

## PASTOR COOPER SEEKS CHANGE OF PASTORATE

### Request Amounts Virtually To Resignation—Church Names Committee to Help Pick New Minister.

At last night's Fourth Quarterly Conference in the South Methodist Episcopal church the pastor, Rev. Joseph Cooper, requested the District Superintendent Rev. Myron E. Genter, who was in charge, that a change in pastorates be made at the next Southern New England Conference which convenes in March. Rev. Cooper's action is virtually a resignation although pro-



Rev. Joseph Cooper

cedure in the Methodist Episcopal church does not allow for a resignation.

#### Up To Conference

No vote was taken by the church body following Rev. Cooper's action since the granting of the minister's request rests entirely with the district superintendent, the bishop of this area and the conference of churches. The church members did, however, vote to raise a committee to work with the district superintendent in the selection of a new pastor. This, virtual-ly is an acceptance of Rev. Cooper's resignation, although that procedure, too, is without the canons of the church.

Rev. Cooper's action in requesting a change was not entirely unexpected. He has served as pastor of the local church now for six years and it is rather a long term as Methodist Episcopal custom goes. If the conference grants the pastor's request the change will become effective the latter part of March. Rev. Cooper told the church members that he felt the time had come for him to go and he hoped that his request would be granted without further comment.

#### Vote of Thanks

A rising vote of thanks in appreciation of the efforts of Rev. Cooper in behalf of the church was extended by the gathering and several prominent members of the congregation arose and made complimentary remarks concerning Rev. Cooper's service here. A com-



Rev. Myron E. Genter

mittee on resolutions was named to draw up words of appreciation to be spread upon the minutes of the church.

Since it is the custom frequently in the Methodist Episcopal churches that the pastors bring their assistants with them when changes are made it was the opinion of the church members last evening that Miss Helen L. Haviland assistant to Rev. Joseph Cooper, should remain until such time as the church can be furnished with a pastor's assistant. Miss Haviland is to be married in the fall and will remain until September 1 if the church so desires.

Reports of church committees read at last night's conference showed the church to be in excellent financial and social standing.

## Foreign News In Cable Flashes

Berlin, Jan. 18.—Prussia today appealed to the Court of Arbitration to rogain 750,000 marks overpaid in annuities to the former Kaiser.

Moscow, Jan. 18.—Official announcement was made today that Dimitri Kursky, commissar for justice and regarded as one of the ablest commissars in the Soviet government, has been appointed Soviet ambassador to Italy succeeding Leo Kameney. Kameney lost his post through his connection with the Trotsky "opposition."

Tokio, Jan. 18.—The Japanese emperor today officially sanctioned the engagement of his brother Prince Chichibu to Miss Setsu Matsudaira, 17-year-old daughter of the Japanese ambassador at Washington. Miss Matsudaira is a high school student in Washington.

London, Jan. 18.—The Russian supreme court has confirmed a temporary injunction forbidding Erwin Piscator to depict the Kaiser in a play titled "Rasputin."

Rome, Jan. 18.—It pays to do things in a big way in this country. Parents who have ten or more children are exempt from municipal taxes in Florence and some other cities.

Genoa, Jan. 18.—Boxing took another forward step in Italy today when Premier Mussolini appointed General Carlini as president of the Italian Boxing Federation.

## STATE JUST SWAPS MONEY WITH TOWNS

### Figures Show That Taxes Paid Are Returned In the Form of State Aid.

Hartford, Conn., Jan. 18.—Connecticut annually swaps several million dollars with its towns by collecting taxes from them and returns almost equal amounts in the form of grants or state aid. The situation is revealed in the study of these grants made by Arthur F. Potter, state tax department statistician, announced here today. In effecting the exchange of funds the state gives the various towns all sorts of aid on 28 separate grants authorized by the General Assembly and contributions are made to projects ranging from education and highway building to mosquito elimination.

Latest Payments  
Mr. Potter's report shows the latest annual payments made to towns by the state amount to \$4,588,643.86. This includes \$2,568,708 in taxes levied on bank and insurance stocks, a matter that once was handed directly by the towns but now is collected for the towns by the state. Included also is the sum of \$133,200 paid to towns by the state in lieu of taxes due on state owned land.

State Aid  
Money grants that may be termed strictly "state aid" amount to \$1,867,626.47. Offsetting this amount the state collects \$1,500,000 as a state tax and something over \$300,000 as a military tax. So the state calls in from the various towns just about the amount the state hands out to the towns.

There is a wide difference in the amounts received by the various towns. Only four get more than \$100,000 each. They are Hartford, West Hartford, Bridgeport and New Haven. Six towns get more than \$50,000 each, and the smallest amount is \$2,213, paid to the town of Washington.

Hartford and West Hartford receipts are swelled by stock tax on insurance companies. Hartford receives \$1,595,382, and West Hartford \$297,281. New Haven and Bridgeport benefit through large stock holdings, educational grants, returnable taxes and fees, and welfare and social aid appropriations. New Haven gets \$216,196 and Bridgeport \$186,560.

## TREASURY BALANCE

Washington, Jan. 18.—Treasury balance, Jan. 17—\$157,625,118.46.

## RESULTS!

"Please take my ad. out of the Herald tomorrow night. I ordered it in for three times but the paper was scarcely on the street when the telephone began to ring. I had 18 calls." This is what Leon G. Cone of Delmont street told The Herald last night. He had inserted a small classified ad. for a woman to do housework.

Classified advertising will get results for you, too. Simply phone 664.

## Fails As Opera Star, She Commits Suicide

New York, Jan. 18.—Thea Marovska's "great moment" came last Sunday night when she made her debut as an opera singer. The curtain rose. She looked out upon a vast sea of faces. Here and there were friends. Back stage were flowers they had sent. She sang—"Song Dramas of the People," in English, German, French, Russian and Yiddish. You see, all her life she had studied and worked for this big moment. She had been a pupil of Yvette Gilbet, famous French diseuse, and of Max Reinhardt, German master of stage craft. Her voice rose and fell. . . . went down. The audience applauded politely and departed.

Today the morgue officials are seeking Thea Marovska's relatives to take charge of her body. She ended her life by inhaling gas in the apartment of a friend, Arthur Warner, associate editor of the Nation. "I am a failure in my vocation and it is too late to make a new start," she said in a note left to Warner. She was only thirty, and in private life was Miss Dorothy Mierowsky.

## HARTFORD SLEUTHS RUN DOWN REPORTS

Hartford, Conn., Jan. 18.—Rumors of the presence in Hartford of Miss Frances St. John Smith, missing college student, are keeping Hartford detectives busy. No satisfactory results have come from investigation of the rumors which spring up every few hours and generally concerned some young woman who has come to town either for business reasons or has missed a train connection out of town.

The latest important report came from Mrs. Nathan Corliss, keeper of a boarding house at 21 Spring street, Mrs. Corliss told police that a young lady called at her house yesterday afternoon, engaged a room, and promised to return later. The stranger failed to appear. Mrs. Corliss announced that the description furnished by Mrs. Corliss did not correspond very closely to that of Miss Smith.

## MURDER THEORY

Northampton, Mass., Jan. 18.—Working on the theory that Miss Frances St. John Smith, New York heiress and 18-year-old Smith college freshman, was slain by a maniac, state police today began an intensive search in this vicinity. State authorities believe that the solution of Miss Smith's mysterious disappearance will also solve the equally mysterious disappearance two years ago of Miss Alice Corliss, 19, of Utica, New York, Smith college junior. They regard it more than a coincidence that both girls vanished on Friday, the 13th.

The hunt by all officers of the state police was the result of the intervention of U. S. Senator Frederick Hale, a friend of the vanished girl's father, a retired New York broker. The Senator revealed that the family of Miss Smith fear that golden-haired Frances has been kidnaped and held for ransom or that she was recently bequeathed a large sum of money—reported to be \$2,000,000—by a distant relative.

Sen. Hale telegraphed Senator Hale to arrange an appeal to Gov. Alvan T. Fuller to have the state employ every possible resource of the commonwealth to locate the missing girl.

Putting aside, temporarily at least, the theory of a kidnapping, (Continued on page 13)

## COOLIDGES ON LAST STAGE OF HOME TRIP

Given Reception on Hour's  
Stopover at Jacksonville at  
9 p. m.

## TROTZKY IS CHEERFUL OVER HIS BANISHMENT

Ex-Leader of Soviets Is Sent  
Into Exile Near Chinese  
Frontier.

Riga, Jan. 18.—Leon Trotzky, whose meteoric career carried him from obscurity to one of the most powerful posts in the Soviet government and then back into government and then back into obscurity again, is enroute from Moscow today to his place of exile in Central Asia.

Advices from Moscow said that Trotzky took his banishment philosophically and appeared cheerful when he left the Soviet capital. Trotzky left Moscow late Monday night on the Taikent Express for Nierny, in Russian Turkestan near the Chinese frontier. It is one of the most isolated spots in Asia and Trotzky will be left to the world while he is there.

## TWO BLAZES, AT BORDERS, EXCITE TOWN

### Old Burke Barn to the West and New Barn at Oakland In East, Are Destroyed By Fire.

Two barns, located at extreme ends of Manchester and virtually situated on the town line, were destroyed by fire late yesterday with a loss of about \$13,000. Despite the lack of a hydrant in either immediate vicinity, firemen were able to save the house in each case. The cause of neither blaze is known.

The first fire occurred about 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon at the old Norman Burke place on Spencer street, 150 feet over the Manchester town line in East Hartford. This property is owned by George Heim, who is employed by the Underwood Typewriter Company in Hartford. Manchester and East Hartford fire apparatus responded to the alarm. The house was saved by means of a bucket brigade and chemicals. A five acre crop of 1927 tobacco, ten tons of hay, farming implements and a pig burned. A cow and horse were saved. The old Burke homestead was a well known road resort many years ago, being widely known as a trading center for horses. The loss is estimated at \$10,000.

## QUEEN OF ENGLAND FROWNS ON JAZZ MUSIC

London, Jan. 18.—Queen Mary still frowns on jazz. The Queen danced last night at the first servants' ball that she and King George have given even to the employees at the Royal Palace at Sandringham—but the Queen danced the quadrille. The King looked on for a while at the dancing, and the Prince of Wales and the Duke and Duchess of York joined in the dancing, but always the musicians played waltzes, schottisches and quadrilles.

## LATINS ARE TOLD TO FORGET HATE

### "You Must Work For Future" Cuban Advises Pan-American Congress.

Havana, Jan. 18.—An appeal to the statesmen of the 21 Latin American countries to forget hate, ambition and rivalry and concentrate upon friendship and cooperation marked the first business session of the Sixth Pan-American Congress today.

It came from Dr. Rafael Martinez Ortiz, secretary of state for Cuba, who addressed the conference in the role of host at the gathering. "Delegates," he said, "you are about to commence your labors; the program, drafted with the help of all, permits the hope for excellent results."

Work for the Future  
"Let us bear in mind that nothing stable can be founded on hate, ambition and rivalry. . . . We must work for the future more than for the present. . . . If you succeed in taking a forward step; if the whole world that beholds you finds a hope in your resolutions, the Book of Immortality will be opened to you."

Dr. Ortiz reviewed at considerable length the history of Pan-Americanism, starting back in the days of Benjamin Harrison, which saw the first Pan-American conference. He gave credit to James G. Blaine for the intimate vision of Pan-Americanism, and noted copiously from Blaine's address to the first Pan-American Congress to wit: "The delegates can do much to establish permanent relations of confidence, respect, and friendship between the nations they represent."

Disregarding warnings placed there by the park department, boys in the neighborhood of the Center Springs pond have been using the pond for skating since the thaw, despite the unsafe condition of the ice.

Park Superintendent John Y. Keur said this morning that persons who skate on the pond at the present time are risking their lives because the ice is rotten and "slip-slip" to give way at any time. In some parts of the pond there is open water.

Superintendent Keur declares that the danger is very great and urges parents to see that their children do not skate there until it is proven safe again. He says he does not want a duplication of the Danbury tragedy in which two boys were drowned this week.

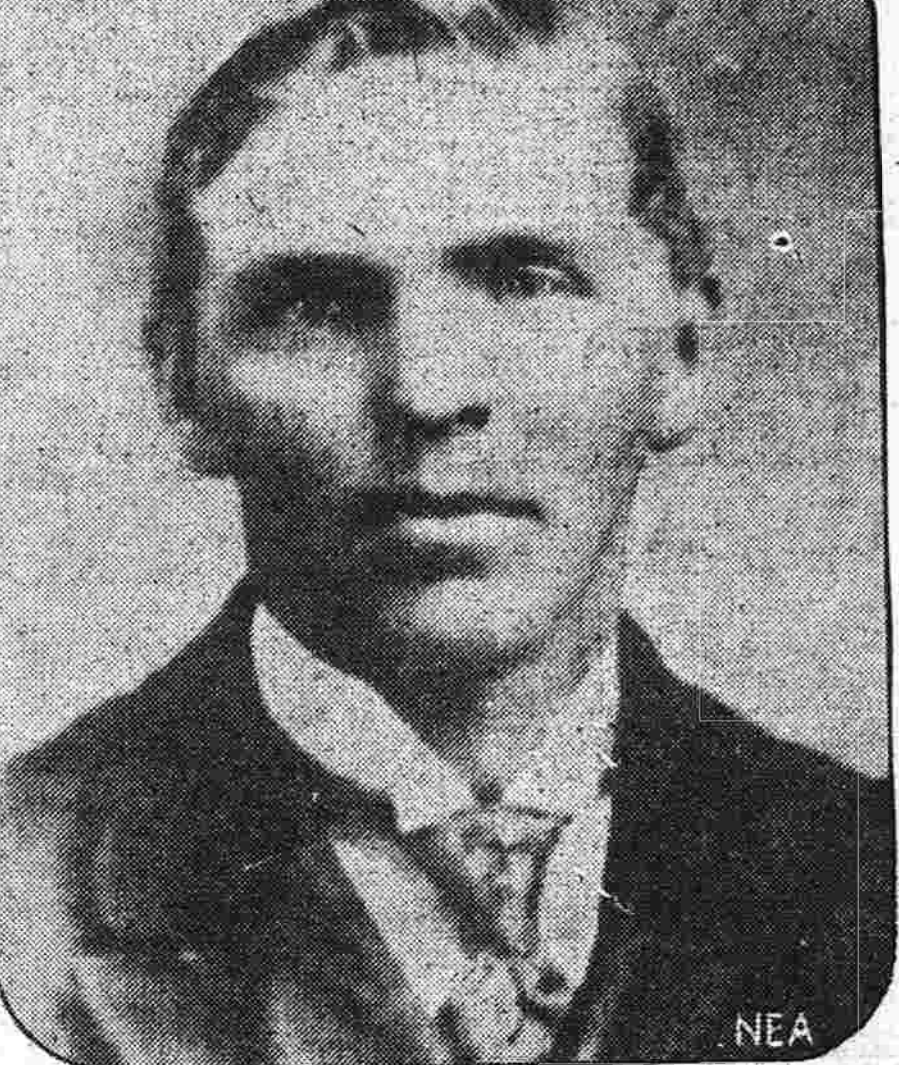
## CENTER POND NOW A PERIL, SAYS KEUR

### Skaters Risk Lives Despite Warnings; Parents Urged To Intervene.

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## APE MAN OF MICHIGAN TELLS OF MORE CRIMES

### "MICHIGAN'S HICKMAN"



"Michigan's Edward Hickman" is pictured above. He is Adolph Hotelling, confessed slayer of five-year-old Dorothy Schneider of Flint, Mich. The child was stabbed to death and her body thrown in a creek. Troops had to be called out to disperse would-be lynchers after Hotelling confessed.

## Harvard Boys Come Back At Girls Over "Bare Legs"

Cambridge, Mass., Jan. 18.—Girls of Radcliffe College, Sargent School and Miss Leslie's School, who complained to the Cambridge Police of Harvard athletes exposing "bare and hairy legs," at a local tea shop were "tossed" considerably by an editorial in the latest edition of the Harvard Crimson.

In reply to the outcry of the girls, the Crimson said: "The female crusader against legs laments a lack of modesty, and the male defendant retorts that 'people who wear sheer hose should not wear short dresses.'"

## BRITAIN EASES UP ON NAVAL PROGRAM

### Rumors Say Our Large Plans Have Something to Do With It.

London, Jan. 18.—The future British naval program is today the subject of much conjecture, and it is reported that the government has decided upon a policy of economy in opposition to the admiralty.

Persistent reports have it that the government has decided upon the reduction of the cruiser program that Great Britain fought for at the Geneva naval disarmament conference and that this decision has been taken over the heads of the admiralty.

Bridgeman Silent  
First Lord of the Admiralty Bridgeman has refused to deny or confirm reports that it has been decided to abandon the laying down of a cruiser for immediate construction.

In some circles there was an impression that the British government has decided upon a gesture of economy as the result of the large American program set forth in hopes of another naval disarmament conference. The foreign office, however, has steadfastly denied that the American program would have any effect upon the British program.

## STUDENT IS KILLED IN AUTO ACCIDENT

### Two of His Friends Injured When They Are Crushed Under a Truck.

Cambridge, Mass., Jan. 18.—Everett H. Webster of Acton, student at Massachusetts Institute of Technology, was killed today and two other students were injured, were crushed under a truck on Memorial drive while they were seeking a lift to the institute.

Webster died soon after arrival at Cambridge City hospital. Harold G. Dick, of Lawrence, was removed to the Massachusetts General hospital in a serious condition. W. H. Spahr, of Smithtown branch, Long Island, was treated at Charlesburg hospital for less serious injuries.

## Confesses to Attacking Neighbors Children While Posing As Churchman; Public Passion Flamed Anew Today—Legal Battle In Court to Keep Him From Scene of Crimes.

Flint, Mich., Jan. 18.—Seeking to avert the return of Adolph Hotelling to Genesee County, where he killed 5-year-old Dorothy Schneider, William A. Slegmiller, of Owosso, attorney for the confessed murderer, appealed in Circuit Court today and asked a change of venue for his client.

Hotelling's confession to having attacked two neighbors' children at Owosso has fanned anew the flames of resentment here and grave fears are expressed that a new lynching effort will be made if he is brought to Genesee county for trial.

## TELLS ALL

Ionia, Mich., Jan. 18.—Adolph Hotelling, revealed now as the fiend who attacked two children of his Owosso neighbors and suspected of being the "Ape Man" who terrorized Owosso housewives two years ago, is ready to plead guilty to the murder of 5-year-old Dorothy Schneider.

In an amplified confession today written by him, Hotelling said: "Wishing to clean up everything in these matters and to make a clean breast of it all, I hereby confess to the attack upon Esther Skinner at Oak Hill cemetery, 1926, and to the attack upon Ella May Horn near Carland, on April 27, 1927."

Before the day is over the life sentence for the murder of little Dorothy may be passed on the middle-aged churchman, whose Jekyll and Hyde personality embraced a mild-mannered public life cloaked in snug respectability and a hidden life steeped in a sordid emotionalism which surpassed normal understanding.

The day may develop, however, a delaying legal wrangle, with Genesee county, scene of Hotelling's revolting crimes, demanding that judgment be executed within the county limits.

State authorities have not relaxed their precautions against lynching, and fear of senseless mob violence promotes the desire of Gov. Fred W. Green and prosecuting officials to obtain a change of venue for Hotelling's trial.

Judge Fred W. Brennan, presiding in Genesee circuit court, is said to be determined not to grant the change of venue.

According to a report received by Gov. Green and W. W. Potter, attorney general, Judge Brennan said: "I will not allow a change of venue unless Hotelling appears in person in my court and pleads not guilty. Talk of mob violence against the man is in danger if the prisoner will be in no danger if returned to the jurisdiction of my court."

Governor's Comment  
Gov. Green's comment was: "The blood be on their heads." The governor had previously said: "I do not believe there are enough police in Michigan to protect Hotelling if he is returned to Flint."

Hotelling, with his long arms, stooping shoulders and squat body, and with his agility acquired from years of climbing scaffolds as a carpenter, resembles the description of the "Ape Man" who went about at night, peering into women's bedroom windows. When the women discovered him, and screamed hysterically, he cackled like a maniac.

The hands of the state authorities are tied until the Genesee court has issued a formal opinion. It is almost certain that Gov. Green will not permit Hotelling to be taken to Flint under existing conditions.

Excitement wanes  
Temper of Genesee counties on the surface yesterday had waned. And even Leslie Schneider father of Hotelling's 5-year-old victim, became reconciled to "swift justice within the law."

But the revelation today of Hotelling's earlier crimes, it is feared, has fanned anew the flames of resentment against him. It is pointed out that such violence existed in Flint Monday night that it was necessary to use tear gas and call out the National Guard.

Hotelling's attorney, William A. Slegmiller, is on his way to Flint to appear before Judge Fred Brennan and ask that Hotelling be granted a change of venue because he cannot obtain a fair trial in Genesee county. There is no motion that a trial will be needed. Although the attacker of little girls stood mute yesterday at his secret, roadside arraignment, he is said to have resigned now to a plea of guilty. While he waits and his lawyer

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FREE SCHOLARSHIP  
OFFERED BY YALE  
Open to Young Men Attending  
Citizens' Military Training  
Camps.

New Haven, Conn., Jan. 18.—Yale University today announced a scholarship carrying free tuition, open for competition to young men attending the citizens' Military Training Camps at Plattsburgh and Camp Devens, who in June of this year shall have fully qualified for admission to the university next fall.

This scholarship will be renewable to the winner in succeeding academic years on the basis of a sufficiently high scholastic record, and evidence of financial need, as demonstrated in self-support, and other means. A similar scholarship was first offered in 1926, and the first competition for it took place in 1927. It is now held by Hamilton Crane Eastman, member of the freshman class from Springfield, Mass.

Local Stocks

Table of local stock prices including Bank Stocks, Bonds, Insurance Stocks, and Public Utility Stocks.

Table of Manufacturing Stocks including American Hardware, American Silver, Acme Wire, etc.

N. Y. Stocks

Table of New York stock prices including Allied Chem, Am Bosch, Am Can, etc.

Rockville

Table of Rockville stock prices including Fish & Game Club, Am Sugar, Am T & E, etc.

JUNIOR PROM DATE IS FEBRUARY 11TH

Committees For High School's Big Social Affair Are Announced.

The Junior Prom, one of the social events of the year, will be held in the High School assembly hall on Saturday night, February 11.

SERIOUSLY HURT IN IGNORED ACCIDENT

Boy Who Said Nothing of Injury Is Operated On For Brain Concussion.

Clarence Mikoleit of 21 Woodland street was operated on at Memorial hospital today in an effort to relieve an apparent concussion of the brain.

GEN. DOREY, HERE, WILL AID STIMSON

With Mrs. Dorey Will Return To Philippines as Government Official.

General Halstead Dorey, liaison officer and aide to the late Governor-General Leonard Wood of the Philippine Islands, has received a similar appointment under Henry L. Stimson, the new governor-general of the islands.

U. S. PRESS DEMANDS SHORT WAVE RADIO

Washington, Jan. 18.—The right of the American press to adequate short-wave length radio facilities was impressed upon the Federal Radio Commission today by Joseph Pierson of Chicago, chairman of the American Publishers' cable and radio committee.

"The press is engaged in the communication business on a more tremendous and far-reaching scale, and in a respect more vital to the public, than any other group applying for a license."

WOOD HEEL WORKERS ACCEPT DROP IN PAY

Haverhill, Mass., Jan. 17 (INS)—Workers in the wood heel industry here last night accepted a wage reduction ranging from 10 to 20 per cent.

The wage cut was a compromise, 800 employees having quit work recently when the manufacturers announced a reduction of from 20 to 30 per cent.

TEST ANSWERS

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

Letter Golf puzzle grid with the solution: PLAY PLAT PEAT SEAT SELL BELL BALL

Like a Beacon In a Storm

The No Sale Policy of this store flashes through the torrent of sales and price slashing of Men's Clothing to YOU telling you that there is haven of good values at right prices the year round near by.

Set your course for this store and let nothing deter you. Here is the place where you pay a nominal price for suits and overcoats the year round.

George H. Williams Incorporated. Open until 7:30 Monday, Tuesday, Friday evenings.

Advertisement for KESEK CLINICAL THERMOMETER FREE AND A UNIVERSAL HEATING PAD. The three degrees of heat in the Universal Electric Heating Pad are controlled by four thermostats.

JOSEPH HAUK ABSOLVED IN ACCIDENT SUIT

E. J. Sullivan Must Pay Mrs. Sutton \$8,500 For Damages In Local Crash. Hartford, Conn., Jan. 18.—A Superior court judge under Judge L. P. Waldo Marvin today returned a verdict for \$8,500 in the suit of Mrs. Grace Sutton, of Springfield, against E. J. Sullivan, of Boston, and at the same time absolved Joseph Hawk, of Manchester, from all blame in the affair.

POULTRY CLUB'S SHOW SET FOR FEB. 8, 9 AND 10

The Manchester Poultry club will hold its annual show on February 8, 9 and 10 in the store formerly occupied by Mark Holmes at the corner of North Main and North School streets. It was decided at the meeting of the club last night.

WOODMEN POSTPONE THEIR INSTALLATION

South Manchester Camp, No. 3280, Modern Woodmen of America, will hold its regular meeting tomorrow night in Tinker Hall at eight o'clock. It was planned to install the officers of the camp at tomorrow night's meeting but because of the Get Together club meeting in Cheney Hall which will attract several of the Woodmen it has been decided to postpone installation until Thursday February 2.

FIREMEN OVER NORTH TO HAVE DANCE SERIES

The members of Hose Company No. 1, Manchester Fire department, are completing plans for a series of Friday night dances to be held at the home house at Main and Hilliard streets starting this week. Both modern and old fashioned dancing will be on the program and Al Behrend's orchestra has been secured to play. Dancing will start at eight o'clock. Lou Beebe has been engaged as promoter. It has been arranged that all who attend the dances a good time. The floor at the hall is good and a good crowd is expected.

FREE RED FUND'S ANNUAL MEETING TO BE JAN. 24

The annual meeting and election of officers of the Tuberculosis Free Red fund association of Cheney Brothers will be held on Tuesday, January 24 at 5:05 p. m. in the rest room of the machine shop. It was announced today by Robert L. Fryer, secretary. An invitation has been extended to all those who are interested in the work of the association and in tuberculosis work generally. FLOOD DAMAGE Washington, Jan. 18.—To repair damage wrought by the recent New England floods, the Central Vermont railroad today asked the Interstate Commerce Commission for authority to issue \$5,000,000 of receiver's certificates.

ROBITUARY

MRS. AGNES N. MAXWELL Mrs. Agnes N. Maxwell, 87 years old, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Edith M. Maxwell of 17 Rosemary Place, yesterday afternoon after a lingering illness.

ACID THROWER FINED

Waterbury, Conn., Jan. 18.—Michael Sheslow, 31, was fined \$200 and costs and given days in jail, when arraigned in Police Court today on the charge of throwing acid with malicious intent. Sheslow was accused of throwing the caustic poison on clothing of Mrs. Michael Shikins, and of following the woman on the street. When arrested, acid marks were found on the man's clothing.

SNYDER TRIAL JUDGE MARRIED IN GREENWICH

Greenwich, Conn., Jan. 18.—Justice Townsend Snedder, who presided over the Snyder-Gray murder trial, and who is now investigating the Queen, New York, sewer scandal, was married here at noon today to Miss Alice McCutcheon, of Round Hill, Greenwich, daughter of the late James H. McCutcheon, who was known as "The Linen King." The ceremony took place in Christ Episcopal church, with the Rev. Frederick G. Budlong, rector of the church, presiding. The wedding was quiet and apparently only by accident was the fact revealed.

Final Showing Tonight

DOUBLE FEATURES Marie Prevost Lon Chaney "Almost a Lady" "Nomads of North" A comedy-drama of unusual surprises and thrills.

RIALTO "THE HOUSE OF HITS"

TOMORROW EVENING ONLY 3 Acts VAUDEVILLE 3 Acts Hazel & Thompson Jimmy Maloney Offering a variety of non-sensational "A COUPLE OF NUTS"

Marie Dawne

The girl with the golden voice and the twinkling toes. A singing and dancing act de-luxe. AND ON THE RIALTO SCREEN: Rudolph Schildkraut in "A HARP IN HOCK" His ignorant neighbors thought he had a boy "in hock" but when they sought to separate them—come see this amazing film of life and love on New York's east side. Current Issue of Latest Pathe News Events.

CATHOLICS ATTACKED BY SENATOR HEFLIN

Washington, Jan. 18.—The recent publication of Mexican documents by the Hearst newspapers was characterized in the Senate today by Senator Hefflin, Democrat of Ala., as a "conspiracy by certain Roman Catholics" to destroy him. Hefflin said the "forged papers" were obtained by William Randolph Hearst from a Roman Catholic priest, and that he had obtained them from a Roman Catholic clerk in the Mexican government, and that he told them he wanted the papers for Bishop Diaz, a Roman Catholic Bishop of Mexico.

MISSING BOY FOUND

Hanover, N. H., Jan. 18.—Hugo Bezdek, Jr., Dartmouth student and son of the famous Pennsylvania State college football coach, who was reported missing was cleared up today when word came from New York that his mother in New York and his father in John Hopkins hospital, Baltimore, denying that their son had "disappeared." They indicated that he went under the surgeon's knife for a tonsillitis operation and was recovering at the home of a friend near New York.

TED RONDEAU'S Stage and Modern School of Dancing

Branch from Hartford Room 3, State Theater Bldg. South Manchester Open Daily 1 p. m. to 10 p. m. Phone 1180

Kiddies Theater Coupon THIS COUPON, WITH 5 CENTS, ENTITLES ANY CHILD TO ADMISSION TO THE "BARGAIN MATINEE" AT THE CIRCLE THEATER Saturday Afternoon, Jan. 21 BIG DOUBLE FEATURE BILL

STATE Tonight "THE LOVE MART" Saturday Afternoon, Jan. 21 BIG DOUBLE FEATURE BILL

TOMORROW, ONE DAY ONLY BETTER THAN THE GORILLA "THE WIZARD" WITH EDMUND LOWE The Popular Country Store Night

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY 2-FEATURES More Fun Than a Chowder Party GEORGE SIDNEY in CLANCY'S KOSHER WEDDING THE YEAR'S COMEDY WOW! An Irish-Jewish picnic of fun—where, unusual food and cabbage mixes with glib fish and ends in a glorious revival of Donnybrook Fair! ADDED FEATURE ZANE GREY'S "OPEN RANGE" SUNDAY AND MONDAY Richard Barthelmess in "The Noose"

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# JANUARY CLEARANCE SALE

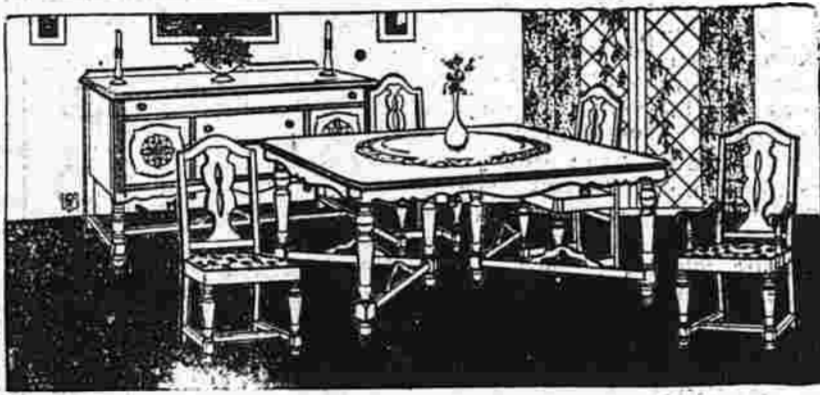
## DINING SUITE SPECIAL

8 Pieces

\$129.50

"A Year to Pay"

Here's an item that's typical of January Sale values. 66 inch Buffet, extension table and set of chairs as pictured—in walnut and gumwood of very pleasing appearance. A well-built suite that has sold for \$177.50. China Closet may be added at \$40 extra.



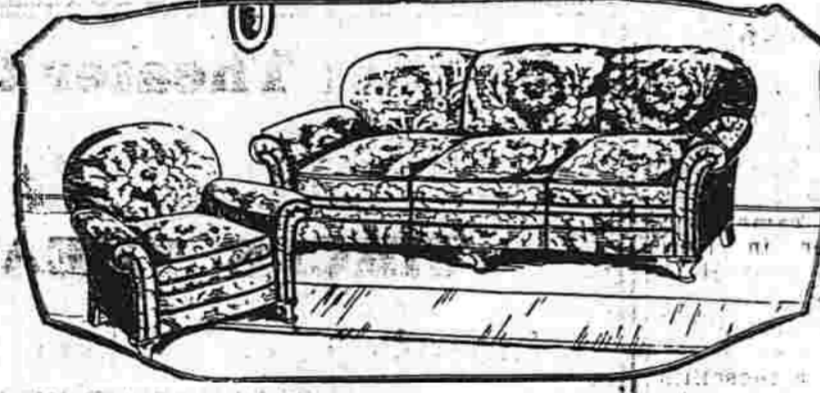
## TWO PIECE PARLOR SUITES

Sora and Arm Chair

\$99.50

"A Year to Pay"

A suite which we have been selling regularly for \$165 in the full three pieces. Now we have a certain number to offer very special, in two pieces only—covered in combination of attractive Baker cut velour and plain velour on back and ends. Looks just as shown, and is well made throughout. Wing Chair may be added at \$40 extra.



## PLENTY OF SAVINGS ON SUITES

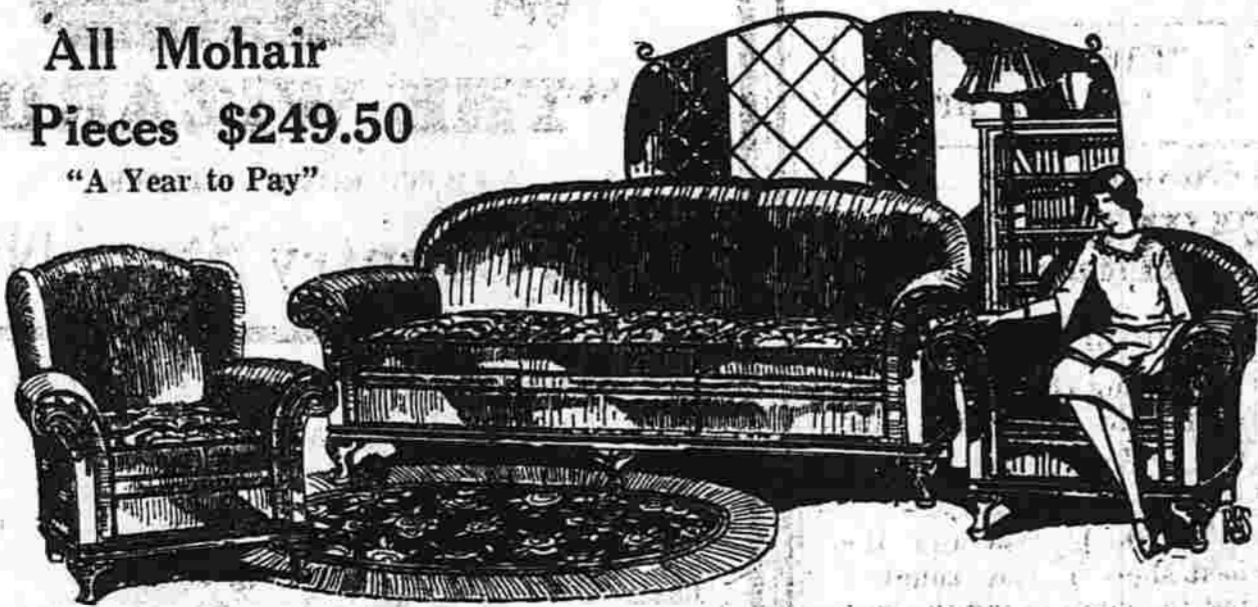
Suite in printed velour on same frame as above. Three pieces complete. Regular price \$165. Now \$129.50. A Year to Pay.  
Suite in jacquard velour, choice of numerous patterns with the high grade Nachman spring construction. Three pieces complete. Regular price \$185. Now \$166.50. A Year to Pay.

Suite in taupe mohair with plain velour to match on back and ends. Nachman spring construction. Three pieces complete. Regular price \$215. Now \$193.50. A Year to Pay.  
Suite same as above in genuine mohair all over. Three pieces complete. Regular price \$245. Now \$219.50. A Year to Pay.

## HERE'S THE BEST PARLOR SUITE VALUE OF ALL

A suite that we consider a wonderful value at the regular price of \$325. The illustration below pictures it accurately, but hardly does it justice. Large, roomy pieces—soft, deep spring construction on sturdy frames—upholstered all over in rich, high-piled mohair of the finest quality—beautifully tailored and decorated with ornamental feet and arm panels. Reverse cushions are in dainty trizee. This is furniture of real charm.

All Mohair  
3-Pieces \$249.50  
"A Year to Pay"



## WHY?

Twice a year prices here are given a general overhauling. Not juggled a dozen times a year. Not marked down from some exorbitant level.

All year round the furniture values at Keith's have to stand the test of competition—and they do stand it most successfully in honest values for reliable goods.

We do not handle shoddy merchandise—sale times or other times. But in January we do clean house on our regular line of goods. Mark down prices are put in effect wherever we have surplus stock we desire to move—and they are genuine reductions on standard articles—and they do sell the goods and give us a volume of business at a time which would otherwise be very quiet.

### THAT'S WHY!

## Folks Like To Trade at Keith's

BECAUSE—they have found it a pleasant place to trade. Plenty of freedom to shop around and make selections without pressure. Plenty of courteous and helpful attention always available when they want it.

BECAUSE—they have found it a convenient place to trade. Easy to get to by foot, car or trolley—but out of the jam and free from parking problems.

BECAUSE—they have found it a reliable place to trade. No semblance of misrepresenting either goods or value is ever allowed here. We advertise good furniture, we sell it as advertised, and we stand responsible for it afterwards.

BECAUSE—they have found it an economical place to trade. Prices bear comparison, and the credit customer in particular finds great merit in our Profit Sharing Club Plan, with a Cash Discount and a Full Year to Pay.

## And Particularly Now—

When so many dozens upon dozens of real January Sale bargains are put on display—and when you may just as well have them as anyone else—when you can get them on credit if you haven't the cash.

It's the time to buy furniture—and Keith's is the place.

## A REAL QUALITY CHAMBER SUITE at \$139.50

"A Year to Pay"

3 Pieces, Bed, Dresser and Chest.

This is a Jamestown made suite, and is excellent furniture. Built according to the best standards of construction, in charming style, plain, but very beautiful. The finish is a lovely Huguenot walnut of finely matched veneers, with a small colored inlay on each piece.

Bed, dresser and chest of drawers priced regularly at \$165. Now \$139.50.

Or the bed, dresser and large vanity, may be bought at \$159.50.

## CHAMBER SUITE SPECIAL



A three piece combination of bow-end bed, dresser and triple mirror vanity that sells regular at \$147.50. Rich American walnut with gumwood posts and rails. A good suite for little money. Bed, dresser and chest if preferred at \$114.50.

3 Pieces  
\$119.50  
"A Year to Pay"

## Extraordinary Rug Values

Seamless Axminster of good quality and brand new patterns, 9x12 and 8-3x10-6 sizes, selling regularly at \$57.50 and \$62.50. Now for \$39.50. \$1 a week.

## 27 INCH AXMINSTER RUGS



Mottled hit or miss patterns with plain colored border. Now Regular Price \$4.50

\$2.95

## BEDDING SPECIALS

Pure layer felt cotton mattress, all sizes, in heavyweight plain ticking with rolled edge. Very durable. Regular price \$18.75. Now \$10.50. \$1 a week.

A new spring-filled mattress, \$10 small, resilient coil springs permanently secured inside—padded with cotton felt and covered in attractive art ticking. A real luxury. Regular price \$42.50. Special introductory price now \$29.50. \$1 a week.

## Universal Washer \$135

"A Year to Pay"

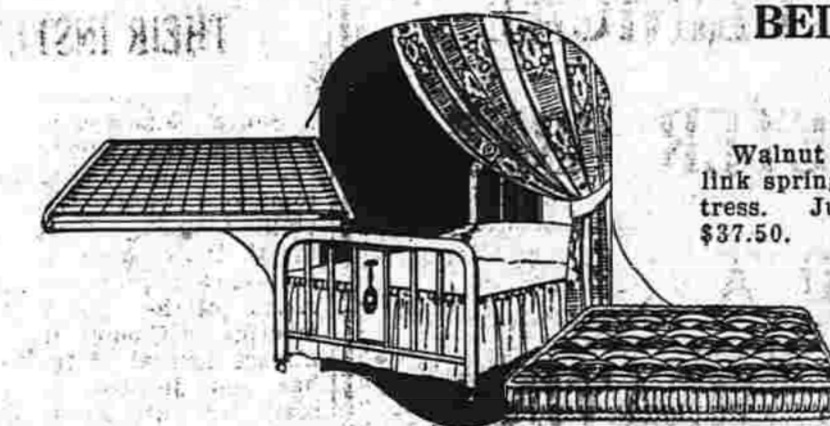


A special purchase enables us to offer a limited quantity of these standard high grade Universal washers. A cylinder type washer that is well known and carries a five year triple guarantee. The regular list price for cash is \$149.50. Now While They Last \$135, A Year to Pay. Just \$11.25 a Month.

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Walnut finished panel bed, strong link spring and good white cotton mattress. Just as shown. Regular price \$37.50. An exceptional bargain at

\$24.50  
\$1 a Week



Bed, Dresser and Full Length Triple-Mirror Vanity at \$159.50 "A Year to Pay"

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WEDNESDAY, JAN. 18, 1928

HOOVER

It is rather remarkable, the speed with which the Hoover boom is growing. At Christmas time the Secretary of Commerce looked to be no more than a fairly good bet as the Presidential nominee of the Republican party. Today, although nobody knows where the delegates are that would make his nomination sure, the name of Hoover stands out from all the rest.

It is doubtful if any change whatever has developed in the relationship between Hoover and the politicians or Hoover and Big Business, so-called. Just why the drift of sentiment should set so strongly toward him appears to have just one explanation—which is that the practical politicians have just remembered something; that Herbert Hoover, for all his going about his own affairs and doing as little as might be to seek favor with the country at large, has a closer contact with the hearts of the American people than any other citizen.

Hoover's campaign for the Presidency—a wholly unconscious one—began in 1914, when the World War broke out. There were thousands upon thousands of Americans in Europe at the time, with their funds shut off, stranded. Hoover, who was in London at the time, immediately organized a committee for their relief and no less than a hundred thousand of them were helped in one way and another to get back home. That brought the hitherto not publicly known mining engineer into the light, and most favorably.

Hoover logically was made head of the Commission for Belgian Relief. He proved to be a giant in ability and a supreme humanitarian in the bargain. His Commission administered no less than \$950,000,000 and fed no less than ten million people throughout Belgium and Northern France. The name of Hoover rang round the world. And always its association was with great, benevolent, magical deeds for mankind.

No other American, no other man in the world, ever achieved such a wide celebrity of such a character. Children have since grown up who can remember the name of Hoover as that of a sort of fairy benefactor. It has household values. It is a synonym for helpfulness and the power to help tremendously.

It is not the fact that Herbert Hoover, as secretary of commerce, has rendered far-reaching and extraordinary service to this nation which gives him his strength. It is because, of all Americans, his name means more to the women and the children of the country than any other.

Hoover is the greatest potential vote getter in the United States. The politicians are beginning to become aware of it.

SMALLPOX

of a smallpox epidemic, and one only. It is a serious mistake to believe that by observing habits of strict personal cleanliness and avoiding physical contact with strangers one may keep clear of the germs of the disease. Smallpox is the most virulently contagious ailment known. Walking cases are entirely capable of bestowing their malignant poison on persons who do not approach within several feet of them. When smallpox is abroad, unless one shuts himself up in his house and maintains a quarantine against the world at large, there is no safety in isolation.

Moreover it is the commonest of errors to imagine that there is such a thing as "mild" smallpox. The comparative mildness of the manifestations of the disease in so many instances is due to the relative immunization of the patients by partly worn-out vaccination, just possibly to inherited partial immunization from vaccinated parents. And any one of these "mild" cases is capable of passing on to any promising subject a case of virulent smallpox, than which there is nothing more dreadful and few diseases more fatal.

The only known safeguard when smallpox is about is vaccination—general and recent. Many persons balk at the idea of vaccination. Many are bitterly opposed to it. It is a subject concerning which there is never-ending and sometimes acrimonious debate. Possibly it is true that in isolated instances vaccination has had unfortunate consequences; but at worst such instances are very rare—and the whole weight of the evidence is that it is vaccination alone which has freed the world from those devastating visitations of the loathsome disease which, until the Jenner discovery, swept over great areas of the world, leaving widespread death and maiming in their wakes.

There are at least eight weeks of winter ahead of us. It is almost impossible to stamp out a smallpox epidemic during the winter in which it starts. The utmost care must be taken all over Connecticut to prevent the spread of this one. Medical science knows only one way to block the progress of the pest—vaccination.

SUB INQUIRY

Perhaps the Court of Naval Inquiry into the reason why the rescue of the S-4 survivors failed is as necessary as it was inevitable. Perhaps it is equally necessary that the officers in command of the rescue work be subjected to questioning as curt and apparently as little marked by friendly consideration as a crook under cross-examination at his own trial.

To the layman, however, it would seem as if there could be only one certain effect of such treatment of men who certainly did their utmost, at the cost of great hardship and personal suffering which would be to insure, in case there is even another repetition of this kind of disaster, a complete case of rattles on the part of every officer unfortunate enough to get mixed up with the rescue work.

The kind of thing that men in their position are called on to do is difficult enough, in all conscience. They are eager enough to succeed, goodness knows; without having to do their work in the reasonable certainty that they will afterward be called on, in case of failure, to defend their reputations and their credit as officers and men.

It is a pretty easy matter for a group of naval critics, full of hindsight, to intimate that the rescue officers acted stupidly and indifferently—but it gets them mighty little glory in the popular estimation, just the same.

Submarines full of men are sent to sea unprovided with devices for making their raising practicable and without means of escape for their crews; there is also a question whether the discipline in the submarine service has not long been extremely lax. But when men are drowned or smothered in sunken subs the only persons who fall under inferential attack are the rescue officers.

There would be as much sense in assailing the divers—perhaps the most starkly heroic figures in the world.

DIVORCED

The Connecticut Temperance Union, after a companionate marriage with the Anti-Saloon League, has suffered disillusionment and has declared a separation. To its dismay the Union found that the Anti-Saloon League was better at allocating salaries among its adherents than it was at teaching the wisdom of temperance, which latter has been more in the line of the Union's work. Hereafter it intends to devote its energies to educational labors, according to its original policy.

FACTS ABOUT CONNECTICUT

Compiled by the CONNECTICUT CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

(42) Electrical Machinery in Connecticut.

The manufacture of electrical machinery, apparatus and supplies is Connecticut's fourth greatest industry, in so far as value of product is concerned. In comparison with other states in the union Connecticut's product in this industry is seventh in value.

Although Connecticut does not rank among the leaders in production value, the value of her product increased 447% from 1914 to 1926, the total value for all states was \$335,170,194. Connecticut's share was \$14,380,000, or 4.3% of the total. During 1925, Connecticut plants turned out goods valued at \$78,365,923 or 5.08% of the total for the United States which was \$1,540,002,041.

Massachusetts, ranking sixth during 1925, produced goods valued at \$147,056,901. New York was first with a product worth \$239,262,117; Illinois was second and Pennsylvania third, having a product valued at \$237,301,784 and \$236,843,492 respectively. Ohio was fourth and New Jersey fifth.

Sixty-five Connecticut factories employed an average of 16,458 persons during 1925, the wages and salaries totaling \$22,122,634. Material cost \$34,245,876.

Tomorrow—The Slavery Days

It their life work to picture the evils of alcoholic enslavement and to persuade individuals to adopt teetotalism, were among the greatest and most beneficent social forces of the age. It is one of the keenest tragedies of prohibition that they have well nigh disappeared, for they did a magnificent work, and one of which there is more crying necessity now than ever before.

If the Connecticut Temperance Union carries out its present intent of advocating temperance, and if it is joined by organizations all over the country in such efforts as were made in that direction ten or twenty years ago, perhaps eventually part of the disasters brought about by prohibition will be compensated.

"EDUCATION"

Dr. Ernest H. Cherrington, head of the new department of education, publicly and research of the Anti-Saloon League of America, thinks the League ought to have two million dollars a year for the next five years to spend in teaching "the next generation—the youths who were in the grade schools and high schools when prohibition became effective," about the horrors of beverage alcohol in the old saloon days.

If Dr. Cherrington's bureau weren't organized wrong end to; if it put research first instead of last in its program; it would know that, if there ever was a generation that knew more about alcohol than any other, without any special instruction from the Anti-Saloon League—let alone ten million dollars worth—it is the generation that has been passing through and out of the high schools for the last eight years.

To tell these young sophisticates about the horrors of old fashioned beer and whiskey, after they have served an apprenticeship of "double-cooked" and juniper, is like telling about pillow fights to veterans of Belleau Wood.



By RODNEY DUTCHER

Washington, Jan. 18.—Some members of this Congress are content to orate and vote for farm relief measures the effect of which can't possibly be foretold until they're tried. A few are working more quietly toward some sure though less spectacular method of helping the farmer.

One, at least, is working in both ways. He is the Hon. Robert Beecher Howell, the other senator from Nebraska. Senator Howell has been promoting programs looking forward to the time when American farmers may be able to produce the great quantities of sugar and tea consumed in this country, which are now imported.

If that could be achieved, the farmers should be much better off. And if the same principle could be worked to the extent of making us entirely independent of foreign farm products, it might become a vitally important factor in solving the general farm problem.

The farmer's main ailment, as has been explained times without number, is overproduction. The remedy most frequently advanced is diversification of crops. The trouble with diversification seems to be that, like farm production, it can't be controlled. Too much uncontrolled diversification would spread the ailment of overproduction.

000,000 pounds of sugar valued at \$232,330,000. If that sugar and tea could be produced at home, the benefit would be the farmer's.

For some time, Senator Howell has been ballyhooing artichokes for domestic sugar, and cassina mate, a species of holly growing from Virginia to New Mexico, for domestic tea. He has been sponsoring such minor legislation as is necessary to carry out experiments with these plants and to introduce them to the farmer.

"Levulose is 75 per cent sweeter than sugar and is a desirable sugar in every form," says Howell. "I believe that the artichoke can eventually be made the mainstay of our national sugar supply and relieve us from the necessity of importation."

So Howell has sent Department of Agriculture bulletins to 110,000 Nebraska farmers recommending that they experiment in growing the tuber.

More recently Howell has adopted cassina mate, hoping to obtain congressional support for what he believes may become an important new industry for the south. About 3,000 pounds of cassina grows to the acre and C. P. Mitchell, the Department of Agriculture's tea expert, estimates it now grows wild on about 40,000 acres. The Argentines consumed 143,500,000 pounds of tea from yerba mate, which is similar to cassina mate, in 1926, and it is claimed that American cassina mate tea could be sold for 25 cents a pound as compared with a dollar for similar imported tea.

"This American plant is better than the tea plant in some ways," Howell says. "It contains less caffeine and much less injurious tannin—about 8 per cent as compared with 24 per cent for the tea plant."

A year or so ago a young man appeared from the ranks of the vaudeville song and dancers. He was given the chance of editing a newspaper column that would reflect the night club chatter and the Broadway slang, the current gags and the snappy side talk. The idea caught on and the gags were passed about.

There was something of the rough-and-slangy of the "big street" in it that made Variety, the theatrical magazine, the classic periodical that it is. The "smart" magazines began to notice it, and at the status of a vogue, and when this vogue runs its course it is through with it. Meanwhile the favored individuals gather to themselves great followings of sympathants.

Not so many winters ago, it was the young Michael Arlen, out of London, who was quoted, touted and lionized. Manhattan would have nothing stronger or weaker with his tea. "These charming people" became more and more charming. Recently someone told me Arlen was critically ill, suffering from tuberculosis and fighting for health somewhere in the Alps. And I'll bet my new Christmas neckties not one in twenty has the slightest idea what's become of him.

Also, in Manhattan, it becomes "the thing" to be seen at certain eating places if you are to be identified as "among the who's who." For a number of years the Algonquin practically went without competition. It had become "THE place" largely because of the presence of the "round table," where gathered such Manhattan "celebs" as Alexander Woolcott, the critic; Heywood Brown, the columnist; Harold Ross, editor of the sophisticated weekly; a few of the bright young men from LI—and Judge—and many such. Thereafter a second circle began to grow about the first. Movie folk, actors, writers with an eye for "celebrities," hangers-on of all sorts and literary leeches in profusion.

This year it's Sardis. It's the sort of place where, at the moment, one is recognized as a film critic, a columnist or something equally st.

Furnishing A Colonial Bedroom at Watkins' SEMI-ANNUAL FURNITURE SALE. Includes images of a poster-bed, gateleg table, dressing table, clock, tip-table, spinet, Windsor arm chair, and a bracket-foot chest. Prices range from \$29.75 to \$39.75.

\$1,500,000 IN ART OF FORMER ROYALTY OFFERED FOR SALE. Includes text about an art collection valued at \$1,500,000 and belonging to the former reigning house of Anhalt.

The Smart Shop. "Always Something New" South Manchester. State Theatre Building. Miss & Matron Spring Dresses. Just Purchased and Offered at a Noteworthy Price. \$9.95. See These Exceptional Values.

A THOUGHT. Be not forgetful to entertain strangers, for thereby some have entertained angels unawares.—Hebrews 13:2. A stranger, if just, is not only to be preferred before a countryman, but a winnman.—Pythagoras.

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# FUR COAT

Manufacturers

OFFER HALE'S

50 COATS 1-3 to 1-2 Off



On Sale  
Thursday  
Friday  
Saturday

Our garment buyer was in New York last week and in visiting our New York buying office discovered that they had made arrangements to clean up several hundred fur coats at 1-3 to 1-2 off.

This past winter, owing to lack of snow and cold weather, has been the worst fur coat season in the past ten years. The banks are calling loans and the manufacturers who are not financially able to carry the loans must have money at once.

We have sold already four times as many fur coats as last year.

During this sale we will offer coats, in a great many cases, at a great deal less than we could buy them for wholesale six months ago. In many cases the price is less than the cost of production. This is a temporary condition. It will not affect the price of coats next winter and they, undoubtedly, will be higher than this season's early prices. The whole thing is caused by a weather condition over which no one had any control.

A Real  
Cold Storage  
Vault

Our Cold Storage Vault, which is kept at a temperature of 28 degrees all year around, is the only fur-storage vault in town. Any fur coat bought now will be cleaned, inspected and stored free next summer. With a fur coat, this is a very important consideration.

BUY A FUR COAT NOW  
Even To Hold For Next Winter

<p>\$125 <b>American Oppossum Coat</b> Self Trimmed <b>\$95</b> By buying now you save \$30.</p>	<p>\$150 <b>Pony Coats</b> Natural and Dark Skins. <b>\$95</b> By buying now you save \$55.</p>	<p>\$295 <b>Raccoon Coat</b> Tomyboy Style <b>\$235</b> By buying now you save \$60.</p>	<p>\$395 <b>Cocoa Squirrel Coat</b> Fox Collar <b>\$245</b> By buying now you save \$150.</p>	<p>\$595 <b>Cocoa Jap Weasel Coat</b> Fox Collar <b>\$345</b> By buying now you save \$250.</p>	<p>\$195 <b>Pony Coat</b> Pointed Fox Collar <b>\$95</b> By buying now you save \$100.</p>
<p>\$295 <b>Silver Muskrat Coat</b> Fox Collar <b>\$175</b> By buying now you save \$120.</p>	<p>\$250 <b>Dark Muskrat Coat</b> Fox Collar <b>\$139.50</b> By buying now you save \$110.50.</p>	<p>\$175 <b>Northern Seal Coat</b> Squirrel Collar and Cuffs <b>\$125</b> By buying now you save \$50.</p>	<p>\$225 <b>Mendoza Beaver Coat</b> Squirrel Shawl Collar and Cuffs <b>\$145</b> By buying now you save \$80.</p>	<p>\$250 <b>Muskrat Coat</b> Fox Collar <b>\$195</b> By buying now you save \$55.</p>	<p>\$195 <b>Black Caracul Coat</b> Fox Collar <b>\$149.50</b> By buying now you save \$45.50.</p>
<p>\$195 <b>Black Pony Coat</b> Pointed Fox Collar <b>\$125</b> By buying now you save \$70.</p>	<p>\$125 <b>Mendoza Beaver Coat</b> Self Trimmed <b>\$75</b> By buying now you save \$50.</p>	<p>\$225 <b>Natural Pony Coat</b> Fox Collar <b>\$175</b> By buying now you save \$50.</p>	<p>\$295 <b>Dark Muskrat Coat</b> Fox Shawl Collar <b>\$245</b> By buying now you save \$50.</p>	<p>\$250 <b>Castor Caracul Paw Coat</b> Fox Shawl Collar and Cuffs. <b>\$175</b> By buying now you save \$75.</p>	<p>\$250 <b>Gray Caracul Coat</b> Fox Collar <b>\$125</b> By buying now you save \$125.</p>

**Store Open**  
Thursday from 9 a. m. to 9 p. m.  
Friday from 9 a. m. to 6 p. m.  
Saturday from 9 a. m. to 9 p. m.

**The J.W. Hale Company**  
SOUTH MANCHESTER, CONN.

**Free Parking In Rear Of Store**  
Unlimited parking around the store. Free parking space in rear of the store, entrance at Oak and Maple streets.

DAILY RADIO PROGRAM

Wednesday, January 18.

The Unwritten Life of Irving Berlin... The Columbia hour to be broadcast through WOR and the Purple network at 10:30 o'clock Wednesday night.

8:45-Bartone, guitar, accordion... 9:00-Dance music; Dalhart trio... 10:00-Old time songs...

Leading DX Stations.

478.9-WBS, ATLANTA-850... 8:30-Stephen Foster songs... 8:30-WBAF troubadours quartet... 10:30-WBAF grand opera...

APPEARANCE AIDS BUSINESS SUCCESS

So Willard B. Rogers Tells Evening Students at Hartford High School.

Willard B. Rogers, advertising director of the Hotel Bond Company and general manager of the Fuller Battery Company, speaking before several classes of the Hartford Evening school, at the Hartford Public High school Tuesday evening, said in part:

Butory factors which make for success—success because the opportunity to advance is offered. "Knowledge is, of course, the greatest factor in advancement. And with such evening schools as this, the public library, and the many other avenues of education open to everyone there is no sound argument against the acquisition of knowledge upon any subject by anyone.

yourself. You will make of yourself either a success or you will make of yourself a failure. Parents can guide you to a certain point. Schools can give you knowledge. You are the difference between a Sunday school can help greatly in your life and wrong. But, in the end it is for you to make the decision. You will be in this world what you decide to be. I warn you that taking the path that makes for success is not always the easiest way. Many obstacles will confront you. Many times, you may think the fight is not worth while and you may ask yourself why you are not out spending your evenings dancing or in sport. But, you get out of this world dividends upon only what

you invest in it. Nothing is more truthful and logical than that old saying: "As you sow—so shall you reap."

COLDS CURED IN 24 HOURS... Be Sure It's HILL'S Price 30c CASCARA & QUININE

Black face type indicates best features

All programs Eastern Standard Time. Leading East Stations. 272.6-WPQ, ATLANTIC CITY-1100... 7:05-Orchestra; talk; artists program...

Secondary Eastern Stations

508.2-WEEL, BOSTON-550... 7:30-WBAF programs (2 hrs.)... 8:00-Frank Stevens organist...

WTIC Travelers Insurance Co. Hartford 535.4 m. 560 k. c. P. M. 6:25-News bulletins...

ANDOVER The second annual meeting of the stockholder of the Andover Lake Corporation was held in the local Town Hall Saturday at 2:30 p. m.

From a Dentist: "I should like to apply for \$150 a month under your Life Income Plan if you can arrange to bill me monthly instead of annually."

INSURANCE The Best Guardian of Life and Property Insure Your Valuables A BOX IN A GOOD SAFE DEPOSIT VAULT IS THE BEST AND CHEAPEST INSURANCE. The Manchester Trust Co. Fire and Liability Insurance RICHARD G. RICH

FREE! FREE! CHIEFTAIN RADIO TO THE HOLDER OF THE LUCKY KEY. All ready to install. Completely equipped. Who wouldn't like one of these beautiful radios? With every one dollar purchase, we will give you a key. When the time comes every key given out, will be tried and the one opening the mysterious lock, wins the radio. Robinson Auto Supply Tel. 2468. South Manchester 415 Main Street. One Key With Each \$1.00 Purchase.

Home Builders! Plan the Gas Piping Right on the Blueprints Talk it over with our Gas Engineering Experts IT COSTS LESS to have adequate gas piping put in when you're first building than to have floors torn up for it later. And you're sure to need it. Adequate gas piping doesn't mean just providing for a gas range in the kitchen. You'll want a gas water heater and incinerator, an ironing machine and clothes dryer—not all these appliances at once, perhaps, but eventually. So provide for them now—when it costs less. IMPORTANT! How will you heat the new home? When walls and furnishings are fresh and clean, "you can do it Better with Gas." Investigate gas fuel before you buy a furnace. CALL 640 THE MANCHESTER GAS CO.

Clerks Still To Have Wednesday Afternoon Off Glad if it. They should have a little time to themselves—gives them a brighter outlook on life when they come back to work. Which reminds us—a good many of them, both men and women, wear Walk-Over shoes for foot comfort and all-round satisfaction. We've marked down a lot of perfectly good ladies' shoes, \$5 to \$8 values to \$2.85 and \$3.95. Good buys for somebody. W. H. GARDNER THE WALK-OVER STORE 847 Main Street, Park Building

THE BOOK OF KNOWLEDGE: (188) Making Rails Here we see how ingots of steel are made. Suppose these ingots are to be made into rails. Here you see a great ingot resting on the rollers at a rolling mill, after being heated to exactly the right temperature. It is forced between the first set of powerful rollers which begin to reduce the width and increase the length. Here we see the ingot emerging from the first set of rolls. It is about the size now of a great beam: such as are used in skyscraper construction. The ingot passes through another set of rolls and is further "stretched" by the powerful rollers that mold it as if it were butter. Here we see a great room full of machines, all rolling the original steel ingots into different shapes. We see a rail here beginning to take form. The machines do most of the work with only the guiding brains of a few men. This whole mill is filled with a binding white-hot light from the metal passing between the rolls. Sketches by Bessey; Synopsis by Braucher

**LICENSES SUSPENDED**

The weekly list of operators whose licenses to drive automobiles in Connecticut have been suspended for one year for driving while under the influence of liquor was given out today at the state motor

vehicle department as a part of the effort to reduce this highway menace. There are thirty names on the list. Three were Connecticut operators convicted in other states. Two cases were appealed. The department statement advised people to notify the department or the police in case they should see any of the suspended drivers operating

motor vehicles.  
Bristol—Peter Chapor.  
Broad Brook—Peter Steppins.  
Elmwood—John Nagy.  
Greenwich—Aniello Pennella.  
Wm. Rodgers.  
Hartford—Ed. C. Greenbaum.  
Wm. O. E. Hoffner, Chas. G. Irwin, Frederick J. Moran, Alexander Thompson.

Hazardville—Raymond E. Hills.  
Meriden—Geo. L. DuPlessis.  
Milford—John Tosh.  
Moodus—Bart Constantino.  
New Haven—Harold Hunt, Elphège LaRoche, Rankin B. Marsden, Thomas Pazera, Edwin Weiss, Daniel Wilson.  
Noroton—Gustave Jacobson.  
North Haven—Chas. D'Agostino.

Shelton—James P. Mooney.  
So. Glastonbury—Warren N. Abbe.  
Stamford—Wm. E. Jacobson.  
Stratford—John Danowski.  
Tataville—Pierre Paquette.  
Torrington—Carl Kelm.  
Lafayette, R. I.—Willis Hitchcock.  
Pawtucket, R. I.—Norman Anderson.

**PENN'S BURIAL PLACE**

**TO REMAIN UNMARKED—MONUMENT REJECTED**

London—The burial place of William Penn, the Quaker pioneer and founder of Pennsylvania, will remain a lonely, unmarked grave. The proposal by a Pittsburgh resident, Weaver H. Rogers, president of an American investment company, to erect a \$25,000 mausoleum over Penn's grave, has been rejected by the small committee of friends who control the Quaker burial ground at Jordans.

The idea was placed before the committee by Mr. Rogers, in which he asked whether the Quaker authorities would welcome the erection of a memorial structure.

"Some of my fellow citizens of the State of Pennsylvania," Rogers wrote, "are desirous of securing permission for the erection at Jordans Burial Ground, of a simple

and appropriate memorial to William Penn, his second wife and children.

"The memorial could be in the shape of anything, of simple character, and in good taste, from a suitable bronze tablet to a small meeting house. The cost of the memorial would be entirely cared for by subscriptions from public-spirited citizens here."

The proposal was taken under consideration by the Friends, and the following resolution adopted:

"It is our wish to maintain the principle held throughout the history of the Society of Friends ever since the time of William Penn, that in death all are equal, and that no distinction shall be made

between rich and poor, great and humble."

The Society sent a letter of thanks to Rogers for his offer, and suggested that the American memorial take the form of a bronze tablet erected on the famous Mayflower Barn, which stands near the Jordans Meeting House. The barn is believed to have been built of the timbers of the Mayflower which carried the pilgrims to America.

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### Review Of 1927 and Some Forecasts

The following address of interest to everyone was delivered before the Kiwanis Club yesterday by Charles J. Eyanson, an economics expert:

The year just closed was one of mixed tendencies. Businesswise, President Coolidge's message to the Congress and Secretary of Labor Davis' report both make reference to the prosperity of the country as a whole. Many Connecticut manufacturers have been at a loss to find just where that prosperity is. Probably the impression of prosperity can be traced to a generally accepted, confusion of the term with "activity." The fallacy, although universally accepted, is never-the-less unsound. The two terms are not synonymous. Even in activity however, Connecticut was somewhat below the previous year. Manufacturers worked in selected Connecticut factories in 1927 average about 4 per cent below the year before. Under ordinary circumstances one would be inclined to view this decrease in man-hour activity as a possible result of the recognized annual growth in out-put per worker which the National Industrial Conference Board measures at about 7 per cent. This optimistic slant would seem to find encouragement from the fact that electric power consumption in Connecticut increased materially as did raw cotton and silk consumption, and metal tonnage shipped from selected stations of the New Haven road. Having in mind, however, the let-up in basic production—7 per cent in pig iron, a still greater loss in steel ingot production and 2.2 per cent in automobiles—I think we must conclude that the 4 per cent decrease in man-hour activity in Connecticut is also a measure of the decrease in production.

The distribution situation throughout the country has been somewhat better than production. Mail order and chain store business showed a notable increase in 1927 over 1926. Department store sales on the other hand which are more representative of the average purchasing level increased only about 1 per cent, which is hardly normal growth having in mind the trend of population. In Connecticut retail business appears to have been maintained at a fairly good level. Hartford stores, for instance, showed an increase of from three to five percent over the previous year. Wholesale business on the other hand was 3 1/2 percent over the previous year. Wholesale business on the other hand was 3 1/2 percent below 1926 in the country as a whole. It is reasonably logical to look on this condition as an indication that wholesale shelves are fairly well cleaned.

Money remained easy throughout the entire year. Call rates stiffened slightly at the year end but even then all classes of money were cheaper than at the corresponding periods of 1925 or 1926. Probably the most notable economic characteristic of the year was the reversal of international gold movements. Those among you who are familiar with finance know, of course, that this is due to the approach of parity. When N. Y. exchange or any country records a certain point above par, it becomes cheaper to ship gold than to buy foreign exchange. In spite of large imports of gold in the first eight months of the year, the net out-go since August as been \$130,000,000. Such a notable drain on the gold reserves of the country would ordinarily lead up to a rise in the interest rates but the Federal Reserve Bank has expanded their credit sufficiently to make up for the gold loss.

Purchasing power has been well maintained and the wide diffusion of purchasing power among the masses is the fundamental factor underlying prosperity. It is governed largely by two factors—high wages and steady employment. As to the latter, while the labor market is comparatively easy at present, there has been nothing resembling a serious unemployment problem for the last several years. As to the former, there has been but little noticeable trend and that was in favor of 1927. Composite weekly earnings, according to the National Industrial Conference Board, were \$27.10 in the third quarter of 1927 as against \$27.01 in the corresponding period of the year before. There have been no notable wage decreases in this section of the country except in the textile industry and that even in that, Connecticut has not shared to any great degree. Such wage changes as have been made public, are generally in the nature of adjustments. Moreover, if any other evidence were needed as to the purchasing power of the community there is plenty to be had in the fact that savings deposits have again increased in 1927 in Connecticut. Savings deposits are a good measure of the prosperity of the individual worker because the larger investor is usually attracted to the security markets. Obviously there can be no savings until the worker is obtaining not only enough for current needs but something to be put by against a rainy day. New financing in the United States during 1927, estimated by Halser Stuart & Co. at nine billion dollars. Again these funds are available only because consumers are enjoying a surplus. To ring the picture closer home I might mention that general bank deposits in Connecticut totaled \$100,000,000 in 1927, and Putnam & Co. anticipate a million dollars more in corporate dividends for stock holders in this vicinity than a year ago.

Building construction was off slightly throughout the entire country in 1927. The figures compiled by F. W. Dodge, Inc. indicate that in the first 11 months of the year Connecticut was 1 percent below the corresponding period of the previous year in the value of contracts awarded while the rest of New England was off 8 percent. Connecticut's relative volume was about the same as the U. S. as a whole.

Transportation and distribution were not quite so active in 1927 as in 1926. Ton miles for the country as a whole fell off 3 percent. Carloadings decreased 2 1/2 percent, but they were still 1 percent about 1925. This decrease in carloadings must be viewed in the light of the abnormal coal traffic of a year ago when business was anticipating a tie-up in the union coal fields. An interesting side-light on the operations of railroads for 1927 is that although gross business fell off \$225,000,000, greater efficiency of operation held the net decrease down to \$125,000,000. That alone would show increased efficiency but we have records of a new mileage-per-day for freight cars and new high loading peaks. If you think you have reason to expect a reversal of the hand to mouth buying method I am afraid this record of efficiency alone will discharge you.

The capitalization of new corporations in Connecticut shows an increase of \$23,000,000, if one discounts for a large public utility merger in 1926 which accounted for a \$50,000,000, if one discounts for a large public utility merger in 1926 which accounted for \$50,000,000. The number of new incorporations was increased from 819 to 923.

The tale of business failures in Connecticut, however, is a rather sad one. Their number increased from 619 to 632 and the average liability bankrupt increased from \$10,000 to \$13,000, a rise of 35 per cent. One does not need to exercise his imaginative faculty a great deal to see in this the lesson of excessive competition and price cutting.

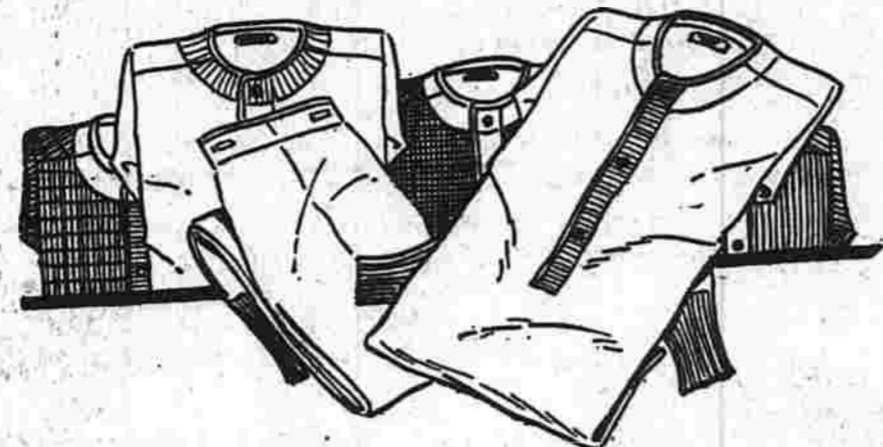
The flare for prophetic vision in business has met with so many discouragements of late that one hesitates to indulge in it. Men whose judgment I respect stand aghast before the ventures, and I should be presumptuous to cast pearls of wisdom about in the face of hesitancy on the part of really big men. I can, however, tell you what the authorities look for and I can also tell you what history might lead us to expect. To begin with Connecticut's man-hour curve has shown an upward trend at the beginning of every year, even the notoriously slow year of 1924. In the normal years this upward trend persists until the spring. This bit of history coupled with Harvard's prediction of active business for 1928 and Brookmeyer's expectation of definite improvement may well lead us to look for an active winter and early spring. Unfilled orders of the Steel Corporation, after reaching a new 15-year low in the spring of 1927, started on the rise and since production has not kept pace, it seems reasonable to expect increased activity in that quarter during the early part of this year. President Grace of the Bethlehem Steel Company anticipates increased business in 1928 from the demands of the railroad, construction, automotive and agricultural industries. Indeed, one of our best signs is the increased purchasing power of the farmer due to the rare combination of large crops at good prices. The index of agricultural purchasing power, according to Secretary Jardine, stood at 92 in September as compared with an average of 85 for the year of 1926. The failure of the railroads to purchase their expected amounts of equipment in 1927 was doubtless due to their operation of existing plant more efficiently but many authorities expect them to come in to the market for greater quantities of equipment in 1928. Brookmeyer looks for a business volume in the first half of 1928 somewhat greater than that of the last half of 1927, but they hardly anticipate a volume as great as the first half of 1927. This service also anticipates a stiffening of prices before summer which will work into the finished goods as well as the raw material. If this increase in the price commodities which was noted last fall persists (and Brookmeyer's service confidentially expects it) it will tend to lessen the extreme keenness of competition in many lines and thus give manufacturers something like the margin of profit they deserve.

C. W. Barron has commented on the unusually optimistic attitude of industrial leaders at the year end. For instance, their prediction of a five million car year as against 3,066,000 in 1927. F. W. Dodge Inc. look for an active building year and F. W. Babson predicts a great deal of activity in highway construction. If these predictions materialize it will mean much for the prosperity of Connecticut because many of the primary and secondary materials in these two industries are manufactured here.

Money is fairly plentiful and easy at least in the early part of the year. In general business enters the years auspiciously. Production has decreased to the point where warehouse and wholesale shelves are well cleaned. Purchasing power is plentiful and well diffused. There is ample credit available and money is easy. Much will depend on two rather tangible factors—the presidential election, and the policy of the Federal Reserve system. As to the first we are not confronted with the LaFollette scare of 1924 nor by the oil scandals which rocked the country at that time. As to the latter, the Treasury Department has committed itself to a policy of stabilization of foreign currency and this can only be done while money is easy, we are justified, I think, in expecting a policy on the part of the Federal Reserve Board which will discount for reasonable exports of gold. There is no unemployment of any concern, there is no prospect of any appreciable wage decrease, the federal income tax corporations has been reduced to 11 1/2 per cent, and our own states' finances are in a healthy condition with a million and a half margin between revenues and expenditures. Altogether I think we can expect a fairly active year with some profits and we need hardly anticipate any great price inflation nor, on the other hand, any notable recession.

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## THE 'CANARY' MURDER CASE

CHARACTERS

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MARGARET ODELL (the "CANARY")

CHARLES CLEAVER, a man-about-town

KENNETH SPOTSWOOD, a manufacturer

LOUIS MANNIX, an importer

DR. AMBROISE LINDQUIST, a fashionable neurologist

TONY SKEEL, a professional burglar

WILLIAM ELMER JESSUP, telephone operator

HARRY SPIVELY, telephone operator

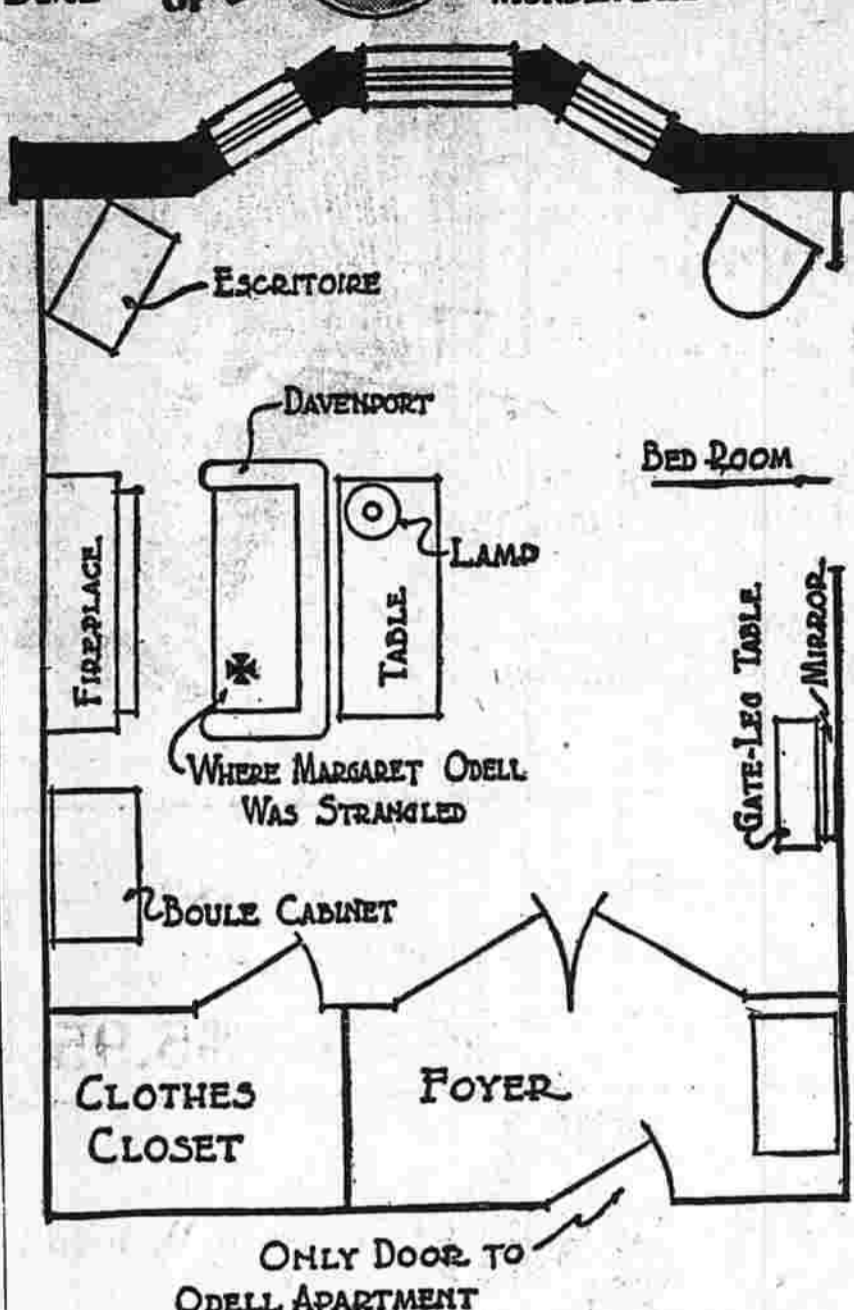
ERNEST HEATE, Sergeant of the Homeless Bureau

THE STORY THUS FAR

Vance has his own theories about criminal procedure and he tells them to his friend Markham, who is considerably worried over the crime situation in New York. Then the newspapers announce the murder of Margaret Odell, known as the "Canary," former Police girl and reigning Broadway beauty. Markham turns to Vance for help as they visit the "Canary" apartment.

CHAPTER III

AS Markham entered the Odell apartment that morning Sergeant Ernest Heath came forward at once and extended his hand. A look of relief passed over his broad, pug-nosed features; and it was obvious that the animosity and rivalry which always exist between the detective division and the district attorney's office during the investigation of an important criminal case had no place in his attitude on this occasion.



There was no other entrance to the apartment, and the bedroom could be reached only through the archway from the living-room.

There was a large davenport, covered with brocade silk, in front of the fireplace in the left-hand wall of the living-room, with a long narrow library-table of tulip rose wood extending along its back. On the opposite wall, between the foyer and the archway into the bedroom, hung a triplicate Marie Antoinette mirror, beneath which stood a mahogany gate-legged table.

On the far side of the archway, near the large oriel window, was a baby grand Steinway piano with a beautifully designed and decorated case of Louis-Seize ornamentation. In the corner to the right of the fireplace was a spindle-legged escritoire and a square hand-painted waste-paper basket of vellum.

To the left of the fireplace stood one of the loveliest Boule cabinets I have ever seen. Several excellent reproductions of Boucher, Frago, and Watteau hung about the walls. The bedroom contained a chest of drawers, a dressing-table, and several gold-leaf chairs. The whole apartment seemed eminently in keeping with the Canary's fragile and evanescent personality.

As they stepped from the little foyer into the living-room and stood for a moment looking about, a scene bordering on wreckage met their eyes. The rooms had apparently been ransacked by some one in a frenzy of haste, and the disorder of the place didn't exactly do the job in dainty fashion," remarked Inspector Moran.

"I suppose we ought to be grateful they didn't blow the joint up with dynamite," returned Heath acidly.

But it was not the general disorder that most attracted us. Our gaze was almost immediately drawn and held by the body of the dead girl, which rested in an unnatural, semi-recumbent attitude in the corner of the davenport nearest to where we stood.

Her head was turned backward, as if by force, over the silken tufted upholstery; and her hair had come unfastened and lay beneath her head and over her bare shoulder like a frozen tangle of liquid gold. Her face, in violent death, was distorted and unlovely. Her skin was discolored; her eyes were staring; her mouth was open, and her lips were drawn back. Her neck, on either side of the thyroid cartilage, showed ugly dark bruises. She was dressed in a black Chantilly lace over cream-colored chiffon, and across the arm of the davenport had been thrown an evening cape of cloth-of-gold trimmed with ermine.

There were evidences of her in effectual struggle with the person who had strangled her. Besides the discolored condition of her hair, one of the shoulder-straps of her gown had been severed, and there was a long rent in the fine lace across her breast. A small corsage of artificial orchids had been torn from her bodice, and lay crumpled in her lap. One satin slipper had fallen off, and her right knee was twisted inward on the seat of the davenport, as if she had sought to lift herself out of the suffocating clutches of her antagonist.

Her fingers were still flexed, no

doubt as they had been at the moment of her capitulation to death, when she had relinquished her grip upon the murderer's wrists.

The spell of horror cast over us by the sight of the tortured body was broken by the matter-of-fact tones of Heath.

"You see, Mr. Markham, she was evidently sitting in the corner of this settee when she was grabbed suddenly from behind."

Markham nodded. "It must have taken a pretty strong man to strangle her so easily."

"I'll say!" agreed Heath. He bent over and pointed to the girl's fingers, on which showed several abrasions. "They stripped her rings off, too; and they didn't go about it gentle, either." Then he indicated a segment of fine platinum chain, set with tiny pearls, which hung over one of her shoulders. "And they grabbed what was hanging round her neck, and broke the chain doing it. They weren't overlooking anything, or losing any time. . . . A swell, gentlemanly job. Nice and refined."

"Where's the Medical Examiner?" asked Markham.

"He's coming," Heath told him. "You can't get Doc Doremus to go anywhere without his breakfast."

"He may find something else—something that doesn't show."

"There's plenty showing for me," declared Heath. "Look at this apartment. It wouldn't be long before a Kansas cyclone had struck it."

We turned from the depressing spectacle of the dead girl and moved toward the center of the room.

"Be careful not to touch anything," Mr. Markham, warned Heath. "I've sent for the fingerprint experts—they'll be here any minute now."

Vance looked up in mock astonishment.

"Fingerprint? You don't say—really! How delightful—Imagine a Johnnie in this enlightened day leaving his fingerprints for you to find."

"All crooks aren't clever, Mr. Vance," declared Heath combatively.

"Oh, dear no! They'd never be apprehended if they were. But after all, Sergeant, even an authentic fingerprint merely means that the person who made it was dallied around at some time or other. It doesn't indicate guilt."

"Maybe so," conceded Heath doggedly. "But I'm here to tell you that if I get any good honest-to-god fingerprints outa this devious area, it's not going so easy with the bird that made 'em."

Vance appeared to be shocked.

"Henceforth I shall adopt mittens as a permanent addition to my attire. I'm always handling the furniture and the tape and the various knickknacks in the houses where I call, don't you know?"

Markham interposed himself at this point, and suggested they make a tour of inspection while waiting for the Medical Examiner.

"They didn't add anything much to the usual methods," Heath pointed out. "Killed the girl, and then-ripped things wide open."

"Heath had become acquainted with Vance during the investigation of the Benson murder case two months previously."

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### Life's Niceties HINTS ON ETIQUETTE

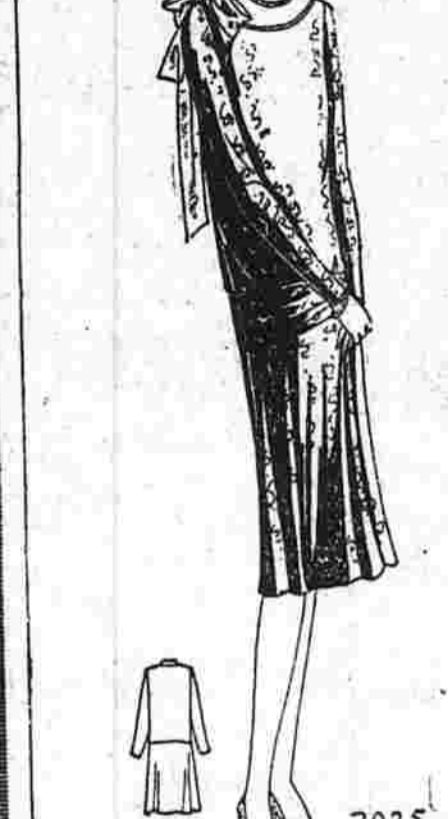
1. Is it obligatory for a hostess to entertain for her house guests?
2. Why?
3. What is the established way of entertaining for a guest?

The Answers

1. Yes.
2. So that her guest may meet local friends and in turn be invited about.
3. A formal dinner.

### "Ideal Fashions"

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### The WOMAN'S DAY ALLENE SUMMER

Why is it that the Prince of Wales can determine the male fashions of all Britain, but the hats of Mrs. Coolidge have no effect on the headgear of American womanhood? For instance, when Mrs. Coolidge went to church on New Year's Day she wore a large drooping hat. Since this hat is a radical departure from the close little felt hats which are all the rage, the little felt hats would be "out of it and big hats a la Grace Coolidge would be all the rage if our fashions were made that way. But they're not; perhaps it's too bad for few First Ladies have dressed so well.

Well, well, well, look who's here! None less than Judge Allen C. Southern of Circuit Court, Kansas City, Mo., who refused a divorce to Mrs. Ethyl Cummings, former secretary of the Kansas Public Service Commission, on the grounds that no woman with a job outside the home could be a good wife, and that her public life constituted an "indignity" to her husband.

"Whenever a wife participates actively in politics," said the judge, "she has instituted a regime incompatible with domestic relations."

Wish there were some modern expression as much needed right now as "So's Your Old Man!" spoken with asperity and vigor.

### "SO'S YOUR—!"

TUB OR SHOWER?

I hear that all our really up-to-snuff young people think it's horribly old-fashioned and common and vulgar to use bath tubs. Horrors, yes! The shower's the only mechanism for ablutions which the smart young things condescend to use. Well, let 'em, but as for me, life wouldn't be half worth living if they weren't nice little deep white bath tubs in which a person could loll and soak and read and rest. What can a shower offer compared to a good old-fashioned tub?

### JACK'S SISTER

Jack Dempsey's sister, I hear, has got a job in a stock company, but she doesn't go by her real name of Elsie Dempsey, but by Elsie Dawn. She says that she doesn't want to cash in on her famous brother's name. Wonder if Elsie would have felt the same way about it a year ago? Wonder if there's much cash value in being a Miss Dempsey right now?

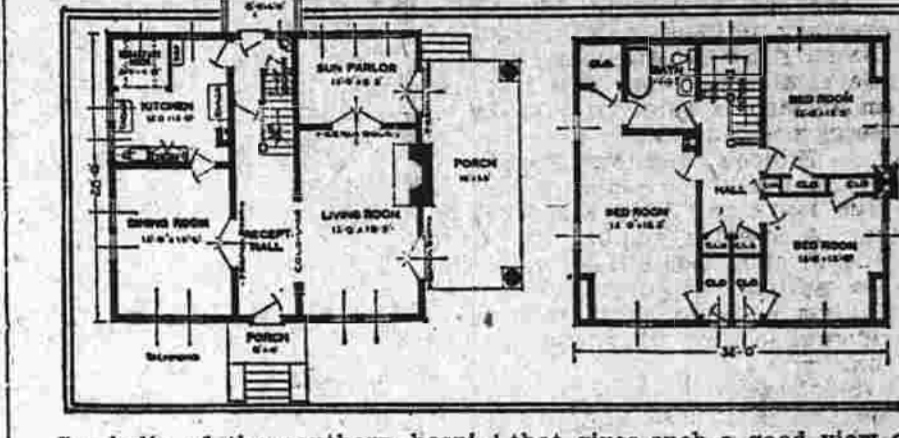
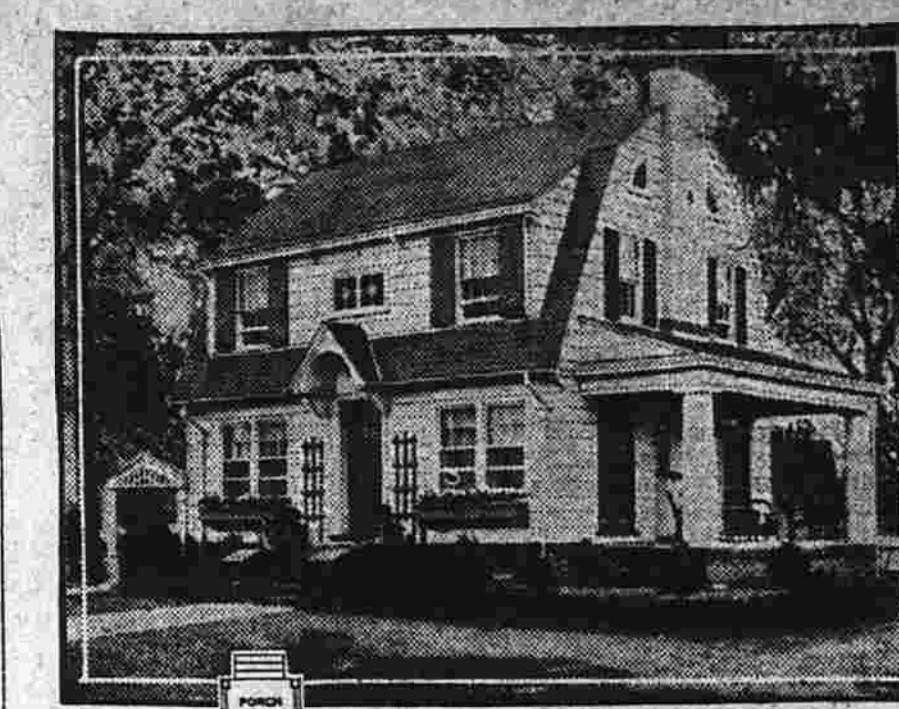
### LIPSTICK CLUBS

These various high school clubs joined by girls who pledge themselves not to use lipstick, rouge or powder, leave me quite cold. Seems to me it would be much more to the point if such clubs were formed to teach girls how to use intelligently and artistically these real friends of beauty and youth. Many a plain girl has had life glorified for herself and associates by learning how to make herself prettier.

### DIME COFFEE

They say that coffee will have to cost a dime a cup because the poor restaurant men lose money when they sell it for a nickel. Stuff and nonsense! Any woman who knows what a pound of good coffee and cream and sugar cost, and who knows, too, how many cups can be squeezed from a pound, knows that even with the cost of fuel and labor and service coffee at five cents a cup means a nice fat profit. If it isn't profitable, why are wait-

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For further information about "The Richmond" write the Standard Homes Company, Colorado Building, Washington, D. C.

### WOMEN'S CLUBS

It's quite the cute and smart and "intelligent" thing to laugh at women's clubs as something futile and insane. But a resume of women's clubs for the past year brings forth such constructive accomplishments as building scores of sanitariums and babies' homes, medical attention given hundreds of crippled children, school lunches for undernourished children, registration of baby campaigns, dental and gopher clinics established, and other stupendous pieces of work that organized men would never think of tackling.

### CLEANLINESS, FIRST IN BEAUTY OF HAND

To be admired it is not necessary that your hands should conform to any one type in particular. Beautiful is the aristocratic hand which we see exemplified in the paintings of the old masters (that day only those of wealthy aristocratic class could afford to have their portraits painted). And so is the well recognized artistic type.

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### Daily Health Service HINTS ON HOW TO KEEP WELL by World Famed Authority

PROGRESS OF DISEASES IS HALTED BY DISINFECTION

By DR. MORRIS FISHBEN  
Editor, Journal of the American Medical Association and of Hygiene, the Health Magazine

Some thousands of years ago it was believed that pestilence or plague was due to a general putrid condition of the air and that such putrefaction was brought about by influences wrought by the gods or by the stars.

More than 100 years before Pasteur showed that germs were definitely the causes of various infectious diseases, methods of fumigation consisted of the evaporation of perfumes, with the idea of disguising the odors of putrefaction rather than to get rid of the specific infection.

In 1867, it was customary to put pieces of camphor about the clothing of those who were not sick, and occasionally to throw some camphor on a hot stove with a view of killing infections that might be present.

As soon as Pasteur demonstrated definitely the relationship of certain germs to disease, it became possible to plan disinfection with a view to killing the specific germs.

Since it has been shown that insects act in many instances as carriers of germs and are thus responsible for the spread of such diseases as typhus fever, malaria and yellow fever, disinfection is as important in these conditions as disinfection in relation to other disorders.

The control of typhus fever involves the isolation of the patient;

### Home Page Editorial LIVER AND ONIONS AND FAME By Olive Roberts Barton

They would rather be just themselves.

It seems almost a paradox that those who act for the public, write for the public, and work for the public should be personally shy of public favor. As a glove hung to their work they appreciate the homage enormously, but they themselves as a rule would rather retire into some quiet corner and be just plain John Smith or Sally Jones' right to live as he chooses.

A woman whose name is a household word said to her quite-famous artist husband, "Jimmy, we're honor guests tonight at Van Vee's. Now go and dress."

"Foolled you that time," said Jimmy. "I got out of it silk as a whistle when I met old Van Vee yesterday. And the cook has orders to have liver and onions for our dinner. She also has the liver and onions, for I just brought them home."

His wife opened her mouth to gasp. Then she sighed, "You old darling," instead.

SUBSTITUTE BOARD

If you want to press clothes in a hotel room and lack a board, turn a dresser drawer upside down and cover with a Turkish towel.

BEST GARNISH

Sliced beets, re-heated in vinegar sauce, are delicious served as garnishing and sauce to fried fish such as halibut and salmon.

WHITE SILK

White silk should be washed in slightly tepid suds, rinsed thoroughly and from the first washing, dipped into bluing water.

STICKING BANDAGES

If a bandage sticks to a wound, soak it with peroxide. It serves a double purpose as it cleanses the wound while it loosens the bandage.

Mrs. Thomas Whiffen, the Grand Old Lady of the Theater, says that in her sixty years on the American stage she knew nothing of the flesh pail of Broadway. "I have never seen one of your gay places!" she told her interviewer, "except an occasional trip to Delmonico's or Rector's. My husband and I led very quiet lives.

Somewhat or other we get the idea that celebrities are made of different clay from the average run of human beings. We expect an actor, or an author, a great painter or a statesman to be on the constant display, with a stack of autographed photographs under one arm and a horn under the other.

Mrs. Whiffen's narrative duplicates so exactly what I know of the general run of celebrities that it would almost be startling if it were otherwise.

There is, of course, a reason, and that reason is not entirely because the homage of the public begins to pall after a time.

There is another and deeper reason. Except for an occasional favorite of fortune, famous people have reached their goals largely through earnest effort and hard work. Work and its harvest of success are their real lives. Naturally the searchlight of popular favor shines instead on the man or woman who has reached the top, but more often than not, those who back in its beams dislike the publicity part greatly.

### Bridge Me Another

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

- 1—In no-trump, how can you detect that the lead may not be the fourth from top?
  - 2—When is a bridge game a failure?
  - 3—What is an encouraging discard?
- The Answers
- 1—If it be an honor or the partner's suit that is led.
  - 2—When the partners refuse to co-operate.
  - 3—7 or higher of another suit than led.
- DANCING WAX
- If floor wax is missing when you want the floor slick for dancing, shove a candle or use powdered boracic acid in quantity.

### KEEP YOUR APPETITE YOUNG



Why do so many, many babies of today escape all the little fretful spells and infantile ailments that used to worry mothers through the day, and keep them up half the night?

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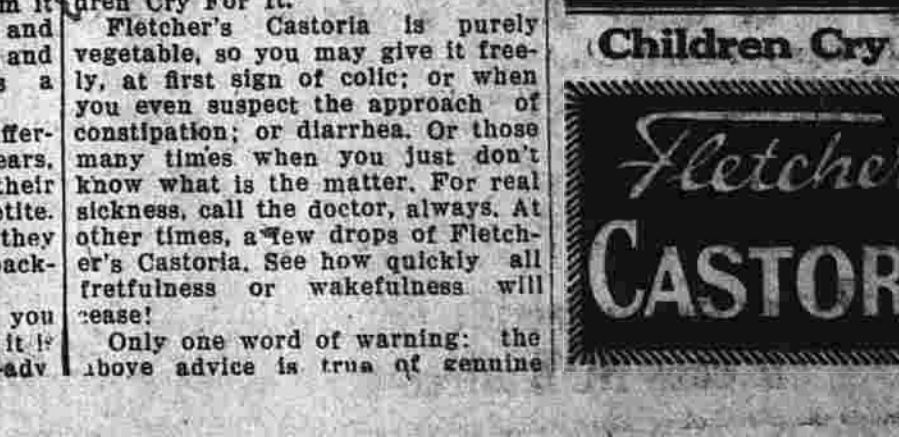
Fletcher's Castoria is purely vegetable, so you may give it freely, at first sign of colic; or when you even suspect the approach of constipation; or diarrhea. Or those many times when you just don't know what the matter is. For real sickness, call the doctor, always. At other times, a few drops of Fletcher's Castoria, see how quickly all fretfulness or wakefulness will "reset!"

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### Care of Babies

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### Children Cry for Fletcher's CASTORIA

### G CLEF, BEETHOVEN CLUBS SING FINELY

Widely Varied Program at First Joint Concert Delights Big Crowd.

The G Clef Glee club and its big brother organization, the Beethoven Glee club, appeared in an excellent concert at the Swedish Lutheran church last night under the direction of Helge E. Pearson. It was the first joint concert of the two clubs.

The program included a wide variety of selections, ranging from folk songs to arrangements of classical airs to well known poems. One of the best numbers of the G. Clef club was "A Minuet at Marly," an arrangement of Beethoven's Minuet in G. Another number in which the women sang well was "Greetings to Spring," words set to Strauss's "Beautiful Blue Danube" waltz.

The best chorus number of the evening, perhaps, was "Beautiful Saviour" by Christiansen, sung by the combined clubs. This included an incidental solo by Miss Helen Berggren, contralto.

Prince's Song High Mark

The Beethoven club reached its high mark in "Glad Sorrow Fagelin," a Swedish number by Prince Gustaf, and "Goo's Heaven," a Negro spiritual. Its first number was Sullivan's "Lost Chord," with an incidental solo by Sherwood Anderson.

Soloists for the concert were Albert Pearson, bass, and Miss Berggren. Mr. Pearson's two solos were the recitative "Thus Saith the Lord" and the aria, "But Who May Abide?" from Handel's "Messiah." These two numbers called on Mr. Pearson to exhibit everything he is possessed of and he met the exacting demands of the compositions admirably.

The numbers require very delicate shading, a range from the extreme lower to the high upper register, and a change from piano to loudest fortissimo. Mr. Pearson, nevertheless, was at complete ease in every part of the solos. He is one of Manchester's most promising singers and is still on his way up.

Miss Helen Berggren, contralto, with the Glee Clubs and individually in "Abide With Me" showed that she is improving every time she sings. She possesses a beautiful contralto voice clear and even in all its phases. It was largely her solo work in "Beautiful Saviour" which made that number the best of the evening.

The church was filled by a highly pleased audience and considerable money was added to the fund which will be used when the conference of the Augustana Synod is held here this year.

Following is the program:

Lost Chord . . . . . Sullivan  
Incidental Solo, Sherwood Anderson  
Scissor Grinder . . . . . Jungst  
Beethoven Glee Club  
A Minuet at Marly . . . . . Beethoven  
Such a Little Fellow . . . . . Strass  
G Clef Glee Club  
Recitative and Aria from "Messiah" . . . . . Handel  
(a) Recitative—Thus Saith the Lord  
(b) Aria—But Who May Abide? Albert Pearson  
Swedish Folksongs  
Glad Sorrow Fagelin . . . . . Prince Gustaf  
Halsning Till Hemlandet . . . . . Kromer  
Beethoven Glee Club  
Beautiful Saviour . . . . . Christiansen  
Beethoven and G Clef Glee Clubs  
Greetings to Spring . . . . . Strauss  
Spin, Spin . . . . . Jungst  
G Clef Glee Club  
Negro Spirituals  
I'm Troubled in Mind . . . . . Russell  
God's Heaven . . . . . Gaul  
Beethoven Glee Club

Abide With Me . . . . . Liddell  
Helen Berggren  
Onward Christian Soldiers  
McDougall  
Beethoven and G Clef Glee Clubs  
with Albert Pearson

### 90 HOUSES BUILT HERE DURING 1927

Last Year Outdid Year Previous In Dwellings—Total, However, Little Less.

Although the year 1927 was considered a slow year in construction work in Manchester the records of Building Inspector Edward C. Elliott, Jr., shows that during that time 90 new dwellings were built at an expense of \$620,300. In 1926, which was considered a big year 84 dwellings were erected at a cost of \$584,500.

The number of building permits issued in 1927 was 389, against 402 in 1926. The grand total of all construction work both old and new in 1927 was \$792,575. In 1926 this total was \$975,125. The total for new work in 1927 was \$743,230. In 1926 it was \$853,760.

In comparing 1927 with 1926 it is well to remember that Manchester erected its new Municipal building in 1926 at an expense of \$167,000.

### JAMES TIERNEY HEADS HOLY NAME SOCIETY

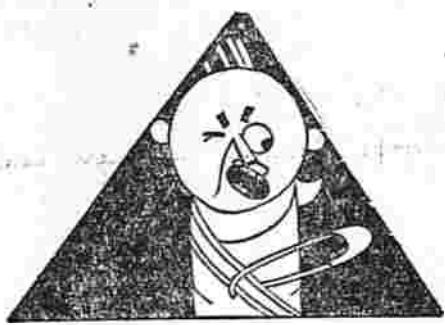
St. Bridget's Holy Name society at its annual meeting last night elected James Tierney president for the coming year. The other officers are: James J. Callahan, vice president and Clifford Charter, secretary.

Remarks were made by the new officers and plans for the coming year decided upon. The meeting nights were set for the first and third Tuesdays of each month.

A committee for a whist party to be held on Tuesday of next week was appointed. The personnel of this committee is Joseph Moriarty, John Boyle, Walter Leclerk, George H. Williams and George Kelley. The executive committee will provide the entertainment at the meeting on February 7.

Following is the executive committee elected at last night's meeting: George H. Williams, Edward J. Murphy, John H. Gill, Joseph Moriarty and George Hibbert.

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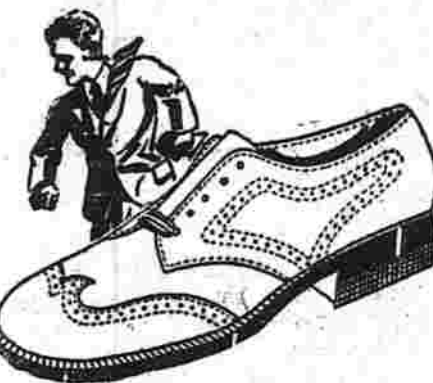
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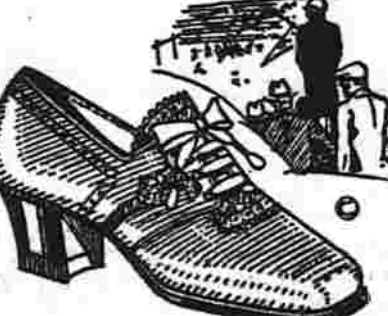
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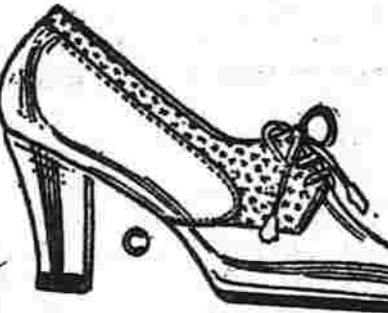
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# NO TWO FIGHTS FOR DEMPSEY THIS YEAR, DAVIS WALSH SAYS

## Rickard Would Not Stand For It For Fear Something Should Happen to Spoil Tunney Bout.

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

New York, Jan. 18.—Jack Dempsey may talk two great fights this year but he will fight only one of them, if Tex Rickard has anything to do with it, which may be characterized as a distinct possibility.

This was one of the impressions the writer gained in an interview with Tex Rickard today. Another was that our John had been receiving a piece that was not in the original script when he returned to the International News Service in Los Angeles yesterday that he wanted a warm-up bout en route to the third episode of the Tunney serial, now intended for a June release.

Rickard simulated astonishment when told that Dempsey had declared in favor of warming up for something that never has been actually cold since the seventh round at Chicago. This apparently is not being done, at least not since the other evening when the situation was such that both went into cold storage until further notice.

Two prospective eliminators were thoroughly eliminated on that occasion and, while Rickard carefully neglected to say as much, there is no doubt that he has very little intention of permitting the same thing to happen in Dempsey's case.

Our John quite apparently, was talking in gum Arabic yesterday and my guess is that Rickard will tell him so as soon as he gets him on the telephone. The Dempsey-Tunney fight is the only big shot Rickard has now and it must be protected, like a gambling concession or brook trout in the closed season.

### Must Have Two Fights

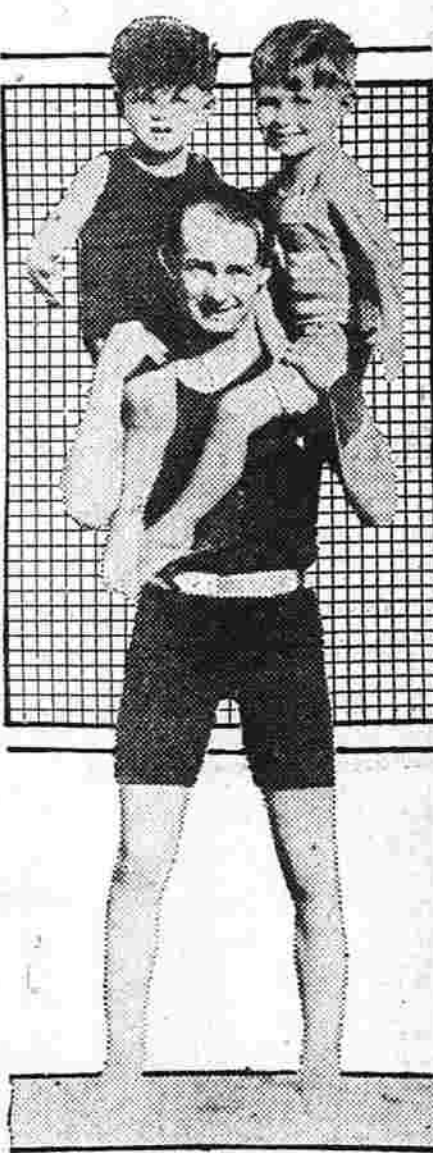
It constitutes one fight for Mr. Tunney. Rickard must have two, if Mr. Tunney's word of mouth is to be relied upon. It may be assumed, therefore, that everybody would be very wickard, Mr. Tunney in particular, if Rickard bobbed up with exactly no fights when the time comes. This can happen very well if our John goes around calling signals that are not in the code.

For one thing, he could be great in this warm-up thing and still ruin the continuity with a brook trout hand, provided it was his own. For another, he might be terrible and the same effect would be achieved. For a third, either himself or his opponent of necessity must be eliminated and where would the second Tunney fight be then? Quite so, Hemingway, right in the garlic.

Suppose the opponent won. He then would go in with Tunney and probably would lose. They couldn't produce Dempsey for a September fight against a man who had beaten the man who had beaten Dempsey. The same logic applies three ways that is, to any situation that might arise in connection with the three men in question. It seems that, if we are to have two championship fights this summer, we must have two contenders and the only way to make certain that we won't is to match the pair of them.

This could be done. But it mightn't be a bad idea to bet all the jugs in Jugo-Slovakia that it won't.

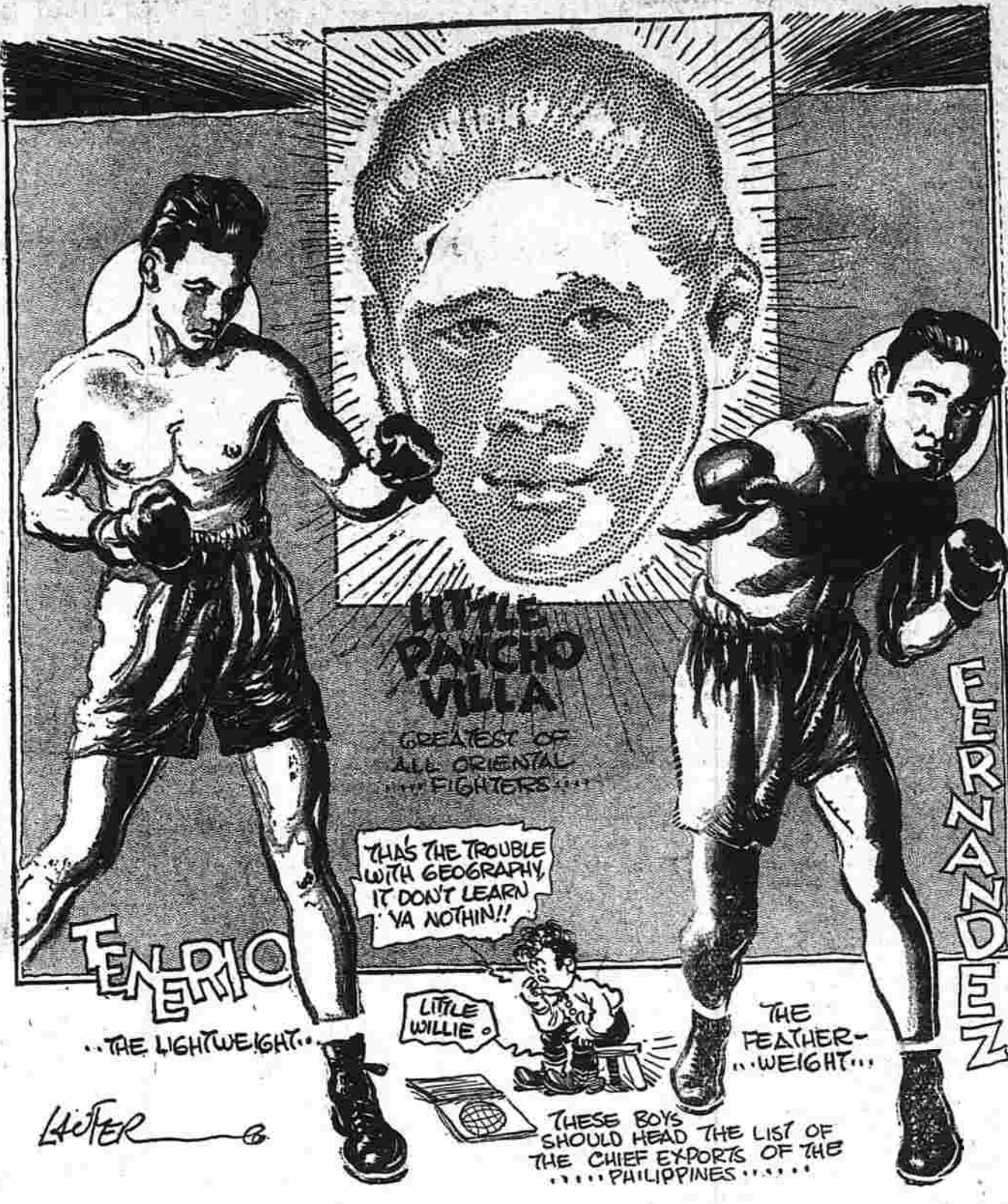
### TOUGH LIFE!



**LAVERNE FATOR**

It's a tough life one of America's leading jockeys has to lead under warm Florida skies. Laverne Fator is pictured here with his two sons, resting at Miami Beach after a busy season on the northern tracks. He will be back in the saddle again soon at Tijuana, where he may ride Gray Lag, Harry F. Sinclair's entry in the Croffro Handicap.

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## HOOKS and SLIDES

### WHO WON THE FUSS?

Admission by the heads of the two service academies that there will be no Army-Navy football game this year terminates the first round, at least, of the row over eligibility rules.

After this first round, it would seem that if the Army didn't actually get the decision the edge was slightly in its favor.

The West Point officials resisted all kinds of political pressure, braved public opinion and stuck to their guns as soldiers are supposed to do. The attitude of the Cadet officers that the Navy had no right to tell them how they were to regulate athletics was maintained so consistently that the game finally was cancelled, and if any hustling congressmen are to wait until next year.

Before the football season opens the commandants at West Point and Annapolis will have succeeded, but the schedule will have been completed before the incumbents are relieved, and it is not military custom to ride over the inherited policies established by predecessors.

The making of the 1928 schedule—that is, the filling in of the final November-Saturday left vacant by the cancellation of the big inter-service classic—places the two academies in another sparring match for a natural victory.

Naturally, the West Point and Annapolis schedule-makers would like to close the season with an outstanding national team so that they could look in each other's direction, make faces and gloat—"You wouldn't play us, eh? Well, look who we got in your place."

The Army already is in a better position to show a schedule with more gloss on it than the Navy possibly can arrange on short notice.

The Cadets have booked games with Notre Dame, Yale and Harvard. And if there aren't fancy trimmings in those three, where could you find them?

It is understood that the Cadets would like to book one of the big teams of the Western Conference for a final game, or would be willing to sign up one of the Pacific Coast powers and go to Chicago to meet them.

The Army will be a great card for any team interested in gate receipts, and they all are more or less concerned with the financial phases of the game.

There is more color to the Cadets and the Army teams than there is to the midshipmen. Most any neutral young lady would be attracted more by the fancy rigging of the cadet costume than by the formal somber blue attire of the midshipmen, and there certainly is more interest in a bally, kicking mule than a goat.

West Point managers are particularly eager to get an opponent with a great big name to take the Navy's place—some team with real strict regulations so evidence would be available that the Army eligibility rules were accepted by Soandso U and therefore there could be nothing so wrong with them.

Navy has attracted some large crowds away from the Annapolis parade grounds, but it is doubtful if the Navy teams could maintain the average for annual attendance that the Army does in the Yale fixture.

The Army has long established relations with Notre Dame and Yale and it is quite likely that, under the existing circumstances, Harvard will become a fixture on the schedule.

With three such teams on the schedule and the chance to hook up with one big southern, midwestern or California team the Army would be several steps ahead of the Navy and would have a schedule that automatically would make it a candidate for national honors consideration.

# Records Of Yale and Illinois Stand Out Among Colleges

New York, Jan. 17.—Yale and the University of Illinois were two of the most successful schools on the college athletic field last year. Yale tied with Pittsburgh for the eastern football championship, each team losing one game to a team from another section.

Yale was beaten by Georgia and Pittsburgh lost to Stanford.

Yale also won five intercollegiate championships and swamped Harvard and Princeton in dual competition. Yale won the swimming, water polo, indoor polo, outdoor polo championships and tied with Lehigh for the wrestling championship.

# Centers Playing Buddies Tonight

The Center A. C. will meet the "Buddies" in the preliminary game at Plainfield tonight. In the main encounter, Jim Thorpe's Indians will meet the Plainfield Pros.

The centers will be composed of Earle Clifford, Elmer Johnson, Clarence Larson, Jimmy Neill, Sherwood Anderson and Ray Nelson. The trip will be made in Johnson's automobile.

NO \$3,000,000 GATES

Tex Rickard does not expect to have a \$3,000,000 boxing gate, unless some unknown starts betting 'em right and left as Dempsey did prior to his meeting with Jess Willard.

# Campus Comment

BOB MATHERNE

Now is the time of the year when all good athletic directors worry their heads over the scholastic attainments of their athletes. In other words, examinations are on.

The first wall comes from Ohio State. Seven young men there who are prized rather highly by athletic headquarters have been banned from athletic participation during the middle semester because of failure in the classrooms.

The most prominent athletic declared ineligible until he passes off certain work is Howard Krasia, a three-sport star. Krasia, holder of the western conference title in the 80-yard dash, is ineligible now but may get a clean slate later in the year.

George Fouch and Ted Hieronymus, both football lettermen and basketball candidates, are out. So are Fred Shuler, George Dyer, Robert Irwin and Byron Coffey, other basketball candidates.

This matter of keeping their school athletes interested in their school work is one of the problems that always tend to worry the coaches along about this time of the year.

Three of the four major football teams in Virginia will be captained next year by graduates of the same Roanoke, Va. high school. Albert Barnes, Albert Bailey and Earl Fitzpatrick, who played together in high school, will face each other as rivals next year as the leaders respectively of the Virginia Military Institute, Virginia Poly and Washington and Lee grid outfits.

What a sensational debut Branch McCracken, Indiana sophomore, made in Big Ten basketball circles. This lad playing his first conference game against Chicago, shot 11 field goals and caged two free shots for a total of 24 points. He also started on the football team as an end this past season.

Ever wonder what became of Bobby Thompson, who, as a member of that famous Passaic, N. J., high school team, scored more than 1000 points as a basketball player? Well, he is now manager of the Syracuse basketball team, watching him he could easily eclipse on the floor represent the Orange. A physician's order prevents his playing.

Loyola in New Orleans thinks it has a future Olympic champion in "Zeke" Bonura, a freshman, who at San Francisco in 1925 heaved the javelin 205 feet. Bonura's throw that year was seven feet, five inches short of the American amateur record. He will try for the Olympic squad this spring.

Brown and height have little to do with proficiency in running, one learns by the case of Loren Brown, Michigan cross-country star. Brown weighs 110 pounds. He is only a few inches more than five feet tall. But he recently broke the western conference record for the five-mile run made by Phelps of Iowa in 1924. He also featured the wins of his team against teams of Marquette, Notre Dame and Michigan.

### THIS IS A'S OUTFIELD

Connie Mack recently announced that his outfield this year will find Bero Lebourveau or Walter French as regulars.

# WATKINS TIE CONTRACTORS FOR COMMERCIAL TOP BERTH

## Contractors Clean Up Postponed Match But Slip Against Plumbers; High School Wins.

### League Standing

Team	W	L	P
Watkins Bros.	20	5	23
Construction	20	7	24
High School	17	12	19
Man. Plumbing	15	12	19
Trust Co.	11	16	14
Trade School	5	16	6
A. & P.	6	18	8
Keith's	17	5	

Although the plumbers lost their points in its postponed match with the Manchester Trust Company, Manchester Construction Company's bowling team slipped a couple of pegs against Manufacturers Plumbing & Supply Company, which resulted in a deadlock. And as a result the fast stepping boys from Watkins Brothers are now tied with them for first place in the Commercial League which began its round last night at Murphy's alleys.

It was a bad night for the bankers, for they lost eight points, four to the contractors and the same to Watkins. However, they never once gave up the ship until it went down the surface. Joe Sargent hit 125 against the bankers. It was the high score of the night.

In the upset of the evening the Plumbing & Supply Company which has 14 pins and then won the next two by three and four pins respectively. A rally in the last stage of the match saved the pinfall tally for the contractors. Smith was best for the plumbers and Anderson for the contractors. A large crowd watched this match and the cheering was vociferous at times.

The High school faculty which is far from out of the running for the title, picked up four more points at the expense of Keith's Furniture Company. Modean's 1 was high.

### Trust Company (O)

Gorman	92	82	82
Clarke	83	89	91
Thornton	90	87	86
Richardson	89	88	84
Alvord	91	99	94

### Watkins Bros. (4)

Henneguin	77	98	84
Lovett	85	81	82
Gleason	96	113	100
Fargood	125	96	94
Wiganowski	104	100	131

### Manchester Trust Company (O)

Gorman	88	73	79
Clarke	83	90	93
Thornton	88	93	96
Richardson	84	96	78
Alvord	91	87	75

### Manchester Construction Co. (4)

F. Knofla	89	100	98
E. Knofla	76	76	83
M. Osello	97	76	81
Thier	88	90	101
A. Knofla	97	102	95
Anderson	88	90	95

### High School (4)

Kelley	82	98	103
Miller	97	78	98
Robinson	82	93	80
Wigren	89	91	109
Davis	92	66	89

### Keith's (O)

Murphy	79	96	73
Kratt	76	76	77
E. Keith	79	65	83
W. Keith	68	87	
Modean	116	96	91

### Construction Co. (2)

Swartz	90	92	74
Fischer	73	84	75
Mitchell	80	81	85
Jennings	78	83	86
Petke	82	108	102

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E. Knofla	87	98	85
J. Thier	76	89	91
A. Knofla	86	85	89
A. Anderson	119	89	102

### Plumbing & Supply (2)

Barrett	65	76	74
Dike	81	92	111
Blush	132	105	97
Smith	96	82	99
Alvord	90	88	90

### Totals

408	458	423
488	440	467
444	443	471

### Totals

475	488	472
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### Totals

444	453	459
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### Totals

442	426	479
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### Totals

421	414	391
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# Community Girls Play Broad Brook

Coach Jerry Fay announced last night that the Community club girls will open their basketball season tonight at Broad Brook against the Crescent girls. He last night pummelled the Windsor Locks Advertisers 16 to 1 at Foot Guard ball in Hartford.

Coach Fay will take a squad of eleven players to Broad Brook. They will leave in automobiles from the White House at 6:45 sharp. The team went through another snappy practice session last night at the K. of C. hall.

Those who will make the trip tonight are:

Forwards: Ethel Richmond, Anne Scranton, Estelle Jackson, Peggy Boyle.

Centers: Mabel Sheridan and Charlotte Foster.

Guards: Marian Welles, Peggy McLaughlin, Evelyn Gillman, Viola Shearer and Kathryn Giblin.

How many times did Babe Ruth and Lou Gehrig hit home runs with the bases filled during the past season?—T. H. J.

Each performed the feat twice.

Is Vic Hanson connected with the Syracuse Athletic Association in any way?—D. K. L.

Yes, as assistant football coach.

### WAS LEAGUE LEADER

Nolin Richardson, rookie third baseman with the Detroit Tigers, led the Texas League in chances accepted last year with 500.

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275 AT CENTER CHURCH ANNUAL Reports Of Officers Show Good Year—Pastors Report In Full.

Encouraging reports for the past year, bright prospects for the future, good speeches and music and a delicious supper were some of the things that contributed to the success of the Center church annual meeting last evening.



Rev. Watson Woodruff

Rev. Watson Woodruff called for the report of the clerk, Charles E. House, who with an appropriate story referred to his report in the printed booklets to be found at each place. The pastor also urged the careful reading of these reports of the financial standing of the church and then called for the report of the nominating committee, Mrs. J. A. Hood, chairman.

use rooms in the school which they very kindly granted. The Primary is a model department which I am proud to show to anyone but it is crowded and cramped in a manner which interferes with the best work and results.

RUMORS OF LOVE MATCH ABOUT FAMOUS AUTHOR Says Michael Arlen Has Been Disappointed Again—He Denies It in Paris. Paris, Jan. 13.—Friends of Michael Arlen, noted English novelist, are wondering today if he has been disappointed in love again.

MICHIGAN'S "APE MAN" TELLS OF OTHER CRIMES (continued from page 1) prepared to plead in his behalf, his shame-stricken wife, Myrtle, is preparing to bring the children for what will probably be their last meeting with their father.

NEW DIRECTORS AT SAVINGS BANK Harold C. Alvord and Judge W. S. Hyde Named to Board of Local Institution. The annual meeting and election of officers and directors of the Savings Bank of Manchester was held yesterday afternoon.

WOMEN VOTERS HEAR MISS SALLY GLEATON Field Secretary Addresses Meeting at South Methodist Church—Georgia Native. The Manchester League of Women Voters held its January meeting yesterday afternoon at the South Methodist church.

Musical numbers were provided by Miss Mildred Hutchinson on the piano and Collins Driggs and Edward Jarvis, piano and violin. President Burr then introduced the guest speaker of the afternoon, Miss Sally Fanny Gleaton, field secretary for the state organization.

county, state and national work among the women voters. The executive board was in charge of the social period which followed. Mrs. C. W. Holman acted as chairman.

HARTFORD SLEUTHS RUN DOWN REPORTS (Continued from Page 1.)

least, the theories of kidnapping, elopement, or amnesia, state authorities, working independently of private detectives and college officials who have thus far been conducting investigations, today sound a crazed degenerate said to have done his work with clever cunning.

Federal authorities, at the same time, were asked to co-operate, according to a message sent Mr. St. John Smith by Senator Hale. Already investigators have run down hundreds of "tips" but have found absolutely nothing that would lead to the solution of the mysterious disappearance of the wealthy college freshman.

NEW HAVEN FEARS SMALLPOX TODAY (Continued from Page 1.)

girl's sickness, but he believed chances were remote for the spread of the disease. Clinics Crowded. The city established ten clinics for vaccination and all were crowded today.

FIRE AT YALE. New Haven, Jan. 13.—Every Yale student who possibly could get there lined up along Elm street today to watch the firemen work on a fire in Durfee hall, a dormitory where a student lost a Morris chair by a fire of undetermined origin.

TWO DIE IN DUEL. Chicago, Jan. 13.—Two men met at a street corner in Beverly today, "whipped out" revolvers and fired at each other until both were dead.

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By Percy L. Crosby

FLAPPER FANNY SAYS:



These days, when a fellow gets hopping mad, he is liable to be in Paris or Berlin tomorrow.

SENSE and NONSENSE

The only thing some of us can do that everybody will like will be to die. She is so dumb that she thinks a combination-shot is a pair of undies gone to the ragman. The naked truth is less attractive if bow-legged. Why expect Congress to solve the flood-control problem? It can't even stop the flood of laws. Home is a place where a man can do as he chooses, provided what he chooses is agreeable with what his wife wants done. It's pretty hard to prove that the fellow who's intelligent enough to be happy isn't intelligent enough. Fat Lady (to bellhop)—"Boy, call me a taxi!" Bellhop—"All right, but you look like a truck."

"Would you like to take a nice long walk?" she asked. "Why, I'd love to," replied the young man joyously. "Well, don't let me detain you."

The he-martyrs of old suffered a lot, but they never had to go shopping with a woman. A woman can explain anything but a gray hair. Little Mabel was poking at something in the grass. Suddenly she green snake! Her mother, one of those cautious women, replied: "Keep away from it, darling. It might be just as dangerous as a ripe one."

When there's enough flesh to keep the knee from being bony, there's too much somewhere else. Now We See Through It. We wondered how the Swiss cheese got that bored look, until we heard that it had been at a mock wedding.

Probably the funniest definition in the dictionary, when you consider everything, is this: Cantaloup, a melon of delicate flavor.

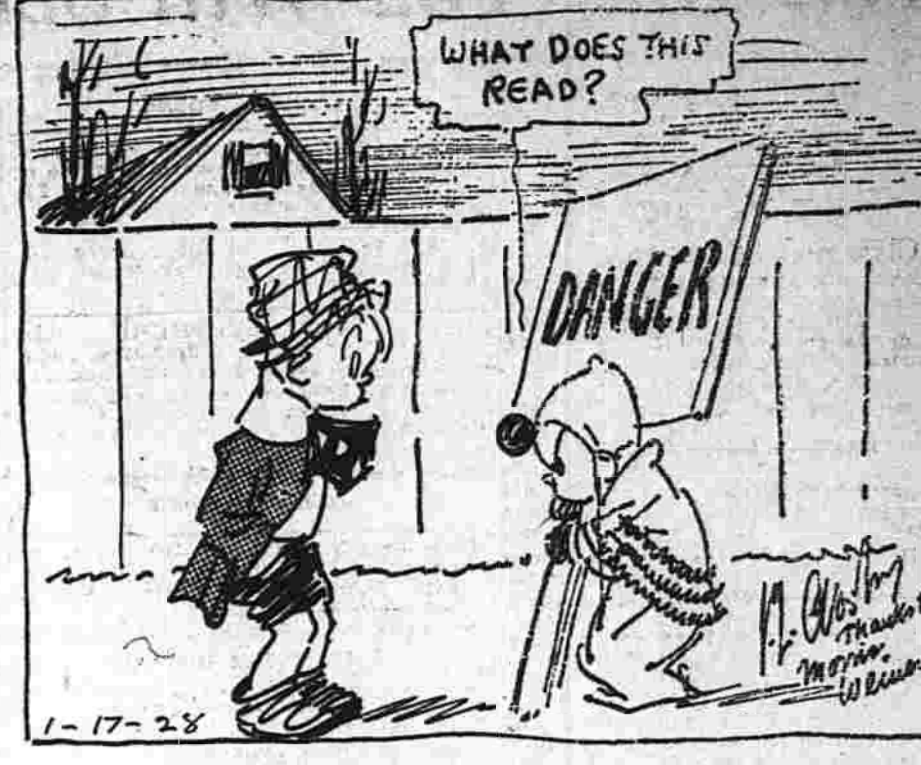
Sign During Christmas in Tonkawa (Okla.) Postoffice. "No Packages Accepted Wrapped in Holy Paper."

The Good Samaritan nowadays draws up beside the road and lends a fellow a quart of gas to get to the next filling station.

a girl he often marries her for his money. A girl he often marries her for his money.

Two friends were having an indignation meeting of their own. Both had suffered domestic strife and now they were comparing notes. "Aren't women the limit?" growled the first. "We husbands don't know anything at all and our wives know everything." "Well," said his companion in misery, reluctantly, "there's one thing my wife admits she doesn't know. 'What on earth is that?' 'Why she married me.'"

SKIPPY



Mickey (Himself) McGuire

By Fontaine Fox

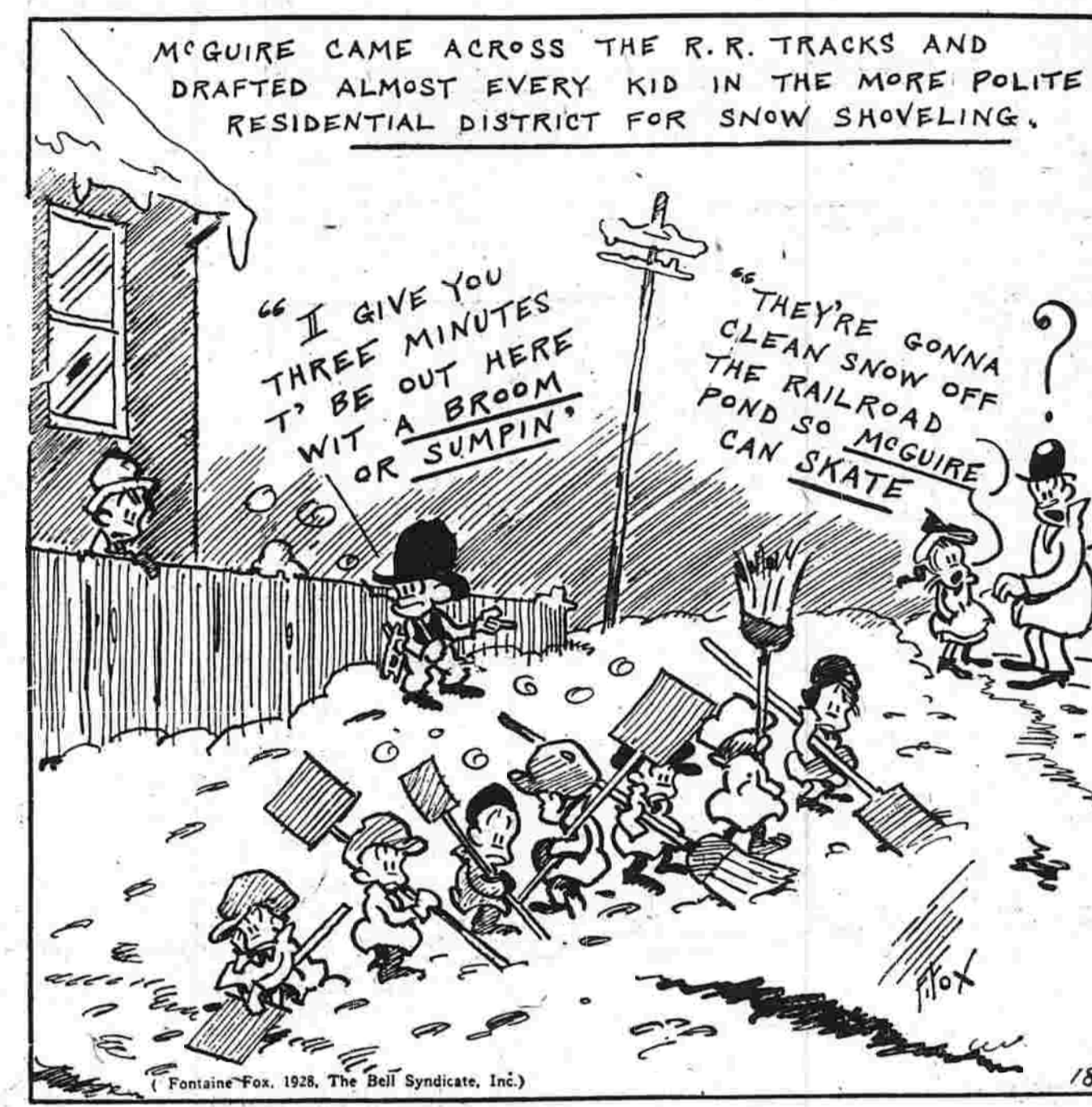
OUR BOARDING HOUSE By Gene Ahern

LETTER GOLF

NOT LONG NOW The teams will be starting south for training soon, then PLAY BALL will be the next thing you'll hear. Par solution is on another page. You may be able to beat the puzzle editor's seven strokes on it.

PLAY BALL grid with letters P, L, A, Y and B, A, L, L.

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



WASHINGTON TUBBS II



THE TINYMITES STORY BY MAL COCHRAN - PICTURES BY KNICK



READ THE STORY, THEN COLOR THE PICTURE Wee Clowny slid down from the hay, and as he landed, yelled, "Hur- ray! At last we're back on earth again. That surely was some flight. I must admit that I was scared, but think how luckyly we fared. We surely should be thankful that we all are quite all right. "You bet we should," someone replied, "And, as for me, that sort of ride is not so good. I'd rather have my feet on solid ground." The rest then left the pile of hay and Carry said, "Come on, let's play. A larger, greener field than this, I'm sure can never be found." Just think! The bunch had left the land of snow, and goodness me, 'twas grand to see the green grass growing. They were tickled as could be. They raced around as if as not, it was the sun that made them hot. "Oh, I must rest," said Carpy, "It's too strenuous for me." something dropped. "Why, there's our big surprise box," shouted Scouty in delight. "And as upon the ground it lit, he added, "Come, we'll open it. We've tried before, but now, perhaps, we'll find the way that's right." So, that's just what the Tynmites did, and after while they pried the lid until it flew wide open. Then there came a big surprise. "Oh, look," yelled Scouty. "This is great!" The Tynmites didn't hesitate, but peeked inside, and Clowny said, "I can't believe my eyes." When everyone had had a look, they reached inside and promptly took a lot of animal crackers out and put them on the ground. "I've found a horse," said Carpy loud. A little mule made Clowny proud. The bunch was very tickled with the things that they had found. (The Tynmites try to make the animals so in the next story.)

FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS

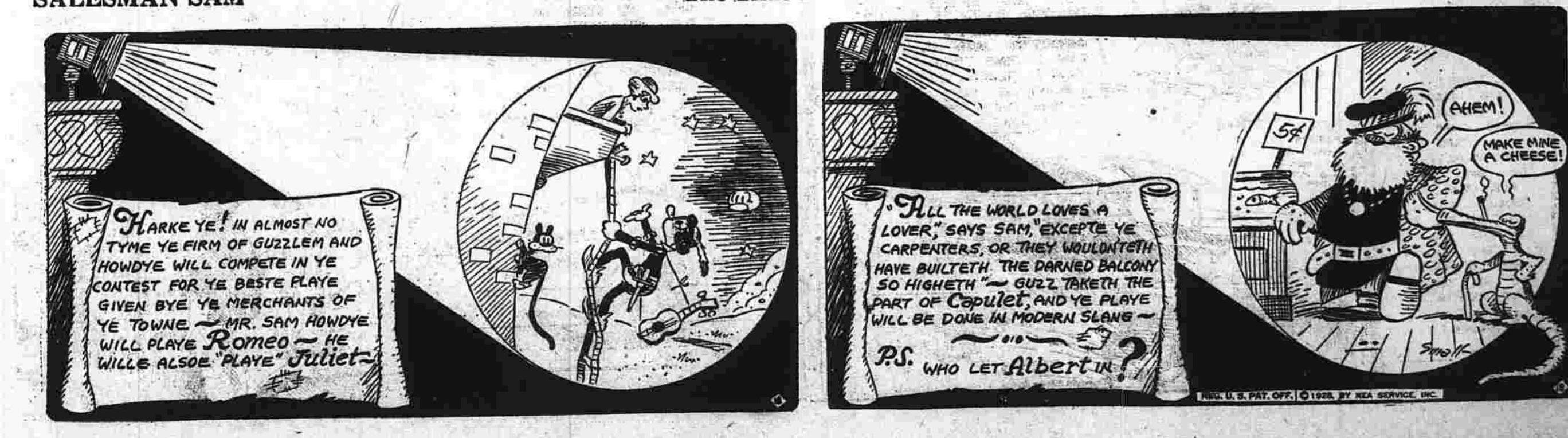


He Doesn't Know Just How to Take That



SALESMAN SAM

The Time Draws Close



By Blosser

By Small

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(Includes Dancing, Checking Refreshments.)

**Modern-Old Fashion Dance**  
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Friday Evening, Jan. 20  
Music by Behrend's Orchestra  
Lew Beebe, Prompter  
Admission 50c.

**ABOUT TOWN**

Miss Ruth Nubum will speak at the North Methodist church Sunday morning at 9:30 on the subject of foreign missions. Miss Nubum is home on a furlough after spending five years in China. All departments of the school will assemble in the large vestry to hear her address and all others interested will be made welcome.

Charles A. Sweet has received a letter from Cody Allan, grandson of "Buffalo Bill," William A. Cody, to whom Mr. Sweet sent a souvenir button showing a picture of the famous showman in the his career, and which had been in his possession for forty years. Mr. Allan who lives in New York warmly thanked the donor and states that he has retained the package to his mother who is out in Cody, Wyoming, and will be glad to add it to the collection in the Buffalo Bill Museum which she has built there.

Stockholders of the Odd Fellows Building association will hold their annual meeting tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock, when reports will be submitted by the officers and directors and three directors chosen to hold office for a term of three years. The meeting will be held at the Odd Fellows building.

Mrs. Herbert A. Alley heads the committee in charge of the public whist which the members of Memorial Temple Python Sisters will hold in the Balch and Brown clubrooms tomorrow evening. Six prizes will be given and light refreshments served.

Hose Company No. 2, of the Manchester Fire department will hold its regular meeting tomorrow night in the headquarters at Main and Hilliard streets.

St. Margaret's Circle Daughters of Isabella will hold its regular meeting in K. of C. hall tomorrow evening at 7:30 sharp. The business will be followed by a whist of which Mrs. Alice Burke is the chairman. Her assistants will be Mrs. Theresa Buckley, Mrs. Jessie Birnie, Miss May Barrett and Mrs. Noene Cotter. Prizes will be given and refreshments served by the committee.

The regular Wednesday evening whist will be held at the Manchester Community clubhouse this evening.

Mrs. James J. Breen of Alton street was pleasantly surprised last evening when about 12 of her women friends called to felicitate with her on her birthday. The time was spent in playing bridge and other games. Mrs. Charles Holton winning the first prize. Mrs. W. Elen Hill of West Hartford and Mr. Breen sang popular songs and everybody enjoyed the dainty lunch which the guests provided. Mrs. Breen received a number of individual gifts.

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**MODERN DANCING**  
CITY VIEW DANCE HALL  
Keeney St.  
Tomorrow Night  
Auspices H. C. T. Club  
Prizes—Wehr's Orchestra

The H. C. T. club will give another of its popular dances at the City View dance hall on Keeney street tomorrow night. All modern numbers will be played by Wehr's orchestra. A big crowd is assured by the fact that three straw rides are coming from Hartford to attend the dance. The parties are coming here from the Royal, Underwood and Arrow Electric factories.

Group 3 of the Center church women workers will hold a special meeting tomorrow evening at 7:30 at the home of Mrs. J. A. Hood on Chestnut street. Plans will be made for the supper of the Men's League on February 1, for which Group 3 will cater.

Mary C. Keeney Tent, Daughters of Union War Veterans will install their officers for 1928 at a regular meeting tomorrow evening at the state armory. Department president Augusta Ranney of Hartford will be the installing officer. Supper will be served at 6:30 by the following committee: Mrs. Ora Ames, chairman; Mrs. Muriel Davis, Mrs. John Trask, Mrs. Ethel Carter, Mrs. Luna Hutchinson, Mrs. J. A. Loomis.

**60 LOCAL FAMILIES AIDED AT CHRISTMAS**  
George H. Waddell Makes Report For Community Service Committee—List of Gifts.

Manchester's Community Service Committee aided 60 families at Christmas time this past year according to a report just rendered by George H. Waddell, treasurer of the committee. A total of 162 children and 17 adults were cheered through the committee's gifts made possible by contributions of money from several different sources.

In answer to a request for supplies for Christmas dinners for poor and needy families 25 local people volunteered to furnish such supplies. The committee out of its funds purchased 26 Christmas dinners for other poor families so that 51 families were given fine dinners through the committee's works.

Some idea of the work the committee accomplished can be gained from the following list of articles that were given to the needy in Manchester by the committee.  
Shoes, 79 pairs; rubbers, 65 pairs; stockings, 166 pairs; union suits, 124 pairs; slippers, 4 pairs; blouses, 6; underdrawers, 2 pairs; undershirts, 2; y's suits, 11; trousers, 6 pairs; overcoats, 14; white shirt, 1; lumber jackets, 2; sweaters, 3; dresses, 7; vests, 20; sleeping suits, 2; gloves, 2 pairs; toques, 6; gingham, 3 yards; flannel, 12 yards; sheets, 9; pillow cases, 12; bloomers, 2 pairs; leggings, 1 pair; Teddy Bear suit, 1.

Lucius Pinney of Prospect street who is ill with pneumonia, is resting more comfortable today.

E. L. G. Hohenthal, Sr. left today for a few days in Washington and Philadelphia.

**JANUARY CLEARANCE SALE NOW GOING ON**  
SAVE MONEY BY BUYING HERE.

**GIRLS COATS**  
Fur collars and fur trimmed. All high grade materials.  
Regularly selling for \$15.00 ..... **\$6.00**

**MEN'S OVERCOATS**  
One lot to close out ..... **\$18.50**  
Regularly selling for \$25.00  
Men's Crew Neck Sweaters ..... **\$3.95**  
Regularly \$6.00

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**POSTS BRAN FLAKES** pkg. 9c

**MEADOW GOLD BUTTER** 1 lb. 53c  
The most popular butter in town 2 lbs. \$1.05

**PURE LARD** 2 lbs. 25c  
Pound packages.

**CRISCO** lb. can 23c

**IVORY SOAP** 48c  
Guest size. 12 bars in carton.

**FRESH SHIPMENT FIG BARS** 2 lbs. 22c  
Pure fig filling.

**GINGER SNAPS** 2 lbs. 22c

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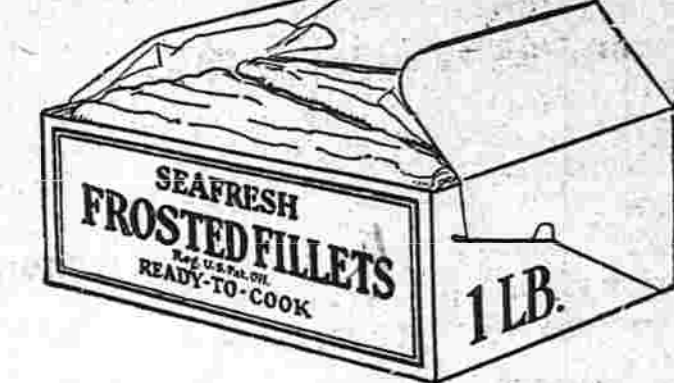
**HALES HEALTH MARKET**

**Specials For Thursday**

Small Fowl, lb. .... 35c  
Lean Pork Roast, lb. .... 23c  
Lean Brisket Corn Beef, lb. .... 24c  
Shoulder Pork Chops, lb. .... 23c  
Lean Beef Stew, lb. .... 20c  
Lean Fresh Ham, lb. .... 25c

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**SEAFRESH**



**A New Way To Buy ATLANTIC OCEAN FISH**

Go in to your dealer today and ask for a package of Seafresh. You'll get a 1 lb. carton of the most delicious Atlantic fish you ever tasted. It comes to you all ready to cook. No bones, no waste, no cleaning. A new patented frosting process keeps all the full rich flavor and nourishment. And remember that 1 lb. of Seafresh is equal to 3 lbs. of ordinary whole fish. Cook Seafresh as you would any fresh fish.

**Baked Seafresh**

Dip the fillets in milk, then in finely ground and sifted cracker or bread crumbs. Place in a well greased baking pan, dot each fillet with butter or bacon fat or place a strip of bacon on each. Bake in a hot oven (450 degrees Fahr.) about ten minutes, until the fish is brown. Serve with creole sauce or with egg sauce.

pan. Add the tomato pulp and seasoning and cook two minutes.

**Hashed Brown Seafresh and Potatoes**

1/2 cup salt pork fat  
1 pound Fillets  
2 cups chopped boiled potatoes  
Pepper  
Parsley  
Flake the fish and add with the seasoning to the potatoes. Heat the fat in a heavy frying pan and stir in the fish and potatoes. Stir constantly over the fire for three minutes, let brown underneath, shaking the pan occasionally to avoid sticking. Fold like an omelet, turn out on a platter and garnish with parsley. If uncooked fish is used, it will take about forty minutes to brown. Cooked fish will brown in about twenty minutes.

**Creole Sauce**

4 tablespoons green pepper  
2 tablespoons onion  
5 mushrooms or olives  
1/4 cup salad oil  
1/2 teaspoon salt  
1/2 cup tomato pulp  
and juice  
Cut the pepper, onion and mushrooms or olives into small pieces and cook three minutes in the oil, which has been heated in the frying

**SPECIAL TOMORROW**

**Frosted Filets,** lb. .... 34c  
**Haddock Squares,** lb. .... 28c  
**Sole Filets, lb. .... 49c** **Mackerel Filets, lb. .... 55c**

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**PUBLIC RECORDS**

**LUNCH CART SALE.**  
Papers were filed today in the sale of a half-interest in the Silk City Diner lunch cart and the lot on which it stands from Edward Neiman to Raymond S. Holcombe. A quit claim deed on the property involves land with a frontage of 40 feet on Main street and a depth of 112 feet, also a right of way eight feet wide to Pearl street and an interest in the party wall of the Selwitz building.  
A bill of sale concerns the lunch cart itself located south of Pearl street, and all utensils and articles contained therein. Neiman sold his interest some time ago to Holcombe and the notice of the sale was given in The Herald at that time. Mr. Holcombe will carry on the business in this lunch cart and also in the Boulevard Diner on the Connecticut Boulevard in East

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Hartford with Curtis E. Skates, who was Neiman's partner in the business.

**WARRANTED DEED.**  
The only other paper filed today at the office of the Town Clerk was a warranty deed involving property on Phelps road, 75 by 150 feet, from Rudolph Ryzmarick to Carl Bilyeu. This property is restricted to homes costing not less than \$5,000.

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An application for a marriage license was filed yesterday in Hartford by Micolay Mironovitch and Emma Frederick of this town.