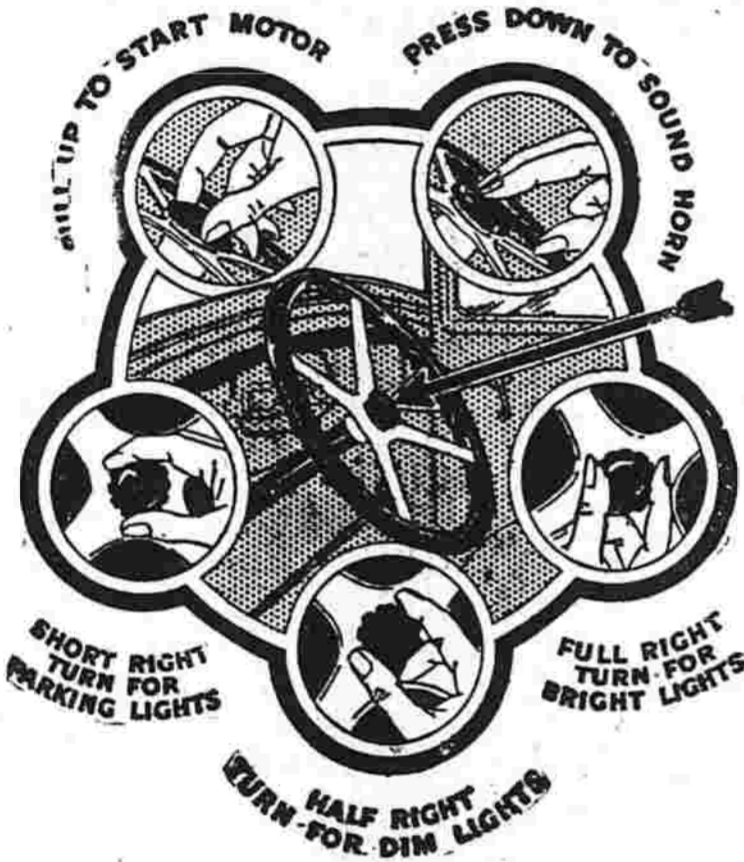


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TO PROMOTE INTERESTS OF MEN'S BIBLE CLASSES

State Divided Into Districts; Hartford Federation Banquet on January 23.

The executive committee of the Connecticut State Federation of Men's Bible Classes at a recent meeting in the Calvary Baptist Church of New Haven went rather thoroughly into the matter of dividing the state for the purpose of forwarding the interests of Bible Classes throughout Connecticut. The following comprises the district with the individual or Federation responsible for the area in which Manchester is located: District I, Hartford; leader C. T. Van Vleet, President of Hartford Federation; towns, Granby, East Granby, West Hartford, Glastonbury, Suffield, East Windsor, Hartford, Wethersfield, Enfield, South Windsor, East Hartford, Rocky Hill, Windsor, Bloomfield, Manchester and Simsbury. The State Executive Committee passed a formal vote of recommendation to the Bible Classes of the state, first, that they adopt the "Everyman Platform" even for a class that is a church class and not a community class; and second, that they recommend the use of the military plan of organization to promote attendance. The Hartford Federation of Men's Bible Classes holds its annual banquet on Wednesday, January 23, 1924, at the Central Baptist church, Hartford. The speaker is Ross Stover, the famous leader of the Men's Bible Class of the Messiah Lutheran Church, Philadelphia, and the outstanding hit of the National Men's Bible Class Convention of 1923.

BOWLING MATCH TOMORROW NIGHT

There will be a five-man bowling match between teams representing Murphy's and Farr's bowling alleys starting tomorrow night with three games at the Charter Oak alleys and concluding Friday night at Murphy's. The Charter Oak team will consist of Beletti, F. Anderson, Curtis, Sargent, Wiganowski and Canada.

BARRETT & ROBBINS SUSPEND TODAY

Barrett & Robbins sport goods store proprietors at 913 Main street suspended business today because of financial difficulties. The business is owned by Raymond Barrett and Charles Robbins. Automobile supplies, sporting goods and radio equipment were sold.

COLUMBIA

Mr. and Joseph Lafleur left Thursday for Florida, where they will spend the winter. Miss Mary Mabelle of Simmons College, was the guest Thursday night and Friday of Miss Katherine Ink at Overlook.

The funeral services of Mrs. Harriet Robinson, aged 91, were held Wednesday afternoon at the home of her daughter, Mrs. H. W. Porter, Rev. Deeter of Hebron was the officiating clergyman. Burial was in St. Peter's cemetery in Hebron.

The Ladies Aid Society met Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. F. H. Hunt, 17 ladies being present. After a social hour refreshments were served by the hostesses, Mrs. F. A. Hunt and Mrs. Clayton Hunt.

Mr. and Mrs. Carleton Davenport of Shelbourne Falls, Mass., were in Columbia Wednesday to attend the funeral of Mrs. Davenport's grandmother, Mrs. Robinson.

The Well Child Conference was held at the Hall Wednesday afternoon with Dr. Haskins in charge, assisted by Miss Lewis, State Nurse also a Dental Nurse who examined and cleaned the children's teeth.

A degree team from West Hartford is expected to be present at Columbia Grange next Wednesday to initiate the new class of 16 in the third and fourth degrees, also to do floor work in connection with the degrees. About 25 are planning to come from there. It is hoped members of Columbia Grange will turn out in good numbers to see the degree work. A supper will be served at the close of the meeting.

Plans are under way for several Christmas celebrations. The various schools are planning more or less elaborate ones. The Center School will hold theirs in the Town Hall, Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock. The children will put on a Christmas play.

Next Friday evening the Grange will hold their annual Christmas entertainment and tree. Mrs. Helen Clark and Miss Harie Field are in charge.

Friends in town were saddened to hear of the death in Wakefield, R. I., on Saturday of Charles Marshall, aged 65, a former resident of Columbia. Mr. Marshall's death was caused by pneumonia. He leaves a wife, Louise Squier Marshall, also formerly of Columbia.

The funeral services will be held from the Congregational Church in Willimantic at 2 o'clock Tuesday, and burial will be in West street cemetery in Columbia. Mr. and Mrs. Marshall on leaving Columbia a few years ago, went to Willimantic where they were in charge of the depot restaurant. Leaving Willimantic, they went to Wakefield, where they had a tea room and restaurant.

Miss Anne Dix left Saturday for Montclair, N. J., where she will spend the Christmas holidays at the home of her sister, Mrs. Newton Falor.

Miss Amelia Robinson of New Haven has been spending a few days as the guest of her cousin, Mrs. H. W. Porter.

Mrs. Lester Hutchins went to Berlin Friday to attend a birthday celebration for her sister, Mrs. Daisy Gwatkin.

Rev. John Howell preached Sunday morning on the subject "There is No Room."

Miss Elizabeth Bertsch teacher at the Jones street school in Hebron, spent the week-end at her home here.

Miss Lila Seeley, who teaches at Groton, spent the week-end at her home on Chestnut Hill.

Mrs. E. P. Lyman is ill with a hard cold.

GENERAL XMAS FUND STILL NEEDS SOME \$500

Total contributions to the Community Christmas Fund this morning amounted to \$743. This leaves about \$500 still to be gotten. Anyone who intends to contribute is asked to do so as soon as possible.

Many persons are making their contributions direct, that is, giving to one certain family whom they know to be in need. This practice complicates the situation and somewhat interferes with the purpose of the Christmas Fund, which is established so that all will be provided for equally, as some contributions are sure to be duplicated. It is urged that everyone will make their contributions to the general fund rather than direct.

A Kodak for Xmas. Kodak Agency at Murphy Drug Store, Depot Square.—Adv.

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New Walnut Meats 1-2 lb. 43c (Halves) Jorden ALMOND MEATS, 1-2 lb. . . . 49c PECAN MEATS, 1-2 lb. . . . 49c Dromedary Dates pkg. 19c (With and without pits.)

Dairy Products Meadow Gold Butter, 1 lb. . . . 53c 2 lbs. \$1.05 Hale's Guaranteed Eggs, dozen . . . 39c (A new one for every bad one.) Brown's Creamery Butter, lb. . . . 60c (Sweet) lb. 65c Pure Lard, 2 lbs. . . . 27c (Sanitary pound packages)

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California Large Budded Walnuts lb. 33c Olives and Pickles Spanish Stuffed Olives, qt. . . . 79c Large Plain Olives, qt. . . . 55c Sunbeam Pepsitolives, 7 oz. bottles . . . 29c Sunbeam Pepsitolives, 4 oz. bottle . . . 15c Silver Lane Pickles . . . qt. 38c, pt. 25c (All kinds)

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THAT GERMAN GUN
 Presumably by orders of the superintendent of parks of Hartford and certainly under his authorization, somebody early yesterday morning removed the captured German field piece from its position in front of the Old State House and put it in a shed in Colt Park. Late yesterday afternoon members of the American Legion, discovering its whereabouts, got a truck, loaded the gun onto it and carried it back, re-locating it in its original position. Now nobody can be found who will admit having authorized the park superintendent to have the trophy hidden away.

The removal of the gun was, of course, in line with an agitation for a general scrapping of such mementoes of the World War which is being conducted by pacifists of the extreme school. Incidentally it is interesting to note that almost never is one of these people heard to suggest that trophies of the war with Spain, many of which are to be found throughout the country, should be included in the junking; the movement seems to refer to the World War alone.

It strikes us that about the poorest sort of pacifism—if by pacifism one means anti-jingoism and a logical desire for international peace—is the kind which would eradicate the memories of the horror of 1914-18. We are at exact opposites with those who contend that world amity is to be promoted by forgetfulness of that enormous cataclysm.

Of especial usefulness are these very trophies of the World War that were captured from the Germans. For if they convey any thought whatever to those who behold them it is the message that the most highly perfected military machine is no guarantee against national disaster. Every German cannon displayed in an American town or city is a mute warning against giant armies, giant navies and reliance on the right of might. Any pacifist that is intelligent ought to recognize that and see the value of these relics of the fate of militarism in the World War.

TREATY XMAS CARDS
 More mean, petty, narrowly suspicious and cowardly things have been written about the Kellogg peace pact and in support of the petty, narrow and meanly suspicious reservations with which such irconcilables as Senator Moses seek to surround it than about any subject that has come before the American people in a long time, not excepting the issues of the recent Presidential campaign.
 And we make no bones about saying that we don't believe that, in one case in ten, the pettiness and narrowness and suspicion have even the saving grace of being honest.

Nothing more supremely ridiculous was ever offered than the labored reasons advanced why the United States would be imperiling itself, fairly to the verge of destruction, by ratifying the Kellogg pact, as is, while submitting to reservations or declarations of understanding—all the same thing—on the part of other signatories. There is no sense of such rubbish—and we don't believe the people who are talking it believe there is. They are posing as weirdly wise and far-seeing, that's all.

Everybody above the age of ten years, everywhere, knows that there is nothing to the Kellogg pact but a sort of exchange of Christmas cards. Sending a Christmas card commits one to nothing. You don't have to assume the support of the person you send one to, in case he goes broke; you don't have to ask him to come and live with you.
 The Christmas card does no harm and it even does some good

in contributing to the world's sum of pleasant thoughts. But what on earth would the friend think if he got a Christmas card from you reading like this: "Wishing you a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year—with the reservation that this does not mean that I am to lend you money or marry your widow or leave you a bequest in my will or endorse your note, or in any way be called to be make good on the claims of friendship." How long would that friend remain your friend. Better send no Christmas cards at all.

Fortunately, there is every indication that a large majority of the senators are beginning to see the nonsensicality of tacking reservations onto a pact which is nothing whatever but an expression of good will, and that the treaty will be ratified with adding insult to negotiation.

SILVER ANNIVERSARIES
 Twenty-five years ago today the Wright Brothers, Wilbur and Orville, made the first successful flight in a heavier-than-air machine in all history. Today is, then, the silver anniversary of aviation. It is being fittingly observed.

The Stockton & Darlington railroad was opened in England in 1825. All previous attempts at steam railroading are about comparable to the flying attempts of Professor Langley, pioneering efforts that failed. The railroad stood, then, in just about the same position, in 1850, in which aviation stands today, as far as time for development is concerned.

But the steam railroad, in the first twenty-five years of its history, revolutionized the transportation system of the civilized world. By 1850 there were more than nine thousand miles of railway in the United States, six thousand miles in Great Britain, France, Austria, Belgium, Germany, Russia, Italy and Holland had important systems in operation. The rail and the locomotive had wrought an utter change not only in the economic outlook of the world but in the then present systems of production and distribution.

Twenty-five years after the demonstration of the airplane no such effect has been produced by that invention. If every airplane line in operation should go out of existence tomorrow the effect on civilization would be scarcely noticeable. Some mail would be a little slower, a considerable number of fliers and airplane factory workers would be thrown out of jobs, but there would be no huge dislocation such as would have transpired if, in 1850, the railroads had been suddenly scrapped.

And this in face of the fact that the airplane came into a world infinitely more receptive of the new than the world which greeted the steam railroad with skepticism and reviling.

That aviation has made great strides since the Wrights made that first flight at Kitty Hawk is not to be denied. That it has, in the same length of time, done anything to compare with the growth of the railroad is not to be maintained.

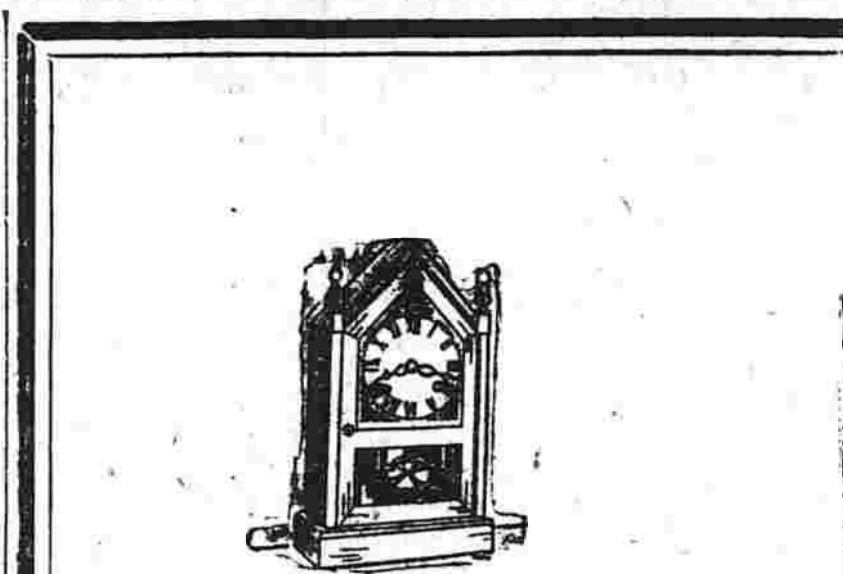
LEAGUE'S HARD JOB
 The interposition of the Council of the League of Nations in the Bolivian-Paraguayan imbroglio is said to have resulted in orders from the Bolivian government to its troops to cease offensive operations. Whether such orders, if they have actually been issued as reported by Bolivia to the League, can stem the tide already loosed is of course problematical, for it is infinitely easier to start a war than to stop it.

If, however, League interposition shall turn out to have prevented this needless and inevitably bloody little war, there are elements in the situation which will make it, in some ways, the most remarkable achievement of that institution.

Any effectual operation of the League in preventing a war on the western hemisphere is rendered immensely difficult by the fact that the United States is not only outside the League but is always ready to regard with the utmost suspicion any European influence in the affairs of the New World. Any move toward interference with a western hemisphere war, by the League, is sure to be resented by millions of Americans who have a strained and exaggerated idea of what the Monroe doctrine means, as an interference in the affairs of America.

The difficulties of League operation on this side of the ocean are incalculable. If it has scored in this case the fact should set Americans to thinking.

GROVER WHALEN
 Ordinarily the people of the rest of the country don't care a whoop who is at the head of the New York police force. If they think about the matter at all they figure that it doesn't make any difference—whichever he is it won't be long now before he is fired,



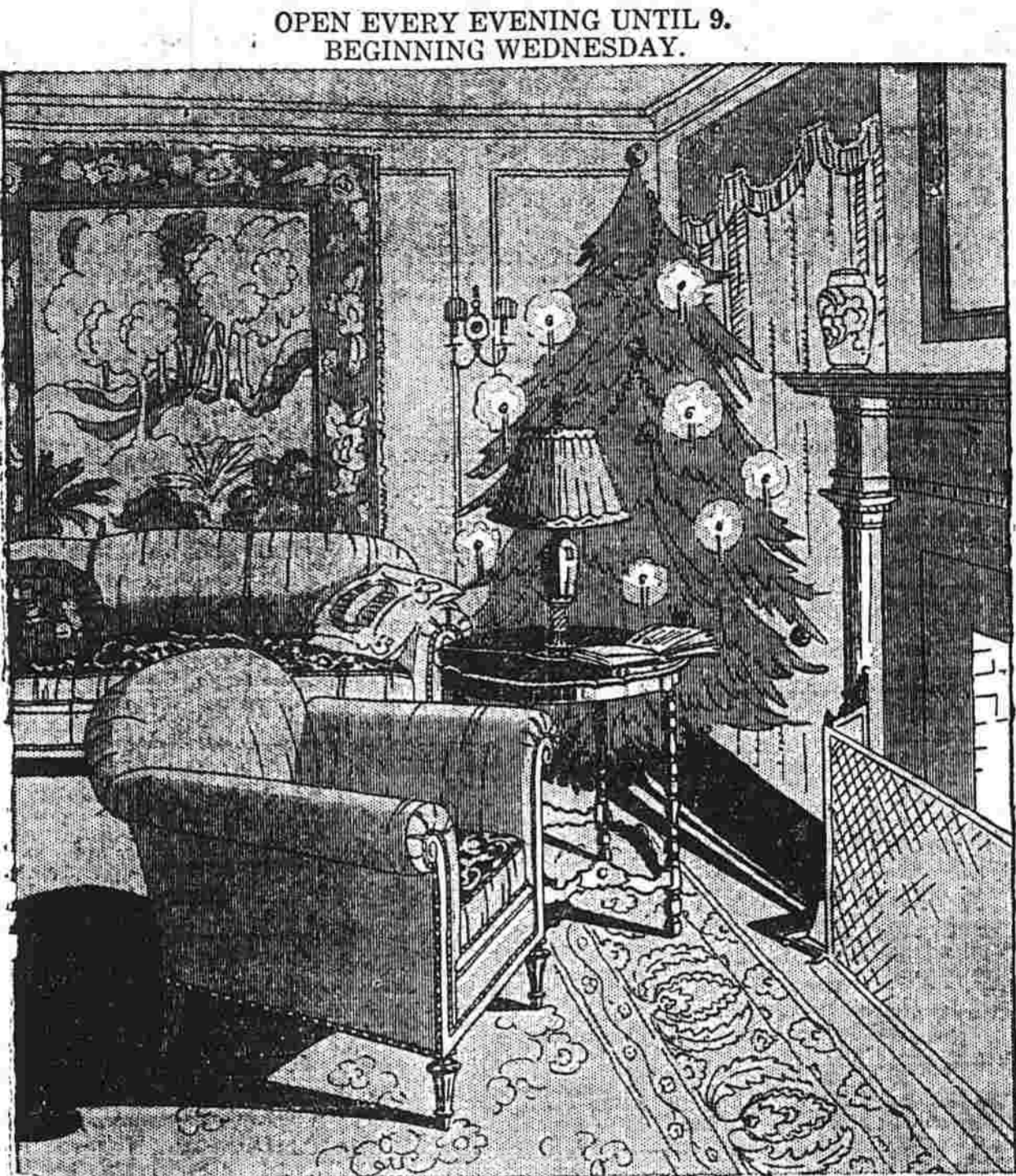
Little mantel clocks at \$4.50... up to the big chiming hall clocks at \$165 offer a wide choice. The 8-day Colonial mantel model sketched, with antiqued dial is only

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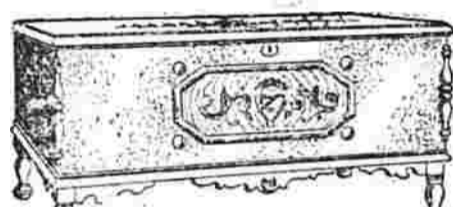
Magazine racks in bright colors... others in mahogany and maple finishes... some with legs to bring them within easy reach are priced from

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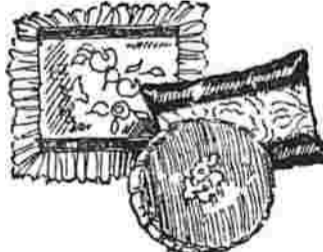
Simple little card tables in colors... others with turned legs... still others with folding chairs to match! Give them card tables this year

\$1.79 to \$39



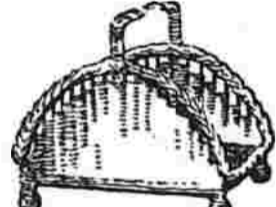
Chests in natural cedar... others in walnut veneers... enhanced by mahogany edges... priced from \$11.85 to \$56. The 48-inch chest shown with walnut veneer

\$35



Smart new sofa pillows come in plain rayons and silks in square and irregular shapes. Beautiful pillows here to harmonize with any sofa or chair.

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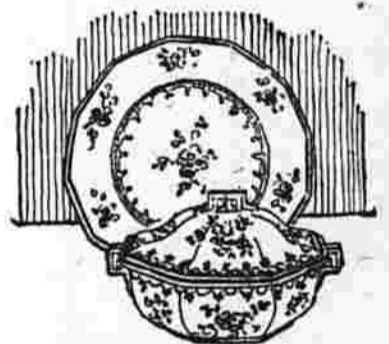
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neither because he is so unspeakably bad that he has to be thrown to the wolves of public indignation or because he is so straight that he is not to be tolerated by the forces of graft which seem always to have their hooks in a New York city administration somehow or other.
 Nevertheless the acceptance of the police commissionership by Grover Whalen is a development of more than local interest. Here is a merchant, and one of the best in the city, who is also considerable of a politician, and who is dropping a \$100,000 job to take a \$10,000 one. Mr. Whalen's reputation in business circles is altogether too high to admit of the suspicion that he is letting the \$90,000 a year go by default in order to get still more out of the police headship—something that conceivably might be entirely possible for a person of the ability but less rectitude.
 What is the alternative supposition? Naturally, that Grover Whalen is going in for a political career on no mean scale and that he sees in the commissionership a chance to perform distinguished service that might lead to any heights.
 If in the next two years Com-

missioner Whalen should succeed in doing with the police department of New York what so many people believe it is possible to do—rid it absolutely of all graft and tolerance of and alliance with criminals—it would make him one of the biggest men in the country.
 Mr. Whalen is a Democrat. The Democratic party is going to need a new leader in 1932. Theodore Roosevelt started on the way to the White House as a New York police commissioner. There are interesting possibilities in the situation.
 More than 1500 people have written biographies of Lincoln.

ATLANTA JUDGE SEES DELINQUENCY GROW; GIVES FOUR CAUSES

Atlanta, Ga.—Youthful delinquency—what's responsible for its increase?
 Here are four contributing causes outlined by Garland Watkins, judge of the Atlanta juvenile court:
 1. Automobiles, affording irresistible excitement and an escape from the restraints of home.
 2. The unchaperoned dance, with its jazz, late hours and accompanying liquor.
 3. Modern novels, many of them "reeking with shame."
 4. Godless atmosphere, in which religion is a mockery.
 "As judge of the Juvenile Court, it is my duty to sit in judgment over delinquent boys and girls—most of them under 16—who practically repeat every known crime, from throwing rocks, stealing pencils to stealing automobiles and selling liquor, and they are growing in crime and immorality."
 "Now, I am not a fanatic, and I love the young people—this is not a condemnation of the modern youth—but we are confronting a serious situation."
 "Ten years ago, the average age of the criminal was 34; today it is 23, and our most serious crimes are

committed by mere girls and boys. This situation demands serious and intelligent attention. For seven years we have made a survey to try to find out the cause of boys and girls becoming delinquent."
 Judge Watkins cited case after case of boys in his court most of them 14 years or even younger, whose crimes were those of stealing, forging, hold-ups, bootlegging and so on. He stated that two years ago he tried 417 girls in his court—the oldest 16, the youngest 11—who were tried for stealing, sex crimes and most everything else.
 In 1753 a lottery was organized in Baltimore for the purpose of building a public wharf.

Rockville

Three Held in Brooklyn for Local Break

The three men who robbed the store of Tennstedt-Breard's Company, 23 Market street, late Sunday afternoon, were captured at three o'clock Monday morning while forcing an entrance to a store in Brooklyn, N. Y. Police Chief Steven Tobin and Charles Tennstedt left for New York Monday night to identify the articles stolen from the store on Market street, which were found in the car. The men forced their way into the Market street store and took two shotguns. It was reported by the Brooklyn police that the guns were found in the automobile. According to the Brooklyn police the three men are Fred Green, 4817 Avenue M.; Victor Wendlen, 1502 Ralph Avenue, and Edward Goodwin, 2132 East 47th street, Brooklyn. The three had been staying at the hotel over the local store for the past week and were disturbed while making the break by the proprietor and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hewitt, who both attempted to withhold them. They later made their getaway in an automobile and it is believed that they went by way of Glastonbury and Middletown as the Hartford police were guarding the Hartford bridge waiting for them.

Tribute to Frank Condon
"An Appreciation to Frank Condon," prepared by the Rockville Ministerial Association, was read in several of the churches Sunday. The appreciation was, in part, as follows:

"Mr. Condon was a valued member of our association and furnished us with a point of view perhaps wider and less denominational than that which each of us brought to our ministerial gatherings. He served for a time as our secretary and he always had something worth while to suggest in the way of civic betterment. It was he who suggested the monthly services at the County jail, and his wide interests took us out of our narrow parochialism.

"But it was chiefly as a friend and a brother that we valued and loved him. Never was there a more friendly soul, and his was anything but that tiresome professional friendliness that we frequently have to suffer from. Your heart warmed to Frank Condon just because he was a sincere, unassuming, sterling friend of humanity. We thank God for his life, and we are better men and better ministers for having known and loved him."

Public Card Party
The Emblem Club will hold a public card party at the Elk's home on Prospect street Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Mrs. Arthur Vincent is chairman of the committee. There will be prizes and refreshments.

Three Hurt in Accident
Automobiles driven by Ernest Limberger, 15, of Ellington and George Niles of Grand avenue, collided at the corner of Union and Ward streets at 5 o'clock last evening, badly damaging both cars. Niles, who was driving west on Union, made a left hand turn into Ward street directly into the path of the Limberger car which was going east. In the Limberger car Walter Limberger, age 4, had two teeth knocked out and was taken to the City hospital for treatment. Mrs. Limberger, mother of the driver, was treated by Dr. E. H. Metcal for a cut on the forehead. Mrs. George Niles, who was driving with her husband, was cut on the head and was treated at the hospital. Capt. Tobin who investigated notified both drivers to appear in court Thursday morning.

Methodist Conference Wednesday
The Methodist church will hold its 4th quarterly conference Wednesday evening when Superintendent of the District, M. E. Genter, will be present. Business of importance will be acted upon and reports read.

Y. G. A. A. Ball
The Young German Americans Association will hold its 45th annual masquerade ball Friday evening, January 25, in Princess hall. Village street. The committee in charge follows: Edward Babstuehner, John H. Yost, Alfred Neumann, Fred Yost, Arthur Keller, Max J. Smith, Herbert Wormstedt.

Christmas Tree Friday
The annual Christmas tree exercises of the Union Congregational church will be held Friday evening in the church auditorium. Santa Claus will be there and it is expected that there will be a large attendance. The exercises will commence at 7:30 o'clock.

Fish and Game Club Shoot
The Rockville Fish and Game club held a very successful shoot at the traps on Saturday afternoon. In the singles H. C. Barstow was high breaking 91 out of a possible 100. Neal Benton breaking 85, F. W. Stengel 83 and Herbert Suesman 81. In the doubles, H. C. Barstow broke 42 out of 50, Stengel 36, C. Bradley 24.

W. R. C. Christmas Party
The Women's Relief Corps will hold a regular meeting Wednesday evening with a members' supper at 6 o'clock. A Christmas party will be held following the meeting and each member is requested to bring a present. The committee in charge: Mrs. Lillian Buckminster, Mrs. Anna Bilson and Mrs. Gertrude Milne.

Notes
A meeting of the 40 and 8 will be held Wednesday evening in the Superior Court room. Martin Pierson of Talcott avenue returned to his home Monday from the Manchester Memorial hospital where he has been undergoing treatment for several weeks.

The Rockville City Council will meet tonight in the City Council rooms. This will be the last regular meeting for the retiring members of the council.

The Zeppelin got its name from Count von Zeppelin, who invented it.

CLARENCE DARRAW SOON TO SPEAK IN HARTFORD

Famous Lawyer and Liberal Will Lecture for Temple Beth Israel Sisterhood.

Clarence S. Darrow, eminent lawyer of Chicago and known throughout the country for his connections with the Leob-Leopold trial and the Scopes Evolution case will be heard in the Broad street Auditorium of the Hartford Public High school Tuesday, January 8, at 8:15 p. m., under the auspices of the Sisterhood of Temple Beth Israel. Mr. Darrow will give his famous lecture, "Crime and Its Treatment."

Mr. Darrow was born in Kinsman, O., in 1857. He started his career as a lawyer for the Northwestern railroad. He has been identified with many notable cases against monopolies, including litigation against the gas trust in Chicago. He also acted as an arbitrator in the anthracite coal strike of 1902. He served in the Illinois Legislature in 1902 and in 1911. He was counsel for the McNamara

Brothers in the Los Angeles Times dynamite case.

He became better known to the nation as counsel in the Leob-Leopold case in Chicago in 1924 and more recently, as counsel for Scopes in the famous evolution case in Dayton, Tenn., in 1925.

He is the author of several books including, "Crime, Its Cause and Treatment," probably best known. On March 11, Rabbit Henry Lovell of Temple Israel, Boston, will speak on "Education and Life" and on April 22, Rev. John Haynes Holmes, pastor of the Community church of New York, will speak. His subject will be announced at a later date.

Single tickets or course tickets for the three lectures may be obtained from Gallup & Alford, Asylum street, Hartford, or mail orders will be taken care of by Mrs. E. A. Hart of 205 Fern street, Hartford.

NEW ROAD SWEEPER PICKS UP ALL TACKS
Enid, Okla.—Motorists hail with delight a new magnetic road sweeper recently put into service by C. H. Rightmire, division engineer of the Oklahoma highway commission. The sweeper picked up more than 50 pounds of tack when used on a short test in this city. Further tests will soon be made, it was said.

ROTHSTEIN SUIT ON

New York, Dec. 18.—The second round in the Arnold Rothstein will battle was to be fought today with Assemblyman Maurice Cantor, attorney for the slain gambler and one of the beneficiaries under the second will, testifying as to the manner in which the dying man signed the document with an "X." Rothstein's relatives are contesting the validity of the second will, which bequeaths fortunes to Cantor and to Inez Norton, show girl friend of the master gambler and alleged drug ring head.

Miss Elizabeth Love, a nurse at Polyclinic hospital where Rothstein was lying in a critical state at the time, testified yesterday that the patient was helpless and that Cantor guided the hand which scribbled the "X." The nurse said Rothstein was irrational at the time and that she had consented to act as a

GUARDS EXONERATE

Niagara Falls, N. Y., Dec. 18.—The members of the Coast Guard patrol who shot and killed Carl Anderson, an alleged rum runner of Lewiston, on Thanksgiving morning, stood exonerated today. Coroner F. T. Carmer, of Newfane, announced last night following an inquest that he believed the coast Guardsmen were within their rights in firing on "The Bug," Anderson's cabin cruiser, on Lake Ontario.

SIX ACRES OF WINDOWS IN CHICAGO BUILDING

Chicago.—More than six acres of windows will give light to the seventy-five floors of the Chicago Apparel Mart, according to Napoleon Fieard, president of the corporation building this new skyscraper which will be the tallest and largest in the world. There will be approximately 12,000 windows in the building, requiring a permanent staff of twenty men giving their entire time to window cleaning.

WITNESS ONLY TO GET CANTOR OUT OF THE SICKROOM. HE HAD FORCED HIS WAY INTO THE ROOM, SHE DECLARED.

The present legal proceeding is merely a hearing which precedes the trial.

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The J. W. Hale Co.

Consider Now the one important gift you will give this Christmas

Gifts are of two kinds. There are, of course, the usual little remembrances. For these, there is perhaps still plenty of time before Christmas.

But the other kind of gift, the gift which must express the deepest sentiments of affection or esteem, should be considered now! No last-minute choice will do.

What, for this gift, will compare with a Gruen Guild Watch? Think how admirably it will serve the purpose! At once an article of daily use and a lasting possession, it will be cherished for many years to come as a constant reminder of the spirit that prompted its giving.

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We have pictured here a few rich examples of modern Guildsman's art. Each makes a gift worthy of the person who is to receive it.

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Smart, Colorful
Blanket Robes \$2.95

Snug and warm, these robes would make practical gifts. Mannishly tailored, finished with cord. Also styles trimmed with satin. Shawl or regulation collars. Belted at waist with silk cord.

Choose from swagger plaids and good-looking conventional designs.

Red, rose, blue, tan and violet.

Sizes 14 to 52. With plenty of sizes from 42 to 50.

Children's Robes \$3.95 and \$5.95

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Striped Flannel Robes. In warm colorings \$7.95

Negligee Shop—Second Floor

Advertise in The Evening Herald-It Pays

DAILY RADIO PROGRAM

Tuesday, December 18.

Cornelia Otis Skinner, daughter of the famous Otis Skinner and one of the foremost of American entertainers...

436-WLW, CINCINNATI-700. 8:00-Cincinnati Symphony orchestra. 8:30-WJZ programs (1 hr.).

Leading DX Stations. 403-WBS, ATLANTA-740. 7:30-Neighborhood program. 8:00-Studio concert hour.

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Secondary Eastern Stations.

545-WRC, CINCINNATI-550. 11:00-News; children's program. 12:00-Dance orchestra.

Berlin Debates Building Of American Skyscrapers

By MILTON BRONNER. London.—To be or not to be—a skyscraper city. That is the question that Berlin business men, real estate operators, city officials and Prussian state officials are discussing.

ANOTHER CHICAGO BOMB

Chicago, Dec. 18.—A black powder bomb today damaged the home of Lawrence F. King, senior member of the Sanitary District Board.

THE NEW FRIGIDAIRE. New Low Prices Effective December 10th. ALFRED A. GREZEL, 829 Main Street, South Manchester.

Paris.—French truffle hunting is a queer sight. Three men and a pig generally make up a hunting party. The pig is so trained that at a given signal he commences to dig at the foot of a hazel or oak tree.

Among other notes of prosperity, the Department of Commerce reports that the supply of nuts is adequate this year.

YALE'S CHIEF COACH SOON WILL BE DOCTOR

New Haven, Conn.—M. A. Stevens, chief coach of football at Yale, will be an M. D. next June. Stevens, who was an All-America football player as a member of the Yale team back in 1924, was graduated from Yale college in 1925, and promptly enrolled in the medical school in the class of 1929.

STEALING XMAS TREES INDIANAPOLIS PASTIME

Indianapolis.—The thousands of cedar trees in city parks here have proved so tempting to persons seeking for Christmas trees that a special guard of policemen has been placed in the various parks this Yuletide.

NEW DOLLAR BILLS

Washington.—The government is pulling a fast one and crossing up the gent who makes his living by manufacturing Federal money. New Federal bills will soon be issued about one-third smaller, in both dimensions, than the present bills.

THAT EXPLAINS IT HER FATHER: What reason have you, sir, for wanting to marry my daughter? YOUNG MAN: I—er—haven't any reason. I'm in love.—Answers.

SOVIET BOSSES OUST OFFICIALS IN NEW FACTION

Moscow.—Four important officials of the Communist party in the Moscow district have been ousted from their jobs along with a string of secretaries of local party committees in the war on a new opposition movement.

A TREAT and RETREAT for Shoppers

HERE is the popular retreat of shoppers because they have found luncheon here a real treat. The appetizing manner in which our delicacies are served; the satisfying refreshment offered; the refined, restful environment—and withal the welcome moderation of our prices—are reasons enough—but by no means all.

Try Our HOT Luncheons and Sandwiches

Special holiday service makes it possible to serve you dinners from 11 a. m.

Newly installed Frigidaire case for our complete selection of cold meats and salads.

Christmas Candy Home Made

See it made at our store CRISP—FRESH You will notice a delicious superiority

CANDY CANES All Sizes—Reasonable

LARGE ASSORTMENT —of— Fancy Boxed Chocolates including Latest Cedar Chests And Other Holiday Novelties.

See Us Before You Buy South Manchester Candy Kitchen Tinker Block Next to Glenney's.

WTIC Travelers Insurance Co. Hartford 535.4 m. 560 k. c.

Program for Tuesday 4:30 p. m.—Auction Bridge Game from N. B. C. Studios. 6:20 p. m.—Summary of program and news bulletins.

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THE MANCHESTER GAS COMPANY. Beautiful White Enamel Ranges At Attractive Prices. Small Initial Payment Balance on easy terms—a small amount monthly, with your gas bills.

By Percy L. Crosby

FLAPPER FANNY SAYS:

SENSE and NONSENSE



The bushels of kisses before marriage are, afterwards, reduced to a peck.

Policeman: "How did the accident happen?"
Motorist: "My wife fell asleep in the back seat."

THE PSALM OF DETOUR

I am Detour;
Maker of cuss words,
Producer of pain,
Destroyer of autos.

WATER GOLF

Just the right time of the year for a COAL FIRE, so here's your chance to build one. Par is six and one solution is on another page.

Word search grid with the words COAL and FIRE hidden.

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.

Salesman: "Let me show you our latest delivery car. It can climb any hill on earth."
Grocer: "That's nothing. The last one you sold me tried to climb a tree."

THE TINYMITES

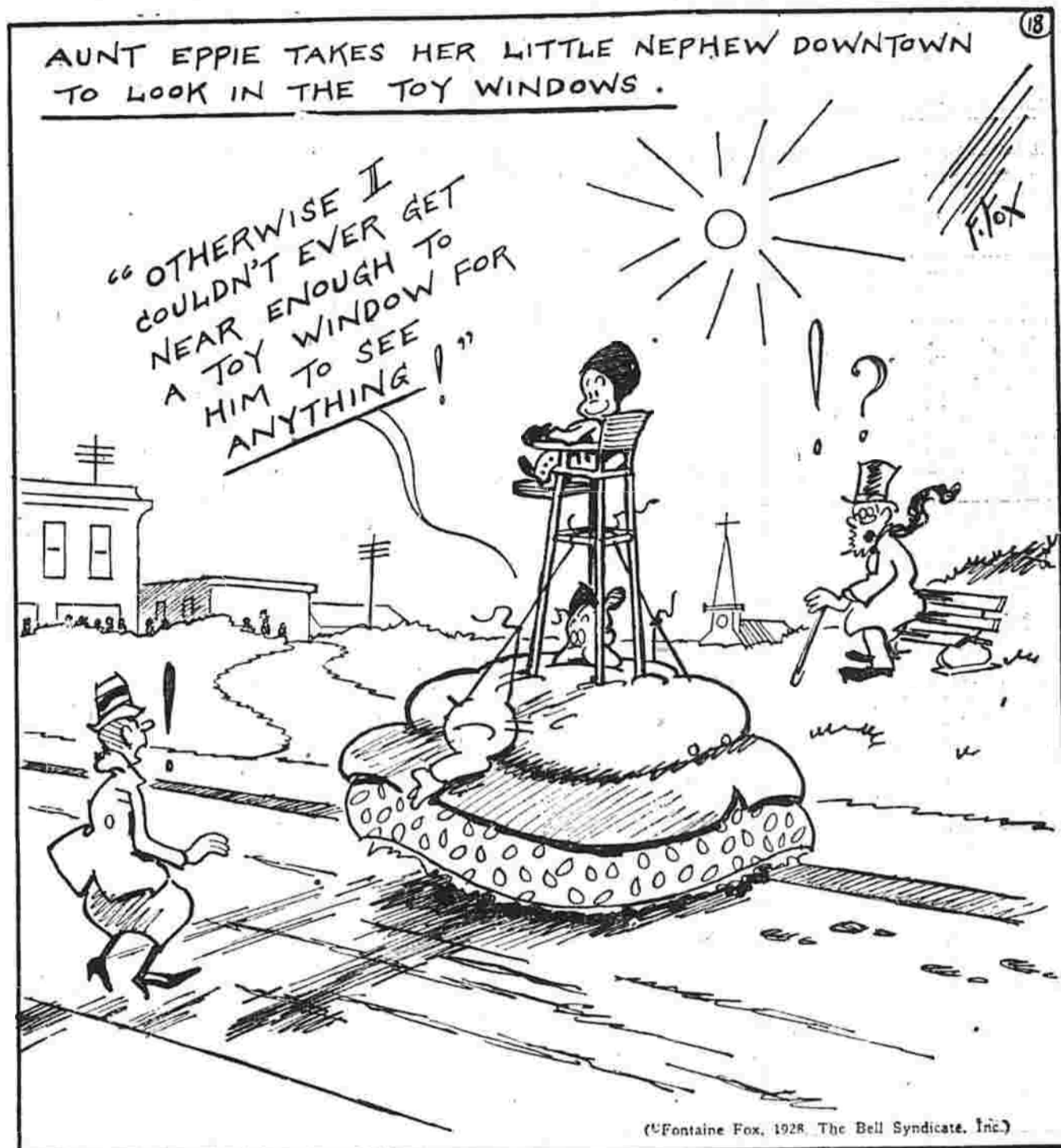


"These wagons, scooters, cars and bikes are things that every youngster likes," said Scouty. "I am glad that we have helped to fix them right. Just think of all the fun ahead for tots who jump right out of bed, and run down to their Christmas tree to find these things in sight."

SKIPPY



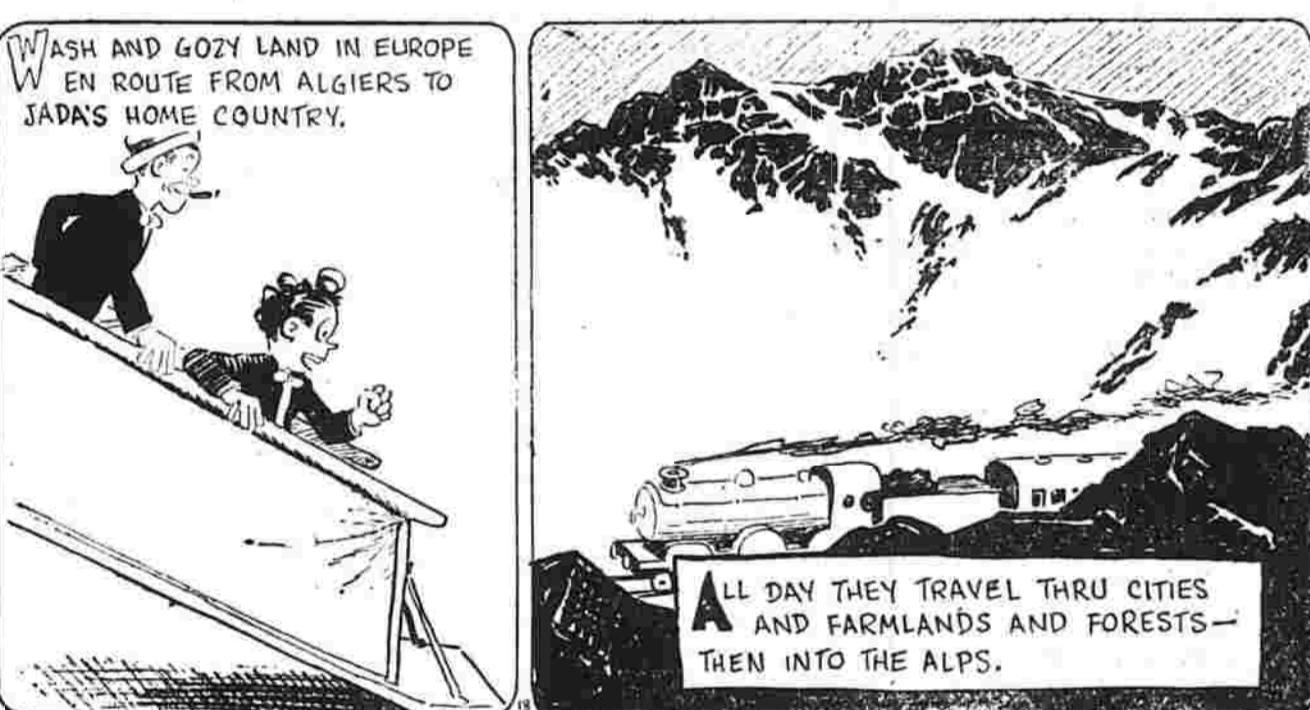
Aunt Eppie Hogg, the Fattest Woman in 3 Counties By Fontaine Fox



OUR BOARDING HOUSE By Gene Ahern



WASHINGTON TUBBS II



Not Yet, But Soon



By Crane

FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS



Too Fast for Alek



By Blosser

SALESMAN SAM



The Snow Maker



By Sma

ABOUT TOWN

George Wier of 96 1/2 Foster street who has been confined to his home with illness is on the road to recovery.

Parking restriction signs have been placed on the poles on the west side of Main street between Park and Locust streets warning motorists that they can park in that section for an hour only. The same restriction applies to this section in front of the new Richards block as is applied on the east side of Main street.

The Woman's Benefit association will hold its regular meeting in Odd Fellows hall this evening at 8 o'clock. The Junior society will have a Christmas tree and social get-together from 6 to 8 o'clock.

"The Challengers" which represents the Sunday school class of young girls at business at the South Methodist church taught by Mrs. James E. Greer, has decided to postpone its Christmas party scheduled for this evening. The Campfire Girls and Boy Scouts joint party will be held tonight.

The Lindy Social club held a whist Saturday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Finnegan 10 1/2 Church street. The winners of first prizes were Miss Corinne Murphy and David Dickson; second, Miss Alice Doggart of Talcottville and S. McButtry; consolation, Miss Florence Pinney and Ray Chambers. Luncheon was served by the hostess. The club will hold its next whist at the home of Mr. and Mrs. David Dickson of 92 Spruce street.

William Foulds, Jr., who is wintering in Sarasota, Florida, arrived home today for a short stay.

The Ladies Aid society of the North Methodist church will hold a sale of Christmas gift articles and home made food at the hose house, Main and Hilliard streets tomorrow afternoon from 2 to 4 o'clock.

John Conlon, local milk dealer, who has been unable to attend to his business for the last three months, has entered a New York hospital for treatment for an infected foot.

George W. Lynne, of 7 Ford street, has resigned as representative of the Prudential Insurance Company and is now selling doctors' and nurses' uniforms and other wearing apparel.

William Armstrong an evangelist of Providence, R. I., will speak at Gospel Hall, every night this week except Saturday at 7:45. Mr. Armstrong has appeared here before. The public is welcomed to the hall to hear his addresses.

Campfire Girls and Boy Scouts of Troop 6 are reminded of the Christmas party to be held tonight at 7 o'clock at the South Methodist Episcopal church. Admission fee will be a ten-cent toy for Santa's pack.

The G Clef Glee club will rehearse tonight at the Swedish Lutheran church at 7 o'clock.

Troop 2, Boy Scouts, will meet tonight at St. James' Parochial school at 7 o'clock. Troop 4 holds its meeting tonight at 7 o'clock at St. Mary's church.

Mr. and Mrs. John H. Rady of Eldridge street have as their guest Mrs. Rady's mother from Pensacola, Florida.

Straight whist attracted ten tables of players last night at the Buckland school. The door prize was won by Charles Miller. The ladies' first prize, \$2.50 in gold, was won by Mrs. Marcella Gro-man. John Wood was lucky player among the men and received a gold piece of the same denomination. Consolation trophies fell to Miss Grace Spillane and James McVeigh. The committee included Mrs. Inez Batson, Mrs. Daniel Smith and Miss Nellie Smith, and at the close of the games they served sandwiches and coffee. The party was under the auspices of the Buckland Parent-Teacher Association. Its next activity will be the annual Christmas party for the children on Thursday evening.

The Army and Navy club auxiliary, will follow its regular business meeting at the clubhouse Thursday evening with a chicken supper and social get-together. Each member is requested to provide a 50-cent gift for the Christmas tree which will be a part of the program. Mrs. David McGinn, who heads the committee of arrangements, would like to know at once how many members plan to attend.

Manchester Camp No. 2840 Royal Neighbors, will hold its regular meeting promptly at 8 o'clock this evening in Odd Fellows hall. A set-back party, open to all players, will follow with prizes and refreshments. A door prize of \$2.50 will be given and the Hope Chest will also be drawn.

HOME BUILDERS GIVE PARTY FOR CHILDREN

More than 40 young married couples attended the "Home Builders" Christmas party for the children last evening at the South Methodist church. The husbands and wives brought their own children or borrowed one or two so that the children present numbered about 60 and everybody had a jolly time. Games especially suitable for the little ones were played and all formed a circle around the brilliantly illuminated Christmas tree and sang carols. Mrs. James E. Greer, wife of the assistant pastor, accompanying on the piano. During a lull in the proceedings the sound of sleighbells was heard and Santa came down the stairs from the front of the church much to the delight of the kiddies. From a well-filled sack he distributed gifts to all the boys and girls. Mr. and Mrs. Otto Nelson and Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Noren then served ice cream and assorted cakes to all.

CORRECTION

Pints of Yacht Club's syrup advertised in yesterday's Pinehurst advertisement at 21 cents should have been announced at 31 cents. It was a typographical error.

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Choice showing of Cravats in patterns inspired by Shawls woven in the reign of MOGUL AKBAR SHAB in the XVI century.

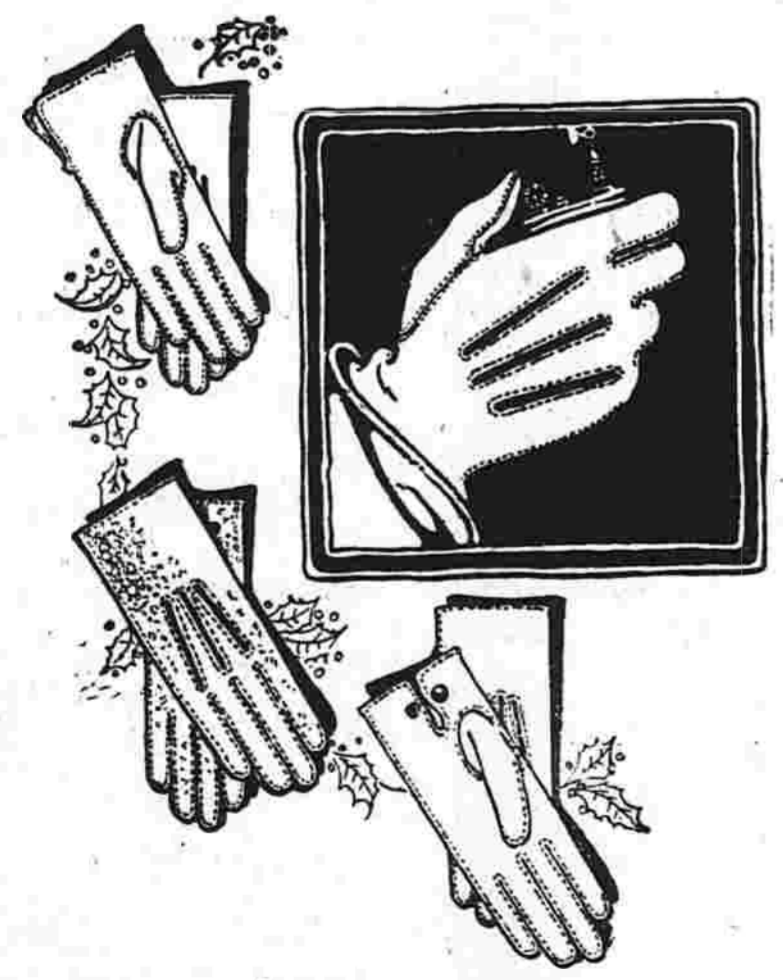
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For Christmas

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Dainty Boudoir Lamps

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Dainty little boudoir lamps with metal bases and pleated parchment shades in delicate colorings that will harmonize with milady's boudoir color scheme.

Inlaid Parchment Shades

Inlaid parchment shades in a variety of designs—modernistic and floral. Fiber laced. Hexagon shaped shades.

- Table Lamp Shades \$2.98, Floor Lamp Shades \$3.49



Gift Lamps, Basement

ELECTRICAL GIFTS

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ELECTRIC URN SETS

\$21.50

The set consists of a 6 cup electric coffee urn, a nickel tray, and a gold lined creamer and sugar bowl. The regular price of this set is \$27.50—our price \$21.50.

Electric TOASTWATCHES

\$9.95

This new Manning and Bowman electric toastwatch automatically stops the current when the bread is toasted—no more burnt toast.



Electric Waffle Irons

\$7.98



A Torrid electric waffle iron in the regulation size. An inexpensive gift for mother, wife or the bride-to-be.

Electrical Gifts—Basement

TOYLAND

Featuring Dollar Specials For Tomorrow



Large Buses

\$1.00

Well made, 24-inch metal buses—fire trucks, delivery vans, moving vans, etc.



Monoplanes

\$1.00

"Big Boy" red and white monoplanes, 27 inches long with a 26-inch spread.

Basement



Toy Furniture

\$1.00

2 drawer dressers and 1 drawer dressing tables in cream with colored decorations.



Wind-Up Toys

\$1.00

Mechanical wind-up toys including buses, circus wagons, trolley cars, etc.

Santa Surprise Packages 25c

Red for boys, green for girls. Each package contains a surprise toy for good boys and girls. Come in tomorrow and buy one from Santa!

Friction Toys

\$1.00

Trucks, taxicabs, delivery vans, etc.

A ticket on a Free Drawing on a \$75 Ives' Electric Circus Train outfit will be given with each toy purchase. The lucky number will be drawn Friday, December 21st.



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IMPORTED JAPANESE

TEA SETS

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Beautiful two-tone Japanese tea sets—blue and tan, cream and tan, and blue and black. Delicate Japanese flowers trim these dainty sets which come in service for 6 people.

A direct importation from Japan. Entirely different tea sets decorated with Japanese scenes. A variety of beautiful colorings. The cups have gold handles. A set that would be most appreciated as a Christmas gift.

IMPORTED SALAD SETS

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Gift China—Basement

George J. Smith Correct Modern Instruction of the Tenor Banjo and Other String Instruments 507 Main St. Tel. 2296

ROGUES' GALLERY Dover, Ohio.—Mayor P. J. Groh, after trying everything, from stomach irrigation to padding in an effort to eliminate "canned heat" drinking, has issued photographs of all local addicts to merchants with instructions not to sell the liquid to them.

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