fast, made of the best materials as
 well as silks.
 Priced from \$1.95 to \$5.50 Each

LOUNGING OR BATH ROBES, a variety of kinds
 and materials. Blanket robes, wool robes, silk robes,
 \$5.98 to \$90.00 each.

SMOKING JACKETS and SWEATERS, PAJAMAS,
 etc. Easy matter to select a gift for a man at our Fur-
 nishing Section, ground floor.



**Buy Good Tree Lights
 and use them again**

It's much cheaper to pay a little more and get a good
 set of tree lights—the kind that don't burn out so
 quickly. Then next season, instead of having to
 replace a lot of burned out, cheap lamps, you can buy
 another new set, attach it to the first string and have
 twice as many lights on your tree.

Genuine **MAZDA** **Guaranteed Lighting**
TREE LAMPS **Outfits With**
10c Each **Long-Life Lamps**
 5 Colors **8-light strings \$2.15**

"Give Something Electrical!"

The Manchester Electric Co.
 773 Main Street TEL. 1700

**Santa Will Be
 At the Store**
 Daily from 2:30 to 3:30
 and 7:30 to 8:30

The J.W. Hale Company
 SOUTH MANCHESTER CONN.

**Men Wanted
 Thursday Night**
 Read Our Adv.
 in Wednesday's Herald

Store Open Tonight Until 9 O'clock and Every Night Until Christmas

It's Christmas Time

Do you need some advice in selecting your gifts? Would you like the help of a specialist? Would you like suggestions from someone whose general knowledge and information can assist you in making your Christmas money go as far as possible?

We have selected in addition to Mr. Frank H. Anderson, our general manager, and Mr. C. J. McCann, our merchandise manager, the following people, who have been with the company a number of years and are competent to give the advice you desire. If you wish it they will go around the store with you. Select the one you wish: Mrs. Wilson, Silk Department, Miss Ethel Anderson, Advertising Department, and Mr. Alexander Lang, Buyer.

If you do not receive the complete information and satisfaction you desire be sure to ask for Mr. Anderson or Mr. McCann.

Gift Suggestions

from our
Toilet Goods Dept.



Compacts in both single and double. Well known brands—Coty, Hudnut, Houbigant, etc. Surely any girl can use another compact or two. Each
50c to \$2.50

Ivory Sets. Solve your gift problem now by giving her an ivory Pyralin or pearl set—in white and decorated tints. Sets priced from
\$6.98 to \$45.00

Toilet Sets consisting of perfume, face powder and talcum powder, or toilet water, face powder and perfume, etc., in well known brands—Coty's, Hudnut's, Nareissus, April Showers, etc. Set
\$1.00 to \$7.00

Gift Toilet Goods—Main Floor, left.

Toilet Waters in assorted odors by Hudnut and Colgate. Bottle
\$1.00

Bath Salts make a dainty remembrance to some girl friend. Plain and decorated cans.
50c to \$1.75

Imported Atomizers just received on the steamship "Hamburg." Plain and decorated atomizers. Special at
\$1.50

Give the School Boy and Girl Pen and Pencil Set



Pen and Pencil Sets in gold, black, cardinal rubber and ripple rubber. In well known makes—Wahl and Waterman. Set
\$3.75 to \$11.00

Fountain Pens will suit the school boy or girl, and even the office girl, to a T. Our stock includes Wahl, Waterman and Alkin and Lambert pens. Each
\$1.50 to \$7.00

Eversharp Pencils in all colors and sizes for both boys and girls. Each
\$1.00 to \$5.00

Writing Sets for Dad's or Mother's desk in the well known brands—Wahl and Alkin and Lambert. Each,
\$5.00 to \$7.50

Gift Pen and Pencils—Main Floor

NOVELTY GIFTS
 at our Notion Dept.

Fancy Handkerchief Holders 50c to \$1.00
 (In a good grade of ribbon.)
 Garter and Handkerchief Sets 50c to \$1.00
 Garter and Compact Sets 50c
 Vanity Bags \$1.00
 (Powder puff and mirror.)
 Table Mat Sets \$1.00
 (Three pieces.)
 Fancy Crumb Tray Sets \$1.00
 (Celluloid)

Ribbon Novelties—Main Floor

LAST TIME TONIGHT TO ORDER

Printed Hand Painted Cards 12 in Box
99c

Printed names on hand painted cards are so much more attractive than engraved names. We guarantee to deliver the cards for Friday mailing, if the orders are placed tonight.

Give Jewelry

If you would be long remembered—

Crystal Beads, beautifully cut in rose, amber, white, blue, etc. Choker length. Pair,
59c and 99c

Pendants on silver chains with crystal drops in all light shades. What girl wouldn't like one? Each
99c and \$1.50

Kiddy Sets consisting of a pair of beads and a bracelet in popular colors. Set
50c

French Pearls imported from France. Flesh tint. Each pearl is knotted separately. This comes in the popular length—60 inches. Pair
\$2.50

Three Strand Pearls made from the imported French pearl. Beautiful colorings. The three strand pearl is equally as popular as the long, 60 inch strand.
\$1.29

Imported Watches from Switzerland. Six Jewel, Swiss watches that any boy will delight in receiving. Leather strap. Special.
\$9.98

Rosary Beads in a variety of colorings can be found here. Beautiful pearl beads at \$1.98. Individually boxed. Each
50c to \$1.98

Gift Jewelry—Main Floor

Pearl Chockers 50c

In the large and medium size pearls. A pair of these good looking chockers will suit her to a T.

Smart Bags

There are no smarter gifts—

Hand Bags Mesh Bags

In the new styles—under-arm, back-strap pouche, matinee and plain pouche bags in the wanted plain and novelty leathers. A new bag is always appreciated. Each
\$2.98 to \$12.98

that will make "Her" cry with delight. These are the well known Medallion mesh bags in a variety of sizes and colorings. Each
\$2.98 to \$5.98

Gift Bags—Main Floor