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CANTON'S FALL NEAR AS REBELS SHATTER NATIONALISTS' LINES

U. S., England and Japan Rush Warships to Chinese Waters to Protect Their Nationals There.

Canton, Dec. 10.—(AP)—Chang Kai-Shek's revolting "Ironclads" division knocked at the doors of Canton today after a precipitate overnight advance which brought them near the city. Artillery fire was plainly audible.

The rebels apparently have broken the government lines on a wide front. Rumors were circulated that the fall of Canton was imminent. The utmost uneasiness resulted in native circles.

Breach in Lines. It was said here the breach in the Loyalist lines had been made in the Tsingyun district 50 miles north of Canton where land mines were exploded and by stampeding a herd of water buffalo against the Nationalists. The rebels followed behind the cattle.

It was understood the Nationalists planned to exert the utmost efforts to hold Canton against the invaders; however if the rebels come in the garrison was expected to retreat to the east. A pontoon bridge is being constructed across the East river to facilitate possible retreat.

Chiang Kai-Shek, Nationalist leader, telegraphed Kwangtung military headquarters here ordering two divisions of troops sent to Nanjing and stating "forces badly needed."

U. S. WARSHIPS ON WAY. Shanghai, Dec. 10.—(AP)—The United States cruiser Pittsburgh and six American destroyers were speeding from Manila toward Shanghai today, pursuant to orders issued yesterday by Rear Admiral Charles B. McVay, Jr. They are expected to arrive Thursday to protect, if necessary, American life and property in the rebel-torn areas of China.

In issuing sailing orders at Manila, Admiral McVay asserted that whenever American life and property were endangered the routine duty of the Navy was to protect them.

The six destroyers comprising

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CALL OUT MILITIA TO AVERT TROUBLE

Mine Workers in Dispute Over Unions and an Outbreak Is Feared Today.

Taylorville, Ill., Dec. 10.—(AP)—Today's dawn found strike-troubled Taylorville under protection of the military. National Guardsmen were quartered on one side of the courthouse in the middle of the square, and minor workers were congregated on the other.

At Kincaid, several miles away, cavalry and infantry were encamped to prevent conflict at Peabody Mine No. 7 between rival union miners.

Two score automobiles loaded with members of the National Miners Union swept out of town toward Kincaid two hours before the time set for the mine to open—7 a. m.

Women Out of Danger. Women and children of miners employed at No. 7 were told to gather at Mine No. 58, which is in Taylorville. This was taken as a precautionary measure in case trouble should develop between the striking members of the M. M. U. and members of the United Mine Workers of America.

An infantry company, a troop of cavalry, a headquarters unit and a service company arrived during the night in response to the request for help by county officers. Major O. J. McMackin of Salem was in charge.

No Trouble Early. The courthouse stands in the center of the public square. On one side the headquarters and service units had established themselves; the other was chosen by the miners-pickets as their gathering place. There was no disorder in the before-dawn hours, the pickets driving away, four and five in a car, without molestation from the military.

No official word discuss what action the National Guard intended to take at No. 7 to preserve order. It was indicated no attempt would be made to interfere with picketing so long as it was properly done.

Approximately 700 miners failed to appear for work yesterday, and the general sentiment early today was that additional hundreds would refrain from work today.

LOBBY PROBES SUBMIT REPORT ON MR. GRUNDY

Link Raising of Campaign Funds With His Actions In Working for the Tariff Measure.

Washington, Dec. 10.—(AP)—The lobby committee reported to the Senate today that the "inference is irresistible" that the service rendered by Joseph R. Grundy of Pennsylvania, in raising Republican campaign funds led to the belief by Grundy and those associated with him that he would be able to influence the action of "his party assistants in Congress."

Holding the chief contribution to political life of Grundy who is being considered for the Pennsylvania Senate seat had consisted of raising funds for campaign use, the report said there was no doubt of his "ardent attachment to the principal of protection" and it could not be overlooked that he has grown rich in the pursuit of a highly protected industry.

Value of His Services. Though the result is not to be attributed wholly to him, the report added, those who contributed at this instance to the campaign could give some idea of the value of his services in connection with the tariff from the fact that in 65 of the leading industries of Pennsylvania, the pending tariff bill recommends raises in 42.

This it said signified added profits to the manufacturers of the state, if the rates became effective of \$1,188,000,000 as computed by an expert of the Department of Commerce.

The committee also reported that Grundy had failed to submit any evidence to it to substantiate his charge that some southern and western state "do not pay enough to ward the upkeep of the government to cover the cost of collection."

The report, the third made by the committee since it began its investigation of lobbying activities in Washington, asserted that this statement Grundy was refuted by figures from the Treasury and was "obviously absurd."

No Truth in Statement. "He was further obliged to admit," the report added, "that there was no truth in the statement that states like Pennsylvania support what he denominated backward Commonwealths."

Grundy, however, had a "solution" for the troubles of the wheat farmer, namely that he reduce his production, the report continued. "The consumer does not figure at all in Mr. Grundy's views in respect to tariff legislation," the report went on. "They constitute, he says, a part of the 23,000,000 who voted the Republican ticket in 1928, giving a mandate to revise the tariff."

A mandate he construes to signify such a revision as the leaders of the party shall propose to antagonize which is treason on the part of any other of its members.

Grundy's views on the tariff were "obviously absurd," the report stated. "He had sent the rates in the pending bill are not

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FELTOVIC'S PAL GETS 7-10 YEARS SENTENCE

Accomplice of Youth Hanged Today Pleads Guilty and is Sent to Wethersfield.

Bridgeport, Dec. 10.—(AP)—Michael Pavlik, accomplice of John Feltovic in the killing of Lester Jacobs, chain store manager last March was today sentenced to from 7 to 10 years for robbery with violence by Judge John Rufus Booth in the Criminal Superior Court.

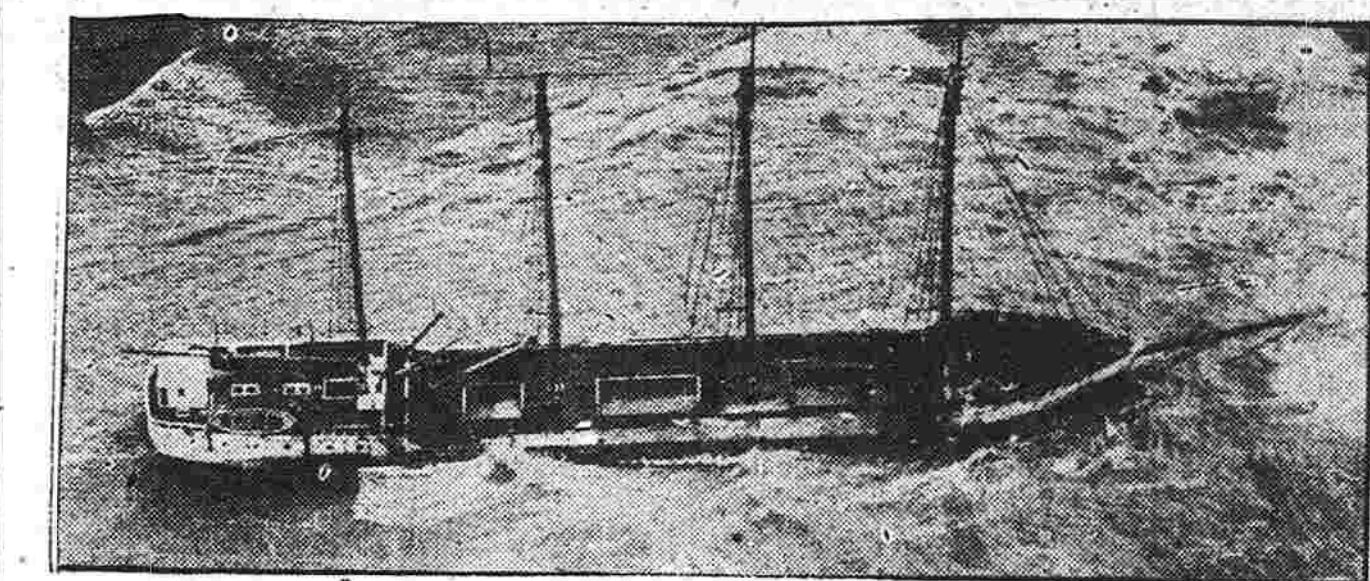
Pavlik entered a plea of guilty when his case was called this forenoon.

The court accepted the plea and pronounced sentence immediately. Pavlik was to be taken to Wethersfield prison late today and will therefore enter prison on the day of the execution of Feltovic.

Pavlik turned State's evidence when Feltovic was tried for murder and the killing charge against him was dropped.

TREASURY BALANCE. Washington, Dec. 10.—(AP)—Treasury receipts for December 7 were \$8,096,364.99; expenditures, \$11,368,401.61; balance, \$91,330,400.56.

STORM SWEEPS BRITISH ISLES



Force of the storms that have ravaged European shipping and swept British towns with floods and gales is indicated by these pictures, taken shortly before the recent widespread destruction. Above is pictured a large four-masted sailing ship, after its crew had escaped, succumbing to the battering of heavy seas off the coast of Pembrokeshire, England. Fifty large vessels and many smaller ones were completely or partially wrecked by gales within two days.



HAITIAN TROUBLE OVER AMERICAN OFFICERS SAY

Reports from All Sections State Conditions Are Quiet; Warship With Marines is Ordered to Cuba.

Port-Au-Prince, Haiti, Dec. 10.—(AP)—Reports from all sections of Haiti today stated that conditions were quiet and steadily showed improvement.

Major Harold Single after a six-hour trip reported the situation all quiet. The U. S. S. Galveston at Jacmel is ready to depart at any time for any seaport if necessary.

Mounted patrols of the garde in central Haiti under Major Oscar Caudwell went as far as the border and reported finding no present evidence of unrest.

Messages from Cape Haitien stated that four-fifths of the students were back at school.

SHIPS ORDERED BACK. The U. S. S. Wright, enroute to Haiti today, was ordered to return to Cuba, instead of proceeding to Port Au Prince.

Quieter conditions in Haiti were understood to be the reason for the Navy's ordering the aircraft tender to await orders at the Guantanamo station. The Wright sailed from Hampton Roads with 469 Marines and 25 officers at noon Saturday after the American high commission in Haiti appealed for more Marines to assist in maintaining order on the island.

YOUTH GAGS SELF TO COVER A THEFT

Collects Rent for Father and Hides It—Then Tells Story of a Hold-up.

New Haven, Dec. 10.—(AP)—Bound and gagged and rolling about on the floor in an apartment house hallway, a youth whom the police said was William D'Amico of Dixwell avenue was found late yesterday by tenants of the building.

After hurry calls to the police had brought Desk Sergeant John W. Connelly of the Howard avenue station and Officer Howard F. Williams from his beat to the scene an investigation revealed that the young man had rigged himself up in an effort to simulate a hold-up.

Spent Rent Money. D'Amico's father owns the apartment building. He had sent the lad to collect rents. William had received \$69 from two tenants. He needed the money he said, to buy Christmas presents. It looked easy but when the astute police officer that the gag was a copy of a recently printed high school paper, the lad they said made a clean breast of the affair.

He had hidden the money in the cellar where it was found intact. His father declined to prefer a charge and so did the police. What Santa Claus will do about it remains to be seen.

DR. WALLACE DEAD. New Haven, Dec. 19.—(AP)—Dr. James H. Wallace, resident physician of New Haven hospital died yesterday afternoon of an illness diagnosed by his brother physicians as meningococcy meningitis, a disease akin to spinal meningitis. He had been stricken Sunday evening after attending a case of the latter disease at the isolation hospital, brought here from Ansonia.



RESCUED SAILORS BROUGHT TO PORT

Eleven Fishermen Picked Up In Ocean by Liner in Nick of Time.

New York, Dec. 10.—(AP)—Eleven Newfoundland fishermen, captain, mate and crew of the schooner "Gander Deal," arrived in New York aboard the United States liner Republic, which picked them up before daylight last Friday morning after they had been blown 540 miles out to sea.

With nine other ships, comprising the entire fleet of the tiny fishing village of New Town, on Bona Vista bay, 100 miles north of St. John's, the Gander Deal set sail for home from St. John's a week ago last Friday night.

On board those ships, several of them smaller than the 68-ton Gander Deal, were practically all of the able-bodied men of New Town. Village Supplies. Their cargo was the village's supplies for the winter—coal and oil, meat, tea, coffee, cloth, trinkets for the women, Christmas toys for the children, that cargo represented the earnings of an entire summer's fishing off the coast of Labrador.

A few hours after they sailed it began to blow—a "whole gale" down from the northwest. The little fleet became scattered and lost. Two or three finally made the home port, several days later. Some found shelter in nearby ports. Two have not yet been found.

Five hundred and forty miles the little Gander Deal had been blown out to sea, when the liner Republic

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GREEK PRESIDENT QUILTS HIS OFFICE

Gives as Reason His Advanced Age and Weakened Health; Leaders Confer

Athens, Greece, Dec. 10.—(AP)—President Admiral Kondouriotis, who was appointed chief executive of the Grecian republic Dec. 14, 1926, resigned today.

Premier Venizelos visited the president this morning but failed to persuade him to withdraw his resignation.

The president said that his advanced age and weakened health prevented him from continuing in office.

To Summon Cabinet. Premier Venizelos later called a Cabinet meeting, inviting the party leaders, but finally adjourned it until Thursday.

Parliament will meet on Saturday to elect a new president and President Zaimis of the Senate will take over the duties of president of the republic until the new chief of the state is in office.

President Kondouriotis, who is 74 years old, has had a distinguished and long career of public service in Greece. He was the victorious commander of the Greek fleet in the Balkan war of 1912-13 and a regent after the death of King Alexander in 1920, and again after the departure of King George II in 1923.

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NINE PERSONS KILLED IN MOVIE STUDIO FIRE

GALE'S DEATH TOLL NOW 163; IS CONTINUING

68 Ships Wrecked or Damaged Along Coasts of British Isles; Fear Floods as Result of Heavy Rains.

London, Dec. 10.—(AP)—Known deaths in the terrific storm which has battered Great Britain and the continental coast for the past week, today reached 163, most of them at sea.

London, Dec. 10.—(AP)—Furious gales which have taken at least 163 lives and wrecked or damaged 68 ships continued to lash the northwestern portion of the Atlantic ocean today.

An unbroken chain of storm centers was sweeping in from the Atlantic toward Great Britain. Atmospheric depression was the worst in 50 years.

Gales still raged, although there had been some lessening in violence. From the mouth of the Elbe in the North Sea to Cape Finisterre, the northwestern extremity of Spain, the coasts of Ireland, Scotland, Wales and Sussex were strewn with wreckage and the sea was dotted with crippled ships trying to escape the fury of the elements.

The French coast bore a similar aspect. There still was considerable anxiety for several ships which have not reported their positions and condition and it was feared the loss of life and property might be considerably greater.

Particular apprehension was felt for a flotilla of ten steam trawlers and a number of sailing trawlers belonging to Great Yarmouth somewhere in the North Sea. None of the boats had reported since Friday.

The government last night broad-

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FELTOVIC MEETS DEATH BRAVELY

Pays Penalty for Murder of Bridgeport Grocer; Buried Today in Hartford.

Hartford, Dec. 10.—(AP)—In the Mount St. Benedict cemetery here today the body of John Feltovic, 19, whose career of crime ended in a murder for which he paid with his life in the State Prison at Wethersfield early this morning, was lowered into a grave.

He was hanged for killing Lester Jacobs, a Bridgeport grocery store manager during an attempted robbery, and he met his end bravely and calmly. He was game to the moment of death, steeled by a nerve that had never cracked in his life.

Bidding farewell to his parents, John and Mary Feltovic, a brother George, and his sister, Mrs. Kenneth Ward, in the afternoon, his last hours were spent with the prison chaplain, Rev. George M. Grady. When the time came for his execution he was found ready.

Feltovic entered the death chamber of the prison at 12:06:15 a. m. In a twinkling straps were adjusted about his legs, a black cap thrust over his head and then his body was sent skyward with a jerk of the noose at 12:05:53.

Die Slowly. Twitching violently it hung in mid-air as life slowly ebbed from it. After several examinations the medical examiner, Dr. Edward G. Fox, pronounced him dead at 12:17:30.

The youth, who also had the name of "Spitts", maintained a calm that was amazing. Only his face showed the distress he suffered. It was haggard and worn. He met death looking straight ahead, never uttering a whimper.

Rev. Mr. Grady walked behind him as he stepped across the corridor leading from the row of cells to the death chamber. As the cap and noose were set in place he whispered encouragement into the youth's ear.

There is a wheezing ventilator in the death chamber which emits at intervals a sound not unlike the sharp exhalation of a person's breath. Some of the witnesses

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COMPANY REHEARSING FOR A FILM PICTURE

Four Women Among Victims of New York Disaster; Many Injured as They Jump from Windows—One Hundred Persons in Building When Fire Starts; Origin of Blaze Not Determined—Stage All Set for Start of Play When Curtain Catches Fire and Flames Quickly Enveloped Building.

New York, Dec. 10.—(AP)—Trapped in a blazing motion picture studio in upper Manhattan today nine persons lost their lives.

The identities and sex of the dead was not immediately learned, but it was known that four of them were women. They were all believed to be from New York City.

Ten or more other persons were seriously injured, either from the flames or from jumping to safety from the windows of the three story brick building.

One hundred were in the studio, located at Park avenue and 124th street and used jointly by the Manhattan Studios, Inc., and the Pathe Motion Picture Exchange, shortly before 10 o'clock today.

Stage All Set. The stage was set in the rear of the first floor of the building, preparatory to filming a miniature review, titled "Black and White Review." The orchestra leader and his courtiers musicians were waiting for the signal to start playing. The cameras were ready.

On the floor above thirty chorus girls, many of them not yet dressed in their scanty stage-clothes, were waiting for the signal to start playing. There was a flash from the back-drap and flames and black smoke rolled across the stage.

Immediately all was in confusion. Men and women fought to escape from the flames, which almost instantly were sweeping through the whole building.

While studio employes sought to check the flames with apparatus at hand, others turned in fire alarms, four in all, which brought all available apparatus from upper Manhattan and the Bronx to the scene. A fireboat sent its arching streams of water from its place in the nearby Harlem river.

Ambulances Arrive. Police reserves and ambulances began arriving but there was nothing that could be done to help those trapped in the building.

For more than an hour the fire raged and then, as the flames died down, the bodies were found, most of them just inside the 134th street entrance to the building.

A temporary hospital was set up in a factory across the street from the studio and there the injured, most of them suffering from burns, found emergency treatment and taken to hospitals of their homes.

It was not known at first whether the dead were actors or studio employes but it was believed most of them belonged in the latter category, having stayed behind in a futile attempt to check the flames and sought escape too late.

100 in Building. About 100 persons were in the building when the fire was discovered shortly before ten o'clock. Fed by inflammable film, the fire quickly made an inferno of the interior of the small brick building. Escape cut off by the flames many barely saved their lives by jumping from windows.

Four fire alarms brought all available apparatus from upper Manhattan and the Bronx and several fireboats who played streams on the flaming building from the nearby Harlem river.

The studios are located in the flats beside the Harlem river in a district populated mostly by negroes. Several coal pockets are located nearby on the Harlem and the main lines of the New York Central railroad, run within 100 feet of the studio.

Several thickly populated five and six-story tenement buildings adjoin the studio.

Prior to the arrival of the fire apparatus, the studio employes realizing that the flames were too much for the building, the performers in the dressing rooms fled down the stairs and into the street where they were given refuge in nearby offices.

When the firemen finally were able to make their way into the building they came upon the bodies of five men and four women who were trapped. The bodies were carried to the street.

Spreads Quickly. By the time the fire engines ar-

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IDENTIFIED DEAD AND THOSE INJURED

New York, Dec. 10.—(AP)—The identified dead in the fire at the Manhattan and Pathe studios today are: Bishop, Harold, address and age not known.

Kramer, Al, the Bronx. Mausman, Bob, the Bronx. Quinn, Jack, Brooklyn. Wilson, Ernest, bookkeeper, address and age not known.

The injured: Mullerkey, William, 45, New York, burned on left hand; Harlem hospital.

Vinal, Stanley, 40, New York, burned on left hand; Harlem hospital.

Vancura, Daniel, 39, New York, burns; Harlem hospital. Woman, first name Virginia (last name undetermined), 24 years old, five feet five inches in height, weighing 125 pounds, blonde; no clothing; suffocation and burns, Harlem hospital.

Carey, Daniel, 39, New York, burns; Harlem hospital. Eves, Carl, 53, New York, fractured left ankle; Harlem hospital.

Roche, Morris, 36, New York, burns of arms and forehead; Harlem hospital. Stradling, Richard, 32, Yonkers, burns of both arms and forehead; Harlem hospital.

Elkins, Eddie, orchestra leader, 32, New York, abrasions of left leg; home. Fleming, Joe, 32, New York, jumped from window, sprained right ankle; Harlem hospital.

Hamilton, Anton, New York, abrasions of left ear. Rome, Rose, 40, Mount Vernon; abrasions of right hand; home.

Savarese, Albert, 28, New York, lacerations of right hand; home. Salzman, 26, Brooklyn; Burns of both ears; home.

Wingal, Stanley, 45, New York, second degree burns, hands and face.

rived the studio building was a mass of flames and huge billows of acrid smoke were pouring from the structure, smarting the eyes of persons in the vicinity.

Deputy Chief Dougherty immediately sounded second, third and fourth alarms, bringing apparatus from the Bronx and many parts of Manhattan. Ambulances from Harlem hospital and Metropolitan hospital, and police emergency squads and reserves were soon at the scene.

John C. Flink, vice president of the Pathe company, was seated in his office on the second floor with his secretary, Frances Walsh, when he heard the cry of fire and on opening the door, saw carpenters, scene shifters, cameramen, musicians, actors and actresses rushing toward the exits as the studio filled with flame and smoke. He said he closed the door and escorted Mrs. Walsh to a balcony on the park avenue side where they remained until the arrival of the firemen, who ran up a ladder and helped them to the street.

Were Filming Picture. Mr. Flink said that the picture being filmed was the "Black and White Review." He said this was a second day of filming the picture and that everything was in readiness for the cast to begin the picture when there was a burst of flame from a black velvet drop in the rear of the stage. He said there was no explosion.

One of the bodies was that of a female impersonator. His body was little burned and he apparently had died of suffocation.

The flowing dresses and brightly colored cheeks and lips made an incongruous picture as firemen carried the body to a waiting ambulance. It was not identified.

An hour and a half after the fire started it was brought under control and an incomplete search of the ruins revealed no more bodies, leading to the belief that all except ten had escaped.

Mr. Flink said that his company did not develop film in the studio, that they had only a film loading room.

Bodies at Exit. The bodies of those who lost their

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THREE FROM TOWN IN GOLD STAR TRIP

Mrs. Albina Chaput, Mrs. Catherine McCann and Mrs. Thos. Hickey Going.

A recent War Department report to Congress lists 84 Connecticut widows or mothers who have signified their intention of taking advantage of the government's trip to the World War Cemeteries in Europe.

Manchester's contribution to this pilgrimage to date is three women: Mrs. Albina Chaput, 91 Foster street, Mrs. Catherine McCann, 9 Cross street and Mrs. Thomas Hickey, 206 Oakland street.

The pilgrimage to the European cemeteries was provided by Congress in a bill passed last March which allows mothers and widows of men who have died in either the land or naval forces of the government between April 5, 1917 and July 1, 1921 and who are buried in France at an estimated expense to the government of \$840 a person.

One Hartford County mother, Mrs. Catherine Cassels of Farmington, has two sons in European cemeteries. All the rest of the Hartford County dead in French cemeteries are private or non-commissioned officers with but two exceptions.

Mrs. Catherine McCann of 9 Cross street, South Manchester, seen at her home this morning signified her intention of making the European trip with the first detachment to go. Her son, is buried in the St. Michel cemetery in northern France according to his own wishes, before leaving for the front.

Philip A. Chaput, son of Mrs. Albina Chaput a former resident of Lowell, Mass., but now living with her daughter, at 93 Foster street died at the age of 17 and is buried in St. Michel cemetery in which John McCann is buried.

Both mothers are contemplating going to France on the first ship sailing, which will be during the early summer. Mrs. Thomas Hickey of 206 Oakland street, Manchester, whose son Thomas Hickey, Jr., died in France could not be reached today. No widows of veterans coming under the War Department ruling as to participation in this pilgrimage are listed from Manchester.

CHENEY GIRLS A. A. HOLDS CARD PARTY

Girls of the Cheney Athletic association gave a successful card party in Cheney hall last night. Fourteen tables were filled with players. The winners of first prizes in setback were Mrs. Jones and Miss Louise Pukofsky; second prizes, Mrs. Julia Donze, Olive Irons, Consolation, Mary Damato, Lillian Finnegan; first prizes in whist were won by Dolie Sullivan; second prizes, Mrs. Gribble and consolation, Mrs. Bertha Gess. In bridge the first prize was captured by Evelyn Wood, second by Mrs. Esther Anderson; consolation Mrs. John Bissell. Mrs. Edythe Rowell of the prize committee was complimented for the excellent choice she made. Refreshments were in charge of Lily Thornfelt, Cora Irons and Marion Lockwood. They served "Eggs on Toast," which consisted of rounds of sponge cake with whipped cream on which was placed half peach. These went over big with the girls. The napkins looked like white and gold gingham.

ROBBERS GET \$10,000

York, Pa., Dec. 10.—(AP)—Pointing revolvers at Assistant Cashier Walter Rudisill, of the Seven Valleys National bank, two men backed him into a vault today and escaped with several thousand dollars of the bank's money. The bandits escaped in a touring car, the license number of which was obtained.

CHRISTMAS BAZAAR and Sale of Work

Women's Home League of The Salvation Army Tomorrow - Thursday (Opens Tomorrow Night at 7:30 o'clock) Variety of Articles for Christmas Gifts. Refreshments Served. Admission is Free.

NINE PERSONS KILLED IN MOVIE STUDIO FIRE

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When the bodies were carried to the street, several of them burned almost beyond recognition. The casting director was called on to make such identifications as he could. He made the identifications of four of the bodies.

News of the fire spread rapidly and among the first to arrive were the Rev. George C. Murdoch and Rev. Joseph M. Walsh, of St. Ann's Roman Catholic church, who administered the last rites.

Harry Ford, of the Bronx, master electrician of the studio, denied to Assistant Fire Marshal Sam Willis that the fire was caused by an electrical flash. He explained that the curtain was seen to flare as it was lowered but that no current, beyond that of the regular lighting, was on at the time and the cameras were not yet working.

ELECTRICIAN'S STORY New York, Dec. 10.—(AP)—The stage was set for a cabaret scene, in the Pathe motion picture studio in upper Manhattan. The actors, men who have been in the line of the naval forces of the government between April 5, 1917 and July 1, 1921 and who are buried in France at an estimated expense to the government of \$840 a person.

Richard Stradling, the chief electrician, was being trampled underfoot. I pulled him out and rushed him outside. He was badly burned about the face and hands.

Flessler said that when he reached the street he glanced up to a second story window and saw a girl standing there in a blue smock. Flames were shooting out the top of the window and smoke was rolling all around her. She was evidently too frightened to move.

Flessler said there was no explosion, but that the flames spread rapidly over the entire structure. He had the fire started five minutes later, he said, perhaps no one would have been on the set and would have had easy access to the exits.

Lyle Bowman, a saxophone player in the orchestra which was to play for the scene, said that the 20 musicians had received their call and were coming down from the dressing rooms to take their places. Bowman said that some one noticed a big velvet curtain smoking and gave it a jerk. The curtain came tumbling down, he said, exposing a big wall of fire. Flames licked at the painted drops and quickly ran up through the ceiling.

York, Pa., Dec. 10.—(AP)—Pointing revolvers at Assistant Cashier Walter Rudisill, of the Seven Valleys National bank, two men backed him into a vault today and escaped with several thousand dollars of the bank's money. The bandits escaped in a touring car, the license number of which was obtained.

When the two men entered the bank, one of them asked for change for 50 cents. When the cashier handed him the change, revolvers were pointed at his head and he was ordered to throw up his hands. They then pushed him into the bank's vault, but did not look the door. The assistant cashier, after the bandits departed from the bank, left the vault and spread the alarm.

Bank officials, after a check up, reported that between \$10,000 and \$12,000 was stolen.

The Seven Valleys National bank was robbed several years ago of \$10,000.

HARRISON ADVISES CALVIN COOLIDGE

Senators Says Republicans Are Trying to Bury Him and Morrow.

Washington, Dec. 10.—(AP)—A "friendly tip" was offered to Calvin Coolidge by Senator Harrison, Democrat, Mississippi, in the Senate today, not to "fall in with the conspiracy" of Republicans associated with President Hoover to run for the Senate in the Massachusetts election next year.

Harrison suggested the "conspiracy" was to "bury" Dwight W. Morrow, ambassador to Mexico, and Coolidge in the Senate, by those close to those anxious about the re-nomination of President Hoover regarded these two men as the "serious" contenders for his post.

"But I have too much respect for Mr. Coolidge," said Harrison, "to believe that he will follow this subtle plan inaugurated by those close to President Hoover and bury himself in the Senate."

"He won't shine with the same degree of brilliancy here as at the White House. He will just take a back seat and play into the hands of Mr. Hoover. The press will comment that he is taking no part in debate and that he has lost his influence and the way will be cleared for the re-nomination of Mr. Hoover."

Senator Walsh, Democrat, of Massachusetts, replied that the Mississippi need have no fears about Massachusetts.

"I assure you," said Walsh, "that the Democrats of Massachusetts will take care of any candidate nominated by the Republicans and that I will soon have a Democratic colleague here."

Moscow.—(AP)—Nearly 1,000 families of traders, former householders, noblemen and other anti-proletarian elements have been ejected from their Moscow apartments and the 1,800 rooms which they occupied have been given over to factory workmen and their families.

According to a new project drawn up by the committee of interior, certain alterations are to be made in the decree on "dislodgment of nonlaboring elements." These alterations are intended to add additional categories of population which had thus far partially enjoyed the comfort of home sweet home.

The new project prohibits house committees of nationalized and municipalized apartment buildings to lease rooms to anyone who is not a toiler. Exemptions will be made only to those former ecclesiastics and property owners whose only income during the last five years had been their salary and who, during this period of time, prove absolute loyalty and loyal to the Soviet government.

Former landlords, noblemen, etc., who rendered exceptional services to the government, members of the Academy of Science, professors of Soviet universities, scientists, and a few other privileged categories of population will also be exempted from the effect of the "dislodgment decree" and will continue to enjoy the shelter of their present roofs.

MICHIGAN GOVERNOR PLANS A FOUNDATION DAIRY HERD Lansing, Mich.—(AP)—Gov. Fred M. Green has offered a plan to Michigan State college and to state hospitals, by which he proposes to build up the greatest foundation dairy herd in the country at the college.

OBITUARY

DEATHS

John McCurry John McCurry, a widower of 11 years, died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Samuel Haugh, of 36 Proctor Road at noon today after an illness that confined him to his bed for 16 weeks. He was born in Ireland and was about 70 years old.

Rochester, N. Y.—(AP)—Recently a group of children gathered in a special ward in a Rochester hospital, playing happily, all apparently healthy.

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CHRISTMAS CHARITY COMMITTEE MEETS

The joint committee, representing Manchester's three civic bodies, met at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon in the office of Town Treasurer George Waddell to decide on the nature of appeal for funds for the Christmas Charity, to be raised annually for the relief of needy cases at Christmas time.

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TO CANVASS CHURCH MEMBERS NEW WAY

Joseph Wright, chairman of the Every Member Canvass committee at Second Congregational church, has planned something different for this year's campaign in order that the work of the solicitors may be materially lessened.

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STATE LAST TIMES TODAY

IMAGINE a story of 'Underworld' proportions ALL-TALKING! That's GEORGE BANCROFT in 'The Mighty'



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WEDNESDAY and THURSDAY

LAST DUO-DOLLAR AUCTION WEDNESDAY NIGHT! A limited number of tickets for Wednesday night's performance will be on sale Wednesday afternoon. This will eliminate standing in line—but will not guarantee a seat unless you get to the theater before all seats are filled.

COMPPELLING! and SEDUCTIVE!



Greta Garbo.

WITH SOUND and EFFECTS GRETA GARBO in "THE KISS" with CONRAD NAGLE, HOLMES HERBERT, ANDERS RANDOLF. A Thunderbolt of Passionate Romance! A Holocaust of Romance!

MORROW NOMINATED

Washington, Dec. 10.—(AP)—President Hoover today nominated Edwin P. Morrow of Kentucky, for reappointment as a member of the board of mediation.

WARRANTEE DEEDS

John Lent to John Rota, house and land on the corner of School and Norman street, Manchester, and Lillian S. Gillman to Fannie Ginsberg, land in the Oakland section of Manchester.

ANOTHER BOOZE SHIP

New London, Dec. 10.—(AP)—The British vessel Mary Mother Elizabeth with 500 cases of liquor and seven men aboard, was seized by the Coast Guard patrol boat CG-123 south of Long Island last night. Coast Guard destroyer force headquarters here announced today. The vessel was taken in tow for New York where she was due to arrive this morning. There the vessel and liquor will be turned over to the customs authorities and the men will be held for the grand jury.

ABOUT TOWN

The Center Church Women's Federation, owing to the building program, will be unable to have their annual Christmas bazaar or any other activity at the church for some time to come. They are contemplating, however, that the congregation and townspeople will patronize their undertakings wherever held, and call attention to the sale beginning Thursday afternoon at 2:30 at Watkins Brothers store. If the supply of homemade food and gift articles holds out they will continue selling throughout the evening. They have solicited a variety of food stuffs as well as aprons and fancy items. The committee in charge is Miss Mary Hutchinson, Mrs. Firas George, Mrs. George W. Strain, Mrs. George Finlay, Mrs. William Bray and Miss Florence Snow.

PICK MARION JURY

Burnsville, N. C., Dec. 10.—(AP)—Section of the jury to try eight McDowell county deputy sheriffs on murder charges growing out of a Marion textile riot, proceeded slowly today. The first twelve veniremen called to the box had not all been examined by the state when recess was taken for luncheon.

ACADEMY MEET PLANS "DECODING" OF SCIENCE

Des Moines, Iowa.—(AP)—Scientific discourses for the layman are to be given during the convention of the American Academy for the Advancement of Science here December 27 to January 2. Finlay, Mrs. William Bray and Miss Florence Snow.

SEEKING HEIRS

Meriden, Dec. 10.—(AP)—An estate of \$21,000 in this city is seeking its heirs and doesn't know where to find them. George Lux, 80 years old, of 92 Curtis street died on Friday leaving his property to two nephews, Frank and Peter Hendricks who today are reported to be touring the country in a motor van, their present whereabouts being unknown.

EDWARD EVERETT HORTON PATSY RUTH MILLER IN THE ALL TALKING VITAPHONE PRODUCTION "THE SAP" A SOLID HOUR OF HILARIOUS MERRIMENT!



# GALE'S DEATH TOLL NOW 163; IS CONTINUING

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cast a message to shipping in the North Sea to watch out for these craft as the steamers probably were short of coal and the sailing vessels probably had lost many sails. Sharp cold temperature and snow replaced the warm weather which until last night accompanied the tempest in some sections. It was predicted that temperatures would fall over all the British Isles and western Europe.

**Danger of Floods**  
The menace from floods due to the torrential rainfall increased constantly and caused much concern. Government authorities maintained a constant watch on the Thames, anxious lest the disaster of January 1928 in London be repeated with the high tides that are expected at the week end. Flood defenses were scrutinized at every high tide for possible weaknesses.

Many square miles of agricultural land and an ever increasing number of towns and villages suffered damage from inundation. A great chain of lakes has formed in the Thames River and regular service boat lines have been started in some places as the only means of communication.

Flooding on a large scale of other big rivers was threatened. The British Automobile club issued a long list of impassable roads in the west and south where flood waters varied from a depth from one to six feet.

# TO SUE HER HUSBAND DESPITE STATE LAW

Massachusetts Woman, Passenger in Family Car, Wants to Collect Accident Damages

Injured while riding in a car driven by her husband, Mrs. Felix Wencis of 21 Calvary street, Waltham, Mass., formerly of 4 North School street, this town, has written a letter to the local agent of the company which carries the husband's property and liability insurance in which she asks "cooperation in regard to a settlement as soon as possible," expecting to satisfy any judgment she might obtain out of her husband's insurance.

The accident took place on Aug. 20 on Main street near the Litchfield car wash, when Mrs. Wencis, striking a truck owned by the D. W. Wilson Company of Hartford, standing in the road. Mrs. Wencis suffered a broken arm and three deep cuts on her arm. In her letter Mrs. Wencis says "that the injured is entitled to some claim."

**Other Case**  
Mrs. Mae Silver of New Haven was of the same mind as she had been injured in an automobile driven by her husband. Accordingly she brought suit charging reckless driving with the same expectations as Mrs. Wencis harbors, that of satisfying any judgment she might obtain out of the insurance of her husband.

The trial court, however, held that the evidence showed only ordinary negligence on the part of her husband and denied her any relief. On November 25 the Supreme Court of the United States sustained the validity of the Connecticut law regulating the liability of motor vehicle owners for the injury of guests being transported without the payment of fare. This so-called guest law deprives a passenger of their common law right of recovery of damages. The law enacted in 1927 sets forth that reckless driving must be wanton negligence as differentiated from the ordinary error of judgment or ordinary misbranding of a machine. The Supreme Court decision upheld this.

# REINARTZ ADDRESSES SCOUTS AT GREEN

A small American flag that accompanied him on his journey to Etah, Greenland, has been promised to the Boy Scout Troop that is first formed at Manchester Green, by John L. Reinartz who spoke at the Manchester Green Community Club last night. The first boy to pass his Tenderfoot Test in the troop will also receive one of the flags.

# ORTIZ-RUBIO IN N. Y.

New York, Dec. 10.—(AP)—Pascual Ortiz Rubio, president-elect of Mexico, arrived here today aboard a Pennsylvania train for conferences with Mexican leaders including former President Plutarco Calles who is due aboard the Bremen from Europe Thursday.

Mr. Ortiz Rubio was accompanied by members of his family. He was met by Enrique Ruiz, Mexican consul general in New York. Deputy Chief Inspector David J. McAuliffe, acting for Commissioner Grover A. Whalen, and several Mexican citizens living in New York.

He was driven to the Hotel Ambassador, where he will remain for a week as guest of the city.

# KEEPS A COLLECTION

"So our engagement is at an end?" said the man.  
"It is," replied the girl.  
"I suppose you will return the engagement ring?"  
"Certainly, if you wish it. Call round some evening and we'll pick it out."—Tit-Bits.

# SEEKING SETTLEMENT IN KILLING OF BOY

Suit May Follow in Dwire Death if Parties Fail to Reach an Agreement.

Attorney William J. Shea and the Century Indemnity Company are negotiating for a settlement of damages arising out of an accident involving the death of a boy on Oct. 31, 1928, in which a car driven by Leon P. Dwire, age 17, it was admitted by Attorney Shea this morning. Should efforts to settle out of court end unsuccessfully suit will be instituted immediately, he said.

Attorney Shea is representing Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Faischer of 210 School street, parents of the victim. The Century Indemnity Company, carry the property and liability insurance on the car driven by young Dwire, which was owned by Raymond Starkweather.

The accident took place at 8:30 o'clock on the night of October 31 in front of the Army and Navy Club on Main street. At the time Dwire said that he was going about 15 or 20 miles an hour. The night was foggy and a mist was falling. He said he did not know he had struck the boy until a scream from the sidewalk attracted his attention.

The injured boy, with streaks of Halloween blacking still on his face, was taken to the Memorial hospital where he died six hours later without rallying.

In police court the following morning Dwire was charged with reckless driving after two continuances. Prosecuting Attorney Charles R. Hathaway nolleed the case on November 30. He said that he had not heard from the county coroner in regard to the case and in his opinion there was no criminal negligence on the part of Dwire.

# GIRLS' FRIENDLY HOLDS DEVOTIONAL SERVICE

The Girls' Friendly Society members of St. Mary's church held their regular monthly devotional service last night at 7:30. At this service the Junior Choir was present. The short address on "The Kingdom of God." Following this devotional service in the church the girls held their monthly class in bible study under the leadership of the rector. This class is proving to be very interesting and is more in the form of an open discussion in which the girls are free to ask questions. At the close of this class, light refreshments were served by Branch President Margaret Stratton assisted by one or two Associates of the society.

All the members are requested to be present at the meeting next Monday evening, when they will pack the annual Christmas box, to be taken to the Newington Home for Crippled Children. Every member is asked to bring one gift—some toy is preferred—and these gifts will be packed and made ready to send out next Monday night. This is a very worthy cause, and one to which the girls always respond enthusiastically.

Plans were also discussed for the annual Christmas party which the society holds each year. The date was not definitely decided upon, but the affair will be in charge of Associate Agatha Wright Erickson.

# RESCUED SAILORS BROUGHT TO PORT

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sighted her flares at 5:30 last Friday morning. Her rudder had been torn away. Her rigging was gone, and she was leaking in many places.

"Another night, and we'd have gone down with her, I guess," Manuel Barbour, her wily little master, said today.

Still farther out another crew, five men from the Northern Light, were rescued by the liner Baltic. They will arrive in New York tonight.

Hardy Fellows, their clothing stiff from dried salt spray, the crew of the Gander Deal were inarticulate and matter-of-fact as they related their tale today.

But on their faces, dyed deep brown and red by wind and weather, were expressions of worry and dismay.

"They'll give a kid to see you, after all this, your wives and children," some one said to Len Perry. He shook his head doubtfully.

**Lost Everything**  
"We lost everything," he grimly replied. "The food and the coal. It's all gone. We got nothing to take to them."

At 2 a. m. last Saturday, off Trinity Bay, a short distance north of St. Johns, the storm came up, and the Gander Deal was forced to run before it.

From that time on, her master said today, the schooner was practically helpless, being blown out to sea with monstrous waves breaking over her stern.

"That morning I was almost washed overboard a couple of times," he said. "Then we had to lash the man on watch to the wheel."

"All our cargo that wasn't stowed in the holds was washed away. A motor boat we had on deck was broken up by the waves and washed overboard."

"A man couldn't stand it out there at the wheel more than an hour at a time. The rest of us would lie in our bunks, but we were all soaked, for the water washed down inside."

The U. S. Bureau of Chemistry says that tomatoes ripened with ethylene gas have a much lower content of vitamins than those naturally ripened.

# State Briefs

TO EXTRADITE PRETE

New Haven, Dec. 10.—(AP)—Steps have been taken, it was learned today, looking to the extradition of Domenic Prete, 21, from Brooklyn for questioning in the killing of Domenic Zito, 19, whose body was found bullet riddled in an Orange meadow ten days ago. Prete is being held on two charges in connection with thefts of slot machines on warrants sent from Connecticut.

Acting Coroner James J. Corrigan, chief of police Charles Stevens and detectives have taken the position they can go no further into the Zito murder inquiry until Prete has been brought here.

# GIFT OF PLANTS

New London, Dec. 10.—(AP)—Dr. Charles B. Graves of this city has presented to Connecticut College for Women a collection of nearly 500 specimens of plants native to the southwestern portion of this state. The collection comprises flowering plants, ferns and fern-allies and is preserved in five large cases. The botanical department will house the gift.

# SEARCH FOR MISSING MAN

Milford, Dec. 10.—(AP)—Search for Andrew Solomensen, 66, missing since he went for a walk Sunday afternoon, was continued today by the police aided by many residents of Milford and nearby communities. Since Solomensen left his home at 17 Darina Place his aged wife has become seriously ill from the shock of learning of his disappearance and his daughter Carol asked the police to use every means at their disposal to locate him. The radio was resorted to yesterday when Station WICC of Bridgeport broadcast his description. He was five feet four inches tall, wore a grey suit and dark grey overcoat and blue shirt. Four fingers of one of his hands are missing. Solomensen does not speak English well.

# FIRE IN HOME.

New Britain, Dec. 10.—(AP)—Nineteen boys and girls living at the Children's Home conducted by Rev. Dr. John E. Kilnsberg on Radcliffe Heights, remained calm this morning at 5:44 o'clock while five fire companies raced to the institution to extinguish a blaze in the coal pile in the cellar. The fire was confined to the brick chamber in which the fuel was stored and the damage was slight. The children displayed no signs of fright or disorder while smoke and fumes crept through the building.

# A. A. HATHAWAY DIES.

Danbury, Conn., Dec. 10.—(AP)—Alpheus A. Hathaway, secretary-treasurer of the W. F. Tomlinson company, undertakers of this city died suddenly at his home here this morning of acute indigestion. He was apparently in excellent health and attended a lodge meeting last night. Awakened by distress early this morning he took a simple home remedy prepared by his wife, and with the relief that he expected soon to feel, passed away.

# SCHOOL BUS SURVEY

Hartford, Dec. 10.—(AP)—The weight limit set by the state motor vehicle department for each child carried in motor buses to and from school has been set at 100 pounds, according to an announcement made today, as a result of survey made by the department to estimate the actual capacity of buses or trucks engaged in the transportation of school children.

# STUDENT MISSING

Bridgeport, Dec. 10.—(AP)—Police of this city were asked today to search for Ernest G. Johnson, Jr., 18, a student at the Harding High school, who, his parents reported, had been missing from home since December 5.

Johnson's home is at 1011 Stratford avenue and his father is in the auto supply business. Deficiency in his studies and ill-health were said by the boy's parents to be possible causes of his leaving home. They advanced the theory he might have gone to St. Louis, Mo., seeking employment in an airplane factory.

# CLUB WOMEN SEEK AID IN MAKING UP PROGRAMS

Sloux Falls, S. D.—(AP)—Being a club woman is now a real business for which professional training and expert assistance are sought. The History Women's guild, unique in the history of the woman's club movement, has been deluged with requests from women's clubs all over the country for aid in parliamentary law, finance and speech making.

The guild was established a month ago by two club women, Miss N. Gordon Canfield and Miss S. Edna Jones, in the belief that such a service was needed. They argued that with radio bringing good entertainment into nearly every home, poorly written club papers and mediocre programs no longer could hold audiences. So they organized an information and assistance bureau which has succeeded beyond their wildest expectations.

# GARDENERS ENJOY CHRISTMAS PARTY

Club Members Have Unique Gathering at Manchester Community Club.

Forty of the Garden Club members held a Christmas party last night at the Manchester Community clubhouse. A short business meeting preceded the games. An interesting exhibit was a wild orange sent to one of the gardeners by a relative living on Long Island, and found growing near Southampton. It was large, of a deep green hue and much rougher than the regulation cultivated orange. When cut through the center there was a slight resemblance to the Florida variety and a faint orange odor to the pulp, which is not edible.

The decorations included a real live Christmas tree from one of the Manchester nurseries. This was decorated by miniature light bulbs and other bright objects. The Christmas gifts were drawn by number from a large Christmas pie and everybody was delighted with the plants, bulbs and garden accessories they received.

One of the amusing games was drawing flowers in charcoal on large sheets of paper in view of the audience. A prize was awarded to the player guessing correctly the greatest number. A novel game was the floral wedding, the names of all the principals being flowers. Another consisted in naming about 20 pictures of flowers and shrubs which were passed around. First and second prizes were awarded to the two persons who had the most correct answers.

Ice cream of various kinds, lady fingers and macaroons and chocolate favors in Christmas wrapping were passed around. The little live tree which was purchased by a member of the club and presented to the Community club after it had served its purpose at the Garden Club's party.

# FELTOVIC MEETS DEATH BRAVELY

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hearing this sound in the tense stillness following the execution, mistook it for sighs issuing from the throat of the dead man. A printed report that Feltovic "sighed twelve times" after the drop was due to this misconception.

**Wears Blue Suit**  
Feltovic was dressed in a dark blue serge suit. The collar of his white shirt was open at the throat. His feet wore prison slippers. His arms were bound. A strap was placed about his knees and the placing of the cap was only a matter of seconds.

There was a nod from the assistant warden and the catch of the death machinery was released. The body dangled from the taut line. It quivered as reflex action set it. Then it was lowered, and after several examinations, Feltovic was pronounced dead.

His kind and father last March 23 in his Bridgeport store. The manager spurned the youth's demand that he hand over the store's receipts for a pair of store scales. He fired his revolver, and Jacobs fell with a bullet through his heart.

He was captured the next night. His pal, Michael Pavlik, also 19, turned state's evidence at the trial, and today he is expected to go on trial in Bridgeport in a few days, charged with robbery with violence.

**VICTIM'S MOTHER'S WISH**  
Bridgeport, Dec. 10.—(AP)—"My mother never wanted Feltovic executed. She always maintained that he should be pardoned for killing my brother but did not express the wish that he be hanged."

This was the message given out by Mrs. Fannie Jacobs of 3133 Main street this city, through her daughter Mrs. Agnes Savin, a few hours before the slayer of Lester Jacobs was hanged in Wethersfield prison last midnight.

Mrs. Jacobs still showing effects of the shock which invalid her when she was told of her son's murder, expressed sympathy for Mrs. Mary Feltovic, the executed youth's mother. Mrs. Jacobs retired early and was sleeping when the execution took place.

# ABOUT TOWN

The Mizpah group of the Wesleyan circle will meet this evening with Mrs. Harry Anderson of Main street.

The Home Builders society of the South Methodist church have set the date of Tuesday, December 17 for the annual Christmas party for the members and their children.

Colpitts and Mrs. Colpitts will serve at the reception committee. The entertainment will be in charge of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Rogers, Mr. and Mrs. Taylor of Cambridge street, and Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Robb. Refreshments will be served under the direction of Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Klein and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Anderson.

According to a report emanating from the park commissioners, the lights will be turned on at Center Springs pond this evening, when the skating is fairly good at the time of writing.

If President Hoover can get by with developing more waterways and then getting the railroad people to spend lots of money on facilities to handle more freight, he must be an Economist, and the capital "E" is intended.

# Local Stocks

(Furnished by Putnam & Co.) Central Row, Hartford, Conn. I. P. M. Stocks.

Bank Stocks.	Bid	Asked
Bankers Trust Co.	325	—
City Bank and Trust	—	525
Cap Nat B&T	—	425
Conn. River	425	—
Htfd Conn Trust	—	170
First Nat Htfd	—	240
Latv Mtg and Title	—	60
Mutual B&T	—	240
do, vtc	—	240
New Brit Trust	—	200
Riverside Trust	575	—
West Htfd Trust	375	—

Insurance Stocks.	Bid	Asked
Htfd & Conn West	95	—
East Conn Pow 5s	100	103
Conn L P 7s	116	118
Conn L P 5 1/2 s	105	108
Conn L P 4 1/2 s	98	100
Htfd Hyd 5s	102	105

Public Utility Stocks.	Bid	Asked
Conn. Elec Svc	90	100
xxConn. Power	87	90
do, pfd	110	21
do, vtc	95	97
Hartford	89	93
Greenwich W&G, pfd.	90	95
Hartford Gas	70	—
do, pfd	—	80
S N E T Co	17	180

Manufacturing Stocks.	Bid	Asked
Acme Wire	45	—
Am Hardware	64	66
Amer Hosiery	30	—
American Silver	23	46
Arrow H&H, com	43	—
do, pfd	100	100
Automatic	4	—
Bigelow, Htfd, com	82	85
do, pfd	98	—
Billings and Spencer	6	8
Bristol Brass	60	30
do, pfd	105	115
Collins Co	—	105
Case, Lockwood & B	525	—
Colt's Firearms	27 1/2	28 1/2
Eagle Lock	46	50
Fafnir Bearings	—	80
Fuller Brush Class A	—	18
do, Class AA	—	72
Hart & Cooley	—	160
Hartman Tob, com	17	—
do, 1st pfd	—	90
Inter Silver	100	—
Landers, Frary & Clp	63	66
Mann & Bow, Class A	15	17
do, Class B	—	38
New Brit Mch, com	29	33
North & Judd	20	23
Peck, Stow and Wil	10	15
Russell Mfg Co.	80	85
Socwell	52	55
Smyley Mfg	—	100
Smyth Co, com	—	36
do, pfd	24	—
Standard Screw	110	—
Stanley Wks & Stk Div	44	47
Taylor & Penn	115	60
Torrington	106	108
Union Mfg Co.	19	—
U S Envelope, com	180	—
do, pfd	110	—
Veeder Root	38 1/2	40 1/2
Whitlock Coil Pipe	—	17
xx—E's rights.	—	—
x—Ex-dividend.	—	—

# N. Y. Stocks

Alleg Corp	27 1/2
Am Bosch Mag	37 1/2
Am Can	120
Am and For Pow	95 1/2
Am Internat	43
Am Pow and Lt	85
Am Rad Stand San	34 1/2
Am Roll Mill	76 1/2
Am Simons	69 1/2
Am Sugar	59 1/2
Am T and T	229 1/2
Am Water Wks	98
Anaconda	80 1/2
Atl Ref	118 1/2
Bendix Aviat	37 1/2
Beth Steel	96
Burr Add Mach	50 1/2
Can Pac	197 1/2
Cerro De Pasco	66
Chi Mil StP and P pf	50
Chic and Northwest	87 1/2
Chrysler	36
Colum Gas and El	79
Colum Graph	35
Coml Inv Tr	42
Comwith and Sou	14 1/2
Consol Gas	102
Contl Can	54
Con Prod	98
Curtiss Wright	8 1/2
Dupont De Nem	119
Elec Pow and Lt	46
Erie	64
Gen Elec	242
Gen Foods	51 1/2
Gen Gas and El A	90 1/2
Gen Motors	43 1/2
Gold Dust	42 1/2
Grisby Grunow	80 1/2
Hershey Choc	13
Int Combat	13
Int Harv	84
Int Nickel	32
Int T and T	80 1/2
Johns Mansville	154
Kan City Sou	94
Keenott	61
Kreuger and Toll	25 1/2
Lehigh Valle	80
Mo Kan and Tex	45 1/2
Mont Ward	84
Nat Cash Reg A	82 1/2
Nat Dairy	34
Nat Pow and Lt	84
Nev Cop	32 1/2
N Y Cent	181
N Y N H and H	117 1/2
Nor Amer	90 1/2
Packard Motor	74 1/2
Pan Am	61
Penn Fam Lasky	54 1/2
Penn	82 1/2
Phil and Rdg C and Ir	15
Pub Serv N J	82 1/2
Radio Corp	90 1/2
Radio Keith	120 1/2
Reading	120 1/2
Rem Rand	70 1/2
Rev Ir and Stl	63 1/2

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# A Star Special in BOUDOIR CHAIRS

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With Ruffle \$8.95

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# INDICT 7 OFFICIALS

Washington, Dec. 10.—(AP)—Representative Frederick F. Zihlman of Maryland, Daniel R. Crisinger, former controller of the currency, and five officials of the F. H. Smith Company, investment security house, were indicted today on a charge of "using the mails to defraud."

Zihlman and Crisinger were members of the board of directors of the F. H. Smith company, whose affairs have been under investigation by a Grand Jury for some time. Several days ago, Zihlman who is chairman of the House District of Columbia committee, announced he had submitted his resignation as a member of the board.

In addition to the indictments against the seven men, an indictment was returned against the F. H. Smith Company as a corporation.

# AUTO DEATHS INCREASE

Washington, Dec. 10.—(AP)—In the 52 weeks ending Nov. 30 deaths in 78 cities from automobile accidents, increased 1,159 over the corresponding period in 1928. Fatalities in the 78 cities from motor car accidents within the city limits or outside in 1929 were 8,528, a Department of Commerce report made public today showed, as compared to 7,369 in 1928, an increase of 15 percent.

During the four weeks ending Nov. 30 there were 839 deaths from automobile accidents, compared to 738 in the same period in 1928. Some of the deaths occurring, the report said, were outside the corporate limits of the cities, but most were within the city limits.

A Texas newspaper comments upon Senator Bingham: "To conduct unbecoming a senator he added conduct unbecoming a gentleman." In other words, from bad to worse.

# WOULD CHECK UP ON WHALING

Auckland, N. Z.—(AP)—The International Council for the Exploration of the Sea has approved a proposed international limit on whaling. Experts predict that whales will be exterminated unless the present wholesale slaughter in Antarctic waters is checked.

Words can be used to express a lot, but around the Christmas season figures mean so much more.

Every Buddhist is supposed to be his own priest.



### SUSPECT DENTIST IN WOMAN'S DEATH

#### Police Find That School Teacher Was a Woman With Secret Lovers.

Rockford, Ill., Dec. 10.—(AP)—In search of a motive for the slaying of Miss Cordeila Gummer-shelmer, attractive school teacher, found beaten to death in her apartment Sunday, authorities today were confronted with conflicting details picturing the woman at once as a matter-of-fact school marm and a woman of secret lovers.

As her friends in Rockford knew her Miss Gummer-shelmer was a teacher devoted to her work, head of the foreign language department at Rockford High school, a woman who taught both day and night and whose diversion consisted mainly of an occasional evening at bridge with women friends.

**Find Love Letters.**

To the authorities the teacher presented another picture—a woman admired by two men neither of whom knew of the other and each of whom protest his love for her in frequent letters, found carefully kept in her kitchenette apartment.

While an eccentric dentist, Dr. Floyd Leach, was still in custody because he had been seen in the neighborhood of the teacher's home the night she was killed, authorities said they had no evidence to link him with the crime.

One of the teachers' correspondents, Glen Wiseman, is in Tarpon Springs, Fla., and the other, Roy Scribner, in New York.

### OPENING STOCKS

New York, Dec. 10.—(AP)—Selling pressure was renewed at the opening of today's Stock Market, and prices drifted irregularly lower.

General Electric dropped 3 1/2 points to 240, which contrasts with a high of 257 last Friday. National Biscuit fell 2 1/2 points, Union Carbide 1 1/2 and Bethlehem Steel 1 1/2.

American Telephone and Telegraph advanced 2 1/2 points and American Telephone 1 1/2. Strong buying support for U. S. Steel common. General Electric, Westinghouse and some of the other leaders brought about an irregular recovery before the end of the first half hour, although at that time the majority of issues were still selling below yesterday's final quotations.

Some of the early selling may have been influenced by the publication of the condition statement of reporting Federal Reserve member banks, showing no change in security loans in the week ending Dec. 4, despite the further decrease in brokers' loans. This confirmed the belief of many traders that the burden of carrying loans on stock collateral had been shifted from the brokers to the banks.

Strength of U. S. Steel, which opened fractionally lower at 179 3/4 and quickly ran up to 184 1/4, may have been influenced by expectations of a favorable monthly tonnage report this noon. General Electric quickly recovered an early loss of 4 3/4, and Westinghouse Electric converted an early loss of 2 points into a gain of 2 1/2. General Electric quickly recovered an early loss of 4 3/4, and Westinghouse Electric converted an early loss of 2 points into a gain of 2 1/2.

General Motors, Paramount Famous Lasky, Consolidated Gas Missouri Pacific Preferred and American & Foreign Power were marked up a point or more above yesterday's final quotations.

Auburn Auto dropped 8 points, Brooklyn Union Gas 5 1/2 and Lackawanna, Worthington Pump, Simmons, Sears Roebuck, Montgomery Ward, Standard Oil of New Jersey, Standard Oil of California, Erie and Chesapeake & Ohio were among the many issues to sell down 1 to 2 1/2 points.

Foreign exchange opened firm, with sterling cables unchanged at \$4.88 7/16.

### FLYING TO HAITI

Miami, Fla., Dec. 10.—(AP)—Miami flyers today pointed a pair of amphibian planes toward Havana, their next stop on the way to Haiti.

Lieutenants W. O. Brice and Peter P. Scribner from Quantico Marine base, set Camaguey, Cuba, as their goal for tonight, after a short stop-over in Havana. Tomorrow they expect to fly over Santiago, Cuba, and conclude their five-day flight at Port Au Prince, Haiti. The Marines are accompanied by three enlisted men as mechanics.

On January 1, 1923, there were 18,000 paupers in the almshouses of the United States.

**12 SHOPPING DAYS TILL CHRISTMAS**



BUYING USEFUL GIFTS IS A MATTER OF DOLLARS AND SENSE.

### NORRIS ASKS PROBE OF FARM PAPER ADVS.

Washington, Dec. 10.—(AP)—Senator Norris, Republican Independent of Nebraska, demanded in the Senate today that the lobby investigating committee call for questions and publishers of rural newspapers in Minnesota to determine who paid for a page advertisement appearing in papers today, urging Congress to pass the tariff bill without slashing existing industrial rates.

The advertisement appeared simultaneously with an appeal addressed to Congress by the Minnesota editors urging the Senate particularly to pass the tariff measure with its "splendid new farm rate schedule" and not to hold it up indefinitely with attempts to cut industrial rates below the present law.

After Senator Allen, Republican, Kansas, had read into the record the advertisement as appearing in today's Washington Post, Senator Norris demanded that the lobby committee examine "this propaganda."

"I want the farmers of Minnesota to know what their papers, which are pretending to be friends of the farmer, are spending their money for," he said.

### FRANCE'S WAR DEBT

Washington, Dec. 10.—(AP)—The Hawley resolution to authorize Congressional approval of the settlement negotiated for funding the \$4,025,000,000 French war debt was reported to the House today by its ways and means committee after Under Secretary Mills had testified the Treasury had approved of the measure.

The committee authorized its chairman, Representative Hawley of Oregon, to seek to expedite House consideration of the resolution.

Under questioning by Representative Crisp of Georgia, a Democrat on the committee and a member of the now extinct American debt funding commission, Mr. Mills said the settlement represented about 50 cents on a dollar, in effect cancelling the wartime advances and requiring payment of only the post-armistice advances.

"On a five per cent basis," he said, "all France will be doing would be to pay back the money borrowed since the war."

### HELD FOR ARSON

Plymouth, Dec. 10.—(AP)—James F. Ryan, 28, of Plymouth, and Union City, N. J., will be arraigned before Justice of the Peace Welcome here today on a statutory charge of arson in connection with the Plymouth Library fire on November 24 in which the building and contents were destroyed. The arrest was made by State Policeman Rose of the Canaan Barracks. According to police Ryan confessed.

### KING TO ATTEND MARRIAGE

Sofia, Bulgaria, Dec. 10.—(AP)—Rumors have been revived here that King Boris had decided to attend the marriage in Rome of Crown Prince Humbert and Princess Marie Jose of Belgium, which will be celebrated next month. Further palace rumors were that the king possibly would take advantage of the occasion to announce his own engagement to Princess Giovanna.

### RADIO BOON TO EAST INDIES

Batavia, Dutch East Indies.—(AP)—Radio has come as a blessing to the thousands of islands composing the archipelago over which Queen Wilhelmina is sovereign. Seven big short wave stations provide telephonic transmission to the motherland and smaller stations give inter-island communication.

### One of Our National Byrds!



### THE MUSIC BOX TO A LARGER STORE

The Music Box, run by George J. Smith, is moving to the larger store in the Rialto Building, formerly occupied by the Francis Gown Shop. The business was started not quite two years ago by Walter Bradley and George J. Smith. Last June Mr. Bradley sold his interest to Mr. Smith. The business is confined to the sale of musical merchandise exclusively. Bacon banjo, Ludwig drums and Gretsch-American saxophones are among the leading brands of merchandise featured. A large stock of popular sheet music is always on hand.

Mr. Smith wishes to thank his customer for their past favors and sincerely hopes they will visit his new store.

### FARM INCOME REFLECTS DEGREE OF MANAGEMENT

Ames, Iowa.—(AP)—A striking relationship between methods of management and the income from the farm is found in a study of the records kept by 25 farmers in Webster county in cooperation with Iowa State College.

The four high farmers made a management return, margin of profit above interest on invested capital and hired man's wages, of \$2,078. The lowest farm showed a management loss of \$942. Economists found five definite standards on which efficiency of the farm may be judged—acres operated, return per \$1 of feed fed to live-stock, value per acre of crops, crop acres per man, and power and machinery cost per crop acre.

A sand shark, with two mouths, was caught off Sea Bright, N. J., the other day. Probably the radio will work all right now.

### "GEE! THEY'RE SWELL GUYS!"



What youngster wouldn't have traded places with Earle Lerley or Mike Dulcich just to shake hands and talk with two ex-heavyweight champions? Jack Dempsey and James J. Corbett met in Omaha, Neb., recently and paid a visit to the sick kids in St. Joseph's Hospital. That looks like a smile of admiration playing on the face of the Lerley boy, left, while young Mike is shaking the hand that smashed Dempsey foes to the canvas for the full count.

### MANUFACTURER DIES

New Haven, Dec. 10.—(AP)—James W. Brooks of New Haven, formerly of Derby is dead at home of his daughter 158 York street, this city age 79. He was one of the most prominent musical instrument manufacturers in New England. His widow, four daughters and a son, Prof. J. Ansel Brooks of Newark college of engineers formerly of the Yale faculty survive him.

### ORDER REFUSED

Washington, Dec. 10.—(AP)—The Supreme Court today refused to order Federal District Judge Pollock of Kansas to call a three-judge Federal Court to decide the controversy between the fire insurance companies doing business in that state and State Commissioner of Insurance Hobbs, growing out of new rates fixed by the state, as requested by Kansas.

### DOMINICAN PRESIDENT REPORTED IMPROVED

Baltimore, Md., Dec. 10.—President Horacio Pasquez of the Dominican Republic, who underwent a kidney operation at Johns Hopkins hospital yesterday, was "doing very nicely" this morning, the nurse who was attending him reported to the hospital office today.

The operation by Dr. Hugh H. Young, one of the leading urologists of the country, followed a long period of treatment at the hospital. When President Pasquez entered Johns Hopkins after a trip making a speed record from Santo Domingo by plane and rail to Baltimore, he had a high fever, and for more than a month he had been under treatment at the hospital which had resulted in reducing his temperature to normal and improving his general condition. During that time he had been under the care of Dr. Young and his personal physician Dr. Ramon de Lara, who accompanied him from Santo Domingo.

General Pasquez was accompanied to Baltimore by his wife who later also entered the hospital, although it was reported she was not suffering from any serious malady. She was still at the hospital when the operation was performed, but was not told of it at the time, because of fears that it might disturb her nervous condition.

### AMERICANS AID POLAND

Warsaw, Poland, Dec. 10.—(AP)—The ministry of communications have signed a contract with Lilpop, Rau and Loewenstein to provide the state railways with 14,000 freight cars and 1,100 passenger coaches on ten years' credit. The order will be executed in seven years. The arrangement will be financed by the Standard Car Finance Corporation of America and the credit obtained will total \$20,000,000 in two years.

In addition to these advances the American group will supply the Lilpop firm with \$1,000,000 to enable them to increase their output. The Americans also propose to establish a factory for rolling stock to supply Poland's neighbors with railway material.

### CAPT. KOEHL SAILS

Berlin, Dec. 10.—(AP)—Captain Hermann Koehl, German trans-Atlantic flier, and Mrs. Koehl will sail from Hamburg tomorrow aboard the Deutschland for New York at the invitation of the Hamburg-American line.

He will meet his old comrade, Colonel James C. Fitzmaurice, in New York.

### 24 HURT IN CRASH

Toronto, Ont., Dec. 10.—(AP)—Twenty-four persons were injured when two street cars collided here today. Fourteen were taken to hospitals, but all but three of them were discharged later.

One of the cars had stopped and the car immediately behind got out of control and rammed it.

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On good reliable local properties. We handle all the details.

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### STATE'S ANNIVERSARY

Hartford, Dec. 10.—(AP)—Sometime in the near future the state of Connecticut will celebrate its 300th anniversary. But when that day shall be the executive committee of the tercentennial committee which met here yesterday with representatives of several historical societies has been unable to determine. Dates ranging from 1633 to 1639 were suggested as the state's birth.

Jared B. Standish of Wethersfield declared that town's celebration would be held in 1934 and Clayton F. Chamberlain of Windsor said his community he presumed would observe 1934, whereupon Standish asserted that Windsor was only a trading station when Wethersfield was a full fledged settlement.

Final choice of date would be made by the State Legislature to which the committee appointed by Governor John H. Trumbull will make its report in 1931. Meanwhile old records will be combed thoroughly for authoritative data.

### CHRISTMAS SALE

Thursday Afternoon and Evening

Beginning at 2:30 WATKINS BROTHERS STORE By Center Church Women's Federation.

Christmas Gift Articles in Variety Home Made Food, Including Bread, Cake, Pies, Doughnuts, Cookies, etc.

SHOE REPAIRING Ladies' Flexible Soles and Rubber Heels a Specialty. SAM VULVES 701 Main St., So. Manchester

Read The Herald Advs.



HEY! HEY! Give Something Musical This Christmas

### FOR THE BOY

A Tenor-Banjo or a Ukulele

We have a good stock here for your selection. TENOR BANJOS \$15 UP UKULELES \$1.95 to \$25

Start Your Boy on a Saxophone

A sax is not hard to learn. Why not start your boy or girl now.

We Have the "Buescher" Easy Terms



### Musical Gift Suggestions

- Harmonicas 50c to \$3.50
- Music Bags \$2.50 up
- Accordions \$7.50 up
- Violin Cases \$6.50 up
- Violins \$10 up
- Cornets \$35 up

and many other items.

Free Lessons On All Instruments

KEMP'S "The Christmas Music Store"

### EXTRA SPECIAL ON USED CARS

With every used car sold we will give you three pieces of

Imported Italian Tapestry

or your choice of other presents that might interest you. Here is the list of cars:

### WE RECOMMEND

- 1926 Buick Brougham ..... \$260.00
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- 1924 Buick 4 cylinder ..... \$40.00
- 1927 Studebaker 4 Pass. Coupe ... \$200.00
- 1927 Essex Roadster ..... \$120.00
- 1928 Essex Coupe ..... \$140.00
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We are in a position to accept in trade twenty light four and six-cylinder cars. We will take your car as all or part down payment, providing you can run it to our salesroom, at

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BAY STATE CITIES ARE VOTING TODAY

Everett, Lawrence, Chelsea, Malden, Newton, Woburn Picking Mayors.

Boston, Dec. 10 — (AP) — The voters of six Massachusetts cities, Everett, Lawrence, Chelsea, Malden, Newton and Woburn, will choose mayors in municipal elections today.

Sinclair Weeks, son of the late secretary of war John W. Weeks, is one of the four candidates in Newton. The candidates are: Everett: Mayor James A. Roche and Michael C. O'Neil.



PROPER GREENS FOR CHRISTMAS

By P. L. RICKER Bureau of Plant Industry, U. S. Department of Agriculture Christmas festivities bring one of our greatest economic problems, the conservation of our rapidly disappearing Christmas greens.

The American Holly, found mostly within fifty miles of the coast from Massachusetts to Florida and eastern Texas, is becoming rare.

European, is readily grown from seeds or cuttings throughout its range and is extensively cultivated for the Christmas trade in the western parts of some of the Pacific coast states.

Ground Pine, not being susceptible of cultivation, is in danger of extermination. Some of it appearing on the market is preserved and may be used more than one year.

Mountain Laurel is found in abundance through the middle eastern states, is rare only in the vicinity of cities. With proper cutting it should furnish an inexhaustible supply.

In the west Toyon or Christmas Berry, Oregon Grape and Desert Holly-leaved Cherry, Coast Huckleberry and Salal are found in innumerable thickets and, like the California Redwood, are in little danger of extermination.

Leucothoe of the southeastern states is in need of protection. Galax is used as an all-year decoration but as only perfect leaves are used it is not seriously threatened.

Several cultivated plants, such as Ruscus, Everlasting, Poinsettia, Boxwood and Smilax, are on the market at Christmas time and should be used in place of plants needing protection.

Mistletoe is found as a parasite on several trees. Its unlimited use is justifiable, as its high position in the trees render it difficult to exterminate.

Fir and Spruce are the ideal Christmas trees but should be cut as a thinning process. Trees may often be obtained from states or national forests.

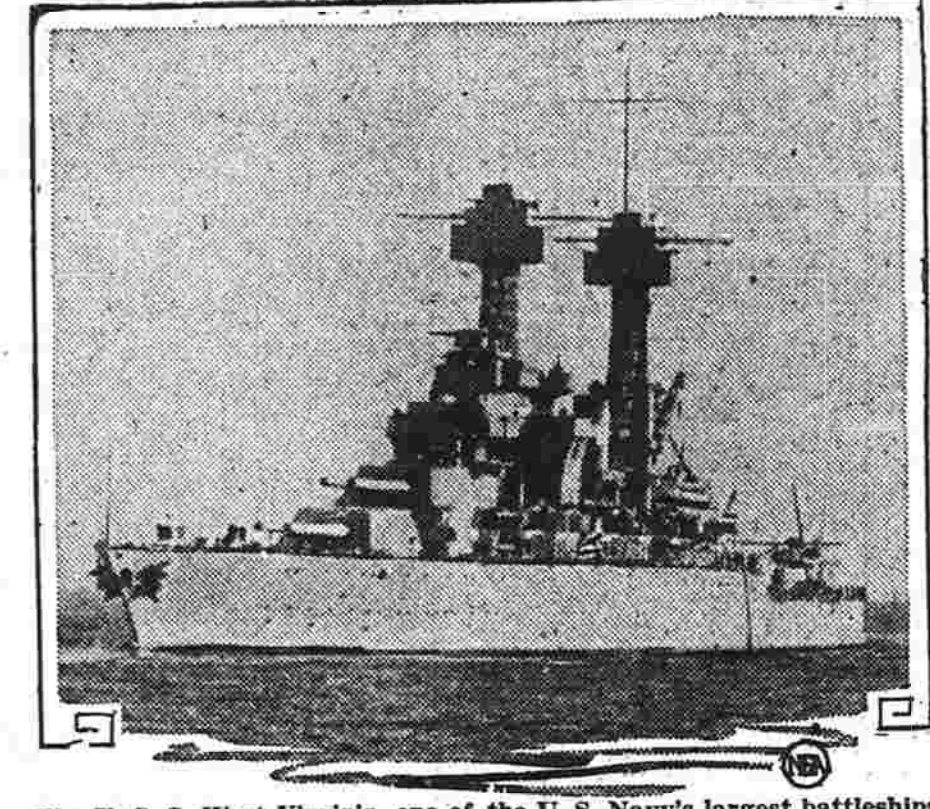
Planting spruce or fir trees in the home grounds and decorating them with multi-colored electric lights is extending rapidly and prizes are often offered for the best decorated trees.

Towanda, Pa., Dec. 10 — (AP) — Evidence consisting of less than a half pint of whiskey found in the wall of his store resulted in George Vogle of Towanda being sentenced to serve three years in the county jail and pay a \$5,000 fine and costs.

Providence, Dec. 10 — (AP) — Henry W. Borden of Pawtucket, obtained a divorce in Superior Court Monday after testifying his wife took long periods of silence after he had rows with her.

MEN O'WAR

IN BATTLESHIPS WHICH COST AS HIGH AS \$27,000,000 AND CARRY 1,400 MEN, UNCLE SAM HAS 18 AND GREAT BRITAIN 20.



The U. S. S. West Virginia, one of the U. S. Navy's largest battleships, is shown here. It carries about 1,400 men.

Editor's Note: This is the first of a series of articles on the strength of the U. S. Navy, especially as compared with that of Great Britain. The articles are of special interest in view of the approaching naval arms limitation conference at London.

men. America's best and most modern battleships, the Colorado, Maryland and West Virginia, cost \$27,000,000 a piece. The other 15 first-line ships cost from \$8,000,000 to \$23,000,000. The annual cost of operation per ship is about \$2,000,000, the greater part of which goes for pay and subsistence.

Queer Twists In Day's News

New York — Miss Ida Lathers carries a red lantern in the daytime when she desires to take trolley cars. She finds she needs it to warn passing automobiles to give her a chance.

London — "Auda," a name which conceals the identity of the donor, has given \$500,000 of the King's Thanksgiving fund which totals \$3,497,000. In thanks for the King's recovery from illness the fund will be devoted to various hospitals and to the purchase of radium.

New York — Elizabeth Robins Pennell, in her "Life and Letters of Joseph Pennell," describes how her husband kept his whistlers, but lost a knighthood. The artist was escorting Queen Alexandra at a whistler exhibition.

Andover, Mass., Dec. 10 — Miss Janet G. Simon of Manchester has been placed on the honor roll for the first quarter at Abbot Academy. It was announced by Miss Bertha Bailey, principal.

A THOUGHT

A good man out of the good treasure of the heart bringeth forth good things; and an evil man out of the evil treasure bringeth forth evil things. — St. Matthew 12:35.

SCHWAB ON THE AIR

Chicago, Dec. 10 — (AP) — The address of Charles M. Schwab, chairman of the board of the Bethlehem Steel Corporation, at the dinner of the Illinois Manufacturers' association, will be broadcast by the CBS chain Tuesday evening.

FEEL GOOD?

Most ailments start from poor circulation (constipation or semi-constipation). Intestinal poisons sap vitality, undermine your health and make life miserable. Tonight try DR. NATURE'S REMEDY — all-vegetable corrective — not an ordinary laxative. See how DR will add in restoring your appetite and rid you of that heavy, lousy, peevish feeling.



HARTFORD'S CHRISTMAS STORE THE NEW WISE SMITH'S Substantial Savings In Every Department During Our Great 20-Day Storewide Introductory Sale

LAMPS — are enduring, artistic gifts. Floor and Bridge Lamps \$8.50. Twin Candle Lamps \$8.95. Imported Table Lamps \$4.95. Bridge Lamp With Shade \$14.75. Colonial Twin Lamps \$5.95. Metal Table Lamps With Shades \$4.95. Boudoir Pottery Lamps \$1.95.

Novelty Jewelry For Gifts \$1.00. Pearls, Chokers, Pendants, Brooches, Earrings. The new colors of cornelian, amber, poppy red, Lido blue, rose, sapphire, amethyst and others which set off your costume so smartly.

Leather Handbags \$3.39. Rayon Cushions, shirred and trimmed with a flower. Satin Cushions, chenille embroidered, square shape. Taffeta, Rayon, Velour Cushions, extra large cushions in plain and changeable color effects with shirring and wide ruffles.

Big Boys' Overcoats \$12.95. Sizes 10 to 18. Overcoats of Germania Chinchilla \$12.95. Sizes 4 to 10. Leatherette Coats \$9.95. Jersey Suits \$2.95.

Stationery In Cedar Chests \$1.98. Book Ends \$1.98 Pair. Boxed Stationery, 50c a Box. PEQUOT SHEETS AND PILLOW CASES \$4.98. Washable Boudoir and Bath Room RUGS \$9.75.

A Christmas Sale of GILBERT CLOCKS. Regularly \$15 and \$20.00. \$9.95. WALL AND MANTEL CLOCKS. Eight styles to choose from in newest, modern color effects to harmonize with color schemes of various rooms.

SERVING TRAYS. Exactly as Illustrated. \$2.99. Identical in design, quality and finish with the trays we had in a sale recently, when the entire lot was sold out immediately.

Scatter Size RUGS \$9.75. Size 27x54. The colors are soft and richly blended, the designs are in utmost good taste and new in treatment. These rugs may be cleaned with a solution of water and ammonia, and are durable.



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**THE WORLD COURT**

There is no great amount of joy in the United States Senate over the signing of the protocol of the World Court by the American charge d'affaires at Bern, under authorization of President Hoover. Having rejected with scorn and contempt the packet of goods offered it in 1926 by the conference of adhering powers at Geneva, the Senate finds itself in the position of having to reject or accept precisely the same goods wrapped up in a different colored paper by Elihu Root and endorsed by him O. K.

First we agreed to enter the World Court provided the rest of the signatories agreed to let us do all the judging and exempt us from any liability, so to speak, of being sued in the court. This was in the Harding administration and we went through one of the most remarkable diplomatic performances the world has ever witnessed. We asked the rest of the nations to let us boss the show and be held responsible for nothing. Quite naturally the other nations couldn't quite see this and shipped us back our reservations with the suggestion that we make them a little more reasonable. They were willing to strain a point or several points but they couldn't quite wreck the court just to please our unaccountable notions.

Mr. Coolidge had inherited the World Court problem; also Mr. Kellogg. Mr. Coolidge was never what you could call a wizard at international politics, but he could stand pat with the best of them. So he and Mr. Kellogg stood pat on the American reservations. And that was that.

Later on, however—early last year—so much pressure was brought on the American people that Mr. Root was shipped off to Geneva to see if he couldn't patch up the thing so that we could get into the court with a good grace. And what did that king of legal raftsmen do? Why he tinkered up the notorious "Reservation five" over which the signatories had choked, so that it sounded quite important but as a matter of fact didn't give us anything in the slightest different from what we would have had if we hadn't made any such reservation at all. Very formally we were given leave to withdraw from the court any time we got miffed over an advisory opinion. There never was anything in the world to prevent us from withdrawing anyhow.

However, the wise Mr. Root did a splendid job of necessary camouflage and the American adherence, with the reservations that mean nothing, has been accepted by all but three or four odd-lot countries which will accept when they get around to it. Also there are few if any members of the United States Senate who can find serious fault with the court project when it is so clearly shown to them that we can quit any time we feel that our interests are being imperiled—a perfectly obvious thing that they didn't know anything about when they fought the court with their eyes shut.

Still and all there are even yet a few of the bitter-enders of post-war days left and they hate like the dickens to touch anything that "might hev a ketch in it." They will stall off ratification as long as possible. Let us hope it may not be overlong.

Joseph R. Grundy to the United States Senate in the place of the rejected Vare, has not been correctly represented.

Mr. Grundy's testimony before the Senate's lobby committee stamped him publicly as the standard bearer of a body of tariff advocates whose views do not in the least accord with those of Mr. Hoover—not with those of a very rapidly growing element in the Republican party. Neither Mr. Grundy nor the Pennsylvania industrialists whom he represents possess the economic acumen of the President and those other protectionists who seek the last penny of protection that will work but who set a limit at that point. The Grundy theory is that there is simply no limit to the amount of protection that can be applied advantageously—a theory which many people are beginning to realize is a dangerous one. Mr. Hoover knows that it is.

To establish in the Senate with the approval of the Republican party this particularly lavish ultra-protectionist and frank even blatant sectionalist, who has openly avowed his interest to be solely in the welfare of Pennsylvania industries, would be to justify the asseverations of the insurgent Western Republicans that they cannot look for a square deal from their own party in the East; it would be to seriously affect the credit of the party in the minds of its soberer and more far-sighted adherents; and, lastly, it would be a slap in the face of the Hoover administration—which has its foundations in a firm resolve to serve the whole country and not any one part of it nor yet to the exclusion of any one part.

If Grundy should be appointed and the Republicans in the Senate should engineer his acceptance it would probably turn out to be the most expensive piece of political blundering that has been done in a long time—worse, in its effects on the party, than the split over the tariff itself.

**STREET SIGNS**

Assuming that the selectmen of Manchester are anxious to do all they possibly can, within their legally restricted powers, to reduce the number of automobile accidents, the Herald feels sure that it will only be necessary to suggest one way in which some of the risk of crashes may be eliminated in order to have the elimination brought about. We refer to the glaring insufficiency of the street-signs.

Where there are any signs at all at intersections there is seldom if ever more than one, and that one lettered on one side only. To the automobile driver who is seeking a certain street, say one of the streets crossing Main, the single street sign is useless in half the cases until he has passed it, when he can, by twisting his neck, get a view of it to the rear of his car. Until then it presents a blank side to him.

Naturally these occasions much faltering on the part of drivers, much stopping of cars in the lanes of traffic and, very often, inadequate management of the vehicles. Very obviously it is of great importance that strangers or persons not thoroughly familiar with all parts of the town should be enabled to find any of its streets with a reasonable degree of ease. Looking for a needle in a haystack while one is trying to drive an automobile is bad business.

It would cost some money to fit out our street corners with an adequate system of signs, but not a terrific lot—and it would be worth every nickel of the cost.

If we can't have street signs at more than one of the corners of each intersection at least let us have that sign double, so that it can be read from either direction.

**NOT WORSE**

We refuse to join with those who find the Perkins-Bulkley "hunt" wedding in Fairfield last Saturday proper occasion for the exploitation of the razzberry. If the contracting parties were enthusiastic riders to hounds—and there was no more reason why they should not celebrate their wedding amid a gathering of pink coats and yelping dogs than there was why Charlie Lindbergh shouldn't carry his bride off in an airplane.

To be sure, opinions may differ as to the worthwhileness of siccing sixteen or eighteen dogs and twenty or thirty horses carrying men and women onto one scared fox about the size of an Angora cat, or even onto the trail of an anise bag when foxes are not round about; but so do they differ about aviation as a sport, or horsehoe pitching or mumble-the-peg.

As far as we can see the "hunt" wedding was no sillier than any wedding in which the bridal pair put in as-lusty a bid as they know how for the attention of the wide world. The only thing about it, we

hope the happy couple didn't let themselves get the notion that all the rest of the state of Connecticut was regarding the spectacle in dumb awe.

**PORTO RICO RACKET**

The Golden Rule Foundation, refuge for many of the professional uplifters set adrift when the Near East Relief racket wore itself out, has adopted the children of Porto Rico and is parading them before the eyes of the easy marks of the great and lavish land in a way that to us is reminiscent of the beggar who, in New York recently, was found to be paying fifty cents a day for a "starving" child to accompany him on his rounds, incidentally cleaning up a fortune for himself.

As a matter of fact what the people of Porto Rico need is not blankets, rubber boots and shiploads of condensed milk and baked beans, but a better break politically and a governor who will not, like the disappointing namesake son of President Roosevelt, be willing to shoulder off the safeguarding of the children of the island onto the Golden Rule Foundation or any other organization of its kind.

The principal thing that is the matter with the children of Porto Rico is hookworm and too many generations of all-around slovenliness under first an oppressive Spanish rule and later the control of an America which never took the trouble to give the country a first-class governor.

**CAPE COD GOER**

Strange things happen on Cape Cod. According to a recent press dispatch Anthony Francis of North Truro caught a full grown doe near his gas station. The dispatch says: "Francis, who tips the scales at 185 pounds, gave chase to the frightened deer, caught it and succeeded in holding it until assistance came."

It always was our luck never to be around when things happen. If there is anything we'd give an extra large red apple to see it's a 185 pound gas dealer chasing and catching a 125-pound doe. Since an able bodied doe can do a hundred yards in just about one-third of the time shown by the crack Olympian sprinters, and since 185 pounds is some bulk, we should particularly have loved to see the sparks thrown off by Mr. Francis as, like a meteoroid, he set himself afire by friction with the atmosphere. That would be, at the least, an unusual sight.

**IN NEW YORK**

New York, Dec. 9.—The atmosphere of cobwebs and dust which enfolds the old Wendell mansion become more apparent with each passing year.

As Fifth Avenue, which hems it in, grows gayer and more glittering, this mystery spot seems to retreat farther back into the shadows of yesterday.

The windows are shuttered. Old-fashioned, faded blue blinds are drawn. Most of the windows are curtainless, and if life goes on inside its walls, there is no sign from the outside.

A friend, who has a taste for the curious and the eerie, spent many idle hours watching to see if the blinds would ever be raised or lowered, or if the shutters would ever be opened or if the lights could ever be detected in the windows at night—but finally gave up the game.

A scout reported that on a certain afternoon in late fall, he observed a spiral of smoke coming out of the back yard, as though someone had made a bonfire of leaves. But when he chimed himself upon the high fence which surrounds the place, he was unable to detect a servant at work.

The Wendell mansion, by way of explanation, is the last of the larder-and-lace period spots to be found in mid New York. Its venerable fence, with rusty wire picketing, blocks it off from Fifth Avenue at a point where that famous shopping thoroughfare takes on its most luxurious and swanky aspects. The value of the land as business property is fabulous—yet the two aged sisters who own it cling to it with a stubborn sentimentality.

Because so little is known of them and their comings and goings, old wives' tales of a nature strange to Fifth Avenue have passed about. There are those who have told of peeps at shawl-covered figures going through the dim and dingy rooms carrying candles. The story also goes about that neither of the sisters has ever ridden in an automobile, and though the street outside is a terrifying crush of traffic, no car has ever been seen parked at their door.

On the contrary, a severe old brick stable is at the rear, with a creaking weather-vane swinging about atop it.

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**DEAFNESS AND CARBOHYDRATES**

For many years I have advocated the belief that deafness, when not caused by an accident, can usually be traced to dietetic indiscretions. It is very pleasing to me to discover that recently one of England's most famous surgeons, Sir Arbuthnot Lane, has written an article in the London Daily Mail substantiating this belief. His article is so interesting that I have decided to quote from it:

"Deafness may occur in any degree, from a slight inaccuracy in distinguishing faint sound to absolute insensibility to the loudest noises. The commonest cause of temporary deafness is the blocking of the ear-passages by wax, or by a foreign body, either of which may be removed by syringing or other appropriate measures.

"Of cases of deafness not caused by wax, 90 per cent are caused by affections of the middle-ear. Closing of the Eustachian tube, leading to the retraction of the ear-drum, by the absence of pressure inside the middle-ear, is one of the commonest causes of this deafness.

"Inflammation of the middle-ear, if of a virulent nature, may not only cause deafness, but may spread to the mastoid cells, or to the meninges and the brain, and may even lead to a fatal issue.

"Various diseases, such as scarlet fever, measles, influenza, diphtheria, bronchitis, and pneumonia may also give rise to catarrhal deafness, but one of the principal causes of deafness in children is adenoids. Recent investigations have shown that adenoids is of the nature of a deficient disease.

"It is a curious fact that in prosperous communities, like Great Britain, the United States, Australia, and New Zealand, with favorable climates, adenoids are most common among children. This is without doubt due to the excess of carbohydrates (starches and sugars) in the diet of the average child of these countries.

"Thus, we see that diet reform is the means by which by far the greatest proportion of cases of deafness may be prevented."

In my own experience I have found that the best method of overcoming catarrhal deafness is to use a fasting regime the same as would be given for catarrhal inflammation in any part of the body. Following the fasting regime, it has been my policy to prescribe a diet from which the starches and sugars (carbohydrates) are rigidly excluded for as long as a year in some cases. I have sent these diet instructions out to thousands of correspondents and have received in reply from those who were cured in this manner.

"The earth is a much more complicated organ than anyone can realize who has not studied its structure. The three bones which conduct the vibrations from the ear-drum to the body. The inner ear has been pictorially described by Dr. Frederick W. Kranz when he says, 'Imagine a grand piano about half the size of a pea, with 20,000 tiny strings, each tuned to receive only one tone, and you have a rough picture of the inner ear, if the theory of some scientists is correct.' (Continued in tomorrow's article.)"

**QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS.**

(Melancholia.)  
 Question.—J. J. asks: "Will you please tell what a person inclined toward melancholia should do to overcome this?"  
 Answer: "The first thing to do is to get rid of auto-intoxication which is no doubt the foundation upon which nervous disorders are built. The patient should do everything possible to guarantee an extra amount of intestinal cleansing. It is the absence of three bowels movements daily, or laxatives which should be taken until the patient's bowels do move normally."

**(Meat Proteins.)**

Question.—J. H. N. writes: "Some people claim that in contrast to vegetable proteins, meat and fish proteins contain uric acid and encourage the growth of the putrefactive bacteria in the colon. Please give your view on the subject."  
 Answer: "The use of a normal amount of meat does not have a harmful effect and does not encourage excessive putrefaction in the colon. Those troubled with constipation are the most injured by the use of too much protein, whether it is meat or vegetable protein. The meat or vegetable theory has been quite well exploded, and many physicians now realize that the greatest uric acid poison comes from the retention of the patient's own uric acid which is formed from the burning up of waste products in the body. Contributing to this the small amount of uric acid in the meat is of no consequence."

**(Receding Gums.)**

Question.—A. M. asks: "What causes the gums to recede and how may I help them?"  
 Answer: "Receding gums are caused by the effects of hyperacidity of the stomach, and are also due to decomposition of food between the teeth, hastening growth, and allowing the teeth to become coated with tartar. Go to a dentist and have your teeth scaled and the gums treated. At the same time make the proper dietetic changes so as to overcome the over-acidity of the gastric juice."



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**QUOTATIONS**

"The temptations to go to the devil increase with age."  
 —A. Lawrence Lowell.

"Four hostile newspapers are more to be feared than a thousand bayonets."  
 —Napoleon I.

"It is sheer humbug to claim that reductions of navies bear any relation to peace."  
 —David Lloyd George.

"If a woman is not fit to manage the internal matters of a house, she is fit for nothing, and should never be put in a house or over a house, anyway. Good housekeeping lies at the root of all the real ease and satisfaction in existence."  
 —Harriet Prescott Spofford.

"You kiss your wife to show you still love her. She knows how much you love her without being kissed; yet she likes it."  
 —William Wrigley, Jr.

"Many delight more in giving of presents than in paying their debts."  
 —Sir P. Sidney.



**MISSISSIPPI JOINS UNION**

On Dec. 10, 1817, the state of Mississippi was admitted to the Union.

The most notable features of Mississippi's first constitution were the high property qualifications for holding office the short terms of office, and the large appointing power of the governor and legislature.

By the treaties of 1830 and 1832, with the Choctaw and Chickasaw Indians, who inhabited the northern part of the state, the lands occupied by those tribes were incorporated into the state, subjected to its jurisdiction, and thrown open to settlement by the whites.

Mississippi adopted a new constitution in 1837, abolishing property qualifications for office-holding and requiring that all officers, both state and county, should be chosen by the people.

Other constitutions were adopted in 1868 and again in 1890, chiefly as the result of strife concerning negro suffrage.

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**EXTRA BUDGET**  
 Washington, Dec. 10.—(AP)—President Hoover today transmitted to Congress a supplemental estimate of \$210,842 for the legislative establishment for the fiscal year 1930, to cover additional expenditures because of the special session. The sum of \$285,640 would be expended for additional compensation of officers, clerks, messengers and other employees of the Senate; \$590,227 for a similar purpose in the House, and \$34,775 for additional compensation of officers, clerks and other employees in the office of the architect of the capitol.

An alien-born secretary of state could not succeed in the presidency in case of the elimination of both president and vice-president.



## HOOVER'S PHRASE STARTS DEBATE

### Senators Pounce Upon Sentence Concerning Haiti in His Message to Congress.

Washington, Dec. 10.—(AP)—A single phrase in President Hoover's special message to Congress on Haiti seems destined to lead to much inquiry and debate before authority is voted the Chief Executive to send a special commission to the West Indian republic.

This phrase—"Our representatives in Haiti have shown great ability and devotion"—has caught the eyes of several Senators who ask whether Mr. Hoover with these words, sets the stamp of his approval upon the administration in Haiti.

Chairman Borah of the foreign relations committee, who has disagreed with both Democratic and Republican administrations in the matter of armed intervention in Latin-American countries, adds another inquiry by another commission when there has been one in Haiti for a matter of fourteen years.

**Conditions Intolerable**  
The Idahoan has stated that if the present situation he is ready to help, but he is far from the view that conditions in Haiti under American assistance are what they should be. In fact he has publicly stated that they were "intolerable."

Other Senators take a like view, although there is little question now that Congress will vote the authority and the funds to send a commission, to include members of the House and Senate, to the little republic to study the situation and make recommendations.

## GRETA GARBO'S "KISS" OFFERED AT STATE

Picture Stamps Actress as a Most Able Tragedienne; Duo Dollar Auction Tomorrow.

Greta Garbo, whose every picture has been an outstanding success, will not disappoint her admirers in "The Kiss," which comes to the State Wednesday and Thursday. As a French woman, misunderstood by her husband, Miss Garbo gives a characterization which definitely stamps her as a tragedienne of first rank.

Miss Garbo is artist enough not to overplay her role and when in a powerful climax she shoots her jealous husband it is done with a realism that reaches way back into the pit of the theatre without any of the melodrama so often accompanying such a dramatic sequence.

Supporting Miss Garbo in this French drama are Conrad Nagle as an attorney, Anders Randolph as the jealous husband, Lew Ayers, a newcomer to the screen, as the lover, and Holmes Herbert as Ayers' father. The members of the supporting cast give finished performance.

"The Sap," an uproarious comedy drama adapted from the famous stage play of the same name, with Edward Everett Horton and Patsy Ruth Miller in the featured roles, will be shown on the same program. It is an all-talking Vitaphone production, and is guaranteed to chase away all dull cares, or any other tendency toward the blues.

The last duo-dollar auction will be held at Wednesday night's performance. In order to accommodate the crowd which it is expected will attend the last of the auctions, the box-office will open for the evening performance at 5:45 p. m., and the performance will start promptly at 6:45 p. m. The auction will start at 8 p. m., and in order that those who are unable to gain admission to the theater may have an opportunity to win a prize, should there be the highest bid, the management has installed a broadcasting equipment and the results of all bidding will be announced to those in front of the theater at the same time as those in the theater, and anyone outside having the highest bid will be permitted to enter and receive the article bid in.

There will be a limited number of tickets for Wednesday night's performance put on sale at the box-office Wednesday afternoon. This will eliminate the necessity of standing in line to buy a ticket, but it will not guarantee the purchaser a seat unless he gets to the theater before all of the seats are filled.

## ANNULS MARRIAGE SO SHE MAY REWED

Chicago, Dec. 10.—(AP)—Mrs. Caroline Robinson Doss has had her marriage to James Doss annulled so she may remarry him.

Mrs. Doss was married in 1921 to James H. Robinson, an Army flyer. In 1924 she sued him for divorce, but before the suit was called for hearing she received a newspaper clipping reporting the death of Robinson in a plane crash.

The divorce action was dropped, and in 1927 she was married to Doss. Last summer, in Oklahoma, Mrs. Doss met the husband she believed dead. The annulment of her marriage to Doss is the first step in her effort to straighten matters out. Her attorney said she would file a new suit to divorce Robinson and she plans to remarry Doss as soon as she wins a decree.

## CENTRAL HEATING FOR DULUTH

Duluth, Minn.—(AP)—This city has approved the construction of a \$1,250,000 central heating plant, work to begin next year.

## ROCKVILLE

**Firemen's Banquet Saturday**  
Plans have been completed for the annual banquet of the Rockville Fire Department to be held at the Rockville house on Saturday night at 7:30 o'clock. A turkey dinner, with all the fixings will be served. A good entertainment program has been secured through John H. Yost, local booking agent which is sure to interest every member of the department. Former Mayor John P. Cameron will act in his usual capacity as Master of Ceremonies and will have something worth while in witty and humorous introductions.

Charles S. Chapman of the Gamewell Fire Alarm System of Boston, Mass., will be the principal speaker of the evening and will give an interesting address for the boys. Another speaker will be Judge John E. Fahey, and there will be remarks by several of the other guests present.

It is expected there will be sixty present at the banquet.

**Mothers' Club Banquet Plans**  
Plans are nearing completion for the "Family Night" and banquet of the Mothers' Club of Union Congregational Church which will be held in the church social rooms on Saturday evening at 6 o'clock.

Leonard as chairman is planning an excellent menu. The entertainment program which is in charge of the president, Mrs. Dina Herzog and Mrs. Vera Cobb will prove very delightful as several of the children will take part. There will be a Christmas story and many other features.

Mrs. Charles Leonard is chairman of the general committee which consists of Mrs. George Herzog, Mrs. George Wainwright, Mrs. Otto Preusse, Mrs. Hoyt Hayden, Mrs. Herbert Cockayne, Mrs. Thomas Neill and Mrs. George S. Brookes. Sub-committees appointed are as follows: Entertainment, Mrs. Ethel Leonard, Mrs. John Zimmerman, Jr., Mrs. Emily Liebe, Mrs. Emmeline Ludwig, Mrs. James Metcalf, Mrs. Eula Gunther, Mrs. Thomas Neill, and Mrs. Richard Blankenburg; Entertainment, Mrs. George Herzog and Mrs. E. H. Cobb; dining room, Mrs. Herbert Cockayne, Mrs. Walter Draycott, Mrs. Henry Trouton, Mrs. Otto Preusse, Mrs. Bernard Wood, Mrs. Walter Kellner, and Mrs. Harry Roy.

**Funeral of Henry Bush Wednesday**  
The funeral of Henry Bush, who was found hanging from a rafter in a shed in the rear of his home on Mountain street on Monday morning, will be held from the Lucia Memorial Chapel on Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Rev. George S. Brooks, pastor of the Union Congregational Church will officiate. Burial will be in the family plot at Grove Hill cemetery.

Mr. Bush had been dependant for the past few months, brooding over the death of his wife, which occurred about a year ago, from injuries received when she fell from the second story of their home on Mountain street.

**Every Mothers' Club Meeting**  
The Every Mothers' Club will meet on Wednesday evening, December 11, at 7:30 at the Baptist Church, when further plans will be discussed for the annual banquet which will be held at the Rockville house in January. Mrs. Herbert Shapers and Mrs. Lena Griffin will be in charge of making plans for the event will have a report at this time.

Mrs. Eugene Edwards and Mrs. Stephen VonEuw will have charge of the program at the meeting Wednesday night and Mrs. Elsie Chapman and Mrs. Elsie Beinbauer will act as hostesses.

**Rosalie Lodge Elects**  
Rosalie Lodge has elected the following officers for the ensuing year: president, Mrs. Emma Baer; vice president, Mrs. Robert Franz; secretary, Mrs. Martha Gerstenlauer. Refreshments and an entertainment followed the meeting.

**A Christmas social** will be held on Thursday evening, January 7, when each member is requested to bring a twenty-five cent gift. A supper will be served to all members following the social.

**Moose Whist Tonight**  
The Loyal Order of Moose will hold the second in a series of whists in the Home Club Rooms on Elm street this evening and the public is cordially invited to attend. Prizes will be awarded and refreshments will be served.

**Vernon Grange Meeting**  
Vernon Grange held its regular meeting Friday evening at Grange hall. Following the business meeting, a minstrel show was presented by the male members of the Grange, which proved very humorous. Delicious refreshments were served by the committee in charge. The next meeting will be followed by a Christmas social and all members are requested to bring a gift for the tree. There will be plenty of fun and all members are requested to be present.

**Glee Club To Meet**  
Vernon Grange Glee Club will hold its regular meeting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Waltz of Wad street on Friday evening. All members should make an effort to be present as important matters will be discussed. Cards will be played during the evening and refreshments served by the host and hostess.

**Annual Christmas Program**  
The Annual Christmas program for the Union Church, Sunday School this year will be held on Monday before Christmas Day, December 23. The usual large crowd is expected, and an excellent concert will be enjoyed. Santa Claus will be present with gifts for all the children.

**Motion Picture Sunday**  
The famous motion picture "Livingston's Journey in Africa" which was actually produced in Africa over the route of Livingston's great journeys by M. A. Wetherall, who traveled close upon 25,000 miles to make the picture true to life, will be presented at Union Congregational Church on Sunday night, December 15 at 7 o'clock.

**Vernon Parent-Teacher's Meeting**  
The Vernon Parent-Teacher's Association will hold its regular monthly meeting at the Ogden Corner School on Wednesday evening at 7:30. Superintendent of Schools, H. O. Clough will speak on "Rural Schools" and Miss Margaret Dornheim will speak on "Child Health and Health." A musical program will also feature.

**Notes**  
Harry Backofen of Ward street is receiving treatment at the Rockville City hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rizzy of the Ogden Corner section are the proud parents of a nine pound daughter, born at the Rockville hospital on Sunday.

Ernest Suessmann and daughter Helen of Albany, N. Y., have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Suessmann of Ann street for a few days.

Mrs. Josephine Fairchilds of the Lavalette Shop has returned from several days visit with her daughter in Plainville.

The condition of Mrs. Iva O'Neill Sharp and Mrs. Lena Griffin who of East Main street, who is ill at the Hartford hospital, remains about the same. It is possible an operation for gallstones will be performed.

Walter Gerstenlauer is ill at the home of his parents on Ward street.

## JUNKERS SUES FORD

Dessau, Germany, Dec. 10.—The Junkers management today indicated that it would take legal proceedings against the Ford Airplane Company for the alleged infringement of all metal airplanes.

Controversy over the patents came to a head with the arrival of a Ford all metal airplane at Seville for the Compania Lineas Areas Subbencionadas. The German company took action to obtain an injunction as soon as this plane reached a Spanish port and it was learned here from Seville that the Spanish court there had placed an interim embargo on the plane.

"So long as Ford did not export planes of this type, we refrained for reasons of expediency from taking legal proceedings," said a statement issued by the Junkers management today, "but now that it has become clear Ford intends to push the sale of this type in Europe, we are compelled to change our attitude."

## WAPPING

Mrs. Arthur E. Sharp, Miss Harriet Sharp and George C. Sharp, all motored to Brooklyn, New York, last week, where they were guests of relatives and friends. They returned to their home here Saturday afternoon.

A son Charles Gorgensen, Jr., was born recently at the St. Francis hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Charles J. Gorgensen of South Windsor.

Miss Margaret Carney who is convalescing after a severe attack of the grip is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur E. Sharp. She comes from Brooklyn, New York.

Albert Lober of South Windsor has returned from a hunting trip in Vermont recently. He reported that deer were scarce there.

The next meeting of the Wednesday Afternoon Club will be held December 18 at the home of Mrs. Jean E. Shepard of South Windsor.

The Federated church choir will hold their rehearsal at the parsonage next Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

## COMPOSER ARRIVES

Naples, Dec. 10.—(AP)—Arturo Toscanini, noted Italian conductor, arrived here today from the United States aboard the steamship Augustus. He will spend a few days at Sorrento.

## APPEAL OF DR. SNOOKS IS UP TODAY IN COURT

Columbus, Ohio, Dec. 10.—(AP)—The appeal of Dr. James Howard Snook former Ohio State University veterinary professor, to set aside his recent conviction of the murder of Theora K. Hix, his co-ed mistress, was up before the state Supreme Court for argument today.

The move involved a two-way appeal planned by Dr. Snook's attorneys to escape the death sentence scheduled to be carried out at the state penitentiary Dec. 20.

The first of two defense motions seeks the right for a review before the state Supreme Court on the allegation that Dr. Snook did not have a fair trial and that the Appellate Court erred in not granting a reversal.

The second motion opens the way for an appeal to the Supreme Court of the United States in the event that all hope is lost in the state courts. This is for a petition in error filed as of right, which says Dr. Snook was denied his constitutional rights by failure to grant him a fair trial.

## SURE WAY TO STOP NIGHT COUGHS

Famous Prescription Brings Almost Instant Relief

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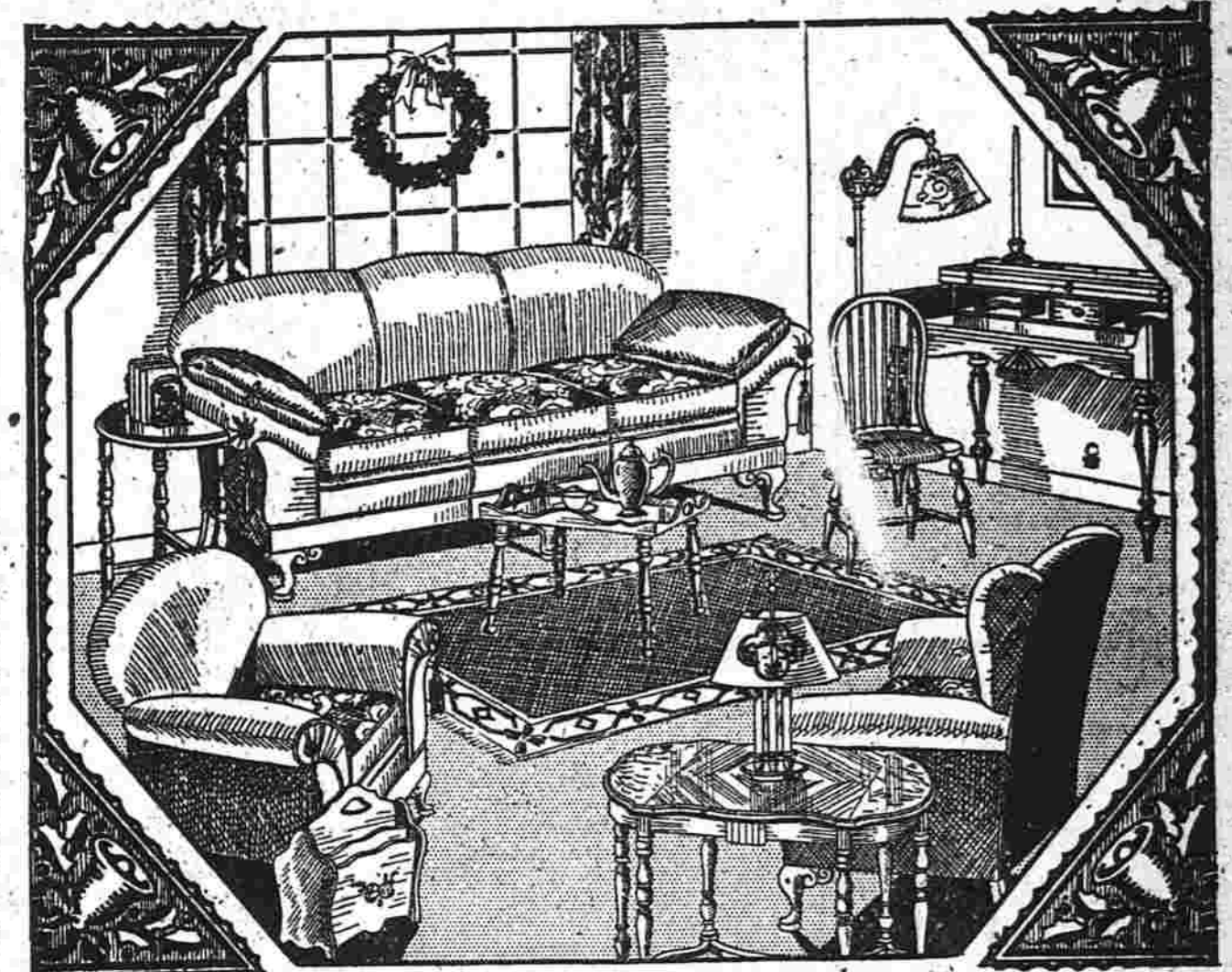


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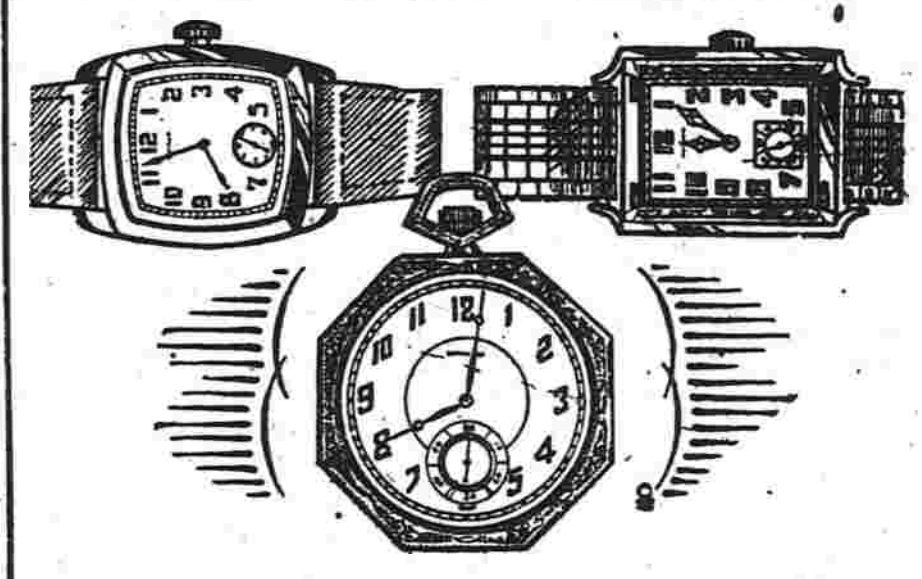
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# Chrysler Red Heads Of Bridgeport Here Tonight

## Night Hawks 2 Points Up As First Round Is Ended

Increase Lean Margin Another Notch as Majors Are Held Even by West Sides; Sasila Has Big Night Hitting 414; How They Stand.

The Night Hawks enjoy a two point lead at the end of the first round of the Herald Bowling League which came last night. The Majors were only one point behind them but dropped another notch last night due to stiff opposition from the West Sides. Two more rounds will conclude the league.

Team	W.	L.	P.
Night Hawks	20	7	28
Majors	19	8	26
Centers	18	8	25
Charter Oaks	16	11	21
Brit. Amer.	14	13	18
West Side	12	12	18
Pirates	10	17	13
Construction	10	17	12
Herald	8	19	8
Shell Gas	5	22	5

League Record	W.	L.	P.
High Single: Werlosky, 169.			
Three String: Werlosky, 425.			
Team Single: Majors, Charter Oaks, next week's matches.			
Team total: Charter Oaks, 1819.			
At Bronke's:			
Charter Oaks vs. West Sides.			
Centers vs. Brit. Americans.			
At Farr's:			
Pirates vs. Night Hawks.			
Majors vs. Herald.			
At Conran's:			
Shell Gas vs. Construction.			

Team	W.	L.	P.
Charter Oaks (4)			
E. Wilkie	100	123	124-347
F. Anderson	110	138	139-387
Giorgetti	136	123	100-359
A. Anderson	115	101	113-329
461 485 476 1422			
Shell Gas (0)			
Frehelt	96	139	90-325
Jackmore	110	92	86-288
Field	102	94	110-306
Mazzoli	102	94	100-296
410 429 396 1212			
Herald (1)			
Stobie	97	110	86-293
Ellington	96	97	89-282
LaForge	103	105	115-323
Cervini	96	111	103-310
Fertin	90	100	180
Glammon	96	96	96
482 519 493 1494			
Man. Construction (3)			
Rogers	117	117	103-337
Chase	82	88	109-279
E. Knotha	105	116	115-336
Stevenson	118	87	124-329
Borowski	92	104	86-282
514 512 537 1563			
West Sides (2)			
Schubert	87	107	84-278
Petke	133	124	99-356
Sad	113	114	109-336
Emillio	97	103	108-326
Chnade	121	122	132-375
551 590 530 1671			
Majors (2)			
Werlosky	136	94	101-331
O'Bright	104	99	97-309
Chartier	92	83	106-291
Conran	116	116	123-357
Kebart	114	101	124-339
562 505 551 1618			
British Americans (1)			
McAdams	106	108	107-321
Morrison	124	104	119-350
Metcalf	119	102	112-333
Wilson	106	101	116-323
Cole	110	101	98-309
568 516 552 1626			
Night Hawks (3)			
Murphy	127	107	100-334
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THANKS NEW ZEALANDERS Wellington, New Zealand, Dec. 10 (AP)—In a message replying to the congratulatory message of Premier Sir Joseph Ward, Commander Byrd today said the assistance of the government and people of New Zealand was most important contribution to the success of his Antarctic expedition.

## SCOTT'S VICTORY OVER VON PORAT UNSATISFACTORY

Shufflin Phil Wins on a Foul In Second Round Dempsey Decides and Fans Hoot Disapproval.

New York, Dec. 10.—(AP)—Phil Scott, the gangling British heavyweight champion today was the possessor of a ring decision that proved nothing much of anything. Shufflin Phil with an agonized lunge that seemed prompted somewhat by second thought fell to the canvas in the second round of his bout with the black-thatched Norwegian, Otto Von Porat last night, after being hit low by a left hook. Scott was awarded the verdict on a foul to the accompaniment of a tremendous roar of disapproval from the crowd. Thus what was to have been the star 12-round attraction of the much bally-hooed Christmas Fund show, the heavyweight battle to help determine a logical opponent for Jack Sharkey in a final championship test, came to a sudden, inconclusive and thoroughly unsatisfactory finish.

## No More Punk Fighters For Me Declares Shires

Chicago, Dec. 10.—(AP)—Victorious in his first professional boxing bout, Charles Arthur (The Great) Shires wants Gene Tunney next. Shires made his blow at the White City arena last night and spent just 21 seconds of his first fight for profit, in laying low dangerous Dan Daly, a Cleveland youth who also was making his initial appearance as a heavyweight.

## DeMOLAY HOOPSTERS IN ACTION TONIGHT

The DeMolay basketball team will play the Howitzer company at the Armory tonight at 8:45 o'clock. The DeMolay will hold a special meeting before the game and all members are urged to be present. Wednesday evening at 8:30 they will play their second game in the State league when they meet the DeMolay boys from West Haven at the West Side Rec.

## LOCALS VICTORIOUS

Team	W.	L.	P.
Phantoms (14)			
B. Brown, rf	3	1	7
Novay, lf	0	0	0
Brown, c	2	0	4
Smith, lg	0	0	0
Trumbull, rg	1	1	3
6	2	14	
Community Club (22)			
DeHope, lf	1	0	2
J. Mikoleit, rf	4	0	8
Custer, c	1	0	2
Nelson, rg	0	0	0
Kampanik, lg	0	0	0
Northrop, lg	0	0	0
C. Mikoleit, c	3	0	6
Coleman, rg	1	0	2
Bars, lf	1	0	2
11	0	22	

## MAJORS DEFEATED

Team	W.	L.	P.
O'Bright	96	97	
Werlosky	87	95	
Chartier	137	113	
Conran	117	107	
Kebart	104	98	
541	510		
Night Hawks			
Murphy	83	114	
Orenstein	104	103	
Gado	117	94	
Saldella	158	128	
Sasila	111	134	
573	573		

## SCORING STAR IS CO-CAPTAIN

Charles "Stretch" Murphy, Purdue the All-American center, who broke the Western Conference basketball scoring record last year with 143 points in 12 games, is co-captain of the Bollemaaker five this year with Glenn Harneson.

## MAJORS TO SPLIT MONEY FOR FIRST TIME IN HISTORY

Have About \$800 Profit from Football Season; Cubs May Not Get Even That Much.

Although the members of the town champion Cubs are plainly worried over their present financial status regarding whether or not there will be enough money left to insure a respectable split, word comes from the north end that for the first time in the history of football in that section of the town, the players are to receive a split.

## POOL PROVES POPULAR

Despite occasional spells of chilly weather, the new University of Florida swimming pool, open from 2 until 6 p. m., is hot daily to large turnouts of students.

## FOOTBALL CARRIED BURDEN

Football paid the way for other sports at Penn State during the year 1928-29, the Athletic Association bulletin reveals. There was a net profit of \$45,905.66, while other sports showed deficits.

## Seven Games For Rec Quintets During Week

Park City Five Holds Win Over Branford Which Swamped Locals; Burns Brothers and Jepson Star Players; Red Head Lassies in Preliminary.

Undismayed by the trouncing it received the other night in Branford, the Rec Five basketball team will attempt to return to the winning side of the ledger tonight when the strong Chrysler Red Heads of Bridgeport come here in search of another victim.

In the preliminary tussle the Rec Girls will tackle the Red Head Lassies from Bridgeport. The first game will start at 7:45 and the second at 8:45. Wallace Nelson, a Manchester young man who has come along nicely in the officiating art, will handle both games. Dancing will follow the main encounter.

The Bridgeport team holds a victory over the Branford Tanks, a team that trounced the Rec 48 to 10 last Saturday night so it may be easily seen that the local outfit cannot afford to do any loafing this evening. The Burns brothers, Mello and Joe, Notre Dame and Holy Cross respectively, will play forward for the visitors with Jepson, former Trinity player at center. The guards will be Messerole of the Bridgeport Kaceys, Risberg of Carmel Prep and Skerrit of Central High with Carletti and Tarsavage in reserve.



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	\$32.50 VALUES	NOW \$25.50

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# GLENNEY'S



### ADMITS MURDER OF BOOTLEGGER

Newark, N. J., Dec. 10.—(AP)—John Russo, 20, confessed today, police said, that he shot and killed Joseph Ross, 28, last Wednesday night in a quarrel over two liquor profits, and because "if I didn't get him first he'd have got me."

The alleged confession was obtained by Detective Captain Sebald after a night of questioning. It dovetails in all its main points to the story told yesterday by Frank Nappi, said to have been Russo's boss in the bootlegging gang. Nappi was shot in the leg by Ross last June after a similar quarrel. Russo's story was that he was afraid that Ross would "get him" and Nappi both since they had cut him out of the liquor profits.

### EX-KAISER IS TOASTED AT BANQUET IN BERLIN

Berlin, Dec. 10.—(AP)—Hochs for the Kaiser resounded at a banquet given last night by old war comrades to Field Marshal Mackensen, veteran German soldier on the occasion of his eightieth birthday. Last night's banquet, which had all the military pomp of past days, was attended by the former crown prince in the full uniform of the Black Hussars and his brothers, Hitel, August and Oscar, as well as brilliantly uniformed generals from the former Kaiser's army. The hall was decorated with the imperial colors and rang with hoos for the Kaiser, called by Admiral von Schroeder. Field Marshal Mackensen, wearing the uniform of the Death Head Hussars and numerous orders thanked the company for the cheers for their "noble Kaiser and King" which he said had given the meeting due consecration. "We do not belong to those ungrateful ones who forget what the Kaiser has done for the Army and the Fatherland's prestige," he said. "He was our best comrade, the World War is not yet ended. The struggle for Germany's future continues. I hope to witness the beginning of the Fatherland's resurgence, although I cannot expect to live to see its consummation."

### STATE SERVICE STATION TO OPEN TOMORROW

Tomorrow marks the opening of the State Service Station on Main street opposite the State Theater Building. The business will be conducted by John Fitzgerald and Michael G. Gorman. Both men are very well known locally. They will handle Tydol, Socony and Cities Service products. They have a very convenient location and should prove to be a very popular place of business.

### CROSS FLOW RADIATOR INSURES CIRCULATION

Observation of the numerous cars in use at this season of the year reveals that many of them steam excessively on snappy mornings, and, throughout the day for that matter, in many instances this is due to faulty circulation and circulation is of course dependent upon design for there must be free passage of the water or other cooling medium.

In the opinion of the Oakland and Pontiac engineers this fault could easily be remedied and they proceed to prove it in the so-called cross flow radiator which is a most satisfactory type all of which has been amply demonstrated in both Oakland and Pontiac six cylinder cars, working under the hardest winter conditions. The cross flow radiator employs a cross flow of water or other cooling medium as the name implies, in contradistinction to the conventional type of radiator with the vertical flow. Furthermore the design of the Oakland and Pontiac radiators is such that there is very little if any loss through condensation the steam being condensed and returned to the tanks built into the radiator. Clogged circulation is one of the meanest propositions in connection with car use and is often baffling. But in the Oakland and Pontiac it has been obviated through the use of the cross flow radiator. The ability of this type of radiator to condense actually means economy in the use of such non freezing agents as alcohol which boils at a much lower temperature than water. This feature of the Oakland and Pontiac has been widely commended by owners of these cars.

### TOLLAND

Mrs. Lucy Sparrow of West Willington and Everett P. Robertson of Tolland were married Wednesday, Nov. 27, in Hartford by the Rev. John F. Johnstone. They will make their home in West Willington. A very enjoyable birthday party was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Emery Clough, Dec. 4, in honor of their son Warren's tenth birthday. Ten of Warren's little friends were present to take part in the games and festivities. Refreshments were served suitable to the occasion. Warren was given several gifts. Rev. William C. Darby preached a very inspiring and helpful sermon from Acts second, the twelfth and twenty-second verses, at the Sunday morning service at the Federated church.

George Luce has returned to Colbrook, Conn., after a short visit at the home of his grandparents Mr. and Mrs. George P. Charter in Skungamug district. Richard Morganson, son of Mr. and Arthur Morganson, entertained at his birthday party Saturday ten of his young friends, who were present to help him enjoy his tenth birthday. The time passed with games, refreshments and many presents from his little friends in loving remembrance. A special meeting of Tolland Grange will be held Tuesday evening in the Federated church parlors, when East Windsor and Stafford Granges are expected to furnish the evening program.

Mr. Kavalevitch had the misfortune to lose his cow last week. The Red Cross membership drive is now on for Tolland and it is hoped the same interest in this good work will be manifested as in former years. The Ladies Aid Society will serve their regular monthly supper in the Federated church dining rooms Friday evening. The supper committee are Mrs. Marion Maker, Mrs. Samuel Simpson, Mrs. Howard Ayers. In connection with the supper there

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### JEWISH FARMERS TO GET PRIZES

More than a score of Connecticut farmers will be honored on December 15 when the prizes offered in a nation-wide contest conducted by The Jewish Agricultural Society will be presented to the winners at the Bond Hotel in Hartford. This is the second year of this unique contest, the purpose of which is to discover and honor those farmers of the Jewish Faith who have made outstanding contributions to the agricultural and rural interests of the country and nearly one-third of the prize winners are Connecticut farmers or their wives or children. The occasion will be marked by the address of Dr. George Alan Works the newly inaugurated president of the Connecticut Agricultural College and Gabriel Davidson, general manager of the Jewish Agricultural Society, Inc., under whose auspices the meeting is being conducted and by whose extension agent, Samuel Kostolofsky of Rockville, the details of the affair are being arranged.

Richard P. Koppelman, newly appointed member of the District Commission, recently created by Governor Trumbull, will act as chairman of the meeting and will be introduced by Benjamin C. Stone, extension director of the Jewish Agricultural Society. The Hartford Chamber of Commerce through its convention bureau under the direction of Willard B. Rogers has made arrangements with those in charge of the meeting for the affair to be held in the Egyptian room of the Hotel Bond, on Sunday afternoon, December 15, at 2 o'clock. Invitations are being sent out to several hundred farmers in the state and it is expected that some of the leading Jewish farmers in the state will be present at this meeting to help honor those of their neighbors who have won prizes.

### OLD EVANGELIST DIES

Rockland, Maine, Dec. 10.—(AP)—The author of "Throw Out the Life Line", Rev. Edward S. Ufford who composed the hymn while a young evangelist and lived to hear it sung in a score of languages on a world tour several years ago, died at his home in Union yesterday. He was 78 years old. The hymn was written in half an hour while conducting services at Westwood, Mass., many years ago he said, on the thought that the youth of the day were slipping away from the influence of the church.

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the invitation, asking Viscount Saito to be the chief Japanese delegate. "I am a whole-hearted supporter of disarmament and I am proud of my mission." The Japanese delegation is en route to Washington to confer with officials of the American government before proceeding to London. More than half the population of Dutch Guiana is composed of native Indians.

### 17 KILLED IN CRASH

Brussels, Dec. 10.—(AP)—Seventeen persons were killed and 48 injured when a workman's train left the rails today at the entrance to the station at Namur. The train had left Brussels for Alon and was descending a steep incline when the brakes failed to act. The train rushed at great speed toward Namur station. Near where its engine left the rails the coaches piled on top. Help was immediately available. The wrecked coaches were lifted by electric cranes and the injured persons removed and taken to the hospital.

### MORE HONORS FOR MME. CURIE

Paris, Dec. 10.—(AP)—Excelsior said today that Madame Curie, discoverer of radium, would be raised shortly to the dignity of commander of the legion of honor. She will be the first woman upon whom this high rank of the order has been conferred.

### HAVE COLOR IN CHEEKS

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# The Avenging Parrot

By Anne Austin, author of "The Black Pigson," "Loyal Wives," etc.

## THIS HAS HAPPENED

MRS. EMMA HOGARTH, said to keep a money hoard in her room on the second floor of the RHODES' boarding house, is strangled to death. BONNIE DUNDEE, "cub" detective, assists POLICE LIEUT. STRAWN. EMIL SEVIER, former boarder whom Mrs. Hogarth accused of trying to rob her, is suspected.

CORA BARKER, theater pianist, thought to have had an affair with Sevier, is arrested as a material witness but is out on bail. Other boarders under suspicion are HENRY DOWD, NORMA PAIGE, WALTER STYLES, near bankrupt, who had quarreled with Mrs. Hogarth; BERT MAGNUS, amateur scenario writer, and DAISY SHEPHERD.

Dundee learns from papers in Mrs. Hogarth's trunk that the SALLY GRAVES who wrote her once a month was her daughter and that she lived in dread of Sally's husband, DAN GRIFFIN, sought for embezzlement. Recalling mysterious details of Sally's murder in New York, June 2, he concludes Griffin murdered both women and that he is or has been living in the Rhodes' house.

An old rail ticket envelope with Dowd's name showing he left New York June 3, increases suspicion against Dowd. Sevier, captured Tuesday night, admits intending to rob the old woman Saturday night, saying he climbed to her room, found her dead and Cora fumbling in her desk. Cora is found dead, strangled between one and two o'clock Wednesday morning, with her own braids. Sevier is accused of both crimes. Dundee, still believing Griffin guilty, gets samples of his handwriting from Belton, Mo., where he is wanted for theft.

## NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY

### CHAPTER XXXIX

The inquest into the death of Mrs. Emma Hogarth and of Cora Barker was being held in the small funeral parlor of the city morgue. Chairs had been placed upon every available foot of space, but only a fraction of the number which the men milling about the doors of the morgue since early morning had been able to obtain seats.

Around one large table sat Coroner Price and his jury of six citizens. Around another table representatives of the Hamilton newspapers—four men and three women feature writers. At one end of the press table was a well-known staff writer from the most sensational Chicago paper—slightly bored and slightly bored. His published account of the proceedings, however, bore not the faintest trace of ennui.

Side by side, behind the corner's table, were two sheeted stretchers, one bearing a tawny but, the other a burden so slight that the sheet was scarcely raised from the thin mattress.

In spite of the real grief which lay like a hot stone in his breast, Bonnie Dundee, novice detective, found himself becoming weary and even bored. He had been able to snatch less than two hours of fitful sleep after his interview with Lieutenant Strawn, but that brief nap had not the temerity to intrude his needs upon his audience as hostess when he descended the stairs an hour before it was time to leave for the inquest.

He had found Mrs. Rhodes in her bed-sitting room at her desk, her fine figure stiff upright in its evening corsets, but the hard-wringing tears of grief and despair plowing steadily down her haggard cheeks. At Dundee's sympathetic question she had answered, dully, heavily: "I never thought to see the day when my guests would be forced by fear of arrest to stay in a house of mine."

"Arrest?" Dundee echoed incredulously. "Yes, arrest!" Mr. Rhodes retorted bitterly. "That Lieutenant Strawn of yours called all the folks together in the parlor after lunch and told them they were to stay here until he gave them the word they could leave. Said if anybody tried to leave he'd put him or her under arrest as a material witness. Nearly scared 'em to death, he did! Everybody knows if poor Cora hadn't been arrested as a material witness she wouldn't be dead now."

But even as Dundee sympathized and mentally deployed his chief's method of keeping all possible witnesses under one roof, he was grateful for the result. For he still had a stubborn conviction that the Hogarth case and the Cora Barker case would not be solved today. For an hour and a half now he had listened to the taking of testimony. Mrs. Rhodes had been called upon to identify both bodies, a shiver of ecstatic horror running through the morbid audience as the landlady bent first over one stretcher and then the other, as Coroner Price lifted the sheet to disclose the dead face beneath.

Witness after witness had been briefly but thoroughly questioned by Dr. Price, after he himself had given his own testimony as to the cause of death and the approximate time at which life had been snuffed out. Dundee had long since made a complete transcription of his own notes, taken from behind the screen in Mrs. Hogarth's room as the inmates of the Rhodes House had been questioned in the small hours of the morning following the first murder. With these notes in hand, supplemented by the record of the investigation made from young Brede's notes of Wednesday morning's inquiry by Sergeant Turner into Cora Barker's death, Coroner Price questioned his witnesses with a swiftness and precision which won Dundee's admiration. A Lieutenant Strawn had said: "Good man, Price!"

The young detective, still incognito, sat among the witnesses—all inmates of the Rhodes House except Dr. Weeks. The stories now tallied remarkably well with the stories told originally. Not even Henry Dowd varied his meager testimony, for at Dundee's request the coroner had not been

taken into the confidence of the police on the subject of Dowd's alias. And none but Sergeant Turner and Lieutenant Strawn knew that Henry Dowd had purchased a ticket in New York on June 2 for Chicago. For the murder of Sally Graves, and the relationship between the New York girl and the Hamilton women who had been murdered, were not to be touched upon at the inquest.

Dundee himself had been one of the first to be called before the coroner's jury, for it was he who had discovered Mrs. Hogarth's body. The fact that he, together with Detective Payne, had also discovered Cora Barker's murder, was skillfully omitted from Dr. Price's questioning of the young detective.

"And where were you between one and two o'clock this morning?" Dr. Price asked.

"Asleep in my room on the third floor of the Rhodes House," Dundee answered.

"And of your own knowledge can you throw any light whatever on the death of Cora Barker?" the coroner asked.

"I can't."

Dismissed, with his official connection still a secret, Dundee had returned to his seat between Norma Paige and Daisy Shepherd, and had listened to witness after witness with apparently no more acute interest than that of any other boarder in the Rhodes House.

One thing Dundee had confided to Coroner Price just before the inquest, however, and his weary boredom lifted when Daisy Shepherd was called to the witness chair.

When she had admitted, flushing deeply, that she had raided Mrs. Rhodes' kitchen on Saturday night, at the very time that Mrs. Hogarth was being strangled to death, Dr. Price asked suddenly:

"Are you acquainted with a man named Arthur B. Wheeler, Miss Shepherd?"

Daisy's broad, pleasant face went pale, and her lips jerked oddly as she retorted: "Of course I am. He was a boarder at the Rhodes House. All of us knew him—that is, all who were boarding there before he left."

"And that was on what date, Miss Shepherd?"

"I don't know," she blazed. Then, reconsidering, "I think it was early in June—about the third or fourth."

"Have you any reason, Miss Shepherd, to believe that the long distance call which came for you shortly after 12 o'clock last Saturday night was from Mr. Wheeler?"

Daisy retorted sullenly: "I don't know, the coroner reminded her. 'You knew Mr. Wheeler was in Chicago, didn't you?'"

"I—yes, I did! But I can't see what Arthur Wheeler—"

Dr. Price interrupted preemptorily, as he shuffled among the mass of papers before him. He selected a blue-tinted sheet of note paper and an empty envelope, both of which Dundee had given him. Presenting the unfinished note to the witness, he asked courteously:

"Do you recognize this, Miss Shepherd?"

Daisy's hands trembled as she stared at the sheet of blue note-paper. "I don't know where you got this or how anybody has in my things, but—sure I recognize it! It's a letter I started to write to Arthur Wheeler and didn't finish."

"What you had written, Miss Shepherd?"

"I don't see why I should!" Daisy cried angrily. "It has nothing to do with the murders. Oh, all right! It says: 'The Rhodes House, Sunday, June 22. I have asked you repeatedly not to bother me. I have no intention of doing what you ask and it will be useless to call me or write me again.'"

"Thank you, Miss Shepherd. Now will you please read it out loud?"

"What you wrote as you did, and what request Mr. Wheeler had made of you?"

Daisy obviously fought with an impulse to tell him that it was impulsive of his business or the jury's but she finally answered, defiantly: "Arthur Wheeler had been pestering me for weeks to put my savings into an invention he was all worked up over. Said he would give me a half interest in it if I worked too hard for my money to waste it on some silly invention I couldn't even understand."

"What was the invention, Miss Shepherd?" the coroner interrupted.

"Some gadget to go on a sewing machine," Daisy answered sullenly. "I didn't pay enough attention to his harping on it to understand just what it was supposed to do. All I know is he made up a model of it and tried it out on Mrs. Rhodes' machine, and he needed more money to get it patented and to try to market it."

"Do you know what became of this model, Miss Shepherd?"

"Well, of all the nerve!" Daisy ejaculated, with righteous indignation. "Yes, it is, if you must know, but I tore the letter up. He wrote me that he was down to his last dollar, and begged me to change my mind about putting my savings

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Now I have no interest in any hotel, and whether they rent more rooms in 1930 than they did in 1929 will mean little or nothing to me. But I think this is a swell idea of Babson's—so good it ought to be broadcast over all the fancy colored networks of this land every few days.

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The tendency of the modern woman is to talk over her troubles with whoever happens to be handy, or to run to call Mrs. Jones on the telephone, if she happens to be alone, rather than work out problems for herself.

And if there is anything that we women of this generation need it is the calmness, the relaxation, and the sense of strength that comes from solitude and quietness, is getting away from people and from clutter and bang, from canned ideas and canned music, and becoming acquainted with ourselves.

Try all for walking out on your troubles, frequently when they become too complicated, and gaining the perspective and the sense of values that only solitude can give.

Solitude is not merely being alone. We might say it is being alone and liking it. Being alone and not feeling you ought to be with people, or ought to be producing, or doing something useful. Just being alone with your thoughts and being yourself.

The housekeeper may find it impractical to hire a hotel room for her solitude, but there is nothing to prevent her walking out the front door occasionally, even if she or ironing rolled up in the basket, and sitting quietly for an hour in the park, or in a quiet church, or any place she likes so long as she is away from people she knows.

Try Solitude

While this is not the season for it, I must suggest that if you can betake yourself to a secluded spot where you can watch the ocean or a river, the situation is all to the good, because the monotonous hum and the calm, assured way in which natural forces go their way is very relaxing and reassuring. They don't hurry or get excited, except in the case of a storm, and you get out of the way at such times, and pretty soon you wonder why you should.

Every woman should have a certain amount of time, which is her own, which she doesn't have to account for, or do anything useful in, when she is alone just meditating and have her spiritual growth. If she can't get it any other way, try the hotel room. It's a great idea.

RESPIRATORY DISEASES CAUSE MOST ABSENCES FROM SCHOOL

BY DR. MORRIS FISHBEN  
Editor Journal of the American Medical Association, the Health Magazine

Modern methods of school inspection and of the surveying of health of school children have offered opportunities for new knowledge regarding the illness of children.

From 1920 to 1928 the authorities responsible for the elementary school of the University of Chicago kept careful records of the reasons for the absence of 400 children. After an absence the child was examined by the school physician before it was re-admitted.

When the figures are studied it is found that respiratory diseases including the common cold, coughs, laryngitis, and bronchitis are responsible for more absences than any other causes combined. It is interesting to realize that practically the same condition obtains among adults in industries. Among the children the respiratory diseases comprised from 46.5 to 67.5 per cent of the total cases of illness. They also caused more days of absence than all the other groups together.

During the years 1927-1928 some four hundred and forty children were enrolled in the elementary school. Among them there were 1394 cases of respiratory disease, an average of three cases for the year for each child in the school. For the whole period of eight years, according to Dr. Charles C. Evans, the respiratory diseases caused an annual loss of from three to six per cent of the total possible days of attendance.

Obviously one of the most important points of attack on all illness and particularly on illness causing absence from school is the

attack on respiratory diseases. Unfortunately we have no specific method of preventing these conditions other than preventing contacts between the children, and this itself is practically an impossibility. Hence we try to minimize the danger of coughing, spitting, and sneezing and methods of spreading infection from one child to another.

As might have been expected, the communicable diseases of childhood such as influenza, chickenpox, measles, mumps, scarlet fever, pneumonia and diphtheria caused the next largest number of absences. Especially significant is the fact that the infectious diseases most prevalent in the school were those also most prevalent throughout the city except for diphtheria, of which there was only one case during the entire eight-year period although there were numerous cases through the city.

The authorities explain this by the fact that carriers were promptly eliminated, children who had contact with cases outside of school were controlled, and the Schick test and toxin-antitoxin for the prevention of diphtheria were extensively employed.

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Washington, Dec. 10.—(AP)—The first legal attack on the validity of the Davis equalization amendment to the radio law, involving the fight of six stations for the same wavelength, is to be threshed out in the court of appeals of the District of Columbia.

About New York

By RICHARD MASSOCK. New York—Before December 25 a lot of people are going to get cars wishing them Joyeux Noel. Numerous New Yorkers consider it a mark of chic sophistication to employ French in public, particularly when it is apt to impress acquaintances.

Building Try-Outs.

It was noted recently that the shaded brick of the new Western Union building, graduated from a deep red at the base to a light salmon at the top, was first tested in a small pier erected on the site while the old building was being torn down.

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This Fellow Wants To Tell You How Much HELP The Christmas Shopping Guide Really Is

He made his list up from the suggestions offered in THE GUIDE which appears on THE CLASSIFIED PAGE Turn Over Now!

THE NATIONAL BOARD OF FIRE UNDERWRITERS 85 John Street, New York

WTIC PROGRAMS

Travelers, Hartford 500 m. 600 K. C. Program for Tuesday Eastern Standard Time 4:20 p. m. News.

Hoffman; Oriental Dance, Herbert; How Can I Know? Robbins. NY: 7:00, Amos 'n' Andy.

Saw Me; Ill Be With You When Broom Again; Good-bye, Dolly Gray; I Belong to the Government Now; Too much Mustard.

TALCOTTVILLE The Vernon-Dobsonville Parent Teachers Association will hold its regular monthly meeting at the Ogden's Corner Schoolhouse on Wednesday evening, Dec. 11th at 7:30 o'clock.

Where TONE QUALITY originates. RUMMINGHAM RADIO TUBES. The Next Time You Have Radio Trouble Try WM. E. KRAH FOR EXPERT RADIO SERVICE

STUDENTS IN RIOTS Tokyo, Dec. 10.—(AP)—Dispatches to the vernacular papers here today said that more than 900 Korean students were arrested at Seoul today following riots that necessitated mobilization of the entire Seoul police force.

WTIC PROGRAMS

MUSIQUE INTIME, 5 P. M. Christiana Kreins, musical director of Station WTIC, and Fritz Kreisler, have much in common. Both are well known European violinists and composers.

ERRORGRAMS. JANE, PLEASE BRING THE BAKING SODA FOR THE PIE CRUST. There are at least four mistakes in the above picture. They may pertain to grammar, history, etiquette, drawing or whatnot.

ARCURUS RADIO TUBES. World's Record for Long Life. Ask Your Dealer. FOR RADIO SERVICE PHONE 8160

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CHRISTMAS SHOPPING GUIDE

100—GIFTS FOR HER

THE CHRISTMAS CLUB

Prepares the way for Christmas next year. Our club opens Dec. 9.

THE MANCHESTER TRUST CO.

WE ARE SHOWING a fine new line of pendants in all the various colors at a wide range of prices.

YOU CAN AFFORD to give her a wrist watch, toilet set, ring or cameo if you will "Trade Upstair and Save Money."

FOR HER—New folding Kodaks in pastel shades. A year "round" gift that is new and different.

A HOLIDAY BOX of our home made chocolates or Apollo Perry's will make just the gift for "her."

IMPORTED BOXED handkerchiefs 25c to \$1.95. Hosiery, scarfs, pocketbooks, purses and novelties.

LINGERIE—The smartest gift, step-ins, dance sets, chemises, slips, gowns, pajamas of crepe de chine of finest quality.

NOVELTY HAND-MADE handkerchiefs, novelty hand-embroidered towels, Sylvia's Specialty Shop.

SILK HOSIERY—The ideal gift. Inexpensive and always welcome. Full fashioned, perfect.

WINTER PHARMACY, 903 Main Street, Phone 571. Practical Xmas gifts, stationery, chocolates, fancy pen and writing paper, perfumes, etc.

PERFUMES—Will be her favorite gift. Selection of Coty, Guerlain and others. Packard's Pharmacy.

WATCHES and jewelry. Small elegant will hold any article until Christmas. A fine selection at Wicks, 852 Main street, next to post office.

FRAMES—For that picture or photograph make an excellent gift. A wide choice of mountings. A choice selection of framed pictures. Olson's, 639 Main.

PURE DELICIOUS Home made candies. Large selection of boxed chocolates. Ideal Xmas gifts obtainable only at the South Manchester Candy Kitchen, next to Gueney's.

GIFTS THAT WILL Surely please her obtainable at Naven's. Silk stockings, best shades, bouclir slippers, dress and sport shoes in styles that have individuality.

TRY OUR SATURDAY specials in candy and lunches. The Center Spine—Opposite the Masonic Temple—Candies, soda, ice cream, luncheon.

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101—GIFTS FOR HIM

FOR HIM—Toilet sets—Mennen's, Williams, Klauz. A practical suggestion for him at \$1.00. Quinn's Pharmacy, 873 Main.

HEADQUARTERS for Elgin "Legionnaires" and Modernistic wrist watches for women \$19 to \$125. Other appropriate "Gifts That Last." Jaffe's, 891 Main street.

MEN'S TRAVELING sets in leather cases nicely fitted up and having a place for "his" own safety razor are priced at \$7.75 and up are being shown at The Dewey-Richman Store.

BILLFOLDS fitted for old and new size money. Ostrich and Calfskin. HULTMAN'S Men's and Boys' Outfitters

GRUEN WRIST watches, new billfolds, mottos, cigarette lighters, rings, leather goods. You'll find an appropriate gift for "him" at Bray's, 645 Main street.

BELTS, HANDKERCHIEFS, ties, socks, jackets and sweaters for boys, neckties in holiday boxes. Practical gifts to wear. Hyman's Men's Store, 695 Main street.

TOO BAD—Another offering from the "gift shoppe" and he's still trying to use the one he got last year. Why not play safe? Buy at G. H. Williams.

SPEER AND TURKINGTON—At the Center—Just what men like—Milano and BBB pipes. All makes of cigars, "garettes" and tobaccos. Whitman and Apollo chocolates.

THE CHRISTMAS CLUB—Will simplify the problem of your Christmas shopping. Start one now and be prepared for next year. Club opens Thursday evening, Dec. 5. The Home Bank & Trust Co.

MEN APPRECIATE NECKWEAR and they like a good assortment to choose from. An unexcelled showing will be found at C. E. House & Son, Inc.

SYMINGTON'S At The Center—Inworn hose, Hawsen gloves, Cheney neckwear, travel jackets, bath robes, pajamas, mufflers, Hickoi belts and buckles, ladies' umbrellas. Fancy handkerchief.

PRACTICAL XMAS GIFTS for all. Hosiery for every member of the family, boys' and men's shirts, belts, sweaters, leather jackets, neckwear. A. L. Brown & Co. Depot Square.

THE LARGEST SELECTION of mens silk and Beaton blanket bath robes will be offered. These make wonderful Xmas gifts, \$5 to \$15. Glenny's.

XMAS PACKAGES of cigars, cigarettes or jars of tobacco are always welcomed gifts for him which she will most assuredly enjoy. A fancy holiday package of chocolates. Shoppers will enjoy a lunch at Murphy's Restaurant.

102—GIFTS FOR BOYS Snow Suits \$13.45 Zipper Suits, \$9.95 HULTMAN'S Men's and Boys' Outfitters

104—GIFTS FOR THE FAMILY. HOWARD—A radio of distinction, 9 tubes, the new 1930 screen-grid receiver, dynamic speaker. All models delivered from A gift to be proud of. Paul Hillery, Inc., State Theater Bldg.

GIFTS THAT ALWAYS Please—Boxed chocolates in holiday wrapping, Christmas candy, fancy baskets of fruit, Xmas packages of cigars, cigarettes and tobacco. Selection of pipes and smoking supplies. Farr Bros.

A MAGAZINE Subscription makes a wonderful all-year gift to the family. Cigars, cigarettes, tobacco, all in Christmas packings and humidor. We specialize in pipes and smokers articles. Metters Smoke Shop.

FORD—A gift the whole family will enjoy the year 'round. All models delivered from A gift to be proud of. Paul Hillery, Inc., State Theater Bldg.

RADIOS—Stenite, Grebe, Radiola, Eosche and Colonial. All models. Make it a Radio Christmas. Get yours from Radio Headquarters, Hess, 855 Main street.

FOR SEVEN YEARS people have been giving Barstow's Radio for Xmas gifts. Barstow's Radio Shop, 20 Bissell street.

THE GREATEST BUICK of them all. What could be better for Christmas? Or Marquette built by Buick. Buick-Marquette Agency, Main and Middle Turnpike.

GIFT SUGGESTIONS—From the Conran Shoppe, Depot Square. Page and Shaw chocolates, the famous "Nut House" salted nuts. Home made pies; order, early.

GIVE A CROSLLEY Console screen-grid radio and make the whole family happy the year around. Other models and makes. Watkins Furniture Exchange.

A BEAUTIFUL Chevrolet Six—a wonderful gift which can be paid for by the month. Will please everyone. The Mackley Chevrolet Co., 527 Main.

104—GIFTS FOR THE FAMILY.

HANDKERCHIEFS for everybody, boxed and single. Pure linen, hand embroidered, 3 in box 50c and up. Single handkerchiefs 10c to \$1. The Ladies Shop, 649 Main.

LET FLOWERS SOLVE that perplexing question—"What shall I give?" Everyone likes flowers so you can be sure they will be appreciated. Park Hill Flower Shop.

A DODGE CAR—will make a wonderful gift. It can be enjoyed by the entire family every day of the year. Schaller Motor Sales, Center street.

MARLOW'S—THE STORE of a thousand gift ideas. Your Xmas dollars go further at Marlow's.

105—GIFTS FOR THE HOME.

A BUNGALOW RANGE—Imagine mothers thrill on awakening Xmas morn and finding one of these modern ranges completely installed. By joining Keith's Xmas Club you need only make a small deposit and pay the balance within a year.

VERY NEW—A hand-blocked Indian print bedspread and possibly a Numda rug, made in India, for the floor. See them! The Textile Store.

FREED RADIO—A wonderful machine that will make everyone happy Christmas morning. Let us demonstrate and give you prices. The Manchester Plumbing and Supply Co., 877 Main.

FLOOR LAMPS—Make ideal Xmas gifts. Select yours on the Christmas Club Plan. Only \$1 to \$2 weekly at cash prices. Watkins Brothers, Inc.

MAY WE SUGGEST that this year you give gifts that are different. Art pieces that enrich the home, such as: plaques, screens, chests, candlesticks, clocks, lamps and novelties. Lamps decorated or wired. The DeNeville Studio, Room 10, 983 Main street, across from The Elite Studio. Trade upstairs and save money.

THE MANCHESTER ELECTRIC Co.—The home of electric appliances. Suggestive gifts for Xmas, toaster, percolator, waffle maker, heater, corn popper, vacuum cleaner, heating pad, flat iron, dish washer, washing machine, electric range, or refrigerator. All these gifts may be bought on the installment plan, with a liberal down payment and a year small monthly payment. Take advantage of our Xmas offers.

GIVE HER A "SINGER" electric sewing machine this Christmas. Make sewing a pleasure. A dealer delivers one. Singer Sewing Machine Co., L. B. Ashland, Mgr., 647 Main.

ANTIQUES FOR CHRISTMAS—The unusual gift. V. Hedden at The Old Wood Shop, 15 Pitkin street. Dial 4498. Repairing and reupholstering.

A LASTING REMEMBRANCE—A chair lounge for her or a comfy chair for him. The Manchester Upholstering Co., 331 Center street. Tel. 6445.

106—DINNER AND DECORATIONS. WE WILL HAVE many new specials for the holiday trade. All goods made on the premises. Give our store a visit. Quality Bakery, 881 Main street.

COTTON GROWERS PARLEY Memphis, Tenn., Dec. 19.—(AP)—Representatives of cotton growers and co-operative associations in 15 states embracing the cotton producing area of the United States gathered here today with members of the Federal Farm Board to thresh out marketing problems and discuss plans for the possible creation of a centralized marketing corporation to co-ordinate marketing activities now being conducted by various states co-operative and growers associations.

The conference was called by the Federal Farm Board. It will be in session two days.

GAS BUGGIES—Big Hearted-Joe

BEFORE DISCUSSING THE SHORTAGE, I'D LIKE TO ASK DOC CALL A FEW QUESTIONS. DOCTOR, IF YOU HAD THESE MEDICAL SUPPLIES ARE YOU SURE YOU COULD FIX UP DICK'S BROKEN BACK?

ABSOLUTELY, MR. KELLY, IF I OPERATED RIGHT AWAY I'D HAVE HIM WALKING IN TWO WEEKS.

THAT'LL BE ABOUT CHRISTMAS. THEN LET'S MAKE IT A HAPPY DAY FOR THIS LITTLE GIRL BY GIVING BACK HER SWEETHEART. I'LL CONTRIBUTE THE \$200 MYSELF, PERSONALLY, TO MAKE UP THE SHORTAGE.

OH, MR. KELLY—HOW CAN I EVER THANK YOU FOR THIS KINDNESS?

LOOK AT HIM NECKIN' DAT CHERRY GAL RIGHT OUT IN PUBLIC.

CRIPES! HE DOC CAN'T SAVE DAT KID. HE AIN'T FORKIN' OVER DAT CASH! HE'S FIGURIN' ON GETTIN' DE GAL!

THE CITIZENS OF UTOPIA HELD A BENEFIT TO RAISE \$1,000 TO GET MEDICAL AID FOR DICK WILEY, AFTER PASSING THE HAT THE COLLECTION WAS \$200 SHORT OF THE MARK.

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CARD OF THANKS

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We wish to thank our neighbors and friends, for the expressions of sympathy, shown to us at the time of the death of our husband and father. MRS. JOHN DRAWBELL AND FAMILY.

LOST AND FOUND

LOST—PASS BOOK NO. 25715—Notice is hereby given that Pass Book No. 25715 issued by The Savings Bank of Manchester has been lost or destroyed, and written application has been made to said bank by the person in whose name such book was issued, for payment of the amount of deposit represented by said book, or for the issuance of a duplicate book therefor.

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LOST—FRIDAY night, between Barnard School and McKee street, pair tortoise shell glasses. Finder please telephone 4257.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

PHOTOGRAPHS FOR Christmas—Make appointments now for early sittings. Avoid last minute rush and disappointment. The New Studio, Dial 8383, 9 Johnson Terrace.

AUTOMOBILES FOR SALE

FOR SALE—DODGE 1925 4-Door Sedan. Small mileage, best condition, new tires. Reasonable. 910 Burnside Ave. Tel. 8-1278.

GOOD USED CARS

Cash or Terms. Madden Bros. 67 Main St. Tel. 5500

MUST BE SOLD AT ONCE. Real bargains: 1 Marmon 78 Conv. Coupe, 12,000 miles; 1 Marmon 78 Sedan, 3,000 miles. Both cars wire wheel equipment. Just like new. Call 3440.

10 GOOD USED CARS

Crawford Auto Supply Company Center & Trotter Streets Telephone 6495 and 8063

1925 DODGE SENIOR COUPE 1927 OAKLAND SEDAN Terms—Trades Considered BETTS GARAGE Hudson-Exness Dealer 129 Spruce

BUILDING CONTRACTING

CARPENTER WORK, porch and storm enclosures, alterations, repairs, roofing, and garages. T. Nielson, telephone 4823.

MOVING—TRUCKING—STORAGE

GENERAL TRUCKING—Equipped for light and heavy jobs, tobacco, hay, lumber, heavy freight, etc. Prompt service, reasonable rates. Frank V. Williams, Tel. 7997.

MERCHANDISE ordered by you today in New York, or to be sent to New York, picked up by us tonight and delivered the next morning via Manchester and New York Motor Dispatch. Daily service and reasonable rates. Call 3062, 8860 or 8864.

PERRETTI & GLENNEY—Express and freight service; local and long distance. Expert furniture moving. Service any time by calling 3063.

PROFESSIONAL SERVICES

PIANO TUNING

John Cockerham Tel. 4219 6 Orchard St.

REPAIRING

CHIMNEYS CLEANED and repaired, key fitting, safes opened, saw filing and grinding. Work called for. Harold Clemens, 103 North Elm street, Tel. 3648.

SEWING MACHINE repairing of all makes, oils, needles, and supplies. R. W. Garrard, 37 Edward street, Tel. 4301.

REPAIRING

VACUUM CLEANER, phonographs, clock, gun repairing, key fitting. Braithwaite, 52 Pearl street.

MATTRESSES, box springs, pillows and cushions made over, equal to new. 1 day service. Phone 6448 Manchester Upholstering Co. 331 Center street. Established since 1922.

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BARBER TRADE taught in day and evening classes. Low tuition rate. Vaughn Barber School, 14 Market street, Hartford.

HELP WANTED—MALE

SALESMEN TO SELL our high grade garden and field seed direct to planters. A good position with big income. Experience unnecessary. Cobb Co., Franklin, Mass.

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FOR SALE—SLAB and hard wood, sawed stove length, and under cover, also hickory wood for fire place. L. T. Wood, Dial 4496.

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GARDEN—LAWN—DAIRY PRODUCTS

FOR SALE—FRESH local eggs. Call 4602.

FOR SALE—BALDWIN apples, \$1.75 and \$2.25 per bushel \$5.00 and \$7.00 per barrel. Edgewood Fruit Farm, W. H. Cowles, telephone 5909.

HOUSEHOLD GOODS

FOR SALE—TWO REX gas heaters, dining room and other household furniture, all good condition. Call 22 William street.

ONE COAL RANGE with gas-end combination \$40. Used Victrola \$15. Radiola with speaker and eliminators \$20. Watkins Furniture Exchange

WANTED—TO BUY

HIGHEST prices for anything saleable, particularly copper, brass, rags, magazines. Call 5379. Wm. Ostrinsky, 91 Clinton. Prompt attention.

WILL PAY HIGHEST cash prices for rags, paper, magazines and metals. Also buy all kinds of chickens. Morris H. Lessner, Dial 6389 or 3386.

WANTED TO BUY cars for junk, used parts for sale. General auto repairing. Abel's, 26 Cooper street. Phone 5520.

ROOMS WITHOUT BOARD

FOR RENT—SINGLE furnished rooms, steam heat. Inquire at 109 Foster street.

FOR RENT—FURNISHED room, suitable for two gentlemen, or working couple; also use of house at reasonable price. Address Box 1, in care of Herald.

BOARDERS WANTED

WANTED—TWO gentlemen boarders, private home, near mills. Telephone 8608.

APARTMENTS—FLATS—TENEMENTS

FOR RENT—4 ROOM flat, one extra room, all improvements, and garage, five minutes from mills. Inquire 551 Center street or telephone 6583.

FOR RENT—4 ROOM tenement with all improvements, Inquire of John Johnson, 46 Walnut street.

FOR RENT—FOUR room upstairs flat at 28 Birch street; also four room and two room apartments, two furnished rooms, all improvements, heat at 26 Birch street. Apply Room 11.

FOR RENT—5 ROOM flat, downstairs, all modern improvements. Inquire at 34 Walnut street.

FOR RENT—4 ROOM tenement, all improvements with or without garage, 32 Spruce street. Inquire 125 Center street. Telephone 8623.

TO RENT—6 ROOM tenement, modern, garage, rent reasonable. Apply Arthur A. Knoffa, 875 Main street. Telephone 5440.

FOR RENT—3 & 4 room flat, all improvements, including hot water heat, 170 Oak street. Inquire 164 Oak street or call 8241.

FOR RENT—FOUR room tenement, with all improvements and garage at 5 Ridgewood street. Rent \$23 month. Inquire 178 Parker street. Dial 5623.

FOR RENT—5 ROOM tenement, lower floor, all modern improvements, available December 1st. C. E. Lewis, 44 Cambridge street. Telephone 7269.

FOR RENT—6 ROOM tenement, corner of Winter and Center streets. Call 5883.

FOR RENT—6 ROOM tenement, all modern improvements, also five room tenement \$25 month. Apply J. P. Tammany, 90 Main street, after 5 o'clock.

FOR RENT—APARTMENTS 4, 5 and 6 rooms. Apply Edward J. Holl, 865 Main street. Telephone 5020.

FOR RENT—4 ROOM upstairs flat on Ridge street, steam heat. Inquire 79 Ridge street, upstairs.

FOR RENT—VERY DESIRABLE 4 and 5 rooms, near Cheney mills, white enamel plumbing, very reasonable. Inquire Tailor Shop, 5 Walnut street. Telephone 5030.

FOR RENT—4 ROOM flat and lights. Dial 8434 or inquire 28 Mt. Nebo Place.

TWO ROOM SUITE in Johnson Block, facing Main street, suitable for light housekeeping. Phone Aaron Johnson 3728 or 9635.

HOUSES FOR RENT

FOR RENT—7 ROOM single house with steam heat, bath and garage, 31 Mather street, E. A. Standish, Andover, Conn. Telephone 1353-5.

WANTED TO RENT

ROOM, in South Manchester, suitable for a small business, must be centrally located. Write Box F. H. Manchester Herald, giving all information including price.

HOUSES FOR SALE

FOR SALE—NEW 6 room house, all improvements, also 5 room bungalow. Telephone 8713 or 103 Boston street.

PROSPECT Street at top of hill. Beautiful new English type home, 6 well arranged rooms, sun room, breakfast nook, hot water heat, fireplace, tile bath with shower, brass plumbing throughout, attached heated garage. Price attractive. Terms can be arranged. Call 4522.

FOR SALE—\$800 DOWN buys new colonial home. Six rooms, tile bath, oak floors, fireplace. Mortgages arranged. Arthur A. Knoffa, 875 Main street, Tel. 5440.

HOME BUILDERS.—A few choice building lots on Prospect street, close to bus service, convenient to mills, high elevation. Price low. Call 6185.

HELPING THE WIFE

"What are you writing?" "A letter to my wife."

"Why do you write so slowly?" "Because she can't read very fast."—Answers.

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SENSE and NONSENSE

HOW TO BUY A GOOD USED CAR
Look behind, underneath, and all around the rear seat cushion. If you find a couple of face handkerchiefs and a handful of burned matches, two or three lipsticks, a half pack of cigarettes, a compact or two, or an assortment of various buttons and a vanity case, or a feminine garter and an empty bottle, buy the car. Any one of the above items is sufficient proof that the car has been run but little.

WHEN MARY STEPS ON IT

A long-legged sheep in the Himalayas is able to run forty miles an hour. Now, that's the kind of a little lamb to follow Mary nowadays.

SUCCESS: Running a high powered automobile on a low powered salary without running into the poor house.

ONE PUNCTURE IN A BABY'S BLOOMERS IS WORSE THAN TWO IN A TIRE

It is the driver with the one track mind, who has the head-on collisions.

About all the pedestrian has to show in support of his contention for the right of way is the spot where he was run over.

Horace: "What the deuce are you crawling under the car for? There is nothing the matter with it. Bertie: "I know that, but here comes my grocer. If he sees me riding in a new automobile he'll expect me to pay him what I owe him."

MANY AUTOMOBILE DRIVERS WON'T WAKE UP EVEN AFTER THEY'RE PINCHED.

The hand that used to rock the cradle, is now operating the steering wheel.

Dolly had a car. She drove it fast and fine. She started cross the R. R. track. But the train was right on time - poor Dolly.

Bill: "I've been watching that mechanic for the past fifteen minutes. Now, there's a man who knows his business. He didn't spill



FLAPPER FANNY SAYS



The center of fashion, in the old days, was in the outskirts.

a drop of oil on the ground. He put down the hood, got out his flashlight and secured and left no fingerprints on it. He wiped his hands on clean waste before opening the door, spread a clean cloth over the upholstery, meshed the gears noiselessly and then drove slowly and with caution into the street.

FABLE: Two lady tourists talked for an hour, and neither bragged about her travels, jewelry or household conveniences.

Traffic Cop: "Say, lady, didn't you see my signal?" Fair Motorist: "Why, no, officer - what was it like?"

"They say you can judge a man's character by the way he sounds his auto horn. That's the only way the family can judge daughter's boy friend."

Cop (to motorist): "Hey! You can't park next to the fire hydrant!" Motorist: "Oh, yes, I can. This car is on fire."

A college town is a place where the locomotive that hits a coupe kills all seven passengers.

Walking will never become a lost art, as long as a motorist has to park his car three or four blocks from his place of business.

It's about time, some motor car manufacturer makes a model with a steering wheel in the back seat.

The boy who used to wish that his father owned a candy store now wishes it was a filling station.

The straight and narrow path is reserved for one way traffic.

Another thing that should reduce it's speed is the flapper beside the driver.

The Egyptian scarab is the commonest luck charm.

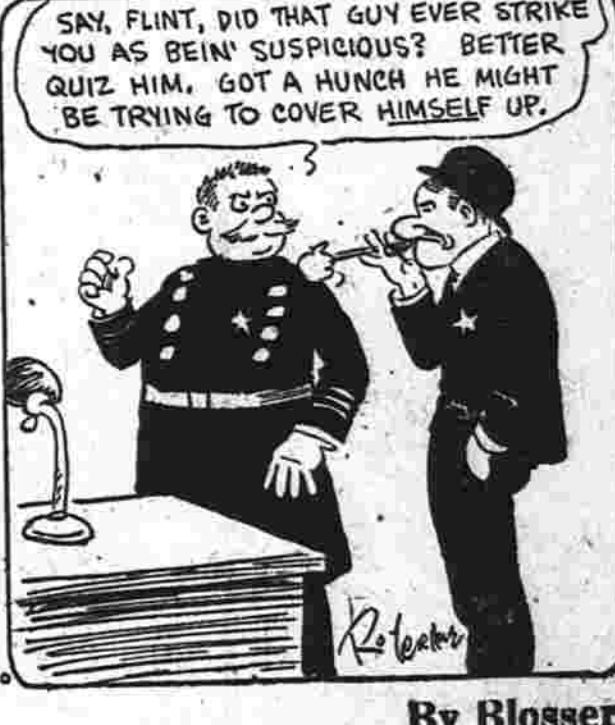
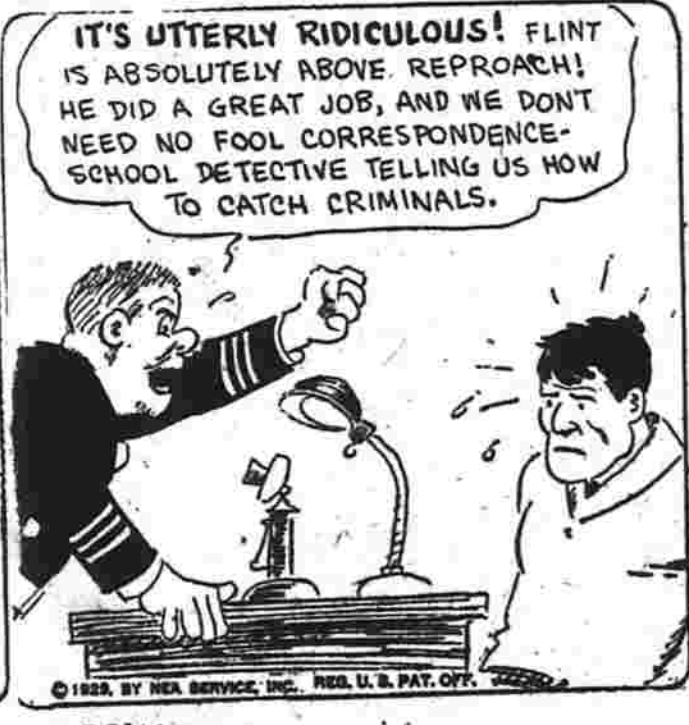
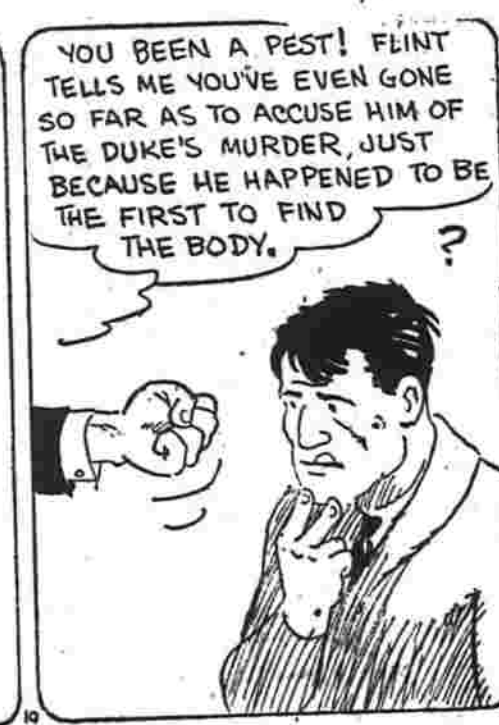
SKIPPY



The Toonerville Trolley That Meets All the Trains By Fontaine Fox



WASHINGTON TUBBS II



FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS



SALESMAN SAM



THE TINYMITES



(READ THE STORY, THEN COLOR THE PICTURE)

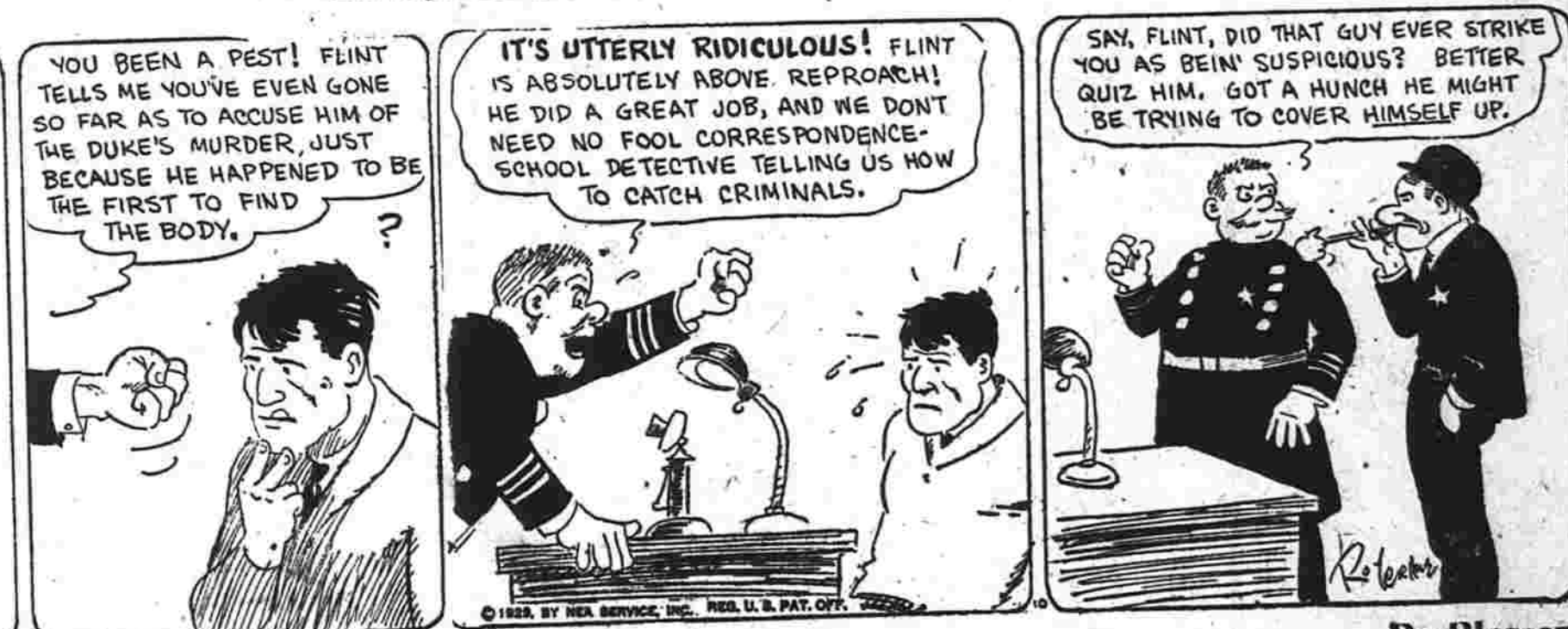
The overalls the Tinymites drew were very cute and lovely blue. "Oh, my," said Copy, "these are great. And mine fit me just right. I fell just like a working man and with these on, I'll bet I can do much more than my share. Why I can work all day and night."

(The Tinymites go to work in the next story.)

OUR BOARDING HOUSE By Gene Ahern



Always Suspicious By Crane



New Mittens By Blosser



Who's Playful Now? By Small





# Brown Thompson & Co

Hartford's Shopping Center

To accommodate our customers who cannot conveniently shop before six o'clock, our store will be open evenings until 9 o'clock Saturday, Dec. 14, Friday, 20th, Saturday, 21st, Monday, 23rd.

## GIFTS Costume Jewelry

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Real Stone Brooches in Marcasite settings	5.00	Chanel Necklaces, choker length, pendant effect	10.00
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### ABOUT TOWN

The Sons of St. George will install their officers for the ensuing term tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock, in Tinker Hall. Deputy President George Couch will have charge of the installation ceremony. Refreshments will be served.

John MacDowell, an auditor for the Hartford Machine Screw Company, Hartford, has moved his family to his new home at 43 Tanager street, in the Elizabeth Park development.

Troop 6, Boy Scouts, will meet in the South Methodist Church at 7:15 o'clock tonight.

The Ladies Guild of St. Mary's Episcopal church will hold a special meeting in the Guild room Thursday at 2 o'clock. All who have not already made returns for the supper are urged to do so at this time.

Dr. G. J. Slosser has been inducted into the chair of ecclesiastical history and history of doctrine of the Western Theological seminary. Dr. Slosser's inaugural address, according to the Pittsburgh Advocate was "a thoughtful and discriminating presentation of the aims and methods which should characterize the subject he had been chosen to teach." Dr. Slosser is the husband of the former Miss Esther Thurston who formerly resided in this town.

According to the current issue of Zion's Herald, Mrs. Julian S. Wadsworth, wife of a former minister at the South Methodist church and for several years past director at the Methodist Memorial, Chateaufort, was honored by the French government. Mrs. Wadsworth received La Medaille de Reconnaissance signed by President Doumergue and Secretary Briand. The ceremony was attended by more than 100 friends and came as a complete surprise to Mrs. Wadsworth. The mayor gave an address expressing appreciation of the services rendered by the Wadsworth family. Mrs. Wadsworth also received a gift of flowers.

John Chartier of North Main street and his son Carroll left Sunday for a week's visit with the family of Sylvester Chartier in Allentown, Pa.

### EMERGENCY DOCTORS

Doctor Holmes and Doctor Moran will be on call tomorrow afternoon.

The Ladies Sewing Circle will meet at the Highland Park Community clubhouse tomorrow afternoon at 2:30.

Hose Company No. 1 of the Manchester Fire department at its monthly business meeting last night made plans for the annual banquet to be held in January. The committee appointed to have charge consists of John McNeill, chairman, Joseph Shonesski, Lawrence Mooney, Conrad Apel and Walter Moske.

The annual meeting and election of officers of Manchester Lodge of Masons will be held tonight at 7:30 o'clock in the Masonic Temple. Installation of officers will take place the following Tuesday, December 17.

Twenty tables were filled with players at the Buckland Parent-Teacher association what last night in the school hall. Winners of the \$250 gold pieces were Miss Nellie Smith and Everett Buckland. Second prizes were won by Mrs. John Clegg and Herbert Mitchell. Consolation trophies fell to Edgerton and David Gallagher. The committee served sandwiches and coffee.

Ever Ready Circle of Kings Daughters will hold its annual meeting and Christmas party at Second Congregational church parlors tonight with a supper at 6:30 by the December group, the Juniors.

The Lindy Social club will hold its regular monthly meeting Wednesday evening at the home of Miss Doris Bernard, 62 Lawrence street, Hart. Local members are advised to take the Zion or Park street trolleys to Lawrence street.

The whist party scheduled for tomorrow evening at the home of Mrs. George Johnson, 86 Bisell street, under auspices of Mary Bushnell Thayer, U. S. W. V., has been indefinitely postponed. Instead the comrades of Ward Cheney Tent and the auxiliary members will have a whist and Christmas party at the State Armory a week from tomorrow night.

Temple Chapter, O. E. S. will meet tomorrow night at 8 o'clock in the Masonic Temple. This will be the annual meeting with election of officers. After the business there will be a Christmas party and a real Santa Claus. Each member is to provide a ten cent gift. Mrs. Ethel Davis is in charge of the program, which will include the presentation of a one-act play, "Converting Bruce."

Professor Karl R. Stolz of the Hartford Theological seminary will be in charge of the midweek service tomorrow evening at the South Methodist church. It will be what is known as the monthly parable service. Dean Stolz's topic will be The Lost Son, The Lost Sheep and The Lost Silver. These meetings are proving exceptionally interesting taking the form of an open forum with questions and answers.

C. Elmore Watkins, Herbert Swanson and Eskill Buckland, of Watkins Brothers, are in Boston today attending the Second Annual National Antique Exhibition at the Hotel Statler.

A son was born yesterday at Mrs. Howe's Maternity Home on Wadsworth street to Mr. and Mrs. James Lyman, of Talcottville.

Mrs. David Warnock, of 75 Oak street, who has been seriously ill for the past two weeks is improving.

### POLICE COURT

John Faircloth was before Judge Raymond A. Johnson in the Manchester town court this morning on the charge of assault on Elizabeth White. The assault took place last April and Faircloth has been absent from town most of the time since. Prosecuting Attorney Hathaway wanted to have two witnesses present and asked for a continuance of the case until tomorrow morning. When put to plea, Faircloth pleaded not guilty. The case went over until tomorrow under a bond of \$250.

Eleven more Manchester men paid a fine of \$2 without costs for parking violations. Most of the offenders were charged with overtime parking on Main street.

### SALVATION ARMY'S SALE TOMORROW

The Women's Home League of the Salvation Army will hold its annual Christmas bazaar and sale of fancy work at the Citadel here tomorrow night and Thursday. The sale will begin at 7:30 tomorrow night when Brigadier Mrs. Bates of the Hartford corps come here to take part in the affair.

A large variety of articles have been prepared by the ladies of the Salvation Army for sale as Christmas gifts. These include embroidery, crocheting, night-gowns, slips, women and children's dresses, aprons and so on. Refreshments consisting of home made apple pie, ice cream, hot chocolate, home made cake, candy and popcorns will be on sale during the bazaar. The cashier's list will be Mrs. Bertha Hall, Mrs. Alice Munsie and Mrs. Hilda Kennedy. Others in charge of booths will be: Embroidery, Mrs. Annie and Lily Clough crocheting, Mrs. Ella Bulla, Mrs. Emma Taggart, night-gowns, slips etc., Mrs. Isaac Proctor, Mrs. Rebina Larder, Miss Edith Jackson; women and children's dresses, Mrs. Emily Luton, Mrs. William Hanna, Mrs. William McCabe; refreshments and candy, Mrs. E. J. McCabe and several other assistants. The public is welcome to the bazaar and admission is free.

### SCHOOL CHILDREN TO PRESENT PLAY

The seventh and eighth grades of the Eighth district schools will present two one act plays at the Hollister street auditorium Thursday, December 12. The first, "The Unexpectedness of Catherine Henry", with a cast of 15 girls tells an amusing story of an exciting episode in the lives of a group of school girls just before Christmas. The second, Oscar Wilde's famous legend of "The Happy Man", has been dramatized especially for presentation by children. A class of 30 seventh grade pupils will sing between the plays and there will be several other special numbers including dancing.

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<b>MEAT DEPARTMENT</b>	<b>MARKET NEWS</b>
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FRESHLY GROUND BEEF 30c lb.	Strictly Fresh Eggs are coming in greater quantities and we will have a special on them tomorrow at 89c a dozen. You can take your choice—white or brown eggs, all locals, strictly fresh.
PIGS' LIVER 15c lb. 2 lbs. 29c.	Beechnut Coffee, with the quarter pound free sample is one of the best coffee values today.
Fresh Spare Ribs Sauer Kraut 10c lb., 3 lbs. 25c.	FLORIDA ORANGES 33c dozen.
Ends of Pork to cook with Kraut 23c to 27c lb.	1 lb. rolls Butter 49c.
SLICED BACON 39c lb.	New Orleans Molasses 35c qt., \$1.23 gallon.
Lean Cuts of Pinehurst Quality Corned Beef.	Cauliflower, Fresh Green Beans, Fresh Spinach and New Bunch Beets.
MEADOWBROOK SAUSAGE MEAT 33c lb.	Early deliveries leave the store at 7:15 and 8:00 a. m. and 1:30 p. m.
Canadian Bacon	Oysters
PURE LARD, 2 lbs. 25c.	Scallops
Boxes for kindling 50c load.	

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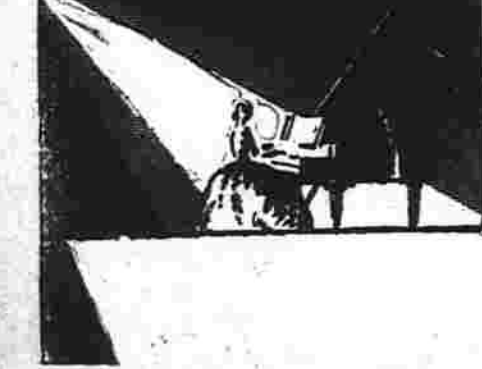
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