

TAWAS CITY

ATTACKS WIFE; IS KILLED BY STEP-DAUGHTER

George Gordon, age 46 years, of Rurleigh township was beaten to death with the barrel of a shot gun by his step-daughter when he attacked and threatened to shoot his wife late Monday afternoon. At an inquest held later in the evening a verdict was brought in that the young woman had acted in self defense.

At the inquest it was stated that Gordon had started for a load of wood within the day but did not return until five o'clock. When he returned, two strangers who had been in the yard, drove away in a car. Gordon, whom they alleged was under the influence of liquor, accused Mrs. Gordon of having these men call on her while he was away and threatened to shoot her. Mrs. Gordon said that she denied the accusation and told him that she did not know the men. He went into the house and returned with a shotgun. The step-daughter, Clara LaGrant, nineteen year old daughter of Mrs. Gordon, plead with him not to shoot, and tried to take the gun away from him. In the struggle the gun was discharged three times, it was claimed. Finally Gordon fell down on his knees and the frightened girl jerked the gun away from him and beat him over the head with the barrel. She said that she did not know that her step-father was dead, and ran to a neighbor and told what had happened.

Sheriff Chas. W. Curry was notified and after visiting the premises, called Prosecuting Attorney John A. Stewart and Coroner John Preston to the scene of death. When they arrived an inquest was held. After considering the depositions made at the investigation for one hour the jury brought in a verdict that the deceased had come to his death at about five o'clock on Monday, December 9, by means of receiving blows struck with a gun barrel by Clara LaGrant and that she said Clara LaGrant had acted in self defense.

The following were members of the coroner's jury: Roy Charters, Fred Hurford, John Thompson, Bert Webster, John O'Farrel and George Hodas.

SCHOOL NOTES

High School

Some of the members of the faculty attended the Huron Shore Round Table meeting at Oscoda Monday evening. These meetings are held for the purpose of creating a better understanding and co-operation among the administrators of the schools in the neighboring counties, and to solve the various school problems.

Names were drawn Monday morning for the exchange of gifts at the Christmas program and tree to be held next Friday afternoon.

The tenth grade botany class is making a study of bacteria. Bacteria are the smallest of known plants and were discovered by the Dutch scientist, Leeuwenhoek, in 1675. He thought that they were minute animals, and so called them "animalcules."

We trust that all of the patrons enjoyed the school program held at the State Theatre last Thursday evening. Ninety-nine pupils participated. The income was sufficient to pay all of the expenses, and to leave a balance of about twenty-nine dollars. This amount will probably be used to secure pyrograph material for the children. The main purpose of these programs is not to secure money, but to secure the necessary expense, but a remainder can always be put to good use.

We are giving below some of the advantages of a consolidated school when compared with the usual rural school. Some more of these advantages will be given next week.

Permits better grading of the schools, and better classification of the pupils.

Teachers have ample time for recitation, and can specialize on few grades.

Seventh and Eighth Grades. Christine Cecil has sold more Christmas seals than any other person in our room.

All the children of our room are using use of the books from the traveling library.

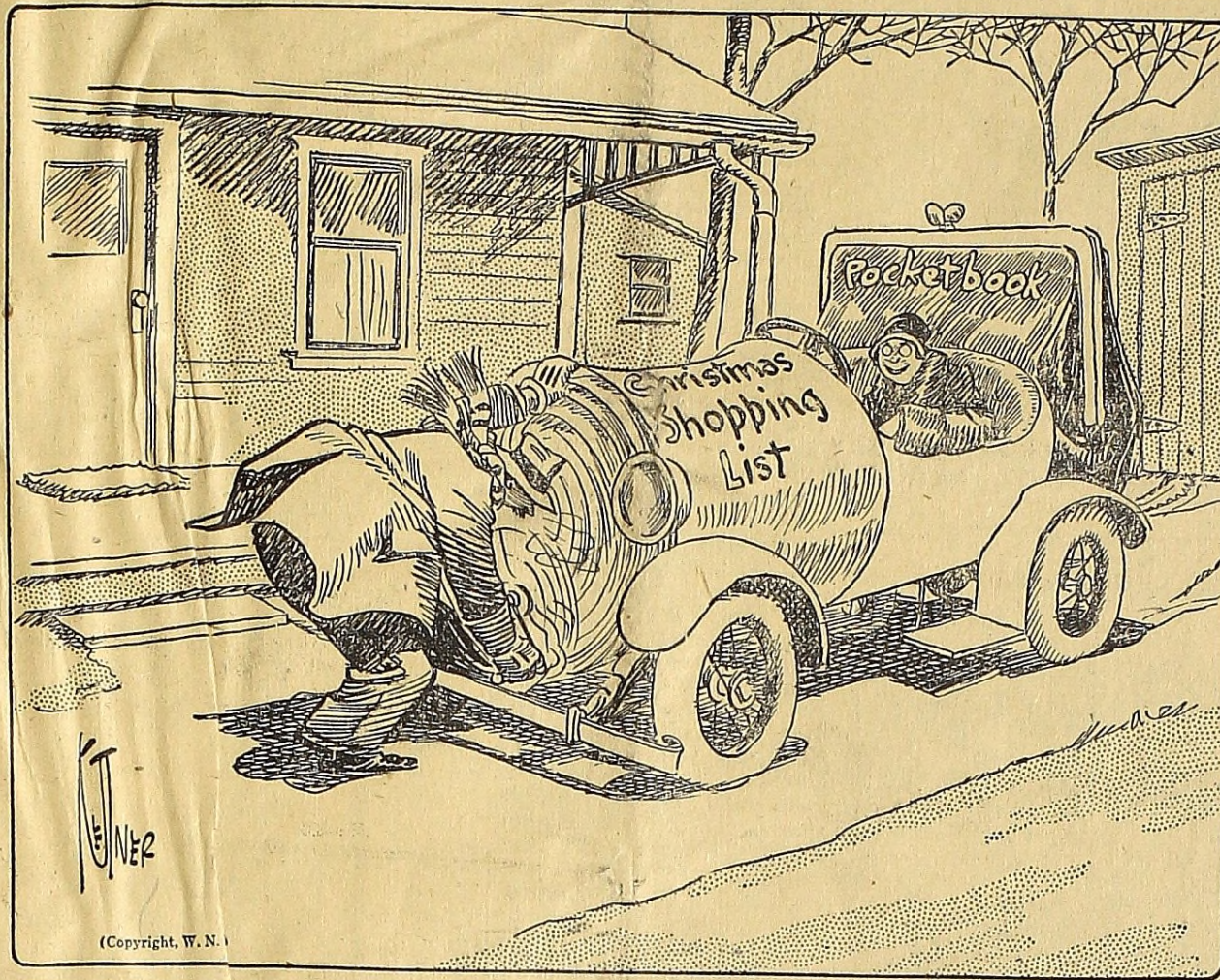
Yda Moore has been absent for several days on account of illness.

Third and Fourth Grades. Carl Peterson left us last Friday. We have now thirty-two children in the room. Norma Jean Musso has been absent for the last five weeks and William Sims for ten weeks, so just now we have only thirty. We will be glad to have Norma Jean and William with us again after the holidays.

There are having a Christmas spell in contest. Margaret Fox and Elma Herman are the captains. Elma is trying to get more. In order to put more decorations on the Christmas tree.

Shipment of new Dresses. Latest styles and colors. C. L. McLean & Co. adv

Hard to Get Started



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LAST HOME ECONOMICS MEETING HELD TUESDAY

The fourth project setting of the Home Economics club of Tawas City was held at the home of Mrs. A. E. Giddings Tuesday evening, December 10, with fifteen members present. The setting was called to order by the chairman, Mrs. Dease. Minutes of meeting of November 19 were read and approved. Roll call was answered by five check on health a food score, which was very interesting. It was voted to invite a lady speaker for achievement day in May 1930, also to continue the second division of this course in 1930 if possible to get volunteer project leaders.

There being no further business, the meeting was turned over to the assistant leaders. M. Loraine Swartz and Mrs. Ruthieiser, who gave many helps on the guide to proper food selection. Following this a general review the past meetings was given. Mr. credit is due the chairman, Mrs. Dease, for her untiring efforts in trying to make this course a success.

ISOSCO AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY HOLDS ANNUAL MEETING MONDAY

The annual meeting of the Isosco County Agricultural Society was held Monday afternoon the Court House.

Plans for next year's fair were discussed and improvements to the grounds suggested.

The following were elected to office for the ensuing year: President—A. W. Coll; Secretary—Fred C. Lr.; Treasurer—A. N. Shee; Directors—The following directors were elected: F. E. Taylor, C. Bigelow and Nelson Johnson.

At the last meeting of the board of supervisors three officers of the society were chosen by the board. U. G. Colvin, J. Searle, E. W. Latham. These were approved by the members Monday's meeting.

L. D. S. CHURCH

10:00 a. m.—Religio School. Mrs. Olive Davison in charge.

11:00 a. m.—Prayer Testimony services. Topic: What was the church a benefit me in the year 1920?

7:30 p. m.—Praise and Prayer. Pastor Subject: "How's Why?" All are welcome to attend. You will find the neediest for your soul.

M. A. Sommerfield Pastor.

LOVE AND THRILLS A

MINGLED IN "TRIGAN"

"The Pagan," John Russett celebrated novel of the So Seas, with Ramon Navarro as the hero, is the attraction at the State Theatre Sunday and Monday's new Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer picture, a sound synchronized film, "Singing Sequences," which introduce Navarro as a singer on vocal screen, was filmed in its entirety in the islands. It is a vitriam of a young islander's struggle against the encroachments civilization, and has a charming story, punctuated with battles seawater with sharks and other terrors of the tropics, as details.

W. S. Van Dyke, who acted in "White Shadows in the South Seas," directed the new picture. Adoree, Donald Crisp, Dorcas, and others of note, appear in the cast.

CHRISTMAS TREE

Get your Christmas tree from Andrew Anschuetz. Phone 311.

208 ENROLL IN RED CROSS

"Our campaign is over for the Red Cross membership renewal," said F. P. Taylor, secretary of the Isosco County Chapter, American Red Cross. "At this time we wish to gratefully thank the Ladies Literary Club and Mrs. Florence Curtis of Whittemore, Ladies Literary Club of East Tawas and the Twentieth Century Club of Tawas City for their efforts in taking over the soliciting of membership."

"Our membership numbers—208, which is a little short of our quota, but we are thankful considering the many demands on the public just at this time for money."

"Our annual election of officers for the ensuing year will be held some time in January, the exact date to be announced later, when we would like a complete attendance of members."

The following is the list of members for 1930:

EAST TAWAS—Mrs. Fred Walker, David Bergeron, W. A. Evans, Joseph Barkman, W. H. Grant, A. J. Berube, C. Wesendorf, Klenow & Sons, Kunze Market, A. C. Brown, Mr. Hilton, A. Merschel, O. W. Rowley, W. DeGrow, Mrs. Mary Miller, G. Shattuck, Mrs. W. B. Piper, Mrs. L. McAuliffe, Mrs. Ed. Pierson, Mrs. R. M. Small, Mrs. Susan Richards, Mrs. A. L. Anschuetz, Mrs. Joseph Flint, C. R. Jackson, Mrs. Geo. Nelem, Selma Hagstrom, Dr. Moss, C. Curry, Mr. Schreck, Mrs. Harriet Grant, W. R. Elliott, M. R. LaBerge, Mrs. W. T. Hill, Rev. Fr. Brogger, Joseph Mitchell, Mrs. Geo. Bigelow, Wm. Look, Mrs. H. T. Swanson, Mrs. Wm. G. Gurvey, Mrs. Georgia Hanson, J. G. Dimmick, R. Quarters, Basil Quick, Mr. Everill, Mrs. Ida Warren, Mrs. John Schriber, Mrs. Ralph Johnson, Eugene Hanson, Mrs. C. A. Boney, Mrs. Fred Adams, L. G. McKay, Miss Sarah Richards, Rev. Walter Jones, Mrs. Nick Pappas, Mrs. Grice, Mrs. McAndrews, G. Fred Ash, Mrs. G. Fred Ash, Mrs. Boyer, A. J. Carlson, Mrs. H. T. Thomas, Tawas Baking Co., Mrs. C. A. Boney, Miss Edna Otis, John Hogan, C. Conklin, Helen Courtland, Una Evensen, Helma Huhtala, Justin Carroll, Mrs. J. K. Osgerby, H. C. Hennigar, Art. Nelson, E. Probst, C. Miller, G. N. Shattuck, J. K. Osgerby, Myrtle Parker, Helen Applin, Blanche Richards, J. Slabic, Mrs. F. Richards, Glenn Hughes, A. Staudacher, Nelson Sims, Mrs. Kelly, H. Bigelow, Sadie Harrington, C. A. Boney.

TAWAS CITY, First Ward—Mrs. J. P. Stepanski, Mrs. A. Boomer, Mrs. Walter Moeller, Mrs. Rose Watts, Mrs. A. E. Giddings, A. E. Giddings, Fred Ziehl, Mrs. J. Steinhurst, Mrs. Frank Bertsch, Miss Lottie VanHorn, Miss Edna Hardies, Mrs. M. Musolf, Mrs. A. Krumm, N. C. Hartingh, Mrs. Herman Gaul, (Turn to No. 1, Page 8)

TAWAS CITY F. & A. M. LODGE ELECTS OFFICERS

Tawas City Lodge No. 302, F. & A. M., at its annual meeting held Tuesday evening, elected the following officers:

W. M.—Grant Curtis, S. W.—Alfred Boomer, J. W.—Charles Beardslee, Treasurer—F. F. Taylor, Secretary—Wm. Fitzhugh, S. D.—R. W. Tuttle, J. D.—Glenn Hughes, Trustee—Charles Beardslee.

Dance at State Theatre, Saturday night, Dec. 14, at 9:30.

ERNA ELIZABETH GLENDON

Erna Elizabeth Glendon, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Glendon of Hale, was born in East Tawas November 2, 1915, and was called to her Heavenly Father's home on December 9th, being 14 years, one month and seven days old.

Erna will be remembered for her cheerful, friendly disposition and her patient bearing of much physical weakness. She was greatly interested in her day school and church school work and took an active part in all of her activities in so far as her strength would permit.

She leaves to mourn, her mother, father, one brother, one sister and many relatives and friends.

On Thursday afternoon the friends and neighbors of the family gathered at the home to express their sympathy and pay respect to the loved one. Rev. and Mrs. David Shugg of Standish rendered two appropriate duets and Rev. Wm. Gregory read the scripture and spoke some heart reaching words of sympathy and encouragement.

Six of Erna's girl friends and schoolmates bore the flower covered casket to its resting place in Evergreen cemetery.

There is no death! What seems so is transition;

This life of mortal breath Is but a suburb of the life elysian, Whose portal we call death.

She is not dead—the child of our affection,— But gone unto that school Where she no longer needs our poor protection,

And Christ Himself doth rule. In that great cloister's stillness and seclusion,

By guardian angels led, Safe from temptation, safe from sin's pollution,

She lives, whom we call dead. Day after day, we think what she is doing

In those bright realms of air; Year after year, her tender steps pursuing,

Behold her grown more fair. We will be patient, and assuage the feeling

By silence sanctifying, not concealing. The grief that must have way.

POPULAR LEWIS STONE

IN "WONDER OF WOMEN"

Lewis Stone, who in the past year has played many outstanding roles of the screen, is hero of "Wonder of Women," Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer's gripping human drama of modern Europe, plays at the State Theatre tonight and Saturday, with sound and dialogue. It is the first role since his outstanding triumph with Ruth Chatterton in "Madame X."

Clarence Brown directed the new play, adapted by Bess Meredyth from Herrmann Sudermann's famous novel, "The Wife of Stephen Trombold," and Peggy Wood, famous stage star, plays the heroine, Lella Hvams, Harry Myers, George Fawcett, Sarah Padden and other artists of note are in the cast.

The story, tense in its human interest plot, depicts the life and love of a temperamental German composer, who although he adores his wife, cannot resist the charms of other women. There is pathos and tragedy in the play as well as humor and romance.

This is the second Sudermann novel Brown has filmed, the first being the highly successful "Flesh and the Devil."

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS

I will be at the City Hall Monday and Thursday afternoons for the collection of taxes, starting next Monday, December 16.

Louis Phelan, City Treasurer

CIVIL WAR VETERAN DIES SATURDAY

William Legacy, age 92 years, Civil War veteran, died last Saturday at 2 o'clock at his home in East Tawas after a year's illness. Mr. Legacy had been a resident of East Tawas since 1876.

William Legacy was born in Rutland, Jefferson county, New York, on September 12, 1837. He was united in marriage to Helen Coon on September 19, 1867, at Rutland, N. Y., and moved to East Tawas nine years later.

He is survived by one son, Henry, of California. Two sons, Bert and Arthur, and wife, Mrs. Helen Legacy, preceded him in death.

He was married to Jennie Champagne at East Tawas in 1916, who survives him. He is also survived by two step-daughters, Mrs. Millie Landon of California and Mrs. Mae Speare of Ohio, and one brother, Joseph Legacy of Watertown, N. Y., who is 90 years of age.

Mr. Legacy was a member of the 10th Regiment, New York Heavy Artillery, Company D. He saw active military service at Sackets Harbor and served with distinction in the campaign of the James and during the siege of Petersburg, where his company suffered great losses. He was a member of the G. A. R. and was the last member of the G. K. Warren Post in East Tawas.

Funeral services were held at two o'clock Monday afternoon at the Methodist Episcopal church, Rev. W. L. Jones officiated. Military rites were given by the Audie Johnson Post, American Legion, of East Tawas.

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EAST TAWAS NEWS

Mrs. Charles Dimmick and son, Joseph, spent Saturday in Bay City.

Miss Mildred Hewson spent a couple days in Bay City.

Mrs. John McCray and daughter, Jane, spent Saturday in Bay City.

Mrs. Ed. Alford was a Bay City visitor on Saturday.

For a real time, Dance at Alabaster Saturday night.

Henry Goodall left Saturday for a few days in Flint on business.

Mrs. Sauve left Saturday for her home in Linwood.

A shipment of new Dresses. Latest styles and colors. C. L. McLean & Co. adv

Julius and Regina Barkman spent Sunday in Bay City with friends.

Misses Huhtala and Evensen spent Sunday in Bay City.

Arthur Staudacher, who spent a few days in Detroit, returned home.

Mrs. Frank LaBerge and Miss Clara Bolen spent Friday and Saturday in Bay City.

Mrs. H. T. Thomas left Friday for Flint. She will later motor to Tampa, Florida, for the winter.

Hickok belts in the new live leather models from \$1.00 to \$5.00. Any initial in alphabet. Chains to match. A. A. McGuire, jeweler, Tawas City. adv

Miss Regina Halligan, who has been in Detroit for several months, returned home for a few weeks on business.

Mrs. A. Staudacher and son left Friday for Saginaw where they will visit with her sister.

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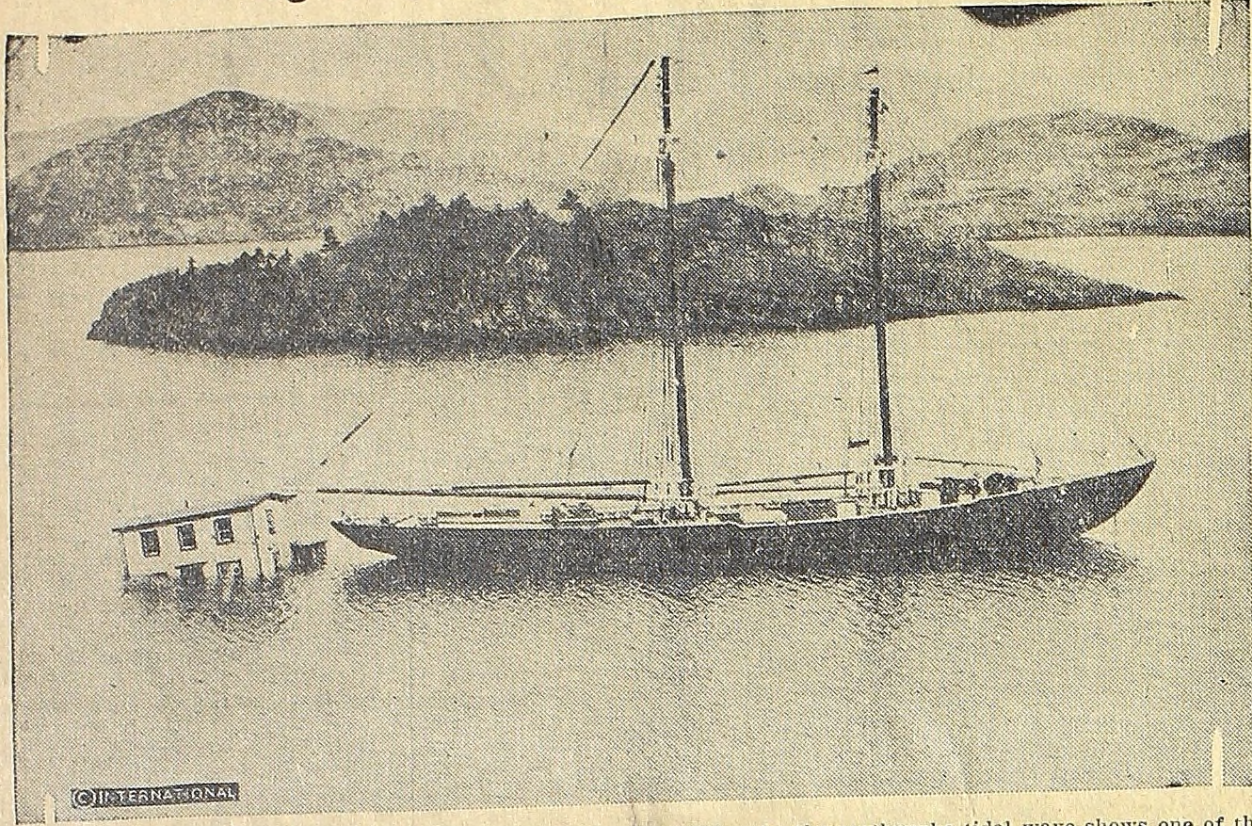
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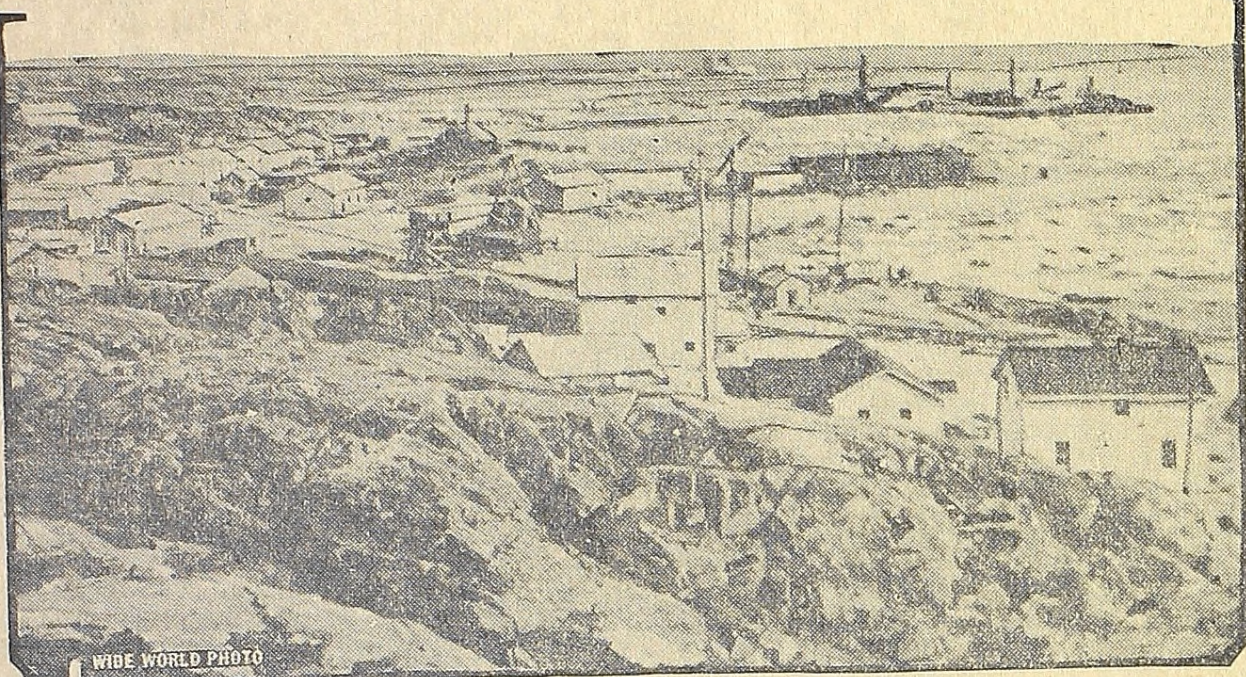
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Towing Back House Dislodged by Tidal Wave



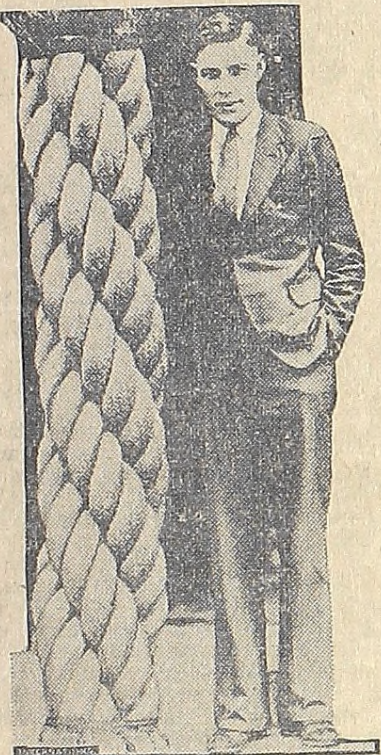
This exclusive photograph from the Newfoundland area stricken by the earthquake tidal wave shows one of the dislodged houses being towed in from the sea by a returning fishing schooner. The house, along with many others, had been swept a distance of five miles by the gigantic inundation.

Canada's New Outlet to Atlantic Ocean



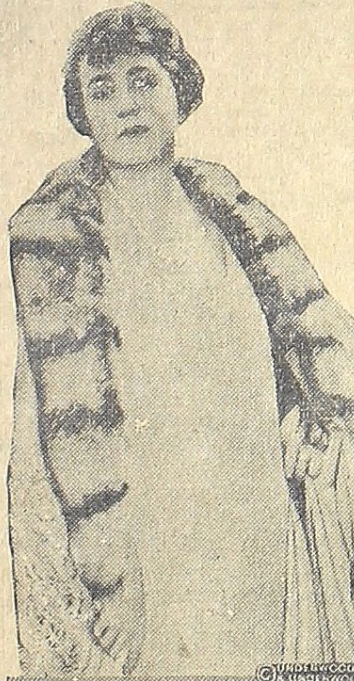
Construction camp at Churchill, on the west coast of Hudson bay, where Canada is building a new port for the shipment of grain to Europe.

LARGEST OF ROPES



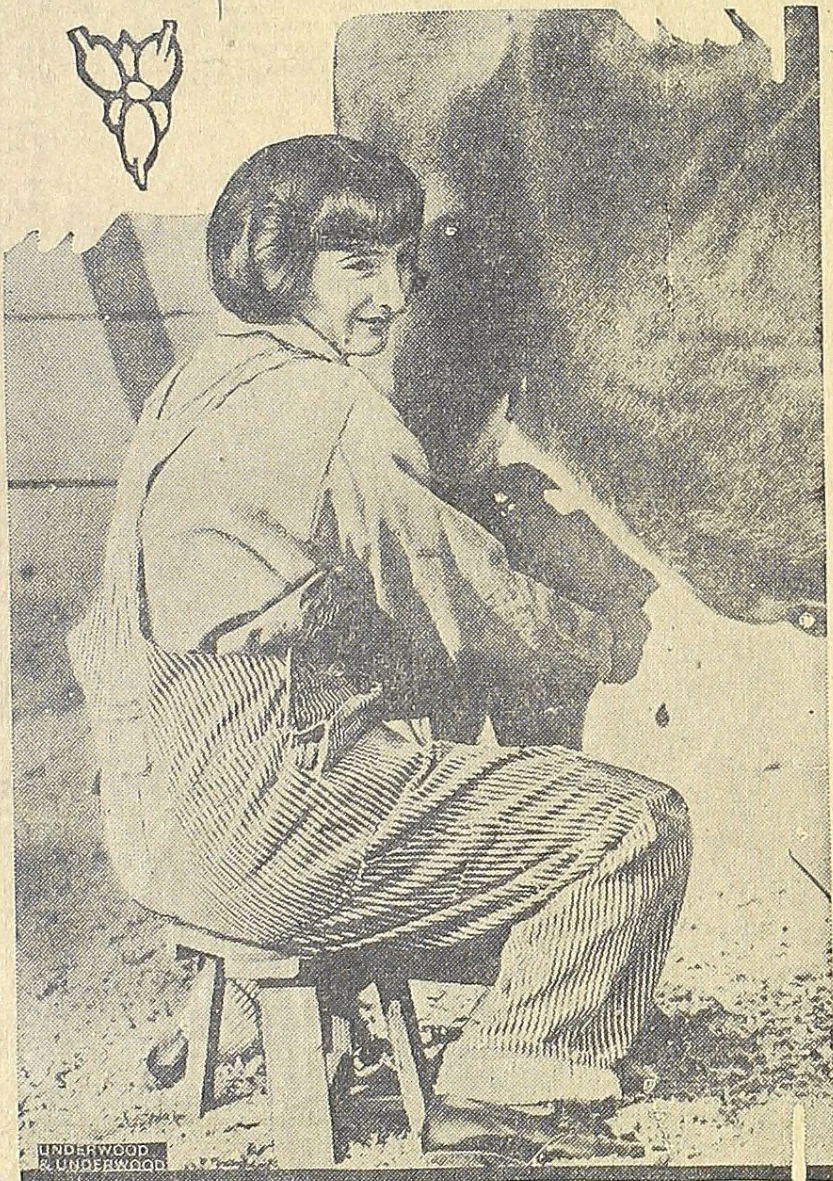
A man standing beside what the manufacturers in Sydney, Australia, claim to be the biggest rope in the world. It has a circumference of three feet and is made of fiber. The completed rope is 400 feet in length and weighs nearly two tons. It will be used to anchor steamers off shore in the Pacific islands where the ocean swell is so heavy that even the strongest chains snap under the strain.

ON LAND COMMISSION



Mrs. Mary Roberts Rinehart, whose tales of the great wide open spaces of the West have thrilled thousands, is the only woman member of President Hoover's public lands commission.

National Champion Milkmaid



Mary Fontana, fifteen years old, of Carruthers, Calif., who won the state and national championship milkmaid titles at the ninth annual Pacific Slope Dairy show.

Gold Medal Presented to Elihu Root



Detailed view of both sides of the new President's gold medal which the National Academy of Art presented to Elihu Root, in recognition of his distinguished service to the cause of fine art. The medal is the work of Robert Altken, American sculptor.

Christmas on a Battleship

By HAROLD COOK

A NICE old lady who had no relatives, but who did have plenty of money, wanted to spread Christmas happiness where she thought there would be none. She therefore prepared fifty beautiful packages all nicely wrapped in white tissue paper and nicely tied with red ribbon. In the packages were razor blades and bars of chocolate candy and bags of peanuts, cigarettes, talcum powder, shaving cream, and other things she thought would be acceptable to Uncle Sam's sailors.

On Christmas afternoon she had the packages piled into the back of her car and her chauffeur drove her to the navy yard. A handsome sailor was detailed to show her around, and what she saw was an education to a woman who believed that all sailors are half-starved paupers who earn but thirty dollars a month.

She was immediately conducted to the flag ship. It was beautifully trimmed for the holiday. Christmas trees were everywhere—on the stern, on the bow, on the towers, and even at the ends of the gang planks leading to the ship. And one whole deck had been divided up into little booths by the different divisions of sailors, and decorated like Greenwich Village dance halls for a festive celebration. Dim lights, fire places, radio music, and girls and children were everywhere. The sailors were dancing and having a fine time. The children wandered unrestricted and wide-eyed on all parts of the ship. They were orphans from the city, whom the sailors had entertained for dinner. And here



Radio Music, and Girls and Children Were Everywhere.

is a list of the good things that the orphans and the sailors had to eat: Celery, pickles and olives, roast turkey with giblet gravy, oyster dressing and cranberry sauce, baked spiced ham with green peas and asparagus tips, candied sweet potatoes and boiled onions and mashed potatoes. Lettuce and tomato salad, mince and pumpkin pie, mixed nuts, oranges and candies, pound cake and ice cream, bread and butter and coffee.

Besides this splendid dinner, the sailors had given each orphan a Christmas package of toys, and the men of one division had added a dollar bill to each package they gave out so that the child could buy what he wanted for himself if Santa Claus had not given it to him. Happiness beamed in the eyes of everybody.

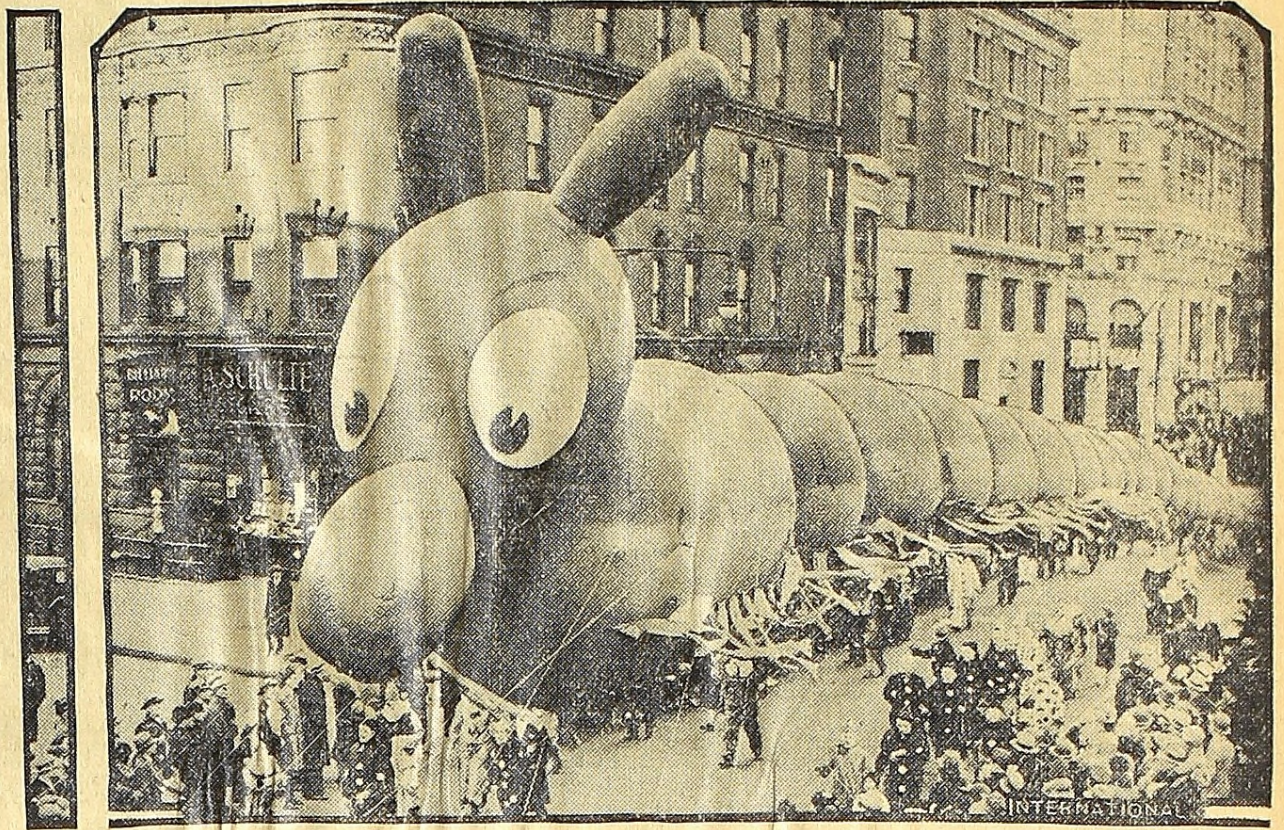
The good old woman was delighted. She asked her guide to find some sailors who had not received any presents themselves, and soon forty-nine of them, mostly orphans themselves, were gathered around her to receive gifts. Thus these carefree sailors who had so generously given of their little to make other, younger orphans happy, each received for himself the kind of present that he could enjoy most on the ship.

But the kind old lady was reserving the loveliest package of all for some special case. She was just beginning to wonder if there was one such, when her guide took her into the sick ward. About twelve sailors were lying there in bed with books and boxes and even flowers all around. They looked very happy. The old lady asked the attendant if they had all had a happy Christmas, and he replied, "Yes, madame, all but one." He pointed to the far end of the room where there was a beautiful, smiling, black-haired boy lying in a bed. He seemed happy in just watching the other boys enjoy their presents, but he had not received a single gift himself as he was an orphan. Two little children whom he had especially befriended were standing by his bed, talking with him. The old lady moved down toward him and handed him his loveliest package with a cheery "Merry Christmas!" Tears of gratitude and joy welled to the boy's eyes and the old lady hastened from the room to spare him the embarrassment of thanking her for her gift. Her eyes were moist, too, with tears of joy, for that was the climax of the happiest Christmas day that she had ever had. (©, 1929, Western Newspaper Union.)

Old Fashioned Santa No More

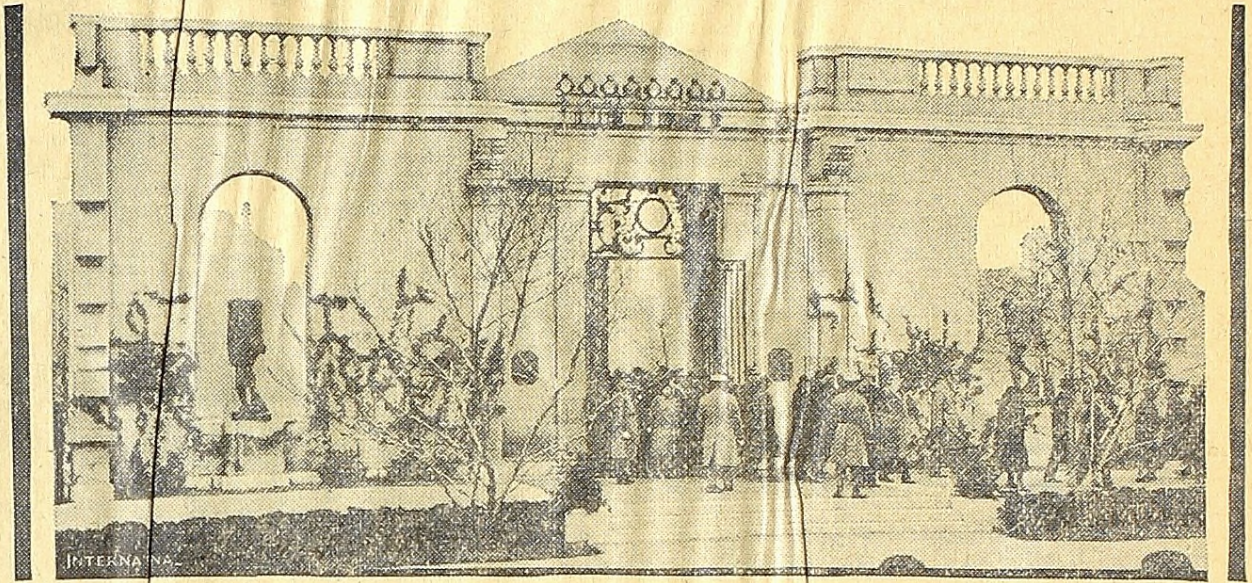
Happily, the old-fashioned Santa Claus who set fire to his face seems to have joined the disappearing types

Terrible Flying Dragon Invading Broadway



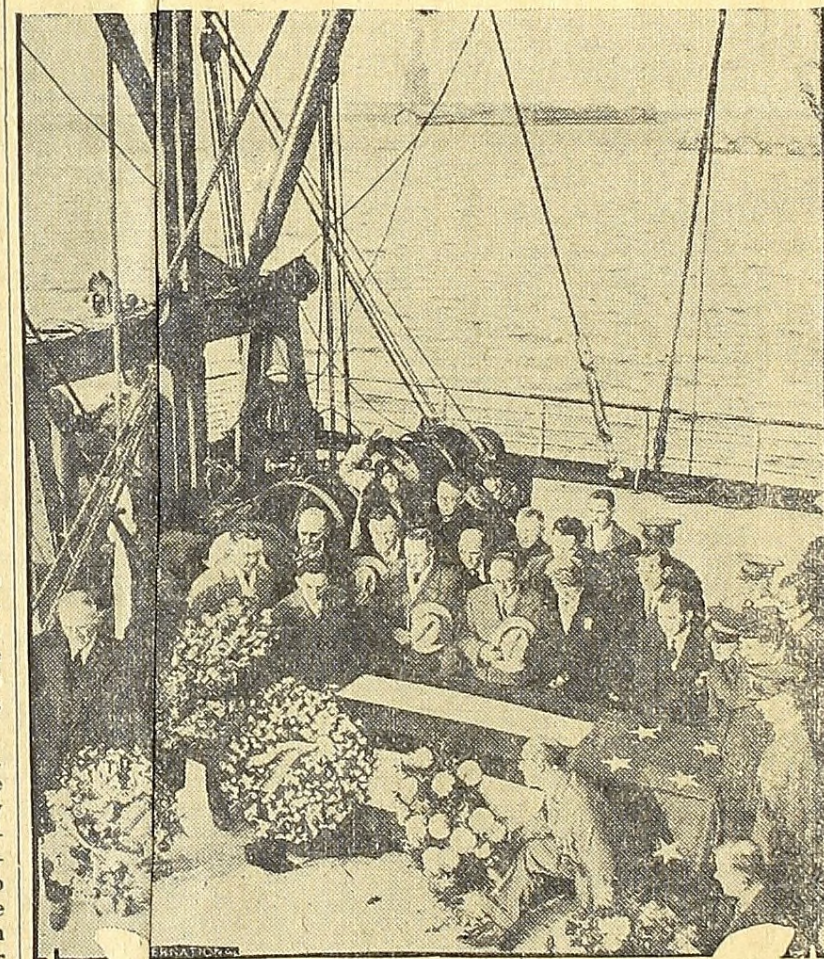
The monster shown above, full of helium gas and 169 feet from tip to tip, was one of the balloons which marched down Broadway, New York, in a Christmas shopping parade delighting thousands of children.

Gateway of Philadelphia's New Rodin Museum



A view of the gateway to the new magnificent Rodin museum, the gift of the late Jules Mastbaum, motion picture magnate of the city of Philadelphia, which was formally dedicated the other day. The museum is a reproduction of the famous Musee Rodin in Paris and houses a fine collection of the great French sculptor's works.

War Dad Brought Home From Russia



Delegates representing the American Disabled Veterans of the World War, gathered around one of the fifty-six caskets containing bodies of Michigan men who died in Russia during the Archangel campaign. The S. S. President sevelt brought home the bodies of the members of the Three Hundred Twenty-ninth United States Infantry who had lain in lonely Russian graves since 1919.

CROWLEY RESIGNS



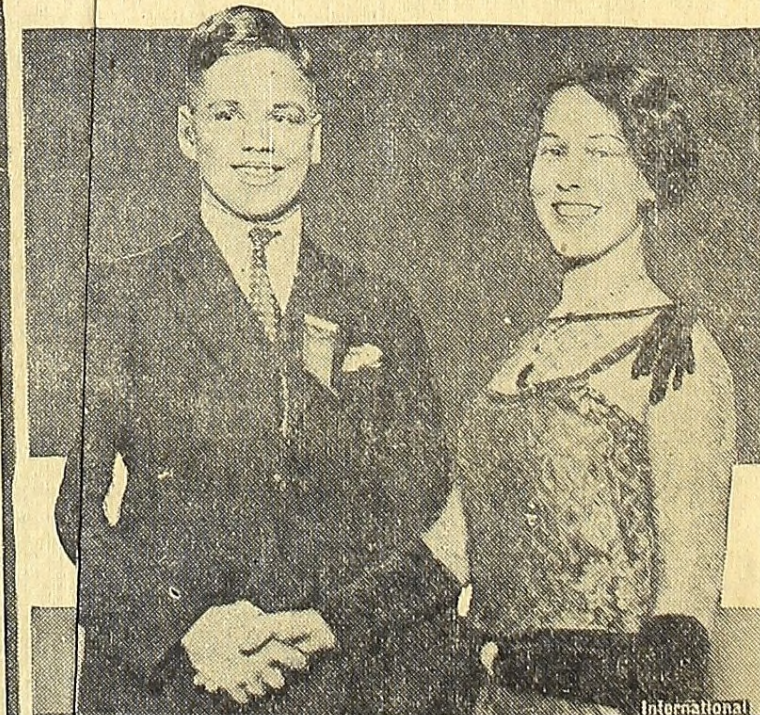
Charles F. Crowley, coach of the Columbia football team for the past four years, who has tendered his resignation to the university committee on athletics. Crowley came to Columbia as end coach in 1925 following the retirement of Dr. Paul Wittington. This year Crowley's team failed to win a single major game.

SUES A CANDY MAN



Patricia Moore, in private life Miss Genevieve O'Connell, young blonde dancer of a theatrical company, who sued William N. Telgman, vice president and traffic manager of a candy company in Chicago, for \$100,000 charging breach of promise.

Hethiest Boy and Girl in U. S.

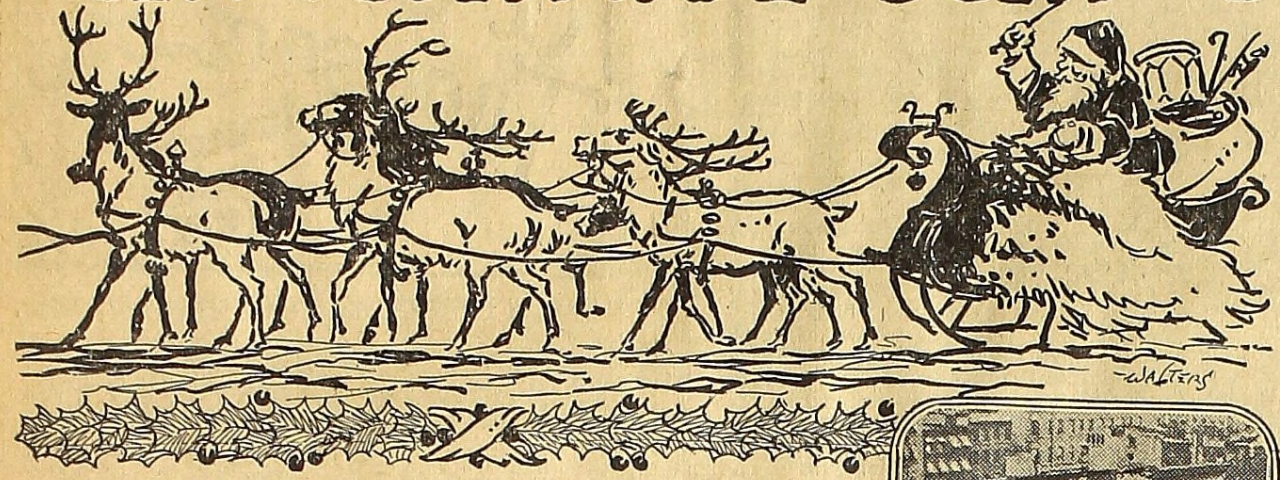


Fre Smock of Lake county, Florida, and Harold Deatlone of Morgan county, Indiana, each seventeen years old, who were proclaimed health champions of the United States as 1,500 members of the National 4-H club congress met at a Sherman hotel, Chicago.

Minerals

Primary mineral is one of the original constituents of a mineral, for instance, in granite the primary minerals are quartz, feldspar and mica. In other words, these are the constituents which determine the rock as granite. They are the diagnostic minerals. There are also varying amounts of other quality to the rock, but do not determine its classification. These are called accessory minerals.

The Story of a Famous Christmas Poem



The Night Before Christmas

WAS the night before Christmas, when all through the house
Not a creature was stirring, not even a mouse;
The stockings were hung by the chimney with care,
In hopes that St. Nicholas soon would be there;
The children were nestled all snug in their beds,
While visions of sugar-plums danced through their heads;
And mamma in her 'kerchief, and I in my cap,
Had just settled our brains for a long winter's nap—
When out on the lawn there arose such a clatter,
I sprang from my bed to see what was the matter.
Away to the window I flew like a flash,
Tore open the shutters and threw up the ash,
The moon, on the breast of the new-fallen snow,
Gave a luster of midday to objects below;
When what to my wondering eyes should appear,
But a miniature sleigh and eight tiny reindeer,
With a little old driver, so lively and quick,
I knew in a moment it must be St. Nick.
More rapid than eagles his coursers they came,
And he whistled and shouted and called them by name:
"Now, Dasher! now, Dancer! now, Prancer and Vixen!
On, Comet! on, Cupid, on, Donner and Blitzen!
To the top of the porch to the top of the wall!
Now, dash away, dash away, dash away all!"
As dry leaves that before the wild hurricane fly,
When they meet with an obstacle, mount to the sky,
So, up to the house-top the coursers they flew,
With a sleigh full of toys—and St. Nicholas, too.
And then in a twinkling I heard on the roof
The prancing and pawing of each little hoof.
As I drew in my head and was turning around,
Down the chimney St. Nicholas came with a bound.
He was dressed all in fur from his head to his foot,
And his clothes were all tarnished with ashes and soot;
A bundle of toys he had slung on his back,
And he looked like a peddler just opening his pack.
His eyes how they twinkled! his dimples how merry!
His cheeks were like roses, his nose like a cherry;
His droll little mouth was drawn up like a bow,
And the beard on his chin was as white as the snow.
The stump of a pipe he held tight in his teeth,
And the smoke it crept out in a blue and white wreath.
He had a broad face, and a little round belly,
That shook, when he laughed, like a bowl full of jelly.
He was chubby and plump—a right jolly old elf—
And I laughed when I saw him, in spite of myself.
A wink of his eye and a twist of his head,
Soon gave me to know I had nothing to dread—
He spoke not a word, but went straight to his work,
And filled all the stockings; then turned with a jerk,
And laying his finger aside of his nose,
And giving a nod, up the chimney he rose.
He sprang to his sleigh, to his team gave a whistle,
And away they all flew like the down of a whistle;
But I heard him exclaim, ere he drove out of sight:
"Happy Christmas to all, and to all a good-night!"
—Clement C. Moore.

BY ELMO SCOTT WATSON

WHEN recent press dispatches carried the news that a New York woman, Mrs. Tillie Hart, who for four months had withstood the siege of a wrecking crew seeking to tear down her home to make way for a \$25,000 apartment house, had at last capitulated and allowed the house to be demolished, there was one good reason why the story was more than merely a local New York news item.

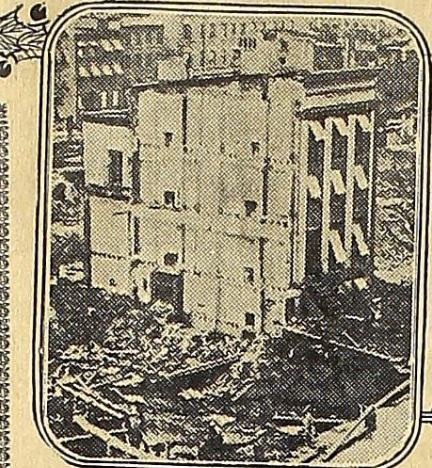
For the disputed building has rightfully been called "the birthplace of Santa Claus" because in it more than a hundred years ago Dr. Clement C. Moore wrote a famous Christmas poem in which for the first time the American Santa Claus was described, his mode of traveling was pictured and the lavishness of his giving was made known. That poem was "The Night Before Christmas," which every American has recited or heard recited at some time or another. And for that reason the news that "the birthplace of Santa Claus" was to be wiped out of existence had nationwide interest.

Quite aside from his fame as the author of "The Night Before Christmas," Doctor Moore was a notable man. His father, Bishop Benjamin Moore, the second Protestant Episcopal bishop of New York and the third president of Columbia university, assisted at the inauguration of Washington and administered the last rites to the dying Alexander Hamilton after the fatal duel with Aaron Burr. Clement C. Moore was graduated from Columbia university in 1798 and was a professor of Hebrew and Greek in the General Theological seminary from 1821 to 1850. He was a prolific writer, one of his literary productions bearing the imposing title of "Observations Upon Certain Passages in Mr. Jeffer-

son's Notes on the State of Virginia Which Appear to Have a Tendency to Subvert Religion and Establish a False Philosophy." However, his most important work, the one at least upon which he believed his fame as a scholar would be secure, was "A Compendious Lexicon of the Hebrew Language." He little realized that future generations of Americans would remember him better as the author of what he was accustomed to call "a silly poem," the authorship of which he refused to acknowledge for a long time.

Yet such was the case, for a short time before Christmas in 1822, Doctor Moore wrote for his children a Christmas poem and they were delighted with the rollicking tale, as other children, not only in this country but in many other lands, have been ever since. A daughter of Rev. Dr. David Butler, rector of St. Paul's church at Troy, N. Y., who was a niece of Doctor Moore, was a Christmas guest in the Moore home and made a copy of the poem in her album. The next year she sent a copy of it to the Troy Sentinel and it appeared in that paper, prefaced by a note from the editor saying he did not know who had sent it. By the next year it had appeared in many other newspapers and magazines and within a few years it had found its way into the schoolbooks. By this time inquiries were beginning to be made as to its authorship and eventually Doctor Moore, none too well pleased that his "silly poem" was so well-known whereas his scholarly "Compendious Lexicon" attracted little attention, except from other scholars, admitted its authorship and gave the autographed original manuscript of the poem to the New York Historical society.

In its original form the poem differs slightly from the present version, happy, merry day only in that measure that we have allowed its beautiful spirit to enter our hearts.—Eatherine Edelman.
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THE PASSING OF A LANDMARK—WHERE "THE NIGHT BEFORE CHRISTMAS" WAS WRITTEN

particularly in the names of the reindeer. "Viscen" of the original has become "Vixen" and "Donder" has been changed to "Dunder." The title which Doctor Moore gave to his verses was "A Visit From St. Nicholas," but the modern version, taken from the first line, is "The Night Before Christmas." Its popularity, however, has been unchanged throughout the 107 years, it has been translated into many foreign tongues and it has delighted the children of many nations.

Doctor Moore died in 1863 at his summer home in Newport, R. I. His body was taken to New York, which was then in the throes of the draft riots, and was placed temporarily in a vault at St. Luke's church in Hudson street. Later it was removed to the churchyard of the Chapel of the Intercession (Trinity parish) and there it rests today in a plot of ground which holds also the bodies of his wife and their three children. In fact, this plot has been more of a Christmas shrine than has the house near Chelsea Square, where the poem was written and a very pretty Christmas ceremony in memory of Doctor Moore takes place there every year.

Rev. Dr. Milo H. Gates, vicar of the chapel at Broadway and One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, has long been an admirer of the poem and its scholarly author. In 1911 he held the first service in Doctor Moore's memory. About 200 children gathered with him at the grave at the foot of the hill overshadowed by the high wall which is topped by Riverside drive. Since then the number has grown to more than 2,000.

The ceremony begins at four o'clock on Christmas eve with the feast of lights in the church. Then the children gather in the cloister while a fanfare of trumpets from the bell tower heralds the procession to the cemetery. Led by the trumpeters they move along One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, carrying banners, lighted candles, torches and lanterns, past the huge Christmas tree in the corner of the churchyard.

All Broadway traffic is halted as they cross, the swell of their music rising above the noise of the street and falling away again as they pass. From the steps of the cemetery and the road that winds around from side to side down the hill, the voices may still be heard on the busy street singing "Little Town of Bethlehem," "Silent Night, Holy Night," "We Three Kings of Orient Are," "God Rest Ye Merry, Gentlemen," and many other favorite Christmas hymns and carols.

Except for the lights in the children's hands, it is quite dark by the time they reach the stone marked "Clement Clarke Moore, born in New York July 15, 1779; died in Newport, R. I., July 10, 1863." A final carol is sung as a wreath is laid against the stone and, before disbanding, the procession moves on to a grave nearby to honor the memory of Alfred Tennyson Dickens, eldest son of Charles Dickens, author of another Christmas classic, "A Christmas Carol."

Another ceremony honoring Doctor Moore is held annually at St. Peter's Episcopal church on Twentieth street. A tablet is erected in his memory there because he was the first warden of that church and also gave the land upon which it stands, as well as the land upon which was built the General Theological seminary with which it has a close connection.

HOW TO LIVE LONGER

By JOHN CLARENCE FUNK
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State of Pennsylvania.

"Eighteen Pounds—Eighteen Days"

STYLE in feminine beauty has fortunately changed. The recent rage for the athletic type unquestionably sent many a foolish young woman to her grave by the tuberculosis route, was responsible for placing thousands more in the sanatorium and made temporary semi-invalids of still another large group of women, young and not so young.

Today, curves are once more coming into their own. And with them is developing a more sensible attitude on the part of women relative to the diet question.

Emaciated looking flappers no longer attract the young men. Behind the unnatural slimmness the opposite sex are seeing the pale cheeks, the lackluster eyes and the listless manner which no amount of cosmetics, no matter how skillfully applied, can these days conceal.

From all this, it follows that America's women are once more eating rationally. Potatoes and bread and butter are again coming into their own. For which be all praise!

However, there are still many foolish people, both men and women, who have not yet learned their lesson. And they consequently persist, in spite of the overwhelming evidence against the policy, to attempt to remove what they consider to be superfluous flesh in a criminally short time.

One hears the expression "eighteen pounds in eighteen days" too frequently mentioned. It is true that an extremely small proportion of people who have possessed an overabundance of avoirdupois have removed that many pounds in that many days under the careful guidance of medical experts. But it is quite another matter for a self-diagnosed "stout" to apply such a Spartan regimen to himself.

In the first place, there are ninety-nine chances to one that people do not need such heroic treatment, indicated as it is, only in cases where fat is considered to be a seriously damaging condition at the time; in the second place, it is an extremely unwise and hazardous matter to try to remove in a few days pounds of flesh which have probably been years in the making; and in the third place, in all likelihood some of the pounds which one feels that he does not need are of value and therefore should be retained.

Keep your curves if you possess them, bearing in mind that unsightly fat and marked overweight can be reduced by a sensible cutting down in the food intake over a period of months.

Nature frowns upon abortive methods. Don't be an "eighteen pounds-eighteen days" victim.

"Smart" Living

ONE constantly hears the statement that it is "smart" to do this and that. By which is apparently meant that today's convention has put the stamp of approval upon the particular action involved. The "smart people" are doing it—and no one wants to appear dumb and behind the times.

Well, it may be smart to drink synthetic gin, it may also be smart to go out on wild joy rides, it may be considered smart for the young man and woman to inhale twenty or more cigarettes a day, and it may even be smart to make a practice of spending one's nights at jazz road-houses instead of in bed. But no matter how smart these things may be, they are neither healthy nor are they the manifestations of intelligent living.

And the joke in this rattle-dazzle existence is that the really smart people will have none of it. The actually successful men and women of today will not be found cavorting in such a silly manner. Quite on the contrary, they seriously realize that abounding health is based upon a sensibly regulated life and that success, whether it be commercial or home making, must find its foundation in health alone.

There is absolutely nothing smart in outraging nature. But that is a lesson that many of the young people, and not a few older ones who try to act young, have yet to learn. Many to their ultimate sorrow.

Smart living means wise living. And wise living means following strictly the key laws of long, happy and healthy life.

Smart smartness doesn't pay!
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His Star Turn

It was a long time since Mrs. White and Mrs. Green had met.

"You weren't even engaged when I last saw you," said Mrs. White. "What does your husband do for a living?"

"Oh, he talks for the pictures," replied Mrs. Green.

Her friend look most impressed.

"Talks for the pictures?" she exclaimed. "How wonderful! What sort of parts does he take?"

Mrs. Green hesitated.

"Well, he doesn't exactly take parts," she said. "He just tells the people whether it's a case of 'standing room only' or not."

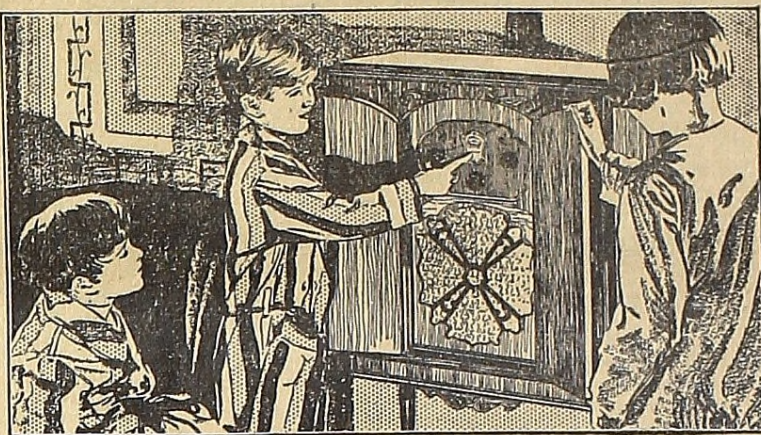
LEADING RADIO PROGRAMS

(Time given is Eastern Standard; subtract one hour for Central and two hours for Mountain time.)

- N. B. C. RED NETWORK—December 13.**
 - 2:00 p. m. Chicago Symphony.
 - 7:00 p. m. Durant Program.
 - 7:30 p. m. Maj. Bowes.
 - 9:00 p. m. David Lawrence.
 - 9:15 p. m. Atwater Kent.
 - 10:15 p. m. Studebaker Champions.
- N. B. C. BLUE NETWORK**
 - 1:30 p. m. The Pilgrims.
 - 2:00 p. m. Roxy Stron.
 - 5:00 p. m. Duo Disc Duo.
 - 6:30 p. m. Whittall Anglo Persians.
 - 7:30 p. m. At the Movies.
 - 8:00 p. m. Ethna Jettick Melodies.
 - 8:15 p. m. Collier's.
 - 9:15 p. m. D'Orsay.
 - 9:45 p. m. Fuller Brush.
 - 11:00 p. m. Pepsodent—Amos 'n' Andy
- COLUMBIA SYSTEM**
 - 8:00 a. m. Hymns of the Church.
 - 9:00 a. m. Morning Musicals.
 - 10:00 a. m. Children's Hour.
 - 12:20 p. m. Jewish Day Program.
 - 1:30 p. m. Liberty Entertainers.
 - 2:30 p. m. Diamond Entertainers.
 - 3:00 p. m. Symphonic Hour.
 - 4:00 p. m. Cathedral Hour Service.
 - 5:00 p. m. Maceo News Reel of Air.
 - 7:30 p. m. French Trio.
 - 7:45 p. m. Dr. Julius Klein.
 - 8:00 p. m. DuBarry Radio Modifiers.
 - 8:30 p. m. Sonatron Program.
 - 9:00 p. m. Majestic Theater of the Air.
 - 10:30 p. m. Jessie Crawford.
- N. B. C. RED NETWORK—December 16.**
 - 8:00 p. m. Radio Household Institute.
 - 8:30 p. m. m. oice of Firestone.
 - 9:30 p. m. General Motors.
 - 10:30 p. m. Headline Huntin'.
- N. B. C. BLUE NETWORK**
 - 1:00 p. m. Nat. Farm and Home Hour.
 - 7:30 p. m. Roxy and Her Friends.
 - 8:30 p. m. Whitehouse Concert.
 - 9:00 p. m. Edison Records.
 - 9:30 p. m. Real Folks.
 - 10:30 p. m. Ken-Rad Cabin Nights.
 - 11:00 p. m. Empire Builders.
 - 11:30 p. m. Pepsodent—Amos 'n' Andy.
- COLUMBIA SYSTEM**
 - 8:00 a. m. Organ Revue.
 - 8:30 a. m. Morning Devotions.
 - 9:30 a. m. Radio Monday Gloom Chasers.
 - 10:00 a. m. Ida Bailey Allen.
 - 11:00 a. m. Ellz. Fellows' Menu Club.
 - 12:30 p. m. Yoeng's Orchestra.
 - 1:30 p. m. Winton's Orchestra.
 - 2:00 p. m. Patterns in Prints.
 - 4:00 p. m. Musical Album.
 - 5:30 p. m. Closing Market Prices.
 - 6:30 p. m. Current Events.
 - 7:00 p. m. Levitow, Com. Ensemble.
 - 7:30 p. m. True Life Sketches.
 - 8:00 p. m. U. S. Army Band.
- N. B. C. RED NETWORK—December 17.**
 - 11:15 a. m. Radio Household Institute.
 - 4:30 p. m. Auction Bridge Game.
 - 5:00 p. m. University of Canada.
 - 7:30 p. m. Soconyland Sketches.
 - 8:00 p. m. Michelin Tiremen.
 - 8:30 p. m. Crosbyville.
 - 9:00 p. m. Eveready Hour.
 - 10:00 p. m. Cliequot Club.
 - 11:00 p. m. Radio Keith Orpheum.
- N. B. BLUE NETWORK**
 - 11:00 a. m. Forecast School Cookery.
 - 1:00 p. m. Nat. Farm and Home Hour.
 - 8:00 p. m. Pure Oil Band.
 - 9:00 p. m. Around World With Libby.
 - 9:30 p. m. College Drug Store.
 - 9:30 p. m. Dutch Master Minstrels.
 - 9:30 p. m. Winton's Orchestra.
 - 10:30 p. m. Earl Orchestrians.
- COLUMBIA SYSTEM**
 - 8:00 a. m. Organ Revue.
 - 8:30 a. m. Ida Bailey Allen.
 - 11:00 a. m. Kolumoku's Honoluluans.
 - 1:30 p. m. Tucker and Barclay Orch.
 - 3:30 p. m. Littmann's Entertainers.
 - 4:00 p. m. U. S. Army Band.
 - 6:00 p. m. Show Folks.
 - 7:00 p. m. Carborundum Program.
 - 8:00 p. m. Blastoff Plantation.
 - 9:00 p. m. Old Gold-Whitman Hour.
 - 10:00 p. m. Fada Orchestra.
 - 10:30 p. m. Night Club Romance.
 - 10:30 p. m. Lombardo-Royal Canadians.
 - 11:30 p. m. Hotel Paramount Orch.
- N. B. C. RED NETWORK—December 18.**
 - 10:15 a. m. National Home Hour.
 - 11:15 a. m. Radio Household Institute.
 - 8:00 p. m. Mobiloil.
 - 8:30 p. m. Happy Wonder Bakers.
 - 9:00 p. m. Levitow, Com. Ensemble.
 - 9:30 p. m. Palmolive Hour.
- N. B. C. BLUE NETWORK**
 - 10:30 a. m. Mary Hale Martin.
 - 11:00 a. m. Forecast School Cookery.
 - 1:00 p. m. Nat. Farm and Home Hour.
 - 1:45 p. m. Reznor Mfg. Company.
 - 7:00 p. m. Twilght Melodist.
 - 8:00 p. m. Sylvia's Pastors.
 - 9:00 p. m. Real Folks.
 - 9:30 p. m. Forty Fathom Trawlers.
 - 10:00 p. m. Stromberg.
 - 11:00 p. m. Pepsodent—Amos 'n' Andy.
- COLUMBIA SYSTEM**
 - 8:00 a. m. Organ Revue.
 - 8:30 a. m. Morning Devotions.
 - 10:00 a. m. Ida Bailey Allen.
 - 11:00 a. m. Mlady's Mirror.
 - 12:30 p. m. Yoeng's Orchestra.
 - 1:30 p. m. Tucker, Barclay Orchestra.
 - 3:00 p. m. Columbia Ensemble.
 - 5:00 p. m. Closing Market Prices.
 - 6:00 p. m. Wright Troubadours.
 - 6:30 p. m. Dr. Clark, French Lessons.
 - 6:30 p. m. Lombardo, Royal Canadians.
 - 7:00 p. m. Levitow, Com. Ensemble.
 - 8:00 p. m. Voice of Columbia.
 - 10:00 p. m. Kolster Radio Hour.
- N. B. C. RED NETWORK—December 19.**
 - 11:15 a. m. Radio Household Institute.
 - 5:00 p. m. Radio Keith Orpheum.
 - 7:30 p. m. Coward Comfort Hour.
 - 8:00 p. m. Fleischer Troubadours.
 - 9:00 p. m. Selberling Singers.
 - 10:00 p. m. Halsey Stuart.
 - 10:30 p. m. Radio Victor Program.
- N. B. BLUE NETWORK**
 - 10:45 a. m. Barbara Gould.
 - 11:00 a. m. Forecast School Cookery.
 - 1:00 p. m. Nat. Farm and Home Hour.
 - 8:30 p. m. Champion Sparkers.
 - 9:30 p. m. Maxwell House.
 - 10:30 p. m. Atwater Kent.
 - 10:30 p. m. Pepsodent—Amos 'n' Andy.
- COLUMBIA SYSTEM**
 - 8:00 a. m. Organ Revue.
 - 8:30 a. m. Morning Devotions.
 - 10:00 a. m. Ida Bailey Allen.
 - 10:30 a. m. Morning Merry-makers.
 - 11:30 a. m. Du Barry Beauty Talk.
 - 12:00 a. m. Columbia Noon Day Club.
 - 1:30 p. m. Stern, Ambassador Orch.
 - 3:00 p. m. Columbia Ensemble.
 - 7:00 p. m. Paul Specht's Orchestra.
 - 8:00 p. m. U. S. Army Band.
 - 10:00 p. m. Temple Hour.
 - 11:00 p. m. Dream Boat.
 - 12:01 a. m. Lombardo-Royal Canadians.
- N. B. C. RED NETWORK—December 20.**
 - 10:00 a. m. National Home Hour.
 - 6:30 p. m. Raybestos.
 - 7:00 p. m. Cities Service.
 - 9:00 p. m. An Evening in Paris.
 - 9:30 p. m. Schradertown Brass Band.
 - 10:00 p. m. Planters Frolics.
- N. B. C. BLUE NETWORK**
 - 1:00 p. m. Nat. Farm and Home Hour.
 - 7:30 p. m. Dixie Circus.
 - 8:00 p. m. Trindors.
 - 8:45 p. m. Craddock Terry.
 - 9:30 p. m. Philco Hour.
 - 10:00 p. m. Armstrong Quakers.
 - 10:30 p. m. Armour Hour.
 - 11:00 p. m. Pepsodent—Amos 'n' Andy.
- COLUMBIA SYSTEM**
 - 8:00 a. m. Organ Revue.
 - 9:30 a. m. Oakdets Orchestra.
 - 10:00 a. m. Ida Bailey Allen.
 - 10:30 a. m. Kolumoku's Honoluluans.
 - 11:45 a. m. Radio Beauty School.
 - 1:30 p. m. Harry Tucker and Orch.
 - 3:00 p. m. Columbia Ensemble.
 - 5:00 p. m. R. H. Auction Bridge.
 - 6:15 p. m. Closing Market Prices.
 - 6:30 p. m. Paul Specht's Orchestra.
 - 7:30 p. m. Howard Fashion Plates.
 - 10:30 p. m. Grand Opera Concert.
 - 11:00 p. m. Jan Garber's Orchestra.
- N. B. C. RED NETWORK—December 21.**
 - 11:15 a. m. Radio Household Institute.
 - 7:00 p. m. New Business Hour.
 - 7:30 p. m. Skelldians.
 - 8:00 p. m. All-American Mohawk.
 - 8:30 p. m. Laurel and Lyric.
 - 9:00 p. m. General Electric.
 - 10:30 p. m. Lucky Strike Dance Orch.
- N. B. BLUE NETWORK**
 - 1:00 p. m. Nat. Farm and Home Hour.
 - 6:30 p. m. Gold Spot Orchestra.
 - 8:30 p. m. Marvin Radio Tube.
 - 11:00 p. m. Pepsodent—Amos 'n' Andy.
- COLUMBIA SYSTEM**
 - 8:00 a. m. Organ Revue.
 - 8:30 a. m. Morning Devotions.
 - 11:00 a. m. Adventures of Helen, Mary.
 - 5:00 p. m. Musical Vespers.
 - 6:30 p. m. Levitow, Com. Ensemble.
 - 7:30 p. m. Nit Wit Hour.
 - 8:15 p. m. Babson Finance Period.
 - 9:30 p. m. The Gulbransen Hour.
 - 10:00 p. m. Paramount-Public Hour.
 - 11:00 p. m. Lombardo-Royal Canadians.
 - 12:01 a. m. Pancho's Orchestra.
 - 12:30 a. m. Midnight Melodies.

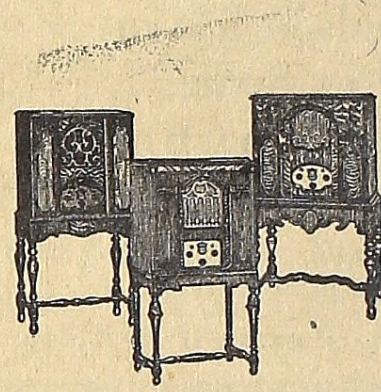
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Christmas Always One

CHRISTMAS in many places comes with a flurry of snow and ice. Part of its joy lies in the sound of carols upon the frosty air; the peal of glad bells across the snow; the warm and welcome glow of bright fires upon the hearth.

Christmas in other places comes with soft, caressing winds; it is greeted by blooming flower and tree; by a warm, fragrant atmosphere and sim-

ing blue skies and bright sunshine. But wherever and under what conditions Christmas comes it is a welcome day; a time of gladness and good cheer; of true and sincere friendliness and good will. Under its influence hearts thrill with happiness and content. To the young it brings new joy, to the old happy memories. Climate or country has nothing to do with it; it is the spirit and joy of the time that makes a merry Christmas.

So, whether one lives in the northland or the southland, Christmas is a

happy, merry day only in that measure that we have allowed its beautiful spirit to enter our hearts.—Eatherine Edelman.
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Have Christmas All Year

Christmas is a time of forgetting small enemies; if we determine to forget them all the year, we shall be having Christmas throughout the year.

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SHERMAN

Wm. Mark and son, Wayne, were at Turner Saturday.
Floyd Schneider was called to Flint on business Friday.
A shipment of new Dresses, Latest styles and colors. C. L. McLean & Co. adv.
Mr. and Mrs. Frank Middleditch of Flint spent a week at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Matt. Jordan.
L. A. Rakestraw was a business caller at Turner Saturday.
J. C. Barber took a truck load of his lambs to the Detroit market last Saturday.
Geo. Kohn purchased the house formerly owned by Chas. Schneider

from the National Gypsum Co. He has a crew of men at work preparing to move it on his farm in place of the one destroyed by fire about four weeks ago.
Chas. and John Jordan autoed to Turner and Whittemore on business Sunday.
Calvin Billings, Harvey and Don Schneider were out hunting Tuesday and were fortunate in bagging a big red fox. The boys feel quite proud of their luck.
Matt. Jordan was at Whittemore on business Wednesday.
Matt. Pavelock and mother were at Twining visiting relatives on Wednesday.
A. B. Schneider was at Whittemore on business Wednesday.

TOWNLIN

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Davis of Tawas City spent last Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Herman Miller.
A shipment of new Dresses, Latest styles and colors. C. L. McLean & Co. adv.
Mr. and Mrs. John Friederichsen were called to Saginaw a couple of weeks ago to attend the funeral of

his sister, Mrs. Smith. Mr. Friederichsen is still visiting his children at Flint and Detroit.
Mr. and Mrs. Herman Timreck and little son spent last Friday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Ulman.
Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Krumm and mother, Mrs. Thomas Ulman, and Frederick Ulman, all of Tawas City, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John Ulman.
Mrs. John Friederichsen spent last Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Joseph Freel.
Charles Kane of Tawas City visited with William Freel Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. U. Johnson of Alabaster visited Mr. and Mrs. Herman Miller last week and accompanied them to Bay City.

STATE OF MICHIGAN

The Probate Court for the County of Iosco.
At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the city of Tawas City, in said county, on the 25th day of November, A. D. 1929.
Present: Hon. Herman Dehnke, Circuit Judge, Acting Judge of Probate.
In the matter of the estate of Thomas Davison, deceased.
Mrs. Julia Davison having filed in said court her final administration account, and her petition praying for the allowance thereof and for the assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate.

It is ordered, that the 21st day of December, A. D. 1929, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for examining and allowing said account and hearing said petition.
It is further ordered, that public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in The Tawas Herald, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.
Herman Dehnke, Acting Judge of Probate.
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Wants, For Sale, Etc.

WANTED—Calif. Malcolm McLeod.

FOR SALE—Purebred Holstein cow 4 yrs. old, due December 10. Waldo Curry.

FOR SALE—1½ tons hay. Inquire David Blair.

NOTICE—My prices for furs are highest. Bring them to me if possible. If not, send me a card and I will call for them. Edward Parker, Whittemore R. 2.

LOST—Saturday, December 7, on U. S. 23 near Tawas, old black traveling bag and contents. Finder please notify or return to Dr. H. C. Graham, 824 N. Harrison, Saginaw.

LOST—Black collie dog. Rudolph Rempert.

MORTGAGE SALE

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made by Paul Potter and Elizabeth B. Potter, his wife, of Cleveland Ohio, to Frank Paulin, of the same place, dated the 6th day of April, A. D. 1928, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for the county of Iosco and State of Michigan, on the 7th day of April, A. D. 1926, in Liber 22 of mortgages, on page 529, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date of this notice, for principal and interest, the sum of Eight Thousand Five Hundred Fifteen and 50/100 Dollars (\$8515.50), and an attorney's fee of Thirty-five (\$35.00) Dollars, as provided for in said mortgage, and no suit or proceedings at law having been instituted to recover the moneys secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof.

Notice is hereby Given, that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and the statute in such case made and provided, on Saturday, the 15th day of February, A. D. 1930, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, the undersigned will, at the Court House in the City of Tawas City, that being the place where the Circuit Court for the county of Iosco is held, sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the amount so as aforesaid due on said mortgage, with six (6) per cent interest, and all legal costs, together with said attorney's fee, to-wit: Lots Numbered Six hundred ten to Six hundred sixteen, inclusive, Lots Six hundred three, Six hundred four, Six hundred five, Six hundred seven and Six hundred eight, Lots Seven, Nine, Ten, Twenty-eight, Thirty-one, Thirty-five, Thirty-seven, Forty-eight, Forty-nine, Sixty-three, Ninety-six, Ninety-seven, Ninety-eight, One hundred two, One hundred nine, One hundred ten, One hundred eleven, One hundred twelve, One hundred fourteen, One hundred fifteen, One hundred sixteen, One hundred seventeen, One hundred nineteen, and One hundred twenty, Lots One hundred twenty-eight, One hundred thirty-seven, One hundred thirty-eight, One hundred forty-three, One hundred forty-six, One hundred forty-seven, One hundred forty-nine, One hundred fifty, One hundred fifty-three, One hundred fifty-four, Lots One hundred sixty-six to One hundred eighty-three, inclusive, Lot One hundred eighty-five, and Lots One hundred eighty-nine to Two hundred twenty-nine, inclusive, of Christian Outing Grounds Association Plat of Kokosing, as recorded in Recorder's office in Iosco county, Michigan.
Frank Paulin, Mortgagee.
John A. Stewart, Attorney for Mortgagee.
Business Address: Tawas City, Michigan.

Dated November 15, 1929. 12-4C

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- 1928 Essex Sedan
- 1928 Essex Coach
- 1928 Chevrolet Coupe

These Cars must be sold by the first of the year to make room for the new models.

Will take your old car in trade if it runs.

ROACH MOTOR SALES

TAWAS CITY

MICHIGAN

STORE OPEN EVENINGS FROM DECEMBER 16th UNTIL CHRISTMAS

THE HENNIGAR CO.

WISHES EVERYONE A

MERRY CHRISTMAS

WE LIST below just a few of the many articles we have in our store, to help you in making your Christmas shopping a success. It is our desire to serve you in every way possible, and we are ready and eager to wait on you promptly and with courtesy.

Practical Gifts

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| Pure Silk Rollin's Hosiery | \$1.00 up to 2.00 | Flannel Shirts Priced at | \$1.75 up to 4.50 |
| Dress Gloves Priced at | \$2.75 up to 3.00 | Arrow Dress Shirts with Arrow collars | \$1.95 up to 3.50 |
| Lined Gloves Priced at | \$2.25 up to 5.00 | Part Wool Union Suits | \$1.95 up to 2.95 |
| Handkerchiefs, boxed Priced at | 25c up to 1.50 | House Slippers Priced at | \$1.65 up to 3.00 |
| Hand Embroidered Handkerchiefs | 25c up to 75c | Sweater Coats and Pullovers | \$3.00 up to 10.00 |
| Table Linens---Luncheon Sets Bridge Sets | \$1.00 up to 5.00 | Silk Socks Priced at | 50c up to 1.00 |
| Bed Spreads Victoria Star pattern | \$3.98 | Silk Mufflers Priced at | \$1.00 up to 3.50 |
| Scarfs Priced at | \$1.25 up to 3.00 | Neckties Priced at | 65c up to 1.25 |
| Silk Underwear---Brassieres, French Panties, Chemise, Etc. Pajamas | \$1.00 up to 4.00 | Linen Handkerchiefs Priced at | 25c up to 50c |
| A new line of the new "Silhouette" Dresses just received. New designs, new colors | 11.75 | Lined Dress Gloves Priced at | \$1.75 up to 7.50 |
| Other Dresses Priced at | 7.98 | Goodrich Zippers and Arctics | \$4.00 up to 5.00 |
| Ladies' Coats at Greatly Reduced Prices. Averaging 25 per cent Off | | Sheepskin Coats Priced at | \$7.50 up to 12.00 |



December 13th to December 20th

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| Big Four Soap Flakes package | 19c | Corn, fancy standard 2 cans for | 25c |
| Toilet Tissue 3 rolls for | 19c | Jello, all flavors 3 boxes for | 23c |
| Bulk Macaroni 3 pounds | 23c | Powder Sugar per package | 11c |
| Bulk Dates 2 pounds | 25c | Bananas 3 pounds | 25c |
| Bulk Marshmallows per pound | 19c | Grape Fruit 3 for | 25c |
| Candy Bars 3 for | 10c | Grapes 2 pounds | 25c |
| Coffee Our Special M. B. per pound | 29c | Walnuts, Diamond Brand per pound | 37c |
| Shredded Wheat per package | 11c | Chocolate Drops quality per pound | 15c |
| Lux Soap 4 bars for | 29c | Candy Kisses 2 pounds | 25c |
| Salted Peanuts 2 pounds | 25c | Hard Mixed Candy per pound | 19c |

FRIDAY & SATURDAY SPECIAL Pure Lard, per lb. . 13c

Cranberries, Sweet Potatoes, Celery, Lettuce, Oranges, Cabbage, Walnuts, 30 different kinds and varieties of Candy, to choose from for your Christmas needs, fancy box Candy.
Kindly leave your Poultry and Meat orders for Christmas early, so you will not be disappointed.

Moeller Brothers

TAWAS CITY

STORE OPEN EVENINGS FROM DECEMBER 16th UNTIL CHRISTMAS

It will pay you to look over our stock before you buy. We meet the prices quoted by any store.

Men's and Boys' Suits and Overcoats at Greatly Reduced Prices

WHITEMORE

about three miles south of Whittemore. He was struck over the head with a shot gun barrel and died instantly. His funeral was held at the home of Mrs. Joseph Collins in Bay City Monday. A large crowd went to the scene of the killing of George Gordon temore high school Friday night

were attended by more people than any other such event ever held by the school. Proceeds of the evening amounted to over \$206.00. The play put on in the hall here Tuesday night by the Turner Epworth league was well attended. Joseph Danin is in Detroit this week on business. Arden Charters spent the week end in Turner. Wm. Charters, who has been on the sick list, is some better. The O. E. S. observed children's night at the chapter rooms last Thursday night with a large crowd in attendance. After an evening of games and fun they were taken to the dining room and served with a delicious lunch. Clifton Anderson spent the week end at his home in Ypsilanti. Mrs. Blye, who has been visiting her parents in Texas the past month, returned home the first of the week.

WEEKEND SPECIALS

- Self Rising Flour 25c
- Pillsbury's, 5 lb. sack . . . 25c
- Pure Lard 26c
- 2 pounds for 26c
- Nut Oleo 15c
- per pound 15c
- Bread 7c
- long pound loaf 7c
- Coffee Lee & Cady 27c
- Brand, per pound . . . 27c
- Cup Oates 30c
- large size package . . . 30c
- Blackberries, Veribest 26c
- Brand, No. 2 can each . 26c
- Cookies, Schust's Fruit 24c
- Sandwich, per pound . . 24c
- Mixed Candy 14c
- per pound 14c

A Choice Selection of Candies, Nuts and Fruits
J. A. Brugger

NOTICE
To the owner or owners of any and all interests in or items upon the land herein described: Take Notice, that sale has been lawfully made of the following described land for unpaid taxes thereon, and that the undersigned has title thereto under tax deed or deeds issued therefor, and that you are entitled to a re-conveyance thereof at any time within six months after return of service of this notice upon payment to the undersigned or to the register in chancery of the county in which the lands lie, of all sums paid upon such purchase, together with one hundred per centum additional thereto, and the fees of the sheriff for the service or cost of publication of this notice, to be computed as upon personal service of a declaration as commencement of suit, and the further sum of five dollars for each description, without other additional cost or charges. If payment as aforesaid is not made, the undersigned will institute proceedings for possession of the land.

DESCRIPTION
State of Michigan, County of Iosco, West Half of Lot Ten, Block Nine, Village of Oscoda. Amount paid, tax for year 1925-\$1.30. Amount necessary to redeem-\$7.60, plus the fees of the sheriff.
James A. Hull,
Place of business: Oscoda, Michigan.
To Sarah J. Toole, last grantee in the regular chain of title of such lands or of any interest therein as appearing by the records in the office of the Register of Deeds of said county; James W. Sanderson and George W. McLaughlin, grantees under the tax deed issued by the Auditor General for the latest year's taxes appearing on record in said registry of deeds.
The Sheriff of Iosco County has been unable to ascertain the post-office address or whereabouts of Sarah J. Toole or of George W. McLaughlin.



"GIFTS THAT LAST"

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| <p>FOR HER</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Diamonds Wrist Watches Sport Watches Vanity Cases Birthingstone Rings Brooches Bridge Sets Ivory Sets Pearls Manicuring Sets Pen & Pencil Sets Bedroom Lamps Necklaces Mesh Bags Silverware Glassware | <p>FOR HIM</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Bill Folds Ash Trays Belt Chains Military Sets Book Ends Pocket Watches Wrist Watches Rings Pen & Pencil Sets Cigarette Cases Lighters Razor Sets Cuff Links Desk Clocks Stick Pins Fountain Pen Desk Sets |
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An extra fine line of Stainless Steel Pocket Knives, Kitchen Knives, low in price and high in quality, attractive to the boy or girl with 25c or 50c to spend.
Christmas Gift Carving Sets, stainless steel.



Make Outdoor Sports Enjoyable

To thoroughly enjoy outdoor sports, you must have the proper equipment. To enable you to choose the needed articles, we have provided a liberal showing of quality sport goods—Sleds, Skis, Johnson's Tubular Skates on shoes, \$7.50 per pair, Union Tubular Skates \$6.00 per pair, for men and women.



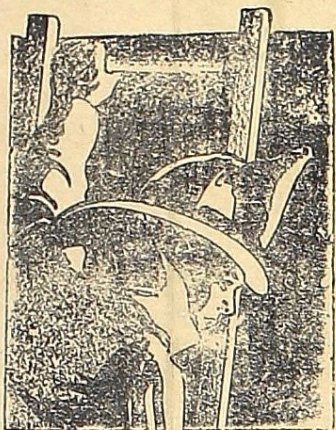
Lighten the Labor of Holiday Cooking

Plenty of dishes so you do not have to stop and wash a pot or pan to continue the preparation of your dinner, materially lightens the labor of cooking. We have the needed articles reasonably priced.
Pure White Granite on Armco Iron base or Wagner Cast Aluminum Ware make acceptable gifts.

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RENO

Mrs. Emily Robinson spent a few days the first of the week at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Chas.



Protect Yourself from Fire Losses

Today is the one best day to check up on your fire insurance policies and see if your property is fully protected. Tomorrow may be too late.

W. C. Davidson INSURANCE
Tawas City

Beardslee, in Tawas City. Mr. and Mrs. Will White and children spent Sunday at the home of his sister, Mrs. Roy Leslie, in Whittemore.

Mr. and Mrs. A. White are moving to Prescott this week.

Mrs. Alex Robinson was a business visitor at East Tawas Tuesday.

We forgot to mention that Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Harrell have moved to the Hill ranch, where Mr. Harrell has charge of the dairy barn.

Wm. Latta, Fred Latta, Mrs. Will Waters and Mrs. T. Frockins attended the annual meeting of the Isoco County Agricultural Society Monday afternoon at Tawas City.

The P. T. A. held a meeting at the Taft school last Friday evening. A short program was rendered after which hot coffee and sandwiches were served.

J. A. White was a business visitor at Detroit and Pontiac the first of the week.

Thos. White, Ed. Geiger and Lloyd Murray of Flint were callers at the Frockins home Saturday.

The Misses Iva and Violet Latta accompanied Rev. Larson on a trip to Bay City Saturday.

Will Waters and daughter, Shirley, were at Turner, where Shirley had dental work done, one day this week.

A shipment of new Dresses. Latest styles and colors. C. L. McLean & Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Allan Brown of Wilber were Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Josiah Robinson.

Fred Keith spent several days in Flint, returning on Saturday.

Thos. Frockins, Jr., spent Sunday and Monday near National City with friends.

Mrs. Louis Harsch, who is under a doctor's care, is spending a few days with Mrs. J. P. Harsch at Whittemore.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Robinson and children spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Charters.

Miss Leona Brown and Russell Binder spent Sunday evening with friends in Reno.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Brown and daughter, Leona, Mr. and Mrs. Will

White, daughter, Vernita, Blair Perkins and Thomas Frockins, Jr., surprised Thos. Frockins, Sr., last Thursday evening, the occasion being his birthday. Ice cream and cake were served.

Mrs. Will White accompanied Mrs. Roy Leslie and daughter, Lois, on a trip to Bay City Wednesday.

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DESCRIPTION

Northeast quarter of Northwest quarter, Section 33, Township 23, North of Range 6E. Amount paid, taxes for years 1922, 1923, 1924, 1925—\$41.26. Amount necessary to redeem—\$87.52.

All located and being in the county of Isoco, state of Michigan.

Dated September 27, 1929.

(Signed) Frank R. Dease, Place of business: Tawas City, Mich.

The Sheriff of Saginaw county has been unable to ascertain the postoffice address or whereabouts of John C. Brown.

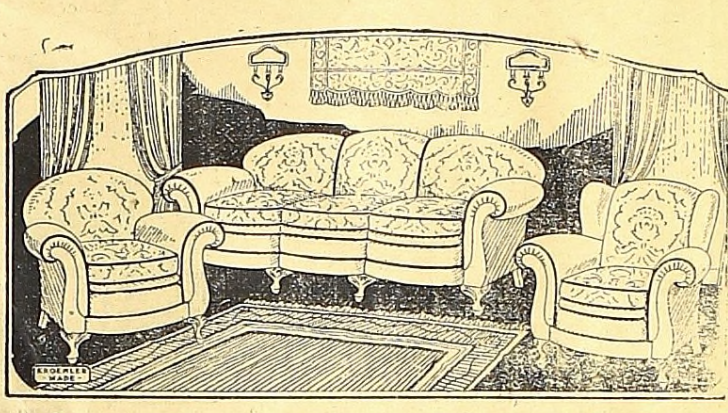


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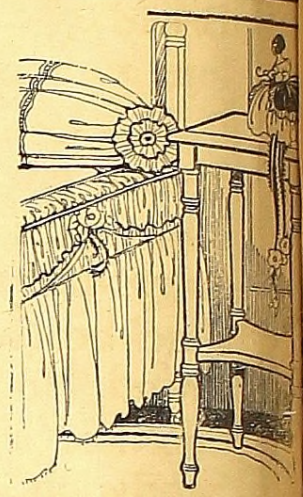


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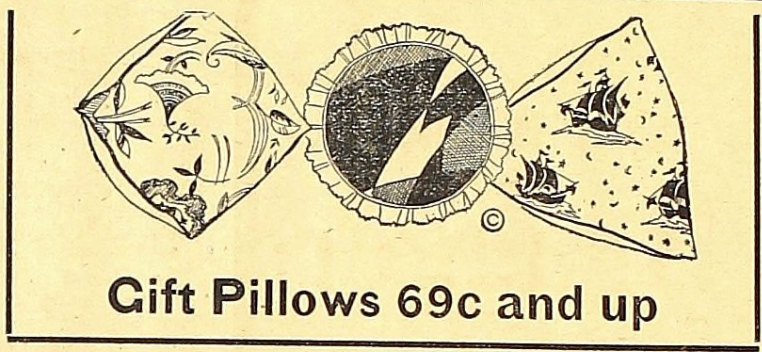
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Until Christmas Only

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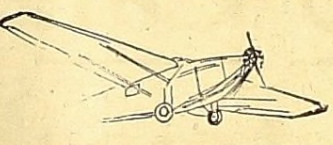
- PINS**
Pins, 3 packages for **10c**
- BOYS' SUITS**
5 Boys' Suits, sizes 5, 13, 14, 15, \$4.50 to \$7.50 values, only **\$2.50**
- MEN'S HEAVY WOOL SOCKS**
50c values for **38c**
75c values for **60c**
- LADIES' ALL SILK CHIFFON HOSE**
\$2.00 and \$1.50 values, only **\$1.25**
\$1.25 values only **90c**
\$1.25 service weight, only **90c**
- LADIES' ARCTICS**
1 lot of Ladies' 4-Buckle Arctics, special at **\$1.00**
- SWEATERS**
100 Boys' and Children's Sweaters, \$1.75 to \$3.75 values, your choice for **\$1.00**
- SHEEP LINED COATS**
For Men only **\$6.00**
For Boys 1 lot at **\$4.00**
For Boys 1 lot at **\$5.00**
- MEN'S UNION SUITS**
Men's Springtex 100% Wool Union Suits for **\$3.50**
50% Wool Suits, only **\$2.50**
- MEN'S OVERCOATS**
Only 2 left, sizes 38 and 39, \$25.00 values, only **\$14.00**
- CRETONS**
All Cretons, not over 10 yards to a customer **17c**
- LADIES' FELT SHOES**
\$2.50 to \$3.00 values, only **\$1.50**
- CROCHET COTTON**
Crochet Cotton 3 for **25c**
- MEN'S CAPS**
1 lot Men's Caps, \$1.50 to \$2.25 values only **\$1.00**
- BOYS' CAPS**
1 lot Boys' Caps \$1.50 values, only **50c**
- LADIES' NIGHT GOWNS**
Ladies Night Gowns \$1.00 values, only **69c**
- DOUBLE BLANKETS**
Double Blankets 70x80, only **\$1.90**
- CANVAS GLOVES**
12 oz. Gloves, 25c value, 2 pair for **25c**
- OUTING**
Yard wide outing, light and dark, 25c and 30c values, only **20c**
- BABY BONNETS**
Baby Bonnets 90c values, only **50c**
- OIL CLOTH PATTERNS**
Size 1 1/4 yd. by 1 yd. and size 1 1/4 yd. by 1 1/3 yd., 60c values choice **35c**
- MEN'S ARCTICS**
1 lot Men's 1 buckle Arctics, dress and work weights, special at **\$1.50**
- LADIES' FLEECE HOSE**
Ladies' Fleece Hose 50c values **25c**
- CHILDREN'S COMFORT SLIPPERS**
Regular \$1.75 Sheep Lined Slippers, only 1 lot \$1.00 value Felt Slippers **75c**
1 lot 90c value Felt Slippers **49c**
- LADIES!**
150 pair of Ladies' Arctics, Zippers and all-rubber Snap Galoshes, in black, grey, tan and brown. Per pair **\$1.00 to \$2.25**
Absolutely the greatest values ever offered in footwear. Ask to see them, as seeing is believing.
- CHILDREN'S GALOSHES**
Children's 4-buckle Galoshes, only **\$1.60**
- MEN'S LEATHER COATS**
5 left Values as high as \$14.00, only **\$9.00**
- MEN'S UNION SUITS**
Part Wool Fleece Lined per suit **\$1.50**
- LADIES' WOOL DRESS MATERIALS**
Regardless of width or quality, \$1.25 to \$2.25 values, while they last per yard **50c**
- LADIES' SILK UNDERWEAR**
Ladies' Silk Underwear, Slips, Gowns, Bloomers and French Pants—\$2.00 values for **\$1.50**
\$1.75 values for **\$1.25**
\$1.50 values for **\$1.00**
- ALL SILK MATERIALS**
From \$1.25 to \$2.50 values, while they last per yard **\$1.00**
- BLANKETS**
Big Reduction on All Wool and Part Wool Blankets. Ask to see them.
- SOO PANTS AND JACKETS**
Headquarters for Soo Pants and Jackets for less money.



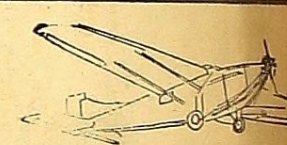
Gift Pillows 69c and up



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- Sleds **\$1.25** and up
- Bed Room Suites **\$59.00** and up
- Dining Room Suites **\$88.00** and up
- Card Tables **\$1.30** and up
- Scoters **\$1.00** and up
- Kiddie Cars **\$1.35** and up
- Tricycles **\$3.50** and up
- Doll Buggies **\$2.25** and up
- Toy Wagons **\$1.00** and up
- Toy Chairs **60c** and up
- Floor Lamps **\$5.00** and up
- Framed Pictures **ALL PRICES**
- Hand Bags **\$2.50** and up
- Table Lamps, Extra Special **\$4.75** and up
- Inner Spring Mattresses **19.00** and up
- Hockey Sticks **25c** and up
- Portable Phonographs **\$15.00** and up
- Phonograph Records 3 for **\$1.00**
- Fancy Pillows **69c** and up
- Magazine Racks **\$1.00** and up
- Smoking Tables **\$1.00** and up
- End Tables **\$2.50** and up
- Christmas Tree Lights **\$1.10** and up
- Prayer Rugs **\$5.50** and up
- Blankets for the car **\$2.50** and up
- Boudoir Chairs **\$10.50** and up
- Fancy Mirrors **98c** and up
- Vacuum Cleaners **\$39.50** and up
- Ukeleles **\$2.00** and up
- Mouth Organs **10c** and up

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Tawas Breezes

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Published in the interest of the people of Iosco County
Wilson Grain Co.
 BURLEY & LEE, Editors

Corn, \$1.30 per bu., cracked corn, \$2.50 per 100 lbs.; oats, 65c per bu.; ground oats, \$2.20 per 100 lbs.; corn and oat chop, \$2.30 per 100 lbs.; scratch feed, \$2.40 per 100 lbs.; bran, \$2.20 per 100 lbs.; middlings, \$2.50 per 100 lbs.; chicken wheat, \$2.50 per 100 lbs.; wheat screenings, \$2.20 per 100 lbs.; Hexite, \$2.25 per 100 lbs.

Customer (after clerk has pulled down all but one of the blankets on the shelves): "I don't really want to buy a blanket today. I was only

looking for a friend."
 Clerk (sweetly): "Well, madam, if you think your friend is hiding in the other one, I'll gladly take it down for you."

Salt: Barrel salt, \$2.75; 25 lb. sack, 35c; 50 lb. sack, 55c; 100 lb. sack, \$1.05; block salt, 50c.

Old She: I have just had my face lifted.

Young She: Nonsense! Who'd steal such a thing?

We are selling whole barley for \$2.00 per 100 lbs.; wheat screenings at \$2.20 per 100 lbs.

Egg coal, \$8.00 per ton; lump, \$8.50 per ton, delivered in either town.

Teacher: "Frank, what is a cannibal?"
 Frank: "Don't know, mum."
 Teacher: "Well if you ate your father and mother, what would you be?"
 Frank: "An orphan, mum."

Just unloaded a car of Hexite yesterday.

We are grinding every day of the week.

We have a little cement left yet.

Sign in a shop—"Patronizing us is like making love to an old maid—you can't overdo it."

Wilson Grain Company

and who are included as such unknown and unascertained defendants herein, or where their residence or present address may be.

On motion of N. C. Hartingh, attorney for Plaintiffs, it is ordered that the appearance of each and all of said defendants above named and their heirs, legatees, devisees and assigns, be entered in said cause within three months from the date of this order; and in case of such appearance that they respectively cause their answer to the bill of complaint in this cause to be filed therein, and a copy thereof to be served upon Plaintiffs' attorney within fifteen days after service of a copy of said bill of complaint upon them, and a notice of this order, and that in default thereof said bill be taken as confessed by them.

It is further ordered that within forty-five days from the date of this order, Plaintiff cause a copy thereof to be published in the Tawas Herald, a newspaper printed and published in Iosco County, for six successive weeks, once in each week; or that Plaintiff cause a copy of this order to be served personally upon said defendants, at least twenty days before the time above stated for their appearance, and cause a copy of this order to be mailed to each such absent, concealed or non-resident defendant (except such unknown heirs and defendants) at his or her last known post-office address, by registered mail.

This suit is brought to quiet title to—
 "A piece of land in Lot 5, Section 3, Town 23 North, Range 9 East, Iosco County, Michigan, bounded as follows: Commencing at a stake 162 feet south from the north line of said Lot 5, on the west side of said lot, thence south 528 feet to centre of bridge over AuSable river; thence south 132 feet to a stake; thence east parallel with north line of Lot 5 to Lake Huron; thence north to a stake set 162 feet from said north line of Lot 5, being the 3/4 line of said Section 3; thence west to point of beginning."

Lated November 30th, 1929.
 Herman Dehnke,
 Circuit Judge.

Rat a Costly Pest
 Damage by rats to produce and property in the United States amounts to about \$200,000,000 annually. Rats affect a larger percentage of the population than any other pest in existence.

HALE

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Slosser on Sunday, December 8th, a boy.

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STATE OF MICHIGAN

ORDER OF THE CONSERVATION COMMISSION MAKING A CLOSED SEASON OF BEAVER
 Pending further consideration of the dates and regulations for an open season on beaver in the Upper Peninsula, the Conservation Commission by authority of Act 230, P. A. 1925, hereby orders that for a period of one year from January 1, 1930, it shall be unlawful to molest, trap, hunt, shoot or kill, or attempt to molest, trap, hunt, shoot or kill any beaver in the State of Michigan.

Signed, sealed and ordered published this first day of November, 1929.
 George R. Hogarth, Director,
 Department of Conservation,
 Conservation Commission by:
 Wm. H. Loutit, Chairman.
 Ray E. Cotton, Secretary. 3-48

STATE OF MICHIGAN

The Probate Court for the County of Iosco.

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the city of Tawas City, in said county, on the 26th day of November, A. D. 1929.
 Present: Hon. David Davison, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of T. H. Gouthey, deceased.
 W. E. Glendon, Administrator, having filed in said court his final administration account, and his petition praying for the allowance thereof and for the assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate,

It is ordered, that the 23rd day of December, A. D. 1929, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for examining and allowing said account and hearing said petition;
Dr. C. F. Smith, M. D., C. M.
 Physician and Surgeon
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 2 1/2 Years Internship on Diseases of the Nervous System
 Office Hours—9 to 12 a. m.;
 2 to 5 p. m.; 7 to 9 p. m.
 Phone 297 Tawas City

It is further ordered, that public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Tawas Herald, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

DAVID DAVISON,
 Judge of Probate.
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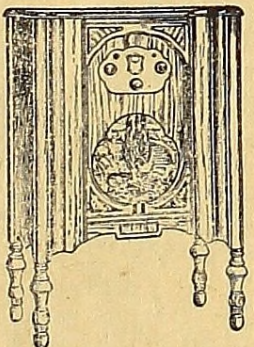
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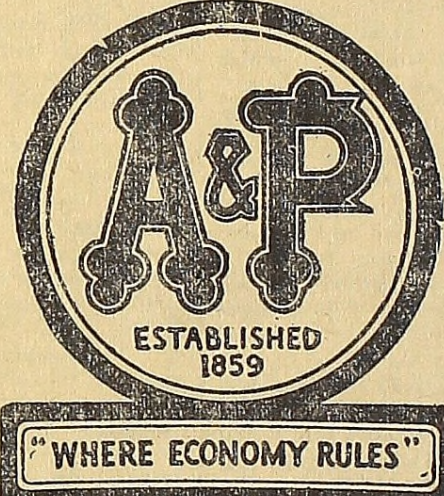
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CHAPTER VIII—Continued

Joshua swung around with amazing quickness in a man of his size. There was a look almost of sly consideration in the china-blue eyes that stabbed questioningly into Fellowes'.

"Ah, yes," he answered. "Heard of you, Captain Fellowes. Heard of the incident you mention of course. That d—d cur, Chater—ah, ahem, hump! But why'd you come to me? You must know my brother and I—"

"I have information in that connection which I think will interest you," Fellowes interrupted quickly.

Inglepin drew a step nearer. There was no suggestion of slyness in his face, now. His expression was eager, curiously avaricious. His blue eyes were cold as Fellowes' own.

"This d—d license business, eh?" "That—and more."

Inglepin hesitated, then asked abruptly: "Treason, eh?"

"I believe so, sir," "Knew it, by G—d!" Joshua snapped his lip delightedly.

"Knew the d—d fool couldn't play with fire, and not burn his fingers. Knew it soon as I heard he was keepin' on the True Bounty's crew. But you, sir, bow'd you—"

"I can't tell you here, Mr. Inglepin. Will it suffice if I say I escaped several days ago from the Badger sloop-of-war? And have just surprised your brother and his daughter, with Chater, entertaining Captain Collishawe at Chater's farm on Long Island?"

Joshua Inglepin slipped his arm through Fellowes', and the light in his eyes danced and flickered as if a wind was blowing it.

"Come with me," he said. "My office will do. Glad you dropped in, Captain Fellowes. Believe you and I can do some business. Eh? Treason! But I expected it. I expected it. Ben always would over-reach himself. Ha, ha! The d—n fool!"

"A petition Lord Wellington said, the ministers were cordial, but they'd require a definite petition I'm persuaded 'tis that document your brother has been concocting these past months."

"He's been hand-in-glove with every runagate Federalist in the North," admitted Joshua.

"Exactly, sir. And my guess is that before going further with it they awaited some answer from the Canadian authorities. If I'm right 'twas that answer Collishawe delivered at Babylon."

"And why wouldn't they have turned over the petition, or whatever the thingummy was, to him?" "Tis likelier they'd choose to convey it themselves since most delicate negotiations would flow from it. I feel this the more strongly, sir, after hearing the True Bounty is held ready for sailing."

"Sounds reasonable," growled Joshua. "So our job is to find this about-inable scrawl?"

"We should have your brother's house and office searched tonight," Fellowes returned promptly.

"You'll find no papers in Ben's house or office, Captain Fellowes, you nor anyone. I knew the scoundrel and knowing him I refuse to underestimate him. Aboard ship, maybe. Yes, but not until after she's sailed."

"Wait for his sailing, then, and pursue," exclaimed Fellowes.

"Take him red-handed, eh? That would be best. You may depend upon it, he and Chater are taking extraordinary precautions in whatever they are up to. As for the girl—Humph! If my eyes tell me anything, she has more sense than her father."

"She is unusually intelligent," Fellowes agreed heavily. "I'd prefer not to speak of her."

"Humph! Ha! Quite so! But if I'm to play with you, captain, I want all the cards on the table—face up!" "I have no intention that it should be otherwise, sir."

Inglepin was undeterred by the frosty note in his caller's tone.

"No necessity for pique," he asserted briskly. "I can't afford to run the risk of having good plans spoiled by a man's weakness for a woman. The china-blue eyes danced again with the flickering light that seemed at once to warm and chill them. "Seen it happen too often. Shouldn't put it past Ben to use her for that purpose."

so sure tis—ah—what you call it. Captain Fellowes; but the settlement will safeguard my interests."

"And what may your interests be?" Fellowes asked harshly.

"Need you ask?" countered the merchant. "I am on all fours with you in this matter, sir. I'd see Ben hung high as Haman, and Chater beside him. The girl—Well, we needn't discuss her. 'Tis not pleasant for you, and I'd not fight a woman, might I help it."

"What of Collishawe?" "That's your affair."

"Nathless, he must figure in any bargain we strike," declared Fellowes. "Granted," conceded Joshua, "with in limitations."

"As what?" "To begin with, we must inform the proper authorities of your discoveries. I'm as skeptical as yourself of the efficacy of this step, but 'twould be in advisable to ignore it. I am, I may say—"

"The mellow voice became a shade pompous—"on terms of intimacy with Governor Tompkins, who is also in command of the military district for the administration. Whatever he can do to aid us, we may rely upon. I'll see him, myself. So shall you. And we'll present the matter to him without reservation, eh?"

"I am willing," Fellowes agreed. "And then, sir?"

"Come with me, if you please." Joshua took his hat, and motioned toward the door.

"Don't wait for me, Howell," he called to the gray clerk as they passed to the street.

Fellowes was silent until they had crossed the road.

"What other limitations to our bargain had you in mind, sir?" he asked.

"Only such as motives of patriotism should place upon the satisfaction of private enmity. Your pursuit of Captain Collishawe must await the destruction of my brother's conspiracy."

"To pursue them back we'll require a ship."

"Exactly my thought, captain! 'Tis a ship we are after this moment!" They entered South street, and turned toward Gouverneur. Ahead of them was Christian Bergh's shipyard, and Fellowes' face lightened at sight of the graceful fabric that loomed above the scaffolding of the ways.

"Ah, the beauty! The sweetest brig I ever saw!"

"No shipwright like old Christian," Inglepin responded.

"Is she yours?"

"Not yet. 'Christian built her for speculation. Out of blind pride and confidence in his own skill."

"She's heavier built than the regular clippers," commented Fellowes.

"What's her tonnage?"

"Close to four hundred, I think. Christian built her for strength, no less than speed. And she's well sparred, you see. You could drive her in a gale under tops'ls."

"But she's long for her beam?" "Yes, that's to give her clearance. She's 115 feet over all, and 28 feet beam."

Rounding the bow, Fellowes saw the name Centurion carved in square-block letters just aft of the masts.

He stood so long on his vantage point, feasting his eyes on the swelling lines of the hull, estimating the sail spread of the lofty masts, fancying how she could be pushed in ordinary winds, and driven in dirty weather, that he did not hear Joshua's summons until it had been repeated.

"Oh, I beg your pardon," he exclaimed and scrambled down to shake hands with leathery, squint-eyed Christian Bergh.

"You like her, ja?" the old shipwright asked proudly.

"She's the handsomest thing I ever saw, Mr. Bergh. I only wish I could buy her."

"Fifteen 'ousan' tollars I ask for her, mit sails, battery, ebery'ing."

"I haven't fifteen thousand dollars, but I'll bid—"

"You don't need it," Joshua interrupted abruptly. "She's sold." He turned to Bergh. "I'll pay the money into Barkers for you, eh, Christian?"

"Yes. Fight her, and take her." "A dangerous business! If 'twas a Frenchman, now, or a bloody Dago. But a Britisher!"

"Aye, the best ship of her size in the King's fleet," Fellowes rejoined, uncompromisingly.

There was comprehension, yes, and respect, in the look Joshua gave the Long Islander.

"Hate him that much, eh? But there'd be no sense in sinking your self doing it."

"None," Fellowes admitted. "But with the right battery—"

He broke off, and hailed the shipwright, who loitered near, gazing lovingly on the thing he had created.

"Mr. Bergh. What guns were you figuring for her?"

"Well, I leave dot for you undt Mr. Inglepin. But if you put in carronades, heraps we say eighteen-pounders, den you better not hafe more dan sixteen—undt a couple of long twelves for chasers."

Fellowes shook his head.

"A privateer has no proper use for carronades," he said. "She should never fight at close range. Give us long twelves in the broadside batteries, and we'll mount a twenty-four-pounder Long Tom forward on a pivot."

"A twenty-four-pounder!" Mr. Inglepin cried protestingly. "You'd rack her to pieces."

But Christian Bergh dissented vociferously.

"Not dot Centurion! I buildt her for rough work. Ja! We put in some more heavy beams in der fore'stle, undt brace der deck."

"Yes, you'd better reinforce those bulwarks, Mr. Bergh. I'd like her to be as strong as a navy vessel of her class."

"She will be," promised the shipwright. "Mit dot brig you can fight a King's ship, if she chase you. Ja!"

They talked then of storage room, and spare sails and cables, and arrangements in the galley for a numerous crew—you'd best reckon on a hundred and fifty men, captain."

advised Inglepin. "Aside from our private ventures, I hope you'll have the luck to pick up prizes. And prizes take hands to bring them in."

And afterward, in the glow of late afternoon, they said good-bye to Bergh, and retraced their steps to the warehouse in Front street. Joshua led the way to the table beside which they had held their earlier conversation.

"I am a business man, sir," he said, pointing to a chair. "And I find it more satisfactory to have definite agreements, of a contractual nature, with persons I deal with. So, if you have no objections, we will reduce our relations to writing. Perhaps you will be so kind as to express your side of the bargain?"

Fellowes peered out the small-paned window next him at the tree-bordered street, dusty and peaceful and very quiet since the workers had gone home. It was difficult to associate this soberly charming scene with all the wild and turbid events that had preceded it.

It was difficult to imagine that only a few miles distant, off Sandy Hook, the Badger plied her errands on the blockade, that perhaps Collishawe had pressed three more men to take the place of Tom, Cuffee and himself.

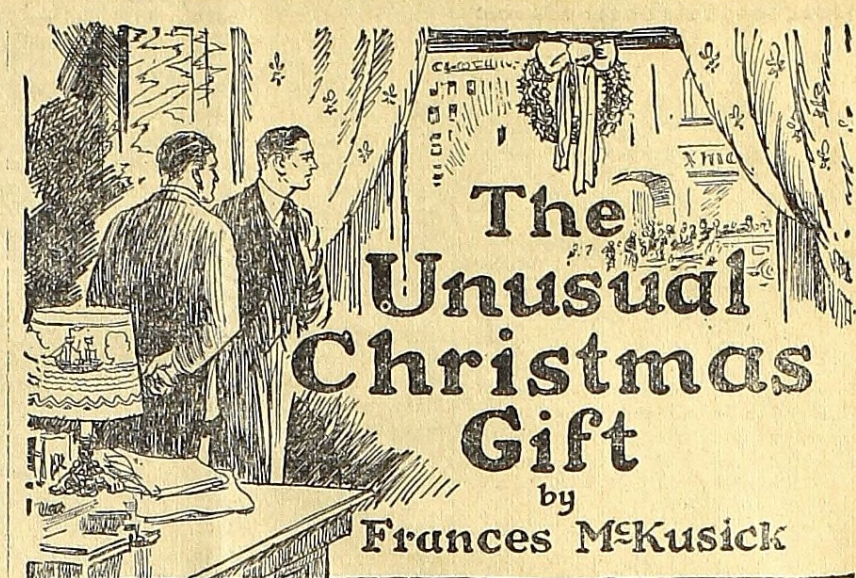
He was conscious of Joshua Inglepin's china-blue eyes studying his expression with avid intensity.

"My bargain is of the simplest, sir," he answered coolly. "You will purchase the brig Centurion for operation as a privateer. I am to be master of the brig, and I will sail as soon as may be, whenever the True Bounty puts to sea. My major object will be to overhaul the True Bounty, search her for papers or documents of treasonable purport, and if any such are found, seize all persons aboard her. Having done so much, I shall be at liberty to make every attempt to bring the sloop-of-war Badger to action, after which I will return to this port, and render account to you of my operations."

"Clearly phrased," applauded Joshua, grasping a quill pen in his chubby hand. "I will write it, by your leave, sir. A mere matter of form, captain, but advisable, always advisable." He scribbled rapidly at a sheet of foolscap. "Here, sign if you please."

Fellowes wrote his name, with a perverse sense of futility in the gesture.

(TO BE CONTINUED)



IT WAS cold. About six inches of snow had fallen within the last few days. The stores were gay with their glistening decorations and pretty holiday gifts. The pine and spruce trees on the lawns were shining with many colored electric lights. It would be Christmas in a few days.

John Clair and Gordon Lawson were sitting before the open fire in the New Haven University club. They were young, good looking and frankly men of leisure.

"I think I shall go to Miami soon," said John Clair, as he filled his pipe. "It's getting cold here now."

"Why don't you stay a while?" asked Gordon, "the season's just started, and there are some very pretty debs this year."

"Women, all you think of is women," said Clair disdainfully.

The two men were silent for a few minutes. Then John said: "Oh, by the way, Lawson, what are you giving the ladies for Christmas?"

"Why?" "Oh—just a matter of my feeble but still functioning curiosity."

"For Carmine—a gorgeous dresser set (she's vain); for Leah—a rope of pearls (she has an unusually beautiful throat) for Marise—"

"Stop!" interposed Clair. "Why don't you give her something original—a beautiful shoe tree set, for instance?"

"What are you going to give the darlings for Christmas?" demanded Lawson.

"My dear Lawson," he answered condescendingly, "I am going to present a girl with her brother as a gift."

"A brother? Why not a husband?" "That will come later. Shall I tell you the story?"

"Yes, go ahead—if it gets too tiresome I'll let you know."

"Do you remember when I graduated from Yale?" began Clair; "that was about three years ago, I believe, and a notable year, because it was the last time I ever did any work."

Lawson sighed. "Ah—the detailed history of John Clair," he murmured.

"My father died the year after, you will recall," continued Clair. "Well, the last year I was at school the family went to Europe and closed the town house. So I rented a flat."

"You were always clever," said Lawson with mock appraisal.

"Strange as it may seem to you, Lawson, I have a hidden talent. I can write. When I was in school I even had aspirations to be a newspaper man."

"I see. This is only about yourself. There are no women in this narrative."

"Wait a moment. There will be presently. The whole story hangs on the fact that about Christmas time that year I wrote an unusually good

English theme. It was about a Russian Christmas."

"Good Lord," ejaculated Lawson, "you've never been to Russia, man."

"I know, but I took the idea from a book, or magazine or something, and rewrote it. Well, the good-hearted prof. handed it in to one of the papers, and they published it. How realistic that story was you will understand in a few minutes."

"I hope so."

"Christmas eve I was coming home rather late from a party, in fact a series of parties, so it was almost dawn when I let myself in the apartment. And what should I see curled up asleep on the chesterfield but a girl. She was poorly dressed, and she had a lot of dark hair that had fallen across her face, so I couldn't tell whether or not she was pretty, but I took the chance, and awakened her. She sat up straight and looked at me and smiled. She was beautiful, fine features and that sort of thing. And a figure that would make most of these debs turn green with envy. Well, anyhow she started talking to me in an ungody tongue and all I could do was look amazed.

"Aren't you Russian?" she asked.

"Heaven forbid, I replied; 'I am a God-fearing American citizen, about to graduate from Yale, and—'

"I beg your pardon," she said coldly, and moved toward the door.

"I am sorry if I have offended you in any way," I apologized. "Won't you at least stay and have breakfast with me?"

"She shook her head, but when she saw how it was snowing outside she reconsidered, and turned around.

"I suppose you deserve an explanation," she said.

"You don't have to tell me a thing if you don't care to," I replied.

"You funny boy; don't you think it is at all strange to find a girl whom you'd never seen before, asleep in your apartment?"

"I don't know—I was just wondering why I ever stopped believing in Santa Claus," I answered.

The girl laughed, and after that we got along beautifully. While we were eating breakfast she told me all about it. It seems that she was a member of the aristocracy in Russia, not a princess, perhaps, but still of very high rank. Well, she and her brother managed to get along for a

time, then one day he left her to go to another town on business, and he never came back. She heard from him once or twice, and he said he was escaping to America, and asked her to follow him. So she did. And she told her story to the New York and Boston newspapers, but she was never able to find any trace of him. Almost penniless, she came to New Haven. She read my story, thought perhaps I was a Russian writing under a pen name, went to the newspaper office, obtained my address, and with a few faint hopes, she came to my apartment.

"Of course the men in the office knew who you were," she said indignantly, "but I suppose they thought it would be a good story for you to find me here."

"God bless the newspaper men," I said fervently. "And I'll help you find your brother—what is your name, by the way?"

"Dounia Petromonoff, but I couldn't think of letting you try to find him," she protested.

"Think nothing of it. I am training to be a detective, and that will be good practice."

"I don't believe it," she laughed, "but you are a dear American, so I think I shall let you."

"How nice of her," interrupted Lawson. "And I suppose you found the brother?"

"Yes, I found him just a few days ago, playing in a cafe in Hartford. It was a sort of Russian resort. So I gave him her address and a little cash. As you have probably concluded, I fell in love with the girl, but I decided I wouldn't ask her to marry me until I had found her brother."

"I understand. You wanted to make her feel indebted to you."

"She is wonderful," he mused, "wonderful."

The two men smoked in silence for a few minutes. Then a boy brought in the afternoon mail. Clair looked through his until he found a small envelope addressed in large, unusual handwriting.

"An invitation to spend Christmas with Dounia and her brother," he exclaimed, as he tore open the letter.

"May I come, too?" teased Lawson. Clair read:

"Dear Johnnie: I want to thank you very much, many times for finding Leo. It has made me very happy, and you were so kind to look for him. But I want to ask your forgiveness for deceiving you, for it wasn't my brother whom you were looking for. It was my husband.

"He sends his best regards. We both want you to spend Christmas with us. You will come, won't you, Johnnie? Affectionately, "DOUNIA."

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ARMY AIR CORPS IN NEED OF FUNDS

Fechet Cites Hazards and Shortage of Pilots.

Washington.—Lack of funds for training reserves and maintaining proper ground facilities for the army air corps has resulted in an acute shortage of pilots and added extra hazards to flying at certain army fields, Maj. Gen. James E. Fechet announced in his annual report to the secretary of war.

Training of both army pilots and members of the air corps reserve has been severely handicapped, the air corps chief reported, adding that the shortage of maintenance funds is resulting in a condition which will leave the air army of the national defense unprepared for emergency purposes unless steps are taken to correct the situation.

Kelly Field Conditions Bad. "Hindrances to flying have resulted, due to the poor condition of hangars and other equipment necessary at flying fields, for the maintenance and protection of aircraft," Maj. Gen. Fechet said.

"This situation has become so acute as to be classed dangerous at some stations, such as Kelly field, Texas. Unless funds are made available for temporary repairs pending the permanent construction proposed in the five-year program, this condition will become worse."

"At Rockwell field, California, no space is available for the storage of bombardment type airplanes, so it is necessary to leave these airplanes exposed to the weather day and night."

"Lack of funds has prevented necessary construction at Fort Crockett, Texas, for the adequate housing of airplanes and equipment of the attack group stationed at that post. It is contemplated increasing this group to its authorized strength; however, this increase will necessarily consist only of an increase in personnel, as no hangar space is available for an increase in the number of airplanes assigned."

One Observation Squadron. "At present only one observation squadron is available for all the missions required in conjunction with other troops on the Pacific coast. This squadron is stationed at San Francisco and is able to perform only a small proportion of the missions which should be expected."

"No air corps troops are stationed in the vicinity of Puget sound, where excellent facilities exist for training with three other branches of the army. This condition cannot be corrected until the necessary increase in equipments or units becomes available. Lack of funds prevents their assignment to foreign possessions, where an acute need exists for additional pilots to operate the aircraft assigned."

"A new system of classifying reserves according to their flying efficiency has been put into effect," the air corps chief said. "This system calls for a lengthy report showing the physical, flying and professional status of every active reserve officer. The report also shows the amount and type of flying engaged in by reserves each month."

"These reports disclose that, although there are 5,934 reserves in the air corps, only about 1,500 of these are qualified for flying service. Some 600 of this 1,500 are qualified for immediate service; the remainder would require fresher training before they could be used in tactical units for combat service."

Major General Fechet said that a number of long-distance cross-country flights of tactical units, particularly bombardment, pursuit and attack planes, will be made this coming year to points as far distant as Panama. The army air corps plans, he said, to concentrate all its air forces some time during the 1931 fiscal year for a maneuver in conjunction with ground troops.

Decision in Michigan Should Impress Pilots

Detroit.—Through a Circuit court decision by which Frank Wrede, a Detroit pilot, was placed on probation and forbidden to carry passengers for two years, Michigan has established a new precedent in the regulation of flying.

Wrede's sentence, imposed by Judge Frank L. Covert at Pontiac, after Wrede had pleaded guilty to involuntary manslaughter, has attracted attention among airmen everywhere because of the emphasis it places on a pilot's responsibility. The case grew out of the death of Joseph Kel, killed in the crash of a plane piloted by Wrede.

In some quarters Wrede's sentence is hailed as a good measure to impress pilots with the seriousness of their tasks. Others see it as material to be used in justification of claims that the standards of piloting are not high enough.

Maj. Clarence M. Young, assistant secretary of commerce for aeronautics, sees the case as a commendable example of Michigan's control over intra-state flying.

Know Their Vegetables

It is revealed by the Air Corps News Letter that the Fifteenth Observation Squadron at Selbridge field, Mount Clemens, Mich., knows not only its onions but its beans and peas and lettuces as well. In addition to supplying all its own wants in the line of fresh vegetables during the year, this thrifty outfit sold enough out of its garden during the year to swell the company fund by \$600.

Priest Invents Plane With Ten Propellers

Wanatah, Ind.—Patent rights have been granted Rev. David L. Faurtoe, age thirty-five, of Sacred Heart church here for a plane which will rise vertically. It has ten propellers instead of one, with vertical instead of horizontal wings.

Aviation experts who have examined his working model assert such a plane feasible. The ten propellers are constructed similar to paddle wheels of old-fashioned river steamboats.

A com, adjustable while the ship is in motion, gives the propellers a downward thrust. Blades of some propellers, four or six, would be set to pull the plane forward. Others would push downward.

The priest has never been a passenger in a plane or had training in aviation. He was educated for the priesthood at Rensselaer and Cincinnati.

NERVES FREQUENTLY CAUSE AIRSICKNESS

New York.—Airsickness may best be combated by proper ventilation of planes, by flying at high altitudes where air is not disturbed and by disjelling nervousness on the part of passengers, according to a report on the subject made by the Daniel Guggenheim Fund for the Promotion of Aeronautics.

The fund asked for opinions of authorities both here and abroad on airsickness, which is regarded as a minor, but difficult problem in air passenger travel which has not been entirely solved. While it is not as serious as seasickness, airsickness nevertheless causes discomfort to many travelers, and the air transport operators are eager to find a means of relieving those patrons who suffer from it.

Many of the authorities consulted by the fund were of the opinion that the psychological attitude has most to do with airsickness.

The following comment was received from the bureau of aeronautics of the United States navy: "Experience indicates that the question of airsickness is primarily a psychological one, secondarily one of bad ventilation with its effects accentuated by motion of the airplane, and only in a third and relatively minor degree is it a matter of the disturbed motion of the plane alone."

"Very few cases of airsickness occur in open cockpit planes which were not caused by violent stunting, and even in the case of acrobatic flying, two or three experiences generally acclimatize the passenger so that he becomes reasonably indifferent to the motion."

"Occasionally cases of airsickness occur in closed cabin machines, and in practically every case those affected were a little nervous about flying. To sit grim and tense is certainly one of the best ways of inducing physical trouble, especially if the air is rough."

NEW DIRECTOR

Capt. Gilbert G. Budwig of Cleveland, Ohio, who was made director of aeronautics of the United States Department of Commerce. He succeeds Clarence M. Young, who was promoted to be assistant secretary of commerce for aviation.

No Place for Him

Pilot Pomeroy, flying a big amphibian over the western edge of Hudson's bay, saw what he thought were a number of flat, round rocks in the water below and alighted to investigate. The "rocks" began to move, chiefly downward, but came up immediately, revealing themselves as a school of whales to the startled airman, who responded to their playful advances by taking off as speedily as possible.

Motor Output Increases

Airplane motor production in the United States during the first six months of this year totaled 3,826, an increase of 78 per cent over the production during the same period of 1928, according to a survey by the Aeronautical Chamber of Commerce. The retail value of these motors was \$14,349,375.



They Were Young, Good Looking, and Frankly Men of Leisure.

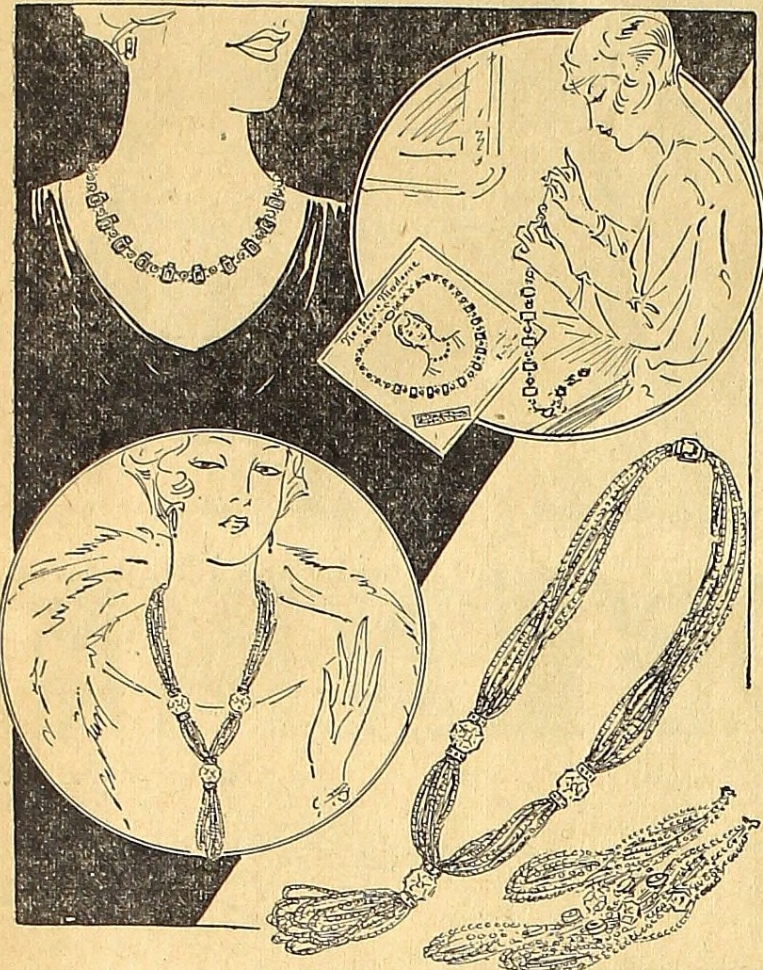
Discovery of Vitamine Vital to Human Race

The greatest discoveries of benefit to the human race have been the result of accident. Columbus, seeking for a short cut to India, stumbled on America. Perkin, searching for a means of producing artificial quinine, hit upon aniline dyes. When Japan and Russia were in the throes of a death struggle for supremacy, Japan's navy was being decimated by beri beri. Laboring to find a preventative for the disease, that was making the Japanese panic-stricken, some one remembered that a Dutch scientist discovered in 1897 that pigeons fed on polished rice developed a disease which had all the characteristics of

beri-beri. Orders were issued forthwith to stop feeding the sailors with polished rice and to substitute the whole grain; promptly and without delay, the beri-beri disappeared. Scientists, in their efforts to discover the "why," as a famous author expressed it, found the missing link that binds food to health, happiness and achievement—they came upon the vitamine. It was this discovery that enables the human family to keep from starving on a full stomach.

Tree Belfries Many of the first Christian church bells were fastened in tall trees that stood near the church, writes Satis N. Coleman in his book, "Bells." Even today, in some villages of Russia and other countries, the bell hangs on the branches of a tall tree in the churchyard. In Iceland the bell usually is placed in the "lych gate," a covered entrance to the graveyard. The tree belfry

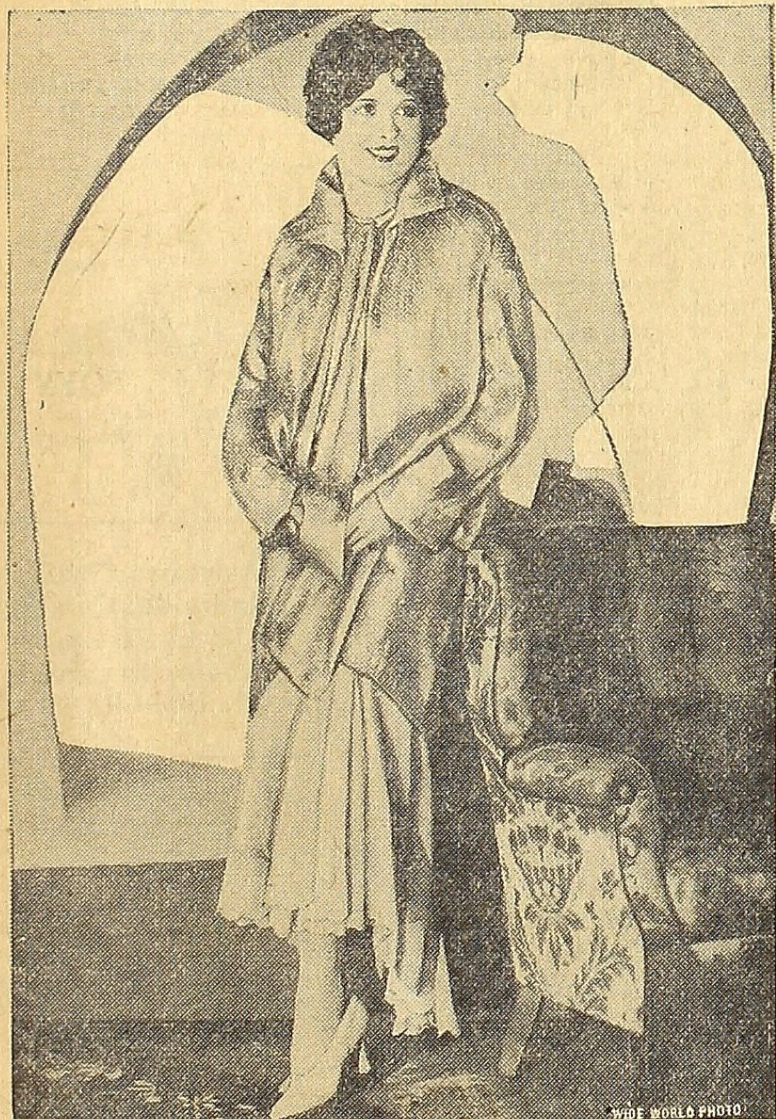
Pretty Things that are made at Home



WHAT an adorable necklace you have on! Just matches the green tone of your hat! Where could I buy one like that? Only I would want mine in a brown shade, to go with my new velvet dress. "Sh! sh! it's a secret," the lady wearing the beautiful necklace very likely will reply, unless she is a very kindly disposed friend, in which event she will no doubt suggest that the enquiring one hasten to the nearest fancy needlework department and there learn the secret of the ready-to-string necklaces.

Heretofore the woman who aspired to a head or jewel-strung necklace which has the coveted individual look, would have to go through the trying experience of buying, perhaps, one dozen jewels here, and then seek for, let us say, half dozen smaller jewels to match, not to mention assembling the right sort of beads to harmonize with the jewels and a suitable clasp to which must be added dependable floss or thread to string them on. And after all was said and done this necklace enthusiast would have to use her own discretion in putting the component parts together, which would

METAL CLOTH FOR EVENING WRAP



The Evening Wrap.

THE gleam of gold and silver lends enchantment to the evening mode. Especially do the newer formal wraps radiate entrancing glitter because many of them are made of the most gorgeous metal cloths.

Printed metal cloth, such as is used for the making of the charming wrap illustrated, is really thrillingly new. The surface of this short silver evening coat is patterned with a tiny conventional design. Such a wrap bears the cachet of ultra-chic and is indeed a smart asset to the wardrobe of the woman whose social program records ultra formal affairs.

Quite a few of these resplendent metal cloth wraps claim the distinction of omitting fur, as does the model pictured. Just as many, however, of the glittering mantles glory in opulent fox collars, or if not fox then sable or tinted or white ermine.

A very "classy" material sounds the metal note this season, the same being white satin with a jacquard design done in gold or silver as the case may be. Chiffons which are metal-embroidered also interpret the gold and silver theme. Cunning we repeat motifs, somewhat of Dolly Varden inspiration, are scattered all over these lovely evening chiffons. In this genre, too, are gold and silver-dotted nets galore.

About the new jacquard patterned and embroidered-in-metal weaves there is something exceedingly youthful, for the tiny designs of flowers and other patternings are sprinkled over their fabric foundation in pretty confusion and they are not so stately and imposing in mien as are the more sophisticated and heavier metal brocades.

JULIA BOTTOMLEY.
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LAURA SPOILED THE MATCH

(© by D. J. Walsh.)

WHEN Laura opened the door she saw that something had happened to Aunt Lol. She had run in with a section of chocolate layer cake for her aunt's supper. There was a sound of rustling paper as she entered, but there was no paper in sight. Therefore Laura knew that Aunt Lol was sitting upon it, whatever it was. The woman's cheeks were red. Her eyes shone. She looked almost attractive. And she was wearing her new blue crepe.

Laura stopped and sniffed. "Tobacco smoke!" she exclaimed laughingly. "Oh, you sly one! Mr. Hawl has been here again."

"Well, what if he has!" snapped Miss Johnson. "I'm sure I have a right to see company if I choose. I certainly shan't ask you or your mother to pick my friends for me."

"Certainly not. We have no such intentions," Laura flushed. She set the plate of cake down upon the table and stood hesitating. Usually Aunt Lol asked her to sit down. Now it was evident she wanted to get rid of the girl in order to go on examining those papers which Laura had heard rustling as she entered. Laura burned with curiosity. She felt she just had to see what Aunt Lol was concealing.

She walked deliberately over to the window and pretended to be admiring a pot of begonia on the window sill. That begonia was Aunt Lol's treasure.

"Just look!" she exclaimed. "I do believe—why, it's a mealy bug!" Aunt Lol sat still. Laura lifted the pot in her hands. Out of the corner of her eye she saw her aunt wriggling uncomfortably. The pot slipped from the girl's hands and crashed upon the floor. With a shout of dismay Aunt Lol leaped from her chair. There on the cushion underneath her lay some highly colored circulars. Laura gave them one quick, comprehensive look before she ran out of the house.

Mrs. Johnson, a small, faded woman, was at work in the steaming kitchen when her daughter dashed in. The Johnsons had kept boarders ever since the death of the head of the house.

"Mother!" Laura's bright young face was pale. "That man, Hawl, is trying to get Aunt Lol interested in what he's selling. And she is interested! I tried so hard to find out what she was up to that I broke her begonia jar. So I'm going to give her my blue bowl to stick the old plant in."

Laura grabbed the blue bowl, which was worth many such plants, jar and all, and ran back to her aunt's. When she entered the house for the second time the papers were out of sight. Aunt Lol accepted the bowl with more appreciation than she usually accepted offerings from her brother's widow and her daughter, for this time she was pleased. It was worth risking the begonia to get hold of the bowl which she had long wanted.

"I'm going to have some news for you one of these days, Laura," she said importantly.

"Good news, I hope!" Laura started to put her arm about the woman. But the arm fell to her side, as Miss Johnson said impressively:

"You needn't be a mite surprised if I'm married before long to Mr. Fredrick Hawl!"

This time Laura returned to her mother in agony.

"Mother! She thinks she is going to marry him. Now we have got to do something."

"What can we do?" Mrs. Johnson prodded with a fork into the potato kettle. It was almost time for the six o'clock whistle to blow when six hungry factory workers would come trooping in.

Laura pushed back her short wavy locks from her knitted brow. She was troubled and perplexed.

"Laura! Run over to the store and get a piece of cheese to go with the apple pie. Miss Miller's so fond of cheese. There's some money on the shelf there. Hurry!" Mrs. Johnson turned from the potato kettle to peep into the oven.

Laura flew on the errand. As she turned the corner she saw Mr. Hawl coming toward her.

Mr. Hawl was a stranger in town. He lived at the hotel and his business was unexplained. He had made a friend or two and these friends had introduced him to certain persons, women mostly, widows and spinsters. Thus he had made the acquaintance of Aunt Lol. From the first he had seemed to pay Aunt Lol a great deal of attention. He had sent her flowers and candy. Naturally she was impressed. Laura, in her second college year, was mystified until she remembered that Aunt Lol had received all the money from a relative's estate which should have been divided equally between Aunt Lol and Laura's father. Some said she had used her influence unfairly. Laura and her mother did not know. A very little of the money Aunt Lol was hoarding would have made them comfortable and helped Laura through college. As it was, Aunt Lol kept every penny for herself. But her nature had its soft side, and that was where Mr. Hawl came in.

Mr. Hawl was showy looking and much younger than Aunt Lol, though he pretended to notice no difference in their ages. Now, when he met Laura, his eyes lit with interest. For Laura, his eyes lit with interest. For Laura and worry had heightened

Laura's natural charm. Besides, she smiled charmingly. Mr. Hawl was plainly fascinated.

As a consequence Laura and Mr. Hawl stood on the corner and talked for twenty minutes. When Laura returned with the cheese her mother was vexed.

"Don't scold!" Laura looked mischievous. "I've been making a date—with Mr. Hawl. He's going to take Aunt Lol for a ride after supper. And I'm going, too!"

When at the edge of evening Mr. Hawl drove up to Aunt Lol's door he had the radiant Laura sitting beside him. Laura looked lovely in her tan sports suit.

"What does this mean? Laura! What are you doing here?" demanded Aunt Lol. She was angry. There was no room for her in front. So she had to get into the rumble seat. It was not what she had expected nor what she was prepared for. Laura's hair stayed on. Aunt Lol nearly lost hers and her hat as well, for Mr. Hawl was a fast driver.

They came to a gayly lighted pavilion. Laura made Mr. Hawl stop and dance. Aunt Lol sat in the car. Laura had to have ginger pop and chewing candy and ice cream. Aunt Lol couldn't partake. By this time it was getting late and she was getting furious. She demanded to be taken home.

She came over next morning, blazing with rage. Laura, looking pale, was washing dishes.

"I was sick all night, loading my stomach with that stuff," the girl said.

"I wish you'd died!" exploded Aunt Lol.

"If I had it would have been in a good cause," Laura sighed.

"You've wrecked my life! You've stolen my lover! We were going to be so happy! I had money for both! We were going to buy some wonderful property and go away from here together. But now—I'll never have any more to do with him! After the way he carried on with you! It was revolting! You egged him on. You made him lose his head. You—you are a—vamp!" She flung out of the house.

Mrs. Johnson stared at her daughter.

"What's all this, Laura?"

"Nothing, Mom; I flirted a bit with Mr. Hawl and showed him up to Aunt Lol. She's a bit jealous. I just couldn't let him rob her, for after all she's Dad's sister. I don't expect she'll ever forgive me. But it's over now. The man is gone. He will never show his face in these parts again. He's the fellow my roommate at college wrote me about. Remember? Last night he showed me some snapshots he'd taken and a letter fell out of his pocket addressed to Forrest Hitchcock. That was his real name. He tried to get the letter away from me, but I wouldn't give it up till he'd promised to clear out. So that's that. My head aches like to split. But, Mom! Don't be too hard on Aunt Lol. She has always wanted to get married, and this looked like such a splendid chance!"

Controversy Waits on Verdict of Scientists

You can't tell by the shape of a man's head whether he is built for a straight or combination last and it doesn't seem possible to determine from his footprint much about the contour and convolutions of his cranium, but it ought to be as easy to reconstruct the creature who left the enormous imprint of a human foot in the rocks of Rhodesia as the one whose skull top, molar and a bit of femur were exhumed in Java. An Italian expedition believes this is a trace of the oldest race of man and, allowing, of course, for the enthusiasm of a discoverer and assuming no accidental similarity of appearance the fellow must have passed that way a long while ago. Nature's process of making cement is slow.

Geologists will first have a look at the stone. They will identify it as belonging to a certain period of the earth's history and, knowing the generally prevailing conditions and the circumstances under which the rock was formed, will be able to say whether it was possible for human life to exist at the time. If their opinion furnishes no alibi, anthropologists will direct their suspicious scrutiny to the marks, searching for evidence to disprove the theory of a footprint. Credulity has no place in the scientific mind; it must test every step for error.

All doubts resolved in favor of authenticity, they would take the most delicately exact measurements for purposes of comparison. The known world of primates would have to submit to the footprint method of identification, and even then, the set of the muscles due to posture, probably in motion, would have to be considered to account for the shape and depth of the marks.—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Malaria Wipes Out Zulus
Malaria has taken a terrible toll in Zululand where it is reported by the South African department of health that 727 Zulus died in a few weeks. The sugar industry has been vitally affected, the labor supply being only 34 per cent of normal. The fight against the disease has been made all the more difficult because witch doctors—for some abstruse reason of their own—spread a rumor that quinine was a poison. Then two of the witch doctors themselves died, and the natives decided that there might after all be something in the white man's cure. Ninety per cent of the white farmers were stricken, but there were only seven deaths among whites.

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In Too Great Hurry to Forge Marital Chains

The pale, nervous looking man was applying for a job.

"I think I shall be able to suit all your requirements, sir," he said. The manager shook his head. "I'm afraid I cannot take you," he replied. "You see, I'm wanting a single man."

A look of horror appeared on the other's face.

"B—but, good gracious," he stammered, "when I came here yesterday I was told you were looking for a married man!"

"I'm sorry," said the manager. "It must have been a mistake."

The applicant stepped forward and clutched him by the arm.

"Look here," he gasped, "it's all very well for you to talk like that—but what am I to do? You see, I went straight out and got married!"

Nonresident Little Mary had mysteriously picked up an amazing vocabulary of swear words and slang. Mother had pleaded, scolded and reasoned. The ultimatum was leaving home. "Why, Mary, daddy and mother just can't have a little girl here who says such naughty words. We'll have to turn you out if you swear again."

But again it came. Her hat and coat were handed her. Resolutely she walked out and sat on the curb with her thoughts. Along came a neighbor.

"Good morning Mary. Is your father at home?"

"How in the h—l do I know. I don't live there any more!" she said. —Indianapolis News.

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Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Lang spent the week end in Bay City.

The party at Clarence Earl's on Saturday night was well attended and a good time was enjoyed.

Paul Brown spent Sunday with his sister, Mrs. Amelia Bamberger.

Don't forget the church social at the Grant hall Saturday night. Supper starts at 6:30.

Thomas Frockins of Reno spent the week end with his sister, Mrs. Chas. Brown.

The many friends of Mrs. Alice Stella Katterman was at Tawas Monday, where she had some dental work done.

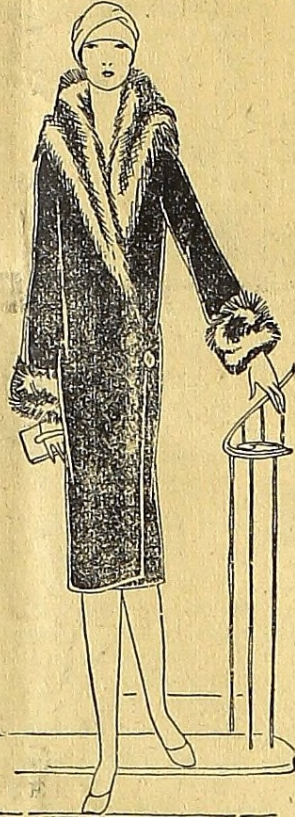
A number from here attended the she is ill in a Philadelphia hospital. Agricultural Society meeting in Tawas City on Monday.

O'Connor will be sorry to hear that a number of pupils are absent from school this week on account of illness.

Paul Brown and Chas. Bamberger spent Monday evening with J. L. Fraser.

Old London Monument

A monument at London was erected to commemorate the great fire of 1666. It was designed by Sir Christopher Wren, the famous architect whose masterpiece is St. Paul's cathedral and whose other beautiful but smaller churches are to be found in many parts of older London. The monument stands near the north end of London bridge.



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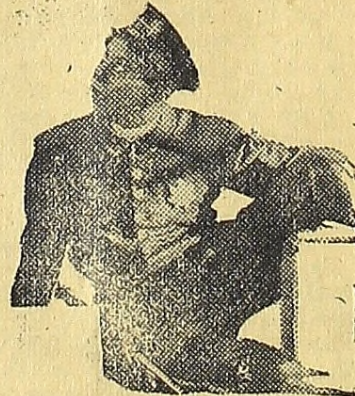
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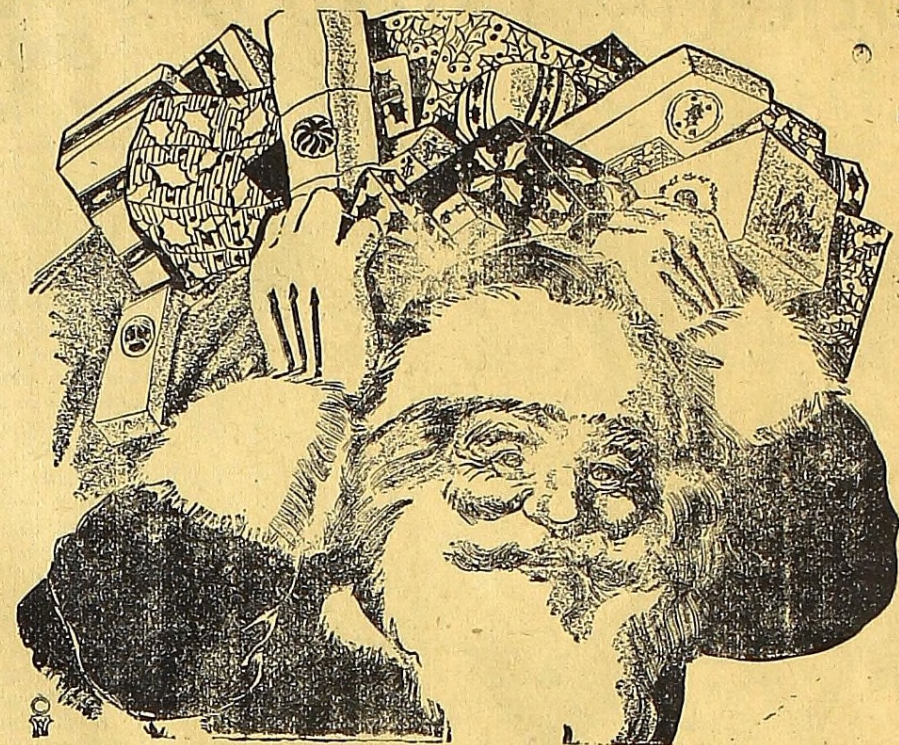
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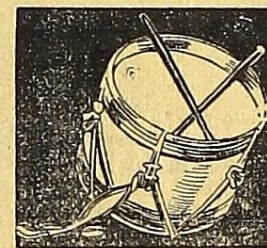
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TOYLAND

By making a large purchase of Christmas Toys early in the season, we are able to offer the exceptional values as listed below. If you are one of the thousands who are faced with the need of purchasing for the kiddies, it would be well to visit us and see these items on display.

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DRUMS

An exceptional Drum for 98c

Fifes, Horns, Xylophones, etc.

10c to 69c

Individual Christmas Cards
5c to 15c each



TOY ANIMALS

Wood, metal, plush assortment animals

10c up to 98c



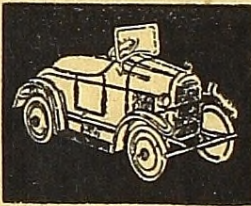
DOLLS

Attractive Dolls priced from

49c up to \$4.98

Children's Books
5c-10c-15c-25c

Christmas Tree Trimmings

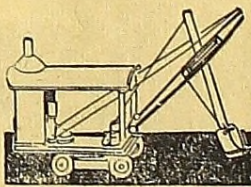


MECHANICAL TOYS

Mechanical, friction and pull toys

25c, 49c, 98c up to \$4.98

Blackboards and Blackboard Desks
\$2.49 to \$3.98

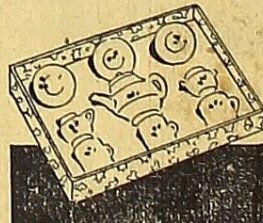


SHOVELS

The Baby Marion Shovel

98c and \$2.98

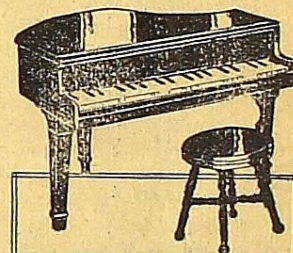
Whitman's and Johnson's Box Candy, per box
50c to \$1.75



DISHES

Dishes, in tin, aluminum and china

25c, 49c, and 98c



TOY PIANOS

Toy Pianos 98c and \$1.98

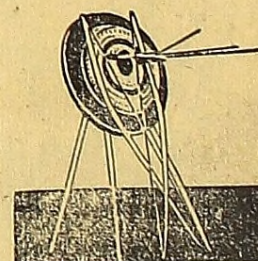
Mechanical Trains
98c to \$3.98



METAL TOYS

ASTOUNDING values in this class of larger metal toys at 98c

Christmas Cards in individual boxes of 12 to 21 Cards ranging in price 25c-50c-69c-\$1



GAMES

A very large assortment of games at popular prices, ranging from

10c to 98c

Blocks, Printing Outfits and numerous other instructive items

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